

AIRLINES

L.T. - *Olds*. Mon. Feb. 20 - '61.

A Federal judge issues a "Show Cause" -- against the Flight Engineers Union. Judge Jasper Smith, sitting in Kansas City -- demanding to know why the Union should not be held in contempt of Court. Last December, Judge Smith issued a restraining order -- to prevent a walkout by the engineers of TWA. Hence his threat to hold the flight engineers in contempt -- because of this wildcat strike, which he thinks violates -- his restraining order.

Meanwhile, the airlines are busy shutting down -- most of their facilities. TWA and American Airlines -- cancelling ~~all their~~ flights. Pan American doing the same -- except for ^{those} flights required by government contracts. Traffic at the airports -- virtually at a standstill. Layoffs -- beginning. Thousands of passengers grounded -- scrambling to find other means of transport. Secretary of Labor Goldberg --

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desperately trying to find -- a formula acceptable to both sides. So far, he hasn't been as successful as he was in the strike of the ferry and tug operators.

ADD AIRLINES

What about its effect on the flow of dollars abroad. Many Americans who would be flying home - have to stay on, unless they can find places on foreign airplanes. To stay on - means that they have to spend more dollars. Which isn't doing our currency much good.

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CONGO

There's an ironic twist -- in the news from the Congo. The U.N. command in Leopoldville had sent a letter to Kasai Province -- asking "humane treatment" for the six followers of Lumumba. It was in the ~~xxx~~ letter of reply from Kasai -- that we first learned that all six had been executed.

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FOOD - FOLLOW CONGO

One dispatch from Leopoldville ~~44~~ reminds us of a point about U.S. operations -- that is often overlooked. Subject -- food for the Congo. Humanitarianism continuing -- in spite of the violence. The work of saving the Congolese from starvation going on -- amid the clash of tribal factions. India's Rajeshwar Dayal ~~announces~~ ^{says} he now has built a stockpile of food. Most of it airlifted in American Globemasters -- from places as far away as Finland. This food, now at the disposal of the U.N. -- is being rushed into areas of the Congo threatened with starvation. Especially Kasai Province, which is full of refugees. So a lot of Congolese aren't a bit unhappy -- to have the U.N. around.

CANADA

The Prime Minister of Canada was at the White House today -- for almost three hours. Prime Minister Diefenbaker and President Kennedy -- in a cordial personal meeting. Reviewing the state of the world -- with reference to the Western Hemisphere. And reaching full agreement on the need for closer economic ties between Canada and the United States.

Mr. Diefenbaker has scoffed at the idea -- of Canada being anti-American. The joint communique issued after he left the White House today -- bears out his contention that the relations between our two countries have rarely been better.

SCHOOLS

~~President~~ ^{The} Kennedy school bill calls for spending -- well over five billion dollars. The money, to be used for things like -- building schools, increasing teachers' salaries, and college scholarships. On Capitol Hill the reaction appears to be -- partisan. Senator ^{by} ~~the~~ Democratic Leader Mansfield of Montana, calls the school bill -- "Excellent." But Senate Republican Leader Dirksen of Illinois -- claims it would cost too much. Democrat Adam Clayton Powell of New York -- has a more complicated reaction. He's for the bill -- but has an amendment in his pocket, ~~an~~ amendment that would bar Federal aid to segregated schools.

FORGERY

The British Government accuses Russia of --
forgery. Meaning -- a document published in Pravda,
which purports to describe a new British plan for Africa.
A plan -- to control trade unions. London, said to be
plotting to ^{rule} ~~control~~ Africa -- through the African Labor
organizatbns.

The British call this document -- "a flagrant
fogyery." And ask Moscow for a plain denial of its
authenticity.

PLANE

Vice President Johnson's private plane crashed -- only seven miles from the Johnson ranch in Texas. The Vice President was not aboard -- when the pilot radioed that he wasn't going to try to land at the ranch. The weather -- too stormy. He said ~~he~~ he was turning back toward Austin -- sixty-five miles away. Then -- silence. The plane, disappearing -- into the storm. The Vice President arranged a search party -- and stayed on the phone most of the night. He was among the first to be informed -- that the ~~wreck~~ wreckage of the plane had been discovered -- within walking distance of the ranch. The two men aboard -- killed in the crackup.

MACARTHUR

An old soldier was reminiscing today -- and making some predictions for the future. General Douglas MacArthur, receiving a "Soldiers of Freedom" award -- ~~and giving~~ ^{gave} his interpretation of how to survive in a dangerous world. A problem about which he knows something -- since he commanded ~~our troops~~ in the Pacific during World War Two -- *called by the British, the greatest general of them all in W.W.II.*

The chief point General MacArthur made today -- refers to the Korean war. The General, repeating one of his favorite maxims -- that a war must be fought through to victory, ~~or else we will~~ suffer all the consequences of defeat. His prime example -- the way the Korean war ended. General Mac Arthur, arguing that our refusal to meet the challenge of Red Chinese intervention -- allowed Red China to grow into the colossus that it is.

What about the future? General Mac Arthur

replied
~~said~~

with the brisk directness of a professional soldier -- "Let's not make such a mistake again, lest we perish."

MAGNET

Ohio State University has just unveiled -- a new magnet. Weight -- forty-five tons. Cost -- a hundred thousand dollars. Purpose -- the study of matter at very low temperatures. The magnet, exerting a force -- fifteen thousand times ~~of~~ that of gravity.

Attracting sub-atomic particles -- at four-hundred-and-sixty degrees below zero, ^{Dick} The physicists, tearing atoms apart -- with a magnet.

AMISH

Some of America's oldest families -- are going to move to Canada. They have names like -- no, not Vanderbilt and Gould. These families are -- the Shetlers, the Hershbergers, and their relatives.

Ohio Amish. They've been here -- since Colonial times. Now they say they just can't get along with -- Uncle Sam. Reason -- that law about sending their children to the public schools. And there's the question of -- military service. Both laws contradicting their religion.

Result -- a series of auctions in Ohio. That's the place to go if you want -- a few pigs, coats without buttons, and some rather primitive farm equipment. The owners -- won't be needing them any longer. The Amish -- headed for Canada, and freedom.