

AIRLINER, JET PLANE COLLIDE

Harriman Calls for Tax Cut, Large Public Works

Rockefeller Calls for Prompt Tax Reduction

Government Bond Purchases Urged

Washington — Gov. Averell Harriman of New York called today for an anti-recession tax cut, "a large and diversified program of public works" and Federal Reserve Board purchase of "several billion dollars" of government bonds to fight the recession.

The Democratic governor said the Eisenhower administration must bear the blame for the recession. He said it must now "face the facts, tell the people the truth and act positively and convincingly," or lose a vital battle in the cold war with Communism.

Harriman made his recommendations in testimony prepared for delivery before the House Banking and Currency committee.

Commerce Secretary Sinclair Weeks earlier attacked certain top-level congressional Democrats for "deliberately plotting" to exaggerate the seriousness of the business downturn and intimidate consumers.

Certain Selfish Plotters

In a week end speech at a GOP rally in Skowhegan, Me. Weeks said he believed rank-and-file Democrats like Republicans sympathized with the unemployed. "But I do charge," he said, "certain strategists of the opposition with deliberately plotting for selfish partisan advantage to talk people into the jitters."

Elsewhere on Capitol Hill, the House Ways and Means committee was prepared to give final approval of a bill going far beyond President Eisenhower's recommendations for supplemental unemployment benefits.

At the same time, the Senate Banking committee turned to small business legislation—another item on the anti-recession program of Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon B. Johnson.

Rockefeller Report

Nelson Rockefeller, head of a panel study of the nation's economy, issued a report calling for an immediate \$5 to \$7 billion tax cut.

The report of the Rockefeller Brothers Fund, Inc., urged public Sunday night, urged reductions in both personal and corporation income taxes as part of a six-point program to stimulate business and employment.

Rockefeller said some panel members favored a \$5 to \$7 billion cut and "that seems reasonable to me." He said members differed on when the cut should go into effect but all agreed it should be ordered within a month or so.

Meeting Slated For Conservation

An organizational meeting of the board of the Sams Valley-Beagle Soil Conservation district will be held at 8 p.m. today in the county agent's office.

Members include Elwood Abbott, Sams Valley, and Victor E. Gardner, Yankee creek, who were elected at the annual meeting; A. T. Wattenberg, Eagle Point, who was re-elected; and William Jess, Dodge bridge; Earl B. Day, Central Point, and Burdette Dodge, Medford.

Brilliant Object in Sky Lights Up Southeast Area

Atlanta — A bullet-shaped blob of light flashed across the southeastern sky early Sunday night and blew up with blinding brilliance.

Witnesses from as far north as Martinsburg, W. Va., and Corbin, Ky., and as far south as Georgia reported seeing the object, the local Weather Bureau reported. Curious callers jammed telephone switchboards in cities along the object's course, inquiring what had passed over.

Authorities at Dobbins Air Force Base indicated today

U.S. Gains Support Of Security Council On Soviet Charge

United Nations, N.Y.—The United States had mustered overwhelming support of U.N. Security Council members today against Soviet charges that U.S. bombers laden with hydrogen bombs threaten to start World War II by flying toward Russia.

The Security Council was called into session to hear the complaint made on Friday by Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko. American officials expected any Soviet resolution denouncing the United States would be beaten by a 9 to 1 Security Council vote.

To Demand Measures

Soviet representative Arkady A. Sobolev was taking the rostrum first to demand "urgent measures to put an end to flight by U.S. military aircraft armed with atomic and hydrogen bombs in the direction of the frontiers of the Soviet Union."

Refers To U.P. Report

The Russian complaint against the United States—first major East-West Security Council conflict since Russia crushed the anti-Communist revolt in Hungary—referred to a "report of the American news agency United Press."

Photos Received For City Planning

The Medford planning department this morning received a number of contact photographs from the Pacific Air Industries, of Long Beach, Calif., which recently completed photographing the city as the first step preparing an aerial map.

Ned Langford, city planning consultant, said the next step would be the location of control points on each print. The control points were made by painting five-foot white circles on several intersections before the photographs were made last month.

