

Just for a change lets start with some news that seems to have nothing to do with the cold war or the subjects that keep us all under so much tension. Altho this must be tense indeed for all who are in it!

In Mexico, an automobile race is going on- over what is called "the world's toughest course." The course runs for almost two thousand miles - from southern Mexico all the way to Jmrez, just across the Rio Grande from El Paso. The cars have to race along a twisting, narrow, bumpy road for that distance. And today, two hundred of the world's top drivers started off in quest of one hundred thousand dollars in prize money.

In the past, there have been many tragic accidents during this race. And today was no exception. At one point, a car skidded and overturned. Spectators poured onto the road to try to help the driver. And at that moment another car came round the turn at ninety miles an hour. Naturally, there was no hope, no chance, to avoid the crowd. And the car just piled into them; "knocking them over like tenpins," as one witness puts

it and six were fatally infured. So far the race has cost the life of 1 driver.

The cars are still screaming along that road, bound at top speed for Juarez, on the Rio Grande. The leader at the end of the first lap - Felice Bonetto of Italy; driving a Lancia sports car. He covered the first lap in under three-and-a-half hours - at an average of nearly a hundred miles an hour; over roads so bad that sometimes the cars have to drop down to ten miles an hour.

MCCARTHY

Tonight we do hear still more about Red infiltration into places in this country where we don't like to hear about them. Senator McCarthy produced a man who claims he was an under-cover agent for the F.B.I. One William Teto by name, of Ashby, Massachusetts, who testified today before the Senate Sub-Committee. He told how he worked for General Electric, and for twelve years posed as a Red. An F.B.I. man planted there to pick up information about Communist activities in that great industrial organization.

According to this under-cover agent he saw Communists exchange defense secrets, - important data gathered by their spies who held key jobs in G.E. plants. Also according to this F.B.I. man, information was passed back and forth between G.E. branches in New York State. Senator McCarthy asked him if that situation still prevailed. And the witness replied, "Yes Sir."

The F.B.I. so far has declined to confirm or deny all this. Was he actually one of J. Edgar Hoover's men for some twelve years? At any rate the witness says he is saying what he says without the knowledge of the F.B.I.

PEACE CONFERENCE

The Chances for a Korean peace conference ^{seem to be} ~~look~~
^{at any rate}
better than at any time since preliminary negotiations began.

~~So stated by~~ Allied officials in Pan Mun Jom ^{I think so.} The reason -
a promise by the Communists that neutral nations attending the
conference would have no voice in major decisions. They came
to this agreement with our special envoy, Arthur Dean.

Afterward, Dean said that the new Red proposal was a change
from their earlier position. And he noted: "This could offer
a ~~very~~ fruitful basis for further negotiation."

~~But~~ The problem of which neutral nations should
be allowed to attend still remains. The Communist
representatives have named Russia, India, Burma, Pakistan, and
Indonesia. But ~~Arthur~~ Dean has made it clear that he will not
accept Russia as a neutral. If the Soviets are allowed to
attend the conference - ^{they will come} ~~we want them clearly~~ labeled as
belligerents.

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A special problem is posed by those three North Koreans who fled from their compound today. They ^{were}~~are~~ seeking safety from the Reds. A team of Allied and Communist observers is at the spot to determine what to do with the men. The agreement is, that all soldiers who remain within the Neutral Zone must be returned. So if the three are true North Koreans soldiers - they'll have to go back. ¹

At the same time, the Chinese Reds declare that Secretary of State Dulles is to blame for stalling the interviews. ^{Dulles}~~Our Secretary~~ has stated that all un-repatriated prisoners must be released at the deadline set by the Truce Agreement. ^{The Peking}~~Beiping~~ radio charges that the Secretary's statement is, ~~what the~~ ~~radio calls,~~ "a scheme to sabotage the 'explanations'". Moreover, the Reds accuse Dulles of treating the Truce Agreement as "a scrap of paper."

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According to the interpretation of the
Peking
~~Peking~~ radio, America is responsible for the
difficulties at Pan Mun Jom. And the whole thing it
attributes to Dulles' manipulation of the Armistice
Terms. That's the Communist version of what's holding
up the return of prisoners to their homelands.

The kidnap murderers of Bobby Greenlease - to die in the gas chamber at Jefferson City, Missouri. Today, Judge Albert Reeves imposed the death sentence on Carl Austin Hall and Mrs. Bonnie Brown Heady.

In his charge to the jury, the judge remarked of the defendants: "They committed, cold blooded, heartless first degree murder. It is on that testimony that you are to make your recommendation."

The jury was out a little over an ~~hour~~ hour. And then it came back and delivered its finding to the judge. *Then*

The two defendants were called before the bench.

Judge Reeves gave his sentence to the man with these words:

"You, Carl Austin Hall, shall be transported by the U.S. Marshal to Jefferson City, the state capital, where the sentence of death shall be imposed on you in the lethal gas chamber during the day of December Eighteenth, Nineteen Fifty-Three."

Then the judge imposed the same death sentence on Mrs. Heady.

So, on December Eighteenth, will end the story

of one of the most brutal and shocking murders in the history
of American ~~law~~ *crime*.

