

Indonesians Ask Quick War Action

BATAVIA, Java, Aug. 7 (AP)—The Indonesian government asked the United States today to use its influence with The Netherlands and the United Nations to have "an international arbitration commission dispatched without delay to Indonesia" to mediate Dutch-Indonesian conflicts.

The statement, broadcast in the name of Republican Premier Amir Sjarifoedin, over the Djakarta radio, was in reply to a United States offer of its "good offices" in mediating the dispute, in which an uneasy truce now prevails. The Dutch previously accepted the offer.

S. Rejection

In effect, the Indonesian statement amounted to rejection of the United States as the sole arbiter of the controversy.

The Indonesian government

feels," the statement said, "that in view of the fact that two years of mediation and negotiation have failed to halt hostilities, United Nations arbitration is the only means to settle the matter."

Sjarifoedin earlier said he hoped that such a commission would be made up of the United States, Great Britain, Australia, India, the Philippines and perhaps Spain.

The Netherlands army asserted today it had suffered 22 casualties in truce violations by the Indonesians since Monday midnight and officials of the republic voiced counter accusations that the Dutch had committed new breaches of the cease fire order.

Truman Will Not Speak At Legion

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7 (AP)—Charles O. Ross, White House press secretary, said today that President Truman is not planning to address the annual convention of the American Legion.

Ross gave his reply to news conference questions about a published report that Mr. Truman would speak to the Legion's opening session in Madison Square Garden, New York, August 28.

Army Authorizes New Plan For Europe Re-Enlistments

The regular army's new plan authorizing enlistments and reenlistments for initial assignment to the European command is now in effect. It was announced at the U. S. army recruiting station today.

The new directive reveals the following personnel as being eligible: Men from civilian life who have previous service in either the army, navy, marine corps or coast guard; men whose current enlistments are terminating and who desire to reenlist immediately for European duty and those men who are eligible and request immediate discharge for the purpose of reenlistment for Europe.

In connection with these enlistments, the applicant's term must be for three, four or five years. Exceptions to this authority are such personnel as are qualified for enlistment only in the army air forces. Former members of the armed forces whose prior service qualifies them for duty in other than the AAF may be enlisted—if other-

Alaska Phone Still Tied Up

ANCHORAGE, Alaska, Aug. 7 (AP)—City council members, still deadlocked in a labor dispute with electrical workers and telephone operators, were told yesterday by Mayor Francis Bowden that the situation "boils down to not enough money."

"The city is definitely broke," the mayor said, adding that the condition "is no reflection on this council or on previous councils."

The union, which turned down two new "final" proposals yesterday, was to meet last night with the council. Conciliator Leonard Evans of Juneau was expected to be on hand for the session.

Councilmen suggested the possibility of dispensing with a considerable number of the workers and of raising utility rates in an effort to meet the wage demands. No action was taken however.

The union agreed to continue operating switchboards on an emergency basis at least until Thursday night.

A uranium ore, recently named Clarkite, was discovered near Spruce, N. C.

Farm Specialists Hold Convention At New OVS

With 100 instructors, many of them specialists in phases of agriculture teaching and participating as students in a variety of farming subjects, the convention at Oregon Vocational school has reached mid-stride.

The vocational agricultural session, for high school farm instructors, and the veteran training session, for instructors of farming veterans, are separate units with general classes in the afternoon. In charge of the convention is Ralph L. Morgan, state supervisor of agricultural education, assisted by such men as Leonard Hudson, president of Vocational Agricultural Teachers' association, principal of Silverton high, assistant state agriculture education supervisors and other leaders.

There are over 1000 farming veteran students in the state and 2100 high school farm students who will benefit by the attendance of their instructors at the convention.

A tour of the OVS was made by the group this afternoon, to acquaint them with the wide scope of vocational advantages offered by the institution. Tonight at 7 o'clock a stunt and award program will be presented in the theater on the campus and Friday will conclude the convention.

Representatives of farm agencies and classes throughout the state made up the attendance, including

Actress Marries For Seventh Time

HOLLYWOOD, Aug. 7 (AP)—Disclosure of the marriage of Actress Sally Haines and James B. Ransom, Jr., Manhattan Beach, Calif., investment broker, came from friends yesterday.

They said the couple was married July 30 in Rosarito Beach, Lower California, and planned to remarry in Santa Barbara after Ransom's California divorce from Mrs. Pearl Ransom becomes final next January.

The same friends said Ransom is Miss Haines' seventh husband, previous mates included Comedian Bert Wheeler and Budde Wolfe, movie stunt man.

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THEY'RE GETTING AWAY, AND NOBODY'S AFTER THEM! I'LL HAVE TO SEE WHERE THEY GO!

HURRY! SHERIFF! THERE'S BEEN A SHOOTING!

DAGNABBIT! I GOT EARS TO HEAR GUN TALK!

Alley Oop

WELL, ROBIN, WHAT'LL WE DO—GO BACK TO THE SAND ANY HAVE US SOME GRUB?

OH, I'M NOT PARTICULARLY HUNGRY, IT'S SO PRETTY OUT HERE WITH THE MOON AND EVERYTHING!

LET'S JUST SIT OUT HERE FOR A WHILE, SHALL WE?

ANYWAY, WHO COULD BE HUNGRY ON A NIGHT LIKE THIS?

Boots and Her Buddies

AND I THINK YOU'D FIND WORKING FOR MR. BUDD A WONDERFUL OPPORTUNITY, ROBERT!

GOLLY! TO THINK THAT YOU USED YOUR PULL TO GET THE JOB FOR ME!

OH, NOW, WHERE ARE MY SOCKS? MAW, YOU'RE A HEPERCO TO LET ME TAKE THE JOB! OH, MAW!

DOH! DRILL ME, MAW!

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I'LL BE THE HOTTEST BULL FIDDLE TWEAKER—OO-OH-OH! IF I WENT A... WHO'D PROTECT MRS. RUGGLES???

Wash Tubbs

BUSTER!!

TA, TSK! Y'ORTER USE BETTER JUDGMENT, SON... YOU'RE A BIG MAN IN RADIO NOW!

IF YOU GO AROUND SHOWIN' DOSE LITTLE ATTENTIONS TO ONE SKOT, EVER DAME IN DA JOINT WILL EXPECT IT!

TIME TO GET IN THE STUDIO, KALLIKAK. WE GO ON THE AIR VERY SOON NOW!

Freckles And His Friends

IT'S THE LION! EE-EEE!! SHHH! YOU WANT HIM TO WAKE UP?

HEY! HOLD IT LARD! WE'RE FAR ENOUGH AWAY NOW!

HOME IS THE ONLY PLACE THAT'S FAR ENOUGH AWAY FOR ME!

DON'T BE CHICKEN! WITH THE LION ASLEEP, IT'LL BE EASY TO CATCH HIM!

Little Orphan Annie

BY CHRISTOPHER! YOU'LL PAY FOR THIS! BLEW UP RIGHT IN MY FACE! WHEN I BUY A CIGAR—

WHEN YOU BUY A CIGAR, MISSIE GAWNE, I'LL DROP DEAD!

WHY, YOU—YOU— YOU'RE THE LITTLE SMART ALECK! EN WELL, BY—

TOH-TOH—THERE'S A LADY PRESENT—ME!

TOH-TOH! I'M SORRY THIS HAPPENED—MIND YOU, ANNIE, I CAN HARDLY BLAME YOU—

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