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U.S. Plans Legal War to Cut Cigaret Smoking



ANNOUNCES BREAK WITH U.S. - Panama's President Roberto Chiari (left), standing on the balcony of the presidential palace, tells a crowd of Panamanians gathered in the street below that he

has broken diplomatic relations with the United States and won't restore them until the canal treaty is revised.-AP Wirephoto.

Start Drive for Romney Delegates

By GLENN ENGLE

Detroit News Political Writer LANSING, Jan. 11. - In a surprise move that could set off fireworks, supporters of Gov. Romney ing vanished last night launched a drive to get him within minutes of its desnamed today as the Michigan GOP's favorite son candidate for the Republican presidential nomination.

A resolution calling upon the state's delegation to the GOP national convention to stand behind the governor until released by him was readied for action the Republican State Central Committee today.

BATTLE EXPECTED

It was expected to touch off a furor among backers of Arizona Senator Barry Goldwater, who have substantial represenfation on the state policy-making committee meeting here.

The resolution was prepared late last night without the knowledge or approval of Arthur G. Elliott Jr., the party's state chairman and Romney's 1962 campaign manager.

had not asked for such a reso-

posed to the resolution, but sup- and ordered the case reas- Judge O'Hara as he conducted porters of the move said they

will go ahead anyway. was drafted too late for consid- Court, "other than the Hon- selection of a jury had not yet eration by the resolutions committee last night. Party rules, however, permit introduction

mal meeting. OPPONENTS IN DARK

Spearheading the favorite-son drive was George Beach, Jackson County chairman. An unofficial sponsor was

Mrs. Betty Finegan, of Bir-mingham, who chaired the resolutions committee for four years until last spring. She also was a member of the platform committee at the 1960 GOP national convention. Others, including former

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Reds Offer 'Hardship'

Visits to East Berlin

let West Berliners visit relatives question of hardship visits.

BERLIN, Jan. 11. - (UPI) - spokesman confirmed that the The Communists have offered to Communists brought up the

in the Soviet sector in hardship would cover sickness and death,

cases, it was announced today.

The Reds' ADN agency said

Would cover sickness and death, perhaps even weddings.

As under the Christmas-pass

State Secretary Erich Wendt agreement, the traffic would be

suggested priority consideration one way only. East Berliners

of a hardship agreement when would not be allowed to enter

West met here yesterday for the Wendt told West Berlin offi

first time since the expiration cials it is possible and desirable

representatives of East and West Berlin.

A West Berlin government ADN said.

crack in the Berlin Wall.

Hunt Parents, 4 Children Missing on State Flight

PELLSTON, Mich., Jan. ! 11.—An airplane bringing an Illinois couple and four of their children to Michigan for a weekend of ski-

Radio contact with the single-engine plane was lost at 6:43 p.m. after the plane had been located by a radio "fix" over frozen Burt Lake, five miles southeast of here. The pilot, Harold J. Cummings, 36, of River Forest, Ill., was trying to locate the lighted landing strip at Boyne Mountain ski lodge at Boyne Falls, 30 miles south of Pell-

With Cummings, an insurance broker, were his wife, Patricia, 32, and four of their

six children, aged 6 to 11.

A housekeeper at the Cummings home said the four children with the couple were Mary, 6, Susan, 8, Michael, 10, and Kathleen, 11. She said the other two children, Ann, 4. and Sheila. 2 months, re-

mained at home.

An air search of northeast-

HALTED BY HIGH COURT

Bar Judge O'Hara in Trial of Pickets

By ROY J. COURTADE and JOSEPH STRICKLAND

In an unprecedented move, the Michigan Su-Its authors said the governor preme Court yesterday the Supreme Court Wednesday halted a Recorder's Court to assume superintending con-Elliott said today he was op- trial, disqualified the judge trol on the grounds of prejusigned for prompt trial to the case. The favorite son resolution another judge of Recorder's Progress of the trial, which began Monday, was slow, and

The case involves 17 persons from the floor at today's for-accused of misdemeanor charges the 94th and last member of the

orable John P. O'Hara."



JUDGE O'HARA

Savings' downtown office last

JUDGE INFORMED

Defense attorneys petitioned dice they said was shown by

been completed.

