

Yemen Government Playing Both East and West for Necessary Help

Cairo—UPI—The two-month-old Yemen Arab Republic is moving swiftly to ensure badly needed foreign aid from East and West alike.

A Yemeni Republican delegation returned from Moscow last week with assurances of Soviet economic and military aid for the young government of President Abdullah Salaf. The Yemeni Republicans, who are hopeful of winning recognition soon from the United States and Britain, said on Nov. 22 they had been assured of American help on road-building and water projects.

It is too soon to tell just how intensive competition will be between East and West in helping Yemen. But in seeking to tap both major power blocs simultaneously, the new regime is following a practice begun by the ousted monarchy.

Left Canned Goods

Soviet interest in Yemen goes back to the pre-foreign-aid era of 1928 when a visiting trade delegation signed a treaty with old Imam (King) Yahya and left behind a supply of canned goods.

Other treaties were signed with Holland and France in the 1930s, with the United States in 1946, and with Pakistan and Spain in 1952, but virtually nothing came of them. Oil discoveries in Saudi Arabia brought French, West German, and finally American companies to look at Yemen, but no commercial oil was found. Yemen remained unchanged.

When the Soviets renewed their old treaty in 1955, the West paid no attention.

The next year, Imam Ahmed sent his son, Crown Prince Badr—who became Imam on Ahmed's death last September and was dethroned by Salaf eight days later—on a visit to Moscow, Peking and eastern European capitals. The result was a supply of Soviet planes, tanks, armor and military instructions, paid for, ironically, with \$3 million from King Saud.

Harbor Aid Given

On a return tour of the Eastern bloc in 1958, Prince Badr lined up Soviet aid for modernizing Yemen's Red Sea harbor at Hodeida and a \$15 million 10-year interest-free

loan from Communist China. The Chinese also pledged construction of the country's first paved road. And when Yemeni laborers proved inadequate, the Chinese brought in more than 1,000 coolies to do the job.

The same year both Russians and Red Chinese opened legations in the Yemeni capital of Taiz.

Western observers noted "anxiousness about Communist penetration of Yemen" when Ahmed agreed to opening of a U. S. legation in 1959 and asked the West for famine relief.

With a sudden spurt of interest, the Americans rushed wheat to Hodeida days ahead of a similar Russian shipment. And reversing the business in "the ugly American," when Communists painted Soviet labels on American wheat sacks, the Yemenis thought the unmarked Soviet sacks were more gifts from the United States.

The U. S. began its first aid project, a 313-mile road from the southern port of Mocha through Taiz to Sanaa, in the spring of 1960, and a third of

it is now completed.

But Americans admit the job has been badly delayed because of inadequate planning.

Example of Competition

In any case, it is an example of East-West competition—Yemen style. The Chinese road from Hodeida to Sanaa was paved. Yemenis wanted the U. S. road paved, too. The Americans argued they would have less trouble maintaining a graded, gravel surface for the limited traffic across their mountain wilds.

The imam agreed, but Yemenis drew the conclusion that Communist Chinese build better roads.

As the Americans predicted, the paved Chinese road is now a ribbon of landslides and potholes. But Yemeni Vice President Abdulrahman Beidani said recently the United States has agreed to pave its road as far as Mocha to Taiz.

Maintenance problems, presumably, will be worked out later. The Yemeni Republicans, meanwhile, have elicited at least vague promises of new aid from East Germany, Yugoslavia and Communist China.

Britain Cautious

For the West's part, the burden will fall on the United States and on West Germany, which recognized the new regime a month ago. Britain cannot postpone recognition of the republic forever, but her opposition to the revolt from Aden protectorate, and fear of traditional Yemeni claims to Aden, rule out anything but perfunctory relations with the new Yemen.

Meanwhile, the new government is almost entirely dependent on the United Arab Republic, both for troops still battling dissident royalist tribesmen along the Saudi borders, and for economic and technical help. There are indications, however, of growing friction between the Yemenis and Egyptians. Diplomatic observers believe that once the

fighting subsides the Egyptian-15,000 and 20,000 in Yemen, now numbering between will be politely excused.

\$17,500 PER YEAR AS MINIMUM INCOME

For experienced life insurance managers successful in agency development, recruiting and training. Profit sharing contracts and full line of insurance. Openings in Alaska and 13 Western States beginning January 1, 1963.

SEND RESUME to BOX 9936D MAIL TRIBUNE for Personal Interview with Company Executive.

