

UN to Air Hungarian Situation; Reds Attempt to Halt Refugees

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Jan. 8 (AP)—The Hungarian situation will get a fresh airing before the UN tomorrow when the 80-nation General Assembly discusses a new proposal to probe conditions in the Soviet satellite.

The Assembly is slated to hear a resolution sponsored by the United States and 22 other nations. The proposal aims at seeking facts from Hungarian refugees on Soviet military interference during Hungary's short-lived revolt and other pertinent data.

See 5-Nation Group
Informed sources said the sponsors have agreed on the broad outlines of a proposal which would set up a special five-nation investigating committee.

The United States has stressed it wants the committee placed on a mobile footing, free to seek out facts from anyone in any country.

The Russians already have declared such a move would get nowhere and warned that no probe team could get into Hungary. The United States has been pushing for broad geographical representation on the committee.

Asked by Hammarskjold
The United States disclosed consultations were being held on the creating of a probe committee after UN Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold recommended to the Assembly yesterday that such a body be formed to look into the Hungarian situation.

Hammarskjold is now awaiting word from his undersecretary general for economic affairs, Philippe de Seynes of France, who has just come out of Budapest after spending several days there with a four-man fact-finding commission.

Red Paper Blasts Youth

MOSCOW, Jan. 8 (AP)—Trud, the Soviet trade union paper, delivered a blistering attack today on what it called the "outrageous behavior" of the Soviet youth and students.

Khrushchev, Ulbricht See 'Solidarity' of Communists

MOSCOW, Jan. 8 (AP)—Communist solidarity against alleged attempts of the West to disrupt the party ranks in Poland and elsewhere was the keynote in Moscow tonight.

Soviet party boss Nikita Khrushchev and East German Communist leader Walter Ulbricht were disclosed to have held a two-day party conference in the Kremlin concurrent with negotiations between the two governments.

Reaffirms 'Solidarity'

The party talks ended with a communique strongly reaffirming the "solidarity" of the Communist camp and the necessity to face up firmly to the "onslaught of imperialist reaction."

The conference was another in a series of recent meetings between Kremlin leaders and satellites for the purpose of strengthening Red unity, and was held as Chou En-lai, Premier of Communist China, visited in Moscow.

Red China Endorsement

Red China, in a statement already has endorsed the Soviet Union's strong action against revolt in Hungary, and slapped President Marshall Tito of Yugoslavia on the wrist for introducing divisive ideas into the Communist camp.

The communique on the East German talks attacked the Titoist philosophy of "different paths to socialism" which Khrushchev approved less than a year ago.

BUDAPEST, Jan. 8 (AP)—Hungary's Red government intensified efforts today to stop the flight of refugees and threatened a drastic purge of its foes who are standing their ground.

The Communist party newspaper Nepszabadsag confirmed that police are now checking trains for refugees at various stations and dragging them off.

A police detachment removed 180 persons, referred to by the Communists as "defector candidates," from a single train. Nepszabadsag said many of them were "aging women, sick people and parents with small children."

Refugees Returned

Those suspected of nothing more than a desire to leave Hungary were brought back to Budapest and sent home, the party organ said. But a man accused of carrying "confidential maps and documents" was arrested. So was another accused of carrying jewelry.

The crackdown was revealed at a time when many Hungarians expected a new mass flight to the west as the result of mass unemployment and the back-to-Stalinism policies threatened in Premier Janos Kadar's government proclamation Sunday.

Police Controls Seen

Budapest had been filled for days with reports of sharpened police controls on outlets to the west and arrivals of refugees in Austria have been declining.

Only 680 crossed into Austria in the 24 hours up to noon Tuesday. This brought the total registered in Austria since the revolution to 161,378. Of these 92,195 have been moved out to other Western countries.

Furman Expresses Doubt on Probe of Pardons Board

HARRISBURG, Jan. 8 (AP)—Lt. Gov. Roy G. Furman expressed "great doubt" today that anything could be accomplished through a House committee-approved legislative study of the state Pardons Board.

"The Board is set up and operates under the State Constitution and for any major changes to be made the Constitution would have to be amended," Furman told a newsmen.

The Lieutenant Governor, who also serves as chairman of the four-member board, made the comment shortly after the House Rules Committee approved a resolution calling for the study.

The measure will go before the House when it returns to Harrisburg Jan. 22. If passed, it will go to the Senate.

