

~~1968~~ Wed. Nov. 13 - '68.

Warning to Hanoi. The U S State Department today expressing great concern - over enemy violations of that so-called demilitarized zone ~~zone~~ between North and South Vietnam. Acting Secretary of State Nicholas Katzenbach - emphasizing the seriousness of the situation. Pointing out that the present U S bombing halt - was predicated mainly on an expected end to North Vietnamese "abuses" of the D M Z.

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Katzenbach also rejected Hanoi's claim - that the United States has agreed to a "four-sided or four-party conference" in Paris. The American concept - that of a "two sides" parley - said he. Adding: "It was understood that both sides - would organize themselves as they chose."

SAIGON FOLLOW STATE

Meanwhile, a furore in Saigon - over Clark Clifford's statement of yesterday, accusing President Thieu of reneging on an earlier indication - that he would take part in expanded peace talks.

A South Vietnamese spokesman declaring today

- that Thieu "never made such a promise." ~~The~~ President

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Thieu himself - reported privately furious. While at least

one U S official was quoted as lambasting Clifford - for

~~calling~~ allegedly "calling our ally a ~~liar~~ liar and welsher."

It proves again - said he - the people in Washington "just

don't know how to deal with Asians."

NEW YORK

New York - another Nixon White House appointment today. The President-elect naming H. R. "Bob" Haldeman - as a special assistant in charge of over-all management of the White House staff.

Haldeman - forty-two - a former Los Angeles advertising executive; More recently - Chief of Staff of the Nixon-Agnew campaign. Now explaining that he will be one of several special assistants - assigned the job of "telescoping" White House functions. "We do not want people - locked in specific boxes" - said he.

Crackdown in Pakistan. At Lahore - government police today arresting opposition leader Zulfikar Ali Bhutto ~~and~~ ^{and} fourteen of his chief supporters. ~~Attempting~~ ^{This in an} to put an end to violent student demonstrations - that, nevertheless, continued today in a dozen cities.

^{Zulfikar Ali} ~~He~~ Peking-oriented Bhutto - once the "fair-haired boy" of the Pakistani government. Foreign Minister to President Ayub Khan - when still in his early thirties. Later breaking with ^{the} Khan - during the war with India in Nineteen-Sixty-Five. His fiery speeches since then - credited with sparking at last the current flame of student unrest. Final straw - apparently - when ^{Zulfikar Ali} Bhutto said yesterday the government would be unable to stop the students - because "they are fighting against tyranny."

UNITED NATIONS

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At the ~~United Nations~~ - Communist China was "damned
with faint praise" today, ~~In brief speeches~~ ^{The} Soviet
and French ambassadors both asserting as usual - that
the Peking regime is fully deserving of U.N. membership.
But if they had anything else good to say about Red China -
they were both keeping it to themselves.

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PEKING

At the same time - a report today from Peking; admitting that the recently reported ouster of Red Chinese President Liu Shao-Chi - may have been somewhat exaggerated.

~~It was also reported that~~ The Chinese Communist Party Central Committee announced a month ago - that Liu had been expelled from the party "once and for all."

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VATICAN

Pope Paul ⁱⁿ address ^{ing} the Vatican Secretariat for

Christian Unity ~~The Pontiff asserting today~~ that

some Catholics are slowing rather than speeding up Christian

unity. This - said he - through "hasty initiatives"- such

as taking Communion with non-Catholics. ~~The Pope further~~ ^{In addition, the Pope}

^s ~~warning~~ ^{ecumenical} that Vatican guidelines ~~on ecumenical work~~ are

binding rather than merely "advice."

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CARDINAL FOLLOW VATICAN

More on the same from Cardinal Felici - chief interpreter of the decrees of the Second Vatican Council, ⁱⁿ ~~directing~~ a policy statement to young priests who tend to regard "their superiors almost as their equals;" when in fact - said he - "the concept of the superior" is perhaps best expressed in the phrase: "I am the law."

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OMAHA

From Omaha - the story today of Casey and Benoit. Casey - a four hundred and eighty pound male gorilla; introduced into the gorilla colony at the Omaha Zoo - supposedly for breeding purposes; except that all he wanted to do - was to pound his chest and browbeat the other inmates.

Enter Benoit - a hundred and fourteen pound female gorilla - who finally tired of the waiting game. According to zoo officials - little Benoit pursuing the giant Casey for three days and three nights. Chasing him all over the place - we are told; giving him little time for food and sleep - until, finally, success.

With hopes for a new baby gorilla/gain running

high - zoo director ^{Dr.} Warren Thomas today giving all the

credit to Little Benoit, ~~Dr. Thomas~~ and adding ~~Dr. Thomas observed~~ that - resourceful than I had imagined said "females are a lot more ~~resourceful~~ resourceful than I

Dr. Warren Thomas, What do you think Dr. ~~had imagined.~~ Warren Moran?

HAIR

A musical called "Hair" - currently one of the "hottest tickets" in the New York theater. Now the inspiration - for a New York salon; said to be the first in the city - selling a complete line of hairpieces exclusively for men.

Items offered including: toupees - Hippie wigs - mod "bobs" - Afro-wigs; also, sideburns, moustaches and beards - of every size, shape and description. Customers including ~~Y~~ Bald-headed salesmen - weekend "swingers" - also, an occasional vice squad detective. A little stickum and presto! ~~Yow~~ ^{Yow} a Hippie.

Another recent customer - a downy-faced young man with hair ~~down to here~~ ^{over his collar, but} unable to raise a moustache of his own. - So he bought one, Hoping ~~that~~ people would stop saying - "Oh, Miss.,...." ~~But~~ ^{But} ~~it~~ ^{it} ~~was~~ ^{was} ~~not~~ ^{not} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~be~~ ^{be} ~~so~~ ^{so} ~~easy~~ ^{easy} ~~to~~ ^{to} ~~do~~ ^{do} ~~so~~ ^{so} ~~fast~~ ^{fast} -

~~How those sideburns of yours,~~
~~Warren~~