



Changes Asked

WASHINGTON (AP)—American for Democratic Action (ADA) called on congress today to reject what it called the "Eisenhower as usual" policies and adopt "bold, far-reaching programs" costing increased billions of dollars.

Armed Reds Seen

BERLIN (AP)—Russian soldiers armed with machine pistols have suddenly been called out for duty in East Berlin. The soldiers were guarding border crossing points between East and West Berlin, and patrolling main streets.

Held By Police

TOKYO (AP)—A Formosan independence advocate said here today he was held incommunicado for six days by Egyptian police to prevent his attending the Asian-African conference in Cairo.

Arms Purchased

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP)—Newspapers reported today that Indonesia had made an arms purchase from the Soviet Union. Maj. Harsono, Army spokesman, declined to comment.

Guardsmen Back

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. (AP)—Federalized state guardsmen, who returned to Central High School yesterday after an absence of nearly two weeks, walked familiar paths today as students came back from their Christmas holidays.

Cooperation Urged

BERLIN (AP)—Arab and Communist East German labor leaders today announced a joint declaration calling for cooperation between their unions.

Boone, Gun Traveling On Video

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You'll Be In Line Longer This Time

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Nobody had to look at the calendar to tell what date this is. The long line of people at the Carolina Motor Club at 701 S. Tryon tells us it's Jan. 2. This is the date new state and city auto license tags went on sale.

IT'S TRADITION

Then, according to tradition, the line will thin out, not to come long again until a week or so before the deadline Feb. 15.

Dewey Lee Witherspoon of 845 Belmont Ave. purchased the first plate.

He was issued license AL 5301. Mr. Pickard stood by the front door this morning, letting a few persons into the building at a time.

No one got in unless he had the FS-1 form, showing his vehicle was covered by liability insurance.

"No use in them coming down here without it," said Mr. Pickard. "We can't sell them a license unless they have it."

As of 11:30 a. m. only three persons had been turned away for this reason.

Persons who desire to post a \$11,000 bond instead of buying liability insurance can do so but must go to Raleigh to do it.

EXTRA DOLLAR

Vehicle owners also found they had to pay an extra dollar to finance the State's new program

of driver safety education.

All the new requirements, the result of new laws passed by the last Legislature, slowed work of issuing tags and added a host of new duties to three clerks.

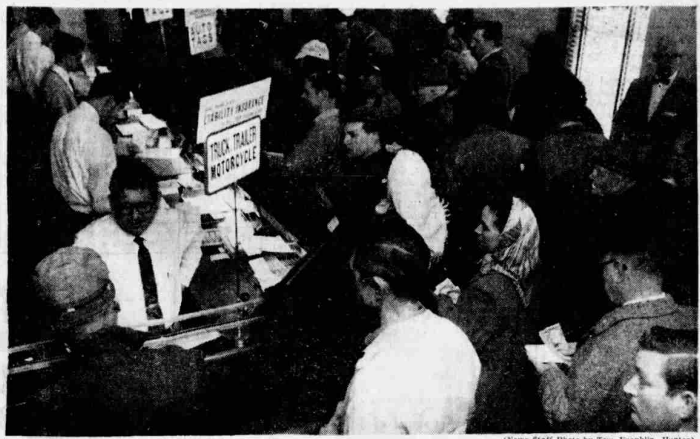
"We have had times as much work to do," said Mr. Pickard.

First, clerks had to check to make certain the applicant had listed necessary information such as his present county, on his license registration card.

Then the FS-1 has to be checked against the vehicle registration to make certain listed numbers are the same. After that the clerk must collect the extra dollar for driver education as well as the standard license fee.

On opening day of the 1957 license sale last year, the motor

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Part Of The Line Of License-Seekers That Formed At Carolina Motor Club This Morning.

Congress Junket Expense Reports To Be Released

WASHINGTON (AP)—Chairman Burleson (D-Tex.) said today the House Administration Committee soon will make public summaries of amounts

9 Persons Die In Head-On Auto Crash

EUREKA, S. D. (AP)—A head-on auto crash killed nine persons, including the parents and four children of one family, near here early today. Two other persons were injured.

The South Dakota Motor Patrol identified the dead as: Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beck, each about 40, Eureka; and four of their children, ages 2 to 13; and Marvin Neuharth, 18, driver of the second car, Clyde Krain, 15, and Larry Wiedmeier, 15, all of Eureka, riding in the Neuharth car.

Two other Beck children, 6 and 15 years old, were taken to Eureka Hospital. Their condition was described as fair.

