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Confetti Rains From Buildings

Rio De Janeiro, Brazil—UPI—President Eisenhower came flying down to Rio on the eve of carnival time today and received the wildest welcome in this city's uproarious history.

So dense were the welcoming crowds and so tumultuous was his reception that it took Eisenhower's automobile 15 minutes to move three blocks from dockside.

Blizzards of confetti rained down. Screams of "Vee leek Eek" filled the air. Strens roared.

Gives Famous Grin

Pleased as punch, Eisenhower alternately stood and sat in the back of his convertible, waved his arms in greeting and gave the throng his famous grin.

As his car pushed through the mass of welcomers along streets garlanded with Brazilian and U.S. flags, Eisenhower occasionally leaned far back to see huge picture banners of himself, some of them stretching the full height of 12-story buildings.

Rio, warming up for Mardi Gras, joined New Delhi in another brilliant chapter of homage for Eisenhower.

The President spent Tuesday night in Brasilia, the still-building frontier city hacked out of the jungle which is to become Brazil's new capital in two months' time.

Warships Fire Salute

He made the quick hop to Rio in his jet, and then boarded President Juscelino Kubitschek's launch for an hour-long triumphal trip across Guanabara Bay to the naval pier on Rio's waterfront.

Twelve Brazilian warships, including the former American cruisers Philadelphia and St. Louis, boomed 21-gun salutes. Hundreds of small vessels swept along as escort, their sirens and whistles blowing and pennants flying. A squadron of Brazilian planes roared overhead.

When Eisenhower stepped out of the blue-awned launch to the red-carpeted dock, Kubitschek rushed forward to greet him.

He said the people of Rio—and all Brazil—welcomed Eisenhower as the "unforgettable chief of our armed forces" in World War II and "the untiring worker for international peace."

Peace and Friendship

Eisenhower responded that "Brazil and the United States have always lived together in peace and friendship."

He said he hoped his visit would emphasize the desire of the people and government of the United States "to strengthen the bonds of friendship."

With that, Eisenhower and Kubitschek started out on a triumphal ride through the city, using a black Cadillac brought from Washington.

The grand parade through the city was a happy climax to a day of warmth and friendship.

Eisenhower, touring South America to help close the hemisphere's ranks against Communism, scheduled a major speech this afternoon before the Brazilian Parliament.

Aumsville, Ore. —UPI— Equipment of the defunct mill operations here of Willamette Plywood Corporation has been sold on the auction block for \$467,000.

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Five Accused in Truck Dynamiting Given More Time

Portland —UPI— Five persons accused in the Jan. 31 dynamiting of 10 newspaper trucks had busy days in court Tuesday.

Levi McDonald, 51, appeared in Circuit Court in Oregon City for arraignment on an indictment returned there. The arraignment was continued until March 8.

Arguments Continue

McDonald, a member of the Stereotypers Union which struck the Oregonian and Oregon Journal last Nov. 10, also sought in Circuit Court here an order setting aside the indictment returned against him in Multnomah county. The arguments were continuing today.

McDonald's attorney also appeared in court seeking to have Sheriff Francis Lambert and the Oregonian Publishing Company held in contempt for the publication of the confessions of McDonald's "alleged accusers." Circuit Judge Charles Redding set March 2 for the newspaper and the sheriff to appear to show cause why they should not be held in contempt.

Additional Time Given

The other four persons indicted on charges of causing injury to property by explosives were given additional time to enter pleas when they appeared in court Tuesday afternoon. They are Charles, Edward and William Snyder, brothers, and Gerald Couzens. The Snyders were given until 2 p.m. Friday and Couzens until 2 p.m. Thursday.

Expert Rifleman Holds Off Police

Uniontown, Pa. —UPI— An expert rifleman with a "grudge against the world" shot and killed a truck driver, wounded another, and may have killed three other persons in a savage gunbattle here today.

State police, held at bay by the sharpshooting of Daniel Raymond, 42, requested a backup from the National Guard in an effort to storm the house.

State Police Sgt. H. M. James said three "objects" near the Raymond home "were identified by binoculars as bodies."

"They are not moving, so we assume they are dead," James said.

