



Khrushchev Informs

MOSCOW (AP) — Premier Nikita Khrushchev, brandishing the giant third Sputnik launched today, told the west it must now come to terms with the Soviet Union.

New Missile Fired

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — A lightning fast missile — reportedly the Air Force's highly secret Bull Goose guided decoy weapon — was fired from the test center today.

Jump Scheduled

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Army said today eight plane loads of paratroopers returning from a quick trip to Puerto Rico would parachute down upon reaching their home base at Ft. Campbell, Ky., this afternoon.

'Gamble' Taken?

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senator Wayne Morse (D-Ore) announced today he will open tomorrow an investigation to determine if federal agencies were "ignorant or knowingly undertaking a gamble" in approving Vice President Nixon's Latin American tour.

De Gaulle Willing

PARIS (AP) — Gen. Charles de Gaulle said today he is ready to serve France if called upon but did not state his conditions. In the past he has always demanded a free hand.

Arms Accusation

LONDON (AP) — Communist China accused the United States today of supplying Indonesia rebel forces with a continuous stream of arms and said such intervention threatens world peace. Peiping Radio broadcast the harshly worded Red Chinese government statement.

Right-To-Work Suit

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — A \$100,000 suit charging violation of Alabama's right-to-work law has been filed here against a local union, two union officials and an affiliated AFL-CIO group. James E. Grier Jr., of Montgomery, contends the defendants conspired to have him fired from his job with a Montgomery plumbing and heating company last June.

Ready For Work

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Civil Rights Commission was set to swing into action today following Senate confirmation of its staff director. Over the opposition of 13 Southern Democrats, the Senate yesterday confirmed Gordon M. Tiffany, former attorney general of New Hampshire.

Russians Put Giant New Sputnik In Skies

MOSCOW (AP) — The Soviet Union today launched its third and largest sputnik, an 11-foot cone weighing nearly a ton and a half.

A special Tass announcement said the new earth satellite, fired in conjunction with the Soviet International Geophysical Year program, was armed with apparatus and instruments for probing the secrets of outer space.

It reported the sputnik was orbiting normally at the edge of one circuit of the earth every 106 minutes and reaching a minimum altitude of 1,100 miles. The exact weight was put at 2,219.53 pounds, or more than double the 1,120-pound weight the Russians reported for Sputnik II.

The new sputnik joins three American satellites circling in outer space, the largest of them weighing 30.8 pounds. Russia's two earlier satellites have re-



Nixon shakes hands with Ike puts arm about Dwight D. Eisenhower at Washington airport just before noon.

Ike Leads Welcome

Thousands Greet Returning Nixon

WASHINGTON (AP) — Vice President Richard Nixon returned to Washington at 10:57 a.m. (EST) today from his riot-marred South American tour and was greeted by a roaring welcome from thousands of well-wishers.

President Eisenhower led a welcoming group that numbered thousands of diplomats, congressional leaders, politicians, college students, and just plain citizens.

As the plane rolled up beside the reception area Eisenhower moved forward to the foot of the stairway to greet the returning vice president.

Pat Nixon, the vice president's wife, was first through the door with Nixon a step behind. The crowd yelled and waved.

It was the kind of greeting a returning hero would receive.

The President stood in the midst of the crush of people, in almost complete disregard of the usual security measures.

The receiving line turned into something approaching a mob scene.

The great show of warmth contrasted with the grim scenes Nixon had so recently left.

Nixon was stoned in Lima, Peru, last week when an anti-United States demonstration got out of hand. This week in Caracas, Venezuela, he was the target of violent mob attacks which some observers felt created a very grave danger to his personal safety.

His trying adventures had been seized upon by Republican members of the House to try to start a boom for his 1960 nomination by the GOP for the presidency.

After the vice president and Mrs. Nixon had shaken hands with cabinet members, congressional leaders and diplomats, they stepped up on a microphone-equipped platform from which the President spoke his formal remarks.

