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## De Gaulle Seen Paving Way For Meeting With Kennedy

### No Effort Made To Hide Nation's Disagreements

#### 'Reconciliation' Session Hinted

Paris—(UPI)—President Charles de Gaulle is holding the door open for a possible "reconciliation meeting" with President Kennedy in Washington early next year, French officials said today.

The officials interpreted De Gaulle's remarks at his first news conference in six months Monday as an indication he seeks talks with the United States to bring France's relations with Washington out of their long freeze.

De Gaulle made no effort to conceal France's disagreements with some aspects of U.S. policy. But the differences were far narrower than those that came out in his last press conference Jan. 14. At that time, he vetoed Britain's bid for Common Market membership and rejected Kennedy's offer of Polaris nuclear missiles.

Monday, De Gaulle rejected the nuclear test ban agreement concluded by the United States, Britain and Russia, and said of Soviet Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev's plan for a non-aggression pact: "France does not appreciate assimilation of the Atlantic alliance and Communist slavery."

But he went out of his way to emphasize that, despite obvious disagreements, relations between the United States and France are based on "friendship and alliance."

Officials here interpreted this as a broad hint that he feels the time has come for talks with Kennedy, with the groundwork starting through diplomatic channels and working up to a possible visit to Washington.

European reaction to De Gaulle's statements followed predictable lines, Moscow Radio Monday night denounced his rejection of the test ban treaty as "absurd and foolish."

Pravda said today that De Gaulle "more than once had recourse to slander the Soviet Union" in his remarks.

British Foreign Secretary Lord Home said Monday night that De Gaulle did no more than had been expected of him in turning down the nuclear agreement.

"We have always recognized ourselves this agreement would present a particular problem for France," he said, because of its "betwixt and between" position in the nuclear arms race.

**Communist Attacks Seen Part of Plan**  
Washington—(UPI)—The State Department said today new Communist attacks across the truce line into South Korea may be part of a broad Red Chinese campaign to increase tension in troubled Asia.

**PROGRAM ATTACKED**  
Washington—(UPI)—Labor Undersecretary John S. Henning today attacked the Mexican Bracero farm labor program as a "betrayal" of U.S. workers.

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**POLICE TAKE OVER**—Mrs. Sheila Brown is carried from the city hall in New York to a waiting police van after she, her husband, Robert, and Joseph J. Jackson were arrested for refusing to move. The action was taken after pickets sat arm-in-arm for two hours in front of an iron gate leading to Mayor Robert Wagner's office. The mayor was out of town. (UPI)

## Civic Center Idea Endorsed by Local Improvement Group

The Medford Capital Improvements committee unanimously endorsed the civic center concept at a meeting this morning, and urged Mayor James Dunlevy to "implement" it with all possible speed.

The motion was made by L. E. McEachron after several committee members reported on their impressions of the Eugene civic center, which they visited a week ago.

Walter Higgins, planning commission member, said he had been "tremendously impressed" with the civic center, and he thought the people of Eugene had done an "excellent job."

However, he expressed concern over comments he had

## Fire Fighting Crew Dispatched to Utah

The inter-regional forest fire suppression crew stationed at Star ranger station left about 1 o'clock this morning from the Medford airport to assist in fighting a fire near Richfield, Utah.

The suppression crew stationed at Redmond also was sent to the fire, which is in Fish Lake National forest near Richfield.

It is the second time the Star ranger crew has been sent to Fish Lake National forest, and the third time the crew has been dispatched to a fire this season.

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## Russia Offers To Air Several Cold War Issues

### Non-Aggression Pact Comes First

Geneva—(UPI)—The Soviet Union today offered to negotiate a wide range of cold war issues with the West but implied that a non-aggression pact between NATO and Warsaw bloc nations will have to be concluded first.

Soviet disarmament negotiator Semyon K. Tsarapkin, opening a new round in the 17-nation disarmament conference after a six-week recess, said, "The Soviet Union places great importance on the issue of a non-aggression pact."

