

MAGAZINE REPORTS "UNFAVORABLE CLIMATE" FOR YACHTSMEN IN PAGO PAGO

Complaints are being voiced by a number of cruising yachtsmen that American Samoa's harbor fees for visiting yachts are excessive. The latest complaint appears in the November issue of Pacific Islands Monthly.

In its regular section on cruising yachts, the magazine publishes a report that Richard Maddock, owner of the 35-foot trimaran Fiddler's Green, is disappointed in the fee schedule for yachts in Pago Pago Harbor. The report was submitted to the magazine via Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glenn of the trimaran Rebel, which spent several months in Pago Pago Harbor a year ago.

The Glenns said Maddock feels that changes in the administration of American Samoa had resulted in "an unfavorable climate" for yachtsmen in Pago Pago. The Glenns also object to the port charges for yachts.

The complaints are directed at mooring charges that were established in April 1967. Before that time, yachtsmen were charged only very small fees for dumping trash and obtaining water. Under the new mooring schedule, yachtsmen must pay a monthly charge -- depending on the size of the craft -- regardless of whether they are moored to a government buoy or their own anchor (although the charge is slightly less for the latter.)

Vessels under 20 feet, for example, pay \$10 a month if moored to their own anchor, \$12 if moored to a government buoy. Vessels between 30 and 40 feet in length must pay \$20 if moored to their anchor, \$25 if moored to a government buoy. Vessels 60 feet and over must pay \$40 if moored to their own anchor, \$50 in moored to a government buoy.

Yachtsmen are particularly distressed because the monthly mooring rates double the second month a yacht is here, and triple during the third month. However, no mooring fees are assessed to vessels staying here less than five days.

In addition, yachtsmen are assessed a \$2.00 service fee for policing the harbor, and there are charges of 50 cents per container of trash dumped and 25 cents for 240 gallons of water drawn from the boat shed. Port Director Fred Uhrle said the 50 cents for trash is supposed to include trash pick-up at the yacht by a government motor vessel, but some yachtsmen have reported being charged the 50 cents even if they row to shore and dump their own trash.

Governor Aspinall Replies

Governor Owen Aspinall pointed out that the authority to establish mooring charges in Pago Pago Harber was granted by a law (PL 9-31) that was passed in the 1966 Legislature of American Samoa.

He said he might be receptive to a 30-day grace period whereby yachts would be charged no mooring charges. But he added that the Government of American Samoa does not want yachts staying long periods of time in the harbor.

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Governor Aspinall said that while most yachtsmen have been welcome visitors, some have come to Samoa, left their yachts, and departed from the territory. He said one of the abandoned yachts at the government buoys has been here nearly two years, and another lies on the shoreline of lower Pago Pago Bay.

DR. BETTY JOHNSTON DEVELOPING PRE-SCHOOL PROGRAM FOR CHILDREN OF AMERICAN SAMOA

A pre-school program for American Samoa is being developed by Dr. Betty Johnston, who brings to the task a broad background of education and professional experience.

Mrs. Johnston is the wife of Mundey Johnston, special assistant to the governor. She holds bachelor of science and master of science degrees from Iowa State University, and a doctoral degree in education from the University of California at Los Angeles.

At the outset, she expects the program to point toward children in the age 4-5 bracket. She said this work with children in their most formative years would likely begin next February or March.

Dr. Johnston said the early pre-school effort here would probably be limited to a few pilot programs in the villages.

Before coming to American Samoa, Dr. Johnston was an associate professor of education at the University of Arizona. She was also western regional consultant for the Head Start program, and she organized and directed the teacher training program for Head Start in California, Utah, Arizona and New Mexico.

She also was educational advisor to the United Nations International School, and prior to that taught at Adelphi College in Garden City, Long Island; Dalton School in New York City; Teacher's College, at Columbia University in New York City; and Mississippi State Teachers' College.

She is a member of many professional organizations, and is southwest regional representative to the Organization Mondiale Pour L'Education Prescolaire, an international organisation concerned with welfare and education of young children.

PAVING OPERATIONS ON WESTERN DISTRICT HIGHWAY SCHEDULED TO START MONDAY

Starting Monday morning — weather permitting — paving operations will begin on that section of road beyond Mapusaga High School to complete final repairs of that area ravaged by the early October tropical rainstorm.

Acting Director of Public Works Matt Oliver said the main road will be closed to traffic during the paving, and the detour over the old FAA-Iliili road will once again become operational.

The detour begins in Tafuna for westbound traffic and in Iliili for eastbound traffic. Oliver said the length of time the main road will be closed will depend entirely upon the weather.

