

L.T.-OLDS., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1960.

GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

Tonight - as you would expect - telegrams are pouring into the Washington home - of the President elect. Senator and Mrs. Kennedy, receiving congratulations - from all over the world.

Congratulations on - the birth of their son. Some of the messages are signed by great names - President and Mrs. Eisenhower, Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip, Charles DeGaulle, Konrad Adenauer - and so on ad infinitum, prime Ministers, kings and sultans. But most of the messages are from ordinary people - around the globe.

After making sure that mother and baby were doing well - John Kennedy turned his attention to the other member of the family. The President elect, taking his daughter Caroline - for a walk in the Georgetown District of Washington. Then breaking to the three year old girl - the astounding news that she has a brand new baby brother.

REPORT

The report drawn up at Johns Hopkins for the army realistically warns all Americans that we ought to recognize - the strength of the Soviet economy, with the possibility that Russia may push us into second place - during the next decade.

The report is not too pessimistic - because it points out that we can counteract this trend, by stimulating our own economic growth. The report notes - that we can keep well ahead of the Russians and do it - without huge federal spending, and without any drastic change - in the income tax.

The report, by the way, was an issue - of the campaign. Senator Kennedy insisted it be published - to show the defects in our economic system. And he promised to revise our economy - to meet the Soviet challenge. Now he'll get his chance.

DOLLAR

The "save the dollar" European trip by ~~our~~
Secretary of the Treasury ^{Anderson} has ended, with good will
but no tangible results. We've already heard about West
Germany and France - turning down ^{his} ~~Secretary Anderson's~~
~~appeal.~~ An appeal for them to pay more - toward the common
defense. Bonn and Paris, insisting - they ^are already
committed as far as ~~it~~ their economies will allow.

^{it was}
Today, London's turn - to say the same thing.
Prime Minister MacMillan indicating that he certainly
wants to see a sound dollar ^{while} ~~but~~ can't commit Britain
to doing any more. The British pound - not strong enough.

So Secretary Anderson ^{comes} ~~back~~ home - empty handed.

^{However}
He says he accomplished - at least one thing. He made it
~~is~~ clear that Uncle Sam isn't going to foot the bills -
forever. In Particular -- the bill for the army we maintain
in West Germany.

WASHINGTON FOLLOW DOLLAR

Meanwhile, officials in Washington emphasize *that* there is no conflict between the Treasury Department and the State Department, ~~Between~~ Anderson and Herter. No truth to the ^{rumor} that Anderson approached Bonn - without first consulting Herter. ~~In any case,~~ ^{Treasury Secretary} Anderson was accompanied by Douglas Dillon - the Under Secretary of State.

Besides, the Anderson mission was cleared - with President Eisenhower. According to White House Secretary ~~the~~ Hagerty - the President received routine reports on how it was going.

DIPLOMAT

When American Major Irving McDonald was questioned by newsmen in London, he remarked ^{oh} - "Khrushchev accused me of everything, except stealing ~~in~~ the Kremlin jewels."

Khrushchev's main charge - that Major McDonald was caught gathering secret information inside Russia, ~~hence~~ ^{the} ~~Khrushchev's~~ order - telling the major to go home.

Is there anything in it? McDonald answers - "no". He never went beyond the rights and duties of an air attache --at our Moscow Embassy.

MOSCOW

The head of the Albanian Communist party - has left Moscow. Enver Hoxha's return home could be ~~very~~ significant - because it's reported that he sides^d with Red China at the "Communist summit meeting." And we've been hearing about Red Chinese spokesmen - abandoning the conference, after expressing disgust with Khrushchev and his plan for peaceful co-existence.

In other words - th^e~~is~~ ^{Red summit} Moscow meeting appears to be breaking up without any agreement. The biggest blow to Khrushchev, apparently - Latin Americaⁿ ^{Reds} siding with Red China. Giving Mao Tse-Tung enough backing to take a ~~very~~ tough line - with Khrushchev.

