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Meredith Plans To Leave School

OXFORD, Miss. (UPI) — Negro James Meredith, under increasing pressure from slipping grades and shooting incidents involving his family, said Monday that "unless definite and positive changes are made" he will not register for the next semester at the University of Mississippi.

The statement by Meredith, whose entry into the campus last Sept. 30 caused rioting that killed two persons and injured hundreds, brought an immediate appeal from U. S. Atty. Gen. Robert F. Kennedy that state and university officials meet the conditions.

Kennedy said if Meredith leaves the school "it would be a reflection on the entire United States. He urged state and school officials to make it possible for Meredith to continue his education without interruption."

He also urged Meredith to consider "hopes of many of his fellow citizens" before withdrawing.

Meredith, 29-year-old Air Force veteran, did not specify the conditions under which he would continue but said the changes he asked would have to "make my situation more conducive to learning." He noted that he was not quitting the school outright, "rather my decision is not to attend the university next semester under the present circumstances."

University Chancellor John D. Williams said he did not know what Meredith meant "and until I do I will have no statement."

Meredith made his announcement in a statement handed to newsmen before he left for his morning classes.

He said he has considered his course of action for some time and said his considerations included "all the elements pertinent to the 'Mississippi crisis' and its deepest meaning and of all the aspects of my personal relationships in it, and with it and to it."

Meredith, possibly referring to the rioting last September and to a recent incident where shots were fired at his father's Kosciusko, Miss., home, said "some pattern must be established so that those who are fighting for equality of opportunity and those who are fighting for the right to oppress can clash in the struggle without disaster falling upon either group."

His statement came only a day before a grand jury was scheduled to convene here to consider cases against 11 persons charged in connection with the "Ole Miss" riot, including Maj. Gen. Edwin Walker.

Kennedy said Meredith "is as free to leave the school as he was to enter it" but said he hoped Meredith will consider that "the energy" and hopes of many of his fellow citizens have been involved in his admission and continued attendance.



SPEAKS HERE TODAY
Governor Terry Sanford will speak at 1 following a noon luncheon. The topic of his speech has not been disclosed, but it is expected to be on some phase of education.

U. N. Troops Seize More Territory

By DIETRICH MUMMENDEY
LEOPOLDVILLE, The Congo—(UPI)—Swedish troops of the United Nations Congo forces have swept 115 miles north of the U.N. Kamina Air Base to seize more territory of the secessionist province, a U. N. spokesman said Monday.

U. N. Undersecretary General Ralph Bunche, refusing even to talk with Katanga President Moïse Tshombe, continued his military discussions in Elisabethville with the ranking U. N. officers in the Congo.

The Central government was moving to bring Katanga back into the Congo. Premier Cyrille Adoulla Monday signed official papers aimed at instituting Leopoldville control over Katanga and creating a single currency for the Congo.

Except for the swift advance of the Swedish strike force from Kamina, the military situation appeared quiet. There was no further reports of U. N. movements northwest from Jadotville along the 30-mile road to Tshombe's Kolwezi headquarters.

U. N. reports said the Swedish force had reached the town of Kaniama, 115 miles north of Kamina, without resistance. Kaniama is near the destroyed Lubilash Bridge which linked Katanga with the rest of the Congo to the north.

Katangese forces blew up the center wooden span of the Lubilash railway bridge last week. Respanning of the river would permit troops of the Central Congolese government to cross into Katanga if that became necessary.

The U. N. reports said the local tribal chief there had assured the U. N. of his cooperation.

Although no military action was reported in the Jadotville area, Bunche clearly stated the U. N. tough policy against Tshombe and mentioned Kolwezi as one of three military targets for U. N. forces. It appeared they were waiting only for arrival of more supplies and bridge equipment.

Bunche restated his tough policy in Elisabethville Sunday where he conferred on the situation with Ethiopian Lt. Gen. Kebede Guebre, U. N. military commander in the Congo, Indian Lt. Gen. Prem Chand, commander in Katanga, and Robert K. A. Gardiner of Ghana, chief of U. N. civilian operations in the Congo.

There were reports the British and French consulates in Elisabethville were trying to get Tshombe to fly there to salvage what he could of his almost fallen regime but no reports of progress.

