

Sound Dollar Issue—Ike; GOP 'Appeasement' Hit

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—President Dwight D. Eisenhower said today it takes a sound dollar to keep America strong, and he laid down as "a real issue" of the campaign: "How do we manage America's internal affairs?"

He strongly implied, at his news conference, that the people can get better management from the Republicans than they can from the Democrats.

For one thing, he said, "the leaders that are now speaking" for the Democrats "are not particularly concerned with the sound dollar because they talk about raising, raising expenditures, cutting taxes, and that means, as I see it, deficit spending."

Would Hurt Dollar

"And you cannot continue to spend on a deficit basis without hurting your dollar," he added.

In stressing management of domestic affairs as a campaign issue, Eisenhower said:

"In the foreign affairs, no one has debated, so far as I know, on general broad policy."

Little on Foreign Affairs

There was little on foreign affairs at the news conference. Eisenhower did express the hope that any misunderstanding with Great Britain and France on the Suez Canal situation soon would be cleared up.

He laughed when he was asked to become a political strategist, and say how the campaign was going.

"I must say," he remarked, "that the receptions I have had are those that warm my heart."

OAKLAND, Calif., Oct. 11 (AP)—Adlai E. Stevenson said tonight that the country has "paid a heavy price" by what he called President Dwight D. Eisenhower's "appeasement" of the GOP Old Guard and that faction's "irresponsibility in foreign affairs."

He said Eisenhower has enjoyed an unprecedented "immunity from criticism" while the country has lost ground abroad and "we

are assured that all is well, the Communists are on the run and our brinkmanship (sic) is brilliant."

Decries 'Deception'

"I don't think the American people like this deception," Stevenson said.

"I don't think they like to be told by Mr. John Foster Dulles and President Eisenhower that American prestige 'has never been higher', which it is manifestly untrue."

Stevenson, in an address prepared for delivery at a rally here tonight, said that the Republicans "have lost confidence and respect for us around the world, boasted and bluffed, zigged and zagged" and "contradicted each other."

Charges 'Fairy Tales'

The Republicans, he declared, have offered the people "fairy tales instead of the grim realities, and made grandstand plays that frightened our friends more than our enemies."

"Now we are being offered for campaign consumption a brand of Pollyanna politics labeled peace, prosperity and progress."

Stevenson spoke earlier at a midday rally in Richmond and later in the afternoon made a 15-minute nationwide television address from San Francisco.

The World at a Glance

Hunt Continues for Lost Plane

LAKENHEATH, England, Oct. 11 (AP)—An armada of aircraft, including giant jet bombers, crisscrossed Atlantic waters tonight in a great search for a U.S. military transport plane missing with 59 men aboard.

The hours yielded only fading hope that the Air Force personnel and Navy crew of the huge C118 Liftmaster were alive. The missing plane is the military version of the civilian DC6.

The homeward bound Liftmaster vanished sometime, somewhere between Lands End and the Azores. Its last message came from a point about 180 miles southwest of the westernmost tip of England. It had fuel enough to last until 5:30 a.m. today. The Liftmaster was due at Lajes in the Azores early today.

30 More Dead in Hong Kong Riot

HONG KONG, Friday, Oct. 12 (AP)—Hand-to-hand battling between Communist and anti-Communist Chinese killed 30 workers in the Hong Kong mainland factory village of Tsun Wan, the government announced today.

Acting Gov. E. B. David announced a total of 44 persons had been killed in two days of frenzied fighting between Chinese mobs and between Chinese and police. Before British artillerymen discovered bodies of the Tsun Wan victims, police reported 14 dead. The fighting and looting abated today under a tight curfew imposed on the riot-torn Kowloon peninsula.

The riots sent about 145 persons to hospitals and countless hundreds were treated for minor wounds.

Jordan Reprisal Feared After Border Fight

JERUSALEM, Oct. 11 (AP)—A reprisal attack against Israel by Jordan was feared tonight, in the wake of a seven-hour border battle that left a Jordan police station in ruins.

By official count of both sides 59 were killed and 25 wounded in the artillery and hand-to-hand clash before a UN cease-fire demand ended the firing at 5 a.m.

A UN truce organization announcement put the number of Jordanian dead at 48. Other reports said as many as 160 were killed.

Mother Claims No Ill Treatment Of 'Chicken Boy'

BELFAST, Northern Ireland, Oct. 11 (AP)—Mrs. Margaret Halpenny pleaded innocent in Magistrate's Court today to charges of ill-treating her 7-year-old "chicken boy" son, Kevin.

