

DUTCH FORCES CHARGED WITH USING US GUNS

By RALPH MORTON
BATAVIA, Java, Oct. 20 (AP)—President Soekarno of the unrecognized Indonesian government tonight appealed to the United States to prohibit the use of American equipment by Dutch forces seeking to quell the independence movement.

In a radiogram to the president, Soekarno charged that some of the persons fighting in Java were wearing American uniforms. The radiogram said:

Army Recruited
"I beg to inform you that representatives of the Dutch government in an attempt to re-establish Dutch colonial administration in Indonesia, have recruited their own army from Dutch prisoners of war and Eurasians wearing American uniforms and equipped with American arms, munitions, and trucks to terrorize the population by:

- "1. Shooting at innocent passers-by.
- "2. Kidnaping and maltreating, even killing—captives.
- "3. Robbing private belongings.

"Protests have been made to allied military headquarters without satisfactory results."
100 Japs Massacred
The Netherlands news agency Aneta reported that Indonesian "extremists" massacred more than 100 Japanese at Buta prison in Semarang Monday and that 26 unarmed Japanese were slaughtered in front of the Pavilion hotel there before the eyes of European women and children.

Three Netherlands were killed by "extremists" in another prison in Semarang Wednesday, the agency said.
On the other hand, it quoted eyewitnesses as saying Japanese soldiers cut down unarmed Indonesians who were unwilling or unable to reveal the whereabouts of leaders of the "extremist youth organization."

The agency reported grave fears for the safety of 31 Netherlands held as hostages since Oct. 4 by "extremists."
Group of Hostages
Eleven women and four children are in the group of hostages, who were taken from the Bandoeng-Batavia train at Pondokgede, an Indonesian Christian village southeast of Batavia, Aneta said.

Dutch forces captured Pondokgede Oct. 14. They were approached under a flag of truce by nationalists who declared they would kill all the hostages unless the Dutch evacuated the village, Aneta added.

Violence flared yesterday at Semarang as a battalion of British Gurkha troops occupied that port on the north coast of Java. In a three-hour skirmish, two of the Indian soldiers were killed and six wounded. Opposition casualties were not learned.
Except for a few scattered shots, Batavia was quiet yesterday.

Memorial Ceremony To Be Conducted

SEATTLE, Oct. 20 (AP)—Be-reaved relatives were visiting seven city fire stations here today, leaving single blossoms, home-grown or wildflowers, to be carried aboard the submarine *Caro* and floated on the waters of Elliott Bay tomorrow in a symbolic memorial to navy men who gave their lives in the war.
The destroyer *Walker*, bearing Gold Star mothers, wives and other next of kin, will escort the flower-laden submarine, while chaplains of all faiths conduct dockside services.

Snell Authorizes Man's Extradition

SALEM, Oct. 20 (AP)—Governor Earl Snell Saturday authorized the extradition of Ralph W. Shaeffer, now under arrest in Salem, and who is wanted on a larceny charge in Longview, Wash.
A requisition was also issued by the governor for the return of Donald Schnepf, wanted in Portland, who is now under arrest in San Luis Obispo, Calif., on a forgery charge.

Real Estate Brokers Will Take Exams

SALEM, Oct. 20 (AP)—Claude Murphy, state real estate commissioner, announced Saturday a series of examinations for real estate brokers and salesmen, the first of which is to be held in Medford, November 13.
Other examinations will be staged in Salem on November 14 and in Portland, November 15. More than 250 persons are expected to write on the tests.

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Flashes of Life

R. S. V. P.
KANSAS CITY, Oct. 20 (AP)—"A little boat to go home in" is all that PFC Victor Boesch wants from Santa Claus.

Boesch, now "living at the port of Casablanca" writes the *Kansas City Star* that he has been "sweating out" the process of returning home for 45 days. Declaring that he has been a "good little boy for a whole year, (I have the good conduct ribbon to prove it)," the homesick warrior asks Santa Claus to forget the little trinkets (like the hand grenades he got last year) and just send a "little boat."

