

Anti-Semitism Censured

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee accused the Soviet Union and its satellites today of conducting "vicious and inhuman campaigns" against religious and other minorities.

The resolution, unanimously approved for Senate action, is a broadened version of several proposals for pinpointed condemnation of recent persecution of Jews behind the Iron Curtain. Chairman Wiley (R-Wis) of the committee said he expected Senate action Friday. Prompt passage is considered certain.

The broadened measure, hitting at persecution of Jews and others, calls on President Eisenhower to take appropriate action "to protest, particularly in the General Assembly of the United Nations, against these outrages." The Senate committee's resolution said:

"Resolved, that it is the sense of the Senate of the United States that the vicious and inhuman campaigns conducted by the Soviet government and its puppet governments in satellite states in Europe and Asia against minority groups, such as the persecution of Greek Orthodox congregations, the imprisonment of Roman Catholic prelates, the harassment of Protestant denominations, the suppression of Moslem communities, the persecution and scattering of ethnic groups in Poland, in the Ukraine, in the Baltic and Balkan states and in many other areas under Soviet domination, and most recently the increasing persecution of the people of the Jewish faith, deserve the strongest condemnation, by all people who believe that spiritual values are the basis of 'human progress and freedom.'"

Price Ceilings Go Off in Smoke

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—The administration today jerked price ceilings from another 12 billion dollars worth of goods, including cigarets, nearly all groceries still under control, and two basic defense meals, copper and aluminum.

Price rises, some fairly sharp, are foreseen by the Office of Price Stabilization.

The American Tobacco Company announced a price rise of 38 cents per thousand for its leading brand of cigarets, Lucky Strike. This amounts to about 3/4 of a cent for a package of 20—meaning a probable retail price rise of at least one cent a pack.

Industry men anticipated price rises on other popular brands.

Lodge Says Russia Backs Korean War

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Feb. 25 (AP)—Henry Cabot Lodge charged today Russia started the Red aggression in Korea and is continuing it, ostrich-like, with full aid to the Communist Chinese and North Koreans.

The reference to the ostrich got an immediate rise out of the Russians but they reserved detailed rebuttal until further study of Lodge's maiden speech for the Eisenhower administration in the 60-nation Political Committee.

In his first policy speech in the General Assembly as the new U.S. chief delegate, Lodge said there is little use formulating new truce proposals such as the rejected Indian plan for voluntary repatriation of prisoners of war so long as the Soviet Union is determined to continue the war.

Lodge grimly rolled off 10 points which he said showed the Russians instigated and are continuing the Korean conflict. He challenged Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Y. Vishinsky to disprove them. Vishinsky snapped back that he would answer this challenge after studying the official record of Lodge's speech.

Vishinsky lost a determined drive to have the Political Committee invite the Red North Koreans here to take part in the debate on Korea. The vote was 16 in favor, 35 opposed and six abstaining. But the voting was overshadowed by the first tilt between Vishinsky and Lodge since the ex-senator from Massachusetts came to the UN.

Lodge opened the attack by saying that every element of American life is eager for peace. Looking directly at Vishinsky after pointedly ignoring him up to that time, Lodge said:

"Apparently the Soviet Union, with its own special brand of magnanimity and generosity, is determined to carry on the war to the last Chinese." He listed what he called the 10 facts and said:

"The whole world knows the truth: that except for the active aid furnished to the North Korean and Chinese Communist aggressors by the Soviet Union, the war in Korea would now be over. Like the ostrich who sticks his head in the sand and thinks no one sees him, the rulers of the Soviet Union are so bemused by their own propaganda that they do not recognize the extent to which world opinion holds them responsible for aiding and abetting this great crime against the peace of the world.

"The rulers of the Soviet Union can stop the war whenever they want to—and Mr. Vishinsky knows it."

Britain Safeguards Shipping to China

LONDON, Feb. 25 (AP)—The British government said today the number of Royal Navy vessels patrolling the Formosa Straits off Communist China is a security secret.

But "all proper steps" are being taken to safeguard British ships on lawful journeys to the Chinese mainland, Defense Secretary Nigel Birch told the House of Commons.

Ike Would Discuss Peace With Stalin

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—President Eisenhower voiced willingness today to meet Joseph Stalin face to face and thresh out differences splitting East and West. The President imposed conditions, however, that the Russians have turned down repeatedly in the past.

Eisenhower made his qualified offer in response to questions at his second news conference since taking office. He said he would meet anybody anywhere—even half-way to Russia—to advance the cause of peace. But he said he would do so only if any agreements made were self-enforcing—that is, if there were safeguards against violation.

Russia has rejected "self-enforcing" agreements consistently.

The reporters themselves called a halt to today's news conference. Eisenhower was startled at first when a correspondent sang out, "Thank you, Mr. President!" and dashed for a phone. Then the President laughed uproariously and an aide said he chuckled all the way back to his office.

