

# Sen. Kennedy Urges Viet Negotiations

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Robert F. Kennedy, D-N. Y., urged President Johnson yesterday to invite Viet Nam negotiations on the basis of accepting some Communists in a coalition Saigon government.

Call for limited use of U. S. military power, Kennedy said any effort to destroy the "objectives and forces" of North Viet Nam probably would result in massive Chinese intervention in the war.

The brother of the late President John F. Kennedy expressed some reservations about the course Johnson is pursuing. He said, for example, that he has such reservations about the resumption of the bombing of North Viet Nam because he is unsure of its limitations and objectives.

Kennedy, who is not a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee and thus did not share in its televised hearing made his views known at a news conference.

The committee wound up its public sessions Friday with an invitation from Secretary of State Dean Rusk to Congress to vote on Viet Nam policy "if there is any doubt" about it.

Chairman J. W. Fulbright, D-Ark., said he sees no need for further public hearings. The committee is to decide at a meeting tomorrow whether to ask Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara and Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey to appear at closed sessions. Both have declined to testify publicly.

The major focus of the policy dispute shifts to the Senate floor tomorrow in consideration of a \$4.8-billion Viet Nam military authorization bill.

# North Carolina News Roundup

## Moore: State Role Strong

RICHMOND, Va. (AP) — Gov. Dan Moore of North Carolina said last night he does not feel "that the important role of the state is diminishing or the effectiveness of state government is at a minimum."

"There are encouraging signs of change in the trend and philosophy of the federal government toward the states," Moore said in a prepared keynote speech to the Virginia Democratic Party's Jefferson-Jackson Day Dinner.

The Democratic administration has shown in recent session of Congress, Moore said, "that it realizes the importance of state governments and their abilities and opportunities to serve their citizens."

He pointed to the Appalachia program in which Virginia, North Carolina and other states participate.

Under the Appalachia program, Gov. Moore said, "The federal government has accepted state governments as full partners in the planning, as well as the operation, of this program in natural resources."

"Under the unique Appalachian Regional Commission, representatives of the states and the federal government work together as equals to stimulate local initiative, to resolve the complex problems of the Appalachian region and to cooperate as equals in mutually agreeable solutions. This is an encouraging sign and the Democratic Party is responsible for it."

Moore said he could understand the concern of those who feel the federal government is becoming too powerful and usurping state authority "because we all realize the dangers involved in putting too much power in one central government."

However, he said, "federal-state relationships have changed drastically in recent years, as the federal government has moved more and more into areas were formerly considered reserved to the states."

Moore said, "regardless of whether we approve or disapprove of the many federal aid programs, the trend is well-established and new federal-state relationships are now a matter of fact."

To serve the needs of the people, Moore said, the states must be equal partners with the federal government.

"Too frequently in the past," he said, "the states have been the junior or silent-partner in federal-state programs."

The opposite approach, he said, was exemplified by the passage of the federal Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965.

"This type of partnership offers, perhaps, the last chance for state governments to maintain initiative in their own affairs. If we fail, then the trend toward Washington can do little else but continue," Moore said.



AL, HE'S THE KING, HIRT will be just one of the top-notch performers on hand for Jubilee weekend this year. The RCA Victor recording artist's success just shows what can come to a man who keeps a stiff upper lip.

# Aussies Protest Humphrey Visit

CANBERRA, Australia (AP) — "The first time you retreat" before communist aggression, Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey declared yesterday "the first time you fold your tents, on that day no one will ever believe in free men again."

Speaking at a luncheon at which Prime Minister Harold Holt of Australia was host, the U. S. traveling Vice President also declared that he felt every Anti-Communist nation should be represented in Viet Nam, even by as small a presence as a single doctor. If there is such a symbolic presence showing unity, he added, "the Communist juggernaut will be halted."

During the day, Holt announced the Australian government is "actively" considering increasing the number of its troops in Viet Nam. He made the statement at a joint news conference with Humphrey after the Vice President met his first hostile reception in a 21,000-mile journey that has taken him to six countries. He moves on to New Zealand today.

Holt said the matter of more Australian troops for the Viet Nam war is "actively under consideration," but that no conclusions have been reached yet.

"We have been considering for some time what more Australia can do in Viet Nam," Holt said. "We hope to announce soon what Australia can do to supplement our present forces in South Viet Nam."

Both Humphrey and Holt denied Humphrey put any pressure on Australia, but it was obvious the troop situation was a prime topic in their nearly three-hour discussion at Parliament House. At present, Australia has about 1,500 men in the Viet Nam field, most of them in a battalion of infantry which has seen considerable action against the Communists.

