

Tuesday, August 6, 1974

From Cyprus.....

From San Juan, Puerto Rico.....

From Washington ....comes today's news. Good Evening  
Everybody. This is Lowell Thomas.

As clamor in Congress calling for resignation, rose  
in volume today, President Nixon told his cabinet he has no  
intention of quitting - will stand and fight because he believes  
the Constitution to be the over-riding factor in his  
determination to stay in office.

Emerging from the Cabinet meeting Treasury  
Secretary Simon told reporters - the President, believes  
he has not committed an impeachable offense and does not  
want the tragedy of Watergate to obscure the  
accomplishments of his administration. And - no member  
of the cabinet recommended resignation. House G O P  
leadership has joined the Democrats in demanding his  
resignation - with some of his staunchest Republican <sup>supporters</sup>

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defecting to the other side, Among them House Leader John Rhodes and all ten of the Judiciary Committee Republicans who recently ~~also~~ voted against the articles of impeachment. ~~Notable among these are,~~

~~Wiggins of California, Huelskamp of Michigan, Sargent~~

~~of New Jersey.~~ ¶ The President, however, ~~still~~ has a

firm supporter in Senator Carl Curtis of Nebraska

who says the admission of with-held information should

not be the "controlling factor in the impeachment

question." Adding, "we should not panic - this

evidence should be ~~not~~ weighed along with all the other

evidence. We could wind up with a President and a

Vice President neither of whom were elected by the

people - and <sup>they he added,</sup> <sub>)) ^</sub> I don't believe Watergate is worth starting

the parade toward becoming a banana Republic." "

## ECONOMY

As the sentiment for impeachment gathered momentum in Washington stocks moved higher in active trading on the New York exchange. The Dow Jones average closed ~~seven and seven three~~ up thirteen.

Some observers say the prospect of a speedy resolution of the ~~Water~~ Watergate crisis presaged more governmental attention to the nation's economic problems.

## **KISSINGER**

**Stressing the continuity of American diplomacy**

**Secretary of State Kissinger says that no foreign**

**government should have any doubts about U S Foreign**

**Policy - because of the ~~assassination~~ impeachment crisis.**

**This, says he, applies to all questions of both war**

**and peace.**

# CYPRUS

Turkish troops - advancing with tanks behind

an artillery barrage - today drove Greek Cypriot national

guardsmen from three villages west of <sup>the city of</sup> Kyrenia. ~~on~~

~~Cyprus~~ A U N spokesman <sup>spoke of it as</sup> ~~said~~ ~~it~~ the most

intensive fighting since the ~~announcement~~ for ineffective

Geneva cease fire <sup>was announced</sup> ~~was~~ a week ago. The Turks ~~however~~

claimed the Greeks started the action and were

repulsed. Peace talks are to resume in Geneva

on Thursday.

## BOMBS

**A bomb exploded in the busy ticket section of Los Angeles International Airport today - killing at least two and injuring some forty others, three critically. The blast came from a row of public pay lockers, next to the Pan American ticket counter where passengers were checking in for Hawaii. Plate glass windows were shattered - and many persons were sent tumbling across the floor by the blast's impact.**

## DROUGHT

For the first time in ~~an~~ thirty-three days -  
~~rain - this time, precious~~ rain ~~fell~~ fell on some parts  
of the mid-lands --raising hopes that at least some  
crops may be saved. Weathermen call it a "gentle  
rain" - - the kind needed to ~~gradually~~ soak into the  
ground without much run-off. ~~And~~ It fell in Kansas,  
Nebraska, Texas and Missouri where crop losses are  
estimated in the billions. Experts say the rain may  
be too late to save most corn crops - but may be just  
enough to save the soy beans.

# STEWARDESS

A ~~the~~ federal judge says Continental Airlines must give Stewardess Carole Gerdon her job back - she was fired three years ago for being fourteen pounds over the <sup>Airlines</sup> weight limit, ~~prescribed by the Airlines~~

~~regulation~~ Miss Gerdon says she ~~was~~ was suspended on several occasions - sometimes for <sup>being</sup> just a half pound over. The Airline Pilots Association joined in

the suit - asking that weight standards be abolished

~~saying it's a mere~~ <sup>saying it's a mere</sup> ~~that it's only~~ management plot to ~~enforce~~ force stewardesses to keep <sup>that swell</sup> ~~their good~~ figure.

And now this mess -



## GASOLINE

A University of Oklahoma professor Dr.

Walter Ewbank - is out to prove that water and gasoline do mix and what's more - he says it permits his car to run smoothly and cleanly. He began ~~years~~ experimenting with the process nine years ago ~~go~~ testing mixtures that ranged from zero to fifty percent water and finds that a ten percent water mix seems to produce the best mileage - but not the least pollution. Says he -- "even if the mile<sup>a</sup>ge is a little under par, can't money be saved by substituting water -- which is cheap, - for gasoline - which isn't?"

This is LT for CBS News, saying a-f-u-t-u-r-e.