

BULLETINS

GENEVA, Switzerland (P) — A series of Red Chinese demands on the United States coupled with a string of new accusations may jeopardize the early return of Americans still in Communist hands, diplomatic sources feared today.

PARIS (P) — The United States, Britain and France called on their 12 NATO allies today to back them in an all-out campaign to seize the initiative from the Soviets in the re-born cold war.

WASHINGTON (P) — Sen. Estes Kefauver was ready to confirm today what political observers have predicted all along — that he will be a candidate for the Democratic presidential nomination.

GETTYSBURG, Pa. (P) — President Eisenhower looked forward to a relaxing visit today from his old friend and fishing companion, Aksel Nielsen of Denver, Colorado. Nielsen's visit gave Mr. Eisenhower a chance to play host to a man who has been his frequent host on Colorado vacations.

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. (P) — Syria asked the United Nations Security Council today to punish Israel for an attack on Syrian positions and Egypt warned it was prepared to go to war to halt Israel "aggressions."

NEW YORK (P) — College basketball today hailed a new all-time high-scoring champion — six-foot, nine-inch center Bob Hopkins of Grambling College of Louisiana. Hopkins became the first player in history to score more than 3,000 points in his college career during the past week when he scored 18 points in Grambling's 78-58 victory over Wiley College.

WASHINGTON (P) — Elated church leaders said today America's new "share our surplus" program will provide free food for more than 10 million hungry families all over the world.

LONDON (P) — Russia's crude steel production is likely to achieve this year's target of 44,200,000 tons, an increase of eight per cent over last year.

PARIS (P) — France and Germany announced they would open new negotiations in January to decide the future of the coal and steel rich Saar territory.

WASHINGTON (P) — Senate Republican Leader William F. Knowland says he would like to see the government able to pay about one billion dollars on the national debt before taxes are cut.

COLUMBUS, Ohio (P) — Ohio's popular Gov. Frank J. Lausche left the door open today for the Democratic presidential nomination. The five-term governor made his long-expected announcement Wednesday that he would be a candidate for Ohio's convention delegates in the state's primary next May.

NEW YORK (P) — Showman Billy Rose on his proposal to solve New York's traffic problem by turning Central Park into a vast parking lot said: "What's so sacred about Central Park? It's a hangout for bums, rapists and murderers."

(P) — The city recreation department advised children to mail their requests to Santa Claus after thousands of youngsters jammed the lines in trying to reach St. Nick via telephone.

KILL DEVIL HILL, N. C. (P) — A flight of 12 thunder streak jets will streak over the Wright Brothers Memorial Saturday to mark the 52nd anniversary of the first powered flight by Orville and Wilbur Wright here in 1903.

BREMEN, Germany (P) — The Bremen Ladies Committee has protested against plans to establish an "amusement center" for sailors in this port city. The committee charged the business men wanted the "amusement ghetto" which would include brothels, and that the sailors didn't want it.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind. (P) — A hockey game was postponed indefinitely because of ice.

MADISON, Wis. (P) — Col. Edwin P. Archibald, 55-year-old faculty member of the University of Wisconsin said he will retire but will remain at the school. He said he will enroll as a student to complete work for a master Ph. D.

INDIANAPOLIS (P) — A 45-pound tom turkey raised by Douglas Blasing of Fort Wayne, Indiana, has been named champion heavyweight turkey of Indiana.

WASHINGTON (P) — California's June primary may provide a make-or-break test for the presidential ambitions of Adlai E. Stevenson and Sen. Estes Kefauver (D-Tenn.). Stevenson announced yesterday that he will enter the winner-take-all contest for the California delegation to the Democratic national convention. And Kefauver said in a Los Angeles speech he also "most certainly" will enter it if he becomes a candidate.

RALEIGH (P) — Gov. Luther H. Hodges says he feels the pro-segregation Patriots of North Carolina, Inc., can be "force for good" if "properly directed."
"I have no evidence that it is not properly directed," Hodges said.

TAEGU, South Korea (P) — Murder suspect Kang Woo Won, who escaped from jail two weeks ago, Tuesday sent a letter to the Taegu prosecutor explaining why: "I wasn't feeling too well because I feared I would be executed. But I am very well now, thank you."

MOSCOW (P) — Three American exports on automation said today they were "very impressed" by their tour of the Soviets' Kaganovich ball bearing factory here. The Americans are Nevin Bean of the Ford Motor Company, Detroit; Albert Hall of Bendix Aviation Corporation, Detroit, and Weldon Brandt of Westinghouse Electric Company, Pittsburgh.

ALGIERS, Algeria (P) — French security forces have rounded up 52 suspected terrorists in 24 hours and killed two others, a spokesman announced today.

