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~~As you~~ ^{As you} ~~Assault at Attica~~ ^{no doubt} ~~you~~ ^{have} heard by
 now; ~~and so a grisly finish~~ ^{it was a grim} ~~finish~~ ^{at Attica,} ~~to~~ ^{One of}
 the bloodiest prison riots in U.S. history.

More than seventeen hundred State Troopers,
 National Guardsmen and Sheriff's Deputies - taking
 part in the final charge ~~at Attica.~~ These including a team of
 sharp shooters - assigned to cut down ~~a number of~~
 prisoners threatening to execute their hostages. ~~The~~
~~main fighting~~ ^{It took} ~~taking~~ only ten or twelve minutes, ~~But~~
 the results - devastating.

Of thirty-eight hostages, in all - nine were
 killed almost instantly. Several had their throats cut -
 at least one was shot. But the remaining twenty-nine
 - quickly carried to safety. Among them, eight who
 were tossed into a pit - and doused with gasoline; the
 convicts threatening to burn them alive - ~~except that~~
~~they~~ ^{but} changed their minds at the last minute.

Meanwhile - the assault force exacting a grim

retribution, shooting ~~and killing~~ on the spot - several of the prisoners who had just acted as executioners. Also

~~blasting away at~~ ~~Also shooting~~ any and all who continued to ~~offer~~ ^{resist.}

~~resistance.~~ In the end, killing at least twenty-eight ~~of the~~ convicts ^{and} wounding many more. ~~And now this~~

TP Governor Rockefeller ^{has ordered} ~~of New York ordering~~ a full investigation of the Attica revolt; ~~but~~ ^{he} also ^{ed} supported

the decision - to storm the prison. *Tragedy*xxx

~~xsabk thx Gxxx~~ "This tragedy" - said the Governor -

"was brought on by the highly organized, revolutionary tactics of militants;" ^{By} those - said he "who rejected all efforts at a peaceful settlement. - ^{They} forced a

confrontation - and then carried out the cold blooded killings they had threatened from the outset."

WHITE HOUSE

The White House - President Nixon met today with eleven of the nations top business leaders; discussing with them - just as he did with labor leaders last week - what next after the present wage price freeze.

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Later on, the White House reporting that there "was unanimity among the business leaders - that something should follow the freeze period." But Chairman Roche of General Motors - adding that the business community was also united on at least one other point; ~~and that~~ a contention that the government should play an active role - in whatever anti-inflationary machinery may be set up. Whereas labor - you may recall - urging just the opposite.

BRUSSELS FOLLOW WHITE HOUSE

AT the same time - Brussels - a meeting of
the finance ministers of the six European common
market countries; who tried again to set up a common
policy - with regard to the U.S. dollar; ^{Again they} ~~they~~ failed
~~again~~ to achieve any sort of unity. ~~Decided~~ Deciding
once more that each must continue to go it alone -
at least, for the time being.

Alcohol - Effects

Wonder if you saw the piece in your ^{recent} ~~Sunday~~
Parade Magazine, under the heading "Drink Yourself
Silly?" ~~The piece~~ ^{Parade} tells how a research team at the
University of South Carolina has come up with the
theory -- ~~they~~ ^{and} claim they've proved it -- that alcohol
produces senility. The explanation is that alcohol
causes "blood sludging". That even in moderation it
"speeds up the destruction of nerve cells" and brings
on senility earlier than would be true with any man
or woman who is a non-drinker. The piece goes on
to say that "there is no such thing as an innocent
cocktail."

UTTAR PRADESH

Here in the Northeast - more than five inches
(in the past three days; But
of rain) ~~and down~~ in Texas - more than twenty inches
~~during a like period; six to eight days~~ causing
much flooding. - ~~and considerable damage; but really~~
nothing ~~as~~ compared to what ^{has happened} ~~is going on~~ in Hindustan.
Where they've had
~~There~~ weeks and weeks of steady monsoon rain;
with the resulting flood ^s ~~waters~~ taking a ^{tremendous} ~~terrible~~
toll. In India's Uttar Pradesh state - in and around
~~the city of~~ Lucknow ^{alone,} on the banks of the ~~raging~~
Gomti River - more than four hundred and fifty dead, ~~so~~
~~far;~~ ^{and} ~~with additional~~ property damage ⁴ estimated at
a hundred and fifty million. ~~And further down stream -~~
the worst may be yet to come.

NEW YORK

The new Miss America - nee Laurie Lea Schaefer of Ohio - a visitor today to New York; where she said that she doesn't agree with the women's libbers - who feel that a Miss America "is a girl with a body and no brains." Quite the contrary - said Laurie Lea - a woman should have the opportunity to develop herself; and a Miss America - with the scholarships that come with the position - can do just that."

Laurie Lea adding, in short, that one of the major goals of her reign - will be ~~that of~~ ^{to} erasing ^{the} Miss America's "dumb broad image". Her words - not mine.

MT MCKINLEY- ESKIMO

The Nome Nugget tells about an Alaskan girl who is the first Eskimo ever to climb North America's highest mountain - McKinley. Maybe she's part Russian. Her name is Ivanoff.

The Nome Nugget says she made it to the summit of McKinley with three German mountaineers. Heavy snows held them up for about a week. When they finally did reach the summit of ~~McKinley~~^{Denali as the} Eskimo and Indians call it, they were in brilliant ~~sunshine~~ sunshine and at twenty-five degrees above zero. That's unusual. The thermometer on McKinley is known to ~~have~~ ~~dropped~~ to more than a hundred below.

MOSCOW

Nikita Serge Ivitch Khrushchev - in life - ~~officially~~
officially an "unperson" in recent years; and yet in life
- a man who could not be denied.

The Soviet Communist Party newspaper Pravda -
not^{ed} his passing today in a ~~brief~~ seven line obituary;
~~but~~ calling him, ~~non-the-less~~ - a "merit pensioner."

The Kremlin permitting his burial - in one of
Moscow's ~~most~~^{lesser known} hallowed cemeteries; also sending along
a floral tribute - a seven foot wreath of pine boughs;
and even permitting a display of his medals -
including three stars of the hero of the Soviet Union.

As for the eulogy - that was delivered by
Nikita's son Sergei - who said of his father: "There
were many who loved him - many who hated him - but
few who would pass him by."

And then - a final farewell. With ~~Khrush~~
Khrushchev's wife of forty-eight years - Nina Petrovna -
caressing him gently. Tracing a sign across his

~~gprx~~ forehead - that may have been a religious gesture;
only breaking into tears when the coffin was closed
and lowered into the grave amidst a playing - of the
Russian national anthem.

Nikita Serge Khrushchev - successor to Stalin -
the author of "Peaceful Coexistence" - one of the
prime builders of the new Russia - ~~now one with~~

~~history~~ successor to the czars. And they gave
him a seven line obit. The fickle finger of
Fate. ^{Warren} They didn't even mention how he pounded
the desk with his shoe at the U. N.

LONDON

This next - from London; where ~~the beautiful~~
Marlene Dietrich arrived today - to take part in a
charity show; ~~there, to, telling~~ ^{She told} reporters - she's
giving up her title as the "world's most glamorous
grandmother." Miss Dietrich - age seventy - further
suggesting as her successor - ~~the lovely~~ ^{one} Elizabeth
Taylor; who only just qualified - at age thirty-nine.
~~Ah, but~~ ^{Grandma} - what big eyes you have!