

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS
At his press conference in Washington this morning, President Eisenhower said he will—

- 1. Do some campaigning this summer.
2. In his campaign talks, he will stress the necessity of cutting the deficit and putting the economy on a sound, healthy basis.
3. Studying every major item of a forthcoming major budget to see if it can be CUT for the benefit of America.

Hmmmmmm.
He must have been reading Charles Dickens' David Copperfield, in which Mister Micawber offers this irrefragable fiscal advice:

"Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure nineteen nineteen six (meaning 19 pounds, 19 shillings and sixpence) result HAPPINESS.

"Annual income twenty pounds, annual expenditure twenty pounds ought and six, result MISERY."

Another hmmmmmm.
If you are familiar with David Copperfield, you will recall that Mister Micawber was an IRRESPRESSIBLE SPENDTHRIFT who talked ECONOMY every time he could get anybody to listen.

That's about the pattern of our modern fiscal politics.

At his press conference this morning, Ike said he felt there was a tendency in the recent congress to spend more money generally than he had recommended.

Let's hew to the line and let the chips fall where they may. It is undoubtedly true that in the recession period of this year of 1958 the tendency of the congress has been to spend more than the President has recommended.

Throughout his second administration Ike has tended to recommend more spending than conservative thinkers have felt to be sound and wise.

The period covered by the session of the congress that has just adjourned has been a period of recession. In periods of recession, there is a general desire to MAKE BUSINESS BETTER so that the recession will end and prosperity will return.

It's an intriguing theory. But don't forget this fundamental fact: Heavy government spending means heavy government taxing.

The money government takes out of your pocket in the form of taxes is no longer in your pocket FOR YOU TO SPEND.

Naval Base Hit By Fire

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — A spectacular fire that shot flames and greasy smoke hundreds of feet into the sky was brought under control early today at the Treasure Island Navy Base in San Francisco Bay.

Officials estimated damages from the fire would amount to more than \$100,000. It swept through a building that contained a garage, gas station and storage area at the huge base.

The fire broke out shortly before midnight. It took 500 sailors and firemen from San Francisco and Oakland more than an hour to bring it under control.

Capt. Richard Andrews, commanding officer at Treasure Island, said the origin of the blaze was not known.

He estimated \$75,000 damage was done to the building and about \$25,000 damage to 25 government and privately owned vehicles stored inside.

Underneath the building, located on the northwestern part of the island, were two 5,000-gallon gasoline tanks. The firefighters concentrated their efforts on keeping the heat and flames away from the tanks.



WATCHING A MOVIE at the party which ended the summer reading program at the city library last Saturday are 81 grade school children among the 126 who earned certificates by reading and reporting on 10 or more books during June, July and the first half of August; the number of books read ran as high as 65. This candid shot was taken at the opening of the program, during one of two

films shown by Eugene Bailie. Later the certificates were awarded and a treat provided. Librarian Addie Mae Nixon was enthusiastic about the children's behavior; she agreed with one mother who said, "Any parent who could have seen how well behaved they were would encourage his child to take part in the program every summer." Total sign-up this summer was 221.

Dag Arrives In Jordan For Meetings

AMMAN, Jordan (AP) — Dag Hammarskjold arrived in Jordan today for the first round of talks to stabilize the Middle East through for U. S. and British troops to go home.

The U. N. secretary general was greeted at the Amman airport by Premier Samir Rifai. They went directly to King Hussein's hilltop palace. Hammarskjold declined to discuss his peace-making mission with reporters.

Hammarskjold and three aides flew to Amman from Beirut in a U. N. courier plane. During an overnight stop in the Lebanese capital, he conferred only with U. N. officials.

After a side trip to Geneva Saturday for the opening of the second atom-for-peace conference, Hammarskjold is expected to visit Cairo next week for talks with President Nasser of the United Arab Republic. He will return to Beirut to discuss withdrawal of the American forces, will also visit Baghdad and may go also to Saudi Arabia.

The secretary general flew into Beirut from New York last night shortly after a gunfight on the road from the airport into the capital. All was quiet again when he drove into town under escort of Lebanese armored cars and security police.

