

Monday, August 18, 1975

**RIFLE DEMOINES**

*President Ford today interrupted his Vail vacation to make a fast one day tour - with stops in four states. First - at Rifle, Colorado; where he went some twelve hundred feet into a mine - to inspect an experimental effort at extracting oil from shale. The President later saying it was "a great operation - interesting; we need it - we can't be vulnerable to foreign oil suppliers."*

*Then on to Iowa, to Des Moines - where he said "we still expect record grain crops this year - and still expect to sell additional grain to the Soviet Union; adding that such sales "will be in our national interest - in the interest of all Americans - farmers and consumers alike."*

*Be assured - said he - "this administration's farm policy is- and will continue to be - one of full production."*

## MEANY FOLLOW RIFLE DEMOINES

Meanwhile - in Washington A F L - C I O

President George Meany ~~met today~~<sup>meeting</sup> with U S maritime  
~~union~~ union leaders - ~~later saying~~<sup>said</sup> American dock  
workers are not going to load any grain to the Soviet  
Union - unless and until a policy is set forth and  
agreed to - to protect the consumer and the American  
shipping industry."

Meany was then asked - if this meant that  
administration officials - were expected to come to  
him. He replied: "You ~~bet~~<sup>bet</sup> they are - with Dr.  
Kissinger at the head ~~line~~ of the parade."

## JERUSALEM

Israeli Premier Yitzhak Rabin was under heavy fire today in the Israeli Knesset for allegedly selling out to the U S, ~~the~~ by agreeing to withdraw Israeli forces from key positions in the Sinai; - ~~in order~~ <sup>this</sup> to win a new interim peace agreement.

Rabin, fighting back, ~~however~~ <sup>ed</sup> noting that security guarantees from the U S - are "unprecedented in our relationship." Adding: "The policy of the government has been and is to exhaust every possibility of advancing towards peace - taking limited risks."




NEW YORK

The two alleged kidnapers of Seagram's heir Samuel Bromfman - were arraigned today in federal court in New York. The bond for New York firemen, Mel Lynch - set at half a million; and that for his alleged accomplice - Dominic Byrne - two hundred thousand.

It was also said in open court that Bromfman's father ~~was~~ <sup>had been</sup> threatened with death - if he failed to pay the ransom ~~his sons~~ <sup>the</sup> kidnapers demanded.

Government sources further suggesting that at least part of that ransom money - may have been destined for I R A coffers in Dublin and ~~Belfast~~ Belfast.



ADD TO NEW YORK

*The I R A insisting, however, - in no way  
was it connected with this crime.*

TEHERAN

At Teheran - the Shah ~~of Shaks~~ ~~the Shah~~  
~~of Iran~~, today granted amnesty - to two hundred and  
forty one persons under sentence of death. ~~The Shah's~~  
*This*  
~~action~~ to mark the twenty-third anniversary of the  
overthrow of Mohammed Mossadegh. Those to be  
freed - including persons convicted of high treason -  
~~terrorism~~ terrorism, sabotage and so-called anti-  
state activities.



## ALCOHOLICS

In the latest issue of Dunn's Review an article on ~~the~~ teen-age alcoholics; noting that this is "a particularly ~~disturbing~~ disturbing phenomenon - among the children of business executives; adding that indeed, it may be ~~now~~ a trait - that was learned at the knee of dear old Dad. The magazine saying, probably one of ~~the~~ every five executives earning thirty thousand a year or more is himself an irresponsible alcohol user.

And now -

## TOPEKA

From the photo director of a ~~Top~~ Topeka newspaper - a ~~final~~ report today on Susan Ford's performance as a summer photographer. Rich Clarkson saying the President's daughter ~~for~~ gave him no trouble at all - ~~except~~ except for the many telephone calls he was forced to <sup>put up with.</sup> ~~endure~~. And he added: "A good many of those who've decided that "one, Susan is snobbish, or two, without talent - or, three, filthy rich - ~~are~~ are the same persons who have been clamoring for six weeks - to get her to "one, come to dinner, or two, date their nineteen year old son - or three, take a message to her father."

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