

Castro Hints at Foreign Help Against 'United States Aggression'

Senate Warned of Mideast Repercussions in Aid Bill

Washington - (AP) - The Senate ran into a stern administration warning today that "harmful repercussions" would follow in the Middle East if it leaves an anti-Arab declaration in the foreign aid bill.

The warnings, from Acting Secretary of State Douglas Dillon, was read by Chairman J. W. Fulbright (D-Ark.) of the Foreign Relations Committee as the Senate met early and prepared to stay late in a drive to pass the \$4,100,000,000 foreign aid authorization bill.

Wants Provision Deleted
Fulbright wants to strike out a House provision, already adopted by the Senate, which calls on President Eisenhower to adhere strictly to the principles of free navigation in administering foreign aid. It is aimed at the Arab blockade of Israeli shipping in the Suez Canal.

Except for the stiff fight over the block a de amendment, there was little controversy in the aid bill and its passage seemed assured. It would place a ceiling on military and economic aid spending, with the actual money to be provided in another bill.

Other congressional news:
Appropriations: The President asked Congress to put an extra \$8 million to operate the Labor Department until June 30. The funds would cover unemployment benefits for ex-servicemen and former federal employees.

LAUNCHED AUTOMOBILE

Birmingham, Ala. - (AP) - John C. Lewis figured Saturday that if he backed his station wagon toward the water fast and stopped short his 17-foot outboard would come unhitched and roll into the Coosa river. The boat went into the river along with the station wagon and Lewis who managed to swim to safety.

Votes: Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon B. Johnson (Tex.) said Eisenhower's "one-third plus one" appeal to legislators for veto support was "an invitation to irresponsibility." He told newsmen the Constitution's provision on votes was never intended as "a broad ax to force Congress into line even before Congress has acted." He said Democrats in Congress will continue to legislate responsibly in hopes their performance will be matched by the administration.

Medical: Congress awaited word from the administration on what kind of medical care for the aged bill it preferred. Welfare Secretary Arthur S. Flemming said last week he hoped to present a formal administration proposal this week. Meanwhile, a variety of plans were being considered by House and Senate committees.

Children Saved In House Fire

Portland - (AP) - Three small children were carried to safety from a burning apartment here Sunday morning and the mother and one of the children had to be treated for swallowing too much smoke.

Firemen gave oxygen to Dolores Hancock and her daughter, Cheryl Rayford, 14 months.

The two other children were Ted Rayford, 4, and Deborah Rayford, 3.

One of the older children was carried to safety by her mother and the other by a neighbor, Ivan Collins.

Battalion Chief Jeff Cunningham said that Collins, despite the heat and smoke dashed up the stairs and carried one of the children to safety before firemen arrived.

The baby was carried out by fireman Don Davis.

Cunningham said the blaze apparently started from a hot water heater leaking gas.

Damage to the building was estimated at \$3500.

Tourists: A Chicago banker urged the Senate Foreign Commerce Committee to create a \$3 million a year federal travel bureau. Ormond A. Jackson, vice president of Continental Illinois National Bank and Trust Co., said the proposal of Sen. Warren G. Magnuson (D-Wash.) would stimulate visits and spending by foreigners in this country, thereby improving the nation's balance-of-payments position.

Medford Jaycees To Hear Speaker

William Slan, Grants Pass, state chairman of Spoke, will attend the Tuesday, May 3, meeting of the Medford Jaycees. Spoke stands for service, participation, orientation, knowledge, and enthusiasm and is a national awards program recognizing achievement in and giving recognition to active first year Jaycees.

Elections of officers for the Jaycees will be held at the Tuesday meeting at 7:30 p.m. at the Moose hall.

Candidates include Del Landing, president; John Gustafson and Gregg Orr, first vice president; Hank Haydal, second vice president; Ken D. Griess and Douglas V. Peters, secretary; and Gene R. Schwein, treasurer.

At the last meeting of the Jaycees Harry Wright, president of the Ashland Jaycees, a candidate for District 9 state vice president, attended accompanied by five Ashland members. They were Lloyd Hoadley, Larry Barger, Del Hackert, Harold Hyland, and L. B. Martin.

Hackert, Wright's campaign manager, spoke on Wright's qualifications for the state office.

Stocks on Upside In Narrow Market; Industrials Firm

New York - (AP) - Stocks favored the upside slightly today in a narrow and mixed market.

Industrials were firm on average while rails and utilities eased. Blue chip price changes were held to fractions with the exception of a gain of 1 1/4 in Owens-Illinois and a loss of 1 1/2 in Corn Products.

Motors showed little change. U. S. Steel and Youngstown dropped fractions

3 Found Safe at Multnomah Falls

Portland - (AP) - A Portland man and his two young daughters were found safe early today after being lost on the snowy Multnomah Falls trail to Larch mountain since late Sunday.

Bruce Brazauski, 42, a diabetic, and his daughters, Lorene, 8, and Maryanne, 9, were cold and hungry but in fair condition when found. They returned home after warming up at Multnomah Falls lodge.