The U. N. General Assembly last Thursday unanimously approved an Arab resolution calling on Hammarskjold to make arrangements to facilitate the early withdrawal of U. S. troops from Lebanon. He also was asked to consult with the Arab states on plans for Middle Eastern economic development.

CHARGED WITH DESERTION

BERLIN (UPI) — Pfc. Frank E. Meyer Jr. of Stark City, Mo., will be court-martialed Thursday on charges of desertion for allegedly spending four months in Communist East Germany, the U. S. Army announced Tuesday night.

Top Teamster Aide Suffers Attack

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate Rackets Committee said Robert (Barney) Baker, 300-pound aide to top Teamsters Union boss, today suffered a severe heart attack.

The attack came just a few hours before Baker was to have testified in the rackets hearings. Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark) announced Baker's illness as he opened the hearing.

Robert F. Kennedy, committee counsel, told reporters first reports were that Baker's condition was critical. He said Baker, son-in-law of former Iowa Democratic State Chairman Jacob Morley, was stricken at his hotel shortly before he would have started for the Senate Office Building.

The committee had planned to question Baker and other witnesses about an envelope full of \$100 bills to learn who got the money and what it was used for.

Baker was scheduled for testimony in continuation of the committee's investigation into alleged corruption and terrorism in Teamsters Union affairs.

Baker told the committee last Thursday he could not remember whether he ever had an envelope at the time alleged, a year ago this month. Nor, he said, could he remember whether — if he had it — such an envelope contained \$1,000, or from whom he might have received it.

Eater Of Orange Should Have Kept Mouth Shut

RUSSELLS POINT, Ohio (AP) — It wasn't Jeanie Gehm's fault that her good will efforts in behalf of Florida failed. The guy in the audience should have eaten his orange and kept his mouth shut.

Jeanie, 14, of Miami, was a contestant in the Miss Majorette Princess of America contest here. In the finale of her act she tossed out a handful of recently purchased oranges to the audience. On each orange was a piece of tape bearing Jeanie's name and the state she represented.

It was fine until one man in the audience stripped away the tape and let the cat out of the bag. They were California oranges.

Weather

FORECAST—Klamath Falls and vicinity: Fair through Thursday. High Thursday 82-88. Low tonight 46-52.

High yesterday 84
Low last night 64
Precip. last 24 hours 0.03
Since Oct. 1 20.03
Same period last year 15.18
Normal for period 12.88

Fire Danger Today HIGH

Fires start readily from match or glowing cinders, spread rapidly and tend to crown in young growth.

Northern California — Fair Wednesday night and Thursday, except for thunderstorms in the Sierra and fog along the coast. Little temperature change. Coastal winds variable 8-16 miles an hour.

Video Quiz Shows Probed

NEW YORK (AP)—Television's big quiz show probe, it appeared today, began when a woman contestant reportedly got careless with a notebook.

The New York County district attorney's office said that Edward Hilgemeier Jr., a part-time butler, bit actor and contestant on quiz shows, made the complaint that triggered the inquiry.

The disclosure came after columnist Harriet Van Horne in the New York World-Telegram & Sun named him as "the man who blew the whistle on Dotto and panicked TV's multimillion-dollar quiz show empire."

The district attorney's office would give no details, but Miss Van Horne said Hilgemeier was a stand-by performer for the Dotto show and became intrigued when he noticed that one of the women who had been winning a lot of prizes on the program kept consulting a notebook when waiting to go on the air.

When she forgetfully put the book down and walked away, Hilgemeier saw that it contained answers to questions that were being asked, according to the published account.

The man sent an affidavit to the Federal Communications Commission. Subsequently Dotto was taken off the NBC and CBS networks by the sponsor.

Until today's disclosures the broadcasting system said it had been conducting an intensive inquiry of its own for a week into all quiz shows currently carried on its network, but has failed to turn up evidence of any improper procedure.

REDS PLAN FETE
WASHINGTON (UPI)—Congressman Poland is planning a celebration at Jamestown and Williamsburg, Va., Sept. 19-20, to mark the 25th anniversary of the arrival of the first Puritan settlers in the New World.

Solons Okay Faubus Moves

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP)—The Arkansas House and Senate, a few minutes apart, gave smashing approval to Gov. Orval Faubus' legislation to close Arkansas schools rather than submit to forced integration.

