

Senators Propose Russian 'Freeze'

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., (AP)—Sen. Knowland R-Calif. and Sen. Humphrey D-Minn yesterday advocated U. N. diplomatic and economic measures against the Soviet Union if all other steps fail to end Soviet intervention in Hungary.

The two senators, both members of the U. S. delegation to the United Nations, stated their views at a luncheon of the U. N. Correspondents Assn. Both stressed that they were speaking for themselves only and not for the delegation.

A short time later Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Vassily Kuznetsov blasted the United States in the U. N.'s 16-nation Steering Committee for alleged subversive activities in the satellite countries.

The Soviet delegation appeared before the committee to seek support for a full General Assembly

airing of the Russian charges against the United States.

Knowland, Republican leader in the Senate, declared at the luncheon that the whole fabric of peace was endangered by the Soviet Union's refusal to comply with U. N. resolutions calling for withdrawal of its forces from Hungary and for the entry of U. N. observers.

He expressed hope that the Kremlin might yet abide by the decisions once they learn from their diplomats around the world "the adverse effect" their position is producing.

Humphrey proposed that the U. N. Assembly should first ask U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjold to go to Moscow to seek the withdrawal of Soviet forces. This, he said, might be more useful than having him go to Budapest.

Famous Last Words

How About A Beer?

By JOE TINDEL
"Let's stop and get a couple of beers."

This might seem like a good suggestion but it can turn into "Famous Last Words" for the Aggie suggesting it.

After two weeks of quizzes and anticipation it's natural for some Aggies to want to quench their thirsts with some "liquid relaxation."

Aggies, statistics show it's better to stay thirsty or drink plain water.

Here's some statistics that support the "plain water" theory.

In 1955, 37 per cent of all fatal accidents in Texas involved drivers who had been drinking.

Reports from 20 states show that 22 per cent of drivers involved in fatal accidents had been drinking.

Drinking drivers were involved in seven per cent of urban fatal accidents across the nation. Eight per cent of the total rural accidents involved drunken drivers.

Speed and drunken driving have united to kill more drivers than any other causes.

Driving too fast killed 62 per cent of Texas drivers involved in traffic accidents in 1955. Only 18 per cent of the total for 1955 were non-fatal speeding accidents.

Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department

of Public Safety, says that drinking drivers and speeders again will be the biggest problems during the coming holidays.

Those Aggies who can't keep from drinking on the road may have some help from the Texas Highway Patrol.

Garrison says that all available units of the Highway Patrol will be put into service during the holiday in an effort to slice down the prediction of 25 highway deaths during the period.

Legal persuasion for temperance on the highways can be quite severe.

DWI first offenders may be stuck with a fine of from \$50 to \$100 and court costs, six months driver's license suspension or three days to two years in jail or all of these combined.

Offenses after this may carry fines of from \$100 to \$5,000 and

court costs, jail sentences of from 10 days to two years or penitentiary sentence not to exceed five years. The judge may combine any of these penalties.

Help of this kind shouldn't be necessary if Aggies realize how alcohol may affect a driver's reflexes.

A normal driver's reflexes react to a situation in three-quarters of a second. Thus a car has traveled 66 feet before reflexes begin to act when the car is traveling at 60 miles per hour.

Another three quarters of a second is required for a person who has had a "few" drinks to react to the situation. In this case the car would travel 132 feet before reflexes began to act when the car is traveling at 60 miles per hour.

Add to these distances the space it takes to stop a car at this speed and at higher speeds and it will equal death or serious injury.

The odds are against getting home without a wreck if you stop for those beers, Aggies.

Why miss all the fun of the holidays in a cold grave? Keep away from alcohol on the trip home and if you want to drink you'll have plenty of time after you get there.

Brazos Drivers Set Death Record

Brazos County Drivers have set a new record in 1956.

The record is not one to boast about. Yet the record may be pushed even higher during the remaining days before 1957.

The record—is 15 persons killed in traffic accidents outside of city limits in Brazos County, according to records compiled by the Brazos County sub-station for Texas Department of Public Safety.

Highway patrolman O. L. Luther says this is four more deaths in out-of-city accident than last year.

Eleven persons were killed in traffic accidents in Brazos County last year.

Drinking, speed and improper passing were the primary causes of these accidents, Luther says.

Pick Up Aggielands

Students who have not picked up their 1956 Aggielands are urged to do so before the Christmas holidays, according to the Office of Student Publications, Room 4, in the YMCA.

Caroling Slated

Students in College View are having a Christmas Carol program Monday and Tuesday night at 7 between C odd row and B even row, Freddie Ryan, civilian councilman said. Any students wishing to join the group of carolers are invited to come, he said.

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Riots Sweeping Through Poland

WARSAW, (AP)—A wave of angry demonstrations and unrest was reported sweeping Poland last night.

Unconfirmed reports circulating in Warsaw said demonstrators attacked a Soviet supply train in central Poland and burned down a Soviet officer's house at Lignica, the main Soviet base near the frontier with Germany.

Miners were reported striking at Szombierki in the Silesian coal basin. They reportedly were pro-

testing Hungarian Premier Janos Kadar's dissolution of workers councils and demanding an end to Soviet intervention.

