

De Gaulle's 'Grand Design' Brings Forth Major Problems

'Third Force' Being Exerted For New Europe

Editor's note - President Charles de Gaulle's "grand design" for Europe, which excludes the United States and Britain, confronts the West with major problems. How does an obviously divided West now deal with the Soviet Union? What does De Gaulle's grand design do to present alliances? What is De Gaulle's next move?

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For good or evil, President Charles de Gaulle has seized the initiative in Europe. And by power of the veto he already is exerting the "third force" he foresees for a new Europe of his own grand design, with both British and United States influence reduced to zero.

The De Gaulle concept calls for a Europe stabilized and dominated by France and Germany working in close collaboration, and living in coexistence with the Soviet Union. The leadership would be French. France, not the United States, would be Europe's spokesman in Moscow.

There was gloom Tuesday in Brussels where France's five partners in the European Common Market were forced against their will to accept De Gaulle's determination that Britain be excluded from the European community.

And there was gloom in London where Prime Minister Harold Macmillan's government faced the unpleasant truth that 15 months of negotiations to enter the Common Market had failed and left them with no alternatives.

For the Western alliance, its unity shaken as it had not been since the end of World War II, there also were massive problems.

Policies which had been keystones for nearly 20 years seemed about to be changed, new alliances about to be formed.

For in a world of power politics, De Gaulle was determined to forge his own power bloc.

What makes De Gaulle? From Paris, UPI correspondent Joseph W. Grigg reported:

"De Gaulle never has made any secret of his 'grand design.' It is a Europe which stretches from the Urals to the Atlantic, independent of any outside direction or tutelage. It is a very long-term vision, one he certainly does not expect to come about this year or next or perhaps even for five or 10 years. But he is convinced that sooner or later the Soviets will break with Red China and turn to the West. When they do, he wants to be ready to negotiate.

De Gaulle was described as confident that neither the Common Market nor the Western alliance would suffer. French sources also pointed out that Britain's ban from the Common Market need not be permanent.

UPI correspondent Karol Thaler reported from London:

"The 'Little Europe' of the six Common Market nations is to provide the nucleus in the wider pattern of De Gaulle's third-force concept. Already De Gaulle is casting his eyes beyond the 'six' to the Scandinavian countries and to Spain.

"In De Gaulle's concept, Germany's co-operation seems to be a pre-condition for success. "Germany would seem therefore to hold the key. The smaller European countries, unhappy as they are over all this, cannot afford to back out because they could be crushed economically by the Franco-German alignment."

Foreign Briefs

ECUADOREANS CAUGHT IN BOMB MAKING ACT

Guayaquil, Ecuador—Police raided the headquarters of the Castroite Urje organization here Tuesday night, surprising 17 persons in the act of making bombs apparently intended for terrorist use.

The raiders arrested the 2 adults and 15 teenagers on the premises and confiscated a quantity of time bombs, plastic explosive and "Molotov cocktails" incendiaries.

AUSTRALIANS SEEK KILLER SHARK

Sydney, Australia—Shark hunters went trolling again today for a killer bronze whaler shark which fatally attacked a swimming television actress in Sydney harbor Monday. Officials feared the shark would strike again as it did against actress Marcia Hathaway, 33.

CHINESE DENY GOVERNMENTS IN EXILE

Katmandu, Nepal—The Communist Chinese embassy here today denied Indian press reports that the Chinese have set up Sikkim and Bhutan governments in exile in Tibet.

TSHOMBE WARNS ON RAPID INTEGRATION

Elisabethville—Provincial President Moise Tshombe has cautioned the Central Congolese government not to rush re-integration of his Katanga province into the Congo republic.

"Katanga presently is in a transitional period," Tshombe told Joseph Ileo, central government resident minister, in a meeting Tuesday.

Stocks Sell-Off To Snap String Of Seven Advances

New York—Stocks sold off today, snapping a string of seven advances. Brokers felt the decline, reflected the twin disappointments of the collapse of British common market negotiations and the fall of U.S. Steel's 1962 earnings to a 10-year low.