As word of the high court dethe peace during a civil rights jury panels had been eliminated by a peremptory challenge. At that point the judge was called to the telephone and told of the Supreme Court's action. Both Judge O'Hara and Assistant Prosecutor Roman S. Gribbs declined to comment on

the ruling. DEFENSE IS HAPPY

Judge O'Hara, in his 50th year as a member of the State Bar and his 10th as a judge, appeared shaken by the decision. Defense attorney George Downing was jubilant when newsmen confirmed the initial report. "That's wonderful," he said as his voice cracked slightly with emotion. "I feel our position has been vindi-

The incident which triggered the Supreme Court appeal came last Tuesday,

Gribbs had excused two pros pective jurors, using the first peremptory challenges allowed each side. Downing and co-counsel My-

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Dry Street

ELLETTSVILLE, Ind., Jan. veteran, was the last veteran 11.-(AP) - The Ellettsville to get a check. The green govof the Christmas-pass agree- to reach such an agreement American Legion Post has with- ernment check was handed him ment that opened a one-way before negotiations begin on drawn a petition for a liquor in his White House office by general visits to East Berlin, license for its clubhouse, on Veterans Administrator John S. Temperance street.

launched today by the Civil Air Patrol (CAP), the U.S. Coast Guard and the State

Police and civilian volunteers with radio-equipped cars searched through the night in Charlevoix; Cheboygan and

"We fear the plane is down, but finding it could be very difficult because the area is very hilly, heavily forested and dotted with lakes," said CAP Lt. Col. Roger Burgess.

Burgess said three radio position fixes were made on Cumming's Cessna 205 before radio contact was lost after the pilot was asked to switch

to another frequency. Daniel Galloway, a Federal Aviation Agency (FAA) official at Pellston, said it was possible that Cummings decided he was lost and landed on one of the many frozen lakes in the area

SNOW WAS FALLING

Calloway said Cummings understandably" would have trouble finding the lodge's private air strip because of its

Light snow was falling, and the temperature was 16 degrees at the time. A Coast Guard plane searched along the Lake Michigan shoreline

without sighting anything. 'The first radio fix on the plane was at 6:34, when Cummings contacted the FAA station at Pellston," Burgess re-

'He said he had missed the ski lodge landing strip and asked the FAA to call the lodge and have them turn on the landing lights. At that time he was 15 miles southwest of Pellston.

"A few minutes later, another fix showed him five miles west of the landing which now had its lights on.
"The third fix showed him

over Burt Lake and headed in a northeasterly direction. He had missed the landing strip and was heading away

"Cummings asked for a fix from Traverse City on an-See PLANE-Page 2A

Johnson Last GI to Get VA Refund

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11. -(AP) - GI Lyndon B. Johnson got a \$55.20 share yesterday of a \$229-million rebate to six million veterans. The refunds, paid out in eight

days, were for overpayments of premiums on government insurance policies.

President Johnson, a Navy

Hunt Castro Link in Panama Rioting

Demand U.S. Give Up Canal

From AP and UPI Dispatches PANAMA, Jan. 11.-Presdent Johnson's special envoys began a peacemaking effort today following Panama's angry decision to break relations with the United States and revamp the 61 - year - old Panama Canal treaty. New strife flared in the Canal Zone.

U.S. Assistant Secretary of State Thomas C. Mann and Secretary of the Army Cyrus R. Vance met for an hour and a half last night with Panama's President Roberto Chiari.

At an emergency meeting of the UN Security Council last night, Panama bluntly demanded the United States relinquish control of the canal. Panama's delegate, Aquilino Boyd, said the canal should either be nationalized or placed under international jurisdiction.

CHARGES SHELVED

The Council early today shelved Panama's charge of unprovoked aggression by the its president to both sides to immediately.

the Organization of American Republican finances

voys conferred with President home city, at a time of day Chiari at the presidential pal-when Romney likes to tackle ace, a new flareup occurred problems. alor; the tense Canal Zone frontier. The Panamanian government charged U.S. troops again opened fire, although apparently no civilians were hit. Six Panamanians were injured by flying glass.

