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DULLES ASKED FOR MIDEAST WHITE PAPER

Fulbright Demands Policy Explanation

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Fulbright (D-Ark) demanded today that Secretary of State Dulles submit an official "White Paper" justifying his conduct of American foreign policy in the Middle East.

Sen. Morse (D-Ore) backed Fulbright's move as a means of forcing Dulles to explain more clearly to Congress why special military-economic authority is needed to deal with Communist threats in the Mideast.

Fulbright voiced his demand as senators were questioning Dulles on the administration's program.

Dulles had pleaded particularly that Congress give President Eisenhower a free hand to spend 200 million dollars on military and economic aid to middle east nations.

RUSSELL PRESSES
Pressed by Sen. Russell (D-Ga) for more information on how the military would be spent, Dulles told a Senate hearing:

"If we have to pinpoint everything we propose to do, this program will not serve its purpose. If Congress is not willing to trust the President to the extent he asks, we can't win this battle."

Dulles said too that the Middle East situation could end in "a great disaster to the United States" if Eisenhower was not given the military and economic powers he asks.

Eisenhower asked authority to send in U.S. troops against any Communist aggression in the Middle East, and approval for spending up to 200 million dollars out of available funds this year on economic aid.

Sen. Humphrey (D-Min) said Senate opposition "is beginning to disintegrate" despite "grave doubts some of us have about what the administration proposes to do."

BUILDING UP
Sen. Aiken (R-Vt.) said in a separate interview that support for the administration's resolution "has been building up steadily ever since the Russians and Reds began to get out of the Munich game and threatening to defend the Middle East against aggression from the East."

Both Humphrey and Aiken are members of the Foreign Relations Committee.

The House Foreign Affairs Committee drove toward completion of its work on the Middle East resolution. There were no indications the legislative product would follow administration proposals rather closely.

Chairman Gordon (D-Ill.) said prospects looked "good" for completing action by nightfall.

The House group yesterday was tentatively a stipulation that the proposed economic aid should go to any nation or group of nations in the area "desiring such assistance."



Weeping Mrs. Grimes Is Comforted by Friend.

Chicago Slayings

Dishwasher Enters Double Death Case

CHICAGO (AP)—Police confirmed by the mystery killing of two teen-agers girls checked into a restaurant owner's report today that she had seen the girls with one of her dishwashers.

Mrs. Minnie Durso said she knew the man only as "Benny" and that she had seen him with Barbara Grimes, 15, and her sister, Patricia, 14, about three weeks ago. They disappeared from home Dec. 28.

The girls' male bodies were found on a road Tuesday. A five-hour examination of the bodies yesterday failed to yield the cause of their deaths.

Mrs. Durso told newsmen that Sheriff Joseph Lohman appeared at her place last night with Benny. She identified him as the man with whom she had seen the girls, she said, and Lohman drove off.

Lt. John Kogger of Chicago police led the woman's information to an angle he was working on. Kogger said a Negro taxi driver told him he had seen the girls in the restaurant and placed the date at Jan. 6.

POLICE TOLD
The cabman is Rene Voldis Echols, 27, who said he took the information to police after learning the girls were dead. Mrs. Durso said she did not come forward with her information earlier, Kogger related, because there had been so many false sightings of the girls reported up to then.

The lieutenant said Echols told him the girls were with a man

when he saw them. The younger, Patricia, appeared sick as if from liquor or narcotics. When they left the restaurant, the taxi driver added, the younger girl said, "No, I don't want to go." In their long, minute examination of the girls' deaths, FBI pathologists could not estimate the date of the girls' deaths. "This is one of the roughest cases I've ever seen in my years with the coroner's office," said Dr. Jerry Kearns, chief pathologist at St. Elizabeth's Hospital and former pathologist for many years for the coroner's office. "The murderer in this case was diabolically clever," Kearns said. He used a method which was unable to detect. Perhaps he is a person trained in chemistry and with a knowledge of unusual poisons.

Meanwhile, Donald S. Hostetter, FBI chief in Chicago, said a demanded note sent to the girls' mother, Mrs. Loretta Grimes, 48, was being investigated. He said the FBI entered the case Jan. 7 after Grimes received the first of nine notes concerning her daughters, then listed as missing. Mrs. Grimes is divorced from the girls' father, Joseph, 48, a truck driver.

