

Russia Offers To Talk Over 'World Tension'

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 (AP)—Soviet Russia today offered to talk over world tensions with the Big Three Western powers at two separate diplomatic conferences—provided Communist China is also invited to one of them at least.

The State Department promptly denounced the Kremlin's offer as "evasive and a continuation of dilatory tactics" that have prevented earlier East-West meetings.

Clue Arises In Missouri Kidnap Case

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 29 (AP)—A meager clue, and intimations the kidnapers of 6-year-old Bobby Greenlease were trying to make contact, brought a faint bit of hope today to frantic parents, desperate for word of their missing child.

The faint clue was word received by the Johnson County, Kan., sheriff's office that a child answering the description of the missing boy was seen in a pickup truck yesterday, accompanied by a man and a woman. Bobby was abducted about 11 a.m. yesterday.

Robert C. Greenlease, the father, gave the intimation that a contact with the kidnapers was a possibility.

The Johnson County, Kan., sheriff's office said a truck driver had reported seeing a child answering Bobby's description in a pickup truck with a man and woman going west on 75th St. near suburban Overland Park, Kan., yesterday.

If the child were Bobby it would indicate that the kidnapers had crossed the Missouri-Kansas state line. The school from which the boy was taken is in Missouri.

Bobby was taken from the fashionable Notre Dame de Sion School yesterday morning by a woman who told a nun that the boy's mother had suffered a heart attack and that it was necessary to take him to the hospital.

A cab driver told police the woman had him take her and the child to a parking lot near the school. There they left the cab and entered a car with a Kansas license. That is the last word police have of them.

Warren to Get Court Position

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 (AP)—President Eisenhower's first appointment to the Supreme Court is expected to go—perhaps tomorrow—to Gov. Earl Warren of California.

Reports persisted, and were widely published, that Warren would be made chief justice of the United States, succeeding the late Fred M. Vinson.

The announcement could come at Eisenhower's scheduled news conference tomorrow. The way was cleared today when Atty. Gen. Brownell submitted a formal recommendation to the President.

Waterfront Strike Seems Unavoidable

NEW YORK, Sept. 29 (AP)—Federal mediators today warned government agencies to brace for an East Coast waterfront strike at midnight tomorrow. There seemed scant hope of heading it off.

'We Was Gypped' Say Owners Of Ticket Agency

NEW YORK, Sept. 29 (AP)—Police raided a Manhattan ticket agency and confiscated 141 World Series tickets today on complaints that excessive prices were being charged.

Three men were taken into custody at the Embassy Theater Ticket Agency, 234 West 50th St. Plainclothesmen said they paid \$170 in marked money for six Ebbets Field tickets with a total value of \$42. Brokers are allowed to charge one dollar more than a ticket's face value.

The police said the agency also quoted a price of \$150 for four box seat tickets, which have a face value of \$10 each.

McCarthy Wed To Jean Kerr In Capital City

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 (AP)—Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis) and Jean Kerr, who once was on his office staff, were married today in the hushed solemnity of St. Matthews Roman Catholic cathedral.

The 43-year-old senator and his 29-year-old brown-haired, blue-eyed bride exchanged their marital vows in the presence of Vice President and Mrs. Nixon, other top personages of Washington's official and diplomatic sets, and hundreds of friends and relatives.

The Rev. William J. Awalt performed the ceremony and celebrated the low nuptial Mass that followed. At the end, he read a cablegram from the Vatican bestowing Pope Pius' "paternal and apostolic blessing" on the event.

The bride wore a filmy white veil and a long-trained gown of ivory satin and lace. McCarthy was in formal morning attire—black cutaway, striped trousers and ascot. In his lapel was a sprig from the bridal bouquet.

Bevan Tops Ticket In Labor Elections

MARGATE, England, Sept. 29 (AP)—Aneurin Bevan topped the ticket in elections to the Labor party's policy-making National Executive Committee today. His victory touched off fresh talk that the American-baiting leftwinger may bid to take over the party leadership from moderate Clement Attlee.

Among 19 candidates for seven disputed seats on the committee, Bevan headed the poll with 1,142,000 votes at the party's annual conference. That is more than he gained in winning a seat last year, and only 149,000 votes short of the absolute maximum under the rules by which delegates cast ballots representing the membership of their locals.

Five of his followers won reelection with him to seats representing local party organizations. However the Bevanites remain heavily outnumbered on the committee, made up of representatives of the local organizations, trade unions, cooperatives and a women's branch.

There was a setback for Attlee's moderates when Hugh Gaitskell, chancellor of the exchequer in the former Labor government failed to win a place.

At a closed session this afternoon, the delegates returned Bevan's rival, Herbert Morrison, to the Executive Committee.

The delegates decided to grant Morrison a seat as an ex-officio member because of his position as deputy leader of the party's parliamentary delegation. That brought the committee up to 28 members. Morrison did not make a challenge in the field against the Bevanites.

Hoover Is Named Commission Head

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 (AP)—Former President Herbert Hoover, appearing robust at 79, today accepted a new public service—heading his second commission to reorganize the "appalling" maze of federal agencies.

With President Eisenhower looking on, Hoover and 11 other commission members took the oath of office at the White House.

Then, presiding at a three-hour closed-door meeting, Hoover got authority to set up nine "task forces" of distinguished experts to do reorganization spadework. Later, he held a news conference.

Greater Authority Given
A major goal, Hoover announced, will be to eliminate, by merger or otherwise, some of the 75 or 80 agencies which report to the White House—to "get them out of the President's hair."

Congress gave the new commission of seven Republicans and five Democrats greater authority than the first Hoover commission which filed its report and recommendations in 19 volumes in 1949.

Meeting Set Nov. 16
The 1949 report resulted in adoption of 58 laws, 39 reorganization plans and numerous administrative reforms. Today Hoover said the saving has been estimated—by others—at up to four billion dollars a year.

He called the commission's next meeting for Nov. 16 and set a target date of Dec. 31, 1954, for

completion of its report. Some reorganization plans, he predicted, will be ready before then.

The new commission, created by the last session of Congress, may be able to work faster than its predecessor. The latter, split six and six between Democrats and Republicans, often failed to achieve unanimity and sometimes couldn't even get a majority agreement.



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