British Say Their Jets 'Hit' U. S.

WASHINGTON (UPI) — London newspapers touched off a new controversy over Allied nuclear defense policy and the Skybolt program Monday by reporting that British jet bombers recently penetrated U. S. air defenses in a mock H-bomb attack.

Official U. S. and British spokesmen denied the report. They said the last time British bombers engaged in such an exercise was in Operation Skyshield II on Oct. 14, 1961. The spokesmen did not say whether any British planes slipped past U. S. defenses then.

The British press and radio reports pointed out the controversy over President Kennedy's decision to scrap the bomber-borne Skybolt missile which Britain had counted. More centrally involved is the role of the manned bomber in present day Allied defenses.

Four London newspapers carried reports stating that a few weeks ago 600-mile-an-hour British Vulcan bombers caught the U. S. early warning system napping and "devastated" such key target areas as New York and Washington.

One paper, the Daily Express, said Britain's Royal Air Force saw the exercise as "convincing evidence that manned bombers, even using free-falling H-bombs, will get through to most of their targets behind the Iron Curtain."

The Express also took note of the Kennedy-Macmillan plan to concentrate on the Polaris missile and to mesh British Polaris forces with a multi-nation striking force under NATO. The newspaper said the raid vindicated "the policy of the independent deterrent."

Denials of the reported H-bomb "attack" came swiftly from London and Washington. The British Air Ministry first said the exercise took place "about two months ago." Later, it said the exercise was held "around Oct. 14, 1961."

Shortly afterward, the Defense Department in Washington termed the British press reports "completely without foundation." Like the British, the department said the most recent joint exercise was on Oct. 14, 1961.

A department statement added that British Vulcan bombers frequently fly to U. S. bases, but not to test defenses. It said such flights are made only after the British planes file flight plans just as do commercial airliners.



JOSEPH FLUET
Fluet To Aid Promotion Of Maine

Maine Governor John H. Reed designated a UNC student recently to aid in a new program to promote Maine's economic interests.

Joseph E. Fluet, Jr., 18, of Sanford, Maine, a sophomore, was one of ten College Consuls appointed by Reed to promote the industrial and recreational advantages of their native state. The Consuls from ten different colleges and universities, will be supplied with basic and continuing information concerning Maine and will serve as the state's information contacts on their respective campuses.

Fluet and the other consuls met with Maine government officials during Christmas vacation, received the Governor's congratulations and were the guests of the Department of Economic Development at an orientation luncheon.

Economic Development Commissioner Lloyd K. Allen said the "trial" program would find Maine youth utilized for the first time in organized fashion to "sell" the state's merits. A list of students in other colleges throughout the nation, selected by their former high school principals, are being held in reserve to be called into Consul service dependent on the success of the trial program.

Fluet, a psychology major at the University, is a member of the YMCA Orphanage Committee, Navy Rifle Team and Delta Upsilon Fraternity where he won the best pledge award. A regular in the NROTC, he hopes to become a jet pilot in the Marine Corps.