Missing Plane Found Crashed In Mountains

No Sign Of Life Reported

ROME, N. Y. (AP)—An Air Force tanker plane missing since Tuesday night with seven men aboard was found today in the Adirondack Mountains north of here.

State Police said no sign of life had been reported. A rescue party set out in hope these might be survivors. Police said a helicopter had spotted the plane near Atwell, about 40 miles north of this central New York city.

GRIFISS DESTINATION
The KC97 tanker last was heard from over Griffiss Air Force Base here. Griffiss is its destination after a training flight from Westover Air Force Base, Miss. Griffiss control tower told the plane by radio Tuesday at 7:45 a.m. to leave the approach pattern over the field and let another plane land first.

The tanker was no further contact with the tanker. The Air Force said it had received many telephone calls last night from mountain dwellers that flames and fires had been sighted in the densely wooded area.

Twenty-eight Air Force planes flew over the area today, while searches on the ground followed through the rugged, snow-covered terrain.

The tanker was the type used to refuel bombers of the Strategic Air Command in flight.

IDENTIFIED BY UNCLE
Richard was identified by an uncle, William W. Austin, a real estate broker. Police, firemen and volunteers yesterday broke through the river ice with pneumatic hammers in the search. Philip and Martha were frozen, their arms outstretched.

The youngsters apparently fell through a soft spot in the ice near a dam a quarter of a mile away and were carried downstream by currents, police said.

SECRETARIES GROUP LISTS IDEAL BOSS
LOS ANGELES (AP)—The Los Angeles chapter of the National Secretaries Assn. says these are some qualifications of the ideal boss:

"Always remember your secretary has your best interests at heart." "Turn your back when she comes in late and think of all the hours she has worked overtime." "Don't ask her to work on her day off; she probably needs the rest."

When dictating, don't shove, have your chair set, shoes shined, chew gum or smoke a cigar." "And above all, take her to lunch once in a while—she can't afford to eat out on her salary."

PRISONERS PROVE REAL 'PEN PALS'
DANVILLE, Ky. (AP)—Eight self-tagged "veterans of jails and penitentiaries across the United States" have rallied to defense of their host—Boyle County jailer Joe Edwards.

"We know what we are talking about," they wrote in a letter to the editor of the local Advocate-Messenger, answering criticism of jail conditions made by the county grand jury.

Mr. Edwards is one of the best jailers we have ever seen," wrote they. "He does his job to the best of his ability and handles the prisoners with human respect. This is one of the cleanest jails we were ever in. The food here is a lot better than over at the workhouse. The grub over there is so rough you have to wear gloves to eat it."

Our Weather
Partly cloudy to cloudy and cold today, tonight and Friday. Occasional light rain Friday.

More Weather Data on Page 2-A
Select Foremost Milk Products at your favorite store.—Adv.

Man Wins First Round In Battle With Machine

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—William C. Rose, a 230-pounder who drinks his whiskey straight—and often—proved in court he can down 20 slugs without getting drunk.

Whether he drank himself scot free of a drunken driving charge still is undetermined. City Court Judge Francis A. Sobieski said he probably will hand down a decision tomorrow.

Rose hoped to prove that a reading by the city's drunkometer was no accurate measure of a man's ability to hold his liquor and still drive a car safely.

The 44-year-old apartment house manager who likes his pint of spirits every day, was arrested Dec. 15. Tested by the drunkometer, his reading came at 248. A person who gets a reading of .150—which indicates 150 thousandths of 1 per cent of alcohol in the bloodstream—is considered drunk within the meaning of the law.

Rose and his attorneys challenged the accuracy of the drunkometer. The judge agreed to a courtroom test.

Tons Of Rock Crush Worker

BELLEFONTE, Pa. (AP)—A 50-year-old power shovel operator was found crushed to death today under tons of stone which buried him almost 20 hours earlier when the 75-foot high walls of a quarry collapsed.

The battered body of Floyd Hockenberry was found by a dozen workmen who labored through the night in a rescue effort that required the removal of nearly 100 tons of stone and earth.

Another worker, Lee Shaffer, 35, died shortly after he crawled from beneath rock and earth which cascaded from the sides of the quarry yesterday afternoon.

