

CEYLON

L.T. Deleo. Fri. Sept. 25-39.

~~That~~ SHOOTING OF THE PREMIER OF CEYLON, TODAY - IS INVOLVED IN
The large, and beautiful tropical
ASPECTS OF RELIGION. ~~THE~~ ISLAND, SOUTH OF INDIA BITTERLY DIVIDED,
BETWEEN THE ORIGINAL SINGHALESE, WHO ARE BUDDHISTS. AND THE TAMILS
FROM INDIA, WHOSE RELIGION IS HINDUISM. PREMIER SOLOMON W.R.D.
BANDARANAIKE WAS REARED IN THE HINDUISM OF INDIA. BUT, LATER IN LIFE,
BECAME A BUDDHIST. EXCEEDINGLY DEVOUT-IN HIS NEW FAITH. ALL OF WHICH
IS THE SETTING-FOR WHAT HAPPENED. THIS MORNING.

AT THE PREMIER'S BUNGALOW, TWO VISITORS APPEARED -
CLAD IN THE SAFFRON ROBES OF BUDDHIST MONKS. THE PREMIER GOING OUT
ON THE VERANDA-TO GREET THEM. WHICH HE DID, IN CONVENTIONAL PIOUS
FASHION. PROSTRATING HIMSELF BEFORE THEM AND UTTERING A BUDDHIST
PRAYER. AS HE AROSE, ONE OF THE TWO-SHOT HIM REPEATEDLY IN THE
ABDOMEN. WOUNDING ALSO-A MAN WHO TRIED TO INTERVENE. GUARDS SHOT
AND INJURED-THE GUNMAN. HIS COMPANION-ARRESTED. PREMIER BANDARANAIKE
TAKEN TO A HOSPITAL-STILL CONSCIOUS, ASKING IN BUDDHIST FASHION-THAT
MERCY BE GRANTED TO THE MAN WHO SHOT HIM. ^{Later} A COMPLICATED OPERATION WAS
PERFORMED. IN THE COURSE-OF WHICH THE PATIENT'S HEART STOPPED BEATING.
BUT THE SURGEONS RESUSCITATED HIM. TONIGHT HIS PROSPECTS OF RECOVERY-

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ARE DOUBTFUL. THE PREMIER WAS TO HAVE COME TO THE UNITED STATES
IN A FEW DAYS TO ADDRESS THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE U.N. - AND
CONFER WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER IN WASHINGTON.

THE GUNMAN HAS BEEN IDENTIFIED AS A PHYSICIAN, WHO PRACTICES TRADITIONAL
INDIAN MEDICINE - AND *also is an authentic* ~~HE IS CURRENTLY,~~ BUDDHIST MONK.

BUT PROBABLY, THE CRIME HAS TO DO-WITH THE BITTER DISSENSIONS IN
CEYLON. RELIGIOUS, RACIAL-AND POLITICAL. PREMIER BANDARANAIKE
HAVING INSTALLED-A LEFT WING GOVERNMENT.

MARTIAL LAW *was* PROMPTLY PROCLAIMED *today.* FOR FEAR OF AN OUTBREAK OF CIVIL
STRIFE.

IRAQ

A VIOLENT OUTBREAK IN LEBANON-TODAY. MOBS IN BEIRUT ^{again} DEMONSTRATING AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT OF PREMIER KASSEM IN IRAQ. SHOUTING AGAINST COMMUNIST INFILTRATION IN IRAQ, THEY MARCHED AGAINST THE HEADQUARTERS OF KASSEM'S AMBASSADOR. LEBANESE POLICE INTERVENING-AND A WILD MELEE WAS ON. THE CROWD-FINALLY - FINALLY DISPERSED BY TEAR GAS BOMBS. MEANWHILE, REPORTS ARE-THAT AN INTENSE CRISIS EXISTS IN IRAQ. THE KASSEM REGIME-TAKING AMMUNITION AWAY FROM ARMY UNITS. AFRAID-OF A MILITARY REVOLT. THE POLICE-MAKING ARRESTS ALL OVER BAGHDAD. THESE REPORTS ARE ~~REMOVED~~ FROM EGYPTIAN SOURCES AND THERE'S NO CONFIRMATION.

