

Monday, September 22, 1975

SAN FRANCISCO

*President Ford wound up his long California weekend today - with a call for a new government corporation to spur the development of alternate energy sources. This in a speech to the A F L - C I O Building and Construction Trades Council - meeting in San Francisco. The President saying his proposed "Energy, Independent Authority" will have the power to take any appropriate financial action; that is to borrow and to lend - in order to get energy action" by private industry; thus, to "serve as a catalyst and stimulant - working through, not in place of, American industry."*

*The President also, referred to what he calls "a possibility" - that the major oil exporting countries "will again raise prices" for imported oil. "We don't have to take this lying down" said he, "and we won't."*

## GULF COAST

*Hurricane Eloise is now reported heading for somewhere along the Gulf Coast, this time with hundred mile an hour winds, torrential rain - and eight foot tides. Exactly where will it strike? Weather officials believe the Mississippi Delta - will probably get some of it, perhaps with the full force of the storm sweeping down on the Mobile-Pensacola area.*

UNITED NATIONS

Secretary of State Kissinger today made a major policy address at the U.N. calling for "an informal, multi-lateral meeting" to help plot a course toward lasting peace in the Middle East. Dr. Kissinger's proposal followed talks with Soviet Foreign Minister Gromyko; the Soviets to be invited to take part in such a meeting - but not the Palestine Liberation Organization.

Dr. Kissinger was also calling for a new four-power conference on the future of Korea and explore <sup>measures</sup> ~~measures~~ the possibility of a larger conference to negotiate a more fundamental arrangement."

HILVERSUM

Israeli Premier Yitzak Rabin was also discussing

the new pact - in an appearance today on ~~Dutch~~ TV, at

Hilversum, <sup>Holland.</sup>

Rabin saying the <sup>near east</sup> interim agreement - would be the last

of its kind; that "the next step - should be a final

settlement - a peace treaty."

Rabin <sup>saying</sup> ~~observing, in any event,~~ the mid-east

will ~~probably~~ probably remain unstable for the next

twenty-five years. <sup>And he added that</sup> ~~He further insisted,~~ "Israel is

capable of coping ~~militarily~~ militarily with the total

strength of the Arab world."

TOKYO

As part of the build-up for his coming visit to the U S - Emperor Hirohito of Japan met today with foreign correspondents in Tokyo. The seventy-four year old monarch calling his U S visit and previous visit to Europe - "the most significant events" of his reign. Adding: "The lowest point - needless to say - was the last war."

The ~~Emperor~~ Emperor was then asked if he knew ~~he~~ in advance about the planned attack on Pearl Harbor and if so, did he approve? Hirohito replying: "~~It is a fact~~ - I received reports on military operations before hand; but I only received ~~those reports~~ - after everything had been decided upon by ~~the staff~~ of the high command."

PEKING

For the past year and a half - Red China's

Chou En Lai has been hospitalized with ~~a~~ <sup>some</sup> ~~mysterious~~  
illness, <sup>about which no details</sup> Now comes a report ~~that~~ the Chinese Premier

may have taken a turn for the worse<sup>2</sup>. This following

his failure to meet - with visiting former ~~British~~ British

Prime Minister Edward Heath. Chinese officials saying

Chou wanted to ~~see~~ see Heath - but his doctors told him

he ~~just~~ wasn't up to it. Chou's wife is also said to

have told friends - she does not expect him ever to

leave the hospital.

## **KREMLIN**

*At the Kremlin - Russia's Brezhnev met today with the five Apollo Soyuz space men. This marking Brezhnev's first public appearance in weeks. Looking tan and fit he said he has now given up - his two-pack a day cigarette smoking. He also took the occasion to urge a new arms limitation agreement with the U.S. Saying: "If we are really lucky enough to work out this treaty - it will be most important, not only to us but to others." "For" - he added - "it will go out and around the world - like radio waves."*

*And now this message...*

**KANSAS CITY**

*From the mid-west research institute = Kansas  
City - a report on a study of the quality of life -  
in more than two hundred American cities. The best  
of these - said to be in the mid-west and the far west;  
~~and~~ The best of the best - Portland, Oregon, ~~according~~  
~~to researchers - the new fun Fun City, U.S.A.~~*

## **MILEAGE**

*The new Chevrolet-Chevette today became the first U.S. made car to win a top rating in government fuel economy tests. The Chevette averaging thirty-three miles per gallon in city and highway driving - tying for first with the Japanese Datsun and Subaru.*

*At the reverse end of the list: The Jaguar X-12 and three Rolls-Royce models - which averaged only eleven miles per gallon.*

*And now for CBS....*