



Plane Explodes

LIMESTONE, Maine (P)—A huge B-52 jet bomber exploded on a parking apron at Loring Air Force Base today and was destroyed in a roaring inferno. No one was aboard the plane and the Air Force said it believed there were no casualties.

Air Agreement

WASHINGTON (P)—The Civil Aeronautics Administration said today the military services have agreed to defer their plans to make full use of CAA air traffic control facilities.

Takes Fifth

WASHINGTON (P)—Publisher Max Radcock invoked the fifth amendment before the Senate Rackets Committee today in refusing to answer questions about the Indiana highway scandals and Teamsters Union president James R. Hoffa.

Flee Flood

GUTHRIE, Okla. (P)—Hundreds of Guthrie residents fled from their homes early today as waters from Cottonwood Creek spread over sections of the town.

Loans Assured?

WASHINGTON (P)—Additional U.S. loans for the economic development of neutral Afghanistan appeared assured today as Prime Minister Sardar Mohammed Daud neared the end of an official visit with President Eisenhower.

Charges Swapped

SAIGON (P)—The Indochinese neighbors of Cambodia and South Viet Nam were embroiled in a new border dispute today, with each young nation charging invasion by the other.

Falls To Death

NEW YORK (P)—A woman quoted as saying "the world is against me. Take care of my dog," plunged to her death a few moments afterward from a Manhattan Hotel window early today.

Man Hurt When Tire Explodes

A Charlotte man received serious injuries last night when an automobile tire was inflating blew up in his face.

City Police Officers C. Y. Ross and T. B. Cape identified the injured man as John H. Wilson, of 2020 St. Paul St. Wilson was taken to Good Samaritan Hospital, police said, where he is being examined for a possible skull fracture, a fractured arm, and severe cuts about the chin and the back of his head.

Hospital authorities said today that Wilson's condition was only "fair." He will be X-rayed for other possible injuries today.

Police said Wilson was inflating an auto tire at a service station in the 2100 block of Beatty's Ford Rd. when the accident occurred at 7:35 p.m.

Workers at the station did not witness the accident.

Special Supreme Court Session Requested In Little Rock Delay



Shaded areas indicate parts of Lebanon controlled by rebel bands. Government forces hold coastal roads and main road from Beirut to Syrian border, and major cities.

Beirut Still Quiet

Heavy Fighting Rages In Tripoli

BEIRUT (P)—Hard fighting raged for more than four hours today in the port of Tripoli. At least six were killed and 20 injured.

Omar Karomli, a rebel leader, told the Associated Press by telephone that the fighting broke out at noon and quickly spread to the central section of the city. Karomli is a brother of Tripoli's rebel leader Raschid Karomli.

"The fighting reached a climax about 3 p.m.," Karomli said. "Then it slackened off, but shooting was still going on at 4 p.m. He said security forces had shelled rebel positions and destroyed one building."

REPORTS DENIED
Karomli denied Cairo Radio reports that strong rebel reinforcements are marching on Tripoli.

"We know of no reinforcements coming this way," he said.

Tripoli is the city where the Lebanese rebellion started 46 days ago.

"Four or five people are killed here almost every day and about 51 injured," the rebel leader said. "Fighting went on in the city all last night. An army communiqué said it had started when rebels opened fire on army positions and civilians. The rebels said the government forces employed armored cars to blast rebel roadblocks in the city."

Night skirmishes also were reported from the Bekaa Valley in central Lebanon.

Beirut, however, was still quiet at mid-morning after several hours of firing yesterday. Chamon had predicted Tuesday that leaders of the 46-day-old rebellion against his government would launch a full-scale assault within 48 hours.

In south Lebanon a land mine blew up a U.N. patrol jeep, slightly wounding an Indian observer. Another U.N. observer in the jeep was not hurt. The Indian was the third U.N. man wounded since the observer group came to Lebanon two weeks ago.

Hammarskjöld flew back to New York carrying an urgent request from Premier Sami Solh of the U. N. to send an emergency force to Lebanon. An unofficial trace had prevailed during the secretary-general's one-week visit.

Solh asked Hammarskjöld for an armed international force to replace the present corps of less than 100 observers and seal Lebanon's borders against aid and reinforcements to the rebels from the neighboring Syrian province of the United Arab Republic.

