

Idle Mills Detain Return of Workers

WASHINGTON, May 2 (AP)—Tens of thousands of steelworkers found they had no immediate jobs to go back to tonight after CIO President Philip Murray called off the three-day-old strike at President Truman's request.

A spokesman for U.S. Steel, the giant of the industry, said the company's mills are resuming operations as soon as possible, but open hearth and blast furnaces, coke ovens and electric furnaces—all facilities where temperature is involved—will not re-open until "some reasonable assurance of continuing service" is received.

Orders Men to Work



Philip Murray

It was expected that this question of "reasonable assurance" against another costly shutdown of the mills will figure largely in tomorrow's renewal of union-management talks at the White House.

Meantime, the great battle over the Truman administration's action of April 8 in seizing the steel industry to avert a strike raged on in the United States Supreme Court.

The industry sought in a brief to persuade the court to ban any government-ordered pay raise while the industry is in government control. The administration opposed the move, seeking to keep its hand free to grant a wage increase.

There were reports the administration, unless stopped by the courts, would raise wages of the steelworkers if a union-industry agreement is not reached in the peace sessions opening tomorrow.

As the leader of the industry, U.S. Steel's position about resuming operations assumed top significance in the administration's struggle to get the steel plants back into full-scale operation.

'Ike' Confers With Adenauer In Germany

BONN, Germany, May 2 (AP)—Gen. Eisenhower and Chancellor Adenauer talked today of a brighter future for Europe even as Allied negotiators told the Germans there would be no further concessions to get German aid for Western defense.

The supreme commander of Allied Powers in Europe made a special trip to this capital of disarmed West Germany to discuss with the 76-year-old Chancellor ways to strengthen the Western world against the threat of totalitarian aggression.

Plans to add 400,000 German troops to the Western armed forces are endangered by a dispute within Adenauer's three-party government over the terms offered by the Allies in a peace contract now nearing completion.

But Allied authorities said today they have gone as far as they can to get German co-operation. One remarked "We have made over 100 concessions to the German point of view in the past six months and we cannot make any more."

Eisenhower talked with Adenauer for two hours in the palatial Chancellery on the Rhine and then told newsmen:

Phys Ed Dean Honored at Dinner

Carl P. Schott, dean of the School of Physical Education, was guest of honor at a testimonial dinner given by Phi Delta Theta Thursday night.

Edward Steidle, dean of the School of Mineral Industries, talked briefly on the early days of Penn State. Schott will retire as dean of the Physical Education school in June.

He was presented with a complete rain outfit for hunting and fishing from the town alumni and Phi Delta Theta. Schott, in accepting the gift, expressed the desire to travel around the country in a trailer, hunt, fish, and accomplish all the other things he had planned to do.

Vets' Receipts Due May 10

May 10 is the deadline for submitting veterans' book receipts for the current semester, Richard H. Baker, Veterans Administration coordinator, announced yesterday.

Veterans who have receipts for credit by examination, evaluation fee, or beaux arts fee may submit them for payment at the fee assessor's office until May 17, Baker said.

Graduate students with bills for authorized thesis expenses may submit them to 6-A Old Main until June 6.

Veterans who are planning to continue their studies for an advanced degree after graduation this semester, either at the College or at another institution, should file their application for a supplemental certificate of eligibility immediately. The application form and further information may be obtained in G-4 Willard Hall or 6-A Old Main, Baker added.

State Party Group To Study Election

Members of the State Party will evaluate the recent campaign at a steering committee meeting at 7 p.m. tomorrow in 107 Willard.

Committees will submit written reports of their parts in the campaign for compilation in scrapbook form, thus making a written history of the State Party campaign. Jerome Feinberg and Corinne Janssens will assemble the reports for the history.

The group will also clear up standing accounts of the party and plan party organization.

Red Flag Hung, Leaflets Strewn In Lebanon Vale

ANNVILLE, Pa., May 2 (AP)—Police sought today to find the persons who hung a Russian flag on the Lebanon Valley College campus flagpole and scattered Communist leaflets through the downtown business section.

Police Chief Herman W. Heisley said several dozen propaganda posters and leaflets were found plastered on doors of business establishments yesterday morning. Yesterday was Russia's annual May Day celebration.

He said also the American flag on the Lebanon Valley campus had been hauled down and replaced by the Russian hammer and sickle.

The local American Legion post has offered \$100 reward for apprehension of the persons responsible for the acts.

Signs of Red Peace Offer Seen in Korea

MUNSAN, Korea, May 3 (AP)—Signs appeared today that the Communists had come up with some kind of armistice offer, but the old familiar air of stalemate still hung over the Korean truce talks.

