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SENATOR AND FIANCEE

Sen. John F. Kennedy of Massachusetts and his fiancée, Miss Jacqueline Bouvier, are shown relaxing at the Kennedy Summer home at Haysanport, Mass. Kennedy and the Washington, D. C., newspaperman will be married in September. (UP Telephoto).

Taft Asks Delay in New Aid Cuts

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Taft (R-Ohio) today urged that the Senate postpone any further cuts in the administration's \$3,318,000,000 foreign aid program until later action by its appropriation committee.

The Senate foreign relations committee approved the authorization bill which would set a ceiling on the amount of military and technical assistance to be given U. S. allies. Taft said he believes the appropriations committee headed by Sen. Bridges (R-NH) is in a "much better position" to decide how much money actually should be spent.

Truman Walks For Exercise

NEW YORK (AP)—Harry S. Truman took a personal fitness constitutional along the sidewalks of New York this morning and back to his hotel, although you seldom have tried to make me look that way. I walk solely for the exercise. It will make me live longer.

The former president clocked off 19 mid-town blocks — a short mile in the morning — and then stops for autograph signing, shaking hands and exchanging greetings with the people who bailed him up for autographs. "I'm not a showoff walker," he told accompanying newsmen and photographers, "although you fellows have tried to make me look that way. I walk solely for the exercise. It will make me live longer."

Truman and Mrs. Truman are the end of a vacation trip to his home at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel where he is staying, some of the nation's guests had accompanied him asked for autographs. "This country is sure going to hell when photographers start asking for autographs," Truman grinned as he obliged.

OUR WEATHER

Partly cloudy, hot and humid. Widely scattered thunderstorms late this afternoon and evening. High temperatures expected today 92 degrees. Low temperature expected to-night 72 degrees. High temperature yesterday 91 degrees. Low temperature this morning 74 degrees. Sunrise 5:10 A. M.; sunset 7:42 P. M. More Weather Data on Page 10-A

CLARK WRITES REDS

Aliases Seek to Set Truce Signing Date

SEOUL (AP)—The Allies today asked the Reds to agree immediately to a date for signing a Korean truce, indicating they have either persuaded rebellious President Syngman Rhee to agree to an armistice or have decided to go ahead without his okay.

MIGs Downed While Reds Hit South Koreans

SEOUL (AP)—About 12,000 Chinese Reds backed by a booming artillery barrage crashed into the South Korean positions along the gateway to Seoul today.

Far to the north, Allied Sabres jets blasted six Red MIGs to earth, turning their score for the month to 59 MIG kills, only four short of the one-way record set in September, 1952.

The MIGs were shot down as the Sabres flew a tight cover over 36 fighter-bombers striking at Nam, near Sinju in northwestern Korea.

The Reds poured a division or more into three-day-battle drives for two outpost hills 40 miles due north of the capital, just as South Korean infantry had swept to the crest of one of the hills.

The furious Red attack—usually by one or two battalions—hit the West Front. The targets were the slopes of outpost Bat and Queen, rising 500 to 800 feet.

At last report the Reds held both, but fighting raged at the foot of the outposts as the sturdy ROKs regrouped and counterattacked.

There was an unconfirmed report that one Red battalion — 500 to 750 troops — had broken past the heights and was executing the Allies heavy, dug-in line.

The Communists, under cover of artillery that one Allied officer said hammered hills like an anvil, slammed back ROK first division infantry who had been slaving up the slopes of outpost Bat.

The ROKs counted 42,000 incoming rounds of mortar and artillery up to the line of contact. They concentrated two-thirds of their entire day's shelling in the narrow sector.

Lt. Nott Downs MIG in Korea

Lt. Thomas Edwin (Ed) Nott, the son of Mrs. T. E. Nott of 2222 North 10th Street, S. C., in 1950, while downing his first MIG fighter in Korea, one of six shot down by U. S. pilots.