LILLINGTON SOCIETY

OUT OF SERVICE

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Matthews and daughter, Pam, have returned home after completing a tour of duty in the armed services. Mr. Matthews, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Matthews, was stationed last in Sarasota, Florida.

FROM EAST CAROLINA

Miss Ann Johnson student at East Carolina College, Greenville will spend the holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Johnson, on Lillington Route 1.

NEW ASSIGNMENT

Capt. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and two children who have been stationed with the Air Force at Moultrie, Georgia, left Moultrie this week for Lubbock, Texas where Captain Johnson's new assignment is at Reese Air Force Base. Captain Johnson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Grady Johnson of Lillington.

FROM PHILADELPHIA

Mr. and Mrs. George Fuller and daughter, Allene, of Philadelphia Pa. will be in Lillington for a four day stay from Dec. 23 to 27 at the home of Mrs. Fuller's mother, Mrs. J. R. Baggett, Sr. Mrs. Fuller is the former Miss Winifred Baggett.

TO KENTUCKY

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Aurbrey will leave Tuesday at the close of the school day by plane to spend the holidays in Kentucky. They will divide their time with relatives in Louisville, Lexington and Upton.

MRS. IZARD HERE

Mrs. Ralph Izard arrived on Thursday from Richmond, Va. to spend the holidays here with her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Hunter.

TEXAS VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Parrish and young son William Herman Parrish III, of Waco Texas are expected Dec. 16 to spend a two weeks holiday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Parrish. Billy Parrish, who completed Army service early this year is now enrolled in Baylor University at Waco. This will make his first visit home since the summer.

FROM WAKE FOREST

Miss Karen Walker, freshman, and Miss Laura Mae Edwards, senior at Wake Forest College, will arrive on Saturday to spend the holidays at their homes here. Miss Walker is the daughter of Mrs. J. A. Walker, while Miss Edwards will visit her mother, Mrs. Marvis Edwards.

TO TENNESSEE

Mrs. Lucille Morrisette plans to spend the holidays at her home in Nashville, Tenn. Mrs. Morrisette, who resides in an apartment at the home of Mrs. Nell Maness will make the trip by plane.

ARIZONA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Biggs have as their holiday guests their son, Charles Biggs and Mrs. Biggs and young daughter, Demora Anne of Tucson, Arizona. The visitors arrived by plane on Thursday for a ten day stay. Mr. Biggs is a junior at the University of Arizona at Tucson.

HOLIDAY PARTIES ARE HELD BY GROUPS AT COUNTY SEAT

Christmas parties of many kinds, and with guests drawn from various ages, brightened the social scene in Lillington this week. Majority of the functions were given by school or club groups, but all had one thing in common, informal entertainment and a festive setting. Decorations, featuring the familiar red and green colors associated with the holiday season, were as infinite as the originality of the hostesses.

WAR MOTHERS

The small conference room of the Community Center was the setting for the annual Christmas party given on Monday afternoon by the Lillington Community Chapter of the American War Mothers. Mrs. Charles Ross, outgoing president was hostess to the group, assisted by Mrs. J. N. Fuquay.

Installation of new officers was conducted by Mrs. Ross, assisted by Mrs. A. M. Shaw. Mrs. N. F. Lewis is the new president and other officers include Mrs. Ross, vice-president; Mrs. A. M. Shaw, secretary; Mrs. H. H. Hamilton, treasurer; and Mrs. C. E. Sorrell, chaplain. A report was made by Mrs. R. S. Taylor, hospitalization chairman, that gifts requested by the Ft. Bragg hospitals had been collected and were delivered the following day.

Members exchanged gifts and refreshments consisting of a congealed salad topped with cherries, fruit cake, cookies, and hot tea, were served to 14 who attended.

BETA CLUB SUPPER

Lillington's Beta Club, the high school honor society, feted its 20 members with a dinner given on Monday night in the home economics class room. A chicken salad plate with stuffed celery, deviled eggs, baked apple, pickles, pie and coffee was served. Becky Matthews is the club president. Mrs. T. D. O'Quinn, is the faculty sponsor and she and Mr. O'Quinn were special guests. Christmas decorations were used on the table.

SENIORS CELEBRATE

The seventeenth birthday anniversary of senior Barbara Jean Blackman and a holiday party for the Seniors. Class were combined in one social event held on Wednesday night at the Fireman's Hut. Mrs. J. H. Blackman, mother of Barbara Jean, was assisted by senior grade mothers in giving the party.

Seniors mated with in making holiday hats of paper, and played other contests. Dancing to recorded music followed. Lime ice punch, mints and nuts were served. Class members as a group presented a birthday gift to Miss Blackman. Miss Belle Hockaday, senior faculty sponsor, was a special guest.

