

Red Duds Suggest Possible Sabotage

Big Quemoey —UPI— The Chinese Communist have been firing an unusually high percentage of dud shells at Big Quemoey, suggesting possible sabotage behind the bamboo curtain, American military advisers said yesterday.

Communist China In Seventh Week Of Bombardment

Taipei, Formosa —UPI— Communist China began its seventh straight week of bombarding the Quemoey islands yesterday and claimed the capture of two Nationalist pilots said to have been shot down into the sea.

The bombardment was light, somewhat over 1,000 rounds, but no Nationalist air drops or sea convoys were reported to have attempted to break the shell blockade.

The Communist New China News agency, in a broadcast monitored in Tokyo, said the two pilots, identified as Capt. Hua Wu-Lin and Capt. Liu Cheng-Li, were the only survivors of a Nationalist transport plane shot down over Quemoey last Monday.

It said the body of a third man, SFC, Hsler Jung Hua, also was recovered.

The agency did not say when or how the two survivors fell into Communist hands but it said they were "suffering from long exposure in the sea" and had been hospitalized.

The Nationalist Defense Ministry has admitted losing four transport planes in the past week in attempts to supply the Quemoey islands. One crashed on take off from Formosa Friday, two were shot down by MiGs and a seaplane missing three days was presumed to have crashed in the Formosa Strait.

Pope Appears Despite Hiccups

Castel Gandolfo, Italy —UPI— Pope Pius XII, visibly suffering from hiccups, cut short a long technical address to a visiting group of plastic surgeons at his summer residence yesterday.

The 82-year-old Pontiff, who has been "slightly indisposed" since last Monday, still appeared paler than usual although he insisted on going through with the audience.

Instead of reading a three-part technical discourse to the surgeons, the Pontiff omitted the first two sections and spoke only about the moral aspects of the profession.

Several times his slight frame shook with hiccups.

This was the same affliction which plagued the Pope during his near fatal illness in 1954. It returned in a much milder form last Monday.

BARDOT IN MANHATTAN?

New York —UPI— A New York club offered French movie actress Brigitte Bardot a 10 per cent ownership if she would appear there every night for a month. William Jeannette, manager of Le Cupidon, sent a telegram to Miss Bardot making the offer.

tachment on the beleaguered island, said duds and misfires have accounted for the relatively low percentage of Chinese Nationalist casualties in the saturation shelling.

Lane said he believed that the Russians either have supplied the Chinese Communists old ammunition with faulty fuses or else there has been sabotage in Russia or China.

"There are bound to be some duds in every concentration of artillery fired," Lane said. "But the percentage of misfires, short rounds and duds counted on Quemoey runs four to five times the average expected."

"This is attributable to only two things. Either the Russians are supplying the Chicomos (Army slang for the Chinese Communists) with old, outdated ammunition or somewhere along the line, the ammunition is being tampered with to cause the misfire."

Maj. Han Ken Lee, a Korean-American from Niles, Mich., said most of the dud shells found on Quemoey were made in Russia.

Lee said there were "dozens of places" from factory to gun where shells easily could be sabotaged.

Chancellor Says SOC's Growth Is Fastest In State

Eugene —UPI— Total fall term enrollment at colleges and universities under the State System of Higher Education is up seven per cent this year, Chancellor John R. Richards said Friday.

Ashland's Southern Oregon college is the fastest growing school in the state.

Only one institution, the University of Oregon Dental school, showed a drop in enrollment.

Richards said the increase this fall was the fifth year in succession that fall enrollments in the state schools were up. Total of freshmen at the schools this fall was up four per cent over 1957.

Richards said the total enrollment in 1958 was 12,945. This year the enrollment is 21,634, an increase of 67 per cent.

The schools: University of Oregon, 6200, up five per cent; Oregon State college, 8,000, up four per cent; Oregon College of Education, 960, up nine per cent; Southern Oregon college, 1100, up 18 per cent; Eastern Oregon college, 740, up 12 per cent; Portland State, 3700, up 16 per cent, and University of Oregon Medical School, 600, up one per cent.

Fall enrollment at the U of O Dental School was 334, down three per cent.

