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(The latest from Argentina, tonight, indicates that at least four provinces are in revolt against Peron. Army garrisons - rising in rebellion) These provinces are in Central Argentina.

(The capital, Buenos Aires, is firmly in the hands of the Peron government - bristling like a fortress.)

Although, early this morning, there was an attempt of rebel soldiers and civilians - to seize the naval arsenal - an attempt that failed.

(But down the coast to the south of Buenos Aires, Naval bases have joined the insurrection. The bases - at Rio Santiago and Puerto Belgrano.)

So the general picture is this: An Army revolt in the interior provinces - concerted with a rebellion by the Navy, at Naval stations along the coast. Both of which phases are illustrated by vivid items in the news tonight.

(The chief center of the Army revolt is at the city of Cordoba, third largest in Argentina.) And, today, United Press correspondent Julio Banzas, arrived in Cordoba - in the thick of the battle.

"There was," he reports, "fierce fighting going on between the advancing rebels and the provincial police - who had entrenched themselves in their headquarters.

The Rebel Army soldiers ~~is~~ attacking, spread out under the cover of heavy fire. Fifteen minutes later," the reporter goes on, "the last government resistance in the city of Cordoba had ceased and the police had surrendered."

Radio stations in the city were taken over by the insurgents, and their last reports are -that the anti-Peron forces are in full control of Cordoba Province. The ~~is~~ rebel radio adds - that the rebellion has prevailed likewise, in all southern Argentina.

(On the side of the Navy, the insurgents gained

quick control of the big base at Belgrano.) A United Press reporter was able to get through on the telephone to Belgrano - but only briefly. He ~~was~~ was told that the naval base had been taken over by the anti-Peron insurgents. But then, quickly the telephone communication was cut off.

There was Air action at the harbor called Evita Peron - named after the late wife of the dictator. At that place, forty miles from Buenos Aires, a rebel plane dropped a bomb on the barracks of an infantry regiment supporting the government. Which might indicate that Air Force units, with planes, are in the insurrection.

But the most interesting part of all, concerns - the Argentine fleet.

(The rebel radio states that ~~the~~ naval forces ^{are} ~~is~~ now streaming to Buenos Aires - against Peron.) The government claims that the ocean-going fleet is loyal. So the rebel statement might mean - the river fleet, in Rio de la Plata.

However, a later dispatch from the insurgents declares - that both the sea-going and the river fleets are in the movement against Peron. Each joining forces, for an attack on Buenos Aires.

(There are reports in the capital that the Army command is demanding the resignation of Peron) and one significant thing is noted. The official bulletins, calling for loyalty today - did not mention the name of Peron. Appealing merely for loyalty to the government.

MOSCOW

(They had the Red carpet out in Moscow, today - just as they had it out for West German Premier Adenauer, last week. The ceremony, much the same - lots of it. The guest - Grotewohl, Premier of Communist East Germany.)

It seemed to be symbolical. As if the Soviets ~~WERE~~ were saying - they rate East Germany on a par with West Germany.

In one respect, however, the two receptions were different. Soviet Premier Bulganin was not there today. Grotewohl had to be content with Khrushchev, the Communist Party Chief, and Foreign Minister Molotov.

The Kremlin insists ^{that} there ^{is} nothing seriously wrong with Bulganin. His absence explained by illness. Which has led to a lot of rumors - and that Bulganin might be on his way out. But Moscow ~~says~~ states, emphatically - that the sixty year old ~~First~~ Premier has nothing but a cold and a temperature. ^{staying in} ~~He had better stay~~ indoors - and not risk ^{ing} the blustery winds of autumn in Moscow.

(Grotewohl, immediately upon arriving, ~~has~~ proposed a European collective security system - based on German-Soviet friendship.)

Communist propaganda in East Germany says - Grotewohl is in Moscow to conclude arrangements for the liberation of German prisoners of war. Which the Soviets agreed upon - in dealing with Adenauer. Obviously, the propaganda line is to give Grotewohl part of the credit for the prisoner settlement.

ADENAUER FOLLOW MOSCOW

Meanwhile, Chancellor Adenauer was telling a news conference - he believes that Soviet Russia really wants peace. Because they have, what Adenauer calls, "a mass of internal problems." So they need peace - and a European Security system.

DISARMAMENT

At the summer White House, in Denver, a ~~xx~~ statement from (Harold Stassen - President Eisenhower's assistant on disarmament. He says - the odds are that President Eisenhower's proposal for a mutual arms inspection will be adopted, late this year.) Adopted, by the General Assembly of the U N, with the backing of Soviet Russia. Stassen adds that the Russians appear to be giving that Eisenhower plan "very intensive and thorough study."

TORTURE SCHOOL

(The U S Air Force has ordered a review of what is being called - the "torture school" in Nevada. Where airmen get realistic examples of Communist "brain washing" techniques. Parents and others have been protesting.) So now there's to be an investigation to see - if changes are needed.

PRISONERS

There certainly was a contrast, at HongKong today - a contrast between two American civilians released by the Chinese Communists. Each - having been in prison on a charge of espionage.

One - Walter Rickett of Seattle, Washington - who was a Fulbright Scholar at Peking University. The other - the Reverend Harold Wigney, who was rector of the Catholic University in Peking - at the time of his arrest.

Rickett - bubbling, talkative, said he had been a spy - for the United States and the British. He condemned the American policy of supporting the Chinese Nationalists. "China wants peace." said he. "It is difficult" said he, "to find something to criticize about the Communist regime."

(All of which was not so surprising - considering the case of Rickett's wife. She too was a prisoner in China - released in the spring. *Remember she was the one who* ~~She~~ came out saying - she is not good enough to be a Communist. Rickett was asked about this, and

replied: "Frankly, that's an excellent answer. It takes a pretty good man to be a Communist."