"Given good weather, we could get the job done in three days and reopen the main road," Oliver said. "On the other hand, if it should rain hard Sunday, we will postpone the paving and leave the main road open."

Nevertheless, Oliver said, he was going ahead in the hopeful expectation that paving could be started Monday. He said the back road, which has been pounded into ruts and potholes by the heavy load of traffic, would be well-graded to make it as smooth as possible for motorists.

Regrading of the back road is tentatively scheduled for Sunday.

ANNUAL INSPECTION OF MOTOR VEHICLES STARTS TOMORROW AT TAFUNA GARAGE, MOTORPOOL

The annual inspection of motor vehicles starts tomorrow, and the wise car owner will make certain he has two important credentials when he shows up at the Tafuna garage or the Utulei motor pool.

Chief of Police Mosali'itele Tu'ufuli advises that each car owner should have clutched

in his hot little hand the following:

1. Receipt for \$1 inspection fee which must be paid at the Revenue division.

2. The vehicle's 1967 registration certificate.

The wise motorist will also make certain he has liability insurance on his vehicle. Mosali'itele said inspection officials will check on liability insurance before issuing inspection stickers.

MAPUSAGA PARENTSENCOURAGED TO REVIEW REPORT CARDS TOMORROW

Parents of students attending Mapusaga High School, operated by the Mormon Church, are encouraged to review the report cards of their children tomorrow.

Vaughn Hawkes, principal, said students at the school will be given a separate report card for each of the seven subjects taken. Two grades will be given for each subject -- one for academic performance and one for citizenship.

SEVENTH ERUPTION AT HALEMAUMAU

HONOLULU -- Tempestuous, unpredictable Mount Kilauea was back in action last night for the seventh time in three and one-half weeks. Three fire fountains broke out of the floor of Kilauea's Halemaumau firepit about 7 P.M. hundreds of spectators continued to watch the volcano's dazzling show.

SAMOAN MAN FOUND GUILTY OF ROBBERY IN HONOLULU

HONOLULU -- A 23-year-old Oahu man has been found guilty of second-degree roberry in the holdup of the Kalihi-uka Market last August 19th. A circuit Court jury returned the verdict yesterday afternoon against Teni Tu Kapesi after a two-day trial. It is believed that Kapesi used to live in Gataivai.

OAHU DAIRY FARMERS WANT COMPENSATION FOR IMMITATION MILK SALES

HONOLULU -- Dairy farmers on Oahu were expected to ask the State Milk Commission today for compensatory payments from big milk producers for the imititation milk they sell. At issue in this morning's meeting was section 24 of the State Milk Control Act.

The section allows the commission to assess compensatory payments against processors when their recombined or reconsituted milk displaces fresh milk on the market and results in a loss to farmers. However, the big question that will arise is: In imitation milk legally recombined or reconsituted milk?

TELEVISION FOR TONIGHT

CHANNEL 2: (5:00) Music (7:00) News (Samoan) (7:20) Friendly Giant (7:34) The Rifleman: "The Marshall" (8:01) British Calendar (8:29) Dick Powell Theater: "A Time To Die" (9:19) News (English).

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MCNAMARA TO HEAD WORLD BANK

WASHINGTON, (UPI) - Defense Secretary Robert McNamara announced lastnight that he will leave his present post and assume the presidency of the World Bank sometime next year.

In a separate statement from the White House, President Johnson said McNamara's departure would not affect Viet Nam War policy.

The two announcements came only one hour after the executive directors of the World Bank unanimously agreed to offer McNamara the presidency of the international lending institution.

McNamara said the President had sounded him last month on the idea of serving as head of the bank. In McNamara's words, "I answered in the affirmative, repeating however, that I would not leave the post of secretary of defense until he felt he could release me."

As for his thoughts on stepping down, McNamara said, "I have felt for some time that there would be benefit from the appointment of a fresh person."

Both President Johnson and McNamara said no precise date has been set for the change and there is no indication who will be named as McNamara's successor.

One of the names being mentioned is Texas governor John Connally. Connally said he has not been contacted "directly or indirectly" about succeeding McNamara. But speculation mounted as Connally prepared to visit Washington late yesterday.

The triple-barrelled announcements from the World Bank, President Johnson and Secretary McNamara lastnight climaxed a day of speculation in Washington circles.

There was talk that McNamara was being asked to leave the Pentagon because of a disagreement with the President over war policy. There was talk that McNamara's departure might foreshadow a major cabinet shakeup.