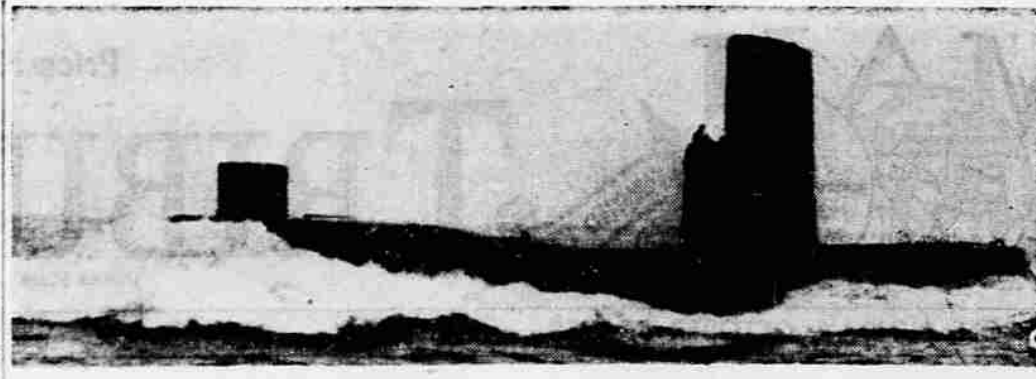
Japan, U.S. Agree On New Security Pact

Tokyo —UPI— Japanese Foreign Minister Aichihiro Fujiyama reported yesterday that Japan and the United States have agreed to draw up a new security pact.

Fujiyama spoke to newsmen after a meeting between Japanese and U.S. leaders.

Fujiyama told newsmen "both sides agreed to a policy of drawing up a new pact."

Merino sheep were introduced to the U.S. in 1810 at Weathersfield, Vt.



SETTING NEW WORLD RECORD by cruising submerged 36 days, U. S. Navy nuclear-powered submarine Seawolf is still going strong, with no indication when it will surface.

CENTRAL POINT Clubs Plan Meetings

By DORIS HUGHES
Central Point — The Crater Garden club met recently at the Chuck Taylor home on Old Stage rd. for a potluck dinner. Officers elected during the business meeting which followed were Mrs. June Stevenson, president; Delmar Smith, vice president; Mrs. Arthur Straus, secretary; Mrs. Gladys Mesal, treasurer, and Mrs. Charles Taylor, historian. The group voted to change the meeting date of the club from the third Tuesday of the month to the first Thursday.

The Central Point Home Extension Unit will meet Oct. 15 in the home of Mrs. E. E. Reames on Crater Lake highway. The project will be Christmas craft. Three projects will be demonstrated. Mrs. Hester Culbertson's subject will be shirt making, Mrs. Leo Ghelardi's will be tin can craft, and Mrs. Evelyn Cotton's will be children's toys.

The Crater Grandmothers club will meet Oct. 20 in the home of Mrs. Patricia Hendrickson on Bursell rd. Mrs. Cordy Burns and Mrs. O. T. Wilson will be cohostesses. The newly elected officers are Mrs. Marrea Gebhard, president; Mrs. Cordy Burns, vice president; Mrs. August Zukow, secretary; and Mrs. Royal Greenman, treasurer.

Proceeds from the Pepsi Cola sale to be carried on in the school district 6C Monday evening will go toward the Crater Comets football stadium to be erected on the Crater High school grounds in Central Point. The family sized bottles of Pepsi Cola will be sold for \$1. Families are asked to turn their porch lights on for the drive, which will be carried on between 6:30 and 9:30 p.m. Monday.

Central Point Jaycee members on the stadium committee are Dr. Bruce Turner, chairman; Jerry Wing, coordinator; Dick Stratton, secretary-treasurer, and Ernie Kennedy, publicity chairman.

Mrs. W. C. Higinbotham of Taylor rd. was hostess for a birthday dinner party recently in honor of her daughter, Sue. Miss Higinbotham was 15 years old. Guests were Miss Janice Hansen, Miss Janice Houghton, Miss Carolyn Sidner, Miss Sharon Trautman, Miss Sandy Higinbotham and Miss Sue Higinbotham.

Paul Geddes, Republican candidate for congressman from the fourth district was in Central Point Friday visiting and on business.

Mrs. Bert Langston of Central Point returned to her home recently from a visit in the San Francisco area. Mrs. Langston's daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Williams, underwent surgery there, and Mrs. Langston stayed at the Williams home to care for the children and their mother. Mr. and Mrs. Williams are former Central Point residents.

Dedication ceremonies and open house were held at the Central Point post office last Saturday. John Smock was master of ceremonies. He was assisted by other members of the Central Point Jaycees.

Music was played by the Crater High school band under the direction of Norman Carothers. The invocation was given by the Rev. Paul O. Kroon, pastor of the Community Bible church.

Mayor Don Faber spoke concerning early homes of the Central Point post office. He also introduced the daughter and granddaughter of the first postmaster, Constantino Magruder. Mrs. Lettie Gregory is the daughter and Miss Lisle Gregory is the granddaughter.

