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GOOD EVENING EVERYBODY:

Tonight's news in the East-West crisis - takes us to a ballet performance in Moscow. The Bolshoi Theatre - the dancers whirling in Prokofiev's ballet, Romeo and Juliet. Sitting in a box - British Prime Minister MacMillan and Soviet Premier Khrushchev.

Which ended a day of meetings - between the two statesmen. Dramatic meetings, after the blast by ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ Khrushchev yesterday, when he rejected the western proposal for a conference of foreign ministers on the Berlin crisis, demanding, instead - a summit conference of the heads of state, and, at the same time, announcing - that the Soviets were offering Britain a non-aggression pact. Khrushchev letting go that international bombshell - while the British Prime Minister was on a trip to a Soviet atomic plant in Southern Russian. MacMillan, re-turning to Moscow, met Khrushchev again. They attended the ballet.

What went on between them is, of course - a state secret. A British spokesman merely describing the atmosphere as "cool, calm, and collected".

~~However, we do have one glimpse of MacMillan and Khrushchev together ~~in~~ when they attended the ballet tonight,~~ ^{says} The Moscow dispatch ~~stating~~ the two sat side by side, staring straight ahead at the stage. No friendly ~~smiles~~ ^{chatting--} - no smiles. Ignoring each other - with Khrushchev sometimes walking out of the box and leaving MacMillan alone. ~~Yes~~
~~cool, calm and collected.~~

The performance of the Romeo and Juliet ballet - also ^{not so hot, maybe -} ~~cool~~ because the star, the prima ballerina, failed to appear. Absent - because of illness.

President Eisenhower today stated that the Khrushchev blast, yesterday, proves that same old thing - the difficulty of doing ~~an~~ business with Soviet Russia. The President telling his news conference - he saw no point in a summit meeting without preparation by the foreign ministers.

MEXICO

Mexico - tied up, tonight, by a railroad strike.

A countrywide walkout - paralyzing the national railways, *that*
~~which~~ are operated by the government.

The strikers - demanding wage increases and other benefits, *which*, says the government - would wreck the Mexican railway system. The lines - already running at a loss. In the Red - over thirty-two million dollars a year.

The strike leader- Demetrio Vallejo, a Communist.

The National Railway workers union - dominated by the Reds.

Today, Mexico's anti-Communist labor organization called the strike - "Communist inspired" *and* Accused the leftist leaders of ~~forming~~ a Communist ~~is~~ conspiracy.

CONGRESSMAN

Congressman Stephen Carter of Iowa made a statement in the House, ~~of Representatives~~, today - about the employment of his teen aged son as assistant to his father. At a maximum salary - of nearly twelve thousand dollars a year. The disclosure of which - stirred up a lot of publicity.

Congressman Carter, who was elected in the November Democratic landslide, gave his fellow legislators an explanation - deeply emotional. ~~Said~~ Saying - he had never intended that his son should receive the maximum salary, permanently. But - only for a brief time.

He said the boy was suffering from cancer. The doctors predicting - he had "only three weeks to live". But now - it's different. His nineteen year old son - receiving radiation treatment at ~~the~~ Walter Reed ~~Medical Center~~ where Secretary of State ~~John Foster~~ Dulles - is likewise being treated. ~~for cancer~~ ^{say} The physicians now ~~stating~~ that young Stephen Carter is assured of a "normal life span".

→ Which will make him a permanent employee in his father's congressional office. So now his salary will be cut - to little more than half.

ROCKEFELLER

The New York State Administration of Governor Nelson Rockefeller took action today- against a Wall Street firm. Using the name of Rockefeller.

The State Attorney General alleging that last autumn - the brokerage house of Teden and Company made a deal with Willard Douglas Rockefeller. No relation - of the multi-millionaire family. Promising him a ~~my~~ hundred dollars a week - for the use of his name. Also - making him a dummy chairman of the Board of Directors.

The name of the brokerage firm then changed - to Rockefeller, Williams and Company. The Attorney General charging - that this was done to create a fraudulent impression that the company was connected with the Rockefellers. ~~that~~

~~is underlined~~

The courts - asked for an ~~in~~ injunction to stop the Wall Street firm from using ~~the~~ the name of Rockefeller.

ELECTRONIC

Tonight, an announcement - of a revolutionary development in the world of electronics. An electronic brain - that will supervise the work of other electronic brains.

The secret - a newly devised language of words, which are fed into the new fangled computer. One hundred and seven simplified words ^{— words} _λ telling it what is wanted.

The name of the new marvel - "automatically programmed tools." Called, more briefly, by the initials - "apt". The purpose of apt - to lay out the work for other electronic machines, ^{then,} which, _λ automatically, turn out complicated mechanisms.

Much too complicated - for my ~~unk~~ unelectronic brain. But apt, which has been developed by M I T, the Air Force, and the aviation industry - will put us ahead of Soviet Russia in the electronic production of such things as missiles. So they say - it's an apt thing to do. |

From the world of science - another one of those explanations of a wonderful event. This time - the battle between David and Goliath. How was the little fellow able to knock out the giant so easily? Probably - because Goliath never saw David, with his sling shot.

At any rate So reasons Dr. Maurice Raben of the New England medical center who studies problems of gigantism. People - growing too tall. ~~BECAUSE~~ Because of some ~~disturbance~~ disturbance - of the pituitary gland, *with them* Dr. Raben finding ~~that~~ *that* side-vision tends to diminish, As a giant - becomes more gigantic.

So, according to this theory, Goliath - had no side vision at all. ~~HE~~ could only see - straight ahead, ~~And~~ it was *an mark* easy for a nimble fellow like David to sneak in from one side - a blind side for Goliath, Who never saw the stone from the ~~sight~~ sling shot - never had a chance to ~~duck~~ duck.

WIFE

In London, a verdict of not guilty - in the case of a wife who hit her husband over the head with a hammer.

The judge - acquitting Mrs. Rachel Bracy, after hearing the evidence.

It seems that Mr. Bracy was recording a radio broadcast - with a tape recorder, and had it running all through the domestic argument.

Today the tape recording was played in court. Mr. Bracey - roaring at his wife. The missus - replying in a quiet, patient voice. Mr. Bracy - raising ructions louder and louder. The little woman - keeping her temper as long as possible. Then in the tape recording - the climax. As wifie, bopped hubby on the noggin with a hammer.

The judge listened, Don, and then ruled - that there's a limit to the patience - even of a wife.

HORSE

Here's a claim - that may be challenged. A claim - of the greatest longevity. No, not the oldest living human being - but the oldest horse.

In a village near the Italian city of Brescia ~~there~~ they^r are hailing the birthday of Topolino. Now - fifty years old. Topolino said to be - the oldest horse in the world.