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Rebels Backed PARIS (AP) — The former French colonies of Morocco and Tunisia put Premier de Gaulle's government into a diplomatic quandary today by backing the new Algerian rebel government in its war against France.

Premier Solt Gone BEIRUT (AP) — Premier Sami Solt slipped quietly out of Lebanon today. Two attempts had been made to kill him during Lebanon's four months' insurrection.

'Attacks' Begin ST. HUBERT, Que. (AP) — U. S. Strategic Air Command bombers began mock attacks on the United States and Canada without warning today in the first large-scale exercise for the new North American Air Defense System (Nadad).

Russian Shot BERLIN (AP) — The tabloid Bild Zeitung said today that a Russian Army lieutenant colonel was shot down as he tried to escape from East Germany's Allied-occupied West Berlin.

De Gaulle Stumps PARIS (AP) — Premier de Gaulle stumped through southwest France in support of his proposed French constitution today while Algerian Nationalists kept up a terror campaign against a

Girl Found In Street Badly Hurt NEWARK, N. J. (AP) — A 9-year-old girl was found lying in the street last night, badly hurt, teeth knocked out and her hair cut.

Police said a 14-year-old boy today confessed beating the girl with a rock but denied burning her. His name was not announced since he is a juvenile.

The girl, Theresa McHugh, was in serious condition at Marlton Memorial Hospital. A physician there said she either had been set afire or held over a roaring blaze.

Theresa was rushed to the hospital suffering burns of the back, chest, arms and head. She also had a deep gash over the left eye and bruises on her face. Several teeth had been knocked out and most of the others loosened.

Police said the 14-year-old boy, a resident of the same apartment development, broke down after three hours of questioning, admitting hitting her with a rock, but sobbed repeatedly: "I don't know why. I don't know why."

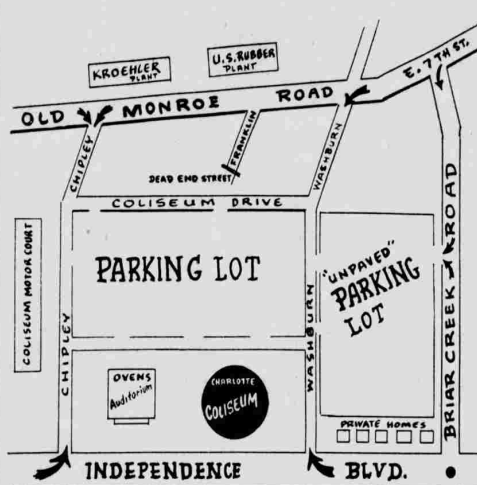
He told police he met the girl outside the apartment building accompanied her into the park, watched her light a cigarette and then attacked her, leaving her on the ground.

One of the girl's shoes was found beside a pool of blood in the park. A piece of worn clothing, believed to be her blouse, was 100 feet further on.

The boy was among 19 juveniles rounded up in the area after a superintendent told police the apartments had been the scene of several fights and vandalism recently.

Contest Winners Listed See Page 3B

Table with 2 columns: Category and Value. Includes Books (5A), Classified (13C), Comics (4B), Editorial (7B), Editorials (4A), Radio-TV (5B), Obituaries (3A), High today (80), Low this morning (55), Low tomorrow morning (70), High yesterday (81), High tomorrow (85), Sunrise tomorrow 6:09 a.m., Sunset today 6:23 p.m.



For Visitors, These Are Best Routes To The Coliseum.

23 Carolinas Delegations Coming To Crusade Opening

By JOHN BORCHERT News Religion Editor

Church delegations from 23 North and South Carolina cities were preparing today to join thousands of Charlotte and Mecklenburg County worshippers at the Coliseum tomorrow for the opening of the four-week evangelistic crusade by Dr. Billy Graham.

The Charlotte-based evangelist tonight will dedicate a new center of dedication for crusade workers, commitment and his team at the Coliseum.

There are expectations that tomorrow's audience will overflow into Owens Auditorium by the time the service begins at 8 p.m.

The service today will start at 7:30 p.m. with Dr. Graham in charge. Cliff Barrows, music director for the Graham team, and George Vye, chairman of the crusade's executive committee, will also appear on the program before an approximate 500 choir members, ushers, counselors and other crusade aides.

LOCAL LEADERS In tomorrow's service three local religious leaders will join Dr. Graham and his team. They are Dr. C. C. Warren in charge of the Southern Baptist Convention's 30,000 movement to secure more churches. Dr. Walter J. Miller, superintendent of the Charlotte District, Western North Carolina Synod.

GM Proposes Many Changes DETROIT (AP) — General Motors, object of a Sept. 30 strike deadline by the United Auto Workers, today offered the UAW a new three-year proposal which it said contained 19 specific improvements.

The UAW, which last night announced it also would strike Chrysler if no contract agreement is reached soon, did not agree to a offer from GM on negotiations resumed today.

GM said the new contract would be effective as of Sept. 1 and would carry three annual pay increases totaling at least 21 cents per hour during the life of the contract. The first increase would be effective as of last July 1.

GM also proposed 8 cents an hour additional for skilled trade workers and an increase of 3 cents an hour in cost-of-living allowances, to compensate for cost-of-living increases during the last four months that GM workers have been without a contract.

Our Weather Increasing cloudiness and mist today and tonight with scattered showers beginning late afternoon or tonight.

