

Truman Gets Bad Case Of Red Sunburn

WITH PRESIDENT TRUMAN IN THE CARIBBEAN, Feb. 24 (AP)—President Truman, fighting a deep sunburn, relaxed today aboard his yacht, en route to Cuba and thence to Florida for a vacation.

He wound up a three-day good-will visit to Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands yesterday.

Brig. Gen. Wallace H. Graham, his physician, worked to relieve a very red burn on the president's face, picked up while driving in the sun around San Juan, St. Thomas and St. Croix. On the last trip yesterday Mr. Truman kept his Panama hat pulled down over his forehead. He said Gen. Graham was using a special ointment on the burn.

No Word Out

There was no word from the presidential yacht concerning official reaction to the latest disorders in Palestine.

The president is en route to the U. S. naval base at Guantanamo, Cuba, where, after a brief inspection tomorrow, he will board his plane, the Sacred Cow, for a trip to naval submarine base at Key West, Fla. He is due in Guantanamo tomorrow.

He expects to spend nine days in Florida combining work with pleasure. Members of his staff, including Special Counsel Clark M. Clifford, Presidential Assistant John R. Steelman and Fleet Admiral William D. Leahy, and Secretaries Matthew J. Connelly and William D. Hassett, are with him.

The Williamsburg, the presidential yacht, was making better than 14 knots, following a course to the south of Haiti instead of taking the shorter route to Guantanamo, in order to find calmer waters.

Angell Lauds Home State

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Rep. Angell (R-Ore.) marked the 9th anniversary of his state's admittance to the union by telling the house about what a fine place Oregon is to live.

"The state of Oregon is on the threshold of great industrial development," he said in remarks in the congressional record. "Up until two years ago the industry was only about one-fifteenth of the nation's production but today it is expanding at the rate of three times greater than the rest of the nation."

He said the standard of living in Oregon is 17 per cent higher than in the rest of the nation. He went on to say: The Northwest has one-fourth of the hydro-electric power of the nation while the Columbia basin has one-half of the potential hydro-electric power.

"We have in Oregon an air conditioned climate with no extremes of temperature, with a yearly average of 53 degrees," he said.

He concluded with the statement that Portland is the distributing center for an area of 328,000 square miles.

"From Oregon's natural wealth will come the stability that has always marked the Columbia Empire since the first wagon train hit the Oregon Trail," he said.

FALLS

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 24 (AP)—An 85-year-old blind woman, Mrs. Louise Arbenz, accidentally walked out her third floor bathroom window last night and plunged to the areaway below but escaped with ankle fractures. She landed in a snowbank.

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Morse Sure Of GOP Victory

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Senator Morse (R-Ore.) told the senate yesterday the republicans will win the presidency in November and "all that remains now is to count the votes."

"I think the election is over," Morse added, and explained that the democratic party is in a "complete collapse and rout."

The Oregon senator, who frequently differs with GOP leadership in senate debate, said, however, that congress must enact anti-lynching, anti-poll tax and fair employment laws.

He also suggested that "many amendments" are needed to the Taft-Hartley labor law.

Morse was shouting when he commented on union-management contracts written in such a way as to avoid the Taft-Hartley ban on the closed shop. He said a number were in the publishing industry whose leaders "wrote editorial after editorial" praising the bill while it was under study.

"They stand convicted... as employers who have entered into sub rosa agreements in violation of the spirit and the letter of the Taft-Hartley act," he said.

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Oregon Highway Fund Shows Surplus

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24 (AP)—Oregon had a balance of \$1,501,000 and Washington a balance of \$2,700,000 in their state federal-aid highway fund at the end of last January.

The figures were made public by the federal works agency.

It said Oregon had "programmed only" 164.1 miles of road to cost \$9,646,000, of which \$5,233,000 was federal money. On work approved but not started it planned 89.4 miles of road to cost \$3,853,000, of which \$1,982,000 will be federal money. Construction under way amounted to 209.9 miles to cost \$10,414,000, of which \$5,701,000 is federal money.

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Stassen On Way To See California

CORVALLIS, Feb. 24 (AP)—Harold E. Stassen left Oregon today after a busy four-day tour of the state highlighted by his entry in the republican primary presidential preference race.

