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Pappas*

Gifts to Mrs. Johnson, Athens, Greece, March 10-12,  
1964

Flowers in room on Athens-Hilton: Amb. and Mrs. LaBouisse, Greek-  
Hellenic Woman's Club, Hotel Manager- THANKED

Fruit and candy in room- Hotel Manager- THANKED

Gifts from Judge John Pappas (jewelry to Mrs. Johnson and girls)-  
55 Rush Hill Lane, Milton, Mass.

Gift from Tom Pappas- blue velvet covered album of pictures-  
c/o John Pappas

Book- "Greek Stones Speak"--thought to be from Mrs. LaBouisse

Package from Mrs. LaBouisse

Gift given at Shannon Airport, historic linen cocktail napkins,  
Frances Condell, Mayor of small town ~~xxxx~~  
1st mayor's wife in 750 years...

Two Greek peasant dolls- Mrs. Apatria Ipsalanti, restaurant owner.  
THANKED BY LETTER FROM ATHENS

TWO GREEK COINS FROM CENTENNIAL OF LINE OF KING PAUL- Embassy official-  
THANKED BY LETTER

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EUF-59

U.S. PROTESTS SHOOTING DOWN OF PLANE OVER EAST GERMANY

WASHINGTON, MARCH 11 - - - -THE UNITED STATES MADE A "STRONG ORAL PROTEST" TO THE SOVIET UNION TUESDAY NIGHT OVER THE SHOOTING DOWN TUESDAY OF AN AMERICAN RB66 AIRCRAFT WHICH INADVERTENTLY CROSSED THE DEMARCATION LINE BETWEEN THE GERMAN FEDERAL REPUBLIC AND EAST GERMANY.

STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER RICHARD PHILLIPS SAID LATE TUESDAY THAT GEORGI M. KORNIEENKO, SOVIET MINISTER COUNSELOR IN WASHINGTON, WAS CALLED IN BY THE DEPARTMENT TO RECEIVE THE PROTEST.

MR. PHILLIPS NOTED THAT THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT LATE TUESDAY SAID THERE WAS EVIDENCE THAT THE THREE CREW MEMBERS PARACHUTED FROM THE PLANE, AND THAT NOTHING MORE THAN THIS WAS KNOWN ABOUT THEIR FATE.

FOLLOWING THE SOVIET OFFICIAL'S CALL AT THE DEPARTMENT, MR. PHILLIPS READ NEWSMEN THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT:

IN THE ABSENCE OF THE SOVIET AMBASSADOR, WHO IS IN NEW YORK, MINISTER COUNSELOR GEORGI M. KORNIEENKO WAS CALLED IN BY THE DEPARTMENT THIS EVENING AND AT 7:30 ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE FOR EUROPEAN AFFAIRS, WILLIAM TYLER, DELIVERED A STRONG ORAL PROTEST TO HIM ON THE SHOOTING DOWN OF THE RB66 AIRCRAFT.

MR. TYLER PROTESTED THE PRECIPITOUS ACTION BY THE SOVIET MILITARY FORCES IN SHOOTING DOWN THE AMERICAN PLANE. HE ALSO EXPRESSED THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT'S REGRETS THAT THE PLANE BECAME LOST AND INADVERTENTLY CROSSED THE DEMARCATION LINE BETWEEN THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC AND EAST GERMANY AND HE CONVEYED THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT'S URGENT REQUEST THAT THE SOVIET GOVERNMENT INSTRUCT ITS AUTHORITIES

IN EAST GERMANY TO GIVE FULL COOPERATION TO EFFECT THE RETURN OF THE CREW AND THE WRECKAGE OF THE PLANE.(END STATEMENT)

LAST JANUARY 29, THE UNITED STATES PROTESTED TO THE SOVIET UNION IN THE "STRONGEST TERMS" THE SHOOTING DOWN OF AN UNARMED AMERICAN T-39 JET TRAINER AIRCRAFT OVER EAST GERMANY,

THE PLANE WAS 'LOST AND AFFORDED NO THREAT OF ANY SORT TO THE SOVIETS," THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID AT THAT TIME. THREE U.S. AIR FORCE CREWMEN WERE KILLED IN THAT INCIDENT.

ON JANUARY 30, THE STATE DEPARTMENT DISPUTED A MOSCOW ALLEGATION THAT THE UNARMED JET TRAINER WAS ON AN ESPIONAGE MISSION. THE UNARMED PLANE WAS "CARRIED NO CAMERAS FOR AERIAL RECONNAISSANCE" AND WAS ON A TRAINING MISSION.

ITEM

EUF-61

COOPERATION OF U.S. AND EUROPEAN CENTRAL BANKS STRENGTHENS FINANCIAL STRUCTURE

WASHINGTON, MARCH 11 - - - -THE FACT THAT CENTRAL BANKS OF EUROPE AND AMERICA HAVE BEEN WORKING TOGETHER IN THE FOREIGN EXCHANGE MARKETS AND IN THE GOLD MARKET HAS IN ITSELF STRONGLY REINFORCED CONFIDENCE IN THE EXISTING INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL STRUCTURE.

THIS WAS THE MAIN POINT MADE IN A REPORT OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE, PREPARED BY CHARLES A. COOMBS, VICE PRESIDENT IN CHARGE OF THE FOREIGN DEPARTMENT OF THE NEW YORK RESERVE BANK AND PUBLISHED IN THE MARCH ISSUES OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BULLETIN AND THE MONTHLY REVIEW OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK.

ONE EXAMPLE OF CENTRAL BANK COOPERATION IN STRENGTHENING THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY SYSTEM IN GENERAL IS THE SYSTEM OF "SWAP" AGREEMENTS, NOW TOTALLING \$2,050 MILLION, WITH COUNTRIES OF WESTERN EUROPE. THESE AGREEMENTS PROVIDE STANDBY CREDITS AGAINST WHICH EITHER PARTY MAY DRAW IF NECESSARY TO SUPPORT THE PRICE OF ITS OWN CURRENCY ON FOREIGN EXCHANGE MARKETS.

ACCORDING TO THE REPORT, THE VERY EXISTENCE OF THIS CENTRAL BANK NETWORK WITH ITS MUTUAL CREDIT FACILITIES "EXERTED A STRONGLY STABILIZING INFLUENCE ON THE GOLD AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE MARKETS, WHICH REMAINED CALM IN THE FACE OF A NUMBER OF POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS DEVELOPMENTS."

THE MOST STRIKING EXAMPLE OF SUCH A DEVELOPMENT OCCURRED AT THE TIME OF THE ASSASSINATION OF PRESIDENT KENNEDY, WHEN THE FEDERAL RESERVE IMMEDIATELY INTERVENED IN THE NEW YORK MARKET, AND SWIFT TELEPHONE CONTACTS WERE MADE WITH THE MAJOR EUROPEAN BANKS FOR A JOINT PROGRAM OF INTERVENTION ON BOTH SIDES OF THE ATLANTIC TO FORESTALL ANY POSSIBLE SPECULATIVE DEVELOPMENTS HERE OR ABROAD.

STEPS TO BROADEN THE SWAP NETWORK SINCE AUGUST 1963 INCLUDED A \$150 MILLION SWAP ARRANGEMENT WITH THE BANK OF JAPAN, AN INCREASE IN SWAP FACILITIES WITH THE CENTRAL BANKS OF ITALY AND GERMANY FROM \$150 MILLION TO \$250 MILLION, AND WITH THE SWISS NATIONAL BANK AND THE BANK FOR INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENTS FROM \$100 MILLION TO \$150 MILLION.

THE REPORT ALSO NAMED AS THE MOST IMPORTANT SINGLE DEVELOPMENT IN THE DOLLAR STERLING RELATIONSHIP DURING THE PAST YEAR THE INCREASE IN THE SWAP LINE BETWEEN THE FEDERAL RESERVE AND THE BANK OF ENGLAND FROM \$50 MILLION TO \$500 MILLION, ANNOUNCED ON MAY 29. THE MAGNITUDE OF THIS INCREASE IN THE RECIPROCAL CREDIT ARRANGEMENTS HAS GREATLY REINFORCED MARKET CONFIDENCE IN THE STABILITY OF THE STERLING-DOLLAR PARITY," IT SAID.

THAT THE SWAPS CAN ALSO HELP OTHER COUNTRIES WAS SHOWN BY THE REPORT IN THE CASE OF ITALY. THE TREASURY AND THE FEDERAL RESERVE HAVE BEEN ACQUIRING LIRE TO BUTTRESS ITALY'S DOLLAR RESERVES. SOME OF THESE LIRE WERE USED THIS WEEK TO REPAY A DECEMBER 1962 TREASURY BORROWING FROM THE BANK OF ITALY.

THE REPORT SAID THAT THE VOLUME OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE OPERATIONS CONDUCTED FROM SEPTEMBER 1963 TO FEBRUARY 1964 BY THE FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF NEW YORK, AS AGENT FOR BOTH THE FEDERAL RESERVE AND THE U.S. TREASURY, EXPANDED STILL FURTHER.

"COMING AGAINST THE BACKGROUND OF A SHARP IMPROVEMENT IN THE U.S. BALANCE OF PAYMENTS, THIS INCREASE IN EXCHANGE OPERATIONS REFLECTED BOTH THE EBB AND FLOW OF INTERNATIONAL PAYMENTS, MARKED IN RECENT MONTHS BY SHARP SWINGS IN THE NET DOLLAR POSITION OF FOREIGN COUNTRIES, AND GREATER USE OF THE AVAILABLE FACILITIES BY FOREIGN CENTRAL BANKS," THE REPORT SAID.

ANOTHER DEVELOPMENT MENTIONED IN THE REPORT WAS THE U.S. DRAWING ON THE INTERNATIONAL MONETARY FUND ON FEBRUARY 13.

THIS DRAWING IN THE AMOUNT OF \$125 MILLION EQUIVALENT --MAINLY IN GERMAN MARKS AND FRENCH FRANCS-- WAS MADE UNDER THE \$500 MILLION STANDBY AGREEMENT WITH THE IMF ANNOUNCED BY PRESIDENT KENNEDY LAST JULY 18. WHILE THIS FIRST DRAWING UPON THE IMF BY THE U.S. WAS ESSENTIALLY OF A TECHNICAL NATURE, IT NEVERTHELESS DEMONSTRATED THAT THE RESOURCES OF THE IMF CAN BE CALLED UPON BY BOTH LARGE AND SMALL COUNTRIES, NOT ONLY IN TIMES OF EMERGENCY BUT ALSO IN A MORE OR LESS ROUTINE WAY.

"THERE IS THUS EMERGING IN EVEN SHARPER FOCUS," THE FEDERAL RESERVE REPORT SAID, "A SPECTRUM OF MORE OR LESS FORMALIZED INTERNATIONAL CREDIT FACILITIES. . . . FURTHER DEVELOPMENT AND REFINEMENT OF SUCH MUTUAL CREDIT FACILITIES TO DEAL WITH PROBLEMS THAT MAY LIE AHEAD AFFORDS A MOST USEFUL MEANS FOR STRENGTHENING THE WORLD'S PAYMENTS SYSTEM."

THE REPORT ALSO CITED THE OPERATIONS IN THE LONDON GOLD MARKET, IN WHICH THE BANK OF ENGLAND ACTS AS OPERATING AGENT FOR A CONSORTIUM OF EIGHT CENTRAL BANKS COOPERATING TO STABILIZE THE MARKET.

THE MARKET WAS STABILIZED LAST YEAR BY PURCHASE OF MORE THAN \$600 MILLION OF GOLD THROUGH THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THIS GOLD IS SHARED ACCORDING TO A PREVIOUSLY AGREED FORMULA, WITH THE U.S. TAKING 50 PERCENT OF IT. THE GOLD WAS THUS ADDED TO THE RESERVES BACKING THE VALUES OF THE CURRENCIES OF THE PARTICIPATING NATIONS.

THE GOLD POOL WAS SET UP IN 1961 MAINLY AS A MEANS TO SELL GOLD IN THE LONDON MARKET WHEN SUCH ACTION IS NEEDED TO STEM SPECULATIVE RISES IN GOLD PRICES.

NO SUCH OCCASION AROSE DURING 1963, HOWEVER, AS CONFIDENCE IN THE U.S. DOLLAR AND OTHER MAJOR TRADING CURRENCIES REMAINED HIGH. INSTEAD, THE POOL PURCHASED THE GOLD FROM THE MARKET AND DISTRIBUTED IT AMONG ITS MEMBERS. THE U.S. SHARE WAS OVER \$300 MILLION.

THE GOLD CAME FROM NEWLY - MINED SUPPLIES, WITH SOME ALSO FROM SOVIET SALES. THE REPORT NOTED THAT SOVIET SALES OF GOLD WERE SUBSTANTIAL IN 1963, #ESPECIALLY AFTER EARLY SEPTEMBER WHEN THE SOVIET UNION BECAME A HEAVY BUYER OF GRAIN IN THE WEST."

THE SOVIET UNION AND OTHER COMMUNIST NATIONS WERE FORCED TO SEEK FOOD SUPPLIES IN NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES AFTER A SERIES OF SERIOUS AGRICULTURAL FAILURES.

ITEM

EXCERPTS: ROWAN SPEECH BEFORE RADIO-TV BROADCASTERS

NEW YORK, MARCH 11 -- FOLLOWING ARE EXCERPTS FROM A SPEECH WHICH CARL T. ROWAN, DIRECTOR OF THE UNITED STATES INFORMATION AGENCY, DELIVERED WEDNESDAY BEFORE THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO AND TELEVISION SOCIETY HERE:

. . . I HAVE RECEIVED MANY LETTERS OF SYMPATHY FROM PEOPLE WHO THINK THAT I HAVE MOVED INTO AN ESPECIALLY DIFFICULT JOB. IT IS A CHALLENGING JOB, BUT IT IS FAR FROM IMPOSSIBLE; INDEED IT IS DIFFICULT ONLY TO THE EXTENT THAT WE AMERICANS ARE UNSURE OF WHAT WE WISH TO SAY TO THE WORLD.

MY CONVERSATIONS WITH MY COLLEAGUES, WITH MEMBERS OF THE PRESS AND OF THE CONGRESS, WITH FRIENDS FROM MANY FIELDS, INDICATE THAT THERE IS A GLARING LACK OF CONSENSUS AS TO WHAT USIA IS TO DO -- AND HOW.

PART OF THE CONFUSION ARISES FROM THE FACT THAT OUR OWN SOCIETY IS COMPLEX. THIS GREAT DIVERSITY OF VIEWPOINT THAT WE NOT ONLY TOLERATE BUT ENCOURAGE IS STRONGLY REFLECTED WHEN SOMEONE MENTIONS OUR INFORMATIONAL PROGRAM. NO SMALL NUMBER OF PEOPLE HAVE SAID TO ME RECENTLY THAT WE CAN WIN THE WORLD QUICKLY IF ONLY WE EXPOSE IT TO THEIR IDEAS.

ON THE OTHER HAND, WE FIND THAT WE LACK CONSENSUS ALSO BECAUSE OF THE COMPLEX NATURE OF THIS WORLD TO WHICH WE SPEAK. WE FIND OURSELVES ATTEMPTING TO CONVINCE, TO WIN THE SUPPORT OF, NOT JUST YOUNG NATIONS INHABITED BY PEOPLES OF DIFFERENT RACIAL OR HISTORICAL BACKGROUND, NOT JUST OUR ADVERSARIES WHOSE DIFFERENCES OF POLITICAL OUTLOOK POSE A THREAT TO OUR SECURITY, BUT ALSO THOSE LONG-TIME FRIENDS WHOSE HISTORY AND CULTURE ARE PART OF OUR VERY BEING.

PERHAPS IT IS ONLY NATURAL THAT WHERE COMPLEXITY IS PILED ON COMPLEXITY, MEN BECOME IMPATIENT TO SIMPLIFY EVERYTHING. SO IT IS THAT WE FIND SO MANY AMERICANS TODAY WHO SEEK TO REDUCE EVERY CONFLICT TO THE SIMPLE COPS-AND ROBBERS THEME OF EVERY WEEK'S TELEVISION DRAMA.

WHETHER THE SCENARIO BE CAMBODIA, OR CYPRUS, ZANZIBAR OR BRAZIL, THIS SIMPLIFIED THEORY OF FOREIGN POLICY IS THAT THERE IS ALWAYS AN EASILY DISTINGUISHABLE GOOD GUY AND AN EQUALLY OBVIOUS VILLIAN, EACH OF WHOM IS TO BE RESPECTIVELY EMBRACED OR DISOWNED BY ALL BUT THE OBVIOUSLY DISLOYAL. UNFORTUNATELY -- OR PERHAPS FORTUNATELY -- OUR WORLD IS NOT AS SIMPLE AS THAT.

WE IN USIA SEE DAY AFTER DAY THAT OURS IS A WORLD OF SUBTLE AND TRICKY NUANCES. AND I FEAR THAT OUR NO. 1 PROBLEM MAY NOT BE THAT WE FACE ADVERSARIES SKILLED IN THEIR TRADE UNSCRUPULOUS IN THEIR TACTICS, BUT RATHER THE FACT THAT SO MANY OF OUR COUNTRYMEN, FOLLOWING THE "SIMPLIFIED APPROACH TO FOREIGN POLICY," PREFER TO IGNORE THE SUBTLETIES AND THE DELICATE SHADING THAT ARE PART OF THIS BUSINESS OF WINNING FRIENDS AND INFLUENCING PEOPLE. THEY WOULD URGE UPON US A CONGLOMERATION OF "HARD SELL" NOSTRUMS THAT HAVE LITTLE REAL RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROBLEMS WE FACE.

THIS BURDEN IS EXEMPLIFIED IN ITS MOST EXASPERATING FORM IN THE COMMENTS OF THOSE WHO THINK THAT USIA HAS THE SOLE AND SIMPLE MISSION OF SAYING TO THE WORLD AGAIN AND AGAIN WHAT IS GOOD AND RIGHT AND GREAT ABOUT THIS COUNTRY.

THERE ARE PEOPLE WHO BELIEVE, RIGHTLY, THAT USIA SHOULD NOT DWELL SOLELY ON OUR UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEMS, OR INSTANCES OF CORRUPTION OR INCIDENTS OF RACIAL CONFLICT, OR THE CARRYINGS-ON OF OUR GANGSTER ELEMENT.

