

PEACE

Fri Oct. 18-68.

On the peace front- in Paris, Washington,
Vietnam - the rumor mill was still ~~grinding away~~ ^{at it} today
with various and sundry sources & hinting at the possibility
of an early U S bombing halt over North Vietnam. ~~At~~
~~one point~~ - A French news agency quot^{ed} ~~ed~~ a North Vietnamese
spoke sman as saying - there had been an exchange of
new ~~new~~ proposals. It was reported, indeed,
that Hanoi had already responded to the U S peace plan -
presumably in the negative.

Be that as it may ~~officials U S and~~ ^{the} North
Vietnamese ~~sources~~ are still insisting ~~tonight~~ there
has been "no basic change - no break through." ^{In fact,} Both
sides ~~are further insisting that~~ ^{are saying} ~~there have~~ - there have
been no new proposals.

POLITICS

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Meanwhile, Richard Nixon was again assuring the President of his full support - whatever the outcome of ~~present~~ present negotiations. In a campaign appearance today at Boston - Nixon expressed ^{ed}~~ed~~ his hope that the war "can be brought to a conclusion - before the next President takes office."

ANDRAVIDA

Reaction to the imminent marriage of Jackie Kennedy to Aristotle Onassis? - ^{That reaction} continued to reverberate today; right across the country - ~~or~~ indeed ~~right~~ around the world. The best wishes of many, including friends and relatives - mingled ^{ed} with expressions of shock, disbelief, even anger. The Vatican going so far - as to issue a special legal ~~opinion~~ opinion, Asserting that Mrs. Kennedy would be considered "a public sinner" - no longer eligible to receive the ~~sacraments~~ sacraments of the Roman Catholic church; if she should go ahead and marry Onassis - before his first marriage in the Greek Orthodox Church is officially annulled.

Be that as it may - the bride-to-be was described as radiant today - on her arrival at Andravida, Greece. Onassis greeting her with a kiss - then whisking her off to the island of Skorprios - where they will probably be married this weekend. An aide to Onassis remarking of Jackie: At last "she has found the peace she sought."

Speaking of peace rumors - another of the same was sweeping the Mideast today. With Israeli Premier Levi Eshkol - reported ready to return captured territory to Jordan; on the understanding that this would lead to full-fledged peace negotiations - with the United Nations serving as intermediary between the two countries.

However, the only apparent reaction so far -

48 ^{came} from right-wing parties in Israel, who are now seeking

a vote of "no confidence" - in the Eshkol government. They

~~charge~~ that negotiations through the U. N. would be a

"clear contradiction" of Israel's oft-stated policy - to

refuse ^{any} indirect negotiations with Arab states.

~~Halfway round the world~~ Singapore and Indonesia continue ~~to teeter~~ at the brink. More than ten thousand Indonesians - turning out today at the Jakarta airport ^{to} thunder ~~ing~~ their anger - at the return of the bodies of those two Indonesian marines; convicted as saboteurs - and executed earlier this week in Singapore.

In the midst of the crowd - the commander of Indonesia's marine corps ^{was} General Mukijat, ~~telling~~ newsmen: "I would like to have the honor of leading an invasion of Singapore - to settle accounts." While across town - Indonesian students were tearing apart a number of houses - in a vain search for Singapore's Ambassador Papan'asam Setlur Raman.

LONDON

From London - a program report ~~today~~ -
on the making of a king. Observers noting that Prince
Charles' formal education - has already led him to
five different schools - including one in Australia.
In addition, the young Prince spending more and more
of his vacation time - at his mother's side; assisting
in the pomp and protocol, as well as the paper work -
required of a monarch.

As for recreation - Prince Charles is learning
to fly a ~~plane~~ plane, ^{This} at the urging of his father. He is
also an ~~accomplished~~ accomplished polo player - again
following in his father's footsteps. The same in swimming,
fishing, shooting, sailing, skiing - playing squash and
tennis.

And what does he do with his spare time?
~~An amazing~~ variety of things - it turns out. Charles-
watchers reporting the Prince plays the piano, trumpet
and guitar, - ~~he~~ acts with the Cambridge Dramatic Club, -

~~He~~ writes articles for a student magazine, - ~~he~~ is taking lessons in pottery-making, ^{also} ~~he~~ is fascinated by archaeology and frequently joins student "digs" - ~~and~~ He is also taking courses in ~~and~~ zoology.

His only limitation, it seems - the fact that as a member of the Royal Family - he must ~~so~~ stay out of politics completely - which is perhaps - just as well. In a recent mock election campaign at Cambridge - the young Prince ^{was} siding with the Scottish nationalists.

DUKE

Next up - ~~the case for "crocks".~~ As
~~presented today~~ by Professor Morton Bogdonoff of
Duke University, who says

~~As you perhaps know~~, a crock, in medical
slang, is a person who insists he ~~is~~ sick - even when
doctors can find nothing wrong, ~~with him~~. In which
case the crock is usually told - "it's all in your head."

~~It~~, but not so - says Professor Bogdonoff -
at least, not always. The professor asserting that many
so-called crocks - are really possessors of built-in
"detecting devices." Detecting devices - said he - that
are far "more sensitive than those of the medical
profession." And researchers might do well - he adds -
to try and duplicate in the laboratory these "more
powerful human instruments.

Well, mebbe so. But it sounds crocked to
me, Warren. ~~for whom ever, and how about you?~~
This is Fri. night, so are you mebbe
going to get crocked?

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SPACE

In the black void ^{known as} space - still another

flawless performance today, ~~with~~ Apollo-Seven astronauts Schirra, Eisele and Cunningham - igniting their main rocket engine for a sixty-six second "burn".

"Yabba-dabba-doo" - said Wally Schirra. And almost quicker than it takes to tell it - the moonship had accelerated into its new and final orbit. Soaring to a peak altitude of two hundred and seventy-nine miles - from which it will slowly begin its descent next week.

^{we are told was}
This ^{such} an important maneuver - ~~obviously~~

~~that~~ it pre-empted the astronauts regular daily TV show. It failed though - to cut off their one-liners.

When informed that Jackie Kennedy planned to marry

Aristotle Onassis - ^{said} ~~command~~ pilot Schirra: ~~replying~~ --

"that's ^{all} Greek to me." ~~Later~~ Later, Schirra promising - at least a couple ~~more~~ more TV performances. "We're going to try for an Emmy" - said he. Sounds like "you're trying for a hammy" - said ground control. Mon.