

L.T.-OLDS., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1960.

GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

Do you hear that quiet cheering from one of the Florida Keys - Biscayne? That's the Nixons expressing pleasure over the latest from California.

A flood of absentee ballots late today swept Vice President Richard M. Nixon well into the lead for California's thirty two electoral votes. Kennedy had led all the way in the tally of regular ballots, ending with a majority of 34,568; and his election on the Democratic ticket as the next President is not jeopardized by the California swing. But his margin has been reduced and Nixon's prestige in his home state is strengthened.

The latest count, including the regular November 8th ballots and more than 170,000 absentees totaled thus far: Nixon 3,191,314; Kennedy 3,189,612.

RETAKE

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All the state's 58 counties were represented in the absentee figures but many remained incomplete, and most of the large blocks remaining were in Republican counties. Los Angeles county, which still had about 34,000 to count today, was giving Nixon 63 per cent of the absentee vote.

GOLD

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President Eisenhower called today's news conference - to talk about gold. ~~The~~^e problem of American gold - flowing abroad in a stream. Threatening - a run on the dollar. The question - what to do about it?

The President's answer - an immediate cut-back in federal spending. First, government agencies are ordered ~~to~~ - to adopt a "buy American" policy wherever possible. That is - wherever it ~~wouldn't~~^{will not} hurt our foreign aid program. Secondly, many dependents of American service men abroad - will be brought home. These dependents number - almost half a million. President Eisenhower wants the figure reduced - to less than a quarter of a million.

INTEGRATION

Tonight New Orleans is tense. - *Dispatches tell us that* ~~to the breaking point.~~

a sullen quiet has fallen over the city - after today's wild segregationist demonstration. [^] A mob of teen agers - rioting through the streets. Protesting because those four Negro girls returned to their classes - for the third straight day.

The mob grew to five thousand, and became so violent that one policeman shouted - "They've gone berserk!" ^{and} Fire hoses - were turned ~~on~~ ^{and} on. [^] The mob retreated out of range. -

^Then surged forward again when the hoses were turned off.

The police used motorcycles and patrol cars - to block the streets, ^{and} ~~they~~ [^] arrested - about forty of the demonstrators.

Today the two schools involved - were almost vacant.

^{Two schools with} ~~They have~~ [^] a total enrollment - of over a thousand. White pupils in class today ^{- only} [^] twenty-one. Only two showed up at McDonogh School ^{where} [^] ~~and~~ they were out-numbered by three Negro pupils.

Meanwhile, in Baton Rouge - Senator Russell Long is advising the Louisiana legislature to put an end to the state

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public school system. The son of the colorful kingfish, Huey Long, - pointing out that the federal government is committed to integration said that segregationists in Louisiana have only one recourse left - turn the public schools into private schools.

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LATIN AMERICA

The fighting in Central America could erupt into - a war in the Caribbean. So says President Ydigoras of Guatemala, *who* ~~he~~ charges that Cuba is behind the present rebellion against his government - and adds that he'll order an attack on Castro's island, if Castro's aggression continues.

Tonight the picture - looks like this. The Guatemalan army is mopping up the rebels - along the Honduran frontier, *and* ~~the~~ Honduran army has sealed off its side of the frontier - to prevent the Guatemalan rebels from crossing. Nicaragua has smashed the revolt in Carazo Province - and is rounding up the ~~in~~ last of the guerrillas. While Costa Rica is deporting some Nicaraguan exiles - for abusing their asylum, carrying on their conspiracy.

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DeGAULLE

The President of France is going to ask the people of France - for a mandate on Algeria. DeGaùlle, to put his Algerian plan to the vote - early next year. He feels that he can't push for an "Algerian Algeria" - if there is any doubt about his authority. He wants to face the generals and settlers in Algeria - with both sides quite sure that he has the French nation behind him.