THEY KNOW, AS DO YOU AND I, THAT IT IS SO OBVIOUS AS TO PRECLUDE DISCUSSION THAT USIA'S FUNCTION IS TO GIVE FOREIGNERS A CLOSER UNDERSTANDING AND A GREATER APPRECIATION OF THESE UNITED STATES.

THIS MEANS THAT USIA IS OBLIGATED TO EMPHASIZE SOME OF THE POSITIVE THINGS THAT RARELY MAKE THE COMMERCIAL MEDIA THAT OPERATE ON THE OLD JOURNALISTIC CREDO THAT "GOOD NEWS IS NO NEWS."

THE TROUBLE IS THAT, CLOAKED IN THIS BASIC AND HONORABLE PURPOSE, USIA QUICKLY FALLS VICTIM TO THE SIMPLIFIERS WHO THINK USIA SHOULD GO ALL THE WAY AND FORCE THE WORLD TO LOOK AT AMERICAN THROUGH ROSE-COLORED GLASSES . . .

I HAVE PRESSED HARD TO EXPLAIN THAT THE EASIEST WAY TO DESTROY USIA, TO RENDER IT TOTALLY INEFFECTIVE, WOULD BE TO HAVE IT FEED THE WORLD NOTHING BUT SUPERLATIVES ABOUT AMERICA AND THE AMERICAN WAY OF LIFE. AND I HAVE BEEN PRESSED TO MAKE THE "SIMPLIFIERS" UNDERSTAND THAT USIA CAN AND HAS WORKED SOME MINOR MIRACLES IN THE PROPAGANDA FIELD, BUT IT CAN NEVER DO THE UNDOABLE OR HIDE THE UNHIDEABLE.

WHAT THE ADVOCATES OF THE ROSE-COLORED-GLASSES APPROACH SEEM NOT TO UNDERSTAND IS THE FACT THAT WHILE USIA HAS A VOICE OF AMERICA, IT IS ONLY A PART, INDEED A SMALL PART, OF THE REAL "VOICE OF AMERICA." IN OUR ERA OF MIRACULOUSLY RAPID COMMUNICATIONS THE WORDS OF A CONGRESSMAN ENGAGED IN BITTER FLOOR DEBATE, A SPEECH BY AN OFFICIAL OF THE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE IN CHICAGO, OR THE PUBLIC SPEECH OF ONE OF OUR MILITARY LEADERS MOVES TO THE FARTHEST CORNERS OF THE GLOBE EACH YEAR, THE HALF MILLION AMERICANS WHO GO ABROAD FOR BUSINESS REASONS, OR TO REPRESENT FOUNDATIONS AND PARTICIPATE IN EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGES, ALL ARE OUR "VOICES OF AMERICA."

AND NOT TO BE IGNORED ARE THE 50,000 FOREIGN STUDENTS WHO COME TO THIS COUNTRY EACH YEAR TO STUDY, AND THE THOUSANDS OF FOREIGN TOURISTS AND THE SCORES OF FOREIGN JOURNALISTS WHO DEVELOP THEIR OWN VERSION OF THE IMAGE OF AMERICA.

THEY, TOO, SPEAK TO THE OUTSIDE WORLD, AND GENERALLY WITH THE NATURAL CREDIBILITY FOR WHICH OUR OFFICIAL ORGANS CAN ONLY STRIVE.

SO YOU SEE THAT IN THIS CONTEXT, USIA BECOMES BUT A SMALL PART OF THE CACOPHONY THAT IS THE REAL VOICE OF AMERICA ABROAD.

BUT IT IS FOR JUST THIS REASON THAT USIA'S ROLE IS VITAL. WE CANNOT AFFORD TO HAVE THE VOICES OF FREEDOM ADD UP TO A BABBLE OF CONFUSION FOR FOREIGNERS. IT IS USIA'S ROLE, THEN, TO ENSURE THAT OUT OF THIS DIALOGUE OF FREEDOM IS EXTRACTED A MESSAGE THAT IS INTELLIGIBLE AND CREDIBLE.

FOR AS LONG AS I CAN FORESEE, OUR COUNTRY WILL BE INVOLVED IN AN ALL-OUT IDEOLOGICAL STRUCTURE. IN THIS CONTEST OF IMPRESSIONS AND MIS-IMPRESSIONS, OF DISTORTIONS BOTH DELIBERATE AND ACCIDENTAL, USIA MUST BE THE RESTORER OF FOCUS, THE PROVIDER OF THE PERSPECTIVE WITHOUT WHICH OUR POLICIES AND OUR PURPOSE CAN NEVER BE UNDERSTOOD. . . .

THE MERCHANTS OF TYRANNY ARE TRYING TO TURN OUR FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION INTO A MIGHTY WEAPON AGAINST US. THEIR OBVIOUS GOAL IS TO HANG US WITH OUR OWN WORDS.

WE CANNOT SILENCE AMERICAN POLITICS OR THE AMERICAN PRESS, NOR HAVE WE ANY DESIRE TO DO SO. BUT IT MUST BE OBVIOUS THAT USIA CANNOT FULFILL ITS MISSIONS UNLESS IT TAKES ABOUT THE THINGS THAT FREE AMERICANS AND THE FREE AMERICAN PRESS ARE DISCUSSING. WE KNOW THAT OUR ADVERSARIES ARE TALKING ABOUT THESE THINGS, AND ONE OF OUR MOST URGENT TASKS IS TO ENSURE THAT THEIR DISTORTIONS ARE NOT ACCEPTED BECAUSE WE ARE IN TIMID DEFAULT.

WE MUST AND WE SHALL PURSUE OUR MISSION WITH VIGOR. PERHAPS WE SHALL MAKE MISTAKES, BUT I WANT ALL MY COLLEAGUES TO KNOW THAT IF WE ERR, LET IT BE ON THE SIDE OF BOLDNESS. LET IT BE BECAUSE WE ARE MOVING WITH CONFIDENCE TO TELL THE WORLD WHAT OUR COUNTRY IS AND WHAT IT STRIVES TO BE. . . .

BREVITY FORBIDS MY SAYING ALL THAT THIS NATION IS. BUT I THINK THAT I HAVE SAID ENOUGH TO JUSTIFY MY FUNDAMENTAL BELIEF THAT ALL WE NEED WISH THE WORLD TO KNOW ABOUT IT IS THE TRUTH.

THROUGH FACE-TO-FACE CONTACTS, THROUGH TELEVISION, FILMS AND RADIO, AND THROUGH THE PRINTED WORD, WE SHALL SPREAD THE TRUTH, AND I AM CONFIDENT THAT THE TRUTH WILL KEEP US FREE. . . .

(END EXCERPTS)

ITEM

EUF-66

QUICK U.N. PEACE ACTION NEEDED ON CYPRUS, U.S. SAYS

WASHINGTON, MARCH 11 - - - -THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAYS CONTINUED VIOLENCE ON CYPRUS ACCENTS THE NEED TO IMPLEMENT UNITED NATIONS PEACE PLANS.

IN THIS CONNECTION, DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER RICHARD I. PHILLIPS SAID WEDNESDAY:

"ALL I HAVE TO SAY IS THAT THE CONTINUATION OF THE FIGHTING EMPHASIZES THE NECESSITY OF RAPID IMPLEMENTATION OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION. WE ARE SUPPORTING THE SECRETARY-GENERAL AND WORKING ACTIVELY IN COOPERATION WITH OTHER U.N. MEMBERS TO GET THE PEACE-KEEPING FORCE ESTABLISHED QUICKLY."

UNDER THE SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION, U.N. SECRETARY-GENERAL U THANT IS AUTHORIZED TO ORGANIZE A PEACE FORCE TO PATROL CYPRUS FOR THREE MONTHS AND TO SEND A MEDIATOR TO THE ISLAND.

MR. PHILLIPS SAID THE UNITED STATES HAS NOT RECEIVED A REQUEST FOR AIR FORCE TRANSPORTS TO CARRY A U.N. FORCE TO CYPRUS.

ITEM

EUF-68

RUMORS OF GABON COUP INVOLVEMENT LAID TO 'NON-OFFICIAL' SOURCES

WASHINGTON, MARCH 11 - - - -NON-OFFICIAL FRENCH SOURCES ARE REPORTED BEHIND THE FALSE RUMORS THAT THE UNITED STATES WAS INVOLVED IN THE FEBRUARY 18-19 COUP IN THE AFRICAN NATION OF GABON.

ASKED ABOUT THE RUMORS ALLEGING U.S. INVOLVEMENT IN THE FEBRUARY COUP WHICH BRIEFLY DEPOSED PRESIDENT MBA, STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER RICHARD PHILLIPS SAID WEDNESDAY:

"REPORTS HAVE REACHED US THAT SUCH RUMORS HAVE BEEN WIDELY CIRCULATED IN LIBREVILLE AND SEVERAL OTHER PLACES. I CANNOT SEE ANY POSSIBLE SANE REASON FOR FABRICATING AND CIRCULATING SUCH FALSEHOODS.

"OUR RELATIONS WITH THE GABONESE PEOPLE HAVE BEEN ALWAYS EXCELLENT PRECISELY BECAUSE THEY UNDERSTOOD THAT WE DID NOT HAVE ANY INTENTION OF MEDDLING IN THEIR INTERNAL AFFAIRS."

MR. PHILLIPS SAID THAT SEVERAL DAYS AGO THE UNITED STATES INQUIRED AT THE FRENCH FOREIGN OFFICE IN PARIS ABOUT THESE REPORTS, AND WAS SATISFIED THAT FRENCH AUTHORITIES HAD NOTHING TO DO WITH THESE RUMORS.

ALTHOUGH U.S. OFFICIALS DESCRIBE THE RUMORS AS FRENCH-INSPIRED, THEY IDENTIFY THE SOURCE ONLY AS "NON-OFFICIAL."

THE U.S. EMBASSY IN LIBREVILLE WAS DAMAGED LAST SUNDAY BY A SHOT GUN BLAST AND A SMALL EXPLOSIVE DEVICE, BUT DAMAGE TO THE BUILDING WAS NOT SERIOUS AND NO ONE WAS INJURED.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT SAID TUESDAY THAT TWO EUROPEANS WERE SEEN LEAVING THE SCENE AFTER THE SHOT GUN FIRE. GABONESE AUTHORITIES AS WELL AS FRENCH MILITARY AUTHORITIES ARE INVESTIGATING THE INCIDENT.

ASKED WHY FRENCH MILITARY AUTHORITIES ARE INVESTIGATING, MR. PHILLIPS RECALLED THEY WENT INTO GABON AFTER THE COUP AND ARE MAINTAINING SECURITY IN LIBREVILLE.

HE SAID "TREATY OBLIGATIONS BETWEEN THE GOVERNMENTS OF FRANCE AND GABON AND HOW THEY ARE HONORED ARE MATTERS WHICH CONCERN THOSE TWO GOVERNMENTS."

ITEM

EUF-69

# U.S. PROTESTS ATTACK ON EMBASSY IN CAMBODIA

WASHINGTON, MARCH 11 - - - -THE UNITED STATES HAS STRONGLY PROTESTED THE OUTBREAK OF VIOLENCE BY CAMBOLIANS AT THE U.S. EMBASSY IN PHNOM PENH. CAMBODIA LATER EXPRESSED ITS REGRET AND PROMISED TO PAY DAMAGES.

STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER RICHARD I. PHILLIPS, TOLD NEWSMEN WEDNESDAY:

"WE STRONGLY OBJECT TO ACTIVITIES SUCH AS THIS WHICH INTERFERE WITH THE NORMAL RIGHTS OF LEGATION. WE HAVE TAKEN NOTE OF THE EXPRESSION OF REGRET BY THE CAMBODIAN GOVERNMENT, BUT ANY FURTHER COMMENT WILL HAVE TO AWAIT A FULL REVIEW OF THE FACTS WHEN THEY ARE ALL IN."

MR. PHILLIPS SAID THE REVIEW WOULD BE "VERY WIDESPREAD," INVOLVING THE FACTS SURROUNDING THE ATTACK ON THE EMBASSY EARLY WEDNESDAY.

DEPARTMENT OFFICIALS GAVE THIS BACKGROUND ON THE VIOLENCE:

DEMONSTRATION BEGAN IN FRONT OF THE EMBASSY AT ABOUT 9 A.M. PHNOM PENH TIME. ABOUT 20 MINUTES LATER, IT ERUPTED INTO VIOLENCE, WITH THE CROWD THROWING ROCKS AT THE EMBASSY.

VIRTUALLY EVERY WINDOW IN THE EMBASSY AND THE NEARBY U.S. INFORMATION SERVICE LIBRARY WAS BROKEN. SEVERAL VEHICLES WERE DESTROYED.

THE CROWD BROKE THROUGH THE EMBASSY'S FRONT DOOR AND INFLECTED MASSIVE DAMAGE ON THE GROUND FLOOR. THE USIS LIBRARY WAS ALSO HEAVILY DAMAGED.

AS FAR AS IS KNOWN HERE, NO AMERICANS WERE INJURED. U.S. PERSONNEL ATTACHED TO THE EMBASSY NUMBER 48 AND THEY HAVE 59 DEPENDENTS.

MR. PHILLIPS SAID THE U.S. PROTEST TO THE ROYAL CAMBODIAN GOVERNMENT WAS DELIVERED BY CHARGE D'AFFAIRES HERBERT D. SPIVACK, SUBSTITUTING FOR AMBASSADOR PHILP SPROUSE. MR. SPROUSE HAS BEEN UNDERGOING MEDICAL TREATMENT IN THE PHILIPPINES SINCE LAST WEEK.

THE STATE DEPARTMENT PRESS OFFICER SAID THAT CAMBODIAN FOREIGN MINISTER HUOT SAMBATH HAD - - BOTH ORALLY AND IN A WRITTEN REPLY - - "EXPRESSED THE 'PROFOUND REGRET OF THE ROYAL GOVERNMENT FOR THE ACTS OF VIOLENCE'" AND HAS STATED CAMBODIA'S READINESS TO PAY COMPENSATION.

ITEM

## MCNAMARA PROMISES VIETNAMESE ALL AID NEEDED FOR VICTORY

SAIGON, MARCH 11 -- U.S. SECRETARY OF DEFENSE ROBERT MCNAMARA HAS EMPHATICALLY REITERATED AMERICAN SUPPORT FOR THE GOVERNMENT OF VIET-NAM IN ITS BATTLE AGAINST THE COMMUNIST VIET-CONG.

SECRETARY MCNAMARA REAFFIRMED U.S. SUPPORT DURING A FINAL TOUR WEDNESDAY OF THE VIETNAMESE COUNTRYSIDE. HE FLEW TO THE ANCIENT ANNAM CAPITAL CITY OF HUE, 50 MILES (80 KILOMETERS) FROM THE NORTH VIETNAMESE BORDER.

THE U.S. OFFICIAL SAID THAT PRESIDENT JOHNSON HAD INSTRUCTED HIM TO PROMISE THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE REPUBLIC THE COMPLETE CONTINUOUS SUPPORT OF THE UNITED STATES.

"WE WILL SUPPLY NOW AND IN THE FUTURE WHATEVER ECONOMIC AID, WHATEVER MILITARY TRAINING AND MILITARY EQUIPMENT YOU NEED TO DEFEAT YOUR ENEMY, NOW AND FOREVER," MR. MCNAMARA SAID.

ON HIS TRIP TO HUE MR. MCNAMARA WAS ACCOMPANIED BY THE VIETNAMESE PRIME MINISTER, NGUYEN KHANH ; U.S. AMBASSADOR HENRY CABOT LODGE; THE CHAIRMAN OF THE U.S. JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF GENERAL MAXWELL D. TAYLOR, AND THE CHIEF U.S. MILITARY ADVISOR IN VIET-NAM, GENERAL PAUL D. HARKINS.

SECRETARY MCNAMARA RETURNED TO SAIGON LATER IN THE DAY AND BEGAN TO WORK ON A REPORT ON THE SITUATION HE WILL DELIVER TO PRESIDENT JOHNSON. HE IS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO END HIS VISIT HERE THURSDAY.

ITEM

EUF-73

ADD EUF-66 (QUICK U.N. PEACE)

MEANWHILE, A SPOKESMAN AT UNITED NATIONS HEADQUARTERS IN NEW YORK SAID WEDNESDAY THAT NO DEFINITE ANSWERS HAVE YET BEEN RECEIVED FROM ANY OF THE SIX COUNTRIES THAT HAVE BEEN ASKED TO SUPPLY TROOPS FOR THE PEACE-KEEPING FORCE - - AUSTRIA, BRAZIL, CANADA, FINLAND, IRELAND AND SWEDEN.

IN ADDITION TO TRYING TO SET UP THE PEACE-KEEPING FORCE, U.N. SECRETARY GENERAL U THANT IS TRYING TO GET VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS TO HELP FINANCE IT AND TO GET AGREEMENT ON A MEDIATOR TO SEEK A SOLUTION OF THE PROBLEMS OF CYPRUS.

THE U.N. SPOKESMAN SAID BRITAIN'S ANXIETY TO GET THE U.N. FORCE SET UP AND FUNCTIONING AS QUICKLY AS POSSIBLE HAD BEEN MADE KNOWN TUESDAY TO U THANT BY BRITISH AMBASSADOR SIR PATRICK DEAN.

ITEM

Arrival Statement

Former President Harry S. Truman

I regret keenly that my first visit to Greece occurs on the occasion of the death of Greece's beloved leader King Paul. King Paul guided his country through dangers and sacrifices to peace and growing prosperity. I am proud to have been associated with him in this enterprise, and regard his passing as the loss of a good friend and a firm defender of freedom.

