

No Violence in Berlin Communist Youth Parade

Hitler Era Recalled By Day's Events

Ominous Undertone Heard In March

By WES GALLAGHER
BERLIN (AP) — The much-publicized "Battle for Berlin" turned out to be just another big Communist youth parade — not the threatened putsch the West had girded itself to meet.

The demonstration, which lasted for half a day, was anything but a "battle." It was a parade — not the threatened putsch the West had girded itself to meet.

The East proved it had laid the foundations for its autonomy state in East Germany, firmly in the Communist grip, by pouring out a half million youth to pay homage to Soviet Russia.

There was no Communist storming of the West sector, as first thought. There were no Communist demonstrators.

Neither was the Red outpouring in the East sector any flabby affair.

Up the Wilhelmstrasse, past the Reichstag, the Communist youth went. The East sector was the center of Hitler's Reich. In the past it was the center of Hitler's Reich. In the past it was the center of Hitler's Reich.

Commerce Dept. Official At Work

Michael Lee Defies Ouster Move

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Michael Lee, 57, one of 110 Communist Party members expelled from the Commerce Department under fire in Congress as poor security risks, has vowed to work today despite a request from Secretary Sawyer for his resignation.

The other man — William W. Remington — had arranged for a holiday today before Sawyer called over the week-end for his resignation. Remington is not due at the department by Thursday. Tomorrow is a holiday and he had an engagement to appear before a grand jury in New York on Wednesday.

Both men have declared they will not quit under fire.

By showing up for work, Lee established for possible legal purposes that he was able and willing to work.

All Lee would say to reporters was "I am working" and that he would not quit until he is asked to do so.

Film Writers Again Lose Court Plea

Highest Tribunal Won't Touch Case

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today stood pat on its refusal to review the contempt of Congress convictions of Movie Writers John Howard Lawson and Dalton Trumbo.

But refused to let the House Un-American Activities Committee bring its 1947 Reds-in-Hollywood hearing whether they are members of the Communist Party. They were fined \$1,000 each, and sentenced to six months in prison.

The U. S. Court of Appeals in upholding the contempt convictions Monday said that the movie writers' freedom of speech and freedom to remain silent "in legislating to avoid contempt" were not a threat of substantive evil to national welfare.

The Supreme Court by a 6-3 vote today affirmed the convictions of Lawson and Trumbo on a review of the Court of Appeals' decision.

Both writers had asked the high tribunal to reconsider its refusal. They said, among other things, that they are residents of California which has laws guaranteeing the right to remain silent in legislative proceedings.

"Today's vote also was 6-3. In both instances, Justices Black and Frankfurter dissented, but Justice Clark took no part in consideration of the appeal."

Runner-Up Is Silent About Plans

Sen. Graham Holds 50,000-Vote Edge

RALEIGH (AP) — Another bitter battle between liberal Senator Frank P. Graham and lawyer Willis Smith may face North Carolina Democrats.

The answer lies with Smith, runner-up to Sen. Graham in Saturday's record-breaking primary election. Smith, with 34,000 votes, had a 50,000-vote lead over Smith with 34,000. Smith would have lost his seat unless he runs for office, never was in the running.

The winner of the Democratic primary is assured of victory in the November general election.

Sen. Graham, 68, former president of the University of North Carolina, and Smith, 48, former mayor of Winston-Salem, ran for office, never was in the running.

White Collar, Rural Vote Smith's Margin

By TOM FESPELMAN

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The White Collar and Rural vote Smith's margin in the North Carolina primary.

It is north of Precinct 2, up to 8th St. Directly north of Precinct 1 and Precincts 3 and 4, with Howard as a main artery through their center. These areas which have been in strong.

SUBTLE EDGE IN '54

On the Southern end of this Graham territory are the cities of Greensboro and High Point.

Graham's backyard home county gave him 18,200 votes, while Reynolds got a paltry 1,864.

Mecklenburg was the only big county in the state to give Smith a lead. Buncombe (Asheville) went for Graham; Durham voted for Reynolds; Wayne (Raleigh) voted for Graham, thirteen to seven. Granville (Wilmington) and Wake (Raleigh) gave Graham and edge.

Truman Gets Cod War Report

Acheson, Lie See President Discouraged Any Optimism over

WASHINGTON — President Truman got first-hand reports on the state of the world in the Atlantic Ocean today, as the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Defense saw the President.

The State Department has discouraged any optimism over the current changes for a general peace treaty on law-making but referring to Acheson's recent San Francisco address in which he had called for a return to the old course.

He said that the State Department has scheduled an afternoon meeting at the State Department with Assistant Secretary of State William L. Clayton, a Senate confereer.

Senate Tries to Get Up On Delayed Measures

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The House passed two resolutions of the draft act is scheduled for hearings before the Senate Selective Service Act expires June 30.

The pending business in the Senate is the controversial "ban on" price limit to legalize union dues in anti-racket prosecutions in certain cases involving freight cost absorption.

A vote on that — after two previous Senate rejections — appeared uncertain until the Senate today.

Holiday Death Toll Now 275

By ASSOCIATED PRESS
Memorial day week-end and accident deaths in the States reached 275 throughout the nation Monday.

Near the three-quarter mark of the four-day holiday, the toll of traffic deaths reached 181, and 48 deaths were lost in accidents.

With an estimated 30,000,000 automobiles on the highways, the National Safety Council predicted the number of deaths in traffic alone would reach 200 by midnight Tuesday.

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The newspaper said a meeting of the local was held yesterday and that it had decided to write to drop their charges against Lewis H. Bieder.

Unionism against Sidner, charged for the work he did in the coal industry in partnership with Lewis H. Bieder, was not immediately successful.

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