

In The Day's News

By FRANK JENKINS

As this is written, President Eisenhower's plane is presumed to be setting its wheels down in the city of Brasilia. A few minutes ago my phone rang. A voice at the other end of the wire asked: "What's this Brasilia, where Ike is supposed to arrive today?"

It's the shining, new, ultra-modern capital of Brazil. It is located about 600 miles inland from sophisticated, luxurious Rio de Janeiro, Brazil's former capital. It is so new that the paint is hardly dry on the buildings where paint was used. It was carved out of the prehistoric, timeless tropical jungle.

How did the Brazilians come to move their capital from an old, solid, beautiful city to this new site in a raw wilderness?

Well, they had a precedent. WE provided it. In the late 1700's, we decided to move OUR capital from old Philadelphia to the new World sense, that is Philadelphia—which had been our capital throughout the Revolutionary War and was the meeting place of the first U.S. Congress—to a raw, new site in the wilderness bordering the Potomac river, some 200 miles to the south. It was in Philadelphia that Washington was inaugurated for his second term. John Adams took his oath of office as President there.

It was in Philadelphia that John Marshall, later Chief Justice of the United States, announced the death of George Washington and uttered the phrase that has become inseparably linked with Washington's name: "First in war, first in peace, first in the hearts of his countrymen."

We decided to leave the old and STRIKE OUT INTO THE NEW—which has been characteristic of America's growth and development.

We hired a French architect and engineer, Pierre Charles L'Enfant, who came to America in 1777 to fight on our side in the War of the Revolution. His plan for the new capital city of the U.S.A. was accepted by the congress and he began work on it in 1791. But, a year later, he had a disagreement with President Washington, and was dismissed.

President Washington was a FIRM character. He had his own ideas, and insisted that they be carried out. He was not the mild and beneficent old gentleman depicted for us in the painting that has become stylized. The painting of him that hangs in the old Masonic lodge hall in Arlington is much nearer to his true character.

But L'Enfant's plan for the new capital city was carried out and has given us one of the world's most beautiful capitals.

So—
You see—
The Brazilians have precedent for what they have done.

In conclusion, a word about Brazil.

The United States of Brazil ranks first among the Latin-American states in area, population, natural resources and industries. It is the fourth largest country in the world, ranking after the Soviet Union, China and Canada. It is bigger than the entire continent of Europe.

The new capital city of Brasilia will be formally inaugurated on April 21 of this year. During Ike's visit, the United States and Brazil will issue a second "declaration of Brasilia" calling for inter-American cooperation as the best means of meeting communist threats in Latin America—of which what is happening in Cuba is an example.

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BULLETIN

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Civil Aeronautics Board said today that a dynamite explosion caused the crash of a National Airlines plane with 34 persons aboard near Wilmington, N. C. Jan. 6.

3 Firemen Die In Blaze

ST. LOUIS (AP)—The interior of a burning three-story brick building in downtown St. Louis collapsed with a roar Monday night, killing three firemen.

Ten other firemen were injured in the blaze, one seriously.

Two of the victims, trapped under debris, lived for some time after the upper floors had fallen in. Some 25 other firemen worked desperately to rescue them. But both were dead when extricated, the last one six hours after they had been trapped.

During the futile rescue operation, a Roman Catholic priest inched his way through the smoldering wreckage to administer last rites.

A city hospital physician crawled through the debris to give medication to ease their pain.

Dead were fire Capt. Arthur Fette, 62, and Clinton Lorbert, 36, and Pvt. William Grieser, 36.

Fette's body was recovered soon after he was killed. Lorbert and Grieser's bodies would be heard as firemen worked to reach them. Lorbert's body was the last to be recovered.

Speed Skater Blasts Coach

SQUAW VALLEY, Calif. (AP)—A member of the U.S. women's speed skating team charged today that her coach had neglected the team so badly that its chances in the Winter Olympics were wrecked.

Jeanne Omenchuk of Decatur, Mich., said Coach Ed Schroeder had failed to turn up for many practice sessions and had not given the women skaters the guidance they would need to succeed in the games.