Frenchman Says U. S. Deserves To See Mona

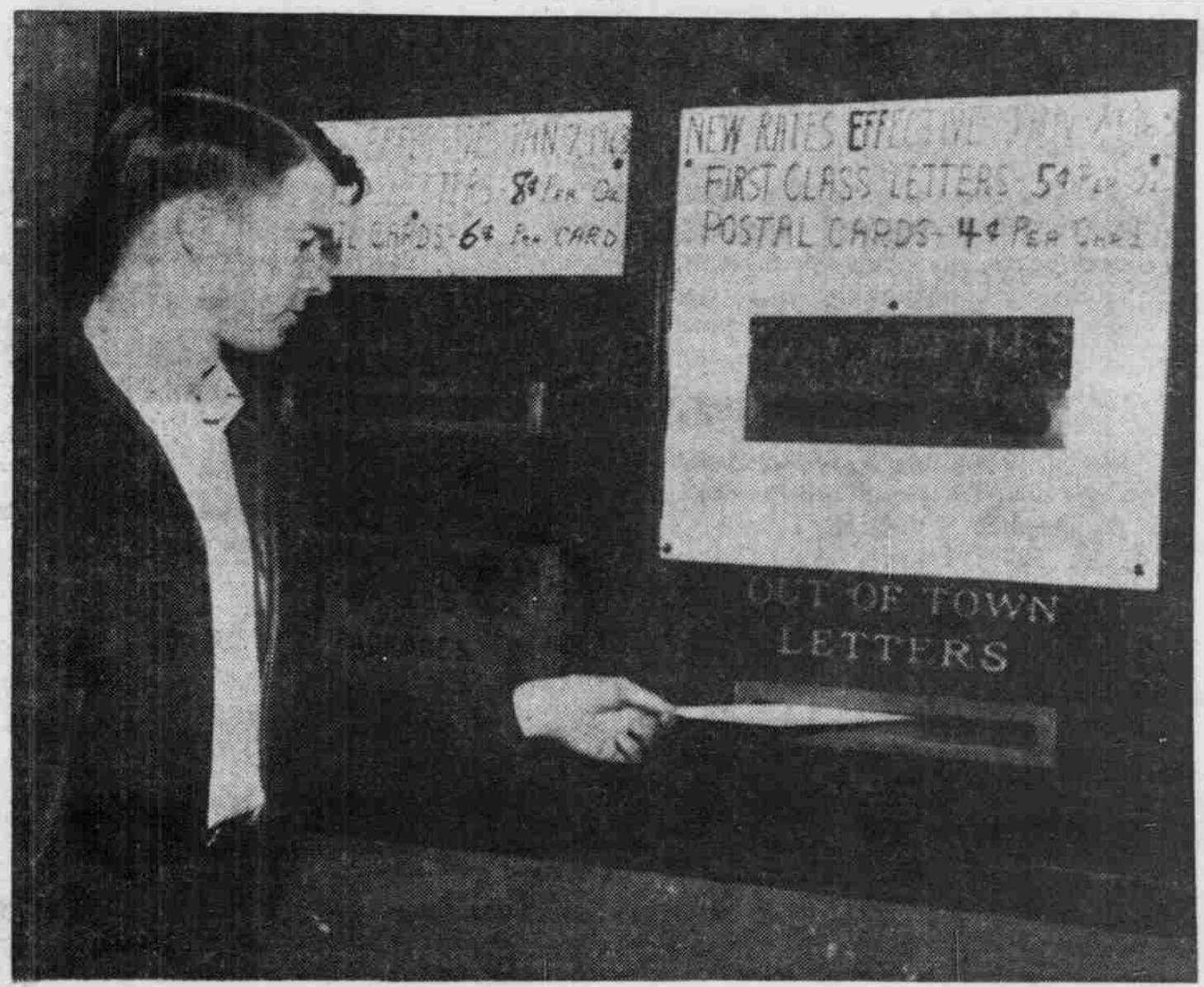
NEW YORK (UPI)—Sending the Mona Lisa to the United States involved "great risks," so did the World War II American landings in Normandy, French Minister of Culture Andre Malraux declared Monday.

Arriving here by plane from Paris, Malraux defended the French government's decision, against some popular and art expert opposition, to send the famous painting to the U. S. for exhibition in the National Art Gallery in Washington and at New York's Metropolitan Museum of Art.

"Certainly there were great risks in bringing the Mona Lisa here," the 61-year-old French author told reporters, "but when the American boys landed in Normandy, there was risk, too."

"No country would have received the Mona Lisa the way your country is going to welcome it. Perhaps no country but France would have loaned the painting."

McCormack Predicts Administration Win



POSTAL RATE INCREASE — Even though Gary Dalton's letter is only going to Duze, effective yesterday with the new nation wide postal increases, it will cost five cents. Gary, a senator from Danville, Va., is mailing his first letter under the new rates which also brought a boost to the cost of air mail letters and cards. —Photo by Jim Wallace

Tax Cut Plan To Succeed, Demo Says

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Speaker John W. McCormack, D-Mass., Monday predicted victory for President Kennedy in his battles for a 1963 tax cut and a House Rules Committee favorable to the administration's legislative program.

McCormack said he expected the 88th Congress convening Wednesday to grant the President's request for a top-to-bottom reduction in individual and corporate tax rates. Despite considerable opposition to a cut, McCormack added: "I would expect it this year."

