

Truman Says Uprisings To Retain Dignity

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In the recent demonstrations and acts of violence on several continents I see a clear re-affirmation of what I have always believed—that people are no longer content to settle for economic betterment at the expense of human dignity.

Throughout history there has been an unremitting struggle against rule by dictatorship or repression by force. And today's events in Korea, Turkey, South Africa and Cuba reveal that some governments have not kept up with the times in meeting the reasonable aspirations of their people.

Saddened by Korea Circumstances
I was shocked and saddened by the circumstances that led to revolt in South Korea to preserve democracy there. It was an ironic turn of events that Syngman Rhee, whom history will record as a great patriot and father of the Republic he created, should himself at this time of life, be the cause of uprisings. I would like to say this to the Korean people, who know how I feel towards them as a brave and free people, that they must have learned their lesson in democracy well under Syngman Rhee, to rise up even against him in order to preserve their democracy.

I have been wondering for some time about what was going wrong with the government of Korea and watched with misgiving the last election. I could only conclude and have now been able to confirm that Syngman Rhee was a victim of misplaced trust in some of the people around him. Every head of government, especially strong men in critical times, finds it difficult to pass on authority for fear that their policies may be jeopardized.

Rhee Dedicated To Freedom Ideals
And, unfortunately, in the history of great leaders there is always a temptation to overstay. I knew Syngman Rhee as a person of sterling character, a fine mind and of undaunted courage. He was dedicated not only to his people but to the ideals of freedom. He was a staunch partner of the West, and a bulwark against international communism. In his present difficulties let us not forget it, lest we malign him out of all proportion to his errors and misjudgments in trying to cling to power.

I hope that Korea will quickly mend the wounds of civil strife and that law and order and responsible democratic government, confirmed by a free election, can be restored. It is encouraging to see that steps are being taken to correct the wrongs and mistakes of the situation in that country. I am glad to see that this is being done by civilian authority and that the military is cooperating by keeping its place and maintaining its calm.

Threat of Communist Forces Acute
For the threat to the independence of Korea from the North where Communist forces are still poised for invasion is as acute today as at the time of the 1950 aggression. Prolonged internal dissension through inability or delay to re-establish a functioning Republic could lead to chaos and play into the hands of Red China.

I was glad to see Secretary of State Christian Herter advise Syngman Rhee of the dangers and possible consequences of popular dissatisfaction with the manner in which the Presidential elections were held. I think it was not only proper for the Secretary of State to interpose our government's opinion on a matter involving the preservation of Korean democracy, but it was wise in view of our responsibilities to that country under the United Nations.

For me, Korea is the symbol of a people's determination to resist not only invasion but the imposition of a form of government which does not meet the aspirations of freedom and human dignity of people today.

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Commission Sets Hearings on Zoning

Public hearings have been scheduled by the county planning commission on two proposed interim zoning ordinances.

The hearing for the White City area will be held Thursday, May 26, in the county courthouse auditorium at 8 p.m. The hearing for the West Side area will be held Wednesday, June 1, at 8 p.m. in the West Side school.

The White City ordinance allows for single family residential, agricultural, commercial and light and heavy industrial areas. The West Side ordinance includes only single family residential and agricultural areas.

Jack Eaton, planning technician, said the proposed interim zoning ordinance would not affect present land usage. Structures as currently existing will remain unchanged, he added, although they may not be enlarged or altered without a variance.

White City Area
The area included in the White City ordinance would include a 200-foot strip of land east of Crater Lake highway from Vilas rd. north to the boundary of White City, and a 200-foot strip of land west of Crater Lake highway from Vilas rd. north about two miles to where it expands to 300 feet wide north to Avenue A. This area would be designated as commercial.

Commercial zoning would also be in a strip of land 200 feet on each side of Antelope rd. extending about 1 1/2 miles east of Crater Lake highway.

Eaton said the residents in the area had decided what commercial property could go in those areas.

The White City subdivision east of the highway north of Antelope rd. would be single family residential with a small area north of it zoned as light industrial. Heavy industrial areas would be the location of three gravel pits in the area, two on Antelope creek off Bigham, Brown and Riley rds., and on Foothills rd. one mile south of Corey rd.

The West Side area includes the area from the Old Stage rd. at Jacksonville to and including Military rd., to Scenic ave., along Scenic ave. to the railroad tracks, following the tracks to Central Point, along Hanley rd. to Bybee corner, and along the Medford-Jack-

RUSSIANS DOWN U.S. PLANE

County Funds Are Being Considered By Court Today

Parks, Recreation Among Departments

Funds for county parks and recreation program, general road, public library and the family counselling services will be considered by the Jackson county budget committee this afternoon.