The Communists at Friday's secret full-dress meeting apparently refused to agree to a United Nations command proposal designed as an overall solution for the three major issues barring a Korean armistice.

There was no way to confirm what went on Friday in the weathered tent at Panmunjom. The tent was jammed with 56 persons. North Korean Gen. Nam Il, head of the Red delegation, did most of the talking.

Vice Adm. C. Turner Joy, senior Allied delegate, emerged grim of face from the tent and told newsmen: "I regret that I have no comment to make."

Air ROTC to Hold Pre-Registration

Pre-registration for next year's Air Force ROTC classes will be conducted in the Armory Monday and Tuesday. There will be no classes in AROTC during these days.

Following pre-registration, freshman will be measured for the blue uniforms they will wear next year. Pre-registration will be taken on a first come—first served basis.

Army and Navy ROTC will conduct pre-registration next fall during the regular College registration period.

Oil Strike Effects Mount as Talks Fail

DENVER, May 2 (AP)—Effects of a nation-wide oil strike began mushrooming tonight as more key negotiations bogged down and plant shutdowns spread.

Deputy Administrator Bruce K. Brown of the Petroleum Administration for Defense said an order will be issued next week to limit flying in general. He said the strike has put the already tight supply of aviation gasoline "in a precarious position." Bruce estimated walkouts have cut that type of production by 35 per cent.

Promises Co-operation. Additional picket lines went up as members of 22 AFL, independent and CIO oil workers' unions began tightening their grip on the industry in support of demands for wage increases.

O. A. Knight, president of the powerful Oil Workers International Union CIO, promised co-operation "in every way possible" to see that public and emergency needs are met during the strike.

The strike hit the military. A Lowry Air Force spokesman at Denver said the Air Training Command at Scott Air Force Base, Belleville, Ill., ordered curtailment of routine flying training to conserve gasoline. He added minimum requirements, including aircraft gunnery training, still are being met at Lowry.

Warns Non-Struck Companies. Knight, in a statement, said all union locals were asked to permit gasoline for hospital, police, and fire department, school and other public institution vehicles, to be moved through picket lines.

He added a warning against "movement of strikebound products on just any pretense." He also warned "we will object very strongly if non-struck companies try to supply market needs of the struck companies," saying that would be "the surest way for a non-struck company to get into trouble."

One bright spot appeared in the over-all picture.

PS Club Holds Picnic Today

Members of the Penn State Club will travel to Legion Park this afternoon for a picnic. Those attending will meet in 411 Old Main at 12:30 p.m.

The club will hold its annual spring dance May 9 at the Delta Sigma Phi fraternity house. The dance will be semi-formal.

At a meeting Tuesday, nominations were made for next year's club officers. Nominations will still be open at the club's meeting Tuesday when the elections will be held.

Engineering Council Elects Three Officers

Three Engineering Student Council officers were elected at a special meeting Thursday night, Robert Watson, council president, has announced.

Gifford Albright was elected vice-president; Max Schuster, secretary, and Samuel Nowell, treasurer.

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Taft, 'Ike' Switch GOP Standings

By the Associated Press
Sen. Robert A. Taft took the lead over Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower yesterday in popular votes tallied so far in eight state primaries, while Eisenhower had an edge in the race for delegates to the Republican National Convention.

The new developments marked a complete switch for the two front-running candidates for the GOP presidential nomination.

Previously, Taft had led in delegates, Eisenhower in popular votes.

Belated final returns from the April 8 Illinois primary put Taft out in front in the so-called state "popularity" contests, 1,897,044 to 1,850,718—a margin of 46,326.

In the eight elections, Taft and Eisenhower each figured a write-in candidates four times. Taft's name was on the ballot four times, Eisenhower three. Eisenhower was not entered in Wisconsin and write-ins were not allowed there. Taft tried unsuccessfully to withdraw his name from the New Jersey ballot.

In delegate strength, Eisenhower pulled away to a four-vote lead over Taft, 278 to 274, after picking up eight more delegates in Missouri.

The figures are based on an Associated Press tabulation of delegates pledged, instructed, favorable or willing to state a first ballot choice, and on candidate concessions.

New Independent To Be Distributed

The Independent, featuring a story and picture of William Michalich, varsity second baseman and president of the Physical Education student council, will be distributed in town and on campus today.

This issue is the last one to be printed with Moylan Mills as editor. Richard Rau, fourth semester student in journalism, has been named editor for the next and last issue and for the next year.

The paper won the gold cup for the best printed newspaper at the National Independent Student Association conference last month.

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