The White House denied any policy feud and adding lastnight that "the course of our participation in the war in Viet Nam is firmly set."

McNamara said George Woods, the current president of the World Bank, said last April he wanted to recommend McNamara as his replacement.

McNamara's reply was that he did not believe in considering a future job until he completed the current one.

Meanwhile, Labor Secretary Willard Wirtz has thrown cold water on reports that he is planning to resign from President Johnson's cabinet.

He characterized the reports as "poison poppycock."

A Labor Department spokesman quoted Wirtz as saying "I would rather be doing what I'm doing now than anything else I can think of." He reportedly made the statement during a phone call from Mismi to Washington.

MCCARTHY ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY

WASHINGTON, (UPI) - Senator Eugene McCarthy said today he will enter Democratic Presidential primaries in Wisconsin, Oregon, California and Nebraska. The Minnesota Democrat said he will do so because he is concerned that the administration seems to have set no limits on the price it will pay for military victory in Viet Nam.

McCarthy said he will decide in two weeks whether or not to enter the primaries to be held in Massachusetts and New Hampshire.

At the same time, Richard Nixon said he will probably announce his candidacy for the Republican Presidential nomination early next year barring any loss in public support. Nixon said, if he runs he does not "intend to be a loser."

Meanwhile, a group of Ohio residents have opened a draft-Robert Kennedy-for-President campaign in Columbus.

Organizer Ira Griffin said it is a pro-Kennedy movement rather than a dump-President Johnson one. Griffin added that the (continued next page) McCarthy Announces His Candidacy (cot'd)

New York senator has not attempted to

discourage them.

TAX BOOST OPPOSITION STILL FIRM

WASHINGTON, (UPI) - The House Ways and Means Committee is still firmly opposed of administration fiscal experts.

Treasury Secretary Henry Fowler, Budget Director Charles Schultze and Federal Reserve Board Chairman William McChesney Martin go before the panel again today. Their arguments for a tax increase yesterday left the panel unconvinced.

The senior Republican on the committee, John Byrnes, said of the testimony: "They just failed to make their case."

POSTAL RATES HIKE COMPROMISE SEEK

WASHINGTON, (UPI) - A Joint Conference Committee is expected to work out a relatively speedy compromise between House and Senate versions of a bill to raise postal rates and boost government salaries.

The Senate yesterday passed a measure that would give servicemen a 5.6 per cent raise and provide federal civilian employes with a 4% per cent pay hike.

The Senate package would also push the cost of first-class letters from five cents to six, with postage for airmail letters going from eight cents to a dime.

PLANE CRASH KILLS 3 OCCUPANTS

ORLANDO, Florida. (UPI) - A light jet plane plunged into a residential area here last night, killing its three occupants and setting fire to a house.

The privately-owned jet, costing two-thirds of a million dollars, plowed a six-foot hotel in the rear yard of the home of Joseph Teufel, who with his wife and two children escaped injury.

The victims were identified as William Brennan and Gayle Holder of Montgomery, Alabama, and John Mc Gee an attorney of Miami. Brennan, the pilot, was president of Jet International, a leasing corporation, and president of the Brennan Broadcasting Corporation of Jacksonville, Florida.

STEWART WARNS THREAT OF POLIO

WASHINGTON, (UPI) - Surgeon General William Stewart is warning against complacency about the threat of polic.

Stewart notes that the National Communicable Disease Center reported a rise in polio cases in 1966 as compared with the previous year. Dr. Stewart warned: "If all newborn infants aren't protected as they come along, cases can occur among those exposed to the disease."

DODD ATTACKS PERCY'S FUNDERAISING

NORTH STONINGHAM, Connecticut. (UPI) - Senator Thomas Dodd yesterday attacked the fund-raising practices of senator Charles Percy.

Percy had strongly criticized the Connecticut Democrat when he was censured last June by the Senate for financial indiscretions.

Dodd criticized the Illinois Republican for allowing wealthy Illinois businessmen to raise money to help pay some of his senatorial expenses not covered by his government salary.

FORD BIDS GRANTS FOR PROFESSORSHIPS

NEW YORK, (UPI) - In the continuing search for answers to big-city problems, the Ford Foundation has announced grants totaling \$10.8 million.

The grants will be channeled to Harvard and Columbia Universities, the University of Chicago and the Massachusetts Insitute of Technology. Money will be used to establish professorships in the fields of sociology, law education, political science, systems analysis and management.

1968 CARS COST UP

WASHINGTON, (UPI) - The Labor Department reported that 1968 cars cost on the average about \$116 more than the 1967 models.