County Judge Earl Miller said this morning the committee hopes to complete reviewing the departmental budgets today.

Among items considered this morning and receiving tentative approval were miscellaneous items in the general county funds. Outstanding among these was the approval of \$5,000 to the Medford Chamber of Commerce. This amount had been requested by the chamber to be added to additional funds from Josephine county court for the publishing of a brochure to promote the two county area.

Also tentatively approved was a new item in the budget. It included \$5,500 for a county employee \$2,000 life insurance program. The program will be paid half by the employee and would cover the 356 county employees.

Expected to appear before the committee this afternoon is City Parks and a Recreation Director Bob Haworth. He will discuss a tentative agreement between Medford and the county to share his duties.

In commenting on the parks and recreation program under way by the county, Commissioner Chester Wendt said that more pressure has been put on the county for increased parks and recreation than on any other county business. It was the general consensus of opinion of the committee that money designated for this department was "well spent."

Building Activity Reaches '60 High

Medford's building activity rose to a new 1960 high during April when 155 building permits, having a total valuation of \$680,389 were issued, according to the building department's monthly report.

This is more than \$200,000 higher than 1960's previous high month of March when \$368,000 worth of permits were issued.

Starts were made on two new businesses, including the Standard Insurance company building, which contributed \$426,000 to the total.

Permits for 13 new residences were issued, having a total valuation of \$168,000.

Also contributing to the total were one new apartment building (\$25,000), the remodeling of a church, (\$10,000), and two swimming pool permits, (\$7,900).

WEATHER
FORECAST: Variable high cloudiness through Friday. Low tonight near 38. High Friday 70.
Highest Yesterday 65
Lowest this Morning 35

Our Skies Tonight
Sunset today 7:16 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow 5:00 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow 2:32 a.m.
Full Moon May 10
PROMINENT STAR
Spica, due south 10:38 p.m.
In Brazil and Indonesia this star is seen directly overhead.

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Soviet Union Shifts Government Posts



Party Secretariat Streamlined To Only Seven Men
Kozlov Elevated To Deputy Premier

Moscow — (UPI) — The Soviet Union moved younger men into high government and Communist party posts today in a massive shakeup that left Nikita S. Khrushchev still unchallenged at the top.

The shuffle, in which there were some expected demotions, took Frol Kozlov out of his government post as a first deputy premier and catapulted him into a streamlined party secretariat of seven men — the repository of ultimate power in the Soviet Union.

Kozlov, 51, visited the United States last year. Tass news agency made the announcement only a few hours before Khrushchev was scheduled to go before the Supreme Soviet — the U.S.S.R.'s parliament — to deliver what was billed in advance as a "stupendous" pre-summit speech.

Party All-Powerful
In the Soviet Union the Communist party is more powerful than the government. Khrushchev's principal power comes from the fact that he is the party's first secretary. He took on the added title of premier so he could sit in at international councils as his country's government leader, too.

Today's announcement said four persons had been dropped from the 10-member secretariat of the party's Central Committee — Alexei Kirichenko, Averki Aristov, Pyotr Pospelov and Nikolai Ignatov — while Kozlov was added to it.

Two persons were dropped from the Presidium of the party's Central Committee — Kirichenko and Nikolai I. Belyayev — and three added — Alexei Kosygin, Nikolai Podgorny and Dimitri Polyanski.

Kosygin also was given Kozlov's government job of first deputy premier. The other first deputy premier is Anastas Mikoyan, whose position was not changed.

Not Considered Purge
It was the biggest reshuffle of high Soviet posts since June, 1957, when an anti-party group was purged.

The new changes, which were decided on Wednesday in parallel meetings by the 133-member party Central Committee and the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet, were viewed by political experts here as a reshuffle rather than a purge.

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Budget Group Lacks Quorum to Meet

Only 6 of the 16 members of the Medford citizen's budget committee showed up for a scheduled meeting at the city hall last night, and the committee postponed the meeting for a week due to lack of a quorum.

The committee had planned to elect a chairman and a secretary and do other groundwork in preparation for actual consideration of the 1960-1961 budget.

Mayor John W. Snider announced that this would be done along with actual consideration of the preliminary budget on Wednesday, May 11. This will be the first of three regular meetings.

