

Royal Navy Display Team Criticizes American Hospitality During Tour

LONDON (AP) — A Royal Navy display team has returned from a 15,000-mile good will tour of the United States with complaints of filthy accommodations, food they could not afford to buy, and a

general disregard for their welfare.

There were frequent rows between their commanding officer, Cmdr. Jack Henry, and the private American promoters of the

tour. "Complaints of inefficiency over American arrangements are causing concern in London and Washington," said the Daily Telegraph today.

The 50 Navy men formed the 1959 Earl's Court field gun display team, which put on 52 shows in Portland, San Francisco and Chicago. They won rave notices, "but behind the scenes tempers flared and good will vanished," the newspaper said.

"Few who saw them in record-breaking displays guessed that towards the end some ratings (enlisted men) were in considerable pain through injuries brought by difficulties they should never have had to face," said the Telegraph.

The Admiralty said the team was first invited to San Francisco by Nye Wilson, manager of the Cow Palace, and that he arranged a visit to Portland, where arrangements were handled by Theodore B. Wilcox, president of the Wilcox Investment Co.

The Telegraph gave this review of the men's complaints: One leg of their journey involved 24 hours flying with only two small sandwiches for each man.

The team was expected to make the 700-mile trip from the Hunters Point Naval Base in San Francisco to Portland by bus. British officers protested and finally a plane was arranged.

At Portland, enlisted men drawing \$7 a day to pay for all expenses found the restaurants too expensive for them. They had to go to the local YWCA, which let them brew their own tea.

The Portland arena turned out to be "a dilapidated wooden building close to condemnation." The team had to change their show routine and this caused accidents.

At one point the British officers refused to go on with the tour unless they were granted proper rehearsal facilities.

Time after time the American bands spoiled the team's entrance. The Navy men did their own laundry to save money.

"Yet they contributed heavily from their limited resources to buy toys for a children's hospital which they visited unknown to the press or public," the Telegraph reported.

When the tour ended, there were inquiries from state fairs for future visits.

Said the Telegraph: "Senior Royal Navy officers are expected to insist on a drastic revision of the American conception of hospitality before they are likely to agree."

At Portland Wilcox said he was surprised at the accusations. "Cmdr. Henry told me when the team left Portland that he was pleased with the arrangements that had been made there."

The team appeared at the Pacific International Livestock Exposition in Portland Oct. 17-24. Wilcox, who is chairman of the board for the exposition, said the team had agreed in advance to the pay scale. He said the team had been put up in a "first class downtown hotel." He conceded that the men found the prices higher than they anticipated, "but we couldn't do anything about that."

Wilcox said that two men had been injured, "but that wasn't due to the building where they performed."

"The building and all the arrangements were approved by advance men for the team before the team got here," he said.



QUEEN VIOLA JAMES

Queen Viola Reign To End At All-Indian Tournament

CHILQUIN — The year-long reign of Queen Viola James will come to an end when she places the crown on the head of the 1960 queen of the National Invitational All-Indian basketball tournament.

Unmarried girls between 15 and 20 years of age are urged to enter the queen contest as soon as possible. Deadline is February 20. The queen will preside over the basketball tourney beginning with the first scheduled appearance of queen candidates at the elimination tournament February 25, 26 and 27 at the Chilquín High School gym.

Girls entering the contest must offer substantial proof of their Indian ancestry, must be willing and able to furnish their own Indian costumes, to be ready in time for the first public appearance at the elimination tournament. Girls who were princesses in prior tournaments may enter this year's contest.

The queen will be determined by an impartial board of judges. Poise and personality, costume, school and community background and Indian ancestry will enter into the selection. Candidates will be introduced and presented at the Queen's Ball, March 5, from 10 p.m. to 2 a.m. in the Chilquín Community Hall.

Entry blanks and full contest details may be obtained from Stephen Kirk and Vernon McNair at Beatty or from the Klamath Education Office in Chilquín.

This will be the fourth annual queen contest held in connection with the all-Indian event. Previous winners were Marlene Dumont, 1957, Barbara Kirk, 1958 and Viola James, 1959.

The tournament, sponsored by the Klamath Reservation Jaycees,

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Herter Optimistic About Showdown

WASHINGTON (AP) — Secretary of State Christian A. Herter apparently is less optimistic than he was a few months ago about avoiding a new showdown with the Soviet Union over Berlin.

But he doubts that Premier Nikita Khrushchev will confront the Western powers with an ultimatum in this dispute in the summit conference in Paris in May.

He foresaw the need for further negotiations and perhaps a second summit conference to settle the dispute.

Herter's views of the critical Berlin dispute came out Monday in a news conference at which he also:

1. Discussed the possibility that Khrushchev may be building a tougher, more aggressive foreign policy on the Soviet Union's growing power in nuclear missiles.

2. Conceded that Soviet achievements in space have made a greater impact on world opinion than those of the United States, increasing Soviet prestige as a scientific and military power.

Herter was reminded at his news conference that last November he had said that the Soviets had come a very long way on the Berlin issue since November 1958. At that time they threatened to try to squeeze the Western powers out of the city unless West Berlin was made a free city in six months.

He was asked whether he felt that recent statements by Khrushchev on the Berlin issue meant that his position had become tougher since his September talks with President Eisenhower at Camp David.

"Yes," Herter replied, "I think that is the only way one can interpret the statements that have been made since that time."

Herter cited specifically a Soviet bloc declaration last week that unless the Western powers agreed to a German peace treaty the Communist countries would make a separate peace treaty with East Germany, covering the Berlin problem. Khrushchev had made similar statements recently.

