

Ike's Foreign Aid Program Target of Slashing Attempts

Washington—UPI—President Eisenhower's foreign aid program—already trimmed in committee—faced attempts to further slash it on the House floor today.

Debate opened on the \$3,642,600,000 measure approved by the House Foreign Affairs committee. The committee cut the President's initial request by \$266,800,000.

Committee Chairman Thomas E. Morgan (D-Pa.) said in a prepared speech that drastic cuts in the program would lead to loss of the cold war. But amendments to make big reductions in foreign aid spending during fiscal 1960 were expected.

Foreign aid also was the topic of the day in the Senate Foreign Relations committee. The committee was reported ready to vote substantial cuts in the President's \$3,909,600,000 program.

Other congressional news: Pensions: The House appeared set to approve promptly a veterans' pension reform bill called up under a procedure barring amendments and limiting debate. The bill would cost an extra \$308 million in the first year, but its sponsors claim it would save \$12 billion by the turn of the century.

Strauss: The Senate entered the second full week of debate on the nomination of Lewis L. Strauss as commerce secretary. Democratic Leader Lyndon B. Johnson (Tex.) was reported hoping to obtain agreement for a limitation on debate so a final vote could be reached later this week.

Interest Request Considered: Interest: The House Ways and Means committee met to consider President Eisenhower's request for legislation authorizing an increase in the public debt's permanent limit from \$283 billion to \$288 billion.

Also in the requested legislative package are provisions to remove the statutory ceiling on the interest rate payable on new long-term treasury bond issues and on savings bonds. The President also wants to raise the lid on the temporary national debt from \$288 billion to \$295 billion.

University Holds Commencement

Eugene—UPI—Dr. O. Meredith Wilson, president of the University of Oregon, told 1,496 graduates who received degrees here Sunday afternoon in 82nd annual commencement exercises to carry on a "courageous, even aggressive exploration of the jungle of moral, political and diplomatic confusion that surrounds us."

Dr. Wilson told the graduates that their discontents were wholesome but "confident self-respect must be joined with discontent and resignation must be replaced by determined action. To be a realist requires only that you resign yourself, live in the hopeless state we have prepared for you. To be a man requires much more of you."

Sunday's Hayward Field ceremonies were the last of four separate ceremonies here and in Portland in which a total of 1,722 undergraduate and graduate students received degrees.

The \$1,000 annual Ersted award for distinguished teaching went to Dr. Bernd Crasemann, associate physics professor who has been with the Oregon faculty for six years.

Comedian Receives Hospital Release

Culver City, Calif.—UPI—Comedian Mischa Auer, 54, was released Sunday from Culver City hospital where he had been under treatment since Thursday.

Auer, stricken while working on a TV show, suffered a heart attack earlier this year. Hospital personnel said examination disclosed no serious condition.

SURGERY SUCCESSFUL

Reading, England—UPI—One-year-old Zella Frank, who was born with three holes in her heart, was recovering today from the first of three operations that may open the day to a normal life. The next operation is scheduled for July or August.

Jamaica in the West Indies is about Connecticut's area.



LEAVING COURT HOUSE after hearing 19-year-old Negro co-ed testify they attacked her, four young whites head toward Tallahassee, Fla., jail. From left: Ollie Stoutamire, 16; David Beagles, 18; Patrick Scarborough, 20, and Willon Collinsworth, 23.

Osteopaths Open Annual Meeting At Eugene

Eugene—UPI—The annual Northwest convention of osteopathic doctors and their wives began here today and will go through Wednesday. Some 200 delegates and wives are scheduled to attend from several states.

Dr. George W. Northrup, New Jersey, president of the American Osteopathic Association, heads the speakers for the three-day educational and business sessions.

Convention Themes

Traumatology and applied anatomy are themes of the convention, being held for the first time in Eugene.

Dr. J. Scott Heatherington, Gladstone, will preside as president of the Oregon Osteopathic Association.

Dr. D. B. Bond, Eugene, and Dr. David Reid, Lebanon, are in charge of arrangements.

Medford Man Speaks

Featured speakers include: Dr. Richard R. Stuart, College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons, Los Angeles; Dr. Morris Edelstein, Doctors' Hospital, Los Angeles; Dr. Marvin Lottman, orthopedic consulting staff, Los Angeles area hospitals; Hugh Collins, Medford attorney; Dr. Raymond Roy, Portland optometrist; William O. Earhart, administrator of the Oregon Teamster security funds, and Arthur Briese, American humorist.

