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GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

A fourteen -member panel of some of the nation's foremost seismologists -- today urged enactment of a ten-year federal program; to develop a system -- for predicting and preparing for violent earthquakes; such as the Good Friday disaster -- that struck Alaska in Nineteen Sixty-Four.

The Washington panel -- headed by Dr. Frank Press of MIT -- asserting that it may be impossible to forecast earthquakes with pin-point precision. At least he says there is "mild optimism" -- that it can be done, and that quake-proof buildings -- can be built.

Cost of the necessary research -- set at about a hundred and thirty-seven million dollars. A small amount -- said the panel -- when compared with the potential savings in lives and money.

POPE

Pope Paul back in Rome today, ~~in~~ after ^{his} a triumphal visit to the United States, ^{had} ~~with~~ words of praise for the United Nations -- "and all the people of America."

But his report to the Ecumenical Council ^{was} a no tired rehash of the trip. Rather ^{it was} a ringing call for the Roman Catholic Church ~~to~~ to assume "a greater obligation to serve the cause of peace."

Peace must be built -- said the Pope -- in "the fields of politics and economics." And though ^{he went on --} "it is certainly not our task to enter these fields," ~~he went on --~~ "we can and must help through moral support and working charity."

"We will become advocates of justice" -- said the Pope -- "with one overriding goal." To correct "imbalances between class and class -- between nation and nation." For these -- said he -- are "the most serious threat to peace."

UNITED NATIONS FOLLOW POPE

Back at the United Nations -- in the wake of the Pope's visit -- an offer today by the Netherlands, ~~To~~ make available to the U.N. for future peace-keeping missions -- a diversified land, sea and air force. That will eventually include six hundred Royal Marines -- an armored infantry battalion -- and a light aircraft carrier.

Dutch delegate Luns adding the hope that other member-nations -- will also make stand-by forces available in increasing numbers. To facilitate future U.N. peace-keeping operations.

MOSCOW

In Moscow -- the Kremlin today turned the other cheek -- though it might object to the analogy. Refusing to respond in kind -- to a Chinese charge that the Soviets are "accomplices" of imperialists.

The Kremlin instead calling for Russia and China -- to put aside their differences. So as to take "concrete" action -- against the United States in Viet Nam.

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No hint as to the sort of "concrete" action -- the Russians had in mind. Kremlinologists noting, however, that China up to now -- has repeatedly blocked the delivery of Soviet supplies to North Viet Nam. For fear ~~that it might~~ of increasing ~~fall increasingly~~ ~~under~~ Soviet influence.

VIETNAM

In Vietnam -- in jungle country northeast of Saigon, a dozen American paratroopers were on a search-and-destroy mission, when they were ambushed -- by a superior force of Viet Cong.

Every man in the American patrol -- killed or wounded in a withering crossfire. But by the time help arrived the attackers had fled into the bush.

In the air war -- two American planes lost today over South Viet Nam. Red China further claiming -- that it shot down a third in a dog-fight -- over the south China province of Kwangsi -- which borders North Viet Nam.

RUSK FOLLOW VIET NAM

Here at home -- Secretary of State Dean Rusk today said that American troops -- could come back from Viet Nam "literally tomorrow," ~~If~~ the Communists would halt their aggression -- and enter into a genuine peace.

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The fly in the ointment -- Red China and its persistent "policy of militancy." "It is Peking" -- said Rusk -- that bars "a peaceful settlement of our southeast Asian problems."

HINDUSTAN

At New Delhi -- India today lodged a formal protest with Pakistani officials, ~~Against~~ what it described as -- "shocking outrages," ~~Allegedly~~ committed against Indian diplomats -- stationed at Karachi.

The so-called "outrages" -- said New Delhi -- including a police search and ransacking of the Indian High Commissioner's residence, ~~As~~ well as four additional buildings-- occupied by Indian officials; ~~With~~ complete disregard -- for their supposed diplomatic immunity.

From Rawalpindi -- capital of Pakistan -- a prompt denial of the charge. Asserting that Karachi police -- had ~~indeed~~ fully protected the rights of the Indians.

Much ado about ~~very~~ little -- ^{perhaps} ~~or so it might seem~~

~~Except~~ that this marks the first formal exchange of notes between India and Pakistan -- since the start of their recent clash over Kashmir. At least they're talking now -- instead of fighting.

MALAYSIA FOLLOW HINDUSTAN

Not so -- Pakistan and Malaysia. Pakistan today breaking all relations with Malaysia -- for the latter's support of India in the Kashmir dispute.

Malaysia guilty of taking "an immoral position" -- said ^(Pakistan) ~~Foreign Minister Bhutto~~ Foreign Minister Bhutto, "Because it was blind to the right of self-determination in Kashmir -- and because it violated Afro-Asian solidarity."

INDONESIA

A mass rally today -- in the streets of Jakarta.

Some five thousand Indonesian demonstrators -- demanding that Sukarno ban the Communist Party.

The Communist Party in Indonesia -- some three million members strong. Largest ^{anywhere --} outside the Soviet Union.

Frequently praised by Sukarno in the past; -- but, that was before they tried to throw him out of office.

Mean^{while} ~~while~~, some ^{three} ~~two~~ hundred Communist supporters -- were arrested today. In the continuing round-up of alleged plotters -- in ^{that} ~~the~~ abortive palace revolt.

CRAWFORDVILLE

~~But at~~
Crawfordville, Georgia -- state troopers today
again barred Negro students -- from boarding white school buses.
Dr. Martin Luther King later announcing at Atlanta -- that he
will join the Crawfordville protest -- as of next Monday. Dr.
King's intervention -- seen as the portent of a mass march on
the Georgia capitol.

RIGHTS

A White House conference on Civil Rights -- proposed by the President last June. The meeting itself to be held November Seventeenth and Eighteenth -- he announced today. Purpose -- said the President: to generate "new efforts" to prepare the Negro American -- for "full participation in the great society." *Warren,*

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AUTOGRAPH

In West Germany -- American astronaut John Glenn today signed his name -- to the forehead of a Hamburg housewife, Mrs. Charlotte Eckert immediately predicting that -- "it'll win first prize for sure."

First prize in what? In a newspaper-sponsored contest to see who can get the "most original" autograph -- from the touring astronaut. The cagy Mrs. Eckert -- simply using her head.