The speaker also said he was optimistic about winning the Kennedy-McCormack battle with Chairman Howard W. Smith, D-Va., of the House Rules Committee. A showdown in this struggle for power is set for opening day.

Smith will try to trim the rules committee back to 12 members, a maneuver that would give him and his conservative backers considerable control over the flow of legislation. The President is fighting to keep it at 15 members, providing him with a friendly majority.

Invites President
Across the capitol, a bipartisan group of senators informally invited the President to join them in their attempt to make it easier to choke off filibusters. A showdown in this battle is not expected until a little later.

The invitation was extended by Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey, D-Minn., one of 10 Democrats and Republicans who opened their anti-filibuster drive at a news conference. Humphrey said he hoped the President would take the same interest in the Senate fight that he has in the House rules battle.

The President has said that a conservative victory in the rules struggle would mean emasculation for his program. He has not spoken out so far on the filibuster issue although he voted for anti-talkathon moves while a senator.

The bipartisan group is trying to change Senate rules so that filibusters can be ended by a simple majority of 51 votes rather than two-thirds of those present and voting.

There were these other developments as Congress prepared to open at noon Wednesday:

—Kennedy flies back to Washington from his Florida vacation spot Tuesday and meets shortly afterward with congressional leaders of both parties. The meeting will be devoted chiefly to defense and foreign policy aspects of the President's forthcoming State of the Union message. Secretary of State Dean Rusk and Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara were expected to participate.

—The President also was due to meet shortly, perhaps Wednesday morning, with Democratic leaders to discuss such domestic programs as tax cuts, medical care and aid-to-education. Figuring in this conference will be the fiscal 1964 budget which is expected to run about \$99 billion.

—Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., checked in at his capitol office and said he wanted to be known as the "senator from Massachusetts" rather than as the President's young son. He pledged support to most administration programs but said he would have opposed sections of the President's trade bill if he had been in Congress last year.

—Sen-elect Abraham A. Ribicoff, former secretary of health, education and welfare, predicted that the new Congress would approve a medical care program under Social Security. He also endorsed the President's tax cut program.

Soviet Press Blasts Rift With Peking

MOSCOW (UPI) — The Soviet press and radio Monday gave unusual prominence and publicity to a rift and the Kremlin's warning that the only alternative to "peaceful co-existence" with the West is thermonuclear war.

The official Soviet Communist party newspaper Pravda pulled few punches in a rare direct attack on Communist China. It criticized Peking for backing "dogmatic, divisive views" and told the Chinese that disunity in the international Communist movement cannot be tolerated.

Pravda's 10,008-word editorial, which filled two of the publication's eight pages, was broadcast to the world and throughout the Soviet Union by Radio Moscow. The radio termed the editorial of "immense fundamental significance."

The official government newspaper Izvestia also called attention to the Pravda article and said it had aroused "fervent approval" and "immense interest" throughout the Communist world.

Western diplomatic observers speculated that Premier Nikita S. Khrushchev may have decided to turn the East German Communist party congress in East Berlin into a forum for a showdown with Chinese Communist chairman Mao Tze-Tung. There has been no indication yet from Peking whether Mao or premier Chou En-Lai would head his delegation to the Congress opening on Jan. 15.

Kennedy To Meet Defense Leaders

PALM BEACH, Fla. (UPI) — George Smathers, Fla.; Chairman Richard Russell, D-Ga., of the armed services committee; Republican Leader Everett M. Dirksen, Ill.; Republican Whip Thomas Kuchel, Calif.; and GOP Sens. Leverett Saltonstall, Mass., and Bourke Hickenlooper, Iowa.

House Speaker John W. McCormack, Mass.; Democratic Leader Carl Albert, Okla.; Democratic Whip Hale Boggs, La.; Chairman Carl Vinson, D-Ga., of the armed services committee; Chairman Thomas Morgan, D-Pa., of the foreign policy committee; Republican Leader Charles A. Halleck, Ind.; Republican Whip Leslie Arends, Ill., and Rep. Frances Bolton, R-Ohio.

Chairman J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., of the Senate Foreign Policy Committee was invited but is out of the country, the White House said.

The President and Johnson both plan to fly back to Washington from here Tuesday — on separate Air Force jet planes — for the conference with Democratic and Republican leaders, a prelude to convening of the House and Senate Wednesday.

