

KIDNAP

Fri. Aug. 30-68.

The F B I has rescued a millionaire bankers
four year old son from a kidnapper in Los Angeles -
after a three mile auto ~~chase~~ chase in which one ~~for~~
federal agent was shot. Little Stanley Stalford, Junior -
still clad in the swim trunks he wore when kidnapped from
his home two days ago - was unhurt ~~and~~ except for an
injured leg suffered when the F B I rammed into the
kidnapper's fleeing car ~~to~~ ^{at the} ~~end~~ ^{of} a running gun battle.
~~at ninety miles an hour.~~ ^P Two hundred fifty thousand
dollars in ransom money never ^{did} ~~reach~~ the suspect - ~~who~~
^{is} identified as thirty ~~is~~ nine year old Robert L. Dacy
who, at one point in the chase tried to use the boy as
a shield, according to the F B I. The chase began
when a carload of federal agents surprised Dacy as he
drove up with the boy on a lonely road, ~~hoping to pick~~ ^{where he had hoped an}
~~intermediary would be waiting with~~ ^{intermediary would be waiting with}
~~up the ransom money.~~ ^{up the ransom money.} ~~from a waiting intermediary.~~

POLITICS

Richard Nixon flew into New York City today - tanned and rested from a week's vacation in Florida - and obviously eager to begin political combat with his Democratic opponent for the Presidency - Hubert Humphrey. However, Nixon said he ^{would} reserve comment on the ~~the~~ stormy Democratic ~~the~~ Convention and ^{the} Humphrey nomination until next Wednesday in Chicago. On that day Nixon begins the drive he hopes will carry him to the White House. He also plans to visit the Pittsburgh area on September seventh and eighth.

Humphrey has designated former Postmaster-General Lawrence O'Brien as his campaign manager and the new Democratic National Chairman, ^{to} succeeding John M. Bailey. It was O'Brien who masterminded John F. Kennedy's Nineteen Sixty victory over Richard Nixon.

47 Meantime, Humphrey has appealed to ~~the~~ Senator McCarthy and his followers to close ~~to close the~~ party's ranks. - But all signs to indicate that the McCarthy wing plans either to sit out the campaign - or perhaps launch a fourth party.

However ^{Sen.} McCarthy says ~~however~~ he'll campaign for any ^{one} ~~senator~~ whose views on the war and urban problems coincide with his. He also ^{has} announced plans to investigate an early morning ~~the~~ police raid which took place today at his headquarters on the fifteenth floor of the Conrad Hilton Hotel. An aide said several members of the McCarthy staff were slugged and beaten by ~~the~~ police = investigating reports that objects were being thrown from the hotel windows.

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Third party candidate George Wallace says he should be included in any television debates between Humphrey and Nixon, prior to the November election.

Wallace speaks before a ~~fund-raising~~ fund-raising dinner in Louisville tonight - and on September eleventh ^{will} ~~will~~ address the National American Legion ~~convention~~ in New Orleans.

^{Hubert} Nixon and ^{the} Humphrey are also expected to address more than fifty-thousand legionnaires ^{at that Legion convention,} ~~there~~

Richard

VIETNAM

Allied troops in Vietnam have reported killing at least fifty-five North Vietnamese regulars in the eighth straight day of heavy fighting in the jungles near the Cambodian border. Other fierce battles ~~are reported~~ ^{are reported} in the northern provinces, where Viet Cong forces overran a South Vietnamese outpost - and American paratroopers ~~was~~ pressed a search for a scar-faced North Vietnamese Colonel, known as the "Butcher of Hue."

Farther north in the South Korean Capital of Seoul, Communist North Korean infiltrators were reported intensifying their attacks across the Seventeenth Parallel Armistice line. South Korean patrols killed seven of the intruders in two separate clashes.

CHINA

The bodies of three more Chinese floated into Hong Kong harbor today - near the mouth of a river from Red China. This ^{may} ~~at least partially~~ confirmed reports of new bloodshed behind the bamboo curtain. Many Chinese fishermen, seeking refuge in Hong Kong, tell of new fighting between ~~sp~~ supporters and enemies of Communist Party Chairman Mao Tse Tung.^{TP} Fifty-eight Chinese bodies have floated into Hong Kong Harbor since late June.

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CONGO

Fighting has broken out again in the Congo.

The government, declaring a state of siege in Brazzaville -- where rebel forces are apparently trying to protect two deposed ministers. Fighting was reported to have begun when rebel forces opened fire on government troops who tried to arrest the two former ministers - who had taken refuge with a ^{group} ~~group~~ of Cuban technical advisers south of Brazzaville. Congolese President Messemba-Debat has issued a radio appeal - urging the rebels to lay down their weapons.

MIDEAST

U N peace Envoy Gunnar Jarring conferred with Jordanian officials in Amman today - apparently in an effort to calm their fears that the Israeli Army will launch a massive assault on Arab guerrilla bases in Jordan. Travelers reports that thousands of Jordanians on the East bank of the Jordan River, have fled inland - in expectation of ^{an all-out} ~~an~~ Israeli raid.

GUATEMALA

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Police in Guatemala City say many suspects are under arrest in the investigation into the assassination of American Ambassador John Gordon Mein. Although a house-to-house search of the residential neighborhood where the slaying took place, so far, has failed to turn up any clues. But a Castro-Communist underground organization claims credit for the murder. In a statement to the press the Communists distributed to news media, ~~the group group~~ says their men had intended to kidnap Mein and use him as a hostage - but killed him when he sought to escape.

SMOKER

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A forty-one year ~~is~~ old Danish business man -
who spent sixteen days on a desert island in an ~~effort~~
effort to quit smoking -- now has decided to give up not
smoking. Kurt Albrechtsen says, "it was easy enough
on the island because I had no ~~is~~ cigars and cigarettes -
but after my return, problems grew little by little
till I could resist no longer."

Where did he go
~~He has never disclosed~~
to find his
~~the exact location of his habit-breaking~~ desert island?

Somewhere
~~in the sea~~ off the shores of Denmark.

TURTLES

Have you ~~can~~ ever been to the Cayman Islands which lie south of Cuba? Columbus reported seeing them in the year 1503. The islands were a favorite ~~place~~ place for sea turtles, big ones. In fact turtle meat became popular with pirates who plied the Spanish Main. Then, three hundred years ~~ago~~ later the Cayman turtle was almost extinct. Now, Doctor Robert Schroeder, an American zoologist, plans to make the Caymans a place for turtle raising.

Incidentally, turtles are known to cross the South Atlantic ocean all the way from Brazil to remote Ascension Island, a distance of eighteen hundred miles. 1/2 Quite a swim! for a turtle, Warren.

BIRTHDAY

In Strasburg, Illinois, Mrs. Sarah Streng is preparing to observe her one-hundred-second birthday on Tuesday and - as usual - her friends ~~na~~ and neighbors gathered around, hoping for a pearl of wisdom. And, as usual, ~~some~~ someone asked her to what she attributed her long life. Said Mrs. Streng - "I just can't figure it out."