~~DeGaulle's problem is pointed up - by the case of Pierre Lagaille. A leader of the anti-Gaullist movement last January - Lagaille tonight is free on bail. Before leaving the Paris court, he testified that DeGaulle's program - would result in a free Algeria within a year.~~

IDEOLOGY

That "Communist summit meeting" in Moscow - may be running into trouble, according to observers in Warsaw.

They point out that Poland's Gomulka is overdue - in the Polish capital. The obvious reason for Gomulka's prolonged absence - Khrushchev's desire to have all the Red satraps remain in Moscow until a joint communique can be hammered out. The fly in the ointment may be - the Chinese delegate emphatically defending the ideology of Red China. Offering more resistance to the idea of co-existence - than Khrushchev had bargained for.

GREENGLASS

The release of David Greenglass in New York - is
reviving a lot of bitter memories. Greenglass made headlines
in Nineteen Fifty-One -- when he confessed his part in a Soviet
espionage ring. But the real point is - that he implicated his
own sister and her husband, Ethel and Julius Rosenberg - who
were executed in Nineteen Fifty-three.

Today Greenglass walked to his car - with his coat
— a free man —
collar pulled up ~~He~~ ₁ drove off - without saying a word.

SUB

Tonight a dark sinister shape is gliding smoothly - through the depths of the Atlantic. Our atomic submarine, the "George Washington" - which is painted a dark purple to blend with the shadows near the floor of the ocean. The "George Washington" is armed with sixteen nuclear-tipped Polaris missiles, ^{with} ~~They have~~ a range of twelve hundred miles - enough to bring ninety per cent of Russia's major cities within striking distance. The sub's destination - is a secret. She'll maintain strict radio silence during this cruise - in order to keep any potential enemy ^{from} ~~guessing~~ where she might be, in the oceans of the world.

CHURCHILL

The Elder Statesman of the free world - is resting comfortably tonight. Sir Winston Churchill, who will be eighty-six at the end of this month -- fell in his London home. X-rays showed -- that he had broken a bone in his back. But Britain's Grand Old Man insisted on returning home - from his doctors', And tonight Lady Churchill told newsmen -- there ^{is} ~~is~~ nothing to worry about. Sir Winston - in no danger. ^{only} growling about the fact ^{that} ~~that~~ he'll be confined to his bed for a while.

JAZZ

When a lady was about to leave a music store without buying anything, one clerk stepped up and said - "We have some rock and boogie, darling."

What's the story? Oh, just that the lady and the clerk happened to be - in Leningrad. The Soviet Union is having a boom - a black market in American jazz. The music stores - officially selling only records approved by the Party, ^{actually} But [^] selling ~~an awful~~ lot of the Dixieland beat - under the counter. Doing a thriving business in Henry Armstrong and Duke Ellington - instead of obeying Party discipline.

So you'll know where you are if a music salesman murmurs in a dulcet tone of voice - "We have some rock and boogie, darling." You'll know ^{sick that} you're in - the Soviet Union. [^]
Rock + boogie - not roll and woogie.

PRINCESS

So the Maori warrior glared fiercely, and challenged the Princess - "Do you come in peace or war?" It must have been quite a spectacle - to Princess Margaret. The Queen's sister and her husband - visiting the New Zealand frigate "Otago" in the Thames. The "Otago" boasts among its crew - fourteen authentic New Zealanders. Maori tribesmen, descended from the people who welcomed the first Englishmen to arrive Down Under. The leader of the frigate's Maori seamen - Chief Raymond Tito.

As Margaret and Anthony Armstrong-Jones came aboard - Chief Raymond Tito appeared in the traditional regalia of his people. A cloak of kiw^{ai} feathers, a headdress of wild duck feathers, sandals of goatskin - a dagger at his belt, and a primitive spear in his hand. After challenging Princess Margaret - the Chief threw down a sprig of evergreen. The Princess promptly stooped and picked it up - indicating in Maori fashion that her intentions were peaceful.

Then the Maori aboard the "Otago" broke into their
deep, booming
^ rhythmic chant of welcome - clapping their hands, and stomping
on the deck. A royal welcome of a rather unusual kind - for
a Princess accustomed to royal welcomes.