Speaking to a reporter before today's 3,000-meter event for women, Mrs. Omenchuk looked around the skating oval.

"Where is he?" she asked.

"This is the way it's been," she said.

"The Russian coaches have been out here with their girls every day, taking down lap times and even keeping track of what their skaters eat. But our girls in the 3,000 don't even know what pace they should set because they have never been timed in practice."

Red Taking Rest On Isle Of Bali

SURABAJA, Indonesia (AP)—Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev flew to the fabled island of Bali today for three days of rest, more spectacles of music and dance and talks with President Sukarno.

Khrushchev was expected to urge once more that the Communist bloc is Indonesia's best friend abroad and the Western Allies its worst enemy, and that Sukarno's government should have a warmer attitude toward the Indonesian Communist party.

Satisfactory

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CECIL FITZGERALD

County Court Post Sought By KF Roofer

Cecil Fitzgerald, 247 Hillside Avenue, became the third candidate to file for the Democratic nomination for the four-year term for county commissioner when he submitted his candidacy to the county clerk's office Tuesday morning.

Fitzgerald, who owns his own roofing company, has been in business in Klamath Falls since 1942. He is also a licensed contractor in California, and has been employed under contract by the federal government on many of its bases and installations.

A resident of Klamath County for the past 33 years, Fitzgerald was first employed at the Weyerhaeuser plant in the early '30s, leaving that to go into the roofing business.

In filing for the county commissioner post, Fitzgerald said, "It's only right that the people know what I plan to do if elected to this office."

"I will devote as much time to this office as necessary to do the best possible job."

"I feel that many problems in this county have not been given proper consideration by the county court. The suburban area, for instance, has been virtually ignored by the county court in the past, yet they represent about 80 per cent of the county population outside the city of Klamath Falls."

"The tremendous growth in this area has posed many problems difficult for the people of this area to solve. I will do everything within the power of the office of county commissioner to help suburban residents solve these problems."

"This doesn't advocate ignoring the rest of the county, either," he continued. "Any problem that comes within the legitimate scope of the county court will be given careful attention by me."

"I favor tighter budgetary control of the county activities, and would invite greater public participation in decisions by the county court."

Concluding his statement, Fitzgerald said, "It's about time we took our county court out of the horse-and-buggy era and made it an efficient, well-run government."

Fitzgerald is married and has two married daughters.

He is a member of Klamath Falls Elks Lodge, has been a Mason for 21 years, and is also a member of the Crater Lake Lodge 211, and Scottish Rite Bodies, Hillah Temple of Ashland.

Weather

FORECAST—Klamath Falls and vicinity: Fair through Wednesday. Low tonight 15-20; high Wednesday 40-45.

High yesterday 38
Low last night 17
Precip. last 24 hours 0
Since Oct. 1 4.35
Same period last year 3.75
Low in area, Chemult 0

Northern California—Fair through Wednesday. Little change in temperatures. Northerly or northwesterly coastal winds 12-25 miles an hour.

CRATER LAKE

High yesterday 34
Low last night 8
8 a.m. today 13
No new snow
This winter 244
Last winter 274

A light northerly wind was blowing this morning and skies were clear. Ski conditions, crusty. Chains are advised for travel in the park.

SQUAW VALLEY (UPI)—Clear to partly cloudy today, tonight and Wednesday. High 34. Low tonight minus 2. Winds on peaks northeasterly 25 to 35 m.p.h., with gusts to 48 m.p.h.

High yesterday 38. Low this morning 0. Snow depth: 48 inches in valley, 122 inches on Squaw Peak.

Japan Prince Becomes Dad

TOKYO (AP)—Crown Princess Michiko gave birth today to a healthy, 5-pound, 9-ounce son who became second in the line of succession to the Japanese throne.

The baby is the first child born to Crown Prince Akihito and the daughter of the commoner flour manufacturer he married last April 10. The birth had not been expected for another week.

Akihito, eldest son of Emperor Hirohito and Empress Nagako, is 26. Michiko is 25.

An announcement said both mother and child were well.