Arrival Statement

Mrs. Landon B. Johnson

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OFFICE OF THE AIR FORCE AIDE  
THE WHITE HOUSE

As of 1345, 9 March 1964  
(Date and Time)

WHITE HOUSE MISSION SCHEDULE

SAM Mission Number. 316 Date of Mission 10-13 March 1964  
Mission requested by: State Dept Approved by General Clifton  
(Military Aide)  
VIP on board, if any Mrs. LB Johnson and Approved by Mr. W. Jenkins  
Code: Pres. Truman (Presidential Spec. Asst)

Courier officer, if  
required: \_\_\_\_\_

ITINERARY  
(Date/Time)

Pilot's name: Col. James Swindal Depart Andrews AFB: 1600, 10 Mar 64  
Pilot's Office Nr: OX 74745 Arrive Athens, Greece: 0845, 11 Mar 64  
Pilot's Home Phone Nr: HU 1-9476 Depart Athens, Greece: 1300, 13 Mar 64  
FOOD REQUIREMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_ Arrive Lajes, Azores: 1530, 13 Mar 64  
(As agreed by SMSgt Ayres, Chief Depart Lajes, Azores: 1730, 13 Mar 64  
Flight Steward, and Mr. Nicholas  
Zumas, State Department) Arrive Andrews AFB: 2030, 13 Mar 64  
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Food and Beverage Reimbursement Instructions:  
Collect from members of party on board \_\_\_\_\_, (See Food Requirements above)  
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Aircraft VC-137 No. 26000

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AIR FORCE ASSISTANT TO THE MILITARY AIDE TO THE PRESIDENT  
THE WHITE HOUSE

Date: 1730 - 9 March 1964

PASSENGER LIST - VC-137 No. 26000

Andrews to Athens, Greece, and return  
10-13 March 1964

STATEROOM

1. Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson
2. President Harry S. Truman
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REAR

10. Mr. Jerry Kivett - USSS
11. Mr. Warren Taylor - USSS
12. Mr. Jack Ready - USSS
13. Steward
14. Guard
15. Guard

MAIN COMPARTMENT

16. Ambassador Alexander M. Matsas
17. Mrs. Alexander M. Matsas
18. Mr. John Plumides
19. Archbishop Iakavos
20. Judge John Pappas (Boston)
21. Congressman John Brademas
22. Mr. Mike Manatos
23. Mrs. Elizabeth Carpenter
24. Ambassador Angler Biddle Duke
25. Mrs. Angler Biddle Duke
26. Dr. James M. Young
27. Major Emmerson C. Cook

MAIN COMPARTMENT (Continued)

28. Miss Stephanie Arterton (State)
29. General Harry Vaughn (Ret)
30. Mr. Clifton Daniel
31. Helen Williams
32. Chief Robert Knudsen, USN
33. SSgt Marshall K. Gaddis
34. PRESS - Bob Clark
35. \_\_\_\_\_
36. \_\_\_\_\_
37. \_\_\_\_\_
38. \_\_\_\_\_
39. Mr. Paul Burns - USSS
40. Mr. Kent Jordan - USSS
41. Mr. Robert Schott (State)

FORWARD CREW COMPARTMENT

42. Mr. Nick Zumas (State)
43. \_\_\_\_\_
44. \_\_\_\_\_
45. Mr. Vincent Mros - USSS
46. Steward
47. Steward
48. Guard
49. Guard

VC-137 No. 26000 to Athens

FOR RELEASE 6:30 pm SATURDAY MARCH 1

MARCH CALENDAR FOR MRS. JOHNSON

Date and Time

Event

Tuesday, March 3  
6:00 p.m.

RECEPTION for Congress - 4th in a series for members of the House of Representatives and their wives

Wednesday, March 4  
3:00 p.m.

PHOTOGRAPH - Mrs. Johnson receives Muscular Dystrophy poster children (two)

Wednesday, March 4  
4:00 p.m.

Women's National Democratic Club will give a tea in honor of Mrs. Johnson

Wednesday, March 4  
8:00 p.m.

President and Mrs. Johnson attend Women's National Press Club Eleanor Roosevelt Golden Candlestick Award Dinner at Statler Hilton Hotel. President will present award and deliver an address.

Thursday, March 5  
6:00 p.m.

RECEPTION for Congress - 5th in series for members of the House of Representatives and their wives.

Monday, March 9  
4:00 p.m.

CONCERT - Charlie Byrd (guitarist) East Room for children of Members of Congress (ages 13-18)

Wednesday, March 11  
6:00 p.m.

RECEPTION for Congress - 6th (last) in series for members of the House of Representatives and their wives

Wednesday, March 18

LADIES LUNCHEON - Mrs. Johnson will be hostess (Women Doers)

Thursday, March 19  
7:00 p.m.

DINNER - Congressional Democratic Dinner National Guard Armory

Tuesday, March 24  
4:00 p.m.

PHOTOGRAPH - American Cancer Society presents symbolic sword against cancer to Mrs. Johnson

Monday, March 30  
10:00 a.m.

WHITE HOUSE EASTER EGG ROLL - Misses Lynda and Lucy Johnson will be hostesses (Note: Southeast and Southwest gates will be open from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. for children twelve years and under and any adult accompanying a child)

Tuesday, March 31  
11:00 a.m.

Mrs. Johnson receives honorary Doctor of Laws degree - Texas Women's University, Denton, Texas

Tuesday, March 31  
4:00 p.m.

CONCERT - Boston Symphony (40 members) Eric Leinsdorf, Conductor - Misses Lynda and Lucy Johnson will be hostesses - For Embassy Children

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OFFICE OF THE AIR FORCE AIDE  
THE WHITE HOUSE

As of 0900, 9 March 1964  
(Date and Time)

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ITINERARY

(Date/Time)

Pilot's name: Colonel Swindal  
Pilot's Office Nr: OX 74745  
Pilot's Home Phone Nr: \_\_\_\_\_

Depart Andrews AFB 4 p.m., 10 Mar 64  
Arrive Athens, Greece: 8:45 a.m., 11 Mar  
Depart Athens, Greece: 10:00 a.m., 13 Mar  
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FOOD REQUIREMENTS: \_\_\_\_\_  
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AIR FORCE ASSISTANT TO THE MILITARY AIDE TO THE PRESIDENT  
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**Date:** 9 March 1964

PASSENGER LIST - VC-137 No. 26000

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10-13 March 1964

## STATEROOM

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| 2. | Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson |
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### MAIN COMPARTMENT

16. Lt Col Adams (?-Truman aide)
17. Mr. Plumides
18. Archbishop Iakavos (N. Y.)
19. John Pappas (Boston)
20. George Vournas (D. C.)
21. Cong. John Brademus
22. Mike Manatos
23. Dr. Young (Dispensary)
24. Major Emmerson C. Cook
25. Stoughton/Knudsen 840106 *page 2*
26. Mr. Nick Zumas (State)
27. Mr. John Schott (State)

### MAIN COMPARTMENT (Continued)

28. Stephanie Arterton (State)
29. Elizabeth Carpenter
30. Mrs. ~~or Amb.~~ Duke (?)
31. Helen Williams
32. Paul Glynn/Ken Gaddis
33. Ambas. Alexander M. Matsas - ?
34. Mrs. Alexander M. Matsas - ?
35. AMB - DUKS
36. Bob Clark A.E.C
37. - Jerry Kivett USSS
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<sup>1</sup> Apply TIME FACTOR algebraically to GMT.

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THE WHITE HOUSE  
WASHINGTON

March 9, 1964

ENGAGEMENTS FOR MRS. JOHNSON

March 11 - Wednesday - 6 pm	Congressional reception.(150)
March 13 - Friday	Potomac Marching Society ???
March 16 - Monday	Latin American Parliamentary group ??
March 18 - Wednesday - 1 pm	Ladies Luncheon (16)
March 19, - Thursday - 7:00 pm	Democratic Congressional Dinner at Armory - black tie
March 27 - Friday - 4 pm	Photograph for American Cancer Society
March 30 - Monday - 10 to 2 pm	Egg roll on South Lawn (Mrs. Johnson will not attend)
March 31 - Tuesday	Mrs. Johnson addresses Texas University for Women - Denton, Texas
4 pm	Children's concert by Boston Symphony
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April 1 - Wednesday - 4 pm	Children's performance by Catholic University Drama Dept.
April 7 - Tuesday - 4 pm	Tea with Van Cliburn and his parents - several others - Mrs. Johnson hostess
5 pm	Reception for Lost Colony group from North Carolina (100)
April 9 - Thursday	Mrs. Johnson goes to New York for Eleanor Roosevelt Memorial luncheon
April 11 - Saturday - 3:30 pm	Lucy's reception for Freshman and Junior classes of National Cathedral School (120)
April 14 - Tuesday - 12:30	Mrs. Johnson goes out to Home and Food Fair at Dept. of Agriculture

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April 14 continued  
1 pm

Mrs. Johnson goes to Senate Ladies  
Luncheon at the Capitol

8 pm

State dinner for King Hussein of Jordan

April 15 - Wednesday

Return affair by King of Jordan?

Benefit for Women's Demo. Club?  
Lipizzaners

April 17 - Friday - 5:30

Reception for American Society of  
News Editors (approx. 700)

April 20 - Monday

Mrs. Johnson to address national YWCA  
convention in Ohio

April 22 - Wednesday - 12:30

Tour and photograph with Mrs. Johnson  
for Hungarian -American Women's group  
from Cleveland

April 24 - Friday

Mrs. Johnson to address Future Homemakers  
convention???

April 27 - Monday - 3 pm

Tour and tea for wives of National  
Academy of Science (150)

April 29 - Wednesday - 12 noon

Mrs. Johnson cuts ribbon at Dept of Labor  
Arts and Crafts Exhibit

April 30 - Thursday

Mrs. Johnson goes to Congressional Club  
Breakfast at Sheraton Park

9:30 pm

President appears before Demo. women  
at Sheraton Park

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May 1 - Friday - 11 am

Mrs. Johnson opens National Cathedral  
Flower Mart

2 pm

Parade begins at Apple Blossom Festival

Potomac Marching Society?????

May 2 - Saturday - 4 pm

Reception for delegates to Women's  
Demo. Conference (3000) on South Lawn

May 6 - Wednesday - 1 pm

Senate Ladies come to Luncheon at W.H.

May 8 - Friday

Mrs. Johnson attends performance at  
Metropolitan Opera in New York

May 18 - Monday

Benefit performance for YWCA at  
National Theater?????

May 19 - Tuesday

Military Reception

May 21 - Thursday

Kentucky ARA Project - General Federation  
of Women's Clubs speech

May 26 - Tuesday

Demo Gala at Armory

May 28 - Thursday

Demo Gala in New York

May 29 - Friday - 12:30

Tour and reception for local American  
Interior Decorators (75)

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June 1 - Monday

State visit of Prime Minister of Israel???

June 13 - Saturday - 12:30

Tour for Atlanta Art Association (25)

June 24 -

Mrs. Johnson addresses American Home  
Economic Association National Convention  
in Detroit

A. Angeloussis	Public Works
Evangelos Arvanitakis	Communications
Nicholas Melissas	Agriculture
A. Kokkosis	Public Health
Nicholas Kiarhos	Interior
George Nylonas	to the Prime Minister
Poul Vardinoyannis	without Portfolio

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**PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE (Speeches)**

March 3	12 Noon	Federal Women Award Winners
March 4	11 a. m.	<u>Tentative</u> - 175th Anniversary of the Constitution
	8 p. m.	Women's National Press Club Eleanor Roosevelt Award
March 16	11 a. m.	Latin American Ambassadors - <u>Tentative</u>
	Evening	Latin American Amb. - Tentative Dinner at WH
March 17		New York City - St. Patrick's Day Celebration
March 19th	7 p. m.	Democratic Congressional Dinner - Nat'l Guard House
March 23rd		Atlantic City - UAW
March 24	11 a. m.	National Leg't. Conference of the Building and Construction Trades Dept. (Fell Haggerty)
March 25	A. M.	<u>Tentative</u> - Southern Baptist Convention - Statler
April 2		White House Photographers Dinner - Sheraton Park
April 17		ASNE Reception - <u>Tentative</u>
April 20		New York - Associated Press Dinner - Waldorf
April 22		Congressional Reception
April 23		Chicago - Fund Raising Dinner
April 25		Gridiron Dinner - Astor Hilton Hotel
April 27th	11 a. m.	Chamber of Commerce - Constitution Hall
April 30	9:30 pm	Conference for Democratic Women - Sheraton Park

**PRESIDENT'S SCHEDULE (Speeches)**

**MAY**

May 6	A. M.	New York - Advertising Council
May 9		New Jersey Dinner (arranged with Gov. Hughes)
May 19		Military Reception
May 23		VMI - Lexington, Va. - Dedication of George C. Marshall Research Library
May 26		Salute to President Johnson - National Guard Armory - Fund Raising Dinner
May 28th		New York - Fund Raising Dinner
May 30	Holiday	Texas - University of Texas Commencement

**JUNE**

June 6		Int'l Garment Workers' Union - New York City
June 23	12 Noon	<u>Tentative</u> - Conference on Occupational Safety

**New Greek Government Under George Papandreu - Sworn in February 19, 1964**

<b>George Papandreu</b>	<b>Prime Minister and Minister of Education</b>
<b>Stefanos Stefanoyeulou</b>	<b>Deputy Prime Minister</b>
<b>George Hatzas</b>	<b>Minister of Economic Coordination</b>
<b>Stavros Gontopoulos</b>	<b>Minister of Foreign Affairs</b>
<b>Petros Garofalias</b>	<b>Minister of National Defense</b>
<b>John Tzoufas</b>	<b>Minister of the Interior</b>
<b>Polychronis Polychronidis</b>	<b>Minister of Justice</b>
<b>Constantinos Mitsotakis</b>	<b>Minister of Finance</b>
<b>George Hales</b>	<b>Minister of Commerce</b>
<b>John Sigalis</b>	<b>Minister of Industry</b>
<b>Stylianos Moutakas</b>	<b>Minister of Public Works</b>
<b>Stylianos Alassiadis</b>	<b>Minister of Communications</b>
<b>Alexander Deltazis</b>	<b>Minister of Agriculture</b>
<b>Dimitrios Katsouris</b>	<b>Minister of Social Welfare</b>
<b>S. Miris</b>	<b>Minister of Mercantile Marine</b>
<b>George Saketziadis</b>	<b>Minister of Labor</b>
<b>Andreas Papandreu</b>	<b>Minister to the Prime Minister</b>
<b>Constantinos Tsiakouris</b>	<b>Minister of Northern Greece</b>

**Under-Secretaries of State**

<b>Athanasios Ganiapoulos</b>	<b>Economic Coordination</b>
<b>Michael Papakonstantinou</b>	<b>National Defense</b>
<b>Constantinos Miris</b>	<b>Finance</b>
<b>Michael Stefanidis</b>	<b>Finance</b>
<b>H. Goudouris</b>	<b>Commerce</b>

## PRIME MINISTER GEORGE PAPANDREAU

He is the leader of the Center Union Party (CU), a nationalist party which is the heir of the old Liberal Party. As such, the party has republican traditions and is generally considered to be less conservative than its rival, the National Radical Union (ERE). The ERE was headed until recently by Constantine Caramanlis.

Papandreu is over 75 years old and is the foremost political figure in Greece. He has wide popular appeal, is a gifted orator, and has a reputation for honesty and patriotism. Impressively tall and white haired, though somewhat shy with strangers, Papandreu possesses an excellent flair for politics. His programs, particularly the one promising educational reform, has won him wide support and a smashing victory at the time of the last election (February 16). His party has 171 seats in the 300 seat Greek Parliament.

Papandreu was Prime Minister in 1944 and has held many important Cabinet posts. Papandreu's elder son, Andreas, who was a former American citizen, is Minister to the Prime Minister. Andreas is a well-known economist. Papandreu's Cabinet is composed of capable, experienced individuals who are also friendly toward the U.S.

### Biographic Sketch on King Constantine

A good looking, poised young man of twenty-three, King Constantine has been carefully trained by his family for his position as King of Greece. Every effort has been made to develop in him the necessary abilities to carry the burdens of that office. Constantine was educated primarily at home and at the Greek Military Academy, where he showed aptitude for military studies. He has a commission in all three armed services.

In 1959 he toured military installations in the United States. He also attended a United States-sponsored course in parachute training and guerrilla warfare.

The King is an ardent sportsman. In August 1960 the ship he captained won an Olympic gold medal. The Crown Prince's feat was a source of great pride for Greece, and was warmly applauded by all segments of the population.

The young King is well-informed on current events. He keeps abreast of national and world developments by following the local newspapers closely and by reading Time magazine, the New York newspapers and U.S. News and World Report regularly.

King Constantine is dignified, and expects the proper respect. He is sensitive to the moods of the people. While he believes deeply in the institution of monarchy, he realizes and sympathizes with Greece's need for social and economic progress.

3-9-64

### FREDERIKA - THE QUEEN MOTHER

Frederika, while sometimes direct and out-spoken, is a woman possessing considerable intellect and charm. She is a member of the former German royal family, being the granddaughter of the late Kaiser. She was born in Germany 47 years ago and was educated in England and Italy. She was married to the late King in 1937. The Queen has three children: Princess Sophia, 26; King Constantine, 23; and Princess Irene, 22. Princess Sophie is married to Prince Juan Carlos of Spain and has a daughter born in December 1963. King Constantine is engaged to Princess Anna Maria of Denmark.

As Queen, Frederika has been a devoted wife and mother. She has been active in promoting Greek interests and has been acutely conscious of the position of the Greek Royal Family. Frederika is lively, decisive, and witty. She is energetic in charity work and she has vigorously carried out various projects in the outlying villages. She is strongly anti-Communist and often accompanied King Paul to the front lines during the guerrilla war. She is interested in nuclear physics and its practical application in Greece.

The Queen is a born leader and has considerable influence on her family.

MILITARY AIDE TO THE PRESIDENT  
THE WHITE HOUSE

HELICOPTER MANIFEST

9 March 1964 (1734)

(Date)

From: White House  
To: Andrews AFB

Departure Time 3:45 p.m., 10 March 1964  
Arrive Destination 5:55 p.m., 10 March 1964

Helo No. 1 (Forward Compartment)

1. ~~The President~~ Mrs. Johnson
2. President Truman
3. Mr. Daniel
4. General Vaughn
- 5.
6. Mr. Kivett (SS Station)

(Aft Compartment)

7. Elizabeth Carpenter
8. Major Cook
9. Helen Williams
10. Mr. Mroz - USSS
11. Mr. Taylor - USSS (SS Station)

Helo No. 2 (Forward Compartment)

1. Dr. Young
2. Ambassador Duke
3. Mrs. Duke
4. Chief Kauden
5. Mr. Manatos
6. (SS Station)

(Aft Compartment)

7. Mr. Bob Clark - PRESS
8. Ambassador Matos
9. Mrs. Matos
- 10.
11. (SS Station)

Helo No. 3 (Forward Compartment)

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(Aft Compartment)

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By car to Andrews AFB:

Mr. Plumides  
Archbishop Lakatos  
Judge Pappas  
Congressman Brademas  
Mr. Zumas  
Mr. Schott  
Miss Arterton

SSgt Gaddis  
Mr. Ready - USSS  
Mr. Burns - USSS  
Mr. Joplin - USSS

SCHEDULE FOR MRS. JOHNSON

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11

8:45 a.m.

