



**CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY**—U. S. Senate Majority Leader and Mrs. Lyndon Johnson read congratulatory telegrams while celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary at their ranch near Johnson City, Texas. —(UPI Telephoto)

## Quotes From the News

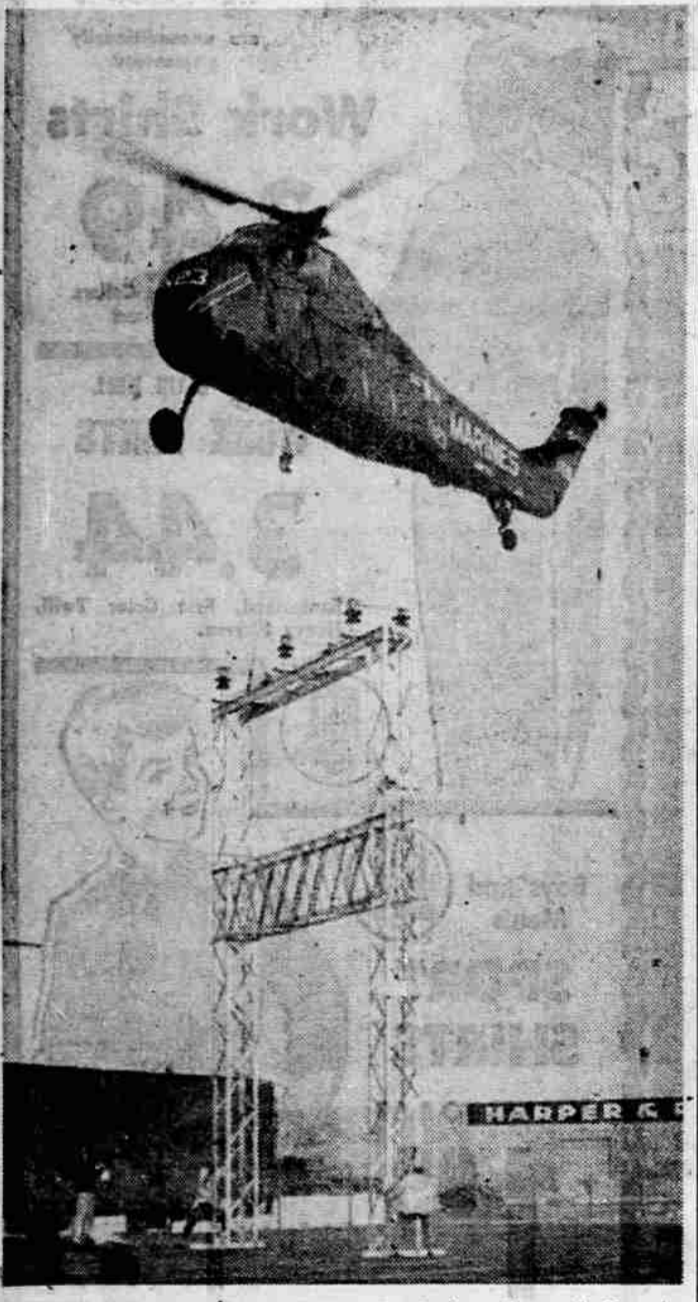
**By United Press International**

**London**—Laborer Anthony Leslie, 22, explaining why he wrote a letter to his girl friend threatening to kill her: "I have a cold and you do foolish things when you have a cold."

**Halifax, Nova Scotia**—Soviet First Deputy Premier Anastas Mikoyan, commenting on the TV quiz show hearings in Washington: "I was not aware of any scandal, but when I'm asked a question I never know the answer."

**Los Angeles**—Sen. Richard L. Neuberger (D-Ore.), calling for all-out efforts in cancer research: "This country is attempting to fight cancer—which will strike 40 million Americans—with less than half of what we spend annually on permanent waves."

**Lausanne, Switzerland**—Princess Ferial, eldest daughter of Egypt's ex-King Farouk, celebrated her 21st birthday and stating she was happy with her job as a \$35 a week school teacher: "I have a job and can take care of myself. Such independence is the finest birthday present I could have wished for."



