

Protestant Minority Of Czechs To Support Rival, Catholics, Against Reds

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, June 24 (AP)—Czechoslovakia's Protestant minority is reported preparing to support a traditional anti-communist Roman Catholic church—in the latter's fight for survival against the communist government.

A western clergyman visiting in Prague, who asked to remain anonymous, quoted Protestants in favor of the move as saying "we are next and we are lost if the Catholics succumb to state subjugation."

There are 9,000,000 Catholics in Czechoslovakia and 1,000,000 Protestants.

The Protestants—mostly Calvinists (Presbyterians)—also have been under communist pressure to submit to state control. Church leaders suspect that once the much stronger Catholic church is subdued they will have no chance of combating

a government scheme to make all Protestant pastors and parishes completely dependent on the government for financial support. Such a bill was before parliament once, but was shelved temporarily.

Catholic sources, meanwhile, reported that Archbishop Josef Beran of Prague was now completely isolated from his followers. They said it was doubtful if the 60-year-old prelate could again smuggle a communication, such as Sunday's pastoral letter denouncing the government, from the ever-lightening police surveillance of his palace.

The Vatican and other sources have indicated they believe Archbishop Beran, and Archbishop Josef Mottola of Olomouc—his second in command—will be arrested at any moment.

The report of Protestant support for the embattled Catholic faith has much more significance here than in most lands.

This country produced a religious leader opposed to Rome a century before Martin Luther. He was John Huss who was condemned by the council of Constance and burned as a heretic in 1415 for his teaching.

During the next 300 years Protestantism grew strong in Czechoslovakia until it was finally suppressed after great bloodshed at the battle of White Hill in 1620 by the Catholic emperor of Austria and the Roman Catholic nobility to whom he granted the seized lands of the Bohemian (Czechoslovak) Protestants.

For many years afterwards Protestant religious activity was banned from Czechoslovakia.



SERVICES—Funeral services for the late Lydia Ann Houston, well-known Klamath Falls matron who died in Corvallis Wednesday, will be held from Ward's funeral home Saturday at 2 p. m.

—Feretbee-Kessler.

Bus Schedule For Day Camp Told Today

Girls who have registered for day camp at Moore park are asked to make note of the bus schedule which has just been announced.

Stops will be made at Roosevelt school at 9 a. m.; at Mills school at 9:10 a. m.; at the courthouse at 9:20 a. m.; and at the regular Oregon avenue stops on the way to the park. This schedule applies to all sessions from July 29 to August 12.

Mrs. Keith Cobo, camp director, stresses that all local girls from seven to 14 are eligible for camping. Much valuable information and outdoor fun will be featured at the camp, which will be under trained leadership. Although the camp is sponsored by the recreation department and the Camp Fire Girl and Girl Scout organizations, attendance is not limited to members.

The camping time is divided into three sessions, and girls may register for one or all of these periods. Camping sessions are Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays of every week from June 29 to August 12. The first session is for six days, the second for nine days, and the third for six days. A very small fee is charged for transportation and milk.

Complete details may be obtained by contacting either the Camp Fire office or the Girl Scout office and registration may be done at either office also. Both are located on the second floor at 323 Main, just above the chamber of commerce.

Livestock

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, June 24 (AP-USA)—Cattle: salable 25; nominal; for week 1500; three cars; 1051-1300 lb. fed Idaho steers \$25.00-26.00; lightly sorted at \$22.00; bulk medium grass steers weak to 50 cents lower at \$22.00-24.00; medium grass heifers \$19.50-21.00; good range cows Monday \$16.25-16.75; common and medium grass cows dull, fully 50 cents lower; cleanups \$1.00 lower, largely \$12.50-14.50; canners and cutters fully steady at \$10.50-12.50; under 1200 lb. canner and sausage bulls \$15.00-17.00; medium \$22.50; medium and good stockers and feeder steers fully \$1.00 lower at \$18.00-21.00; calves today none; for week 385; steady; good under 300 lb. slaughter calves \$22.00-24.00; common and medium \$17.00-21.00; culls \$15.00.

Hogs salable 50; steady; around 20 head good and choice 180 lb. butchers \$22.25; for week 1900; butchers 50 cents higher; sows 25 cents lower.