Arrive Athens. Depart for Hilton Hotel with President Truman and Ambassador and Mrs. Labouisse.

Morning free.

12:00-3:00

Small luncheon arranged by Mrs. Labouisse outside of Athens to include Mrs. Labouisse, Mrs. Duke, Mrs. Carpenter, and a few American wives.

3:00-7:00

Free time or for callers as arranged.

7:00-10:00

Informal supper for the whole delegation at the Ambassador's residence.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12

10:00-10:30

Funeral Service at the Cathedral.

10:30-

Procession on foot for about one mile, after which Mrs. Johnson, President Truman, and Ambassador Labouisse, along with chief delegates from other countries, will go to Tatoi Palace (located 16 miles from Athens) by car to attend burial service.

Following this service, the King and Queen Mother will receive the top delegates at the Palace. Simple food and refreshments will be served, although this is not a formal luncheon.

THURSDAY, MARCH 12 continued

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*For Mrs Lyndon Johnson  
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Alexander Matsas*

*11 March, 1964*

CROESUS

A Drama in three acts

By

Alexander A. Matsas

Translated from the Greek

by Andre Michalopoulos.

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DRAMATIS PERSONAE

CROESUS, king of Lydia  
GYGES, deaf-mute first-born son of Croesus  
ATYS, second son and heir to Croesus  
ADRASTUS, refugee prince of Phrygia  
SANDANIS, a Lydian philosopher, adviser to Croesus  
THE OTHER WOMAN, or THE BAKER, Croesus' favorite concubine  
DAPHNE, a Milesian hostage  
THOE, an Ephesian hostage

CHORUS OF HOSTAGES FROM GREEK CITIES: SIX YOUTHS FROM  
LINDUS, HALICARNASSUS, CNIDUS, PRIENE, SMYRNA, COLOPHON,  
AND SIX YOUNG WOMEN INCLUDING DAPHNE AND THOE.

ENVOYS FROM MYSIA, THREE HUNSMEN, RETAINERS, GUARDS.

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## ACT I.

The scene is set in a hall of honour in the palace of Croesus at Sardis. Flamboyant luxury prevails. Gold, purple and alabaster predominate. The king's throne of solid gold rests on a platform above a flight of steps. In the centre of the hall stands an altar. Between two columns a hanging tapestry will afford a hiding-place. The hall opens onto a balcony which overlooks the palace courtyard and the city of Sardis. The sun rises at the beginning of the act. The chorus of six youths and six maidens enters. Each wears a gold chain on the left wrist. They bring flowers and garlands and begin to decorate the hall.

### SCENE I.

The chorus, Daphne, Thoe.

DAPHNE. Ephesia, bring me roses, bring me here  
Plenty of narcissus ...

THOE But my name is Thoe.

DAPHNE Well, you must know that here you're called Ephesia.  
My name is Daphne, but I'm called Milesia.

1st MAIDEN All of us here, both girls and boys alike,  
Are called after our cities.

2nd MAIDEN We have lost  
Our names ....

DAPHNE But we have gained a greater honour  
In honouring our cities by our names.

YOUTH FROM  
HALICARNASSUS. Halicarnassus is my name to you

YOUTH FROM And Lindus mine. The others you will call  
LINDUS  
Cnidus, Prieneus, Colophon, Smyrnaeus.

YOUTH FROM  
CNIDUS Hostages all, as witness these our chains.

2nd MAIDEN They're golden, they're not really chains, but rather  
Adornments.

3rd MAIDEN Yes, we wear them when we choose.

3rd MAIDEN      Nobody forces us.

2nd MAIDEN    And I must say

I like them. I believe they'll let us keep them -  
A kind of dowry - when our service is over  
And we leave Sardis.

YOUTH FROM SMYRNA      See! Dawn's first arrow has lit up the summit  
Of the Tower of the Sun! (A trumpet is heard in the distance)

YOUTH FROM  
CNIDUS

Comes the Grand Eunuch to the Royal Chamber!  
(Trumpets)

He draws the golden curtain from the bed  
Of gold.

4th MAIDEN                      Today's a ceremonial day;  
(to Thoe)  
You'll see how splendid are the ceremonies  
In Sardis!

Y.fr SMYRNA                  Now the sun has struck  
The summit of the Tower of the Moon!  
(Distant trumpets)

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Y.fr PRIENE    The King has risen!    The companions  
                  Of the Bedchamber do obeisance.    Now he goes  
                  To his bath of gold.

THOE    We too in Ephesus

Have lovely ceremonies for our goddess

Artemis.

2nd MAIDEN                      But you do not see; the goddess  
Nor speak with her; here we live with the King!

Y.fr C6LOPHON Croesus is good. He cherishes his subjects.

Y.fr LINDUS He reveres the gods and cities of the Greeks.

Y.fr.SMYRNA He honours the Greeks and their philosophers.

Y.fr PRIENE       And us his hostages from Grecian cities  
                  He treats as his own children.

ALL (Laughing)                               As his own  
                  Children.

THOE                               Why do you laugh and speak these words  
                  As if they were some likes you learned at school?  
                  Aren't they the truth?

Y.fr COLOPHON                               They are.

Y.fr SMYRNA                               Indeed they are.

Y.fr CNIDUS       That's why it's boring to repeat them.

Y.fr SMYRNA                               It's hard  
                  To be a hostage and not want to flee.

Y.fr LINDUS       To be a prisoner powerless to flee ....

Y.fr CNIDUS       But nobody prevents us from escaping..

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS               And friends at home envy us our lot ...

Y.fr SMYRNA       And some intrigue to take our place!

THOE   I don't  
                  See what you mean...

2nd MAIDEN                               Don't listen.   They are fools.

3rd MAIDEN       They're bored because they aren't allowed to hunt  
                  Or go to war...

4th MAIDEN                               and strike a hero's pose.  
  (The girls laugh)

2nd MAIDEN       I too am envied by my friends at home;  
                  They dream of dresses, jewels and a life  
                  Of luxury at court .....

4th MAIDEN                               Because we live

4th MAIDEN           Amid the wealth and splendor of King Croesus:  
Gold, purple, alabaster, and more gold.

3rd MAIDEN           Sometimes I long to touch some simple thing:  
A jug of clay, a ringless hand: to walk  
Upon the raindrenched earth, away from rugs  
And alabaster floors ...

2nd MAIDEN                           Oh! what's your hurry?  
We'll have our fill of Greek simplicity  
And poverty when we get home again.  
                          (All the girls, except Daphne, laugh)

THOE                 What does the Queen look like?

DAPHNE                               I've never seen her.

1st MAIDEN           We never see the Queen.

2nd MAIDEN                           She stays within her palace.

3rd MAIDEN           Beyond the gardens of the women's halls.

4th MAIDEN           But you can see the Other One.

THOE                                 Who's that?

2nd MAIDEN           The Other One. That's how the people call her.

1st MAIDEN           The name has stuck. Even Croesus calls her that.

2nd MAIDEN           She's also called The Baker.

THOE                                 Baker? Why?

Y.fr LINDUS           Because she once worked in the Royal kitchens  
Kneading and baking bread.

                          (He lowers his voice. The following dialogue  
                          is carried on sotto voce)

  It's known that Croesus'

Step-mother, Halyattus' second wife ...

Y.fr COLOPHON       Once gave her poison to knead into bread  
Destined for Croesus, the king's legal heir,

Y.fr COLOPHON And so secure succession for her son.

Y.fr SLYRNA      But the girl warned Croesus; with the poisoned bread  
   (In a whisper)  
She slew the princes of the second bed.

Y.fr CNIDUS      And so the King owes life and throne to her -  
This Other One.

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS

Yes; then he did erect  
Her golden image in Apollo's shrine  
At Delphi.

Y.fr LINDUS                      Lovely is the Other One,  
Lovely indeed, but hard .....

1st MAIDEN    That's why the King  
Now treats her like a queen within these halls.

4th MAIDEN      And gives her greater power than the Queen.

[illegible]

Y.fr COLOPHON    The King has left the bath-hall; now his slaves  
Anoint him with rare perfumes.

Y.fr LINDUS   And array  
Him in the linen shirt with golden fringe.

Y. fr CNIDUS      And now the purple tunic. (trumpet)

Y.fr PRIENE (stamp), Now the belt  
Studded with emeralds.

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS

(Triumphal trumpet flourish)

Y.fr ·SMYRNA      The Heracleides' sacred diadem.

THOE I think  
I've heard about that crown. In Ephesus  
It was known as the Crown of Candaules.

ALL TOGETHER     Don't ever mention Candaules.     Don't speak  
That name, nor that of Gyges either.

(Enter GYGES. He looks around, as though in admiration of the festive decoration of the hall. His glance meets that of DAPHNE. He is holding something in the fold of his robe.)

## SCENE II.

The Chorus, Thoe, Daphne, Gyges.

THOE                      Who's that?  
(In a whisper)

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS (aloud)

THOE (whispering) Gyges?

Y.fr LINDUS   The first-born  
Of Croesus' sons. He's deaf and dumb.

Y.fr CNIDUS

And no one

Here calls him Gyges. He is "The Deaf-Mute".

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS (with  
lowered voice)

(In the lines which follow the voices are kept low)

He is the victim of Candaules' vengeance  
On his great-grandsire, the first Gyges, who  
Killed him by guile and seized from him the kingdom  
Of the Sons of Heracles.

Y.fr LINDUS    Candaules loved -  
So madly loved that Gyges - that he wished  
To share with him the treasure he most prized ..

Y.fr SMYRNA      The sight of his wife naked.

Y.fr LINDUS Yes, the Queen's  
Most secret charms....

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS

Candaules hid his friend

Behind the curtains of the Royal Bed

Whence he might view the Queen undraped.

Y.fr LINDUS

But she

Spied Gyges gazing on her nakedness....

Y.fr COLOPHON

Next day she summoned him to her in secret

And bade him choose; either to slay Candaules

Or die himself...

THOE

But why?

DAPHNE

How can you ask?

For a queen - or any woman - it's unholy

To be shared by two lovers.

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS

Thus it happened

That Gyges slew his friend, his benefactor,

And took from him his kingdom and his queen.

Y.fr COLOPHON

Then the Oracle foretold that slain Candaules

Would take his vengeance on the sons of Gyges

In the fourth generation.

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS

That is why

They say that Croesus' first-born came to life

Sans speech, sans hearing....

Y.fr SMYRNA

And his second son

Atys has been proclaimed his father's heir.

(Slight pause)

Y.fr CNIDUS

Croesus abhors young Gyges. He avoids

Even looking at him. He is sore afraid

Lest he should speak some day.

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS

He's terrified

That Gyges might regain his power of speech.

Y.fr LINDUS      King Croesus asked the Oracle at Delphi  
How he might cure his boy.

Y.fr SMYRNA                      And Pytho answered:  
"Seek not to hear your first-born's voice: the day  
That Gyges' tongue is loosed will be a day  
Of utter desolation..."

Y.fr HALICAR-                      This explains  
NASSUS  
King Croesus' anger when one speaks to Gyges;  
He fears lest he be taught to test his voice.

THOE                      Oracles, oracles ... all I hear is oracles...

Y.fr HALICAR-      But Croesus is most reverent....  
NASSUS                      (They all laugh. A pause)

Y.fr SMYRNA                      Candaules  
Was doomed because to his beloved friend  
He showed his secret treasure. Now King Croesus  
Incessantly displays his boundless wealth  
To spies and enemies .....

Y.fr HALICAR-                      He should be fearful  
NASSUS  
(The Deaf-Mute takes a dagger from the folds  
of his robe, and turns it around in his hand)

ALL                      A dagger. Where did he find it? Where did he get it?  
A. knife. Where did he find the knife?

(DAPHNE rushes up and takes it. GYGES surrenders  
it without demur.)

DAPHNE                      Where did you find it Gyges? Tell us who  
Gave you this dagger?

(GYGES smiles absently. He looks at DAPHNE  
with intense affection, then relapses into  
a state of indifference.)

DAPHNE

Who, I wonder, gave it

To him? Who gives him all these things?

Two days ago he came bearing a spear;

The other time an arrow, and before

A sabre. Who puts arms into his hands?....

THOE

Why all this agitation? What's the matter?

What troubles you?

Y.fr HALICAR-  
NASSUS

Some months ago a dream

Warned Croesus that an iron point would slay

Atys. Since then he's ordered all arms locked

In the armoury, and that no weapons hang

Within the palace - neither sword nor spear

Nor arrow - lest his dream should be fulfilled.

(Enter Croesus wearing his crown and royal robes. He is followed by the Other Woman, Atys, Sandanis, and Adrastus. He sits on the throne and all do obeisance. Only Gyges does not move. Croesus sees him and turns away his eyes. He notices the dagger in Daphne's hand.)

### SCENE III.

The Chorus, Croesus, The Other Woman, Atys, Sandanis,  
Adrastus, Gyges, Daphne.

CROESUS

A dagger? Where did you pick up this dagger?

DAPHNE

In the portico, my Lord.

CROESUS

The portico?

Exactly where?

DAPHNE

By the Great Gate.

CROESUS

But why

Did you not hand it forthwith to the guards?

DAPHNE

I wished to show it to Your Majesty.

CROESUS            Sandanis, take it, and investigate  
                         The matter.    Let this not recur.

ATYS

O King

My father, I beseech you to rescind  
Your order.

CROESUS                      You have arms of gold.

ATYS

Such arms  
Are ceremonial baubles. Arms of iron  
And steel befit a man.

CROESUS

All men may have

The arms you ask. Spartans and Scythians have them.

But arms of gold, - golden from hilt to point -

Such are vouchsafed only to Croesus' son.

(Slight pause)

Give me the offering, Sandanis.

(Sandanis hands him a golden vessel)

You'll see

What weapon as inheritance, I'll give you,

My Son, successor to this Royal Throne,

Not one of iron nor with sharpened point,

But one invincible.

(He takes out the Coin, lifts it on high displaying it to all present).

SANDANIS            Scion of Alyattes, Croesus, King,  
Saviour and Benefactor, ever heedful  
Of all his peoples' welfare and the weal  
Of cultured nations has established this  
The common measure of exchange.    It's gold;  
Its form a disc which bears the noble head

SANDANIS

Of Croesus on one side, while on the other  
The Lion of the Sons of Heracles.

In weight it's equal to a Phrygian stater,  
In value it amounts to three and ten  
Good silver coins, - the current market-price  
Of a slave of first quality.

CROESUS

This little disc  
Of gold may seem a paltry thing. A chess-piece  
Or marble, falling, haply makes more noise.  
But hear it as it falls and spins and rolls.  
Kingdoms it brings to birth and buries too  
With that dull ring. It's small, holds little space,  
A child can grasp it in its palm; a pebble  
More brightly shines in sunlight on the shore;  
Yet men will prize its glitter far above  
Star-shine within the eye or ruby in blood  
Or diamond in a tear. From end to end  
With undimmed brilliance it will light the road  
Along which the human herd caught in its spell  
Will chase it, maddened, to the gates of Hell.

MEN OF THE  
CHORUS

They will dig into mountains and tunnel through rocks;  
They will desecrate tombs and profane sanctuaries;  
They will tear into hearts, rend vitals, flay bodies  
and souls;  
They will disavow their parents, betray their country,  
barter their gods  
In their frenzied pursuit.

MEN OF THE  
CHORUS

You have sown, you have borne, you have suckled

Son, daughter and orphan;

You gave freedom to slave and health to the sick,

To the fugitive haven.

But pray, oh pray that never may come the terrible day

When the choice must be theirs.

Gold will give youth to senility

And beauty to ugliness,

Wit to the witless,

To the vulgar, nobility.

Gold will remove

Wrinkles and sores,

Cover up baldness, and draw in

Faunches and jowls;

In the eyes of the aged

It will light up stars.

Gold will become the glorious rainment

Of every nakedness, every deceit;

It will turn stigma to sparkle

And guilt to a diadem.

With passion you'll yearn for

This golden sarcophagus

O fallen Sibylla! O soul of man!

Gold will make

Of Creation a mart.

Enter and choose! Do you seek joy?

MEN OF THE  
CHORUS

Fame, love, and power,  
And intoxication?  
Magical mirrors? Wings for a dream?  
Philtres of oblivion?  
Escapes, transformations?  
Let no one call them  
Imitations;  
The quality's excellent, and in the use  
You won't know the difference.  
  
Power and freedom, too will come  
To him who shall tame  
The crafty golden beast.  
- Wise master, be alert!  
For your slave lies in wait  
To bind you with chains, -  
The chains of his own  
Bondage.  
  
Gold will pour its glitter  
Into all our creations,  
Into every moment,  
Into the hand of friendship, the lips of love,  
Into the spearhead of hatred.  
Gold is wanting? Your Luck will be a shade.  
Gold commands her? She'll turn harlot.  
As with all gods, gold  
Will have its apostates,  
Its recreants;

MEN OF THE  
CHORUS

And those who in the open  
Spurns its idols  
But secretly revere them,  
- Beware. The genuine lover  
Conceals his love.

Gold will roll eternally through hands and over hearts  
Polished by sweat and blood, burning with every fever,  
Winged as joy, heavy as pain, relentless as Doom.  
It will be tyrant, slave, friend, foe, sorcerer and  
miracle-worker  
To the human race.

CROESUS

I marvel at these Greeks' imagination.  
Show them a tiny coin and see what wealth  
Of fantasy their fertile mind begets.

THE OTHER WOMAN They're chatterers.

CROESUS

Oh no, they have ideas.

SANDANIS

And wisdom, also, Sire.

CROESUS

The Greeks possess  
Imagination which we lack, - imagination  
Which like a necromancer to dead things  
Gives life, and to dumb creatures speech.

THE OTHER WOMAN

They're poor

And envious, and pretend they scorn all wealth.

CROESUS

No, they are poets.

THE OTHER WOMAN

Poets we've seen at Court, -  
Greek poets, worse than traders, every one.

SANDANIS

Above all they're philosophers.

CROESUS

My friend,

I see that Solon's in your mind again.

Yes, yes, ev'n though the name is never mentioned

I often sense the thought behind your words.

Well, Sandanis, I own that oft I muse

Upon his teaching and the more I ponder

On it the less it seems to fit his fame.

