

L.T. - Quick, Fisher. Fri. Jan, 14 - '66

LINDSAY

MAYOR LINDSAY OF NEW YORK REACTED STRONGLY TODAY--TO PRESIDENTIAL CRITICISM, TO THE EFFECT THAT TERMS OF THE NEW YORK TRANSIT SETTLEMENT WERE FAR IN EXCESS OF FEDERAL WAGE-PRICE GUIDELINES. AND THUS--"NOT IN THE NATIONAL INTEREST."

LINDSAY CONTENDING THAT THE NEW YORK SETTLEMENT--CALLING FOR A RAISE OF ABOUT FIVE-POINT-FIVE PER CENT A YEAR--WAS "NOT SO DRAMATICALLY OUT OF LINE." NOTING FURTHER THAT LABOR SECRETARY WILLARD WIRTZ--HAD BEEN KEPT "INTIMATELY FAMILIAR WITH EVERY STEP OF THE NEGOTIATIONS." AND NEVER INDICATED--ANY OBJECTIONS.

LINDSAY CONCLUDING--"PERHAPS THE PRESIDENT WAS NOT AS FAMILIAR WITH THE FACTS--AS WAS HIS SECRETARY OF LABOR."

HUMPHREY

VICE PRESIDENT HUBERT HUMPHREY RETURNED TO WASHINGTON TODAY--FOLLOWING HIS RECENT CONVERSATION WITH SOVIET PREMIER KOSYGIN,^{and} OBVIOUSLY WELL SATISFIED--WITH THE RESULTS OF HIS TRIP.

2 HUMPHREY NOTING ON ARRIVAL--"WE HAD A VERY FINE VISIT." ADDING THAT HE AND KOSYGIN--"DISCUSSED EVERYTHING FROM THE CLIMATE TO POLITICS." BUT ON THE OUTLOOK FOR PEACE IN VIET NAM--THE VICE PRESIDENT REFUSED COMMENT.

SHELEPIN

MEANTIME, ANOTHER TRAVELER RETURNED HOME TODAY. ALEXANDER SHELEPIN--NUMBER TWO MAN IN THE COMMUNIST PARTY--ARRIVING AT MOSCOW AFTER A VISIT TO HANOI. WHEREUPON THE KREMLIN PROMPTLY ANNOUNCED SIGNING--OF A NEW AGREEMENT WITH COMMUNIST NORTH VIET NAM. RUSSIA PLEDGING TO STRENGTHEN BOTH HANOI AND THE COMMUNIST VIET CONG--AGAINST THE ATTACK OF SO-CALLED "AMERICAN IMPERIALISTS."

THE SOVIET PROMISE OF ADDITIONAL HELP--EXPECTED TO INCLUDE MILITARY AS WELL AS ECONOMIC AID. WITH MORE RUSSIAN MISSILES--PRESUMABLY HIGH ON THE LIST.

PEKING

NEVERTHELESS, A CHARGE TODAY FROM RED CHINA--THAT RUSSIA IS WORKING "HANDS AND GLOVES WITH U. S. IMPERIALISM." AS PART OF A SCHEME--"TO PEDDLE THE JOHNSON ADMINISTRATION'S PEACE TALKS HOPES"--AS CHINA PUT IT. PEKING ADDING THAT RUSSIA HAS NO RIGHT--TO CALL ITSELF AN ALLY OF NORTH VIET NAM.

THE CHINESE ATTACK--APPARENTLY TRIGGERED BY SHELEPIN'S VISIT TO HANOI. ALONG WITH PUBLISHED REPORTS--IN THE WEST. THESE HINTING THAT WHILE SHELEPIN PROMISED THE NORTH VIETNAMESE ADDITIONAL AID--HE MAY ALSO HAVE TRIED TO CONVINCED THEM THEY COULD GET WHAT THEY WANT THROUGH NEGOTIATION.

VIET NAM

BE THAT AS IT MAY--THE WAR GOES ON.
AS PART OF THAT VICIOUS CONFLICT--VIET
CONG GUERILLAS TODAY DOWNING A CIVILIAN
AIR AMERICA TRANSPORT PLANE IN THE
MEKONG DELTA. THEN EXECUTING THE WOUNDED
PILOT AND CO-PILOT--RIGHT ON THE SPOT.
THE THIRD AMERICAN CREWMAN HAULED AWAY--
WITH A ROPE AROUND HIS NECK.

TWO OF THE VIET CONG--LATER DONNING
THE DEAD MEN'S CLOTHES, IN AN ATTEMPT
TO LURE A RESCUE HELICOPTER--INTO A
COMMUNIST TRAP. *And* IT ALMOST WORKED. THE
HELICOPTER BARELY ESCAPING IN A HAIL OF
FIRE.

HINDUSTAN

DELAYED REACTION TODAY IN BOTH INDIA AND PAKISTAN--TO THAT CELEBRATED TASHKENT AGREEMENT, -- SUPPOSEDLY A FIRST STEP--TOWARD PEACE IN HINDUSTAN.

AT NEW DELHI--INDIA'S REHABILITATION MINISTER MAHADIR TYAGI--RESIGNING IN PROTEST AGAINST THE PACT. WHILE AT LAHORE IN PAKISTAN--A VIOLENT STUDENT DEMONSTRATION. WITH POLICE FINALLY OPENING FIRE IN SELF DEFENSE--WHEN TEAR GAS FAILED TO DISPERSE THE MOB. TWO DEMONSTRATORS LEFT DEAD--A POLICEMAN SERIOUSLY WOUNDED.

LIFE

FROM CLEVELAND--AN ASTONISHING STORY
TODAY OF LIFE AFTER DEATH.