Sheep salable 450; largely shorn ewes; steady; common and medium \$5.00-7.00; for week, salable 13,350; hardly 15 per cent of supply good and choice 85 to 100 lb. lambs at \$26.00-27.00; around \$1.00 lower; bulk medium to good slaughter or lambs \$22.00-24.00; shorn yearlings steady; good 99 lb. at \$21.00-22.00; medium \$18.00; ewes for week 1800; active; good \$4.00; medium \$7.00; cull and common \$2.50-5.00; generally steady; bulk medium to good feeder lambs \$15.00-19.00; common \$12.00.

CHICAGO, June 24 (AP-USA)—Salable hogs \$500; fairly active, generally steady; some opening sales butchers under 240 lbs. strong to 25 cents higher; top \$22.00; bulk good and choice 170-240 lb. \$21.25-21.75; 250-280 lb. \$20.25-21.00; 290-330 lb. \$19.00-20.00; around 350 lb. averages \$18.25-18.50; good and choice sows under 250 lb. \$18.00-19.00; 375-400 lb. \$16.50-17.50; 425-475 lb. \$15.00-16.00; few heavier sows down to \$13.00 for around 600 lb. average.

Salable cattle 1000; salable calves 200; steers 1150 lb. down and heifers moderately active and steady, except common and medium grasses dull; steers over 1150 lb. slow, weak; cows and bulls steady to 25 cents lower; vealers steady; good to low-choice 900-1150 lb. steers and yearlings \$25.75-27.50; top \$27.50; load medium 1125 lb. grass steers \$24.25; common light grass steers eligible down to \$18.00; medium and good heifers and good beef cows \$20.00-21.50; common and medium cows \$16.50-19.50; canners and cutters \$13.00-16.50; few medium and good sausage bulls \$19.50-21.00; vealers \$25.50 down.

Salable sheep 200; all classes steady; bulk good and choice native spring lambs \$26.50-28.00; top \$28.00; slaughter ewes \$6.00-9.00.

POTATOES—CHICAGO, June 24 (AP-USA)—Potatoes: Arrivals 208, on track 438; total U. S. shipments 779; supplies moderate; demand good for whites; market stronger; for reds, demand slow, market dull; Arizona Bliss Triumphs \$4.50-7.5; California long whites \$3.40-4.00, Bliss Triumphs \$4.50-7.5.

Quick Action Saves Lives Of Campers

STOCKTON, Calif., June 24 (AP)—A six-foot wall of water, rushing down the Calaveras river at midnight last night, barely missed drowning 25 or 30 campers in the normally dry stream bed.

Almost certain disaster was averted by prompt action of the sheriff's office, which was warned in time and spread the word with scant minutes to spare.

It was a freakish accident which caused the hazardous situation. At Hogan dam, a few miles upstream, part of a huge wooden bulkhead had been removed from a "release hole" to allow a limited amount of water to flow down to Stockton.

There, unexpectedly, the rest of the bulkhead gave way and a huge torrent of water poured downstream. Harold Davis, living about five miles north of Stockton, saw the wall of water coming and phoned the sheriff's office.

Deputies, without a moment's hesitation, raced down the stream bed warning the campers to get out of danger. Some of them barely made it before the torrent rushed over their camp sites. Most of the campers were itinerants. There were numerous children among them.

Hogan dam is a diversionary reservoir built in 1929 to control flood waters. The river below it is used as a canal now to supply water to agricultural areas around Stockton.

Missing Pigeon Hatchery Guest

The state fish hatchery at the Klamath Agency has a stray pigeon on its hands. The homeless waif stopped, tired and hungry, at the hatchery June 22. The attendants fed it and put it in a cage overnight, but at last report the visitor didn't want to leave.

The bird is white with light brown markings. It has band markings, Aug. 47-SPO 270. It also has a green rubber band with markings S411 and 493 attached to its leg.

The bird is welcome to stay as long as it wishes, but the hatchery will be happy to give it back to its owner.

Drive On For Rail Crossing Signs

TULELAKE, June 24—Roads in Modoc county crossed by the Great Northern and not marked with traffic signals are under fire.

Action was taken at the last meeting of the Homeated Community club to start a campaign for installation of lights for protection of night motorists.

Mrs. Leon Street, secretary, was instructed to contact railroad officials.

Several serious traffic accidents have happened here in past years when motorists have driven into freight trains moving across roads.

SPIDER PHONE
Spiders used telephones long before man. A line running from the web to the spider's hideout gives notice when a victim is caught.

