

## Yugoslav Charges Britain And U. S. Plan Trieste Base

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ARIS, Oct. 2.—Moshk Pijade of Yugoslavia, accused the United States and Britain today of betraying the Big Four agreement on Trieste. He said the Anglo-Saxons are trying to perpetuate a military base in the Adriatic port under a joint rule.

Pijade said the two western powers are trying to build a Trieste wall, not to say an iron curtain, between Trieste and Yugoslavia. He renewed the Yugoslav diplomatic attack on Anglo-American policy in an Italian political commission debate on the statute for governing Trieste.

**Urges Delay on Decision**  
Pijade said the plan was disclosed to the proposals for a provisional arrangement of Trieste during which Anglo-American forces remain at call of the provisional governor, said the Anglo-American states reveal that "Trieste is not to become a free, independent territory but to be a continuous military base and Anglo-American condominium (joint government)." Pijade said it was too late to call this conference to consider plans for Trieste, and urged question be turned back to the four.

After Poland introduced a resolution recommending that the conference formally turn the Trieste problem back to the Big Four with a view to another Big Four meeting for Yugoslavia.

**France Seeks Compromise**  
France served notice it would not accept a resolution designed to end the present deadlock. This was the present deadlock. This was the present deadlock.

Yesterday by U. S. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes and British President George Bidault. They will seek to get decisions from conference on some general

basic questions concerning the nature of the proposed Trieste free territory.  
There seemed no possibility of obtaining final agreement on the Trieste government during the limited time left to the conference. A postponement for one year in the final decision was a possibility with a provisional regime during the interim.  
Only three days remained for the commissions to finish consideration of the five treaty drafts and submit reports to the plenary session. Ten days of plenary debate and voting on the reports will follow.

## CHIANG TURNS DOWN REDS' PEACE OFFER

NANKING, Oct. 2 (U. P.).—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek served notice on Chinese Communists today that the Nationalists would agree to a truce only if a government and army reorganization were carried out at once.  
Generalissimo Chiang rejected an ultimatum-like memorandum from Gen. Chou En-lai, Communist leader. He replied to it in terms of equal sternness, saying that a cease-fire order would be issued only in case the immediate reorganization were agreed upon.  
Gen. Chou had demanded that the government call off its campaign against Kaigan, second city in Communist territory, as a prerequisite to the resumption of peace talks.

**ISSUE SHORTWAVE FORECAST**  
WASHINGTON—Predictions on how good shortwave reception from Europe will be made twice a week by the National Bureau of Standards.

## Funeral Directors Meeting Here



Richard L. Dye (left), Indianapolis mortician, was co-chairman of the general committee for the National Funeral Directors association convention which opened its active sessions today at Murat Temple. Other officials were John E. Drummer (center), Seattle, Wash., N. F. D. A. president, and James C. Orr, Ferris, Tex., first vice president.

## Delegates Told About Delay In Returning U. S. War Dead

America's world war II dead may not be returned to the United States until late summer of 1947, delegates to the National Funeral Directors association were told today.

Col. James B. Colson, representative of the army quartermaster general, told the morticians the program would be held up until then by a shortage of casket materials. "Contracts for 250,000 caskets have been awarded," the army spokesman said, "but manufacturers have been unable to obtain steel, plywood, rubber and other materials that go into the steel casket which has been designed."

A sample casket shipped to the convention by the quartermaster corps was among the exhibits viewed by nearly 4,000 funeral directors. The casket is of stainless steel construction, hermetically sealed and lacquered or enameled in stately bronze. It is equipped with conventional handles and interior upholstery of white satin.

"Shipment of remains to the United States will depend entirely upon the wishes of the next of kin," Col. Colson said. "No remains will be shipped that have not been identified beyond all possible doubt."

**Remains Identified**  
Col. Colson said the American graves registration service has identified 248,315 remains. The service has 17,094 unidentified remains, he said, and 37,300 were lost at sea or otherwise have vanished.

The colonel said the U. S. has 209 temporary cemeteries throughout the world. He emphasized that once identification was made of remains, there is no doubt of the positiveness thereof.

"It will be positive beyond the shadow of a doubt," he said. "Col. Colson explained that the government will allow not more than \$50 toward defraying burial expenses. The government will not reimburse kin for another casket, he said, if the original is opened.

**Advise Against Opening Caskets**  
"Besides, we advise against opening the caskets," he pointed out. "I am sure you will see the wisdom of that policy."

