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KENYA

THE NEW HEAD OF KENYA--IS THE OLD HEAD OF THE MAU-MAU.
JOMO KENYATTA, WHO USED TO BE KNOWN AS--"THE BURNING SPEAR."
KENYATTA, WHO ACCUSED OF MASTERMINDING--THAT FEROCIOUS WAVE OF
JUNGLE TERROR; HUNDREDS OF RITUAL MURDERS, MOST OF THE VICTIMS
WERE AFRICANS; SOME WHITES MURDERED--BY SUPERSTITIOUS FANATICS
DRESSED IN LEOPARD SKINS. "THE BURNING SPEAR" WAS CONVICTED BY A
BRITISH COURT--AND SPENT FIVE YEARS IN PRISON. THE LAST TIME I
WAS IN NAIROBI, JAMO KENYATTA, ALREADY WAS OUT PRISON; BUT THEY HAD
HIM UNDER HOUSE DETENTION, IN HIS OWN VILLAGE, IN NORTHERN KENYA.
HE WAS RELEASED BECAUSE HE APPARENTLY HAD REFORMED. ALSO, BECAUSE
HE SEEMED TO BE THE ONLY ONE ABLE TO LEAD THE NATIVE PEOPLES OF
KENYA OUT OF COLONIALISM, INTO INDEPENDENCE. NOW, AN OLD BUT
STILL VIGOROUS MAN, HE BECOMES MINISTER OF STATE IN NAIROBI--
"THE BURNING SPEAR." JOMO KENYATTA.

ATOMIC

NO ONE IN GENEVA--OR WASHINGTON, OR LONDON--EXPECTS

KHRUSHCHEV TO RESPOND TO THE LATEST WESTERN APPEAL. BUT BRITIAN

AND AMERICA WANT ^{ing} TO KEEP THE RECORD STRAIGHT, ^{ay} AND REMIND ^{ing} THE REST

OF THE WORLD EXACTLY WHO IS PRESENTING A DISARMAMENT AGREEMENT.

HENCE, TODAY'S APPEAL TO KHRUSHCHEV--TO ALLOW AN ELEVENTH HOUR

SETTLEMENT OF THE NUCLEAR TEST BAN CRISIS. HENCE, ALSO, THE

CONTINUING AMERICAN PREPARATIONS FOR THE COMING ATOMIC TEST SERIES

AT CHRISTMAS ISLAND.

ALGERIA

THE RIGHT WING UNDERGROUND IN ALGERIA MAY NOT NEED A
SPECIAL EXCUSE FOR VIOLENCE--BUT THEY GOT ONE TODAY. A MOSLEM
OFFICIAL, TAKING COMMAND OF--THE MOSLEM SECURITY FORCES IN ALGIERS.
SENDING A WAVE OF FURY THROUGH THE PARTISANS OF THE OAS. THE
COMMANDOS OF ^{rebel} ~~REBELS~~ GENERAL SALAH--STRUCK ALMOST IMMEDIATELY.
ATTACKING MOSLEMS INDISCRIMINATELY--ON THE STREETS OF ALGIERS.
USING BOMBS AND BULLETS--TO COMMIT ^{Assassin} ~~MURDER~~ AND ~~HELLISH~~ MAYHEM.

THE DAILY TOLL OF LIVES IN ALGERIA IS SO COMMON--THAT HARDLY
ANYONE REACTS ANYMORE. BUT THE MAGNITUDE OF THE VIOLENCE CAN BE
JUDGED BY THE FIGURES FOR LESS THAN FOUR MONTHS OF THIS YEAR--

~~THIRTY-FIVE-HUNDRED DEAD, SEVENTY-SEVEN-HUNDRED WOUNDED.~~
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GENERAL FOLLOWS ALGERIA

AT LEAST ONE MEMBER OF THE OAS--IS GOING TO PAY
FOR HIS ACTIVITIES WITH THE TERRORIST ORGANIZATION. GENERAL
EDMOND JOUHAUD, FORMERLY GENERAL SALAN'S RIGHT-HAND MAN. ^{and} BEFORE
THAT, ONE OF DEGAULLE'S TOP MILITARY COMMANDERS.

