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## Border Fighting

JERUSALEM (AP)—Israelis and Syrians battled with tanks and mortars on the Syrian border area today, an Israeli Army spokesman said.

## Blackball Threat

HAVANA, Cuba (AP)—The big pro-government Cuban Confederation of Labor threatened today to blackball any workers who answer rebel leader Fidel Castro's call for a general strike.

## Talk Conditions

PARIS (AP)—The Western Big Three today set a note to Russia agreeing to a summit conference if diplomatic negotiations plus a foreign ministers meeting come first, diplomats here said.

## 5 Hospitalized

BROWNSVILLE, Tex. (AP)—Five of 35 hunger-stricken Cuban rebel sympathizers were in a hospital today suffering from the effects of four days without food. The other 30 again refused breakfast in the Cameron County Jail.

## Ford, AWW Talk

DETROIT (AP)—Ford and the United Auto Workers Union go to bat today in the defense of the new and vital labor contract negotiations in the auto industry's "big three."

## Bulgarian Banker

MOSCOW (AP)—Premier Nikita Khrushchev today appointed former Premier Nikola Bulganin head of the Soviet State Bank and announced most of Bulganin's old cabinet members and key executives had been retained.

## Jap Budget OK'd

TOKYO (AP)—The upper house of the Japanese Parliament approved a government budget equivalent to nearly \$3,645,000,000 today, a few hours before the beginning of the 1958 fiscal year. The lower house approved it March 4.

## High Payroll Point

WASHINGTON (AP)—Sen. Byrd (D-Va.) reported today that the federal civilian payroll hit an all-time peak in January at \$1,007,000,000.

## Korean Vote Set

SEOUL, Korea (AP)—President Syngman Rhee's government today announced elections will be held May 2 for a new National Assembly. Candidates have until April 10 to file for the 233 seats.

## Holy Week Services

HOLY Week services will be held at St. Luke's Lutheran Church all this week. "Meditations on the Words of Christ from the Cross" will be the subject of the 7:45 p. m. services. Holy Communion will be held Wednesday and Thursday.

## Today's Weather

Cloudy with rain diminishing this morning and becoming partly cloudy tonight. Tuesday mostly fair. Low tomorrow morning—41. Low tomorrow—42. High today—56. High yesterday—54. High tomorrow—54. Sunrise today 6:12 a. m.; sunset today 6:43 p. m.

# HOLY WEEK—I Why Christ Will Outlast The Kremlin

By DR. RALPH W. SOCKMAN  
SOME YEARS AGO I sat one evening on the Mount of Olives looking across the city of Jerusalem. In my imagination I pictured the royal personages who had once moved through the streets of the Holy City. I thought of David's gallant figure as he fought for his beloved capital and dreamed designs of his temple. I thought of King Solomon and the splendors of his reign which have stirred the hearts of my Jewish friends ever since.

My mind encompassed also the Crusaders who came to rescue Jerusalem from the Moslem Turks in the name of the Christian kings of Europe. I recalled the breach in the Jerusalem wall made a generation ago to permit the royal entrance of the proud German Kaiser Wilhelm.

AND THEN I thought came down to World War I when the British General Allenby entered the conquered city on foot. The city of Jerusalem has seen many kinds and conquerors.

But why was I sitting there pondering the fact? What had brought me and the thousands of other pilgrims then, as always, thronging the city? Not the mere desire to see the site of David's citadel and Solomon's temple, nor to see the scars of the Crusaders and the tracks of Kaiser Wilhelm and General Allenby.

No, I had come because of another who was called a King—one who had entered the city of Jerusalem on a certain first day of the week now popularly called Palm Sunday.

Compared with other historic entrances, that Palm Sunday procession gave the least promise of lasting force. The followers of Jesus melted away in the next few days as the first flakes of snow melted quickly on a wet sidewalk. By Friday the little town was over.

