

Nuclear Surface Ships Sought By U.S. Navy

WASHINGTON (AP) — The navy, encouraged by cost-reducing technological advances, has urged that all of its bigger fighting ships be nuclear powered in the future.

If approved, this approach would be a fundamental switch from a policy which until recently has rejected atomic powered surface craft because they have been so expensive.

Informed authorities said Monday the navy proposal is

contained in a letter from Admiral George M. Anderson, chief of naval operations, to Defence Secretary Robert McNamara.

This would cover carriers, guided missile cruisers and similar big ships, but leave destroyer types in the oil-burning class.

The United States now has only three atomic powered surface warships—the 85,000-ton carrier Enterprise, the cruiser Long Beach and the frigate Bainbridge.



HAPPY WINNERS

Smiling election winners last night are Judy LaMarsh, left; Liberal re-elected in Niagara Falls, and Dr. Paul

ine Jewett, Liberal winner in Northumberland.

Dobson, a contractor from Riverview, filed his papers shortly before the noon time limit.

This raised to 105 the total number seeking the legislature's 53 seats—full slate of Liberals and Progressive Conservatives and the lone independent, The House standing at dissolution: Liberals 51, PC 21.

The last election in 1960 had

106 candidates, comprising 52 Liberals, 52 PC and two independents.

Liberal Premier Louis J. Robichaud and PC Leader C. B. Sherwood are contesting their home ridings, Kent and Kings, respectively. Mr. s. Elizabeth Coughlan, one of five PC aspirants in Gloucester, is the only woman candidate.

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BURNING GREEK LINER BEACHED

The 20,000-ton Greek passenger liner Brittany (Bretagne) is nosed toward beach by tugs in Ellis Bay, near Athens, Greece, yesterday

after bursting into flames on a shipyard. The fire raged out of control after the beaching. The Greece-to-Australia

liner was in the Helleno Shipyards for repairs when the fire broke out. (AP Wirephoto by radio from Rome).

Reds Aim At Control Of All Northern Laos

By TONY ESCODA
VIENTIANE, Laos (AP)—Pathet Lao battle groups battered neutralist troops on the Plain of Jars Monday in a campaign apparently aimed at giving the Communists undisputed control of all northern Laos. The neutralists abandoned strategic Xieng Khouang, Neutralist Gen. Kong La, a U.S.-trained paratrooper who fought alongside Pathet Lao rebels in the Laotian civil war, announced his men suffered a heavy attack after the retreat from Xieng Khouang, 110 miles northeast of Vientiane.

A former source said the garrison fell back 28 miles to the Plain, presumably to join the bulk of Kong La's forces based on that plateau land adjoining Communist North Viet Nam.

These informants said North Vietnamese troops were reported fighting against the neutralists, though Laos has been officially limited for all foreign troops since last fall.

APPEALS FOR UNITY
Neutralist Premier Souvanna Phouma, confirming the setback, appealed for an end to "tragically useless partisan passions" and for unity of all Laotians. He spoke at the funeral of Foreign Minister Quinim Pholsena, a neutralist who was assassinated last week by a neutralist soldier.

The Pathet Lao offensive came less than nine months after a 14-nation conference in Geneva agreed on a treaty pledging Laos independence and neutrality.

Prominent Candidates Win, Lose

By THE CANADIAN PRESS
How prominent candidates fared in Monday's election:

Liberal Richard Cashin, whose narrow victory in the 1963 election was later ruled void, elected in St. John's West.

Fisheries Minister J. Angus MacLean re-elected in Queen's. Former Liberal immigration minister J. W. Pickersgill re-elected in Bonaville - Twillingate.

H. J. Robichaud, Liberal member since 1953, re-elected in Gloucester.

Revenue Minister Hugh John Flemming, former New Brunswick premier, re-elected in Victoria-Carleton.

Judy LaMarsh, who headed the Liberals' controversial truth squad, re-elected in Niagara Falls.

Walter Gordon, 57, chairman of the Liberal national campaign committee, returned in Toronto Davenport.

Paul Martin, health minister in the last liberal government, victor in Essex East for a ninth straight term.

Mr. Martin's associate defence minister when the Liberals were defeated in 1957, succeeded again in Toronto Trinity.

Mitchell Sharp, 51, former deputy trade minister, elected in Toronto Eglinton.

Leslie Morris, national leader of the Communist party, beaten by a wife martyr in Toronto Trinity.

Maurice Sanguin, chief organizer of the 1960 Quebec election campaign that put Premier Jean Lesage's provincial government in power, elected in Ile-de-la-Madeleine for the Liberals.

Real Canote, deputy Social Credit leader, re-elected in Villeneuve.

Red Kelly, hockey centre with Toronto Maple Leafs, a repeat winner in York West for the Liberals.

Douglas Fisher, New Democrat who played the giant-killing role by toppling the late C. D. Howe in the 1957 election, re-elected in Port Arthur.

Liberal Leader Lester B. Pearson re-elected in Algoma East.

Montreal — Gerard Pigeard, New Democratic Party leader in Quebec, beaten in Montreal Mercier in his first bid for a House of Commons seat.

Yvon Dupuis, who campaigned throughout Quebec as one of the chief Liberal spokesmen, re-elected in St. Jean-Berville-Naperville.

Gilles Gregoire, prominent Social Credit spokesman, re-elected in Lapointe.

Charles M. Drury, former deputy minister of national defence, re-elected as Liberal candidate in Montreal St. Antoine-Westmount.