"OIL TO BURN"
Mobilheat
S & H Green Stamps
MEDFORD FUEL CO.
772-2111

Safeway's Anniversary Sale

Candi Cane SUGAR Pure Cane Sugar 10-lb. 79¢	Town House Tomato SAUCE For a Fresh Tomato Taste Limit 5 Please 8-oz. Can 5¢
--	---

Although we can trace our "family tree" back much further, it has been just 35 years since the name SAFEWAY first appeared over a food store.

This week, to celebrate the event, we have made plans to bring you the biggest sale in Safeway history. The big bargains are our way of saying "thank you" to the millions of customers we have served since 1926.

Variety is great, supply is tremendous, quality is the kind that has helped make Safeway famous. Come in and stock up during our gala Anniversary Sale!

FROZEN PIES 3 FOR \$1
Bel-air, apple, peach, cherry, pumpkin, apricot-pineapple, mincemeat.

Problems of a Troth

Courtships Among Bachelors, Career Girls in Capital Create Negotiations

By DICK WEST

Washington—UPI—One of the things that set the U.S. capital apart from most other cities is its large contingent of bachelors and career girls.



And bachelors flock here because of the opportunities offered by career girls.

It is such a good town to be

a bachelor in that many men remain single beyond the normal age for marriage. This, of course, forces a lot of career girls to remain single, too.

Every now and then, however, a dedicated bachelor and a dedicated career girl will plight a troth, when that happens, something has to give.

I have observed several such courtships among the bachelors and career girls of my acquaintance, and they seem to fall into the same pattern.

First of all, they have to settle the question of

where they are going to live after they are married. He wants her to move into his apartment because it is more convenient. She wants him to move into her apartment because it has a better view.

If the career girl has roommates, the bachelor can use them as bargaining points. He can contend that his apartment will be less crowded.

The career girl usually will agree to this, but she attaches two provisos: (1) the bachelor must take down his collection of nude calendars and (2) find another place to keep empty beer cases.

He has, of course, been keeping the empties under the bed.

If the bachelor accepts these conditions, they are ready to proceed to the second stage of the negotiations, which is furniture.

The career girl insists on bringing some of the furniture from her apartment along with her. The bachelor naturally resists since he would have to get rid of some of his furniture to make room for it.

The traditional compromise is for her to move a dressing table into the space where he had a foot locker filled with broken water skis and old army shoes.

He refuses, however, to sacrifice the foot locker containing his back copies of Esquire and 78 rpm phonograph records. In return, she wins the right to put slip covers on the sofa.

The negotiations continue right up to the day of the wedding, the final stage pitting his stuffed deer head against her chintz curtains. Occasionally, they have to submit that one to arbitration.

The pity is, it's all wasted effort. The next time you see them, she is pregnant and they are buying a house in the suburbs.

THIS SIDE UP

KINGS LYNN, England—UPI—A package delivered to the railway station here Sunday had "this side up" stamped on five of its six sides.

Efforts at Selling Downed Timber Said Meeting Success

Washington—UPI—The U.S. Forest Service says it is meeting with success in efforts to sell timber blown down in the severe windstorm that ripped through West Coast timberlands Oct. 12.

Ira J. Mason, director of the agency's division of timber management, told United Press International that buyers generally have been happy to take advantage of an "attractive" opportunity to buy the fallen timber.

Mason said the forest service was granting extensions on contracts for the purchase of green timber in order to encourage buyers to take the blowdown timber.

Assured of Future Supply

Many timber buyers, who have complained in the past about a shortage of logs, have agreed to buy the additional timber while still being assured of a future supply of green timber under the extended contracts.

Mason said the shift in emphasis from sale of standing timber to fallen timber was the chief action being taken by the Forest Service to reduce losses caused by the Oct.

tober storm.

This and other steps were on the basis of recommendations made at a conference held Oct. 30-31 in Portland. Mason said the forest service was making a determined effort to salvage billions of board feet of fallen timber while at the same time seeking to minimize the impact of the added timber on the lumber industry.

To Avoid Repetition

"We will do as much as possible to get the timber out by May 1, 1964," he said. By about 1965, he said, infestation by the Douglas fir bark beetle might have reached epidemic proportions. At that time it would begin to move out of the fallen timber into healthy, standing timber.