The presidential aspirant was to leave for Los Angeles from here this morning by chartered airplane.

He addressed his largest Oregon audience at Oregon State's gymnasium last night and told a crowd of some 2700 students and townsfolk he had faith in the ability of the U. S. to avert another major depression.

Controls Seen

Stassen said he believes it possible to work out controls under a "peoples capitalism" which will "counter the surges of a free economy while retaining the productivity of capitalism." Under the program he said it would be necessary to check commodity speculation, consumer credits and business inventories.

The former Minnesota governor reiterated his support of what he called the "Vandenberg-improved Marshall plan" when questioned by Oregon State students on foreign policy. Stassen also said he favors "a small reduction now" in incomes taxes and some form of special reduction for small or new business.

He will deliver a major address in Los Angeles, to be broadcast over the NBC network at 9:30 p. m. (PST) tonight.

Filipino Quits UN Job

LAKE SUCCESS, Feb. 24 (AP)—Senator Vicente J. Francisco, Philippines delegate, said today he had resigned from the United Nations Palestine commission.

Francisco's resignation followed the disclosure last week of growing friction within the five-member commission which has the task of partitioning the Holy Land.

He said he would continue to serve on the commission until his government names a successor. His resignation was sent to Manila four days ago, Francisco said, but had not yet been accepted when he confirmed it here.

Swinging Log Kills Worker

COOS BAY, Feb. 24 (AP)—Dewey Bishop, a logger of about 50, was fatally injured at a camp near here yesterday when struck by a log swung on a tree-saw.

Coroner Brewer Mills said the log was deflected by another and struck Bishop on the head. He died half an hour later of a fractured skull.

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Rotary Speaker



Harry Dillin, president of Linfield college at McMinnville, will be the speaker at the Friday noon luncheon of the Klamath Falls Rotary club. His talk will carry the title "The Threat of Communism" or "The ERP," and will be based around his recent experiences at meetings of the United Nations economic and social council, UNESCO, of which he is special consultant.

Lumber Carrier Driver Killed

NORTH BEND, Feb. 24 (AP)—An empty lumber carrier plunged over an embankment here yesterday, killing driver Carl Peterson, about 35, of Hauser.

Residents near the scene heard Peterson's screams for help but were unable to free his body from under the vehicle before he died.

He was an employee of the Central dock, Coos Bay. He had delivered a load of lumber and was returning to the mill.

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Board Backs Vice Probe

PORTLAND, Feb. 24 (AP)—The board of governors of the City club, turning aside Mayor Earl Riley's countercharges, threw its support today to the club committee which has accused police of protecting viceoverlords in Portland.

The mayor had charged "certain members" of the committee were using the vice report for political ends.

In a terse reply, the board of governors wrote the mayor it had "considered" his letter, and had unanimously voted confidence in the committee and its vice report.

The board also approved the club membership demand that the committee disclose the names of public and police officials and property owners accused of vice connections.

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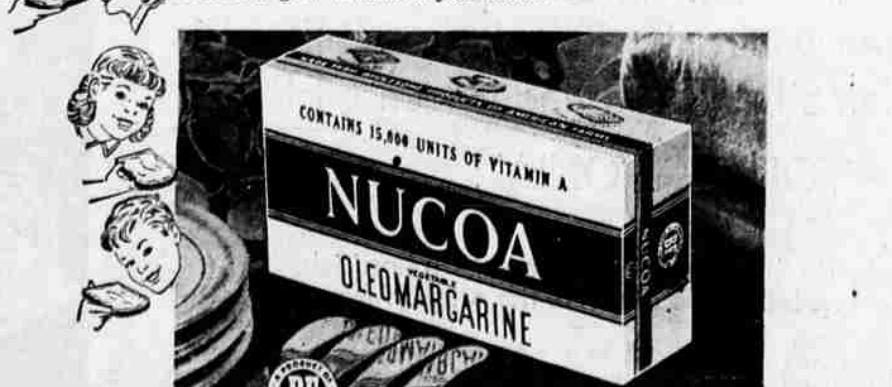
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