

ARMY FIRES SECOND SATELLITE

In The
Day's News

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I suppose you have been reading or listening to this "summit conference" talk that has been getting a big play in the news. Maybe you wonder what a "summit" conference is.

So—
Let's elucidate.
A "summit" conference (in a diplomatic sense) is a meeting of the HEADS of all the states concerned. The idea is that if the HEADS of all the states could be got together in the same room everything could be fixed up nicely and quickly.

It should be added, realistically, that the theory has some holes in it.

Let's take a sharp look at this diplomacy business from the angle of a business deal—which is what, in practice, it amounts to.

Looked at from that standpoint, a summit conference should be preceded by negotiations at a lower level. These negotiations should be participated in by the foreign ministers and such, who are the technicians of diplomacy.

One more point.
These lower level negotiations should be conducted in COMPLETE secrecy. There should be no announcements, no running story of the proceedings, no hints of what is under way. When (or if) an agreement is reached at the lower level, the "summit" session should be called.

The heads of state can then ratify what has been done, if they can agree, or fail to ratify if they can't reach agreement.

Bad, you say?
Secretive?

Contrary in every way to the idealistic Wilsonian proposal of open covenants openly arrived at?

Probably.

But just try conducting the negotiations for a big business deal on a street corner, with everybody and his dog listening in and chipping in from time to time. Under such circumstances, no meeting of minds (which is necessary if an agreement is to be reached and a deal closed) could possibly be arrived at.

It works pretty much the same in diplomacy.

I know that sounds terrible.
But it would be at least realistic and practical.

It would prevent arousing a lot of false hopes.

Another thought in closing.
I have a notion that we Americans are paying too much attention to foreign news. We get scared out of our boots every time Krushchev makes some nasty crack. Our teeth chatter every time some Arab politician springs a scheme to get himself more power. As a result, we're kept in a more or less constant state of jitters.

Here in Southern Oregon and Far Northern California, our economic future is bright. Great developments lie ahead of us. The next decade will see more industrial progress in this area than has come to pass in the past half dozen decades.

We'll be wise if we keep our minds on our own knitting and give to the foreign situation only the reasonable attention that intelligent people pay to what is going on in the world.

Fall Injures
J-M Worker

A 47-year-old employee of G. C. Hewitt Painting Company, Roy McGivern, of the Bisbee Hotel, remained unconscious in the Klamath Valley Hospital today, according to attendants, as the result of injuries sustained in an 18-foot fall from a paint scaffolding Monday at the Johns-Manville plant.

Witnesses said that McGivern, who suffered a brain concussion and two fractured ankles, was on top of an aluminum staging when he lost his balance and fell to the concrete flooring.

Health Experts Find Basin
Mice Carrying New Disease

PORTLAND (U) — Scientists studying the diseases carried by the mouse infestation in central and southeastern Oregon have added rat-bite fever to the list.

No human case of the disease has been found. But the case in which the disease was identified, was found in a house mouse in the Klamath Falls area. Five other diseases found in the mice all have been seen in field mice.

Rat-bite fever is extremely rare among humans, said Dr. Harold Erickson, state health officer. The last case reported in Oregon was from Clatsop County in 1956. Despite its rarity, it is known to the scientists as comparatively serious.

The heavy mouse infestation has been cut as much as 90 per cent in some places by disease, lack of food and natural enemies. But reports to the state Board of Health show mouse populations "several hundred" to the acre in

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GOP Prober
Wants Talk
With Solons

WASHINGTON (U) — A Republican on the House committee investigating the FCC served notice Wednesday he will press for questioning of senators named as intervening in a Miami TV case.

Rep. Wolterton of New Jersey, senior Republican on the House committee, told Chairman Harris (D-Ark) he disagrees with Harris' position that the committee may not address a direct invitation to the senators to testify.

Harris has taken a stand that the House committee not only has no authority to call the senators as witnesses, but may not, under House rules, directly invite testimony from them. He says there is an "open invitation," however, for any members of Congress to testify if they wish to do so.

The senators whose names have occurred most often in testimony of maneuvering over Miami's TV Channel 10 are all Democrats — Kefauver of Tennessee, Holland and Smathers of Florida.

The investigating subcommittee has heard testimony that all three made inquiries or representations to the FCC while the commission was considering the hotly contested case.

Wolterton asked Harris whether a motion to extend an invitation to the senators to testify would be in order at a closed door subcommittee session scheduled later in the day. Harris said it would be discussed then.

"I am not of the opinion that they (senators) live in a secluded atmosphere or that an iron curtain can be raised in a matter as important as this," Wolterton said.

The return appearance of former FCC Commissioner Richard A. Mack, who resigned his post under fire, is now tentatively set for next Wednesday.

