Parents Quit California When Canal Claims Son

CLYDE, Calif. (AP)—The bereaved family of little Joe Anderson left yesterday for a new home in Oregon—miles from the irrigation canal that made Joe its 33rd victim last week.

"Getting away from here will make the forgetting easier," said Mrs. Warren Anderson. "I'm not bitter at anyone. But Joe is dead. Now they'll build a fence, I'm sure of that."

Joe's father last week wrote a poignant letter to President Eisenhower asking him to build a fence along the canal.

"I can't fence it, nor can any of my neighbors," he wrote, "because it belongs to our government . . . The canal is your responsibility, Mr. President, and I think if you had known about it one of your first acts as president would have been to have fenced it. Because the canal, Mr. President, has taken 33 lives—mostly babies like your grandson, David, and my boy, Joe. . ."

A movement is now under way to get the canal fenced all along its 57 miles. The government may go ahead with the work, providing the irrigation district repays the cost.

But the Andersons won't be here then. They're moving to Portland, Ore., "because we don't know anyone there."

They still want the fence built, however. As Mr. Anderson said in his letter to the President, "build it for Joe—not my Joe now because he was the last boy the canal took from his mama and daddy. Not for my Joe, but for some other little Joe—or David—who's all boy and will be No. 34."

ARRIVES

TOKYO (AP)—The Communist Peiping radio said today the new Finnish minister to Red China, Karl Johan Punstrom, arrived at the Red capital yesterday.

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KFLW — 1450 Kc — PST
Friday Evening, Nov. 27

6:00 Broadway is My Beat CBS
6:30 Melody Album
7:00 Gillette Fights ABC
7:30 Les Griffith ABC
7:35 Hits and Encores ABC
8:00 Mr. Keen CBS
8:30 Lowell Thomas CBS
8:45 Family Skeleton CBS
9:00 Ozzie & Harriet ABC
9:30 Conners of Favorites
10:00 10 PM Headlines
10:15 Lum & Abner ABC
10:30 Kilocycle Klub
11:00 Sign Off News Summary
11:05 Sign Off

KFLW—1450 Kc. — PST
Saturday, Nov. 28

6:00 Early Bird News
6:05 Alarm Clock Club
6:30 Hymns
7:00 News—Breakfast Edition
7:15 Charlie" Roundup
7:30 News ABC
7:35 Music
7:45 Western Jamboree
8:00 No School Today ABC
9:30 Stars Over Hollywood CBS
10:00 Fun for All CBS
10:30 Shake the Maracas ABC
11:00 Space Patrol ABC
11:30 Playland U.S.A. ABC
11:40 News ABC
11:45 Let's Go To Town
12:00 Noon Edition News
12:15 Les Paul & Mary Ford CBS
12:30 String Serenade
12:30 Galen Drake CBS
12:45 Football Roundup CBS
2:30 Basin Briefs
2:45 Songs in the Air ABC
3:00 All League Club House ABC
3:30 Finnigan's Sports Report ABC
3:45 Listen to the Latins ABC
4:00 News ABC
4:05 Spin with Wynne
5:00 News ABC
5:05 Navy Hour ABC
5:30 Today's Sports Highlights
5:45 Frank Goss CBS
5:55 Hometown News
6:00 Let's Pretend CBS
6:30 Forward March
6:45 Words of Life
7:00 Two for the Money CBS
7:30 Charlie's Christmas Stories
8:00 The Lone Ranger ABC
8:25 Packard News ABC
8:30 Gunsmoke CBS
8:55 Sanka Salute CBS
9:00 Dude Martin Show CBS
9:30 Don Macrae Orch CBS
9:55 This I Believe CBS
10:00 10 PM Headlines
10:15 Round & Round Society CBS
10:30 Palmer House Orch. Adc.
10:55 News ABC
11:00 Sign Off

KFJI — 1150 Kc. — PST
Friday Evening, Nov. 27

6:00 Gabriel Heatter MBS
6:15 Final Edition Local News
6:25 Hollywood Highlights
6:30 Virgil Pinkley News DLBS
6:45 Sam Hayes News DLBS
6:55 Bill Henry MBS
7:00 Take a Number MBS
7:30 Sports Report
7:40 According to the Record
7:45 Perry Como Show
8:00 It's Football Time
8:05 Football—Grants Pass versus Central Catholic
9:00 Newspaper of the Air DLBS
9:15 Football—Grants Pass versus Central Catholic
9:25 Weather Time
9:30 The Three Suns with Betty Clooney MBS
9:45 Harry Wismer Sports MBS
9:55 Five Minute Finale News DLBS
10:00 Fulton Lewis, Jr. MBS
10:15 Music Box Medley Time
11:00 Night Owls Club
11:30 Sign Off