WEDNESDAY CLUB

Mrs. J. N. Fuquay was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club. Lillington's oldest card club, at her home on Wednesday night. Guests were served a frozen dessert course and coffee on arrival, and the bridge games followed at two tables. Players included Mrs. W. B. Hunter, Mrs. H. D. Carson, Mrs. J. B. Moss, Mrs. Bob Baggett, Mrs. J. O. Sutton, Mrs. N. F. Lewis, and Mrs. Ben Parker.

ACE OF CLUBS

Mrs. Ray Roberts, who resides in the Sexton duplex on Ivey Street, entertained the Ace of Clubs bridge club on Wednesday night. The occasion marked the club's annual Christmas party with holiday decorations used throughout the apartment and an exchange of presents among the members.

Making up the tables were Mrs. J. A. Walker, Mrs. Miriam Baggett Rigby, Mrs. Joel Layton, Jr., Mrs. S. G. Howell, Mrs. E. R. Davis, Mrs. J. B. Gourlay and Miss Irene Lassiter, all club members and Mrs. Marjorie Taylor, a guest. Mrs. Howell scored high and Mrs. Rigby was low scorer. They received appropriate prizes and Mrs. Taylor also was remembered with a gift.

A peach dessert course was served with coffee at the conclusion of the games. During play, cakes, Christmas candles and nuts were passed.

B. and P. W. DINNER

Members of the Lillington Business and Professional Women's Club held a dinner meeting on Monday night at the V. F. W. Hut. This Christmas dinner is one of two the clubs hold annually and is an annual custom during the month of December. In a setting made festive by a cheerful open fire and a lighted tree, members enjoyed a baked ham meal with cranberry salad, vegetables, stuffed celery, brownies and coffee. Gifts were exchanged from the tree and members also contributed to a needy family. Mrs. Edwin R. Davis was dinner chairman, assisted by Mrs. C. E. Bass and Mrs. A. R. Jackson. Special guests included Mrs. Lucille Morrisette, Mrs. Doris Edwards and Mrs. Moline Parrish.

EIGHT GRADERS PARTY

A varied recreation program with square dancing called by an expert made the party given on Thursday night at the V. F. W. Hut for the Lillington Eight graders a gala affair. Cradepothers, who were hostesses for the party, invited Dr. David Huffines, Jr., Presbyterian minister and recreation leader, to direct the entertainment. Lime ice punch and decorated cake squares were served to around 60 who attended.

The hostess list included Mrs. J. H. Blackman, Mrs. A. A. Riggs, Mrs. Ira Porter, Mrs. F. M. Puryear, Mrs. Johnny Wilbourne, Mrs. A. S. Dent, Mrs. James Morgan, Mrs. Worth-Lee Byrd, and Mrs. Cotton. Home room teachers are Mrs.

W. E. Aurbrey and Mrs. Coy's Lanier.

PARTY ON TUESDAY

On Monday night, December 20, following dismissal of Lillington School for the Christmas holidays, a party will be given in the Community Center for the members of the freshman class. Mrs. J. A. Walker is the home room teacher, and hostesses will include grade mothers, Mrs. J. B. Lee, Mrs. Joe Hudson, Mrs. Leon Kelly, Mrs. Hal Bradley, Mrs. Theibert Denn and Mrs. J. W. Martin.

Armless Driver Freed Of Charge

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo. (P) — A jury has acquitted Edward E. Higgins, 29, who has no arms and steers his car with his feet, of a charge he drove 100 miles an hour. A jury decided Wednesday that pursuing police officers drove 106 miles an hour to catch Higgins because they were far behind him on the highway—not because he was exceeding the 60 mile an hour speed limit.

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MALMOE, Sweden (P) — Two American Marines were found guilty of slugging a posse of Swedish policemen in a street brawl but escaped jail.

TOKYO (P) — Prime Minister Hohammed Ali of Pakistan will visit Red China next spring, Peiping Radio said today.

MOSCOW (P) — The Soviet Foreign Ministry announced today Maurice Dejean has been accepted as the new French ambassador to Moscow.

WASHINGTON (P) — The law firm of former Federal Trade Commission Chairman Edward F. Howrey is defending a national grocery chain accused of violating FTC regulations, it was learned today. The case against the chain - Food Fair Stores of Philadelphia — originated while Howrey, a Republican, still was FTC chief.

CHICAGO (P) — Southern delegates leaving the American Farm Bureau Convention today threatened succession over the controversial flexible price supports issue. The convention approved flexible supports, plus a unique "soil bank" program, before winding up its sessions yesterday. But delegates from Southern states fought the flexible supports approval in a two-hour floor battle.

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