

Five East Germans Escape To West Under Cover of Fog



DIPLOMATIC GATHERING—Acting UN Secretary General Thant, second from left, today to change his own decision and postponed the second session of the Ecumenical Council by four months until September of next year. The postponement, which had been requested by a number of bishops, was announced in today's council meeting. It was the latest of many changes in schedule and regulations which the pontiff has made to meet the wishes of his "parliament of God." The current council session ends Dec. 8. The second session, according to a papal de-

21 Persons Known To Escape Guards Since Saturday

Berlin (UPI)—Five East Germans fled to West Berlin under cover of fog and darkness today. Communist border guards fired bullets and flares presumably to stop the escape of others.

The escape routes were not disclosed. It raised to 21 the number of known escapees since Saturday, an unusually large exodus.

West Berlin police reported four shots were fired, coupled with shouts of "stop, come back" on the French sector Frohnau District border at 1 a.m.

It was not known whether refugees were wounded in the shooting or arrested because observation was impossible in dense fog.

Twenty minutes earlier Communist guards fired two rounds from a submachine gun and one flare on the French sector's Wedding District border.

An hour before midnight a shot and five flares were shot in the American sector's Neukölln District border.

On Nov. 27, 1958, Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev told the Western Allies to get out of West Berlin within six months.

The fourth anniversary of that declaration passed today with the Americans, British and French troops still entrenched in their West Berlin outpost, 110 miles deep in Communist territory.

The anniversary was marked only by continued Western determination, underlined by the tough American stand on Cuba, to protect this city in the future as they have in the past.

By chance, Gen. Lyman L. Lemnitzer, commander of U.S. forces in Europe, was in Berlin for the anniversary. He came here Monday from his Paris headquarters on a 24-hour visit to "determine the needs" of the 6,500-man U.S. garrison.

West Berlin Mayor Willy Brandt told Lemnitzer Monday at a meeting at City Hall, "on the basis of Western guarantees and our people's determination we will be able to survive."

The anniversary was not marked by any formal observance. It passed almost unnoticed. This in itself was considered a sign that the apprehension that gripped the city four years ago has faded.



DESCRIBES ORDEAL—Michael Diller, 12, of Carmichael, Calif., above, only survivor of a boating accident in which six persons drowned, tells officers and reporters of his all-night ordeal. The boy said seven persons were aboard the 14-foot aluminum boat when it was overturned by a huge wave in an arm of Bodega Bay Sunday. Four bodies have been recovered. (UPI)

Sea Holds Secret Of Brave Sailors

Las Palmas, Canary Islands (UPI)—Somewhere in the vast Atlantic Ocean is a clue to the disappearance of eight brave men who tried to duplicate Columbus' great voyage of discovery to the New World.

On Oct. 10, the men-including one American—set sail for the West Indies in the "Nina," a replica of the smallest of three ships Columbus took on his voyage in 1492.

They hoped to make the trip in the 26 days it took Columbus. But they loaded provisions for up to 45 days, in case of trouble.

That was 47 days ago. The tiny 39-foot caravel was last seen on Oct. 12, the day after it left Las Palmas, barely out of sight of land 25 miles west of here.

Since then, there has been no sign of the little craft with its ancient square sails.

The United States Coast Guard is scouring the general area off the Virgin Islands where the "Nina II" should be if it is still afloat. Heavy storms whipped the area last week.

The courage of the eight men of the "Nina II" compared with that of the 18 under Vicente Yanez Pinson who sailed with Columbus and were the first of the expedition to sight the West Indies.

Under Spanish navy Lt. Carlos Etayo, the modern voyagers ignored the advantages of modern sailing to put out in a ship which carried no instruments except a 15th Century wooden sextant and a simple compass like those used in Columbus' day.

The ship was held together by wooden pegs and had no radio, no electricity and no auxiliary motor. As nearly as possible, its trip was to duplicate the conditions of the expedition of 1492.

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Pope Postpones Second Council Session Four Months

Vatican City (UPI)—Pope John XXIII once again agreed today to change his own decision and postponed the second session of the Ecumenical Council by four months until September of next year.

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Astoria Woman, 51, Great Grandmother

Astoria (UPI)—Mrs. Ted Bowling of Astoria became a great grandmother for the second time Monday when her grand daughter, Mrs. Ron Pierce of Portland, gave birth to a girl.

The unusual thing about it is that Mrs. Bowling is just 51. She first became a great grandmother when she was 49.

WRONG FORM

Washington (UPI)—Senate stockpile investigators were told Monday that the government spent \$7.5 million to help build an experimental nickel smelting plant but never bought the nickel it produced because the metal was in the wrong form.

Foreign Briefs

MASKED BANDITS GET \$183,400 IN LONDON
 London (UPI)—Masked bandits slugged two airline security guards and a pay clerk at London airport today and drove off with a \$183,400 payroll.

GOVERNING PARTY WINNING IN BAHAMAS
 Nassau, Bahamas (UPI)—Early results in the Bahamas general elections indicated today that the governing United Bahamian party will keep its working majority in the assembly.

