

SAC Boss Warns Reds Of 'Ready' Bombers

PARIS, Nov. 12 (AP)—The boss of the U.S. Strategic Air Command warned the Soviet Union today his bombers around the world are loaded with nuclear weapons and ready to strike swiftly in case of attack.

Gen. Thomas Power told a news conference that SAC mounted an alert Oct. 1, that there always are some of the great bombers in the air and they are "not carrying swords or bows and arrows."

The general struck at the recent claim of Soviet Communist Chief Nikita Khrushchev that the intercontinental ballistic missile had made warplanes obsolete.

Power declared Russian missiles could not knock out U.S. SAC bases all over the world simultaneously "and nobody knows it better than Khrushchev."

Power flew here from his U.S. headquarters for the Parliamentary Assembly and this morning heard Sen. Henry Jackson (D.-Wash.) propose that NATO set up a missile training center.

The plan won prompt endorsement from Gen. Cortlandt Van R. Schuyler, chief of staff of Supreme Headquarters Allied Powers in Europe, who said "we have been trying to get this for six months."

Like Gen. Lauris Norstad, the supreme commander in Europe, Schuyler is an American.

A high NATO source disclosed that this year the United States embarked on a program of supplying its NATO allies with missiles such as the Nike, the Honest John, and the Corporal.

He said all NATO members soon would have them. It was learned that Germany and Italy now have personnel training in the United States in the use of these weapons.

Jackson also called for a complete reappraisal of U.S. policy concerning exchanging atomic secrets with Western allies. In talks with fellow delegates, he said the West would gain greater security by sharing more information.

The afternoon session of the Assembly was devoted to a closed briefing by NATO military leaders. It was said to be optimistic and reassuring.

House Group Cites Campaign Against Anti-Subversion

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 (AP)—The House Committee on Un-American Activities asserted today a nationwide campaign is under way to cripple the government's anti-subversive program.

The committee said those behind the campaign hope to "shackle or abolish the Committee on Un-American Activities and to discredit J. Edgar Hoover and the

B-52 Not Scrapped By Missiles — Lemay

BUENOS AIRES, Nov. 12 (AP)—Gen. Curtis Lemay gave a dramatic punch today to his claim that the global bomber has not been scrapped by the missile. He helped fly a big jet Stratotanker 6350 miles without stopping or refueling.

The flight from Westover (Mass.) Air Force Base to Buenos Aires in just over 13 hours set new distance and speed marks for official nonstop, non-refueling jet operation.

Lemay, famous father of the U.S. Strategic Air Command and now No. 2 man in the U.S. Air Force, may attempt an even faster flight back to the United States tomorrow in his speedy KC135 tanker, the working partner of the B52 global bomber.

"As soon as missiles are ready they will augment our bombers and at some later date they probably will replace part of our bombers," he told reporters. But there still was a lack of "over-all efficiency" in missiles, he said, and "it is my personal opinion that there will be a place for the manned bomber for some time to come."

The "first generation" of missiles would not be as efficient as bombers, he added, and the United States was "interested in getting the very best weapon possible."

The scrappy 50-year-old Lemay himself piloted the tanker for about eight hours of the 485-mile-an-hour flight.

Probers Told Teamster Slayed in Garbage Row

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 (AP)—Senate investigators were told today that a Teamsters Union official was murdered in 1952 after bucking efforts by a rival Teamsters local to organize garbage haulers in New York.

A dramatic story of murder, blunt threats, pressure tactics against businessmen and mystery fires was unfolded as the Senate Labor Rackets Investigating Committee began an inquiry into New York's garbage industry.

The committee's announced goal: To show that gangster elements connived with some labor union officials to take over the 50-million-dollar-a-year business of hauling trash from 122,000 businesses and half a million homes.

Testimony about the unsolved slaying of John Acropolis, president of Teamsters Local 456 in Westchester County, was given by Ed Doye of Yonkers. Doye succeeded Acropolis as head of the local.

The witness testified that both he and Acropolis were threatened several times in the three weeks before Acropolis was shot to death.

Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) asked if Doye himself feared violence.

"You got to die some time, senator," Doye replied. "You can't live forever."

Seaway Inspires Erie's World Trade Aspiration

ERIE, Pa., Nov. 12 (AP)—Will the St. Lawrence Seaway make Erie a great world port and permit western Pennsylvania industries to build new export and import markets?

The Commonwealth of Pennsylvania is gambling \$1,750,000 that the Great Lakes port city will grow in importance

once the seaway project is completed in 1959 to allow passage of ocean-going ships.

