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GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

The scene, New York's Hotel Roosevelt. The time, this afternoon. A crowd of some three hundred - waiting. Among them - Jacqueline Kennedy, attractive wife of the Senator from Massachusetts. Behind her newsmen loaded with questions. In rode the young Senator who is leading the race for the Democratic nomination.

First, an eloquent prepared statement - then, a barrage of questions. The candidate for President, handling himself with aplomb - skillfully fielding the questions; a few flashes of humor.

Senator Kennedy answering former President Truman who on Saturday, called on Jack Kennedy - to step aside. H.S.T. terming Kennedy - immature. And charging - that the Kennedy forces had rigged the Democratic Convention.

Well today, Senator Kennedy made his position clear. Saying - he believes he's ready for the presidency. Pointing out - that the American people have elected Presidents in their forties before. Kennedy, adding - he's had fourteen years of experience in Congress. Suggesting that he is not as immature as H.S.T. seems to think.

What about the Truman charge of - a rigged convention. Kennedy, noting that Mr. Truman's idea of an open convention - is one that follows Mr. Truman's advice. Kennedy, going on to deny that he knows of any delegates - who are being pressured by his supporters. Contradicting H.S.T. - Kennedy still confessed he hopes to have the former President's backing - if nominated.

So the Kennedy position remains what it was. He says he has won his delegates fairly - by going out into the primaries. Believes he will be - nominated.

~~He~~ Believes he will be elected - in November. ~~And he~~

Believes ■■ he will make - a good President.



## HAWAII

The American flag with the fifty stars is fly<sup>s</sup>~~ing~~  
tonight - ~~XXXX~~ over our fiftieth state. Raised in ~~Honolulu~~ - <sup>Hawaii today</sup>

amid impressive ceremonies. The place - Iolani Palace, <sup>in</sup>  
~~the heart of downtown Honolulu.~~

A squadron of fighter planes - zooming over head. Music,

~~XXXX~~ provided by - the band of the Hawaii National Guard.

The Kamahameha choir - singing, "The Star Spangled Banner."

An honor guard of service men - lowered the  
forty-nine star flag. Then ~~they~~ hoisted - the <sup>newest</sup> ~~spanking new~~  
versions of our national emblem. Old Glory - with fifty  
stars. The fiftieth, for Hawaii.

## QUAKE

Three earthquakes in the Aleutian Islands within the past twenty-four hours. The tremors, described as "major" - by the Georgetown Seismological Observatory. The earth, splitting open - with tidal waves rolling up onto the beaches. No word yet - whether there have been any casualties. Almost the only inhabitants of the area - are the Aleuts, an ancient race still living on that long chain of treeless islands - our most westerly possessions.

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## CUBA

More vilent anti-American propaganda coming out of Havana. Over the radio, and in the press - savage denunciations. This in answer to the Congressional authority given to President Eisenhower to regulate sugar imports from Cuba.

Meanwhile, one American Senator is calling for restraint. The new Senator from our newest state, Senator Hiram Fong of Hawaii, speaking at an Independence Day celebration in Philadelphia. Senator Fong argued that the behavior of the Cuban government is due to Castro and the fanatics behind him. But, says the Senator from our Fiftieth State, the majority of the Cuban people are still our friends, and should be treated as such.



CONGO

The new Congo Republic has suffered its first  
fatalities - ~~from~~ <sup>growing out of</sup> mob violence. Congo police, forced to shoot  
- in the provincial city of Coquil-Hatville. They killed ten  
- wounded thirteen.

It all started when Africans streamed into the  
city - armed with spears, daggers, machetes, bows and arrows.

~~Two~~ Two tribes <sup>over</sup> fighting for control ~~of~~ the new nation;  
Throwing up street barricades, <sup>and then engaging in</sup> ~~after which there was~~ a wild  
melee.

Security police - rushing up. Both sides - turning  
on them. The police say they would have been overwhelmed  
- if they hadn't fired into the crowd. <sup>in</sup> The Congo City of  
Coquil-Hatville, on the Equator. - ~~close to Civil War~~.

## JAZZ

And the bongo drums, are silent tonight, in Newport, Rhode Island. Officials of the jazz festival are asking four million dollars from Newport - for putting an end to the festival. The city fathers, retorting that Newport has had enough jazz; and doesn't want - any more. At least doesn't want - thousands of hipsters converging from all over the country.

This, the sequel to - the riot over the weekend. Jazz fans, starting a fight - with rocks, beer cans, and whiskey bottles. The Newport police - sending out an S O S for help. Whereupon along came the U. S. Marines. Result - over a hundred injured.



RIOT FOLLOW JAZZ

Also <sup>a</sup> ~~the~~ riot at Grand Lake, Colorado. - ~~was more~~  
~~serious~~. Two hundred students from the University of  
Colorado - starting a fire. Then attacking the firemen -  
who were forced to turn the hoses on them. The students -  
charging with clubs, cutting - the fire hoses - Smashing  
the fire extinguishers. Hurling rocks at - the fire engines.  
The mob - finally dispersing. Grand Lake, Colorado - cleaning  
up the debris.

## DELINQUENTS

The Senate sub-committee on juvenile delinquency - is not unanimous about the report it issued today. ~~And the dispute inside the sub-committee - is something we can be thankful for. Because~~ The report ~~is~~ - a harrowing document. ~~Something that ought to worry us - if it's literally true as it stands.~~

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This sub-committee report states that two million juveniles - were arrested in Nineteen Fifty-Eight. Half a million of them, involved in crimes so serious - they had to appear in ~~bank~~ court. The report, making a connection between juvenile crime - and the use of drugs.

Altho' That sounds ~~pretty~~ bad - ~~but~~ three Senators are not satisfied with the report. Wiley of Wisconsin, Dirksen of Illinois, and Hruska of Nebraska - claiming their colleagues have gone too far into sociology, And haven't allowed enough for repeaters. Meaning <sup>that</sup> ten crimes don't imply - ten juvenile delinquents. <sup>That ten</sup> All of the crimes <sup>could</sup> ~~may~~ have been committed - by one delinquent.

## ROYALTY

The King and Queen of Thailand, sightseeing in New York City today. King Rama the Ninth, and Queen Sirikit - flying in from Washington. Escorted on a royal tour through the city - before driving to Governor Rockefeller's estate, at Pocantico Hills. The Governor, host - at a dinner in honor of the King and Queen of Siam.

As for sightseeing - what do you suppose the King and Queen wanted to see most - out of all New York City's fabulous attractions? The answer - bridges. King Rama is a bridge enthusiast. So New York officials drove him across the Tri-borough Bridge. Then later in the day to the George Washington, and finally the new one over the Tappan Zee.

Dick, King Rama of Thailand apparently much impressed by the giant spans of steel and concrete across the rivers around our little old New York.



## BASEBALL

The selection of players for this year's all-star game - puts one rookie in a key spot. Ron Hansen, of the Baltimore Orioles - to play short-stop for the American League. Last year - Hansen was in the minors. This year - beating out slick fielding Luis Aparicio - of the Chicago White Sox. Rookie Ron Hansen of the Orioles - best short-stop in his league - according to the players, coaches, and managers.

The rest of the selection? You could guess - most of them. For the National League - Willie Mays, Hank Aaron, Ernie Banks, and so on. For the American League - men like Roger Maris, Mickie Mantle, and Minnie Minoso.

The best baseball players there are - getting ready to square off in Kansas City's all-star game -- a week from today.