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Good Evening Everybody:

The latest espionage case - is the ultimate in cloak-and-dagger operations. The British government saying it will never reveal the name - of the Soviet intelligence official who defected to the West. In fact, his existence would have remained secret - except for a leak to the press. It was hushed up for three months - until the newspapers somehow got hold of the information.

All we know is, that - the Russians held so sensitive a position in Moscow - that British and American experts couldn't believe his defection was sincere. They suspected - a plant. A Soviet Agent, sent across the Iron Curtain - to spy on the West. But his story checked out, and he's now described as the central figure of "the greatest espionage victory of the cold war". A victory - for the free world - so

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Said Mao Tse-Tung's Ambassador : "But Comrade Khrushchev, you were Stalin's henchman".

In other words, the Chinese Communists raised the same point - that was raised in the West.

Namely, that the associate of Stalin looked ridiculous - when he condemned the Stalinist reign of terror in which he himself had played a top role.

According to Bucharest - Khrushchev was furious. And, that - was when the Vendetta started, the Vendetta that has brought Russia and Red China - to the verge of an open split.

RUSK.

AS AVERELL HARRIMAN HEADS TOWARD MOSCOW FOR
TALKS ON A POSSIBLE NUCLEAR TEST BAN - HIS BOSS AT THE
STATE DEPARTMENT ~~WAXED~~ LAYS DOWN A BASIC PRINCIPLE
ON NEGOTIATIONS. DEAN RUSK, TELLING THE VIRGINIA BAR
ASSOCIATION - THAT HARRIMAN WILL MAKE NO CONCESSIONS
THAT WOULD HURT THE ATLANTIC COMMUNITy.

THE REFERENCE IS TO THE KHRUSHCHEV PROPOSAL -
FOR A TREATY BETWEEN NATO AND THE WARSAW PACT NATIONS.

THE JOKER IN THIS DEAL - IS THAT THE WEST WOULD BE
giving
~~RECOGNITION~~ COMMUNIST EAST GERMANY, DE FACTO RECOGNITION.

SO WE^aRE SUGGESTING TO KHRUSHCHEV THAT HE SHUFFLE THE
DECK - AND DEAL AGAIN. WITHOUT - THE JOKER.

SCHOOLS

The public schools of Birmingham, Alabama have until August 19th to submit an integration plan. So ruled by the judges of a circuit court - sitting in Montgomery, Alabama. The ruling calls for integration at the rate of one grade a year, leaving it to the school system - to decide how this is to be effected. The point is that the court opposes either tokenism or gradualism. The schools of Birmingham to be entirely desegregated, one grade each year.

ECUADOR

The situation in Ecuador is confused tonight.

That is we don't know how the armed services are dividing the power they seized. But one thing seems clear, that the civilian government has fallen.

Ecuador - under Martial Law. Constitutional Guarantees - suspended. The Ecuadorean Communist party - outlawed. With the military promising to allow - the Democratic election of a new President.

RIOTING

At Savannah, Georgia, Governor Sanders has ordered his men - to put a stop to the rioting and break up the groups that have been roaming the streets breaking windows and overturning cars.

So far more than one thousand demonstrators - have been arrested in Savannah where the hot issue is desegregation of hotels, restaurants and movie houses.

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SHELTERS

That vote in the House Armed Services Sub-Committee represents an about-face. When the members began hearing testimony on fallout shelters five weeks ago - the members were almost solidly against the idea. They called it a "boondoggle" that would put millions of dollars into the hands of speculators.

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GOLF

As for the British open, the international golf tournament, today, it was Jack Nicklaus who collapsed. The pride of Columbus, Ohio, made it all the way to the head of the list - with some sharp putting on the first nine, this morning, then he lost the touch - and bogeyed three of the last four holes. On the fifteenth the sensational Nicklaus took three puts from only twelve feet out.

The winner? Bob Charles of New Zealand, and Phil Rodgers of La Jolla, California, are now in a tie. So there'll be a playoff tomorrow, to decide the British open.

FLIGHT

At Bakersfield, California, - Ladies Day, tomorrow. For the gals taking part in the Powderpuff Derby. The flight from Bakersfield - to Atlantic City, New Jersey. This time forty-five planes are due to take off, tomorrow morning, for the three thousand mile flight. The Powderpuff Derby, for the girls who fly high - and fast, Dick.

Mountaineers - 400 of them - swarming
out of the hills above Rosman, North Carolina.

Residents said the maintain people came
roaring down on a Youth Camp - routed the 90
youngsters there - poured gasoline on their swimming
pool, and burned their gymnasium.

The mountaineers - reportedly outraged
at rumors of young people swimming in the nude. So
they set the camp on fire, those irate hill billies.

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Dog days in San Francisco - and the coast guard is puzzled.

Crewmen boarded a 20-foot power boat today - and who was at the helm? A German shepherd dog - and not an expert navigator, evidently, for the boat was going round 'n round - going nowhere - destination uncertain.

The owner of the boat says he doesn't know quite what happened. He had loaned the boat to a friend - but the friend wasn't a dog.

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