Department officials said safety features and pollution-control devices account for about \$56 of the increase, while "pure" price rise soaks up the remaining \$60.

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VIET CONG ATTACK TURNED BACK

SAIGON, (UPI) - U.S. helicopter gunships and dragonship planes have driven back a force of Viet Cong guerrillas attacking an American Battalion near Bo Duc on the Cambodian Border.

Just before launching the ground assault, the Communists aimed 125 rounds of mortar fire and 18 rounds of 122 millimeter rocket fire at the Americans. The rockets were of the five-inch type, the biggest weapons in the Communist arsenal. Experts said it is possible the rockets were fired from Cambodia.

The U.S. force were able to send the Communists fleeing back into the jungles, marking the second Viet Cong defeat in two days. A spokesman said 31 enemy bodies were found. Eight Americans were killed and 11 were wounded.

At Dak To, scene of heavy fighting for the past three weeks, two companies of paratroopers clashed with Communist forces today. Two Americans were killed and two wounded.

Casualty reports released in Saigon today showed that American battle deaths have gone over the 15,000 mark. Last week, 212 GI's were killed, 1,242 wounded and 66 listed as missing.

In the air war over North Viet Nam, U.S. planes flew 90 missions yesterday, including raids against oil dumps near Haiphong.

A new feud between backers of South Vietnamese President Nguyen Van Thieu and supporters of Vice President Ky is reported to have erupted. Saigon sources said the political squabble involved a report that a brigadier general had offered to resign.

Near the bloodstained mountain of boulders known as the "rockpile," a U.S. Marine was dragged from his foxhole by a tiger last night. The leatherneck finally wrestled the tiger off, but only after the beast had dragged him 300 yards and dropped him in a stream. The Harine is being, treated for cuts, bites and possible rabies. Vietnamese hunters said the war has given tigers a taste for human flesh.

CYPRUS PEACE SECURED

NICOSIA, Cyprus. (UPI) - U.S. special envoy Cyrus Vance said he has had his last meeting with Greek officials over the Cyprus crisis and is going to come home.

Vance told newsmen today that Greece and Turkey will not go to war over the island and the two weeks of tension are over. Peace, he said, has been secured.

Earlier, Vance met with the president of Cyprus, Archbishop Makarios, and reportedly got his approval on the agreement hammered out between the two countries. Greece has reportedly agreed to all Turkish demands, including the withdrawal of its 10,000 troops from Cyprus.

Makarios said he does not believe Turkey will invade his island now.

BRITAIN, RED CHINA COME TO TERMS

HONK KONG, (UPI) - Britain and Red China have come to terms on an agreement to end months of violence along the 17-mile Hong Kong-China border.

The Red Chinese government, through the Communist New China New Agency, announced the pact, and details were confirmed by British officials in Hong Kong.

The agreement brought hope that a campaign of terror against the Crown Colony in which Communists daily have been planting dozens of bombs, both fake and real, will be brought under control.

The agreement guarantees the safety of Communist border residents, many of whom are Chinese peasants who live in Red China and work their fields inside the borders of Hong Kong.

RUSSIA ACCUSED OF TREATY VIOLATION

WASHINGTON, (UPI) - Senator Henry Jackson has accused the Soviet Union of violating the limited nuclear test ban treaty on at least three occasions by spreading debris from its tests outside Soviet continental boundaries.

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Jackson made the charge while reporting (continued next page)

Russia Accused Of Treaty Violation (continued)

to the Senate on the program of nuclear safeguards adopted four years ago when Congress approved the treaty. Jackson is chairman of a House-Senate Atomic Energy subcommittee and a Senate Armed Serivices subcommittee.

Jackson said on each occasion the Soviets either denied the charge or said it was a negligible accident.

JEWS REGRET DE GAULLE'S SPEECH

PARIS, (UPI) - The grand rabbi of France said the nation's 550,000 Jews deplored President Charles De Gaulle's remarks about Jews and the state of Israel during his news conference earlier this week.

Jacob Kaplan said De Gaulle's statements open the way for "campaigns of discrimination." De Gaulle had described Jews as, "having remained what they were at all times, a self-assured and domineering elite." The influential newspaper "Le Monde" said De Gaulle's remarks brought up "the unpleasant smell of anti-semitism."

DESERTERS URGE OTHERS TO FOLLOW

MOSCOW, (UPI) - Four young American sailors who deserted and fled to Russia, today urged other U.S. servicemen to do the same.