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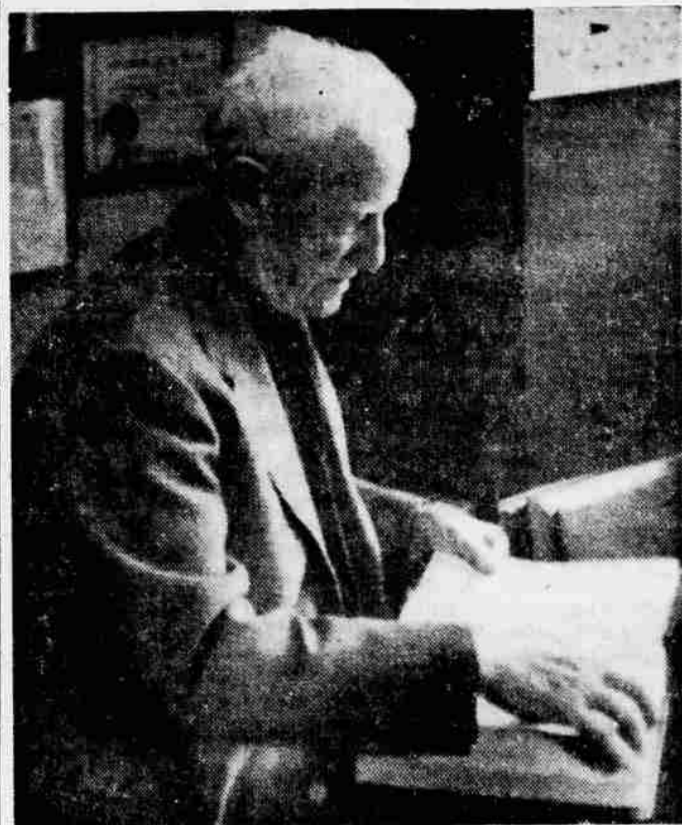
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OBSERVES BIRTHDAY—Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, his hair now snow-white, celebrates his 75th birthday today at his home in Berkeley, Calif. The man who directed one of the mightiest naval armadas in history is shown browsing through historical papers of World War II in the study at his home. —(UPI Telephoto)

Vaughan to Speak At Government Day Banquet Tonight

Thomas Vaughn, Portland, director of the Oregon Historical Society, will speak at 8 o'clock tonight following a 6:30 p.m. banquet recognizing Student Government day and the 75th anniversary of Medford's city charter.

The banquet will be preceded by a get-acquainted meeting at 6 p.m. All three events will take place in the Elks Temple.

Vaughn, who will speak on the significance of Student Government Day and on the historical aspects of the city charter, attended Yale university and the University of Wisconsin. He is editor of the Oregon Historical Quarterly.

Take Over Offices

Approximately 85 students from the Medford area high schools will take over city and county offices Thursday. The young office holders took the oath of office this afternoon following registration at the Elks Temple.

Student groups will take part in programs on radio stations KMED and KYJC from 3:30 to 4 p.m.

They report to the city hall council chambers and county courthouse auditorium at 9 a.m. Thursday. Officials and their student counterparts will be luncheon guests at the Elks club at noon and will visit spots of interest in the city and county from 1 to 4 p.m.

A student-run city council meeting will be held in the council chambers at 7:30 o'clock.

Segni Resigns as Italian Premier

Rome —UPI— Premier Antonio Segni resigned today in a political crisis brought on by withdrawal of his right wing support.

The crisis was likely to benefit Italy's powerful Communist party.

It was brought on by increasing pressures on Segni's ruling Christian Democratic party to move further toward the left. Some of the pressure was from within the party.

Although there appeared no danger Italy would loosen its strong pro-western ties, many felt the only winners in the crisis, if only by default, would be the leftists.

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Morse Would Pick Stevenson For Nomination

Washington —UPI— Sen. Wayne Morse (D-Ore.) said Tuesday that if the presidential election were tomorrow he would vote for Adlai Stevenson.

He made his statement about Stevenson at ceremonies officially opening "Morse for President headquarters" here. He said Stevenson still is the "greatest statesman the Democratic party has to offer."

He said he thought that as of now Stevenson could win despite the fact that he has been defeated twice.

Has Several Aims

Reminded that Stevenson has emphatically denied any interest in running for the presidency Morse told reporters, "but you and I know he would if conditions were right."

Morse added, however, he was not a "stalking horse" for Stevenson.

He said his own candidacy was a "serious one" with several aims in mind:

—To bring to the nation the cause of home rule in the District of Columbia and to demonstrate the need for better civil rights for all citizens.

Increased Insurance

—To promote programs of more aid for underprivileged children, the aged, and World War One veterans, and increased public health insurance.

About 200 persons crowded into the small, one-room headquarters and cheered a clapped loudly when Morse talked about civil rights.

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237 Pints of Blood Collected in City

A total of 237 pints of blood was collected yesterday when the Red Cross Bloodmobile visited Medford, Red Cross officials said today.

