

McCarthy-Army Verdict Brought By August 1

Subcommittee Agrees To Try For Decision

Jenkins To Draft 'Balance Sheet'

WASHINGTON (AP)—The senatorial "jury" in the McCarthy-Army hearings agreed today to try for a verdict—or verdicts—by Aug. 1.

Sen. Mundt (R-SD), announced after a meeting of the hearings subcommittee that there was "a general recognition" that unless findings are reached within a week after Congress adjourns, it may be impossible to reach them until after the November election.

Mundt said the subcommittee had unanimously assigned Ray H. Jenkins, its special counsel, and Charles Mauer, his aide, to draft "a balance sheet of testimony" to guide the subcommittee in writing the report.

SALENT POINTS

The "balance sheet," Mundt explained, will list "salient points of controversy" between Sen. McCarthy and Army officials, the "pro and con" points made in the testimony, and have an index showing where the pertinent evidence is found in the two-million-word hearing record.

Mundt said Jenkins estimated he could complete the synopsis in three or four weeks.

The senator told a news conference that the subcommittee also agreed to consider at a later meeting:

1. Whether a demand by H. Struve Hensel, assistant secretary of defense, for fuller vindication than he feels the subcommittee has given him, merits special consideration in writing the official report.
2. To ask the Defense Department why it has withheld for more than a year requested security clearance for two members of the regular staff of the Senate Investigations subcommittee which McCarthy and his aides—

Mundt presided at 36 days of televised public hearings which sifted the welter of charges, countercharges and defenses.

The hearings wound up Thursday with Sen. Potter (R-Mich) declaring that each side had proved its main misdeeds charges against the other. These were:

1. By Stevens and Army Counsel John G. Adams—that McCarthy and two subcommittee aides used improper pressures in seeking special favors in the Army for Pvt. G. David Schine, a former subcommittee consultant.
2. By McCarthy and his aides—that Stevens and Adams used Schine as a "hostage" in efforts to blackmail McCarthy into halting an investigation of alleged Communists in the Army.

"We're not asking Jenkins to add up the totals and say 'guilty' or 'not guilty' for us," Mundt said. "He would list the evidence for us and the witness around the charges like members of a supreme court and reach our own conclusions."

Mundt said he is pretty thoroughly convinced there are "hot areas" where unanimous agreement would not be possible.

Sen. Potter, who has urged the firing of some "employees" on both sides of the controversy without naming any, called on President Eisenhower late yesterday.

He would not say what they talked about, but on his return to the Capitol he told newsmen he still believes McCarthy's subcommittee should undertake no new hearings before staging a "clean-up."

Potter himself heads a McCarthy subcommittee inquiry into reports that many U.S. citizens listed as dead or missing are captives behind the Iron Curtain. McCarthy has said this is one of the next hearings his group will hold, but earlier said he would not care to start hearings before the staff situation is straightened around.

Billy Graham In Dutch Capital

AMSTERDAM, Netherlands (AP)—Evangelist Billy Graham arrived today from Copenhagen for a hurried half-day visit to the Dutch capital. A committee of Protestant clergymen welcomed him.

An hour later he addressed a gathering of church workers and clergymen in the packed Lutheran Church. He was to preach later at the Olympic Stadium, where a capacity audience of some 55,000 was expected.

BELIEVED SUICIDE Hollenbeck Found Dead In Apartment

NEW YORK (AP)—Don Hollenbeck, 48, CBS TV news commentator, was found dead in his gas-filled apartment today. Police said the circumstances indicated suicide.

A CBS spokesman said Hollenbeck had been in ill health recently.

A porter, Henry Tobin, discovered Hollenbeck's body, clad in underwear and a bathrobe, on the kitchen floor of the commentator's apartment on the 7th floor of the Midtown Hotel in mid-Manhattan. Police said five gas stove jets were open.

Tobin entered the apartment with a pass key after a neighbor had reported smelling gas.

Hollenbeck was born in Lincoln, Neb., on March 30, 1905, and entered journalism immediately after his graduation from the University of Nebraska in 1926.

He won the Polk Memorial Award from Long Island University in 1950 for his "CBS Views The Press" broadcasts.

Hollenbeck was heard on the CBS-TV 10 p.m. (EST) news program, carried nationally by the network. He participated in various spot news assignments and was a member of the CBS television news team that reports events from the past on the network's "You Are There" series.

Hollenbeck first went to work as a reporter for the Nebraska State Journal in Lincoln and then spent 10 years as a reporter for the Omaha News.

He joined the Associated Press newsphoto staff in New York in 1937. He was transferred by the AP to San Francisco in June, 1939, as newsphoto editor. He resigned a year later and became picture editor of the now-defunct New York newspaper PM, later becoming its national affairs editor.

During World War II, Hollenbeck went to Europe for the U.S. Office of War Information (OWI). His assignments took him to North Africa and Italy.

His broadcasts from London, Algiers and Italy included a 5th Army landing at Salerno. He was ordered back to the United States in 1944 to recover from malaria and jaundice. He returned to Europe in 1945 and broadcast from Germany, France and England.