I never asked him whom he deemed to be

The happiest of men unto the end

Of life, but whom he'd met in all his travels

And found to be the happiest at the time

Of meeting. And he mentioned in reply

Two cases: one about a certain Tellos

Of Athens; and the other about two

Brothers in Argos, and all three unknown

Beyond the frontiers of their land. No doubt

For a barbarian Solon took your king.

What thought he? That I sought to learn from him

The ebb and flow of an inconstant Fate?

Or that life's dusk oft differs from its dawn?

No, he simply didn't wish me to imagine

My wealth had dazzled him. These Greeks all fear

Display of admiration. Admiration

To them's a luxury, and to admire

What's not possessed needs wealth, - a wealth so great

That dwarfs the man or object you admire.

SANDANIS            Believe me, Lord, Solon would never sink  
                         To sentiments so paltry.

CROESUS

Then he could  
Have answered otherwise; he could have said:  
"Among all men I've met I've never seen  
A happier man than Croesus, and I pray  
That he may always be blessed with good fortune,  
For gods and mortals envy happy men."  
Such would have been the answer of a man  
Of wisdom tempered by good manners. No,  
He was most boorish to his generous host  
In showing his contempt for all the treasures  
That Fate has showered on me. And if, perchance,  
He deems me a barbarian, nonetheless  
I think my bearing was more civilized  
Than his in that I heard and argued not.

THE OTHER WOMAN Envious, no doubt, as are the poor?

ADRASTUS Yes, envious  
as all the Greeks.

CROESUS

Some day my luck may turn;  
Then will the world bethink itself of Solon  
And wonder at his wisdom. I prefer,  
However, just one day of power and wealth  
To the drab, steady pleasures so esteemed  
By my Athenian guest.

ATYS Father and King,  
Forget not that I am your son.

CROESUS

Who says

I don't remember it?

ATYS

If you prefer

Splendor, my Lord, and danger over safety  
And mediocrity, then why do you  
Condemn your scion to them?

CROESUS

Newly-weds

Should be content with the new-flowered joys  
Of wedlock. Later there'll be time enough  
For laurels.

ATYS

But a bridal couch should not

Be bravery's prison or fame sepulchre.

CROESUS

The son of Croesus is no Spartan nor  
A Scythian to expend his sweat and blood  
In winning glory.

ATYS

Sire, the son of Croesus

Is a man.

CROESUS

Then as a man and prince whose lot

Will be to govern peoples learn betimes  
The art of duty and obedience.

SANDANIS

Your Majesty, the High Priests now await  
In the Great Temple for the sacrifice.

CROESUS

Let us proceed to consecrate the Coin  
The the great gods, protectors of our realm.

(Croesus moves to descend from the throne, but hesitates as he sees Gyges approaching the altar and taking the Coin which Sandanis was about to receive. Gyges lifts the Coin on high and makes it glitter in the sunlight. He laughs childishly at its glitter and then becomes indifferent. He lets the Coin slip from his hand. Adrastus leaps forward and picks it up.

He gives it to Sandanis who places it in its box, The Deaf-Mute picks a flower from a vase.' He gazes at it with tender admiration. He smells it and kisses it. Exit Croesus, indignant. He is followed by Atys, the Other Woman, Adrastus, Sandanis and the Chorus. Gyges and Daphne remain behind.)

SCENE IV.

Gyges, Daphne, Adrastus.

(Daphne draws near to Gyges. They exchange loving looks. Re-enter Adrastus.)

ADRASTUS           Leave him and come with me.

DAPHNE                               Please go Adrastus.

ADRASTUS           I love you. Leave that misfit. Well I know  
You're teasing me. Now stop that little game.

DAPHNE           It's not a game.

ADRASTUS                           The whole Court thinks it is.  
You surely can't prefer a deaf-mute fool  
To a whole man.

DAPHNE                           To me that man is whole  
Who pleases me.

ADRASTUS                           A man must have a voice  
To issue orders and to plead with you.

DAPHNE           A glance from Gyges carries more persuasion  
Than all your words.

ADRASTUS                           Of course, he's very rich  
And that's important.

DAPHNE                           Get out of my sight!

ADRASTUS           I'm going, but some day you'll change your mind.

SCENE V.

Gyges, Daphne.

(Daphne comes up to Gyges. They kiss passionately.  
Gyges sits on a couch. Daphne kneels in front of him.)

DAPHNE

I love you, Gyges. There's no reason in love.

But I believe I love you for the things

Which others shun in you.

I love you because you have no voice

No voice to lie with.

Men's voices are the servants of deceit.

What need has Truth of voice?

Her speech is in a glance or in a smile,

She shines forth in a tear.

Words are but hasty patchwork

To seal the rifts a glance may haply open

Disclosing awful truths.

I love you for you're beautiful and pure

In the unblemished solitude

Of your silence.

Others must labour to conquer solitude.

But you were born endowed with the close kingdom,

Silence impenetrable was its guard,

Silence protected you from gold that drips

With words like poisoned honey into flesh

And soul.

DAPHNE

But your integrity's unspoiled.

No other gems possess you but your eyes

No other metal, than the molten glory

Of golden limbs.

To you I can confide

The things that other women are ashamed

To say to their beloved, which unsaid

Weigh down on them like guilty fruit. The things

That oft-times find tempestuous expression

In strange caresses in the dark.

When you

Come to my chamber secretly at night

And take possession of me silently

I feel I'm giving myself up to Night

To Night, the holy, the invincible.

Night's in your flesh that penetrates my womb

Pouring a starry essence in my veins

And filling them with lightning's astral fires.

I drink night from your eyelids, from your lips,

Those speechless lips, that guileless tongue unsullied

By words.

(She closes her eyes.)

You need no voice for me to hear;

I need no eyes to see you. Every night

My hands, my touch mould you anew. All day

Your form is clinging to my hands and limbs.

See, now, my lips can sense the pulsing vein

DAPHNE      Beneath your throat, that registers for them  
Each night the passing of sweet time until  
Insidious dawn flashes the parting knife.  
Of Day.

Night binds us with its silence, day unbinds.  
The once again I thread the babbling ways  
Of worldly echoes. You remain entwined  
In the sacred mesh of silence. And you gaze  
Upon our strange contortions, bloated throats,  
Inexplicable motions of our lips  
And hands. The crystal wall of silence's  
Enchanted bowl keeps us apart .....

. (The Other Woman enters.)

SCENE VI.

Gyges, Daphne, The Other Woman.

THE OTHER WOMAN You're lucky, Daphne, to be with a man  
Who lets you chatter to your heart's content  
And doesn't interrupt.

[illegible]

THE OTHER WOMAN                      But you talk yourself and listen  
To your own words. That's all most women ask.

DAPHNE                    He doesn't hear....

THE OTHER WOMAN                      Exactly... Most men don't.  
They make speeches and want us to listen.  
What were you telling him?

DAPHNE

Oh, nothing.

THE OTHER WOMAN

So.

I know what you were saying; all you yearn  
To say, - the things no one should hear.

DAPHNE

The truth.

THE OTHER WOMAN Excellent choice. Only to one that's deaf  
And dumb can we afford to tell the truth.

(Exit Daphne.)

SCENE VII.

Gyges, The Other Woman.

THE OTHER WOMAN If you weren't here deceit would strangle us.

A deaf-mute's necessary to every Court.  
You are in sooth the reeds of Midas' barber;  
You are the cesspool of Truth. Truth is unclean.  
She's full of the soul's foulness and decay,  
Of the mind's offal and the heart's excretions,  
So richly fertilized by gold. Good leaven  
For him that knows to knead.

You stare at me;

You wonder what I say and think. Oft-times  
I fancy that you know, but though you may,  
You cannot tell. I like to think you know.  
In you I've found the ideal accomplice, one  
Who can't betray me.

Yes, I am your friend.

Don't fear me. All the others turn away

THE OTHER WOMAN From you in scorn. Your father, first, because

You are his failure; one his gold cannot  
Redeem. You are the symbol of a power  
More potent than his power and his wealth.  
Because you are the first-born Atys fears you  
And hates you. If your voice returns to you  
He loses all. I notice how he looks  
Intently at your mouth and throat, and thinks  
That there, no doubt, may lurk your voice, for him  
A deadly foe. And Croesus is afraid  
Of spears and swords for Atys. Atys fears  
One blade alone that's sheathed within your throat.

Gyges, I am your friend. Our bond is stronger  
Than simple friendship. Hatred of your brother  
Binds us, for Atys loathes me for the power  
I've wrested from your mother. True, the name  
Of Queen's denied me. I am called the Other,  
The Baker-Woman; but the King has set  
My golden image at the Delphic shrine,  
And here in Sardis made me queen in fact.  
For you a mother's love has turned to hate,  
She looks upon you with aversion.  
If Atys reigns one fate awaits us both.  
No longer will he patiently survey  
Your lips or wait to see whether perchance  
Your throat release the voice to claim his throne.

THE OTHER WOMAN Come near me; take my hands, the hands that once  
Pressed deep into the dough and now have learned  
The art of kneading kingdoms. For the bold  
An easy task. Just sprinkle a few grains  
Of white dust - who shall know it isn't salt? -  
Into the dough. And in the palace swords,  
And spears - who knows whence came they? - in your  
hands,  
Your irresponsible hands....

Gods are not bought  
With golden offerings, and Croesus knows  
That Destiny is immutable.

O Gyges,  
With what intentness do you gaze on me.  
Alliance and complicity I read  
In your regard. Yours is a prisoned soul, -  
Candaules' soul burns in you and you are  
Candaules' ghost and living curse. You guess  
Who leaves the swords and javelins in your path.  
You know that sometime in these halls a blade  
Must be discovered that is no mere toy,  
Nor golden ornament .....

(Enter Croesus, Sandanis, Atys, and Adrastus.)

SCENE VIII.

Gyges, The Other Woman, Croesus, Sandanis, Adrastus, Atys.

CROESUS

Don't badger him.

Stop talking to him. Let him be.

THE OTHER WOMAN

But, Sire,

I wasn't talking to him.

CROESUS

All of you

Talk to him all the time, and in the end

You'll make him try his voice. You know full well

That never must his voice be heard.

So, Sandanis

I want you to receive them. Give them money

And send them back home to their villages ...

SANDANIS

My Lord, three days and nights they've been awaiting

An audience, with fasting and ablutions.

CROESUS

What brought them here? What did they say to you?

SANDANIS

They say they're under sacred obligation

To give their message to their King alone.

CROESUS

Where are they now?

SANDANIS

Out in the antechamber.

CROESUS

Well, let them come.

(Sandanis goes out and returns followed by three old men in long Asiatic robes, bearing wayfarer's staves. They kneel.)

#### SCENE IX.

Croesus, the Other Woman, Atys, Adrastus, Sandanis, Gyges, Envoys from Mysia.

CROESUS

Arise, and let your leader speak.

ENVOY

O Sun

Of Asia, Saviour, Benefactor, King,

We're envoys from your loyal provinces

Of Mysia come to crave your aid almighty

To save us, Sire.

## CROESUS

What is your trouble? Speak.

## ENVOY

Two months ago a savage boar charged down  
From Mount Olympus spreading desolation  
Throughout our villages; no vineyard, field,  
Or orchard has it spared. In hot pursuit  
Our young men valiantly went forth, - in vain.  
Their spears were shattered, nets were rent asunder  
Under the onslaught of the maddened beast.  
Four of our noblest youths have perished. Now  
Our Magi prophesy that only you,  
Our King, can save us.

CROESUS

How so? By what means?

## ENVOY

By sending to our land your royal huntsmen,  
Skilled in the chase, your horses and trained dogs.

## CROËSUS

Granted. They'll leave at once.

ENVCY

But above all.

Send us, we pray, the famous spear which slew  
The Erymanthian boar, for that alone,  
So say the Magi, can transpierce the beast's  
Thick hide.

## CROESUS

You want the spear of Heracles!

But only a king may hold it in his hand.

## ENVOY

Or a king's son. All Mysia hangs its hopes  
On Atys, Sire.

(The three envoys kneel. Atys advances, then checks himself)

## CROESUS

Impossible! My son

Is still a bridegroom. He may not so soon

CROESUS               Go forth to war or hunting.   Take with you  
                      My huntsmen and as much gold as you need  
                      To gain the services of mercenaries.  
                      Show, Sandanis, the coins.

(Sandanis produces a purse full of gold coins.)

SANDANIS             With these you can buy everything you need.  
                      Both men and arms.

ENVOY                               Sire, money won't suffice  
                      To trap a beast or circumvent the gods.

CROESUS             You'll have a prince to lead the hunt; Adrastus  
                      Of Phrygia, - of the line of Gordias  
                      And Midas.   He's an exile and my guest,  
                      A brave man and experienced in the chase.

ENVOY               My Lord, no prince not of your blood may touch  
                      The spear of Heracles.

CROESUS                             I'll also give you  
                      Adrastus and the flower of Lydia's youth, and gold.  
  Enough!

(The three old men cover their heads with their robes  
and fall to the ground).

ENVOY               We are forsaken by our King.   The sun  
                      Has set for ever over luckless Mysia.

(Atys also sinks to the ground.)

ATYS                Father, I crave your grace.   Do not condemn me  
                      To the derision of your subject peoples.

CROESUS             Out with him Sandanis! Take him away!

(Sandanis takes hold of Atys, leads him out of the hall  
and returns. Croesus looks at Gyges)



ACT II

(The same stage setting. It is the afternoon of the same day. The Young Women of the Chorus, leaning over a balustrade look down upon the huntsmen assembling in the courtyard. The Youths of the Chorus, seated upstage, are throwing dice. They scowl and from time to time look up disapprovingly at the girls. A hubbub arises in the courtyard: the clattering of horses' hooves, the barking of dogs, the blowing of horns, and men's voices.)

SCENE I

The Youths and Maidens of the Chorus, Daphne.

1st MAIDEN Look at the man who's just come in. How ell  
He rides his prancing horse....

2nd MAIDEN And see the bit, -  
All silver! He's a handsome fellow.

YOUTH fr. HALI- Five!  
CARNASSUS

1st MAIDEN His hair is like a cluster of black grapes.

Y.fr LINDUS Three and two!

1st MAIDEN And what fiery eyes he has,  
He's seen me.

Y.fr. HALICAR- Four!  
NASSUS

3rd MAIDEN I like the one who's wearing  
The leopard-skin.

Y.fr. LINDUS Now eight!

4th MAIDEN He looks so fierce.

Y.fr. HALICAR- Take three and four.

3rd MAIDEN It suits a man to be  
A trifle fierce.

Y.fr. LINDUS

Here's five!

4th MAIDEN

How sweet he is.

My heart's a-flutter and my limbs a-tremble.

(The girls laugh)

Y.fr. HALICARNASSUS A double five!  
NASSUS

THOE (to 4th Maiden)

Be quiet. They might hear.

4th MAIDEN

Oh, they're not listening.

Y.fr. LINDUS

Five!

Y.fr. HALICARNASSUS

And eight!

2nd MAIDEN

They're furious

With envy since as hostages they cannot

Join in the hunt.

Y.fr. LINDUS

Take five and four!

1st MAIDEN

Just look

At my young man. His horse is dancing!

Y.fr. HALICARNASSUS

Double!

ALL THE GIRLS She calls him her young man!  
(Laughing)

(Enter Atys, frowning.)

## SCENE II.

Chorus, Atys, The Other Woman, Daphne.

ATYS

It would be fitting I should wear a chain

Like yours. Since in this palace I've become

A prisoner, a hostage.

DAPHNE

There's no love

Without subjection.

Y.fr. LINDUS

All that to our hearts

Is closest do we give to Fate in bondage.

As in your father's hands we're warranty

Of the submission of Ionia,

So have you been delivered by his love

To Fate as hostage of his happiness.

ATYS

Naught am I but one more of Croesus' goods,

This status leaves but little room for love.

(Atys is interrupted by the entrance of the Other Woman.  
He turns to leave.)

THE OTHER WOMAN Atys, don't go.

ATYS

What do you want?

THE OTHER WOMAN

To tell you

In friendship, though you hold me not a friend,

That you've no reason to be so disturbed.

ATYS

I ask no sharing of my troubles.

THE OTHER WOMAN

Know

That everyone admires your discipline.

ATYS

I might perchance aspire to greater cause

For admiration.

THE OTHER WOMAN

When you have a father

As glorious as Croesus you show wisdom

In basking in his glory's afterglow.

ATYS

Your words are wise indeed.

THE OTHER WOMAN

I said to Croesus

That he should value your restraint. When he

Was young as you he was not so mature.

ATYS

What do you mean?

THE OTHER WOMAN : It is said - you must have heard it -  
That he had problems with his father too;  
Important problems, not such paltry things  
As arms and hunting junkets.

**ATYS**, What were they?

THE OTHER WOMAN      Already Croesus was the governor  
Of Adramytus province and of Thebes.  
A veritable kingdom, he was scarcely  
Older than you.      But this was not enough.  
He wanted to be named heir to the throne.

ATY'S                      And so?

THE OTHER WOMAN                      But don't you know?    The partisans  
Of Pantaleon, his half-brother, slandered  
Croesus, and Alyattes thought him suspect;  
So when he launched the Carian expedition  
He did not give your father the command.  
But Croesus levied forces secretly ....

ATYS                      Secretly! Tell me more....

THE OTHER WOMAN                      Your father never  
Mentions the matter.    He wants it forgotten.  
But it does show imaginative genius.....

ATYS Go on.

THE OTHER WOMAN                      In secrecy he levied troops,  
Surprised the Carians, struck them in the rear  
And crowned the Lydian arms with victory.

ATYS                      And Alyattes?

**THE OTHER WOMAN**                      If he had discovered

THE OTHER WOMAN    These secret military preparations  
Before their aim was shown he would have deemed  
Croesus a rebel.    And indeed a few  
Dark schemers whispered that your father's army  
By secret pact was pledged to Caria,  
And that when Croesus saw the Lydian troops  
Of Alyattes gaining the advantage  
He also struck them.    Lies. Revolting lies.

ATYS    And Alyattes?

THE OTHER WOMAN    Allyattes saw  
That Croesus' timely intervention, -  
His disobedience, - had in fact assured  
A brilliant victory.    And Croesus thus  
Won the succession.

ATYS    That is how he won it.....

THE OTHER WOMAN    At heart a father's pride is always roused  
By his son's courage.    How else could it be?  
A man deserves a manly son and not  
A slave.    (Slight pause.)

                    Your problems, by comparison,  
Seem laughable.

ATYS    Well, tell my father so.

THE OTHER WOMAN    I have. I've also told him that he's lucky  
To find no imitator, in his son,  
Of his own youthful rashness.

