

Urrutia Reaches Havana

Tight Controls May Be Lifted

HAVANA, Cuba (AP) — Provisional President Manuel Urrutia arrived in Havana yesterday raising the prospect that martial law in Havana province and a prospective curfew for the capital would be lifted quickly.

Urrutia landed at Havana's International Airport after a flight from Camaguey province. He arrived at the height of a confused situation that pitted Fidel Castro's rebel forces against a group of young revolutionary zealots who had occupied the presidential palace.

Mikoyan, Dulles Confer Over Berlin's Future

WASHINGTON (AP) — First Deputy Soviet Premier Anastas I. Mikoyan and Secretary of State Dulles cautiously probed yesterday for a way out of the critical East-West deadlock over Berlin's future.

The two men were reported to have talked over the Berlin problem in detail during a 95-minute meeting at the State Department.

Both drew tight secrecy curtains around their talk. However, one informant reported that Berlin dominated the discussion, which ranged over the German problem as a whole, disarmament and trade prospects.

The 63-year-old Soviet deputy premier told newsmen he will meet with President Eisenhower in two weeks to follow up his talk with Dulles.

The Eisenhower-Mikoyan meeting will come after a cross-country tour the old Bolshevik tentatively plans to begin tomorrow.

As for Mikoyan's session with Dulles, Eisenhower got a telephone report on that from Dulles immediately afterward. The White House declined to provide any detail.

\$49 Billion Sketched Out For Defense

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Eisenhower administration sketched out a \$40,900,000,000 defense budget yesterday for leaders of the new Congress.

There was mention, too, of a timetable for rocketing a man to the moon.

The reaction to the spending plans was less than enthusiastic. Some key Democrats challenged the space and missile financing as too small.

Nor did Republican congressional leaders organize any cheering section as they marched out of a 2½-hour conference with President Eisenhower.

There was no sign that the Soviet Union's blasting of a satellite toward orbit around the sun would result in any immediate monetary shot in the arm for the American space program.

Rather, indications developed that the heavily Democratic Congress convening Wednesday may write its own ticket in the months ahead on funds for defense and allied operations. Eisenhower's figure is up only 100 millions over the current budget.

Sen. Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex.), the majority leader, said that "it is my judgment that we should be going farther, faster in our military preparations and in our space program. And I do feel deeply concerned and hope that we will aggressively expedite these programs as soon as possible, particularly with our planes and missiles."

Sub-Zero Readings Recorded in State

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

The temperature plunged below zero in many parts of Pennsylvania today as the state was held in the grip of a cold front sweeping the east.

Readings up to possibly 20 degrees below zero were expected by dawn. This extreme low reading was forecast for the mountain areas around Scranton.

The worst cold wave of the season gave the eastern seaboard a wintry cuffing yesterday and locked two-thirds of the nation in a vast area of numbing cold.

Across the nation, the first major storm of the winter lashed northern California. Gales, rain and heavy snow pounded the area.

Howling northwest winds up to 70 m.p.h. powered the polar invasion of the East.

Northwestern and southwestern Pennsylvania residents braced for temperatures ranging from 10 to 15 below zero. In Pittsburgh, the U.S. Weather Bureau forecast yesterday's sub-freezing temperatures would average 4 to 8 degrees below normal through Saturday.

Some slight moderation was expected tonight through Thursday.

day but colder weather is in sight for next weekend.

As the sub-freezing weather weather continued fire department and police officials had a word of warning. They cautioned against overheated stoves and furnaces and urged everyone to be certain that gas heaters are properly vented.

Temperatures nose-dived as much as 40 degrees in many areas of the East. Midday readings were close to zero through the mountains of Pennsylvania.

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Campus Cavers Land in Cuban Crisis

By BOBBI LEVINE

A group of 21 students from the University including four coeds, found themselves suspected revolutionists when they went cave-exploring in Cuba during the Christmas vacation.

The students who entered the country in three groups of 12, four and five, discovered no one believed they had come all the way from Pennsylvania just to explore caves, and Patricia Purdy, one of the cave-exploring coeds, said she thought both the revolutionaries and the government police thought they had come down to join Castro's forces.

The largest group of students was allowed to stay in the country 30 minutes and then sent back on the same plane they came in. A second group made up of Miss Purdy, Charles Boster, Lawrence Mathews and Jack Stellmack were more fortunate.

They stayed in Cuba for close to two days during which time they went sightseeing in Havana. Boster said while they were in Havana a revolutionist jokingly asked them to join the revolution. "We told him we would," he said, "but we knew we were leaving the next day. We were getting on the bus to return to the hotel when he offered Pat a job in his nightclub."

Stellmack said they were not threatened bodily, but they were told if they did not get out they

would be picked up and deported.

During their stay in Cuba the students said they found that everyone was on Castro's side and hated Batista for the atrocities he had committed against the people. Some of the Cubans told the students that Batista's police shot two students after they tried to storm Batista's palace. They also complained that Batista sent untrained, poorly equipped troops into combat against other Cubans.

A third group of five students including Karl Francis, Phyllis Porterfield and Archibald Evans stayed in Cuba four days and even got to see the inside of one of the caves. They took a taxi to Vinales Valley about 175 miles from Havana, but since they were forced to leave their equipment behind they only went about 20 feet into the cave.

They were stopped by roadblocks along the way and police armed with submachine guns searched them for arms. Francis said: "We got to the front of the caves and took pictures of the countryside. We weren't allowed to take pictures of the soldiers. If we did we would have been shot."

Miss Porterfield said they had

to leave the valley before dark because they were told the rebels come out of the hills at night and use the caves. Francis and Miss Porterfield agreed that they thought all the people in the valley were rebels and they came down from their homes at night. Every where they went people were eagerly awaiting the time Castro would take over, they said.

All students from the University were safely out of Cuba before Batista resigned and the government collapsed, they said.

Miss Purdy, Miss Porterfield and Carolyn Allison, another coed on the trip, denied reports that appeared in the newspapers saying Miss Purdy had been asked to join the revolution and that she wanted to remain and do so.

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