The President said Communist-inspired riots against Nixon would simply strengthen inter-American friendship.

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Blasts, Riots Rock Beirut

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entered the earth's lower atmosphere and burned up.

The announcement said the satellite entered its orbit at an angle of 65 degrees to the equatorial plane, indicating it will cover almost the entire inhabited part of the earth from close to the Arctic circle to just above the Antarctic circle.

The announcement said the rocket which lifted the sputnik aloft broke off and itself went into orbit close behind.

The satellite was described as 5 feet 7 inches wide at its base and 11 feet 9 inches high. That would be large if seen from earth with the naked eye under proper lighting conditions.

In Cambridge, Mass., scientists said the satellite should have a life of about six months.

Sputnik II may be visible in many parts of the United States in the evening twilight tonight, Dr. Hynek said.

Fair today and tonight, partly cloudy tomorrow.

Low this morning — 59

Low tomorrow morning — 62

High today — 86

High tomorrow — 82

High tomorrow — 86

Sunrise today 5:20 a.m.; sunset today 7:20 p.m.

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Grier Martin Davidson's President

Treasurer Is Choice Of Board

David Grier Martin, treasurer of Davidson College, was named president of the 121-year-old Presbyterian school this afternoon.

Trustees of the North Mecklenburg institution, in an all-day meeting at Chalmers auditorium, on the Davidson campus, selected the quiet, well-killed school official to succeed Dr. John R. Cunningham.

Dr. Cunningham resigned last September to become head of the Presbyterian Foundation in Charlotte.

Dr. Clarence J. Pietenpol, dean of faculty and professor of physics, had been acting president of the college since then. At the time he took over this post was understood he would not be a candidate for the presidency.

He is expected to resume his former positions on the faculty.

UNUSUAL CHOICE

Mr. Martin will be the first of 13 Davidson presidents who is not either a clergyman or a professional educator.

The trustees' presidential nominating committee was headed by D. R. LaFar Jr. of Gastonia, president of the Catawba Sales and Processing Co.

Other members of the committee were: Dr. J. McDowell Richards, chairman of the board of trustees and president of Columbia Theological Seminary at Decatur, Ga.; Dr. James F. Hendrix of Durham; the Rev. Fred Stair of Hickory; J. Spencer Lowe of Greensboro, president of Burlington Mills; Dr. James A. Jones, formerly pastor of Myers Park Presbyterian Church here and now president of Union Theological Seminary at Richmond.

TREASURER IN 1951

Mr. Martin, who is 47, became treasurer of Davidson College in 1951 after a distinguished career as a businessman. He has become known as a capable administrator and successful fundraiser.

A native of Covington, Ga., he graduated cum laude from Davidson in 1932.

From 1932 to 1936, Mr. Martin served as alumni secretary and publicity director of the college. From 1936 to 1940 he was manager of the heating equipment department of Campbell Coal Co. at Atlanta.

In 1940 he became a partner and sales manager of Grey-Horsley Mill at Bristol, Va., leaving that connection in 1951 to return to Davidson. He has been college treasurer and business manager since.

NAVAL SERVICE

He served as a navy lieutenant during World War II.

He was married to the former Louise Lott McMichael of Quitman, Ga., on July 14, 1935.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin are expecting their first child, a son, and faculty alike and he was the odds-on popular choice in pre-appointment speculation.

His son, Donald, is 10 years old. The Hopkins was jailed when he was released from the hospital Monday. His leg still is in a plaster cast from the shot wound.

Stack, whose home was near the Winchester Ave. store, had gone to the establishment for a pack of cigarettes the night of the slaying. A shot was heard and his body was found a few feet from the front of the store.

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(News Staff Photo by Tom Franklin-Hunter)

A Matter Of Mind Over Matter

A couple of erudite students, Tommy Estridge (left) and Ronald Blackmon, calmly move their chess game into the sunshine for some rough mental exercise.

