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A new turn of American foreign policy - proposed by Vice-President Nixon. Who suggests - that the disputes between East and West be placed before the International Court of Justice. The idea being for both the United States and Soviet Russia to accept the Court at the Hague - as an "impartial umpire."

Nixon presented this before the American Academy of Political Science, today. Stating - that it was his own suggestion. Not - advanced by the Administration in Washington.

He added, however, that President Eisenhower will seek to promote a wider use of the International Court of Justice, as an "impartial umpire". In Dealing with international controversies.

DULLES

back again

Secretary Dulles is in the Walter Reed Hospital, tonight - for new cancer treatments. Nothing definite - about his retention of the post of Secretary of State, which will not be decided - until the new treatments are evaluated.

The Secretary, as we all know, received massive radiation for some time. Then, a couple of weeks ago, he went to Florida, Hobe Sound - to rest and recuperate in the sunshine

P Reports are that, as recently as last Wednesday, he was determined - he'd go to the Foreign Minister's conference *in Geneva*,

leading the American delegation - at ~~that~~ ^{the} East-West meeting *that* beginning ⁵ ~~ing~~ May Eleventh. This, in spite of his doctors' opinion that he would be too weak to undertake such a rigorous task.

But John Foster Dulles persisted - in the hope.

On Thursday, down in Florida, however - ~~there~~ ^{was} an X-ray examination. After which the physicians insisted - that Secretary Dulles return to ~~the~~ Walter Reed Hospital as soon as possible. So he broke off his Florida vacation. Returning - to Washington.

~~Immediately after his arrival~~ ^{Today,} President Eisenhower called on him at the hospital. The two - talking for three-quarters of an hour. Then, upon emerging, the President issued a statement - about the necessity of new treatments. Which may be - more anti-cancer radiation, ~~or~~ - surgery. President ^{ial} Secretary ~~Jim~~ Hagerty says - the nature of the treatment will be announced, as soon ~~as~~ it has begun.

Nothing definite about the Secretary returning to his post - but the air at the State Department is ~~negative~~ pessimistic. The opinion expressed - that it would be a miracle if the seventy-one year old statesman could continue long at his post.

Today, Spokesman Lincoln White was asked: "Who will head the U.S. delegation to the conference of the Foreign Ministers?"

"That," he replied, "is a very interesting question."

The belief at the State Department is that if Secretary Dulles resigns, he will be succeeded by

Under-Secretary of State Christian Herter. Who, as Acting Secretary, has been substituting for Secretary Dulles.

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ROCKETS

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FOLLOW ROCKETS

More about rockets. This is a rocket night!

Meanwhile, at Cape Canaveral, Florida, they were waiting to fire an Atlas rocket - with two man-made moons. One, carrying scientific equipment for studying this earth's magnetic field. The other, a plastic balloon - to test the drag of the thinnest of air at the farthest edge of the atmosphere. Both capsule and balloon - expected to go into orbit.

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DALAI LAMA

An official announcement - of a new home for the Dalai Lama. The resort city of Mussoorie - in the state of Utter Pradesh. This is in the west-central Himalayas - the foothills, at an altitude of seven thousand feet - long a popular resort for British officialdom - lesser officials seeking refuge - from the steaming heat of the plains of Bengal, the United Provinces, and Central India. The climate at Mussoorie - cool and brisk. Not nearly as cool as the lofty plateau of the Dalai Lama's Tibet; but - a most agreeable climate.

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influence among the Tibetan mountaineers. He has been declared a traitor by the Chinese Communists. So he has fled to India. Or rather, the border principality - of Bhutan.

METAL

A new kind of ore, discovered in Maine, is being named - hazlinite. In honor - of Hazel and Lillian. Climaxing the story - of two ladies, who found something, and were stubborn about it.

^{Near}
^ ~~In~~ the town of Paris, in Maine - a mica mine. Quite a useful substance - mica. But the mine also produced - a "nuisance". A pinkish kind of ore - good for nothing, it was thought. Heaps of it - accumulating.

Then along came Mrs. Hazel Thompson, wife of a former consulting engineer with the Atomic Energy Commission; And - Mrs. Lillian Perham, wife of a well known geologist. Their husbands - fellow workers in science.

The two wives - curious about that pink ore, the "nuisance". Testing it - with an instrument that buzzes, when it comes near metal. They got a buzz - indicating metal of some sort. So they said - the "nuisance" ~~is~~ should be analyzed. Insisting - until they had their way.

The analysis showing - the rare metal called cesium.

Used - in thermo-nuclear research. Only last week, the Atomic Laboratory at Los Alamos announced the discovery - the use of cesium to turn atomic energy into electricity.

Previously, the only source of the rare metal was - the island of Elba, where Napoleon was exiled. So now, a new source - the mica mine in Maine.

Thanks - to Hazel and Lillian. And no wonder the ^{- Don} pinkish ore, the former "nuisance", has been baptised - hazlinite.

PRESIDENT

We hear a lot of news, these days, about the Prominent. Who is he? Well, that's a code name - the Prominent. His identity - disclosed at Augusta, Georgia. When, at the airport people had a chance to listen in to the radio talk between the ground and an incoming airplane. The radio man on the ground - speaking to the pilot of the plane. Saying - "the General has landed here, and will be in the party greeting the Prominent."

The pilot replying: "We'll pass the word back to the Prominent." *P* That aircraft - the presidential plane Columbine. Dwight D. Eisenhower - aboard.

So now you know. The code name for the President is - the Prominent.