About 150 demonstrators waited for the Vice President outside the low, rambling Parliament House with placards reading all the way from a mild "peace for Viet Nam" to "Bomb Washington, D. C." one said "Humphrey was criminal."

Police said the demonstrators were a combination of leftist students, left wing labor union leaders, pacifist and anti-conscription mothers. The crowd appeared in good humor at first but turned ugly when Humphrey appeared with Holt. It surged forward, some in the crowd yelling "warmonger," others shouting "we want peace."

Police and security officers quickly moved in, and none reached Humphrey before he got into his car. There were no arrests, police said. The pickets straggled behind Humphrey's motorcade toward a nearby hotel where the luncheon was held. But they were held firmly several hundred yards from the hotel and dwindled away.

The atmosphere at the luncheon was in sharp contrast to the demonstration. Humphrey hailed the Australians as "comrades in war and comrades in peace." Holt said he was "grateful for the firmness of purpose" shown by President Johnson in Viet Nam.

Humphrey appeared unruffled by the demonstration, telling laughing listeners the thought that passed through his mind during the hubbub was: "What the Prime Minister will do to make me feel at home."

Without referring to the demonstration Holt said, "I believe you will find support in this country as strong as anywhere in the world" for U. S. Policy on Southeast Asia and Viet Nam.

The Vice President said he feels "restrained optimism" as a result of his tour so far. He has three nations to visit before returning to Washington. In addition to New Zealand he will stop in the Philippines and South Korea.

# White House: Which Congressman Goes? No Missiles Enter Cuba

WASHINGTON (AP) — The White House said yesterday there is no evidence that offensive weapons systems have been moved into Cuba since the Soviet Union withdrew missiles from the island in 1962.

Spruille Braden, a former U. S. Ambassador to Cuba, said in Miami Friday that an organization he now heads has received word that five Soviet ships are bound for Cuba with nuclear missiles.

Braden, who heads the Citizens Committee for Free Cuba, gave no details.

Commenting on Braden's statement, Press Secretary Bill D. Moyers said "We continue to have sources of information adequate to inform us if offensive weapons systems have been reintroduced into Cuba. There is no evidence that this in fact has been done."

White House officials said that, from time to time, the Cubans receive from the Soviet Union replacements for defensive surface-to-air missiles. It was said that these weapons have a limited "shelf life" and must be replaced periodically.

Moyers said American intelligence agencies thoroughly check every report of the presence of offensive weapons in Cuba "as a continuing matter of high priority."

He said no such weapons have been moved into Cuba since the 1962 missile crisis.

According to one report, Braden was said to have passed along his report to President Johnson. Moyers said he did not know in what fashion this might have been done—that he had been unable to find any evidence such was the case.

# GREENSBORO (AP) — A decision handed down by a three-judge federal panel Friday says the North Carolina Legislature may have to answer this long-avoided question by July 1, 1967.

Which congressmen in the sparsely populated East or West must run against each other to eliminate one, so more representation can be added in the more populous Piedmont?

The legislature kept the congressmen in their own districts for the 1966 races, but probably won't be allowed to next time around.

In ruling on the reapportionment and redistricting plans passed by a special session of the General Assembly in January, the court said the lawmakers must pay more attention to compactness and contiguity in the next reapportionment plan.

It gave the General Assembly until July 1, 1967 to draw it up.

The court approved the General Assembly's plans for reapportioning the State Senate and House of Representatives. Since the plans throw more legislative representation to the Piedmont, the door is open for major changes in congressional districts when the issue comes up next year.

The ruling by the court indicated the redistricting plan was left as it was so this year's elections can proceed as scheduled. But the ruling noted the districts are not "as nearly equal in population as practicable."

The opinion said the "conceded rationale" of the legislature in adopting the plan was to protect incumbent congressmen.

## Charlotte Fights Crime

CHARLOTTE (AP) — Police Chief John Hord said yesterday he is assigning a special two-man motorcycle squad to Charlotte's robbery-plagued downtown area.

Hord made the announcement shortly after the fourth robbery in 24 hours occurred.

Members of the new squad will ride cycles that were made for rugged terrain and can climb curbs and be driven through gulleys and over ties along railroad beds. Each man will carry a walkie-talkie so he can keep in constant touch with headquarters.

"This will give us a greater deterrent to purse-snatchers, shoplifters and thieves who steal from cars," Hord said.

"The main thing is to have the men there in a minute's notice. This has been one of our problems because the typical motorcycle and squad cars have to move sometimes through heavy traffic."

Hord added that the new cycles "can cup up sidewalks, go down rutted alleys and even along the railroad tracks."

The police department had put an extra 15 police cars on duty Friday. The cars patrolled a six-block area around Independence Square where gunmen had robbed loan offices the two previous Fridays.

