

NATO Defense Ministers End Successful Parley

PARIS (AP)—Western defense ministers ended their conference Thursday with a strong display of solidarity, bolstered by a report that France has agreed in principle to the stationing of American-built missile bases and nuclear warheads on her soil.

FRB Launches Liberal Aid, Cuts Interest

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Federal Reserve Board launched some new financial maneuverings Thursday to combat the recession, and a House group pushed a bill for outright relief grants for the unemployed.

The Federal Reserve dropped the discount rate charged member banks who borrow from a reserve bank to 1 1/2 per cent at New York, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, and Minneapolis.

In a separate move, the Federal Reserve reduced the amount of reserves which banks in New York and Chicago must maintain against demand deposits.

In a major action at the Capitol, House Ways and Means Committee Democrats reached tentative agreement on a billion-dollar emergency plan for relief of unemployed workers. This would be financed wholly by the federal government.

The program, going beyond a plan advanced by President Eisenhower, will be put to a committee vote Friday. Chairman Wilbur Mills (D.-Ark.) said he expected it would be called up in the House next week.

The tentative compromise would provide 16 weeks additional unemployment compensation benefits to workers who have exhausted their benefits under present state programs.

U.S., Reds Open Talks

MOSCOW (AP)—U.S. Ambassador Llewellyn Thompson opened discussions Thursday with Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko on preparations for a summit conference.

Indonesian Federal Troops Enter Padang, Rebel Capital

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP)—Thousands of Indonesian government infantrymen and Marine commandos moved into the rebel capital of Padang in Central Sumatra Thursday after a massive amphibious landing on the beaches north of the city.

They moved to link up with paratroopers and special combat forces who earlier in the day seized the Padang airport with hardly a fight.

The joint naval, land and air operations appeared to be near accomplishing the objective of smashing a two-month-old rebellion by young army colonels against the Sumatra government.

The long-predicted government offensive opened at daybreak.

A destroyer and two corvettes shelled the beaches. Then two companies of Marine commandos swept ashore from transports. Parachute troops plummeted sim-

ultaneously onto the airport four miles north of Padang. Reinforcements were ordered in on reports of light resistance on the beachhead. The rebel defense line was thin, stretched along 100 miles of coast north and south of Padang, the last major rebel stronghold on Sumatra. Seizure of the airport was speedy.

The field had been made unusable by rebel dynamite blasts but it could be repaired rapidly to provide aerial reinforcement for the invaders.

While Padang is the announced objective, the Jakarta forces also might drive over the mountains in an attempt to seize the rebel capital of Bukittinggi, 44 miles inland.

A prime objective is to seize rebel Premier Sjafruddin Prawiranegara and other members of the regime. Some rebel officials have

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Senators Rip Strauss On Mixing Up Facts

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senators accused Adm. Lewis L. Strauss Thursday of getting the American people "absolutely befuddled" over atomic matters.

Strauss, who is chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, hotly denied ever withholding information the people

Tunisia Plans To Take French Dispute to UN

TUNIS (AP)—President Habib Bourguiba warned Thursday that he will take the French-Tunisian dispute to the United Nations again within a week unless a new French government immediately compromises.

Bourguiba's statement virtually assured a Security Council discussion of the dispute, since formation of a new Paris government is expected to take much longer than a week.

The government of Premier Felix Gaillard resigned after the National Assembly rejected Tuesday night a compromise plan recommended by the U.S.-British good offices team which is seeking to ease French-Tunisian relations.

"I cannot wait a very long time," Bourguiba said in his weekly broadcast to his people. "The last time it took President Rene Coty six weeks to find a new government. I cannot wait while France goes through this process again. . . . I want to see a new French government within seven days."

He predicted that if he again takes aggression charges to the Security Council, Tunisia will win a great victory.

Daylight Savings Begins April 27

By The Associated Press Daylight Saving Time will go into effect April 27 in practically all Pennsylvania communities with most municipalities planning to return to Standard Time at the end of October.

However, a sizeable number, including such large cities as Erie, Johnstown and York, will not return to Standard Time at the end of September.

A survey conducted by the State Chamber of Commerce showed 234 communities plan to remain on Daylight Saving Time until Oct. 26.

These include State College, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Allentown, Bethlehem, Easton, Lancaster, Reading, Scranton, Sharon, Uniontown, Washington, Wilkes-Barre and Williamsport.

Lawrence Urges Redevelopment

BETHLEHEM, Pa. (AP)—A \$3.5 billion federal urban redevelopment program for Pennsylvania over a 10-year period was advocated Thursday by Mayor David Lawrence of Pittsburgh in his campaign for the Democratic gubernatorial nomination.

needed to know or ever deliberately distorting any information.

At a day-long session before the Senate Disarmament subcommittee headed by Sen. Hubert Humphrey (D.-Minn.), Strauss clashed with Humphrey and Sens. Stuart Symington (D.-Mo.) and Clinton Anderson (D.-NM).

"This secrecy racket has reached to the point where the people are absolutely befuddled," Symington told him. "The people are badly mixed up."

Strauss shot back: "I don't believe the commission is keeping from the people any information essential to their decision. The only thing withheld is essential defense information, the knowledge of which would be beneficial to a potential enemy."

At immediate issue was the commission's public report on an underground atomic test explosion in Nevada last fall. The report said it was detectable no more than 250 miles away. Humphrey disclosed last month it had been picked up in Alaska, 2300 miles away.

The point is important because it bears on the argument over whether it is possible to detect cheating in any agreement with Russia to ban nuclear tests.

While Strauss was appearing before the subcommittee, Secretary of State John Foster Dulles went before the Senate-House Atomic Energy Committee.

Dulles urged approval of the administration bill to share U.S. atomic bomb know-how with the Allies, particularly Great Britain.

News Curbing Charged In Defense Department

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Defense Department has manipulated information in an attempt to manage the news about missiles and satellites, Rep. John Moss (D.-Calif.) said today.

Moss addressed some 400 editors attending the American Society of Newspaper Editors convention. Moss is chairman of the House Government Information subcommittee.

Moss said that immediately after the Soviets sent Sputnik I into space the Pentagon issued secret orders to "muzzle the experts who could explain our predicament."

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