

New Clashes Reported In E. Germany

BERLIN (AP)—West Berlin newspapers say police of the Soviet East Zone have launched a new campaign for fighters of the anti-Communist underground and have clashed with them in several battles.

An estimated 26 police have been killed or wounded and 16 partisans arrested in the past two weeks as a result of the sweep, centering in wooded areas southeast of here, according to the reports.

West Berlin's Socialist-edited newspaper Telegraf said yesterday the latest outbreaks reportedly took place in the Cottbus district, near Poland. Der Tag, another West Berlin daily, said 2,500 police converged on the area, 60 miles southeast of here, a week ago.

The papers labeled their reports as unconfirmed.

Western intelligence sources said such clashes have been officially confirmed "do not indicate that East Germany is on the verge of another June 17 revolt."

Der Tag reported that, as the East German police fanned through the countryside southeast of Berlin, 8,000 police and Soviet troops formed a cordon around the city to block possible escape routes into the Allied sectors.

Police, using loudspeaker trucks, were reported to have called on the people of Falkensee, just outside the British sector, to help ferret out "armed murder bands" hidden in nearby woods.

Rumors were that the underground fighters included partisan gangs which had slipped out of Poland and Czechoslovakia and were making their way through the East zone to the safety of political asylum in West Berlin.

The Western intelligence sources said possibly 20 or 30 anti-Red Poles and Czechs had infiltrated East Germany, but it was likely they were in very small groups or traveling alone. Almost certainly such escapees would be armed.

Red Clover Seed Production Down

OREGON STATE COLLEGE—Supplies of red clover seed are smaller in the United States than a year ago, and this year's crop is expected to be smaller than in 1952.

The nation's crop of red clover seed is estimated by the Crop Reporting Board to be some 60 million pounds this year. This is 12 per cent less than the 1952 crop and also less than the 10 year average (1943-51). Oregon's production was about 14 million pounds and is the smallest since 1945.

About one-third of Oregon's crop this year was the Kenland strain. Nearly 4 thousand of the states 11 thousand acres of red clover harvested for seed were signed up as Oregon's seed certification program.

More red clover seed was used in this country last year than any other year on record. Some 116 million pounds disappeared during the 1952-53 season, an increase of nearly 12 million pounds over the previous season. Apparent supplies available for use during the current season now total over 125 million pounds. This does not include imports which vary widely from year to year but have never topped 6 million pounds. If use stays the same as last season the carryover of old seed next summer could be reduced from what it was at the beginning of this season.

The acreage of the Canadian crop was expected to be a little below last year according to a preliminary estimate released by the Canadian Department of Agriculture released in July. The carryover of old seed in Canada amounted to about 2 1/3 million pounds on July 1 or a little less than that date in 1952.



A VISUAL CHANGE—Employees of European edition of Stars and Stripes, a U. S. Army daily, use viewers to read three-dimensional feature issue in Darmstadt, Germany.

Spellman Rebukes European Critics Of 'McCarthyism'

BRUSSELS, Belgium (AP)—Francis Cardinal Spellman of New York Saturday rebuked European critics of "McCarthyism", saying Americans would not be dissuaded from their determination to root out Communist subversion.

Spud Festival Winners Listed

Gardners and 4-H exhibitors, home canners and lay growers from many parts of the basin divided honors won on entries, other than commercial and seed potato exhibits this year at the Klamath Basin Potato Festival.

The Tulelake Chamber of Commerce walked away with first place for the community display. Winners in the new hay division were: first, John Toftell, Bonanza; second, Tommy O'Neil, Merrill; third, Carol Jacobson, Klamath Falls.

Other prizes were as follows: Least number of spuds to weigh 100 pounds, Cecil Cheyette, Klamath Falls; Frankiest potato, Bobby Petrik, Merrill; Sugar beet, first and second, George Smith, Tulelake; Squash, first, T. E. McDougald, Ashland; second, Herman Douglas, Malin; Pumpkin, first W. H. Morelock, Malin; second, Dorothy Dillard, Klamath Falls; Cabbage, first, Mrs. Murray Howard, Merrill; second, Murray Howard, Merrill; second, Ed Parker, Merrill; Onions, Mrs. Glen Funderberger, Klamath Falls; Hamchen Barley, R. Petrik, Merrill; Wheat, R. Petrik, Merrill; Turnips, George Smith, Tulelake; Carrots, Bobby Petrik, Merrill.

Fruits, first, Mrs. Murray Howard, Klamath Falls; second, Mrs. Glen Funderberger, Klamath Falls; 4-H Potato Exhibits, first, Bobby George, Henley; second, Robert Jackson, Klamath Falls; third, Chris Lemier, Merrill; fourth, Johnnie Derra, Malin.

High School Potato Exhibits, first, Margaret Petrik, Merrill High School; second, John O'Neil Jr., Merrill High School.

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Gathering Evidence Against Reds, 2nd-Thought GI Says

TOKYO (AP)—A young soldier from the hills of Virginia said today he refused repatriation from a Communist prison camp so he could gather evidence to prove to the people of America the Communists "are rotten to the core."

Cpl. Edward S. Dickenson, 23, remained behind with 22 other Americans when most Allied war captives were repatriated at the end of the Korean fighting.

Last Wednesday he left the compound north of Panmunjom where the others are still awaiting explanations about why they should come home. He told the Indian guards he had changed his mind—that he wanted to be repatriated.

Dickenson held a news conference at Tokyo Army Hospital to explain why he had stayed behind—and why he asked the Indians to let him come home.

Dickenson said he never believed in communism, though the other Americans in Prison Camp 5 at Pyoktong, North Korea, considered him a "progressive" who cooperated with the Chinese Reds. He said he wanted to learn all he could about the Communists so he could "get revenge for what they did to me and my buddies."

"I just thought I would play along with them and get even with them. I didn't intend to go to China," he said.

"I am going to expose everything about the Communists. I have no use for them. I am going to do everything I can to avenge the death of my buddies in prison camp."

"They (the Communists) are rotten to the core," Dickenson said the Communists promised him and the other 22 Americans that if they stayed behind they would have "plenty of women, a good home and could go to school to take up any studies."

The Reds also promised the men they could go to China or Russia or any Communist country, Dickenson said.

In about five years, he said the Communists told them, there would be a revolution in the United States. Then, he said, the men who remained behind now were told they would return to the United States and "would be the masters of our own country."

Dickenson said some of the men were told that if they went to China and studied communism they could "hold the high position of general" when they came back to the United States, in the revolution.

"The Communist party of the United States would plan out when the revolution would start and we

would be shipped back when the time comes," he said.

He said he thought perhaps 10 of the 22 Americans now in Indian custody would decide to be repatriated "if they have proper explanations."

"The Chinese plan to use these men in every way possible," he said. "It would be best if every mother and father and everybody in the United States would urge

these men in every way possible to come back. They have a dark future if they go to China."

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