The princess entered the Imperial Household hospital at 1:50 a.m. Monday and the baby was born 14 hours and 25 minutes later.

The delivery was described as natural, apparently meaning without artificial aid of any type.

Arab Charges Denied By Jews

JERUSALEM (AP)—Israel has denied charges by President Nasser that she is mobilizing and massing troops on Syria's frontier.

Rejecting as "utter nonsense" the claim by the United Arab Republic president, an Israeli military spokesman declared Monday that life in Israel is "proceeding normally and peacefully." There have been no border incidents for several days, he added.

Independent Chosen

PALERMO, Sicily (AP)—The Sicilian Legislature Monday night chose a 61-year-old independent, Benedetto Majorana Della Nicchiara, to succeed Communist-backed Silvio Milazzo as president of this semi-autonomous island. Milazzo's year-old regime collapsed last week after charges of bribery and vote buying against one of his chief aides.



CHARLIE DELAP

Incumbent Charlie DeLap Files Again

Veteran County Clerk Charlie DeLap filed today for reelection to the office he has held more than 15 years. DeLap, a Republican, is seeking his fifth four-year term as county clerk.

On his declaration of candidacy, DeLap pledged to "operate the office within my budget" and to maintain "continued harmony with all elected officials."

Two other candidates have filed for the office DeLap holds. They are Henry Paynter, a Democrat, and Harold North, a Republican. The filing deadline is March 11; the primary election is May 20.

"A lot of people have asked me to run again," DeLap said, "and I feel I'll be able to handle it for another four years."

DeLap was hospitalized last fall with a circulatory condition in one leg, but he recovered rapidly and has been at his desk every day since returning to work.

"My health is better than it has been in the last 10 years," DeLap quipped.

DeLap was elected county clerk in November, 1944. "When I was elected the first time," he said, "I made two promises. I said I would run the office on an economical basis as I possibly could, and I said that so far as my duties were concerned, I'd cooperate with all other elected officials."

"I've done that. I haven't overdrawn my budget in 15 years. I have no more help in the office now than when I started, but the work has increased at least 25 per cent. I've done this because I've always had efficient help."

Argentine Navy Recalls Ships

BUENOS AIRES (UPI)—The Argentine navy announced Monday night it has recalled most of its ships and planes from the Nuevo Gulf since the unidentified submarines recently reported there appear to have escaped.

A navy communique said some ships and planes will remain in the area on the assumption that the subs might still be lurking there or that they might attempt to return.

Retirement Pay

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Defense Department estimates that retired military personnel will be drawing three billion dollars a year retirement pay shortly after 1970.

Malin C of C Names Chief

MALIN—William C. (Bill) Dalton Jr., Malin rancher and livestock man, was named 1960 president of the Malin Chamber of Commerce Monday night during the chamber's annual crab feed in the Broadway Hall. He was introduced by retiring president, Jim Conroy.

New directors, elected by membership ballot prior to the dinner, are Merle Looney, Earl Wilson, Paul McCulley and Robert Victorin, vice president. Holdover directors are Edwin Petrusek, William Rajnus, Loyal Lovness, Louis Kalina and Elmont Kenyon.

Retiring directors include Joe Halousek, James Ottomari, Walter Stastny, Henry O'Keefe and Jim Conroy.

In a review of the past year's chamber activities, Conroy cited chamber efforts which included sponsoring of the Malin Boy Scouts, assistance with the 50-year celebration of the settling of the Malin community by the Czechoslovaks, presentation of the annual high school sportsmanship trophy, financial aid for the purchase of treats for the annual community Christmas tree, and sponsorship of the annual 4-H Club and Future Farmers of America Malin Junior Livestock show in Malin.

M. M. Stastny and the late Emil Polvka received the VFW Auxiliary Award for outstanding service to the Malin Community in recognition of their efforts toward beautifying the Malin Park.

The 1959-1960 athletic sportsmanship trophy, which goes to a Malin High School senior each year, from the chamber, went to Randy Miller.

Athletic Coach Bob Graham, whose Mustangs won the 1960 County Basketball championship, was also honored.

