

Thurs. July 11-74.

The House Judiciary Committee today released a flood of materials - collected so far in six weeks of impeachment hearings; in all, eight volumes of evidence and documentation - most of which was already on the public record; but some - newly-revealed.

For example, a statement the President made - less than two weeks after the Watergate burglary, expressing fear that the Watergate investigation - could lead beyond the original break-in team. Also, a statement made March Seventeenth of the following year - when the Watergate cover-up was rapidly falling apart. The President saying a Congressional inquiry - could lead "to the White House, to the President." Adding: "We've got to cut that off."

WHITE HOUSE FOLLOW HOUSE

White House reaction - again from Press Secretary Ron Ziegler; who attacked the House Judiciary Committee and the Senate Watergate Committee /for what he called "piecemeal leaks:" also, "surmise, suggestion and conjecture - with little supporting facts."

Ziegler adding that this was all - part of a "calculated public relations" campaign; an attempt "to manipulate public opinion /in support of impeachment."

PRESIDENT FOLLOW WHITE HOUSE

Meanwhile, the President himself was meeting today

- with top House Republicans, discussing a broad range of legislative matters - and impeachment proceedings.

A spokesman later stressing, ^{that} ~~however~~ the merits of the case were not discussed; "only various procedural questions - relative to the impeachment process."

CAPITOL HILL FOLLOW PRESIDENT

Back on Capitol Hill - John Dean was the latest to testify today in the House impeachment inquiry. Dean saying he now believes he and the President may have discussed the payment of hush money - some time prior to their celebrated March Twenty-One meeting. The former White House counsel basing this belief - on what was termed "a pervasive, strong feeling."

WASHINGTON

In the same building where the Ellsberg break-in trial was taking place--an attempted break-out. Two prisoners armed with handguns--seizing a number of ^{hostages.} ~~parabats and lawyers~~ Demanding access to a car and then an airplane--to get them "somewhere out of Washington."

SENATE

The Senate voted eighty-one to eight today--to cut off all economic and military aid to Turkey; to do so--if the Turkish ^{government} fails to curb illicit drug traffic.

TEL AVIV

*From Tel Aviv - a report as yet unconfirmed -
telling of a dramatic change in Israeli policy. The Israeli
Cabinet now said to favor the recognition of Palestinians -
as a valid political entity. This - according to so-called
"diplomatic sources;" who add that Israel will still refuse
to bargain with the Palestinians - as a separate group; but
may agree to talk with guerilla leaders - as part of a
Jordanian delegation.*

SPACE

Russia's Soyuz-Fourteen cosmonauts today completed their first full week - in earth orbit. Both so hungry by now - they said they were ready to eat their food containers, as well as what was inside. They were thus given permission - to break open a reserve food supply.

While here below - the completion of a joint training exercise at the Russian space center; with six American astronauts - now heading for home. American spokesman Jack Reilly saying: "Everything went well - there were no problems at all."

CARACAS

At the ²~~at~~ U.N. Sea Law Conference in Caracas - a major American concession. U.S. delegate John Stevenson saying: "We are prepared to accept and, indeed, would welcome general agreement - on a twelve-mile outer limit for the territorial sea; and a two hundred-mile outer limit - for the economic zone." ^{But said he} ~~But~~ this must come as "part of an acceptable comprehensive package!" - he went on; one that guarantees freedom of navigation - permission for fishing in coastal waters - and compulsory arbitration of any disputes.

SUPREME COURT

A flag-draped casket containing the body of Earl Warren - was delivered today to the Supreme Court Building; and there received - by twelve past and present members of the High Court. The body of the ~~The~~ former Chief Justice to lie in state - pending funeral services tomorrow afternoon.

WALLACE

Governor Wallace of Alabama - the main speaker

~~today~~ at a meeting of Democratic State Chairmen in

Washington, ^{said} ~~Wallace saying~~ he still hasn't decided ~~as yet~~

whether to run ~~for President~~ in 'Seventy-Six. Warning,

however, the Democratic Party will surely lose - if it

"comes forward with a new left candidate."

"The exotic new left makes the noise" - he continued

- "but the people who cast the votes and pay the taxes and

hold the country together - ^{are} ~~they're~~ not over ~~there~~ on that

side." - ~~So~~ So says the Alabama governor,

SAN FRANCISCO

Earlier this week, ^{do} you ~~may~~ recall, an announcement
that San Francisco street sweepers - will soon be making
more than Seventeen Thousand ^{bucks} _^-a-year? Ever since - a flood
of applications. The total now said to come to more than
eight hundred - on top of what was already a five-year
waiting list. Those applying said to include men and women
from virtually every walk of life ^{- even} _^ including two lawyers -
Who want to become San Fran - street sweepers!
Now this mess -

SYDNEY

In the "Battle Down Under" - an armed truce today
between Frank Sinatra and angry Australian unions. Neither
side admitting any wrongdoing - but both expressing
"regrets." ^{At any rate} ~~and~~ Sinatra's planned Australian tour - will
be allowed to continue. The famed crooner ^{evidently to go on} ~~will~~ doing
it his way ^{down under,}

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