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Marshal Stalin Denounces Churchill Speech as Ultimatum

British Peace Alliance With Russia May Be Cut

Churchill Accused of Hitler Methods; Stalin Claims Speech Is 'War Mongering'

By United Press

Marshal Stalin of Russia has made an angry and ominous speech denouncing his wartime ally, Winston Churchill.

In an interview with the Communist newspaper Pravda, broadcast to the world by Moscow radio, Stalin charges that Churchill's recent speech at Fulton, Missouri, amounted to a "sort of" ultimatum to all non-English-speaking nations.

Breakoff Possible

Stalin strongly hinted that he might be ready to scrap his twenty year treaty of alliance with Britain. He says Churchill's plea for an Anglo-American alliance is incompatible with the Anglo-Russian alliance to fifty years, as proposed recently by British foreign secretary Bevin.

The Russian Generalissimo says—"I don't know whether Churchill and his friends will succeed in organizing a new armed intervention against eastern Europe, but I say confidently, they would be beaten."

Compared to Hitler

Stalin went on to compare Churchill with Adolf Hitler—and to accuse Britain's wartime Prime Minister of borrowing Hitler's theories of racial supremacy by trying to unite the English speaking peoples into a bloc to dominate the world.

Stalin also inferred that he does not consider Churchill's speech as merely the utterance of a private individual. He implies that he is not sure that Churchill's views are not shared by the British government.

Pokes Fun

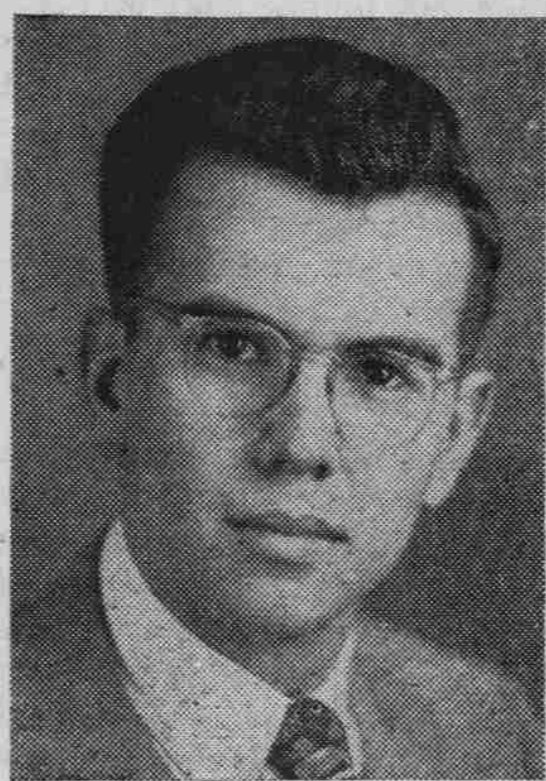
Stalin poked fun at Churchill for warning that Communism is spreading throughout eastern Europe. Stalin says that's not quite accurate, that Communism is spreading all over Europe, not just in the eastern part. Stalin says the common people have decided that Communists deserve their confidence. And he answers Churchill's charge of totalitarianism in Soviet sponsored regimes by asserting that Communist backed governments of eastern Europe have the support of four to six coalition parties. On the other hand, Stalin says, one party, the labor party, is dominant in Britain.

Altogether, Stalin describes Churchill's speech as "dangerous" and "war mongering." He says it threatens the war-won unity of the United Nations.

Situation Tense

Stalin made no reference to the tense international situation in Iran. But a late dispatch from London hints that our State Department may have been a bit strong in its inference of large-scale Russian troop movements across Iran, in the general direction of Tehran, Turkey and Iraq. Tonight the British are saying that perhaps the Soviet troop movements in Iran are not as comprehensive as Washington says. These well informed British sources say there have been

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PETE PULLY

Pully Elected Head of Grail

Hood's Resignation Creates Vacancies

Pete Pully was elected Delegate of the Order of the Grail at a meeting held Wednesday night. Former Scribe of the honorary organization, Pully succeeds Archie Hood, who resigned because of pending graduation. Pully will fill the office until June.

