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Lightning Storms

By FLORENCE JENKINS

Old-time foresters of this area say that this month's lightning storms are the worst they can remember since the bad year of 1937.

We've been lucky, so far as our timber stands are concerned, to have rain accompany most of the pyrotechnics put on by nature.

Actually, on a national average, only about five per cent of the forest fires are caused by lightning and the remaining 95 per cent are the result of the carelessness of people.

In Oregon, only 49 per cent of fires in the woods are man-caused.

That figure permits no encouragement or jubilation, however, as man-caused fires are responsible for more than 95 per cent of the forest loss through fire in Oregon. It's sort of a case of 'you can't win for losing.'

The Forest Service and Klamath Forest Protective Association have a network of lookouts manned on a 24-hour-a-day basis during the fire season which can quickly locate lightning-caused fires. Their superlative efficiency is evidenced by the small percentage of damage done to Oregon forests by lightning fires during the last few years.

A carelessly tossed cigaret or match, however, can burn quite an area before the volume of smoke makes the fire visible to a lookout. Valuable timber can be quickly destroyed by a small warming fire that is let get out of control or left before it is entirely extinguished.

It is time again for the annual plea to motorists, campers, picnickers and fishermen to make it a matter of individual responsibility to protect our forest assets from fire.

Wonder if wet matches would be the answer.

Radio Pals

By HAL BOYLE

STAMFORD, Conn. (AP)—The Iron Curtain seems more easily pierced by air than on the ground.

At least radio amateurs of the United States and Soviet Russia find it simpler to communicate with each other on a person-to-person level than do political leaders of the great rival powers.

Ham radio station operators in the two countries strike up either wave friendships freely, apparently with no governmental objection from either side.

Perhaps a typical example of these new adventures in international understanding is the relationship between Frank Enge and Leo Shiskin.

Enge is supervisor of research and development for the American Machine & Foundary Co.'s electronics laboratory here. Shiskin is an electrical engineer in Moscow.

Their friendship started Aug. 11, 1956, when they first made contact via ham radio.

After that they quickly became pen pals. Leo asked Frank for copies of American radio journals, and sent him copies of Russian radio journals—also some Russian classical phonograph records for Frank's wife.

Frank congratulated Leo on the Russian scientific achievement when the first sputnik went aloft, and Leo replied in kind when the U.S. sent up Explorer I, adding:

"Let our states to be together on the earth as our man-made moons are in the sky."

That was the nearest the Russian ever came to a political remark, Enge said.

Shortly after their initial and only radio contact, Leo Shiskin lost his amateur license "for infractions of the rules," but he wrote Frank:

"My absence in the air has no relations to our mailing."

However, he never did explain the nature of the violations that did cost him his license.

Leo wrote that he made about 1200 rubles a month (the ruble is officially pegged at 25 cents).

"He also said that he only had to pay 50 rubles a month rent," Enge recalled, "but he had to share a communal apartment with four other families. The apartment had only one bathroom, one kitchen and one telephone.

"Leo also wrote that he had to pay a fourth of his salary—300 rubles a month—in income taxes, and that a suit cost him from 400 to 1,700 rubles. He said an old car would cost him 8,000 rubles, a new one 60,000 rubles."

Frank wrote back that his own income was about $1,000 a month, that he had a 5-room, 2-bath apartment and owned two cars.

"This comparison may have made Leo unhappy, but so far he hasn't said so," remarked Enge smiling.

Enge estimated that perhaps 12,000 of some 160,000 American radio hams have made contact with Russian amateurs. He estimated the number of Russian hams at 2,000. He himself has contacted radio amateurs in 15 of the Soviet republics.

Asked how he feels about Leo Shiskin, Enge said:

"I have a lot of sympathy . . . I admire the wartime sacrifices of the Russian people, and feel they are trying very hard to make a better life for themselves. I don't feel that way about their government.

"I think if the Russian people knew the American people, and we knew more about them, there would be no need for an Iron Curtain."

Confused Search

By JAMES MARLOW
Associated Press News Analyst

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Soviet Communists, like the Devil, have been credited with diabolical cunning in planning every move. They look now like men who have been in a confused search for a foreign policy for five years.

Joseph Stalin was neither modern nor subtle. He could think only in terms of violence. This provided him with a simple philosophy at home and abroad. He used terror to keep the Soviet people and the satellites in line.

As for Communist expansion, he thought in the crudest terms: push where you think you can get away with it. For instance, the war in Korea, the pressure on Iran, Turkey, Greece, and the Berlin blockade.

But what he achieved was what he wanted least: a solid Western alliance against the Soviet Union and a view by neutrals that the Soviet Union was a symbol of the bogeyman. He had outlived his time.

He died in 1953 at the dawn of a new age: the atomic and hydrogen bombs and intercontinental missiles. His heirs had to accommodate themselves to both the new age and new tactics to offset the damage he had done.

