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Senator Sam J. Ervin Says Local Airman Is In Thailand

WASHINGTON — Congress reconvened last week with a long list of challenges which confront the nation, the administration and the legislative branch.

Foremost on the minds of the people is how to extricate ourselves from the Vietnam war with all of its problems so that we may devote ourselves to other pressing tasks that are commanding our attention more and more. In truth, there is no easy answer to a war that has magnified all of the strains which have been confronting our country for some time. We see our energies divided in coping with the tasks of war, and a growing unrest that has deepened all of the ills of our society.

These problems are many. The concern about how to win a war overseas blends into an almost equal concern about how

to control violence and live at peace here at home. The fact that we are committed on both fronts simply acknowledges our tasks. It can be said, however, that the country has about made up its mind that progress must be made in both of these commitments, and if it is not, the patience of the nation may wear very thin before long. There are issues that will have to be reckoned with early this year by the government.

Another commanding task that faces the nation is the need to bring order into the kingdoms that dispense aids to education, welfare and health programs. There is duplication, triplication and quadruplication of programs and projects in these fields. I repeat what I have said for several years that Congress and the President ought to take immediate

steps to bring order out of chaos in these programs that are overlapping in their jurisdiction and their goals. This task is an immensely complicated one. There are many agencies and programs that are functioning within their proper sphere, but there are also many instances where the overlap and duplication should be eliminated. With due respect to the dedication of many fine public servants, a consolidation of some of the hundreds of federal programs, if properly worked out, could achieve better programs and at a saving to the taxpayer.

Some of the old battles in Congress are certain to be renewed. Our worldwide commitments seem to be a solid prospect for a review to see how much we can afford and to examine the risks we run in overcommitting ourselves throughout the world.

The federal government must exercise restraint in dealing with purely local matters in our schools. I do not think that federalizing our schools will solve our education problems. Indeed, I think many who originally lauded some of the federal controls over education are having second thoughts about the trend that such a policy is establishing. Congress and the administration ought to review this matter thoroughly.

Much depends upon the course of the war in Vietnam. An ending of the war would permit more legislative attention to be devoted to other pressing problems. However, wars do not adhere to timetables, and Congress will begin with a full agenda of foreign and domestic problems that have changed little since it adjourned only a few weeks ago.

U. S. AIR FORCES, Thailand — Airman First Class Walter L. Gramby, son of Johnny Ryan, Route 3, Edenton, N. C., is on duty with the 4258th Strategic Wing at U-Tapao Airfield, Thailand.

Airman Gramby, a Strategic Air Command aircraft mechanic, supports B-52 Stratofortress bombers which daily attack Viet Cong targets and KC-135 Stratotankers which provide refueling to fighter, bomber and reconnaissance aircraft conducting the air war over Vietnam.

The airman was assigned at Seymour Johnson AFB, N. C., before arriving in Thailand.

He is a 1966 graduate of D. F. Walkekr High School.

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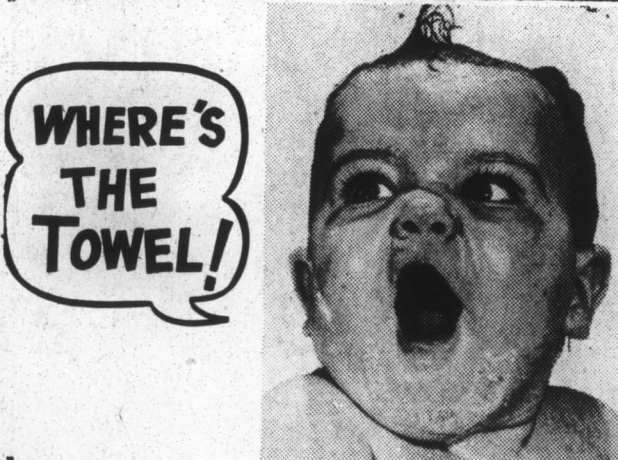
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Federal controls which go beyond the intent of Congress in the field of education are a matter of continuing concern. In my judgment, Congress ought to establish new legislative standards to curb unreasonable agency actions in this area. By now, it ought to be apparent that

LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Sir:

It has come to our attention that people have been filling in portions of Filbert's Creek and Pembroke Creek with dirt for their own benefit.

With all the talk about running out of water, it seems that we would try to conserve all our water. If this filling continues from both sides, we may become one or two creeks short.

We feel that a town ordinance should be passed to prevent the continuance of such a conservation hazard.

On behalf of water conservation,

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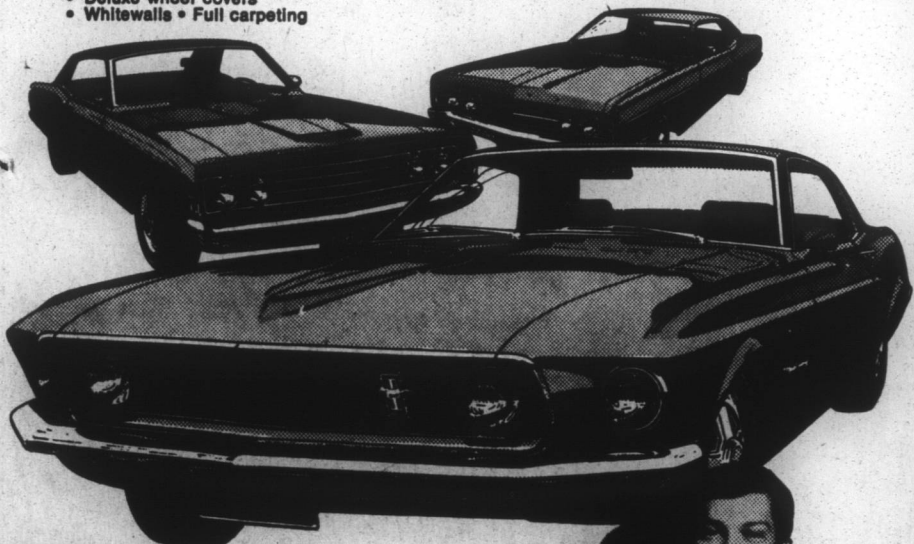
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