SNIPERS FIRING

activity against U.S. infantry in for years. the Canal Zone this morning. It said a variety of weapons were being used by Panama-

Anti-American mobs roamed the streets, smashing and burning U.S. property. Just before cut off without funds. dawn the city was quiet, but shattered glass in the streets and the reek of smoke in the air were mute reminders of the

A "general strike" crippled activity early today. Foreign correspondents flying in from the United States had

difficulty finding taxicabs at the (Concluded on Page 2A)

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ARTHUR SUMMERFIELD

GOP Titans Due to Clash Over Cash

By GLENN ENGLE

United States with an appeal by Romney and former Post- Thomas C. Mann and Secretary Oct. 1. end the Canal Zone fighting master General Arthur E. flew to Panama yesterday. Summerfield will square Mr. Johnson instructed the As news of the dispute off in an extraordinary special envoys to get all the ciations of the United States, climax a long feud over Panama government and U.S. port is against smoking.

Summerfield foes say Romney will "tell off" the ex-Cabinet member and former Re-

LONG DISPUTE

The dispute between Summerfield, wealthy Flint auto dealer, In Washington, the Pentagon and the regular Genesee County eported a renewal of sniper party organization has boiled

> Regular party leaders have accused Summerfield of con-authorities in the Canal Zone to troling GOP pursestrings to the restore peace. point that Republican candidates whom he doesn't like are

They also charge that Sum-

Citizens Finance Committee" nile has siphoned off contribu- said: are going to the regular party ma. organization.

zona Senator Barry Goldwater, the conservatives' favorite for the GOP presidential nomination whom Summerfield has said he

Raymond E. Kelly, Genessee bers of county finance commit- fering there.)

OTHERS INVITED But his fight with Summer

ield has continued to rage. Monday. So will two General of Moslems, Hindus cigarets is dangerous to

Motors Corp. executives active in GOP fund-raising - Edward D. Rollert, general manager of days of Hindu-Moslem rioting in Buick, and Joseph Anderson, the Calcutta area. general manager of AC Spark

to the breakfast showdown.

Quiz Pushed by Johnson

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER Associated Press Diplomatic Writer WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.

- President Johnson has ordered a full report on the -The Federal Trade Comcauses of anti-U.S. rioting mission (FTC) is prepared in Panama, including any to move against smoking evidence that Castroite within days or weeks of agents whipped up mob ac-publication today of the tion to fatal extremes of surgeon general's report on

U.S. officials said they have The report will call heavy reason to believe some Castro- cigaret smoking a significant ite Communist agitators went health hazard. into action very quickly after demonstrations began late

Cuba's Prime Minister Castro played a leading role in arousing mob fury, organizing snipers and supplying guns and explo-sives for attacks on U.S. Canal Zone installations.

international crisis, and Secretary of State Dean Rusk were evidence previously published keeping in close touch with and scrutinized the advertising LANSING, Jan. 11.—Gov. Assistant Secretary of State and labeling of all cigarets since of the Army Cyrus Vance, who

States (OAS) dispatched its own peace mission to Panama. Even as the U.S. special encompanies of the process o Identified by U.S.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11 .-(UPI)-The Defense Department today identified the three U.S. soldiers killed in

the Panama Canal Zone riot-They were: 1st Sgt. Gerald A. Aubin, of Millbury, Mass.; S. Sgt.

Luis Jimenez, of Arecibo,

Puerto Rico, and Pvt. David

Haupt, of Los Angeles.

(In Miami, Fla., Cuban exile orders.

(An anti-Castro youth group, merfield's so-called "Republican the Committee of Cuban Juve-Organizations in Exile, "For several weeks we tions from unsuspecting donors have denounced the presence of who think their contributions pro-Castro students in Pana-

Instead, the Genessee party exile group said, worked with State Bill regulars maintain, it is going Panamanian youth organizainto a campaign fund for Aritions "in preparation for antiAsks Cigaret regulars maintain, it is going Panamanian youth organiza-American acts.

TREATY DENOUNCED (A leader of the Bay of Pigs

invasion, Jose Ibarra, said the trouble was intended as a red County GOP chairman, led a herring while Venezuela's accu-bill to require cigaret successful fight last year in the sation against Cuba is before manufacturers to stamp a Republican State Central Com- the Organization of American mittee to give county chairmen States. Venezuela has accused the right to veto any mem- the Castro government of inter-On another front, Mr. John-

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60 Die in Riots

CALCUTTA, India, Jan. 11.-(REUTERS)-More than 60 per-

Chief Minister of West Bengal P. C. Sen gave the latest death Summerfield reportedly has toll for the disturbances, which invited about 50 of his friends brought government troops into

Labels, Ads May Be Targets of FTC Drive By ROBERT C. TOTH L.A. Times-Washington Post News Service WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.

