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GOOD EVEING EVERYBODY:

At his news conference today, Secretary of State Dulles expressed scepticism - about a "thaw" in the Cold War. The "thaw" - mentioned by Khrushchev. Secretary Dulles, charging that the Soviets have not come up with - an acceptable plan for ending the Cold War. In particular - no plan for the reunification of Germany. He again accuses Khrushchev of reneging on his promise given at Geneva in Nineteen Fifty-five, when the Red boss agreed to - free elections throughout Germany.

But Dulles says he is still hopeful - about future negotiations with the Kremlin, thinks it might be a good idea if the Big Four Foreign Ministers - got together this Spring. He repeats that we are willing to discuss any workable plan - for a real end to the Cold War.

KHRUSHCHEV

Khrushchev's speech today before the Congress of the Soviet Communist Party - lasted six hours. Covering everything from, the Berlin crisis - to the production of iron and steel. Khrushchev, calling on Russia to surpass America economically - by "ineteen Seventy. Repeating that - Communism can win by peaceful methods.

But the speech - was belligerent, too. Khrushchev also told his audience - the Soviets are now mass-producing missiles. With conventional military forces - kept up to strength. Politically, he still demands that the West get out of Berlin - by the end of May. And he still wants Yugoslavia to give up what he termed - "national Communism."

The boss of the Kremlin apparently full of confidence, about his own personal power, and about Russia outstripping the West.

While
~~KHRUSHCHEV~~ Khrushchev wants to compete with us -
in Washington
~~and to Congress~~ there's a move to take him at his word. Today
Senator Stennis of Mississippi proposed - a big program of
export subsidies. Allow ~~the~~ American businessmen to bid
against their Soviet rivals - in the uncommitted nations.
Senator Stennis, urging that a special committee be formed -
to study the problem of competition on a global scale. The
nub of the problem, Kremlin control of Soviet labor means -
lower wages inside Russia - and lower prices on the world
market. The Stennis plan for subsidies - might ^{reduce some} ~~lower~~ American
- in the foreign market -
prices ^{to} the Russian level.

MIKOYAN

The visit of the Soviet Deputy Premier Mikoyan was in our national interest. Vice-President Nixon today said this to the Fordham Alumni Association. His point was that Mikoyan was "noticeably impressed by our economic strength"

Nixon insisting, the Americans who agreed to meet Mikoyan - were right. Then adding quickly that there was no need to lionize him. Meaning possibly that some of our labor leaders handled Mikoyan - better than some of our businessmen.

ITALY

Tonight, Rome is in the midst of - a political crisis. President Gronchi, searching for - a candidate. Someone to replace Fanfani - as Premier. The problem facing the President of Italy - indicated by the Number Twenty-six. The number of politicians he must consult - before he can propose a candidate with any hope of winning in the Rome Parliament. No one party - strong enough. A coalition has to be formed. And twenty-six top political figures are involved.

TRIAL

The trial of Major Pedro Morejon Valdez in Havana - had a dramatic moment today. A witness for the prosecution - a girl from Oriente Province, was testifying. Suddenly he pointed at another man in the courtroom and shouted:- that he was one of the Major's Valdez men. The man? One Sargeant Adolfo Perez - who was in court as an aide to the Judge Advocate. Perez had been assigned to the job - by Castro's revolutionary regime. Now, he's in jail - awaiting trial. The aide of Castro's judge - accused of being a henchman of Batista.

NORFOLK

A Federal judge removes the last legal barrier - to integration in the public schools of Norfolk, Virginia. Judge Walter Hoffman, ruling - the city cannot close the schools because of the fear of violence. Judge Hoffman, calling the Norfolk ~~City~~ City Council - "evasive." Issuing an injunction - to keep the Norfolk schools open.

INTEGRATION

Some Southern Democrats in Congress *are* calling for local control of education. The leader of the group - Senator Talmadge of Georgia. Senator Talmadge, predicting that integration might force the South - to shut all of its public schools. The Senator, terming this - "an unparalleled catastrophe."

He and his colleagues want to prevent the catastrophe with a new constitutional amendment. Leaving the decision on schools - up to states, counties, and cities. The Dixie Democrats, offering a counter-proposal to *the* Northern-backed Civil Rights bills - now up for debate on Capitol Hill.

CAIRO

In Cairo, the Jesuits have lost control - of their schools. An official of the Egyptian Ministry of Education - taking over from the administrator appointed by the Catholic religious order. The reason - "objectionable school books." Cairo claiming, the Jesuit texts - are full of historical errors. Making Christian civilization - too important. Minimizing - Moslem civilization. The Egyptian Minister of Education also alleges ^{that} - the Jesuit books contain a lot of Israeli propaganda.

CONGO

More rioting - in the Belgian Congo. Touched off by a rumor that a European - had murdered an African. ^{Altho'} The rumor - promptly denied by the Belgian authorities, ~~but~~ the denial ^{did} ~~could~~ not prevent ~~the~~ outbreak of violence. Congo natives, roaming the streets of Leopoldville ^{- again} attacking white pedestrians - overturning automobiles - smashing windows. The violence, quickly brought under control - by the special police force, now patrolling Leopoldville.

TIBET

Here's a follow-up - to the story we had last night, the news of rebellion - in Tibet. Men of Kham - the wild mountains of eastern Tibet - fighting the Red Chinese Army of Occupation.

The Indian U.P. newsman, claims the outbreak is more than a local uprising. Correspondent Gupta is now in Sikkim, after a tour of the Tibetan border. He reports the Khambas have drawn up a "master plan" for a full scale revolution.

The first part of the "master plan" has to do with arousing other Tibetans.

The second part concerns the formation of a secret society, The Brotherhood of Kham - pledged to fight on for Tibetan independence, smuggling arms, and forming - an underground army. The Khamba Brotherhood, to lead - a war against Mao Tse-tung's Army of Occupation.

Newsman Gupta thinks the Khambas have a better

chance - than the Hungarians, because they can hold out
in the rugged Himalayas - even if they lose a battle in
Lhasa, or Shigatse, or Gyantse.

NEWSMAN

American officials in South Korea decline to talk about - the Communist newsman who fled to freedom today. Lee Dong Joon - Pravda's correspondent at Pan Mun Jom, assigned to cover the talks - that still go on and on in the truce tent.

The newsman, unnoticed as he walked up to a group of Americans, begged them to take him - to South Korea. So they hurried him aboard a military truck - which sped south to Seoul. Tonight, Lee Dong Joon, is somewhere in the South Korean capital. Don, even Lee Dong Joon, Pravda's man in North Korea, has come over to the free world.