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Like Promises To Consider Labor's Views

President Addresses
AFL's Convention

LOS ANGELES (AP)—President Eisenhower told the American Federation of Labor's convention today organized labor's views will receive "sympathetic consideration" from his administration.

The President, who received a warm welcome from the delegates, said that he knew there are differences between his views and organized labor's but the right to disagree was an American tradition.

Despite these differences, Eisenhower said, "the views of this convention will be studied and sympathetically considered" just as are views of all segments of the American economy.

The big labor organization climaxed a mounting attack on the Eisenhower regime yesterday when it unanimously adopted a resolution asserting that:

"Two years of the present administration in Washington have demonstrated that the forces of reaction which that administration represents are pursuing the same philosophy of government which brought our nation to the brink of economic disaster prior to the New Deal."

The resolution accused the administration of "many crimes of omission and commission . . . and particularly lack of action on the promise to remove the union-busting provisions of the Taft-Hartley Act."

ASKS GOP CONGRESS
In his speech before a widely cheering audience of 18,000 at political rally in Hollywood Bowl last night, Eisenhower reviewed the record of his administration during the last 20 months and said it adds up to "compelling reasons why the completion of this great program requires the election of a Republican-led Congress."

In his prepared text the chief executive said much remains to be done during the next two years, and he cited specific legislation he wants enacted without mentioning revision of the Taft-Hartley law, which he is pledged to amend.

When he delivered his address, however, Eisenhower interpolated that Taft-Hartley revision is one of the things he still wants.

The Hollywood Bowl rally was sponsored by the National Federation of Republican Women's Clubs, the Citizens for Eisenhower Congressional Club of California, and the state's Democrats for Eisenhower administration.

These three groups—Republicans, independents and dissident Democrats—represent the voting elements which contributed so much to Eisenhower's success in 1952.

And he appealed to his audience here, as he did so often, to support the administration in the November congressional elections "regardless of party."

Fighting hard for the first time during the current campaign, the President said this about any government split politically:

"When the Congress is controlled by one political party and the executive branch by the other, politics in Washington has a field day."

OUR WEATHER
Fair today and tonight. Tomorrow, generally fair and warm.

High temperature yesterday 82 degrees.
High temperature expected tomorrow 87 degrees.

Low temperature this morning 53 degrees.
Low temperature expected tonight 66 degrees.

Sunrise 6:12 a.m.; sunset 6:18 p.m.

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SEN. JOSEPH R. MCCARTHY is gambling on a hunch that the Democrats will win this fall, says Doris Fleeson on today's editorial page. Read her account of the Wisconsin senator's "fight for survival" on page 8A.

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STRAUS JOHNSON WADSWORTH MAHONEY MRS. LORD NASH
FULBRIGHT LODGE DULLES SMITH JACKSON
Told to line up their feet by a photographer, members of the U. S. delegation to the United Nations enjoy a joke. In the front row are Sen. J. W. Fulbright, Ambassador Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, Sen. H. Alexander Smith, C. D. Jackson, rear, Roger W. Straus, A. M. Johnson, Ambassador James J. Wadsworth, Charles H. Mahoney, Mrs. Oswald B. Lord and James P. Nash. (Associated Press Wirephoto).

With Or Without Russia

Peaceful Atomic Plans Pushed In U.N.

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—

The United States pushed new plans today to set up an international agency to foster peaceful use of atomic power, with or without Russian cooperation.

Secretary of State Dulles outlined the four-point proposal in a major U.N. policy speech in the ninth U.N. General Assembly yesterday afternoon.

Developing the ideas set forth in President Eisenhower's speech to the U.N. last December, the secretary called for:

1. Creation of an international agency to include "nations from all regions of the world." Dulles said it is hoped the agency will start work "as early as next year."

2. Holding of an international scientific conference under U.N. auspices next spring to consider the whole vast subject of the peaceful use of atomic power.

3. The opening in the United States early next year of a reactor training school "where students from abroad may learn the working principles of atomic energy with specific regard to its peaceful uses."

4. Invitations to the world's atomic experts to work with American scientists on the peaceful use of atomic power.

Dulles' proposals brought immediate expressions of approval from many other U.N. members. Henry Cabot Lodge Jr., chief U.S. delegate, called for a quick meeting of the U.N. Steering Committee to put the proposed plan on the Assembly's agenda as an "important item."

\$45,000 Estimated

As Storm Damage

RALEIGH (AP)—Hurricanes Carol and Edna did about \$45,000 in damage to the highway on Hatteras Island.

Chief highway engineer W. H. Rogers Jr. said yesterday the two storms covered about 10 miles of the 40-mile highway with water.

SNAKE KILLS CHILD

BENEVENTO, Italy (AP)—A nonpoisonous and usually harmless water snake, about three feet long, strangled five-year-old Maria Cusmano yesterday while she was playing at the edge of a pond.

Workmen brought by her screams killed the snake but failed to revive the child.

tant and urgent question."

The top-level U.N. executive group in a hurried session after Dulles spoke broke its five-day week plan and scheduled a meeting on the atomic plan for Saturday.

The 15-nation committee, which decides whether to include items in the agenda, includes the United States and Russia. Debate on the new talks on President Eisenhower's original proposal. They had given it a cold shoulder in all previous talks. Dulles said the Soviets' Andrei Vishinski declined to discuss the speech with reporters.

The U.S. secretary said the Soviet Union had in effect rejected the plan last April when it said "paper ban" on use of atomic weapons.

"The United States remains ready to negotiate with the Soviet Union," Dulles said in his intent. "But we shall no longer suspend our efforts to establish an international atomic agency."

