

World At A Glance Communists Pose Great Challenge To U.S.-Kennedy

NEW YORK (AP) — President Kennedy said last night no formally declared war ever posed a greater threat to U.S. security than the rampant threat of communism around the world.

Calling this a deadly challenge, Kennedy urged the nation's newspapers to re-examine their obligations in the light of the global danger and "to heed the duty of self-restraint" in presenting the news.

Kennedy spoke of the two requirements "of direct concern both to the press and the President" in these critical times.

"I refer, first, to the need for far greater public information; and, second, to the need for far greater official secrecy," the President said.

He added these requirements seem almost contradictory in tone, but "must be reconciled and fulfilled if we are to meet this national peril."

The chief executive said he is not suggesting "any new forms of censorship or new types of security classification."

But, he said, he is asking every newspaper to ask, with respect to every story, not alone whether it is news but also, "Is it in the national interest?"

'Fix Prices' Order Denied by Vinson

WASHINGTON (AP) — Arthur F. Vinson, vice president of General Electric, has denied testimony that he had ordered illegal meetings to fix prices.

"Somebody is crazy or somebody is lying," said Sen Philip A. Hart, D-Mich.

And Senator Estes Kefauver, D-Tenn., chairman of the Senate Antitrust and Monopoly subcommittee, said a transcript of the conflicting testimony of Vinson and four other witnesses would be sent to the Justice Department.

There, Kefauver said, it would be "examined for the possibility of perjury."

Nationalist China Economy

TAIPEI, Formosa (AP) — Nationalist China is drafting a 10-year economic expansion program to meet the Kennedy administration's new emphasis on long-range planning by nations getting U.S. aid.

Loas Calls For End of Fighting; Morale Low

VIENTIANE, Laos (AP) — The government proposed a cease-fire at noon today as doubt spread that its battered troops could hold out much longer. There was no indication the pro-Communist rebels would agree to stop shooting.

Westerners expressed grave concern because, despite increased U.S. aid, the government's position and troop morale have worsened in the face of successful rebel attacks launched during attempts to arrange the cease-fire.

"The Communists can break through and take any place they want — if they want to make enough of an effort," one source said.

Most informants doubted the rebel Pathet Lao command would risk precipitating intervention by neighboring Thailand or U.S. forces with attacks on this administrative capital or other major eastern centers.

But one source termed the situation serious and commented: "I would say we are closer to war now than ever before unless we get a quick cease-fire."

Invaders Pledge To Renew Attack

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex. (AP) — Five badly sunburned survivors of the unsuccessful storming of Cuba's beaches landed here yesterday vowing to renew the attack.

"We are not going to stop this fight because this was a failure," said Manuel Penabaz, a wiry Havana lawyer.

Penabaz, 37, who described himself a chief legal officer of the invasion, said that he does not believe more than 25 invaders were killed.

He said about 1,000 were captured and most of the remainder of what he described as a 1,500-man force fled to the hills.

'Space Telescope' Fired

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — The United States fired into orbit yesterday the world's first astronomical satellite — a "space telescope" designed to unlock mysteries of cosmic radiation.

The satellite is the 39th put in orbit by U.S. scientists since Explorer I hurtled aloft 39 months ago.

Burma to Attend Meeting

RANGOON, Burma (AP) — Burma has accepted a British-Soviet invitation to the 14-nation international conference on Laos opening in Geneva May 12.

TIM Council Elects Fry New Head

Robert Fry, junior in electrical engineering from State College, was elected president of the Town Independent Men Wednesday night.

On the first vote, Fry tied with opposing candidate Earl Gershenow, junior in arts and letters from Fort Monroe, Va., with a 13-13 vote. One member abstained. In the second vote Fry edged out Gershenow with a 14-13 vote.

With the meeting three hours old, Frank Berkett, Jr., junior in electrical engineering from State College, defeated Gershenow for the vice presidency with a 14-13 vote.

Frank Albertini, junior in physics from Philadelphia, was elected secretary, defeating Gershenow, his opponent, with a 17-10 vote.

Kenneth Patla, junior in electrical engineering from State College, defeated Theodore Simon, junior in business administration from Teaneck, N.J., for treasurer with a 16-11 vote.

Correction

Because of a proofreading error, Dennis Foianini, Campus party candidate for student body president, was misquoted in yesterday's Collegian on the subject of a car caravan to Harrisburg. His statement was, "After the Penn State Glee Club sang a 'back the budget' song to the legislature last week, any other attempt to get our appropriation could not look more ridiculous."

Flower Judging Contest

The University won second place recently in the 20th National Intercollegiate Flower Judging Contest held at Pullman, Wash. This marks the second consecutive year that a University team placed second in this event.

Alumni Will Spend 3 Days on Campus

(This is the last article in a series on the activities of the Alumni Association as they affect students.)
By SARALEE ORTON

Penn State alumni will once again have an opportunity to visit the University in June for three days of contact with former professors and classmates, Ross B. Lehman, assistant executive secretary of the Alumni Association, said recently.

During the annual class reunion, June 15, 16 and 17, the alumni will hear President Eric A. Walker's "State of the University" address, honor five distinguished alumni and attend class dinners, Lehman said.

The alums will also parade by class, from Recreation Hall to Schwab, watch Alumni Fund chairman J. E. Holzinger present the annual alumni check to the University, tour the campus in busses and attend the 1961 Alumni Institute.

The Alumni Institute consists of a series of lectures and panel discussions to entertain alumni during the reunions, Lehman explained. Last year, the institute included lectures on such subjects as morals in Soviet Russia, murder detection, modern art and Ernest Hemingway's writings.

In addition to the class reunions, the Alumni Association also conducts the Summer Alumni College, which offers one-week continuing liberal education

courses to alumni. The college is co-sponsored by the University's Center for Continuing Liberal Education.

The program was successfully inaugurated with two sessions last year and will be expanded to five this year, Lehman said. He explained that the college is open to all alumni, their spouses and friends.

Classes are held from 9 a.m. to noon Monday through Friday, leaving afternoons free for recreation and study, he said. The classes are held on an informal basis with instructors serving largely as discussion leaders, Lehman explained.

Courses in modern fiction, modern painting, mass media, Russian foreign policy and American politics will be among the courses offered this summer, he said.

—A fellow wouldn't mind loaning his lawn mower if the borrower wouldn't take it out of the yard.

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