

China Troops Battle Rebels

PEIPING, Dec. 26 (AP)—Chinese communist guerrillas, in a surprise move, captured a village only seven miles north of Peiping today and provoked the government into an about face in its policy.

The communists' unexpected attack from the north elicited a statement from 11th war zone headquarters that national troops would begin a "country purge" to crush guerrillas threatening the Peiping-Tientsin railroad.

Previously, government military leaders persistently maintained the guerrilla attacks were not serious and dismissed them as nuisance tactics.

Government reporters said 1000 to 2000 communists captured the village, Lutung, Christmas Day after a 15-hour battle and still held it today although they once were driven off by government reinforcements.

The local press said guerrillas were harassing national garrisons in other villages around Peiping and also have begun attacking the southeast section of the railroad.

The communists also stepped up their attacks around Peiping, capital of Hopeh province.

Alaska Phone Plant Burns

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Dec. 26 (AP)—Officials of the fire-razed Northern Commercial company pressed efforts today to obtain surplus equipment from the army to establish a makeshift telephone exchange and restore at least partial service to this city of 8000.

The two-story structure which housed the telephone exchange, company garage, Northern Commercial utilities office, Alaska architectural office and the Quist jewelry shop was leveled by fire Tuesday night.

Damage was estimated at \$300,000.

Officials said unless surplus equipment is made available it may be months before communications can be restored completely.

City firemen, aided by fire-fighters from nearby Ladd field, battled the blaze for four hours and were successful in halting its spread to an adjoining building housing the city's water pump plant.

Red Ryder



Boots and Her Buddies



Alley Cop



Wash Tubbs



Freckles and His Friends



Little Orphan Annie



Classified Ads Bring Results. LEGAL NOTICE

FOR SALE
1477 ACRES RANCH
The U. S. Government offers for sale approximately 1477 acres of rich farm land in Stanislaus County, California, located 17 miles southeast of Yreka, California near the town of Gazelle and adjoining U. S. Highway 99. Nearly all of the land is, or can be cultivated. Buildings and equipment for an 80-cow dairy, two houses and other farm buildings are to be sold with the land. Farm is to be sold in whole or in part, for cash or terms. Sealed bids Government forms will be accepted until 10:30 a. m., P. M. T. January 20, 1947, at the Regional Office, Farmers Home Administration, 30 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California. For bid forms and other information apply to Harold K. Lane, FIA, Supervisor, 111 South Broadway, Yreka, California, or the Farmers Home Administration, 30 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California. D. 26-21; J. 6—No. 547.

NOTICE OF HEARING ON ADOPTION OF ELECTRICAL AND COMMUNICATION SAFETY CODE
The State Industrial Accident Commission hereby gives notice that a hearing on the adoption of a safety code to be known as the Electrical and Communication Safety Code will be held at the Green Room, Portland, Oregon, at 10:30 A. M. on Thursday, January 23, 1947.

STATE INDUSTRIAL ACCIDENT COMMISSION
By Paul E. Gurske, Chairman.
D. 26; J. 9—No. 564.

NOTICE OF FINAL ACCOUNT
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR KLAMATH COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIS J. KIMMEL, Deceased.
NOTICE is hereby given that I have filed my Final Account of the administration of the above entitled estate, and that the Court has appointed Friday, January 10, 1947, at 10 o'clock A. M. as the time for hearing objections to such final account and the settlement thereof. First publication hereof, December 12, 1946.

W. M. LORENZ,
Administrator of said Estate.
D. 12-19-26; J. 2—No. 558.

NOTICE
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR KLAMATH COUNTY
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JAMES H. OWEN, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that I have been appointed Administrator of the above entitled estate. All persons having claims against said estate are required to present them to me, with the proper vouchers, at the office of Wm. Ganong, 724 Main Street, Klamath Falls, Oregon, within six months from December 12, 1946, which is the date of the first publication of this notice.

FRANK OWEN,
Administrator of said Estate.
D. 12-19-26; J. 2—No. 557.