

Pinay Hits Plan

Opposes Plea By Molotov For Pact Split

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. Sept. 29 (AP)—Foreign Minister Antoine Pinay of France today rejected Russian suggestions for an East-West accord based on dissolution of the U.S. troops from Europe.

With Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov listening impassively as usual, Pinay told the UN Assembly that France will not recognize the Communist East German regime. He called instead for a united Germany protected by the Atlantic pact and the Paris agreements and subject to controlled military limitations.

Warns Communists

Pinay warned the Communists to stop stirring up trouble in North Africa. He asked if they sought to open a new front there. He did not mention Algeria, which Pinay regards as a domestic problem. He reported the agreement between France and Tunisia and said France is working to constitute a Moroccan government.

The French minister was emphatic in his views on the Atlantic pact. He said that an authentic easing of tension in the "True spirit of Geneva" bases co-existence, for which the Russians are pleading, on "tolerance."

Suggests Ike's Plan

He said the countries could provide against surprise attack by using the aerial inspection plan presented by President Eisenhower, by the territorial control posts suggested by Soviet Premier Bulganin, and by a limited inspection system suggested by Prime Minister Eden.

All of these could be supplemented, he said, by the system of financial controls proposed by French Premier Faure. Applying these measures simultaneously would lead on to the application of a general disarmament plan, Pinay said.

Pinay urged an early solution of the question of new members for the UN. He said Italy should be among the first to be admitted.

Truck Driver Finds \$42,000 in Purse At Highway's Side

DETROIT, Sept. 29 (AP)—Truck driver Veal Valentine is a philosophical man. He has to be after what he's just been through.

He confided to friends yesterday that last Tuesday he found a brown purse lying along the road on U.S. 12 near Ann Arbor.

He halted his truck and picked it up. Inside he found \$42,800 in large bills neatly tied with rubber bands. Before he could recover from the shock, a well dressed woman about 40 halted her expensive automobile near where he was standing and "demanded her money."

After identifying the amount and giving a plausible explanation of how the bundle of bills had fallen from her car minutes before, Valentine was convinced she was the owner.

She accepted the purse and drove off with hardly a "thank you" much less a reward.

"Routine," sighed Valentine, a truck driver for 37 years.

Years ago, he explained, he found a wallet containing \$200 in a roadside restaurant in Altoona, Pa. He turned it over to the management and the wallet got back to the rightful owner.

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Egyptian Source Claims Israel Forced Red Deal

CAIRO, Egypt, Sept. 29 (AP)—A highly placed Egyptian source asserted today Israel's attitude forced anti-Communist Egypt to deal with Communist countries for arms.

Israeli attacks in the Gaza area last spring convinced Egyptian army officers they were not prepared to meet the threat of large-scale war, said the informant, who declined to be identified by name.

Appeals to the United Nations to curb Israel brought little response, he said, and Egyptian military leaders put heavy pressure on Premier Gamal Abdel Nasser to find heavy armament. "The first nation we applied to for arms was the United States," the source declared. "We even sent a military mission to the States but we could not get the armaments we needed."

When Czechoslovakia offered to supply arms in return for Egyptian cotton, he said, Egypt had no alternative.

In London today the British Foreign Office said it has ordered Ambassador Sir Humphrey Trevelyan to inform Nasser of the "grave view" Britain takes of Egypt's intention to buy arms from behind the Iron Curtain.

A spokesman said the British envoy was instructed to warn the Egyptian Premier of the dangers of starting an arms race in the Middle East.

British intervention in Cairo is the third of a series of steps taken by that country and the United States in the 48 hours since Egypt's disclosure it was making an arms deal with Czechoslovakia.

Aid for Needy Students Urged

HARRISBURG, Sept. 29 (AP)—Gov. Leader today suggested that the federal government pay for the college education of "talented but needy" high school graduates in something like a GI bill of rights for civilians.

At the same time he announced the pending creation of a state Commission on Higher Education. One of the Commission's big jobs would look into a plan calling for establishment of a number of state junior colleges, or "community colleges" as he called them.

"Education is a field no government can afford to stint. Its students, teachers and classrooms are the true wealth and basis of any society," the governor told more than 600 Pennsylvania educators gathered for the 35th annual Education Congress.

Altoona Named as Site For New Air Center

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 (AP)—An air reserve training center for central Pennsylvania will be constructed on the outskirts of Altoona, Pa., next year, Rep. Van Zandt (R-Pa.) said today.

He said the center will be the headquarters for Altoona, Johnstown and DuBois air reserve units with an over-all strength of 400 officers and airmen.

Van Zandt said the land for the training center was made available by Pennsylvania State University undergraduate center of Altoona whose students will also use the air center.