CHINA

IN RED CHINA - THE NEWS THAT KHRUSHCHEV WILL PAY THEM A VISIT OUT THERE, FOLLOWING - HIS TALKS WITH PRESIDENT EISENHOWER. WHICH, OF COURSE - IS NOT NEWS IN THIS COUNTRY AT ALL. WE'VE KNOWN ABOUT IT FOR WEEKS. THE FORTHCOMING KHRUSHCHEV TRIP TO CHINA - IN THE NEWS REPEATEDLY.

BUT THE CHINESE REDS REMAINED SILENT - ABOUT THE VISIT THEY^aRE TO HAVE. ALTHOUGH YOU'D SUPPOSE - THE APPEARANCE OF THE BIG BOSS OF THE KREMLIN WOULD BE AN EVENT OF MAJOR CONSEQUENCE.

TODAY - STILL NO OFFICIAL ANNOUNCEMENT. MERELY - AN ITEM PUBLISHED BY THE NEW CHINA NEWS AGENCY, WHICH QUOTES - A REPORT GIVEN OUT BY THE OFFICIAL SOVIET NEWS AGENCY. RATHER UNCEREMONIOUS, YOU'D THINK.

WELL, WE'VE HEARD THAT THE CHINESE REDS ARE NOT AT ALL ENTHUSIASTIC ABOUT THE KHRUSHCHEV TRIP TO THE UNITED STATES. THERE HAS EVEN BEEN SPECULATION - OF A RIFT BETWEEN THE TWO COMMUNIST COUNTRIES, ^{over} KHRUSHCHEV SEEKING - AN UNDERSTANDING WITH THE U.S.A.

SLOGAN

At the Khrushchev luncheon, today, a patrolman was on duty outside, when he spotted two fellows - putting up a poster on a wall nearby. The cop took a look at the poster, and shouted to them indignantly "you can't put up any offensive slogans in Russian."

Whereupon the two men explained - it wasn't Russian, it was Latin. The sign reading "Pax Vobiscum." The familiar phrase - heard in Catholic churches, meaning - "peace be with you."

As for Khrushchev. Well, we haven't got much about him tonight. He's in seclusion with President Eisenhower - in a cottage on top of a hill, at the presidential retreat, Camp David, Maryland, in the Catoctin Mountains. As for any public Hullabaloo, this was virtually a complete day of rest for Nikita. He attended ~~at~~ a luncheon given by Secretary of State Christian Herter, at which he said that his Hurly-Burly travels had eased cold war tensions, "to a certain extent."

THEN, IN THE AFTERNOON, THE PRESIDENT AND ^{the} PREMIER TOOK A HELICOPTER-
TO THE COTAGE ON THE HILL, TO DELVE INTO PROBLEMS OF INTERNATIONAL
AFFAIR.^s

STRIKE

NEGOTIATIONS IN THE STEEL STRIKE ^{are} AT AN END FOR THE TIME BEING.
THE BARGAINING TALKS BROKE DOWN, TODAY. THE UNION DECLARING-IT WAS
NO USE TO CONTINUE. ACCUSING THE STEEL COMPANIES-OF NOT COMING
FORWARD WITH ANY NEW OFFER THAT COULD BE CONSIDERED.

FEDERAL MEDIATOR JOSEPH FINEGAN CALLED AN INDEFINITE RECESS, AND
IS GOING TO WASHINGTON TO REPORT, HE SAY^s "THE GOVERNMENT DOES NOT
INTEND TO ALLOW THIS SITUATION TO DRIFT."

ROME.

A TWO YEAR OLD MYSTERY - SOLVED IN ROME. A JEWEL ROBBERY - AT THE RESIDENCE OF U.S. AMBASSADOR JAMES ZELLERBACH. TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF JEWELRY - VANISHING. THE ROBBERY - UNSOLVED UNTIL NOW.

TODAY, THE ROMAN POLICE ARRESTED A FORMER EMPLOYEE OF AMBASSADOR ZELLERBACH, FERNANDO MENICHETTI - WHO HAD WORKED IN THE AMBASSADOR'S VILLA, AS - A WAITER. THE POLICE DECLARING - HE LEARNED WHERE MRS. HANA ZELLERBACH KEPT HER JEWELS. HE LEFT THE AMBASSADOR'S EMPLOY - THEN, LATER, GOT INTO A WINDOW AT NIGHT, MAKING OFF - WITH THE TWENTY-TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS WORTH OF LOOT.

