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Sundahl Is Executed

Put to Death for Ax Murder in 1950 of Bonnie Lou Merrill

By Harold Cowan

World-Herald Lincoln Bureau. 501 Federal Securities Building. Roland Dean Sundahl, 21, died in the electric chair at the Nebraska Penitentiary early Wednes-day for the hatchet slaying of Bonnie Lou Merrill, 16, in Columbus

Sundahl, who had remained steady throughout the day and evening before his execution, was brought to the death chamber at 12:03 a. m. by a half dozen guards. Ahead of him walked Warden H. H. Hann and at each side a minister, one the Rev. M. W. Deming of College View and the other who remained unidentified,

Hooded Before He had been hooded before he was brought to the room where the chair was set up and his righ trouser leg had been cut off at Covers Three Issues the knee for the electrode. Just before he was brought in he had had a moment of unsteadi-

He was strapped into the chair quickly. The Rev. Mr. Deming ing Korean truce issues is "about whispered to him for a few sec- the last offer we can make," Alonds and then the warden asked: lied diplomats said Tuesday. "Roland, have you any last

The three shocks he received were given about five seconds much in Moscow as in Peiping.

In New Location

The chair was in a new location, in the basement of the records The proposition was put forth in building, which meant Sundahl had great secrecy. Informed officials to walk about two hundred yards and diplomats privately agreed to the place of execution from his these three proposals, taken todeath row cell in the prison hos- gether, constitute the heart of the

The father and grandfather of the dead girl, Russell and Clifford Merrill of Silver Creek, decided

1. The deadlock over acceptance of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the strength of the Soviet Union as one of six "neutral" nations to survive where the strength of the strength of

against attending.

Miss Merrill was an employe of a drive-in cafe in Columbus. She was killed when she resisted Sundahl's advances on the shore of Lake Babcock near Columbus.

Last previous execution in the prison was that of Timothy Iron Bear on December 1, 1948, for the slaying of a Sheridan County cou-

The News in Brief of prisoners of war would be

Russians Say French Plane Violated Zone Ex-Ministers Active Politically town for Parliament Debate Tribe Chief Seretse Permanently Deposed Three-Nation Pacific Pact Takes Effect

National

Judge Rules Truman Steel Seizure Illegal U. N. Package Deal on Korean Issues "Last Offer" Roosevelt, Willkie Wanted New Butler to Ask Return of Steel

tions Noted on Tour 13 State

Natural Gas Area "May Be Major Field" State Road Workers to Get Pay

to Rural Appraisers 28 Local No Excuse for Missouri Flood Says Peterson Cudahy President Hoffman to

Flooded Dairymen to Get Tips Two-Panel Discussion on Intolerance at Omaha U.

Sports

Markets and Financial Scleet Rail Stocks Rally..... 35 armistice in Korea, U. S. Steel Net Shows Decrease 35 The Reds gave

Miscellaneous Amusements 20 sions agreed upon Sunday.

Special Writers Hal Boyle 18 Chicago Tribune Press Service George Dixon 18 gation. Merryle S. Rukeyser 18 out divorce.

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Of clean persons, perfectly healthy, at least half have fields of growing yeast. They are invisible, they live mostly between shoulder blades, between

toes and in armpits, This skin yeast study was reported to the Society of American Bacteriologists Tuesday by Drs. C. E. Skinner, G. H. Con-nell and R. M. Hurd, of the State College of Washington, Pullman, Wash. The work was supported by the Office of Naval

Research. They found 20 different species of yeasts growing on human skin. None was known to cause any disease. No body odor has yet been found from any. Whence we get these yeasts is

other place the scientists looked

except skin. Apparently these yeasts are individualistic. Scrub one of them off today, and in a few days you may find identically

again. They apparently live in pores or sweat glands. They are not just chance pickups. There is some reason still unknown why

The skin yeasts have not been tled up with either disease or

U. N. Package Is 'Last Offer'

Now Deadlocked Washington (AP)-The United Nations' package deal on remain-

Whether it will lead to an armi-The reply was muffled and the the Communist response and on warden said Sundahl had replied decisions which American officials stice or a breakdown depends on

apart. The executioner was unseen and unidentified in accordance deadlocked problems was laid before the Reds Sunday at Panmunjom by Allied truce negotiators Dr. B. A. Finkle, prison physician, then stepped forward and pronounced the prisoner dead at 12.06 a.m.