Occurred In March

Youth Confesses Monroe Murder

MONROE — A 16-year-old Negro has confessed the slaying of Monroe storekeeper Floyd W. Stack March 21, Police Chief A. A. Mauney said today.

Sheldon Glover Hopkins of East Ave., Monroe, admitted the shooting after being confronted with "certain evidence," Chief Mauney said.

Hopkins, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie E. Hopkins, had been under police guard in Union County Hospital since April 23 when he was shot while burglarizing a store.

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Campus' 'Favorite Son' Is Davidson's 13th President

By JULIAN SCHIEER
News Staff Writer

Late last night, while most of the campus was retiring, the lights from the second floor Davidson's student union building cast a soft, yellow glow over a corner of the college campus.

There in a small, cluttered office crested Laurens Walker, editor of the Davidsonian, prepared a layout of a special edition of the campus newspaper.

On top of the layout sheet, he wrote two words: "IT'S MARTIN."

This would be the headline

for an "extra" this afternoon. That's how confident Walker, other students and faculty members were that David Grier Martin, college treasurer, would be the trustees' choice to succeed Dr. John R. Cunningham as Davidson's president.

There were only expressions of pleasure in every quarter of the campus.

Grier Martin has been a long-time favorite with students and faculty alike. In the deliberations on a presidential choice, he appeared the man-in-the-middle, the balance

wheel, between forces on one side calling for a minister-educator and those on the other who wanted a business executive.

'OWN MASTER'

Martin is known as a "straight shooter," a man of conviction, "a man with his own darned ideas of how to do things" and a "man-who'll be his own master."

He is a quiet, easy-going man who has a reputation as a solid business executive with a strong leaning toward the academic, and as a persuasive money-raiser.

Life is a man who likes Davidson College pretty much as it is today and who'll probably hold the line at a thousand students.

He is one of those who has helped push grants and donations to high figures and who has helped whip the college's vast building program into shape.

"As president," one faculty member speculated, "he will be the same Grier Martin — honest, sincere, devoted, hard-working. He won't miss a lick. In his own quiet way, he has had his finger on what has been going on in all phases of college life here."

He had that bed set three in the president's chair and run things well and will leave the academics to his dean of the faculty — just the way most faculty members think it ought to be.

SHORT MOVE

For Martin, the physical move will be a short one.

He has been only 75 feet down the hall from the president's office since he came back here in 1951. And across the campus on Main St., his spacious frame, college-owned home is next door to the president's residence.

His office in Chambers Bldg. is much like that of any business executive. There is a desk, adding machine, typewriter, conference table, books on real estate and business, copies of Business Week Magazine and the Wall Street Journal.

His desk-top remains fairly orderly and there is only one memento from the past, a desk pen mounted with a little inscription "From Mary Grey Girls" given him in 1951 by the girls in his mill office in Bristol, Va., when he came south again to his alma mater.

QUET MANNER

Martin is a handsome, slightly graying, moderately built man who appears in good shape. There is a slight smile and a quiet manner.

As a Davidson student he was a center on the basketball team and played tennis (class of '32) and still has a lively interest in athletics.

The Martins live a relaxed, typical college town life. They are non-drinkers, non-smokers and he is a devotee in the Presbyterian Church.

During every other summer they take a group of students on down-north tours of Europe and Asia. Mrs. Martin's daughter, Mimi, is presently in France for two months, visiting a French girl who was an exchange student in the community last year.

His wife, Louise, is an attractive, ash-blond woman who audits classes, plays tennis and even eaves drops on the college boys.

SON AT DAVIDSON

Mike, the oldest, is a Davidson senior, a basketball star and a Phi Beta Kappa member. He'll soon start serving a six-month hitch in the Army and then will go to Duke as a graduate student in history.

"D. G." — the Martins' other son, is a senior at North Mecklenburg and was one of the county's top athletes this year. Also a good scholar, he has turned down a \$5,000 Merck scholarship to the University of North Carolina to follow his father and brother to Davidson.

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