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Second Little Rock integration order renews battle of Faubus vs courts

Special Session of legislature seen

ST. LOUIS (AP)—Resumption of integration of Negro students at Little Rock Central high school was ordered Monday. Arkansas Governor Orval Faubus promptly moved to fight the court decision, possibly through a special legislative session.

The eighth U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals, in a 6-to-1 decision, set aside a ruling of U.S. District Judge Harry J. Lemley of Hope, Ark., which would have provided a 2½-year "breathing spell" after a tense year of troop-enforced racial integration at the school.

At Little Rock, Faubus met with advisers. He had nothing to say publicly, but talk of a special legislative session mounted. One source said Faubus probably will have the state representatives in Little Rock by a week from Wednesday.

The Appeals Court decision came just 16 days before school is scheduled to reopen at Central high.

PREDICTS FIGHT

Virgil Blossom, Little Rock school superintendent, said the school board will make an all-out fight to prevent seven Negro students from re-entering Central.

But a lawyer for the school board, Richard C. Butler, said he did not know whether an appeal could be considered by the U.S. Supreme Court before the Sept. 2 opening of school. The court is in recess until Oct. 6.

The school board could ask the Appeals Court to stay its order pending review by the Supreme Court. If a stay was granted, Judge Lemley's order would continue in force after the start of the school term.

Writing for the majority, Judge Marion C. Matthes of St. Louis said the issue narrowed down to whether public resistance, including mob violence, was sufficient cause to nullify a federal court order directing the school board to carry out its plan for gradual integration of the Little Rock schools.

"We say the time has not yet come in these United States when an order of a federal court must be whittled away, watered down or shamefully withdrawn in the face of violent and unlawful acts . . ." Judge Matthes wrote.

Chief Judge Archibald K. Gardner of Huron, S.D., was the only dissenter. He said the school board had acted in good faith and that Judge Lemley's decision suspending integration had been based "on realities and conditions, rather than theories."

Judge Lemley suspended the integration plan last June 21. It was at the request of the school board.

Valuables found at crash scene

CHILLIWACK, B.C. (CP)—A quantity of registered mail and other valuables have been recovered by a party of mountaineers from the slopes of Mount Slesse, scene of Canada's second worst air crash.

Sixty-two persons were killed Dec. 9, 1956, when a TCA North Star crashed while en route from Vancouver to Calgary.

U.S. cuts battalion in Lebanon

BEIRUT, Lebanon (Reuters)—A second battalion of United States marines will "almost certainly" begin withdrawing from Lebanon in a few days, American military sources said today.

The battalion concerned is the 1st Battalion of the 8th Marine Regiment, they said.

Withdrawal of the battalion of about 1,800 men would cut U.S. troop strength here to just under 11,000, compared with a maximum of 15,000 two weeks ago and reduce marine strength to half its original total.

The 2nd Battalion of the 2nd Marines withdrew from Lebanon last week and now is at sea with the 6th Fleet as a "floating reserve."

Supporters of southern Lebanese opposition leader Maarouf Saad Monday killed three loyalists of the para-military Syrian Socialist Popular party (PPS) in a clash at Sidon, south Lebanon, it was reported.

Yugoslavia attacked

LONDON (Reuters) — Yugoslavia came under fire today from Moscow and Peiping in the wake of reports that President Tito's regime has applied for United States aid.

Struggle in swamp with murder suspect described by officer

PENTICTON, B.C. (CP)—A battle in jungle-like bush country was described Monday by RCMP Constable E. L. (Stu) Langdon.

The scene was near Tonasket, Wash., where Constable Langdon captured 54-year-old Donald Stevens, wanted here for questioning in the slaying of a woman fruit worker Aug. 4 near here and the wounding of an RCMP officer.

Stevens, said Constable Langdon, clawed and fought in foot-deep mud for possession of the officer's gun when he was surrounded by a posse Saturday.

It was the end of a 12-day manhunt. After a terrific struggle, the policeman fired and Stevens dropped, a bullet in his left hip.

Stevens was first captured by a U.S. border patrol officer, but escaped and headed into the heavy bush outside Tonasket.

Border officers were joined by RCMP men who moved into the dense woods.

Thick swamp bush rose 12 feet and underfoot was a foot or more of mud and water. Visibility was less than eight feet.

The first wave of police searchers missed Stevens' hiding place.

SEES MOVEMENT

Constable Langdon, in the second wave, spotted a movement in the bush and approached, gun drawn. Stevens stepped out, shouting: "You got me."

He sprang at the officer and, locked together, they fell into the mud, fighting for the officer's gun.

The gun fell to the ground, but Stevens continued to battle the policeman, finally breaking and heading into the woods.

Langdon retreived his gun, and firing from a kneeling position dropped the wanted man.

Stevens is in a Tonasket hospital, reported to be in good condition. He is under police guard.

The manhunt started after the battered, nude body of 28-year-old Anita Budde, a German immigrant, was found in an orchard shack.

