

L.T.-OLDS. TUESDAY, AUGUST 2nd, 1960.

GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

Candidate Nixon is off on a ten thousand mile trip. Starting what he calls - "the most intensive and extensive campaign in the history of this country."

Flying to Nevada - then on to California, Hawaii, and Washington - the Pacific Northwest. Aboard the Nixon plane - his wife, Secretary of the Interior Seton, and Hawaii's
Miran Fong, /eloquent and personable Republican Senator.

Before taking off, the Vice-President told newsmen - his opponent is following "the low road". This, a reference to the Kennedy charge - that Nixon is "betraying" the farm policy of the Eisenhower Administration.

KENNEDY

From Hyannisport, Massachusetts ^{come} word of a

Kennedy-Truman alliance. The two Democratic leaders, to work together - in spite of what happened before the Democratic Convention. Mr. Truman, refusing to attend - because he thought the Convention was rigged for Kennedy. Asking Kennedy to step aside - because of his immaturity.

~~Sen.~~ Kennedy - rejecting the advice, going on to capture the Democratic nomination. Now getting support from - H.S.T. The two, talking by telephone - then announcing their agreement.

MEN

The two men missing from our National Security Agency - have been tracked as far as Cuba. William Martin and Bernon Mitchell - who were supposed to be on the way to their homes in California and Washington. Instead - catching a plane for Mexico City. Then - flying on to Havana.

Neither, informing the N.S.A. - as all of its ~~employees~~ employees are supposed to do, whenever they leave the country. ~~But~~ The Agency says they both had full security clearance - when they were hired as professional mathematicians attached to the N.S.A.

SPY

The Russians aren't saying anything more - about the spy they claim to have captured. V.M. Slavnov - ^{Caught} ~~captured~~ near the Iranian border, according to Moscow. Called an espionage agent - working for the C.I.A., Slavnov ^{is} said to have attended American intelligence schools - in West Germany. ^{Then} sent into the Soviet Union - to gather secret information. Slavnov - assigned to Leningrad.

After that burst of information - silence. Moscow - dropping the subject. Refusing to give - any details. Tonight we don't even know - Slavnov's nationality, ~~or~~ - how he was caught.

NOTE

The latest American note to Moscow - is couched in blunt language. Subject - allied rights in West Berlin.

Purpose - to keep Khrushchev aware that we will defend our rights to the limit.

The note flatly rejects the Red assertion - that the West is relying on the Potsdam Agreement alone. Our reply is that the surrender of Nazi Germany - gave us our status in West Berlin. The Russians, having nothing to say - about that. Today's American note puts our case like this - "Our rights do not depend, in any respect, upon the sufferance or acquiescence of the Soviet Union."

CONGO

The Secretary General of the United Nations warns the Congo Republic - not to play ~~the~~ East against ~~the~~ West. Dag Hammarskjold, choosing his words very carefully - but obviously referring to Premier Lumumba's threat to call in the Russians. Lumumba, **saying** he would accept Soviet troops - in his drive to get rid of the Belgians.

Hammarskjold, ~~issuing~~ ⁱⁿ a formal statement, ~~pointing~~ out ~~that~~ - that the U.N. has assumed responsibility for finding a solution. The chances of success, fairly good - as long as there is no conflict of East ^{versus} ~~and~~ West over the Congo. Lumumba, playing a dangerous game - in appealing to Moscow. That's the moral - of Hammarskjold's declaration.

CUBA

Now the Castro mystery. Havana's controlled radio - scoffs at reports that the Cuban Dictator is seriously ill. The radio, predicts that Castro will address a youth congress on Saturday - that is, via television. But around Havana they are asking - why not in person, if his health is so good? The Dictator's spokesman hasn't bothered to answer that.

Meanwhile, Cuba accuses the United States - of counter - revolutionary activities. The accusation, contained in a note - to the Inter-American Peace Committee.

KOREA

Communist agitators are behind the current riots -
in South Korea. So reported by the Seoul chief-of-police,
Kang Suh Ryong - who points out that typical Communist methods
are being used. The kangaroo court, for instance. Private
citizens, taking it ^{upon} ~~on~~ themselves to try their opponents -
and ~~to~~ execute them, too.

