

37 Nations Vote Month's Delay Of U.N. Assembly Session

Majority Already Certain; Lake Success Receives No Negative Votes Yet

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Sept. 12 (U. P.).—Thirty-seven nations, more than the required number, agreed today to postpone United Nations general assembly for one month to Oct. 23.

Secretary-General Trygve Lie, who reluctantly proposed the delay at the request of Russia, China, France and Belgium, announced that up to noon today no United Nations member had opposed a postponement.

Soviet Repetition Tiring Delegates

By NAT A. BARROWS

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Every added hour of the repetitious droning of the Soviet tactics before the security council increases the possibility of a husky backfire in Russian faces.

The endless arguments of the Gromyko-Manulsky team on the Greek issue are keeping the council purposely dominated with Russian viewpoints and reducing the 11-nation body to the shallow depths of a propagandistic sounding board. But the dreary round of reiteration, first by Andrei Gromyko, the Russian delegate, then by Dmitri Manulsky, the Ukrainian foreign minister, and then by Mr. Gromyko again, is paving the way directly into a showdown of protest and correction before the full, 51-nation general assembly.

Other Delegates Tiring

That is clear enough from talks with small nation members here and with other council delegates as well.

If Mr. Gromyko, on orders from Moscow, has been seeking to make the security council the overall dominating committee of the United Nations, he certainly is missing the boat right now.

Public reaction to the wearying spectacle of the Ukrainian complaints against monarchical Greece has added nothing to the prestige of the council. Each additional session on Soviet allegations, centered on Soviet question, centered on Greek question, centered on British troops in Greece menace peace, reduces council prestige.

Council colleagues cannot escape a sense of frustration and boredom

as Mr. Gromyko this week conducts what amounts to a filibuster. They wonder, privately, if the San Francisco idea of the council in continuous session, and thus available to hear complaints on threats to security, is not weakened by the Russian tactics of repetition in debate.

It all means that the security council framework is headed for a thorough examination by the general assembly, where the majority vote prevails without the big power veto held by the council.

Australia and Cuba already have asked for specific review of the veto held by Britain, China, France, Russia and the United States.

The allegations against Greece and British troops, which both defendants heatedly deny and call "unbridled propaganda," now tighten the certainty that a much broader inspection of the status of the council will be undertaken.

Officer Loses Pants in Tussle

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12 (U. P.).—Richard R. Watkins, 40, was under suspended sentences today for disorderly conduct and destroying government property. The property was a pair of policeman's pants.

Watkins ripped the officer's pants in a tussle when the cop arrested him for disorderly conduct.

REP. MAY OFFERS TO TALK TO COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12 (U. P.).—Counsel for Rep. Andrew J. May (D. Ky.) have notified the Mead committee that the Kentucky congressman probably will be able to testify in Washington late this month on his connections with the Garsson munitions combine.

The offer to testify—probably an hour at a time and in company of a physician—was made in a letter to Committee Chairman James M. Mead (D. N. Y.) from Daniel J. Andersen, attorney for Mr. May.

SAYS OVERSEAS UNITS ARE LAX

Senate Quiz of Occupation Costs Is Studied.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12 (U. P.).—The senate war investigating committee today considered probing the cost and conduct of the military occupation of Germany.

The committee, it was learned, has received reports that conduct of American troops in Germany, from generals down, is "worse than the German occupation of France."

None of the reports, involving complaints of lax discipline and waste of American military supplies, has been verified.

But one member said the committee has received secret testimony claiming the faults can be traced all the way up to the offices of Gen. Joseph T. McNarney, U. S. commander in Germany, and Lt. Gen. Lucius Clay, his deputy.

Welcome Inquiry

Gens. McNarney and Clay were not directly accused of any misconduct but were reported in the secret testimony to have cognizance of actions by lesser generals which made it difficult to maintain discipline all along the line.

At the same time, it was said Gens. McNarney and Clay welcome a committee investigation into the cost of zone-type of occupation of Germany, as compared with what it would be if all the reich were handled as a single unit.

When and if the committee could get into an investigation of military occupation was problematical, however. A thorough check would include a trip to Europe.