The quartermaster officer advised that all inquiries concerning rights and privileges of kin under the army program be addressed to the office

## THREE ARE SLIGHTLY INJURED IN CRASH

Three persons were slightly injured this morning when the car in which they were riding was struck by another at College ave. and 13th st.

The injured, treated at City hospital and released, were: Thomas Royan, 25, of 5703 E. Washington st., driver of the car; Beatrice Horstman, 23, of 1938 Central ave., and Martin Botteheimer, 27, of 1432 Union st. All were cut and bruised.

The other car, driven by James E. Little, 19, of 44 S. Butler ave., was traveling west on 13th st. The Royan car was going north on College.

In another accident last night a careening truck struck six parked automobiles on W. 10th st. and the driver of the vehicle was later arrested and six charges placed against him.

The driver of the truck, William Whitlow, 39, of 1030 Hadley st., will appear this afternoon in Municipal court room 4 to answer charges of leaving the scene of an accident, drunken operating, operating a vehicle without license plates, reckless driving, operating without lights, and having no certificate of title.

## LOCAL BRIEFS

Carpenter and plumber tools, valued at more than \$250, were taken from the garage in rear of the Oscar M. Fowler home, 2022 College ave., yesterday. Mr. Fowler said the thief gained entrance to the building by taking the lock off the door.

Donald R. Vanderberg of Michigan, a guest at Barnes hotel reported to police last night that his wallet containing \$80 was picked from his pocket during the time he was away from room for supper and a shower.

Judge Walter Pritchard of superior court 4 will address the Association of Retired Railway Employees at 8 p. m. Monday in the Big Four building.

The Wayne township volunteer fire department will stage a parade of all its companies Sunday afternoon. The parade will form at Fleming Gardens fire house, 4325 W. Washington st., and will tour the entire township. O. W. Denney, president of Co. 6, is chairman of the parade committee.

The late Capt. Donald W. Bell, 3609 Forrest Manor ave., has been awarded the air medal posthumously. Presentation of the decoration was made to his wife, Mrs. Vida S. Bell, at her home in Taylorville, Ill., by officers of the army recruiting station, Decatur, Ill.

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**ESCAPE INJURY IN CRASH**  
Two passengers of an automobile escaped injury today when their car skidded in gravel and turned over at Ritter ave. and State Road 67. The occupants of the car were Cora Vance, 25, of 3012 Harlan st. and Kenneth L. Haskett, age 3.

## DENIES TROOPS' NEED IN STRIKE

### CIO Leader Testifies Rex Plant Pickets Orderly.

A C. I. O. organizer testified in federal court today that there "may have been a little jostling" on the Rex Manufacturing Co. picket line in Connersville but denied violence warranting use of troops.

The organizer, Robert Kirkwood, was first to testify in the federal court suit by the United Electrical Workers, C. I. O., to enjoin Governor Gates from calling out the state guard in the future in the Connersville strike. The guard was used Aug. 5 to "cover" return of production workers not involved in the strike to their jobs.

Mr. Kirkwood told the court the strike began July 18 and that no incident occurred until July 29 when there were reports that a company official had been denied entrance into the Rex plant. On cross-examination, he denied the C. I. O. union was contending with the A. F. of L. union in the plant and said the United Electrical workers were on strike "for recognition."

**A. F. of L. Under Contract**  
The dispute has been referred to as a jurisdictional fight between the two organizations. The A. F. of L. union is under contract with the company which manufactures cabinets for refrigerators.

The C. I. O. union filed the injunction suit after Governor Gates had withdrawn the troops and state police Aug. 6. They charge the act of calling out troops interfered with the constitutional rights of union members to picket peacefully and that the state made it difficult to maintain even a peaceful picket setup by "buzzing" pickets and on-lookers and terrorizing them with airplanes and a display of military strength.

**Tells of 'Violence Threat'**  
Attorney James A. Ross, representing officials of the company who are named along with state officials as defendants, introduced three documents on cross-examination, seeking to establish threat of violence. One document referred to

union hopes to "throw the beast (of fascism), as personified by company officials, out of Connersville."

Other documents alluded to police efforts to "smash through picket lines" to gain entrance to the plant. Such statements, Mr. Ross contended, amounted to union admission that entrance to the plants was being blocked by force.

Forceful blocking of plant entrances by pickets was forbidden in a Fayette circuit court injunction issued shortly before the plant reopened under the watchful eyes of the guardsmen. It was on an appeal from Connersville authorities for help in enforcing this injunction that the governor ordered troops to Connersville.

