

## Ike Pledges Aid To China

TAIPEI, Formosa (UPI)—President Eisenhower answered the roar of Communist China's guns today with renewed assurance that the United States would support Nationalist China "against any aggression."

Eisenhower spoke to an estimated throng of 30,000 after conferring privately for two hours with Nationalist Chinese President Chiang Kai-shek.

Hundreds of thousands of Formosans cheered jubilantly a few hours before as Eisenhower arrived from the Philippines aboard the cruiser Saint Paul and drove through the streets of Taipei with Chiang.

A murderous barrage of 86,000 shells fired against the Nationalist offshore island of Quemoy by Communist shore batteries Friday night and early this morning failed to dampen the reception.

"Threats Increase Resistance"

Eisenhower made it clear that the recent outpouring of threats, propaganda and violence from Moscow and Peking was merely serving to increase the resistance of the United States and its Allies.

He said the American people deeply admired the courage of the Chinese Nationalists, keeping liberty alive on Formosa only 10 miles from the Communist mainland.

"You may be assured that our continuing search for peaceful solution to outstanding international problems does not reflect the slightest lessening of our determination to stand with you, and with all our free neighbors of the Pacific, against any aggression," Eisenhower declared.

**Denounces Shelling**

Through his press secretary, James C. Hagerty, Eisenhower denounced the "indiscriminate shelling" of Quemoy as proof that the Communists are not interested in word peace.

Hagerty said the shelling showed a "typical" Communist disregard for human life and added, "I should think the world opinion would characterize it as a deliberate and aggressive act."

It was the most brutal artillery barrage yet on the little Quemoy island which lies four miles from the Communist-held mainland and 110 miles from Formosa. The Communists said they planned to do the same Sunday as a farewell gesture to Eisenhower.

A Nationalist defense department spokesman, Adm. Liu Hsiang-tai, said the bombardment killed 7 persons and injured 32. He said 19 shells hit a hospital and more than 10 civilian houses and five schools were destroyed or damaged.

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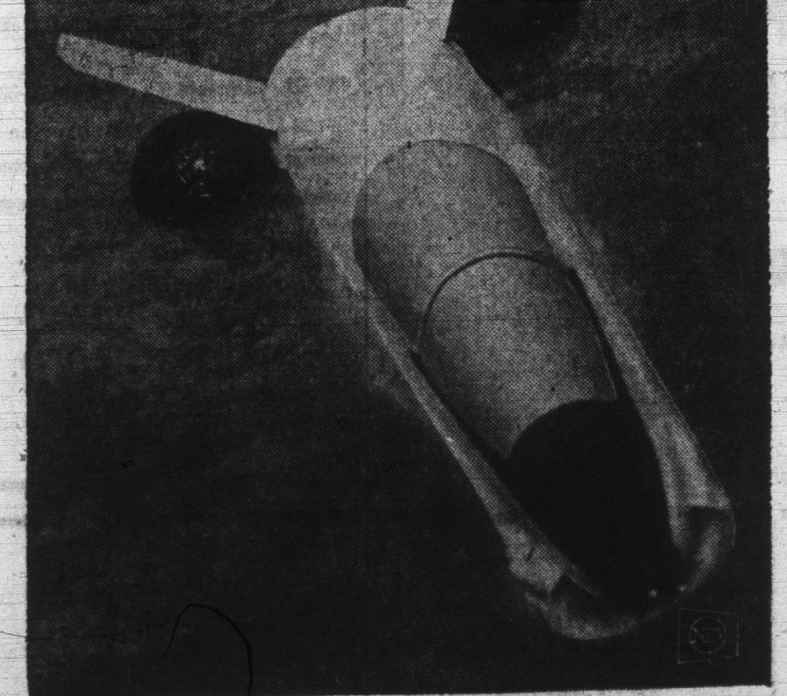
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MOO?—This is not a bug-eyed steer wading the Rio Grande. It's a floating missile escape capsule manufactured by Chance Vought in Dallas, Tex.

## Secret Talks Completed By Defense Heads

QUANTICO, Va. (UPI)—An absolute blackout on information about the meeting of 167 defense chiefs here will be lifted partially today by Defense Secretary Thomas S. Gates Jr.

It will be reporters' first opportunity to question Gates about the controversial worldwide military communications alert he ordered on the eve of the abortive Paris summit meeting. Gates has defended the alert before Congress as a "prudent" move.

Communist China's bombardment of the offshore island of Quemoy to protest President Eisenhower's visit to Formosa apparently was taken calmly by the defense chiefs and was touched on only briefly in their guarded conferences.