Hope for Offer

1. The deadlock over acceptpervise a truce should be broken by reducing the total of nations from six to four.

Under the plan, the Reds would eliminate Russia from their list of nominees, and the U. N. forces would eliminate one nominee also. 2. The U. N. proposal for a

For Wednesday, April 30, 1952 solved by Red acceptance of the United Nations principle of non-

nist soldiers and civilians would not object to repatriation.

The American, British and other Allied Governments hope the Reds will accept these terms or make some counter offer of a sufficiently serious nature to warrant is a director of the American Meat careful study.

Chances Even of a meaningless continuation of civic affairs. negotiations without any hope of

made several months ago. This is meat department. made several months ago. This is to the effect that if war can be halted by an armistice in Korea the chances are very slight the Minn., before becoming manager of the chances are very slight the Minn., before becoming manager of the chances are very slight the Minn. The description of the restaurant witchen the restaurant, oper-powers.

It also voted to proceed "with all possible speed" to get bids for Minn. Reply to Russian Reds will ever seek to resume it. the Boston sales district in 1930.

U. N. Prisoner Plan

Called Preposterous

sessions in the Korean peace talks, since 1936. Peiping's Communist newspaper

from Experts 10 Peoples Daily was quoted here as messenger boy to president of his describing the American demands firm: "Do the work assigned to you as "preposterous," "horrible" and and a little bit more—and do it "bloody," and said they were designed to make use of Chinese 8 as "preposterous,"

delegates Wednesday stood by for Fredonia. Communist reaction to a new secret proposal for completing an

The Reds gave no indication Swine Market Turns Upward. . 34 when they would ask for resumption of the off-record plenary ses-

In Double Trouble

Dr. Herman Bundesen 32 Chicago, Ill.—Robert E. Nagel, to four-inch coat of asphalt. Bob Considine 18 ed Tuesday for posing as an agent Dorothy Dix 26 of the Federal Bureau of Investi-

Airport Board Votes a New Judge Says No Law Supports Lease to UAL

Means \$35,000 Yearly Income: System of

After almost two years of dis-ussion and a heated last-minute argument, A irport Commission nembers finally voted Tuesday afternoon to sign a new lease with

nited Air Lines.
This means likely payment of fees by United as soon as the lease contract is signed, and income of about 35 thousand dollars a year the future.

The 4-2 vote (with Member Tyles Standish refusing to vote)

Right Wanted

tract. Glenn Voyles read a report Thursday. the right to renegotiate if United be consideration of a motion by operates "other than propeller-driven" planes from the field, or asks the commission to improve the field.

State the first order of business with the consideration of a motion by Representative Keating (Rep., N. Y.) which would send the resolutions to a subcommittee for heartings.

Mr. Standish and Wayne Selby argued against the 10-year lease.
Mr. Standish did so on the grounds that it contradicted an opinion by former City Solicitor Edward Sklenicka that the commission could not contract for the House floor.

Mr. Celler declared if the Keating motion, which he opposes, is approved, he will feel compelled eventually to submit the entire question of the President's action to the House floor.

The Administration leader told. onger than six years.

Mr. Selby opposed it "mainly newsmen he will fight the Keating on a basis of good business." He said it was not wise to enter a should be taken now which would 10-year contract "in a business serve to cleave the nation."

Mr. Celler similarly condemned

Old Lease 50 Years

ear lease. United has been operating under Cudahy Head

Retiring Soon Reserve Voyles, Walter Spellman, Messrs Voyles, Walter Spellman, Mich has faced the American people in 90 years."

He said he agreed to the two-day delay on his motion because the committee resport. Messrs Selby and Herbert the committee had other scheduler.

Hoffman to Remain in Advisory Capacity

The discounts granted United—and they will also apply to Mid-Continent Airlines—are 15 per cent on all landing weights between 15 and 30 million pounds a month and 20 per cent for weights over 30 money for such executive actions, another would censure Mr. Truplove of the meat packing firm.

Check Next Day

ban on airfield construction in North Korea during the armistice would be dropped.

3. The impasse over exchange of prisoners of war would be solved by Red acceptance of the United Nations principle of nonforcible repatriation, based on a survey of Red POW's in U. N.

This showed about 70 thousally

The president from taking similar and a third would prohibit a President from taking similar action in the future.

Those rates will go back to scheduled for late in May, But he will be retained in an advisory capacity for an additional year. He solved by Red acceptance of the United Nations principle of nonforcible repatriation, based on a survey of Red POW's in U. N.

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Washington (IP)—A Federal Judger ruled seizure of the steel i

Hoffman as president. The president of Red Wing is E. A. Cudahy, living a check for 52 thousand dolors. chairman of the board of the Cud-liver a check for 52 thousand dol-

enlarging the restaurant kitchen. This job, which Manager Lee Huff, Jr., said will cost around \$6,500. Later that year he was called to would clear the way for future New York Times Service.

day night, Mr. Huff said.