Eight of the victims died in the wreckage. The Wiedmeier youth died in a Eureka hospital.

Sheriff Irvine C. Muehlbauer said the impact mangled the two cars. "It was a straight, level, flat stretch of road and it was a clear, moonlight night," the sheriff said, "but somebody got careless."

The Becks were returning to their farm home after visiting relatives on New Year's Day. Authorities said the youths in the Neuharth car apparently were just out riding. All attended Eureka High School.

The death toll equaled the worst traffic crash in the history of the state, the patrol said. A similar collision in August 1956 also killed nine persons, including five members of one family.

Reds Visit India

VIENNA (AP)—Communist Czechoslovakia's Prime Minister Vilem Smolky and Foreign Minister Vaclav David left by air today for an official visit to India.

But Burleson indicated the figures given out would not show how much any individual House or Senate member used out of the counterpart funds. These funds are in foreign currencies put up to match American foreign aid programs.

The spending data—probably by committee totals without any names—would parallel the limited information made public in the aftermath of the 1955 row over reported high spending in what was then a record year for congressional travels abroad.

Burleson spoke in an interview after an informal survey showed 1957 was another banner year for what the congressmen themselves commonly call junkets.

The incomplete count, gathered from committee and other sources, indicated that more than 180 House and Senate members journeyed outside the continental United States in 1957. The 1955 count was more than 200.

Some members declined to give any information on the politically touchy subject, and it could not be determined whether last year's total exceeded the 1955 record.

The 190 total of announced travels was fairly evenly divided, 87 Democrats and 83 Republicans. The House supplied 139 of the tourists and the Senate 41.

Many congressmen say their foreign travels are valuable and necessary to their task of helping direct the U. S. government with its far-flung activities, and that they do a lot of work on their trips. Others call the tours joyrides at the expense of the U. S. government. Some go alone, others in groups.

The counterpart fund arrangement for congressmen was described as working like this: Legation overseas can sign for counterpart funds but do not have to report how they spend it, as executive branch officers do. Their nonitemized receipts go to the State Department. They are accountable only to their committees for how they spend the money, and practices vary from committee to committee.



Florida Police Bring Teen-Age Texas "Pirates" Ashore From Yacht.

Little Dogies Family, Boat Freed Teen-Age 'Pirates' Captured By Police

KEY WEST, Fla. (AP)—A Wintermore fuel, obtainable only the next morning. The Fiesta II went into Idanor for fuel and while it lay there, young David managed to slip ashore momentarily with a note which he handed to Murry Cribb, a docker. The note said: "We are being held at gunpoint. Get help."

Cribb rushed to a garage nearby and telephoned the sheriff's department. Monroe County deputies borrowed a motorboat and gave chase about 10 minutes after the Fiesta II got to sea with David peering anxiously astern for signs of rescue and his mother frantically waving from a cabin doorway to watchers who already were hurrying to the dock.

YACHT OVERHAULED

Deputies Norman Parker and John Hovey overhauled the yacht and as they came aboard, the Texas teen-agers dropped their guns overboard and surrendered.

LT. Rene Raiole of the sheriff's department said the boys, before ordering Sax to sea, loaded his yacht with such a collection of goods that the Fiesta II actually sank on a lot.

Among the articles were: a stove, barbecue equipment, ammunition, blankets, food and motor fuel.

Raiole said the lads told him they ran away from home Saturday and drove to St. Petersburg for Mexico. He persuaded them to let an automobile owned by the would-be necessary to take on parents of one lad.

USED 22 RIFLE

The three youths boarded the sumptuous 40-foot power yacht, the Fiesta II, at Craig in the Keys New Year's Eve. They pointed a 22-caliber rifle at the Saxses and said, "Keep quiet, we'll tell you what to do," Sax related.

"They were polite and didn't use any foul language," he said, "but they kept the gun on me and my wife and made me do what they wanted."

Sax said the boys first insisted they should take off right away for Mexico. He persuaded them to let an automobile owned by the would-be necessary to take on parents of one lad.

Evening Prayer

Our Father, grant us hearts of love. Help us to be willing to sacrifice for Thy kingdom. Help us to encourage our youth to hear and to accept the challenge of Christian service. In the Master's name. Amen.

BEARD NOTHING

"We didn't hear anything last night," Mr. Morris said, but the cattle were gone when we went out to check them this morning.

Mr. Morris said this is the first time any large-scale thievery has taken place at his company.

"We've had several small thefts but we were always lucky enough to catch the thieves before they managed to get away," he said.

"But today times are hard. They stole those cattle last night right out from under our noses," he said.

