

Eisenhower for Prexy? Politicians Want Him

(Editor's note: There has been recurring speculation in recent days concerning Gen. Eisenhower's status as a potential candidate for the presidency in 1952. In the following article, AP Special Correspondent Relman Morin sums up the latest developments.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 2.—(AP)—There was a sudden burst of smoke, and possibly some fire, on the national political horizon today, and most of it was blowing in the direction of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower.

The presidential conventions are still 12 months away. But politicians and neo-politicians suddenly began coming and going, rumors burgeoned from coast to coast, the smoke-filled hotel rooms were getting smokier and the pace of activity was picking up by the minute.

More Weather Diversions? Whether this was merely another form of warm weather diversion, like channel swimming, or a portent of some concrete developments, was difficult to gauge.

In any case, it was pivoting mainly around Eisenhower. The question of his availability as a presidential candidate, and his chances of winning a nomination, were absorbing people of all ranks in most of the 48 states.

Two weeks ago, Herbert Brownell, Jr., campaign manager in 1948 for Gov. Thomas E. Dewey—left New York, by automobile, on a long trip. He was headed for New Mexico, via the Carolinas and some other southern states.

Brownell's office declined to answer any questions about the trip. Lawyer On Vacation

The New York State Republican Committee spokesman said the lawyer was on vacation.

But other prominent Republicans said Brownell's purpose was to sound out sentiment respecting Eisenhower in conferences with party chiefs along the whole route. They said they would be "very much surprised" if he did not stop to chat with some southern Democrats, among whom a strong anti-Truman movement appeared to be forming.

Brownell will be gone for another month, the State Committee spokesman said.

To many Republicans, Eisenhower is still an unknown quantity.

Kindergarten Set To Open Sept. 10

Trudie's Kindergarten is scheduled to open Sept. 10 at 605 Highland. The school will be under the supervision of Mrs. B. A. Hardaway assisted by Mrs. William H. LeRoy.

Mrs. Hardaway received a Bachelor of Science degree from East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce with a special certificate in kindergarten and primary work.

New Chaplain Reports to BAFB

A Methodist Chaplain, Lt. John Harper, reported to Bryan Air Force Base this past week, it was announced by Colonel James C. McGehee, BAFB commanding officer.

Lt. Harper graduated from the Armed Forces Chaplain School at Fort Slocum, N. Y., on July 21, and then reported to Bryan Air Force Base.

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They claim not to know his position with respect to the basic issues of business and economics, which they consider even more important than foreign policy.

His announced supporters are busy explaining what, presumably, would be his position.

Eisenhower at Headquarters Eisenhower himself remained smiling and inscrutable in his

Rain Slows 'Boll Weevil'

Harlingen, Aug. 2.—(AP)—Ed (Boll Weevil) Keane got some rest today from his marathon cotton-picking. Rain forced him out of the field.

He needed the rest. His hands looked like uncooked hot dogs and are covered with mercurchrome, iodine and other medicine.

The flippant Harlingen disc jockey is trying to prove an idle boast made in a coffee shop—that he can pick a bale of cotton in a week. Disbelieving valley people have got together \$2,000 in prizes if he makes it.

Still displaying lots of style, the boll weevil had picked 109 pounds of cotton when the rains came at 10:50 a. m.

That brings his total of 635 pounds, some 815 shy of the 1,450-pound bale about which he bragged.

A three-man board of judges today ruled the rain was an "act of God" and decided to give Keane 12 hours more time. The judges gave him until noon tomorrow to start again—barring more rain.

St. Thomas Slates Bible School Aug. 4

Daily Vacation Bible School will be held at the St. Thomas Episcopal Chapel beginning Aug. 4 and continuing through the week. The last day for registration will be Friday.

The school, scheduled from 9 a. m. to 11:30 a. m. daily, is for all children between the ages of 4 and 12 years. Children of all denominations are invited to attend the school.

There will be work in three departments: Kindergarten, 4 to 6 years; Primary, 6 to 9; and Junior, 9 to 12 years. The faculty will be composed of six young people and two adults from St. Peter's Church, Pasadena who have been specially trained for the job at Camp Allen.

There will be a registration fee of \$1 for the week. Registrations may be phoned in at 4-9404 or mailed to Box 93, or to Mrs. Michael Krenitsky, Box 2324, phone 4-4281.

