

Danes Probe U.S. Pilot's Story of Report on Wind

Wiesbaden, Germany—The Danish Air Force opened a quiet investigation today into a disputed claim that inaccurate wind information caused a U.S. transport plane to stray into Communist East Germany last Friday.

The claim was made by the pilot of the plane, U.S. Air Force Capt. James P. Lundy of Findlay, Ohio, at a news conference here Thursday.

He said Copenhagen's Vaerlose Airport told him the wind was blowing from the east when actually it was blowing from the west.

The Copenhagen newspaper Belingske Tidende promptly quoted a Danish Air Force spokesman as saying this was a "bad excuse."

No Comment on Report
Even if Lundy received the wrong weather information at takeoff from Vaerlose Airfield he ought to have discovered it after 10 or 15 minutes of flying," the paper quoted the unnamed official as saying.

Well informed sources in Copenhagen told United Press International the Danish Air Force would look into the matter unofficially but would not make any comment on the newspaper's report.

It was believed a U.S. Air Force investigation of the incident, which resulted in the plane and its nine occupants being held in Communist East Germany for five days, would go into Lundy's claim thoroughly.

Grass Chewing Habit Takes Life of Man

Los Angeles—The coroner's office reported today that Walter Hanniford's habit of chewing on stems of grass and weeds while mowing the lawn proved fatal.

Hanniford, 33, Monterey Park, died Thursday in general hospital after munching toxic castor beans May 14. A castor bean plant which has poisonous green beans grew in his yard.

Wrong Way Drive Snuffs Three Lives

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Japan Planning For Ike's Visit

Tokyo—The Japanese government decided today to go ahead with plans for President Eisenhower's visit next month despite wild leftist demonstrations which have taken a sharp anti-American turn.

Foreign Minister Aichihiro Fudo made the announcement after a conference with Prime Minister Nobusuke Kishi and several other cabinet ministers.

Leaders of the extreme left Zengakuren student organization have gone so far as to threaten to stone Eisenhower if he comes to Japan.

Even top members of the opposition Democratic Party have demanded the visit be cancelled or postponed.

Leftist student, labor and political leaders have whipped up a storm of opposition in Japan to the new United States-Japan security treaty which Kishi's Liberal-Democratic party rammed through the lower house of Parliament last week.

Mammoth demonstrations in Tokyo and other parts of Japan Thursday were aimed mainly at killing the treaty and felling Kishi's government but they spilled over into attacks on Eisenhower.

Welfare Recovery Takes in \$25,478

Salem—The welfare recovery division of the Oregon Justice department took in \$25,478 in April, the largest monthly amount ever taken in by the division.

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Dick West, Dick Nixon Meet; Political Significance Nil

By DICK WEST
Washington—It was a grand day for a columnist and a fine time for a little nam-dropping, too.

I can hardly wait until I meet up with some of my newspaper colleagues who are always bending my ear with their "inside" scoop in the political situation.

I had a little chat with Nixon the other day. I will say casually as we are ruminating over our morning coffee in the Senate restaurant.

"What did he say?" they will ask eagerly.

"I am not at liberty to quote him just now but you'll be hearing about it before long." I will reply snuggly, and then change the subject.

That ought to give them a case of coffee nerves.

Sidewalk Superintending
The truth is, Nixon and I were discussing some of the fine points of sidewalk-superintending, which has only minor political significance.

But what these guys don't know will hurt them. I hope.

Perhaps I should explain how the opportunity for this prospective coup in nam-dropping came about. As I have indicated, it happened at a column-raising.

As you know if you have seen any pictures of the U.S. Capitol recently, the building is getting a new east front, a project which, incidentally, is costing us taxpayers about \$21,000,000.

Part of the work involves the installation of 24 massive marble columns to replace the old sandstone supports. This week the first column was hoisted into place and a large crowd of sidewalk superintendents was on hand to assist.

Nixon was there and Dirksen was there and Halleck was there, but I didn't see Kennedy or Johnson or Symington. It was strange they didn't show up because all presidential and vice presidential hopefuls have a personal interest in the project at this point.

