

# Lebanese Said 'Sick And Tired' Of Current Crisis

By **RELMAN MORIN**  
**BEIRUT (AP)**—"We're sick and tired of the whole thing. The people don't care what kind of a solution develops so long as they get this over with."  
 Camille Birbari, 36-year-old purchasing agent for a Lebanese firm, was talking. His office is in the center of Beirut—one of the hottest spots in the 73-day-old rebellion against Lebanon's pro-Western government.  
 Frequently, Birbari has telephoned his pretty wife Aida, mother of one child and with another on the way, that he had to work late.  
 Actually his office building was under heavy rebel fire. One employee was killed and another wounded. Birbari moved his desk away from the window and felt reasonably safe. But he couldn't tell his wife the real reason for his working late — "She was already nervous and I wouldn't give her any more bad news."  
 Aida's time drew near. Because of rebel sandbag barriers in sections of the city and the government's 8 p.m. curfew, the husband became apprehensive about the trip to the hospital.  
 "We had curfew passes, of course, not knowing when Aida might have to go to the hospital. Then they canceled the old passes and told everybody in the city they would have to get new ones. There was nothing we could do but hope for the best. My wife was nervous but very brave."  
 Ten days ago Birbari took his

wife to the hospital — at 7 p.m. an hour before the streets were cleared and before the nightly shootings and bombings began. The baby arrived that night.  
 "We were very fortunate," he said. "It's hard to say what might have happened if we had to go suddenly through the streets at midnight."  
 Birbari's work frequently takes him around Lebanon, into rebel-held territory. He has been shot at several times on the roads and three times narrowly escaped exploding bombs.  
 Although he travels widely in the country, he said nobody could estimate what percentage of the people are actually fighting or militantly supporting any of the various factions.  
 "Most people wouldn't give two hoots about politics so long as the shops kept open," he said. "It's mainly only the political leaders and their personal rivalries."  
 "You must remember that in the villages the clan system prevails. If the head of the clan tells the village to fight with one side or the other, they fight. But they don't know what for and they don't care."  
 Birbari said the arrival of the U.S. Marines caused celebrations among the government supporters and badly scared the opposition. But the great majority of the people now just want peace, he declared, adding: "We are sick and tired of it. We're against anything that disturbs the stability of the country."

# "DENNIS THE MENACE"



Now calm down, Mrs. Wade, and say that again. Margaret wants to join Dennis' nudist colony? What nudist colony?...

# Crippled Airliner Makes Safe Dramatic Turnabout

**ARGENTIA, Nid. (UPI)** — A crippled Pan American World Airways Clipper carrying 45 persons made an emergency landing here Saturday ending a dramatic four-hour, 400-mile turnabout flight from over the darkened Atlantic.  
 There was no panic, and all 36 passengers and 9 crewmembers were unharmed.  
 The pilot of the DC-7 Capt. Robert P. Postlewaite, 42, of Wilton, Conn., at one point planned to ditch his craft in the Atlantic after one engine went dead and the plane developed a runaway propeller.  
 But, finding he could maintain altitude after dropping from 17,000

# Lebanon Supply Armada Surpasses Berlin Lift

**PARIS (AP)** — The American Air Force officers confidently predict it can continue as long as needed while routine flying chores are handled also.  
 In addition, the U.S. 6th Fleet is giving massive seaborne support to the Marines who landed at Beirut.  
 The airlift is run from a small control room at Evreux, France, 50 miles west of Paris, where the U.S. 322nd Air Division is based. A single telephone call from there can reroute planes from Oslo to Istanbul.  
 At its height, the Berlin airlift of 1948-49 never quite reached carrying a million pounds daily. The longer airlift to the Middle East has several times beaten that by some 200,000 pounds.  
 However, like the Berlin airlift, this one is no lark. The crews have been worked so hard that a flight surgeon now stands on the flight line to insure that no over-enthusiastic pilot gets into the air too tired to handle the huge planes safely.  
 The commander of the 322nd, Col. Clyde Box, a former bomber