Survey Made For Turnpike Improvements

HARRISBURG, Sept. 29 (AP)—The Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission is conducting an extensive survey covering the cost, construction and success of metal center strip barriers with a view toward extending their length along the superhighway.

Gov. Leader said today he hopes to have the completed report soon. Commission officials were unable to estimate when it might be finished.

The governor disclosed that several months ago, in conference with some of the commissioners and commission engineers, "the possibility of extending medial barriers" was considered.

"The commission and I are in agreement that they extend the barrier as finances permit," he added.

"Everyone recognizes the virtue of medial barriers—we already have them along most curves," the governor said.

He indicated the report he asked for will outline how many miles of barriers the commission can afford to build, where it will be built and when.

None of the three commissioners was in the Harrisburg office today for comment on the survey. But another Turnpike employe said the report has been under study for some time.

Economic, Foreign Policy To Be Unchanged --- Nixon

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29 (AP)—Vice President Nixon said today after presiding over a meeting of the National Security Council that no changes in foreign or economic policy "are needed or contemplated in the near future."

Nixon talked with reporters after a 2½-hour White House meeting of the council, the government's highest agency for military and economic policy planning.

He stressed that only President Eisenhower can make decisions on matters discussed in the council which, like the Cabinet, is purely an advisory body.

Nixon said his role as presiding officer in Eisenhower's absence is primarily to see that items up for discussion are handled effectively and efficiently.

Today's council meeting, he said, was arranged before the President suffered a heart attack last Saturday and its business was to discuss things which would have been taken up "regardless of the occurrence at Denver."

Janet Rips Mexico; Deaths Reach 350

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 29 (AP)—Hurricane Janet, the season's most vicious tropical storm, is breaking up in the Mexican mountains after taking a toll of 350 to 400 lives. There were reports 150 were found dead in the ruins of Chetumal, on the Yucatan peninsula.

The US. Weather Bureau in New Orleans announced the death of the big blow late this afternoon, in what it called its last advisory on the storm.

Janet moved inland over the Mexican coast about noon today, skirting the barricaded city of Veracruz. The only populated place in the path of its 120-mile-an-hour winds was the fishing village of Nautla, 75 miles north of Veracruz.

Reports Cease

Reports from the village of 1,500 ceased abruptly at 1 p.m. when the weather station was closed because of rising water and a 60-mile-an-hour wind.

Although the winds of this 10th hurricane of the year seemed unlikely to cause any further great loss of life, its rains remained a serious threat to Tampico, deeply flooded by two previous hurricanes this month.

Rains to Occur

The New Orleans advisory warned that torrential rains will occur in the mountains from Veracruz to Ciudad Victoria, 135 miles northwest of Tampico and nearly 400 miles northwest of Veracruz.

In Washington, meanwhile, the American Red Cross announced it is preparing to fly food supplies into the Tampico area as soon as weather conditions permit. Ten plane-loads of clothing and other supplies donated by Texas organizations, already have been distributed in the city.

An outbreak of typhoid was reported yesterday in the water-logged oil port of 110,000.

Arms Ammo Exported

BONN, West Germany, Sept. 29 (AP)—Unarmed West Germany exported \$1,689,000 worth of light arms and ammunition during the first half of 1955. Until the Bonn government became sovereign last May, it was barred from producing heavy arms and war material.

Ike's Infirmity Will Not Alter Party Policy

STONEWALL, Tex., Sept. 29 (AP)—Democratic congressional chieftains today promised they will not make political hay of President Eisenhower's illness in the session starting in January.

But Senate Majority Leader Lyndon B. Johnson and House Speaker Sam Rayburn firmly pledged themselves to a congressional program which they hope will put a Democrat in the White House next year.

Adlai Stevenson, titular head of the party, sat nearby on the shady lawn of Johnson's ranch home and nodded approval as Johnson and Rayburn talked to reporters.

No Strategy

All three Democratic leaders asserted there was no political significance in the overnight visit with Johnson. All three said they had not met to plot any strategy to take advantage of the President's illness.

Johnson especially underlined his sympathy with the President. The Texas lawmaker suffered a similar heart attack in July.

Trim and Confident

Trim and tanned, he looked fit today and he was confident he would be able to take over the active Senate leadership in January.

This depends finally on what the doctors say about his condition at the time.

Johnson also made it clear that Stevenson's visit was in no sense a personal political endorsement of Stevenson. Without calling any names, Johnson said that all those who had been mentioned as Democratic presidential possibilities were "good men."

North Denver Bank Robbed of \$4,400

DENVER, Sept. 29 (AP)—The North Denver Bank was robbed of \$4,400 today while customers in the lobby watched the World Series on television.

When the game—and the robbery—was over, Etienne Perenyi, bank president, learned he had won the office pool. His prize: \$2.50.

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