Lt. Nott now has one downed and one damaged MIG to his credit. In Korea, he is a flight commander for a group of test pilots and six Sabre jets. F-86's. He graduated from Clemson College, Clemson, S. C., in 1950, where he was a member of the Air Force ROTC. He received his pilot wings and returned to the AFB, Las Vegas, Nev., and is a member of the 61st fighter interceptor wing. He went to Korea in mid-November, 1952.

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Two Judges Reappointed By Governor

Charlotte Lawyer One Of Five New Justits

RALPH (AP)—Gov. Unstead today announced the appointment of seven special judges. As had been expected he reappointed two of the present eight specials. They were the state's first and only woman Superior Court judge, and Judge George Patton of Franklin.

The five new special judges named by the governor were: Francis O. Clarkson, 57, of Charlotte; Lee Whitmore, 56, of Hendersonville; Malcolm C. Paul, 46, of Washington; Grover A. Martin, 60, of Smithfield; and Howard H. Hubbard, 48, of Clinton.

Eisenhower Seems Winner In Tax Battle

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Eisenhower administration apparently won its battle today to get House consideration of extending the excess profits tax—and did it without a knock-down drag-out floor fight.

In back-stage maneuvers, House Republican leaders got assurances, satisfactory to them, that the Ways and Means committee would send an extension bill to the floor.

Mr. Clarkson is a trustee of United Appeal, the Florence Crittenton Home, and a board member of the YMCA and the Thompson Orphanage.

Clarkson Active In Civic, Church Affairs

Mr. Clarkson, a native of Charlotte, is well-known here through his law practice and his active interest in civic and religious affairs.

In 1922 he served as solicitor of the Fourteenth Judicial District and in 1931 he was sent to the U. S. District Court for the Western District of North Carolina.

He is married and has four children. His son, Francis O. Clarkson, is a lieutenant in the U. S. Air Force. His other children are Miss Margaret Simmons Clarkson, of Raleigh; and Mrs. Robert Merritt of Mt. Airy.

Before Bermuda Conference Britain Seeks Stop-Gap Meet

LONDON (AP)—Britain's acting cabinet today said it is negotiating with the United States and France for a quick stop-gap meeting on European problems in advance of the postponed Bermuda conference.

Answering a barrage of House of Commons questions tonight, said by Prime Minister Churchill's temporary retirement, Butler said Britain's representative at the Bermuda meeting would be Lord Salisbury.

Salisbury, as lord president of the council, has taken over some foreign policy responsibilities since the absence of Churchill and Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden.

Butter refused to say when the interim meeting would be held. "As I cannot pledge other governments I would prefer to defer to statements made in the negotiations are concluded," he said.

Shaw Reappointed To Revenue Post

RALPH (AP)—Edwin M. Gill, 53-year-old former commissioner of revenue and paroles commissioner, is coming back to Raleigh as State Treasurer.

Gov. Unstead announced at his news conference appointment of the Laurinburg native to the post being vacated by Brandon Hodges.

At the same time Unstead announced he was reappointing Eugene Shaw of Greensboro as commissioner of revenue. This had been expected since Unstead had resigned Shaw to his office for a conference last week.

Gill stepped down as commissioner of revenue four years ago at the bidding of former Gov. W. Kerr Scott. After practicing law briefly in Washington he was appointed director of the U. S. Internal Revenue office in Greensboro.

Gill will be sworn in around July 15 to succeed Hodges who resigned last week. The appointment was announced in a press release from the Governor's office.

One Missing, Two Hurt As Ships Collide

BARNEGAT CITY, N. J. (AP)—A vast sea search today left only one man missing in a jolting tanker-freighter collision that caused one man to die and two others to be injured.

The S. S. Gulfstream, a 5,400-ton Panamanian freighter, was struck by the Brazilian freighter, the S. S. Loide Panama, just behind the Panamanian freighter.

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HERE'S ONE RECIPE FOR LONGEVITY

LOS ANGELES (AP)—If you would live to be 103 you should heed this formula: Never get married. It came here, the youngest of nine children so you'll be spoiled.

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