

Steelmen, Union Demand Probes

NEW YORK (AP)—The United Steelworkers Union and steel industry exchanged demands yesterday for government investigation of each other, then agreed they'd both better quit airing their differences in public.

The union fired off demands to the Justice Department and National Labor Relations Board for probes of possible antitrust law and labor violations on the part of the industry.

Experts Predict Better Business Through 1960

HOT SPRINGS, Va. (AP)—The business upswing will continue through mid-1960 at least, Commerce Department experts now predict, despite foreseeably slower gains this summer.

Secretary of Commerce Lewis L. Strauss and his top aides were prepared to present this forecast to the government's Business Advisory Council at its spring meeting here. The closed sessions start today.

The nearly 100 BAC members participating, including the heads of many of the country's biggest corporations, will also give their appraisal of the outlook. This will be somewhat less bullish than the government's, early arriving members said, but still optimistic.

A sag in steel production in the July-September quarter is expected to restrain the over-all advance.

Steel output is likely to slump even if there is no steel strike when the present wage contract expires at midyear, the government experts agreed. This is because the automobile and other steel-using industries have been buying heavily to build up their stocks in anticipation of either a strike or a price increase.

Postal Rate Increase Proposed

WASHINGTON (AP)—Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield proposed yesterday a one-cent increase in first-class letter and air mail postage.

Summerfield sent Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn (D-Tex.) a letter and a draft of legislation to make the increases.

The proposal would raise the rate on a first-class letter from 4 cents to 5 and on air mail from 7 cents to 8.

Summerfield said higher rates are needed "to provide additional revenues in order to assure that postal revenues will more nearly equal postal expenditures."

He estimated the increases would bring in an additional 355 million dollars a year in revenue. The current operating deficit of the Post Office Department has been estimated at more than 500 million dollars a year.

Postal rates were raised just late Aug. 1. At that time, they went from 3 to 4 cents an ounce for first class mail and from 6 to 7 cents an ounce for air mail.

President Eisenhower indicated in his budget message to Congress in January that he would ask for higher rates.

de Gaulle's Peace Statement Queried

CONSTANTINE, Algeria (AP)—President Charles de Gaulle's statement in France yesterday that peace is in sight in Algeria seems almost grotesque in this grim, heavily patrolled eastern Algerian city.

Two days after clashes between Europeans and Algerians tension grips the people. Authorities fear more trouble in the city where De Gaulle launched his famous "Constantine Plan" to swing the Algerians to France. De Gaulle's name now is booed by some Europeans. These accuse him of a sellout.

Hope for peace looks equally dim from neighboring Tunisia, where leaders of the Algerian nationalist rebellion vow to continue their fight against France.

FCC Asked to Alter Equal-Time Ruling

WASHINGTON (AP)—The administration asked the Federal Communications Commission yesterday, in the name of common sense, to reverse its ruling that the equal-time-for-candidates requirement applies to newscasts.

This is the ruling which on March 18 prompted President

Eisenhower to say it is ridiculous to impose such a requirement. Radio-TV industry leaders said the same thing.

At that time White House press secretary James C. Hagerty said Eisenhower was not criticizing the FCC for its interpretation of the equal-time law, which was set up primarily to cover political speeches.

Yesterday the approach was more blunt. A Justice Department brief, released after Atty. Gen. William P. Rogers conferred with Eisenhower, asked the FCC for "a common sense application" of the law.

Eisenhower had asked Rogers whether a remedy should be sought through legislation or otherwise. The action yesterday showed that Rogers favors the "otherwise" approach—asking the FCC to change its rule.

The disputed FCC ruling was handed down Feb. 19 at the request of Lar Daly, a Chicagoan who regularly runs for various offices without much support or success.

Daly was announced as a candidate for both the Republican and Democratic nominations to be mayor of Chicago. The principal candidates were Democrat Richard Daley and Republican Timothy Sheehan.

Daley and Sheehan had appeared on television newscasts for example when they filed their nomination papers. Also Daley was shown in his capacity as mayor greeting a distinguished visitor, opening a charity drive, and so on.

1980's to See Men on Moon

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y. (AP)—American space experts said yesterday men will explore the moon in a few decades and nations might clash over its exploitation.

