

Italian Barbers Fret Over US 'Buster Brown' Threat

ROME (AP)—Thousands of Italian barbers, shears and clippers sharp, are ready and eager to rescue hairy American manhood.

Washington news of a barber shortage threatening American men shook Italian tonsorial circles.

Barbers in a Rome shop threw up their hands in Latin consternation when told that haircuts in America cost as much as \$2.50.

"It's impossible!" exclaimed Bruno Amato, who has been snipping hair for seven years. "Why that's 1,500 lire—10 Italian haircuts."

In Naples, world's greatest single city source of raw and finished barbers, Guido Caricchio, 35, said: "America—Dio mio! I'd be a king if I could go there, my wife a queen, my three children . . . I'd cut hair, shave, everything for—well, because it's America—say 350 lire." That's 50 cents.

Caricchio figured most of Naples' nearly 5,000 barbers would joyfully go too. There are thousands more available in south of Naples, in Calabria and Sicily, he said.

ON THE HOUSE

By DAVID G. BAREUTHER, AP Real Estate Editor

Paint-it-yourself amateurs use more paint than all the professional painters put together. This has been shown by many surveys. How much of the paint is wasted by amateurs is something the surveys do not reveal.

Judging by complaints of amateur home decorators, much of this waste could be prevented by proper application. The Home Service Bureau of one of the oldest paint manufacturing firms (Keystone Paint & Varnish Corp.) recently took a nation-wide poll through dealers to find out the most common problems of the paint-it-yourselfers.

Five of the worst headaches could have been avoided just by mixing the paint properly before starting work. These problems were: 1. Streaking, 2. Uneven color or gloss, 3. Change of color, 4. "Hiding," and 5. Slow drying.

One thing to remember about all so-called ready-mixed paints is that they need mixing. Paint stores of-

Phone Users May Face 4 Pct. Hike

SALEM (AP)—The hearings on the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company's application for a rate increase ended Thursday, and it appeared likely that the Oregon customers of the company would have their phone bills boosted about 4 per cent.

J. L. Kennedy, chief accountant for Public Utilities Commissioner Charles H. Heltzel, testified at Heltzel's hearing on the company's application for a \$3,966,000 annual rate increase that the company would make a 6 per cent profit in Oregon if it were allowed a \$1,204,000 annual rate boost.

This \$1,204,000 increase would boost phone bills about 4 per cent. Of that amount, the federal government would take half in taxes.

The full increase would give the company a profit of 7.5 per cent.

Kennedy explained that in figuring a 6 per cent profit he was including in the rate base the company's application for permission to sell 50 million dollars worth of bonds and 100 millions of new stock.

Heltzel has to issue his order on the rate increase before Oct. 11. Kennedy said that in the eight months ended April 30, the com-

pany's Oregon profit was 5.41 per cent.

In utility regulation, a 6 per cent profit is generally the accepted figure.

As the hearing, which opened five weeks ago, neared an end, Heltzel thanked two Portland city officials for their "interest, participation and assistance" in helping him gather data. Both officials attended the hearing daily. They are City Commissioner Nate Boody and City Attorney Alexander Brown.

At the same time, Heltzel was critical of two other men who opposed the rate increase, but who took little part in the hearing.

Heltzel identified these men as Dexter Fairbanks, chairman of the Portland Citizens Telephone Committee; and Charles O. Porter, Eugene, who represents seven Lane County residents.

Heltzel said Fairbanks attended only on the opening day when the hearing was resumed, and that Porter attended only intermittently.

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Jamaica Island Residents To Experience First Vote

KINGSTON, Jamaica (AP)—Residents of 16 tiny islands in the Atlantic ocean will go to the polls and vote next month for the first time in their 275-year history.

They are the people of the Turks and Caicos Islands, which together form a dependency of Jamaica.

These islands lie about 175 miles northeast of Cuba. Their total area is 202 square miles. The population totals about 6,500.

The governor of Jamaica, Sir Hugh Foot, and the Turks Islands commissioner, the Hon. Peter Bleackley, with the approval of the British Colonial Office, are carrying out an experiment in granting suffrage to the islanders.

Actually, the election will have no constitutional backing, and will be made possible only by the voluntary resignations of the four appointed members of the Legislative Board, a group which, with the commissioner, administers the islands' affairs. The vote will be cast for four members to replace them.

The election is expected to lead to a new constitution which will place administration of the dependency in the hands of the residents.

Observers think it may mean a separation from Jamaica, about 400 miles southwest of the islands.

The Turks and Caicos Islands were originally settled by Bermudans in 1678. They continued for a time as a sovereign state, until Britain stepped in to protect the salt reserves—the islands' principal product—from the Spanish and French. Later the islands became a province of the nearby Bahamas, and eventually, in 1873, they were annexed by Jamaica.

Marines' Korea Terms Lengthened

WASHINGTON (AP)—Marines assigned to Korea will be serving longer tours of duty there, now that a truce has been signed.

Gen. Lemuel C. Shepherd Jr., Corps commandant, said yesterday that by March most Marines probably would be serving 14-month tours, instead of the present 11, in Korea. The time may eventually be extended to 18 months, he added.

The Army already has announced it will lengthen soldiers' tours to 18 months.

'Schmalz' Among Goodies For Hungry East Zoners

BERLIN (AP)—The East Germans call them "Ami-pakete" — American packages. But there's nothing in or on them to show their American origin.

More than a million and a half hunger sufferers under communism have received the Western food in the first 10 days of the U. S.-financed, German-operated food relief program in West Berlin.

But what the hungry hordes from the East are getting in the West Berlin giveaway is not one big package. It is—

- two pounds of "schmalz," pork lard in unmarked cellophane;
- two pounds of white flour in an unmarked cloth sack;
- a pound of dried peas in an unmarked paper bag;
- four small cans of milk.

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Showers Room Nationwide

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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The heaviest falls were along a 100-mile-wide belt extending from Southwestern Iowa to Lake Superior. Light rain was reported in Virginia and the Carolinas and in the Northern Rockies and the Pacific Northwest.

Cooler air moved into the North Atlantic seaboard area today while a warming trend was noted in the Upper Great Lakes region.

Elsewhere temperatures were mostly unchanged.

Boy Shot Wants Blue-Suit Burial

CHARLESTON, W. Va. (AP)—A 15-year-old high school student who told his sister to "bury me in a blue suit" died yesterday of a gunshot wound which police said was self-inflicted.

Police said the sister, Janet, 13, told them she was hanging out clothing in the yard when her brother stuck his head out the window and yelled to her.

"I'll be dead in a few minutes. I'll be buried in a blue suit," he said. She found him unconscious on the floor of his bedroom.

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