Here's a quick bit of comment from London - concerning Rickett's declaration that he did spy work for the British. The London Foreign Office denies this, calling it "totally without foundation." A spokesman for the Foreign Office remarking: "Mr. Rickett appears to have been very thoroughly brain washed."

Today, the Reverend Harold Rigney was ^a/_λ contrast, indeed. Thin, worn, and tired - he said little. Having lost eighty pounds in the Red prison. He said - he had worked for a year in a prison match factory. And added: "If you want to know anything about matches, just ask me."

After which he went off to a mission in Hong Kong to recuperate.

(In Washington, the Indian Embassy announces^c - it
is ready to help any Chinese students in the United States
who want to return to Communist China.) If any such student
is having financial difficulties, or other difficulties, about
going back - just apply to the Indian Embassy, or Indian
Consulates.

(This is in accordance with the agreement made at
Geneva five days ago - according to which the Chinese Reds
are handing over American civilians detaileⁿd in China.)

The Reds insisted that Chinese students are being held forcibly
in this country. A claim - which we denied and ridiculed.

They can go back to China any time they want to.

However, as a matter of compromise, the settlement
was - that the Indian Embassy in Washington should offer
its help. Which it does - tonight.

VACCINE

The government in Washington announces the release of three million, eight hundred thousand shots of anti-polio vaccine. Two and a half million - going to states and territories. A million and a quarter - to the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. All - for a rapid expansion of the Salk Vaccine program, this autumn.

HURRICANES

Look out for Ione. That's the word from the Weather Bureau. The hurricane reported - possibly on its way to the coast of the Carolinas.

The weather bureau explains - there's an air flow moving eastward. Which might push Ione, moving West - on a more northerly course. So hurricane expert Gordon Dunn says: "The hurricane may affect some sections of the U S coastline from North Carolina to Florida - before the weekend is over."

Meanwhile Ione's ~~is~~ elder sister, Hilda - was raging across Yucatan today. That hurricane, moving west created a huge lot of damage in Cuba, the Oriente Province. Then swept on to the jungle covered peninsula of Yucatan - where there is not so much damage. The latest report - Hilda moving across the Gulf of Campeche, threatening the Mexican coast, on the opposite side.

London reports the passing of one of the most distinguished figures in British political life - and as tragic as distinguished. Eighty-one year old Leopold Amery, long a leading light in the London Parliament. And - a one-time colonial secretary.

His son, John Amery, hanged for treason in Nineteen-Forty-five. After having been a Nazi propogandist, giving Hitler broadcasts in Germany during the Second World War. His career of treason - much like that of "Lord Haw Haw" who was also hanged.

The father, in spite of this, remained one of Britain's most respected Elder Statesmen. His other son, Julian, is a Conservative member of Parliament and the son-in-law, Foreign Secretary Harold MacMillan.

British reference books list only one son of Leopold Amery - Julian, M.P.

For fifteen years, the New York police have been looking for ~~a man whom they know better than anybody else in the world. All except his name and address.~~

~~They call him~~ the "mad bomber of Manhattan." Who, since Nineteen Thirty Nine, has placed twenty-three crude home-made bombs in railroad stations, theatres, department stores. ~~The latest in the Roxy theater. This one discovered before it exploded. Others have exploded~~ ~~killing~~ nobody, luckily. But - in juring seven persons.

In every case, the "mad bomber of Manhattan" has written letters to the police - ~~xxxxxx~~ taunting them, sneering, boasting. The letters, together with fragments of a bomb, have been studied by experts of all sorts - including psychiatrists. Resulting - in a remarkable amount of knowledge about the phantom bomber, ~~his character, his personality.~~

His mania began with a grudge against a big utilities

company, which he claims, treated him badly. His vindictiveness
- extending to society in general.

Today, Inspector Edward Fagin, head of the bomb
squad, declared: "The letters show that he is a man of more
than ordinary intelligence, ~~that he~~ has a genuine desire to
kill and maim. And ~~that he~~ loves publicity."

~~They know - even the type of lathe he uses to
manufacture his bombs. Everything - but where to find him.~~

Today, Inspector Fagin expressed a grim hope:
"Maybe he'll blow himself up with one of his own bombs."

~~They know him well enough, apparently, think -
the this might happen.~~

In the Belgian Congo, the color line is being broken down between natives and whites. Sometimes - with unexpected results.

United Press correspondent Robert Musel is traveling with a medical mission in Central Africa, and reports from Leopoldville - now a boom ~~town~~ ^{city,} the center for the mining of uranium. The Belgian Congo - having huge uranium deposits.

Leopoldville, today, has a population of twenty thousand whites - and four hundred thousand natives from jungle tribes. Great changes - taking place.

"Recently," writes Bob Musel, "the Leopoldville natives were granted permission, for the first time - to drink at bars, previously reserved for the whites. And, during the first few days, they poured across the line in great numbers."

"Then," Musel goes on, "they made a great discovery. They were paying twice as much for drinks as they did in their own quarter. And having only a fraction of the fun. The

native bars," he explains, "are full of gaiety, (^{dancing}~~singing~~,
singing. While - the business men of the white district eat
and drink in silence.

"Some had feared a race problem," Musel concludes.

"But it never developed. Bored with white life, the natives
are back in their own quarter - dancing and singing."

CRICKETS

The town of Alexandria, Louisiana, is blacked out tonight. Streets - pitch black.

The town - invaded by crickets, millions of crickets

Attracted - by the city lights at night. ~~They got into~~ ^{Eating up}

~~people's clothes - are in~~ flower gardens, and getting into people's clothes.

So ~~Hugh~~ ^{have} the town fathers decided to ~~douse~~ the lights -

hoping the crickets won't like the blackout.