

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



Britain Gives U.S. Permission To Study Bahamas Area Water

London - (UPI) - The United States has requested and received British permission to survey the waters in the Bahamas area for a possible U.S. naval undersea weapons testing center there, it was disclosed officially today.

A Foreign Office spokesman said an approach was received by the British government from the United States some time ago requesting permission to survey "certain waters in the Bahamas area."

"Permission was given for this survey without any advance commitment by her majesty's government," the spokesman said.

Authoritative sources stated that the projected U. S. survey aims at the possible establishment of a naval undersea testing and evaluation center for American weapons.

No further details were disclosed officially, but it was understood U. S. authorities have not yet carried out the survey in the waters of the British-owned Bahamas.

British sources insisted that the new U.S. move does not foreshadow a base such as that at Holy Loch in Scotland for Polaris-carrying nuclear submarines agreed upon by the United States and Britain last week.

The official disclosure was prompted by press reports that the United States intends to use two stretches of Bahamas waters south and southeast of Nassau.

These reports said the United States wants these two stretches as proving grounds for weapons.

Land Sites Considered

It is understood the plan if adopted by Washington and approved by Britain - also would provide for land sites in the Bahamas which would be run by the U. S. Navy and American firms engaged in development of the weapons.

It was believed the weapons in question are underwater rockets.

Some time is expected to elapse before a final decision is taken and approved.

British press reports from Washington claim the United States is ready to spend an estimated \$100 million on the project.

But British officials were emphatic in their denial that a new American nuclear submarine base on British territory was under negotiation.

AEC Trying to Deglamorize Atom as Wonder-Worker

By JOSEPH L. MYLER

Washington - (UPI) - The Atomic Energy Commission is trying to deglamorize the atom, or at least to put it in perspective.

This process actually began back in the postwar 40s when responsible officials tried to ring the curtain down on what they called "the atomic silly season."

Churches in Young Nations Don't Want Colonial Control

Louisville, Ky. - (UPI) - The general secretary of the National Council of Churches has warned that churches in the younger nations of the world do not want colonial control in religion any more than they want it in politics.

Dr. Roy G. Ross of New York, speaking at the international convention of Christian Churches (Disciples of Christ), said:

"The day is gone when we can divide up the dark continent on a community arrangement and stake off our little claims for missionary work. We must think as a part of the world church, of the health and welfare of the total Christian community throughout the world."

The convention here was attended by about 10,000 ministerial and lay representatives from 8,000 churches in the United States, Canada and 12 other countries.

The churches, whose members are usually known as Disciples of Christ, have as one of their primary mission fields the Congo Republic.

Ross emphasized the need "to move from paternalism to partnership in the affairs of our churches abroad . . . if we have not done our training well in the era of adolescence, there is no reason to hope we can control adulthood by arbitrary methods."

The church executive said, "Undoubtedly the church has had a large hand in opening up the more primitive areas of the earth to the influence of so-called civilized society. The backward peoples of the earth have been catapulted almost overnight into the operations of society."

Characteristics Listed

He said the characteristics of the new nations must be considered in the missionary field.

These he listed as "A new sense of self-esteem and of destiny; a desire for material and cultural advantages of life; self-government free of colonial control; a desire for recognition in the councils of the world; and an appreciation of their own cultural backgrounds and pride in the native languages, traditions, social forms and religious heritages."

Youth Conference Urges Study of Red Ideologies

Salem - (UPI) - The 1960 Oregon conference on children and youth recommended Saturday afternoon that Oregon public schools put greater emphasis on teaching American and Communist ideologies so young Americans will know what they are fighting for and against.

The recommendation urged "in the interest of national survival" to give increased emphasis to understanding the ideology and democratic process of the U. S., and to the study of world political, social and economic systems with particular emphasis to the non-western world, such as Asia and Africa.

Should Be Exposed

"Ideologies which are in conflict with our own, such as Communism, should be exposed to the light of reason and study in the school and the community," the resolution said.

Establishment of legislative interim committees by the 1961 legislature was urged to study all state laws relating to the health, welfare, education and recreation of children. The conference called for establishment of family courts and an interim study of youth employment problems.

Oregon has two family courts now, in Multnomah and Marion counties. They are specialized courts, dealing only with problems such as child adoption, divorce and other family crises.

Helicopter Crash Leaves Three Dead

Lewiston, Idaho - (UPI) - Three persons were injured fatally Monday in the crash of a helicopter in Steptoe Canyon on the Snake river 15 miles downstream from here in Whitman County, Wash.

The dead were not immediately identified.

Nez Perce County Sheriff Bud Huddleston said he believed the helicopter was from Seattle but that it was not immediately known who owned it. He said it appeared to be a civilian craft.

7 Die as Station Wagon Hits Bus

Hull, Quebec - (UPI) - A station wagon carrying seven young men collided head-on with a loaded bus Sunday night.

Nine persons were killed and 13 others were hospitalized.

A veteran Quebec provincial police officer said the accident was "the worst I've seen in 25 years on this beat."

Police said the late model station wagon was on the wrong side of Highway 8, about 10 miles east of here, when it hit the bus, which was headed for nearby Buckingham.

Reports from the scene said the wagon was "driven half-way up the bus" by the impact.

The dead included all seven occupants of the station wagon, the bus driver and an unidentified woman passenger in the bus. Only two of the 17 bus passengers escaped injury.

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