COLD FACTS
BEND, Ore., Oct. 20 (AP)—Police were incredulous when someone telephoned that four children were swimming in the icy Deschutes river, for temperatures that morning had skidded to 17 degrees above zero.
An investigation proved the report correct but incomplete. The five-year-olds were paddling about naked.

TURN ABOUT
CLAREMORE, Okla., Oct. 20 (AP)—When their automobile stalled on the edge of a railroad track in front of an approaching train, Theodore Brinkmar jumped out but J. W. Walker kept his driver's seat.

The locomotive struck the vehicle, swinging it around and knocking Brinkmar against a signal post. He was taken to a hospital with a slight concussion.
Walker was unscathed.

GROUP ASKS BETTER RACE RELATIONS

PORTLAND, Oct. 20 (AP)—A group including Nancy Honeycomb Robinson, democratic national committee woman, church leaders, and labor officials has urged several steps to improve race relations here.

The recommendation followed a grand jury hearing of the fatal shooting of Ervin Jones, negro, by Detective Bard Purcell. The steps:

- (1) Classes for police officers, to "further racial tolerance."
- (2) A state-wide committee on negro-white relations.
- (3) A civil rights bill to be enacted by the next legislature.
- (4) A state and city fair employment practices act.
- (5) Equal employment of negroes and whites in city and state civil service jobs.

PROFESSOR TELLS OF PRE-WAR JAPAN

Professor "Chuck" Lawrence of the University of Washington told members of the Rotary club Friday of his experiences in Japan in pre-war days.
Prof. Lawrence, who is a well-known composer, author and voice teacher, told of experiences with Japanese of cultural and other peaceful pursuits that contrasted sharply with the Japan of the war-lords which we know today. He was introduced by Andrew Loney.
Mark Smith, electrical contractor who recently has returned from the service, was introduced by President Frank Eberlein as a new member of Rotary. Glenn Kent was commended for completing 18 years of perfect club attendance.

Bids Open For Camp Abbot Buildings

Buildings for sale at Camp Abbot, near Bend, are up for bids now, according to word received at the county agent's office, post office building.
Farmers interested in purchasing these buildings may contact C. A. Henderson, county agent, for full information. There are 590 buildings listed for sale at the camp on a cash basis. Terms and conditions of sale, location and description of buildings, may all be learned through the office.

Classified Ads Bring Results

GEN. GODFREY, 4 OTHER MEN DIE IN CRASH

SPOKANE, Oct. 20 (AP)—A C-45 army transport plane crashed with terrific force into a small hill six miles east of here last night, killing the commanding general of Geiger field, Spokane, his deputy, two other army men and the Red Cross field director stationed there.

The Geiger field public relations office said the dead included:
Brig. Gen. Stuart C. Godfrey, 59, base commander.
Col. James W. Park, deputy commander.
Capt. George E. Matthews, 30, of (W. 2028 Third St.) McGill, Nev., the pilot.

R. C. Hendee, of Denver, Colo., civilian field director for the Red Cross at Geiger field.
S/Sgt. James R. Sheets, York, Pa., crewman.
General Godfrey, a member of the regular army for the last 36 years and one of the highest ranking officers of the corps of engineers, was born in Milford, Mass., but made his home at Washington, D. C.

En Route Home
He and the other members of the group were en route home after a conference at fourth air force headquarters in San Francisco.
Public relations authorities said the plane had been in radio contact with the Geiger control tower just before the crash and believed the craft was circling for a landing.

Farmers near the scene of the tragedy told Deputy Sheriff Lewis Johnson that the two-engine transport ploughed into a knoll a few hundred feet high and then plunged into a gulch. An explosion at the instant of the crash scattered wreckage for 20 yards and set surrounding trees and brush afire. Witnesses said the plane apparently hit at full speed.
General Godfrey assumed command at Geiger field July 10 of this year after having had charge since November, 1943, of building some of the first B-29 bases in the China-Burma-India theater.

FBI CONFERENCE SCHEDULED HERE

The federal bureau of investigation has scheduled semi-annual FBI law enforcement conferences throughout Oregon for October-November.

