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SEEKS CURB ON COMMIE AGGRESSION

President Takes Request To Joint Congress Session

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower today asked Congress for advance authority to use American troops to curb any "ambitious despots" or "power-hungry Communists" who might resort to "armed aggression" in the Middle East.

In a special message prepared for personal delivery to a joint session of the Senate and House, Eisenhower also said he will spend 400 million dollars in economic aid funds for the trouble-ridden Middle East. The money would be spent over a two-year period.

REGIONAL PROGRAM

His message, carried nationwide on television and radio, also asked Congress to authorize a regional program of "military assistance and cooperation" with any nation or group of nations which desires such aid.

Eisenhower said his program is designed to deal with any case of Communist aggression in the Middle East, either direct or indirect.

He said it would authorize "employment of the armed forces of the United States to secure and protect the territorial integrity and political independence of such nations, requesting such aid against overt armed aggression from any nation controlled by international communism."

Eisenhower did not mention Russia by name at that point but he did in other sections of his 3,200-word message—making it clear that the administration program is directed against any aggression or Communist subversion directly or indirectly led by the Soviet Union.

POWER POLITICS

At another point, the President said, "The reason for Russia's interest in the Middle East is solely that of power politics."

He added: "Considering her announced purpose of communicating the world it is easy to understand her hope of dominating the Middle East."

Eisenhower also said: "The Soviet Union has nothing whatsoever to fear from the United States in the Middle East, or anywhere else in the world, so long as its rulers do not themselves first resort to aggression. That statement I make solemnly and emphatically."

There was general belief in Congress that Eisenhower will let the standby authority he seeks to use American troops to counter any direct Communist aggression in the Middle East. But it appeared likely that Congress would weigh the request for weeks, possibly making a number of changes in the language.

In outlining his three-point program—calling for possible use of U. S. troops, military assistance, and economic aid—Eisenhower said:

"This program will not solve all the problems of the Middle East." He said, for example, he would like to see such problems as the Arab dispute for handling in the United Nations—and we are supporting the United Nations."

Eisenhower told the lawmakers he intends "promptly to send a special mission to the Middle East to explain the cooperation we are prepared to give" nations of that area.

PURPOSE DISTORTED

He said Communist propagandists already are "grossly distorting our purpose" in the new program.

Declaring the Middle East "has become a battleground," he said.

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Wrecked Cars Wait To Be Moved At Woodlawn And Pineville Rds.

Five Persons Hurt In Two-Car Crash

Five persons were injured, one seriously, in a two-car wreck at Pineville and Woodlawn Rds. just south of the city limits about 11 a. m. today.

Most seriously hurt was Mrs. Mary Lou Helig, 24, of High Point. Hospital authorities said she suffered severe head injuries.

County police said the accident occurred when a car driven by a Ft. Benning soldier ran through a red light at the intersection and rammed into a station wagon driven by a Charlotte man.

Also injured in the accident were Hoyt Calvin Zachary, 23, a Fort Benning soldier who lives in High Point, head injuries.

Mrs. Opal Zachary, 18, identified as Zachary's wife, head cuts. James Collins, a Fort Benning soldier, home address unknown.

Police said Zachary will be charged with reckless driving and assault with a deadly weapon (auto).

back and shoulder injuries. Mary Ann McGinn, a daughter of Robert Lee McGinn of 3922 Park Rd., Charlotte, face cuts.

Police officers Hall and Abernathy said witnesses told them the station wagon, driven by Mr. McGinn, was crossing Pineville Rd. with the green light when the accident happened. Mr. McGinn was not injured in the wreck, police said.

Except for McGinn's daughter, all the other injured were in the car which was heading south on the Pineville Rd.

Police identified Hoyt Zachary as the driver of the car which was going south on Pineville Rd. They said he and his companions were returning to Fort Benning after a holiday leave and were due back at midnight.

Both cars were badly damaged in the wreck, police said. One car was smashed to the side with such force that it ripped up a portion of the curbing at the corner.

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Strictly Political

Hodges' Trip To N. Y. Was On Up And Up

By JULIAN SCHIEER
Charlotte News Staff Writer

That trip Gov. Hodges took to New York last weekend combined business and pleasure.