The Legislature obviously raced the clock to confront the U. S. Supreme Court with Faubus' entire six-bill package before the high tribunal meets Thursday to consider the Little Rock desegregation controversy.

The House passed the school-closing measure 94-1. The Senate passed the same bill 33-0. Entire passage of the Faubus program, requested Tuesday in his speech to a joint opening session, was a foregone conclusion.

The Senate, acting as a committee of the whole to speed up legislative process, stamped approval on the entire anti-integration program in less than six minutes.

A special House Education Committee last night whipped through and approved 12 measures aimed at blocking forced integration and at crippling the effectiveness of the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People in integration lawsuits.

The Supreme Court meets in extraordinary session tomorrow to rule, in effect, on whether the Little Rock school system shall receive a breathing spell of months or perhaps years before it integrates a second time as it did last fall.

Even the combined forces of these firefighters were inadequate to contain the blaze, which had grown to five acres by 5 o'clock this morning, when the first of new forces arrived on the scene. Crews entering the area today are from the ranger stations at Union Creek, Prospect and Butte Falls.

Fire boss Paul Brady of the Klamath Ranger District hopes to be able to hold the fire with the crews he now has, which are being assisted by aerial tankers from Medford that bomb critical hot spots along the line with borax treated water. Other planes from Medford are dropping food, drinking water, tools and other supplies, which are taken care of by Ted Cobb, Klamath Falls, who is acting camp boss and dispatcher.

Carroll Brown, supervisor of Rogue River National Forest, and Darrel K. Frewing, manager of the forest's Klamath District, went into the firefighting area early this morning. Frewing's assistant, Vern Smith, together with forester Bob Latzy, from Port Klamath, are in Willamette Forest where they are helping on the Detroit fire at the request of the Eugene office of the forest service.

The forest service reported late this morning that arrangements had been made for the two aerial tankers to land at and operate from the air strip at Klamath Agency, which should greatly speed up their operation. Supplies used continue to be flown from Medford.

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Chief Denies Integration Remark Attributed Him

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower said today he may have told friends he believes the rate of the school integration process should be slowed down.

But the President denied at a news conference that he ever said he wishes the Supreme Court had not ruled in 1954 in favor of integration in the nation's public schools.

Eisenhower also said in effect that the Justice Department will take part in arguments before the Supreme Court Thursday on the school integration crisis at Little Rock, Ark.

Shortly after Eisenhower spoke, the Justice Department announced it will take part in arguments before the Supreme Court Thursday on the school integration crisis at Little Rock, Ark.

The department said Solicitor General J. Lee Rankin also will file a legal brief in the case Thursday in advance of the arguments.

Eisenhower said in reply to a question that he is sure there will be no great divergence between his personal views on the integration issue and those to be set forth in the Justice Department brief.

Closing the schools under such circumstances would result in a whole basketful of litigation, Eisenhower said.

Virginia already has laws on the books to permit closing of its schools and Arkansas' Gov. Orval Faubus has asked a special session of his state's legislature to give him authority to shut schools.

Eisenhower's remark that he may have told friends that he believes the school integration process should be slowed down was his first public indication that he feels desegregation efforts may be moving too fast.

A reporter told Eisenhower a weekly news magazine — Newsweek — says the President has

denied friends he wishes the court had never handed down its 1954 decision, and that he also feels the integration process should be slowed down.

Dealing first with the report he is against the 1954 decision outlawing school segregation, Eisenhower replied emphatically that the report is not correct.

Then he went on to say he might have said something to friends about slower handling of integration.

Eisenhower said he always has contended integration can be achieved only through education, reason and sense.

At the outset of the news conference Eisenhower was asked whether the Justice Department will accept the Supreme Court's invitation and participate in integration arguments at Thursday's special session of the court. The President also was asked whether any Justice Department brief would reflect his personal views on the issue.

Eisenhower replied that the court's invitation actually amounted to a command. Then he went on to say that from a general standpoint he is sure there will be no great divergence between his personal views and those to be advanced by the Justice Department.

Asked later whether he has advised the Justice Department to ask the high court for a delay in integration, the President said he does not think he will instruct the department one way or the other.