To win over the neutrals, Nikita Khrushchev sought to give the appearance of a benevolent Soviet Union freed at last from the terror of purges and violent advances.

As an example of the new day—with the exception of secret police chief Lavrenti Beria who was executed — Khrushchev's rivals, like Molotov and Malenkov, were simply purged from their jobs. Unshot, they were banished to the provinces.

And the Soviet Union began economic help to the backward countries. At the same time Khrushchev had to find a way to soften the West and split its alliances by giving the appearance of a new, peaceful, friendly Soviet Union.

Hence his denunciation in 1956 of Stalin as a murderer and his suggestion—undreamed of in Stalin's time and anathema then and now to old-line Stalinists—that there are different roads to socialism — meaning communism.

This was intended to woo back Yugoslavia, give the appearance of relaxation of Soviet control over the satellites, encourage Western nations to show less hostility to their own, native, homegrown Communist parties.

Meanwhile, Khrushchev in person bounced around Europe and Asia, talking good will. But all this, as it turned out, was not so much a well thought out policy as an experiment, and one which turned out ruinously.

The Poles and Hungarians, taking advantage of what they thought was relaxation, revolted. The latter had to be crushed by the Soviet army. Yugoslavia refused to be wooed back into the Soviet fold.

In short, the policy failed, and doubly so: the Western alliance did not disintegrate under Khrushchev's blandishments and unrest in the satellites continued, even though Khrushchev did make some progress with the neutrals.

Apparently the Soviet Communists became frightened by the Khrushchev experiment. The purge was restored with the execution of Hungarian Premier Imre Nagy and some of his lieutenants.

This wanton act of murder shocked the world, including the neutrals. No doubt if was intended as a warning to any would-be rebels in the satellites. In one foul execution, the Soviet communists undid much of their work since 1953.

It proved what only the absentminded could have forgotten, that the Communists are political cannibals who will feed on themselves and all others who get in their way.

Khrushchev and his friends — who by their tactics have just about wrecked any chance of a summit meeting—appear at the moment to be in search of a new foreign policy.

New Product

By SAM DAWSON

NEW YORK (AP)—A new product backed by a $100,000 promotion gamble is helping a Massachusetts firm outwit the recession.

Faced with the tendency of older women to make their present foundation garments do during the slump, a Chicago firm has started its sales curve upward again by nudging the younger set into them earlier.

One auto maker is jacking up the selling record of dealers and salesmen by as much as 50 per cent with a new training center. And another car builder is fighting the foreign influx by joining them with its own European made vehicles, boosting sales by 136 per cent.

The list of companies who are learning to live with the recession and like it grows longer each day. Some sell luxuries, some necessities. Some are big and some are small. Here are just a few examples:

The 28 store Davega chain says sales gains of up to 72 per cent over 1957 are being recorded by outlets selling appliances, sporting goods and clothing at or slightly above cost with no down payment, and the first payment three months after purchase.

Chrysler has been training salesmen at a new center at Rye, N.Y., for a month on sales and service techniques and reports some of them have increased their records by 58 per cent.

Ford reports its English Ford line, thanks to a new distribution pattern, has chalked up a 136 per cent retail sales gain in the first five months of the year.

Lawn-Boy of Lamar, Mo., says a Texas motel owner uses its power mower part of the time to cut three acres of grass and the rest of the time to pull a cart heaped high with patrons' luggage to pare bellhop costs.

The Tile Council of America says it's investing $700,000 this year in advertising and promotion and has opened a $500,000 research center. It says that during the recession 25 manuafeturers have come up with 50 new designs for tiles, helping them to lick the recession.

The Picture and Frame Institute says consumer buying is booming because many housewives are redecorating that way instead of buying new furniture or repainting.

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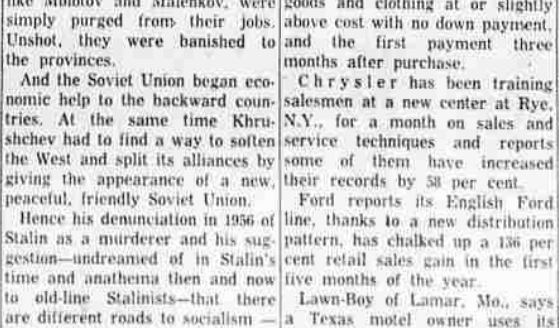

Plea

Klamath Falls (To the Editor) —We the undersigned members of the Board of Education for School District No. 1 urge the adoption of the budget to be presented to the voters on June 27, 1958.

Some of the considerations for this statement are listed below:

1. The revised elementary school budget represents a reduction in the tax levy of $46,000 under the previous budget of May 5, 1958.

2. Without the adoption of the budget and the authority to levy the tax, it will be impossible to open school on September 8, 1958.

3. The board has and will continue to study all expenditures carefully and effect savings wherever possible without lowering the standard of education.

