

L.T.-OLDS. FRIDAY, JULY 8, 1960.

GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

High up in the Himalayas - an official meeting today; on the Tibet-Nepalese border. At a remote place called Manitui, near remote Koray Pass. The occasion - Nepal getting back the ten soldiers taken prisoner a couple of weeks ago by the Chinese Reds. Also the body of the Nepalese officer - who was killed when the Reds opened fire from ambush.

Today's meeting - very formal. The Nepalese, saying - as little as possible. The Chinese - merely handing over the men and their equipment.

CONGO

Dispatches from the Congo tell of increasing chaos in that vast equatorial section of Central Africa. Correspondent George Sibera of United Press International, tells of panicky whites - fleeing from the back country, crowding into Leopoldville, in an effort to escape from the mutinous Congo troops, who are on a drunken orgy of violence and pillage, committing murder, rape, and mayhem against - all the white people they encounter.

Even in Leopoldville they are not safe.

Thousands of Belgians and other Europeans - in headlong flight across the Congo River to Brazzaville, which at least adheres to the French community of nations. Many of the refugees - still wearing nightgowns and pajamas, fleeing from their homes in the night - leaving everything behind.

Correspondent Sibera says he's heard - savage denunciations of Belgium. Refugees, cursing their

homeland - for giving the Congolese independence -
before they had become civilized enough to know how to
use it. Correspondent Sibera's verdict on the Congo
tonight - "you can almost taste the fear." Meanwhile
the Congo government promises - to restore order. But
when - as the white exodus goes on.

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POLITICS

Two top Democrats - stirred ^{things up a bit} ~~up their party's~~
~~cauldron today.~~ ^{today, will it make} Making the choice of a Democratic nominee
for President - a little more complicated?

Well, First, Adlai Stevenson announced - what we already
guessed - that he definitely will accept the nomination if
the Convention ~~fix~~ offers it to him. The Stevenson declaration,
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peacefully with the rest of the world. ^{was} ~~could~~ the Farley
accusation ~~be~~ aimed at - Adlai Stevenson - ^{or} ~~and~~ Senator
Kennedy, ^{or both?}

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preference at this convention. F.D.R.'s old campaign manager,

urging his fellow Democrats - to support any candidate,
even one from south of the Mason-Dixon line. Could ^{Jim} Farley
be in favor - of Senator Lyndon Johnson? *Could be.*

TRUMAN

Today's statement by former President Truman -
was expected. H.S.T. permitting Missouri's Governor Blair
to ~~reveal~~ ^{give out the word} that the man from Independence will attend the
~~Democratic~~ Convention after all. Mr. Truman, taking back
what he said last Saturday - that he would stay away from
L.A. ^π Does he still think the convention is rigged - in
favor of Kennedy? No word from H.S.T. on that.

CUBA

Our government is taking a serious view of a statement - made in Mexico City yesterday - ^{a top political figure,} Emilio Sanchez _^ Pidrás, declaring ^{that} _^ Mexico supports Cuba against the United States. Sanchez, a chairman of - the Mexican Congress. So the question is - does his statement reflect the attitude of the Mexican government?

^{a top Cuban,} _^ Meanwhile, Jose Miro Cardona ~~has~~ ^s explained ~~ed~~ why he broke with Castro. Cardona, interviewed at the Argentine Embassy in Havana - where he has been given political asylum.

Cardona - one of Castro's oldest supporters.

What made him change his mind? Cardona says the ~~if~~ breaking point came when Cuban President Dorticos remarked to him - "if Cuba is going Communist, so what?"

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TEMPERATURE

Now let's take a look at - the thermometer. Of course what you see - depends on where you are. Today, Americans were feeling - the two extremes. Hottest spot - Blythe, California - where the thermometer hit a hundred and ten - in the shade. Coldest spot? From Little America, word that it's ninety-one below down there near the South Pole. A difference of Two-hundred degrees.

... from somewhere in outer space. Their wise men insist that Khrushchev is all set to push those satellite buttons - so they are all going underground. A hundred of them - hiding out. How will they answer anyone who calls on them. Their leaders warn that it might be a Russian, ready to brain-wash them.

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Here's a question - that seems to worry some folks a lot:- Are the Russians going to start an atomic war, tomorrow? Down in Benson, Arizona, they are saying - the answer is - "Yes". Members of an Arizona religious sect expect to see Khrushchev's rockets heading right for them - within the next twenty-four hours.

Members of a group that receives - prophetic revelations - from somewhere in outer space. Their wise men insist that Khrushchev is all set to push those missile buttons - so they are all going underground. A hundred of them - hiding out. Nor will they answer anyone who calls on them. Their leaders warn them it might be a Russian, ready to brain-wash them.

They expect to find nothing but ashes - when they emerge tomorrow. But - if they don't what will they find: For one thing a big unpaid grocery bill.

Local merchants not worried about a possible missile
blitz tomorrow have allowed the prophets of Benson,
Arizona, to run up quite a bill.

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of the Chippewas, getting out - some old treaties with the
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Washington has recognized their sovereignty. They go on to
say - their treaty rights are being violated. So they're
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INDIANS

Another nation today applied for - membership in the United Nations. No - not one of the new African territories. This nation - closer ~~to~~ home.

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SHIP

Off the coast of Massachusetts - they've discovered the wreckage of a ship called the "General Arnold". What's the story? You could almost guess - from the name. The ship, called after - Benedict Arnold - in the days before he ~~became~~ became the traitor of West Point.

The General Arnold - went aground one hundred and eighty two years ago. A blockade runner - during the Revolution. Carrying food and refugees - through the British lines. The General Arnold slipping out of Boston - on a dark night in Seventeen Seventy Eight. Making a run - for the open sea. She got past the British ships - only to be caught by a storm year Plymouth Rock.

The gale, hurling her onto the mud flats. Where she went down. Covered by mud - for almost two centuries.

The mud, gradually washed off - by the Atlantic surf. The wreckage of the ship - coming to light. Now we know what happened to the General Arnold - blockage runner of the Revolution.