

More on the quest for peace in Vietnam: The White House today said Henry Kissinger will fly to Paris this weekend; there to begin Monday - hopefully, the final round of peace talks. The outlook is said, officially, to be good.

The U.S. is entering these talks with a "constructive attitude" - said White House Press Secretary Ziegler. And he added: "If the other side enters these sessions in the spirit of good will which has existed since October Eighth - we could expect a successful outcome."

Meanwhile, Doctor Kissinger was again conferring with President Nixon at Camp David; mapping the final strategy we all hope will lead to a just and lasting peace.

WHITE HOUSE

President Nixon has issued the usual Thanksgiving Day proclamation; observing that the scriptures have summoned Man to words and deeds of gratitude" this down through the ages from Moses at the Red Sea - to our Pilgrim forefathers - on down to modern man circling the Moon.

"Today" - he went on - "in an age of too much fashionable despair - the world more than ever needs to hear America's perennial harvest message." That message: "Take heart! Give thanks!"

The President also saying this Thanksgiving we can look back with special gratitude, across the events of a year which has brought more progress toward lasting peace than any other year for a generation", "A year that further inspires trust and confidence in the future. "Truly, our cup runs over," said the President. Adding: "For our lives, our liberties and our loved ones, for our worldly goods and our spiritual heritage - for the beauty of our land, the breadth of our horizons and the promise of peace that crowns it all -

- for all this, let us now humbly give thanks."



BUENOS AIRES

After seventeen years in exile former Argentine dictator Juan Peron returned to Buenos Aires today in triumph; well, almost. A giant throng of Peron supporters were heading out to the airport to welcome him home; but were turned back - by an estimated thirty thousand troops ringing the field. It was also raining heavily - which dampened the Peronistas' enthusiasm somewhat.

Nevertheless, an official three-hundred-man welcoming party did give Peron a cheering reception. He was then whisked to a nearby hotel - still under army guard. A nationwide TV address is scheduled for this weekend. Then, on Monday - a meeting with Argentina's current military President, General Alejandro Lanusse.

BATON ROUGE

At Southern University - Baton Rouge,

Louisiana - enter the F B I. The U S Justice

Department ordering a full investigation - into the

slaying yesterday of two black youths; ~~This - were~~

~~told - in an attempt~~ "to determine whether there

was any violation of federal law - ~~in~~ during the

confrontation between students and law enforcement

officers."

WASHINGTON

Former Senator Daniel Brewster of Maryland

- guilty as charged. A Washington jury finding today that he did receive an "unlawful gratuity - aimed at influencing his stand on postal rate legislation. He now faces up to six years in prison.

Brewster's co-defendant, former lobbyist Cyrus Anderson - also found guilty, now faces forty-five years! - for bribery.

COLOGNE - ESSEN

In West Germany, Willy Brandt stumped across the Ruhr today in his final campaign swing prior to Sunday's National Election. The Chancellor ending up at Essen - where he told the West Germans, "they never had it so good."

Meanwhile, opposition leader Rainier Barzel was hammering away at the inflation issue. At Cologne telling his supporters - "victory is in reach." Adding: "We will make it - with the balance of this nation's silent majority."

MIAMI

From Miami - the sad story of one Eustacio Rodriguez; who was arrested last week - for possession of six hundred Puerto Rican lottery slips. But wait - there's more. About a hundred of the numbers in question -- ~~hitting~~ it big in this week's drawing; with ~~potential~~ potential winning^s ~~coming to an~~ estimated at ~~50~~ fifty thousand bucks.

And thus an alleged attempt to buy back the tickets from police -- for twenty thousand. Rodriguez' wife and two friends also ending up in ~~both~~ jail ~~and~~ charged with attempted bribery.

GRAND RAPIDS

At Grand Rapids, Michigan a fall choir festival - with the nine hundred members of a local high school chorus belting out their final song, The Battle Hymn of the Republic. When First one keeled over and then another and then another. More than twenty singers fainting dead away - all but one of them girls; one of whom - actually required mouth to mouth resuscitation.

Doctors later blaming the mass fainting spell - on "hyper-ventilation" they called it, apparently brought on say the doctors, by "a bit of hysteria and a bit of tension." But one of the girl singers who felt only slightly ill offered a better explanation, Bill. There were so many girls who fainted said she - because "because there were ^{so} many cute boys carrying them out."

ERIE

Erie, Pennsylvania - a uniformed state trooper walked out of a local court ~~house~~ house -- to discover that a meter-maid was ticketing his un-parked police car. He protested. "I'm on official ~~study~~ duty" - said he. "Sorry, but you're parked over-time," replied the meter-maid. Whereupon the trooper noted that the meter maid's own jeep -- was illegally parked on a state highway; so he too, wrote out a ticket.

The cost to him: One buck. The cost to her - fifteen bucks. And as the trooper drove off - he was heard to remark: "Fair exchange." *and*

S-L-U-Mon.