

# Plane Hijack Blamed on Reds

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti (AP)—Foreign Minister Louis Mars blamed Communists yesterday for hijacking a Haitian transport plane, killing the pilot, and flying on to Haitian rebel headquarters in Cuba.

The twin-engine DC3 transport was seized by six rebels Thursday on a flight from Aux Cayes, in the southern part of Haiti, to this capital. They forced the pilot to fly to Santiago, in eastern Cuba, with 24 passengers.

All were reported safe, including George Salling, 58, an American engineer from Ridge-wood, N.J.

The brief struggle high above the lush tropical jungles of this Negro republic marked the first outbreak of organized revolutionary activity since opposition leaders went into exile and formed a Revolutionary Front in Santiago early this year. Last July President Francois Duvalier's government snuffed out a coup, killing 14 persons including four American adventurers.

Severe drought and threats of invasion and bankruptcy have helped raise the political temperature in Haiti.

Mars charged at a news conference that the plane incident was inspired by Communists. He claimed communism is spreading across the Caribbean.

He said the Haitian government is asking for the return of the six rebels from Cuba to stand trial here for the murder of the pilot, Maj Eberle Guilbad, 42, one of the top fliers in Haiti's small air force and father of nine children.

Mars told newsmen he could not say whether the rebels are aligned with any particular party and declined to reveal their names until the investigation is complete.

A Cuban army communique, however, identified them as Daniel Georges, Jean Claude Dourard, Jacques Laforest, Hubert Dupuis Nouaille, Carol Neliarde and Robert Victor.

They were held at the Moncada military headquarters in Santiago while Cuban authorities pondered whether to hand them back to Haiti or grant them asylum.

## Test Flights To Be Given To 7 Spacemen

WASHINGTON (AP)—The seven Mercury Astronauts will all get test rides out to the edge of space in rocket-fired capsules.

These preliminary trips—the scientists call them sub-orbital flights—will be short compared to the eventually planned ride around the world.

They'll go skyward 20 to 25 miles and follow the rocket range out of Cape Canaveral, Fla., around 100 miles to the neighborhood of the Bahama Islands. These aren't firm figures, but it is not possible now to be exact.

A spokesman for the National Aeronautics and Space Administration told about the preliminary plans today, one day after the seven finally chosen Astronauts were presented to the public.

The spokesman said each of the seven will get at least one of the sub-orbital trips. Selection of the first man to orbit the earth may be based on how well the finalists do in the test flights.

## Lawyer Accuses Illegal Practices

WASHINGTON (AP)—Bernard Goldfine's attorney contended yesterday electronic eavesdropping and housebreaking gave a House subcommittee the questions the Boston industrialist refused to answer.

The lawyer, Edward Bennett Williams, told U.S. Dist Judge James W. Morris that the interrogation of Goldfine last July "was born of a theft."

Asst. U.S. Atty William Hitz insisted that no evidence obtained illegally was presented to the grand jury which indicted Goldfine on contempt of Congress charges. He said no such evidence would be offered in his trial scheduled for April 20.

# Tibetan Nomads Declare War On Red China

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP)—About 100,000 wild Tibetan nomads, who fight with swords and old muzzle-loader muskets, have declared war on the Chinese Reds in Tibet, Nationalist sources said yesterday.

Known as the Goloks, these tribesmen live by hunting and sheep-raising in the north where Tibet's high mountains merge with those of China's Tsinghai province.

Like other reports purporting to reach Chinese Nationalist intelligence sources from Tibet, there is no way of verifying this one. But if true, it would represent a great boost to the strength of rebel forces led by Khampa tribesmen in southern Tibet.

The Nationalists reports said the Goloks have proclaimed that they will keep fighting until the Communists are thrown out of Tibet and the Dalai Lama is restored to power.

## Indian Plane Attacked

KARACHI, Pakistan (AP)—A Pakistani jet fighter blasted a twin-jet Canberra of the Indian Air Force from the skies over western Pakistan yesterday, Air Force sources said.

