

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

From Germany: Chancellor Konrad Adenauer, in a radio appeal last night, called for "quick and powerful" court action against NEO-Nazis and other persons attacking Jews.

What's a neo-Nazi? It comes from the Greek word neos, meaning NEW — especially new and DIFFERENT or more recent. So a NEO-Nazi is a new and more recent kind of Nazi.

What's a NAZI? Well, generally speaking, Nazis are Germans who want the government to run everything. And— THEY WANT TO RUN THE GOVERNMENT.

More trouble in Cuba — where Castro's government is "expropriating" more and more American property. The value of U.S. property taken over so far is estimated in the tens of millions of dollars, and almost any time now the Castro government is expected to start moving in on the 1,700,000 acres of sugar land owned by Americans.

What will happen if Castro goes through with his expropriation plans? Well—

In the long run— It won't be good for Cuba and the Cubans. Here in our State of Jefferson, for example, we have large holdings of timber land. Suppose these lands were all taken away from their owners and divided up among the rest of us.

It may sound good, right off the bat — BUT IT WOULDN'T BE GOOD.

Over the long pull, it wouldn't be good for any of us, and here's why.

If they were deprived of their timber lands, which provide them with raw material, the operators would have to shut down their mills—for you can't run a sawmill, or a plywood plant, or a hardboard plant, or a pulp plant without raw material. That would throw all their employees out of jobs.

And— The individual holdings of all the rest of us would be so small that we couldn't command the capital with which to buy and operate the mills. If we tried to sell our small holdings to other big operators who could supply the capital, they'd laugh at us—for, with the precedent of expropriation once established, who would know when the timber lands would be expropriated AGAIN?

So— If Castro starts taking everything away from those who have it and giving it to those who DON'T have it, that will be the end of Cuba.

Business is based on confidence. If there is no confidence, there is no business. If there is no business, there are no jobs.

British Author, Nevil Shute, Dies

MELBOURNE (AP) — Best selling British author Nevil Shute, 60, died in a hospital here tonight. He suffered a stroke earlier in the day.

Shute was the author of the book "On the Beach," which was a best seller in America and recently had its story of the end of the human race through a nuclear war.

Shute's real name was Nevil Shute Norway. In addition to a long and successful career as a novelist, he also had a career in aviation. He flew the Atlantic twice in 1930 in a dirigible.

Tobogganing

Youngsters are invited by the Parks and Recreation Department to sleigh or toboggan in Moore Park from 4 until 8 p.m. daily and to ice skate on the Moore Park rink from 7 to 10 p.m. nightly. Supervisors will be present.

Coffee Break Faces Slash

NEW YORK (AP) — The New York metropolitan area's electrical construction workers have increased the cost of their time so much that management says it can't afford to pay them to drink coffee any more.

15 Remain On Ice Floe

FAIRBANKS, Alaska (UPI) — The Air Force said today that 15 men remained on disintegrating scientific ice station Charlie in the Arctic Ocean from which an "orderly withdrawal" was begun last week.

Five men were removed Monday. The ice station has been reduced to one fifth its original size by the repeated breaking of the ice from its edges. The Air Force said ice was still breaking off but "the seriousness was greatly lessened."

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Lawyer Says Deb, Swain Near Paris

PARIS (AP) — A New York debutante and her Romanian-born chauffeur friend are somewhere in the Paris area, a lawyer for the Romanian indicated today.

Bootlegger Pleads Guilty

NEW YORK (AP) — The man federal agents call the nation's No. 1 bootlegger has pleaded guilty to charges of conspiracy and operation of illicit stills.

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END OF THE LINE for this year's Exchange Club "Block of Dimes" is where the young lady, Miss Paula Shipman, is seated. She and the other little girl in the picture, Terry Ann Fairless of Dorris, made donations to the line of currency that stretched from Eighth Street nearly to the end of Ninth Saturday. The club collected \$206 for the March of Dimes. Members were assisted by Sherry Nelson, Sharon Russell, Anita Anderson and Roberta Renie of the KUHS Script and Microphone Club, pictured left to right. They handled the public address system. Exchange Club President Bob Rutter is pasting down the final contributions.

