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WAKE PLANS FULL-SCALE CHECK-UP

Results May Bring Second Term Decision

By MARVIN L. ARROWSMITH
WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower said today he plans another full-scale medical examination before mid-February. But he declined to say whether he will speed up his decision on whether to seek a second term.

The President told a news conference he has asked his doctors to arrange for an examination earlier than the middle of next month because he is planning a little trip to the South. He did not elaborate.

FAMILY NOT OBJECTING
As for whether he will announce before or after the new physical whether he will bid for another four years in the White House, Eisenhower laughed heartily and replied that he couldn't say what his impulses might be.

Much of the questioning at the conference dealt with the second term question.

Eisenhower said in seeking one inquiry that no members of his family are against his reelection. There have been published reports that both Mrs. Ed Eisenhower and their son, Maj. John Eisenhower, were opposed to his running again.

PRaises NIXON
Eisenhower was asked whether, if he does seek reelection, Vice President Nixon would be his choice as a running mate again. In reply, Eisenhower said he never has talked to Nixon about that, and until he has had a chance to do so would prefer not to discuss it.

Eisenhower went on to speak warmly of the vice president, as he has several times in the past. Nixon, he said, has his admiration, respect and deep affection.

The President said he plans to discuss the political situation with Nixon, and he indicated he would send out the vice president on Nixon's own plans for the future.

At this second Washington news conference since his Sept. 24 heart attack, the President dealt again with the nation's subjects, including:

IN BEST INTERESTS
FOREIGN AID — Eisenhower said he sincerely believes that his long-term foreign aid commitments are in the best interests of the United States. He added that he is going to start by requesting as long as he feels he has a chance to get it through Congress.

Eisenhower also said he believes there has been some misunderstanding regarding the request in Congress, where such influential lawmakers as Chairman George D. Eastman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, and Senate GOP Leader Knowland (Calif.) have voiced opposition.

TAXES — Eisenhower said that goodness knows he is anxious to have taxes reduced. But he repeated what he has said before—that he sees no prospect for such a time because of the slim surplus the government anticipates in budgets for both this fiscal year, ending June 30, and next year.

Eisenhower called again for some payment on the big national debt before any tax reduction.



"BUT I DON'T WANNA brush my teeth," wails Mary Lynn Skinner, two weeks old, who was born with the two incisors much in evidence in this picture. Her mama, Mrs. G. J. Skinner of Atlanta, says Mary Lynn is a "good baby" except when she is asked to pose with toothbrush. (AP)

He explained that he is required to remain away from his wife and two sons, ages 13 and 15, for long periods and that he believed that he was needed with his family, particularly at this period in the boys' lives. He said also that he was eager to return to the private practice of law at Rutherford with his law partner, Fred Hamrick Jr.

MONACO BUSINESSMEN WANT INSURANCE ON ROYAL BIRTH

LONDON (AP)—London insurance men are writing to offer 100-3 odds that actress Grace Kelly produce an heir or heiress to the throne of Monaco after her marriage to Prince Rainier III. Several Monaco businessmen have approached Lloyd's of London for insurance against the risk Miss Kelly not providing such a successor.

Monaco will become part of France if the ruling family dies out. That would mean paying steeper French taxes. Peter Walker, director of a Loyce insurance company, said today he has had several inquiries for indemnity policies.

"We said we'd be happy to arrange it—provided we can have a medical report on the prince."

"Well," said Walker, "with a thing like this it's rather hard to say but I think a one-for-all payment of about five pounds per month would cover it."

On School Aid Bill President Against Integration Rider

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower strongly indicated today he would veto a bill if Congress didn't tack an anti-segregation amendment onto the school construction bill. The President told a news conference he would understand if such a rider were added to the legislation now before Congress.

But he reiterated previous statements that individual matters of legislation should be handled in separate bills, and he noted the Supreme Court already has ordered gradual racial integration in the nation's schools.

FOWELL ADAMANT
Federal aid for school construction is provided in a bill awaiting committee clearance for House action. The measure was considered by the committee yesterday and Chairman Howard W. Smith (D-Va.) said it probably will come up again tomorrow.

Rep. Barden (D-NC) told the House Committee yesterday that the bill as written would permit the Federal government to "nose in" on public education matters traditionally handled by the states.

Rep. Powell (D-NV) remains adamant in a plan to try to attach a rider to a bill authorizing use of any of the money for non-integrated school systems.

Eisenhower said the important thing is to get the schools built quickly. There have been predictions that an integration rider would kill the whole school construction program by touching off a Southern filibuster in the Senate.