He joined the CBS radio staff in 1948.

Hollenbeck married Angeline Dean in 1941 and was the father of two children, Zoe and Jessie.

SOAP, TOWELS STOLEN

MUSCATINE, Iowa (AP)—Police described it as a "clean" haul when they broke into a service station here made off with only a soap dispenser and a roll of towels.

WHAT'S INSIDE

TWO OF OUR COLUMNISTS went to Hollywood and they brought back Harry Monroe. Who Harry? Harry Water went to see Mamma, he ran smack dab into Earl Wilson, the Broadway correspondent. He wrote a column about both of them and it's on Page 12-A.

SHUCKS, IT WASN'T HOT: Only 107 In The Shade

"This is an adobe town of about 1,200 persons nudging up to the Rio Grande in the big bend of west Texas. They grow cantaloupes in the dusty fields nearby and lead an easy-going life in the town nobody has ever bothered to incorporate.

At the Starr Hotel, the manager, Mrs. Mae Starr, a middle-aged lady with graying black hair and brown eyes, laughed at questions about the heat.

"We're standing it fine," she said.

"Oh, of course the lobby is full of young men who came in here to spend the afternoon."

Heat drove them in for a siesta, eh?"

"Certainly not," she said. "I'm why, they just wanted to get out of the dust. I tell you, it's not hot."

WHAT'S INSIDE

GRACIOUS FATHER, help us to realize the power of teaching, both by words wisely spoken and by lives worthy of imitation. Help us to be disciples of the Master Teacher. Guide us in our teaching of those committed to our care that we may point them toward Jesus. In His blessed name. Amen.

EVENING PRAYER



MR. HOLLENBECK

Charlotte Boy Is Saved From Drowning Death

A 10-year-old Charlotte boy found on the bottom of a Lynchburg, Va., swimming pool yesterday, was revived by artificial respiration, the Associated Press reported.

He is William David Dellinger, son of police dispatcher and Mrs. M. P. Dellinger, 527 Monroe Rd. The family is vacationing in Lynchburg.

The 10-year-old boy, a non-swimmer, is reported to have gone into deep water on a dare from an older brother.

Two unidentified boys told the pool lifeguard they had seen someone at the bottom of the pool. They immediately brought the youth to the surface and the Lynchburg life saving and first aid crew was called.

A special ambulance team with a resuscitator enroute to the hospital, where the boy's condition was pronounced satisfactory.

Press Agent Turns To Ministry Study

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Malcolm Boyd, once a press agent and earlier a radio producer, is studying for the Episcopal diaconate today.

Boyd, 30, gave up a partnership with Mary Pickford and Buddy Rogers three years ago to study for the ministry. He was ordained yesterday by the Rt. Rev. Francis Eric Byrd, bishop of Los Angeles.

He will continue his studies at Oxford University.

Guatemala Claims Invaders Repulsed

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—The Guatemalan delegation to the U.N. reported today government forces are driving back the invaders on all sectors of the fighting tobacco producer opened at \$58 a share on a block of 12,000 shares, of \$3.50 from the last sale and a new 1954 low.

Philip Morris declined \$2.50 at \$37.50 a share and Reynolds Tobacco B at \$35 a share was off two dollars were Lorillard and Liggett & Myers.

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The ambassador reported his government had sent a cable late yesterday to the U.N. informing the Security Council that "aggressive forces" had invaded the country. The delegation did not request an emergency meeting of the Council at this stage.

In Washington, it was disclosed that Guatemala had withdrawn completely her complaint of "foreign aggression" lodged with the Inter-American Peace Commission. Apparently this was done pending the effect of the U. N. - ordered cease-fire.

The delegation spokesman said a barge loaded with war material, machine guns, dynamite, explosives and small weapons had been captured by Guatemalan government forces at Puerto Barrios.

He said information received from his government this morning had stated another barge apparently loaded with similar material was standing off Puerto Barrios beyond the three-mile limit.

The spokesman said government forces were in contact with the "aggressors" at Chiquimula on the Honduran border and they were driving them back.

He said two men parachuted into the Pacific port of Champeron and were captured by the government. He said the men carried two bags filled with explosives and maps on them indicated they had intended to blow up fuel tanks at the small port.

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MAUREEN RAGEN... "I was afraid they'd get me"

Legal Fight Looms Over Heir's Estate

CHICAGO (AP)—A legal battle appeared shaping up today over the two wills left by Montgomery Ward Thorne, heir to a mail order fortune, who was found dead in his Gold Coast apartment Saturday.

A coroner's jury heard several witnesses yesterday as it sought to determine the cause of the death of the 20-year-old youth. The inquest was continued to June 23.

One of the chief witnesses was Maureen Ragen, Thorne's 18-year-old fiancée, to whom he had willed half his estate a few days before he died.

Miss Ragen, sobbing occasionally as she testified, said she did not know why Miss Thorne died that he had changed his will, naming her executor and heir to half of his million dollar fortune.

She expressed fear for her own life because she was made beneficiary.