MRS. OLLIE THOMAS--THE MOTHER OF EIGHT--
ENROUTE TO DELIVER HER NINTH CHILD. WHEN
THE AUTO IN WHICH SHE WAS RIDING--WAS
INVOLVED IN A MAJOR COLLISION ABOUT A BLOCK
FROM THE HOSPITAL.

MRS. THOMAS--KILLED INSTANTLY, BUT HER
BODY WAS TAKEN QUICKLY TO THE HOSPITAL--
WHERE DOCTORS DELIVERED THE CHILD TWENTY
MINUTES LATER--BY CAESAREAN SECTION.

A BOUNCING--BABY GIRL. *quite alive - and okay.*

BORMAN

A ROUSING WELCOME TODAY FOR AMERICAN
ASTRONAUT FRANK BORMAN--ON A VISIT TO HIS
HOMETOWN OF GARY, INDIANA. ALTHOUGH THE
OCCASION WAS TEMPERED SOMEWHAT BY BORMAN
HIMSELF--IN A LATER NEWS CONFERENCE.

ASKED ABOUT THE DANGERS OF SPACE
EXPLORATION--HE SAID "IT IS INEVITABLE"
THAT SOONER OR LATER--WE MUST LOSE A CREW."

"THIS IS ONE OF THE THINGS YOU LEARN
TO EXPECT" HE WENT ON. ADDING-"I HOPE
THE PUBLIC IS MATURE ENOUGH--TO KNOW" AND
ACCEPT IT.

POVERTY

THE PRESIDENT'S SO-CALLED "WAR ON POVERTY"--CAME UNDER A DOUBLE BARRAGE TODAY IN CONGRESS. ~~THE FIRST--~~
~~COMPARATIVELY MILD.~~ CONGRESSMAN ADAM CLAYTON POWELL--CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE THAT HANDLED ANTI-POVERTY LEGISLATION--ASSERTING THAT THE PROGRAM MUST BE RECAST THIS YEAR, TO FOCUS MORE ON JOBS FOR THE POOR--RATHER THAN SOCIAL AND CULTURAL PROJECTS--SAID HE.

THE SECOND ATTACK, HOWEVER, A SCATHING INDICTMENT OF THE ANTI-POVERTY CRUSADE. HOUSE REPUBLICANS CHARGING "SCANDILOUS MISUSE OF FUNDS"--CALLING FOR A FULL CONGRESSIONAL INVESTIGATION. CONGRESSMAN AYRES OF OHIO COMMENTING--IT'S HARD TO "FIND MANY POOR PEOPLE WHO HAVE BEEN HELPED."

BEATLES

FROM LONDON--NEWS TODAY THAT THE BRITISH INCOME TAX PEOPLE MAY HAVE FINALLY ACHIEVED A GOAL--ARDENTLY BUT UNSUCCESSFULLY SOUGHT BY MILLIONS OF AMERICAN PARENTS. ~~IT SEEMS~~ THEY'VE STILLED THE BEATLES--TEMPORARILY, AT LEAST.

~~THE SAD WORD--FROM~~ BEATLE GEORGE HARRISON, ~~WHO~~ SAYS THE GROUP IS IN SUCH A HIGH TAX BRACKET--THAT THEY WILL PROBABLY LOAF THE FIRST HALF OF NINETEEN SIXTY-SIX. YOUNG HARRISON-- HE'S THE ONE IN THE MIDDLE--ADDING, ~~INDEED~~ THAT THE FAMOUS FOURSOME HAS YET TO SCHEDULE A SINGLE PERSONAL APPEARANCE-- FOR THE WHOLE YEAR.

~~ALL~~ BUT FOR THOSE OF US WHO REMAIN BEATLEMANIACS--ALL IS NOT LOST. GEORGE REPORTING THAT THE BEATLES WILL BEGIN THEIR THIRD FILM--LATE IN JUNE. PROBABLY A COWBOY EPIC--SAID HE. HI-HO--BEATLES.

WRONG

EVER FEEL THAT YOU WERE--COMPLETELY
OUT OF STEP WITH THE WORLD. OR ~~MAYBE~~
~~THAT~~ THE WORLD--~~WAS COMPLETELY~~ OUT OF STEP
WITH YOU? ^{If so} ~~WELL~~, PERHAPS YOU CAN SYMPATHIZE
~~THE~~--WITH THE STORY TODAY OF SEVENTY-
THREE-YEAR-OLD MRS. CATHERINE HOLBECH OF
LUTTERWORTH, ENGLAND.

MRS. HOLBECH ARRAIGNED IN TRAFFIC COURT--
ON A CHARGE OF DRIVING ON THE WRONG SIDE
OF A MAJOR BRITISH HIGHWAY. THE
EVIDENCE--UNDENIABLE--AND SHE WAS
~~SUBSEQUENTLY~~ FINED THE EQUIVALENT OF
TWENTY-EIGHT DOLLARS AMERICAN. MRS.
HOLBECH'S ONLY COMMENT: "I THOUGHT SOMETHING
WAS WRONG"--SAID SHE--^{Warren.} "BECAUSE EVERYBODY, ^{but me,}
²⁰ SEEMED TO BE GOING THE WRONG WAY, ^{"everybody but me!"}

TIME

This next -- specially for the ladies. A warning that the woman with time on her hands may soon be out of style.

The new trend -- we are told -- time on your legs.

Swiss watchmaker, today introduced in New York -- a garter watch designed especially for milady's limbs. A self-winding watch -- no less. That is said to be just the thing to add a final touch -- to those new above the knee skirts and dresses.

Publicity gimmick -- you say? Not at all -- not at all says the little old watchmaker. By the way Madame -- will you give me the time of day?