

MASSACHUSETTS

Tues, Mar. 2 - '76

Up to nine inches of snow in parts of Vermont, <sup>Wonder what effect it had</sup> ~~cast a poll today~~, on that state's first presidential primary in fifty six years. <sup>?</sup> Rain and snow were also <sup>said to be</sup> holding down the vote <sup>^</sup> in neighboring Massachusetts; ~~But the vote~~ Where <sup>^</sup> big or small ~~it remains, of course~~ <sup>appears to be</sup> of prime importance.

On the Republican side - ~~Gerald~~ Ford versus ~~Ronald~~ Reagan. On the Democratic side - eight major candidates <sup>with</sup> George Wallace, Jimmy Carter and "Scoop" Jackson all hoping to score a major success; <sup>and</sup> vying with five liberals <sup>^</sup> for some of whom it could be/do or die.

The polls - closing <sup>^</sup> in less than an hour now. ~~And~~ <sup>For</sup> how it all comes out <sup>^</sup> ~~you can hear it~~ <sup>by all means tune in</sup> ~~right here on~~ <sup>the</sup> many ~~of these~~ CBS radio network stations ~~that will have the latest word.~~

And now this mess -

WHITE HOUSE

From the White House - an announcement today that Richard Nixon on his own initiative will send a report to the State Department - on the results of his China trip. Spokesman Ron Nessen saying: "If the people at the State Department feel there is anything in the report that needs to be conveyed to the President - I'm sure they will do it."

~~The White House also announced today that~~

King Juan Carlos and Queen Sophia of Spain - will visit the U S in June at the invitation of the President.

<sup>Ron</sup>  
Nessen saying the royal visit will underline the importance of ~~Spain~~ Spanish-American relations - and the contributions that Spanish-American<sup>s</sup> have made to American life.

CAPITOL HILL

The ~~has~~ nomination of William Scranton  
as Ambassador to the U N was approved today by the  
Senate Foreign Relations committee, <sup>after</sup> ~~less than an~~  
~~hour after he testified before that panel.~~ <sup>them</sup> Scranton  
telling the <sup>W</sup> ~~committee~~: "Undoubtedly - we will have  
some confrontations with some third world nations  
- "but I would ~~not~~ hope ~~that~~ we could be more  
~~as~~ cooperative where they are cooperative." ~~Adding~~  
"They should naturally be our friends - not our  
enemies."

SAN FRANCISCO

*In the Patricia Hearst trial surprise witness for the prosecution, Vietnam veteran Zigurd Berzins telling of seeing a woman he identified as Miss Hearst - picking up ammunition she had apparently dropped at the scene. Miss Hearst earlier saying she had not checked her carbine - did not know whether it was loaded and carried no bullets in her pocket or elsewhere.*

## SUIT

*Civil anti-trust suits filed two years ago against the nation's two largest tire makers, Goodyear and Firestone - were dropped today for lack of evidence, Assistant Attorney General Thomas Kauper saying he simply could not prove his case in court.*

VATICAN

*Pope Paul issuing his Lenten message - urges all*

*Roman Catholics to do "good works" during Lent - and share*

*what they have with those around them; even "those who are*

*truly poor."*

PEALE

Says Dr. Norman Vincent Peale: "We've all heard we have to learn from our mistakes - but it's more important to learn from success." This because "if you learn only from your mistakes - you are inclined to learn only errors."

SAN DIEGO

~~An amazing feat of strength - in this next from San Diego~~ . Twelve-year-old Ricky Grill watching his father work on a car - when a jack slipped and the elder Grill was pinned in a wheel well. The youngster immediately grabbing the front bumper of the thirty-four hundred-pound car - somehow lifting it enough so his father could roll free with only minor injuries.

Ricky Grill, at age Twelve, ~~a bona fide hero~~ - ~~thought by some to be~~ <sup>maybe</sup> a budding Superman; ~~but~~ The danger <sup>When</sup> past, ~~he was~~ asked to ~~try and~~ lift the car again - ~~and, you~~ <sup>yes,</sup> ~~guessed it,~~ he couldn't budge it.



**EQUAL**

London again - a report on want ads appearing in the  
British press - as employers attempt to evade Britain's new  
equal rights law. One ad saying: "In celebration of the  
equal rights bill - all brick laying vacancies will now be  
open to men and women alike; but, applicants must have a  
minimum thirty-eight inch chest measurement - and be  
prepared to strip to the waist in summer." Another saying:  
"Wanted - experienced store keepers - either sex -  
provided they look like Marlene Dietrich in her early  
twenties."