

**HUNTSVILLE** L.T. - (Ald.) Thurs. Aug. 23-62,

The electricians of Huntsville, Alabama - are back on the job tonight. The strikers, bowing - to a court order. Ending - their walkout. Resuming their work on our Saturn rocket. The rocket, that may carry American astronauts - to the Moon.

But this doesn't end - the labor dispute at Huntsville. The Union will air its grievances on Monday when the President's labor commission convenes. Meanwhile - our space program is moving ahead again.

## DEGAULLE

When the president of France, General Charles DeGaulle escaped assassination last night - France escaped Civil War. That's what you hear on all sides in Paris following the attempt on the life of the President of LaBelle France. Today we learn that gunmen in speeding cars, fired more than one hundred and fifty shots at the DeGaulle car.

Why the feat - of civil war? This violence, attributed to the OAS, the terrorist underground from Algeria, is said to be plotting - a right wing coup; beginning - with the elimination of DEGaulle; ending, they hope, with a dictator of their choosing. Having lost Algeria, the OAS now hopes to take over France, and then presumably attempt to win back Algeria.

## ALGERIA

The news from Algeria tonight - ~~points up~~  
~~a literary illusion that seems to cover the case.~~  
~~The suggestion that this subject~~ calls for - a Voltaire.  
Only the master of mordant French irony <sup>could do</sup> ~~capable of~~  
doing it justice. In short, the latest Moslem violence  
is aimed at - the Moslem leadership. The Algiers  
mob, protesting that they are worse off <sup>now</sup> than they  
were under the French. Food and jobs, disappearing -  
while the Moslem bosses engage in a struggle for  
power. No sign of the stable self-government -  
that the people of Algeria were promised.

<sup>prominent</sup>  
Said one man in Algiers today - "French  
colonialism is gone, and now we have Moslem anarchy."  
Then he added, <sup>"</sup> ~~which is worse.~~ <sup>?"</sup> ~~Isn't~~  
~~Voltaire might have had an appropriate comment~~  
~~on Algeria today.~~

BERLIN

An American spokesman ~~said~~ <sup>Said!</sup> in Berlin today --  
"we are not going to change our traffic regulations  
to suit the Russians." He was referring to the Soviet  
demand - that their convoys pass through West Berlin  
without an American escort. The specific case - those  
armored cars that arrived at check-point Charlie today.  
The Russian officer was told - that all armored cars  
of any nationality have to be escorted. <sup>The Russian</sup> ~~he~~ argued  
for three hours, before proceeding into West Berlin -  
where an American escort picked up the Soviet convoy.

<sup>now,</sup> The Russian threat tonight - to make every American  
car entering East Berlin ~~accept~~ <sup>take a</sup> Communist escort.

Meanwhile, what about <sup>the</sup> ~~that~~ new military  
commander in East Berlin? ~~What about~~ East German  
General Hoppe? ~~All that needs to be said is that~~  
~~He's a complete puppet of the Kremlin,~~ <sup>in fact</sup> Author of an  
opus called -- "Learning from Soviet commanders."

~~As for his authority - it's non-existent, as~~  
~~far as the Allies are concerned,~~ Britain, France,  
and America, repeating <sup>ed today that there will be</sup> - no recognition of the East <sup>German</sup> <sup>regions.</sup>



## COMMUNISM FOLLOW BERLIN

Why this new Berlin crisis? Kremlinologists believe the Soviet boss is afraid of - the situation in East Germany. His satellite so shaky - another insurrection could erupt and bring complete chaos.

Khrushchev, taking the chance of starting a war in Berlin - because, although he doesn't want war - most of all he doesn't want a Communist collapse. So, he's walking the tight-rope - in between.

JOHNSON

Is the Vice President of the United States acting like - a candidate for public office? Of course the people of the Middle East don't have a vote in our election. If they did, Lebanon would go big for Lyndon Johnson judging from today's reception in Beirut.

All of which is - a good omen for America - this friendliness that our Vice President is meeting in Lebanon.

# GUAM

If you visit the Far Pacific you now can stop off at Guam - the Marianas - without getting special clearance from the Navy. Guam - so important during World War Two; and still a bastion - of our defense perimeter in the Far Pacific. But no longer hush-hush territory. President Kennedy announces a new policy of free travel - Free travel wherever the American flag flies - or almost everywhere.

## COMMODORE

The Irish tour of the Eisenhowers revives an old question - of American history. The question - who has a right to the title of "Father of the American Navy?" Most of us would say - why John Paul Jones. But historians say John Barry; who was born in Ireland. A sailor in the American Revolution, his first command was aboard The Lexington. Later he remained in the infant American Navy - and rose to the rank of Commodore. Also helped draw up the plan for a Naval Academy - to train mid-shipmen.

In recognition of these services - we presented Ireland with a statue of John Barry. The President who was in the White House at the time - Dwight Eisenhower, who today flew from Dublin to Westford by helicopter, and put a wreath - at the base of the John Barry statue.



# TRUCK

The truck loaded with asphalt that crashed through a restaurant at Broken Bow, Oklahoma - lost its brakes on a curve. The driver trying frantically to bring the vehicle under control - ~~as~~<sup>it</sup> it careened down the hill at sixty miles an hour. The truck hit a parked car - and drove it clear through the ~~west~~ wall of the restaurant. Then, the ~~the~~ truck hurtled <sup>on</sup> through the building and out the opposite wall. ~~It was going~~ <sup>and</sup> over and over <sup>and</sup> ending up in a creek.

The driver, ~~he~~ killed. The manager of the restaurant - injured. Eighteen patrons ~~were~~ inside the restaurant ~~when the truck came through~~

miraculously ~~escaped.~~ <sup>escaped.</sup> But frightened out of their wits.

## NUDISTS

The firemen of Torquay, England are still blushing tonight - because yesterday they filled a swimming pool at a holiday camp.

The job - all in the line of duty. But, they knew there was something unusual about it - when their fire engine pulled up to the main gate. The gate, opened by a young lady - minus clothes. Inside, men and women strolling around - in the natural. Then, the firemen realized they were in a nudist camp, and late to refuse the job. So they rode in, of course looking straight ahead. Hustling over to the pool - filling it in a hurry. Then - the crisis. They were invited to lunch. But the sight of the inmates casually walking toward a self-service counter frightened them.

They jumped on their fire engine, and raced back to the fire station, Dick. Those embarrassed firemen of Torquay, England.

## X-RAYS

Did you know - the Milky Way is bombarding us with X-rays? Right now. A team of astronomers, ~~xxxxx~~ working for the Air Force at White Sands, New Mexico, has been sending up rockets - carrying geiger-counters. These have recorded - X-rays in the galaxy to which we belong. More radiation than anyone had guessed - raining down on us from the night sky. X-rays from the Milky Way.