**Fleet On Alert**

But in response to newsmen's written questions, a Defense Department spokesman said the U.S. 7th Fleet in the Western Pacific was on a "normal precautionary alert" because of Eisenhower's presence and the "general tempo of the times" in the Formosa area.

The spokesman said, however, that no move was underway to strengthen U.S. forces in the Far East or speed up shipments of weapons and equipment to the Nationalist Chinese bastion of Formosa.

During their three-day meeting here—half work and half play—the civilian and uniformed defense leaders were kept in touch with developments in the Far East by a special command post.

**Wilson Originated Sessions**

Though this temporary communications headquarters, commanders could be in immediate contact with U.S. forces anywhere in the world.

The shutdown on public information about the conference was a sharp departure from the early years of the annual meetings, originated by former Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson.

During Wilson's term, the Quantico meetings were occasions for summarizing publicly the status of U.S. forces future prospects, manpower plans, weapons developments and budget plans.

## Heart Attack Fatal To Charles Lamin

Funeral services will be held Monday for Charles A. Lamin, 85, who was found dead Friday afternoon only a short distance from his home, 1025 Schirmeyer street.

Mr. Lamin had left his home about 8 o'clock Friday morning and his body was found at 1:15 p.m. along the Pennsylvania railroad tracks only a short distance away. It is believed he had been picking wild strawberries and was enroute home when stricken. Coroner Elmer Winterberg, Jr., gave the cause of death as coronary occlusion, and fixed the time of death as approximately 11:30 a.m.

Mr. Lamin was a retired employee of the city light and power department.

He was born in Monroeville Dec. 21, 1874, a son of James and Betty Walker-Lamin, and was married to Alice Elzey April 7, 1902.

Surviving in addition to his wife are one daughter, Mrs. Herb (Ireta) Hoffman of Lakewood, Fla., and one grandson.

Services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at the Black funeral home, the Rev. Ben J. Thomas officiating. Burial will be in the Decatur cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home after 7 p.m. today until time of the services.

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# United States And Japan Mutual Security Treaty Is Ratified By Japanese

## Plan Safeguarding Stamp Collection

Local and area authorities held a meeting at the Youth and Community Center this week and mapped out plans for safeguarding the stamp collection that will be in Decatur for the state rural letter carriers convention, July 3, 4 and 5.

The stamps will be heavily guarded all the way to Decatur and after they are set up at the Center as an exhibit, there will be a 24-hour guard on them. Other plans were set up at the meeting for guarding the stamps.

Present at the meeting were Lt. Nye and Sgt. Schindler of the Indiana state police, Sgt. Winebrenner of the state police post in Fort Wayne, representatives of the city police department and a sheriff's department, postmaster Bob Frisinger, Sherman Stucky, Earl Chase and Tom Miller, chairman of the convention. Also present were representatives of the Decatur Chamber of Commerce.

The traffic problem was also discussed and it was decided the city police and sheriff's departments will handle all traffic, with the Decatur Lions club taking care of parking.

## 12-Year-Old Boy Drowning Victim

SULLIVAN, Ind. (UPI)—The body of James Joseph Whitlock, 12, Paxton, was recovered from seven feet of water in a pond where he drowned late Thursday while playing near his home with several other boys.

## Jerry D. Miller Is Reported Improved

Mrs. Vivian Miller returned home Friday from the Naval hospital at Great Lakes, where her son, Jerry D. Miller, is being treated. Jerry, who was in a bad auto accident May 17, is improved and he is starting to eat. Two pints of blood that were scheduled to be given to Jerry have now been cancelled.

## Avert Walkout At Douglas Aircraft

LOS ANGELES (UPI)—Settlement within 24 hours of an 11-day strike against Convair and a threatened walkout against Douglas raised hopes today of a return to full production in the nation's aircraft-missile industry.

International Assn. of Machinists (IAM) pickets still paraded at Lockheed missiles and space division facilities, but negotiators said operations "were virtually normal." Negotiations in that contract dispute continued in San Francisco.

Douglas Aircraft reached tentative agreement Friday night just two hours before about 20,000 machinists were scheduled to walk off their jobs at Santa Monica and El Segundo, Calif., plants, and missile test centers across the country.

Convair earlier in the day had worked out a tentative pact with the IAM but union members on at least one key Atlas missile base remained on strike, rejecting the offer.

The Douglas agreement halted any walkout by workers who build and service the Thor intermediate range missile and the Skybolt air-launched missile. A statement said the tentative settlement closely resembled the one agreed upon by the machinists and Convair. Details of neither were disclosed pending ratification by union members.

