



COLD WAR HOT SPOT — One of the perennial flash-points in the cold war is the Autobahn linking West Germany and East Berlin. This concrete throat, part of the superhighway network built by Adolf Hitler for his Wehrmacht, runs through more than 100 miles of East German territory. It was at the western checkpoint near Marienborn that a U.S. convoy was blocked for 41 hours. Occupying the hottest spot in the East-West impasse is Maj. Gen. James H. Polk (below) commandant of the 5,400 man U.S. garrison in West Berlin, who charged the Soviets with deliberate harassment.

Mme. Nhu Believed Ready To Bring Children To U.S.

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (UPI)—Mme. Ngo Dinh Nhu, secluded in the nearby Bel Air mansion of friends, Saturday was believed to be making arrangements to have her three children brought here from Rome.

South Viet Nam talked to them Friday via trans-Atlantic telephone. Details of the conversation were not made public. It was believed, however, that the 38-year-old beauty asked her brother-in-law, Archbishop Ngo Dinh Thuc, to assist in making the travel arrangements.

The youngsters, aged 15, 10 and 4 years, were flown to Rome following last week's bloody coup in which their father, Ngo Dinh Nhu, and his brother, President Ngo Dinh Diem, were slain.



Maj. Gen. James H. Polk

Fresno Deputy Wounded, Statewide Search Pushed

FRESNO, Calif. (UPI) — A statewide search was being conducted Saturday for a young holdup suspect who shot and wounded a Fresno County sheriff's deputy at a supermarket parking lot Friday night.

Deputy Richard T. McClurg, 31, was reported in satisfactory condition at Fresno Community Hospital after early morning emergency surgery. He was wounded once in the arm, chest and hand and twice in the abdomen.

One report indicated that the archbishop had obtained a seven-day leave of absence from the Ecumenical Council at the Vatican to escort the children to Los Angeles.

Bag Proves Dangerous

ANTIOCH, Calif. (UPI)—For seven years, workmen at the Building Materials Co., liked to toss an odd white sack around the yard.

stopped at the Country Boy Market lot to check on a late model car which matched the description of a vehicle stolen at gunpoint believed used in two holdups earlier in the evening.

Mme. Nhu originally was to have gone to Rome to meet the children, but canceled the trip on advice of her physician because she was suffering from "physical exhaustion."

Disappearance Of Coed Continues To Baffle Law

ALBANY, Calif. (UPI) — Two promising clues to the disappearance of University of California student Judith Williamson apparently ran dry Saturday as police focused their efforts on finding a white-topped convertible and its unknown owner.

Witnesses said McClurg was getting out of his patrol car when the door on the driver's side of the suspect's auto opened and the man sitting inside turned around and fired five times.

Author Hits Capitalists

PORTLAND (UPI) — Author Upton Sinclair, 85, who ran for governor of California in 1934, had few kindly words for capitalists in a lecture stop at Reed College Friday night.

Good Deed Kills Pair

RICHMOND, Calif. (UPI) — A Martinez man and his wife, parents of three children, were killed early Saturday after they stopped to aid victims of a traffic accident on Eastshore Freeway.

Hiccups Finally Leave Woman

ATLANTA (UPI)—Mrs. Lucy McDonald has lost the hiccups that plagued her since July 8.

Author Hits Capitalists

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Three Governors Refuse To Approve Udall's Plan

SALT LAKE CITY (UPI)—Interior Secretary Stewart Udall's \$4.5 billion Pacific Southwest water plan was described as "basically sound" by the governors of three western states Friday but their statements indicated it was a long way from winning their approval.

The proposal as basically sound and agreed to draft individual letters of reply to Udall.

Govs. George Clyde of Utah, John Love of Colorado and Clifford Hanson of Wyoming gave the plan a thorough going-over here and agreed to it "in principle" but said they would insist on "adequate safeguards" for the water rights of the upper Colorado River Basin.

His plan, in general, calls for delivery of additional water to the southwest from the northwest. Its first phase provides for the enlargement of California aqueducts to deliver an additional 1.2 million acre-feet of water from Northern California sources to the southwestern states.

State Engineer Steve Reynolds representing New Mexico Gov. Jack Campbell, also threw his state's support behind "the general concept" of the vast reclamation proposals.

Love said "we must have assurances we are not approving something which will take away our water rights."

However, the governors stated flatly they would not back Udall's proposal unless language is "written into legislation protecting the upper basin's water rights."

Hanson was critical of the overall estimated cost of the project. He also stressed the need for unity on the part of the four upper basin governors.

Bill Cited By Duncan

PORTLAND (UPI) — Rep. Robert Duncan, D-Ore., Friday called the proposed power intertie between the Pacific Northwest and California the most important matter Congress will consider this year as far as the Northwest was concerned.

Clyde said the proposed \$45 million Dixie reclamation project for southwestern Utah, recently approved by the Senate, should be divorced from the Pacific Southwest plan if it (Dixie) is going to be held up until a project of this magnitude (referring to Udall's plan) is worked out.

Hunter Shot

PENDLETON (UPI) — James Barron of Pilot Rock, 39-year-old elk hunter, was in a hospital here today after being shot in the side Friday afternoon.

The commission said "in our approval of the Pacific Southwest water plan in principle, we also wish to reserve the right to review and comment on more detailed plans as they are developed, either for the Pacific Southwest plan or for its various parts."

'Empty' Gun Kills Friend

SAN FRANCISCO (UPI) — A 15-year-old boy shot and killed a friend early Saturday during a quick draw demonstration with a target pistol he didn't know was loaded, police reported.

Barron was wounded when he dropped his rifle at a Pendleton service station.

The victim was Leroy Kieck, 18, an apprentice mechanic. Officers said he was shot by James Legowski.

Legowski was babysitting for his married sister, Mrs. Edward Villatore, 23. Officers said he showed Kieck his brother-in-law's .22 caliber target pistol, slipping two cartridges into the gun to demonstrate how it worked.

The author of some 60 books and 1500 articles described Sen. Barry Goldwater, R-Ariz., as a "very rich man."

He put the pistol away, removing one of the cartridges. He forgot the other. Shortly after midnight the discussion got around to fast-draws. Legowski strapped on the holstered gun, drew and fired. His friend, sprawled on a bed, was shot through the heart.

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HELPING HANDS — Three fourth-graders from the Lucile O'Neill School do their share to help promote the PTA fund-raising dinner planned next Saturday, Nov. 16, from 5 to 7:30 p.m. Making posters are, left to right, Eulalia Rumelhart, Mary Hulce and Terry Abbott. A full course ham dinner will be offered for \$1.25 for adults and 50 cents for children between 6 and 12. Pre-schoolers will be free.

Conservatives Eye Anti-UN Resolution

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Delegates to the first statewide convention of the newly formed United Republicans of California (UROC) Saturday considered a resolution urging that the United States get out of the United Nations.

It said the United States should withdraw to "prevent further erosion of national and individual sovereignty."

touring California on behalf of Gov. Nelson Rockefeller. It stated that Hinman was a "carpet-bagger" and took him to task for bringing out that Sen. Barry Goldwater favors right-to-work legislation when this is not an issue in California.

The UROC was formed last April by a group of militant conservatives who bolted from the old-line California Republican Assembly. Friday it received official approval by Republican State Chairman Caspar Weinberger.

Another resolution criticized New York's GOP National Committeeman George Hinman for

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