Other officers of the organization, including scribe and exchequer, will be elected at the first meeting of next term.

Pully is president of the Kappa Alpha fraternity, former assistant manager of the Book Exchange, vice-president of the student body, secretary of the Interfraternity Council, former clerk of the Student Legislature, member of the Student Welfare Board, member of the Delta Sigma Pi, member of the Honor Council, on the executive council of the United Carolina Party, and president of the past senior class.

Summer School Coeds Must Reserve Rooms

Tomorrow is the last day women expecting to attend summer school may make room reservations for the term. Any who plan to register for the summer must sign up in Dean Stacy's office, first floor South Building, before Friday. After that date it will be assumed that those not signing up do not intend to attend summer school.

Reservations for rooms to be occupied in September must be made before April 15.

Engagement

Page Hogg, who lives in Smith Dorm, is engaged to Lieutenant Guy Smith, now stationed in Georgia.

Petition Permitting Apartment Building Started By Veterans

Crawford Prevented from Constructing GI Homes by Chapel Hill Zoning Rule

A group of veterans here are launching a drive to collect signatures on a zoning petition here to permit building of an apartment house on Pritchard Avenue near Carr Street, which is to be rented to student veterans. The action came as a result of the petition of Mr. J. A. Crawford before the Chapel Hill Zoning Committee in Town Hall Tuesday.

Mr. J. A. Crawford, a resident of Chapel Hill, and Navy veteran, is prevented from building an apartment house here because of a zoning ordinance which was passed in 1938 which creates a two square block Zone "A" island between Saunders Street and Rosemary Lane, and Columbia and Church Streets. The transfer of this area from "B" to "A" was requested by the residents of the area in a move to prevent the building of any fraternity houses there, it is learned on good authority.

Thirty Vets Attend

About thirty veterans attended the hearings Tuesday. Previously scheduled to meet in a smaller room, the hearings were moved to the court room to accommodate the unexpected visitors. When Mr. W. Q. Crawford's plea on behalf of his son to grant special permission to build was turned down by the committee, a spokesman for the veterans at the meeting requested a definite time for final action before the committee, and promised to get the required signatures from the residents of the zone to return the zone to "B" status. The committee set Friday, March 29, at 7:30 P. M. as the time for a public hearing, when the petition will be presented and objections to the petition heard.

Objection to the building has come from several home owners in the neighborhood, though no objectors were present at the hearing Tuesday. The fact that the Robert Foster Apartments were built in that area since the present zoning ordinance went into effect, apparently without opposition, was presented.

Big Registration Closes Sections For Spring Term

More than 2900 students had registered for the spring quarter by late yesterday, and over 75 sections had been closed out, Edwin S. Lanier, Central Records Director, announced yesterday. This leaves approximately 1000 students to be registered.

Any student who was enrolled for the winter quarter who registers for the spring quarter after March 16, will be charged a late registration fee of \$5.00, Mr. Lanier stressed. There will be no exemptions made except by written applications to and personal appearance before the Late Registration Committee, and it will only excuse the fee where it is established that personal illness, death in the family, or military orders made registration prior to March 17 impossible.

Briefs From UP

Auto Strike Settlement Is Reached

Detroit, March 13—(UP)—The nation's longest and most costly strike has been settled. Officials of General Motors and the Auto Workers have agreed to a wage increase of 18 and one-half cents an hour for the 175,000 workers who have been idle since November 21st. The settlement, subject to ratification by the union membership, was announced by federal mediator James Dewey after 24 hours of almost continuous negotiations. The agreement calls for partial retroactive pay, a dues checkoff system corresponding to maintenance of membership, equal pay for women workers, improved vacation pay and reinstatement of the 1945 contract.

Truman Withdraws Pauley Nomination

Washington, March 13.—President Truman has withdrawn Edwin Pauley as his choice for Navy Undersecretary, but not before attacking those

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Smo's True Identity Still Remains Secret In Guessing Contest

Latest reports on the "Who Is Smo?" contest sponsored by Chesterfield cigarettes indicate that many original answers have been received, but as yet no one has guessed the true identity of Smo. A carton of Chesterfields await each of the five contestants coming closest to guessing who Smo is. Answers will be judged on originality if no one succeeds in guessing the correct answer.