ATYS    You believe this?

THE OTHER WOMAN    Oh, as for that, the whole Court thinks so too.

THE OTHER WOMAN But this should not displease you, for indeed  
Restraint and modesty are great qualities  
In one destined to rule.  
Let others say these virtues are more suited  
To a philosopher. I don't agree.  
Oh well, - it can't be helped. Whatever you do  
Or don't do you will always be the son  
Of Croesus. That's enough.

(Enter Gyges in armour. The helmet has a visor. He carries  
a spear.)

SCENE III.

Chorus, Atys, The Other Woman, Gyges, Daphne.

CHORUS Behold! Candaules' armour and the spear  
Of Heracles!

THE OTHER WOMAN That only kings may hold.

THOE How very heavy it appears to be.

THE OTHER WOMAN Hephaestus forged it for a hero's hand.  
Come lift it Gyges. Show us.

(She makes signs to Gyges to lift the spear. He does so  
with ease.)

One would think  
The arms were made to order. Plate and helmet  
Fit perfectly.

DAPHNE They fit his own perfection;  
His silence and his looks reflect his worth  
More than the boasts of others.

THOE What a shame  
He should be deaf and dumb.

A GIRL IN THE CHORUS

Yes, what a shame.

THE OTHER WOMAN A shame indeed. However, doctors say

A sudden shock can loose a deaf-mute's tongue.

Who knows? Maybe in charging at the beast ....

(Atys gives her an intense look. The Other Woman appears to be overcome by a spell of abstraction. She points to Gyges' arms and continues:)

That helmet's strange. They make that kind no more.

With visor down the face is all concealed...

Draw it down Gyges.....

(She makes signs to Gyges to draw down the visor. He does so and his face is completely hidden. The Other Woman laughs and curtseys low to him.)

Faceless, voiceless hero,

Who are you pray? Candaules? Gyges? Hermes

Or Sosias? No one will ever know.

Nor man, nor god. But Glory can't be fooled.

Good luck, fair hero by none seen or heard.

(Slight pause. She addresses the Chorus.)

How hot it is. Come, let's go to the gardens.

The setting sun burns on this marble terrace, -

Your brows are burning too, - perchance with looking

At these young warriors. But you shouldn't stare.

These are "barbarians" lovely maids of Hellas!

(She addresses the Young Men:)

You too have pricked your ears up at the beat

Of hooves, the blare of trumpets, and the clash

Of arms..... Let's go.

SCENE IV.

Atys, Gyges.

(Exeunt The Other Woman and the Chorus. Daphne follows reluctantly. Atys remains alone with Gyges. He looks at him and suddenly comes to a decision. He goes up to him and stretches out his hand. Gyges does not move. Atys takes the spear from him and Gyges offers no resistance. Atys toys with the spear testing his strength proudly. Then he violently seizes Gyges' breastplate and helmet and puts them on. He pulls down the visor and starts to leave. He holds back a moment, then takes Gyges' cloak and throws his own around Gyges' shoulders.)

SCENE V.

Atys, Gyges, Daphne.

(Enter Daphne. She stops as she sees Gyges stripped of his arms and Atys wearing them.)

ATYS (menacing) If you love Gyges, Daphne, have a care.

Say nothing; not a word to anyone.

And hide the boy until I've started out.

SCENE VI.

Daphne, Gyges.

DAPHNE Oh, well I knew it. I was sure of it.

But never mind, my love. It's better so.

Let him get killed.

(She throws her arms around him and kisses him. Steps are heard approaching.)

Quick. Hide.

(Daphne conceals Gyges behind a curtain. Enter Adrastus dressed and armed as a huntsman.)

SCENE VII.

Daphne, Adrastus.

ADRASTUS

Ah, here you are.

ADRASTUS

I have been searching to take leave of you.  
You were not with the others in the garden.  
You seem perturbed.

## DAPHNE

But not at all.

## ADRASTUS

No doubt

You're troubled by the parting with your swain, -  
Your deaf-mute suitor.

## DAPHNE

That is my affair.

## ADRASTUS

And mine too, somewhat, Daphne, I'm not used  
To yielding preference to an invalid.

# DAPHNE

You'll have to get accustomed to it now.

## ADRASTUS

Daphne, take care, I know why you behave  
Thus to me. You believe that I'm alone,  
A fugitive at Croesus' mercy, while  
Gyges is Croesus' first-born, and perchance  
Fair Lydia's golden sceptre may one day  
Fall to the hands of an adventuress  
Miletus-born. A wall of silence now  
Stands 'twixt the throne and you, and 'tis your hope  
That you alone at last will hear the voice  
That will cast down that wall. But no one, no one,  
Not even the king, your guardian, will permit  
That voice to issue ever from mute lips.

• DAPHNE

You credit me with schemes you would yourself  
Devise. Gyges is to find his voice  
Neither the king nor Atys can prevent it.

ADRASTUS

True. But perhaps I can prevent it. That  
Is something you should not forget. Indeed

ADRASTUS            It could be the only service that a poor  
                      But honest debtor has it in his power  
                      To offer to his wealthy and almighty  
                      Protector ....

(Exit Adrastus. Daphne waits for him to disappear, then brings Gyges out of his hiding place. She kisses him passionately.)

SCENE VIII.

Daphne, Gyges.

DAPHNE                                Without knowing it Adrastus

Has saved you. Come with me. I shall conceal you.

(Exeunt Daphne and Gyges. Enter Croesus and Sandanis. Croesus has doffed his crown and royal robes. He is wearing a simple purple tunic. From the courtyard is heard the din of clattering hooves, neighing horses, clanking arms, barking dogs. This noise continues to the end of Act II.)

## SCENE IX.

**Croesus, Sandanis.**

CROESUS            Haven't they left yet?    Dusk will fall. What's  
the delay?

SANDANIS            They wait for Gyges and some others.    Now  
                         Adrastus's come.    But five are missing still.

CROESUS            I wish they'd start.    This noise is enervating.  
                         To Atys it must be unbearable.

SANDANIS                    They're late. They haven't even packed the mules.

CROESUS            I fear, my friend, we haven't been too wise  
                         In handling this affair.

SANDANIS How so, my Lord?

CROESUS                    I should have found a way to keep from sending  
My horses and my huntsmen without Atys.  
I have offended him.

SANDANIS                                    My Lord, what else  
Could you have done?

CROESUS                                    I could have given them  
Money.

SANDANIS                                    But money they would not accept.

CROESUS                                    It's not with words alone one offers money.  
Money's like women. It must be paraded  
In order to exert its charm.

SANDANIS                                    How so?

CROESUS                                    You could have taken them and shown them gold;  
More gold than they had seen even in dreams.  
Coins upon coins. Heaps of my bright new staters.  
As much as they desired I would have given  
Just to be left in peace. Where's Atys gone?

SANDANIS                                    I have not seen him, Sire. He must have sought  
His wife.

CROESUS                                    These newly-weds find easy comfort.  
No matter, Sandanis. I'm pleased I managed  
To keep Atys at Court.

SANDANIS                                    A wise decision.

CROESUS                                    A king's son and the spear of Heracles  
They wanted, and I humoured them. They cannot  
Aver that Croesus is indifferent  
To the cares of his subjects.

SANDANIS True, my Lord.  
CROESUS However, Sandanis, the game's not clear.  
The Mysian envoys were but simple dice  
Upon the board. The Player rests unknown  
Who tossed them to us.

SANDANIS Sire, what Player mean you?  
CROESUS The invisible Player who once in a dream  
Foretold me Atys' doom. The same, perchance,  
Who sent the boar and brought these envoys here  
To ask for Atys.

SANDANIS Never to mortal eyes  
Do Players such as these reveal themselves.  
CROESUS I know. They hide. They do not show their hand.  
But ours they see.

SANDANIS Your Majesty, your thoughts  
And words fill me with dread.

CROESUS Fear not. Your king  
Is strong. Kingdoms and cities have I bought,  
And, maybe, gods. For all is up for sale.  
Delphic Apollo thirsts for gold no less  
Than some wild Scythian chief.

SANDANIS Say not such things,  
Master.

CROESUS Ungrateful, cunning are they all.  
The cities that lie grovelling at my feet,  
Gods sated by my gold and sacrifices,  
All will betray me when their interest bids.  
I'll see to it that this does not occur.

CROESUS                   I'll buy them time and time again, whene'er  
I need to;

SANDANIS                   Sire!

CROESUS                   The gods well know they'll win;  
They always win, for they've set a term  
To our brief life. For them there is not term.  
One thing, my friend, is never bought or sold:  
Time.

SANDANIS                   Time, and much besides.

CROESUS                   For Time alone  
Care I.

SANDANIS                   And love?

CROESUS                   Of all most vulnerable.

The golden viper ferrets out a rift  
Not only in false friendships, venal loves,  
But in true love itself. A beauty's wealth  
Inspires a special passion in her suiter  
All honest though he be. And even a mother, -  
You'll shudder, Sandanis, - finds greater grace  
In child enriched than child remaining poor.  
But Time alone is incorruptible.  
You cannot bribe him. Miserly he counts  
Each pulse, each step we take towards the grave.

(He approaches the parapet and points towards the horizon.)

Behold the city, Sardis in her glory,  
Spread out before us. But, perchance, - who knows? -  
The desert sand may wipe it all away, -  
Expunge its very name.

CROESUS (He leans over the parapet, pointing to the courtyard where the huntsmen are assembling.)

See those young men.

Their flashing eyes, bright teeth all set to taste  
Colour and shape and food; the living bronze  
Which makes their bodies statues warm with life,  
Spears poised for battle and for love. Behold  
How to their presence they bend hour and space,  
You'd think that they hold Moment with their horse  
Gripped 'twixt their swarthy thighs. But 'twill  
not yield  
To bit's restraint. Reflect how soon these forms,  
Seemingly incorruptible, will change  
To heavy, living sepulchres of youth  
Wherein successive phases of their shape  
Will lie entombed, like to the line of caskets  
Set to receive the body new-embalmed  
Of a young Pharaoh.

(He retires from the parapet; places his hand on Sandanis' shoulder.)

As for you and me,

Ten years or twenty still remain. Then dust  
And monuments. But there's one single thing  
That I shall leave invincible, eternal,  
Alive. - What is it, think you, Sandanis?

SANDANIS      Your memory, your glory.

[illegible]

No, I mean something else, that will forever  
Roll through the souls and hands of men. Unheeding

CROESUS      'Twill mete out joy and pain; like gods and nature  
Unjust; like woman, senseless and enchanting;  
Barren and fruitful; splendid, hard, like life.  
Come, my wise friend, do you not understand?

(A pause. Croesus takes out a gold coin and with a smile shows it to Sandanis.)

This coin.

(Addressing the coin.)

But you were put to shame today!

Ah, night is falling. One more day the gods  
Have taken from me. I should find some magus  
To stop the flow of Time. In gold I'd weigh  
The days, - good days and bad, - in gold and give  
The magus his full due. But if I had such  
I'd be the peer of the immortal gods.....

SANDANIS: To-night be calm, and thank the gods who gave you  
The foresight to come to a wise decision.

CROESUS           What gods? Which one, I wonder, was today  
                      The Player who threw losing dice? .....

(The Other Woman and the Young Maidens of the Chorus enter.)

## SCENE X.

Croesus, Sandanis, The Other Woman, Chorus Maidens.

THE OTHER WOMAN

I wager

That Player, played against you, for, my Lord,

You always win.

CROESUS                                Well, nearly. And tonight  
I won against a crooked, ruthless Player.

CROESUS            I'm tired and crave a little merriment.  
                      So let our pretty guests sing us some songs  
                      From Hellas.

(To Sandanis)

Where is Atys? Bring me Atys.  
Tell him I'm waiting for him, Sandanis.  
And if his heart is heavy, tell him too  
That he will have two emeralds of mine, -  
A gift to deck his belt.

(Exit Sandanis)

SCENE XI.

**Croesus, The Other Woman, Daphne, The Chorus Maidens.**

THE OTHER WOMAN

The King desires to hear your songs.

[illegible]

You've heard them many times.

THE OTHER WOMAN But have you none

That we may not have heard?

DAPHNE Well, there's an ode, -

One chanted in my land at festivals.

I've taught it to the girls.

THE OTHER WOMAN Let's hear it then.

DAPHNE            Come, we'll recite it. 'Tis appropriate.

(The Maidens of the Chorus manifestly hold back, but Daphne begins chanting and the other soon join in. Daphne is very tense. She controls herself with difficulty.)

A sigh or a whisper?

A breath on your skin?

Aloneness departing

And a swarthy intruder

With lust in his heart?

You saw him! You saw him!

He was lost in the night,

A fugitive shadow,

Bearing with him

The image, the imprint

Of your uncovered grace.

A fiery mould

For the casting of figures

Lustful, obedient

To the play of the mind,

To fulfil without shame

The contempt of your flesh.

You saw him and knew

You were sold in betrayal;

Bonds were loosed by that gleam

But a new link now held you.

That gleam must become

A blade for a killing

Lest your body remain

Rent in twain and unmastered.

DAPHNE                   Whoso his treasure doth display invites the robber;  
Should he escape the mortal bandits, let him fear  
The Immortal Thieves.

(As the above choric ode proceeds in an increasingly intense distaste is seen on Croesus' features. His displeasure does not go unnoticed by the Maidens of the Chorus. But whenever they hesitate, Daphne rallies them with a commanding look or gesture.)

THE OTHER WOMAN Enough. The King is tired.

CROESUS   I do not like  
Your song. It's decadent and stupid.  
You're never to repeat it.

(Enter Sandanis.)

SCENE XII.

Croesus, Sandanis, The Other Woman, Daphne, The Maidens of the Chorus.

SANDANIS   Atys, my Lord,  
Is nowhere to be found. No one has seen him.  
He must be closeted within the women's quarters  
Attending to his bride.

CROESUS   'Tis better so.  
He has been spared these useless chatterings.

THE OTHER WOMAN So that was the ode you taught these maidens, Daphne.  
The story of Candaules' wife. Do you  
Consider that the theme was suitable  
For the King's ear?

DAPHNE   It is a tale of wealth  
And ostentation. It was time  
For you to hear it.

1st MAIDEN

You've brought shame on us.

DAPHNE

'Twas needful for the palace ghosts to speak  
Since those who live are silent, Who's alive?  
Can you not see that we are all embalmed  
In gold? That the whole palace is one huge  
Golden sarcophagus? Gold, alabaster,  
Purple magnificence and gold again.  
All this keeps us apart from all that lives,  
Dances and breathes, is capable of pain.  
Have you forgotten our Hellenic cities  
Where statues are companions of men?  
The columns spring forth from the smiling earth  
Like perfect trees. Our standards are not gold,  
But light and thought, our bodies thus have wings,  
And often-times the Mind surpasses Time,  
And like a dart strikes immortality.

2nd MAIDEN

I'm homesick for our sea with waves like curls  
Upon a boyish head.

3rd MAIDEN

I'm homesick too

For souging of sea breezes through the free  
Cool, columned porches where our orators  
Discourse to sunburnt youths who, listening, bite  
Deep into mellow fruit.

DAPHNE

Bite into Knowledge

Into the Future. Fruit for virile men.  
Here we are lotus-eaters.

(She bursts into hysterical sobs.)

CROESUS

She's insane.

And insolent. Make the girl stop.

(The Chorus Maidens surround Daphne. Increasing noise from the courtyard. Horns and sharp commands are heard.)

SANDANIS

Gyges

Has just arrived and mounts his horse.

(More horns and commands.)

Adrastus

Has placed him at the column's head alone.

They march in fours. A splendid sight, my Lord.

CROESUS

Gyges rides well. Straight in the saddle.- Strange,  
His horse is restive, as though not accustomed  
To him.

SANDANIS

The troop salutes you, Sire.

(Blaring of horns. Croesus salutes.)

CROESUS

He's pulled

His visor's down. In all this heat. How strange.

He's a peculiar boy.

SANDANIS

They're off. God speed them.

(Croesus and Sandanis salute. The noise of the departing huntsmen diminishes. Faint echoes of horns blowing and dogs barking.)

CURTAIN

END OF ACT II

## ACT III.

The same scenery. Night has fallen. During Scene IV the dawn will break. Enter Gyges dragging Daphne by the hand.

## SCENE I.

DAPHNE. GYGES.

DAPHNE

What madness, my beloved. What possessed you  
To leave my chamber, our safe hiding place?  
Someone may see us wandering through the palace.  
I'm so afraid. Don't laugh. It's not a joke.  
You surely must know that. For two whole days,  
Since I've concealed you you have clearly shown  
That you have understood my anguish and  
My purpose. Suddenly you drag me here.

(With a silent laugh he kisses her.)

In this your silent laugh and in your kiss  
I seem to sense some word I cannot hear ....  
A kind of secret .... some strange hidden bliss  
You have not shared with me. But can that be?  
In these two days you've filled me, overwhelmed me  
With joy's infinity.

True love's a guard

That stands across the path to liberty.  
Or it's a prison shared. Within its walls  
One single body is the whole wide world,  
In one dear face's lineaments is set  
Of life the total essence.

To myself

I've had you for two days and for two nights;  
 My very own. As bees within the hive  
 Distill their treasure, so have I distilled  
 Each breath, each glance of yours. Your body's secrets  
 And every line upon your face I've studied  
 As wise men pore o'er ancient hieroglyphs;  
 There I have found the key that closes fast  
 The water-dam of Time. But at this moment  
 I sense that something has been kept from me,  
 A secret or an untold message held  
 Behind the barrier of your lips, and now  
 Your silence is as that of other men  
 Who hold back when they do not wish to speak.  
 Do I hear steps? Yes, steps. Quick, hide, my love.

SCENE II.

DAPHNE. THE OTHER WOMAN.

THE O.W.

Ah, you're here ... Alone ...

How strange that at this hour you're not asleep.

DAPHNE

But you too are awake.

THE O.W.

As years go by

Even sleep becomes more miserly. He knows,

Perchance, that little time remains to us.

If golden hours he steals from those whose blood

Flows strong in youthful veins, to us he leaves

Insomnia full of ghosts ...

I thought I heard

Voices. You were not talking to yourself?

DAPHNE I wasn't talking.

THE O.N. Well, my ears deceived me.

So many in this palace babble on  
With empty words, while others hold their peace,  
Their silence full of meaning. And this hour  
Is like a cavern dug into the darkness,  
Into the silence; secret voices surge  
Echoing, which the day will drown. Such voices  
Are often heard by those who cannot sleep.  
To you I surely should not speak of voices.  
Since you love silence.

