Good Evening Everybody:

Some so called pundits are pointing to what they call a spreading revolt against the new head of the grand old party. But are what they term defections from Barry Goldwater are they actually part of a revolt, or is it just the sort of thing we so often see in national politics? It is too early to know just what it does/mean.

Take the latest about the often vocal mayor of Baltimore, former Governor McKeldin who says, no he is not bolting the party. But like some others he says he also is withholding his support of Goldwater until the Arizona Senator gives him some satisfaction on the question of extremism and Civil Rights.

So what does it all amount to? Senator

Dirksen says - he isn't worried. In the picturesque

words of the man from Illinois "after a little while they'll all come to the milk pan."

Western diplomats in Warsaw are saying that

Khrushchev's attack on Goldwater actually is something

else - that it's really an attack on Mao Tse Tung.

Seems complicated but the logic goes this way:

Khrushchev's main problem is to rally the satellites to his side - against Mao. Do it - by posing as their protector. But Red China - is a long way from Eastern Europe. And China doesn't have nuclear weapons. So - how to frighten the satellites into line? One way - by calling the United States the real threat and arguing that the nomination of Barry Goldwater - demands that the Communist nations line up with the Soviet Union - in case Goldwater should become President.

The argument continues - like this. If he can force a coalition by talking about Goldwater - Khrushchev then will turn that coalition against Mao.

Is the boss of the Kremlin - succeeding? The

diplomats doubt it. For instance how can the Roumanians consider the United States a threat when they've just made an economic deal with us?

The most astonishing report about the racial disorders in Harlem - comes from the New York Daily News. The report that claims to have found a link between racists - on both sides. Between black nationalists and southern extremists. In fact, the News quotes one black nationalist as saying, "From a Texas millionaire" when asked where the Negro extremists are getting their money.

A development that becomes even more incredible - in view of what the New York Communist Party is doing. The Reds inciting violence on the streets of Harlem. Instigating riots. And handing out inflammatory handbills. Result - an explosive situation that Civil Rights leaders are finding hard to control. A spokesman for the NAACP puts it like this: "The Communists find out who is talking the wildest - and then they jump in with them" Even with the extreme right wingers.

Racial unrest here at home always affects our so-called image abroad. And, as usual we are being criticized in many places - especially behind the iron curtain, and - the bamboo curtain.

So it's a relief to notice - this dispatch from Cairo. An African summit conference has been going on in the Egyptian capital, with an American sitting in - as an observer. The famous - or notorious Malcolm X.

We are told that Malcolm X urged the conference to condemn the United States for violating human rights.

And was turned down - cold. The African leaders, reporting that the U.S. government is actually doing about all it can to protect human rights. Exhibit number one - the Civil Rights Law. Friendly words - from Cairo.

The new fighting in Western Kenya points up one kind of problem that still afflicts Africa. Namely the age old tribal feuds. This one between - the Buluhias and the Kalenjins. For centuries those two tribes have carried on a vendetta far out in the bush.

And - they're still at it.

On Monday, a force of Buluhia warriors invaded a Kalenjin village - touching off a battle with spears and arrows. No modern weapons this time - according to the Nairobi dispatch. But lethal enough, causing many casualties, and leaving the village in ruins.

Much of it - burned to the ground. The native huts going up in smoke - after the Buluhias fired a barrage of flaming arrows.

SINGAPORE

The toll of the rioting in Singapore. Dead nine; injured - three hundred and forty one; arrested one hundred and fifty seven.

The romantic city on the island off the Malay

Peninsula - not quite so romantic tonight. The curfew

strictly enforced. Military patrols - in the streets.

Road blocks at intersections. Shops - closed. Places

of entertainment - shuttered. Including the colorful,

rather sinister, dives and opium dens of Singapore.

BRITISH GUIANA

Racial violence is flaring again - in British

Guiana. Clashes between negroes and east Indians.

Most of them - in the back country of that small South

American colony. Individual battles with no big list

of casualties in any one place. But the toll is mounting

as details reach Georgetown from the back country.

An ironic turn - for British Guiana where yesterday was a national day of mourning for the victims of previous racial disturbances.

At Cape Kennedy, our space men are using some rather weird phraseology. It goes like this:- "We have an asset in Asset". Meaning - a successful test flight for our space glider. The one they call - "Asset". This "Asset" is six feet long - with a wing span of five feet, and carries more than one hundred instruments to report back on the conditions of re-entry into the atmosphere. An important step toward giving astronauts control of their descent - after an orbital flight.

In this critical experiment the space glider zoomed up from Cape Kennedy, and at an altitude of forty-four miles - received a rocket thrust downward.

During its flight, it reached a speed of - twelve thousand miles an hour - and a temperature of - four thousand degrees.

After a flight of thirteen minutes - the space glider landed in the Atlantic off the Leeward Islands. Where it was picked up by a ship standing by.

The latest thing in the science of aviation - microvision. Revealed today at New Jersey's Teterboro airport by the Bendix Company.

Microvision - the answer to flying in bad weather. We all know the difficulties that pilots have with snow, thunderstorms and so forth - when - they can't see the airport runway.

Microvision - sees it for them. Using micro wave radio signals to produce an electronic image of the runway. Now - even flying blind, a pilot can head for a perfect landing - when he's still seven miles from the airport. When he is guided by - microvision.

The Soviet canal system that has just been unveiled - connects five seas:- The Baltic, Black Sea, White Sea, the Caspian, and the Sea of Azov.

I'm not sure that the last should be counted.

The Sea of Azov being - well - almost an arm of the Black Sea. But all this looks like a remarkable engineering feat. A water route, clear across Russia - from North to South. Axis of the system - the Volga - the great river that runs from the lake system near the Baltic - all the way to the Caspian.

The engineers cut their canals into the Volga at both ends. And now you can sail - from the White Sea to the Black Sea. From the Caspian to the Baltic.