"When I learned I was beneficiary of the will," told Mr. Stough (Attorney Jay Stough) "I didn't want anything to do with it. I said, 'I was afraid they'd get me.' (Miss Ragen did not say who she meant by "they.")"

Miss Ragen testified Thorne told her his mother once had him arrested because "a dope fiend and a drunkard."

Police Detective Raymond J. Curran testified that a homemade hypodermic syringe, a sleeping pill, a spoon which had been blackened by flame, and a length of thin rubber tubing had been found in Thorne's apartment.

Coroner Walter T. McCarron said a post mortem examination of Mrs. Carol McCaughey Lind, disclosed nine needle marks in young Thorne's arms.

Both Miss Ragen and her mother, Aileen, however, denied he was a narcotics addict.

In will drawn shortly after his 18th birthday, young Thorne had left all his interest in the estate to his mother in event of his death. Under terms of the will the son was to have received \$1,000 a month after his 21st birthday.

But in a will Thorne executed June 10 he bequeathed half his estate to Miss Ragen, one fourth to her mother, and one-eighth each to his mother and his sister, Mrs. Carol McCaughey Lind.

Higher Prices For Food Force Cost Of Living Up

WASHINGTON (AP)—The government mortgage interest and fire insurance reported today that living index charges. Higher taxes cost cent in May due to higher food prices.

The increase brought the index compiled by the Bureau of Labor Statistics to 115.0 per cent of the 1947-48 average, or the same level as was recorded for last August, November and February. In May of last year it was 114.0.

The increase meant no change in hourly wages for one million railroad workers whose pay raises are geared by labor contract to the May index. They had stood to lose one cent an hour if the May index was below 114.0.

The living cost increase between April and May was due chiefly to hikes in prices the housewife paid at the corner grocery store.

Food rises in 5 out of the 6 cities surveyed, averaging eight-tenths of one per cent higher for the month. Higher prices for meats, fresh fruits and vegetables, frozen juices and canned orange juice were reported.

Housing costs advanced three-tenths of one per cent. This was due to an annual revision in the government index to take account of changing real estate taxes, changed from April.



Beam Aiming... Stake Is The Target

Focusing Job Puts Stadium Lighting Back On The Beam

By LUCIEN AGNIEL Charlotte News Staff Writer

To put the Memorial Stadium lights back in focus today, the city had to sink 50 stakes and hire electrical engineers with shooting eyes like Billy the Kid's.

Chuck Jordan, the manager of the stadium, was in charge of the unwarping process.

"Between now and the end of the football season, there seemed to be a couple of dark spots on the field," said Mr. Jordan.

Also, we figure the wind has blown some of the lights off line. So we are refocusing them today."

At first we thought it was just a greener patch of grass, but later we decided the lights needed realigning."

The electricians are also replacing burn-out bulbs. Thus far, only a few of the \$2, 1,500-watt sealed beam bulbs have gone bad, but an increasing number of detectors is anticipated.

"Only about a dozen bulbs have gone bad each year," said Mr. Jordan. "That means that most of the original lights are still in use. They will be getting dimmer this season and we'll probably have to put in quite a few new ones."

Up on the pole nearest the press box, an electrical expert made a check of the light with a light.

"Stand clear up there, we're gonna turn them on," Mr. Jordan shouted.

The lights were turned on, and you've got Mr. Jordan's word for it that nobody is going to smash a stake this fall—and just disappear.

Tobacco Industry Declines Comment

NEW YORK (AP)—The tobacco industry here declined to comment on the American Cancer Society report that cigarette smoking apparently tends to shorten men's lives, a least those in the 50 to 70 age group.

A spokesman for the Tobacco Industry Research Committee, set up by the industry to determine effects of tobacco on health, said the committee had "no statement to make."

Spokesmen for individual cigarette companies said they had "no comment."

Stocks Gain; Tobacco Off

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market generally gained ground today as investors interpreted the Federal Reserve Board's reduction of commercial bank reserves as an inflationary gesture.

But tobacco company stocks were under strong selling pressures. Yesterday, the American Cancer Society reported a link between cigarette smoking and cancer and heart disease.

It took nearly three-quarters of an hour for brokers to combine buy and sell orders on American Tobacco. Then the nation's leading tobacco producer opened at \$58 a share on a block of 12,000 shares, of \$3.50 from the last sale and a new 1954 low.

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Hiccups Finally Cease After Two Rough Weeks

After two weeks of intermittent hiccupping, Jack Skinner, bookkeeper in the municipal accountant's office, had ceased his spasms and was back at home today.

Mr. Skinner, who began hiccupping while at his work two weeks ago yesterday, had been under treatment at Memorial Hospital.

The hiccups halted almost as quickly as they began yesterday morning and Mr. Skinner was able to return to his home on Lexington Ave. yesterday afternoon.

OUR WEATHER

Fair weather and hot through tomorrow.

High temperature yesterday 90 degrees.

High temperature expected tonight 85 degrees.

Low temperature this morning 68 degrees.

Low temperature expected tonight 67 degrees.

Sunrise 5:08 a.m.; sunset 7:41 p.m.

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