"It places the issue imperatively at the forefront of discussions," he said.

Tsarapkin said there is "no reason why this solemn pact of peace" should not be easily concluded in the "present favorable atmosphere." He then went on to list other issues which could be discussed.

Earlier the United States pledged to carry forward the "momentum" achieved in recent East-West agreements and to seek further understandings.

American disarmament negotiator Charles C. Stelle said the three-power limited test ban agreement means "a shaft of light has cut into the darkness."

"The sun has not yet risen, but the shaft of light is there," he said. "It is not as wide as might be wished, but it is as bright as man's hopes will make it."

## Association Sign Erection Scheduled

The Talent-Phoenix Businessmen's association sign urging northbound motorists to stay on Highway 99 through Talent and Phoenix instead of taking the new freeway section which opened last week is scheduled to be erected by about Aug. 9.

Norman Wade, president of the association, said the sign will be placed on a billboard between the north city limits of Ashland and Valley View rd., where the new freeway section begins.

Cost of renting the billboard space is being financed through the sale of memberships in the association.

Businessmen in Talent and Phoenix yesterday reported that traffic was still moderately heavy on Highway 99 over the week end despite the opening of the new freeway section from Barnett rd. to Valley View rd.

## Demurrer Filed in GP Murder Case

Grants Pass—Attorneys for two Josephine county men charged with first degree murder yesterday filed a demurrer to the grand jury's indictment of the men, Gerald Oden, 25, of Wolf Creek, and Norman T. Thomas, 22, of Grants Pass.

Arguments on the motion, filed jointly by attorneys Robert Boyer of Medford and Charles Telfer of Grants Pass, will be heard Aug. 6 in Josephine county circuit court.

Oden and Thomas are charged in connection with the death of Lloyd Harper, 48, of Grants Pass July 12.

## Rail Settlement Plan Said Nationalization

Washington—(UPI)—A Democratic congressman charged today that President Kennedy's plan for settling the rails dispute eventually would mean nationalization of the nation's railroads.

"To me, this is only the start," said Rep. Harley Staggers of West Virginia, a member of the House Commerce Committee. The group is considering Kennedy's plan to let the Interstate Commerce Commission settle the thorny work rules issue which is the core of the dispute.



**FLAMING WRECK**—This truck was loaded with lumber when it went over a 40-foot bank approximately a half mile south of the Siskiyou summit early this morning, according to state police. The driver, Charles Mieneh, Eugene, was believed at first to have been trapped in the truck, but was found safe in Medford later. The truck was registered to Jack Brownlee, Eugene.

## Apparent Burglar Arrested by Police In Local Pharmacy

An apparent burglar was arrested by Medford police after he was discovered hiding in a ventilator at Wainwright's Pharmacy, 322 East Main st., about 2:30 o'clock this morning.

The man, Bruce Dennis Farrow, 26, whose address was listed as a downtown hotel, was lodged in Jackson county jail on a charge of burglary not in a dwelling.

Incidents leading to Farrow's arrest began when Officer S. R. Reese, on routine security check of downtown businesses, found the rear door of the pharmacy unlocked.

Reese radioed for help, and when Officer Joseph R. Arrived, the two entered the building. Inside, they saw a pair of feet disappearing up a ventilator shaft leading to the roof.

Roop radioed for assistance and Reese climbed to the roof, where Farrow was taken into custody without a struggle.

Upon examination of the pharmacy, officers found a stack of miscellaneous items by the rear door. Several watches and cigarette lighters were found on Farrow's person, according to Lt. Jack Sanders, Medford city police.

Units from Central Point, Talent, Phoenix, Jackson county sheriff's office and Oregon state police cooperated in the arrest.

## Oregon Crews Help Fight Idaho Fire

By United Press International  
More than 500 firefighters, including some crews moved in from Oregon, continued today to battle a range fire that has blackened about 22,000 acres north of Weiser, Idaho.