Many heads of small industries in western Pennsylvania are talking of expanded exports to South America and Europe.

A New York Engineering firm, after a recent survey, said foreign exports from Erie's port could grow to 249,700 tons annually. The firm said foreign imports could reach 35,400 tons a year.

Erie's Mayor Arthur Gardner and many of the city's civic leaders say they are convinced "Erie will become a great port."

Municipal officials already have acquired the Pennsylvania Railroad's cargo dock and warehouse and are busy modernizing it. The city paid a half million dollars

for the dock and warehouse. The \$1,750,000 grant received from the state is being spent to modernize the pier and warehouse.

On a recent visit to Erie, Gov. George M. Leader said the money is proof that the state has every confidence Erie will become a great port in the world market.

The seaway project is a joint undertaking of the governments of the United States and Canada. Its purpose is to widen a passage that will permit ships to enter the Great Lakes from the Atlantic.

Port cities as far inland as Chicago expect to establish direct water routes with Europe and South America as a result of the project.

Ike, Advisers Discuss Space Age Financing

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 (AP)—Two White House meetings—one small and the other large—dug today into the problems of financing America's space age defenses.

President Dwight D. Eisenhower sought from these two groups of advisers advice on what to put into the budget he will submit to Congress when it reconvenes in January.

He talked first with Vice President Richard M. Nixon, Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, Secretary of the Treasury Anderson and Budget Director Percival Brundage.

This meeting was billed in advance as devoted to the question of foreign aid, a form of expenditure Eisenhower has repeatedly called one of the most effective ways to defend America.

The other meeting was an extraordinarily expanded gathering of the National Security Council—62 persons rather than the basic five who form the nucleus of this top policy-making group.

As in the case of a smaller, but still large, meeting last week, it had to be held in the broadcast room in the White House basement.

James C. Hagerty, the White House press secretary, said the meeting was of the same sort that is held every year about this time to discuss budget estimates.

The discussions this time were complicated by Russia's new strides into the space age by means of satellites and missiles.

It is generally assumed that huge new amounts will be asked to press America's efforts to catch up with or offset the Russians.

Before Russia sent up its first Sputnik satellite Oct. 4 there was considerable expectations that a tax cut might be possible next year. That talk has since faded.

Further information on the administration's plans, in the face of Russia's gains, is expected from a speech President Eisenhower is to make at Oklahoma City tomorrow night.

Truman Blames GOP for Lag In Missile Plan

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 (AP)—Former President Harry S. Truman and a Republican senator disagreed sharply today on America's missile progress before the Republicans took over the White House.

Truman, here for a brief visit, told reporters:

"We had a missile program before I left the White House—it was broken up after I left."

On the contrary, Sen. Wallace F. Bennett (R-Utah) issued a statement saying that the Truman administration must be blamed "for our lag behind the Russians in the ballistic missile field."

The senator said "the record of the Truman administration on missiles reveals a monstrous neglect bordering on the criminal," and added:

"The Truman legacy was so deplorable that the Eisenhower administration had to start virtually from scratch to begin to catch up with the Russians."

Firing in the other direction, Sen. A. S. Mike Monroney (D.-Okla.) accused the Eisenhower administration of giving the country "glossophobia" by glossing over "all the grim facts in the ballistic missile field."

Transit Strike Deadlocked

PITTSBURGH, Nov. 12 (AP)—A two-hour joint session failed to break the deadlock today in the 30-day-old transit strike.

Supreme Court Outlaws Ban On Movie 'The Game of Love'

WASHINGTON, Nov. 12 (AP)—The Supreme Court today dealt movie censors another blow.

Citing one of its own decisions which said "sex and obscenity are not synonymous," the court struck down a ban by the Chicago Police Censor Board on "The Game of Love," a French film.

It did so unanimously and without hearing the customary oral arguments. The action reversed a decision of the U.S. Court of Appeals in Chicago.

The Supreme Court's brief unsigned opinion cited a decision issued last June 24 which upheld federal and state laws banning obscene literature, which it defined as "material which deals with sex in a manner appealing to the prurient interest."

However, Justice Joseph F. Brennan, who spoke for the court then, added this comment: "The

portrayal of sex, e.g., in art, literature and scientific works, is not sufficient reason to deny material the constitutional protection of freedom of speech and press."

In other action today the court turned down two more appeals of Morton Sobel, who is serving a 30-year sentence for wartime espionage. He was convicted with Ethel and Julius Rosenberg, who were executed.



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