Steels were one of the weakest groups as Youngstown, Jones & Laughlin, Armco and others joined U.S. Steel with point-sized declines.

Auto shares were also weak with Chrysler the softest item. Losses of fractions to over a point dominated the chemicals. The big international oils resisted the downward but most secondary petroleum's gave ground.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

New York—Dow Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 678.58, off 5.15; 20 railroads 149.87, off 0.75; 15 utilities 135.36, off 0.44 and 65 stocks 240.04, off 1.45. Sales Wednesday were about 3.74 million shares compared with 4.36 million shares Tuesday.

Stock	Price
Shell Oil	36 1/2
Socony Mobil Oil	39 1/4
Southern Co.	33 3/4
Southern Pacific	21
Sperry Rand	13 1/2
Standard California	65
Standard Indiana	52 1/2
Standard N. E.	59 1/2
Stokely Van Camp	22 1/2
Sun Mines	18 1/2
Texas Co.	61 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	14 1/2
Texas Pac Land Trust	19 1/2
Thiokol	28 1/2
Trans America	44 1/2
Trans World Air	10 1/2
Tri-Continental	14 1/2
Union Carbide	110 1/2
Union Pacific	30 1/2
United Aircraft	50 1/2
United Air Lines	33 1/2
U.S. Plywood	48
U.S. Rubber	44
U.S. Steel	45 1/2
West Bank Corp.	35 1/2
Westinghouse	35 1/2

Wednesday's prices on selected stocks:

Allied Chemical	44 1/2
Alum Co. Am	57 1/2
American Air Lines	29
American Can	40 1/2
American Motors	19 1/2
A. T. & T.	120 1/2
American Tobacco	20
Anacosta Copper	43 1/2
Amoco	54 1/2
Bentley Corp	31 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	30 1/2
Borg-Warner	38 1/2
Braslow	19 1/2
Caterpillar Corp	38 1/2
Chrysler Corp	32 1/2
Coca Cola	90 1/2
C.I.S.	12 1/2
Columbia Gas	27 1/2
Continental Can	45 1/2
Crown Zellerbach	36 1/2
Curtis Wright	18 1/2
Dow Chemical	57 1/2
Du Pont	24 1/2
Eastman Kodak	113 1/2
Fidelity	36 1/2
General Electric	77 1/2
General Foods	83 1/2
General Motors	62 1/2
General Portland Cement	17 1/2
Georgia Pacific	34 1/2
Greif Bros	43 1/2
Gulf Oil	45 1/2
Homesdale	18 1/2
Imperial Paper	34 1/2
Int. Paper	25 1/2
Johns-Manville	44 1/2
Kennecott Copper	32 1/2
Lackmann Aircraft	26 1/2
Martin	21 1/2
Merck	56 1/2
Montana Power	37 1/2
Montgomery Ward	34 1/2
National Biscuit	45 1/2
New York Central	15 1/2
Northern Pacific	40 1/2
Pac. Gas Elec	45 1/2
Peoples C.	14 1/2
Penn. RR	13 1/2
Petrolia	15 1/2
Phillips	48 1/2
Procter & Gamble	72 1/2
Purina	61 1/2
Radio Corporation	45 1/2
Richfield Oil	45 1/2
Safeway	25 1/2
Santa Fe	25 1/2

Three Feared Dead in Mine Fire

Wooden Seals Cover Entrance To Conceal Blaze

Logan, Ill.—Mine workers sealed off a fire that raged out of control in the Freeman coal mine No. 5 today, leaving little hope for three miners missing and presumed dead.

Wooden seals covered with plaster were placed over mine entrance and openings to contain the blaze in an area about one-half mile wide by a mile long. Officials hoped the lack of oxygen would snuff out the flames.

The relatively new and modern mine was the successor to the company's Orient No. 2 mine at West Frankfort, Ill., where an explosion and fire claimed 120 lives Dec. 21, 1951. The fire began Tuesday afternoon about a half mile from the main shaft and about five miles from the site of the 1951 tragedy.