Anyway, South Korea is more peaceful - tonight.

Army units, patrolling the cities - where violence broke out.

The new national assembly - preparing to convene in Seoul.

JAZZ

That riot in Windsor, Ontario - broke out when the boogie woogie beat was loudest. At one o'clock in the morning - when everybody was getting into the swing of it. Horns blaring - drums booming - hands clapping - feet stamping. Some of the audience, dancing in the aisles. Suddenly - a fight on the floor, turning into a brawl - between rival gangs - from Detroit.

It took fifty police - to restore order. The jazz festival - ending at one-thirty, with forty injured.

DIAMONDS

Tonight there's a treasure hunt on - in North
America's only diamond mine. The mine - at Murfreesboro,
Arkansas. Prospector Ed Goode, scratching through the earth -
finding two diamonds, Each worth - a thousand dollars, ^{and} The
news ~~was~~ ^{ed} causing a stampede. A crowd of two hundred -
digging all over the place. Hoping - to strike it rich. A
^{pocket size}
diamond rush - at Murfreesboro, Arkansas.

SECT

Down in Benson, Arizona, a policeman said today -

"Nobody pays any attention to them any more." Referring to the

religious sect - that's gone underground. Their prophets,

predicting - a nuclear war, any day now. The faithful,

gathering a store of food - retreating to their bomb shelters,

where they've been ^{now for} ~~for exactly~~ a month. Occasionally, popping

up into the open air - saying, they're surprised to see that

Benson, Arizona, is still there.

CIRCUS

Here's a list of refugees from East Germany: -
Adolf Grumbach, Herbert Bommer, Paul Schaefer, Carl
Lagenfeld, Harry Michel, all of whom have one thing -
in common. All - connected with the circus. All -
fleeing to the West - because they say the circus game
is going to the dogs in East Germany.

With the Reds, ordering the circus - to be more
political. How? Well, Comrade Ulbricht wants - fewer
animal acts. Lions and tigers - not so useful for
propaganda purposes. And Khrushchev's puppet thinks
the circus clowns are being - too funny. Ulbricht,
telling the clowns - "you must become vigorous agitators".
Which the clown say didn't sound very funny - to them.

And, what is a circus without an animal act - or
clowns with the funny faces? The East German performers
- asked themselves that, and answered it, by defecting
to the West - where they can carry on in the good old

circus tradition. Lions, tigers, sad and happy clowns
- and seals that don't even have to play America or
anything their owners don't want them to play.

LIZARDS

Here's the story of - the lady and the lizards.

Some folks keep lizards as pets, but, anyone who doesn't like lizards - can sympathize with Mrs. Marian Ray of Cupertino, California. Mrs. Ray, driving home last night - when her car ~~swerved~~ ^{swerved} off the road in the Santa Cruz mountains. Mrs. Ray, trapped under the car. So badly injured - she felt sure she couldn't move.

Then a swarm of lizards - appeared. Crawling all over Mrs. Ray - who doesn't care for them at all. She roused herself to a super-human effort. Dragging herself to a nearby rock - where she clung all night. Finally rescued by two hikers - who heard her call for help. Tonight, Dick she's recuperating in the hospital, trying to forget all those friendly lizards.

RIP VAN WINKLE

In Moscow, the modern Rip Van Winkle - woke up today. Peter Ivanovich Vetrov - who slept for eighteen years. Vetrov - in a coma that long.

A private in the Red Army - during World War Two. His patrol, attacked by Nazi dive bombers - in Nineteen Forty-Two. Peter Ivanovich Vetrov - wounded in the head; they found him - in a coma; and he's been in that coma - for the past eighteen years.

Peter Ivanovich Vetrov - twenty-nine when he fell asleep. Emerging from his coma - to find he's forty-seven. The years in between - a blank.

Peter Ivanovich Vetrov, finding it hard to believe - that this is Nineteen Sixty. He thought it was still - Nineteen Forty-Two. Russia's Rip Van Winkle - Peter Ivanovich Vetrov.