

WHITE HOUSE

Mon. Jan. 26-76.

~~The White House~~ - President Ford ~~signed~~
~~and~~ send^{ling} to Congress today - an annual report from
his council of economic advisors, ~~The President~~^{said}
~~saying~~. Nineteen Seventy five was "very tough" because
the nation 'went through the sharpest, deepest
recession since World War Two. - ~~saying~~ that "even
under the best circumstances - a return to full
employment cannot realistically be accomplished
this year - or next. He insisted^s however^{that} "we are
going to do better in unemployment. We are going
to do better ^{with} in the rate of inflation" ~~also~~ calling
the report of his economic advisors - "a firm,
steady - long range plan for ~~re-~~reviving the
American economy."

And now this —

SENATE

F B I Director Clarence Kelly ~~address~~

~~today~~ before the Senate government operations
committee, ^{today said} ~~saying~~ he feared^s the possibility of
leaks - if congressional oversight committees were
given unlimited access to F B I files; adding, if that
happened it "could seriously jeopardize the flow
of volunteered information - which is the life blood
of our investigative organization."



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At the same time - a ~~blast~~ blast today
at the House Intelligence committee - whose ^{not yet released} ~~reporting~~
report on C I A operations has already been leaked
to the press. White House spokesman Ron Nessen saying:
The pre-mature release of the committee's report -
"is in violation of the security agreement which the
White House thought it had with the committee."
Adding that "this unauthorized release raises serious
questions - on how classified material can be handled
by congress when national security is involved."

~~But, Kelly at his~~

W^M Colby in what may be his last
news conference of the CIA called the
House Committee report totally biased.
Adding that leaks to the press represent
a bursting of the damn protecting
secret operations and activities.

BEIRUT

Moslem and Christian gunmen alike began withdrawing today - from the streets of worn-torn Beirut. The terms of the new cease-fire in Lebanon -- requiring the withdrawal of all opposing forces by six P.M. tomorrow, local time. Lebanese security forces and Palestine liberation army soldiers ^{were} ~~λ~~ both helping to police the ~~truce~~ truce.

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The end of the fighting ^{was} ~~λ~~ also marked by the re-emergence of crowds of shoppers. Palestinian guerrilla leader Zuheir Mohsen saying: "The war is over" and no one "will be able to explode it again - not today - not tomorrow, and not in the near or distant ~~future~~ future."

TEL AVIV

Israeli Prime Minister Rabin took off from
Tel Aviv today - on the first leg of a trip that will
bring him here ~~to the U S~~ for ^{an} eleven ^{stay.} days. As he
left, Rabin ~~telling newsmen:~~ ^{said:} "~~I am pleased to be the~~
~~first head of government - to visit the U S this year,~~
~~the bi-centennial of the American Revolution.~~" He ~~hopes~~
~~is calling~~ for a reconvening of the Geneva conference
- on the Middle East. "If the other parties, particularly
the ~~the~~ Soviet Union are really interested in peace"
said he - "this is the best formula to move forward."

HUAMBO

Prowestern forces in Angola today established
a "fight to the death" line - to block an expected
Marxist attack on their headquarters at Huambo in
Central Angola. Pro western leader Dr. Jonas
Savimbi also reports that South African troops
have now withdrawn from the southern front. ^{but} ~~adding~~
~~however~~, the South African ^{will} remain in Angola - ~~getting~~
ready to defend = if necessary, ^{the} vital Cunene Dam just
across the border from Southwest Africa.

DETROIT

Limited court ordered school bussing began today in Detroit - without major incident. This is the climax to a court ~~struggle~~ ^{struggle} that began six years ago.

School officials ~~saying the~~ ^{report} attendance ~~was~~ ^{down} about ~~eighty~~ ^{half} at some schools. ~~percent, or only eight percent below normal.~~

MENTAL

In the ^{current} ~~latest~~ journal of the American medical association, ^{is} ~~out today~~, an article telling of a nationwide increase ~~in~~ in mental disease due to the recession.

Dr. Louis Kopolow and Dr. Frank Ochberg saying:

"for the first time in their lives millions of Americans are losing confidence in their ability to achievement a more prosperous ~~is~~ future and even to maintain their present economic condition."

JACK

The Washington social circuit is ~~at~~ abuzz today - with rumors of a ^{White House} romance, ~~in the White House.~~
~~The President's~~ Son, Jack, - apparently putting the rush on tennis star Chris Evert; taking her out four times in the past week -- bringing her home to ^{meet} ~~bring~~ "the folks" -- also, asking her to be his date at a state dinner for Prime Minister Rabin tomorrow night.

Along the way, Miss Evert winning the Virginia Slims tennis tournament held at nearby Landover, Maryland. A reporter noting that Chrissie had spent more time with Jack - than ~~she had~~ playing

^{Said} Miss Evert: ~~replying~~: "Maybe that helped. I wasn't bored this week!" ^{And she added:-} "Usually I am."

And now this —

KATHMANDU

From Kathmandu, ~~in~~ Nepal ^{we hear} ~~comes word today~~

~~that~~ the cost of mountain climbing ^{is soaring, Birendra} ~~like everything~~

But Bikram Shah Deva ^{is going} ~~else is going up. The government of Nepal raising~~

the fee ^{to} ~~it charges~~ mountaineers for the ~~the~~ privilege
of attempting to climb Mt. Everest ^{and other peaks,} Instead of just

a thousand it'll now be twelve hundred ^{bucks --} ~~payable~~ in

advance, just in case!

And now for CBS news this
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