

L.T.-Odds, Thurs. May 11th. '61.

JOHNSON

— Indo China — today

VICE PRESIDENT JOHNSON ARRIVED IN SAIGON WITH A MESSAGE
OF CONCILIATION -- AND FIRMNESS. THE CONSILIA^eTION -- THAT
WE WILL DO ANYTHING FOR PEACE. THE FIRMNESS -- THAT WE
ARE NOT GOING TO BE PUSHED AROUND BY THE COMMUNISTS.
NO APPEASEMENT -- TO BUY A TEMPORARY LULL IN SOUTHEAST
ASIA.

THE AMERICAN VICE PRESIDENT WAS GIVEN AN ENTHUSIASTIC
WELCOME -- IN SAIGON. THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY, OBVIOUSLY
FEELING -- THAT ^{the tall Texan} ~~LYNDON JOHNSON~~ IS A SYMBOL OF AMERICAN
FREEDOM, OF -- AMERICAN AID. AND -- AMERICAN RESISTANCE
TO COMMUNISM. ALL OF WHICH SOUTH VIETNAM IS INTERESTED IN --
NOW THAT THE RED GUERILLAS ARE STEPPING UP THEIR ACTIVITY
IN THE JUNGLE. THE BIG QUESTION IN SAIGON -- HOW CAN SOUTH
VIET NAM AND THE UNITED STATES WORK TOGETHER TO PREVENT
ANOTHER LAOS? VICE PRESIDENT JOHNSON AND PREMIER DIEM ARE
DISCUSSING THAT QUESTION -- TONIGHT.

LAOS

for THE CEASE-FIRE IN LAOS *it is now* ~~IS REALLY~~ IN FORCE, -- ~~ACCORDING TO~~ *So announced*

by THE INTERNATIONAL COMMISSION ON THE SPOT. *there* THE CANADIAN,

POLISH AND INDIAN REPRESENTATIVES ARE IN AGREEMENT --

THAT BOTH SIDES HAVE STOPPED SHOOTING. EXCEPT FOR

INCIDENTAL AFFRAYS -- BY THE BORDER PATROLS. THIS, AN

IMPORTANT VERDICT -- BECAUSE IT MEANS ~~THE~~ THE GENEVA

CONFERENCE CAN BEGIN ON SCHEDULE TOMORROW. OUR SINGLE

on that CONDITION HAD BEEN -- THAT THE CEASE-FIRE MUST BE VERIFIED.

OR ELSE -- NO AMERICAN PARTICIPATION IN GENEVA.

LAOS ITSELF SEEMS QUIET TONIGHT -- IN SPITE OF TODAY'S

POLITICAL ASSASSINATION. A GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL IN

VIENTIANE, CUT DOWN BY -- A RED GUNMAN.

GENEVA

IN GENEVA, SECRETARY OF STATE RUSK IS READY FOR -- A FREE-
FOR-ALL AT THE CONFERENCE TABLE. MEANING -- THE AMERICAN
DELEGATE WON'T BE DISCONCERTED BY ANYTHING THE RUSSIANS DO.

reported
HE'S [^]READY FOR -- BASIC NEGOTIATIONS ON A SETTLEMENT IN
LAOS.

has
AT THE SAME TIME, HE [^]DRAWN UP HIS DIPLOMATIC STRATEGY --
IN CASE THE SOVIETS USE GENEVA AS A PROPAGANDA SOUNDING
off
BOARD. IN CASE THEY START [^]ACCUSING US -- OF AGGRESSION.

THE AMERICAN PLAN FOR LAOS INVOLVES -- THREE MAJOR POINTS.
RIGID CONTROLS -- TO PREVENT OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE.
CESSATION OF THE ARMS TRAFFIC -- TO EITHER SIDE. AND AN
AID PROGRAM -- ON AN INTERNATIONAL BASIS. THAT'S THE PLAN
SECRETARY RUSK WILL PUSH -- IF THE REDS HAVE REALLY COME
TO NEGOTIATE.

EICHMANN

grim,
IN JERUSALEM TODAY, THE COURT HEARD A BIZARRE ACCOUNT
OF JEWS ROUNDING UP JEWS FOR THE NAZIS. THE NOTORIOUS
VIENNA JEWISH POLICE. BROUGHT TO BERLIN -- TO HELP IN
THE DEPORTATIONS. AFTER THEIR JOB WAS FINISHED -- THEY
IN TURN WERE SENT TO THE CONCENTRATION CAMPS. WHAT
HAPPENED TO THEM? ONE WITNESS TOLD THE COURT THAT
THESE JEWISH POLICEMEN WERE MASSACRED BY THE JEWISH
INMATES.