He said, however, that he assumes any department brief would try to reflect views already set forth by the administration.

The discussion of a possible slowdown in integration efforts follows by only one week a broad indication from Eisenhower that in case of trouble over desegregation he would follow the same course he took last year in sending troops, if necessary, to Little Rock.

At last week's news conference, Eisenhower said his thinking on the subject now is just what it was then.

Alaska Votes To Become 49th State

JUNEAU, Alaska (AP) — Vast rugged and beautiful Alaska—slim in population but mighty in size and potential—is going to become the 49th state of the Union.

With 113 of 207 precincts reporting, immediate statehood was favored 19,860 to 3,814.

Two other propositions, which must be approved if statehood is to become a fact, also were passing by the same margin. No. 2 on the ballot dealt with acceptance of the present boundaries as boundaries of the new state. No. 3 provides for the transfer of 103,350,000 acres of public land to the new state, and reserves power to a president to make certain military land withdrawals in time of national emergency.

Forecasts on the eve of the election had predicted not much more than a 2-1 margin for statehood. Most of the opposition had been based on a fear that increased costs of state government would mean a new boost in taxes for the territory's 215,000 residents.

However, the heavy outpouring at the polls was viewed by most observers as an indication that statehood was headed for approval by a wide margin.

"It's a wonderful night," said Interior Secretary Fred A. Seaton, the administration's greatest booster of Alaskan statehood. Seaton was in Juneau for the vote tabulation last night.

The voting was so heavy at many precincts that the supply of official election ballots was exhausted before the polls closed.

Airplanes were pressed into service to carry new supplies of ballots to some precincts. At others, sample election ballots were put into official use.

Included in the heavy turnout at the polls were 19 and 20-year-old Alaskans voting for the first time. The voting age in Alaska was lowered from 21 under terms of the constitution of the proposed new state.

First Blow Would Not Defeat U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower today asserted it is silly to say the United States could be defeated in a first blow nuclear attack.

Eisenhower was asked at his news conference if he believed the United States could be defeated by nuclear attacks and necessarily must take the first blow.

Eisenhower said he doesn't see any reason why the United States must necessarily take the first blow. He added it is silly to say this country would be defeated in one blow.

Because of the nation's retaliatory power, Eisenhower said, any other country would be foolish to attack. If it did, he said, the aggressor would be destroyed.

The President made his observations in connection with the recent furor in Congress over reports that the Defense Department was considering the possibility of surrender as the result of an attack.

Torch Probe Break Noted

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP)—A divorcee's implication of her ex-husband, a Teamsters Union official, put the investigation of the mysterious Frank Kierdorf human torch death on a new track today.

Authorities, claiming a "major break," also held a second woman in custody after re-arresting Kierdorf's uncle, ex-convict Herman Kierdorf.

The divorcee's story attributed foreknowledge to her ex-husband of the burns that ultimately took Frank Kierdorf's life.

Today's comic page arrived too late for publication. Tomorrow's Herald and News will carry both day's funnies.



CHARLENE PELLETIER, the not quite 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pelletier, 5611 Shasta Way, holds a glass jar containing the black widow spider she discovered Monday morning. Charlene and her brother, Jimmie, 12, play with an old tire; when she picked it up that morning the spider was inside. Her father captured it in the jar. Inset shows the widow on his back, after having been rendered innocuous. The light hour-glass mark on the tummy of the otherwise black body is clearly visible.



NATURALIZATION HEARING on Wednesday, September 3, is being arranged by this committee. Left to right, Mrs. L. A. Wirth, commander, Disabled American Veterans; Mrs. Albert O. Roenicke, regent, Eulalona DAR; Mrs. H. A. Nitschelm, Americanism chairman, DAR; Mrs. C. F. O'Loughlin, president, American Legion Auxiliary; Mrs. M. H. Melme, president, VFW Auxiliary; Mrs. Loyd DeLap, seated extreme right, naturalization program chairman, DAV; and, standing extreme right, Mrs. Lynn Skeen, DAV auxiliary adjutant. George Callison, KFJL news director, will be master of ceremonies at the event to be held in the county auditorium at 10 a.m.