The committee is comprised of the eight members of the city council and eight citizens selected by the mayor and city council. Those on this year's citizens committee are Mrs. Dwight Houghton, Carl Dawson, Wagon Wakefield, Gaken Knox, Tom Rickard, Maria Leonard Jr., W. S. Morris and Donald Carlon.

Cascade College President Resigns

Portland — (UPI) — Dr. Edison Habegger, president of Cascade College here, has resigned effective June 30 for reasons of health. He will have completed four years as president of the school then.

Two Burglaries In Area Bring to 7 Number in Week

Two more burglaries were reported to county police agencies this morning, bringing the total number of burglaries in the Medford area during the past week to seven.

Latest firms to be burglarized were the Olympic Petroleum and Equipment company, 1050 South Riverside ave., and the Desert Service station, 6779 Crater Lake highway.

Medford police investigated one of the crimes and the state police the other.

Only one of the businesses reported a loss. The Olympic Petroleum and Equipment company lost five bottles of whiskey from a desk drawer.

Burglars Hurried
City police said the burglar or burglars who broke into the Cal-Ore Machinery company were apparently scared off after breaking and climbing through a window to a storeroom. They said a door to an inner office had been partially forced before the thief left.

The burglary at the Olympic Petroleum and Equipment company appeared to be a hurried job, city police said. The persons responsible for this burglary broke into two offices without touching anything and then took the bottles of whiskey from a desk drawer in a third office. No attempt was made to break open the company safe, they said.

State police said entry to the Desert Service station was gained by forcing open a rear door to the building. A cash box was broken open, but the few pennies in it were untouched, they said.

Other establishments burglarized in the past week were the Dick Kaye Texaco service, Foss' Billiard's, the Buy-Rite Furniture and Appliance company, Jim's Union Service, and the Big Y Feed and Seed company, all located in Medford.

Cumulative loss from the seven burglaries is estimated at \$4,700 in money and merchandise. The biggest loss has been from the furniture company where approximately \$4,000 worth of furniture and appliances were hauled away in a truck last Thursday morning.

None of the burglaries have yet been solved, nor is it known if they are in any way connected.

Local Man Freed Of Tacoma Charge

Tacoma — (UPI) — Jack Wright, a cowboy from Medford, Ore., Wednesday was freed of manslaughter charges following a preliminary hearing in Pierce County Justice Court.

Wright was released of all charges when Judge Elizabeth Shackelford refused to bind him over for trial. The cowboy was accused of causing the death of Lars C. Anderson, Sumner, in a cafe fight last Oct. 1.

Dr. Charles Larson, local pathologist, testified Anderson died of a ruptured pancreas and that this could not have been caused by a blow from the fist.

Second Run-Off Election Set for Student Body Head

Ashland — A second run-off election for Southern Oregon college student body president will be held in the near future, college sources said today.

Votes cast in yesterday's election to determine the presidency between Barry Pitts, Klamath Falls, and Dale Truax, Ashland, have been thrown out because of ineligible votes cast.

The first count of yesterday's ballots showed Pitts was elected, 208 to 207. A recount, however, showed Truax won 208 to 207. Later the student council, which canvasses the vote, found ineligible votes, and decided to call for another run-off election.

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Khrushchev Cold Toward Nixon at Summit

Premier Writes Off Idea of Substitute

London — (UPI) — America's chief European allies showed little surprise today at Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev's roughly worded write-off of Vice President Richard M. Nixon as a possible summit substitute for President Eisenhower.

Khrushchev, in his sardonic speech to the Supreme Soviet referred to these words to Eisenhower's suggestion that Nixon might finish out the summit for him if it lasted longer than planned:

Cold War Attitude
"I have seen Nixon several times in Moscow and in the United States, and it is difficult for me to avoid the impression that Nixon less than anybody thinks of stopping the cold war and of ending the armaments race."

Disdainfully, the Soviet leader added: "I'm afraid that if Nixon is empowered to carry on the negotiations at the summit it will be as we say in Russia 'Like when the goat is sent to take care of the cabbage patch.'"

Uneasiness Voiced
Neither the British nor French have commented officially on the possibility of Nixon as a summit negotiator. But privately diplomatic sources have voiced — even in advance of today's statement by Khrushchev — uneasiness about the possible effect of any such switch.

Fleming in Area On Campaign Trip

Leslie P. Fleming, Springfield, Republican candidate for nomination for congress from Oregon's fourth district, is in Medford today on behalf of his campaign.

