

Thurs. Aug. 29-68.

After another day of ^{some} suspense in Chicago,

Hubert ~~H~~ Humphrey has ~~is~~ selected Senator Edmund

Muskie of Maine to be his Vice Presidential running

mate. ^{So it will be Humphrey and Muskie} ~~in the forthcoming campaign battle against~~

^{versus} ~~the Republican nominees~~ Richard Nixon and Spiro Agnew.

~~R~~ The battered and bruised Democratic convention

reconvenes in Chicago ~~tom~~ tonight to ballot on the

~~the~~ Vice Presidential nominee and also hear Humphreys

speech of ~~acceptance~~ acceptance as the party's standard-

^{Hb 1/2} bearer. Late today, Humphrey walked into the grand

ballroom ~~at~~ of the Conrad Hilton Hotel and announced

his decision before hundreds of newsmen. Said he "I have

come to tell you I'm going to recommend for the Vice

Presidential nomination a very distinguished ^{senator} ~~man~~

and one of the most able and experienced men in

government." ^{TP} ~~Humphrey~~ also said one of the his

unsuccessful rivals for the Presidential nomination -

Senator ~~George~~ McGovern - has offered his support in the

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campaign. But not so with Senator Eugene McCarthy, who has decided to skip Humphrey's acceptance speech tonight. In refusing to endorse Humphrey's candidacy McCarthy said: "He'll have to come to me." And ~~that~~ ^{he} ~~said~~ he couldn't support Humphrey unless his Vietnam position ^{is} ~~was~~ modified, ~~considerably~~.

Again tonight/police armed with night sticks stopped a movement of war protestors toward the Convention Hall. Members of the Wisconsin delegation trailed by hundreds of yippies, were halted after they had travelled about two miles through Chicago's business district. A bus load of police rolled up and blocked the sidewalk. The Wisconsin delegation's ~~leader~~ leader Donald Peterson, demanded to know why. Police told him "because you have no permit to march." Replied Peterson: "This is no march. We're just ~~talk~~ walking. It's a nice day for a walk." But the police officer ~~is~~

insisted - "it is a march." Peterson then ordered the column of marchers to turn back toward the Loop.

BLACKS

The third national conference in ^{so-called} black power, opening in Philadelphia today - bringing together representatives of six hundred organizations, including some of the most militant in the nation. White newsmen who went to Heritage House - scene of the conference - were turned back at the door by a man in African garb who told them - no press of the ~~Caucas~~ Caucasian race is allowed in, ^{The reason said he} ~~was~~ because of biased reporting in the past. Negro reporters, however, were admitted. Last year's conference was held in Newark, New Jersey, where both black and white reporters ~~were~~ were forced to jump from windows when they were attacked by delegates.

Czechoslovakia's leaders - both liberal and conservative ^{leaders -} are trying to form a new regime for their Soviet-occupied country tonight. ^{From} ~~And~~ reliable diplomatic ^{sources we hear} ~~reports say~~ Russia is exerting great pressure demanding that a one-hundred-fifty man central committee - handpicked by Moscow - be placed in power ^{to} ~~as~~ ^{rule} ~~rules~~ of the country. About a week ago in Prague, a group of uniformed Russians reportedly crashed into the office of Czech President Ludvik Svoboda, presenting him with ^a ~~this~~ list of Czech leaders Moscow had chosen to head a new government. ~~and~~ Today ^{was} the Soviet Press ^{is} warns that time is running out for Czech officials. ^{They'd better hurry and} ~~to~~ approve this Central Committee selected by the Kremlin. ~~While the~~ ^{Also today the} ~~while the~~ ^{President of the Czech National Assembly was} ~~was~~ ^{telling} the people that the nation's liberalization program would have to be slowed down, ^{This as he put it} ~~to~~ save the ~~country~~ country and ~~quote~~ "avert new human sacrifices." ~~unquote~~

MIDEAST

The ^{man who was} ~~former~~ commander of Egypt's air force,

^{today was}

sentenced to life imprisonment ~~today~~ - charged with

negligence in connection with his country's defeat in

last year's ^{brief} war with Israel. ^{PP} Even as an Egyptian

military court ^{was} sentenced ^{ing} ~~General~~ General Mohammed

Mahmoud, ^{there was more} ~~now~~ fighting between Arabs and Israelis

along the Jordan River.

Farther south in the Red Sea, ^{from} ~~north~~ of Yemen,

^{comes a}

reports from Sanaa, ^{the mountain capital that} ~~say several units of~~ the Republican

army ^{has} ~~have~~ staged a mutiny - attacking government

buildings and seizing ~~several~~ officials as hostages, with

Fighting between ~~the~~ mutineers and ^{loyal} ~~no~~ troops ^{continues,} ~~loyal to the~~

government.

TRASH

A mechanical engineer in Philadelphia has come up with a plan that could solve the problems of big-city trash disposal - and reclaim hundreds of acres of land; - both at the same time. And not only that, reduction of city air pollution would be a ~~most~~ welcome by-product of the operation.

Under Donald Kerr's plan, Philadelphia's rubbish would be packed into bales and hauled one hundred miles by freight trains to the abandoned strip mines in Pennsylvania's coal fields. ^{This way} The city of Philadelphia ~~stands to~~ ^{would} save more than a million dollars a year on trash disposal alone. - ^{They say} ~~because~~ it's much more expensive to burn it. The project would also benefit the Reading Railway ^{which is} ~~one,~~ now looking for new business since the anthracite coal fields are no longer as active ^{they were.} as ~~before.~~ And They have enough open mine pits ~~there~~ ^{maybe 100 years.} to absorb Philadelphia's rubbish for ~~the next forty years.~~

POLARIS

A submerged nuclear submarine - the Daniel

Webster -- fired two Polaris missiles, off Cape Kennedy, ^{today. The sub was}
and the target ~~some~~ fifteen hundred miles ^{out in mid-} ~~to target areas across the~~

Atlantic. ~~Ocean today~~ ^{This being} The sixty-first successful firing

of ^a ~~the~~ Polaris rocket ^{- b1} ~~λ~~ out of sixty-three launchings.

CALLS

After October first, the cost of long distance telephone calls at night and on weekends will be cut by as much as one-dollar-and-twenty-five-cents -- that is, if you're calling Alaska. The A T & T says a new rate schedule - filed with the F C C - will represent savings of more than a million dollars to long distance

those of us making

calls. Since part of our family lives in Alaska, this is okay with us,

WEDDING

Today was the day the tall, handsome Norwegian Prince married the shop-keeper's daughter - after waiting ten years for permission. But it wasn't the girl, nor the girl's father who caused the delay - it was Norway's social & Democratic government that wouldn't say "yes" - until ~~only~~ recently. So, with the cheers of thirty-thousand Norwegians ringing in their ears, Prince Harald and Sonja, the shop-keeper's daughter, were married in Oslo - for the Prince had told the government that if he couldn't marry Sonja, he wouldn't marry at all, leaving Norway with no heir to the throne. Which we suppose makes the shop-keeper's daughter a princess.