East, West Resume Talks On A-Weapons Test Ban

GENEVA (AP) — The United States, the Soviet Union and Britain resume negotiations here today for a ban on nuclear weapon tests, spurred by new urgency following a U.S. threat to resume test explosions at any time.

The talks have been going on intermittently since Oct. 31, 1958. Except for a Soviet test series in early November 1958, none of the three powers has set off any test blast since the talks opened.

Weather

FORECAST—Klamath Falls and vicinity: Partly cloudy today with snow flurries in the mountains. Fair tonight. Increasing high clouds Wednesday. High both days 32-38. Low tonight 5-15.

High yesterday 37
Low last night 29
Precip. last 24 hours 0.07
Since Oct. 1 1.64
Same period last year 2.19
Low in area, Chemult 0

Northern California — Fair tonight except increasing cloudiness late tonight. Rain spreading slowly southward Wednesday. Small craft warnings on the coast for northwesterly winds 20-35 miles an hour, diminishing tonight and Wednesday, but increasing southerly winds from Point Arena northward Wednesday.



ROMULO BETANCOURT

Hard Labor Given Rioters

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — President Romulo Betancourt today ordered hard labor in a remote jungle penal colony for nearly 200 rioters blamed for widespread violence in Caracas.

Salvage Men Win Gamble

NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — Four men who gambled their lives to raise the sunken tanker African Queen made a small profit on their venture Monday by taking one more desperate chance.

Fortune Given To Adopted Land

PITTSBURGH (AP) — An immigrant from Russia who said she was "always well treated in this country," left her \$74,150 estate to Uncle Sam.

It's His

PORTLAND (AP) — City officials and police are trying to find Jacob Spreitzer to tell him to make a claim for the \$900 he found in his little hotel room last year.

Officer Raps B70 Cutting

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The Air Force chief of staff has indicated he will oppose in congressional testimony the Eisenhower administration's decision to practically eliminate the 2,000-mile-an-hour B70 jet bomber program.

Gen. Thomas D. White said he would testify "honestly" and according to his convictions when questioned about the cutback.

White left no doubt that those convictions are when he praised the high-speed, high-altitude B70 as an all-purpose plane that could deliver troops and equipment quickly or fire H-bomb ballistic missiles at an enemy target from 1,000 miles away.

The four-star general said he fought against, but accepted, the B70 cut.

White's promise to testify against the B70 cutback came during a question and answer session after a speech to the National Press Club Monday.

In his speech, White said the Air Force is developing a 1,000-mile bomber-launched Skybolt ballistic missile which will provide the nation with "the most mobile striking power ever achieved."

He obviously was thinking of the B70 as the bomber to carry nuclear Skybolts.

Sen. Clair Engle (D-Calif.) told the Senate Monday that the administration's cutback in the B70 program was a blunder.

The administration decided last December to abandon plans to develop the B70 as a replacement for the Strategic Air Command's current B52 long-range bomber.

About 500 million dollars already had been spent on the new plane, to develop only two B70 Prototypes. It estimated it would save \$5 million dollars on the project this week.

More Gifts Sent Chief By Red Boss

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Soviet Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev probably never heard of Emily Post. But she would be proud of the way he handled an international etiquette problem by sending gifts on two holidays.

Christmas is just another cold day in December to the awfully atheistic Russians. Nevertheless, Khrushchev sent President Eisenhower a plane full of Christmas gifts on Dec. 19.

The Soviet boss also sent Christmas presents to the four Eisenhower grandchildren.

Then Monday Khrushchev sent Eisenhower two more large gift packages containing New Year's presents. New Year's Day is the holiday on which Russians exchange gifts.

White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty said one of the New Year's boxes held caviar. He said he did not know what was in the other package.

