

Violence Stems Action

DETROIT - (NPI)--Government leaders swung into action across the nation in efforts to cool the threat of racial violence as outbreaks continued to plague the nation.

IN LANSING, MICH., Gov. George Romney put his personal and professional prestige on the line as he called upon all citizens to end the disturbances which have rocked this city.

Romney warned troublemakers that he stood ready "to use the power of force to prevent or halt violence or disobedience." Thirty-one persons were arrested and 11 injured during hit-and-run attacks by bands of young whites and Negroes.

Meanwhile, a pact between community leaders to decide whether to seal off a 36-square block area within walking distance of the capital building.

IN NEW YORK, the city's youth board director said he used the "good offices" of Brooklyn's notorious Gallo brothers to help quell the recent violence in the East New York section. Albert and Larry Gallo, reputed underworld leaders, aided police in calming Italian-American street gangs during violence between Negroes, Puerto Ricans, and Italian-Americans.

IN LOS ANGELES, officials were using a psychodrama class and a summer Watts festival as antidotes to violence.

The County Human Relations commission, in conjunction with the summer Teen Post program, was sponsoring a psychodrama class in its Leadership Retreat camp. Negroes, Mexican-Americans, and Anglo-Saxon youths attend the psychodramas, which are designed to get them to verbalize their racial feelings.

Racial epithets and angry taunts are shouted as the youths dramatize their feelings about each other. No one is personally offended, as the group dissects the reasons and tries to understand one another.

MEANWHILE, the Watts Summer festival was held in an attempt to mark the anniversary of the Watts riot in an upbeat, constructive way. The festival included a bazaar, art exhibit, and carnival along the street where rioting centered. Also held were a parade, a beauty contest, and two days of jazz concerts. R. Sargent Shriver, Jr., head of the anti-poverty program, served as grand marshal of the parade.

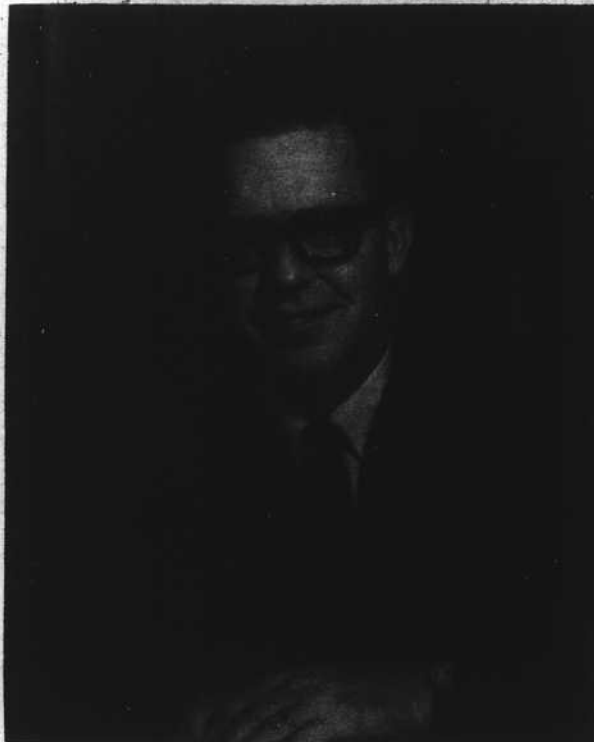
Head start programs have been brought into the area. State and county offices have been opened to expedite all forms of assistance. And the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce has started a vigorous employment program for Watts residents.

IN CHICAGO, Mayor Richard J. Daley announced the start of his \$105 million program to rebuild the city. The program will be aimed at rehabilitating 11 neighborhoods--most of them predominantly Negro. Daley said that "When we're through, there will be no slums or blight."

The money will be used to design apartment buildings to be erected by private developers and to replace obsolete commercial areas with new shopping centers.

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RALPH DENTON BARES BARING RECORD



Nevada Representative Walter Baring was accused of "hiding from modern reality and trying to keep his ultra conservative image by continuously voting against a raise in the federal minimum wage law."

IN A STATEMENT released by his Clark County Headquarters, Boulder City attorney Ralph Denton attacked incumbent Congressman Walter Baring's consistent obstructionist votes against all civil rights legislation that has come before the House of Representatives. Someone should tell Walter that times have changed. People can't live on \$3,000 a year nowadays, or will they tolerate discrimination because of skin color. I'd be happy to tell him myself...if he would listen," Denton said.

Denton was referring specifically in his attacks to Nevada's single Congressman's votes against the increase in the federal minimum wage law to \$1.60 an hour through a series of gradations from the present level of \$1.25 per hour. "Fortunately," Denton said, "some 303 other House members--including the real Democrats--demonstrated their concern for the worker by raising the minimum wage and rejecting the negative philosophy of Walter Baring and his ilk."

HE ALSO criticised Baring's vote against the 1964 Voting Rights Act, and his vote against the 1966 addition to the Civil Rights Act just this month.

"I suppose Walter Baring has the right to discriminate against some members of our society if he wants, or hold prejudice against them...but he certainly doesn't have the right to speak for the people of Nevada and say we are favoring discrimination or prejudice." And yet that is just what his votes in the House of Representatives said on behalf of Nevada.

He further charged that "Either this vote shows a real ignorance of the present conditions or a pitiful prejudice against some members of our society."

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WASHINGTON--Discovery of a mineralized area near Cortez, Nevada by USGS scientists that contains potentially significant amounts of gold and other heavy metals was revealed last week according to Senator Alan Bible.

Interior Secretary Stewart Udall advised Bible that the discovery "reflects our intensified effort to locate new targets for exploration and development by private industry."

THE REPORT, Circular 534, available upon request from the U.S. Geological Survey, Washington, contains preliminary analytical and assay data which show traces of valuable metals in samples of rock materials from a small area where erosion has exposed beneath the Roberts Thrust Fault, a major structural feature of North-Central Nevada disclosed by earlier work of survey field geologists. The recent gold discovery at Carlin, Nevada occurred in a similar environment.

Dr. Ralph L. Erickson, of the USGS team was in charge of field Geo-Chemical investigations and is the principal author of the report. He stated that prospecting with recently developed geo-chemical methods in the area also revealed unusual amounts of mercury, arsenic, antimony, and tungsten in certain samples.

Erickson said "We find that the identification of one metal in noteworthy amounts often leads us to companion metals. In our sampling in the Cortez area, we found that certain samples from an area of small quartz and calcite veins contained unusual amounts of gold and mercury. However, these are preliminary results from a small area." He cautioned that the economic significance of the deposit has yet to be determined.

BIBLE SAID the Geological Survey and Bureau of Mines have been authorized by Congress to undertake an accelerated search for heavy metals. He said administration officials and the Congress recognize that heavy metals including gold, silver, platinum, mercury, bismuth, antimony, tantalum and tin are in short supply and are being consumed at a rate far exceeding domestic production.

The bulk of the Survey's field investigations are being conducted by a staff assigned to a newly created branch of heavy metals, headquartered at the Geological Survey's Menlo Park, California West Coast Center.

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