Two days after the slaying, RCMP Cpl. Ralph Browne was shot and wounded at a roadblock. A warrant was issued for Stevens, charging him with attempted murder.

CBC to lose air control in Canada

OTTAWA (CP) — The publicly-owned CBC will lose its regulatory powers over Canadian broadcasting but will continue to operate virtually unchanged under a proposal now before Parliament.

Revenue Minister Nowlan made this clear Monday night in bringing to the Commons a government plan to confer on an independent body the supervisory mandate now held by the CBC.

But he also made clear that while the new body will be independent of the CBC, it will not be inedependent of parliament.

He referred to a suggestion by the Fowler royal commission on broadcasting in its March, 1957, report that a board of broadcast governors be "created and authorized to act for Parliament and be responsible to Parliament for the direction and supervision of the Canadian broadcasting system."

The minister said the government is using the name recommended by the commission, "and the object also was suggested by the royal commission."

MAINTAIN CBC

Mr. Nowlan also spoke of the government's intention of "maintaining and strengthening" the CBC.

He said the government believes it is an important instrument in promoting a stronger Canadianism.

Past president of union local dies aged 62

A past president of the International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, Local 505, collapsed and died late yesterday afternoon in a downtown establishment. He was 62 years of age.

Laurence Ryan, born in Dublin, Ireland, in 1896, came to Canada in 1903 and spent the past 20 years in Prince Rupert as a longshoreman.

He was a veteran of the First World War and a member of the Canadian Legion branch in Trail.

Until his death he continued to play an active part in the longshoremen's union.

He is survived by his wife Myra at home at 636 Third Avenue West; a daughter and brother in Ontario and a son and four sisters in New York City.

Funeral arrangements, in the hands of Ferguson Funeral Home, will be announced later.

U.S. launches large A-sub

GROTON, Conn. (AP)—The biggest submarine known, and the first to be powered by two atomic engines, takes to the water today. The 5,900-ton Triton, about twice the size of present U.S. atomic submarines, will go down the way of the Electric Boat division of General Dynamics Corporation. Designed as a radar patrol vessel, the 447-foot Triton cost about $100,000,000.

Jury fails to solve crash mystery

GALWAY, Ireland (Reuters)—The crash of the KLM airliner off the Irish coast Thursday remained a mystery Monday night.

An inquest jury returned a verdict that the deaths of 99 persons aboard the Super-Constellation were due to "a violent impact sustained in an aircraft over the Atlantic."

The verdict added that there was "no evidence to show the cause of the impact."

A pathologist testified that ther was "no external or internal evidence of death due to drowning."

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SHOWN ABOVE ARE members of No. 559 Prince Rupert Squadron Royal Canadian Air Cadets currently attending Air Cadet Summer Camp RCAF Station Sea Island, B.C. Cadets are in attendance from N.W. Ontario, the three Prairie Provinces and British Columbia. A busy program of drill, lectures on leadership, organized sports, swimming, tours, rifle handling and shooting and flying in RCAF twin engine Expeditors round out two weeks of activity at the West Coast RCAF Station. Shown in front row (left to right): Lewis Holder, Brian Thompson, Vernon Marr, Gordon Youngman, Gerry Oakey, Ron Quick. In back row (left to right): F/L Doug Hague, Allan Cazes, Larry Eby, James Kellogg, Roy Pawlucki, Morris Fleming, Wayne Holliston, Ray McIntyre, F/O Keith DeWitt.

Jail term imposed for double break-in

A two-year jail term has been imposed on one of the two young men who raided two city stores August 9 and August 10 and knocked down an 81-year-old watchman. The other man was given a seven-day prison term and fines totalling $100.

Donald George Findlay, 23, of 1236 Seventh Avenue East, was sentenced to two years for breaking and entering and theft of $36 from the Superior Auto Service garage August 9, and to another two, years, to be served concurrently, for the August 10 breaking and entering of the Prince Rupert Fishermen's Co-Operative association store at Cow Bay.

Donald Nels Jensen, 23, of 228 Ninth Avenue East, was given concurrent terms of seven days and two fines of $50 each on the same counts.

Both were remanded for sentence today after pleading guilty in city police court to all charges August 11.

In handing down sentences, Magistrate E. T. Applewhaite took into consideration Findlay's extensive police record for similar offences, and the fact that this was Jensen's "first venture into crime."

The pair broke into the Superior Auto Service garage at Tihrd Avenue and Park Avenue on the early morning of August 9 and stole $36 from the cash drawer. At 5 a.m. the following day, they forced entry into the Cow Bay Co-Op store and knocked 81-year-old watchman Daniel Sievert to the ground before fleeing without lot. They were arrested by RCMP in the forenoon of the same day.

Crown prosecutor A. Bruce Brown asked for a "substantial jail term" for Findlay after listing an admitted record including 11 convictions for breaking and entering. Mr. Brown also said that according to evidence it was Findlay who knocked down the watchman.