The conference in Klamath Falls will be held November 8, in the council rooms of the city hall at 7 p. m.

Special Agent Ralph C. Vogel will talk on "The Detection of Deception," a most important subject to all enforcement officers. Special Agent Howard B. Patterson will handle the subject of auto thefts and hit and run drivers, with particular emphasis on the use of laboratory aids in connection with these investigations.
The first conference was held at McMinnville, October 19, and the last will be held at Roseburg, November 9.

Oregon State Bar Confab Continues

GEARHART, Oct. 20 (AP)—The Oregon Bar continued its annual convention today after ordering an investigation of a proposal to combine the state's three law schools.
A seven-man committee, including two laymen, will study possible consolidation of law schools at University of Oregon, Willamette University, and Northwestern at Portland.

Attorneys agreed that a large share of control over the schools should be exercised by lawyers.

Real Estate Official Will Attend Meeting

SALEM, Oct. 20 (AP)—Claude H. Murphy, state real estate commissioner, will leave here next week to attend a meeting of the national license law officials in St. Louis, Mo. Murphy is president of the organization, which is composed of real estate officials.

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George A. Davidson, S 1/c, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Davidson, 2620 Homedale



road, recently spent a three-day leave at his home here. He is serving aboard an escort carrier and has made five trips across the Pacific in the past 14 months. He has visited many interesting islands and, at the time peace was declared, was about 90 miles off the coast of Japan with the 3rd fleet. His ship is engaged in transporting troops now.

Sgt. Thomas Stephens, whose last ranching job before entering the air force was in Klamath



Falls, is a patient in the AAF regional and convalescent hospital, Coral Gables, Fla.
The bronco-riding cowhand was injured when thrown from a jeep. He is shown in the above picture with Black Diamond of the Coral Gables riding academy. Stephens' parents live in Wilmington, Calif.

RETURNS HOME

PFC Roy F. Durbin, son of Mrs. Fay Durbin of 524 High, has returned home after 30 months overseas where he served with the U. S. Army paratroopers, famous 17th airborne division, which took part in the Holland campaign, battle for Germany, and the Ardennes offensive. Durbin also saw service during the Sicilian campaign, attack on the Anzio beachhead and duty in England. After five days here, Durbin reported back for duty. Prior to entering the service, Durbin was an employee of Lamm Lumber company.

ON THE USS NEHENTA

Lester C. Fleck, aviation ordnance man, second class, Merrill, served on this escort aircraft carrier when she took part in the occupation of Ominato naval base on the northern tip of Honshu, main Japanese island.
Since the Saipan operation, the *Nehenta* Bay has participated in every Pacific operation except Iwo Jima.

"A synthetic tire that is more than a match for prewar naturals may be just around the corner," is the statement of Dr. Waldo Semon, Akron rubber researcher.

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COUNTY ROADS IN FAIR SHAPE FOR WINTER

All county roads are in fair condition as winter approaches, County Engineer Wally Hector said today, except that recent dry weather has retarded maintenance work to some extent.

Road surfaces need moisture to loosen the dirt and gravel for grading and the lack of rain here this fall has kept most surfaces too hard-packed for working.

For the past six weeks county workers have been operating a rock-crusher in Poe valley and surfacing the roads in that vicinity with crushed rock. Those roads were in very bad shape last winter but should withstand the coming bad weather all right, Hector believes.

Bridge Being Repaired
Dehlinger bridge, across Lost river on the road just east of Mac's store, is being completely rebuilt now and should be open for traffic in about two weeks. This project has been hampered since last spring because the county has been unable to get timbers and pilings delivered.
Delivery of the materials was finally made two weeks ago, one of the last orders filled before the lumber strikes up north, and work has been progressing rapidly since then.

A big fill-in was made and the bridge swung straight across the river at the road, eliminating the old curve to the right onto the old bridge.

Two new dump trucks, obtained in Portland by the county, were put on the job at Poe valley today.

TIN CAN SEALING CONTINUES HERE

Tin can sealing for overseas food mailing is continuing at the home demonstration office, post office building, Mrs. W. K. Gillen announced today.