The latest Khrushchev presents were delivered by Soviet Ambassador Mikhail H. Menshikov during a 20-minute White House conference. He also relayed an oral message from the Soviet premier.

Menshikov would not reveal to newsmen the text of Khrushchev's message. He said only, "I brought a goodwill message from Chairman Khrushchev to the President and also conveyed Mr. Khrushchev's New Year greetings to the President and all his family."

Khrushchev's Christmas gift to Eisenhower last month was a plane load of 120 assorted trees, plants and shrubs.

When the plants are released from quarantine, they will be sent to Eisenhower's Gettysburg, Pa., farm.

It is not known what, if any, Christmas or New Year's gifts Eisenhower sent Khrushchev.

Sam Rayburn Bows Out

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Speaker Sam Rayburn formally bowed out today as permanent chairman of the Democratic National Convention — a job he has had for the last three conventions.

Rayburn gave as his reason that he wanted "to see one convention from the floor."

He conceded in response to a question that his decision not to serve again as the convention's permanent chairman also would leave him free to campaign for the nomination of his fellow Texan, Senate Democratic Leader Lyndon B. Johnson, for the presidential nomination.

Rayburn, who is 78, served as permanent chairman of the Democratic Conventions of 1948, 1952, and 1956. The post at Los Angeles next July was his again for the asking.

Rayburn declined to suggest a successor in the powerful convention post. He specifically denied a published report he was supporting Rep. Hale Boggs (D-La.) to replace him.

Head Shaver Loses Post

SEOUL, Korea (UPI) — The United Nations Command announced today that U.S. Army Capt. John W. McEnery has been relieved of his command for ordering the heads of two Korean prostitutes shaved.

McEnery, Cheyenne, Wyo., also received a written reprimand from the commanding general of the 7th U.S. Infantry Division.

First Sgt. Ora Curnutte, Chillicothe, Ohio, one of two enlisted men involved in the Jan. 2 shaving incident, was "admonished," the announcement said.

The other enlisted man, Sgt. Harry K. Saunders, Kansas City, Mo., was not punished.

The action came after the Republic of Korea lodged a formal protest with the United States over the incident. The ROK government demanded that "proper measures" be taken against the three and that steps be taken to prevent any recurrence.

The U.N. Command said the provocation that led to the shaving was "grave" but nevertheless it did not condone the shaving. However, the three men will escape court martial.

The Korean women were shaved bald Jan. 2 after they were caught sneaking through a hole in the barbed wire around the camp of the U.S. 7th Division's 2nd Medium Tank Battalion to solicit soldiers.

TOMS TOP ITEM

AOMORI, Japan (UPI) — Cat dealers are doing a big business selling tomcats for top prices in Aomori prefecture for "defense" against rice-eating rats.

Recreation Center Gets OK

The city council gave the green light to a proposal by Park and Recreation Director George Price to convert the Klamath Auditorium into a civic recreation center.

Price first approached the council several weeks ago on the project, after first discussing it with the Armory Board.

THE KLAMATH AUDITORIUM is owned jointly by the city and the county and is operated by the Armory Board, appointed jointly by the two governing units.

Price first indicated to the council that he hoped to make the recreation center a self-supporting program, but admitted that it might take some additional financing to get the program into operation.

In his revised statement last Monday, Price reported he expected \$5,000 income from rentals of the auditorium. The figure was challenged by the council which



GEORGE PRICE



THIS BUILDING would become a new Civic Recreation Center under provisions of a proposal presented to the city council last night by Park and Recreation Director George Price. The proposal is subject to approval of the Armory Board and financial participation of both the city and the county. The council indicated its willingness to take part in the program Monday night. Price would increase use of the building, both for space rentals as well as recreation and other uses. The Klamath Auditorium was built a number of years ago, financed by both the city and the county and is operated by an Armory Board appointed by both groups.

FOX HUNTERS OUT FOXED

BELTON, England (UPI) — Members of a fox hunt have learned that the man who showed up and blew the wrong calls on the hunting horn was a spy from the League Against Cruel Sports.