All were lightly clad and one girl wore shorts when they started on a hike Sunday afternoon. Brazauski's wife, Elizabeth, accompanied them up the trail to the five-mile sign and then went back to pick up the family car and drive around to Larch mountain. She returned for help when she was unable to find them.

The missing trio was found about 4 a.m. They had taken refuge in a Forest Service trail shelter at Spring camp 5 1/2 miles up the trail.

in their group while Bethlehem improved slightly. Texas Instruments stood out in the electronics with a gain of 2 1/2. Carter Products and Merck each fell a point in the drugs. Minerals & Chemicals, which announced plans to merge with Philip Brothers, fell 2 3/4.

Universal Match, American Photocopy, Polaroid, Corning Glass and Addressograph each rose around a point.

Clark Equipment countered with a loss of 2 1/4. Cutler Hammer fell 2, and Harris Inter-type lost a point.

Former Hungarian Prisoner Killed

Seminole, Okla. - (AP) - David H. "Hack" Henderson, 40-year-old retired Air Force major who was held for 38 days in a Hungarian prison late in 1951, was fatally injured Sunday night when his pickup truck slammed into an embankment.

Henderson was the pilot of an Air Force C-47 which was forced down Nov. 19, 1951, in Hungary. He and three airmen with him were accused of violating Hungary's borders to drop spies.

The Hungarians at first threatened to make the first stand trial, but later demanded a \$120,000 ransom. The U.S. government paid the ransom, of \$30,000 fines for each of the men, and they were freed Dec. 28, 1951.

To better inform the public of the many benefits to be derived from owning insurance of all sorts, insurance companies last year invested an estimated \$16.9 million in national newspaper advertising.

Revolutionary Leader Addresses May Day Throng

Havana - (AP) - Premier Fidel Castro hinted Sunday night that his regime has allies abroad who are ready to help defend Cuba from what he labeled "U.S. aggression."

The revolutionary leader spoke at the end of a May Day military review in which Cubans ranging from bearded, Tommy-gun-toting veterans of Castro's revolution to small boys with wooden rifles paraded in the streets for six hours.

An estimated 500,000 persons - one million short of official expectations - turned out to cheer Castro in his 3 1/2-hour denunciation of the United States and defense of revolutionary policies.

He was interrupted frequently while he talked with alternate shouts of "Fidel! Fidel!" and "down with Yankee imperialism!" Once he joined in the applause of the crowd by clapping himself in what appeared to be a take-off from the Russian tradition.

"We have information that the U.S. State Department was preparing aggression against Cuba through the government of Guatemala," Castro declared.

Guatemala severed diplomatic relations with Cuba last Thursday after a bitter series of exchanges in which each country was accused of planning an invasion of the other.

Castro did not elaborate on his charge of a U.S.-Guatemalan plot but warned that any attack on Cuba would also be a fight against the friends of Cuba and those who are disposed to fight for Cuba wherever they may be.

Long-Range Atlas Firing Scheduled

Washington - (AP) - The United States soon will attempt to fire an Atlas intercontinental ballistic missile a record 9,000 miles from Florida past the southern tip of Africa, the Pentagon said today.

No date for the launching was given, but it was understood the attempt might be made this week.

The Defense Department said the Union of South Africa has been notified of preparations for the shot.

Although the missile will not pass over land if a perfect performance is achieved, the course from Cape Canaveral, Fla., might be within 100 miles of Cape Town, South Africa.

The department said the missile will be a standard Atlas ICBM, and that the launching will be "part of the research and development program designed to subject components of ballistic missiles to extreme conditions."

The statement, in answer to inquiries, said "the impact area will be in the ocean south of the southern tip of Africa."

Vandals Destroy Portland Property

Portland - (AP) - Teen-age vandals left a trail of destruction in eastern Multnomah county just outside the Portland city limits early Sunday. Deputies arrested three boys, aged 12 to 15.

Sheriff's officers said at least a dozen automobiles were sprayed with paint in obscene phrases along with several houses and a market.

A bicycle, lawn furniture, and a barbecue and some acid were thrown into a swimming pool at one residence.

Police said upholstery in some of the cars was slashed and gasoline tanks were filled with fish eggs and insect spray.

4-H Club News

The meeting of the Reese Creek Renegades 4-H club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Phillips recently. Mike Mattheison was the only member absent. We discussed taking calves to the fair. Saturday, the Renegades met at the home of our leader, Clifford Moore, and practiced showing and judging dairy cows.

Our next meeting will be at the Perry's home. Jerry Moore had a game, and Mrs. Phillips served refreshments. Kay Stephenson, Reporter

Nixon Says Voluntary Health Plan For Aged To Be Presented This Week

Chicago - (AP) - Vice President Richard M. Nixon says the administration will present to Congress on the American people this week a voluntary health insurance plan for the aged.

Nixon said a Democratic sponsored plan for compulsory insurance through broad-

ened Social Security coverage is not the answer because it would fail to protect the people who need it the most - some of the four million persons over 65 without Social Security.

Moreover, the vice president said, the Democrats compulsory program compels peo-

ple who don't want and don't need health insurance to take it.

"So, what is the answer?" Nixon asked. "We are now working on the answer. We are going to present it to Congress or the country this week."

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