

Segregation Talks Ordered by Court

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 (AP)—The Supreme Court today fixed Dec. 6 for the start of arguments on how to end public school segregation. The timing raised a possibility that final decrees may not come until about the time for the spring windup of classes.

Announcing the December date, Supreme Court Clerk Harold B. Willey said this was the earliest time the argument could be heard. The court's argument schedules for October and November already were filled.

The decision on the date was reached at a closed conference of seven justices. Justices Douglas and Minton have not returned from their vacations, but they communicated their agreement with the decision and thus made it unanimous.

The new arguments will pick up not only the question of how to order the end of school segregation which was unanimously declared unconstitutional last May 17. Another major question will be the timing in final orders for desegregation.

The court's opinion last May asked interested attorneys to discuss whether decrees should require admission of Negro children "forthwith" to schools nearest their homes, or whether there should be an "effective, gradual adjustment."

Attorneys also were asked to discuss whether in event orders were issued for gradual integration, the court should give detailed instruction, appoint a special master to study and recommend methods, or allow lower federal courts to devise detailed arrangements.

The five cases directly involved in the May decision—those from South Carolina, Virginia, Kansas, Delaware and the District of Columbia—have been allotted a total of 10 hours on the December argument schedule. Atty. Gen. Brownell was given an hour.

Trice Says Censuring Uncertain

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 (AP)—J. Mark Trice, secretary of the Senate, said tonight he had been advised by the office of Sen. Knowland (R-Calif.) that no announcement would be made before tomorrow on whether a pre-election session of the Senate will be called to act on a resolution to censure Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.)

Trice, who waited into the night to receive a call from Knowland, the Senate majority leader, had said earlier there was a possibility he would be instructed shortly to send out telegrams summoning senators to return here.

Sept. 29 was the date generally mentioned for the start of the session, although some thought it might be a few days later.

Trice said Knowland's office had informed him the senator had another Republican senator he wanted to contact before making a decision but did not expect to reach him in time for an announcement tonight.

Trice said he expected to receive a call from Knowland tomorrow morning.

Soviet Union Balks UN Assembly Debate

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Sept. 22 (AP)—The Russians balked today at discussing the admission of Laos and Cambodia to the UN until a satisfactory settlement is made in Indochina in accord with the decisions of the Geneva conference.

The UN Assembly's steering committee voted 12-0, however, to recommend that the 60-nation Assembly debate a proposal by Australia to give Laos and Cambodia a place in the UN. Russia and Czechoslovakia abstained.

The Soviet Union still has the upper hand, for it can veto in the Security Council the admission of Laos and Cambodia regardless of what the Assembly does. The Soviet opposition to debate now made it clear the Russians will demand the UN pay attention to the decisions of the Geneva conference, which was held outside the UN.

Secretary of State John Foster Dulles also may touch on the Geneva conference tomorrow when he speaks to the Assembly and gives the 59 other countries a report on the state of the world as the United States sees it.

The Assembly today elected seven vice presidents and seven committee chairmen who, with the president, constitute the Steering Committee. As usual, the five big powers were elected vice presidents. Burma and Ecuador also were chosen.

Britain received 52 out of 55 valid votes for vice president, Burma and France 50 each, Ecuador and United States 49 each, Soviet Union 47 and Nationalist China 41. Five of the 60 votes cast were ruled invalid.

Pennsylvania Week

HARRISBURG, Sept. 22 (AP)—A nationwide radio salute Oct. 10 will set off Pennsylvania Week 1954, the time when Pennsylvanians consider what is Pennsylvania.

Scelba Hit For Murder By Reds

ROME, Sept. 22 (AP)—Italy's powerful Communist party tonight charged pro-Western Premier Mario Scelba with full responsibility for the Wilma Montesi death scandal and demanded his resignation.

The maneuver by the largest Communist party organization outside the Iron Curtain had been anticipated. Scelba promised to answer the charges tomorrow.

Before the government-shaking storm broke on the Senate floor, police chiefs of key Italian cities, summoned urgently to Rome, were briefed on how to carry out anti-riot operations. A high police official said the Communists were expected to stage "disorders and demonstrations."

The Communist assault-joined by fellow-traveling Socialists-developed from the detention last night of two prominent Romans. They are Piero Piccioni, 32, jazz pianist son of Attilio Piccioni, who resigned last Saturday as Italy's foreign minister in order, he said, "to defend my son and my family's good name," and a rich, self-styled marquis named Ugo Montagna.

Both are accused in connection with the death of Wilma, a shapely, 21-year-old party girl. Her death has led to allegations of sex and drug orgies involving persons high in Italy's society and politics. Her nearly nude body was found on the beach at Ostia, Rome's Coney Island, in April, 1953.

From the floor of the Senate, Sen. Umberto Terracini, Communist Senate leader, accused Scelba of "being responsible for the Montesi affair."

Martin Welcomes Conestoga Wagon

WASHINGTON, Pa., Sept. 22 (AP)—Sen. Edward Martin (R-Pa.) today welcomed a 130-year-old Conestoga wagon to Washington and described it as the vehicle which "gave permanency to transportation."

