First - a salute to CBS radio station W F B R - Baltimore; today celebrating its golden anniversary - fifty years of broadcasting. Also, a hearty welcome to K C N W -- Tulsa; the newest member of the CBS radio network. And now the news.

On Capitol Hill - vindication at last. Richard

Kleindienst winning confirmation today - as a member

of the President's cabinet, After waiting nearly four

months - an all-time record, becoming officially the

new U S Attorney General. Best of all, perhaps, the

Senate finally approving his nomination - by a vote

of sixty-four to nineteen; a vote that Kleindienst himself

later said - left him "humbled and flattered."

The new Attorney General further stating that understandably "I'm glad that it's over." Adding:

"I'm also deeply grant grateful for the opportunity now to go back to work; to get on with very serious business of the administration of justice in the United States."

Capitol Hill, the House passed and sent to President Nixon today - a controversial antibussing measure. This - as part of a higher man education bill; an attempt to block funds for courtordered bussing in cases still subject to appeal.

If signed by the President, as expected - At will remain in effect at least till January one,

Nin. een Seventy-Four. The Supreme Court willing, of course.

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McGovern has leading to speculation that Muskie might be ready now to quit the race; in which case, presumably - he would then throw his support to McGovern. And when asked for comment though - Muskie replying:

"Oh heavens - no." Adding: "I made a decision several weeks are ago to continue the candidacy and that decision still stands."

Lest There be any doubt ...
Thumphry assing That he to is
still in it.

Meanwhile a legal aide to Hubert Humphrey Was announcing plans to challenge California's unit rule system. On the grounds - we are told - that Humphrey received forty percent of the California vote and therefore, should get at least forty percent of California's total two-hundred-and-seventy-one delegates. The Humphrey man adding - this is clearly specified in new party rules; new rules which were drawn up incidentally, we under the direction of

US air action in Vietnam - the heaviest today
in more than two weeks. Some three hundred American
jets - in all - blasting enemy targets the length
and breadth of the Communist North. In one case,
using so-called "smart bombs" hitting actually inside
a key arailroad tunnel.

launching a tentative probe into enemy held Quang Tri

Province. In the words of at least one commander in
an attempt to find out what the heat is in there and to free any refugees who want to get out.

Here at CBS - a great personal loss today;
with the passing of Charles Ireland - the President
of the Columbia Broadcasting Company.

Charles Thomas Ireland - achieving his first
success at giant I T and T; where becoming one of
the nation's foremost experts - in the field of "multidivisional management." Less than a year ago, becoming
President of CBS - when Frank Stanton moved up to

Plan Irelands at age 51Vice Chairman. And his death now following by only
one day the passing of his father - a tragic loss.

Charles Ireland - only fifty one:

This next - from Milan Italy where the students at a local polytechnic institute - were supposed to take their math finals; except they took one look at the test - and walked out enmassie. One and all complaining it was just too tough.

Here in the US - the "new math". In Milan, Italy, the "no math."

The winner of this year's national spelling

bee -- fourteen year old Robin Kral of ta Lamesa,

Texas; who bested his nearest foe - Lauren & Prince,

age thirteen, of Buffalo - by correctly spelling

garnett -
garnet G'A·R·N·E·T·T; then clinching his win 
correctly spelling macerate - M·A·C·E·R·A·T·E.

and now for a brief spelling opell, right here our

own resident champ, Warren Moran.

Found; a series of previously unknown "deep fractures" in the earth's crust - in Alaska and western Canada. This according to a report tonight from the US geological survey; based on a year's study of a single photograph from taken by the Nimbus Weather satellite.

Doctor Ernest Lathram explaining that this one

photo - was unusually clear; thereby providing an

instant image - that otherwise would have taken years

and years to map by conventional means. Doctor Lathram

adding that this demonstrates again the tremendous

value of satellites in appraising the earth's environment

and its resources.

One of the oldest of Hollywood clickes - the phrase that goes -- "meanwhile, back at the ranch." And yet it could serve as the next chapter heading in the continuing "life of Ronald Reagan. At a meeting with foreign newsmen at Sacramento, Governor Reagan stressing again he will not run for a third term in Seventy-Four. Further implying that while he intends to remain a strong voice in the Republican Party he has no intention of seeking elective office. Reagan saying simply: "When these next two and a half years are over I'm looking for a ranch."

one of the richest men in all Japan - a real estate promoter by the name of Seki; reporting gross income last year - equivalent to nearly twelve million bucks. And a man like that you would expect kim to

have a lot of cash laying around - wightennillingung Ru

Person or persons known - ransacking Seki's home at Sendal, Japan. For all their troubles are getting away with a grand total of thirteen bucks. And that from Seki - enough to drive a man to saki, would you say way?