KFJI — 1150 Kc. — PST
Saturday, Nov. 28

6:00 Sunrise Serenade
6:30 Farm Quiz MBS
7:00 Hemingway—News MBS
7:15 Breakfast Gang MBS
7:30 Today's Best Buys
7:45 First Edition of the News
7:55 Something to Think About
8:00 Best on Record
8:15 News DLBS
8:25 News MBS
8:30 Breakfast Gang DLBS
8:45 Frankie Laine Record Show
9:00 Best on Record
9:15 A Visit to Currin's
9:20 Social Security Program
9:25 News MBS
9:30 Tips from the Town Shop
9:45 Music of Manhattan
10:00 News and Sports DLBS
10:10 Home Craftsman of the Air
10:15 Birthday Request Time
10:30 Smilin' Ed McConnell
11:00 Mel Blanc Show MBS
11:25 News MBS
11:30 The Story Teller
11:45 Fire Fighters
12:00 4-H Club Program
12:15 Noonday Edition Local News
12:25 News MBS
12:30 Strictly Dixie DLBS
1:00 Music
1:15 Football—Notre Dame at USC DLBS
4:15 Frank Hemingway News DLBS
4:30 Music
5:00 Good News
5:30 Reports From The Pentagon MBS
5:45 Music
5:50 News MBS
6:00 How It Happened
6:15 Music DLBS
6:25 Hollywood Highlights
6:30 Assembly of God
7:00 Pee Wee Hickham and the Melody Ranch Boys
7:30 Klamath Temple
8:00 College Choirs MBS
8:30 Lombardeland, U. S. A. MBS
9:00 News DLBS
9:15 Dance Orchestra MBS
9:30 Monica Whelan DLBS
9:45 Dance Orchestra MBS
9:55 Cecil Brown DLBS
10:00 Hawaii Calls MBS
10:30 Virginia Barn Dance MBS
11:00 Night Owls Club
11:30 Sign Off

KCNO—Radio—Alturas, Calif.
Saturday, Nov. 28

6:30 Wake Up Show
7:30 World News
7:45 Lawrence Welk Orch.
8:00 Polka Party
8:30 News
8:35 Mantovani Orch.
9:00 Pop Symphony
9:30 Small Fry
9:45 Teen Age Book Parade
10:00 News
10:05 Mr. Muggins Rabbit
10:30 Music in the Modern Mood
11:00 News. This Rhythmic Age
11:30 Serenade in Blue
12:00 Noon Prayer
12:03 Sports News
12:05 Lake County News
12:10 Modoc News
12:15 Noon News
12:30 All Time Hits
12:55 Through the Years
1:00 Farm Forum
1:15 Modern Moods
1:30 All Time Hits
1:55 Western Caravan
2:00 News Sports
2:15 Sunset Trio
2:30 Listeners Choice
4:00 News
4:05 Frank Devol Presents
4:30 Spotlight on a Star
4:45 Flying Time
5:15 World News Final
5:30 Waltz Time
5:55 Sign Off

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Channel 5
Friday, Nov. 27

3:55 Devotions
4:00 Feminine Fancies
4:30 Garry Moore Show
4:45 Val Rogue
5:00 Uncle Bill
5:25 TBA
5:45 News
6:00 Western Theater
7:00 Cisco Kid
7:30 Hollywood Album
7:45 Sportsman's Club
8:00 The Big Picture
8:30 So. Ore. Roundtable
9:00 Lux Video Theater
9:30 Boston Blackie
10:00 Weather
10:05 Sign Off

Saturday, Nov. 28

9:45 Where Did U Get It
10:00 Preshow Preview
10:15 NCAA Football Army-Navy
2:00 Pontiac Scoreboard
3:55 Devotions
4:00 Meet Millie
4:30 Angus Bowmer
5:00 Wonder Land
5:45 News
6:00 Melody Wranglers
7:00 Medallion Theater
7:30 TBA
8:00 Jackie Gleason
9:00 Best Theater
Hit Parade
Weather
Sign Off

Winnie Wins TV Issue

LONDON (AP) — Prime Minister Churchill's Conservatives beat down a rebellion in their own ranks last night, winning approval in the House of Lords of Cabinet plans to introduce commercial television in Britain.

The peers by a 157-87 vote defeated a motion opposing the government's scheme. A full debate is now slated for the House of Commons.

The nation's present TV and radio are a monopoly of the publicly owned British Broadcasting Corp. Under the new plan, some advertising would be accepted to earn money for improving and expanding the service.

Government sources claimed a moral victory in last night's vote in the upper house, contending that between 80 and 150 members abstained from voting. Leading Conservatives opposing the plan include Lord Halifax, former ambassador to Washington, and the Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr. Geoffrey Fisher.

The TV issue and other political differences have brought Churchill under bitter criticism from some of his Conservative supporters just as he is preparing for the Big Three meeting in Bermuda.

Meat Eating Monk Goes On Bender

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP)—Bozo, a meat-eating Macaque monkey, escaped from his cage in a pet shop yesterday and ate Thanksgiving dinner. The menu:

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Red Four Power Proposal Gets Scrutiny From West

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Dulles and his chief policy advisers put Russia's four-power conference proposal under searching study today to determine whether it is a serious step toward easing world tensions or a clever stab at the unity of the West.