The Red bosses are still expected to come up with - a public declaration of sweetness and light in the Communist bloc. But western experts on Communism ^{now} expect - a more open struggle for power, between Khrushchev and Mao Tse-Tung.

INTEGRATION

The sit-in campaign has been resumed - in Atlanta, Georgia. Negro demonstrators were out today, picketing segregated lunch counters - after a thirty day truce. They claim the stores made ~~no~~ no effort to negotiate with them - during that period. So they^are calling for a negro boycott of stores that are willing to sell soap and neck ties ~~to~~ to Negro customers - but not a cup of coffee.

OREGON

Out in Oregon they are saying - "the worst storm in years." Twenty-four inches of rain - within twenty four hours, sending rivers up over their banks. The Willamette River hitting its flood crest at Corvallis - a crest of twenty feet. From there it roared on down into - Albany and Salem. Dozens of homes - deluged. Families - evacuated - to higher ground.

Oregon roads - under a foot of water. Communications - disrupted. The army and the Red Cross, moving quickly - to prevent an epidemic in Oregon.

ROMANOFF

An entire cycle of history ended in Toronto last night - with the passing of Olga Romanoff, Grand Duchess Olga - sister of the Czar, ~~She was the~~ last of the Imperial Romanoffs. ~~Oh,~~ ^{those} yes, there are still ~~women~~ who claim to be Anastasia - the Czar's daughter. But their claims are ~~not~~ ^{not} taken ~~very~~ ^{too} seriously. Grand Duchess Olga? No one had the slightest doubt ~~that~~ ^{about} her title. ~~was legitimate.~~

She was - the last of the ~~Rim~~ Romanoffs. Her family history, going back to Michael Romanoff - who was elected Czar in Sixteen Thirteen. Founding the royal dynasty that ruled Russia - until Nineteen Seventeen. ~~The~~ The dynasty that produced Peter the Great - and Katherine the Great, ^{also} Alexander the Great - who fought Napoleon, and burned Moscow rather than surrender it to the French invader. Alexander the Second - who freed the Serfs. And Nicholas the Second - the last Czar, ~~The~~ monarch who died with his family ~~beneath~~ ^{before} the rifles of

a Bolshevik firing squad.

One
One Romanoff survived - until her death last night

at the age of seventy-eight. Grand Duchess Olga - who remembered the imperial days before the revolution. The days when her brother Nicholas - was Czar of all the Russians.

CAT

A judge of the Superior court, sitting in Oakland, California - has slapped an injunction on Herman the Tom Cat. Herman - who is too fond of the lady cats next door. They, being - pure bred Siamese. ~~So~~ their owners don't want them associating with Herman - the rough neck of the neighborhood.

Today's injunction reads - "the defendant is enjoined from permitting Herman the cat to trespass on the plaintiff's property."

However The defendant, Russell Bowler - claims that Herman is being lured astray by the Siamese cats, ^{Dicks,} ~~the plaintiff~~

~~- Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cook. Says Mrs. Cook - "Herman~~

~~is no Don Juan, he's Jack the ripper."~~

CATTLE

Here's a picture that may seem familiar to you. A big cattle drive - lumbering across the plains of the mid-west. Wranglers riding herd - rounding up strays. The trail boss - shouting orders. The chuck wagon - bringing up the rear.

A western? Or - a page from the history books? No, this cattle drive is on - right now. Trail boss Wayne Jackson, pushing his herd from Arkansas - to the prairies around Carthage, Missouri. The purpose - to find winter pasture. In the spring - Jackson and his men will be bringing their herd on the return route to Arkansas.

^hThe hazards of the cattle drive used to be - Indians, rustlers, and water. Now, according to trail boss Jackson - trains, highway traffic, and barbed wire fences *are even worse. He'd rather have rustlers.*

Apart from those changes, this is a cattle drive - as authentic as six guns or river boat gamblers.