The issue of questioning senators has been simmering in the committee for two days.

Price Support
Freeze Sought

WASHINGTON (U) — Farm area senators moved Wednesday to prevent Secretary of Agriculture Benson from lowering government price supports on this year's crops below the levels of last year.

Sens. Humphrey (D-Minn) and Young (R-Ind) asked the Senate Agriculture Committee to approve legislation directing Benson to freeze price supports at or above the 1957 levels.

Dairy producers and wheat farmers would be chief beneficiaries of the farm belt effort.

Some weeks ago Benson announced that government price supports on milk, butter, cheese and other dairy products would be reduced to the legal minimum, effective April 1.

Benson also has announced an average price support on this year's wheat crop of \$1.78 a bushel, 22 cents below last year's \$2 average.

Supports for this year's corn crop have not yet been announced. Spokesmen for dairy and grain producers contend Benson's proposals would slash hundreds of millions of dollars from farm incomes this election year.

Chairman Ellender (D-La) called the group together to see what can be done about drafting a farm bill on which a majority can agree.

much of the area.

Among the other diseases found in mice are tularemia, bubonic plague, an unnamed streptococcus infection, and an unidentified virus. Under suspicion as having caused a number of abortions in sheep and cattle in the Klamath Basin is a disease named leptospirosis.

The Board of Health announcement considers the situation potentially dangerous, but emphasized that no cases of any of the known diseases among humans have been reported.

And at a conference of pest control operators here, Oregon State College announced appointment of a rodent control specialist to help study and fight the state's infestation. The new man—Ed Hansen, who is now employed by the state of Nevada—will work with county agents in the heavily infested counties. They will work out methods of control and extermination.

Lower were flour, sugar and milk.



CANDIDATES FOR QUEEN of the National All-Indian Basketball Tournament to be held March 19 through March 22 are these charming princesses, from the left, Barbara Kirk, Beverly David, Jessie Case, Ramona Shadley, Marlene DuMont, reigning queen, Lucille Barrera, Sharon Jackson and Kathy Smith. Michele McNoise, another candidate, was not present at the time the picture was taken.



CARL YANCEY

Yancey Files
For Reelection

Carl Yancey, 4009 Homedale Road, became the second candidate on the Democratic ticket for state representative when he filed for reelection Wednesday, March 5.

Yancey was first elected in 1956 when he became a write-in candidate.

During his first term in the Legislature, Yancey served on the Agriculture, Forestry and Mining and Military Affairs committees. He is also a lay member of the Legislative Council Committee.

Born on a farm at Merlin, Oregon in 1918, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yancey of Klamath Falls, he moved to Klamath Falls in 1912.

He was graduated from KUHS and attended Ashland Normal for two years. He has been active in civic affairs, serving as director of the South Suburban Sanitation District, also in Boy Scouts, Masonic Lodge and recently served as master of the Klamath County Pomona Grange.

A maintenance millwright at Weyerhaeuser Timber Company, Yancey is married and has two children, Bob, 17, senior, and Betty, 16, junior at KUHS.

In filing, Yancey stated he was making no campaign promises, but would stand on his record.

NEW YORK (U) — Wholesale food prices, as measured by the Dun & Bradstreet food index, continued to head skyward this week, reaching their highest point in more than three years.

At \$6.68 the index compared with \$6.60 last week and was at its peak since a \$6.69 figure in the week ended Feb. 15, 1955. The current figure is 9.7 per cent higher than the year-ago week's \$6.09.

By comparison with 1957, the index has never gotten below \$6.41 this year while last year's range was \$6.08 to \$6.45.

The index represents the total cost at wholesale of one pound each of 31 foods in general use. Among items higher this week were ham, wheat, eggs, potatoes, beef and hogs.

Basin Indian Maidens Vie
For Basketball Queen Title

KLAMATH AGENCY — Some of the loveliest girls of Indian ancestry in the area are competing for queen to rule over the National All-Indian Basketball Tournament which will be held March 19 through March 22. A board of judges will choose the winner who will be crowned on the opening night of the tournament.

All of the girls have an interesting Indian ancestral background and are active in the schools they are attending.

Kathy Smith, 16, Klamath Falls, is a member of the Klamath Indian Tribe, is a junior honor student at Sacred Heart Academy, where she is a member of the Madrigal Choir and the glee club. Besides singing, she has studied tap and ballet dancing for the past four years. Her favorite sports are horseback riding and basketball. She is a descendant of Chief Crazy Horse.

Ramona Shadley, a senior in Chilquin High School, is a member of the Klamath and Pitt River tribes. She has sung in the high school glee club, is a member of the pep club, a cheer leader, and is in 4-H work. Her grandfather was a constable and deputy marshal for 25 years in the Wood River District.

