

Party line hog pays \$210 toll

A Millburn woman, huddled in a blue coat, clutched her husband's hand yesterday as Magistrate Milton Freiman found her guilty of hogging a telephone party line while a heart specialist tried to make an emergency call.

Then the court imposed a \$210 fine on Mrs. Mary C. Zelinsky of 799 Ridgewood Rd. in Millburn Municipal Court.

But Freiman reserved decision on a co-defendant, Mrs. Jeanette Hausler of 51-A Mountain Ave., Springfield.

Charges against the two women were filed by Mrs. Catherine Hammerle of 63 Locust Ave., Millburn, after her mother, Mrs. Sophie Wetzel, 81, suffered a heart attack at her home Nov. 11.

She accused them of failing to give up the phone when a Newark physician, Dr. Marvin Becker, tried to call Beth Israel Hospital, Newark.

As a result of the incident, both Mrs. Zelinsky and Mrs. Hausler have been receiving numerous abusive and threatening letters and telephone calls from as far away as Florida, it was disclosed by Henry Spielvogel, attorney for Mrs. Zelinsky.

Spielvogel, who said the FBI has been called in to investigate the threats against his client, disclosed he probably will appeal yesterday's conviction to the Essex County Court.

Mayor John Roach of Dover, the director of the Moris Board of Freeholders, warned that the Port Authority's plan to seek approval for its plan in 1961 was aimed at letting the opposition die down.

"In 1961 they think there won't be as many people on the firing line," he charged.

But Frelinghuysen described the regionwide organization being built to fight the plan. He said it would hire technicians, engineers and public relations men to match the PA's own "slick" methods of presentation.

He explained that a citizen's fund raising arm would provide the financing, and he said that the association is seeking to enlist the powerful support of H. Bruce Palmer, president of Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co. and former executive chairman of the Newark Economic Development Committee.

State Sen. Thomas Hillery (R-Moris) declared, "We will fight this monster in the Legislature if the Port Authority doesn't change its mind." He said that support from Essex, Somerset and Middlesex was already assured.

President Eisenhower, with French President De Gaulle, waves to crowds on arrival in Paris (AP WIREPHOTO)

Ike gets cool greetings; Paris talks on today

PARIS (AP) — President Eisenhower came to Paris last night with a double-barrel objective—to shore up the West for its 1960 summit meeting with Nikita Khrushchev and to clear up the French role in NATO.

Eisenhower warmly greeted President Charles de Gaulle.

The President came by train from Toulon. The arrival area was cleared for security reasons. Only a few scattered cheers went up from members of the official welcoming party and newsmen.

There were no arrival speeches. An honor guard in plumed helmets

Security arrangements precluded announcements of Eisenhower's route from Paris' station to the Embassy residence. There were no crowds and only a few cheers went up along the way from persons who recognized the swiftly moving motorcade.

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'Venerable' rank for Mother Seton

VATICAN CITY (AP) — Mother Seton was proclaimed "venerable" yesterday, a step which could lead to the nun becoming the first U.S.-born saint of the Roman Catholic Church.

Leonas' wife, Elena, screamed, "I'm crazy, I don't believe it!" When Joyce Schuller of the UPI Iron Curtain.

Leonas returned from Christmas shopping yesterday and got the present he wanted most. A United Press International reporter told him the Leonas children have been granted permission to come from behind the Iron Curtain.

Nikita plays Santa for U. S. parents

CHICAGO (UPI) — Paulius Leonas greeted them in Leonas' real estate office with the news from Moscow.

Both Leonas and his wife were package-laden, but she said they were going out to buy some more Christmas presents—for the children—Ginas, 20, and Thomas, 17.

They told him they wanted their children to live here. Khrushchev promised the children would be permitted to join their parents.

LAST 10 HOURS TODAY—12 NOON TO 10 P. M. ONLY! OF ROCKFORD'S ANNUAL, FANTASTIC

Weather delays Khrushchev's Yule gift to Ike
BOSTON (AP) — A Soviet wait out had weather on a flight plane, bringing a gift of trees and shrubs from Premier Nikita Khrushchev to President Eisenhower, landed here yesterday to N.Y.

Russian agricultural experts who are to remain in this country day to Washington when some bad weather clears.

West Orange; Frank J. Majuri, 49, of 629 S. Broad St., Elizabeth, and Louis A. Larasso, 32, of 115 Donaldson Pl., Linden.

MORE TROUBLE

As the trio left the courthouse in Foley Square they were handed subpoenas to report Monday to the offices of the New York State Crime Investigation Commission at 270 Broadway.

Judge Irving Kaufman congratulated the jurors on a "most intelligent verdict" and said they had "shown the people that . . . federal agencies will not be defied or sneered at by those who consider themselves above the law."

Not since the days of Prohibition, had the federal government brought to bear such an assault against organized crime. And, ironically, although the government won conspiracy convictions against all 20 defendants, it never was able to learn what went on at the notorious Apalachin meeting outside a tiny town northwest of New York City.

NEW TACTICS

The government's tactics in the case represented a new depart-

Anthony P. Riela



Louis A. Larasso

