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At his news conference today - President Eisenhower said frankly he's puzzled about the Democratic landslide. Puzzled, because he himself won by a landslide in Nineteen Fifty Six - after campaigning on his party's record. Now, two years later here we have - in the President's words "a complete reversal." He ~~went~~ went on to say that he feels the American people threw their ~~support~~ support behind too many "spenders" yesterday.

In spite of this he added that he's not pessimistic about dealing with - a Democratic Congress. That he has had considerable success in building up a bi partisan approach. Also that he'll go right on opposing what he considers spend thrift measures. And at the same time he expects to get along - with the men on Capitol Hill

In other words the President indicated that he's disappointed - but not discouraged. He's an optimist. And he reminded his press audience how he had to retreat at times

during World War Two, and still managed to win - in the end.

He says he wants the G O P to come back from defeat - to win

in Nineteen Sixty.

DEMOCRATS FOLLOW EISENHOWER

What about the Democrats? Do they expect to get along with President Eisenhower? The answer - yes. That is the leaders of the party ~~that~~ that won so heavily yesterday - today they were pledging to use their victory in a constructive manner, especially on matters of foreign policy - remain bi-partisan.

ROCKEFELLER

As you no doubt know and perhaps you have heard it over and over today, many political figures rose and fell in this off season election. The one who rose highest - Nelson Rockefeller, of course. Winning that huge unexpected majority - while his party was being mauled in many other states. Rockefeller's was a personal victory that no Republican has achieved - since General Eisenhower came back from Europe, to enter politics.

All day today, the next Governor of New York was being asked - until it must have worn ~~him~~ him down - one question Has he got his eye on the Republican Presidential nomination in Nineteen Sixty? To which he answered over and over that he's ~~think~~ thinking about the job he has to do in Albany - not about Washington. But he says he'll be leading the New York Republican delegation to the national convention in Nineteen Sixty. As everybody knows New York's huge delegation carries great weight at every political convention. Which will put Nelson Rockefeller in just the right ~~spot~~ spot - if he wants

to go for the nomination - if by then he does have his eye
on the White House.

CHINA

Washington is not moving toward a recognition of two Chinas. So said President Eisenhower - at his news conference. Once more he flatly denied that he might propose diplomatic relations with Red China. Some of our allies have long urged this. But the President says we'll stand pat as long as the Chinese Reds continue their atrocities. Once again he referred ^{to} the Americans who are still held prisoner in China.

Regarding the rest of our foreign policy, he predicted no basic changes. He'll still support foreign aid and a liberal trade policy. Both regards ^{ed} as indispensable to National security.

QUEMOY

Today Communist guns on the mainland were again bombarding Quemoy. The Nationalists, answering back - with new American howitzers.

Meanwhile, Taipei is buzzing with interpretations of that Communist charge that the Nationalists are using poison gas shells. Military men on Formosa think that Mao Tse Tung is working up a pretext - for using poison gas himself. Or, are the Reds trying to make the orient believe that America is urging Chiang Kai Shek to use gas.

TERRORISTS

In Paris, the police announce they've rounded up twenty more Algerians accused of belonging to the underground terrorist movement in France. A hundred or more Algerians are now being held. The French authorities trying to round up the leaders of the Algerian terrorists who have been causing so much trouble in Paris.

IRAQ

Tonight it looks as if more heads are going to roll
- in Iraq. Yesterday, Colonel Aref - the former Number
Two man in the revolutionary regime - was arrested.
Today the warlike Kurdish tribes in northern Iraq were
demanding that Aref's followers be rounded up. And the
word from Bagdad is that Premier Kassem - is going to
heed them.

PASTERNAK

Western diplomats in Moscow seem to think that Boris Pasternak will be allowed to stay in the Soviet Union. This based on an article in an authoritative Russian magazine. The article charges that the Nobel Prize award to Pasternak was a blow by the West at the Soviet Union. However, pointing out that Pasternak later refused the honor, after a furore among Soviet politicians the magazine says the case is now closed. So, maybe the Kremlin doesn't want Russia's most famous ather to come over to us.

MISSILE

The Thor missile that exploded today at Cape Canaveral - was the fifth ~~it~~ failure in a row, for our ballistic missiles. This one, when only a few hundred feet in the air, veered off course and flipped over. Whereupon the safety officer at the control panel ~~hukken~~ pushed a button that set off self-destroying gadgets in the missile. No casualties. Just another missile going haywire.

ACCIDENT

Every once in a while the news comes up with a tragedy so ironic - it makes you wonder about the ways of providence. Tonight we have a story like that - from Telve, Italy.

(Dal-on yolo)
For thirty years, Ulderico Dallagnolo -- has been *Proud to toll the bell.* tolling the bell in the church at Telve. ~~He was proud of his ability.~~ Always insisted on doing it himself. Climbing up into the belfry - tugging on the big rope sending the peals of the bell across the town.

This morning ~~he climbed up~~ *up he went* into the belfry as usual. The bell tolled, - ~~but~~ *When* Dallagnolo never came down. ~~a~~ priest who went to look for him ~~he~~ found him hanging from the bell rope.

Here's what happened - according to the authorities. While Dallagnolo was tolling the bell he lost his balance. ~~He~~ *and* clatched at the ~~bell~~ rope for support - ~~but~~ a loop of it caught him around the neck. ~~The rope pulling~~ *Yanking* him from the

belfry platform, strangling him.

He tolled the bell for thirty years and now the
bell will toll for him.

KNUDSON

The word from Oaklee, Minnesota is that Coya Knudson will be coming home to papa -- at last. Coya's ~~husband~~ husband, Andy Knudson - remember - asked his wife - to forsake Capitol Hill in Washington. Said he plaintively "Come home, Coya!" But the blonde Congresswoman stayed on and on-- in Congress.

Yesterday the Minnesota voters seemed to be in Andy's corner. They elected Coya's Republican opponent. Now she's free to return to Oaklee. But Andy seems to have cooled off. ^{Don.} He's suing.

Here's an odd election item. The women of the Iroquois tribe, here in New York State - voted yesterday - for state officials. The point is that while they are not allowed a voice in their own tribal elections - the Iroquois, reserving that right - for their braves - the squaws are allowed to help choose the great white father in Albany. The new great white father - almost as great a white father as the President - is now of course a young gentleman named Rockefeller!

Well, tonight up there in the Arctic Ocean, half of that ice island is drifting - with twenty-one men wrecked aboard. These are the IG... and air force people on station A - about a thousand miles out from Point Barrow, Alaska. On... a violent storm swept in out of the Arctic Ocean - breaking the ice island in half. And its ice from only seven to fifteen feet thick. Tonight they're still drifting. They haven't