The 45-year-old widow said in a prepared statement to the court that she loved the son authorities had found penned in her henhouse and wanted him back home with her. Her trial was set for Oct. 30 and she was released in bail.

Kevin was found Sept. 13 in the Halpenny chicken house, 15 miles from Belfast. Children playing hide-and-seek first saw the boy perched on a roost with the chickens.

A police sergeant called to the scene said the boy, who weighed 28 pounds grunted like an animal and could neither walk nor eat human food. His matted hair appeared never to have been cut. He had claw-like fingernails. He got about by hopping like an ape, welfare officials said.

Roads Bureau Hears Plea For Northern Pa. Thruway

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11 (AP)—Retention of a route across northern Pennsylvania as part of an expanded interstate highway construction program was urged today before the U.S. Bureau of Public Roads.

A nine-member group of northern Pennsylvania representatives of motor clubs and business interests presented the bureau with a copy of a petition bearing the signatures of 10,000 opponents of a proposal to run the route along a more southerly line from Stroudsburg to Sharon.

The delegation also presented a legal brief stating reasons why it believes the proposed east-west superhighway should follow generally Route 6.

Harry G. Garvin, Bradford, who headed the group, said the Washington trip was made because he has not been able to obtain an audience with Gov. George M. Leader of Pennsylvania or state Highway Department officials.

Leader and the state Highway Department have announced they will seek U.S. Bureau of Roads approval for inclusion of the Stroudsburg-Sharon route the so-called Keystone Shortway in the federal government's 41,000-mile highway construction program.

In 1947 federal and state officials agreed that the long-range road building program should include a highway across northern Pennsylvania from the Scranton area to the Erie area.

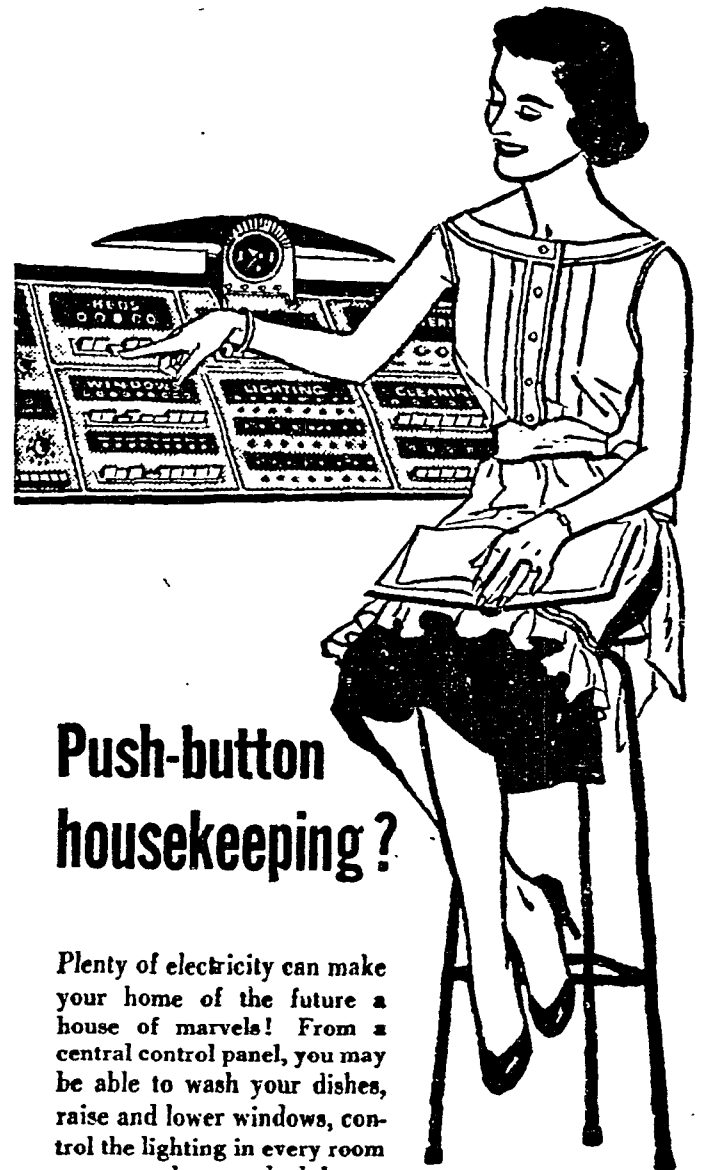
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