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From Attorney General Ramsey Clark -- a blueprint for violence. This in testimony today -- before the President's new Commission on the Causes and Prevention of Violence.

Lead-off witness Clark telling how rabble-rousers begin their work -- "weeks and even months" in advance, beginning with "skillful psychological buildups -- designed to create

apprehension." Progressing to "wild rumors -- promising immense crowds, traffic paralysis, rioting and looting." ^{Then} finally

gathering together ~~in~~ ^{including} ~~groups of~~ "tens of thousands; ~~among them~~

individuals intent on creating trouble " and violence, if possible.

On the other side of the coin though -- Clark asserting that "police violence in excess of authority -- is the most dangerous of all violence." "For who" -- he asked -- "will protect the public -- when the police violate the law?"

GUNS

After months and months of wrangling the Senate finally approved a gun control bill. Voting by a margin of nearly two to one today - to prohibit mail order sales of rifles, shotguns and ammunition. *This*

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After earlier beating-back liberal attempts - to require registration of all guns and licensing of all owners.

The measure now goes to a conference committee - to be squared ^{with} a similar bill already approved by the House.

ADD SENATE

A later witness - F B I Director J. Edgar Hoover; Defending the conduct of Chicago police and national guardsmen - during the riots that accompanied the Democratic National Convention.

It is perhaps true - said J. Edgar - "that some innocent people were the victims of unnecessary roughness." But "it is also true" - said he - "that the Chicago authorities were faced with vicious attacking mobs who gave them no alternative but to use force - to prevent these mobs from accomplishing their destructive purposes."

CHICAGO FOLLOW SENATE

Meanwhile, in Chicago - a press conference today for three leaders of the Chicago riots - one of them -- Tom Hayden -- co-founder of the radical students for a Democratic society, ~~who~~ expressed the opinion that ~~Re~~ "older people - are the chief enemy of mankind right now." Suggesting, as a possible solution, the disenfranchising of voters - after they reach a certain age.

How old - Hayden didn't say. But when it came to the reverse side - he was most specific.

Urging a lowering of the voting age - to fourteen. *Aah!*

FRESNO

On the campaign trail - Richard Nixon today encountered the noisiest, most hostile demonstrators - he has yet faced this year. ~~His~~ - At Fresno, California, where a group of farm workers attempted to disrupt a Nixon rally - because of his opposition to the California grape boycott.

When the commotion was over - Nixon telling his audience: "You don't penalize a whole industry - for some deficiencies that apply to only a small segment of it."

PARIS

Paris peace talks -- round twenty-two -- another effort today to force a U.S. bombing halt over North Vietnam. Hanoi's Xuan Thuy citing recent statements by U.N. Secretary General U Thant -- French Foreign Minister Michel DeBre -- also French President DeGaulle; urging a "complete and unconditional end" to American bombing -- as a necessary first step toward peace.

Speaking for our side -- Cyrus Vance, ^{Xuan} Telling Thuy that North Vietnamese attempts to "terrorize and coerce the South Vietnamese people" into accepting Communism -- are foredoomed to failure. "Abandon your intransigence" -- and open meaningful talks -- said he.

VIETNAM FOLIO W PARIS

On the other side of the globe - an awesome ~~dispa~~ display of American firepower. Turning back a human wave assault - on a U S paratrooper outpost ~~about~~ forty miles northeast of Saigon. At one point - the paratroopers leveling their artillery - firing point blank at the advancing Viet Cong.

When the ^(smoke)~~smoke~~ had cleared - a body count disclosing more than a hundred and thirty enemy dead. American losses - ~~no~~ set at four. By the way - this ^{is} the same base where the paratroopers lost forty-six men - in a similar attack only last week.

CASTEL GANDALFO

Pope Paul ^{held his} regular weekly audience at Castel Gandolfo ^{and made} ~~the forum for~~ a sharp attack ~~today~~ on Catholic dissidents. The Pontiff asserting that "a spirit of corrosive criticism -- has become fashionable in some sectors of Catholic life." To the point -- said he -- where some Catholics are looking beyond legitimate reform; actually urging "upheavals" in the church -- for "fear of being left behind in the movement of ideas."