The control points will be used by the California firm as the next step in completing the map. Langford said the finished print will be about five times larger than the contact prints.

The map, when finished, will be used in connection with Medford's urban planning program by other city departments in planning, according to Robert Duff, city manager.

Voters Forum Set Tonight

All candidates running for local elective offices have accepted invitations to attend a voters' forum tonight at Medford Congregational church, it was announced this morning. The event will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the church building, 300 Oakwood drive.

The public is invited to hear the candidates speak and will be given an opportunity to question the candidates, it is stated. Mrs. Ivan Burton will be moderator. The social action committee of the church is sponsoring the event.

Baseball

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Chicago 1 3 0
Detroit 2 9 0

Donovan, Moore (9) and Lollar; Valentini (9) and Hegan.

Youth Receives 30 Days in Jail

Two 17-year-old Prospect boys were fined \$25 and court costs in district court this morning on charges of petty larceny. One also received a 30-day sentence in the county jail and the other is held in lieu of payment of the fine.

The two were arrested early today by state police on a citizen's complaint signed by Larry M. Jolliffe, route 1, box 158, Eagle Point. They were charged with taking gasoline.

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Three Nuns Shot As Gunman Seeks 'To Get Even'

Priest Disapproves Of Version of Bible

Doylestown, Pa.—Louis Felipe Marrero, charged with shooting three nuns and two other persons in a shotgun rampage in a Trenton, N. J., convent Saturday night, waived extradition today and was turned over to New Jersey authorities.

Judge Edward D. Biester granted the extradition for Marrero who surrendered in nearby Falls township early Sunday morning after evading a police blockade in Trenton.

Marrero told reporters he went on his spree Saturday night to "get even" with a priest who had not approved of Marrero's version of the Bible.

The 24-year-old laborer said he had been planning the attack for three weeks. However, he changed his mind later and told a reporter, "I only meant to scare them, but then something clicked in my mind."

"I'm sorry about it," he said. "I might as well get what's coming to me."

Marrero, married and the father of two children, said he was also mad at the Catholic church for not baptizing his Protestant mother Emma

who has been a patient at the Norristown, Pa. State hospital for the last eight years.

The Rev. Dominick Tutor, assistant curate at St. Joachim's church in Trenton, explained: "We told him we couldn't baptize her because Norristown is outside our diocese. He left without saying much."

Father Tutor added that Marrero's revised Bible—the result of the laborer's "visions" of the Virgin Mary—was "not worth reading."

Marrero told newsmen he had other complaints with the church. He said he wrote to Bishop Fulton J. Sheen, enclosing \$2 and a suggestion for a special medal for American spacemen.

"I told him there ought to be a medal for our spacemen and for our rocketeers. Our spacemen are important and should be honored," Marrero said.

"He answered my letter and said thanks for the \$2, Marrero said, "but he never acknowledged my idea about the medal."

Minors Fined \$25 On Liquor Charges

Six minors, including five boys and a girl, were fined \$25 and costs in district court this morning on charges of illegal possession of alcoholic beverages.

The six were arrested Saturday night by Jacksonville police. They were DeWayne Earl Keys, 20, route 2, box 431B, Medford; Ronald Jones, 18, post office box 284, Central Point; Noel Moore, 18, route 1, box 26, Central Point; Beverly May Britton, 19, 525 South Central ave.; and two 17-year-old boys from Central Point.

Judge James Main advised the group to refrain from use of intoxicating liquor and to avoid associating with undesirable persons and visiting undesirable establishments.

Klamath Falls — The general council of the Klamath Indian tribe announced that it has voted 85-21 to discharge its attorney, J. C. O'Neill of Klamath Falls.

WEATHER

FORECAST: Variable cloudiness tonight and Tuesday with a few light showers. Low tonight 43. High Tuesday 65. TEMP. Highest Yesterday 67. Lowest This Morning 50. Prec. to 10 a.m. Today Trace

Our Skies Tonight

Sunrise 5:22 a.m.
Sunset 6:53 p.m.
Moonset 9:40 p.m.
First Quarter April 26
PROMINENT STAR Aldebaran, near the Moon.