Hazards

to Health

Attacked

smoking and health.

It will indict smoking as a primary cause for the increasing rate of lung cancer and will cite statistics showing smoking Mr. Johnson reportedly wants to be linked to other lung ailto know whether supporters of ments and heart and artery

STUDY EVIDENCE

The FTC has maintained a task force of more than a half dozen lawyers, doctors and The President, grappling dozen lawyers, doctors and calmly with his first major economists for several months.

They have studied the medical

Once the text of the surgeon general's report is out, the task force will examine it to see what actions it will recommend echoed around the world and brought new Communist denun-

Its actions most likely would begin by insisting that labels and advertisements contain a warning that smoking is harm-

It may also require statement of tar and nicotine content on the package labels.

PLEDGE IN 1960

Beyond that, it could limit the time and content of advertising which appeals directly or implicitly to youngsters.

The FTC is the only govern-

ment agency which has both said it has power to require disclosure of any hazardous substances in cigarets and shown signs that it is willing to discharge the duty quickly.

The FTC in 1960 obtained a organizations said they see the pledge from tobacco companies hand of Castro behind the dis- to omit from advertising any 'references, direct or implied, to health benefits to be derived from the use of cigarets.

The pledge included refer-See CIGARETS-Page 6A

Warning From Our Lansing Bureau

LANSING, Jan. 11.-A health warning on every pack they sell in Michigan has been filed in the House. The sponsor, Rep. Joseph M. Snyder, St. Clair Shores Democrat, said cigaret packages should bear these words: "Warning: Excessive use of

To be introduced officially next Tuesday, the bill would declare it a misdemeanor for a

cigaret seller to omit the warn-Dr. Albert E. Heustis, state health commissioner, called for a similar law yesterday when he made a scathing attack on cigaret smoking

"Cigarets sicken and kill people," he said. "They are just an acceptable way of commiting chronic suicide.' Heustis had two suggestions.

Regarding minors, he urged steps to make "cigarets a lot less available," even if cigaret vending machines must be And, he said, there should be

stricter controls on television commercials which make cigaret-smoking seem "glamorous, sophisticated, manly and essential to the good and healthy

2 Talk-Both Are All Wet hew, 22, both of St. Clair, ALGONAC, Mich., Dec. told police they were talkfloated long enough for the 11. - Two men escaped in-

too fast to stop.

jury last night when their car skidded off the Harsens Island ferry boat landing and fell into the St. Clair Allen Westrick, 26, the

driver, and Robert May-

ing and didn't notice the end of the dock until it was too late to stop. Westrick said he slammed on the brakes, but said his auto was traveling

men to escape. The car sank in 30 feet of water about 55 feet from shore. Westrick and Mayhew were picked up a few min-

utes later by crew memof the ferry.

DAN FLAGG

BLONDIE

TURN!

lne. 1964. World right

THE EAR-PHONES BE-

FORE I'T

@ 1964 by NEA, Inc. 1-11

GOTTA-GET TO THE LIBRARY BEFORE

SCRAM!

OUT OUR WAY

MOMENTS WE'D LIKE TO LIVE OVER

THE HOMEMADE CRYSTAL SET

SHHH--WAITA MINUTE-YES, I DO HEAR MUSIC PLAYIN'! BY GEORGE,

DIDN'T THINK YOU COULD DO IT!

THEY'LL DO IT EVERY TIME

I GOT A DATE TO GO SKATING, POP!

SO HE BOUGHT

HIMSELF A SNOWBLOWER --NOW HE HAS TO FIGHT THE KIDS TO GET

A TURN ----

OH, YOU MUST BE MISTAKEN, PA HE'S NEVER GOT

TEN ANYTHING

OF THAT

YES --- IF POP

SNOW SHOVELING

DONE HE HAD
TO DO IT HIMSELF...THE KIDS
HAD SKATYEIGHT

EXCUSES

I WANT

SHORT RIBS

WHO IS SENDING

THE SIGNAL?