The Weather

U. S. Weather Bureau. Nebraska: Partly cloudy today, cooler east, showers east; high 60's west, 75 east. Iowa: Some clouds in west, high 85 to 90; low in 50's.

Temperatures (Readings taken at Omaha Airport.)

Tuesday's high temperature, 85; low, 54; mean, 70; normal, 57. Total departure from normal since Record temperatures this date: High, 90 in 1891; low, 29 in 1903.

Temperatures year ago this date: High, 82; low, 63, Wind velocity at 12:30 a. m.: 7 Barometer at 12:30 a. m., 30.06

The money would be used to re- 28; 12:30 a. m., 69. Missouri River level Tuesday: 15.7 feet; normal, 10.1.

Sun sets Wednesday at 7:20 p. m. Sun rises Thursday at 5:21 a. m.

Discounts Is Okayed Moves Asking Investigation Are Backed

llmost 60 thousand dollars in back House Committee Will Have Impeachment Showdown Thursday

Washington (INS)-The House approved a contract under which Judiciary Committee Tuesday gave United will pay 10 cents a month top priority to 10 resolutions dethousand pounds of landing manding an investigation of Presiweight of airplanes, but will get dent Truman's steel industry discounts when the volume exceeds 15 million pounds. A committee showdown on the

The main controversy Tuesday resolutions sponsored by Repubwas over the length of the con-lican House members was set for in which his airlines committee recommended a 10-year term, with said the first order of business will the right to proportion to the right to th

Mr. Celler declared if the Keat-

The Administration leader told

that changes as fast as this one the three impeachment resolutions offered in the House as a blow to national unity and accused the Re-Richard Hiller and Mr. Voyles publicans of "playing politics on countered that "this is simply ex-a matter as important as impeach-changing a 30-year lease for a 10-ment."

Agrees to Delay

Mr. Keating declared the House Mr. Keating declared the House group has a duty to act in the group has a duty to act in the situation. He commented:

"This is the most crucial issue which has faced the American which has faced the American

Yale Holland, United attorney, been running the nation's railroads In 1916 Congress passed a spe lars "within a day after the con-tract is signed." This would cover tract is signed." This would cover tract is signed. the period from mid-1950 through ure of railroads and other interbeen repealed.

> seizure, although three big rail unions are now starting a legal the Missouri River Basin wherever fight to have the 1916 law declared the need is greatest. in 1950 ruled illegal. That is the difference between \$127,089.80.

Stice will be gained.

The reported willingness to drop the airfield construction ban goes back to a basic policy decision made several months ago, This is to the effect that if when the ease department.

Two benefit dances are coming to was taken under a law passed by Congress; the other was taken on the basis of the President's presumed "inherent" or "residual" the ease do that the basis of the President's presumed "inherent" or "residual" the ease of the lease clause requiring six hundred dollars a month minimum on the basis of the President's presumed "inherent" or "residual" the ease of the lease clause requiring six hundred dollars a month minimum on the basis of the President's presumed "inherent" or "residual" the ease of the lease clause requiring six hundred dollars a month minimum of the ease of the ease of the lease clause requiring six hundred dollars a month minimum of the basis of the President's presumed "inherent" or "residual" the ease of the lease clause requiring six hundred dollars a month minimum of the basis of the President's presumed "inherent" or "residual" the ease of the lease clause requiring six hundred dollars a month minimum of the basis of the President's presumed "inherent" or "residual" the ease of the lease clause requiring six hundred dollars a month minimum of the total. The Dixiects are play-the total the total the total the total the total the correct the correct the correct the correct the correct the total the

Proposal Studied World-Herald Flood Relief Fund. Truman

company headquarters to take expansion of the restaurant and Washington—The State Depart-Omaha 2, Neb. London (A)-Red China Tuesday management of the dairy and poul-increased income for the com-ment said Tuesday that a draft of night charged United States de- try products division. Two years mission.

a Western Big Three note, answer- later he was made head of the mands for voluntary repatriation later he was made head of the mands for volunta of war prisoners "practically pork division and a vice-president, operation since April 12 and will for a German peace treaty, has wrecked" the basis of executive Mr. Hoffman has been a director not be operating again before Fri- been received here and is under