The four deserted an American aircraft carrier in Japan on October 23 and turned up in Moscow on a television program November 20. In an interview published today in a Moscow English-language newspaper, they urged other anti-Viet Nam War advocates to desert.

They said they oppose war but approve the North Vietnamese war effort. American embassy officials in Moscow who have asked to talk with the deserters have been told by the Soviet government that the sailors want mothing to do with U.S. diplomats.

A letter written by Richard Bailey o his mother in Jacksonville, Floriwas made public today by a Jacksonville newspaper (The Florida Times-Union).

Bailey wrote from the Gulf of Tonkin that he wondered about "the mess we have gotten into" and questioned whether he wanted to live in the U.S. when he was out of the Navy.

The letter was written August 22 aboard the carrier Intrepid.

"HOT-SEAT" JOB SWAPPED

LONDON, (UPI) - Economist Roy Jenkins took his place today on Britain's financial hot-

Prime Minister Harold Wilson last night ordered Jendins to swap jobs with James Callaghan, who has been Chancellor of the Exchequer for the past three years.

With Britain still shaken by the devaluation of the pound, Jenkins now is faced with a dispute between two railroad unions that threatens a nation-wide strike by the end of this week.

Callaghan said it would not be right for him to continue in his post since he reneged on promises to other nations that Britain would not devalue the pound.

GOVERNMENT USES FORCE TO QUELL VIOLENCE

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaysia. (UPI) - Malaysian security forces today were reported to have fired into a crowd of persons who defied a 24-hour curfew.

The curfew had been imposed to halt widespread racial violence. First reports to Kuala Lumpur from the provincial town where the incident occurred said two persons were killed and two others injured.

VIOLENT QUAKE HITS YUGOSLAVIA

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia. (UPI) - Radio Belgrade said at least eight persons were known dead in one of the roughest earthquakes ever recorded. The Yugoslav broadcast said 80 per cent of the buildings in the ancient city of Debar were destroyed by today's quake.

About 10,000 residents were left homeless. The city is located near the Albanian border, but no reports of damage have been forthcoming from that country.

The observatory in Skopje measured the intensity of the quake between eight and nine on the open-end Richter scale.

SPORTS NEWS (UPI)

EXPANSION IS MAIN TOPIC IN TODAY'S MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL MEETINGS

Expansion will be the main topic at major league baseball meetings in meetings in

Mexico city.

Both leagues will get together jointly. Then the American League will tell the National League what the NL already knows, that starting in 1969, Kansas City and Seattle will get new teams in the junior circuit.

The National League then will go into a meeting of its own.

National League President Warren Giles said: "I've said I'm in favor of expanding in 1971. But that's only my opinion. I can't speak for the others."

"I know this much," added Giles. "We won't name any new cities today. But I hope

to get some sort of a time table as to when we will expand.

The general feeling was that the National League will form a committee. The committee then would study procedure.

It will no longer be legal to make a deal involving "an un-named player to be named later." The action was taken before the National Association (minor leagues) concluded its phase of the baseball convention yesterday. The majors will certainly approve the proposal because it carries their endorsement as well as of commissioner William Eckert.

The resolution said no such deal may be made during the regular season. The only exception being an un-named player deal made during the off-season if the player is assigned

to his new club before opening day of the following season.

two deals of this nature drew criticism last season. They involved Baltimore sending Pitcher Steve Barber to the Yankees and the Mets sending Ken Boyer to the Chicago White Sox.

It was also revealed Japan is "greatly interested" in becoming part of the general framework of minor league baseball. Whatever action will be taken cannot come before 1969.

DECEMBER 31 IS PLAYOFF DAY FOR AFL

The American Football League has designated December 31 for play offs in case of ties in divisional races. Playoffs in either division would move the AFL title game back to January 7. If the New York Jets and Houston Oilers tie in the eastern division, New York will be the host team. If Oakland and San Diego tie in the west, Oakland will be the host.

BILLIE SPARKS U.S. WOMEN'S SWEEP IN VICTORIA TENNIS

An American sweep of the women's doubles semi-final matches in the Victoria Lawn Tennis Championships was sparked by Billie Jean King of Long Beach, California and Rose-mary Casals of San Francisco.

Completing the sweep in the Melbourne, Australia tourney were Kathy Harter of Seal Beach, California and Mary Ann Eisel of St. Louis.

COKES HURT IN WORKOUTS, FIGHT POSTPONED

Welterweight Champion Curtis Cokes injured an arm in workouts at Dallas. Cokes was scheduled to meet Eddie Pace in a non-title bout at New Orleans next Monday. Cokes manager, Doug Lord, said the fight has been cancelled.