By Frank O'Neal

RED FEATHER

HE BET ME FIVE BUCKS

HE COULD QUIT SMOKING

WANTED SOME



SERGEANT GUNTHER WAS HAND-PICKED TO ASSIST YOU, MAJOR, BECAUSE HE HAD SHARED SOME OF YOUR WORLD WAR I EXPERIENCES IN THE JUNGLES OF THE PACIFIC.



AND THE RUSSIAN OBSERVER IS RECEIVING LAST-



By Chic Young

By Don Sherwood

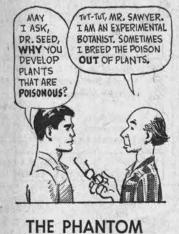








BUZ SAWYER



DRUMMER--HE BETTER LEARN TO



By Roy Crane

ALSO, LET ME REMIND YOU THAT MANY VEGETABLE POISONS ~ BELLADONNA, STRYCHNINE, CURARE - ARE USED MEDICINALLY. EVEN THE DEADLY POISON THAT TIPPED THE BLOWGUN ARROWS OF A SAVAGE HAS BECOME A BOON TO MANKIND.



By Lee Falk and Sy Barry





RIP KIRBY

By John Prentice and Fred Dickenson







REX MORGAN, M.D.

By Dal Curtis









THERE OUGHTA BE A LAW

By Shorten and Whipple





222-7500 for Fast-Result News Want Ads

ANAGRAMS

Dame plus pest equals? Epic plus dent equals? Tale plus pail equals? Here plus late equals? Goal plus rely equals? Here are the answers to vesterday's anagrams:

Transmit, decisive, obsolete, befriend, research.

The gap in earning power between holders of high school diplomas and college graduates has been widening steadily. In 1961 the difference amounted to an average of more than \$3,400 a year.

ELECTIONEERING





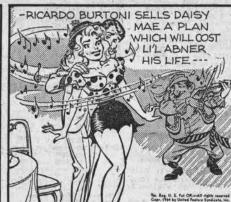




By Milton Caniff

LI'L ABNER

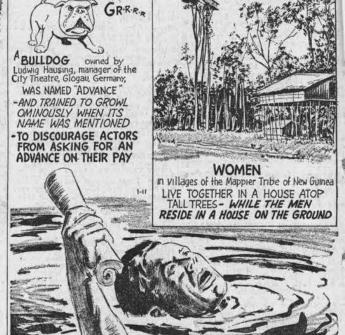
IN THE DIMLY LIT GYPSY PAVILION, TO THE BRAIN-SOFTENING STRAINS OF GYPSY MUSIC-



BUT WHICH WILL SOUND SENSIBLE TO HER, AS LONG AS THE GYPSY KEEPS PLAYING !! -



RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT



JOHN KELLY (1750-1809) of the Isle of Man-WHO TRANSLATED THE BIBLE INTO MANX, SAVED HIS MANUSCRIPT WHEN HE WAS SHIPWRECKED IN THE IRISH SEA BY HOLDING IT ABOVE HIS HEAD WHILE HE FLOATED IN THE WATER FOR 5 HOURS (1771)

Fire Fighting Career Ends for Chief Beiss

The oldest member of the Fire Department in years of service, Assistant Chief Joseph A. Beiss was honored yesterday at a reception at Fire Head-

quarters on his last day of active service.

Beiss, third ranking man in including the Briggs Manufacthe department, became a fire fighter in March, 1925. His reflighter in March, 1925. His results from the companion of the plane of the pl next month when he reaches of life. 60. However, accumulated leave

days enabled him to quit active duty yesterday.

Beiss helped fight many of the most disastrous fires in Detroit during his span on the force,

tirement becomes mandatory both of which took a heavy toll

CIGARETS

ences to tar and nicotine con- the same warning be carried

"What was done in 1960 must tered cigarets? be reexamined in view of the surgeon general's report," a commission official said. "All bets are if a ""

bets are off now."

both of which took a heavy toll of life.

That study, by a committee yet to be created, would recommend a government program if the court of the risks in smoking, possibly the suggestion of the risks in smoking t

against smoking as such or only against excessive smoking.

If it warns about heavy smoking, will this be implicit sanc-Continued from Page One

tion of light smoking? Should on filtered as well as nonfil-

nets are off now."

The commission apparently is poling up in exposition at the Public Health Service.