

L.T.-OLDS. FRIDAY, OCT. 30, 1959.

GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

The steel industry, today, accepted a proposal - for a conciliation meeting on Monday. Federal mediator, Joseph Finnegan - offering his services - as a go-between in still another attempt to settle the strike.

Monday is the deadline - for the Taft-Hartley injunction to go into effect. Sending the strikers back to their jobs - for an eighty-day period.

Today, the steel workers' union made its appeal to the Supreme Court, asking the High Tribunal - to toss out the injunction. Arguing - that the provision of the Taft-Hartley law, under which it was issued, is unconstitutional. The court, acting swiftly, will hold a hearing on Tuesday.

NEW YORK

Jubilation - in ^{the} ~~in~~ big town today. New York officialdom - rejoicing at the prospect of having the 1964 World Fair. It seems to be a sure thing - following the recommendation from President Eisenhower, whose Committee selected New York.

The Fair - will be located at a familiar place. Flushing Meadow Park - Where the previous fair was held, in 1939 and 1940. The facilities of that former extravaganza - still available. Which was one of the reasons why the Presidential Committee recommended New York.

Today, Mayor Wagner spoke in idealistic terms. Saying, the 1964 World Fair will be dedicated for the cause of world peace. "Which" said he, "will bring better understanding to the peoples of this earth."

Today's news dispatch from the United Press International is less ~~passionate~~ ^{transcendental}. Stating:-
the vision ~~division~~ of forty to sixty million visitors pouring into the city, caused as much joy as a rainfall of gold."

JUDGE

In Chicago, ^{today,} the Coast Guard ^{was} ~~is~~ dragging Lake Michigan -- the waters facing the city -- On the ~~xxxx~~ supposition -- that missing Judge Parkinson may have drowned in the lake.

Which theory was incited -- when Judge Parkinson's hat was found. The blue-black homburg he wore when he disappeared. A striking steel worker found a hat on the shore of the lake, and it was promptly identified. It is known that the Judge had a long-time habit of walking along the lake shore -- and it is thought that, somehow, he might have strayed out into the water. He was known to be in poor health -- and had been shocked by a fall down a stairway.)

However, the Coast Guard hunted in vain today. The dragging of the lake producing no result. The task, probably -- to be resumed again tomorrow.

REUTHER

The Moscow blasts against Walter Reuther continue ~~unabated~~ unabated. Soviet propaganda -- frothing at the mouth. Calling this ^{Vice-} President of the A.F.L.-C.I.O. -- a traitor and a turncoat.

Basing this on a letter -- twenty pages long, which the two Reuther brothers, Walter and Victor, are said to have written, when they were in Russia -- back in Nineteen Thirty-three. Today, the Soviet Press quoted a statement from the letter as follows: "American workers will achieve victory only under the banner of Marxism -- Leninism."

The Moscow blast adding -- "that same Reuther now comes out and slanders the Communist Party."

From Detroit, a Reuther statement -- that the alleged letter is a fraud.

MISSILES

Turkey - to have an American missile base on its territory. So announced - by the State Department in Washington, today. The Turks - defying Russian threats. Khrushchev warned them that they faced annihilation in the event of war - if American rocket bases were installed on their territory. But the Turks are taking the missiles, just the same.

U.N.

Today, the Political Committee at the U.N., finally -
voted a resolution to enlarge the membership of the Security
Council. After clearing up the confusion - when the delegate
from Communist Hungary pulled a boner, yesterday. The
resolution - backed strongly by Soviet Russia. But Hungarian
Delegate Hollai - voted against it. Causing - a sensation.
His vote - tipping the balance against ~~against~~ the resolution.

He explained - it was all a mistake. He got mixed
up. Demanding - that his vote be changed. But the Committee
Chairman, Charles T.O.King, rejected - the panicky plea.

So the argument was resumed this morning. The
argument of the Hungarian delegate - prevailing. He was
allowed to change his vote, and the Soviet-backed resolution -
was passed.

The Cuban Army Commander -- missing. Major Camilo Cienfuegos -- who was on an airplane flight in Central Cuba. His plane having crashed -- presumably. Castro himself, leading an air search for the missing Army Commander. Investigating reports -- of the wreckage of a plane on the north coast of Camaguey Province.

Major Cienfuegos -- a hero of the Castro revolution. An officer -- with much experience in the United States, where he once tried out -- as a minor league baseball player -- failing to make the grade.

During the Castro revolution in the mountains, Major Cienfuegos dressed in American fashion. At least to the extent -- of wearing a ten-gallon western hat.

ALLANBROOKE

In London today the publication of some sharp criticism -- of President Eisenhower -- when h^e was General Ike of World War II. Diaries of Field Marshal Lord Allanbrooke -- stating that Eisenhower was not much of a military strategist.

Allanbrooke, then the Chief of the British General Staff, wrote in his diary as follows: "Eisenhower, a pastmaster in handling Allies. Entirely impartial and consequently trusted by all. A charming personality and a good coordinator. But -- no real Commander."

On the other hand, these Allanbrooke diaries have nothing but praise for General Douglas Mac Arthur. Calling him -- "the greatest General and the best strategist ~~that~~ the war produced."

LAOS

The monarch with the longest reign in modern times - has taken his way to his next incarnation. King Sisabang Vong - sovereign of one of the most troubled principalities on earth. The Kingdom of Laos - threatened by Communist aggression.

He began his reign way back in Nineteen Five, and went through many vicissitudes - on the throne, off the throne. But always a King - for fifty-five years.

His successor - Crown Prince Sabang Vatthana. Who, in fact, has been acting ruler during the long illness of his father, King Sisabang Vong. So he'll just go on meeting the threat of Communist aggression; will crown Prince Sabang, Dick.

MEXICO

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