

O'Boyle Backs Lettuce Boycott

Declaring that the living and working conditions of migrant farm workers were "pitifully below standard" and "totally inadequate" Patrick Cardinal O'Boyle, the Archbishop of Washington, urged national support for the boycott of iceberg lettuce. Cardinal O'Boyle, often considered a conservative in ecclesiastical and secular matters, said the boycott could help more than two million migrant workers "achieve their basic human rights and take their rightful place in the mainstream of American economic life."

From the pulpit of the Shrine of the Sacred Heart in the capital, the Cardinal described Cesar Chavez, leader of the boycott and the United Farm Workers, as "one of the most dedicated labor leaders in the history of the United States, a man fully committed, as a matter of religious conviction, to the philosophy of nonviolence and the principle of labor-management cooperation."

The Havana audience included Premier Fidel Castro, as Miriam Makeba, the singer, announced that she had been granted Cuban citizenship. Miss Makeba, the wife of Stokely Carmichael, the American black militant, was born in South Africa. At the final Havana performance of her tour of Cuba, she said, "While I cannot go back to my fatherland, one of the unhappiest peoples in the world, I believe I belong to the whole world . . . I have many nationalities. I am a citizen of Tanzania, Sudan, Guinea, Algeria, Mauritania and since today, I am a Cuban."

In the bullring at Bayonne, France, Luis Miguel Dominguin, once considered among the greatest of bullfighters, was continuing his comeback. The 46-year-old torero, who had retired for 10 years before going back to the ring last year, was preparing to kill his second bull of the afternoon at Bayonne. The bull gored him in the groin and tossed him up on its horns and dragged him

around the ring. Dominguin's stomach was torn open and he underwent surgery. Doctors said his condition was "fairly satisfactory" and that he should be released in a few days. The bullfight committee awarded him one of the bull's ears, which was brought to him at the hospital.

Cheng Tzu-tsai, the Taiwanese convicted of conspiring to assassinate the son of President Chiang Kai-shek in New York, arrived in London in a coma while en route to New York under guard. Cheng, convicted of conspiring in the 1970 attempt to kill Chiang Ching-kuo, who is now Premier of Nationalist China, was flown from Stockholm, where there was a demonstration against his extradition. Cheng, an architect who had fled to Sweden after his conviction, became unconscious on the plane and was treated by a Danish doctor in Copenhagen. United States officials said he was feigning illness, but when he arrived in London, doctors said he was in a coma.

A campaign to bury an Italian-American carnival worker who was murdered 61 years ago was pressed by Representative Mario Biaggi. The body of Frezzo Conscep-

po had been on display in a glass case in a garage of a funeral parlor at Laurinburg, N. C.—where it was called "Old Spaghetti"—until last week. The parlor owner, and others before him, contended that the body could not be buried because no one had paid for that service after Consceppo was murdered by another carnival worker in 1911. Mr. Biaggi, a Bronx Democrat, has been searching for relatives of the dead man. He said yesterday he had begun a letter-writing campaign for burial and that he had written to Gov. Robert W. Scott of North Carolina that "I find this Roman circus exhibition of the remains of a human being ghoulish in the least and an insult to human decency and justice." The body has been withdrawn from public gaze, but is still unburied.

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