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The conference of Nato Nations opened today in Copenhagen. Delegates of fifteen states, meeting at the Christianborg Palace, where the Danish Parliament sits. The members, greeted by Premier Hansen - who formally opened the conference.

The keynote speech, delivered by Nato Secretary General - Paul Henri Spaak of Belgium - who promised his colleagues that the West intends to stand united at any summit parley with Russia. This theme, taken up by other foreign ministers - including Selwyn Lloyd for Britain, Christian Pineau for France, and John Foster Dulles for the United States. Secretary Dulles, adding ~~that~~ his old pledge, he will not accept parity for Poland and Czechoslovakia. He repeats, he'd rather see a summit conference founder - than place the two Soviet puppets on a level with Britain and France.

SUMMIT

Russia agrees with the West - about the best way to get to the summit. That is, on one point! Foreign Minister Gromyko saying - he's willing to hold conferences in Moscow with the Ambassadors of Britain, France and America. The Soviet Foreign Minister, giving his reply - in separate meetings with the Ambassadors. First he called in Maurice Dejean of France. Then, America's Llewelyn Thompson. Finally, British Ambassador, Sir Patrick Reilly. Gromyko, spending half an hour with each.

Today's meetings, something of a victory for Gromyko. The three western powers wanted a joint session with him. The Soviet Foreign Minister replying - that Poland and Czechoslovakia would have to be included. Without the two puppets - he refused to accept anything but separate sessions with each Ambassador. That's how the conferences were held today. That's how the ones to come will be held.

CHINA

Communist China will not become-Another Yugoslavia.

No ~~mass~~ rebellion in Red China against the leadership of the Soviet Union. At any rate in Peking the official Red newspaper has just launched a savage attack on Marshal Tito.

The "Peoples' Daily" charging that Tito has become the tool of American imperialism. The Yugoslav Dictator - a bourgeois nationalist rather than a proletarian revolutionary. More interested in monopoly capitalism - than in the dictatorship of the proletarian. The Communist Chinese editor - ridiculing Tito's insistence - that he stands between East and West. According to the Peking "Peoples' Daily" - this is an insult to the Socialist bloc,

Well, all that sounds horrendous enough. But here's ~~some~~ something even more significant. The red newspaper declaring - the criticism of Tito when Stalin ~~had~~ kicked him out of the Cominform, was basically correct. Which ~~seems~~ seems to contradict Khrushchev, who went all the way to Belgrade

to apologize to Tito. Now the Chinese Communists say - no apology was called for. The break between Russia and Yugoslavia -- ~~break~~ caused by Tito - who now seems to be considered a capitalist in the second ranking Communist country - Red China.

GOMULKA

The Premier of Communist Poland flying ~~into~~ to Sofia.
Gomulka, to ~~spend several~~ ^{a few} days in the Bulgarian capital -
holding ~~high level~~ discussions with the Reds who ^{run} ~~run~~ Bulgaria.
From there - he'll go on to Hungary and Romania.

Why the Gomulka junket? According to the Polish Communist press - the Premier wants to strengthen the ties between nations of the Communist bloc. But around Warsaw they are saying - Khrushchev suggested the trip. Khrushchev - anxious to have Polish backing in eastern Europe. Gomulka's chief task - to make a public show of support for Kadar - the puppet who runs Hungary for the Soviet Union.

Gomulka, said to be willing - because he doesn't want any more trouble with ~~the~~ the Russians. This trip, ^a way to please the Kremlin -- without giving up anything.

BRADLEY

General Omar Bradley remarked today that Adolf Hitler was a corporal, not a General. Referring to President Eisenhower's plan to reorganize the Defense Department he denied that his plan could produce a Prussian style General staff. And he added that no general ever became dictator of Germany - it was a corporal - an Austrian house painter - Adolf Hitler.

During today's testimony, General Bradley called the general staff idea "absolutely impossible". Said he, it's a waste of time, to discuss it.

Omar Bradley of course was a top General in World War Two. Then - first ~~Chairman~~ Chairman of our joint Chiefs of Staff. So he has been through a lot of disputes in the defense department - and speaks with much knowledge when he denies that we are in danger of the military taking over this country.

He refused to ~~in~~ discuss details of the Eisenhower will, and ~~in~~ simply told the committee that our Secretary of Defense should be given unquestioned authority as head of our

whole military establishment - including Army, Navy, Marines
and Air Force.

IRAQ

The new federation of Iraq and Jordan - might cooperate with the United Arab Republic of Egypt and Syria. So stated in Baghdad by the veteran Iraqi Premier, Nouri Es Said. The Premier giving his views to the public - just before the election that will give Iraq a new parliament. The first task of which will be to approve the Constitution of the Iraq Jordan federation.

But there's an "if" in all this. Nouri Es-Said, declaring that first - Egypt and Syria must drop their propaganda campaign. If they do, then Iraq and Jordan would have ~~no~~ no objection to cooperating with them.

There's no question of unity - no federation of all four nations. It's just that Iraq, Jordan, Egypt and Syria - might work together on common problems.

In Baghdad, this statement is considered important - because the strong man of Iraq is almost sure after the Iraq-Jordan federation is okayed by the Parliaments of the two nations - to become Premier of the federation.

HAITI

Two gangs of men today broke into newspaper offices -- in Port Au Prince, Haiti. They wore hoods - and broke the curfew which was imposed last Friday after a series of bombings.

Today's gangs smashed down the doors at the offices of the "Mirror" and the "Independence." The raiders, overturning furniture, smashing typewriters, damaging linotype machines, and spilling fonts of type all over the floor.