Germain's Snooze Found Germane To Burglary Case

FRIBOURG, Switzerland (P)—One hot afternoon last month, Judge Germain Kolly dozed in court while four men were being tried on burglary charges.

Kolly and the other two judges in his court later sentenced the gang to two to six years at hard labor. They all won a new trial yesterday on a decision of the Cantonal (state) Supreme Court that a trial before a sleeping judge is not a fair trial—even if two other judges stay awake.

And to discourage drowsiness on the bench, the Supreme Court fined Kolly 100 francs (\$23) for negligence.

—SEEKS PROTECTION FROM REDS—

Seaman Outruns 30 Pursuers

WALLIS, Shetland Islands (P)—A seaman from a Soviet trawler fled from his ship, escaped 30 pursuers in a chase across the sea moors and asked Britain for asylum today.

The man, an Estonian, rowed ashore last night in a small boat from a vessel in the Soviet herding fleet fishing off the west coast of the Shetlands. A posse of crewmembers followed him in an invasion of British soil.

The refugee sprinted across the moors until he reached a small farmhouse, where he collapsed in exhaustion and was given shelter. His pursuers failed to find him.

SEEKS PROTECTION

The Estonian turned himself in to Lerwick police station this morning and asked permission to stay in Britain.

"If I am taken back to the fleet I will be killed," he declared.

Three Soviet trawler captains stalked into the Lerwick City Hall and demanded a chance to talk to the seaman. Their request was refused.

In London a Foreign Office spokesman, asked whether there would be a protest to Moscow over the apparent disregard of British sovereignty, replied:

"I think we shall want to establish the facts and that is being done by the Home Office."

A Home Office official said a decision in the seaman's case will be made after he is questioned.

Goldfine Influence Charged

WASHINGTON (P)—Former publisher John Fox testified today "powerful and malign influences" were exerted against him from the federal government. He suggested the object was to eliminate his now-defunct Boston Post.

And, Fox told House investigators, the federal forces "were not unconnected with the Boston Herald Traveler Corp. and Bernard Goldfine."

A special House investigating subcommittee allowed Fox to begin testifying in public despite objections by Goldfine, Boston industrialist and friend of presidential assistant Sherman Adams.

Goldfine contended through his lawyers that Fox's testimony could be expected to defame him. He asked that it be taken in closed session.

WOULD GIVE NOTICE

The committee decided on an open hearing but under an agreement that Fox would give notice if he were about to defame someone. On such notice, the committee would decide whether to go into closed session.

Fox had a 3,000-word prepared statement. In it, he went on to say he began to be aware of what he called powerful and malign influences by a department of the federal government in 1954, when it appeared he was overcoming legal difficulties in the way of a Boston working development in which he was interested.

"I did not know the source of them," Fox went on, "unless their object was to eliminate the Boston Post, which was the only major newspaper in the United States that supported Harry S. Truman in 1948."

FORCED LIQUIDATION

The pressures, Fox said, resulted in forced liquidation of assets. He said that in July 1956, after he had paid off all but one of the banks the Internal Revenue Service without warning imposed jeopardy income tax liens on him and his wife totaling about \$1,600,000.

The following year, he said, the government admitted a tax court case "that approximately 87 percent of the taxes, interest and penalties that were even then still assessed against us, should be dismissed."

Fox said the two revenue agents presented in the case subsequently resigned. He said that in connection with a case involving \$100,000 worth of whisky on which he held warehouse receipts, the then regional commissioner of the Internal Revenue Service for the New England states admitted "that he wanted to 'get Fox'."

And, Fox continued, "he also admitted to me that his agents, some boxes were left unsealed at times at voting places, some boxes were not sealed and others improperly sealed."

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Ice Cream Is "Great" To Dairy Princesses Rita Eckert (L) And Glenda Honey

Cabarrus Vote Protest Filed

CONCORD (P)—Bedford Black, a candidate in the disputed Cabarrus County House election, filed a formal protest today listing 22 election irregularities just before a recount of the May 30 ballots started.

Incumbent Eugene T. Bost and Black each polled 5,490 votes in the official count of the Democratic primary. The State Board of Elections ordered the county board to recount the ballots.