4. All the members of the board approve this statement.

Letha Murphy, chairman,
J. C. Renie
Wyatt Padgett
Robert A. Kent
Clara E. Moore
Rollin A. Cantrall
(Board Member Elect)

Support

Klamath Falls (To the Editor) —The members of the Classroom Teachers Association of Klamath Falls wish to express to the people of our community their complete and wholehearted support of the School Budget and the School Administration headed by Mr. Arnold Gralapp. This action was proposed at the May 15, 1958 meeting of the Association.

Klamath Falls Classroom Teachers Association
Betty Boyle, President

Big Time

By DOROTHY ROE
Associated Press Women's Editor

Marcella Borghese, princess of Sant'Angelo and Santo Polo, duchess of Bomarzo, is having the time of her life.

After having spent most of her life in the sheltered confines of Italian society, she is sampling the thrill of becoming an American career woman.

"So wonderful it is, I cannot tell you!" says the willowy blonde princess. "All is so different here. The women, they work, they are busy, they stay always young. All over this big country I have gone, and everywhere is friendliness. America I love!"

Although she looks too fragile and feminine to cope with anything more complicated than a dinner guest list, Princess Marcella is now a corporation president, no less, and has just returned from a trip that would test the stamina of a veteran traveling salesman. Introducing her Italian beauty aids to America, she visited in rapid succession Boston, Chicago, New Orleans, Dallas, San Francisco, Los Angeles, Washington, Pittsburgh and Rochester.

On her first trip to New York two years ago Marcella looked in wide-eyed wonder on the brisk activities of American women, the wonders of American kitchens, the breezy informality of American life. She clung to the arm of her husband, Prince Paul Borghese, blushed frequently and looked frightened. But a glint came to her beautiful brown eyes as she continued to observe the American scene and she left with the promise, "I shall return."

In Italy, Marcella's life is divided between the Borghese palace in Rome, the family farms near Florence and the villa in Capri. Each residence is fully staffed with servants, but the princess says she much prefers a servantless American home, fully equipped with electrical appliances.

Quotes

By United Press International

NEW YORK (UPI) — Tugboat Captain Bert Deeley, a witness to the collision of a freighter and gasoline tanker on New York's East River:

"It seemed like the whole river was on fire. The flames kept going higher and higher and it seemed to me it went on for an hour."

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo

Senator Wins Fourth Term Sans Aid Of Party Backing

FARGO, N.D. (AP)—North Dakota's colorful veteran Sen. William Langer won Republican nomination for a fourth term without party backing in a race with Lt. Gov. Clyde Duffy, the GOP choice, in yesterday's primary election.

Duffy conceded in a telegram in which he wished Langer the best of luck in the fall election.

With 471 precincts of 2,331 reported, Langer had 15,089, Duffy 10,278.

Langer's bid for re-endorsement was spurned by the GOP State Convention this spring in favor of Duffy, Devils Lake attorney.

Entering the race as an independent and relying on a following built up through more than 40 years in state politics, Langer made only a handful of campaign appearances. Although showing effects of a recent illness, the 71-year-old senator claimed his health was not a campaign issue. He read a statement from a Maryland hospital saying he had recovered completely.

On the Democratic side, returns from 214 precincts gave Raymond G. Vendsel, state senator and farmer from Carpio, a lead of 2,481 to 1,359 in the Senate nomination race over Anson J. Anderson, state public service commissioner.

In the GOP contest for two nominees for Congress to fill berths being vacated by Representatives Usher L. Burdick and Otto Krueger, both Republicans, two party endorsees led. With 214 precincts reported, Orris G. Nordhougen, Leeds businessman, had 3,388; Don Short, Medora rancher, 2,486. Three others were trailing.

In the Democratic Congress contest, Quentin Burdick, Fargo attorney and son of Usher, topped the field with 3,144 in 216 districts. State Sen. Ralph Dewing of Columbus had 1,470; Dr. S. B. Hocking, Devils Lake, 1,429; and Harold A. Morrison, Cavalier, 1,306.

The turnout of Democrats appeared to top 1956 figures when Republicans outvoted them 2-1.

Republican Gov. John E. Davis was unopposed in the primary. John F. Lord, Mandan attorney, led over Arthur Ford Sr., Enderlin, on the Democratic side, 1,865-1,614 in 193 precincts.

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Group Subpoenas Rackets Leader

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill. (AP)—Frank (Buster) Wortman, reputed rackets boss of this area, and an associate were subpoenaed yesterday by the Senate Rackets Committee.

Special investigators for the committee handed the subpoenas to Wortman and an associate, Sam Magin, as they stepped outside an East St. Louis tavern operated by Wortman.

No date has been set for Wortman and Magin to appear. The committee is scheduled to begin Monday an investigation of reported ties between the underworld and some labor unions.

SUES

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Singer Kay Starr has filed suit for divorce from her fourth husband George A. Mellon, wealthy real estate and oil man, charging cruelty. They were married 13 months ago.

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