Among those the Pope specifically denounced:
~~Catholics who have recently occupied cathedrals in Europe;--~~
~~critics of his ban on birth control;-- those who support~~
~~revolution to obtain social justice;-- those who take~~
~~Communion with non-Catholics;-- and those who approve of~~
~~so-called "inadmissible films."~~

ROME FOLLOW CASTEL GANDOLFO

Next up -- Dr. Albert Vun Den Heuvel -- a spokesman for the Protestant-dominated World Council of Churches, ^{who} ~~asserting~~ today in Rome ^{said} that the Pope's ban on birth control -- has helped the Ecumenical movement more than it has harmed it.

This -- said he -- because large numbers of Catholics -- have publicly disagreed with the Pope. Which means -- he went on -- that Protestants can also "disagree with a Papal decision for the first time -- without being in opposition to the Catholic Church."

Dr. Vun Den Heuvel adding: "It is no longer true that when Rome speaks -- the discussion is closed; ^{Now} when Rome ^{said he,} speaks" -- the discussion is opened." And that -- he concluded ^{is} "a positive ^{for the} Ecumenical movement."



WASHINGTON

*More on the same - from Washington; where
Cardinal O'Boyle today suspended six more priests --
for continued defiance of the Pope's ban on birth control.*

SIOUX FALLS

Here's one - an anniversary note. Recalling that architect Arthur Heineman built the world's first drive-in hotel -- exactly forty-three years ago this month. ^{What did he} ~~Calling~~ ^{Why a} it? a "mo-tel", thereby adding a new word to the English language.

Now comes a ~~new~~ progress report on the motel industry - from the National Geographic. Reporting the current operation of some sixty thousand motels - across the land; not to mention a few "boatels" in Florida -- some "airtels" in Texas - and some "horse-~~motels~~" in Ohio and New Mexico.

Perhaps the most unusual though - a "rotel" or ~~a~~ railroad hotel, for railroad buffs - in Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Where the rooms are converted pullman cars, ^{and} the attendants dress as sleeping car porters. ^{The} ~~with~~ crowning touch - the lonesome whistle of an old steam locomotive - to ~~kubdt~~ lull you to sleep.

Woo-oo - woo-woo! You do it, Warren.

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HELSINKI

Some people make news -- carrying coals to Newcastle. Others - selling refrigerators to eskimos. Still others - selling saunas in the desert; as is the case in the next - reported today from Helsinki.

Identity of the Finnish ~~sp~~ super-salesman - not disclosed. However, the buyer - King Hassan the Second of Morocco. Ordering one prefab Sauna - complete with eighteen sauna stoves - for his royal

palace at Rabat. Well, the King has asked an American to build him a golf course, ~~Well, that's one way to beat the heat~~ so a sauna for ^{Hassan} the King after 18 holes sounds okay.

BOSTON

Thurs. Sept. 19-68.

For the first time in memory - perhaps
the first time ever - a Kennedy was booed today in
Boston. Senator Edward Kennedy of Massachusetts -
drawing raucous screams and shouts from a band of
anti-war demonstrators, when he appeared with Vice
President Hubert Humphrey - for a giant political rally
at Boston's busiest ~~ix~~ intersection.

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Time and again - the dissenters attempting
to shout down the one remaining Kennedy brother - but
he refused to be stilled. ~~Teddy~~ Kennedy asserting that
Hubert Humphrey -- has been "in the forefront of every
vital domestic problem in the last twenty years." Adding:
"I have no hesitancy -- in urging support of the Vice
President for the presidency."

Then turning directly to the demonstrators -
Kennedy going on to say: "If there is any lesson for
Nineteen Sixty-Eight -- it is that there is no room for
anarchy in the United States; and there is no solution

to the difficult and compelling problems we face --
by shouting and screaming."

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Hubert Humphrey - next up. Telling the
angry crowd: "Your action here is going to disgust
the American people -- and it injures the cause of
peace." Humphrey adding: "The United States cannot
tolerate extremists - white or black - and we are not
going to."