VISIBLE PLANETS Jupiter, in the southeast, 9:15 p.m.
Saturn, low in the southeast, 12:39 a.m.
Venus, rises 3:59 p.m.
Mars, in the southeast at sunrise.

DAR Parley Brings Out Flood of Resolutions

Session Hardest To Survive Among Capital Big Three

A. Robert Smith Ventures Into Hall

By A. ROBERT SMITH
Mail Tribune Correspondent
Washington — The nation's capital is now basking in splendid release of spring-time tension, for it has survived the three events most anxiously anticipated here this time of year—

The opening of the Japanese cherry blossoms, roughly three weeks too late for the cherry blossom festival which this year passed without a blossom in sight.

The opening of the baseball season, which this year shot the Washington Senators into a one day lead in the American League, followed by a slide to 7th place.

The closing of the Continental Congress, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Of the Big Three, DAR week is much the hardest to survive. The much-medaled and be-ribboned Daughters, 2750 strong, jam the hotels, pack the restaurants (including the Senate dining room where they collar the statesmen at their chow) and generally occupy a point of not inconsiderable attention as they meet in their Constitution Hall to fashion the resolutions for which they are possibly best known in this capital city.

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Bidault Believed Doomed in France

Paris — Georges Bidault, twice a post-war premier, set out today to form a new French cabinet but his unyielding "hard" policy on Algeria was believed to have doomed his efforts in advance.

Bidault, 59, a member of the Catholic Popular Republicans (MRP), is believed determined to hold on to Algeria even at the cost of a rift in NATO.

President Rene Coty chose Bidault to make the first try at solving what may be the greatest political crisis of the fourth Republic.

Bidault has these stumbling blocks ahead:
—He is at odds with his own party.

Left wing groups, with 140 votes in the 596-member National Assembly, are violently anti-Bidault. During the battle of Dien Bien Phu, when Bidault was foreign minister, he called for armed American intervention.

The socialists, with 100 key votes, have warned they would not support a "policy of adventure" in North Africa. Followers of Bidault have hinted they would like to mount military operations against Tunisia to prevent its alleged interference in Albania.

Bidault's efforts to form a government coincided with nationwide local elections in France. Political parties studied the returns closely but there were no major changes in the country's political alignment beyond a slight drift from the extreme left.

Salem — Robert H. Anderson, Salem, assistant attorney general, has joined Don Parker as assistant in the legal division of the state agriculture department this month.

Wright was treated and released for minor injuries, officers said. Also in the car were two other passengers who did not suffer injuries, according to state police. They said the driver apparently lost control while going East on the Jacksonville highway about 6:20 p.m. Sunday. The vehicle slid about 100 feet, crossed the highway and rolled over at least once, they added.

Two Girls Missing From Homes Here

Medford police reported this morning two Medford girls have been missing from home since Thursday evening and are believed to have run away together.

Police said Joyce Marie Riley, 16, who is five feet five inches tall, weighs 140 pounds, brown hair and blue eyes, is missing. When last seen she was wearing blue pedal pushers, a white sweater and green sandals.

Kathlene Doris Henderson, 14, who is five feet, nine inches tall, weighs 150 pounds, has long blond hair and blue eyes, is also missing. When last seen she was wearing tan pedal pushers, a black sweater and a tan car coat. Police said anyone having information about the girls should contact the police station at once.

Unhappily for the President General and her general staff, a band of rebels split off from the main body to oppose this attack on the church group. They numbered about 75.

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DEBRIS STREWN OVER WIDE AREA

UNITED AIRLINER FALLS IN DESERT

Las Vegas — An Air Force jet fighter went out of control high over Southern Nevada today, colliding at 21,000 feet with a New York bound United Air Lines DC7 with 47 persons aboard and sending both planes crashing into the barren desert.

All 42 passengers and five crew members, as well as the two-man Air Force crew in the Super Sabre jet, were killed.

An Air Force spokesman at nearby Nellis Air Force Base, home station of the jet fighter trainer, said he "understood" that the military plane developed "trouble" while flying at 30,000 feet and "flamed out." It spiraled directly down onto the four-engined airliner.