Lincoln White, State Depart-Britain and France were still con- Navy for use on its carriers. sulting on a joint reply to the April 9 Russian note. He declined "steam slingshot," is so powerful wind demolished a barn and chick-workers receive a contract based to predict when the reply might it can hurl jet fighters in the en house and turned a shed around. We stabilize to predict when the reply might it can hurl jet fighters in the en house and turned a shed around. We say the lighter of the lower than the recommendations of the be delivered to Moscow,

Chapman Will Request | dockside

Secretary Chapman said Tuesday tidelands to the states.

control over the submerged coastal Senate and House conferees. Mr. Chapman told a news conference he did not want to comment on the bill in hopes it may be changed before it is sent to the White House,

Precipitation: Total 24 hours, 0; total this month, 2.82; since Janu- Egyptians Deny Story of Shooting at Farouk

London (U.P.)-The Egyptian Embassy said Tuesday a report of an attempt to assassinate King Farouk in March "categorically and em-phatically" is "false and without foundation.' Radio News Correspondent Dan

WHEN YOU want to sell anything, refer to Want Ad Classification 38. Folks who "Want to Buy" advertise frequently in World-Herald Want Ads.—Adv.

Kurzman reported from Cyprus IF YOUR school needs new teachthat Farouk was shot last month ers for next year or now, be sure to advertise in Omaha World-Herotowatching want Ads.—Graduates are World-Herald Want Ads.—Adv.

The Soviet press professed to essenisister motives in the present tour of Near Eastern countries by an Army officer who unsuccessfully tried to assassinate the watching Want Ads.—Adv.

Martin Artajo.



Steel President Happy Over Ruling

Clarence B. Randall, president of the Inland Steel Company, looks at an Associated Press Wirephoto of Federal Judge David A, Pine, who ruled that seizure of the steel industry was

illegal. Mr. Randall, who had replied to President Truman's steel seizure message to the nation, said: "I have felt confident the Federal Court would rule the seizure entirely unlawful."

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and Democratic balloting.

Assured of 16 Delegates

Lodge Jubilant

Republican vote was:

Russell

top of a shed.

ies, however.

Are Likely Here

ture will be about 75.

At the Leonard Hall farm at the

At the school athletic field, sev-

Occasional showers are forecast

for the Omaha area today, the weatherman said. High tempera-

Showers also are possible to

Russians Say Franco

Used as Agent by U. S.

Moscow (P)-Soviet press commentators charged Tuesday that

the United States is using Gen-

eralissimo Francisco Franco of

Spain as an agent to enroll Arab

and Near East countries into its

defense system and make the

Mediterranean "an American lake."

night. Low will be about 47.

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List of donors, Page 9.

The help for flood victims pro-vided by The World-Herald Relief General Eisenhower, issued the fol-Fund for the Red Cross will not lowing statement shortly before tion is to obtain a stay to keep the state carriers. The law has never be limited to those in the Omaha midnight. with President Truman's 1950 rail Red Cross officials said the The courts have never interfered

got a favor from the Airport Com- unconstitutional or at least its use An additional \$1,421.30 was received Tuesday, making the total paigns.

> sponsored by the Nebraska Beer cratic vote was: and Liquor Retailers Association. Kefauver Make out your checks to The Elsenhower

Mail or bring them to The World-Herald, World-Herald Square,

Washington (U.P.)—A powerful ment press officer, told a news new British aircraft catapult will conference that the United States, be adopted by the United States edge of Beaver City, New Orl—A Shian naces and for the presence of tornado damaged two farms at the naces and for the presence of edge of Beaver City late Tuesday. Mr. Murray also declared that The British device, known as the

air even when the carrier is headed downwind or is standing at place the twister whisked off the dockside.

Wage Stabilization Board. air even when the carrier is head-First installation will be made

Veto on Tidelands Oil on the Hancock, an Essex-class eral girls were reported blown Washington (INS)—Interior carrier now being modernized and to be put into service in 1954. "slingshot" so impressed he will ask President Truman to Navy brass it is considering adaptveto any bill to give the oil-rich ing the catapult to the new flushdeck 60-thousand-ton super-carrier A measure giving the states in-stead of the Federal Government

lands is now being worked out by Women Voters Head Objects to Pink Label

Cincinnati, O. (AP)-Pamphleteers shouting "un-American!" at the League of Women Voters are hurting the organization, the group's president said Tuesday. Mrs. John G. Lee of Farmington, Conn., said an increasing number of organizations, all generally unknown to the public, have been trying to hang a "pink label" on the league. She brought up the point in her address to 950 delegates in their twentieth biennial convention.