DAPHNE Silence holds no lies.

THE O... Oh, it can hold a lie more deep than words.  
Don't you know that?

These have been tiring days  
With Atys' childish sulkiness.  
And now he's disappeared. He never came  
To greet his father. Strange that he should hide  
Thus. Have you seen him?

DAPHNE No.

THE O.W. Nor I.

And he should know I am his friend. So often  
I saved him as a child from punishments  
And scoldings. Now again he's in a temper ...  
I'm truly glad that Gyges has been given  
This opportunity to prove his worth

Before the people. Is not he the first-born?  
 Handsome, of royal bearing, brave and proud.  
 Gifted in everything except his voice, -  
 But some day he may find it - such things happen;  
 To ignore him altogether is not fair.

(Slight pause)

You do agree, don't you? That blush becomes you,  
 Daphne. There is no need to be ashamed,  
 For no cosmetic vies in comeliness  
 With modesty and - don't be angry, child -  
 With young love. Come now, you are not offended?  
 I wish I had your freshness, I who send  
 To Syria and to Egypt for my creams.  
 I too, if I were younger, would have found  
 Gyges enchanting. Being mute lends charm  
 To his good looks, for on his lips you may  
 Imagine all the words a woman longs  
 To hear and seldom does. Don't be upset.  
 I won't be indiscreet. So keep your secrets.  
 I have no secrets.

DAPHNE

THE O.W.

And indeed who has?

For in a palace nothing can be secret.  
 We all here play a game of hide-and-seek.

DAPHNE

What do you mean?

THE O.W.

With words and subterfuges, -  
 and courtly manners; all through galleries,  
 And even in our hearts. The soul has many

Secret recesses, - and the palace too.

DAPHNE           What are you trying to say?

THE O.W.                               Just what I say.

We all attempt to hide behind cosmetics

Or masks or words; behind a smile or silence;

Behind a drapery like that over there.

(She advances towards the curtain)

Sometimes I think it would be interesting

To lift the curtains, see what they conceal.

What would we find? Dust? Cobwebs? Or maybe

The truth - naked and deadly like a sword?

Perhaps it would be wiser not to try.

(She takes a few steps back from the curtain.)

Yes, often we play games of hide-and seek

With our own selves. You said the other day

That for the Greeks the standard was not gold

But light and thought. You frown on money, - no?

DAPHNE           For us it's not sufficient to give

True happiness.

THE O.W.                               That thought is hardly new.

But you must know that if it's not enough

To make men happy, lack of money can

Bring great distress. It's like those fading loves

Which can no longer give us happiness

And, when we lose them, fill us with despair.

Moreover, I have noticed that your choice

Hos not been fixed upon some penniless  
 Young man but on the son of Croesus, -  
 His first-born son. Coincidence, no doubt.  
 But pause to think. Could this not be a trap  
 Set in our hearts by that most cunning foe,  
 Money? I see you are not in the mood  
 For philosophical discussion.  
 You would prefer me to leave you alone.  
 But you are not alone.

DAPHNE .

Again you speak

In riddles.

THE O.W.

Nervous child! I only mean

That youth is free from loneliness. Youth's partners  
 Are hope and dreams; and love, it's constant mate.  
 For loneliness to eat into the soul  
 All that must be burned out.

That's why you see

Me wandering at an hour when other women  
 Awakening feel beside them in their bed  
 Something that is their very own, - a man,  
 A child, - and in the warmth of virile arms  
 Or freshness of a baby's breath find comfort  
 And sleep again content. But I, to find  
 Something my very own must climb up here  
 And from this terrace bend o'er sleeping Sardis,  
 My surreptitious conquest . . .

Thus the hours

Of sleeplessness go by. I weave the dreams  
 Of memory with schemes, present with past,  
 And put the brake on time and think it stops.  
 I'm going now, - alone. Milesian friend,  
 I leave you, but I leave you not alone!

(Exit the Other Woman. Daphne leads Gyges out from behind the curtain).

SCENE III.

DAPHNE. GYGES.

DAPHNE        She knows our secret but she won't betray us, -  
                  At least not now. She offers us alliance, -  
                  Alliance fraught with guile, conspiracy.  
                  Guilt issues from that woman's every touch.  
                  It is the curse brought on her by her crime;  
                  She poisoned bread. She dared to knead dread venom  
                  Into the sacred gifts of Mother Earth, -  
                  Life-giving wheat and water's purity.  
                  But she must not pollute our love that flows  
                  As crystal-clear as water from a well.  
                  I will not let her poison love's sweet bread.  
                  Earth, bread, and water, - they have cursed that woman  
                  And now her only food is bitter gold.  
                  Oh, I've been thirsting for your silence, Gyges.  
                  Like as the weary traveller in the desert  
                  Eagerly plunges in a wayside pool,  
                  So do I need ~~or~~ice more to feel the cool

Flow of your quietness. And yet, 'tis strange ...

It seems so different, it seems so shallow ...

(Gyges looks at Daphne intently and smiles. He takes her in his arms and kisses her passionately. Then he draws back, holding her by the hands; and suddenly)

GYGES                   Daphne, I love you!

DAPHNE                                   O ye gods in Heaven!

You've spoken, oh, you've spoken!

GYGES                                   My first words

I've treasured as my gift to you. I love you.

These are the first words uttered by these lips.

DAPHNE                   Oh, my dear love!

GYGES                                   More than two years ago

My deafness left me. All I heard at first

Were sounds of hatred and of enmity.

Already I had sensed them long ago

Behind the wall of silence, in expressions

And hostile looks. From Atys then I learned

Suspicion's glossary. The Other Woman

Taught me the ways of cunning and ambition.

My father's teachings were of gold and wealth,-

His harsh and only faith. And last from you,

Both from your voice and from your silences,

I learned of love and truth the blessed tongue.

DAPHNE                   Oh, Gyges!

GYGES                                   When I had no ears but eyes,

I noticed that your lips whene'er you called me

Parted but once as sweetly as a flower:

„Gyges!,, you said; but when the others spoke

Their lips were twisted in contemptuous hate

Addressing the poor, helpless deaf-mute fool.

DAPHNE But what prevented you from ever speaking?

GYGES Something constrained me. It was a kind of fear

As though some danger lay in speech. At first

I was held back by instinct. Later, when

I heard and understood more, I was sure

The time was not yet ripe.

DAPHNE And now?

GYGES Oh, now

The world must learn that I'm no invalid.

I heard Adrastus' taunting yesterday.

No one shall say I am unworthy of you.

DAPHNE Gyges, beware! Let Atys first return

Unharmed, - and surely he'll return unharmed, -

Because, Adrastus, should he see who took

Your horse and the great sword of Heracles,

From murderer will turn to bodyguard.

Let Atys come victorious. Then reveal

Yourself and let it be a day of joy,

Not one of mourning. Surely then the king

Will be convinced the god in error told him

Never to pray to hear your voice.

GYGES Should I

Await the conquering Atys' safe return?

Maybe. But then suppose he rides afar

GYGES            Yes, that is why. He tried to make my silence  
                  A tomb. But if the gods so will, I'll make it  
                  A gravestone for both Atys and Adrastus.

GYGES    O my sweet love!

DAPHNE           The world awaits your speech to live again,  
                    And I to learn from you the Universe.  
                    Nothing for me exists, - bird, plant, man, god, -  
                    Save what your lips shall name.

GYGES Daphne! The magic  
Of that dear name for me encloses all  
The beauty of Creation!

DAPHNE
 While speechless

You had drawn all into a world unsullied,  
 Anonymous, where everything was pure;  
 All virgin matter and unmemoried form.  
 No place therein for cunning. Outward acts

Set limits upon man. Now you must leave  
 The guileless multitude of visual things  
 To labour in the grim cosmogony  
 Of things unseen, - the direful potency  
 Of words.

GYGES

But you will help me!

DAPHNE

We may find

Perchance some word you know not still, and thus  
 I'll have a gift for you, or else perchance  
 A burden to be carried.

There are words

Like fruit: you gather them in laughter, drink them  
 In tears. Others, accursed, like a sore  
 Infect the tongue.

GYGES

I know them well; I learned them  
 From all those others. Now 'tis time that they  
 Should know that I possess them too.

DAPHNE

Oh, Gyges,

I fear for you! Consider your advantage, -  
 Your strength - if you continue listening  
 To all without suspicion from the others.  
 For you alone possess a treasure rare, -  
 One that all Croesus'wealth cannot purchase, -  
 The knowledge of the truth. So let the others  
 Reveal their nature more completely still,  
 And then your hour will come.

I'll seal your lips

With kisses.

(Daphne throws her arms around him. They kiss. Suddenly, down in the courtyard is heard a hubbub of voices, horses'hooves, clanging of armour, barking of dogs, and sharp commands. Daphne runs to the parapet.)

What's all this? What's happening?

Can they be back already? What's amiss?

(The noise without increases and penetrates to the palace)

The palace is awake. They're coming. Hide

Quickly. They mustn't see you.

(She conceals Gyges behind the curtain. The Young Maidens of the Chorus enter. Their apparel shows that they have been awakened from their sleep.)

#### SCENE IV.

DAPHNE. THE YOUNG MAIDENS OF THE CHORUS.

1st MAIDEN

What has happened?

Daphne, what's going on? This frightening noise

Rent the soft veils of sleep for us.

2nd MAIDEN

What means

This shouting?

3rd MAIDEN

What commotion harsh has dared

Thus to disturb the palace which is lulled

To sleep with harps and wakened with soft flutes?

(The Maidens of the Chorus gather about the parapet.)

1st MAIDEN

Look there! Already the young noblemen

Have come back from the hunt.

2nd MAIDEN

With empty hands?

3rd MAIDEN Impossible! They've surely slain some wild  
And fearful boast.

4th MAIDEN Then why do not we hear  
Blowing of horns and songs of victory?

1st MAIDEN Why don't triumphal cymbals clash?

2nd MAIDEN Behold!  
Their horses and their arms are caked in mud  
And foam.

3rd MAIDEN What are they muttering through their teeth?

4th MAIDEN Their manly features bear the mark of sorrow.

THOE Great Gods! What is that burden they uphold  
On sorrowing shoulders?

1st MAIDEN Ah, what load of pain  
Has bent those bronzen necks, strong to uplift  
Great rocks and deem them feathers.

2nd MAIDEN Who is missing?

3rd MAIDEN What house will mourn?

4th MAIDEN What mother will now rend  
With cruel nails her bosom?

THOE What young bride  
Will shroud her unreaped body in the dark  
And sunless garb of widowhood and vow  
Her soul to loneliness?

(Enters Adrastus wild-eyed and covered in dust. He hears  
the Thoe's last words.)

## SCENE V.

DAPHNE. THE MAIDENS OF THE CHORUS. ADRASTUS

ADRASTUS                   No house will mourn, no parent, and no couch  
Is reft of husband....

(As he pronounces the last words he looks at Daphne who turns away. Enter Croesus, Sandanis, the Other Woman, and the Youths of the Chorus.)

## SCENE VI

CROESUS. SANDANIS. ADRASTUS. THE OTHER WOMAN. DAPHNE.  
THE CHORUS.

CROESUS                                   What is wrong, Adrastus?

ADRASTUS                   My Lord, when you received me at your court  
A man pursued, a fugitive, I vowed  
Before the God of Hospitality  
That joy should always be my gift to you.  
Let others be the messengers of grief.

CROESUS                   Speak! I command you!

ADRASTUS                                   When, at our first stop  
We whiled away the time with archery,  
In practice for the hunt, and the spears rained  
Upon the target, one spear lodged beneath  
The helmet at the neck's base....  
(He pauses, with bowed head.)

CROESUS                                   Gyges! - Speak!

ADRASTUS                   Sire, you have spoken.

DAPHNE &  
THE O.W.  
together                                   Gyges!

(Enter four huntsmen bearing on a stretcher the corpse enveloped in Gyges' cloak. The dead man wears his helmet with the visor down.)

## SCENE VII.

CROESUS. SANDANIS. THE OTHER WOMAN. ADRASTUS. DAPHNE.  
THE CHORUS. FOUR HUNTSMEN BEARING THE DEAD MAN.

ADRASTUS

In reverence

To the sanctity of royal bronze, we left  
His visor closed as he himself had kept it  
Throughout the march. His foot caught in the stirrup  
As he fell, and the frightened steed shot forth  
And dragged him o'er the ground. When we came to him  
We found him dead. The visor must have saved  
His face from injury by rocks and thorns.  
He who lived reft of voice shall not go down  
To Hades reft of visage.....

(Pause.)

CROESUS

Never heard we

His voice....

Like an amphora fast-sealed,  
Its wine untasted, so has the sunk in death  
What will you say to our ancestral shades  
Gyges? If speech comes to you there, inform  
Candaules that the Pythia is a liar  
And Delphi's god a cheat.

(He takes a few steps towards the dead man.)

The visor closed,

But still more closed the marbled face beneath

The bronze. Like to an amphora fast-sealed  
 Filled with the distillations of a thousand  
 Long days, so has he sunk. Whither to go?  
 What dark gods, thirsting ever, now await him?  
 What banquets claim the nectar bittersweet  
 Distilled - as bees distill - by eyes and hearts  
 With life's own pollen.

Visor closed. Long since  
 Had silence drawn its visor over him.  
 Before death's visor locked him fast. From start  
 To finish he remained unknown. But who  
 Is not so? Does a voice, do words make known  
 A man's true nature? Does one know another?  
 Do any of us know ourselves? Our masks  
 Shown to the world before the glass conceal  
 Our own essential form. Or have we none?  
 Are we a formless amalgam of vain  
 Intentions, self-delusions vainer still?  
 I told you, Sandanis, the Player is cunning;  
 Blind too he surely must be. For a shaft  
 Of bronze was destined to lay Atys low;  
 His brother donned Candaules' helm, and lo!  
 The unknown Archer was deceived. Why, even  
 A Scythian would not have been so tricked!  
 Such are the Players, Sandanis, who beat us.  
 Time, like a spurious pawn, they hold concealed  
 Beneath their mantle's folds. If Time and Death

Were not with them we should win the game....

(He approaches the dead man, bends down and gazes  
at him.)

The spear is wedged in the neck's root, - as though

To still for ever voice not ever heard; -

To nail for ever silence in his throat.

A second mouth, 'twould seem, gapes in the wound,

Rent wide in bitter, silent exclamation....

He 's near us in this hall; we stretch our hand

And touch him, yet he has already gone

Elsewhere beyond both Time and Circumstance;

He bides there where the panting Hours stop short,

Those unrelenting hounds of the gods'hunt....

(He moves back and places his hand on Sandanis's shoulder.  
Then he speaks to Sandanis in lowered tones:)

Friend Sandanis, make a sarcophagus

Of gold for him and fill it full of staters.

Let Charon know that henceforth he may not

For many years demand a passenger

From Croesus.

Now let us consider, too,

What further offerings I must send to Delphi

And to the other temples. Sandanis,

I have a strange presentiment, as though

The golden chains wherewith I bound the powers

Of darkness have been loosed. See that my craftsmen

Fashion new images and jars of gold.

They say the rich  
 Are hard towards the poor; but nothing equals  
 The poor man's harshness towards the rich. The gods  
 Themselves are like the poor, - without compassion,  
 And deem what's'er you give them not enough.  
 So far, my friend, I've won. And Heaven's arrows  
 Have missed their mark, even as the venal darts  
 Of mercenaries sold to the enemy.

(With hesitating steps he approaches the corpse.)

I never spoke to him....

And now, wrapped in the great, the final silence  
 He will not hear me....

Oh, my son, forgive me!

Forgive me, Gyges! ....

(Gyges emerges from behind the curtain. General consternation.  
 Gyges seems to be about to speak.)

#### SCENE VIII.

CROESUS. SANDANIS. ADRASTUS. THE OTHER WOMAN.  
 DAPHNE. THE CHORUS. FOUR HUNSMEN. GYGES.

DAPHNE

(Shrilly)

Do not speak.

(Daphne rushes towards Gyges. Impetuously she presses her hand  
 to his mouth, and then, to conceal her movement, she kisses  
 him wildly. In the consternation caused by the appearance  
 of Gyges the purpose of her action passes unnoticed.)

CROESUS

Gyges. 'Tis Gyges.... But then who's the other?

Where's Atys? Bring me Atys! Have him come

Immediately!

(Nobody moves.)

Where's Atys? Atys! Call him!

Bring him at once!

(He steps forward to the corpse. Hesitates. Turns and sees Gyges. Bends over the body. Takes a sudden decision and quickly raises the visor. He steps back in horror.)

It's Atys! It is Atys!

(Adrastus with a raucous cry covers his head with his cloak and sinks to Croesus' feet. While Croesus remains crouched over Atys' body and Adrastus is prostrate before the King, the Chorus gather at either end of the proscenium and chant in low tones:)

CHORUS  
MAIDEN

- It was Atys.

Atys.

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-The down-drawn visor covered the lifeless visage, -the visage  
of Atys slain.  
-It covered the withered happiness of Croesus, -happiness gone  
for ever.  
-Oh, visors must never be lifted; for oft-times, oft-times  
they conceal  
-A corpse; the remains of a joy we assumed to be living.  
-And a joy that is dead is the bitterest of pains  
-The pain that is most alive.

CHORUS  
YOUTHS

-Shattered the image of absolute, boundless felicity.  
-Rocked to their very foundations the towers of pride.  
-Of a sudden, gold, alabaster are naught; are vain and illusory.  
-The redoubtable palace is naught but a spurious counterfeit -  
Flimsy as theatre-trappings about to be taken asunder.  
-Atys is the first victim, -victim of the mighty encounter.  
-The first of the vanquished in the mighty defeat.  
-The defeat of human felicity.....

-Lo! With such acts of injustice the gods appear to be just.

-With such blind strokes Destiny appears incorruptible,

To the disinherited granting the exquisite luxury,

The voluptuous consolation

Of making him pity the fortunate.

THE WHOLE  
CHORUS

Ill-fated Croesus, O most unhappy Croesus!

-The richer is the living body of felicity

The fatter fertilizers it gives forth in death-

To nourish our misery.

CURTAIN

THE END

# Athens

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## TURKEY STOPS NAVAL LEAVE

Ready to take 'Necessary measures'

ANKARA, Tues., (Combined Dispatches) — All naval leave was reported to have been cancelled in Southern Turkish ports today as Foreign Minister Feridun Erkin told Parliament: "Turkey will take the necessary measures in view of the continuation of fighting in Cyprus."