Flanked by city and county officials at the Washington County Courthouse, Martin told an estimated 2000 persons of how some 200 years ago "mighty fleets of great, white-topped wagons traveled daily on the Conestoga Trail," Sen. Martin said. "Pennsylvania was the great gateway to the west—from Philadelphia to Harris Ferry on the Susquehanna, across the Alleghenies to Pittsburgh and on to the Ohio River."

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Pink Tickets Warn Drivers

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Except where violations have been extremely serious, police have issued pink courtesy tickets to motorists, as part of a move to curb the number of traffic violations.

The courtesy tickets carried no penalty, but beginning at midnight yesterday police resumed the issuing of the regular yellow tickets.

David R. Mackey, State College burgess, explained "We are trying to dramatize the number of violations in hopes that it will decrease in the future."

Turnpike Urged To Pick Panel On Grievances

HARRISBURG, Sept. 22 (AP)—The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission was urged today to join in selecting a three-man panel to resolve grievances of turnpike toll collectors.

Robert A. Callahan, international representative of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, said the commission is obligated under Commonwealth law to name one member of the panel.

Local 1216 of the union, he said, already has selected Sidney Wilmar, of Bellefonte, as its panel representative. The third member would be selected by the first two appointed.

Meanwhile, Chairman T. J. Evans of the turnpike commission, concluded two days of meetings with representatives of the Pennsylvania Turnpike Officer-Collectors Assn.

Both Callahan's AFL group and the Officer-Collectors Assn., headed by John K. Kilko, of Boiling Springs, association president, are seeking to bring grievances of the collectors before the commission.

Callahan has charged, however, that Kilko's organization is a "company union" which has been "pressuring" the collectors into joining. Kilko replied that he has been organizing the group on his own time and at the association's expense.

FFA Honors Prexy
 President Milton S. Eisenhower yesterday was presented with the degree of Keystone Farmer by the Pennsylvania chapter of the Future Farmers of America.
 The presentation, in recognition of his interest in the FFA, was made by Jerry L. Fuhrman, New Freedom, State president of the association.

Harriman-Ives Vie for Top NY Post

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
 New York Republicans gathered today to make official their expected nomination of Sen. Irving M. Ives to oppose Democrat Averell Harriman for the state's governorship.

Harriman, former Roosevelt and Truman administration official, won the Democratic nomination as expected early yesterday from Rep. Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr., the son of the president he once served. Roosevelt's name still will appear on the Nov. 2 ballot as a candidate for reelection to his House seat.

Ives, the personal choice of Gov. Thomas E. Dewey to be his successor, was unopposed for the nomination at the GOP state convention in Syracuse.

Political maneuverings in the nation's most populous state overshadowed temporarily the party campaigns elsewhere for control of Congress, but that drive was picking up steam.

President Eisenhower headed out from his Denver vacation headquarters for a three-day visit to four western states while Vice President Nixon and House Speaker Martin (R-Mass.) continued more extended speaking tours.

First on Eisenhower's schedule was an airport speech last night at Missoula, Mont.

The President is to speak today at dedication of McNary Dam on the Washington-Oregon border, and tonight at a major political rally in Los Angeles' Hollywood Bowl. He winds up his tour tomorrow with an off-the-cuff talk to the American Federation of

Labor national convention in Los Angeles.

The Los Angeles rally tonight will climax a two-day convention of the National Federation of Republican Women, which opened yesterday on the keynote that the nation is enjoying its greatest prosperity.

On the Democratic side, Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn.), just back from a month's visit to Europe, told a Washington news conference U.S. foreign relations have "deteriorated greatly" in the last two years and will be a major issue in the campaign.

Kefauver said he will speak tomorrow in San Francisco, starting a 14-state campaign of 39 speeches for election of Democratic senators and representatives.

He said this country is "placing too much reliance now on German rearmament to the exclusion of the French," and contended that Secretary of State Dulles "has not given us the kind of leadership that is required of the United States."

Vice President Nixon, swinging through the West, praised the Eisenhower-Dulles program and said the two men are leaders "best qualified to meet the Communist threat and to attain an objective of peace without surrender."

Nixon, addressing a turkey day celebration at Worthington, Minn., warned against the "drug of socialism" which he said "does terrible things to the addict."

The Republican farm program,

a major target of the Democrats, is, he said, "the one best designed to bring the full parity income without imposing on the farmer those stifling controls which inevitably lead to regimentation and socialism."

National Crime Reported Higher

WASHINGTON, Sept. 22 (AP)—FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said today the national crime rate jumped another 8½ per cent in the first half of this year, compared with the same period in 1953.

And, he added, if this trend continues, major crimes will reach a record high in 1954.

In a semiannual issue of the Bureau's Uniform Crime Reports based on police reports from all parts of the country, Hoover estimated that 1,136,140 major crimes were committed during the first six months of the current year, up 88,850 from a year ago.

The report noted that during the 1954 period "a major crime was committed every 13.8 seconds."

The FBI's summary of the police reports asserted:

"Each day during the first six months of 1954, it is estimated that an average of 36 people were feloniously slain and 252 other felonious assaults were committed; 48 rapes were committed; 608 cars were stolen; 107 and 1454 burglaries were committed."

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