The slide occurred yesterday afternoon at a quarry operated by the Valley View Lime Co., about 10 miles from Bellefonte in a rugged mountain area of central Pennsylvania.

House Asks For Details On Budget

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House Appropriations Committee summoned Budget Director Percival Brundage today for a detailed discussion of next year's federal budget.

But members expected as little help from Brundage as they claimed to have received yesterday from Secretary of the Treasury George Humphrey in their announced efforts to find cuts which can be made safely.

President Eisenhower last week proposed a \$71,800,000,000 spending budget for the year starting July 1. At that time, Humphrey said cuts could be made. He predicted a future depression unless the upward trend of spending is reversed. But he defended the budget as the best that could be offered at this time.

DUTY TO CUT
Eisenhower, at his news conference yesterday, discounted the possibility of a major depression but agreed with Humphrey that if congressional committees can find places to cut the spending figures "it is their duty to do it."

Neither Eisenhower nor Humphrey suggested specific places for cuts. Humphrey took the same approach before the committee yesterday.

"His testimony was educational and interesting, of no practical advantage to the committee in processing this budget," Chairman Cannon (D-Mo.) told newsmen. "We're just as much at sea as we were before we heard him. He didn't point out where we could cut and he didn't say I'm in favor of cutting everything we can but until I find out more about it I'm not setting any figure."

Rep. Tabor (R-Ny), senior GOP member, said, "Mr. Humphrey indicated that if the budget should be lower but did not say where it could be cut." Tabor himself expressed the opinion "it will come from one to three billion dollars."

Humphrey told newsmen after his testimony he still hoped Congress and the executive departments would find ways to cut spending but declined to pinpoint where economies could be effected.

In the Senate, Sen. Humphrey (D-Min) said that if Secretary Humphrey couldn't support the President's budget he ought to resign.

Eisenhower told his news conference "there would be no limit" to what the government would do to combat a serious economic downturn, so long as it acted within the Constitution.

Evening Prayer
O God, Thou hast purposed that we should "come to the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man." Help us as a people to present to mankind the ideal community in Christ. In His name. Amen.

UTILITY EMPLOYEE IN THE RUNNING
Who'll Get 'Mad Bomber' Reward Cash?
NEW YORK (AP)—Police Commissioner Stephen P. Kennedy has conceded that it was an employee of the Consolidated Edison Co. — not one of his detectives — who turned up the documents that led to the arrest of George Metesky as the "mad bomber."

Kennedy also concedes that police did not personally examine the documents until Monday morning, although they were notified Friday afternoon of the content of the discovery.



RICHARD JOHNSON MARTHA JOHNSON PHILLIP HARRINGTON

Third Body Found 500 Feet Downstream From Other Two

GRANFORD, N. J. (AP)—The body of a 5-year-old boy was recovered from the chilly Rahway River today — just 500 feet downstream from the spot where grappers last night found his frozen sister and a playmate.

A first aid ambulance squad worker spotted the body of Richard Gray, a Democrat and longtime office holder, has been selected to replace Arthur S. Flemming as director of the Office of Defense Mobilization.

The New York Herald Tribune printed a somewhat similar story. Formal White House announcement of the appointment expected soon, a Washington dispatch to the Times said.

Gray, Secretary of the Army in the Truman administration, now is Assistant Secretary of Defense for international security affairs. He is a North Carolina publisher and educator.

The Times said that with the forthcoming appointment Gray will become one of the few Democrats to attain high office in the Eisenhower administration."

The Times dispatch also said: "Flemming whose resignation had been generally anticipated for the past few days, is expected to return to Ohio Wesleyan University, where he was serving as Eisenhower's team."

The defense mobilization post, while not a cabinet position, has cabinet rank. Its holder sits in cabinet meetings and is, by law, a member of the national security council.

Gray is highly regarded by members of both political parties, and hence his confirmation in the new post by the senate is not expected to be delayed. Gray, a 47-year-old native of Baltimore, was President of the University of North Carolina when President Eisenhower brought him back into government service in the summer of 1955.

Gray was reared in North Carolina and was educated at the state university and at Yale, where he received a law degree.

32 BOMBS
Metesky, a mild - mannered



WILLIAM C. ROSE

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