"I don't know if people objecting to Negroes going to the drive-in have anything to do with the fire and the explosion or not."

"But I still don't know how my fire started. I'm mixed up about it. I just thought it was a fire cracker or something."

"But we went down there that morning and found out it had been dynamited."

"I don't know if people objecting to Negroes going to the drive-in have anything to do with the fire and the explosion or not."

FIRES AT HOME

Mrs. Fowler told The News today that on the night of Dec. 22 she awoke to find her barn and three trucks on fire.

"We haven't been able to find out what caused this fire out here at my house," Mrs. Fowler said, "but police have been out here at times looking at the place."

Mrs. Fowler said Negroes had been going to the drive-in "for the last several months."

"I don't know if this dynamite had anything to do with allowing Negroes in the drive-in," Mrs. Briggs said, "because we haven't had any trouble out there at all."

"This blast could accidentally

have something to do with this strike," he said, "but I doubt it because I haven't had any other trouble out there."

Mrs. Briggs leases the drive-in from Mrs. Nettie Fowler who lives near the theater on Old Monroe Rd.

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Scattered 'Mopups' Continue

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP)—The government of President Marcos Perez Jimenez announced today that it had crushed an Air Force revolt in less than 24 hours.

The army chief of staff, Gen. Romulo Fernandez, in a broadcast said the rebellious garrison at Maracay, center of the revolt, had been taken by government forces at 2:30 a. m.

Independent reports from Venezuela today indicated the government still is not in complete control of the uprising.

These reports in diplomatic circles said a rebel radio station appeared to be still in operation at Los Teques on the outskirts of Caracas, the capital.

Fernandez added, however, that scattered pockets of rebels were being mopped up.

The army chief repeated the claim by President Perez Jimenez in a broadcast last night that the rest of the country—the world's No. 2 oil producer—was completely calm.

FLEE BY AIR

Fernandez said that the rebel leaders fled by air. He reported that Amado Ferrero Tamayo, commander of the Maracay garrison and governor of the state of Aragua, had been restored to his post along with his chief aide, Maracay is the capital of Aragua state.

Ferrero Tamayo and other officials had been seized by rebel troops at 5 a. m. yesterday, Fernandez said.

At 4 a. m. this morning, Fernandez continued, 25 air force planes from bases at Palonegro and Boca del Rio in Maracay were in the service of the government.

In Caracas itself, streetlights were turned on, ending the blackout imposed by the government as a defense against rebel planes.

Air force units at Maracay launched a sudden rebellion against the government early New Year's Day, sending jet planes 30 miles east from Maracay to Caracas, the capital, before dawn.

RAIDER HIT

Perez Jimenez said anticraft fire hit one of the raiders and forced it to land at this skyscraper city airport.

The President told the nation in a broadcast that the rebels at Maracay were disorganized from lack of a single command and warned the airman to give up their fight or be slaughtered. The nation's principal airport is at Maracay.

The short, pudgy Venezuelan general won another five-year term only last Dec. 15 in a plebiscite which gave the voters a chance to vote only yes or no. He had no opponent.

The revolt caught the government unprepared during the early morning while New Year's Eve revelry was still going on. For hours the only countermeasures were the ack-ack fire and a steady stream of threats and cajolery by the government radio.



PRESIDENT JIMENEZ

Forecast: Even Colder Tomorrow

A cold front that swept out of the snow-custed plains states brought winter back to the Carolinas today.

The cold air poured through the mountain gaps to the west to give the Charlotte area its most severe weather since the bitter blast of mid-December.

The temperature dropped to 20 degrees at Charlotte airport and the Weather Bureau said tomorrow morning may be even colder.

A low of 18 degrees is forecast for this city tomorrow, with the Carolinas hard in the grip of the first cold snap of the new year.

The Weather Bureau, promising fair skies through tomorrow, said the mercury will hit 40 degrees this afternoon, with a warmer 42 seen for tomorrow.

The cold front rode in on a light breeze that permitted only a light frost formation in Charlotte. In Asheville, where the mercury dropped to 15, there was a trace of snow.

In Crossville, Tenn., just east of Knoxville, the temperature dropped to 5 degrees. It was 17 in Hickory and Anderson, S. C., and 19 in Athens, Ga. Greensboro and Winston-Salem both reported 19, but Columbia, S. C., had 28.

Sunny and cold today, clear and cold again tonight. Friday continued fair and cold.

Low this morning 20
High today 40
High tomorrow 42
Low tomorrow 20

Sunrise today 7:31 a.m.; sunset today 5:21 p.m.

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Today's Weather

FREEZING