Frank McGeie, named to the cabinet only last month as a minister without portfolio defeated in York Scarborough where in 1958 he had posted the biggest majority in Canadian history.

Yugoslavia Gets New Constitution

By BORIS BOSKOVIC
BELGRADE (AP)—The Yugoslav federal parliament unanimously adopted a new constitution Sunday which makes Marshal Tito president for life and secures Communist party control of the country.

The constitution went into effect immediately after two years of commission work and country-wide discussion which produced 300,000 proposals to amend its first draft.

The two houses of the parliament separately adopted the constitution. From a joint session, televised throughout the country, was called at which the new constitution formally announced the parliament dissolved. Elections for the new parliament have been scheduled for June.

This attended the joint session. He has been the country's leader since the Second World War and was elected president in 1953, when Yugoslavia became a federal people's republic. He will be 71 next month.

The new constitution, which was framed in 1946-1960, brought the Moscow-Belgrade split — and drastically amended in 1953, five years after the split.

CLAIMS EQUALITY
Under the new constitution, the country will become "The Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia." This is the Yugoslav way of saying it has advanced as far as the Soviet Union on the road to communism and farther than Moscow's satellites.

Russia now calls itself a socialist republic, but most of the other Communist countries stick to the designation "people's republic." In Marxist thinking, a people's republic is only the first step to communism, the second is a socialist republic.

EAST BALTIC
Miss Eileen Chapman, Charlottetown spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Chapman, Black Point.

Mrs. Charles Chang was hostess to the members of the Red Point Women's Institute last week.

Miss Judy Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rose is a patient in the Souris Hospital.

Mrs. John MacKie and family, Howe Bay visited with Mrs. MacKie's sister Mrs. Irving Robertson, Kingsboro.

Gus Mallard, North Lake is a patient in the Souris Hospital.

Mrs. Arnett Robertson was a recent hostess to the members of Kingsboro Women's Institute.

KINGSBORO

A large number from this area attended the play "The Wayward Kiss" written by Edward Clinton, Souris and presented recently in St. Mary's hall by the Souris Dramatic Club. Charles MacPhee Jr., Little Harbour, was featured in the leading role.

Little Miss Judy Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rose, East Baltic is ill in the Souris Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Aitken, Charlottetown were Sunday visitors to Souris.

Besswell Robertson, Munn's Road has been a visitor to Charlottetown on several occasions recently where he received medical attention, and X-rays.

A number from this community attended the funeral of Frank Poole, Souris on Sunday March 31st at St. James United Church.

Gus Mallard, North Lake is a patient in the Souris Hospital suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Daniel J. MacDonald, M.I.A., Charlottetown spent the week end at his home in Botwell.

Wild gene and Robins both made their appearance in this area during the latter days of March, despite rather chilly weather conditions.

Russia Charges U.S. Delays Arms Parley

GENEVA (Reuters)—The Soviet Union Monday accused the United States of procrastination at the 17-nation disarmament talks here.

The West challenged Russia to disclose where it stands on the festering nuclear test ban treaty negotiations.

Soviet delegate Semyon Tsarapkin launched a violent attack against the U.S., accusing it of blocking the agreement by "piling up new obstacles" and by attempts to plunge the negotiations "into the swamp of technical and administrative details."

But U.S. delegate Charles Stelle related that since Soviet acceptance of the conference on-site inspection in January "the Soviet position on all areas has remained rigid and unchangeable."

A U.S. spokesman said after the conference session ended that Stelle and Tsarapkin will meet today in their capacity as co-chairmen of the conference.

"There is no doubt they will discuss the hot line," the spokesman said. Russia agreed last week to U.S. proposals to establish a "hot line" emergency communications link between the U.S. and Russia as a means of preventing war by accident.

LIKED TO HIKE
English poet William Wordsworth probably was the champion literary pedestrian — trekking an estimated 100,000 miles

Research Div. Adds Staff

Mrs. Audrey MacMillan Veniot has joined the staff of the division of research of the department of industry and natural resources.

Mrs. Veniot was formerly the director of 4-H Clubs for the province. She will supervise the division's program of community development and work out

SCOUTS STOPPED OUP
When local Nazis attempted a push in Lichtenstein in 1939, the attempt was foiled by Boy Scouts who broke up the Nazi meetings.

105 Nominated For N.B. Vote

FREDERICTON (CP)—Nominations for New Brunswick's general provincial election April 22 closed Monday with only one unexpected entry—an independent in Albert. Byron Alward

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5. Specially priced Rabbit with Egg in plastic cup. price 29¢

Prime Minister Was Early Voter

PRICE ALBERT, S.A.K. (CP)—Prime Minister and Mrs. Diefenbaker were among the first to vote early Monday at the poll in the tiny town of Chris Sotos, 75, peanut and popcorn vendor in this big Prince Albert town.

Mr. Diefenbaker then returned to his private railway car where telephone calls and telegrams poured in from across the country. One caller was Social Credit candidate Ken Soelheim, who wanted to meet the prime minister.

Then Mr. Diefenbaker visited his main committee room for a half hour. Workers were busy helping the electorate of more than 26,000. The Diefenbaker total last June was 18,223 or 71 per cent and the New Democratic Party ran second with 4,173.

He also spent a half-hour strolling along Centre Street.

SPECIAL NEWS RELEASE

The Easter Bunny said today he would like to bring this beautiful playbill package to all Girls and Boys. It has a colourful Big 6" Vinyl playbill and is surrounded by Marshmallow Eggs and Chocolate goodness, you can see in Woolworth's.

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