Other speakers were George Evans, station superintendent, Moore Hamilton, Medford postmaster, and A. W. Wellers, regional safety officer for the post office department. Wellers is from Portland. C. V. Bowers, contractor responsible for the building construction, was introduced.

Representatives from Cub Scouts Pack 40 and Boy Scouts Troop 40 presented the Flag to Evans. Boys taking part in the ceremony were Larry Toner, Explorer Scout; Joe Reeder, Boy Scout, and Jody Van Horn, Cub Scout.

On the staff at the Central Point post office are Epans, Ray Allred, assistant to the

superintendent; Mrs. Larry South and Mrs. Homer Conger, clerks; John Crocker and Lewis Kibourn, rural carriers; Mrs. Ernestine Charley, mounted route carrier; and David Setnes, for route carrier.

Bob Remington was a guest last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Higinbotham of Taylor rd. Remington, who is a missionary, has spent the past eight years in India.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mack and son, Hershal, moved to Central Point recently from Sams Valley. The Macks' older son, David, is in his freshman year at Harvard university. Mack's father, Chester Mack, of Oregon City has also moved to Central Point to make his home with his son.

Brian Sewell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sewell, left last month to go to Simpson Bible college in San Francisco.

Carl Skyrman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Skyrman, is a sophomore this year at Oregon State college. Also at Oregon State college are Milton Tucker, son of Mrs. Frank McKimmons, and Donald vonBuskirk, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl vonBuskirk.

Donna and Ron Mead, daughter and son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mead, left Sept. 24 to go to Three Hills, Alberta, Canada, to attend Prairie Bible institute.

Richard Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tyley Evans, is in his freshman year at Wheaton, Ill.

Mrs. Floyd Hedgepeth and son, Glenn, of Upton rd., Central Point, have moved to Corvallis. Glenn will attend Oregon State college.

Gerald Kime left Sept. 19 to enter his freshman year at Oregon State college.

Jerry Leonard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence, is enrolled at the Salem academy in Salem.

Miss Joyce Collins, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Lewis Collins, is a senior this year at Canadian Bible college in Regina, Saskatchewan.

Central Point PTA mothers are asked to plan ahead for the rummage sale which will be held in Central Point Oct. 31. Boxes of material will be needed at that time.

Graham Urges China Prayers

Charlotte, N.C. —UPI— Evangelist Billy Graham, praising Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, has called for prayers for the Republic of China.

Graham departed from his prepared sermon at Friday night's crusade service here to say "there is a great debate going on about the offshore islands of China and attempts are being made to belittle the leadership of Chiang Kai-shek."

"According to some, Chiang has two faults. He has the courage to stand up to the Communists and he is pro-American."

Graham added, "I am not an expert on politics and I am not making any political implications but I do believe that all of us ought to pray for Free China in these days of crisis."

President Salutes Nation's Newsboys

Washington —UPI— President Eisenhower has saluted the 600,000 newspaper carriers of the nation for their valuable public service.

In a special public message Friday the President told the carriers that in addition to their public service, they were advancing their later careers by learning to become "dependable and loyal citizens."

"I know your abilities will continue to grow with the years," the President said. "America depends on the industry of young citizens like you, now, and in the years to come."

His message was part of his participation in National Newspaper Week which began Wednesday.

'Rock' Warden Calls Off Hunt, Waits For Body

San Francisco —UPI— Warden Paul Madigan of Alcatraz has called off the search for a St. Louis bandit who disappeared from the island prison and yesterday waited "for the body to wash ashore."

The painstaking search of the island failed to turn up any sign of Aaron Burgett, who attempted to escape "The Rock" Monday with Clyde Johnson, a Memphis, Tenn., bank robber. Johnson was recaptured on the island a short time later.

Madigan said he was convinced Burgett was "no longer on the island."

"I think he drowned," the warden said, "and I'm waiting for the body to be washed ashore."

Madigan's beliefs were supported by professional musician Jack Lalanne, who has swum most of the treacherous water in San Francisco bay.

Friday, Lalanne attempted to swim the gruelling mile and a half of swift-running water from Alcatraz to San Francisco under conditions similar to those at the time of the escape attempt.

The strong man was pulled from the water after swimming three quarters of the distance. He said he had plenty of energy, but the water was just too cold and the current too strong.

"No man could have made it," Lalanne said.

LIFEBLOOD OF U.S.

Belding, Mich. —UPI— The Junior Chamber of Commerce, in an effort to spur vote registration, placed a dummy corpse in front of a bank with a message reading: "Might as well be dead on election day . . . I'm not registered, so I can't vote."



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