The Bureau of Land Management said a cool night helped men on the firelines but the blaze was still out of control.

"If they don't get all the hot spots between the heat of the day starts, then we'll have trouble again," a dispatcher said.

Winds of 10 to 15 miles per hour were forecast in the fire area today.

Planes with chemical fire retardants were tried Monday but had to be removed. They did not do much good, the dispatcher said, because "it was just too hot."

## AOI To Oppose Tax Referendum

Salem—(UPI)—Associated Oregon Industries announced today it would oppose passage today of the tax referendum if it gets on the ballot in October.

The Oregon Supreme Court heard arguments on the ballot title for the tax referendum this afternoon.

Its decision on the title will clear the way for opponents of the 1963 legislature's tax bill, designed to raise an additional \$60 million, to circulate petitions to try to put it before the people for vote.

## Enrollment Rise in State Colleges Is Discussed at Event

Ashland—A 6 per cent increase in enrollment throughout the Oregon state system of higher education and a 17.8 increase for Southern Oregon college was predicted Monday in an enrollment projection for the approaching academic year agreed upon at the inter-institutional executive meeting held in the Commons building in Ashland.

Dr. Roy E. Lieullen, chancellor of the state system of higher education, presided at the all day session.

Much time was devoted to the discussion of master planning, stressing the necessity for coordination of plans throughout the system and within each institution in the system. SOC was praised for the long-term plan of expansion developed at the Ashland institution.

Technical Institute; Dr. Harold Noyes, dean, University of Oregon dental school; Eugene Bauer, business manager of the dental school; Dr. Fred B. Bennett, president of Eastern Oregon college; Dr. Leonard W. Rice, president, Oregon College of Education; Dr. Francis L. Nickerson, assistant to the chancellor in curriculum; Donald R. Larson, assistant to the chancellor in public affairs; Dr. Dean M. Popovitch, dean of administration at Oregon State university; John Watson, assistant controller, Oregon State university; Dr. James W. Sherrburne, vice-chancellor of continuing education.

Attending from Southern Oregon college were Dr. Elmo N. Stevenson, president; Dr. E. C. McGill, assistant to the president, and Donald E. Lewis, business manager.

## Central Point Girl Killed in Mishap

Grants Pass—Marianne Hedgpeth, 15, of Central Point was killed and three other persons injured when a car driven by Gerald Wayne Holder, 22, of Maywood, Calif., went off Interstate 5 north of here last night and burst into flames.

Miss Hedgpeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hedgpeth, Central Point, was dead on arrival at Josephine General Hospital. Another Central Point girl, Amy Cheryl Cavin, 15, was among the injured. Also hurt were the driver, Holder, and his brother, Royce, 19, of Grants Pass.

All three were reported in fair condition today at Josephine General hospital.

The accident occurred at the Merlin exit of the freeway. State police said Holder drove at speeds up to 120 miles in an effort to elude a pursuing officer who was attempting to cite him for violation of basic rule.

Holder tried to drive off at the Merlin exit but failed to negotiate the turnoff. Police said he will be charged with reckless driving and possibly other charges. He is under guard at the hospital.

## Motel Units Are Damaged by Fire

Grants Pass—Eight units at the 10-unit Town and Country motel, on the Rogue River highway about a mile east of here, were damaged by an explosion and fire Monday afternoon.

The explosion, inside one of the units, blew the ceiling into the attic and demolished a wall. When firemen from the Grants Pass rural department arrived shortly after 2:15 p.m., the roof over eight of the units was on fire. Cause of the explosion is being investigated.

It took 15 minutes to contain the fire and another five minutes to control it. The flames were aided by a 15 mile per hour wind.

Two units were a total loss. Six others were damaged extensively. Owners Claus and Annemarie Eggers, who bought the motel two months ago, plan to rebuild.