**'COPTER MOVES TOWER**—A Marine Corps helicopter moves a 1,387-pound aluminum communication tower in a civil defense demonstration at Los Angeles. The tower, built by Reynolds Aluminum company and consigned to the Pacific Gas and Electric company in San Francisco, is 33 feet high. The demonstration showed the rapidity and ease with which the tower could be moved in case of emergency. —(UPI Telephoto)

## Gun Discharge Kills Spray Man

**Heppner**—(UPI)—A prominent Wheeler county man, Albert Williams of Spray, was fatally wounded Tuesday afternoon when a gun in a car discharged during a hunting trip in the Tupper Creek area about 30 miles south of here. State police said he was with an elk hunting party when the accident occurred. The body was taken to a funeral home here. Williams was a former Wheeler county commissioner. His son, Johnny Williams of Kinzua, is known throughout Eastern Oregon as a rodeo announcer. The son also operates a restaurant in Kinzua.

It was the 23rd hunting death of the year in Oregon. Eleven have been by gunshot and the rest by heart attack.

**POISON APPLE WARNING**—Bristol, England—(UPI)—Southwest England, unaffected by cranberry poisoning reports because the berries are rarely sold there, was warned today about poisoning from imported apples. Bristol medical officer Dr. R. C. Wofinden ordered 200 cases of apples from Lebanon confiscated because the fruit was coated with sprays containing arsenic and lead. Sale of imported apples was stopped in several southwest cities.

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## Impressions of Trip to Russia Reviewed by Leonard Mayfield

Impressions of his trip to Russia—some of them conflicting—were recounted yesterday by Dr. Leonard Mayfield to the Medford Rotary club.

Mayfield, superintendent of Medford schools, recently returned from a trip which took him 10,000 miles through the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics in three weeks.

The country club dining room was decorated with posters which he brought back, and a sign (in Russian) saying "Welcome Back, Citizen Len."

The meal was as nearly typical of a Russian meal as it was possible to prepare, Mayfield explained, and included borscht, cheese and fish, beef stroganoff, ice cream, and various kinds of mineral water.

The trip, taken with 31 other school administrators under the U.S.-U.S.S.R. cultural exchange program and the auspices of the National Education association, was the first such exchange involving public school people, Mayfield reported. He added that it would not have been possible for him to go without the assistance and encouragement of a number of local people.

**Includes Impressions**

His talk included impressions selected from six hours of dictated recordings, and 60 pages of notes, Mayfield explained.

He opened by stating a basic conflict in his impressions, the fact that much of what he saw was "refreshing, stimulating, and encouraging," but other things were "confusing and a bit scaring."

His talk, he said, was limited largely to the "human side" of what he had seen, and he said several times that the Russian people, as human beings, seemed to him more like Americans than other nationalities—even British or Canadians—in their attitudes, sense of humor, actions and conduct.

Mayfield said that he makes no pretense of being an "expert" on Russia as the result of the trip, but pointed out that anyone could gain valid impressions of that country in their own fields of competence.

Here are some of his observations:

**Women Work**

—Women in Russia work, probably more than 9 out of 10 of them, aggregating some 48 per cent of all work performed there. They do all types of work, including heavy physical labor, except that he saw no policewomen or female taxi drivers. But some 80 per cent of the doctors of medicine are women, about 10 per cent of the lawyers, and about 80 per cent of those in education.

—Living conditions, by our standards, are primitive, limited to 1, 2 or 3-room apartments, no matter what the size of the family. It takes up to three years to obtain approval to move.

—Shopping is done almost daily by the women, the result in large part of the lack of refrigeration equipment. Food is not wrapped as here, or at most is wrapped in a newspaper.

—Children between 3 and 6 years are in nursery schools or kindergartens most of the day, and are picked up by their families in the evening. Parents pay for the small children's schooling according to their ability, with charges ranging from nothing up to about \$50 per month.

**Individual Homes**

—There are few individual homes (although recently the government has encouraged home building), and most workers live in giant, communal apartment houses, mostly within a short distance of their work.

