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U. S. Urged To Throw Out U. I. Red Envoy And Aide

State Dept. Is Rebuked For Action

By JOHN CHADWICK
WASHINGTON — Senate investigators urged the State Department today to throw out of this country Arkady Sobolev, chief Soviet delegate to the United Nations, and one of his top subordinates.

The Senate Internal Security Subcommittee made the request in accusing Sobolev's staff of using "coercion, force and duress" in an effort to induce nine Russian sailors to return to their Communist homeland after obtaining asylum in this country.

Five of the sailors suddenly left New York by plane on April 7, under Soviet escort. Dispatches from Russia quoted them as saying they went home voluntarily. Four associates who remain here said the men were coerced.

The subcommittee rebuked the State Department and the Immigration Service, saying they failed to take effective action to protect the youthful sailors.

It said there were no "realistic efforts" to learn whether duress was used on the sailors and that unjustified concessions were made "in response to Soviet pressures and treachery."

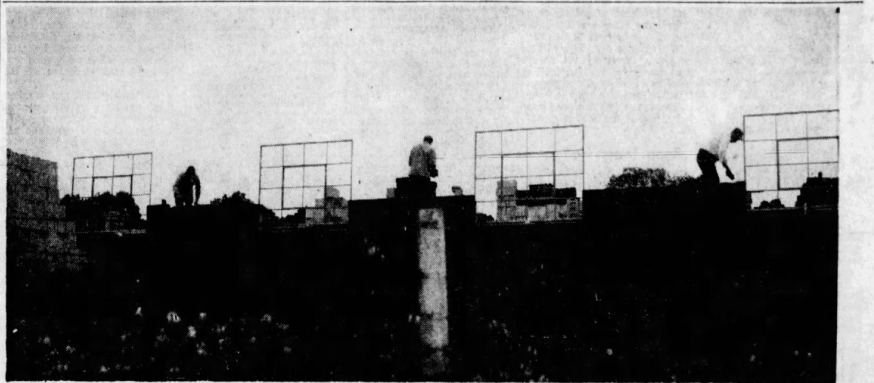
Secret testimony made public by the subcommittee as part of its report disclosed government officials' learned of the seamen's impending return to Russia the night before but concluded there was no evidence then to warrant blocking their departure.

The five seamen were among nine crewmen of the Soviet tanker Tupps who were granted asylum in this country last October after their ship, bound for Red China with a load of jet fuel, was captured by Chinese Nationalists on Formosa.

In recent hearings, the subcommittee heard testimony from the four crewmen still here and from others, indicating that the Soviet Union was kidnapped by Soviet agents.

The subcommittee urged the expulsion of Sobolev and Konstantin Etkimov, first secretary of the Soviet U. N. delegation.

Under the agreement establishing U. N. headquarters in New York City, the United States reserves the right to take action against any official who engages in activities "outside his official capacity."



This Is The Garage That W. O. Flowe Is Building. Bricks Are Being Laid For Protection Until The Fuss About The Structure Is Settled

304 Houses To Be Built \$4 Million Home Project Planned

By WILL OMAE ADAMS
Charlotte News Staff Writer
Spangler Construction Co. will develop a 304-home subdivision on Shamrock Rd., east of the Charlotte Country Club, at an expenditure in excess of \$4 million, C. D. Spangler, president of the firm, announced today.

Mr. Spangler said the new subdivision will be called Shamrock Hills. He said the homes will be brick veneer structures ranging in price from \$12,500 to \$14,750, and averaging approximately \$13,500 each.

Some of them will be completely air-conditioned. When these first homes are ready for public inspection and that Spangler Realty Co. will handle the sales of the homes.

W. N. Duckworth, vice president, and J. C. Purnell, sales manager, said the homes will be erected in groups of 25, with continuous building until the 304 homes are finished. They estimated that it will take from one year to 18 months to build the homes and that total expenditures will be approximately \$4,150,000.

The area that is being developed is inside the city limits and is near the Shamrock School and the site where the Shamrock subdivision will be held.

Actual construction work on this first group of homes will get underway immediately, and this group is scheduled to be ready for occupancy in 90 days, Mr. Spangler said an official opening of the subdivision will be held.

2nd Spot Runoff Political Fronts Remain At Rest

By JULIAN SCHEER
Charlotte News Staff Writer
A long chore took at the state of Mecklenburg and North Carolina politics today indices.

(1) A rather light vote Saturday.

(2) Weather predicted locally not conducive to a large vote.

(3) Little heated political activity on any front in the final rounds.

(4) Odds favoring a second primary in the lieutenant governor's race.

Estimates for Saturday's turnout in Mecklenburg are set at about 25,000, with experts talking from 18,000 to 29,000. Unless there is a last minute surge, a low mid-20,000 vote should be seen here.

Registration figures show a lower registration in Mecklenburg now than in 1954. In 1954 there were 87,962 registered Republicans and Democrats eligible.

While the weather man hates to go out on the limb this far in advance, he says Saturday should be partly cloudy with scattered showers in the afternoon.

Order Halts Construction Of Garage

Mr. Flowe said that after hearing some criticism from neighbors he decided that instead of leaving a plain concrete block structure, he would brick veneer it to improve its outside appearance.

In such a rural zone, commercial or business operations are not permitted.

The Flowe property on Thrift Rd. is in a rural zone as designated under the city's perimeter area zoning ordinance.

Mr. Edges said today that in a telephone conversation with Mr. Flowe last night he had given him permission to put the walls in shape for protection against the weather.

