

Georges Bidault Due To Confer With Marshall And Britain's Bevin In April

PARIS, March 23 (AP) — Foreign Minister Georges Bidault's press secretary said today Bidault will go to Washington next month to confer with Secretary of State Marshall and British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin.

A spokesman for the British foreign office in London denied the meeting was planned. Informed of the denial, the press secretary said:

Last Concert On Wednesday

The last of a winter-spring series of concerts presented by the Klamath Community Concert association will be heard Wednesday night at 8 o'clock on the Pelican theatre stage when the duo-piano team of Vera Appleton and Michael Field are here in a program of straight piano music.

As usual, there are no reserved seats, no tickets will be sold at the door, and admittance is on presentation of membership cards only.

The team is described by one of New York's music critics as "two artists who play and think as one." The pianists are on a coast-to-coast tour and their press notices have been envious. Their appearance here ends the series.

Japs Tried For U.S. Slayings

YOKOHAMA, March 23 (AP) — An attempt to make medicines from the liver of a butchered American airman was described to an eighth army tribunal today.

Maj. Tomonouke Kusumoto, former aide to Lt. Gen. Masazumi Inada, testified also that an attempt was made to produce a bed-bug insecticide from the unidentified airman's blood. He said the medical projects were abandoned when the human tissues involved decomposed.

Kusumoto, a prosecution witness, is a defendant in another war crimes trial. He formerly was aide to Lt. Gen. Masazumi Inada, one of 32 Japanese defendants in this case, which involves charges ranging to the vivisection murder of eight American B-29 fliers.

Phone Call Proves Very Expensive

HOLLYWOOD, March 23 (AP) — A young woman from Dayton, Ohio, made an expensive telephone call for a job. It cost her \$900.

Miss Sylvia Demming, 26, brought her savings from Dayton with plans eventually to open a beauty parlor. She stepped into a telephone booth at a drug store. She forgot her billfold when she left. When she returned it was gone. So were her hopes of opening a beauty parlor.

Miss Demming didn't have money to claim four trunks containing all her belongings when she notified police of her loss.

"I'm going to stay in California, nevertheless," she said.



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"We were given to understand that Bevin would also go."

He said the only thing undecided was the exact date.

French diplomatic quarters said the three ministers will study possible U. S. military guarantees to the Western European union created last week by Great Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg.

These quarters said they also will examine how the European recovery organization being created here can best cooperate with the American Marshall plan administration. The plan is based on a first-year U. S. grant of \$5,500,000,000.

The Marshall plan is expected by Europeans to become law by mid-April. An American administrator will be appointed. The 16 Marshall plan nations and Western Germany will have adopted their permanent organization by that time. The remaining issue will be how to fit them together.

The ministers also are expected to discuss how the three western powers can bring about the return of Trieste to Italy, French informants said.

Some sources said Marshall wants the ministers to delay their meeting until after the Italian elections April 18, regarded by all sides as a crucial test between western democracy and communism. Should Italy go communist, the 16-nation reconstruction program and the five-nation Western European union would be upset.

The United States plans to stop all relief to Italy if the communists gain control.

Denmark Army Leaves Off

COPENHAGEN, March 23 (AP) — Denmark has cancelled Easter leaves for part of its military, in the wake of widespread thefts of arms from home guard depots.

Defense Minister Rasmus Hansen said the cancellations applied to part of the country's young military officers and non-commissioned officers. He said enlisted men would be given their usual furloughs.

One source said the order applied to all cadets and non-commissioned officers.

Another source said the leaves were suspended because of "the internal political situation."

Guards have been doubled at all military and naval establishments since last Saturday.

Danish police have reported thefts of weapons from all over the country. Last night they said seven submachineguns, five rifles and some ammunition were stolen from a depot in Broerup, Jutland.



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Lakeview Scouts Visit Newspaper Office



Members of Lakeview Girl Scout troop 6 spent Saturday in Klamath Falls and included tours of several plants as part of the troop's project of learning about future jobs. They visited The Herald and News where newspaper women discussed their job and the necessary training. Here Mrs. William Holloway, troop leader, sits at the city editor's desk and members of her group looking on are, left to right, Betty Seville, Judy Arnold, Susanne Taylor, Dora Orwein, Lois Duke, Sheila Guiney, Jo Barry and Kathryn Holloway.

Seattle Man Shot To Death

SEATTLE, March 23 (AP) — A south end service station operator, R. E. Arnold, 63, was found dead—shot through the head and beaten—in his car last night.

The body was found by Nels I. Matson and John D. Danberg after they called police to investigate a strange car parked behind their concern, Chain Gear, Inc. The plant is a half block from Arnold's service station.

Deputy Coroners Tom Carmody

and Mike Gray said the slain man's wife said her husband was in the habit of carrying from \$700 to \$1000 with him.

Coroner John P. Brill Jr. said an autopsy showed Arnold had been shot through the back of the head once, then beaten about the face and head. He said Arnold had been dead about four hours when found.

Detectives expressed belief that the killer or killers might have hidden in the back seat of the car until Arnold left work, and then forced him to drive into the darkened alley where the slaying took place.

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Border Row Leads To Shooting

TRIESTE, March 23 (AP) — An Italian policeman wounded by Yugoslav frontier guards in a scrape last night said today he was shot after two arguments over where the boundary lines lay in the free territory.

The guard, Sauria Abrescia, 23, was the first reported casualty in the tension produced here by the western powers' proposal to return Trieste to Italy.

Abrescia said in an interview he and Cpl. Lucio Auri were walking patrol yesterday well inside the British-American boundary line when they saw two Yugoslav civil policemen on their side of the boundary.

An argument started over where the line was.

A local train from the Yugoslav zone came through at the time and Abrescia said he signalled the conductor for help.

The train moved on to the nearest police station and started backing up with reinforcements.

After it passed, the wounded man said, the arguing began again. One of the Yugoslav police, he said, opened fire with a submachine gun. Abrescia was struck in the right hand and left knee. He said he and Auri returned the fire with their pistols and the Yugoslavs fled.

The scene of the shooting lies in an area where the border is not well defined and there have been many

Alcohol Plant Up For Sale, Lease

WASHINGTON, March 23 (AP) — The war-built alcohol-from-wood-waste plant at Springfield, Ore., was offered today for sale or lease.

The war assets administration said the \$3,000,000 facility offered "commercial opportunities" for producing industrial alcohol. It estimated capacity at 4,000,000 gallons a year.

"The property is a full scale commercial expansion of a pilot plant created early in the war at the forest products laboratory," the WAA reported. The announcement of the offer said the plant was designed to produce alcohol from sawmill wood waste by the continuous percolation process. The agency said the method was an improvement over the slower and more expensive process of batch percolation.

SON BORN

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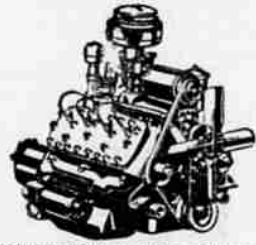


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