Shelby Lawyer Also Runs Whitener in Congress Race As Jones Retires in 11th Personal Reasons Given By Rutherford Lawmaker

GASTONIA (AP)—Rep. Woodrow W. Jones announced today he would not be a candidate for re-election to Congress from North Carolina's 11th district. Immediately afterward two lawyers announced their candidacies.

Basil Whitener of Gastonia, solicitor of the 14th judicial district for the last 33, a Shelby lawyer, said in the May 26 Democratic primary.

Jones, who is completing his third term on the seventh judicial district, gave personal and business reasons for deciding not to seek re-election.

He explained that he is required to remain away from his wife and two sons, ages 13 and 15, for long periods and that he believed that he was needed with his family, particularly at this period in the boys' lives. He said also that he was eager to return to the private practice of law at Rutherford with his law partner, Fred Hamrick Jr.

It Was Just 7 A. M., See, Phone Rang, And Then...

Charlotte News Staff Writer
In less than two hours to go, Solicitor Basil L. Whitener decided to be a candidate for Congress from the 11th Congressional District.

It all started at 7 a.m. today when he received a phone call from Mount Holly newspaperman.

"He said that he had gotten an announcement from Woodrow W. Jones, solicitor of the 14th judicial district, saying that he was pulling out of the race," Solicitor Whitener said.

"I asked me what I thought. I thought about it until I got to the office about 9 o'clock. Then another newspaperman called."

"I said I was sorry to see my good friend Woodrow pull out, and that I would seek the job," Mr. Whitener said.

The announcement that he would enter the congressional race leaves a big question mark for the solicitorship in the 14th Judicial District, which includes Mecklenburg and Gaston Counties.

Asked about his plans for resigning, Solicitor Whitener said he has no such plans.

It has been a busy morning for the Gaston attorney, who has been extremely active in Democratic politics for many years.

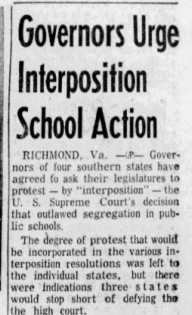
As soon as he reached his decision about 9 o'clock this morning, he was off for Civil Court in Lincoln and back to his law office in Gastonia by 11:30 o'clock.

Mr. Whitener's announcement puts an end to the perennial speculation that he would be a candidate for the governorship.

Although he says he has not had time yet to decide what he will do about the solicitor's post, speculation has arisen in Gastonia that he would be a candidate for the governorship.



SOLICITOR WHITENER



REP. JONES

Six Children Die in Fire

BRIDGETON, N. J.—Six children were burned to death in a fire that destroyed their home on a rural road three miles outside this southeastern New Jersey community early today.

The blaze, believed to have started in a defective oil stove, destroyed the two-story frame home occupied by Austin Pitts and Hazel Pierce, whom police said was his common-law wife.

The two adults and the young child were on the first floor of the home when the blaze broke out about 1 a.m. Pitts grabbed the child, Andrew Pitts, four months old, and brought him to safety.

He tried reentering the home to save the others but suffered severe burns to his hands and was forced to stand by helplessly listening to the screams of the other six children, all of whom had been sleeping on the second floor of the rented home.

Those killed were Margaret, 16; Thomas, 11; Perry, 10; Sheila, 5; Harvey, 3; and Paula, 1½. Police said that Thomas, Perry, Sheila and Harvey were killed by Pierce's children by a marriage to a James Horton Pierce.

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Watch Your Language, Friends Pair's &?! Proved To Be Costly

By DONALD MacDONALD
Charlotte News Staff Writer
Watch your language, friends. Profanity can be mighty expensive.

Won Streetcar, But It'll Cost

DALLAS (AP)—Bobby Slinger, 20-year-old bank messenger, is now the owner of a 48-foot streetcar but has no place to put it. He won it in a drawing held by the Dallas Transit Co. which gave the streetcar away when it converted to buses this month.

But Slinger, who has 10 days to move the trolley off the transit company's property, can't say he was warned. In announcing the drawing the transit firm said it would cost at least \$100 to move the aged streetcar which is worth about \$100.

He Got Initiated

DALLAS (AP)—Del. L. J. C. Wilson went into a restaurant last night to dine during his first day's duty with the Police Burglary-and-Theft Bureau. While he was dining in that steak his hat.

