

Fri. Aug. 27 - 31.

At the Western White House - San Clemente - President Nixon met today with our man from West Berlin - ²Kenneth Rush. The White House later announcing full acceptance - of that new four power draft treaty covering the divided city; calling it an important step forward - in east-west relations. Ambassador Rush ~~is~~ himself adding that the new pact - attempts to deal with a broad range of highly complex issues; but stressed that the western allies - have given up none of their powers in Berlin. Rush contending that the Russians have seen ^{Quote -} _λ "it is of mutual advantage to shift from confrontation to ~~negotia~~ negotiations."

Incidentally, the President ^{ed} _λ posed briefly for pictures - with Ambassador Rush - also, his chief ~~foreign~~ foreign policy advisor = Henry Kissinger. In the process - Press Secretary Ron Ziegler noting for the benefit of photographers: " That's Mr. Kissinger

**- on the left." Whereupon the President promptly
ordered a re-arrangement - telling Kissinger:**

"On the right - never on the left."

DORIA

A tropical storm they call Doria - was barreling
its way up the east coast today, hitting shore near
Wilmington, North Carolina and then heading almost
due north- bringing with it ~~low~~ high winds and
torrential rains. ^{also} ~~with~~ gale warnings and flash-
flood-watch, ^{and a hurricane alert} now in effect ^a from the Carolinas to
New England; ~~with a~~ ^{with a further} threat of isolated ~~low~~ tornadoes
-- in northern North Carolina and Southern Virginia.

VIETNAM

In Vietnam - where U S troops have been
"out of it - pretty much of late - a surprise
attack today on a U S armored column. This -
about twelve miles ~~north~~ south of Da Nang; with
enemy gunners - killing at least five G I's and
wounding seven more; ^{This} in the heaviest fighting involving
U S troops - in more than four months."

TOKYO

On the world's economic front - Japan

~~bites the bullet~~ ^{today} / ~~yielded today~~ ^{ed} - ~~due~~ to pressure
from the U S ; this by freeing the yen from its
fixed rate - vis-a-vis the U S dollar. Allowing
it to find its own level on the world money market.
With a sharp drop in Japanese exports - almost
sure to follow.

At the same time, the world's ten richest
nations this side of the Iron Curtain - the so-called
"group of ten" - ^{have} ~~scheduling~~ ^{ed} a meeting for next week
in Paris; ~~Hoping~~ by then - they will have found
some means - of restoring order out of chaos.

TREASURY

Here at home - first official reaction from
the U S Treasury Department - ²~~which issued a~~
statement saying: "We welcome the decision of
Japan - as a further step toward a more realistic
realignment of international exchange rates."
Adding that this is exactly what "the President
envisioned - in his address to the nation August
fifteenth."

NORTHERN IRELAND

In strife torn northern Ireland British marines launched ~~today~~ "operation stop-gap; using helicopters in conjunction with ground troops ~~to~~ to run down suspected I R A members; ~~many~~ many of whom are now said to be trying to get back across the border - into the Irish republic. A British spokesman saying: It's a very fast, effective way - of catching these men.

Meanwhile, the ~~Navy~~ native Roman Catholics of Northern Ireland ^{are} ~~λ~~ apparently girding themselves for the long ~~hark-hark~~ haul. At any rate - urging an economic boycott of British made imports; and further urging U S ~~Trade~~ Trade unions - to stop handling such goods.

ITHACA

From ^{Cornell} ~~the~~ University ^{comes} ~~of Cornell~~ a report

~~today~~ on a comprehensive ~~study~~ study of recent

Mars photos - those taken - by Mariner Six and

Mariner Seven, ^{Which are} said to show -- a-mong other ~~things~~

things - an area of "chaotic terrain;" apparently

indicating the presence of glacial action - followed

by ~~Geothermal~~ heating and then a collapse of the

Martian permafrost. All of which is said to

resemble nothing so much - as ~~as~~ our own Great

Lakes region, ~~hundreds~~ millions and millions of years ^{ago}

~~B.C.~~

difficult to deter those who ~~are~~ are intent upon harming others. In the study tonight I have 4 brothers all of whom have been State troopers - or city police - the Kappersers. They've spent their lives dealing with bullies.

KENT STATE

From Kent State University ^{comes} ~~of all places~~
a report ~~today~~ on a study of human aggression.
Telling of attempts to deal with know:: bullies -
by means of four distinct and separate strategies.
Number one - ~~we are told~~ - "let ^{the bully} ~~him~~ know ~~what~~
his aggression will be ~~punished~~ punished."

Number two: "Be passive and try not to
~~push~~ provoke him."

Three. A combination of the first two; by
being passive - while showing just enough ~~aggression~~
aggressiveness to match that of the aggressor."

And four: "Make a reduction of aggressiveness
profitable to the aggressor". In other words, offer
to pay him off.

Sad to say though - none of the four worked.
The profs at Kent State concluding that their studies
"demonstrate^{how} quite convincingly ^{it} is extremely

STOCKHOLM

Is This ~~next - perhaps~~ ^{another} case of "carrying coals to Newcastle?" ~~In any event,~~ a trio of nude couples - showing up at a Stockholm theater; ~~was~~ there buying tickets - to see a performance of the nude play, "O'Calcutta;" ~~except - they never got the chance.~~ ^{But - they didn't get in.}

The manager of the theater - who arrived shortly - tossing them out bodily, ^{Warren, saying} ~~so to speak.~~

~~Observing, in effect,~~ [^] "We're not afraid of competition! - but this is ridiculous!"

Here's one - Christmas in August. The
U S postal service ~~is~~ delivering today - in and
around New Haven - Connecticut -- hundreds of
Christmas cards originally mailed last December;
many of which - were also ink smudged and water
stained. A note attached to each card explaining:
"This piece of mail was stolen while in the custody
of the postal service - and is being delivered after
its recovery from the waters of Long Island Sound."

^{should we say}
So, Merry Christmas to all! and to all a goodnight! -
^{Maybe}
in New Haven anyway. - And, solong until Monday.