The collision was witnessed from both the sky and the ground.

At 10:45 a.m. (PST) nearly two hours after the crash, Nellis Air Force Base confirmed both men aboard the jet, a F100F fighter-trainer, were dead. They withheld names pending notification of next of kin.

L. L. Miller, station agent at Arden, said he "didn't see the collision, but I sure heard it. It was like a sonic boom."

Witnesses on the ground said that the jet dived "almost straight into" the airliner from 30,000 feet. It collided with the four-engined plane at 21,000 feet, the normal flight pattern for a commercial plane flying the area on visual flight rules.

Both planes then burst into a big, white puff.

I looked around and saw pieces of wreckage fluttering to earth, then was guided to the crash scene by the plume of black smoke from the fire.

I saw one parachute dropping from the wreckage.

The airliner wreckage was spread in an area some two miles long and about seven miles from McCarran Field.

As I flew low over the burning plane I could see the blue paint of United Air Lines and on one surface were the letters "ted" followed by three numbers.

The wreckage of the jet was about a mile west of the railroad community of Sloan, Nev. They were about eight miles apart.

It took about 10 or 15 minutes for the man in the parachute to land and then I saw a helicopter from Nellis land and pick the man up in a green canvas litter. The helicopter wouldn't answer my radio calls to find out if the man was alive or dead.

Planes Burn
Both planes burned for about a half hour after they crashed and the country is so rugged I don't see how they could get emergency equipment in.

It looked to me as though the crash happened at about 21,000 feet.

That jet had no business being there in an airway.

Hollywood — Attorney William Jerome Pollock has announced intentions of filing a \$750,000 suit in Superior Court Tuesday charging Lana Turner, her 14-year-old daughter, Cheryl, and Stephen Crane with responsibility in the "wrongful death" of Lana's lover, Johnny Stompanato.

Upper Rogue Audience Hears of Plans For River Development, Alternatives

By EVELYN WATSON
Shady Cove-Trail — More than 150 persons met at the Shady Cove school gym Saturday evening to hear a discussion of developments in water studies and water storage in the Rogue River basin. Shady Cove, Trail, Prospect, Sams Valley, Eagle Point, Medford and Phoenix were represented.

The program was sponsored by the Shady Cove Grange No. 931.

Stresses Real Objection
Bill Jess, Eagle Point, president of the Rogue Basin Flood Control and Water Resources association and chairman of the Jackson County Water Resources committee, spoke on getting the full benefit of the water in the river the rough developments which, in the past, have never been deemed feasible. He stressed the importance of keeping the real objective in sight.

He also described the set-up

of the Jackson County Water Resources committee, which has over 110 sub-committee members in Jackson county. The problems, feelings and desires of the people in regard to developments can in this way be brought to the attention of the Oregon Water Resources Board, he said.

Jess introduced Malcolm Kerr, investigations engineer of the State Water Resources board, who enumerated the principal uses of water as domestic, municipal, industrial, mining, irrigation, wild life.

He said that through the full use of water storage, such aims as flood control, drainage and reclamation can be obtained.

He made the point that all existing water rights are protected, and only unappropriated waters can be used.

Inventory Phase Completed
Karr added that the first step, or the inventory phase, in the study of the Rogue River basin had been com-

pleted, the collecting of all available data from all possible sources. Three public hearings have been held, one in Jackson, one in Josephine and one in Curry county, and others will be held in the future when more factual data can be presented. He emphasized the importance of the opinions and feelings of the people play in an undertaking of this sort. In closing, he stated that a good start has been made on engineering and water studies in the basin.

Tells of Progress
Jess then introduced R. B. Batch, of the Army engineers, who told of the progress made by the engineers in water studies in the area. He contrasted the two proposed plans and locations for possible dams now under consideration, and also discussed a multiple-purpose dam as compared to a dam for flood control only.

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DOW-JONES AVERAGES
New York — Dow-Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 450.72, up 0.41; 20 railroads 111.60, up 1.42; 15 utilities 76.53, up 0.17, and 65 stocks 156.16, up 0.75. Sales today were about 2,550,000 shares compared with 2,700,000 shares Friday.