*That robbery
Now the mystery*

A LARGE HEADLINE - A COUPLE OF YEARS AGO.
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solved,*

FOOTBALL

THE OKLAHOMA-NORTHWESTERN FOOTBALL GAME WILL BE PLAYED -
ACCORDING TO SCHEDULE TOMORROW, IN SPITE - OF THE SUDDEN ILLNESS OF
TWENTY PLAYERS OF THE OKLAHOMA TEAM. SIX - IN A CHICAGO HOSPITAL.
ANOTHER HALF DOZEN - REPORTED "VIOLENTLY ILL" AT THEIR HOTEL. STILL
OTHER ATHLETES - SUFFERING FROM SEVERE HEADACHES. THE BELIEF BEING -
THAT THE OKLAHOMA "SOONERS" WERE HIT BY FOOD POISONING, OF SOME SORT.

LAST EVENING, THEY HAD A LOOK AT CHICAGO NIGHT LIFE. DINING -
AT ONE OF THE FANCIEST NIGHT CLUBS IN TOWN. BUT THE HEALTH
AUTHORITIES DECLARE, TODAY - THAT THE FOOD THEY HAD AT THE NIGHT CLUB
WAS NOT THE CAUSE OF THE SUDDEN EPIDEMIC OF ILLNESS.

APPARENTLY, THEY HAD SOMETHING TO EAT EARLIER - IN A HOTEL AT
EVANSTON. WHERE THE QUESTION OF THE FOOD THEY HAD IS BEING
INVESTIGATED.

THE PROSPECT IS THAT THE "SOONERS" WILL GO INTO THE GAME
TOMORROW - MINUS A DOZEN OF THE PLAYERS WHOM THEY WOULD OTHERWISE
HAVE USED. IN THE BATTLE - WITH NORTHWESTERN.

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THERE'S A RUMOR AROUND CHICAGO THAT GAMBLERS MAY HAVE FOUND A WAY TO
DOCTOR THE FOOD OF THE FOOTBALL PLAYERS.

FLIES

IN PITTSBURGH, YESTERDAY, KHRUSHCHEV MADE - ONE OF THOSE JOKING
REMARKS OF HIS. WHICH MAY HAVE REVEALED - A THING THEY^uRE ATTEMPTING
IN SOVIET RUSSIA. HE SAID. "WE ARE TRYING TO INVENT A MACHINE TO KILL
FLIES - WITH ATOMIC ENERGY."

NOBLE AMBITION - BUT WE'VE ALREADY FOUⁿD A WAY TO DO THAT, HERE
IN THE UNITED STATES; AS REVEALED BY SCIENTISTS IN THE DEPARTMENT
OF AGRICULTURE. THE STORY - A CURIOUS ONE. ATOMIC ENERGY INTERFERING
- WITH THE WAYS OF NATURE.

IN THE WEST INDIES, THERE WAS A PLAGUE OF SCREW WORM FLIES,
WHICH DESTROYED - CATTLE. SO THE SCIENTISTS BEGAN - BY RAISING
MILLIONS OF THOSE INSECT PESTS. KEEPING - ONLY MALES. WHICH THEY THEN
STERILIZED - BY USING GAMMA RAYS FROM RADIOACTIVE COBALT.

THEN THEY TOOK THE MILLIONS OF STERILIZED FLIES DOWN TO THE
ISLAND OF CURACAO - AND RELEASED THEM, TO MATE - WITH THE FEMALE FLIES.
PRODUCING NO OFFSPRING, OF COURSE. THE FEMALE FLY - DIES AFTER MATING.
SO THE END RESULT WAS - THAT THE WHOLE RACE OF THE INCEST PESTS -
DISAPPEARED AT CURACAO.

THAT WAS FIVE YEARS AGO - AND, SINCE THEN, THEY'VE EXTERMINATED
BILLIONS OF FLIES, ^{by} USING THAT ATOMIC METHOD.
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And with a special salute to U.M., Delco and Don Mur -

So Long Until Tomorrow.