But behold a scene a decade or two later. Two missionaries named Paul and Silas had come in their preaching tour to the town of Thessalonica in Greece. On their Sabbath day they had preached in the synagogue of that city, trying to convince the people that Jesus, the crucified Christ, was the Christ. Many believed. But the enemies of Paul gathered a mob and made an uproar before the house of God where Paul was staying. And they dragged Paul before the city officials, charging:

"These that have turned the world upside down are come hither also, whom Jason has received; and these all do contrary to the decrees of Caesar, saying that there is another King, one Jesus."

HERE, THEN, years after Palm Sunday, we see those early Christians charged with disobeying Caesar because they say there is another King, one Jesus, Caesar, on Rome's imperial throne, certainly did not seem in much danger from this Galilean King with His crown of thorns was to outlast the Caesars.

Why? And why will countless generations be singing to Him, "Lead on, O King Eternal, the day of march has come?" Why do more than 600,000,000 Christians hail Christ as the Eternal King?

## Operation To Employ About 250

By EMERY WISTER  
News Staff Writer

A new textile plant which will provide employment for at least 250 persons will open in the former Kendall Mill in Paw Creek.

Announcement of sale of the plant and 20 acres of land surrounding it was made today. The purchaser was not identified but it is understood to be a new concern.

Hiring of the labor force is not expected to begin until the middle of June or the first of July.

Considerable renovation of the property will be made, this work to be carried out in the next few months.

Planned is a complete operation with weaving, sewing and dyeing and finishing operations.

\$500,000 PRICE

Announcement of the sale of the plant was made by the Southern Division of Frank G. Binswanger Inc., headed here by Cephus Quatbaum. It is understood the sale price was \$500,000.

The Kendall Co., which sold the plant, leased back the space which it is using as a research and development center. This operation is located in a separate building on the grounds.

The announcement came as a first Easter present for the Paw Creek and Thomasboro communities. Many residents had been without employment since the Kendall mill closed in August, 1955.

The new plant is located with enthusiasm all over the city as some persons formerly employed by the old Louise Mill are also employed in the new plant.

The new Kendall building is two and one-half stories high and contains 22,000 square feet. It is surrounded by highways and has rail sidings and truck loading platforms.

J. M. Wasson, chairman of the Charlotte Chamber of Commerce Industrial Committee, hailed the new plant as a boon to the economic life of the area and the expanding industry of the area.

## Farm Freeze Bill Vetoes

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower today vetoed the farm price support freeze bill, calling it "illadvised from the standpoint both of the nation and of our farm families."

In a veto message to Congress, the President said: "With regard to government controls, what the farm economy needs is a thaw rather than a freeze."

Eisenhower's election year decision on the measure came despite appeals from a group many Republicans in Congress had signed the controversial bill.

In announcing his veto, Eisenhower said a five-point program should be undertaken to deal with farm problems. Some sections of that program, embodied in the President's veto message to Congress in January, call for legislation.

## Texas City Blast Kills 3

TEXAS CITY, Tex. (AP)—A chemical plant explosion killed three men yesterday in this Gulf Coast port, where 312 died in 1947's gas next month in a series of ship blasts.

The fire in a two-story brick and steel building blew up at the Union Carbide Chemicals Co. Its force was felt 12 miles away in Galveston.

Those killed were S. V. Order, 29, La Marque, Tex., father of five children; R. E. Stoner, 35, Texas City; and H. F. Smith, 37, Houston.

They were working with 130 men when the blast hit at 7:22 a. m. None of the others were injured. State police estimated damage at about a million dollars.

# Textile Firm Purchases Kendall Mill Property



This Is The Former Kendall Plant. A New Firm Will Operate The Mill

## Reds To Halt Nuclear Arms Tests: Ask West To Follow

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet Union announced today it is halting all hydrogen and atomic weapons tests but demands that the West do the same. It said the production of nuclear weapons is the strongest point of the test ban. If the test ban turns out to be a cold show for the balance in NATO, then that alone is a good point.

Gromyko recalled that last year the Supreme Soviet appealed for an immediate cessation of nuclear tests.