—Leisure hours are devoted to neighborhood teas or sessions of music, or to concert, ballet, circus, cinema or opera going. There are no service or fraternal organizations as such, and "bridge luncheons" are unknown.

—Children of demonstrated ability in some fields are

## Brando, Ex-Wife Discuss Custody

**Santa Monica, Calif.**—(UPI)—Actor Marlon Brando and his former wife appear in court today to work out a custody agreement of their infant son.

The case in which Brando, 35, charges former wife Anna Kashfi, 24, violated a court order by refusing to allow him to visit at will their 12-month-old son Christian—was continued to today after the couple failed to arrive at an agreement last Oct. 30.

Superior Judge Allen T. Lynch who is hearing the case said "we are trying to work this out in a gentlemanly manner if possible."

The couple, married in 1957, divorced last April.

## Strike Against TWA Averted

**Kansas City, Mo.**—(UPI)—A threatened strike today against Trans World Airlines was averted when union and management negotiators agreed to submit their strike issues to a neutral mediator.

Roland Quinn, president of the Airlines Stewards and Stewardesses Association (AFL-CIO) said in Kansas City Tuesday night "there will be no strike."

The union had stated earlier that its 1,100 TWA employees could strike today. The strike would have grounded all of the company's domestic and overseas flights since members of other unions were expected to observe the picket lines.

The arbitration agreement was signed by Quinn and John J. Mead, a top TWA official.

Quinn said the agreement named as mediator David P. Cole of Paterson, N.J. described as "an eminent arbitrator in the airline industry."

## Letter Traced To Mental Patient

**New York**—(UPI)—Police traced a threatening letter received by Mayor Robert F. Wagner to a mental patient in Rockland State hospital, they reported Tuesday night.

They said Charles Grieg, 34, described as a paranoid, had managed to smuggle letters out even though he was being held in maximum security. Grieg has been at the hospital for 15 years.

The letter touched off a four-hour bomb search at City Hall when it was received Monday.

**AD MAN DIES**

**Boston, Mass.**—(UPI)—Joseph A. Mutrie, 53, manager of the resort and travel department of the Boston Globe advertising department, died Monday.

## HILTS Residents Attend Funeral

**By MRS. M. F. CAVIN**

Hilts—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Spannaus drove to Brookings and Crescent City Oct. 28 to attend the funeral of Lloyd Harbin, a friend of theirs for many years.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Rabin and family have moved to the Frank Ohlund home on Cottonwood creek, northwest of Hornbrook.

Mrs. Agnes Cunial is spending several weeks at the home of her son, Gino Cunial, and family in Yreka.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thrasher are the parents of a girl born Nov. 5, at the Ashland hospital. She weighed 7 pounds, 4 ounces and has been named Denise Lyne.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Rose of Orick were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vieira.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ferguson and children and Mrs. Margaret Ferguson and daughter, Janet, drove to the E. E. Gibson ranch on the Dead Indian road Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burns and daughter, Kathy, left last week for Tacoma, Wash., where they will spend the next several months.

The Community club met Thursday afternoon, Nov. 12, with Mrs. Art Hartman as hostess. Both pinocle and canasta were played with Mrs. Frank Groves winning high prize in canasta, and Mrs. Osie Bernheisel low.

**CIRCUS BANS CUBA**

**Sarasota, Fla.**—(UPI)—Ringling Brothers, Barnum and Bailey Circus has decided to keep its elephants, wild animals, clowns and acrobats out of Havana, Cuba, this winter, it was reported Tuesday. General Manager Arthur M. Concello said Cuban Premier Fidel Castro "doesn't like us (the United States) so we are not going there."

Mark of Unlon Creek are here caring for the new baby.

Jimmie Gibson of Ashland was an overnight visitor at the Robert Ferguson home on Friday. On Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Gibson of Ashland visited at the Ferguson home. They are Mrs. Ferguson's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rainwater of Riddle were week end guests at the Roland Rainwater home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoyt and daughter, Charla, of Medford visited Sunday at the H. G. Thompson home.

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