Local Red Cross To Aid Flood Areas

Donations to the local Red Cross Chapter were called for yesterday by W. L. Penberthy, local chairman to help bring relief to the flood stricken areas in parts of Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, and Illinois.

President Harry Truman has asked that local Red Cross chapters contribute five million dollars to the relief program.

Contributions may be left at the College Station State Bank or at the Red Cross Office in the Parker building in Bryan, Penberthy said.

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Education (Continued from Page 2) whole, would receive education. There is no one opposed to Federal aid to education more than I, and if any person could learn what I have learned from my investigation of the G. I. Bill and still support such a measure, there certainly would be something wrong with them.

I do not know how such a rumor started, but hasten to dispel it by this means.

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N. A. T. O. headquarters in Paris. Meanwhile, at home, a report circulated all the way across the country. It claimed that when the general accepted the presidency of Columbia University, he agreed, confidentially, to "renounce all political activity."

By terms of that agreement, he presumably would return directly to Columbia once his Atlantic Peace assignment had finished, accepting no political nominations.

Flat denials of that story came from some of the men who were closest to Eisenhower when discussions were held with him that finally took him to the University.

Taft Gets Support Those Republicans who are supporting Sen. Robert Taft of Ohio for nomination next year claim that he has made "long strides" recently in lining up convention strength.

They said he has gained support in Illinois, Indiana and Wisconsin, particularly. In New York and Pennsylvania, where Eisenhower has been endorsed by other party chiefs, the fact faction hopes to effect a split in both delegations.

As of today, most Republicans in both wings are firmly convinced that:

• Eisenhower will be a candidate for the nomination.

• He will butt heads with Taft at the convention.

• His best chance for the nomination will come if the Taft wing is convinced that only Eisenhower can beat President Truman.

• The President will run again.

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Adopted Texas Unit



When an "adopted" Texas tactical unit of the Fifth Air Force in Korea, the 27th Fighter Escort Wing, was replaced by a real, live Texas unit, the 136th Fighter Bomber Wing, the official flag was lowered only long enough for an official transfer. Taking part in the transfer are, left to right: Col. Albert C. Prendergast, Dallas, 136th Wing Commander; Brig. Gen. James Ferguson, Deputy Commander Fifth Air Force; Maj. Gen. Frank F. Everest, Fifth Air Force commander, and Col. Raymond F. Rudell, Buffalo, N. Y., 27th Fighter Escort Wing Commander.

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Marshall Situation Gets Tense As Monday Deadline Nears

Marshall, Tex., Aug. 2.—(AP)—The postman brought a mounting volume of mail to Marshall's tax-rebelling housewives today. They were also lined up for a radio program.

Mrs. Carolyn Abney, spokesman for the group, said they are "very humble and most appreciative" for what she called "an overwhelming

response, from the American people."

Congratulatory Letters She said most letters were congratulatory and supported the Housewives' stand that it is unconstitutional to require that they act as tax collectors for the government.

Mrs. Abney said today Sen. Lyndon Johnson (D-Tex) had told them he does not favor repeal of the section applying to domestic servants. She said the housewives had asked Johnson, as democratic whip, to use his influence to get the section repealed.

"Senator Johnson thus places

this personal opinion above the request of the Texas Senate, the Harrison County Bar and thousands of individuals who have requested repeal of the act," said Mrs. Abney. The Texas Senate and Harrison County Bar Association have passed resolutions asking Congress to repeal the section.

Side With Women Mrs. Abney said letters have arrived from 16 states, most siding with the woman. She said the housewives will probably appear on a program Friday morning over radio station KFRO of Longview.

The housewives oppose a new section of the Social Security law which requires employers of domestic servants to collect Social Security taxes from their wages.

The Internal Revenue Bureau says it will seize the women's personal property if they don't pay. Warrants for seizure are being held by the Bureau to give the housewives a last chance. The deadline is believed to be Monday.

Correction The Wee Aggeland Kindergarten is scheduled to open Sept. 11 instead of Sept. 1 as was previously announced in a Battalion story.

The school will be under the direction of Mrs. R. R. Lyle assisted by Mrs. A. B. Medlin. For information call 6-1464.

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