A creamery in Meridian, Ida., is one of the largest raw milk receiving stations under one roof in the world, buying more than \$5,000,000 worth of milk annually.

Houston Rites To Be Held On Saturday

Final rites for Lydia Ann Houston, for many years a resident of Klamath Falls, will be held from the chapel of Ward's Klamath Funeral home at 2 p. m. this Saturday.

Mrs. Houston, mother of a prominent Klamath Falls family, died in Corvallis Wednesday.

Interment will be in the 100F cemetery. Pall bearers are old friends of the Houston family, John Martin, Lloyd L. Low, E. M. Is. Guy Merrill, Lloyd Goble and Oscar Shive.

Navy To Dike Terminal Island

WASHINGTON, June 24 (AP)—The navy will use \$1,500,000 of its maintenance and emergency fund to begin immediate construction of dikes to protect Terminal Island navy shipyard, Rep. Doyle (R-Calif.) said today.

Doyle said the money was made immediately available, without the necessity of congressional action, by the budget bureau's approval of use of the emergency fund.

It was decided, he said, in conferences with the budget bureau and Secretary of Defense Johnson, that work should be started immediately at Terminal Island to protect certain facilities from the high tides.

The work, Doyle said, will not correct the gradual sinking of the island, but will provide protection from its effects.

Five To Join CC Board

TULELAKE, June 24—Arrangements for the election of five new board members to serve for the year of commerce next year will be made at next Tuesday's meeting. Names of 10 members will be submitted by mailed ballots to the members.

Retiring this year are G. W. Osborne, W. J. Shepard, Doug Thomas, Sam Anderson and Rolfe Rinsbacher.

Holdover members are Floyd A. Boyd, LeRoy Coyner, Ivan Rose, Dr. Richard Sinclair and Ross Ragland, president.

Jump From Car Injures Woman

Cuts and abrasions and a possible shoulder injury were suffered by Mrs. Jeanne Stanphill, 2633 Radcliffe, when she reportedly jumped from a car at 8. 6th and Adams early Friday morning.

Kaler's ambulance was called at about 1:30 this morning and brought the injured woman to Hillside hospital. She refused hospital admission and was treated later by a physician.

City police said it was understood that she was riding in a car driven by her husband, Olin Stanphill, when she jumped from the moving vehicle.

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Berlin Rail Workers End Red Boycott

BERLIN, June 24 (AP)—West Berlin's rail strikers, rebuffed by the Russian appointed railway management in efforts to run an "emergency service" into Berlin, urged a retaliatory Soviet zone blockade today.

The anti-communist union prepared telegrams to be sent later in the day to the West German union headquarters at Frankfurt, asking all German unionists to refuse to handle freight destined for East Germany.

The Berlin union styled its action a retaliation. Earlier the rail management had turned down the union's offer to work trains run on an emergency basis.

In Frankfurt, union headquarters declined comment on the suggested Soviet zone boycott until the formal request is received.

The anti-communist strikers had offered to clear the way toward restoring interzonal freight movements by trying to clear the clogged marshalling yards in the U. S. and French sectors, where dozens of trains have lain idle since the stoppage was called five weeks ago.

The idea, presumably, was that clearing the yards would make it possible for the Russians to allow trains to come in from the western zones of Germany.

The idea was reported to have the approval of the American military government. The British termed the idea a lot of nonsense and forbade strikers to make any such move in the British sector.

Later the British, while making it clear their policy against emergency service has not changed, relaxed their initial order.

They said strikers would be permitted to enter yards to repair installations and clear yard lines. This, said the British, was only allowed to prepare for operation provided the reichsbahn agrees to the emergency program.

A French spokesman said their attitude was similar to the British stand.

4-H Members Wind Up School

CORVALLIS, June 24 (AP)—More than 1800 4-H club members finished their 10-day summer school session on the Oregon State college campus last night and are on their way home today.

Awards for judging contests and other competition were announced at the last assembly yesterday afternoon.

Winners included: Livestock judging—tied for first: Deibert Sarkie, Astoria; and Jay Olsen, Coos Bay.

Poultry judging—tied for first: Bill McCoy, Fairview; Tom Burton and Lee Paul, Bend.

Farm crop identification—first: Richard Fix, Bend.

Forestry—tied for first: Denny Davis, Gresham; Phil Newsum, Mapleton; Gary Smith and James Linebaugh, Silver Lake; Howard Jones, Drain.