The President also made the following comments:

1. This country might find itself in an awkward position if it tried to repudiate all the secret agreements made by Democratic Presidents with the Russians in World War II.
2. To balance next year's budget would be a terrifically hard job. Otherwise, he said, the job would have been done long ago. Apparently he meant the Truman administration would have done it if it had not been so hard.
3. The Korean conflict is a fairly major war, and he doesn't at the moment see how universal military training could be started on top of the draft program needed for Korea.
4. He's meeting tomorrow with the governors of Texas, New Jersey, Wisconsin and South Carolina to start studies on how government functions should be divided between the state and federal governments.
5. Sen. Robert A. Taft of Ohio to the contrary, Eisenhower is against Communists being employed as teachers. Eisenhower said he's been shown that a Communist teacher can twist even arithmetic to the spreading of political doctrine. Taft said in a recent speech that Communists need not be barred from teaching unless they use their positions to influence students along Communist lines.

Iceland's soil requires heavy applications of nitrogen fertilizer for satisfactory crops.

Airplane engines today cost \$17 per horsepower.

Reds Constrain Inter-Sector Berlin Travel

BERLIN, Feb. 25 (AP)—All Germans living in the Soviet sector of Berlin will have to obtain special passes from the Communist regime after March 15 to cross into West Berlin, informed quarters reported tonight.

The crackdown on inter-city travel has been ordered by the secret police, partly to stem the flow of refugees fleeing East Germany and also to impress a feeling of isolation on beleaguered West Berlin.

By way of preparation the Red Gestapo slammed special controls on the elevated traffic into the main East sector station on Friedrichstrasse this morning. For several hours, trains in both directions were stopped and passengers checked.

To handle the unusual controls, the police used special loading platforms and switches erected during the past several weeks. Preparations for similar operations have been made on two other main trunk lines.

Snipping the elevated service in four-power Berlin would seriously hamper the movements of upwards of 400,000 Germans who cross the Soviet sector border in both directions daily.

Army Reveals AA Gun

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—The Army today proudly took the wraps off its robot anti-aircraft gun—the Skysweeper—a weapon that can detect enemy planes and pump 45 shells a minute.

Airforce Blasts Red Factories, Supply Areas

SEOUL, Thursday, Feb. 26 (AP)—U.S. fighter-bombers blasted a big North Korean factory area into rubble at Manchuria's doorstep Wednesday, and screening Sabre jets reported shooting down two MIGs and damaging two more.

Other fighter-bombers dealt heavy blows to a sprawling supply center behind the Central Front.

Ground fighting ebbed after Allied troops killed and wounded scores of Communists in small but savage clashes on the Western and Central Fronts in the blackness before dawn.

Navy ships and fighter-bombers from carriers operating off Korea's east shores pounded without respite at the port of Wonsan, where rail lines from Red sources of supply in Manchuria run near the coast.

The fighter-bombers in undisclosed number made another of their daring forays under the nose of the Red Air Force in Manchuria.

They struck without warning at Sakchu, near the Yalu River boundary only 38 miles northeast of the main Red air base of Antung, Manchuria. This is far beyond the area where fighter-bombers normally operate.

MOTHER TESTIFIES AT JELKE TRIAL

NEW YORK, Feb. 25 (AP)—Mint (Mickey) Jelke's mother—fighting a woman's fight for her son's reputation—admitted today he brought into her home a number of persons who have been accused as cafe society call girls and pimps.

Mrs. Elizabeth Clark Teal testified she would herself host to such characters as Robert Merritt, a confessed procurer; Ray R. Davioni, an accused procurer; Pat Ward, a high-priced call girl; and Diane Harris, the golden girl of cafe society.

A pitifully gallant figure in black, Mrs. Teal added that Mickey's odd assortment of friends left her cold and that she once objected to Miss Ward.

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6 Diplomats Will Urge Unification

ROME, Feb. 25 (AP)—Six Western European foreign ministers pledged themselves tonight to urge their governments to approve a unified army as speedily as possible.

A communique issued at the end of a two-day meeting indicated this agreement "in principle" did not mean that serious differences between France and West Germany had been completely resolved.

Foreign Minister Paul Van Zowland of Belgium, the conference chairman, said further study will be necessary to work out details of the plan to put the troops of France, West Germany, Belgium, Italy, The Netherlands and Luxembourg into a single-uniform, two-million-man army.

U.S. Urges Action
But, he said, the ministers pledged themselves to "give concrete proof of their unanimous desire for the establishment of a European Defense Community."

The United States has urged fast action in setting up this joint defense against aggression. U.S. Secretary of State Dulles made a flying trip to each of the six nations less than a month ago to emphasize the American viewpoint. He said the United States would like to see definite progress by April and hinted Congress might trim aid to Europe if results were too scant.

Summer Completion
Italy's Premier-foreign minister, Alcide de Gasperi, expected special efforts in the ministers' meeting here to bring together France and West Germany on disputed points.

Asked tonight when the six nations might complete ratification of the army treaty, he replied, "If all continues to go well, it can be done before summer."

Nominations Still Open For Town Senator

Women interested in running for town senator in the Women's Student Government Association spring elections may nominate themselves in the Dean of Women's office until 5 p.m. tomorrow.

Candidates are required to have a 1.5 all-College average and no major judicial record. No semester standing is required for the office.

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