And this morning Mr. Flowe told The News that workmen were on the job at the moment.

Whether he will accept the order and suspend building operations will be decided at a conference with his attorney, Mr. Flowe said.

An order for immediate cessation of construction of an automobile storage building at 4800 Thrift Rd. has been served on W. O. Flowe by City Building Inspection officials.

An appeal by a group of protesting residents has been made to the Board of Adjustment on the City Building Inspection Department's issuance of a permit to Mr. Flowe to erect the building.

Ruckus In Restaurant 'Dressed-Up' Man Fined In Court

By DONALD MACDONALD
Charlotte News Staff Writer
If women can wear slacks, why can't men wear dresses?

This question was raised in Charlotte city court this morning as female impersonator Max Perkins, alias "Maxine" went on trial for disturbing the peace May 11 at the Merita Grill, 1323 W. Trade St.

"Maxine," 121 N. Alexander St., was charged with smashing sugar bowls, cream pitchers, cups and gum machines at Merita Grill and with assaulting Mrs. Peter J. Copes, night proprietor.

Because Mrs. Copes, a Greek-American, uses limited English, it was necessary for her testimony to be interpreted by her daughter, Mrs. Chris Yahnis.

At several points, Mrs. Yahnis had to be restrained from giving her own testimony; and at one time she called Perkins "a disgrace to the community."

"KICKED, THREATENED" Through her daughter, Mrs. Copes testified that the female impersonator kicked her and threatened to take her life if she notified police of the disturbance.

Perkins was dressed in a blue plaid skirt, white sweater and ballet shoes. The defendant's hair is shoulder length and he uses heavy make-up and wears ear-rings.

Defense Attorney Ralph Kidd maintained that a waitress at Merita Grill provoked the disturbance by calling his client "a vile and horrible name."

Satch Cuts Beat To Keep African Cats Cooled Off

ACCRA, Gold Coast — Police Maj. Michael Collins today ordered Louis Satchimo Armstrong to cool off the tempo of his hot Dixieland music to prevent his happy African audiences from rioting.

"When you play fast," said Collins, "these natives can't stand it. They'll riot all over the place from joy."

A big man broke over Satchimo's broad face. "O. K. Daddy," he told the official, "I'll give 'em a little slow beat. You know, that's the slow in the morning music."

4 O'CLOCK MUSIC He and his band of American musicians then began playing "When It's Sleepy Time Down South."

"Man," Satchimo told Prime Minister Kwame Nkrumah, "Yo country reminds me of New Orleans. It's hot and them crickets sing like they do out at Lake Pontchartrain."

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Special Session Unlikely Soon

RALEIGH — Gov. Hodges said today it is safe to assume a special session of the Legislature to deal with the school segregation problem will not be held in June and that a date for the session should begin to "firm up" next week.

Hodges told his news conference that work has begun on drafting bills that will be presented at the special session. He said, "We shall expect to talk with several key legislative leaders" before the final drafting is done.

"Beginning next week, we will start trying to firm up a date for the session," he said.

Hodges told newsmen he "read with interest" news stories of the State Supreme Court ruling yesterday in the Old Fort school case. The court dismissed an appeal brought by four Negroes seeking to have their children and other children admitted to the white school at Old Fort. The court held that the Negroes should have filed their suit as individuals instead of in a group.

Suicide Try Unsuccessful

LAURENBERG — Red-haired Laura Hammons, 21, held in Scotland County jail on charges of attempted safe robbery and possession of burglary tools, was unsuccessful last night in what Sheriff J. C. Gibson described as an apparent suicide attempt in her cell.

The Falls Church, Va., woman, who described herself as a Washington, D.C., dress and fur model, was found lying on the floor of her cell shortly after 7 o'clock last night by Jailer Harry Salmon. He said she apparently had tried to hang herself.

Salmon said the green-eyed woman's face was "almost black" when he reached her. He applied artificial respiration for about 20 minutes to revive her and then had her taken to a hospital where a check revealed she was unharmed. She was returned to the jail.

Our Weather

Partly cloudy and cooler today. Fair and cooler tonight and Friday fair and mild.

Low this morning 63
Low tomorrow morning 54
High yesterday 93
High today 91
High tomorrow 83
Sunrise 5:15 a.m.; sunset 7:27 p.m.

Canine Bites Rationed By Post Office

dog confined or get his mail at the Postoffice, General Delivery.

That happens two or three times a week, George B. McConnell, assistant superintendent of the mails reports. In most of the cases the carrier actually is bitten, although sometimes he only gets his pants ripped. Occasionally mail is stopped where a dog is repeatedly threatening and is known to have bitten some one other than a carrier.

MOST COOPERATIVE "Most all of the people—95 per cent of them—cooperate well" about confining a dangerous dog, McConnell said.

It takes a week to bring a few around, and there are rare instances of longer periods. One woman held out six months.

Financially, the carrier is better off if he is bitten than if the dog tears his clothes.

If a carrier is bitten, the government pays for treatment and pays sick leave until he returns to duty. Usually he is out only a day. But if the dog tears his clothing, the mailman has to pay for that himself.

SERIOUS CASES "We had one case where the carrier was in the hospital for three weeks and another where a man was forced to retire on government disability after being bitten," McConnell said.

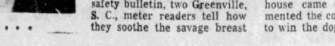
There is one rough part about stopping delivery to a house where there is a dangerous dog. Regulations say the official stop notice must be delivered by regular mail, not given

by telephone or other means.

"It's up to the postman to get through the best he can," McConnell explained. "He has to out-manuever the dog or wait until he's not around."



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