Mass To Be Held At Crater Lake
CHILOQUIN, June 24—Rev. Father John Phelan, pastor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel church at Chilouquin, has received permission to hold celebration of the mass in the community hall at Crater Lake National park through the summer.

Services will begin at 11:15 a. m. this Sunday. Permission was given by Park Superintendent Ernest Leaman.

Father Phelan will say the mass starting this Sunday and at 11:15 a. m. each Sunday through August 28.

Ayers Joins State Police Force

H. J. (Jim) Ayers has been added to the Klamath Falls area state police contingent.

He is stationed at Gilchrist and patrols the Willamette pass highway in northern Klamath county.

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'Skyview Windows' Feature Of New SP Streamliners

Plans for exhibiting one of Southern Pacific's two new "Shasta Daylights" streamliners in Klamath Falls on July 7 were announced here today by F. E. Watson, general passenger agent for the railroad.

The diesel-powered train, which will give Klamath Falls luxury coach and parlor car service daily between San Francisco and Portland starting July 10, will be open to public inspection from 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m., Watson said. The 15-car train with 6000 horsepower locomotive, will be parked at the Southern Pacific station for the exhibition.

Costing approximately \$5,000,000, the twin "Shasta Daylights" will operate on the fastest schedules ever run over the railroad's scenic Shasta route, and their inauguration will bring into effect a new fare for coach travel over the route, it was pointed out.

Jim Crow Ruling Prevents Negro Burial At Cemetery

A Jim Crow provision in a city cemetery law has prevented burial of a 27-year-old army veteran in the city's new cemetery, Klamath Memorial park.

Pete Williams, colored war veteran who died in Klamath Falls last week-end, will finally be interred in a plot for indigent war veterans in Linkville cemetery. It is understood that there is a similar section set aside for indigent veterans in the Memorial park, but a stipulation in the cemetery ordinance prevented burial of Williams there.

Word of the law which governs Klamath Memorial park and which was passed by the city council at the park's inception is that "said land shall be used for underground burial of human dead of the white race as defined by decisions of the United States supreme court and none other."

The Linkville section where Williams will be buried has no racial restrictions and was set aside by city council action in 1939. The plot is sometimes called "American Legion plot," because the Legion urged its establishment, but it is not confined to Legionnaires.

Final rites will be held Saturday at 11 a. m. from Ward's for Williams, who lived in Klamath Falls only a short time before his death. He previously lived in Arkansas.

Suspect Held In Check Probe

Henry George Hogan, 39, is held in the city jail for Oroville, Calif., officers after having been picked up here for investigation concerning bad checks.

Hogan, police said, is wanted in California for parole violation. He has been in Klamath Falls for several weeks, working at odd jobs and as a sack man at a local billiard parlor.

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Driver Held On Drunk Count

Lane Winters, 27, of 328 Lincoln, was held in the county jail in lieu of \$175 bail today, booked for driving while intoxicated and having no operator's license.

He was arrested by state police early this morning at 8. 6th and Summers lane after having been followed from a highway tavern.

Fines Levied On Trio Here

Horace R. Robinson, 55-year-old Bonanza millhand, was fined \$100 and sentenced to 30 days in the city jail this morning on a charge of drunk driving.

He and two companions were arrested Thursday afternoon at 9th and Klamath. In municipal court Robinson pleaded guilty and was also fined \$20 for having no operator's license.

Joe G. Prokop, 38, was fined \$10 for being drunk in the car, Barney Walters, 35, a total of \$30 on charges of being intoxicated, allowing an unlicensed person to operate his car and having no muffler on the vehicle.

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Guild Wins Election For AP Bargaining

NEW YORK, June 24 (AP)—The American Newspaper Guild, CIO, today won a nationwide election to determine a collective bargaining representative for the editorial and business office employees of the Associated Press and its American subsidiaries.

The vote, announced by the national labor relations board which conducted the election, was 1166 to 212. The number of employees eligible to vote was 1501. There were nine valid ballots and one challenged ballot.

Prior to the balloting, held last week in all domestic bureaus of the Associated Press, the Guild had been recognized as the bargaining representative in 81 bureaus, representing 1100 employees.

As a result of the election, the Guild will become the bargaining agent for approximately 1500 employees in the AP's 100 domestic bureaus.

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