U. S. TO WITHDRAW MISSILES IN TURKEY
 London (UPI)—The Daily Telegraph said today the United States plans to withdraw its Jupiter intermediate range ballistic missiles from Turkey on the Soviet border.

A story by one of the newspaper's staff members said the pullback would appear a concession to the Communists in the Cuban crisis, but that in fact it would be "a simple military removal of a weapon system that has become obsolete."

The story, by Air Commodore E. M. Donaldson, said plans for the removal of weapons were made before the Cuban crisis broke and that they would be pulled out by 1964.

IBM Jumps More Than Five Points On Higher Market

New York (UPI)—Electronics, aircraft, steels and chemicals held the spotlight in today's higher stock market.

IBM, with a jump of more than 5, spearheaded a list of at least a dozen electronic gainers. Fairchild Camera, Texas Instruments, Zenith and Litton also were prominent.

General Dynamics and Grumman, winners of the huge TFX fighter plane contract, continued to show gains. North American Aviation and United Aircraft added about 1/4 to 3/4, respectively.

4-H News

Teen Council
 The meeting of the Jackson County 4-H Teen Council was held recently at the fairgrounds.

New officers elected are Rick Anderson, president; John Bray, vice president; Virginia Pritchett, secretary; Wayne Debrick, treasurer; Bob Bray, refreshment chairman; Alan Bray, game leader; and Linda Gibson, reporter.

Other business for the evening was a discussion of goals and plans for the coming year. The members were divided into buzz groups to get ideas for the plans.

Ron Anderson gave a talk on his trip to Know Your State Government day at Salem. Miss Joan Beasley explained to us that we should be getting our record books ready to send in for national awards.

Linda Gibson, Reporter.

Servicemen

PROMOTED
 Douglas C. McKay, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McKay, formerly of the Applegate area, and now of Snake River Valley, Idaho, has been promoted to gunner's mate second class in the U.S. Navy.

McKay, who has been in the Navy for 2 1/2 years, has been assigned to the Special Weapons Training school at Albuquerque, N.M. for six months.

McKay attended Applegate school for eight years and is a graduate of Grants Pass High school.

Prior to her husband being transferred to Albuquerque from the Naval station at Oakland, Mrs. McKay was honored as junior executive secretary of the year by the Naval Center Executive Secretaries association of Oakland.

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Standard N.J. 55 1/2
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Texas Co. 36 1/2
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Texas Pac Land Trust 15 1/2
Triokol 29 1/2
Trans America 42 1/2
Towns World Air 11 1/2
Tri Continental 42
Union Carbide 104
Union Pacific 33 1/2
United Aircraft 53 1/2

DOW JONES AVERAGES
 New York (UPI)—Dow Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 648.05, up 5.99; 20 railroads 136.14, up 0.78; 15 utilities 125.03, up 0.61, and 65 stocks 225.25, up 1.69. Sales today were about 5.5 million shares compared with 5.65 million shares Monday.

Today's prices on selected stocks:

Allied Chemical	43 1/2
Alum Co. America	36 1/2
American Air Lines	18 1/2
American Can	18 1/2
American Motors	16 1/2
AT & T	114 1/2
American Tobacco	29 1/2
Anacosta Copper	44 1/2
Amstar	27 1/2
Bendix Corp	36 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	31 1/2
Boeing Air	114 1/2
Brantwick	17 1/2
Caterpillar Corp	36 1/2
Chrysler Corp	70 1/2
Coca Cola	62 1/2
C.R.S.	42 1/2
Columbia Gas	25 1/2
Continental Can	43 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	43 1/2
Crumline Steel	16 1/2
Curtiss Wright	18 1/2
Dow Chemical	39 1/2
Du Pont	52 1/2
Eastman Kodak corp	109 1/2
Firestone	33 1/2
Ford	43 1/2
General Electric	74 1/2
General Foods	23 1/2
General Motors	55 1/2
Georgia Pacific	43 1/2
Greyhound	39 1/2
Gulf Oil	38 1/2
Houssake	17 1/2
Idaho Power	29 1/2
I.B.M.	200 1/2
Int Paper	27 1/2
Johns Manville	46 1/2
Kennecott Copper	67 1/2
Lockheed Aircraft	51 1/2
Martin	21 1/2
Sherk	29 1/2
Montgomery Ward	31 1/2
Natl Biscuit	40 1/2
New York Central	14 1/2
Northern Pacific	26 1/2
Pac Gas Elec	29 1/2
Perman J C	13 1/2
Penn RR	13 1/2
Pharma Cement	11 1/2
Phillips	46 1/2
Proctor & Gamble	23 1/2
Radio Corporation	53 1/2
Richfield Oil	24 1/2
Satevis	42 1/2
Santa Fe	62 1/2
Sears	62 1/2
Shell Oil	32 1/2
Socomec Metal Oil	49 1/2
Southern Pacific	25 1/2
Sperry Rand	13 1/2
Standard California	38 1/2

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