"If other powers possessing atomic weapons continue their tests the Soviet government will consider itself free to resume its tests in the interests of the security of the Soviet Union," he said.

"We sincerely hope that the initiative of the Soviet Union will receive the necessary support of all other parliaments of governments possessing such weapons," Gromyko said.

## Statement Ready

U. S. Doubts Red H-Bomb Test Halt

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States today questioned the reliability of Russia's one-country stop order on H-bomb tests, and called on the Kremlin to operate in that field in an "orderly" manner under the United Nations.

A State Department statement noted that the United Nations' comprehensive first-stage disarmament proposal and called on the nations concerned to begin at once technical studies as to how these proposals might be carried out.

The quick response to today's Moscow announcement said: "The Soviet statement comes on the heels of an intensive series of secret Soviet tests."

Those tests, themselves, it added, "should arouse world opinion to the need to deal in an orderly and dependable way with the testing and related aspects of the disarmament problem."

Moscow's announcement had been anticipated, and the U. S. statement obviously was ready in advance except perhaps in minor detail.

It said Soviet official propaganda "incessantly seeks to create abroad the image of a peace-loving Soviet government."

During the inspection day March 23 more than 200,000 persons tramped over the farm.

The old farmhouse in which Goin alone with his wife and collection of graveyard souvenirs burned to the ground early this month during the height of a century's over building the operation on Palm Sunday. Authorities still are investigating the possibility of arson.

Nothing inside a snow fence that surrounded the charred ruins of the farmhouse was sold.

## Civil Rights Appropriation Fight Brewing

WASHINGTON (AP)—A new civil rights fight, over funds for a six-member investigating commission, shaped up today as House members pushed toward a 10-day Easter recess.

Also on the day's double-up calendar was a bill to speed-up government purchase of up to \$60 million dollars in supplies as an antirecession move.

House leaders hoped to get both proposals behind them by nightfall to make way for consideration tomorrow of a \$2,216,988,539 Agriculture Department appropriation bill.

The Easter vacation starts at the end of Thursday's session and ends April 14.

The civil rights fight is over an Appropriations Committee recommendation for \$750,000 to finance for the year starting July 1 the commission created by the 1957 civil rights law.

SLASH BLOCKED

A 17-17 tie vote in committee last Friday blocked an attempt to cut the allotment to \$600,000 before the House.

Southern Democrats are against providing any money for the commission, whose creation they tried to prevent, but they appeared to be championing a lost cause.

The government purchasing speedup is in the form of a measure to allow civilian government agencies to spend during the next 90 days up to \$640,000,000 to buy equipment, supplies and material they originally intended to purchase after July 1.

## Evening Prayer

O Thou infinitely wise and loving heavenly Father, help us today to say, "Yes, Lord," to all the truth we find in Thy Word, to the revelations from Thy spirit, and to other ways which Thou wouldst use to lead us. In the name of Jesus, who said, "Father, . . . not my will, but Thine, be done." Amen.

## —SOUVENIR HUNTERS SWARM OVER LAND— 2,500 Attend Auction Of Killer's Farm

PLAINFIELD, Wis. (AP)—Souvenir and bargain hunters, 2,500 in all, swarmed over the land of the murderer and gun for hire yesterday, buying anything offered on the auction block.

The 196-acre farm, the half-dormed ramble built by the late John Edgar Sneyd, was sold to Edmond Schey and his partner, Allen Little, of Prairie, Wis., real estate dealers, for \$13,925.

Schey said they planned forestry plantings on the property of the little handyman who admitted slaying two women and plundering of a dozen graves.

Goin is in a hospital for the criminal insane. A Chicago man paid 25 cents for a rusty ax head. Other items sold for cash included old chicken crates, lumber and wagon wheels.

Chief Scales, a junk dealer from Highland, Wis., paid \$215 for the 1948 pickup truck Goin reportedly used to carry the bodies of the two women he killed. Scales said he would keep the truck as a souvenir.

Goin's 1948 two-door Ford sedan brought \$740.