

## Plan Separate Pact Command

Big Three Agrees on Middle East Setup

By John M. Hightower  
OTTAWA, P. — The United States, Britain and France have substantially agreed on organization of a separate North Atlantic treaty military command in the middle east, it was reported Friday, when Greece and Turkey join the Atlantic alliance.

Diplomatic informants said this was an unexpected result of private big-three talks held here during breaks in the Atlantic council. The last of these was held Thursday just before the council, as the last big decision of its Ottawa meeting, finally voted unanimously for Greek-Turkish membership.

The conference ended in late afternoon. The next session will be held in Rome in November, and Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, NATO commander in Europe, is being invited to report personally on the progress and future requirements of his force.

### Surprising Speed

Secretary of State Dean Acheson, British Foreign Secretary Herbert Morrison and French Foreign Minister Robert Schuman were reported to have found agreement on major points of the new command problem with surprising speed. Gen. Omar Bradley, chairman of the American joint chiefs of staff and other big-three military leaders joined in the discussions.

The plan the three are reported to have agreed on tentatively—subject to expected approval of other NATO members and Greece and Turkey—would put Greece under Gen. Eisenhower's European command.

Turkey would serve as the keystone of a new command around which the powers here hoped to co-ordinate the strategy and armed forces of the key middle eastern countries, like the Arab states, even though they do not belong to NATO.

The contention of the military men is that the practical basis for such an extraordinary grouping of countries could be found in their common need for a joint defense against possible soviet attack.

### On Russia's Flank

The heart of the idea therefore is to forge a new and powerful military element on Russia's flank, to link it tightly with NATO through Turkey but not to be bound by NATO membership limitations in making it effective. The critical question now is what the reaction of Egypt and other non-NATO countries will be.

Before it ended Thursday the meeting here adopted a declaration warning Russia that the western alliance would not be split either by "peace moves" or threats and projecting a great new development of the treaty organization into foreign affairs, economic and social fields, the aim being to develop an "Atlantic community."

## Legion Not Backing Freedom Motorcade

Rainbow Post 2, American Legion, will not sponsor the Crusade for Freedom motorcade scheduled to arrive in Council Bluffs at 7 p. m. Tuesday.

"I called them Thursday and told them the Legion could not sponsor it here on such short notice," Emmet Tinley II, Rainbow post commander, said Friday.

It was announced in Des Moines that Eddie Jester of Des Moines will head the Crusade for Freedom caravan show. It will begin a tour of 60 towns and cities in Iowa Saturday.

The motorcade will initiate a drive to raise money for two new Radio Free Europe and Radio Free Asia stations and for increasing the balloon barrage into communistic countries.

### 100th Anniversary for SUI Student Newspaper

IOWA CITY, P. — The Daily Iowan, student newspaper of the University of Iowa, celebrates its golden anniversary Friday.

It was first published on Sept. 21, 1901, as a hand-set four pager formed as a merger of the SUI Quill and Violette Reporter. It had no official connection with the university at the start, being privately owned and operated. It was purchased for the university in 1916.

### State Tax Commissions Begins Reorganization

DES MOINES, P. — Several state tax commission employees have received dismissal notices in the beginning of a departmental reorganization.

The tax commission said Thursday it would have a statement soon on the general reorganization plan but did not wish to make any comment on the preliminary dismissals.

### Need More Women

WASHINGTON, P. — An advisory committee on women in the services recommended to the defense department Thursday that the present figure of 30,000 women in the armed forces be increased to 112,000 within the next few months.

## Mrs. Sally Harold Fined \$50 in Child Case; Plead Guilty

Mrs. Sally Harold, 55, 1417 South Twelfth street, was fined \$50 by Municipal Judge Allan Ardell Friday on a charge of contributing to the dependency of a minor.

Mrs. Harold pleaded guilty to the charge. She previously had pleaded innocent to a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor. This charge was dismissed when the second count was filed.

Mrs. Harold was arrested by Juvenile Officer Roberta Pettie and police on Aug. 30 at her home.

A 13-month-old girl found at the Harold home was taken to Jennie Edmundson hospital and treated for cuts and bruises. The attending doctor said the marks were caused by "beatings."

The child later was returned to its adoptive mother, Mrs. Connie Blum of Omaha by Nebraska child welfare authorities. Mrs. Blum is Mrs. Harold's daughter.

Mrs. Harold Friday said the child fell, "hit her head and mashed her mouth while trying to walk."

## 100 Missions for Sabre Jet Pilots

U. S. FIFTH AIR FORCE HEADQUARTERS, Korea, P. — Two Fifth air force fliers Thursday became the first Sabre jet pilots to complete 100 combat missions.