# U.S. Readies Missile Shot At The Moon

By **BILL WILKS**  
**United Press International**  
**LOS ANGELES (UPI)**—The Air Force is preparing to launch its first shot at the moon in about three weeks when the moon passes within about 220,000 miles of the earth, it was reliably reported Saturday.  
 The lunar probe is planned for the period when the moon makes its closest monthly approach. That period, according to astronomers, is Aug. 15-19, with the moon being closest Aug. 17.  
 The small package of instruments, which will be fired in a three-stage rocket from Cape Canaveral, will take about two days for its journey. If fired on Aug. 17, it would arrive Aug. 19 at a time when the moon is in its quarter phase and visible up to midnight at locations throughout the world.  
 What type of probe is planned for the first shot was not revealed by confidential sources. So far officials have stated only that scientists would attempt to send the first probes in "the vicinity of the moon" and that the primary objective is not to hit the moon, although that possibility exists. It also has been stated the moon rockets are designed to provide a "close look" at the moon with instruments which include television-like "ground scanning" devices.  
 This has led to speculation the first launching will be a simple "boomerang" shot around the moon and back toward earth rather than an attempt to hit the moon. Scientists who conducted Air Force studies on the project say the round-trip shot appears basically easier.  
 However, unofficial spokesmen believe the first shot could be aimed to impact on the moon.  
 A scientific source close to the project declared scientists would be happy "even if the first shot came only within 50,000 miles of the moon because we could learn a lot from that and it would not be a failure."  
 The first two stages of the moon rocket will consist of the Thor-Able missile which has been undergoing recent testing at Cape Canaveral. The third stage vehicle was developed especially for the lunar probe project.

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# Harry Of Warner Brothers Closes Illustrious Career

**BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)** — Harry Warner, 76, a Polish immigrant boy who became one of the giants of the motion picture industry, died Friday night at his home.  
 Warner, who with his brothers pioneered the use of sound in movies and revolutionized the industry with the production of Al Jolson's "The Jazz Singer" in 1927, had been ill for several months. Death was attributed to a cerebral occlusion.  
 Harry stepped down two years ago after 30 years as president of Warner Bros. studio, but was a member of the board at the time of his death. His brother Jack is now president and another brother, Albert, is in charge of film distribution.  
 Harry, Jack, Albert and a fourth brother, Sam, were the sons of a Polish immigrant family that came to the United States in 1887, living first in Baltimore and then in Youngstown, Ohio. Sam died in 1927.  
 They began their storied motion picture careers in a tiny theater set up in a remodeled store in New Castle, Pa., in 1903. Harry handled the business, Jack sang songs in the pit, Albert ran the projector and Sam sold tickets.  
 Harry, the oldest, handled the business all the way through the brothers' steadily expanding movie activities, which included exhibition, distribution, and, in 1917, production.  
 "I hardly ever saw a movie made," he said a few years ago. "In Harry's hands, business was

good. The brothers kept control of the huge studio in Burbank within the family until two years ago when a financial syndicate bought in for 20 million dollars, leaving the Warners in charge of production.  
 In 1930 after the phenomenal success of "The Jazz Singer," the studio was reportedly worth 230 million dollars.  
 The brothers set several trends in the industry. In 1932, "42nd Street" launched the big film musicals. And such pictures as "The Life of Emile Zola," "Louis Pasteur," "Little Caesar," "I Am a Fugitive From a Chain Gang," and "Confessions of a Nazi Spy" started the use of topical and biographical matter in the movies. Recently Warner Bros. has gone into television in a big way.  
 Besides his brothers Harry leaves the widow, Rea Levinson Warner, whom he married in 1907; and three daughters, Mrs. Doris Vidor, Mrs. Betty Sperling and Mrs. Lita Hiatt.

# Flying Tiger Is Improving

**NEW ORLEANS (UPI)** — Alling Lt. Gen. Claire Chennault has shown "marked improvement" and has been removed from the critical list, a spokesman at Ochsner Foundation Hospital said Friday.  
 The former head of the Flying Tigers in World War II is undergoing treatment for bi-lateral lung cancer.  
 A hospital spokesman said the 68-year-old general's improvement has been "dramatic — almost miraculous."  
 Chennault has been hospitalized at Ochsner since July 6.