Wednesday evening he attended a coffee hour at Republican headquarters. Among those attending were Frank Davis, Eugene, who accompanied Fleming, and J. Verne Shangle, Jackson county chairman for Fleming.

The candidate was to appear on television twice this afternoon and will attend an Eagles meeting tonight. Wednesday noon he attended a luncheon of local Republican workers at North's Chuck Wagon.

Fleming, who feels that the federal government controls have taken away rights of the states, advocates the elimination of federal income tax, all foreign aid, the farm support program, federal aid to education, any proposed bills to socialize medicine, urban renewal program, the proposed Oregon dunes national seashore park bill, the present sugar program with Cuba, and the elimination of all federal participation in any program not specified in the constitution and the bill of rights.

Public Hearings On Council Agenda

Three public hearings are on the agenda for tonight's Medford city council meeting which starts at 7:30 o'clock in the city hall.

The hearings are on ordinances for a sanitary sewer on Niantic st.; for paving Niantic st.; and for a sanitary sewer in the South Riverside ave. area.

Several new ordinances and resolutions will also be presented. Among these are ordinances for a franchise to Southern Pacific Railroad to construct a spur track to serve Timber Products company, an airport lease for the Fruit Growers' League; and a revocable easement for the extension of Army dr. in the fairgrounds area.

Bids are scheduled to be awarded for three projects, the purchase of a truck and pickup; street construction on 10th st. and Siskiyou Blvd.; and paving County Club dr.

Applications for several liquor licenses will also be considered by the council.

'Little Hope' For Success at Summit Noted

Craft Said Sent To Frighten People

Moscow — (UPI) — Premier Nikita Khrushchev said today that Soviet forces early Sunday shot down an American plane which he claimed was sent over the Soviet Union to "impress and frighten" Russia on an eve of the summit conference. He said this meant there now was "little hope" for success at the summit.

In a voice filled with bitterness, Khrushchev accused the United States of aggressive actions along the border and warned: "They are playing with fire and they could also suffer retaliatory blows." He boasted then of Soviet rocket strength.

Khrushchev looked directly at U. S. Ambassador Llewellyn Thompson during his speech before the Supreme Soviet. Members of Parliament sat in silence, then jumped to their feet and roared: "Down with the aggressor! This is banditry!"

Khrushchev did not identify the type of plane and did not disclose the fate of any Americans aboard. But he said another American plane violated Soviet territory April 9 and escaped.

Weather Plane Missing
A Lockheed U2 extreme high altitude weather reconnaissance plane of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration disappeared over southeastern Turkey this week end with one man aboard. The unarmed research craft was 60 miles from the Iranian border and 100 miles from Soviet Azerbaijan when last heard of. An accompanying plane returned safely.

This was in the same area where the United States accused the Soviets of shooting down an unarmed Air Force transport in 1958 with the loss of 17 lives. Russia denied the charges and said the plane crashed inside Russia. It returned six bodies.

"Imagine what would have happened if a Soviet aircraft appeared for instance over New York, Chicago or Detroit and were to fly over these cities?" Khrushchev asked.

'Would Mean War'
"How would the United States react? U.S. officials have stated more than once that they have bomber patrols with atomic and hydrogen bombs which, at the approach of a foreign aircraft, would take off and proceed each in the direction of its appointed bombing target.

"This would mean the beginning of a war."
"We have no bombers on duty but we have rockets which are more accurate and more reliable than your bombers."

He said it was high time for the United States "to realize that they are playing with fire and that they could also suffer retaliatory blows."

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FCC Grants Power Increase for KYJC

The federal communications commission yesterday granted radio station KYJC an increase in daytime power from 250 to 1,000 kilowatts.

Tom McLeod, station manager, said a new transmitter is being shipped by the Radio Corporation of America, and is expected to be installed and in operation in June.

The new transmitter will replace the present one. The station will remain on the same frequency, 1230 kilocycles.

Application for an increase in daytime power was filed with the FCC about 18 months ago.

The increased power will provide clearer reception of KYJC's signal in areas which now have a poor signal, McLeod said. It also will increase the station's range somewhat, he added.

Buddy Poppy Sale Scheduled in Medford

The annual Buddy Poppy sale of the Crater Lake post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will be held Friday and Saturday in downtown Medford.

Members of the post and auxiliary will offer the poppies for donations to the VFW's relief funds to aid disabled veterans and their families.

Buddy Poppy sale will be available in Shady Cove, VFW officials said.



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