More Allied POW's McGrath Resigns Over Budget Cuts **Promised Freedo**

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to the Allies at 9 a.m., 7 p.m., (EST) Wednesday. Fifty South Korean disabled were to be re-

leased later in the morning. With today's 14, the Reds now have returned 79 disabled American prisoners of war.

To Include New Captives Rear Adm. John C. Daniel said the Reds at a brief liaison meeting today agreed to release more disabled captives than they had pleaged in the exchange agreement.

PANMUNJOM, Thursday. April 23 (AP)-Allied and Communist liaison groups met at this prisoner exchange neutral zone today and quickly adjourned.

The brevity of the meeting in-dicated that a communication was handed over by one of the groups. There was no immediate hint as to its nature.

Daniel, chief Allied liaison of-ficer, quoted Maj. Gen. Lee Sang Cho as saying the additional re-patriates would include "those captured recently at the front."

Lee presumably was referring to U.S. Marines and Colombians captured within the last month in captured within the last month in the fierce battles around Old Baldy, Vegas, and Carson Hills near Panmunjom on the Western Front. His offer also presumably included Australians cantured in included Australians captured in the Little Gibraltar fighting last

January. UN Returns Move All / three nationalities were among the prisoners released to-day by the Reds.

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Senate Tables Tide-Lands Vote

WASHINGTON, April 22 (AP)-Senate leaders today postponed until next week a test vote on state-vs-federal ownership of off-shore submerged lands, but or-dered round-the-clock sessions to pread up the final decision

speed up the final decision. Majority leader Taft (R-Ohio), changing signals for the third time

On Prisoners WASHINGTON (P)- Adminis-tration leaders were called before a Senate committee yesterday to Lee was quoted as saying, "the tell what they know about the number of personnel to be repat-spreading reports of Communist riated by our side is more than atrocities against U.S. prisoners of the estimated figure of which war in Korea. your side had previously been Chairman Bridges (R-N.H.) said informed." his appropriations committee will make a full-scale investigation of

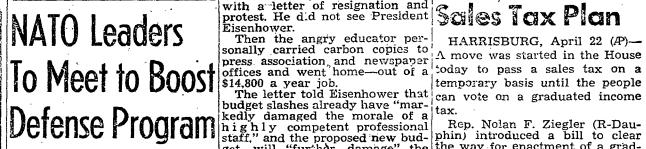
make a fun-star in territory the reports. "This nation," he said, "cannot tolerate such carryings on. And I trust we will not do so." Bridges Reports Undersecretary of State Walter

Bedell Smith was the first wit-ness summoned to a closed-door meeting of the committee this af-ternoon. Defense Department of-

ficials were to testify later. In advance of the hearing, Bridges told newsmen: "We want to get all the infor-

mation they have about the Red in a day, announced a delay until Monday in his plans to bring a vote on the "main issue in the controversy."

vote on the "main issue in the controversy." It would come on a motion to table a substitute proposal by Sen. Anderson (D-N.M.) to pro-vide for federal administration of offshore oil leases, and another by Sen. Hill (D-Ala.) to use rev-enues from the oil for sid to adi



PARIS, April 22 (AP)-The top military and political leaders of

military advisors to propose:

"No," he barked. **U.S. Sets New Policy** Almost the first thing on the program tomorrow will be a care-

program tomorrow will be a care-ful study, led off evidently by Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, of what the Russian peace gestures mean and what NATO into Chinese Communist trenches should do about them.

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new policy of the United States. Instead of the year-to-year asnew policy of the United States. Overhead Allied planes bombed Instead of the year-to-year as-sistance given heretofore, Ameri-just one mile and a half southwest can officials appeared ready to of the Panmunjom neutral zone promise to share in a long range a few hours before the fourth program.



WASHINGTON, April 22 (A) - The commissioner of education, Earl J. McGrath, resigned today saying he could not condone "in-

defensible" budget cuts which "reduce the quality of education of American children."

final form only yesterday — Mc-Grath marched to the White House with a letter of resignation and protest. He d.d not see President Eisenhower.

Then the angry educator per-sonally carried carbon copies to

Defense Program PARIS, April 22 (AP)—The top military and political leaders of

cat.on. McGrath informed the Presi-

the North Atlantic treaty nations meet tomorrow to pump more guns and planes into a defense program they hope will get still softer words out of Russia. U.S. military leaders especially were demanding a beefed up building program and, with some reluctance, European nations ap-peared willing to go along. Seek To Double Air Force On the eve of the meeting of

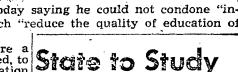
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1. 500 million dollars to double McGrath thus set off the first 1. 500 million dollars to double Western European air strength in the coming two years. 2. \$890,000,000 to build airports, pipelines, radar warning nets; na-val installations and a vast list of other permanent structures. At a news conference tonight

At a news conference tonight, NATO Secretary General Lord Is-may was asked whether NATO defense preparations had been slackened off because of the So-four million dollar or 24 per cent, four million dollar or 24 per cent, slash in the \$18,400,000 item which former President Truman pro-posed for vocational education.

Besides the problem of Russia, day under cover of tanks and a the NATO ministers were con-thunderous two-hours artillery fronted with what was clearly a near Panmunjom at daybreak to-

exchange of prisoners took place.



Temporary Sales Tax Plan

HARRISBURG, April 22 (AP)- Λ move was started in the House

General Assembly. Such a tax

Seek To Double Air Force On the eve of the meeting of the foreign and defense ministers of the 14 countries, a general agreement had been made by the Countries of the appropriations committhe sales tax temporary.

Johnson is working on another compromise to end the tax dead-



AND HIS ORCHESTRA



Sen. Styles Bridges

Heads Atrocity Probe

