

USSR Threatens to Quit Arms Talk

GENEVA (AP) — The Soviet Union threatened yesterday to walk out of the 17-nation disarmament conference if the United States stages its atmospheric nuclear tests in the Pacific.

Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Valerian A. Zorin warned that the blasts would create an extremely tense international atmosphere and bring about the cessation and failure of the negotiations.

Zorin made his comments to newsmen after a Good Friday session of the disarmament conference.

U.S. AMBASSADOR Arthur H. Dean made it clear the United States nuclear tests will undoubtedly be held because of what he called the unyielding Soviet attitude.

The United States, Dean said, "has learned its lesson with regard to voluntary unpoliced moratorium on tests which can be broken at will by the Soviet Union on any pretext it wishes to dream up."

Dean charged the Soviet Union has killed all chances for quick agreement on a nuclear test ban treaty by refusing even to discuss international enforcement provisions.

Dean and British Minister of State Joseph B. Godber made it clear the Soviet attitude has removed all prospects of a last-minute halt to the test series, expected to begin on Christmas and Johnston islands next week.

President Kennedy has repeatedly offered to cancel the series if the Soviet Union accepts a test ban treaty policed by an international control system and compulsory on-site inspection of suspicious earth tremors.

Zorin described such policing as military espionage which the Soviet government would not accept in any circumstances.

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Senate Hearing Eludes Roberts

WASHINGTON (AP) — The applause of the DAR still rang in Maj. Arch E. Roberts' ears yesterday but the forum he most wanted—a Senate committee hearing—eluded him.

SEN. STROM THURMOND, D-S.C., who has been sparkplugging a Senate investigation of what he calls Pentagon muzzling of military officers, said he favors leaving Roberts to the Army for the time being at least.

"If he questioned the loyalty of Major Yorty and Asst. Secretary of State G. Mennen Williams, then I feel his actions are appropriate for investigation by the Army," Thurmond said.

This attitude surprised many delegates to the Daughters of the American Revolution convention, which gave Roberts a standing ovation Thursday night after he referred to Mayor Sam Yorty of Los Angeles and Asst. Secretary of State Williams in an off-the-cuff speech.

HE SAID there were Communist associations in Yorty's background and that Williams had leftist leanings.

Yorty heatedly denied the accusation. Williams is traveling in Africa and was not reached for comment.

Roberts' extemporaneous talk, delivered after the Pentagon refused to sanction a speech he had prepared for the occasion, was followed by this rapid sequence of events:

•The Army suspended him from duty pending an investigation.

•The DAR rammed through an emergency resolution vigorously protesting the Army's action and calling for a congressional investigation.

•Roberts said he wanted to have a "full and complete" hearing before a special Senate Armed Services subcommittee which has been investigating Thurmond's charges of Pentagon muzzling.

•Thurmond, an Army Reserve major general, said he opposed any intervention by Senate investigators at this time.

Roberts, 46, is a former aide to ex-Maj. Gen. Edwin A. Walker, who was involved in a controversy over an information program he instituted for troops of the 24th Division which he commanded in Germany.

Walker resigned from the Army after being admonished and is now a candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor of Texas.



G. Mennen Williams

Army Orders Units To End Segregation

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Defense Department has ordered an end to racial segregation in Reserve units "as rapidly as is consistent with military effectiveness."

The directive calling for integration of all-Negro and all-white Reserve units was issued April 3 by Deputy Secretary of Defense Roswell L. Gilpatric. Addressed to the Army, Navy and Air Force, the directive is aimed at bringing further compliance with a 1948 executive order by then President Harry S. Truman banning racial segregation in the armed services.

In explaining Gilpatric's order yesterday, Pentagon sources noted that segregation has been ended in the regular units of the armed forces. But it persists in some Reserve units and in the National Guard of 10 states, the spokesmen said.

It was explained that Gilpatric's directive is limited, at this time, to Reserve units because these are wholly under federal control. On the other hand, the National Guard, the Pentagon said, "is an organization of volunteers under the command of the respective governors."



Harry S. Truman

For the present, at least, efforts to end segregation in the National Guard will be limited to "consultation and persuasion."

OFFICIALS SAY any effort to integrate the guard would raise a question of state vs. federal control at times when these units are not mobilized for active duty.