Missing Identified

The missing miners were identified as Charles J. Marvel, 43, a cutting machine operator and father of seven children; Harold Glenn Miller, 37, a mechanic and father of three; and Paul W. Hartsock, 34, a shuttle car operator and father of four.

Between 150 and 200 men were in the mine when the fire began. Seven or eight men suffered smoke inhalation and four men were hospitalized. At first officials believed everyone had escaped safely. But company officials later found street clothes of the missing men hanging in a washroom.

Harry Treadwell, personnel director of the mine, said "we just don't know what happened to the men. One theory is that they might have been coming out and then went back to a resuscitator station, became woozy and collapsed."

Do-It-Yourself Voter Registration System Proposed for Californians

Sacramento—A do-it-yourself voter registration system was proposed in the California legislature today.

Assemblyman Nicholas Petris (D-Oakland) authored the bill which had the backing of Gov. Edmund G. Brown. Petris said he and Brown reached an independent conclusion that such legislation was necessary.

House Group To Survey Tax Bills

Salem—The House tax committee will concentrate next week on a general survey of the Oregon revenue situation.

Taxpayer Group Formed in Salem

Salem—Formation of a "statewide federation of taxpayers was announced today by temporary chairman Charles Creighton of Salem.

Oregon City Voters Reject School Bonds

Oregon City—A \$1,941,000 bond issue for construction of new junior high and elementary schools and additions to others was defeated for the second time by Oregon City school district voters Tuesday.

Under the measure, county clerks would be required to distribute books or pads of registration affidavits to be filled out by prospective voters in all public buildings and "other such places as large numbers of electors may gather."

This includes banks, supermarkets and department stores. Petris said "But it is not necessarily limited to those places."

The assemblyman called the bill a measure to facilitate registration in fast-growing areas.

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Legislative leaders have warned that appropriations such as basic school will have to be cut unless taxes are raised.

The organization chose the name Oregon Taxpayers Federation, Inc.

California and said it would be a "major step forward in enlarging participation by our citizens in their government."

Petris estimated that in the 1962 general election with more than 7.5 million registered in California, about 3 million who could have legally done so failed to register at all.

Other developments: Education - Assemblyman Clair W. Burgener (R-San Diego) proposed legislation making it mandatory for school districts to provide an educational opportunity for severely mentally retarded children between 5 and 18.

Teachers - Assemblyman Charles B. Garrigus (D-Fresno) proposed legislation to insure the right of classroom teachers to be notified of pending dismissal and have a prior hearing before a school board.

The vote was 905 no and 913 yes.

Contractor Loses Appeal To Court

Salem—A contractor who sought to terminate a contract for construction of the Hilton Hotel in Portland today lost an appeal to the Oregon Supreme Court.

Anderson-Westfall Co. Inc. also had lost in the Multnomah County Circuit Court of Judge Arno Denecke.

The contracting company had contracted with Metropolitan Hotel Corp. to build the Hilton Hotel, now nearly completed. The contract contained an cancellation clause "in the event construction was unreasonably delayed."

After construction began, it was found additional steel would be needed. Anderson - Westfall first asked for additional compensation, and then asked to terminate the contract.

The Supreme Court said the steel "was delivered as quickly as it could be manufactured in the form specified for use in the building."

Olympia, Wash.—A bill introduced in the Senate would make it public policy that all meetings of public agencies make their deliberations and take actions openly.

Anti-Filibuster Vote on Thursday

Washington—The Senate agreed today to vote Thursday afternoon on a modified test of its right to tighten the anti-filibuster rule by a straight majority vote.

The agreement reached by unanimous consent calls for a vote on a motion "table" the pending constitutional issue three hours after conclusion of routine opening business Thursday.

The agreement includes time for two "live" quorum calls which meant the vote would come in the late afternoon.

The long-sought agreement was reached after a bitter wrangle in which Vice President Lyndon B. Johnson was attacked and defended for refusing to take a direct hand in the rules struggle.

Chairman Picked for Parks Subcommittee

Washington—The House Interior Committee organized today for the 88th Congress and named Rep. Thomas G. Morris, (D-N.M.) chairman of the national parks subcommittee.

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