REARREST DRIVER IN HIT-RUN ACCIDENT

James LaMarr, 1428 Yandes st., was rearrested this morning on manslaughter charges as the driver of the car in the hit-run accident July 27 which resulted in the death yesterday of 17-year-old Charles Riney at City hospital.

Judge Joseph H. Howard, municipal court 3, bound LaMarr, who waived a preliminary hearing, over to the grand jury.

Thomas Cowherd, 31, and Carlyle Cowherd, 24, brothers, 713 W. Ninth st., named LaMarr as the driver of the death car in statements to police. The Cowherds and LaMarr are also charged with banditry and robbery.

Murder Victim



Mrs. Irene Elsing

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Sept. 12 (U. P.).—Investigation into the murder of a pretty 26-year-old divorcee, Mrs. Irene Elsing, centered at nearby Belleville today. Police sought the names of two Scott field soldiers with whom she had dates.

The body of Mrs. Elsing, member of a prominent East St. Louis family, was recovered from the Mississippi river near Crystal City, Mo., three days ago. She had been tied up with baling wire and weighted with sash weights.

WANTS POLITICS OUT OF JUVENILE COURT

The Marion county juvenile court committee today was mapping its plans for the coming general elections after the first formal meeting of the steering subcommittee yesterday in the new headquarters at 229 W. Washington st.

Aim of the juvenile court committee is to take politics out of juvenile court.

Officers of the committee are Roscoe Conkle, Mrs. Austin V. Clifford and Mrs. Meredith Nicholson Jr., co-chairman; Miss Mary Sinclair, secretary, and Henry Pierce, treasurer.

Steering committee members are Clarence Baker, Mrs. Anna Bunge, Mrs. Dorothy Buschmann, Ralph Husted, Mrs. Perry Lesh, Eli Lilly, Alex Taggart, Harold B. West, Evans Woolen Jr., Mrs. P. Hobson Zeigler, Mrs. Robert Wild, Mrs. Boyd I. Miller, Mrs. Silas Reagan, Mrs. J. A. Goodman, Mrs. George Home, Mrs. F. B. Ranson, David Chambers, Richard Oberreich, Ronald B. Woodard, Mrs. Frederick Ahnbrecker and John J. Appel Jr.

TOUR PERHAPS, NO 'STUMPING'

Truman Political Forays May Be Airborne.

By MERRIMAN SMITH

WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—A stump tour by some other name probably will be President Truman's contribution to the Democratic congressional campaign this fall.

The phrase "stump tour" is absent around the White House these days. Presidential aides, when asked about Mr. Truman's campaign plans, stare at the ceiling and say that nothing definite can be announced—now.

This was the campaign-year pattern of the late President Roosevelt. He was always loathe in an election year to admit in advance that he had any political plans.

Will Hold Political Fire

National campaigns usually don't get going until October, and Mr. Truman's idea seems to be to hold his political fire until the later rounds.

While no official schedule has been made, politicians around the President expect him to make at least three major campaign appearances, probably beginning in October with a farm speech in his home state of Missouri.

This appearance might be followed with another speech in the Middle West—perhaps before the American Federation of Labor convention at Chicago. There were definite prospects of another speech in the east, maybe in New York, before the voters go to the polls to select a new congress.

Brief Trips

According to his friends, Mr. Truman has no idea of making campaign tours in the full sense of the word. A regular campaign tour means movement from town to town by train with frequent appearances, impromptu speeches and sessions of hand-shaking from the rear platform of the President's car.

What the President probably will do will be to make brief, air-borne forays into the selected campaign territories. He is expected to shake a lot of hands at these stops, confer and meet with party leaders, say his piece for the ticket at a public gathering and wing back to the White House in a hurry.

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TWO PETTY CRIME CASES REPORTED

Petty crime was almost at a standstill in Indianapolis last night. Teletype machines at police headquarters carried only two reports of any consequence.

Mrs. Frances Postewalt, 35, of 129 E. 50th st., was walking home along 50th st. at 10 o'clock last night when an old model car drew up alongside her as she crossed Pennsylvania st.

A young man leaped out of the car—grabbed her purse containing \$7—jumped back into the car and disappeared.