TOMORROW, JOUHAUD GOES--ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE. THE VERDICT,
PRACTICALLY A FOREGONE CONCLUSION. EVERYONE BELIEVES THAT THE
GENERAL WILL BE FOUND GUILTY--OF CRIMES AGAINST THE STATE. ^{Already}
~~HE'S ALREADY~~ ^{he had} BEEN CONDEMNED BY ONE COURT, IN ABSENTIA--WHILE HE WAS
HIDING OUT IN ALGERIA, BEFORE DEGAULLE'S MEN CAPTURED HIM.

THE SENTENCE--THAT'S WHAT PARIS IS BUZZING ABOUT. JOUHAUD
COULD BE ORDERED BEFORE A FIRING SQUAD. ^{and} DEGAULLE COULD COMMUTE THE
SENTENCE--TO LIFE IMPRISONMENT. ~~AND~~ WILL HE? THE PRESIDENT OF
FRANCE HASN'T GIVEN--ANY INDICATION. HE'S WAITING FOR THE COURT'S
DECISION--BEFORE HE ANNOUNCES THE FATE OF REBELLIOUS GENERAL JOUHAUD.

CUBA

THE DELEGATION OF CUBAN EXILES NOW IN HAVANA--ARE

CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS. BUT THE WORD "SUCCESS"--STILL HAS TO BE

DEFINED. CASTRO, AS ^{we heard yesterday,} ~~YOU PROBABLY KNOW,~~ IS DEMANDING SIXTY-TWO

MILLION DOLLARS IN RANSOM FOR HIS PRISONERS OF WAR. THE EXILES

HAVEN'T ^{even} ~~GOE~~ HALF THAT MUCH--IN PLEDGES. BUT, THEY HOPE TO DICKER--

WITH THE DICTATOR. POSSIBLY GET HIM TO SET A SMALLER FIGURE--

WITHIN RANGE OF THEIR FINANCES.

MEANWHILE, OUR GOVERNMENT IS RAISING THE QUESTION OF CASTRO'S

CIVILIAN PRISONERS. SOME LATIN AMERICAN EXPERTS PUT THEIR NUMBER

AT FIFTY THOUSAND. MOST OF WHOM HAVE AS MUCH RIGHT TO CONSIDERATION

AS ANYBODY. THE STUMBLING BLOCK IS THIS:-- IF CASTRO DEMANDS

SIXTY-TWO MILLION FOR ELEVEN-HUNDRED PRISONERS, WHAT WOULD HE

DEMAND FOR FIFTY-THOUSAND? AS ONE WASHINGTON OBSERVER PUTS IT,

"CASTRO HAS AN UNLIMITED OPPORTUNITY TO TRAFFIC IN HUMAN BEINGS."

HISTORY

A COUPLE OF AMERICAN SCIENTISTS ARE PUTTING TOGETHER--
SOME OF THE OLDEST THINGS IN THE WORLD, AND SOME OF THE NEWEST.
THE OLDEST--CUNEIFORM TABLETS FROM ANCIENT BABYLON. THE NEWEST--
ELECTRONIC COMPUTERS.

WHAT'S THE CONNECTION? WELL, PROFESSOR ABRAHAM SACHS OF BROWN
UNIVERSITY, AND DOCTOR BRYANT TUCKERMAN OF IEM--ARE ASKING THEIR
MECHANICAL BRAIN TO INTERPRET THE TABLETS. THE BIG PROBLEM--TO DRAW
UP A CHRONOLOGY, A TABLE OF DATES. THIS, TO BE ACCOMPLISHED BY
RECORDING ASTRONOMICAL DATA--ON THOUSANDS OF TABLETS. POSITIONS OF
SUN, MOON, PLANETS, AND SO ON--AT ANY GIVEN PERIOD THREE-THOUSAND
YEARS AGO.

THE CHRONOLOGY OF THE TIME CAN BE PLOTTED--FROM THE APPEARANCE
OF THE HEAVENS. BUT IT TAKES A MECHANICAL BRAIN TO DEAL WITH--SUCH A
complex mass
masses OF INFORMATION. SO OUR CONCEPTION OF ANCIENT HISTORY IS *to be*
~~BEING~~
REVISED BY MODERN ELECTRONICS.

