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Marsh Absolved Of Bribe

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—John W. Marsh, 41, was acquitted today of a charge of accepting a bribe to help a contractor win a contract for a new building.

DEATH WEAPON AND SUSPECT



Pennsylvania State Police Sgt. E. H. Crowther (left), ballistics expert, and Corp. Malcolm A. Kass at Harrisburg look at a foreign-made pistol which was positively identified as the gun used in the slaying of two truck drivers.

Turnpike Murder Suspect Caught In New Mexico

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Oct. 11.—John Wesley White, 24, was arrested late last night on a Pennsylvania warrant charging him with the slaying of two truck drivers in the Bernallville County Jail.

Cole Urges Step Up In H-Bomb Program

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (AP)—Rep. W. Sterling Cole (R-N.Y.) said today the United States should assign wartime urgency to its hydrogen bomb program because, he said, Russia may shortly have "hundreds or even thousands of H-bombs."

British Guiana Hit By Strike

GEORGETOWN, British Guiana (AP)—A general strike called by ousted leftist Cabinet ministers in British Guiana today paralyzed two of the country's 14 sugar factories today. About 40 per cent of the cane cutting was halted.

GHOST TOWN TO HOLD REAL HALLOWE'EN

JEROME, Ariz. (AP)—Arizona's deserted ghost town wants "all the old souls" to come home for Halloween.

OUR WEATHER

Fair and mild today and tonight. Tuesday, continued fair and somewhat cooler.

EVENING PRAYER

O God, we come thanking Thee for the way in which Thou art ever with us. So often we have seen the best and have done that which is less than the best.

Conference On Trieste Asked By Yugoslavia

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP)—Yugoslavia today demanded a conference with the United States, Britain and Italy to discuss the recent British-American decision on the future of Trieste. Yugoslavia also sent a protest to the United Nations secretary general.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER DEAD



Mr. McEwen

County Commissioner Carl J. McEwen died in a hospital here today at the age of 60. He never regained consciousness from a cerebral hemorrhage he suffered on Oct. 3.

Carl McEwen Dies After Brief Illness

He got 15,503 votes, more than 3,000 above the next highest man. He was one of the largest vote-getters to serve on that five-man board in local history.

Larkins May Be Insurance Chief

RALEIGH (AP)—State Sen. John Larkins of Trenton may succeed Waldo Cheek as state insurance commissioner, political sources here said today.

Graham Asks Prayers For GI

DETROIT (AP)—Evangelist Billy Graham and the mother of a Minnesota soldier who has refused repatriation from Communist Korea asked a nationwide television audience last night to pray for the GI.

Nude Man Quizzed In Dallas Slaying

DALLAS (AP)—A nude Negro was jailed today after capture by four Negroes in the Parker slaying, police here said.

Woman Supports Ex-Convict's Story

ST. LOUIS (AP)—By Al DOPKING. Her girl friend signed confessions today that they took 6-year-old Bobby Greenlease across the state line into Kansas where Hall killed him shortly after his kidnaping in Kansas City, Mo.

Reds Hint They're Ready To Begin Talks

PANMUNJON (AP)—The Communists indicated today they are ready to start interviews Wednesday for North Korean and Chinese war prisoners who refuse to return to the P.O.W. repatriation commission.

Gun Tested

The gun was turned over to the St. Louis police by Chief Jeremiah O'Connell. Ballistic tests in Washington showed slugs found in the slaying of a child were fired from the weapon.

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