Convair machinists at Vandenberg Air Force Base, Calif., the nation's only site for war-ready Atlases, turned down the company's supplemental offer by a 2-1 margin. The supplemental offer is for off-site employees at test centers.

But at Cape Canaveral, Fla., IAM workers agreed to the supplemental offer and returned to work at the Atlantic missile range.

## Horse Show Sunday By Sheriff's Posse

The Adams county sheriff's posse, 22 members strong, will stage a parade through Decatur at 8 o'clock this evening in Western dress to advertise their 12-event horse show at Belmont park Sunday at 1 p.m.

Palmer Schwartz, president of the posse, will lead the parade, which will form at Belmont Park, ride down Monroe street to Second, through town to Adams, up Adams to First, and back to Monroe street and Belmont park.

The posse tried to stage a horse show last year, but the event was rained out. Weather forecasts call for clear, sunny weather on Sunday.

Events for the Sunday show are: horse parade, junior horsemanship, speed and action, keg bend, western pleasure, cloverleaf race, quarter horse, obstacle race, flag race, mail bag race, musical chair, and horses and ponies under harness.

Adults will be charged 50 cents and children under 12, 25 cents for admission.

Ribbons for the events will be furnished by the First State Bank, and arm bands and tents by the Stiefel Grain company. Each event has a sponsor who will donate the prizes.

## Welsh Appears In Lead For Governor

INDIANAPOLIS (UPI)—State Sen. Matthew E. Welsh appeared today to be far in front for the Indiana Democratic gubernatorial nomination at the party's state convention Tuesday.

A canvass of party leaders and the results of newspaper polls indicated that Welsh leads his only gubernatorial rival, State Auditor Albert A. Steinwedel, in at least eight of the 11 congressional districts.

Steinwedel gained some ground after Secretary of State John R. Welsh and State Sen. Nelson Grills retired in his favor and following the announcements of Terrence Haute Mayor Ralph Tucker and Roger D. Branigin, Lafayette attorney, that they are not running.

Steinwedel also has some potent backing among township trustees and other local officials because of his stand against the school reorganization law. But the school reorganization law has been passed and he has to have the lead in the 1st, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 10th and 11th Districts, which include nearly all of the large cities of the state except Evansville.

**Steinwedel Strength**

The potency of Steinwedel appears to be in his home district, the 9th and in the 2nd and 6th Districts, to a much lesser extent. It has been a rough race with the various gubernatorial hopefuls firing oratorical blasts at each other all over the state.

Welsh has had the financial backing and counsel of former national chairman Frank E. McKinney of Indianapolis, and national committeeman Alex Campbell of Fort Wayne, as well as solid support from the Democratic citadel of Lake County.

The Steinwedel backers have cried "bossism" as the candidates fighting from under usually do.

The Welsh chiefs often raise the point that Steinwedel is too young in party affairs in his first term as state auditor and that he should "go through the chairs," as they say in lodge circles.

Welsh has served in the House and Senate of the Legislature and now is his party's Senate floor leader. He also is a former U.S. district attorney. In 1956, he was defeated for the gubernatorial nomination by Tucker.

**Second Spot Contest**

In contrast, there is a spirited battle of six candidates for lieutenant governor in which the leaders seem to be State Sen. Earl Utterback of Kokomo and Indianapolis Mayor Charles Boswell.

Others in the contest are State Sen. Paul Bliz of Evansville; Marion County Sheriff Robert A. O'Neal, State Rep. Jean LaGrange of LaPorte, and Floyd Harper of Tipton.

Boswell's candidacy will damage the bid for attorney general of another Indianapolis man, John J. Dillon. Other contestants are William Miller, Evansville, and Clark B. Payne, Union City.

Hartford City Mayor William C. Smith and Williams Moss, Bloomington, are the aspirants for secretary of State and William A. Wilson, Crawfordsville, and William Fortune, Zionsville, a former Republican state treasurer, are the candidates for auditor.

Jack Haymaker, Logansport, ailing state treasurer, is striving to succeed himself against Ben Roberts, Lowell, and William E. Wilson, Jeffersonville, giant state superintendent of public instruction, is unopposed for renomination.

Contestants for the Supreme Court are Clarence R. McNabb, Fort Wayne, and Merton Stanley, Kokomo. There are five seekers of the four nominations for the Appellate Court. They are Russell Smith, LaPorte, the incumbent; Warren W. Martin, Boonville, former state senator; Alexander Lysohr, Portland; Theodore J. Smith, Lafayette, and Dwight Beckner, New Castle.