Pursuit of a man who a waitress at Wheeler's restaurant, Ohio and Pennsylvania sts., said threw steaming hot coffee in her face led to the arrest of John E. Nyikos, 29, South Bend.

Police caught Nyikos in the 100 block, E. Ohio st. He was being chased by Louis Wiseman, 33, 111 E. Walnut st., manager of the restaurant.

Charged with intoxication, disorderly conduct and vagrancy, Nyikos will appear in municipal court 3 this afternoon.

AMERICAN LEGION IN PHILIPPINES REVIVED

Times Foreign Service

MANILA, R. I., Sept. 12.—The American Legion of the Philippines has been revived by C. H. Janeway, who came to Manila from the Indianapolis national headquarters of the Legion with authority to organize the local chapter.

One of the proposals of Mr. Janeway, who is acting as co-ordinator, is to seek clarification of Filipino veterans' eligibility to membership in the Legion.

It is believed that by becoming members of the organization Filipino veterans who fought under the American flag during the war may be entitled to benefits enjoyed by Legion members under U. S. laws.

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SON SAYS HE KILLED FATHER 11 YEARS AGO

MANITOWOC, Wis., Sept. 12 (U. P.).—Paul Felix Wier, 39, was sent to the Oshkosh state hospital for observation yesterday after authorities refused to accept his confession that he killed his incurably ill father with an over-dose of morphine 11 years ago.

Wier walked into police headquarters Sunday and confessed to the "mercy slaying."

The son said his father had asked for a lethal dose of morphine to end his suffering and that he had killed him with four tablets of the drug.

Seymour Woman Who Took Own Life 'Too Tired to Go On'

SEYMOUR, Ind., Sept. 12 (U. P.).—Mrs. Opal Seyferth, 30-year-old housewife who hanged herself in a jail cell yesterday, was "too tired to go on," a note she left revealed today.

Coroner V. L. Burkholder said Mrs. Seyferth, held on murder charges in the shooting death of a neighbor, had related that she had been in a mental "turmoll" for months.

Mrs. Seyferth did not mention the shooting of Mrs. Jewell Zimmerman last June 15, Mr. Burkholder said. She was charged with firing a gun at the pretty 22-year-old mother of two children as the

latter walked to a grocery store.

"I'm too tired to go on. I've never really been happy and I see no hope for happiness so my life means nothing to me," the note read. Mr. Burkholder did not reveal contents of other portions.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Mrs. Seyferth. She knotted a silk night gown around her neck and stepped off an up-turned steel cot. Her body was found by the wife of Jackson County Sheriff George Abel as she brought breakfast to the cell.

Mrs. Seyferth and Mrs. Zimmerman had engaged in neighborhood arguments, police investigation disclosed.

Indian, 112, Says Mother Is Alive

MELBOURNE, Sept. 12 (U. P.).—Ahmah Gaga Singh, who claims to be 112 years old, said today his 160-year-old mother was still living in Nepal, India, but that his grandparents were dead.

Singh, who lives at Bendigo, said his grandfather died at 192 and his grandmother at 187.

The beribboned veteran of the Indian mutiny said he had been married eight times and had lost count of his great grandchildren. Of his grandchildren he could remember 193.

Singh said his eldest son was 97 years old and was living in India, but that his youngest son—2 years old—was at home.

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SECRET PACTS HIT BY BRICKER

Blames Agreements for Rumors of War.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 12 (U. P.).—John W. Bricker, G. O. P. nominee for U. S. senator from Ohio and 1944 vice presidential choice, said wars or rumors of wars today were the reaped harvest of secret agreements and unsupported promises of the world's leaders.

The former Ohio governor last night told delegates to the one-day Republican state convention here that there were conflicts of ideologies and forces in the world which threatened the destruction of all which our forces fought for in this war.

"We are confident that no nation could defeat America in a military way," Mr. Bricker said. But he warned that government could be destroyed through taxation of production forces and through increasing its power until it is burdensome and unbearable.

"The world today is divided between those that believe in the rights of which our people have fought for a thousand years and those who are greedy for power," Mr. Bricker declared.

TRUMAN VISITS HOSPITAL

WASHINGTON, Sept. 11 (U. P.).—President Truman today motored to the naval medical center at Bethesda, Md., to visit hospitalized servicemen.

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