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Republican Opposition was beaten down on Capitol Hill late today and the House approved President Kennedy's 11-billion dollar tax cut. Passage came after a Republican effort to amend the measure - was defeated 226 to 199. This would have prohibited tax reductions unless the President promised to keep future federal spending below the levels now anticipated. If and when the bill becomes fully effective, it will mean federal income tax relief for practically all Americans. But the Prospects for fatter pay checks in January are not yet bright. The Senate is not likely to touch the tax cut measure for weeks at the earliest because it will soon be embroiled in a long civil rights debate.

SENATE

*The Senate Investigations Subcommittee opened its hearing on syndicated crime today, with Attorney-General Robert Kennedy the lead-off witness. Mr. Kennedy appealed to Congress for more powerful legal weapons to fight the "private government of organized crime". He asked for the power to use wiretap evidence and the freedom to grant witnesses immunity from their testimony. The man who brought about this Senate investigation, former Cosa Nostra member Joseph Valachi, didn't testify today. He's still under strict security guard somewhere in Washington. He broke a 33-year-old oath of silence last year, and told Federal officials all he knew about the crime leaders he once served. The subcommittee will hear his story sometime next week.*

## INTRODUCTION TO TAPE

*It's time now to hear our nightly report from Lowell Thomas - this one concerning the possible movement of refugees to our 49th state. Lowell ...*

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## TIBETAN REFUGEES

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Dave McCabe is in Alaska now making a first hand study of the situation. He believes the Tibetans, if they settle in our far northern State, may turn out to be ideal for developing the meat industry of Alaska. Maybe Cattle crossed with the Tibetan yak.

Scientists tell us that Central Asians came across from Siberia to Alaska ten thousand years ago. This time if they come, they'll be flying half way 'round the world by jet to get there.

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UNITED NATIONS

*Conference Room One at United Nations*

*Headquarters is one of the big, plain functional rooms in the basement where the General Assembly does most of its work. Today the Assembly's Administrative and Budgetary committee getting down to business, and we watched it move at once into a collision between Soviet policy and African interests. The issue was the old one of the Congo - this time in new form. Secretary General U Thant's authority to spend money on the UN Congo Force runs out at the end of this year. The Congolese, the other African nations and many western countries want a sizeable contingent to stay on for an additional six months to ensure stability. This would take a new appropriation which is where the Budgetary Committee comes in. The Soviet bloc and France, have always refused to pay their share of Congo costs, furthermore they want the UN force withdrawn, so*

they oppose the new appropriation. Today the Congolese delegate asked the committee to act quickly, because time is running out. Communist Poland objected. This brought in Nigeria's colorful Foreign Minister Jaja Wachuku - he accused Poland of dragging politics into what was purely an internal African matter - a matter of security in which the African peoples want no interference - certainly not from those who do not contribute. Russia mildly supported Poland - but when the meeting ended the Soviet Bloc had been overruled - the committee takes up the Congo matter first 0 next week.

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## BOSCH

In February of this year the Dominican Republic's first freely-elected President took office. After 30 years of dictatorship. He was Juan Bosch, a long time exile leader, who promised social reforms, and friendship with the United States. Seven months ago, the Dominican economic outlook was good - but in recent weeks the Bosch government has met bitter complaints - unemployment, incompetence, the erosion of public order with everyone carrying guns - and also lack of decision in meeting pressure from Communist and pro-Castro parties. Early this morning a group of military leaders acted - invading the Presidential Palace and deposing President Bosch and his entire cabinet. The leaders of the coup - Generals Antonio Imbert and Luis Amiama - the only survivors of the group that assassinated Trujillo.

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**Constitution. The United States was unhappy. A state Department announcement declared that "any overthrow of a democratically elected government is a loss to the policies of all the countries of this hemisphere. Washington is waiting to see where the new regime stands before full diplomatic relations are resumed,**

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## BRITAIN

The long-awaited Lord Denning report on sex and security risks in the British government has been released - with a surprise for opponents of Prime Minister Macmillan's Conservative leadership. The top judiciary official - in a 70-thousand word discourse - cleared Macmillan and his government of blame in the John Profumo - Christine Keeler scandal. Lord Denning stressed that there's no reason to believe there was a security leak in the relationship between the playgirl and the former war minister. But he also pointed out that security is not the sole responsibility of the Prime Minister - rather, said Denning, it rests with the Home Secretary. As for Macmillan, the report states the Prime Minister acted with the utmost good faith in accepting the explanations of Profumo, who bears the primary responsibility for the scandal because he tried to deceive his colleagues.

STAMP

*In a brief Washington ceremony today, the Post Office Department paid tribute to the late*

*Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt - with a new stamp bearing her likeness.*

*The new five-cent stamp will be issued*

*October 11th, the 79th anniversary of her birth. Once, long ago, Mrs. Roosevelt said she hated all pictures of herself - that she didn't look good in any of them. But*

*she told a son - James - "If you must have a picture, here is the best one". Congressman James Roosevelt*

*told that story at the Washington stamp unveiling today*

*A likeness of that "Best One" - a smiling and cheerful Eleanor Roosevelt - appears on the new stamp.*