They said the collection "was better than we have done for a long time." Yesterday's quota was 290 pints.

The Bloodmobile will return to Medford Friday, Red Cross officials said, for an emergency visit. It will be at the chapter house, 60 Hawthorne ave., between 10 a.m. and 1 p.m.

The Friday visit is being made in an attempt to make up for loss of donations of blood from soldiers at Ft. Lewis, Wash., where 150 pints of blood are normally collected each day.

Since the men are on a four-day maneuver, a total of 600 pints of blood has to be collected elsewhere, Red Cross officials said, to make up the shortage.

Appointments for the Friday visit of the Bloodmobile may be made by telephoning the Red Cross chapter house in Medford.

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Chessman Says Body of Man Would Prove His Innocence

San Francisco —UPI— Convict-author Caryl Chessman claimed today that the body of an unidentified man would prove him innocent of the crimes for which he was sentenced to death.

The 38-year-old robber-rapist said he was sure the body "still can be located" — although someone had moved it from where he thought it could be found.

The first mention of the mysterious body was made in a letter Chessman sent to Gov. Edmund G. Brown Friday — just hours before the governor granted the condemned man his eighth reprieve.

In the letter, Chessman said the body was the "compelling new evidence" which he had promised to produce.

"I, as well as someone else, knew where that body could be found," he wrote. "Accordingly, I sent a person acting on my behalf to verify that the body was where it should be. It was gone."

Chessman said while his agents were searching for the body, "certain persons" contacted them and offered "to sell us information which, they stated positively, would result in my exoneration."

Close As Ever

Despite the optimism of the letter, Chessman said in an interview on San Quentin's Death Row Tuesday that he was "as close to the gas chamber as ever."

Meanwhile, Brown said he would not back away from his fight to abolish capital punishment in California — although he said he would support a moratorium on executions until the state legislature, which has been active in both civic and fraternal affairs. He served on many state committees, both in and out of the legislature.

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thought faced by outspoken opposition in the Legislature.

Chessman — with only a 60-day reprieve — shared his views. He told United Press International:

"Capital punishment makes no sense. It is predicated on revenge, hate and coercion — and the answer is not hate or vengeance."

Distinguished Service Award Due Thursday

Howard C. Belton, Canby, state treasurer, will be principal speaker at the annual Distinguished Service Award banquet sponsored by the Medford Junior Chamber of Commerce at 7 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 25, at the Rogue Valley Country club.

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Objections to Locations of New Cement Plant Heard at Rogue River Meeting

Rogue River —Approximately 70 persons attended a public hearing last night in Rogue River to hear arguments against establishing a cement plant on Pine st. in the city.

Following a long heated argument between those who favored the plant's proposed location and those opposed, Mayor John Leven appointed a committee of three people to oppose the city council, and Harry F. Shaw, manager of Ready Mix Concrete company, of Grants Pass, who explained the proposal.

The committee is to find a location agreeable to the townsfolk and the concrete company. Robert Boyer, Medford attorney, represented the petitioners.

In their arguments, the petitioners said they were not opposed to the plant but did oppose its location on Pine st. within the city limits. Petitioners said they were opposed to the plant location proposed because of "a pretty serious effect" on some property values, hazard to health and safety due to the cement dust, added noise, and possible danger to school children.

Fifty-eight persons signed petitions presented against the proposal at the special council meeting in the Rogue River city hall.

The company has purchased two acres of the D. Johnson property on East Evans creek, four miles north of the city school on Pine st. in the city limits.

The manager explained that the company plans to install a plant prior to March 15 which will consist of hoppers, scales, cement silo, and stock piles of gravel, loading equipment and a rock crusher.

It would be a local plant to be established permanently at Rogue River, Shaw said. One of the early projects will be construction of a railroad overpass near Rogue River for the new Pacific highway freeway.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1960

WEATHER

FORECAST: Increasing cloudiness tonight. Cloudy with a few snow flurries over mountains Thursday. Low tonight 28-30. High Thursday 52.

Our Skies Tonight

Sunset today 5:54 p.m. Sunrise tomorrow 6:55 a.m. Moonrise tomorrow 6:06 a.m. New Moon Feb. 26

PROMINENT CONSTELLATION

Orion, in the south at 7:29 p.m., will be in the south.

VISIBLE PLANETS

Jupiter, rises 3:46 a.m. Saturn, rises 4:43 a.m. Mars, rises 5:58 a.m. Venus, rises 6:02 a.m.

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