It was conceded that the federal government provides the drill-pay funds and equipment for the 400,000 National Guardsmen and probably could withdraw this support from segregated units if it wanted. But this is regarded as too drastic a step at this time.

The department identified the 10 states with segregated guards as Alabama, Arkansas, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia and Mississippi.

The Defense Department had no detailed figures on the degree of outright integration among the 300,000 active Reservists on drill-pay status.

Kennedy Cruises Lake

ABOARD 'Honey Fitz'

PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — President Kennedy spent an hour and a half cruising on Lake Worth yesterday with family and friends aboard the presidential yacht Honey Fitz.

The President, catching up on his mail and resting in the Florida sun during a 10-day Easter vacation was described as enjoying the best of health.

8 Pilots Chosen for Space Projects

WASHINGTON (AP) — Eight more seasoned test pilots—seven Air Force and one Navy officer—were chosen yesterday to train for future space projects. Some may wind up among the first Americans to reach the moon.

THIS MILITARY project is related to but apart from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration's civilian selection and training of its astronauts.

The Air Force said some of the eight, with extra training, could be among the astronauts NASA

plans to add to its original seven-man team.

The eight—as did five pilots before them—will set out on June 18 on an eight-month course at Edwards Air Force Base, Calif. It is designed to train them for such space projects as the X-15 plane, the projected Dyna Soar manned space glider and follow-up aerospace vehicles.

THE AIR FORCE said the graduates of the school are not earmarked for special assignments but will form a pool of highly skilled men able to take over as space pilots, engineers or managers of aerospace projects.

The first class of five officers was graduated last Dec. 15.

The eight, an Air Force spokesman said, have quite a bit more background than the seven astronauts in the civilian space program.

EACH HOLDS a degree in engineering or in one of the physical sciences or mathematics and is a graduate of one of the service test pilot schools. An Air Force spokesman said all are in their 30s.

The volunteers, drawn from a pool of about 50, underwent detailed medical and psychological

tests to determine character, motivation and emotional factors.

THE SOLE NAVY officer is Lt. Cmdr. Lloyd N. Hoover of Wilbraham, Mass. The five Air Force captains are Albert H. Crews Jr., Alexandria, La.; Charles C. Bock Jr., Council Bluffs, Iowa; William T. Twinting, La Grange, Ill.; Robert W. Smith, Bethesda, Md.; Robert H. McIntosh, Baltimore. The Air Force majors are Donald M. Sorlie, Durin Center, N.D., and Byron F. Knoke, Houston, Tex.

Powers' Wife Taken to Hospital

WASHINGTON (AP)—Barbara Powers, 27 wife of U2 pilot Francis Gary Powers, was taken to a hospital yesterday suffering from what police reported were the effects of an overdose of sleeping pills. She was later described as out of danger.

Powers accompanied her to the hospital.

THE POWERS HAVE been living for several weeks at an apartment in suburban Alexandria, Va.

Mrs. Powers was taken to the Alexandria hospital shortly after 1:30 a.m., then transferred to Georgetown University Hospital in Washington at 6:20 a.m.

The Alexandria hospital said she was treated there for medication reaction and Lt. Nelson Rickey of the District of Columbia Police said investigating officers were told Mrs. Powers had taken approximately 28 barbiturate tablets. He did not say who gave this information.

Dr. G. E. Schreiner, who is attending Mrs. Powers, said she is being treated for acute gastritis.

Powers was not available for comment and hospital officials declined to say what he told them of his wife's illness.

Seattle World's Fair Opens at Noon Today

SEATTLE, Wash. (AP)—America's first World's Fair in 22 years—Seattle's salute to the 21st century—opens at noon today when President Kennedy touches a golden telegraph key.

The President, vacationing in Palm Beach, Fla., will signal the opening of the fair. Cannons will fire, whistles will blow and a seven-year, \$100-million dream will become a reality.

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Guido Pledges Elections
BUENOS AIRES, Argentina (AP) — President Jose Maria Guido pledged Friday night to call a presidential election in the shortest possible time. He also decided to reshuffle his Cabinet, a presidential communique said.

"The seducer should avail himself of tenderness coupled with unwavering resolution."
—Ingmar Bergman, the Devil's eye

—Ingmar Bergman's newest film
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