*I happen to have one of the bricks
from ancient Babylon. Wonder if the need it?*

BRITIAN

HERE'S A RECORD HELD BY THE BRITISH--THAT YOU MAY NOT
HAVE HEARD OF. THE SUBJECTS OF HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN--ARE THE
WORLD'S LEADING CONSUMERS OF CANDY. *— "Sweets" they call it.* LAST YEAR, THEY DOWNED
CHOCOLATE, ^s AND ICE CREAM, AT THE RATE OF--HALF A POUND A WEEK,
FOR EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD IN THE TIGHT LITTLE ISLAND.
SPENDING--TWO-HUNDRED MILLION POUNDS STERLING.

ALL OF WHICH EXPLAINS THE FUROR OVER--THE SO-CALLED
"LOLLY POP BUDGET." CHANCELLOR SELWYN LLOYD, SLAPPING A FIFTEEN
PER CENT TAX BOOST ON "SWEETS." HOPING THAT THE INCREASE--WILL KEEP
THE BRITISH BUDGET BALANCED. JUDGING BY THE OUTRAGED COMPLAINTS
FROM THE ENGLISH CHANNEL TO THE SCOTTISH ISLES--THE BRITISH PEOPLE
DON'T LIKE BEING HIT IN THEIR SWEET TOOTH. THE TROUBLE IS, THAT
TO THE CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER IT LOOKS LIKE A GOLDEN TOOTH.

MAUGHAM

Art lovers are streaming toward Southeby's of London - for two reasons. The first reason - the usual one. The great auction house is asking bids on a whole collection of masterpieces. Paintings by Picasso, Renoir, Gaugin, Matisse, and Many more. From these they are expecting to realize more than three-hundred-thousand pounds - more than a million dollars.

The second reason for the excitement - these works are from the collection of Somerset Maugham. The famous British novelist spent years decorating his villa on the French Riviera - with modern art. Some of the masters, his personal friends - Renoir, Matisse, and Picasso. The aged owner says he wants to sell now - to avoid certain fees when he passes on. Also, to let others enjoy the paintings - that he has enjoyed so much, for so long.

A lucky bidder will be able to show a choice

acquisition from this auction - a genuine Matisse, for
example. And the new owner will be able to add
nonchalantly - "from the collection of Somerset Maugham,
you know."

EARTHQUAKE

The earthquake that shook New England today - is described as "a strong one." A series of tremors - lasting six seconds. Center of the quake - the Green Mountains of Vermont, somewhere near Dorset. North of there, at Montpelier, the statehouse shook, and a beam supporting the golden dome dropped five inches. In Rutland, a seven story office building swayed so violently that the workers rushed down into the street.

From Portsmouth, New Hampshire, to Clinton, New York - two hundred miles of rattling windows and jumping saucers. One of the strongest earthquakes to hit New England in twenty years.

Better move out here to the Wasatch mountains of Utah where they are not bothered by earthquakes!

Oh yes, here's Dick Noel.

HUSBAND

ANY GIRL WHO WONDERED^S WHAT IT TAKES TO CATCH A HUSBAND--
CAN GET A DEFINITE ANSWER FROM PRIVATE IAN SCOTT OF THE BRITISH
ARMY. HIS PRICE--SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS.

HERE'S THE POINT. HER MAJESTY'S ARMED FORCES ALLOW THEIR MEN--
TO BUY OUT OF THE SERVICE. THE COST FOR AN ENLISTED MAN--
THREE HUNDRED POUNDS STERLING. OR, SEVEN HUNDRED DOLLARS.

PRIVATE IAN SCOTT IS OFFERING TO MARRY ANY GIRL WHO PUTS
UP THE MONEY--TO BUY HIM OUT OF THE ARMY. WE'VE ALL HEARD OF--
THE BARTERED BRIDE. THIS ^{is a case of a chap who wants to be} ~~SEEMS TO BE A CASE OF~~ THE BARTERED
BRIDEGROOM.