They are James E. Heckman, Chariton, Ia., and Lt. Otis Gordon, Jr., Washington, D. C. Both belong to the fourth fighter interceptor wing.

Gordon has destroyed one enemy MIG-15 jet and damaged four others. Heckman is credited with one MIG destroyed and one damaged.

Both are to be rotated early next month.

"I'd like to fly a few more missions," Gordon said. "But I guess I can do more good by showing some of the new fellows back in the states what I've learned over here."

Heckman commented: "It's good hunting up there. I'll be glad to get home."

Heckman, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Heckman of Allison, Ia., has the distinguished flying cross, the air medal with three clusters and the bronze star. His wife Margery lives in Chariton.

### Avert Strike of 4,500 at Farmall

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., P. — An impending strike, which would have idled some 4,500 workers at the Farmall works of International Harvester Co., Friday was averted late Thursday in a meeting between company and union officials.

## Loses His Appetite for Watermelons

Shotgun Pellets Hit Des Moines Youth

DES MOINES, P. — As attendants at a hospital picked dozens of shotgun pellets out of Lawrence Pearson's chest and arms, the 18-year-old Des Moines youth sighed and said: "I wish I'd gone to choir practice."

He explained further. He'd started for church Thursday night, but met some friends and decided to go with them on a watermelon-hunting expedition.

Young Pearson related that the boys drove to the farm of Homer Ballard near Carlisle. They found Ballard's son, Verl, and a hired man, Charles Wilms, on the watch.

Fires into Darkness  
Wilms saw them, shouted for them to halt. Then he fired into the darkness. Pearson was hit, the other boys ran. Ballard caught them, took the boys to the county jail. Pearson joined them there after being treated at the hospital.

"I'm not angry with these boys," said the farmer. "I guess we've all done things like that. But boys have been raiding my melon patch since late July. And I had to put a stop to it."

The boys said they hadn't tried melon hunting before but "al ways heard that farmers shoot over your head."

"I don't blame Mr. Ballard," said Pearson. "I've lost my appetite for watermelons." The other boys agreed.

They were Ronald Wurst, 18; John Thompson, 18; and Robert Gaston, 17, all of Des Moines except Gaston, who lives in Indianola.

### 7-up Company Short \$850 Cash, Checks

DES MOINES, P. — Police received a report Thursday night from officials of the 7-Up Iowa company that \$800 in cash and \$250 in checks has come up missing from the office safe.

Fred Mitchell, company manager, filed an embezzlement charge against a recently-hired member of the office staff but police had not located him. Mitchell said the safe was found open Thursday morning with the money and checks gone.

### Paint Lines

Special to The Nonpareil  
SHEENANDAH — Yellow traffic lines across streets near the city schools have been freshly painted. Slow signs have also been painted on the pavement near the school stop sign.

DES MOINES, P. — Des Moines police began a crackdown Thursday on persons who wait in front of a state liquor store and make buys from others. One arrest under the new policy was made.

## Two Chamber Tours Set for Next Week

A Logan women's group and Franklin elementary school students are scheduled for two Chamber of Commerce tours of Council Bluffs next week, it was announced Friday.

Twenty members of the Women's club at Logan will be given an all-day tour of local businesses and historic points Monday. The club will arrive in a chartered bus.

One-hour tours Tuesday and Wednesday will also be given grade school students from Franklin school.

## Crawford Is Hit Again by Burglars

Nothing Missing From Lumber Firm

Police Friday were checking an attempted break-in at the Crawford Lumber and Coal company, Twelfth street and Avenue B.

The company's safes have been robbed three times previously this year. The latest burglary was on Sept 5, when an office

safe was broken open and \$59 in cash taken.

Burglars netted over \$500 in February and \$364 in March from the company, police said.

Early Friday, Cruiser Officers J. G. Olderog and Sebastian Lombardo found garage doors open when they checked the lumber yard.

### Window Forced Open

A window to the office had been forced open by breaking the lock. Nothing was missing from the building, police said.

Police Friday were also checking the attempted burglary of the Iowa Liquor store, 33 South Main street.

The rear iron doors to the building were found Thursday

to have been forced with a bar. A lock was jammed.

Entry was not gained to the building which houses \$178,000 worth of liquors, said police.

### Reports Theft of Gasoline Engine

Walter Anderson, manager of a blacksmith shop at 612 East Broadway, reported to police Friday that a gasoline engine stored in a shed on a lot across from his place of business was stolen.

Three wires were cut on the rear gate of the lot to gain entry. The engine had been stored in a grain bin on the lot, police said. The engine is valued at \$120.