Contents of the note were not immediately made public, but information available here was that the Soviets seemed to have given up their previous insistence that a Big Five meeting, including Red China, would have to be arranged before they would take part in a Big Four session.

Such a concession could mean a gain in the Western efforts to deal with the Russians in conference on specific problems, notably the unification of Germany and conclusion of an Austrian independence treaty—always provided the Soviets have not interposed other unacceptable conditions.

But there was immediate speculation here, in the British press and elsewhere abroad that the Russians might really be trying to maneuver the downfall of French Premier Laniel's government and cripple the Western Big Three conference opening in Bermuda a week from today.

The timing of the Russian announcement, and the thing it didn't say, fed this speculation.

Laniel fights for his government's life today during debate in the French Parliament on support of the proposed European Defense Community Treaty. Russia is bitterly hostile to this pact, under which half a million Germans would be put in uniforms as part of a Western European army.

Laniel, who supports EDC, will be France's representative at the Bermuda meeting with President Eisenhower and British Prime Minister Churchill—if Laniel is still in office. If he loses the vote of confidence expected late today, his government must resign. In such a case, France presumably would be represented at Bermuda by a spokesman for a caretaker government with little power to make binding decisions.

Eisenhower withheld comment on the Russian announcement. A spokesman at his vacation headquarters in Augusta, Ga., said, "The President knows no more about it than has appeared in the press dispatches."

The Soviet note was received at the State Department last night after being handed to the American, British and French embassies in Moscow. Earlier, Moscow radio had announced simply that Foreign Minister Molotov had dispatched the note "expressing the Soviet government's consent to take part in a conference of the representatives of the four powers." The broadcast said the text would be published Saturday.

The announcement could have been designed so that the first impact of the news would be made without any word of conditions being given. If that was deliberate it would seem to be calculated for maximum effect on the French political situation. The information made public did not include Moscow's proposals, if any, for subjects to be discussed, nor any indication whether a meeting of chiefs of state, or only lesser officials was contemplated.

Officials who began studying the eight - page document here last night said that further consideration would be necessary before there could be formal reaction. But it was learned that there were at least implied conditions which made the next American step uncertain. It was possible, no reply would be made until after the Bermuda conference.

On Nov. 16 the Western Powers told Russia in simultaneous notes that its conditions for a Big Four meeting were totally unacceptable. But they also stated their readiness to consider any future proposals which the Soviets might make. The Western Powers had been pressing the Russians for an unconditional agreement to hold a foreign ministers' meeting on the German and Austrian problem.

Pending release of the text of yesterday's note, it was not clear whether Russia was agreeing to talk about German unification.

Benson Aides Quizzed In Ghost Plot

By G. MILTON KELLY

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Beall (R-MD) charged today that some aides of Secretary of Agriculture Benson have been "ghost writing" speeches unfairly attacking Benson's handling of farm problems.

Beall told a reporter a quiet inquiry is being made into what he said is "good evidence" that some Democratic holdover policy makers in the Department of Agriculture have written such speeches and slipped them to Democrats for delivery.

These employes and others, Beall said, also have supplied ideas and material to be worked into the texts of public addresses criticizing Benson.

He named no names, saying:

"I do know it's being done. I think Mr. Benson now knows it's been going on. There are dozen of these people—a core of disloyalty."

Benson was not reached immediately for comment.

Many Democrats and some Republicans in Congress, as well as some farm leaders, have been highly critical of Benson's handling of farm problems, principally the decline in farm income.

"The public is entitled to a fair presentation of the facts of what Benson is trying to do," Beall said, "rather than half-true distortions prepared by skilled speech writers supposed to be interpreting and helping to implement farm programs designed for the benefit of all."

The senator said he became suspicious when he read the texts of speeches made "on the same day last summer in the Senate and House—the similarity of their language struck me."

He declined to name any senator and representative who made such speeches, but he said he looked into the matter and "our information was that the material came from ghost writers at the Agriculture Department."

Since then, he said, he has been told of instances where speeches were written in whole or in part by members of Benson's staff, for delivery by his critics. Others got critical material obtained from these staff members, he said.

He said instances included "planted" reports that the recent department reorganization would hurt farm aid programs and cause confusion among farmers, and that Benson's policies would impoverish many farmers and perhaps cause a depression.

Another device, he said, has been slowness to implement changes and then to point at the slowness as evidence the changes were wrong.

Farm Sales Figure Up

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Agriculture Department says farm sales were slightly bigger during the first 10 months of 1953 than in the same period last year, but the farmer received 5 per cent less cash.

The department report yesterday said the decline, a total of $24,800,000,000, was caused by lower prices.

However, it said the consumer paid more for goods in general, with prices of industrial goods rising slightly to balance the lower prices of farm goods. The report also noted a small boost in charges for transportation, rent, medical care and other services.

It said farm receipts from meat animals declined 7 per cent and for crops 2 per cent.

SPEAKS

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