But there were a few excitements around when the trip was announced. An Associated Press story out of Raleigh last Thursday said the Governor, Mrs. Hodges and handsome young Luther Jr., were off to New York City for a few days.

The story quoted the Governor's office as saying the trip was strictly pleasure. The next line added, "They left by an Air National Guard plane."

Pleasure? Air National Guard? It didn't sound nice and there were some rumblings.

A check with Gov. Hodges on Monday found him ready to set the record straight. It was too bad about the story—but it was a business trip.

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A special legislative committee made an examination of the state tax structure. Bills will be introduced.

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Evening Prayer

O Lord, Thou hast made us and art ever ready to remake us. Thou hast forgiven our sins and cleansed our hearts many times. We pray for forgiveness and cleansing once more. Make us new creatures in Christ. Grant us new love for our fellowmen, new joy in living for Thee in Christ's name. Amen.

Actress Is Found On Desert Road

'The Body' Slightly Injured

INDIO, Calif. (AP)—Be-draggled, hysterical and slightly injured, Hollywood actress Marie (The Body) McDonald was found in her night clothing on a desert highway near this southeastern California city last night.

Sheriff's deputies said she told them two kidnappers had pushed her out of a car after a high speed ride from Los Angeles.

The voluptuous Hollywood figure appeared in the lights of an oncoming truck as she stumbled across the highway east of here, some 150 miles from her home.

GIVEN SEDATIVES
Miss McDonald vanished from her elaborate residence in the Los Angeles suburb of Encino early Friday morning. Three times yesterday she telephoned friends to say that she had been kidnaped and was being held captive by two men.

She reportedly described her captors in one of the phone calls as a Negro and a Mexican.

Miss McDonald was brought to a hospital here and placed under sedatives. No one was permitted to talk to her.

Detectives, who rushed from Los Angeles upon word that she had been found, waited to question her.

Detective Lt. Ernie Johnston, after talking to doctors, said: "Her condition is not serious. Her physician said she was in a state of mild shock when brought in. She was quite hysterical."

CRACKED TEETH
"She has an injury to the mouth—her two front teeth are cracked and her upper lip is swollen. The cracked teeth exposed the nerves. When she came in, they gave her a glass of water and it caused great pain when the water touched the nerves."

"She has no bruises. In addition to the cracked teeth, she has a small abrasion on the left knee and an abrasion on the inside of the right foot."

Johnston said that after talking to Miss McDonald, officers would be found to search for clues.

NO LEADS
"We have no leads," Johnston said. "We have no descriptions. We don't want to get when we talk to her."

Johnston said he had no doubt that Miss McDonald had been kidnaped. Earlier, the puzzling circumstances of the disappearance.

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Marie McDonald, Children Dance (left), Harrison.

Spot Check Reveals Light Voting For School Bonds

Mecklenburg County schools were 79 of the registered 3,200 persons had turned out to vote.

A spot check of 28 of the 59 precincts at 11 a.m. showed only five voters out of 1,750 were reported by 11 a.m. Registrar Mrs. M. S. Ward called the voting "the lightest" she's seen in 18 years.

There were many people in the Courthouse listing taxes this morning as the few voters marked ballots in the school bond election, Mrs. Ward said.

The two proposals on the ballot which has been called "crucial" by school and PTA officials, were as follows:

The first proposal would allow the county to issue \$5 million in bonds for construction of new schools in the heavily populated perimeter area and additions to existing ones.

The second would transfer the city bond debt to the county, raise the bonded indebtedness limit from five per cent to eight per cent and enable the county to issue up to \$20 million more in bonds after a further vote of the people.

CHAIRMAN REMARKS
County School Board Chairman W. Banks McClinton recently remarked "If this thing doesn't pass, we may have to send our children to school in caves."

If the proposals pass school officials hope to translate much of the money into buildings by fall. To heighten voter interest, PTA members were busy last night telephoning parents. And children brought home notes from school urging parents to turn out and vote.

The cloudy and drizzly weather began clearing up late this morning and registrars said more people were beginning to come in.

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