

VIENNA

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Tonight, the international spotlight shifts - from Paris to Vienna. The Kennedy's ready to leave the City of Light - for the Austrian capital. Khrushchev, arriving, before them. The stage is set on the banks of the Danube - for tomorrow's confrontation of the two most powerful men in the world.

As for the talks just concluded in Paris - the joint communique hints at a few ~~xx~~ unresolved differences between DeGaulle and Kennedy. Mainly concerning France's position in Nato - and the question of French nuclear testing in the Sahara. But generally, the Paris talks *are* ~~were~~ ^{reported} a resounding success. Reaffirming - Franco-American friendship. ^{and} Reiterating - the common stand in defense of freedom against tyranny.

KENNEDY

Today the President of the United States was talking about - Roman history. John Kennedy, discussing - Caesar, Pompey, Mark Anthony, and Octavius.

Why - the classical illusions? President Kennedy, as we know - is a student of history. ^{and} He sees in ancient Rome - a moral for our day. A moral for future relations - between the Communist countries. The growing rivalry ^π between Russia and Red China, the independent stand of Yugoslavia - and so on. Mr. Kennedy, suggesting that these tensions could erupt into violence - just as the Roman allies turned on one another.

Caesar and Pompey ^{were} ~~where~~ the key figures - of the first triumvirate. [^] Acting as co-rulers of Rome, until they fell out - and Caesar smashed Pompey's power on the battle-field. After Caesar's assassination, the second triumvirate was formed - dominated by Mark Anthony and Octavius. But Mark Anthony found Cleopatra ~~is~~ more interesting than the Eternal City. So the two Roman leaders became enemies -

and crossed swords. Octavius, winning - becoming sole master of the Roman world.

Today, President Kennedy noted that personal rivalries of the same kind - could result in titanic wars between the Communist powers. The historical analogy ^{present} ~~exists~~ in the ~~known~~ Twentieth Century, even though the Red bosses claim to be - such ~~very~~ good friends.

Here's the stinger - in the Presidential analysis. The Romans became open enemies - only after cooperating to destroy the forces opposing them. We can't afford - to let the same thing happen to us. We can't wait for the Communist bloc to be wracked by internal wars - after it's perched on the ruins of the free world.

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President Kennedy ^{proposes} ~~intends~~ to break - the Roman pattern. Prevent any Red triumvirate from seizing supreme power, as a prelude to future rivalry ~~now~~ between themselves.

In other words, Mr. Kennedy isn't interested in future
history books- that may portray Khrushchev and Mao Tse-Tung
as the Octavius and Mark Anthony of our time. *or the Caesar and Pompey*

DOMINICAN

Tonight, the sound of lamentation - echoes from the Caribbean - the Dominican Republic. Mourning for - Trujillo. Big crowds gathered at the national palace - where the late Dictator lay in state. A hundred and fifty thousand - according to the police of Ciudad Trujillo. The road to the cemetery - lined by scores of thousands more, including school children - let out for the occasion. The hearse was compelled to stop several times - before it swung through the cemetery gates; carrying Rafael Trujillo - the Caribbean Caesar - to his final resting place. Last stop - after more than thirty-one years as undisputed strong man of his country.

As for the present, a Junior Caesar is at the helm for the moment. Rafael Trujillo, Junior. The late Dictator's son, who made news in America - when he was supposed to be attending the General Staff School at

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Fort Leavenworth, Kansas; where he flunked out - because he spent too much time with such Hollywood glamour girls as Kim Novak and Zsa Zsa Gabor. Has he steadied down? Will he be able to fill his father's seven league boots?

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One of his first official announcements - ~~must~~
~~have given him a grim satisfaction. Trujillo, revealing~~
that ^{the} ~~an~~ alleged assassin of his father - has been killed
by the secret police. ^{with} Four others implicated in the plot -
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arrested.

HAGERTY

In Paris today, Jim Hagerty remarked - "we smoked the peace pipe, or whatever the French equivalent is." The former White House Press Secretary, referring to his top-level conference with humorist Art Buchwald.

It all started two years ago, with Buchwald, writing a parody - of a Hagerty press conference, the way Jim Hagerty briefed newsmen. President Eisenhower was said to have been very amused - when he read the Buchwald column. But not Jim.

Hagerty was no more amused than Queen Victoria on that famous occasion when Kipling called her the widow at Windsor. It cost him Knighthood and being made Poet Laureate. As for Hagerty he publicly denounced the witty Herald-Tribune columnist. Thereby violating the old adage: "never get into an argument with a humorist."

Today, the two ~~fan~~ finally had a summit meeting of their own, agreeing to regard the whole affair - as a joke. ~~He~~ Jim Hagerty, who ran the White House news conferences

as well as anyone ever has - confesses he is now as amused
as anyone at that Buchwald parody of Hagerty at The White
House.

INTEGRATION

It didn't take the ~~INEG~~ integrationists long to come up with an answer to - federal Judge Frank Johnson. His Honor ordered a halt to - "freedom rides" through Alabama. So the integrated group that left Montgomery for Jackson, Mississippi, two hours later - ~~walk~~, they insist ~~that~~ they aren't "freedom riders" ^{merely} ~~Just a few American~~ citizens engaging in inter-state ~~TRIP~~ travel.

At the same time, the Justice Department is contesting - the court ruling. Not Judge Johnson's injunction - against interference with bus travel. The Attorney General just doesn't want "freedom riders" covered by the injunction.

FIRST LADY

We ~~just~~ ^{dodge these} can't get ~~away from~~ stories about - the First Lady in Paris. And - who would want to? The citizens of Parea are still enchanted - with Jacqueline Kennedy. The rest of us, catching a touch of "Jacqui fever" - across three thousand miles of ocean.

So, picture "La Belle Jacqui" taking in the sights of Paris - with a big crowd trailing along. The First Lady, dazzling the spectators with a grey flannel suit topped by a loose jacket. On her head, a white straw beret - trimmed with black ribbons. Jewelry - a triple strand of enormous pearls, and a gold brooch studded with ~~■~~ sparkling diamonds.

The highlight for Mrs. Kennedy today - a guided tour through the section of the Louvre devoted to the Impressionist school. Her guide,--the French Minister of cultural affairs. Andre Malraux - one of the world's ^{top} ~~greatest~~ experts on the philosophy of art.

As the First Lady was leaving the Louvre, one newsman asked - "Madame Kennedy, which is your ~~■~~ favorite

impressionist painting?" Her answer - are you surprised? "Olympia by Manet" said she. That's the painting that caused a riot - when it was first shown. Reason - it portrays an interesting, some say exciting reclining figure. A young lady - not exactly over dressed.

When the Paris critics first saw "Olympia" in Eighteen Eighty Five they said it wasn't fit for public exhibition. Today, it's regarded as - Manet's masterpiece. One of the best things - of the Impressionist School. A great painting. Now, Dick - "Olympia" by Manet turns out to be the favorite of - America's First Lady.