They made the statement in suggesting plans for a UN study on how far international cooperation in space research should go and what legal problems might arise.

The experts put working papers on these subjects before the UN Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space. The papers are intended to aid subcommittees that will begin working on the two questions May 26.

Only 13 members of the 18-nation space committee were present. The Soviet Union, Poland, Czechoslovakia, India and the United Arab Republic are boycotting the meeting.

Railroad Asked to Keep Four Trains Running

HARRISBURG (AP)—A federal order requiring the Lehigh Valley Railroad to retain four of 10 main line passenger trains was for the public good, the Public Utility Commission said yesterday.

The Interstate Commerce Commission Wednesday authorized Lehigh to drop six trains of its 10 in passenger service. The railroad had sought to end all main line service.

Labor Men Plead 'Fifth'

WASHINGTON (AP)—Two labor union officials, accused of exacting payments from New York area newspaper and printing firms, pleaded the Fifth Amendment yesterday as Senate investigators tried unsuccessfully to make them talk.

Again and again, Harold Gross and Cornelius Noonan refused to answer questions on grounds their words might incriminate them.

Gross, president of a Teamsters Local in Miami and a convicted extortionist, kept silent on testimony of other witnesses that he charged thousands of dollars to assure labor peace at a New Jersey commercial printing firm which turns out, among other things, Sunday supplements for newspapers.

He also balked at saying whether he pocketed other thousands for seeing to it that Sunday sections were delivered without interruption to the New York Times,

the New York Mirror and the New York Journal-American.


Gross also wouldn't comment on whether there is any racketeering in his Teamsters Local 320 in Miami.

Noonan, head of a New York longshoremen's union affiliate, also invoked the Fifth Amendment when asked whether he shared in payoffs which purportedly included more than \$300,000 from the Neo Gravure Printing Co., Weehawken, N.J., over a 14-year span.

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8:00 Why Berlin?
9:00 M Squad
9:30 Silent Serv.
10:00 Boxing, Gampar vs Stitch
10:45 Jackpot Bowling
11:00 News-Sports
11:15 Movie, "The Corpse Came C.O.D."

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FRIDAY
6:00 Popeye Play-
6:15 Outdoors
6:30 News-Sports
6:45 News
7:00 Tugbt Annie
7:30 To be anned.
8:00 Walt Disney
9:00 Tombstone Territory
9:30 77 Sunset Strip
10:30 Person to Person
11:00 News, Weath.
11:20 Movie, "Mr. Lucky"

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SATURDAY
3:30 World's greatest Mother
4:00 Zero 19601
4:30 Armchair Adventure
4:45 Living Word
5:00 Cisco Kid
5:30 Lone Ranger
6:00 Union Pacific
6:30 Command Performance
7:00 Science Fiction
7:30 People Are Funny
8:00 Perry Como
8:30 Black Saddle
9:30 Cincinnati City
10:30 D.A.'s Man
11:00 State Trooper
11:30 Sea Hunt
12:00 News-Sports
12:15 Movie, "The Black Cat"

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SATURDAY
1:30 Country, Style Music
1:45 Baseball, Indians, W. Sox
4:00 Horse Race
4:30 To be anned.
5:00 Congressman's Report
5:05 Cartoons
6:00 Dancing Party
7:00 Leave It To Beaver
7:30 Perry Mason
8:30 Wanted-Dead Or Alive
9:00 Zane Grey
9:30 Have Gun, Will Travel
10:00 Gunsmoke
10:30 Flight drama
11:00 News-Sports
11:20 Movie, "Meet Me in St. Louis"

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SUNDAY
1:00 Steelworkers' TV Meeting
1:15 Heavy'n Sp'ks
1:30 Oral Roberts
2:00 Briefing Session
2:30 Movie
3:30 Deadline 53 Minutes
4:00 Sea Power
5:00 Shirl Temple
6:00 Meet - Press
6:30 Casey Jones
7:00 Red China
7:30 Steve Allen

WFBG-TV ● 10
SATURDAY
1:00 Life of America
1:30 Miracle of Clown
1:45 Baseball, Senators, Yankees
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5:00 Geneva Conf.
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