Entertainment was by students of the Leona Robertson Accordion Studio, Malin High School Boys' Chorus and Shirley Bunnell, Malin.

Greater Prosperity For All Pledged By Ike, Brazil Chief

BRASILIA, Brazil (AP)—Chief executives of the two biggest nations in the Americas today pledged their joint determination to help develop the hemisphere materially and morally with the goal of "greater prosperity and harmony for all."

President Eisenhower and President Juscelino Kubitschek of Brazil in a "Declaration of Brasilia" expressed confidence in the success of a hemispheric crusade for economic development. At the same time they asserted their support of "the fight against racial discrimination" and their belief in freedom of thought and religion.

"Economic development cannot be dissociated from the preservation of peace and democratic rights," they declared.

The "Declaration of Brasilia" was drafted in advance in exchanges between the two Presidents and their foreign affairs departments. It was made public today just an hour before Eisenhower was due here on his 10-day South American tour.

He flew to Brazil from Puerto Rico, crossing the Amazon and heading for this still-building city which is due to become Brazil's capital two months from now. On Wednesday Eisenhower is to get his major reception in Brazil when he lands at Rio de Janeiro, the present capital.

The two presidents' declaration said the improvement of the Americas' living standards is keyed to preservation of world peace and democratic rights. Noting that the American nations already have achieved much, the two presidents said they are "firm in the conviction that action still more fruitful should be taken."

They did not elaborate, but quite possibly will before Eisenhower concludes his visit to Brazil Friday. He is to address the Brazilian congress in Rio, before continuing on to Argentina, Chile and Uruguay.

Secretary of State Christian A. Herter was designated to read the declaration in English and the Brazilian foreign minister, Horacio Lafer, to read it in Portuguese, at the site of a monument.

Oregonian Listed As Crash Victim

SAIGON, Viet Nam (AP)—A U.S. spokesman announced today that the three crewmen of a U.S. Navy plane missing since last Wednesday were killed when the plane crashed in central Viet Nam. One was from Oregon.

Search teams, slowed by bad weather, found the wreckage and bodies in a ravine 15 miles north of Tourane.

The airman were Lt. Cmdr. Roger H. Mullins of Auburn, Ala., pilot; Lt. Cmdr. George Wood Alexander of Glendale, Calif., copilot; and Chief Electronic Technician William Wallace Newton of Clinton, Mass., and McMinville, Ore.

Naval officials are investigating the crash.

English Police Hunt Murderer

GOSPORT, England (AP)—A 49-year-old widow was stabbed to death here Monday night as police hunted a few miles away for the knife killer of a 9-year-old girl.

Iris Dawkins, the child, died in a Southampton Park Saturday with 30 knife wounds in her back.

Phyllis Pearce also was stabbed in the back, several times, as she walked home from a visit to her sister. She staggered 100 yards to her sister's house but died before an ambulance could get her to a hospital.

commemorating Eisenhower's visit to Brasilia.

The declaration is to be inscribed at the monument in this spectacular new city, hewn from the wilderness on a plateau 800 miles northwest of Rio.

President Eisenhower called Brasilia a symbol of Brazil's progress.

"Your decision to carve a beautiful city out of the wilderness reminds us of our own decision many years ago to move the capital of our fledgling nation from Philadelphia to the District of Columbia," he said in a brief address prepared for a civic reception.

The address was aimed mainly at Brasilia's construction workers and their families. To those workers and to all others in Brazil, Eisenhower brought special greetings.

"May your toil be fruitful in advancing Brazil's development and well-being," he said. "May your hands be firmly clasped with those of the workers of the United States and the entire free world in the building of a richer life in freedom for yourselves, your children and all generations to follow."

The declaration by Eisenhower and Kubitschek on economic advancement linked to the preservation of peace recalled the American president's emphasis on that point in his talk to the people of the United States Sunday night.

The two presidents expressed belief that the inter-American system, calling for an ever-improving way of life, presents one of the great challenges and opportunities of this age. They called for full implementation of principles of political and economic solidarity as set forth in the charter of the organization of American states and the mutual assistance treaty of Rio de Janeiro.