Mary G. McGill, Indianapolis, is the only bidder for reporter of the Supreme and Appellate Courts.

## Niagara Falls Train Reservations Sold Out

The Decatur Daily Democrat-Erie railroad "second honeymoon" bargain weekend trip to Niagara Falls, N.Y., and Canada has been sold out, and no more tickets will be available, it was learned today. The entire train has been sold out for the trip.

Those who have made reservations should pick up their tickets immediately at the Erie railroad office.

TOKYO, Sunday (UPI)—The United States-Japan mutual security treaty which touched off a near-revolution in Japan was ratified automatically at 12:01 a.m. (10:01 a.m. e.d.t. Saturday).

As the midnight deadline passed 10,000 angry leftists swarmed outside the Diet (parliament) threatening to storm the building and burn Premier Nobusuke Kishi's official and private residences.

The treaty upon exchange of articles of ratification with the United States will replace the military agreement reached between the two nations on Sept. 8, 1951, as part of the peace treaty with Japan and the end of U.S. occupation.

The new treaty, consisting of 10 general articles and a preamble, provides for joint defense of this key pro-Western nation of the western Pacific.

**Allows Japan Veto**

Accompanying articles, which need no ratification, give the Japanese government a virtual veto power over the type of weapons the United States may introduce into Japan and the deployment of American forces from bases here.

The security pact, under Japanese law, was ratified automatically within 30 days of approval by the all-powerful lower house of parliament. The upper house of councillors, a body with slightly more power than Britain's House of Lords, did not need to vote on the treaty.

Although, ironically, it was the left wing Socialists who had pressed for revision of the 1951 so-called "unequal treaty" in the first place, the leftist opposition became so great in the final days of deliberation that police had to be called in to assure passage by the lower house at 12:16 a.m. May 20.

The opposition to the treaty became so violent that on June 10, radical students mobbed and trapped President Eisenhower's personal representative, White House Press Secretary James C. Hagerty, at Haneda International Airport and he and his party had to be rescued by a U.S. Marine Corps helicopter.

**Leftist Throng Dwindles**

Six days later, after a night of wild rioting in front of the Diet in which the life of was taken, Kishi finally bowed to the left wing minority and postponed the visit of President Eisenhower. Regretfully, President Eisenhower accepted the decision.

The U.S.-Japan security pact was signed in Washington by treaty of State Christian A. Herter and treaty of State Christian A. Herter.

## House Votes Foreign Aid

WASHINGTON (UPI)—The House, influenced by tough new Communist trouble-making in the Far East and elsewhere, voted \$3,584,500 for foreign aid Friday night and restored cuts in funds to stiffen Allied military might.

But, Sen. Allen J. Ellender (D-La.) cited the same Communist-led disturbances in voting today to try to slash the aid outlay "all the traffic will bear" when it comes up in the Senate.

Ellender said recent anti-government riots which toppled the regimes in South Korea and Turkey and probably will in Japan might be evidence that the aid program "has been so miserably handled" that persons in those countries wanted to get rid of the leaders who cooperated in the program.

The Louisiana Democrat, long an advocate of trimming the aid program, is a member of the Senate Appropriations Committee which has been holding hearings on President Eisenhower's aid request. The committee does not plan to start drafting a bill before June 27.

"I'm not going to be intimidated by the President or anyone else," Ellender said. "Everytime this bill comes up we have some crisis or other."

The House, however, was clearly influenced by the Far East crisis in voting to restore 200 million dollars of the 400 million dollar cut by its Appropriations Committee from Eisenhower's military aid request.

The lawmakers restored the funds after House leaders cited the leftist-led Japanese riots which forced cancellation of Eisenhower's visit to Tokyo, Chinese Communist shelling of the offshore island of Quemoy to protest the President's visit to Formosa also hung over the decision.

But the House rejected a companion administration attempt to restore 50 million dollars of the 124 million dollars chopped by the Appropriations Committee from Eisenhower's request for defense support funds, a form of economic aid.

The House bill, finally approved, 258-124, falls \$500,000 short of the military and economic assistance sought by Eisenhower for this nation's cold war allies in the 12 months starting July 1.

The measure would give the President \$1,800,000,000 of the two million dollars he asked in military aid and 600 million dollars of the 724 million dollars he wanted for defense support.

The bill carries \$1,184,500,000 of the \$1,451,000,000 Eisenhower asked for other economic assistance.