# Suburban Trend Declining

WASHINGTON (AP)—Americans are still flocking to metropolitan areas but the flight to the suburbs—the trend which characterized the 1940s and 1950s—may be losing some of its force.

That is the conclusion of the census bureau in its estimates of population patterns and trends during the first half of this decade.

In a new study entitled "Americans at mid-decade," the bureau listed these as some of the changes which have occurred in the nation since the last census in 1960:

1. The total population increased by about 2.8 million yearly reaching 195 million last August.
2. California replaced New York as the most populous state while Texas moved from sixth to fifth.
3. The West continued to be the fastest growing region with Nevada showing the largest percentage increase.
4. The number of women continued to increase faster than men.
5. Los Angeles replaced Chicago as the second largest metropolitan area.
6. Four more metropolitan areas reached a population of one million or more, raising the number of these areas to 26.

The new ones are Denver, Miami, New Orleans and — hold your hat — Anaheim-Santa Ana-Garden Grove, Calif.

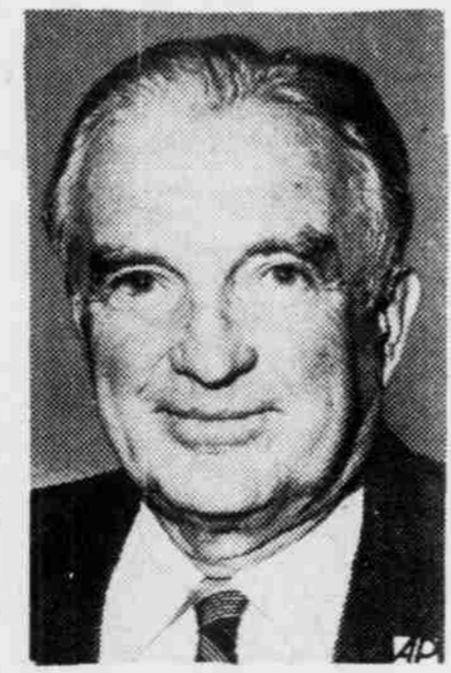
In fact, the bureau said, Anaheim-Ana-Garden Grove was the fastest growing metropolitan area in the nation during the first half of the decade, showing an increase of more than 9 per cent.

Another Southern California area—San Bernardino-Riverside-Ontario — was second with an increase of slightly less than 5 per cent and a total population of just under one million. The Washington, D. C., area was third with a growth rate of just under 4 per cent.

The government now lists the two California areas as separate metropolitan districts rather than combining them with the already sprawling Los Angeles area which itself had an estimated population at mid-decade of 6.7 million.

New York continued by far as the largest metropolitan area with an estimated population at mid-decade of more than 11.3 million and a growth rate of slightly under 2 per cent.

# Symington Urges Lifting Of Bombing Restrictions



Sen. Stuart Symington

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Stuart Symington, D-Mo., urged last night the elimination of target restrictions which he said are making U.S. bombing of North Viet Nam largely ineffective.

He said U. S. pilots should be permitted to strike "such military targets as power plants, oil stores, docks, etc."

Reporting on a recent 10-day trip to Viet Nam battle areas, Symington indicated his belief skilled American pilots and costly warplanes should not be risked on targets limited to bridges, highways, railroads and supply trails — a pattern the administration has been following to lessen the danger of escalating the war by inflicting heavy civilian casualties.

Symington told of discussing the current bombing rules with the leaders of the U. S. 2nd Air Division at Tan Son Nhut and said these include "almost unbelievable target restrictions."

The Missourian is a former Secretary of the Air Force and a long-time advocate of greater use of air power in the Viet Nam war.

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# Marines Seek Viet Cong

SAIGON (AP) — Helicopters poured thousands of U. S. Marines into battle array yesterday against Viet Cong in the Phuoc Valley, 350 miles north-east of Saigon. Striking through light sniper fire, they hunted the enemy's hard-core 1st regiment.

U. S. Navy fighter-bombers flew in support of the Marines. They streamed in from the carrier Valley Forge in the South China Sea.

U. S. B52 jets carried the war to the Viet Cong on the other side of the country. They attacked points only two miles from the Cambodian frontier with a one-two punch and a new fusing device intended to let bombs bore deep into enemy tunnels before they explode.

Communist gunners shot down three aircraft in other sectors.

Two American helicopters were felled during fresh operations of the U. S. 1st Air Cavalry Division around Bong Son, 300 miles northeast of Saigon, that a report for 37 Viet Cong dead.

Ground fire downed a South Vietnamese Army L19 spotter plane 12 miles south of Da Nang, the U. S. Marine headquarters and Air Base, and its two Vietnamese crewmen were killed.

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