## TALK WITH MUNCIE STRIKERS RESUMED

MUNCIE, Ind., Oct. 2 (U. P.).—A second conference between C. I. O. union members and officials of the Ball Brothers fruit jar manufacturing plant was called today after the first conference failed last night.

Members of Local 93, Federation

of Glass, Ceramic and Silica Sand Workers rejected a company proposal to end a labor dispute which has idled nearly 3,000 employees since last Saturday.  
A short strike in three departments of the plant resulted in a company order that production would be delayed indefinitely. The company said the walkout caused production problems.



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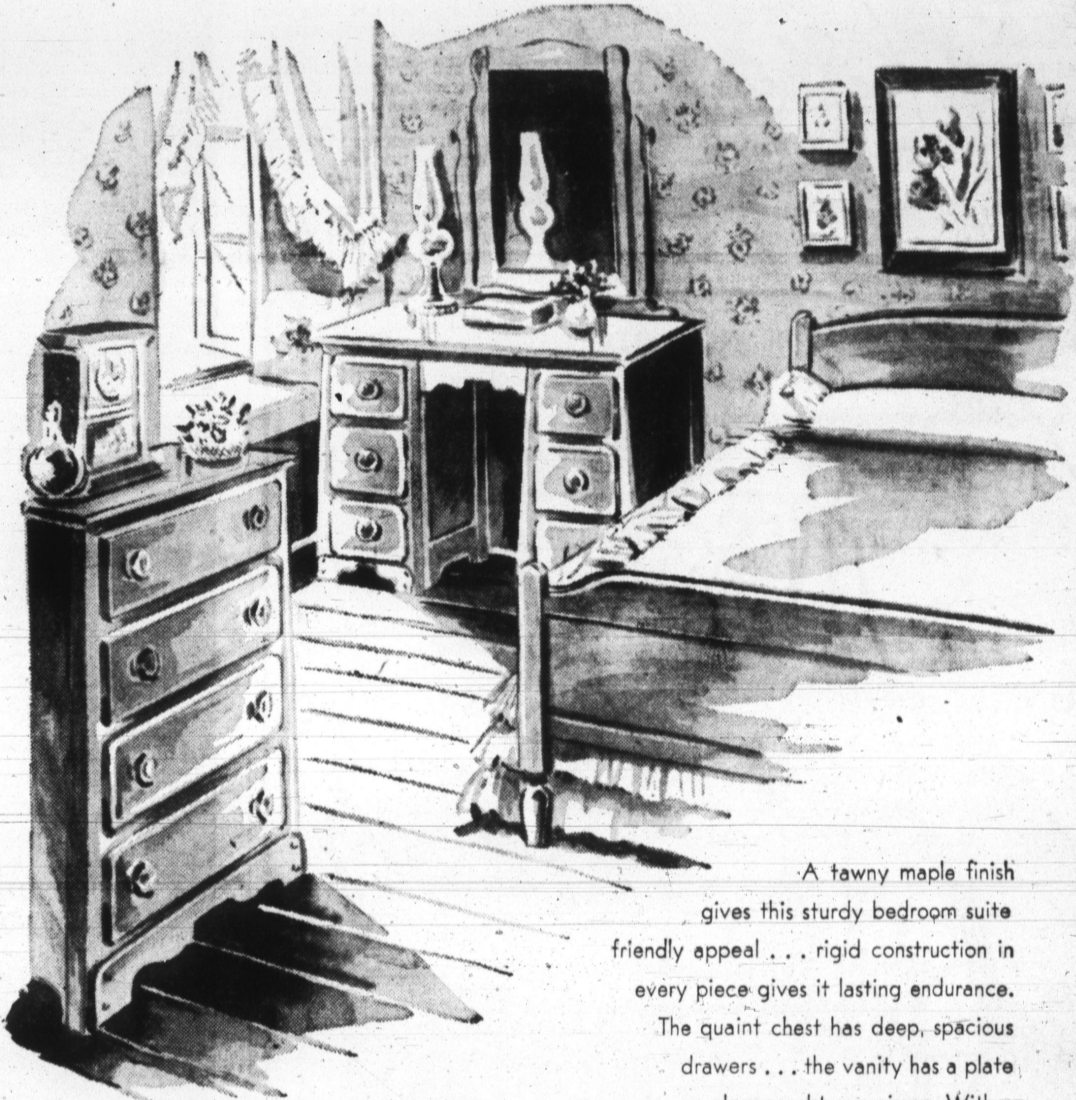
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