

Mon. Jan. 19-76.

On Capitol Hill - the Bi-Centennial session of Congress opened today - with appropriate ceremony - and as usual - some speech making.

Vice President Rockefeller, for one, predicting that America's third century - will mark a new era of growth.

~~But~~ The main event ^{of course} - President

Ford's State of the Union Address - still to come.

The President to address the Congress and the nation at nine Eastern time. His speech billed by aides ^{as} a basic blue print for his upcoming

Presidential campaign ^{is} expected to call for a "common sense" approach to the nation's problems - also an increase in social ^{al} security taxes and a cut in federal spending, to stem inflation. The President's remarks to be carried live - over many of these CBS radio network stations.

And now -

WASHINGTON

America's most widely used food coloring - red dye number two - officially banned today by order of the food and drug ~~admini~~ administration.

~~Red dye number two~~ up to now - used in everything from soft drinks and ice cream, to lipstick and pill

coating; ^{Experiments show it causes} ~~but recently to cause a "significance increase"~~

~~in~~ malignant tumors ~~A~~ when fed ~~in large quantities~~ to test animals.

~~The F D A adding, however, products~~

~~containing the dye now in stores or warehouses -~~

~~may be disposed of in the market place. F D A~~

~~The FDA~~ ^{says there} ~~commissioner Alexander Schmidt explaining that~~

~~certain safety questions have been raised - but there~~

is as yet no evidence to establish a definite hazard.

BEIRUT

Fierce fighting in Beirut ~~was tempered~~ ^{and a}
~~somewhat tonight by a new truce - the third~~ ^{truce in} ~~there is~~
as many days. ~~But the big test - expected to come~~
~~during the night.~~ A government source saying: "If ~~it~~
~~the truce~~ takes hold - we may have a chance. If ~~not~~
~~it doesn't~~ God help us."

JERUSALEM

From Israeli Defense Minister

Shimon Peres - a warning ~~today~~ that if Syria intervenes in Lebanon - "a situation of war will be created."

~~Peres adding if that happens,~~ ^{That} Israel will have "no other choice, ~~but to resort to defensive measures.~~"

The Israeli government - ~~also moving~~ ^{is} ~~to plug a series of recent news leaks,~~ proposing jail sentences for officials who reveal state secrets - and for journalists who print them.

UNITED NATIONS

At the U.N.
~~Here on our own shores~~ the U S
~~was taking its turn~~ today *entered the* debate on the
mid-east *with* ~~US~~ Ambassador ~~Dr Daniel~~ Moynihan
urging a resumption of Geneva peace talks - to
avert "an ascending spiral of violence, terrorism
and war." Adding that changes in rules and procedures
imposed and not accepted by any, one of the parties
- ~~no~~ will not work. *He also* ~~But~~ indicating there is a place
for the Palestinians in the ~~Gene~~ Geneva talks - if
they agree to work within the system.

KISSINGER

Secretary of State Kissinger ~~will be~~
leaving ^{ea} ~~at about eleven~~ tonight, ^{for Russia, where he} ~~eastern time~~ ^{on}
~~another trip to the Soviet Union.~~ Dr. Kissinger ~~hoping~~
^{hopes} to score a breakthrough ^{on the} ~~on~~ stalled salt talks; ^{also} ~~and~~
^{reveal our} ~~to drive home U.S.~~ objections - to Soviet and Cuban
intervention in Angola, ^{which he has said} ~~Dr. Kissinger earlier saying~~
~~Communist interference in Angola~~ "is incompatible"
with detente.

CELA

Pro western forces in Angola were claiming today to have turned back an attack by three thousand Cubans - on the village of Cela in Southeastern Angola. The Cubans in the ~~front~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~front~~ forefront of a drive by the population movement for the liberation of Angola - to wipe out any and all opposition. A spokesman for the pro-west group saying at Cela "there were no black faces" on the ~~Marxist~~ Marxist side - only Cubans. Adding the Marxists are now regrouping - "but we are quite prepared for them."

REYKJAVIK

~~The government of Iceland was~~
threatening^s ~~today~~ to break off ~~diplomatic~~ relations
with Britain ~~as of midnight~~ ^{this} Saturday. ~~Iceland~~ Foreign
Minister Olafur Johannesson saying this ~~would be done~~
- unless all British ships and planes are withdrawn
from Iceland sea and ~~so~~ air space to a distance of
at least two hundred miles. Johannesson adding -
"if relations are severed - "Iceland will not attend
Nato meetings along with the British."

MADRID

Madrid
~~The government of Spain~~ today drafted

some seventy thousand railway workers into the

~~Spanish~~ army; ~~an attempt~~ to halt ^{more} ~~another~~ in the series

of strikes - threatening to paralyze ^{Spain} ~~the country~~. A

~~spokesman saying the~~ ^{The} Spanish government ~~desires~~

"~~to be~~ sympathetic when ~~strikes~~ strikes are purely

economic - but ^{not} ~~to draw the line~~ when the general

public suffers."

SAN FRANCISCO

Over the weekend - in San Francisco -
an appraisal of California's governor Jerry Brown -
from one of the greatest vote getters in California

~~history~~ - Former Governor Pat Brown - call^S~~ing~~ his

^{Jerry}
son "the first real innovative voice in American

politics - in ~~the last~~ ten years. ~~was~~ Adding: "He ^{is}

~~very~~ personable - ~~he's~~ good looking - ~~he~~ doesn't

deal in bunk - and ^{is} ~~over all he's~~ doing an excellent

job." ^{Oh yes he went on, I still}
~~When he was asked through xxxkka xxxkka though~~

~~to compare his own administration with that of his~~

~~son - the elder Brown hedging at first - then saying:~~

^{He} "I think I was a better Governor." ^{- says Dad - Pat Brown.}
~~like father like~~

~~son - but like father more.~~

BERLIN

~~From Maine to Virginia East coast~~

~~residents~~ Were ^{you} shivering today? ~~in some of the coldest~~

weather of the year. Massena, New York, and

Concord, New Hampshire each recorded ~~the nation's~~

~~lowest official temperature~~ -- a record ^{low of minus} thirty-three.

~~below, but~~ ~~officially~~ ~~unofficially~~ ~~And~~ Berlin, New Hampshire

an unofficial ~~a bone chilling~~ fifty below. Far far colder than much of Alaska!

~~The biggest problem for many, -~~

1/2 And now CBS —

~~getting their cars started. A harried service station~~

~~operator saying. "If I was a car I wouldn't want to~~

~~leave the garage either."~~

CANCER

From the American Cancer Society

a report tonight showing that black males run a much higher risk of ~~developing~~ cancer - than ~~do~~ whites,

~~males. A second report also indicating that certain~~

Also how some
~~"high risk" persons may~~ may develop cancer - because

of ~~their~~ genes - their jobs, or even ~~the regions in~~

where
~~where~~ they live.