The east front is the place where the inauguration will be held next January and anyone who has dreams of

taking the oath on that occasion would naturally be anxious to see that it is completed on time.

I happened to be standing beside the vice president of the capitol steps as the first 18-ton column went swinging overhead. We agreed it was a tricky job for sidewalk superintendents to handle because we had to look up all the time. By training and instinct, sidewalk superintendents look down.

About this time, a photographer came along with Halleck in tow and he obligingly struck a running-mate pose with Nixon.

"This is better than a smoke-filled room," Nixon said.

Someone asked if Nixon had any guarantee that the east front would be finished in time for "your big day."

"Look out for your fingers, boys," he called to some workmen.

The column was gently lowered into place without mishap and Nixon turned away with the satisfied air of a sidewalk superintendent who has seen a good job well done. He never did answer the question.

Moroccan King Assumes Role Of President; Seeks Stability

By PHIL NEWSOM
UPI Foreign Editor
The man-of-the-week: King Mohammed V of Morocco.

The place: Rabat, Morocco.

The quote: "The new regime will be a 'presidential system within a monarchy.'"

Since Morocco achieved its independence a little more than four years ago, the 50-year-old King and striven to hold himself above politics and to act as a balance wheel between the rivalries of the political rights and lefts.

Now he was abandoning a series of futile coalition governments and reserving all final decisions for himself.

Day-to-day rule, he said, would be carried out through his son, Crown Prince Moulay Hassan, 31.

Full of Risks
For this westernmost of the Arab kings, it was a decision full of risks. The premier he ousted, leftist Abdallah Ibrahim, 45, was a member of the powerful Istiqlal (Freedom) party which would be certain to oppose any sharp swing to the right.

The party's left wing, which Ibrahim leads, bases its ideas on Marxist theories. It favors strong ties with U.A.R. President Gamal Abdel Nasser and opposes conservative hopes for an independent grouping of Morocco, Algeria and Tunisia.

The latter view is close to Mohammed's own.

His is the ancient land of the Moors who at one time held most of North Africa and Spain. As a direct descendant of the prophet Mohammed, his subjects kiss his hand to gain the blessing of Islam.

But his daughters were among the first to appear in public without veils and wear bikinis at Moroccan beaches.

His most recent move is his closest yet to absolute rule. But his aim is economic and political stability and a constitutional regime within two years.

Quality Service Economy

At the hour this is written our President is getting ready to go on the air waves to tell about the summit flop . . . and the why of it . . . and maybe to answer some of his critics . . . who have been contending that it was dirty pool to use fancy modern equipment to spy on the nice and diplomatically proper Russians who have been using (in a BIG way) on us only the time-honored and tradition-sanctioned methods of spying . . . and anyway, Ike's critics contend, we shouldn't have let ourselves get caught at it.

AND—
It is barely possible—Ike might mention tonight our new and ultra-modern spy team—the Midas-Samos robots. If so, he might be justified in adding that in the way of modern, scientific spying the world "ain't seen nothin' yet."

THE two are designed to work as a team. As a matter of fact, Samos is designed to get into the act first. He will spy out menacing military movements on the part of an enemy and SEND BACK PICTURES OF THEM. These pictures will be instantly available to our military leaders for interpretation—just as in warfare of the rather immediate past camera planes have brought back to headquarters pictures of what the enemy is doing, thus tipping off to our high command what the enemy is up to. The big difference is that Samos will be away out in space and presumably can't be shot down. There will be no waiting for development of the films. Samos will flash 'em back by what amounts to TV.

In practice, Samos will work first. He'll send back the pictures of what the enemy is doing. If the enemy touches off a missile in the course of his strategic maneuvers, Midas will send back word of that. When we get the word from Midas that the enemy has COME INTO ACTION, we can go into action—with a half hour to spare before the enemy's missiles hit us.

DIRTY pool?
Certainly not!
It's self-preservation. If we can convince the enemy that if he starts something we'll DESTROY HIM, he may refrain from starting something.

That would be a long step toward ending war.

BAR ASSOCIATION GROWS
New York—The American Bar association said Thursday its membership increased by 5,173 during the past 10 months to an all-time high of 97,206.

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