

DEFENSE

L.T. - Olds. Mon. Sept. 10 - '62.

The vote of the Senate armed Services Committee today - was expected. There has been much support on Capitol Hill - for presidential authority to call up one hundred and fifty thousand of the reserves. More men for the military -- as the crisis over Berlin continues critical. So the Committee surprised no one- by voting unanimously in favor of the administration request.

It goes without saying that the Moscow press blames us - for the latest U-2 incident. The incident of the Chinese Reds, knocking down one of the high-altitude planes - that Chiang Kai Shek bought from this country. Peking is shouting tonight - that the American Central Intelligence Agency was behind the flight - and that theme is picked up by the comrades in Moscow.

However, the Russian tone is mild - compared to that of the Chinese Reds. Indicating that Khrushchev doesn't want - to start anything. Could that be because of anything he heard from Secretary Udall - at last week's conference on the Black Sea?

Both Washington and Taipei, say the U-2 over-flight of Red China was strictly Chiang's idea. That the leader of Nationalist China - paid for the U-2's. Our official attitude therefore - that he can do what he likes with them.

EISENHOWER

We have no details about the Eisenhower Kennedy conference; only that the President and the former President - were together for more than two hours. Giving that much time - to General Eisenhower's impressions during his tour of Europe.

Important impressions - because General Ike met the leaders of the free world. DeGaulle, Adenauer, MacMillan - and many more. Great crowds came out to see him; hence he had some chance to judge - popular feeling in Europe. All of which we presume he passed on to Mr. Kennedy today - at the White House.

America's top military man arrived in Saigon today - just in time to hear that his strategy has been vindicated, once again. You may recall that it was General Maxwell Taylor who first suggested - "war by helicopter" in South Viet Nam. That is, quick transportation of Vietnamese troops across the jungle - in American helicopters. The Taylor strategy, leading to important victories - over the Red guerrillas. Including the victory - just announced. American whirley birds, carrying loyalist troops across the flooded delta - to the plain of Reeds. The loyalists, catching the Reds by surprise - adding one more to the victory string ~~that~~ they have rung up since they began listening to General Maxwell Taylor.

POLARIS

Our Polaris base at Guam - will be in operation next year. So announced- by the Navy. The Admirals, adding - that the facilities will be similar to those we already have at ~~the~~ Holy Loch in Scotland. A sub-tender, playing mother hen - to a fleet of nuclear submarines.

How many submarines? ~~Will~~ we have nine Polaris subs - already at sea. ~~Twenty~~ more - ~~more~~ under construction. ~~and~~ ~~some~~ more - in the planning stage.

So it looks as if the U S Navy is going into the Pacific with its nuclear deterrent - in a big way.

COMMONWEALTH

In London, they are calling this meeting of Commonwealth Prime Ministers "the most important in the history of the Commonwealth." Everybody knows that the existence of the great association of nations - may be at stake, *and along* *with it* *may* Britain's place in the world.

The basic issue - can the commonwealth endure, if Britain joins the Common Market? Prime Minister MacMillan is going all-out to convince his colleagues from the former British Empire - that Britain's union with the continent will be no threat to them, *That*, on the contrary - the Common Market will strengthen Britain, *It* ~~is~~ And Britain, in turn - will strengthen the Commonwealth.

It's a good political argument - backed by able diplomats in London. But will it convince Australia, New Zealand, India and the other Commonwealth partners - who are afraid of losing their British market to the European tariff system?

INTEGRATION

a southerner
Today's ruling by Supreme Court Justice ~~Wade~~ Black -
breaks the color bar at the University of Mississippi. At
least, it orders the University to admit James Meredith - who
has been trying to get in for *several* ~~more than two~~ years, *9/12* Each time ~~was~~
stopped by - a circuit court ruling. The Meredith case,
carried to - the Supreme Court. Resulting ~~in~~ in today's decision
-- that the University of Mississippi must admit a negro student.

Meanwhile, school integration - is causing less
tension in Louisiana. More youngsters, both white and negro -
~~are~~ turning up for integrated classes. The authorities,
cracking down harder - on segregationist demonstrators.

ROCKET

The American super-rocket -- Saturn C-1, is headed for Cape Canaveral - from Huntsville, Alabama. Traveling by river - the Tennessee, the Ohio, the Mississippi. First stop - the Gulf of Mexico. Then, around Florida - to the launching pad at our big missile base.

When Saturn C-1 blasts off - it will have a rocket thrust of one million, three hundred thousand pounds. Making it the most powerful rocket - we've ever built. And, it may surpass - anything the Russians have. With it will go our hopes for a spectacular leap into space. Not at all spectacular tonight as it travels by barge down the Tennessee River.

that he warmly wanted to welcome the President and the First Lady as they left the church.

Here the American, "I thought you Americans had the word 'what' in our eyes." The politician's trouble was with the word - "oh." It had said.

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AUSTRALIAN

And here's something about words. A dispatch from Newport, Rhode Island, raises the old question "is there really an American language?" The answer is "yes" according to Garth Doorley of Australia - a man from Down Under who rented a room in Newport - and ended up in the police station.

Here's what happened. Garth Doorley took a room across from St. Mary's Church - for one day. To his landlady, he remarked casually - "I want to get a shot at President Kennedy."

The next thing he knew - he was being hustled off to police headquarters. Answering questions - in a cross-examination. The truth, finally emerging - that he merely wanted to photograph the President and the First Lady as they left the Church.

Said the Aussie, "I thought you Americans used the word "shot" in our sense." The antipodean's trouble was with the word - "at." If he'd said, "I want to get a shot of President Kennedy" - the landlady might have helped him.

But, Dick, "a shot at President Kennedy!" - that sounded ominous when Mr. Doorley from Kalgoorley said that to Mrs. Katzenbarger - or whatever the landlady's name was.

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MISS AMERICA

The new Miss America has a talent - about as unusual as anything I ever heard of, in connection with the Atlantic City beauty pageant. Jacqueline Mayer is - psychic. That is the gorgeous young lady from Ohio - has her own crystal ball and is able to foretell the future. In her words - "I have a flash of intuition when something big is about to happen."

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