Sharon Jackson, 17, Bonanza High School student, is a member of the Klamath and Modoc Indian tribes. She is a descendant of Winema and Chief Schonchin. Sharon has been a cheer leader, and is a member of the Bonanza High School glee club.

Barbara Kirk, 18, Chilquin, is a member of the Klamath Indian Tribe. Her uncle, S. E. Kirk, was chairman of the Klamath Indian Council for many years. She was a 1957 graduate from Handrean Indian Vocational High School in South Dakota, where she was a member of the pep club, glee club, mixed chorus, band and Future Nurses Club.

Lucille Barrera, 17, Chilquin High School student, is a member of the Klamath and Wasco Indian tribes. Her great-grandfather was a chief of the Dallas Tribe. She is a member of the glee club, pep club, and was a yell leader.

Jessie Case, 17, another student at Chilquin High School, is a member of the Klamath Toxocovey tribes. Her great-grandfather was Chief Lalo of the Klamath Tribe. One of the chiefs who signed the peace treaty for the Klamaths, Jessie is a member of the pep club and glee club, and served as princess during the 1957 tournament.

Beverly David, 18-year-old student of Chilquin High School, is a member of the Klamath Indian Tribe, and is a descendant of Chief Schonchin. She is in the high school glee club and pep club.

BROTHERS ORDERED CLOSED
ROME (UP) — Italy's 560 brothels have been ordered to close their doors by Sept. 4. An anti-prostitution law passed by Parliament Jan. 29 was published in the Official Gazette Tuesday. The law gives the brothers six months from the date of publication to close down.



YOU'LL BE SEEING a lot of the members of the Klamath Falls Fire Department in the next few days, such as Ken Free, left, and Stan Hassey, right, who are selling tickets for the Fireman's Ball to be held in the Old Armory Saturday, March 15, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Chairman of the ball Gino Gheller, assistant chief, said that music will be by Pee Wee Stidham and his Butte Valley Rangers. This is the 16th annual ball sponsored by the city department.

Chief Says
Door Open
To Soviets

WASHINGTON (U) — President Eisenhower said Wednesday the United States never will close the door on any efforts to arrange a summit conference with Soviet leaders.

No matter how crooked the path, or how narrow the negotiations for such a meeting, this government always will be willing to take any step toward real peace, he told a news conference.

But, Eisenhower said, he believes it would be absolutely futile — in fact, damaging to U.S. interests — to have a summit conference unless there were proper preparations for it.

The president said he is in full agreement with Secretary of State Dulles on the matter.

Dulles said Tuesday the Soviet Union's latest proposed terms for a pre-summit meeting are unacceptable to the United States.

Eisenhower also said he has received a message from the Kremlin leaders saying they would be glad to consider holding a summit conference in the United States.

In comment on that, Eisenhower said there would be no particular need for meeting in Washington if the conference were a brief one. On the other hand, he said, a Washington session might be a good idea if the conference were to be a long one.

In the course of the news conference, the President dealt also with these other matters:

ECONOMIC — Eisenhower expressed the view that spending federal money in an effort to end the business slump is not in itself entirely desirable. He added that we should not attempt to make the government the most important factor in dealing with the recession.

The government can help, Eisenhower said, by keeping a careful watch and by such steps as easing credit and stimulating housing construction.

He said further he believes the economic upturn, when it comes, will be primarily the result of millions of American citizens' buying the things they need.

DISABILITY — Eisenhower said that in his view President Nixon would have all the powers the President has — including authority to sign bills passed by Congress — if it should become necessary to put into effect the Eisenhower-Nixon agreement regarding any Eisenhower inability to perform his duties.

POLITICS — Eisenhower said he has no regrets about having decided two years ago to seek a second term. He felt at the time, he added, that the decision involved great personal sacrifice on his part, but having decided, he no longer thinks about it.

Eisenhower was asked what his position would be in this year's campaign toward GOP candidates who do not support his policies.

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Weather

FORECAST—Klamath Falls and vicinity: Occasional snow flurries Wednesday night; partly cloudy Thursday with a few snow flurries in the mountains. Low Wednesday night 22-28; high Thursday 36-42.

High yesterday 45
Low last night 29
Precip. last 24 hours 0
Since Oct. 1 13.20
Same period last year 9.41
Normal for period 8.57

CRATER LAKE
Snow depth 142
Highway 62 is open through the park and the road is open to the rim; chains advised. Fog and scattered clouds were reported this morning at the park.

Polio Clinic
Schedule

PTA sponsored polio clinic dates this week are as follows:
Wednesday, March 5, 6:30 p.m., at Henley High School for all adults of Merrill, Malin, Bonanza and Henley districts.