The prosecutor advocated a "not very severe penalty" for Jensen, who is not known to have committed any previous offences of a similar nature.

The magistrate, in handing down sentence, told the accused he didn't think it unfair to differentiate between the two cases. He termed Jensen's part in the raids "your first venture into the field of crime."

Insufficient education said Natives' problem

Most Rev. Fergus O'Grady, Roman Catholic Bishop of Prince Rupert, says the most pressing need of British Columbia Indians is higher education in joint white and Indian high schools.

In an interview in Vancouver Sunday the bishop said many people in B.C. are quick to condemn Indians, especially in such an incident as the Prince Rupert riot, but are slow to accept them as equals.

The Canadian Press quotes the bishop as saying that the Indian cannot be expected to conform to society, customs and manners if he is not eduucated alongside white children from kindergarten up.

"We have Indian nurses, teachers and stenographers now—you would not have seen them 20 years ago—but there is still a long way to go. The Indians are only one per cent of Canada's population. You cannot keep them segregated forever."

Bishop O'Grady, who for 20 years has been trying to improve the calibre of Indian education, said Indians do not lack intelligence. What they do lack, he said is encouragement.

A survey in his diocese had revealed the need for accommodation for 150 Indian high school students over the next five years.

He said the school for Indian and white children must be built by September next year to take the first of the group.

Fourteen of the 60 grade 7 to 10 students at Prince George Catholic intergrated high school are Indians. They board with white families, since they travel some distance to school.

Toronto Paper bares plan for Mideast

TORONTO (CP) — The Globe and Mail says the big powers and Arab countries are near a solution to the crisis in Lebanon and Jordan which may lead to an over-all settlement of the fundamental problems in the Middle East.

Staff reporter Philip Deane says in a dispatch from the United Nations that the following deal has "all but been concluded among the big powers, with the acqiescence of the Arabs:"

1. British and U.S. troops will be withdrawn from Jordan and Lebanon.

2. Egypt, Syria, Iraq, Jordan and Lebanon will enter into an agreement not to interfere in one another's internal affairs.

3. It is understood that King Hussein and his political advisers will not depend on outside help for the preservation of their regime.

4. The resulting inter-Arab truce will be endorsed by the big powers.

5. The basic rule of the UN will be to take formal note of "this Middle East relaxation of tensions or 'detente,' and to devise international machines for watching over this detente."

Court dismisses impaired charge

Stanley Koshman, 26, of 521 Herman Street had his charge of driving a motor vehicle while his ability was impaired by alcohol dismissed by Magistrate E. T. Applewhaite in city police court this morning.

Koshman was remanded without plea July 31 until today for trial. He pleaded not guilty in police court this morning.

Magistrate Applewhaite dismissed the case for lack of evidence.

THREE KILLED IN CAR

AYLMER, Ont. (CP)—Three Aylmer area tobacco workers were killed Monday night in a highway crash about four miles north of here.

NEW BRIGITTE?—Often compared with Brigitte Bardot, 17-year-old Toronto, Canada, high schooler Suzanne Vayda has been chosen for a movie role portraying a refugee Hungarian dancer. Suzanne did escape from Hungary after the 1956 revolt.

B.C.-Yukon Jaycees favor Grimshaw as rail terminus

VANCOUVER (CP)—The B.C. Yukon junior chamber of commerce will advise the federal government it supports a western route for the proposed northern Alberta railway.

The Jaycees decided at a board meeting here on the weekend to write the government saying they endorse a B.C. government suggestion that the proposed line from Pine Point, N.W.T., terminate in Grimshaw, Alta.

The federal government plans a line from Pine Point, on the south shore of Great Slave Lake, to either Grimshaw or Waterways, Alta.

Waterways is in northeast Alberta and is a Canadian National Railways terminus. Grimshaw is in the northwest and is on the northern Alberta railway.

Jaycees past president Jay S. Burns of Prince Rupert said his organization favors the Grimshaw route "because it would help develop the Peace River block, both for agriculture and mining."

LIFE SAVED AT PORT EDWARD BY ARTIFICIAL RESPIRATION

Quick action by three men and the application of immediate artificial respiration saved the life of a Port Edward man who fell 40 feet into Port Edward harbor last night.

RCMP report that Mathew Hill, believed to be in his 30's, fell into the water when he was running on the walk which surrounds the Native quarters on the Port Edward dock.

Three men in a boat pulled him to safety and artificial respiration was applied for some 15 minutes under a doctor's supervision.

Mr. Hill was taken to Prince Rupert General hospital by ambulance and is now under observation.

WEATHER—

Partly cloudy with scattered showers tomorrow. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Low tonight and high tomorrow 55 and 63.

TIDES—

Wednesday, August 20, 1958
(Pacific Standard Time)

High	04:40	19.0 feet
	17:00	20.8 feet
Low	10:53	5.6 feet
	23:44	4.0 feet