BOURGUIBA

had his gala ride

THE PRESIDENT OF TUNISIA ~~ROSE~~ UP BROADWAY TODAY -- AMID

THE USUAL RAIN OF TICKER TAPE. PRESIDENT BOURGUIBA,

RECEIVING NEW YORK'S TRADITIONAL WELCOME. A QUARTER

OF A MILLION PEOPLE, LINING THE STREETS -- FROM BATTERY

PARK TO CITY HALL. SHOUTING, CHEERING -- WAVING TUNISIAN

FLAGS. AT CITY HALL, PRESIDENT BOURGUIBA RECEIVED --

THE KEY TO THE CITY, FROM MAYOR WAGNER. IN REPLY, HE

PLEDGED HIS COUNTRY'S AID -- IN PRESERVING THE WORLD FOR

FREEDOM. NO NEUTRALISM -- FOR TUNISIA.

INTERGRATION

GEORGIA TECH IS GOING TO ADMIT THE FIRST NEGRO STUDENTS 44

IN ITS SEVENTY-SIX YEAR OLD HISTORY. PRESIDENT EDWIN

HARRISON SAYS THAT ALL THREE HAVE MET THE GEORGIA TECH

STANDARDS -- AND WILL BE ADMITTED TO CLASSES IN THE FALL.

DR. HARRISON, CALLING HIS DECISION -- "THE ONLY POSSIBLE

ONE." NO GETTING AROUND THAT FEDERAL COURT ORDER --

IN THE CASE OF THESE THREE QUALIFIED NEGRO STUDENTS.

THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA HAS ALREADY LIFTED -- ITS

COLOR BAR. SO NOW THERE ARE ONLY TWO STATES IN DIXIE

WITH TOTAL SEGREGATION -- SOUTH CAROLINA AND

MISSISSIPPI.

Thurs, May '61.

DELINQUENCY

AMERICA'S PROBLEM OF JUVENILE DELINQUENCY IS POINTED UP --
BY PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S LATEST RECOMMENDATION TO CONGRESS.
THE PRESIDENT ^{is} ASKING FOR A FIVE-YEAR PROGRAM -- TO DEAL
WITH TEEN-AGE CRIME. AND MR. KENNEDY IS SETTING UP A NEW
COMMITTEE / ON JUVENILE DELINQUENCY -- HEADED BY HIS
BROTHER, ATTORNEY GENERAL ROBERT KENNEDY.

JUST HOW DANGEROUS IS THE PROBLEM OF OUR YOUTH -- WHO
GET IN TROUBLE WITH THE LAW? HERE'S THE ANSWER -- A
GRIM ANSWER. IF THE TREND GOES ON AT THE PRESENT RATE --
MORE THAN THREE MILLION TEEN-AGERS WILL APPEAR IN COURT
DURING THE NEXT DECADE.

COUNTERFEIT

we hear,
MODERN IMPROVEMENTS ARE REJUVENATING A RATHER OLD
TRADE. THE TRADE OF COUNTERFEITER. SO REPORTED BY
THE SECRET SERVICE WHICH TELLS US THAT PHONEY MONEY
IS ON THE INCREASE. MORE OF IT IN CIRCULATION THAN EVER
BEFORE.

REASON -- BETTER EQUIPMENT, ~~ON THE JOB.~~ IN THE OLD DAYS,
ANYONE COMPETING WITH THE TREASURY HAD TO BE AN EXPERT
IN PHOTOGRAPHY, PLATE MAKING AND PRINTING. ONLY A
REAL ARTIST COULD MANUFACTURE HIS OWN DOLLARS AND GET
AWAY WITH IT FOR LONG.

BUT NOW THE COUNTERFEITER HAS *such up-to-the-minute* ~~THE LATEST~~ EQUIPMENT --

as ~~THE~~ HIGH-SPEED FILM AND PRE-SENSITIZED PLATES. ~~THE~~

PRODUCT -- BETTER, *and* HARDER -- TO DETECT. ~~OH YES, THERE'S~~

ANOTHER REASON FOR SUCCESSFUL COUNTERFEITING -- *we are told, is* PUBLIC

APATHY. THE SECRET SERVICE SAYS WE COULD ALL HELP --

IF WE WOULD. HOW OFTEN DO YOU EXAMINE YOUR DOLLAR

COUNTERFEIT -- 2

BILLS -- TO SEE IF THEY ARE GENUINE?

