

L.T.-DELCO. WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3, 1959.

GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

Tonight, the "moon mice" are on their way - out into space. The most ambitious experiment - with living creatures, thus far. The "moon mice" - in a satellite that will go into orbit, swinging round and round the earth. The four mice - then to come back, and be retrieved. Retrieved alive - it is hoped.

The warning is - that the chances are against complete success, considering - the complicated character of this experiment.

The rocket, with satellite, was launched at Vandenburg Air Force Base, California, shortly after four o'clock, this afternoon - Eastern Daylight Time. The rocket - to put the satellite, and the mice, into an orbit, then the man-made moon - to swing around our globe seventeen times, whereupon the capsule containing the mice - to be ejected from the satellite, and come drifting

CONFERENCE

A new proposal will be made by the West at Geneva; in the hope - of breaking out of the deadlock. The British, French and American Foreign Ministers - to offer the Soviets a plan, that would set up a Commission - to guarantee the West continued access to West Berlin. A sort of Appeals Commission - to handle disputes that might arise. The Germans on both sides - to participate. Communist East Germany - to be represented. This as a concession - to the East German Reds.

This and the report from Geneva that President Eisenhower, in Washington, again repeated his warning that the meeting of the Foreign Ministers had better show some result - if there's to be a Summit Conference.

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STRAUSS

At the Presidential news conference today --
the question of anti-Semitism ^{came up - in the} ~~in the case of the~~
bitter Congressional opposition to the nomination of
Lewis L. Strauss as Secretary of Commerce. Yesterday,
Senator Morse of Oregon, who is fighting the nomination, ~~was~~
declared -- that he has received messages from Jewish
leaders, telling of talk -- that much of the opposition
to Strauss is based on anti-Semitism. ^{IP} Today, ~~when the~~
President was ~~being~~ queried ~~on the subject.~~

~~He~~ said -- it would be "indeed tragic" -- if
the question of anti-Semitism were injected into the
controversy in the Senate. The President -- emphatic in
praise of the merits of Lewis E. Strauss, ~~sticking to~~ this
previous determination -- that he won't withdraw the
appointment, no matter how much the opposition.

JAPAN

Returns -- from a nation-wide election in Japan,

~~Showing~~ Prime Minister Kishi's party -- an easy winner.

With returns incomplete the Liberal Democrats seem sure of holding a large majority. Confirming their policy -- of maintaining military ties with the United States.

NICARAGUA

Invasion ships - on their way to Nicaragua.
Carrying munitions and reinforcements - for the rebels
fighting against the Government of President Somoza.

The Nicaraguan Foreign Ministry - declaring says
it has information of three schooners, from Cuba, enroute
- to help insurgents in the mountains of Central Nicaragua.

In Havana, Premier Fidel Castro denies that his
people are participating. Castro call the reports -
"lies."

Nicaragua, meanwhile, has appealed to the
Organization of American States for help - in dealing
with revolutionary invasion.

VIRGINIA

RETAKE

Prince Edward County, Virginia -- in a ~~drastic~~^{drastic} move against integration. With a decision -- to abolish the public school system altogether. The Prince Edward County Board of Education ~~ruled~~^{ruling} -- that, when the school term begins in September, not one public school will open.

(The County, in rural southern Virginia, ~~is~~^{is} a defendant in the suit, which brought about the original Supreme Court verdict, ~~Pronouncing~~ Pronouncing racial segregation in public schools -- un-Constitutional. Then, last month, a Federal Court issued -- a final integration order. That -- now bringing about ~~the~~^{the} decision to close eighteen elementary schools and three high schools.) ~~Thirteen~~^{Thirteen} Hundred white students -- to attend make-shift classes in churches, tobacco barns and other buildings. ~~Seventy~~^{The} white school teachers --

to be employed in the private schools, ^{which are} ~~in~~ to be supported by contributions.

No provision at all -- for more than sixteen hundred negro pupils and seventy negro teachers.

Negro leaders in Prince Edward County ^{are} ~~x~~ stunned by the decision. ~~Not~~ having made any plans -- to set up schools of their own.

LONDON

London-- celebrating the One Hundredth Anniversary of a London hero. Called -- "The Grand Old Man." With a face -- that has two hands. Peculiar anatomy -- but it's "Big Ben."

One Hundred years ago, London installed that famous clock atop the House of Parliament. "Big Ben" -- striking the hour ever since. Marking the time -- through a great century of British history. War and Peace -- glory and trouble. ~~It~~ What impresses London the most is the fact -- that the historic clock never stopped striking the hour all through the blitz. and the bombing in the Second World War.

So, no wonder, today -- that the House of Lords and the House of Commons took time out ^{to} ~~paying~~ honor -- to "Big Ben."

COLLEGE

At the University of Ohio, examination tests - for sale. Questions the Prof will ask - to be had at prices ranging from twenty-five to one hundred bucks. The test papers - stolen by students.

Today, University President John C. Baker, at Athens, Ohio, ordered an investigation, after a Professor of Philosophy stated - that seven of his papers for final examination were missing. Presumably, put on sale. Another Prof changed his final examination, and then - made an "apology" to students - who wasted their money buying the answers!

To cap the climax, the statement - that keys to University offices are being offered for sale. Bringing - as much as five hundred dollars each. Keys opening the way - to examination papers.

Ah, those erudite Ohio, Athenian scholars, Don! I wonder what Socrates, Pericles - oh yes, and Diogenes

of old classical Athens would say about this? But going
back to those Moon Mice, Don - its time for you to start
shooting off your mouse!

At Santa, California, automobile drivers --
gaped and stared, when they saw -- an automobile coming
down the highway -- driven by a gorilla. A grotesque
anthropoid -- at the wheel of the rapidly moving car.
Passing something of a panic -- on the highway.

--- A MAN OF COURAGE ---

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the judge. Charles La Rocca -- a film actor -- who plays
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