Thursday, March 6, 7 p.m., Chilquin Grade School for all adults of Chilquin, Fort Klamath, Klamath Agency and Sprague River districts.

Friday, March 7, 7 p.m., at Roosevelt School for all adults of Roosevelt and Fairview School districts, and Klamath Union High School parents and other adults not previously signed up through an elementary school.

Saturday, March 8, from 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. at Fremont Junior High School for adults of Riverside School and Sacred Heart Academy.

Jupiter-C Rocket
Roars Into Space

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — The Army launched a second Explorer-type satellite with a Jupiter-C rocket Wednesday.

The launching came just 33 days after another Jupiter-C recaptured lost U.S. prestige by hurling the Free World's first satellite into an orbit.

The 70-foot launching rockets were identical.

The new satellite vehicle, like the one that preceded it, was a metal tube more than six feet long and six inches in diameter.

As with the first explorer, the Army planned to let the world know within

two hours whether its newest space vehicle had attained the minimum of 200 miles of altitude and the speed it must have to stay aloft for long.

WASHINGTON (U) — Sen. Neuberger (D-Ore) said Wednesday he expects to support an administration proposal to give private industry an opportunity to buy Oregon timber lands now owned by the Klamath Indians.

He said he plans to call his Senate Indian Affairs Subcommittee together this week, probably Thursday, to discuss a course of action in the continuing controversy.

Congress has until the end of this session to change the law under which the Indian timber would be sold piecemeal, without any requirement for sustained yield management, to give the individual Indians their share of tribal assets as the government ends its supervision over the tribe.

Neuberger himself has introduced a bill calling for outright federal purchase of the Indian lands—valued at upwards of 120 million dollars—as a means of averting what he feels is a threat to the region's economy.

He told a newsman he still prefers his own approach but is willing to go along with the administration bill as being preferable to making no change in the present law.

The administration bill also provides for federal purchase of part or all of the Indian timber for inclusion in the national forest system, but only after it has first been offered to private industry.

Any private purchaser would have to agree to harvest the timber under a sustained yield covenant for 75 years. Neuberger said he wants this increased to 100 years.

The Oregon senator eliminated, except as a last resort, a proposal made during hearings on the bill that the timber be left with the Indians. He said he believed there was some question whether this could be done legally in a manner to assure sustained yield operation of the forest.

Rep. Ullman (D-Ore) also disclosed Wednesday he has asked Secretary of the Interior Seaton to delay the proposed election in which members of the Klamath tribe would determine whether they wish to take their share of the tribal assets and withdraw from the tribe or remain in it.

He said he considered it "grossly unfair to force an unwanted election on the Indians at a time when they lack sufficient information which would enable them to make an intelligent choice."

Ullman said the Klamath tribe's executive committee has expressed opposition to an immediate election.

Child Survives.
Stay In Freezer

IDAHO FALLS, Idaho (U) — Five-year-old Stephen Hargett was in good condition in a hospital here Wednesday after being trapped in a food freezer for about 3½ hours.

Stephen's mother, Mrs. Wayne Hargett, said she first missed the boy about 11 a.m. Tuesday. He was found by his father after an extensive search about 2:30 p.m. in the freezer in the family garage.

Officials said the boy was frozen stiff and unconscious. Dr. Darrell C. Stoddard, a neighbor, quickly wrapped the boy in a blanket and hot water bottles.

Plan For 'Stationary Moon'
Related By Air Force Head

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (U) — The Air Force has plans for a "motionless moon" that will hang at a certain point in the sky, day and night, oscillating gently.

The experts say it would be wonderful as a radio and television relay station, or for counting cosmic rays or observing weather.

Also as a launching platform in space, for a missile with a thermonuclear warhead.

Lt. Gen. C. S. Irvine, Air Chief of material, told the Armed Forces Communications Electronic Assn. at Washington that the Air Force is studying a proposal for a satellite that would hover over a fixed point on the earth.

Irvine said the vehicle, 20,000 miles out in space, would be ideal for missile launching. He said it would be relatively simple to aim a missile from such a fixed point above a target on the earth.

Irvine added that in the absence

of atmospheric resistance, only a comparatively small amount of rocket thrust would be needed to start the missile on its way.

Further details were made available by persons at the Air Force missile test center here.

The stationary moon would be hurled to an altitude of 22,000 miles and sent into a circular orbit. Traveling parallel to the Equator at a speed of 8,000 or 9,000 miles an hour, depending upon its latitude, it would complete an orbit around the earth once a day.

But the earth also rotates once a day. The satellite, moving in the same direction, merely would keep pace with the earth.

BEARDS STILL TAXED
LONDON (UP) — The government refused Tuesday to abolish the 30 per cent tax on false beards and moustaches.