~~IT ALL ADDS UP TO~~ A BIG HEADACHE FOR THE SECRET

SERVICE. MORE CASES OF COUNTERFEITING -- THAN THEY

CAN KEEP UP WITH.

ROCKER

PRESIDENT KENNEDY'S ROCKING CHAIR -- ~~IS STILL ROCKING~~

again,
INTO THE NEWS, AND THE FURNITURE WORKERS OF AMERICA
— and furning
ARE ROCKING -- AT THE NEWS THAT THIS PIECE OF WHITE HOUSE
FURNITURE WAS NOT MADE BY UNION LABOR.

THE KENNEDY ROCKER, MANUFACTURED -- IN ASHEBORO, NORTH

where the CAROLINA, *is* WAGE SCALE *and up* ONE DOLLAR TO ONE-THIRTY AN

HOURLY. BELOW -- THE UNION LEVEL. THE UNION POINTS OUT

THAT IF PRESIDENT KENNEDY HAD GONE TO HIS HOME STATE --

ORGANIZED LABOR WOULD HAVE BEEN INVOLVED. THE PLANT

AT GARDNER, MASSACHUSETTS WOULD HAVE TURNED OUT A

ROCKER WITH UNION WAGES OF TWO-TWENTY-FIVE TO TWO-

FIFTY AN HOUR.

WHAT DOES PRESIDENT KENNEDY? -- SAY TO THAT, HE SAYS,

"NO COMMENT" -- AS HE ROCKS BACK AND FORTH IN HIS

NON-UNION ROCKING CHAIR.

VODKA

The Sovier Union is clamping down - on Soviet moonshiners. It's always been possible to get a shot of vodka - from a Moscow bootlegger, for less than the official price of that manufactured by the Soviet combine. Russian bootleggers, doing a gross business - running into the millions. Private enterprise on a big scale - in the workers paradise. Private enterprise that Moscow now has decided should be kaput. A new law with heavy fines for bootleggers and long jail terms - for repeaters. So Dick it's Serge the Revenooer in USSR - after the moonshiner Ivan Skavinski Skavar.

COMPANIONS OF LITERATURE, A SELECT GROUP OF --
BRITAIN'S GREATEST MEN OF LETTERS.
THE FIRST FIVE TO BE NOMINATED -- NOW HAVE A SPECIAL
SET OF INITIALS TO PLACE AFTER THEIR NAMES. *Winston Churchill*
W. M. Thackeray

LITERATURE

TONIGHT LITERARY LONDON IS TOASTING -- FIVE OCTOGENARIANS.

FIVE OLD MEN -- ALL IN THEIR EIGHTIES. ~~LET'S RUN DOWN~~

~~THE LIST OF NAMES. A RATHER~~ ^{all} ILLUSTRIOUS, ~~LIST. FIRST~~ --

WINSTON CHURCHILL, ~~SECOND~~ -- SOMERSET MAUGHAM,

~~THIRD~~ -- JOHN MASFIELD, ~~FOURTH~~ -- NOVELIST E. M. FORSTER,

^{and} ~~FIFTH~~ HISTORIAN G. M. TREVELYAN.

^{all} ~~WHAT HAVE THESE FIVE~~ ^{are} ~~IN COMMON? THEY'RE ALL~~

"COMPANIONS OF LITERATURE." A NEW BRITISH HONOR --

EQUIVALENT TO THE FRENCH ACADEMY WITH ITS "LITERARY

^{We hear} IMMORTALS". THERE WILL NEVER BE MORE THAN TEN-

COMPANIONS OF LITERATURE. A SELECT GROUP OF --

BRITAIN'S GREATEST MEN OF LETTERS.

THE FIRST FIVE TO BE NOMINATED -- NOW HAVE A SPECIAL

SET OF INITIALS TO PLACE AFTER THEIR NAMES. ~~FOR EXAMPLE~~ --

IT'S NOW WINSTON CHURCHILL, C.LIT.

e. Lit.

Somerset Maugham