Students who wish to compete for the prizes should follow these instructions:

- 1) Write your answer to the question "Who Is Smo?" on a piece of paper giving your name, address and telephone number.
- 2) Enclose your answer in a sealed envelope addressed to "Smo" and leave it at the Daily Tar Heel Business Office before the deadline, 3 p. m. tomorrow.

Winners of the five cartons of Chesterfields as well as the answer to the secret of Smo will be announced in Saturday's Daily Tar Heel.

Fred Weaver Named New Dean of Men

Trustees Accept New Recommendations; Mackie To Take over Duties Immediately

By Mary Hill Gaston

News was released yesterday afternoon that Dr. Ernest L. Mackie, veteran faculty member and acting Dean of Men for the past two years, has been appointed Dean of Students to succeed Dr. Francis F. Bradshaw and that Mr. Fred Weaver, University graduate and former assistant to Dr. Bradshaw, has been named



ERNEST L. MACKIE

Dean of Men to succeed Roland Parker. Both appointments were approved Monday by the executive committee of the Board of Trustees.

The appointments came after a recommendation to the board from Chancellor R. B. House and President Frank P. Graham made on the advice of a faculty committee headed by Dean C. P. Spruill, Jr. Dr. Mackie will take over his duties as Dean of Students immediately, retaining his office in 204 South Building. Mr. Weaver's appointment becomes effective July 1. For the spring quarter he will be an instructor in the Department of Economics.

Other Jobs Given

Further appointments in the Men's Division of the Division of Student Welfare named Colonel Carlyle Shepard, who has been active as Assistant Dean of the War College, to the position of Counsellor of Veterans and Vocational Counsellor for Men.

In the women's division, Mrs. M. H. Stacy will continue to be Dean of Women. Associated with her are Miss Isabelle McLeod, executive secretary of the division; Mrs. Mary S. McDuffie, personnel adviser to women; and Mrs. Margaret K. San-

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Smith Reelected As Phi Speaker For Coming Term

Meeting in closed session Tuesday night the Phi Assembly reelected A. B. Smith speaker by a wide margin. Smith, who has advocated active participation of the Phi in campus activities, took over the speakership in the middle of February. Alex Davis was the opposing candidate.

In the selection of the other officers for the next term Alex Davis was chosen speaker pro tem; Charlie Barton, clerk; Bob Fentress, Sergeant-at-Arms; Jo Farris, treasurer; Charlie Britt, Representative to the Debate Council; and Robert Morrison, critic.

Ceremonies were held at the beginning of the session for the initiation of the following new members; Jim Taylor, Roy Thompson, John Giles, Dave McQueen and Charlie Britt.

Debate on the new Philanthropic Assembly constitution was postponed until next week.

Professor Emeritus Green of Harvard University and Mrs. Green were guests of the Assembly.

Tillett and Hunt Resign from UCP Without Explanation

Sara Tillett, chairman of the United Carolina Party, and Douglass Hunt, former chairman of the party and one of its founders, have both resigned from the UCP.

Miss Tillett's resignation leaves the chairmanship of the party vacant. According to her statement she resigned "due to various and platitudinous reasons." She further said that "Lib Schofield will call a meeting of the party in the near future to select a new chairman." Hunt had no comment other than the fact that he had resigned from the party.

What effect these developments will have on the campus political situation is not yet apparent. Both Hunt and Tillett have been very prominent members of the UCP.

Association To Accept Members

The Alumni association will have a booth in the "Y" on Thursday and Friday mornings where graduating students may join the association. Membership is offered at the bargain price of one dollar for the first year.

Membership includes a subscription to the Alumni Review, the Alumni magazine, and the privilege of voting in the Association. The Review, edited by J. Maryon Saunders, is published ten times a year with weekly football supplements in the fall, and carries feature articles, news and pictures of individual alumni, and campus and sports news.