Kennedy invited the vice president to his ocean front home Monday night for dinner. Johnson flew here Sunday night from Detroit and visited with the President for about an hour after his arrival.

They were together for about an hour and three-quarters Monday afternoon on a cruise that combined relaxation with the legislative business at hand.

The meeting with Johnson aboard the White House yacht Honey Fitz was an informal affair, giving the two Democratic leaders a chance to compare notes on the 1963 legislative outlook. With overcast skies and comparatively chilly weather, it made it somewhat easier for the Chief Executive to break camp and head for the hot politics and cold weather of the nation's capital.

The president and Mrs. Kennedy were scheduled to take off from Palm Beach at 2 p.m. EST Tuesday for a late afternoon meeting of Republican and Democratic leaders with Kennedy at the White House.

The two-party conference is expected to be devoted largely to the defense and foreign policy sections of the Chief Executive's forthcoming State of the Union message.

Following the bipartisan meeting, a purely Democratic legislative leadership conference was expected in short order, possibly Wednesday prior to the opening of Congress.

Peru Junta Plots Against Rebels

LIMA, Peru (UPI)—Peru's military junta met in emergency session Monday to draft further measures against political extremists accused of plotting a Communist revolt.

Reviewed at the session was the government's "Operation Cleanup" under which hundreds of political opponents have been jailed. Informed sources said between 700 and 1,000 persons had been rounded up by security agents although the government estimated arrests at "about 300" persons. Police and troops used cars, trucks, trains and aircraft to pounce on suspected subversives and haul them off to jail for interrogation. The country was quiet after Saturday's imposition of a state of siege which the junta attributed to discovery of the revolt plot.

Campus Briefs

NSA COMMITTEE
The NSA Committee will meet today in Graham Memorial at 5 p.m.

SOPH. SOCIAL COMMITTEE
The Sophomore Social Committee will meet tonight at 6:30 in Roland Parker II. All members should attend.

LOST
A pair of leather gloves were lost in the vicinity of Venable Hall at 11 p.m. Jan. 7. Also, a brown jacket was lost before the holidays. Loser please contact DTH and give name.

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE
The University Party Grievance Committee will hold an open meeting in Graham Dorm on Wednesday at 9. All residents of the

SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY
Dr. J. L. Coe of the Dept. of Anthropology, will speak tonight at 7:30 p.m. in 265 Phillips Hall on "Recent Archeological Discoveries in North Carolina."

LOST
One pair of white lace gloves with "H.H." embroidered on one and Steve on the other. Finder contact Nancy Prevost at 968-9005.

FLU SHOTS
Flu shots are being given in the Infirmary from 9-11:30 a.m. and from 2-5 p.m. Mon-Fri. A flu epidemic is expected in this country this winter.

LOST
A lady's Hamilton watch with

Soph Social Group To Meet Today

Upper and Lower Quad are urged to attend.

LOST
A Scarab band and matching bracelet. Large reward offered. Jeanne Yager, ADPi House.

LOST
A burlap and leather pocketbook was lost Thursday. Last seen on the wall near Melver Dorm. Please return to 305 Alderman.

STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
The State Affairs Committee will meet tonight at 7 o'clock in Roland Parker I.

UNC OUTING CLUB
There will be a meeting of the Outing Club tonight at 7:00 in room 302. Woollen Gym. Plans for next semester will be made, members please attend.

LOST
A pair of glasses with a brown

N. C. INTERN APPLICATIONS
Applications for the N. C. Summer Internship Program are available in the Student Government Office in G. M., and in the office of the Dept. of Political Science, 101 Caldwell.

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
The Academic Affairs Committee will meet tomorrow at 5 p.m. in Roland Parker III of GM.

GM CURRENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
The GM Current Affairs Committee will meet today at 4 p.m. in the Grail Room. All interested persons are urged to attend.

Ike Favors Cutting Of Income Taxes

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Former President Dwight D. Eisenhower said Monday he would like to see "a very substantial" cut in income taxes, but a cut accompanied by a reduction in federal spending "right across the board."

Eisenhower said all government spending was "going up too fast" and should be cut, particularly on non-defense items.