ATHENS ELECTS MAYOR

Athens—UPI—Costas Tsoukalas was elected mayor of Athens with Communist support Sunday. Twenty of the 31 electors failed to agree to vote for one of the four candidates on Non-Communist tickets. The split of their votes enabled Tsoukalas, a Non-Communist, to sweep in.

Rape Conviction In Florida Hailed By Negroes, Whites

By JACK V. FOX, UPI Correspondent

Tallahassee, Fla.—UPI—Negroes and white alike generally hailed today the conviction of four white youths for the rape of a Negro co-ed as a victory for justice in the South.

The opinion regarding the jury's recommendation of mercy-saving the youths from the electric chair—was not so unanimous, however. Several prominent leaders of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People were critical of the move.

The guilty verdict was returned early Sunday by the all-male, all-white jury.

Only 42 days elapsed between the mass attack on the 19-year-old Negro freshman co-ed and the guilty sentence. The jury left the length of the prison sentences up to Judge W. May Walker. He will not pass sentence for at least two weeks. The sentences could range from a few years to life.

Voice Approval of Verdict

Of 10 white Tallahassee residents stopped on the street by this correspondent Sunday, eight approved the verdict. Two declined to discuss it. Of the eight, three said they thought one or two of the boys should have gotten death.

The four, Willon Collinsworth, 23; Patrick Scarborough, 20; David Beagles, 18, and Ollie Stoutamire, 16, were whisked off to the state penitentiary at Raiford, Fla., directly from the courthouse.

There was no sign of a demonstration then. The crowd of more than 100 persons waiting on the sidewalk took the verdict in silence. Most of them were white. A number of Negroes grinned widely. Penitentiary Warden De-

witt Sinclair said the three younger boys were put in a section with other youths and Collinsworth in with the men. Both Collinsworth, a telephone lineman, and the childish-looking Stoutamire cried during the testimony but all four took the verdict without showing emotion.

Judge, Prosecutor Praised

The Rev. A. J. Reddick, pastor of the Bethel African Methodist Episcopal Church and past Florida president of the NAACP, said the judge and prosecutor had conducted the case in an exemplary manner.

But Florida has maintained its excellent record of not veering from the precedent that no white man has ever been executed for the rape of a Negro. Had it been the other way around, Negroes would have been given the death penalty," he said.

Jury foreman A. H. King, a wealthy Florida farmer, told United Press International that had the girl been beaten, the jury would have been inclined to inflict the death penalty.

King said the jury at no time discussed the racial question in reaching its verdict.

The Rev. Daniel Speed, assistant pastor of the Bethel Baptist Negro Church, said his congregation almost unanimously was satisfied with the verdict except a few thought there should have been a death penalty.

"Today we have moved one step closer to justice," he said in his Sunday morning sermon.

The girl herself was sequestered in her home. She would not answer through her mother whether she thought the verdict was just. The mother declined to comment, too, and told reporters she was concerned about the girl who was still shaken by her experience and the ordeal on the witness stand.

Liz Taylor Has Passport Trouble

London—UPI—The passport said "Mrs. Mike Todd" but she kept insisting she was really Mrs. Eddie Fisher so French immigration authorities delayed Elizabeth Taylor at a Paris airport Sunday night.

There was no flicker of recognition when Liz and her new husband, Eddie, approached the immigration authorities in readiness to board an airliner for London. And they didn't have their marriage license with them which added to the delay.

French border police at the airport said they had no way of knowing that she was who she said she was, Mrs. Eddie Fisher, and they had no intention of letting her leave the country until they unraveled the mystery.

The newlyweds, who had been besieged by crowds in the heart of Paris's fashionable shopping center earlier in the day, went into the airport bar while the police tried to reach a decision.

It looked as if their Italian air liner would have to leave without them for a while. But finally police decided to take Liz's word for it that she wasn't a smuggler or border jumper.

Eddie finished off the last of the red wine he was sipping and the famous pair boarded the plane for London, where Liz was working on a film. They had been in Paris for a brief shopping trip.

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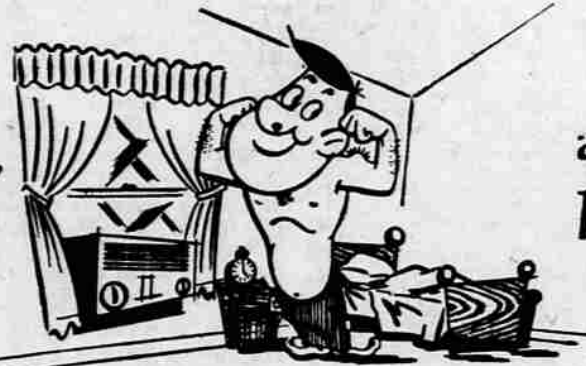
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