"As far as I'm concerned, I will push for backing of the resolution in the Senate because if they want to look into the operating of the Board I'm more than willing to have them do it," Furman said.

Administration Asks Retention Of Excise Rate

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (AP)—Once again, the Eisenhower administration called today for continuance of excise and corporation tax rates at their present levels.

Otherwise, these rates are due to drop April 1, with a loss of around three billion dollars in annual revenue. With some lowering here and there, they have been extended each year since the Korean War.

Sen. William F. Knowland of California, the Senate Republican leader, announced the decision to ask for another renewal, after he and other GOP congressional leaders had met with President Dwight D. Eisenhower for 90 minutes at the White House.

The corporation income tax is now 52 per cent; unless extended by Congress it would fall to 47 per cent April 1.

Excise tax rates vary. They apply to such things as liquor, tobacco, automobiles, transportation, jewelry, luggage, furs, telephone calls, radios, television sets, telegrams and admissions.

Knowland said that continuance of present excise and corporation taxes is No. 2 on the Republican priority list for the new Congress.

No. 1, he said, is speedy action on Eisenhower's request for congressional approval of his proposals for blocking Communist aggression in the Middle East.

State House Asked To OK Bingo Plan

HARRISBURG, Jan. 8 (AP)—The House was asked today to set up the machinery for legalizing bingo and other chance games conducted in Pennsylvania by nonprofit organizations.

A companion bill also would set up a "legalized games of chance control commission" to regulate the licensing of such organizations.

Under the measures introduced by two Montgomery County Republicans, each municipality would vote on whether it wanted to legalize the chance games in its area.

The law stipulates that all funds derived from operating the games would have to go toward "educational, charitable, patriotic, religious or public spirited uses."

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Free Suez Passage Sought by Israel

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y., Jan. 8 (AP)—Israel was reported today to be seeking assurances of free navigation of the Suez Canal as a primary condition for further Israeli withdrawals from Sinai Peninsula.

Diplomatic sources said Israel also was seeking assurances of free navigation of the Gulf of Aqaba, below the Suez Canal, and, finally, guarantees of no new buildup of Egyptian military strength in the Sinai area.

These disclosures were made as 13 ships stranded for more than two months in the canal began steaming out of Port Said into the open sea and the Israeli withdrawal from Sinai halted at El Arish, an Egyptian military base.

Diplomats 'Impatient'

Israel still holds 40 per cent of the Sinai Desert and some diplomats here were showing signs of becoming impatient at what they called the slow progress of withdrawal. Yugoslav units of the UN police force in Egypt moved along the road toward El Arish while troops of Denmark, Norway and India advanced across the peninsula in the wake of the Israelis.

Mrs. Golda Meir, Israeli foreign minister, presented Israeli views in closed door conference with diplomats of Western Europe and the British Commonwealth yesterday. She talked with delegates of the 20 Latin American republics today. These talks followed a long session by Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold and Israeli Ambassador Abba Eban Saturday.

Long-Range Plans

An Israeli delegation spokesman said the objectives sought by Israel-free navigation of the Suez and the Gulf of Aqaba and no military buildup in Sinai—were long range in character.

He said Israel is carefully negotiating each stage of the withdrawal from Sinai.

Hammarskjold was reported pressing Israel to comply with the General Assembly resolution approved last November calling for withdrawal of Israel forces behind the 1949 armistice lines.

Farm Bureau Hits Crop Disaster Plan

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8 (AP)—The American Farm Bureau Federation told Congress today it would be "contrary to the interests of the farmers" to try to incorporate crop insurance and disaster relief in the soil bank program.

The nation's biggest general farm organization thus lined up behind the position taken by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson yesterday when he gave similar testimony to the House Agriculture Committee.

2 Die in Crash On Route 22

LEWISTOWN, Pa., Jan. 8 (AP)—A young woman and a truck driver died today in a truck-automobile collision on Route 22, six miles west of Lewistown.

The tractor-trailer, after the crash, rammed into a house along the roadside, exploding the gasoline tank. The succeeding fire destroyed the two-story frame house.

The victims were Ray G. Thomas, 40, Davidsville, Somerset County, and Betty Jane Schreffler, 19, Lewistown.

Thomas' body, badly burned, was found beside the burned wreckage of the tractor-trailer. The young woman was pronounced dead on arrival at Lewistown Hospital.

There were no eyewitnesses to the crash. Sgt. William C. Moran of the state police said the tractor-trailer, after the collision, careened off the highway.

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