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RIOT

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The City of Chicago fights back. Mayor Daley and Police Superintendent James Conlisk - today challenging the findings of that Federal task force. Especially refuting charges of ^{a quote} "police riot" - in the handling of demonstrators during the Democratic Convention.

Said Conlisk: "In instances where there has been sufficient evidence of improper conduct - there has been disciplinary action." But "to speak of a police riot" - said he - "is to distort the history of those days in August."

Said Mayor Daley: "There wasn't any police rioting - during the convention." He added: "The report itself is complete - the only thing lacking is substantiation of the charges made in the summary."

NEW YORK

At that "pre-augural White House" - New York -
another major appointment today. Richard Nixon ^{as predicted} selecting
as his chief science adviser - Dr. Lee Dubridge, president
of Cal Tech, whose main job - said the President-elect -
will be that of bridging the gap between the political and
intellectual communities.

Dr. Dubridge ^{has been a friend} ~~friend of~~ Nixon ^{friend} for twenty-two
years - ever since he first assumed his Cal Tech post;
which he now leaves at age sixty-seven - to take up service
to the President-elect. "I will not be his political
adviser nor economic adviser" - said Dr. Dubridge - "but
I will try to get the best scientific information in the
country - and present it to him."

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CHICAGO

Grand Champion Steer at this year's International Livestock Exposition in Chicago - a big, beautiful Black Angus by the name of Blackjack. Owned, raised and shown by the Arendt brothers of Highmore, South Dakota - Aloysius, sixteen - Gregory, fourteen - Peter, twelve; who put Blackjack on the block today - to help finance their college educations.

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Winning bid for the Grand Champion Steer: Eleven Thousand, Seven Hundred dollars - or ten bucks a pound. And that's no bull.

all the said...

COMMONS

In the Garden of Eden - ^{we are told it was} ~~it was supposedly~~ an apple
that caused all the commotion. ¹ In the British House of
Commons - it ^{also} was definitely ² an apple that caused an
uproar today. Laborite Charles Pannell - touching off
the furore, ³ when he noted that Conservative M.P. John Wells
had been "standing at the bar of the House - spending the
last ten minutes munching an apple."

In the storm of protest that followed - the
Speaker of the House finally admitting that he had "no
power" over the "masticatory habits of M.P.'s." Whereupon
Wells sat down on the floor and quietly finished his apple -
boos and catcalls notwithstanding. When it was all over -

^{M.P.} ~~all he said was:—"Delicious!"~~
~~"Delicious" said he.~~

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And what say you, Roger Foster.

WHITE HOUSE

There was

~~Meanwhile~~ an awards ceremony today ~~at the~~ White

- at THE

House in Washington. President Johnson presenting the

Harmon ~~Aviation~~ Trophy - to Air Force Major William

"Pete" Knight; for flying his X-Fifteen rocket plane -

to a record speed of more than four thousand, five

hundred miles an hour.

"The men who fly the X-Fifteen - are our finest" -

said LBJ. Observing that "every time the rocket ship takes

to the air - a man is at the controls" - ^{*Adding,*} there are no

"unmanned test flights."

*From New York to
Fairbanks or Anchorage, Alaska in
an hour.*