## Bloom Will Attend Sales Tax Parley

HARRISBURG (AP)—Gov. Lawrence yesterday for the first time included the Republican state chairman among a list of political leaders he invited to a Monday parley for a discussion of the tax stalemate.

In addition to State GOP Chairman George I. Bloom, Lawrence asked both Democratic and Republican leaders of the Legislature to sit at the conference table for the tax discussion.

Although Lawrence would say only that taxes will be discussed at the meeting, administration sources, who declined quotation by name, said he will appeal for action to break the House bottleneck holding up his proposed 3 1/2 per cent sales tax.

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THE SOUND AND THE FURY

# Ike Says Nation Backs GOP In Effort to Curb Spending

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Eisenhower told Republicans yesterday the country is "squarely behind our efforts to block excess spending schemes and to keep the federal budget in balance."

Eisenhower predicted the GOP will win in 1960 "if we stand resolutely for, and work energetically to implement, those fundamentals in which we believe as Republicans."

The President voiced his views in a message from his vacation headquarters in Augusta, Ga. It was read by retiring Chairman Meade Alcorn to the Republican National Committee.

Only a short time before Eisenhower had given his blessing to the selection of Sen. Thurston B. Morton of Kentucky to succeed Alcorn. Morton is regarded as a supporter of Vice President Richard M. Nixon.

Morton's election is scheduled formally for today with indications he will have no opponent. The national committee also will decide then on a site and date for the 1960 nominating convention. Chicago and a July 25 opening date still appeared to be favored. Eisenhower's message arrived

while the Republicans were whipping themselves into a fighting mood with bristling attacks on Democratic presidential hopefuls.

## Kundla Quits Laker Post

MINNEAPOLIS (AP)—The Minneapolis Lakers' Johnny Kundla pulled out of pro basketball coaching after 12 years yesterday to take the coaching job at Minnesota, his crowning ambition.

"It's wonderful to be able to return to your old school," Kundla said.

Kundla's appointment by Athletic Director Ike Armstrong was approved by the Minnesota Board of Regents. As successor to Ozzie Cowles, the 42-year-old coach will receive \$12,000 a year under a four-year contract. The figure is comparable to what Kundla got with the Lakers.

Laker President Bob Short said it was "a real blow to lose a man of John's caliber. He'll be hard to replace."

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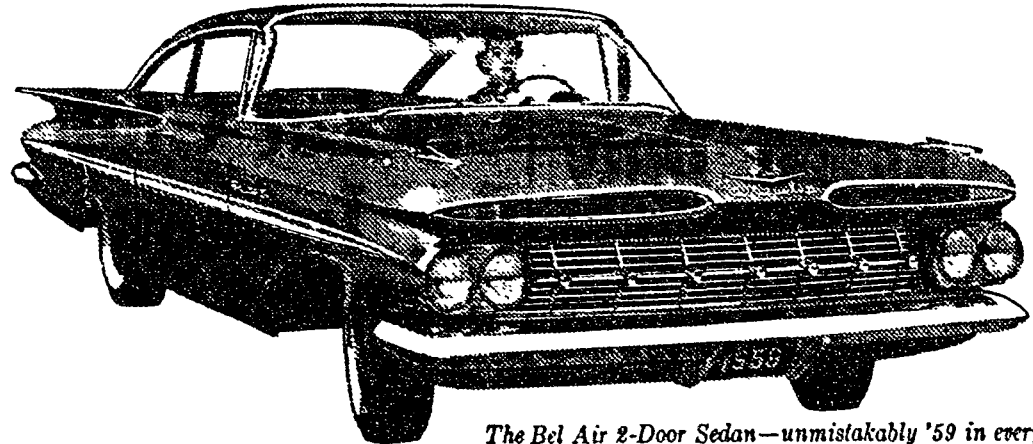
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1:15	Contact
5:00	Local News
5:05	LP's and Show Tunes
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6:00	News and Markets
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