PUIR RABBIE REAL DISGRACE TO NEWSPAPER RHYMESTER

MONTREAL (AP)—The Montreal Gazette took a look today at a begrimed statue of Scots poet Robert Burns—born 179 years ago today—in central Dominion Square and lamented:

I wandered by St. George's Kirk
A'tween the gloamin' and the mirk,
I wandered up along the square
An' saw puir Rabbie standing there.
An' then, abuse the traffic din,
I heard a voice, bairn loud an' thin:
"Och, laddie, laddie, who is fane?"
The waird o'er me at the same.
Just look at me—a real disgrace,
Why disna someone wash my face?"

Flooding In New Tube Water Threatens New York Tunnel

NEW YORK (AP)—A torrent of water today broke through the wall of a new tube being dug 63 feet below the Hudson River for the Lincoln automobile tunnel, which links New York City and New Jersey.

Nobody was hurt, but a desperate battle was launched by workmen to stem the flow and prevent it from filling the shaft and lapsing over into the two tunnel tubes now in use.

The third tube parallels the wall of the tunnel where the water broke through, but not precisely underneath.

Kefauver Hits Farm Policy

LA CROSSE, Wis. (AP)—Sen. Kefauver (D-Tenn.) said last night that the Republican administration was leading the American farmer to the brink of bankruptcy.

The Tennessee senator, who captured the entire Wisconsin delegation at the 1952 Democratic National Convention, started his campaign for the state's 28 delegate votes this year with an address to about 200 Democrats.

Governors Urge Interposition School Action

RICHMOND, Va. (AP)—Governors of four southern states have agreed to ask their legislatures to protest—by "interposition"—the U. S. Supreme Court's decision that outlawed segregation in public schools.

The degree of protest that would be incorporated in the various interposition resolutions was left to the individual states, but there were indications three states would stop short of defying the high court.

Gov. George Bell Timmerman Jr. of South Carolina disclosed the stand of the chief executives in a statement yesterday that followed a six-hour conference on school segregation problems.

While none of the governors would commit his legislature to interposition resolutions that would ask Congress and the Supreme Court to take action, there were good indications Timmerman, Gov. Thomas B. Stanley of Virginia and Gov. J. P. Coleman of Mississippi would recommend resolutions that do not contain nullification—or outright defiance.

HODGES OBSERVES
Of these present, only Gov. Marvin Griffin of Georgia was outspokenly in favor of an all-out nullification interposition resolution. Also attending the conference was Gov. Luther Hodges of North Carolina, who said in an observer but did not join in the declaration of policy because his state's Legislature is not in session.

Under the doctrine of interposition, the states interpose their sovereignty in the face of a federal action they consider beyond the constitutional authority of the federal government.

They would raise a question of the contested powers between the interposing states and the Supreme Court and would ask Congress and the other states to settle the issue. This would be done by instituting action on a constitutional amendment saying the Supreme Court has the right to outlaw school segregation.

Such an amendment would have to be proposed by two thirds of the 48 states or by two thirds of the members of both houses of Congress. It would then have to be approved by three fourths of the states.

The governors apparently feel such approval could not be obtained. Timmerman's statement said the four governors declare:

"We, the undersigned, have not delegated to the federal government or any agency thereof the power to prohibit the segregation of races in the public schools and we, therefore, shall recommend to the legislature of our respective states that they interpose their sovereignty in the face of the federal government upon the sovereignty of the several states and their people."

"That a call be made upon the Congress of the United States to take such action within the limits of its constitutional authority as to protect the states and their people against present and future encroachment by the central government."

"That each state exercise its right to enact and utilize such other appropriate legal measures as it may deem advisable to protect its sovereignty and the rights of its people."

3 DIE IN BLAST
TAIPEI, Formosa.—A firecracker plant exploded yesterday in a case, however, as a young woman employee and the owner's 8-day-old son. Six employees were critically injured.

Bulgarian Note Read To Ike

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower today received a "friendly letter" from Soviet Premier Bulganin setting forth the White House called "certain ideas" respecting world peace.

Soviet Ambassador Georgi N. Zarubin read Bulganin's letter in Russian to Eisenhower and to Secretary of State Acheson who received him in the President's office.

At the end of the 15-minute conference Zarubin left the White House in letter for Eisenhower's consideration and possible reply.

White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty then told news men:

Intermittently since the Geneva Conference the President and Premier Bulganin have been exchanging correspondence. This morning brought in a friendly letter containing certain ideas which the Premier has asked the president to study further in the interest of promoting world peace."

Our Weather
Partly cloudy and cool today, and tomorrow. Mostly cloudy with chance of light snow or sleet tonight.
Low tonight—24.
Low tomorrow—20.
High today—41.
High tomorrow—45.
Sunrise 7:27 a.m.; sunset 8:44 p.m.
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