A dispatch from Teheran reveals that Mossadegh threatens to go on a hunger strike. The ex-Premier's threat, following a warning from the prosecutor - a warning that Mossadegh will be placed in a common jail unless he behaves. So far, the weepy ex-Premier has been keeping his trial in an uproar. And now he says that he will ^{start} ~~go on~~, what he calls, "a hunger strike until I die!" During his controversy with the prosecutor, he declared: "You can't do this to me! - I won't be intimidated!"

Today, Mossadegh kept up his running attack on the court. But after his threat of a hunger strike, he calmed down. The whole thing, apparently, part of his general behavior in court - where more than once he has made dramatic threats, and then become quiet ~~when keeping~~ without carrying them out.

MRS. NIXON

The Vice President's lady seems to be ~~Mrs. Pat Nixon~~ is causing something of a revolution in the Far East. ~~And it all has to do with a revolution in ~~her~~ behalf of~~ women's rights.

As we know, Mrs. Nixon is with her husband, on a trip ^{around} ~~through~~ the ~~nations of the Orient~~ ^{world. And,} ~~And the catch is, that~~ she attends all social functions along with him.

^{Mrs.} Today ~~Pat~~ Nixon told a press conference of women reporters how she broke the old tradition of the East- going to functions that are strictly for men out there. Or at least they were - until the wife of our Vice-President arrived. Now it seems that the ladies of the East are imitating her. ~~They are~~ demanding that their husbands take them to the same functions that she goes to.

Mrs. Nixon described a dinner party given at a private club. She said that for seventy-six years, no women had ever entered the club. But when she arrived, the wives of the local officials were also there. ^{Then} ~~of this~~ she ^{added:-} ~~remarked~~ "Naturally, the ladies rejoiced. It meant a precedent has been established."

QUEEN

The Duke of Edinburgh, named by Parliament to serve as regent - in case anything happens to Queen Elizabeth before Prince Charles is eighteen. The British legislators completed passage of the Regency Bill today. Which means that the way is now clear for the Queen to make her trip around the world. The Queen will leave on November Twenty-Third, ~~and~~ ^{to} ~~she will~~ be gone for six months on a tour that will include Jamaica, the Fiji Islands, New Zealand and Australia, Ceylon, Malta, Gibraltar - and various other places ^{in the far-flung Commonwealth of Nations.} In the House of Commons, Prime Minister Churchill proposed conveying to the Queen, what he termed, "an assurance that Her Majesty will leave with the prayers of her people."

Noting that the Queen will sail around the world, Sir Winston mentioned another Briton who circumnavigated the globe. Sir Francis Drake, who sailed his "Golden Hind" in the days of the great explorations and of the buccaneers on the high seas. Churchill proposed the hope that "the journey which

the Queen is about to take will be no less auspicious, and the treasures she brings back no less bright - than when Drake first sailed an English ship around the world." Sir Winston, reminding the British people of an earlier voyage - by Sir Francis Drake, in the days when the first Queen Elizabeth was on the throne of England.

FLYING SAUCER

A dispatch from London ^{with} ~~contains~~ another story about flying saucers. The dispatch mentions, what is described as "a strange object" - sighted over Kent on November Third. It was seen both from the ground and from the air. Two Air Force officers in a jet fighter were at a height of twenty thousand feet when they spotted the "strange object." They said that ^{it} ~~the object~~ was circular, ~~that it~~ gave off a strange light, ~~And that it~~ flashed far above them at tremendous speed.

The Weather Bureau promptly came up with an explanation, ^{that} ~~According to the Bureau,~~ the "strange object" probably was a meteorological balloon. Officials of the Weather Bureau disclosed that on November Third there was such a balloon flying at sixty-thousand feet over Kent. The officials added that an optical illusion would make the balloon appear to be moving.

But on the ground, Sergeant Harry Waller had also ^{seen the} ~~spotted that~~ "strange object," ~~he~~ spotted it through a telescope while testing a radar set. And he says: ^{"This was} ~~"It couldn't~~

no balloon! And he adds:-the signal on our radar set was so strong it must have been metallic."

Then a member of the London Science Museum offered a solution. He said the description tallied with reports on new planes - what he called "futuristic aircraft." He said that such aircraft are being built by a foreign power. And he told about a plane of this type powered by jet, with a cruising speed of some seven hundred miles an hour, a plane that looks like a space ship!

Well, one like that has been breaking records 60,000 feet in the air over the California desert - flying nearly twice as fast as sound. So this story from England doesn't sound startling at all.

RUSSIA

One of the top men in the Soviet hierarchy, Marshal Voroshilov, who makes periodic speeches against the West. So recently he was scheduled to appear on Russian TV - part of a show celebrating the anniversary of the Bolshevik Revolution. But Voroshilov never appeared on T.V. And the reason is given by Ambrose Chambers, a retired government official, who has just returned from the Soviet Union. **according to** Chambers, the trouble was - the Marshal's teeth. Says Chambers: "I was told that he did not appear, because he cannot control his false teeth - and would have looked too funny to the faithful." His loose teeth jumping around.

However, Chambers added that Voroshilov did speak over the radio! He gave one of his typical anti-Western speeches. This being safe for him - because, Mike - the faithful couldn't see what was happening - couldn't see those misbehaving false teeth that pop in and out at awkward moments!