## WEATHER

FORECAST: Fair through Wednesday except possibly some morning cloudiness. Low tonight 45, high Wednesday 82.  
Highest Yesterday 82  
Lowest This Morning 44  
Sunset today 8:15 p.m.  
Sunrise tomorrow 5:02 a.m.  
Full Moon 10:22 a.m.  
Moonset tomorrow 1:37 a.m.  
Moon tonight 10:22 a.m.  
Antares, brightest star of Scorpio, appears below the Moon tonight.  
VISIBLE PLANETS  
Saturn, rises 9:37 p.m.  
Mars, low in west 10:22 p.m.  
Jupiter, rises 11:31 p.m.

## Hour-Long Clash Below Dividing Line Reported

### Communists Make Deepest Penetration

Soul—(UPI)—North Korean soldiers today killed their third American in two days in a sharp, hour-long clash six miles below the demilitarized zone dividing South Korea from Communist territory. Two Communists and a South Korean also were killed.

It was the deepest known penetration that North Korean soldiers have ever made into the U. S.-guarded sector of South Korea in the 10 years of uneasy truce.

A United Nations Command spokesman said the battle broke out about 9 a.m. just north of Munsan-Ni, and that in order to reach the spot across the demilitarized zone, travel through heavily patrolled areas and ford the Injin river.

Civilian Supplies Tip

Two North Koreans and a South Korean policeman were killed in the gun-and-grenade exchange, after a South Korean civilian tipped off authorities to the presence of the Communists, it was announced.

The identity of the fatally wounded American was not disclosed immediately.

At least one more North Korean, known to be armed with a sub-machine gun, escaped the clash. A UNC announcement said U.S. 1st Cavalry soldiers were sweeping the area in a hunt for him.

The fight broke out a little more than 24 hours after an estimated seven North Koreans ambushed three 1st Cavalry Division soldiers, killing two and wounding one.

On Combat Alert  
Monday's incident resulted for a time in the first full combat alert of American forces in Korea since the Cuban crisis last year. UNC authorities said the "reinforced alert" lasted only a short time, but they emphasized that a "high degree" of readiness was being maintained.

The soldier wounded Monday, Pfc. William L. Foster, 26, of Baltimore, Md., survived an emergency operation and was reported in good condition.

## Election Petitions Planned in Zone

Talent—About 50 residents from the South Talent and Wagner Creek areas last night made plans to petition for an election on interim zoning regulations now in effect in the two areas.

Many of those present said they were not against zoning as such but felt that the present regulations were "too drastic." Most agreed that an election would be desirable to determine whether a majority of the residents want interim zoning.

The groups from the two areas, meeting at the old Wagner school, decided to proceed separately, with Mrs. Walter Emerson, chairman of the South Talent group and Mrs. William Sommer chairman of the Wagner Creek group.

The South Talent group plans to proceed with circulating petitions in the near future, while members of the Wagner Creek group indicated they felt further study was necessary first.

Leaders of both groups plan to meet with county planning officials to discuss the matter.

## Bulletin

Lake Oswego—(UPI)—Three men intimidated employees of the Benjamin Franklin Savings and Loan office here today and escaped with \$5,300.

## NAVY PLANE CRASHES

Gander, Nfld.—(UPI)—A U.S. Navy Super Constellation transport overshot the runway and crashed today as it came in for a landing at Gander airport.

## Portlander Held for Recruiting Mexicans

Deming, N.M.—(UPI)—Marion Kenneth Wilson, 58, of Portland, Ore., was held in lieu of \$1,000 bond today on federal charges of enticing aliens to enter the United States illegally.

An official of the Immigration and Naturalization Service said Wilson and another man being sought in Oregon attempted to recruit Mexican workers and fly them to Oregon to pick cherries.

B. Warren O'Neal, assistant district director of the federal agency, said immigration agents reported that about 50 Mexican workers were recruited in the area of Paloma, Mexico, last week. They were taken to Deming to "await a DC6 which would fly them to Oregon for the cherry picking jobs."