October 15 was the deadline for mailing Christmas packages to the army, according to post office department regulations, but packages may still be mailed to navy and marine personnel. Each package is limited to not more than five pounds in weight.

Cans available at the home demonstration office may be packed, sealed and labeled on the premises. Food packed in tin cans is protected from heat, moisture and vermin.
Among popular food mailed in this manner are cookies, hard candies, fruit cake, nuts, pickles, olives, peanut butter, honey and popcorn.

More Discharges Recorded Here

Discharges from the armed forces were recorded in the county clerk's office yesterday for Anthony Radick, George A. Baldwin, James A. Watson, Jack Kronenberg Jackson, Michael A. McMillan, Richard M. Brown, Raymond D. Weed.
Dwight S. Chapman, Vaughan Elliott Christensen, Raymond N. Kiehl, William Robert Giles, Robert E. Barton, Woodrow Edgar, Ford S. Kumpston, Russell Ischetter, Dean Troy Squires, Lawrence Frank Goodrich, Robert L. Worley and Arden H. Dybevik.

Alturas Man Will Open Modern Grocery

ALTURAS—Walter J. Berkman, who for the past five years had charge of the Shaw Lumber company store at Tionesta is to open a modern grocery store in Alturas.
He has secured a long lease on the store room formerly occupied by the Safeway company in the Big Building.
A meat market, fountain and lunch counter will be run in connection with the grocery business.

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Pontiac, Mich., police officers are seeking solution to the mutilation slaying of Russian-born Mrs. Lydia Thompson (above), estranged wife of a well-to-do Detroit auto dealer. The gashed and bruised body of Mrs. Thompson, 47, was found in the woods 12 miles west of Pontiac. (AP Wirephoto).

SUPREME COURT TO STUDY AFL REQUEST

OLYMPIA, Oct. 20 (AP)—The state supreme court in a special "overtime" session last night temporarily declined to hear litigation by which striking AFL lumber and sawmill workers seek to fend off superior court injunctions against picketing CIO plants.

Chief Justice Walter B. Beals convened four members of the court to study the AFL request but said they were unwilling to act until the temporary injunction orders are made permanent.

Attorneys for the AFL sought orders of review and prohibition against temporary injunctions issued by Superior Judges J. M. Phillips of Grays Harbor county, and E. M. Card of Pierce county. Permanent orders were expected Monday and AFL attorneys said they would renew their appeal for high court action next Tuesday.

AFL Attorney George Flood of Seattle said 11 temporary injunctions have been issued against AFL picketing in Washington state during the current lumber strike.

Kaiser Will Launch Last Ship Wednesday

PORTLAND, Oct. 20 (AP)—The last ship launched at Kaiser's Oregon Shipbuilding corporation will slide down the ways Wednesday, leaving three partially constructed hulls unfinished.
Negotiations with a private firm to complete the three ships are reported underway.

Oregonship is cutting up 40,000 tons of prefabricated steel, enough for 14 hulls. It is no longer needed now that maritime commission contracts are cancelled.

Courthouse Records

Complaints Filed
Ruth Virginia Curran vs. Hugh B. Curran, suit for divorce. Charge, cruel and inhuman treatment. Plaintiff asks restoration of maiden name of Ruth Virginia Edwards. Couple married June 21, 1935, at Portland, Ore. L. Orth Sisco, attorney.
Ruby Moore vs. Charles Lynn Moore. Suit for divorce. Charge, cruel and inhuman treatment. Plaintiff asks custody and \$50 a month support of one minor child and payment of suit expenses. Couple married March 17, 1935, at Bend, Ore. A. C. Yaden, attorney.

Justice Court

Vernon W. Rogers. Operating a motor vehicle as common carrier without a permit. Fined \$10.
Vernon W. Rogers. Trailer of excessive height. Fined \$10.
Vernon W. Rogers. Overloading trailer. Fined \$10.
Joseph Alvarez. No operator's license. Fined \$5.50.
Mathew Jesse Henry. Operating motor vehicle with no 1945 license sticker. Fined \$5.50.
Ryland Shock. Operating vehicle without muffler. Fined \$5.50.