However, Herter said that as far as the United States knows

Khrushchev is still standing by the letter of his agreement at Camp David not to impose a deadline on negotiations with the West over Berlin.

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BASIN BRIEFS

Ted Hamblen and Lee Bogue of Etna were business visitors to Yreka last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donn Rickey and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Eastlick left February 5 for two days at Reno. Lou Edwards, Rickey's mother, will care for their three children in their Scott Valley home while they are gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy McKune, Paisley, were honored by a 60th wedding anniversary party held in their home last Sunday.

Roy "Butch" McEwen, who is employed in Trinity County, is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McEwen, Callahan, for a few days because inclement weather makes it impossible for him to work.

Mrs. Gertrude Parks returned January 30 to her home in Greenville from a winter's vacation at the home of her daughter in Paicoma, in the San Fernando area.

Lucile Baker, Yreka, daughter-in-law of Maud Baker, Greenville, is hospitalized in Yreka from pneumonia.

Ed Lundy, Paisley, has been receiving medical treatment in Klamath Falls.

Mrs. Birdie Martin, Greenville, was called back to work at the Siskiyou County General Hospital in Yreka January 28, as many nurses and aides are ill with flu.

Clyde Hammond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hammond, Scott Valley, is home after three years in the armed forces.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Ferns, Prineville, parents of Mrs. Dale Riggs, Paisley, have been visiting their daughter and her family.

Mrs. Elizabeth Orr, Greenville, is enjoying an extended visit with her sister from Los Angeles.

Elta Edwards, Quartz Valley, spent February 3 with her grandmother, Anny Wilson, of French Creek.

John M. Murphy and John L. Murphy, both of Paisley, have been to Lakeview on business.

Prosperity Chapter OES will meet Thursday, February 11, at 8 p.m. for the purpose of honoring all Masons. Entertainment and program will follow a brief business meeting. Masons and their wives are invited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Happy Camp, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary January 31. Nearly 100 friends and relatives

gathered and many gifts were received by the couple.

Donald E. Smith, son of Wellman M. Smith, Lakeview, recently was assigned to an Army missile command at Fort Carson, Colorado, as a truck driver. He was graduated in 1958 from Lakeview High School. He is an Army private.

Democratic Club meeting Tuesday, February 9, at 7:30 p.m. at the Shasta Community Hall, Shasta Way and Madison Street. All Democrats welcome.

Mrs. Neva McCall, Paisley, was taken to the Lakeview Hospital recently, where she is still a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Robin Wagner, Torrance, are the parents of a baby daughter, born January 22 at the Scott Valley Clinic at Etna. She has been named Sheri Ann. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Cooke, Etna, and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Lorraine Johnson, also Etna.

Mrs. Lee Martin and Mrs. J. A. Bunnell will lead the Malin Home Extension Unit in a lesson on basic pattern fitting at the Wednesday, February 10, meeting to begin at 9:30 a.m. Anyone interested is welcome to attend. Sewing I and II are not required. Bring pencil, measuring tape and sack lunch.

VFW, Paisley, held a card party Saturday, January 30, with two tables of pinocle and one of canasta in play.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Meek, Yreka, are parents of a daughter born February 3 at the Siskiyou County General Hospital. She has been named Kelly Ann. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hayden, Callahan. Etna residents, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Meek, are paternal grandparents.

Norman Banister, Paisley, is open for business after remodeling his home garage into a barber shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Maplesden and son, James, Etna, were recent business visitors to Redding.

Paisley grade school boys won over the Silver Lake boys at a basketball game held in the Paisley gym Friday, February 5.

Dan Roff, Etna, made a business trip to Oakland last Monday. He was accompanied from Redding by his son-in-law, Lewis Burton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ivey, Paisley, while on a recent trip to Reno, were called to Los Angeles, because of a death in the family. They returned home by way of San Francisco.

23 Years Ago

Monday, February 7, 1937—March 6 has been set as the annual Malin Firemen's ball which will be held in the Broadway hall, according to Mervin Wilde, vice president of the organization, who with all other officers were unanimously reelected for the coming year. Louis Kalina will again serve as chief; Ivan Petrasko as president; Wilde as vice president and Vackov Kalina as secretary-treasurer.

Tuesday, February 8, 1937—Mr. and Mrs. Earl R. Isaac returned Saturday by train from Berkeley, California, where they spent the past week visiting relatives. Mr. Isaac, who is merchandise manager for Mae's store, also attended buyers' week in San Francisco.

Wednesday, February 9, 1937—Numerous interesting birds have been observed this winter by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis of Fourth and Washington streets, who have fed them regularly during the bad weather. Mrs. Davis reported that a varied thrush came to her house Friday, and was still there Saturday resting and feeding en route to Alaska, where these birds migrate in the early spring for nesting season.

Thursday, February 10, 1937—Klamath Elks club will hold a Valentine dance at the lodge room, Third and Main streets, Saturday night. Members of the committee are Mr. and Mrs. Bud Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stiles, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Linman and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carter.

Friday, February 11, 1937—Arthur Schaupp, local attorney, is one of the prominent Klamath Falls citizens attending sessions of the legislature at Salem.

Saturday, February 12, 1937—Gordon Smith, for the past three years a salesman of the Balsiger Motor company, has been promoted to the position of assistant sales manager. It is announced by Elmer Balsiger, head of the concern, Smith will assist Vern Moore, sales manager, with sales of new Fords and used cars, and in addition will be head of the Lincoln-Zephyr sales division.

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