He said the forest service was trying to avoid repetition of severe losses suffered in the past, particularly such as those occurring as the result of a blowdown of Douglas fir in 1951. Failure to remove downed timber in time also was blamed for the loss to insects of nearly 6 million board feet of spruce in Idaho and Montana.

Check These Values

Crushed Pineapple	Sweet Treat No. 300 can	5/\$1
Aspirin	Bayer's bottle of 100	59¢
Trend Detergent	For dishes, 12 1/2-oz. pkg. 2	39¢
Liquid Detergent	Trend. Nothing milder. 22-oz. bottle	49¢
Prem Lunch Meat	Swift's. Ideal for sandwiches. 12-oz.	49¢
Pineapple Juice	Dole. New fresher flavor. 46-oz. can	33¢
Fruit Juice	Dole Pineapple-grapefruit. 46-oz. can	37¢

MIX 'EM or MATCH 'EM TOWN HOUSE

- Great Northern Beans Dried
- Idaho Red Beans Dried
- Pinto Beans Good With Ham
- Popcorn Yellow or White

2-lb. Pkg. **29¢**
Long Grain Rice Casserole Perfect. 3-lb. Pkg. **59¢**
Extra Large Prunes Diet Fruit. 2-lb. Pkg.

More Safeway Values

Quaker Oats	Regular or Quick hot cereal. 42-oz. pkg.	49¢
Kraft Dinner	All you need for a Macaroni dinner. Pkg. 5	\$1
Blue Mt. Cat Food	Chicken & Liver. Tall can	7 for \$7

Zee Towels	Pastel colors. Giant Reels	31¢
Gleaser	White Magic. Works like magic. 14-oz.	2/25¢
Coffee	M.J.B., Folgers, Hills, Boyds.	Lb. Can 49¢
Aika-Seltzer	Large Size	44¢
Crest	Tooth Paste, Economy Size	63¢



ROUND STEAK
Full cut round. No "heel" cuts.
USDA Choice Grade, Aged Beef **lb. 79¢**

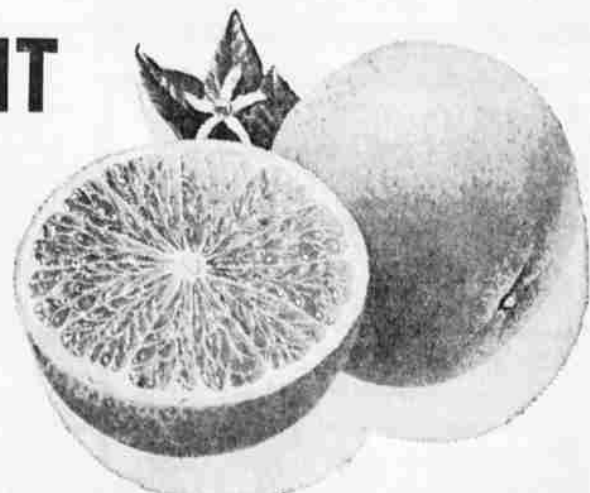
Cornish Game Hens Shenandoah brand. Grade A 20-oz. Each **79¢**

Cube Steaks	Fresh lean beef steaks. Quick meal. lb.	98¢
Breakfast Steaks	Delicious with eggs. lb.	\$1.39
Plate Beef	For boiled dinner menu. lb.	15¢
Short Ribs	Lean beef ribs. Braise or bake lb.	29¢

GRAPEFRUIT

ARIZONA RUBY REDS
Plump, fragrant, "hearty" with juice

Wonderful Quality 8-lb. Bag **49¢**



Plus these values!

Fresh Lettuce	Large, firm heads	2 for 29¢
Tasty Squash	Hubbard baking squash	lb. 5¢
Yellow Onions	Medium, U.S. No. 1	3 lbs. 25¢
Gomice Pears	Medford. Best fresh eating.	lb. 10¢
Green Cabbage	Local grown, Medium size. Head	10¢

Prices effective Monday, Dec. 3 through Wednesday, Dec. 5 at Safeway in Medford. We reserve the right to limit.

Give historic
OLD CROW
- the bourbon
more people prefer
to any other

This is the season when the best comes forth. That's why more people use Old Crow for gifts and parties than any other bourbon.

\$4.95 4 1/2 qt.



© COPYRIGHT, 1960 SAFEWAY STORES, INCORPORATED

THE OLD CROW DISTILLERY COMPANY, FRANKFORT, KY. KENTUCKY STRAIGHT BOURBON WHISKY 40 PROOF.