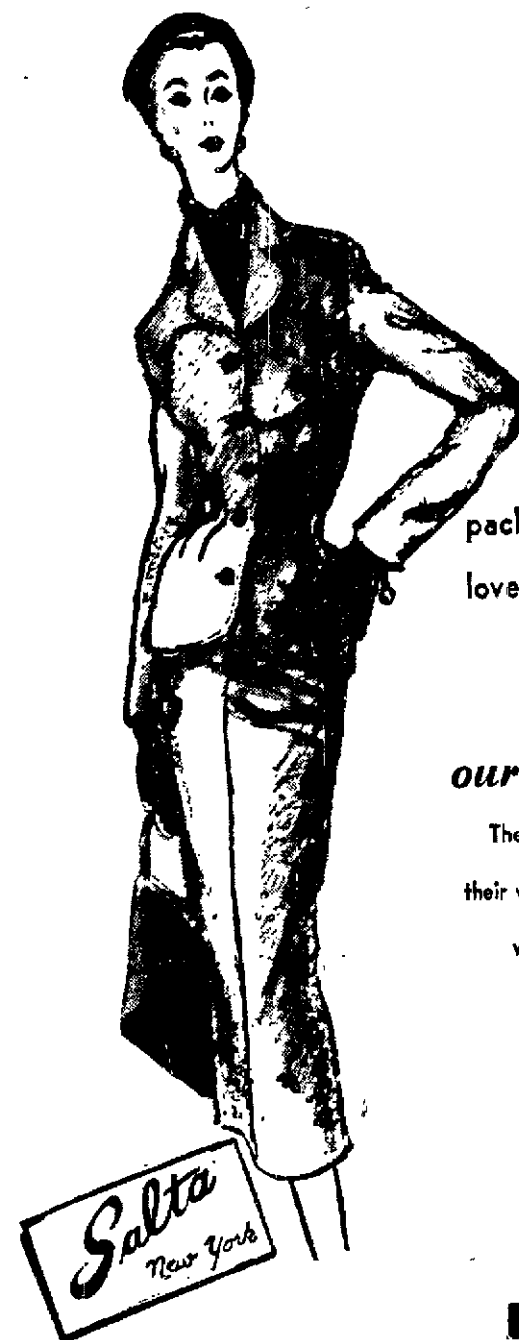
## Progress Report Costs City \$1,618

"The Council Bluffs Story," a 16-page tabloid showing the progress of the city in the first year of the city manager government, will cost \$1,618.75.

A local advertising agency blacksmith shop at 612 East Broadway, reported to police Friday that a gasoline engine stored in a shed on a lot across from his place of business was stolen.

The report was prepared by the advertising firm and published by The Nonpareil Sept. 10 as a newspaper supplement.

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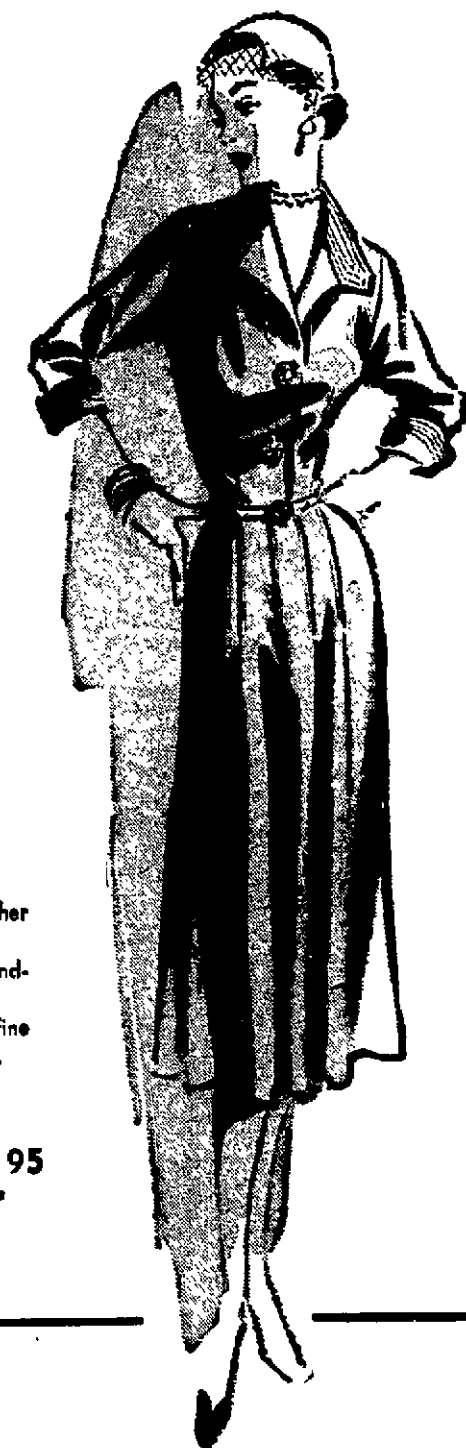
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