"It would like to make perfectly clear that our planning excludes no nation from participation in this great venture. As our proposals take shape, all nations interested in participating and willing to take on the responsibilities of membership will be welcome to join with us in the planning and execution of this program."

Britain's Minister of State Selwyn Lloyd said his country would join such a group.

Unofficially, it was said that all seven countries so far consulted by Dulles had agreed to come into the agency. Besides Britain they are France, Canada, Australia, Belgium, Portugal and South Africa.

It was the second worst explosion in West Germany since the war. A blast in July, 1948, at the G. Farben Chemical works in Ludwigshafen killed 207 persons.

Bitburg municipal officials said as part of the fire fighting demonstration, gasoline was poured on top of the tank's concrete roof and ignited. The fire fighting apparatus was supposed to put out the test blaze almost instantly, but instead the tank underneath exploded.

The military speculated that the test fire had ignited fumes in the exhaust pipes of the tank.

The Bitburg officials said the demonstration was being staged by an international company engaged in NATO air base work, including the installation of fire extinguishing equipment.

Military property damage in the disaster was estimated unofficially at more than two million dollars.

To keep the blaze away from other tanks, the 1,000 franc French German and American fire fighters pumped 300,000 gallons of foam from nearby tanks into the Nims and Sauer Rivers.

Ex-Miss America

Will Marry Ensign

LANCASTER, Pa. (AP)—Evelyn Ay, who retired earlier this month as reigning "Miss America," will marry Ensign Carl Semper Jr. here Nov. 13.

THE NEW FACILITIES for the Suez Creek Disposal Plant (shown at left in this aerial picture) will be ready for use in April, according to Water Dept. officials. The addition to the present plant is expected to handle the industrial waste

which will be emptied in the sanitary sewer system under a new law which will go into effect in April. The present plant is in the foreground. Aerial photograph by Don Marja, flown by Haskell Deaton.

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Police and FBI men launched a widespread search.

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"Do you know Fran Warren, the singer?" one of them remarked. Tichenor said he did not.

"Well, it doesn't make any difference," said one, pulling a gun. "Get inside."

They followed Tichenor into the bank and forced him to turn the combination on the vault. However, there are two combinations on the vault, with Tichenor knowing only one.

The robbers bound him up and waited for Mrs. Jean Beebe, a teller, who knows the second combination.

When she walked in at 7:40 a.m., they forced her to complete the unlocking of the vault.

But a time device on the vault does not permit it to open until about 15 minutes after the unlocking, so the robbers had to wait.

In the meantime two other tellers arrived and were bound up. They are William Strasser and George Katin, both of the Bronx.

The robbers, after binding the floor and Mrs. Beebe on a couch, they told them they were not hurt if they kept quiet.

When the vault doors swung open, the men stuffed the money into adding machine covers, which they used as bags.

Mrs. Beebe said she heard the sound of an automobile after the robbers left, but police were not certain whether the men fled by car or hid somewhere nearby.

Cost Of Living

Off Slightly

WASHINGTON (AP)—The cost of living dropped 0.2 per cent last month because of marked down price tags on food—especially meats—and clothing, the Bureau of Labor Statistics announced today.

In each of the preceding three months the figure had edged upward.

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Food prices dipped 0.6 per cent in August, the bureau said, and weakness in food prices in the early weeks of this month indicates the September average will be at least as low.

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The school, originally opened Sept. 7 with 11 Negro students registered with 686 white pupils, has been closed all week under the threat of violence if the local board tried to maintain integration.

The local board stepped out last night in a dispute with the state board over procedure. Neither group proposed to restore segregation at the Lakeview High School, the only high school in the Milford School District, which includes several nearby communities.

In the past, Negro high school students have had to go to schools in either Dover or Georgetown. The state board's decision to reopen the school, without segregation, appeared to leave the problem right back where it was Tuesday morning when threats of violence caused the local board to change its mind at the last minute and rescind an order of the previous night to reopen the school.

What steps might be taken now by the board were unknown. Yesterday, anti-segregation pamphlets appeared in Milford. Signed by a person identified only as "Bryan Bowles" they told of a tour of Southern states by "Bowles" to check reaction to the U.S. Supreme Court's recent decision ending segregation in public schools.

The pamphlet stated that "99 per cent of the black and white people in the South" are opposed to mixing their children and that "people" have threatened to dynamite the schools if this integration goes through.

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MENTAL PATIENT who attempted to jump from a sixth floor hospital window at Ann Arbor, Mich., was frustrated by fast-moving city firemen and doctors. Firemen swung an aerial ladder to the window, pinning the patient to the building while a doctor dragged the man back inside. (AP Wirephoto).

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ASHESVILLE (AP)—The Western North Carolina Methodist Conference today adopted an amended statement condemning racial segregation in public schools and promising racial discrimination in this country.

The vote of the delegates was overwhelmingly in favor of the statement.

Taking up the matter of the church's stand on segregation in public schools—postponed from Wednesday—conservative and liberal elements of the conference opened arguments before a full house in Central Church here. Preliminary action was quick.

A motion to defer action until the afternoon was voted down.

An amendment which would broaden the scope of the segregation resolution favoring the elimination of segregation in all fields received immediate support and touched off a lengthy floor debate.

A proposal to table the proposed amendment was withdrawn when Bishop Costen J. Harrell ruled that the tabling would carry the entire matter with it.

The 400-word segregation statement was adopted.

1. That sympathy and interest be expressed to public school administrators working on the problem.

2. That "we recognize the obligation of the church to oppose segregation in the school."

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