# Two Drowned At Newport

**NEWPORT, Ore. (AP)** — A woman who couldn't swim Friday drowned on a river bank flood and watched her husband and niece drown.  
 The bodies of Vernon Graves, 34, and Lynn Thomas, 5, were recovered about 40 minutes after they vanished in the Siletz River.  
 State police labored an hour to revive them, but were unsuccessful.  
 Graves, his wife and their niece had gone to the river for an afternoon picnic.  
 As the girl waded in the sluggish stream, she apparently slipped into a deep hole. Graves plunged into the water after her, and also drowned.  
 Mrs. Graves stood helpless on shore, and then ran to their nearby dairy farm and phoned police.  
 The bodies were recovered from 18 feet of water. Mrs. Graves was hospitalized here for shock.  
 The mishap occurred 20 miles east of Newport, near Siletz.  
 The girl, a Newport resident, had gone to her uncle's farm for a brief summer visit.

# SP Families Set Safety Outing

All Southern Pacific employees and their immediate families and all Southern Pacific pensioners and families have been invited to attend the Southern Pacific Company's annual safety picnic to be held next Tuesday at Moore Park from 1 to 7 p.m. C. E. Alward, trainmaster, is committee chairman.  
 The picnic will feature barbecued beef and all the trimmings, prepared under the supervision of Charley Brown of the MP&C department. Officers of the Southern Pacific will serve as hosts.  
 The picnic this year fetes Shasta Division Southern Pacific employees for their excellent safety record for the year 1952 when they achieved the highest safety record of any division of the Southern Pacific system. Shasta Division is again in first place for the first six months of 1953. This year marks the eighth consecutive year this division has achieved an outstanding safety record.  
 Between 700 and 800 persons are expected to attend the picnic.

# Soy Beans Get Bicycle Trial

**LOS ANGELES (UPI)** — Carl Urban, 40, was all set to start his cross-country bicycle trip Friday — nourished completely by soy beans.  
 Urban, an Appleton, Wis., manufacturer with a passion for soy beans and a tendency towards eccentricity, is out to prove that 25 cents worth of soy beans a day provide enough energy to pedal his bike 100 miles a day for the 3,000-mile trip.  
 He said his wife, Marion, and their two children, Holly, 12, and Carl Jr., 13, would pace him in a car and eat anything they want. They hope to arrive in New York Sept. 4.

# DEAD RIGHT

**NEW BERLIN, Wis. (AP)** — Parishoners reluctant to sit in the front pews at Holy Apostles Catholic Church recently received a not-too-subtle hint to do so in the parish Sunday bulletin. "Some people refuse to come up the front of the church unless escorted by pallbearers," the bulletin said.

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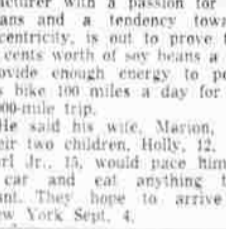
# THERE'S A CONNECTION

**LINDEN, N.J. (UPI)** — The Esso Research and Engineering Co. reported today a study of driving habits shows rock 'n' roll tunes played on car radios causes motorists to jiggle the accelerator pedal, significantly decreasing gas mileage.  
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# Billy Graham Warns South Christianity Only Solution

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (UPI) — Evangelist Billy Graham has cautioned the South that its racial problems will remain unsolved until Negroes and whites recognize and accept Christianity.  
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 There are no color distinctions at the cross," Graham spoke of current tension in the Middle East and intoned "science has placed in our hands the weapons to destroy civilization."  
 "We all talk of summit meetings," the evangelist said, "but if Christ were put first and the will of God sincerely sought, then the summit's decisions could give new hope to the world. Otherwise, there will likely be failure as in most past discussions."  
 Graham, who was introduced as "the greatest man of our day" by Texas Gov. Price Daniel, said Americans are "interested in going on vacations, going to night clubs, seeking our own entertainment—including sex—and not occupying our thoughts and our time in the spiritual things that God wants us to."  
 "America should be on her knees and the churches should be praying," he said, commenting that "we are now in our darkest hour in history."  
 About 3,000 persons stepped forward to make a decision for Christ at the conclusion of the meeting.

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