Union Strike Is Technically Against U.S. Government's Attorneys

FIVE

Can't Seek Stay Until Jurist Signs Order Partial text of Federal Judge, David A. Pine's ruling on Page 2.

mpiled from Press Dispatches.
The CIO United Steel Vorkers Tuesday began a nationwide strike a half-hour after a Federal judge ruled that Presidential seizure of

the mills was illegal. There was no immediate comment from the White

United States District Judge David A. Pine, in a biting opinion, ruled that Mr. Truman's seizure order was "without authority in law or the Constitution."

Judge Pine struck at Govern-ment arguments that the President has broad "inherent powers" au-thorizing the seizure.

'would undermine public confi-

'Confidence at Stake' For the courts to agree to such rguments, Judge Pine said,

Lead Over Taft More dence in the very edifice of government as it is known under the Constitution.' Judge Pine's ruling also said: "The Government of the United Boston, Mass. (P)—Gen. Dwight States was created by the ratifica-D. Eisenhower emerged Wednesday tion of the Constitution. It derives as the runaway winner in the its authority wholly from the powpopular vote in the Massachusetts ers granted to it by the Constitu-Republican Presidential primary.

He piled up a clear majority of power authorizing action by any

all the votes cast as the returns branch of government."

rolled in from both the Republican 'Alien to Constitution' nd Democratic balloting.

General Eisenhower had polled that its declaration of a great na-69 per cent of the Republican vote tional emergency is "not subject when 1,125 precincts were counted to judicial review," Judge Ping

Senator Robert A. Taft got 29 said: per cent of the Republican popu-of government alien to our Consti-tutional government of limited "To my mind this spells a form

powers. Assured of 16 Delegates
The 1,125 reporting precincts assured General Eisenhower of 16 of the contested 28 delegates, and Eisenhower supporters were leading in the counting in all but one of the remaining districts.

Judge Pine Tuesday night nad not yet signed a formal order for an injunction against seizure. He plans to do it Wednesday when industry attorneys will present the necessary papers, the Associated Judge Pine Tuesday night had

Whole Basin ing in the counting in an out one of the remaining districts.

Unusually heavy primary voting was reported from all parts of the state, indicating that final tabulations until he signs the decisions until he signs the signs tions would be late.

Worcester, second largest city in the state, reported voting con-

tinued for an hour after the official closing of the polls. Hope to Shun Act The steel workers' walkout,

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., therefore, was technically against

and waged equally strong cam- Taft-Hartley Act is concerned, the

In 1,125 of 1,739 precincts, the Administration has refused to in-

"It was a political explosion of ministration officials believe the atomic proportions and may well USW then would end its strike imrepresent the greatest single victory of Eisenhower so far, as the This would get the Administracandidates were evenly matched tion off the hook insofar as the

New York Times Service said. The

voke the act.

'No Alternative'

Tuesday night about half of the 9,018 USW's 650 thousand members had 4,091 walked off the job. A complete 3,348 shutdown is expected sometime 1,293 Wednesday.

843 The walkout started when CIO-377 USW President Philip Murray

said Judge Pine's ruling leaves

USW members "no alternative

but to quit work. British Catapult Is Hit by Twister Mr. Murray said arrangements will be made for the customary Beaver City, Neb. (P)-A small banking and cooling of blast fur-Mr. Murray also declared that northeast edge of the town, the the strike will continue until steel

New De Soto Model

Washington (AP)-The Governnent Tuesday approved a factory wholesale ceiling price of \$2,600 There were no reported injur- for an eight-passenger sedan to be offered by Chrysler as a new body The tornado struck at about style in its De Soto custom eight.

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the same yeast growing there

we have these yeasts.

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of a common disease. antibiotics, but they have to be

studied with the others,

Mr. Hoffman . . . "Do it well:"

ahy Packing Company. Began as Messenger A native of Omaha, Mr. Hoffman 1951.

Institute and the Omaha National Airport Resiaurant Bank. Since moving his company's headquarters to Omaha from Chi- Receives Favor The danger of an ultimate break-cago two years ago, Mr. Hoffman One of the Airport's most profitdown, either openly or in the form has taken an active interest in able concessions—the restaurant-He began working for Cudahy in mission Tuesday afternoon.

Gives 'Recipe'

His recipe for climbing from

Street Committee

Backs Bond Proposal The City Street Improvement January 1, +266. Committee Tuesday stepped behind Street Commissioner John

Traffic Fatalities April 29-1952 1951

surface worn streets with a three

Deaths in Nebraska 84 Deaths in Omaha... 2 Deaths in Iowa 127 168

Hoffman to Remain in Carlson opposed it.