A similar strike threat was issued by 30,000 workers of the Cegielski steel works at Poznan. This plant formerly was known as Zispo and its workers were the core of the Poznan "bread and freedom riots" last June.

The reported attack on the Soviet supply train was placed at Kutno, an important rail junction between Warsaw and Poznan.

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Council Officers' Terms Expire

Civilian Council President, Sam Zuckero, and vice-president Freddie Ryan ended their terms of office last night in the Council's meeting in the Press Club Library, YMCA.

Both Zuckero and Ryan will graduate in January and they are stepping down so that the Council can elect officers to fill their positions.

The Council will hold an election at the next meeting to fill the vacancies.


Zuckero's position on the Council will be filled by the man who came in second in the last election for senior representative.

Ryan's successor will be named by the College View Council.

CHS Sock Hop Set

The A&M Consolidated High School chapter of the Future Homemakers of America will sponsor a "sock hop" dance in the school activity room at 8 p.m. tomorrow, according to Roseanne Phillips, president. Admission will be 25 cents per person and refreshments will be served.

The first annual SCONA (Student Conference on National Affairs) was held at A&M. This was the first of its kind west of the Mississippi River.



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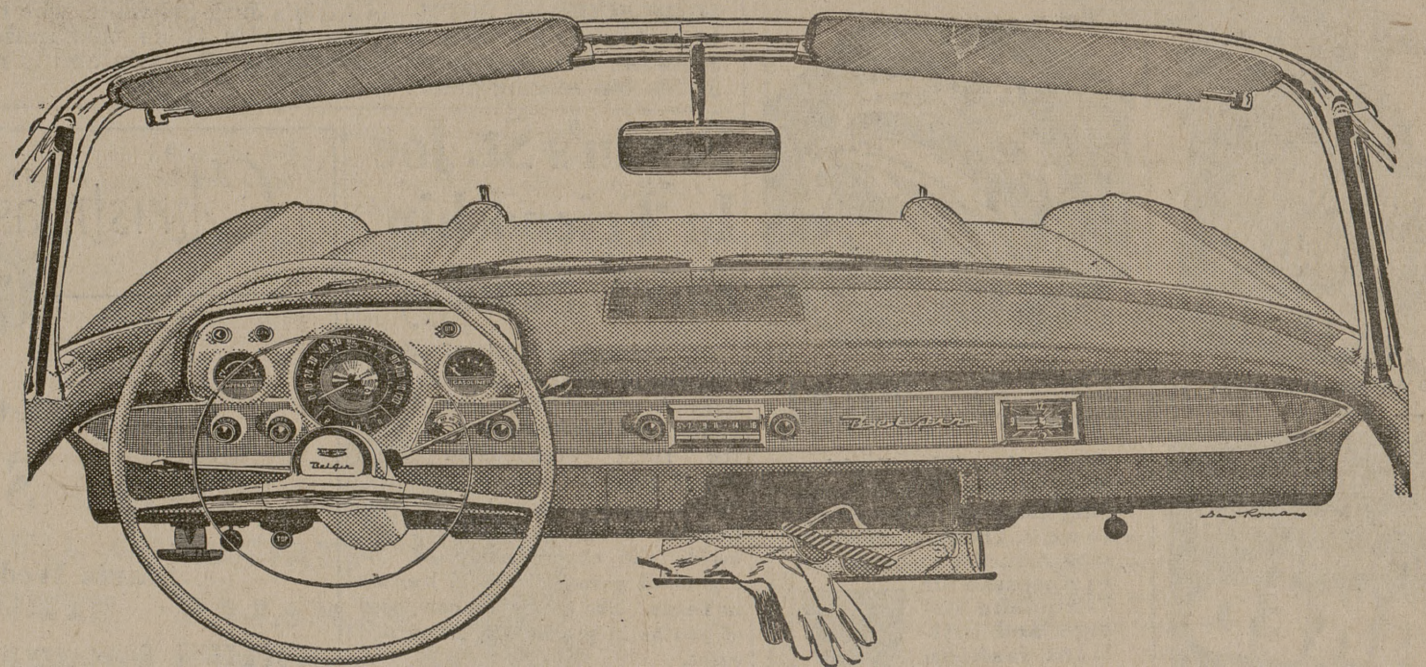
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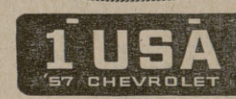
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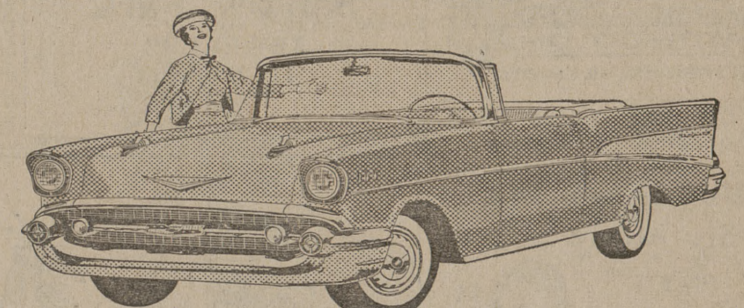


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