Among the alleged irregularities, Black asserted:

"On Monday morning, June 2, the boxes in No. 4 Township were picked up by two employees of Cannon Mills Co. in a Cannon Mills truck... and placed, in a room of Cannon Mills Co. under the supervision and control of a person, or persons, who was not under the control and supervision of the Cabarrus County Board of Elections."

Further, Black charged, some ballot boxes were not in condition to insure safe keeping of ballots, keys to some boxes were not in the hands of election officials, locks had to be saved off some boxes under supervision of persons who were not election officials, some boxes were left unsealed at times at voting places, some boxes were not sealed and others improperly sealed.

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Real Traffic Stoppers

Princesses Draw Gawks, Whistles

By BILL HUGHES
News Staff Writer

Six cars brought traffic to a brief standstill in downtown Charlotte today.

Inside the six convertibles were 12 beauties that would stop traffic anywhere, even if they weren't in a parade. They were the 11 candidates for the State Dairy Queen title and Connie Hobbs of New Bern, current titleholder.

CHARLOTTE FIRST

The dairy princesses arrived here today for the first State Dairy Queen pageant held locally.

The convertible parade took them from Hotel Charlotte, headquarters for the event, to a fashion show at Efrds. They also viewed the huge dairy display at the department store.

Today was for sightseeing and fun. Rita Gail Eckard of Concord and Glenda Sue Honey of Albemarle even took time out to share a gigantic ice cream cone before the parade started.

Tomorrow the judging begins. After today's fashion show, the princesses were to be photographed

and appear on television. An informal reception is slated for 7:30 p.m. at the hotel.

Judging begins at 10 a.m. tomorrow and continues through the day's schedule. The girls will attend a luncheon at Carmel Country Club at which Thomas L. Robinson, president of the Chamber of Commerce, will be master of ceremonies. S. Bruce Wingate, chairman of "June is Dairy Month" activities will welcome the group.

More judging, and a bus tour of the city is set for the afternoon with final judging to take place at a 7 p.m. banquet at the hotel.

Earle Edwards, head football coach at N. C. State, state chairman of "June is Dairy Month" will speak.

—RUSH OR WAIT A WHILE?

How Does YOUR Java Cool?

PHILADELPHIA (P)—What's the fastest way to cool your coffee, assuming you use milk or cream?

Do you put the cream in right away, or hold off a bit?

Is this academic? It was to start with. But not now.

At Cornell University in New York State, two coffee-keen professors fell to arguing these points. Their talk was so intriguing that two seniors—Robert L. Seidel of Cresskill, N. J., and Hiram A. Novak of Princeton, Ill.—resolved to get at the scientific truth about it.

They came up with a 72-page paper, complete with formulas, graphs and a slew of higher mathematics.

A brief abstract of their findings tells you that coffee cools faster if the drinker waits a

Overtune Of Ruling Negro Aim

WASHINGTON (P)—The Supreme Court today was asked to hold a special session to rule on a lower court order delaying school integration in Little Rock, Ark., for 2½ years.

Two attorneys petitioned the high tribunal to hear arguments immediately and overturn the order by U.S. Dist. Judge Harry J. Lemley.

Their petition contends Judge Lemley's ruling is directly in conflict with the Supreme Court's decision in the school integration cases.

Wiley Branton of Pine Bluff, Ark., representing Negro pupils in Little Rock, and Walter Madison of New York, of the National Assn. for the Advancement of Colored People, filed the petition.

NO ACTION

The petition noted that the U.S. Circuit Court in St. Louis had already been asked to stay Judge Lemley's ruling, but no action has been taken.

The attorneys suggested that the Supreme Court permit bypassing of the Circuit Court and that the high tribunal consider the case promptly so the issue may be settled before the next school term opens in September.

The Supreme Court plans to adjourn for the summer after a session next Monday. The petition asked that the court either extend its present term or hold a special term in order to dispose of the Little Rock case promptly.

The petition said the question presented to the Supreme Court was whether a plan for gradual desegregation of Little Rock schools, which has been in operation for a year, can be suspended and Negro children already in desegregated schools be forced to withdraw to segregated schools until a showing of certain hostile incidents within the school and opposition of portions of the local public to the decision of the Supreme Court in the original segregation ruling.

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