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MEATS COOKERY CLASS TO MEET

The second meeting of the meats cookery class will be held Monday evening at Fremont school from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock.

At the request of members the subject discussed will be poultry and game. Methods of drawing, stuffing, trussing, roasting and carving a chicken will be demonstrated. Some new stuffing recipes will be given also.

The class is under the leadership of Mrs. Ted Bingham, former Modoc county home demonstration agent, and is open to anyone interested. There is a nominal tuition fee for a series of six lessons. Classes are held every Monday night at Fremont school.

Further information may be had by calling Luella Tweed, vocational office at the high school, phone 7895.

CIO-IWA DELEGATES SCHEDULE MEETINGS

Delegates from all Klamath basin CIO-IWA unions are holding meetings in the IWA hall today and tomorrow, discussing matters of importance to the woodworking industry here. About 40 delegates are taking part in the discussions.

One big topic up for consideration is the wage issue for local workers. The meeting is under the direction of Vernon Chase, president of the Klamath basin district council.

Among the speakers scheduled to address the convention are Claude Ballard, international president of the woodworkers, and A. F. Hartung, regional director of the national CIO. Both are here from Portland.

Victory Party To Be Outstanding Event

ALTUHAS—The farm bureau victory party which is to be held at the Modoc Union high school social hall Saturday evening, promises to be one of the outstanding gatherings of the season. Farmers from all parts of the county are preparing for the occasion and farm wives promise a bountiful supply of food.
The high school band will furnish music during the meal and Bill Ballard's "Old Timers" will furnish the music for the square dances after the dinner.

Invitations have been mailed to every farmer in the county. Farm bureau officials from the state office will be present.

CIO Conference With Operators Recessed

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 20 (AP)—The conferences between the CIO International Woodworkers of America and Big Fir Operators were recessed today until next Thursday.

The groups have met for nine days with U. S. conciliators, but have reached no agreement on the union demand for a 25-cent-hourly wage increase.

STILL AT IT

TIPTON, Okla., Oct. 20 (AP)—Jess Grubb thought he was through chasing Nazis when he returned from Europe to get an army discharge but he found he was wrong.
He and his brother, Ted, spotted a man hiding in a tree near their home. They armed themselves and called for the man to come down. He proved to be an escaped German prisoner of war.

His Lucky Day!

PUEBLO, Colo., Oct. 20 (AP)—Everything happens to Louis J. Kapel on Oct. 13, 1943, he was married. On Oct. 13, 1944, he was discharged from the army. And on Oct. 13, 1945, he became the father of a baby girl.

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ropes is pretty thoroughly under the thumb of three great military powers—the United States, Russia and Great Britain. We have great armies of occupation in Europe.

Anything that looked like an uprising there would be promptly quelled. There is no such firm control in Asia.

THE solution of all these problems, of course, is perfectly obvious. It lies in world-wide, sincere application of the principle of the Golden Rule: "Do ye unto others as ye would that others should do unto you."

Not until that principle is generally applied to the solution of human affairs will we have peace on earth, good will toward men.

THE attitude of "practical" men toward the Golden Rule is that it would be grand if it would work but that it is IMPRACTICAL.

Really, it ISN'T impractical. Sincere, honest business men are coming rather generally to agree that a business contract that is FAIR TO BOTH SIDES is apt to be more profitable in the long run than a ONE-SIDED, unfair contract.

What is that, after all, but a working out in practice of the principle of the Golden Rule?

Board And Room Allowed Veterans

SALEM, Oct. 20 (AP)—The expenses of board and room, if necessarily incurred by the veteran in order to enable him or her to attend an educational institution will be allowable under Oregon laws, the attorney general's office disclosed Saturday through an opinion requested by the state department of veterans' affairs.

Under the allowable expenses of \$35 dollars monthly, the veteran will receive as much money if he attends less than 60 hours of instruction a month as he will if he faithfully attends the full 60 hours, an additional portion of Saturday's opinion read.

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