The editors of these newspapers - are in jail, with both the "Mirror" and the "Independence" demanding their release and criticizing the army for not keeping order in Haiti.

NIXON

The Vice President of the United States tonight is in the world's highest capital. Vice President and Mrs. Nixon, flying into La Paz, highⁱⁿ/the Andes, altitude twelve thousand feet where the visitor gets out of ~~his~~ breath if he takes a few steps - and maybe a nose bleed.

At any rate the Nixons had another rousing welcome. LaPaz festooned with flags - also photographs of Mr. Nixon - and signs reading, "welcome to the Andes!"

The Nixon motorcade cheered loudly as it drove through the Bolivian capital. A group of Communists tried to stage demonstrations, handing out leaflets reading, "death to Yankee Imperialism." But the Reds were attacked by the crowd, and had to ~~be~~ be rescued by the police.

SAVINGS

Last year Americans put more ~~an~~ money into savings-
than ever before. The banks, holding a record figure - almost
sixty nine billion dollars. This is the report of the
securities and exchange commission, and it helps explain why
President Eisenhower is asking us to ~~buy~~ buy more. The
President arguing - that the best way to get out of the
recession - to keep money circulating - more buying.

PRIZES

This year's Pulitzer prizes - are unique in one way. It's the first time that any newspaper has ever won two awards - for coverage of the same story. The "Arkansas Gazette" winning one prize - and its executive editor Harry Ashmore, winning a second.

The story - President Eisenhower's decision to intervene in the Little Rock school. The President, sending federal troops to insure ~~from~~ integration at Little Rock High.

The "Arkansas Gazette" cited for "meritorious public service" because of the way it handled the Little Rock story. Ashmore, praised because of the editorials he wrote during the crisis.

For the "Gazette" - a gold medal. For its editor - a thousand dollars. For the first time since Joseph Pulitzer ~~fanned~~ founded the Pulitzer prizes - forty one years ago.

MURDERER

The mass murderer, at Lincoln, Nebraska - seemed to enjoy his appearance in court ~~any~~ today. Charles Starkweather, in a tan suit and a loud red tie. With green figures.

Handcuffed and chained to the sheriff, he smiled, in fact almost laughed in the faces of the prospective jurors, while his lawyers pleaded ^{his} innocence-- or ~~as~~ rather, insanity. Starkweather protested that he didn't like the plea, would rather be tried as completely sane.- The man who went on a shooting spree, and killed eleven.

HOOVER

President Eisenhower names his personal representative at the Brussels World's Fair. Herbert Hoover - to be in the Belgian capital for the celebration of "United States Day" during the week of July Fourth.

Our former President - that much recovered from his recent operation. His physicians, saying, he'll be able to make the trip. Herbert Hoover, accepting President Eisenhower's nomination - writing to the President, "I want you to know that I am on the way - out of this seige."

According to the White House, Mr. Eisenhower, is delighted to have Mr. Hoover representing him at Brussels. One more service by our elder statesman, who has performed so many services for this country over the past forty odd years - four decades, and of course it is most appropriate that this country should be represented at a Belgian World's Fair - by Herbert Hoover, the man who saved the lives of countless thousands of Belgians in World War One days.

The Hoover book on Woodrow Wilson ~~is~~ continues to attract wide attention and high praise. The only time a President of the United States ever wrote a book about another President!

ESKIMOS

The Royal Canadian Air Force, flying supplies from Fort Churchill, Manitoba - to Fort Ross, two hundred and fifty miles inside the Arctic Circle. A mercy mission. The Canadians, rushing aid to a colony of eskimo, stricken with measles, often fatal among primitive people. The men, unable to fish. Food, running out, the Eskimo of Fort Ross - lying in their igloos, close to starvation.

One of them managed to get a message through to the white man. The message - "send help, fast." So today a flight of R C A F transports took off - loaded with food and medicine. Also - a doctor. Help for the eskimo at Fort Ross, on way up near the North Pole.

EXPLORER

An explorer, lifted out of CopperHead Cave in Pennsylvania - ten hours after he broke his leg. Richard Laval of St. Louis - entered Copper Head Cave with a group from the National Speleological Society..

He was climbing out of a thirty foot shaft deep inside the cave - when he lost his footing. Laval, plunging to the bottom of the shaft - breaking his leg.

Although his companions saw him fall, they were a thousand feet from the entrance to the cave, and faced with a tough problem.

After getting him to a vertical shaft a hundred feet below the entrance to the cave, ~~xxx~~ they faced a ninety degree ascent through a waterfall. But they had no equipment with which to lift him - so they sent for help.

The volunteer firemen of Derby, Pennsylvania, to the rescue, with block and tackle. For six hours they struggled to raise Speleologist Laval up that shaft, through the waterfall.

The Mayor of Boston closes public halls to them -
Tonight the speleologist is in the hospital. Condition -

good, spirits high. Says he wants to get back to

exploring Copperhead Cave - as soon as he's on his feet

again. Don, I hope you are not **let** in a cave tonight.

Are you a speleologist.

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ROCK N ROLL

The Mayor of Boston closes public halls to teen age rock - n - roll sessions. Mayor Hynes, acting following the riot at the Boston arena, on Saturday night.

A crowd of five thousand jammed into the arena - for a show given by disc jockey Alan Freed. When the noise stopped - the audience took over. Surging out into the street, in a mass riot. Street fights - all over the area. One man - stabbed in the chest. A woman reported that two girls threatened her with a knife, choked her, and ran off with her pocketbook. Another woman - kicked, punched and bitten. Her pocketbook, snatched too. All told - six ^{taken to} ~~injured~~ ~~at~~ the hospital.

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