More Weather Data on Page 2A

Greensboro Jail Escapee Nabbed

Fight in Cell Precedes Robbery Suspect's Run

ALEXANDRIA, Va. (AP) — A 43-year-old man who escaped here last night from a Greensboro, N. C., jail was captured here today as he stepped off a train.

He was identified as Michael Macejka of Gaston, N. J., who had been jailed at Greensboro on bank robbery charges. He broke out with the help of other prisoners.

He commandeered an automobile carrying four teen-agers but released them unharmed in Salisbury, 45 miles south of Greensboro. He later abandoned the auto in Salisbury.

Police said they nabbed Macejka after receiving a call from a Southern Railway detective saying Macejka was on a train scheduled to arrive here at 10:15 a.m. EDT.

Alexandria police and FBI agents were questioning Macejka after notifying Greensboro police. Macejka eluded road blocks set up on all main highways out of Salisbury. Officers said he escaped armed with a pocket knife and was considered dangerous.

NO FIGHT The FBI in Greensboro earlier reported Macejka's arrest and said he surrendered without resistance.

He had two broken ribs and a cut right hand, suffered in his fight from the Greensboro jail. He broke out after slashing the warden's brother and fled via an elevator to the street.

A man was picked up after he was jumping from train 18 near Greensboro, but officers said last night he was not Macejka. Macejka and a companion were being held here for trial in the \$48,000 robbery of a Greensboro bank last August.

Other prisoners who helped engineer Macejka's escape did not get out of jail. Officers at Guilford County jail said jailer Charles E. Erhman.

Mrs. Erhman Dies At 82 The daughter of the first president of the Republic of Panama is dead.

NO COMMENT Pending study of the full text today, the State Department withheld comment.

Secretary of State Dulles, returning here from the United Nations General Assembly meeting in New York, had nothing to say on the letter last night.

UPON the death of her father in 1909, Mrs. Erhman, her husband, their seven children, and Mrs. Amador left the country and came to New York City. They later moved to Paris, France, where they lived until 1918, when Mrs. Erhman died.

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MICHAEL MACEJKA

Progress Noted

Quemoy's Convoys Beat Red Barrage

By SPENCER MOOSA TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — The top U. S. commander in the Pacific said today considerable progress had been made in getting supplies to Quemoy during the last two weeks.

As he spoke, the Nationalists announced another supply convoy had cracked the Communist blockade.

Adm. Harry D. Felt flew in for conferences with Nationalist Chinese President Chiang Kai-shek at the start of the fifth week of the Formosa Strait crisis. Felt described the situation as serious but said "I am not discouraged."

Asked whether the United States had sufficient forces in the Pacific to deal with any situation, he replied, "The forces are very, very strong and quite adequate."

Felt declined to comment on whether the American military buildup on Formosa would continue.

The National Defense Ministry did not say how many cargo ships reached Quemoy today or how much cargo they discharged.

The Communist shore batteries poured in 1,643 shells while the ships were at the beach, but the Nationalists said they withdrew safely.

Earlier the Nationalists claimed a naval victory over Communist torpedo boats.

Two Nationalist gunboats tangled with three Communist PT boats shortly before midnight last night, the Defense Ministry said. It claimed one torpedo boat was sunk in the action 33 miles south of Quemoy and the other two fled.

PLANES TARGET Earlier in the evening, Communist antiaircraft guns fired at Nationalist planes dropping supplies to besieged Little Quemoy but did not hit any, the ministry said.

The Communist bombardment of the Quemoy continued with 1,407 shells reportedly hitting the islands between midnight and 6 a.m. Red guns also fired in shells at tiny Kaoteng Island, 160 miles northeast of Quemoy in the Matsus group of Formosa islands. The Matsus have not been under bombardment in the current Red attack, which began Aug. 23.

U.S. Military Labeled Best

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's top military chief contends it is wrong to assume Russia will lead an overwhelming weapons advantage over the United States.

At the same time, Gen. Nathan Twining expressed "full confidence" that we are militarily superior over-all to the Soviet Union today.

Twining, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, voiced these views last night in a speech to the Defense Orientation Conference Assn., an organization representing industry, business, labor and the professions.

He took issue with critics of Eisenhower administration military policies who contend Russia is outdistancing the United States in war capability.

"I do not for one minute deny that the Soviets have made great progress in the development of long range missiles and strategic bombers. However, undoubtedly, they have had their problems in developing completely operational ballistic missiles, just as we have had."

"I believe that it is erroneous to compare what the Soviets might have in 1962 with what we feel certain we will have at the same time."

"We are still only at the threshold of the missile age. No one can predict today with accuracy what we will have tomorrow."

As for relative U. S.-Russian strength today, Twining said: "The Soviets outnumber us in divisions and submarines. They are probably ahead of us in development — of long range missiles. But relative military strength does not depend on numbers alone or on developmental progress."

"Considering our superior strategic retaliatory power, our flexibility in thinking and strategy, our industrial strength, and our economic strength, I say in full confidence that we are militarily superior over-all to the Soviet Union today."

Poll-Taker Lubell Sums Political Pulse Monday

Samuel Lubell, America's No. 1 political snapper, begins a new series of highly interesting political surveys.

Lubell first gained fame with his "one-man poll of the people" in 1953 when he predicted the Eisenhower landslide. In 1954 and 1956 his accurately forecasted political events.

This Lubell series will tell you the voter is thinking and saying about candidates, parties and issues in this important election year.

Watch for "The People Speak" starting Monday in The News.



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