The modernistic capital-to-be was decked out colorfully for Eisenhower's first stop on the four-nation mission he hopes will cement western hemispheric unity and forge a mightier shield against potential enemies.

On his arrival Eisenhower received a key to the city and a greeting from President Kubitschek.

"I do not hide the emotion with which I see you descend in Brasilia to begin your voyage to South America," the Brazilian President told Eisenhower. "The plane that brought you from your country has just landed in a veritable field of battle. This recently cleared ground is a critical zone in the war that we forcefully carry forward for a better destiny for our people."

Kubitschek expressed the hope that the United States will understand that Brazil is resolved "to industrialize, to use its natural wealth, to prepare better conditions of life for our growing population." He said Operation Pan American, the hemispheric program of development he has projected, "represents an appeal to reason and not to generosity."

He did not specifically mention the financial help Brazil has received from the United States in its development but said: "Our two countries remain unalterably bound together."

Fidel Ready To Negotiate

HAVANA (AP)—Fidel Castro's government says it is ready to negotiate its differences with the United States but warns against any Washington action harmful to the Cuban economy.

Foreign Minister Raul Roa handed a note to U.S. Charge d'Affaires Daniel Braddock Monday announcing that Cuba would appoint a commission to open talks in Washington at a date convenient to both countries.

The note expressed "confidence this decision will be justly appreciated by the North American government inasmuch as it is directed to the examination of questions that have lately affected traditional relations between Cuba and the United States."

But the note indicated that negotiations would fall through if the U.S. government or Congress took steps Cuba might consider harmful to its economy. This was an obvious warning against any tampering with the sugar quota system under which the United States purchases half of Cuba's sugar crop at premium prices.

Mail Service May Be Cut

WASHINGTON (AP)—An election-year money-cutting drive runs head on into a threat of curtailed postal service today in the House.

At issue is a proposed cut of 82 million dollars in new funds for the Post Office Department for the fiscal year starting July 1. It was recommended last week by the Appropriations Committee and is the biggest cut ever imposed by that group on requested postal funds, although the total allowed still would be \$104,590,000 more than was appropriated for this year.

The committee action, taken by a lopsided vote, brought a complaint from Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield that it would be necessary to reduce postal service and deprive many communities of needed facilities if the cut sticks.

Rep. J. Vaughan Gary (D-Va.), chairman of the subcommittee which worked out the appropriation cut, described Summerfield's remarks as his "usual annual threat to the Congress."

Pollution Bill Nixed By Ike

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower vetoed a 900 million dollar water pollution control bill today on the ground that state and local governments rather than the federal government should foot most of the bill.

"Because water pollution is a uniquely local blight," Eisenhower said in a message to the House, "primary responsibility for solving the problem lies not with the federal government but rather must be assumed and exercised as it has been by state and local governments. This being so, the defects of H.R. 3610 (the vetoed bill) are apparent."

Fines Blasted By High Court

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Supreme Court today unanimously struck down fines imposed by Little Rock and North Little Rock, Ark., on leaders of the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People who refused to identify local members.

Justice Stewart delivered the court's opinion. Justices Black and Douglas wrote a concurring opinion.



W. C. (BILL) DALTON JR., center, member of a pioneer Malin family, was named 1960 president of the Malin Chamber of Commerce during the annual gathering of chamber members and guests in the Broadway Hall in Malin, Monday night, February 22. He succeeds Jim Conroy, right, principal of the Malin High School, who introduced the new president and Mrs. Dalton, left. Mrs. Dalton was presented with an arrangement of flowers. An estimated 400 persons ate crab and enjoyed a short program.



A MERIT AWARD, sponsored by the Malin Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary in recognition of outstanding community service, was presented to M. M. Stastny, Malin pioneer, during the annual Malin Chamber of Commerce crab feed Monday night. Stastny, left, who came to Malin with the original Czech colonists more than half a century ago, has devoted hundreds of hours of work to improving and beautifying the Malin Park. He received the award from Jim Conroy, chamber of commerce president.