Official sources confirmed that units of the fleet were "exercising" off the southern port of Mersin. Reports from Iskenderun, the fleet's home port, spoke of "extraordinary activity" in the 39th division there but said no troops had embarked.

Erkin, who warned last week that the situation was "still so explosive that we must continue to be prepared", told deputies today that the renewed fighting in Cyprus was "an attempt by the Greeks to create a fait accompli."

He said Turkey had requested that British troops intervene more effectively in the Cyprus fighting.

"The British commander on the island told us the troops would intervene immediately in serious cases and said he had warned President Makarios that the British would act without permission when urgent", Erkin said.

Meanwhile in Washington, a Turkish Cypriot leader today called on Britain to invite Turkey and Greece to send troops to the island or at least until the U.N. peacekeeping force can be formed.

"I certainly hope that Turkey will do something. She remained far too cool in this affair," Raul — Continued on page 7

## QUEEN ELIZABETH GIVES BIRTH TO HER FOURTH CHILD

LONDON, Tues. (Reuters) — Queen Elizabeth of England today gave birth to a son — her fourth child.

Prince Philip immediately telephoned Queen Mother Elizabeth, Princess Margaret, the Prince of Wales, Princess Anne and other members of the Royal Family.

The child is third in line of succession to the Throne, coming after Prince Charles and Prince Andrew.

Queen Elizabeth will be 38 on April 21.

The baby was born in the Belgian Suite, on the ground floor of Buckingham Palace, often used for visits of foreign royalty and heads of state when they are guests of the Queen.

She is the second of four royal babies expected this spring. The first — a leap year baby born on February 23 — was the son of the Queen's cousin, Princess Alexandra, and her husband, Mr. Angus Ogilvy.

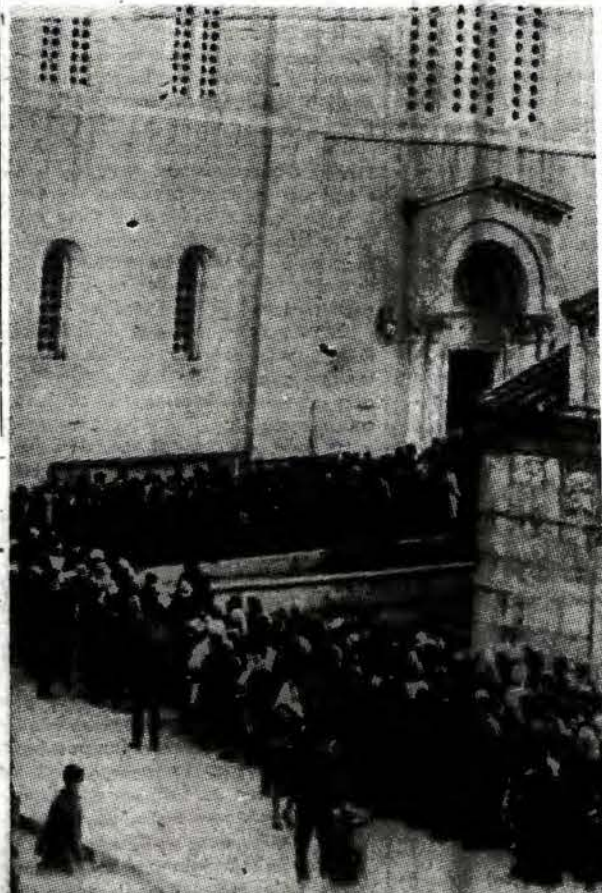
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# News

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SUPERJETS**

## WEATHER

Cloudy to partly cloudy. Temperature higher. North winds, weak to moderate. Seas rough.

## Yesterday's extremes:

MAX.: 50 (10)  
MIN.: 42.8 (6)



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## KIDS FILE NG COFFIN

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King Paul will lie in state until tomorrow when public will be at the funeral. Tributes to the late king will be read at the midnight service which was officiated by the Archbishop of Athens.

## RIO TED

Archbishop Morinos will arrive by air to officiate at the funeral of the late king today. He will arrive at the cathedral at midnight.



Right: King Constantine and Queen Frederika, the King's mother, leaving Athens Cathedral yesterday. Above: Ex-King Umberto of Italy on his way to the Cathedral yesterday.



## THE FUNERAL PROGRAM

The program was announced yesterday by the director of Athens Police, who said that the funeral procession will be held tomorrow.

The funeral procession will be led by a detachment of the Hellenic Republic Guard.

The coffin containing the late king's remains will be carried by a detachment of the Hellenic Republic Guard.

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The offices of the Internal Revenue are closed and all Lyndon Airport passengers found to their amazement that there were no customs check. All this happened because 6,000 employees of the Finance Ministry staged a one-day strike to back their demand for better working in the salary scale.

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The Air Force said the plane was apparently shot down near the central Berlin corridor, an air lane reserved for Allied planes linking West Germany and West Berlin. It said an unidentified aircraft entered the air defense identification zone today at 1445 local time (1345 GMT) and did not respond to instruction to reverse course.

The aircraft continued on into East Germany at 1501 local time, it added.

The aircraft was unarmed, the Air Force said.

The aircraft would be the second U.S. Air Force plane within six weeks to stray over East Germany and be shot down.

On Jan. 28 a T-28 jet fighter with three officers aboard was shot down. All three men were killed.

## TOURIST FIGURES LEAP AGAIN

Over 444,000 tourists visited Greece during 1963, an increase of 508,821 in 1962, it was reported yesterday.

The largest number of tourists entered from the United States, 147,561 in 1963 as against 108,448 in 1962.

Tourists from West Germany came next with a total of 86,756, followed by 73,352 from the United Kingdom, 35,762 from Turkey, 32,872 from Italy, 12,991 from Yugoslavia, 6,766 from South Africa and others.

## MAKARIOS EXPECTED TODAY

Cyprus President Archbishop Makarios is expected to arrive by air in Athens to attend the funeral of King Paul at noon today. He will return to Cyprus Friday night.

Foreign Minister Stavros Constantopoulos, Cyprus Ambassador in Athens Konstantinos and other officials will meet Archbishop Makarios at Ellinikon Airport.

A meeting will be held between Archbishop Makarios, Prime Minister Papandreu and former EOKA leader General G. Grivas some time after the funeral, reliable sources said last night.

The same circles added that the meeting was scheduled to take place at the home of the Prime Minister in Kifissos, but that the exact time it would be held had not been fixed yet.

Great importance is attributed to this meeting by political circles.



Right: King Constantine and Queen Frederika, the King's mother, leaving Athens Cathedral yesterday. Above: Ex-King Umberto of Italy on his way to the Cathedral yesterday.

# THE FUNERAL PROGRAM

The program was announced yesterday of tomorrow's funeral procession of King Paul.

The funeral service will start at 10 in the morning. It will be officiated by Archbishop of Athens and All Greece Chrysostomos, assisted by members of the Holy Synod.

After the service, the coffin containing the body of the King will be laid on a gun carriage which will be pulled by soldiers of the RHN.

The procession will take the following route: Ergasilos, Ermou Street, Syntagma Square, King George 1st Street and Vassilissis Sophias Avenue to the intersection with Vasilissas Konstantinou Avenue (Athens Hilton).

At the head of the procession will



be the director of Athens Police, followed by a detachment of policemen and scouts. Next will come a military band, Army, Navy, Air Force and Gendarmes. Next is a company of Creton soldiers of the Royal Guard, a military detachment, Court officials, clergymen of the Holy Synod, Archbishop of Athens and All Greece Chrysostomos.

The coffin containing the King's body will come next mounted on a gun carriage pulled by a company of soldiers, with a company of escort on both sides.

It will be followed by the King's personal retinue, his driver, his butler and his horse, King Constantine and Queen Frederika, the King's mother.

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## Khrushchev may call a Communist summit

BUDAPEST, Tues. (AP Re) — East European diplomatic sources said tonight that Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev is expected to call a Communist summit meeting in Budapest to discuss the ideological feud between the Soviet Union and Communist China.

The Premier, these sources said, was expected to come to Budapest to attend the April Fourth anniversary of the Chinese Revolution.

The delegation, the sources said, was believed to have gone to Peking on an exploratory mission to

# POLARIS MUST GO, RUSSIA TELLS TALKS

GENEVA, Tues. (AP) — The Soviet side in the missile talks could be related to the launch on attack during discussion weapons vehicles would upset the

## THOUSANDS FILE PAST COFFIN

Continued from page 1 — by Archbishop of Athens and All Greece Chrysostomos in front of the coffin containing the body of King Paul at 11 a.m. yesterday.

Another service was held at 6 p.m. King Constantine, Queen Frederika, the King's mother, Crown Princess Irene and other members of the Royal Family attended both services.

United States President Lyndon B. Johnson yesterday addressed to Prime Minister George Papandreu a message of condolence on the death of King Paul.

President Johnson's message said that "the death of His Majesty King Paul whom we always considered as a steady friend and as a symbol of the insistent protection of liberty

by his country, constituted a blow for me personally and the American people. Please accept the expression of my deepest condolences and the sentiments of friendship during these perturbed moments."

Canadian Prime Minister Lester B. Pearson in a message of condolence to Premier Papandreu said that "both on behalf of the Canadian Government and of myself personally, I submit to you, your government and the Greek people our deepest condolences for the death of H.M. King Paul."

### Y.O.A. BROADCASTS: — ANOTHER STEP

Foreign Minister Stavros Costopoulos has issued instructions that a close watch is to be kept on broadcasts of the Voice of America, which are transmitted from the American vessel "Courier" anchored off the Rhodes coast.

This followed a complaint of Rhodes lawyers in connection with the contents of the broadcasts over the Cyprus issue.

If it is found that these broadcasts had a character hostile to Greece, then necessary approaches would be made to the U.S. government, it was authoritatively announced.

### TURKISH AMBASSADOR VISITS COSTOPOULOS

Turkish Ambassador Nedim Neyiselikin yesterday paid a visit to Foreign Minister Stavros Costopoulos.

Reliable sources said that the two men exchanged views on the application of a NATO decision for a Greco-Turkish cooperation for a strategic cover of the region. Views were also exchanged on the recent disturbances in Cyprus.

### PREMIER HOLDS LUNCH FOR HARRY S. TRUMAN

Prime Minister George Papandreu will today offer an informal lunch in honor of former U.S. President Harry S. Truman at his house in Kestri.

U.S. Ambassador Henry R. Labouisse and Minister to the Prime Minister Andreas Papandreu will also attend.

### WALTER WINCHELL

Continued from page 4 — cessful salesman and later explained his secret: "I believe in the product and sincerity is the biggest part of selling anything — including the Christian Plan of Salvation."

Peter Sellers' movies, "Dr. Strangelove," is his sixth film click during the past year. Sellers is riding the crest. When he was in Hollywood last year he was offered 27 film roles in one week. Despite his success, Sellers is haunted by a sense of insecurity. A reporter recently asked him to describe his ultimate ambition. He responded: "To be financially impregnable."

Everybody wants to live rich — since everybody dies poor.

Big Chief Marlon Brando is now engaged in a worthy campaign to aid American Indians. It reminds us of a letter LBJ received when he was Vice-Pres. It was written by an Indian on a reservation and stated: "Be careful with your immigration laws. We were careless with ours."

### ATHENS PRESS REVIEW

Continued from page 3 — Greek government during the last phase of the problem of Cyprus. This, the paper stresses, is indeed astonishing, because, while all other countries occasionally commit stupidities, we had the impression some time ago that such actions on the part of the American government belonged to the past.

## Rainier -- a man

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ties, Prince Rainier is a real home-lover, too. Unless there is a reception or dinner party, or an official visit, evenings are spent with his lovely wife, watching television or listening to records.

They have a very large collection of records. Sinatra is one of their favorites. As may be expected of such an essentially modern couple, the Prince and his wife are excellent exponents of "The Twist."

About the only interest they do not share is the Prince's collection of animals, which is housed in a private zoo he had built on the side of a hill near the Palace. He has a Syrian bear, a leopard, several baboons, an elephant, one or two lions, and some exotic birds.

The Prince is proud of his animals, some of which he has trapped himself on expeditions abroad, but he is more proud of his aquarium, which is one of the best of its kind in the world. There are fish that look like coral and fish that look like stones; fish that are square, round, triangular; fish with wings and fish with mouths like tweezers; cardinal fish which look like over-fat goldfish, and big, flat spade fish.

In addition to being a naturalist and big-game hunter, Prince Rainier is an all-round sportsman. He plays tennis and golf, rides, boxes, likes fast cars, and does underwater fishing.

In the words of a personal friend, "He is very much a man's man. He likes nothing better than a quiet drink in the company of male friends talking sport, particularly underwater research, for which he made his own equipment."

Prince Rainier was educated at first in England at Summer Fields School, St. Leonards-on-Sea, Sussex, and Stowe School in Buckinghamshire. He was a sturdy lad, a good athlete, popular with fellow-pupils and teachers. His sports master at Summer Fields recalls that Rainier became the school's champion boxer at his weight. He had a telling straight left and could counter well. His reflexes were excellent.

In September, 1939 he went to Le Rosey College, an international Swiss school near Geneva. The headmaster, M. Henri Caron, wrote of his arrival, "He was a solidly built, smiling youngster, though rather shy."

The Prince who was nearly seventeen, soon found his feet in his new surroundings, and took part in the life of the college. His English education had developed his character as well as his mind. He became the life and soul of school dramatics. Contact with students of many races in a friendly, neutral country gave him an international outlook. From Le Rosey, Prince Rainier went to the University of Montpellier, and later studied political science in Paris.

Of his schooldays, he remarked, with his characteristic slow smile, "I did not like flogging or cricket, but I was very keen on rugby. I broke my knee playing in Paris."

Three months after his twenty-first birthday, the Allies landed in southern France. The heir to the Principality joined up, and was soon given a commission. As Second Lieutenant Grimaldi, he served in the first Algerian Infantry Regiment of the First French Army. He went through a hard winter campaign in Alsace, and on February 12, 1945, General de Monabert decorated him with the Croix de Guerre with Bronze Star for "gallantly carrying out liaison duties in enemy territory."

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### 'The Bug' goes free

TRENTON, NEW JERSEY, Tues. (AP) — Charles (The Bug) Workman walked out the front door of New Jersey's state penitentiary today, ending 23 years' imprisonment for the gangland execution of Dutch Schultz, prohibition era beer baron here.

### COURTESY CALL

Foreign Minister Stavros Costopoulos yesterday paid a courtesy visit to Spanish Foreign Minister Fernando Castiella, who arrived in Athens for the funeral of King Paul.

### LOAD LIGHTENED

More than 100 Civil Servants, military men, and employees of public and private organizations who, about ten years ago, had been transferred to the Ministry to the Prime Minister, have been recalled to their original services, by decision of the Minister, Andreas Papandreu. The Minister has ascertained that these people have never really worked for the Ministry on official statement said yesterday.

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There were to be further occasions for rejoicing among the warm-hearted, loyal Monegasques. In January, 1957, Princess Grace gave birth to Caroline Louise Marguerite. In a message to the people over Radio Monte Carlo, Prince Rainier declared, "With us, give thanks to God and rejoice."

Despite their pleasure, the Monegasques could not hide their disappointment that the child was not a boy. They did not have long to wait. On Friday, March 14, 1958, it was announced that a male heir had been born at ten-forty-eight that morning.

From an upper window in Monaco's Palace a woman shouted excitedly, "It's a boy!" The Prince toasted the new arrival in champagne. The child was christened Albert Alexander Louis Peter, and will succeed his father as Monaco's reigning prince, with the title of Albert II.

It was in the following January that the Principality received its first serious shock that all was not well with the Constitution. In a surprise early morning broadcast, Prince Rainier announced that he had dissolved the National Council, an elected body of thirty-six members. He accused them of "periodically submitting me to blackmail."

A bigger crisis, which threatened the existence of Monaco, came last year, when President De Gaulle ordered the suspension of the "Good Neighbour" treaty of 1951 between France and the Principality.

The quarrel flared up when Prince Rainier blocked the sale to France of seventy-four thousand shares in the company that controls Monte Carlo television. (The ruling angered M. Pelletier, who was responsible to France under treaty arrangements, though he acted as Monaco's Prime Minister. A slanging match between the two took place in Rainier's Palace. The upshot was that the Prince sacked Pelletier, who, it was reported, was so shattered by the dismissal that he retired to a clinic in Nice to recover.

Angered by Prince Rainier's arbitrary action, De Gaulle sent off an unprecedented stiff protest to Monaco's ruler. The French Government went a step further, threatening Monaco with economic strangulation unless it aligned its tax system with that of France.

That was the hardest blow of all to the little Mediterranean state which is entirely surrounded by French territory. Without French support it would have to become economically self-supporting.

"The measures France can take against us for not accepting her fiscal system will harm us, but not do away with us," declared Prince Rainier.

Last February, a compromise was reached — a compromise which, one felt, was definitely in favour of De Gaulle. Prince Rainier, after a nine-month battle against French demands, agreed to give France's President almost everything he wanted.

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## THE FUNERAL PROGRAM

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will come next, followed by Crown Princess Irene, Princess Sophia, Prince Peter, Prince Michael and Prince Don Juan Carlos of Asturias.

King Constantine's Marshal and his Aide-de-Camp will come next followed by leaders and delegations of foreign countries, the Prime Minister, Parliament President, Cabinet members, foreign Ambassadors in Athens, political party leaders and other officials.

Upon arriving at the crossroad of Vassilissis Sophias and Vassileos Constantinou Avenue, the procession will stop and the coffin containing the King's body will be laid on an armored relic to be taken to Tatoi for burial.

Members of the Royal Family, foreign monarchs and official delegations, the Prime Minister and the president of Parliament will accompany the procession to Tatoi, while the rest of the procession will disperse.

### SHOPS CLOSED

All shops, offices, public services, courts, theaters, cinemas, schools and banks will remain closed in Athens tomorrow as a sign of mourning for King Paul.

Masses of requiem in memory of the late King will be held all over the country at the time of the funeral.

In Salonika, Minister for Northern Greece K. Taliadouris, all local civilian and military authorities, members of foreign missions and the population, will attend a Mass of requiem officiated by Bishop of Salonika Pandeleimon, at 10 a.m. tomorrow.

Several foreign chiefs of state and dignitaries have already arrived or are expected in Athens today to attend the funeral of King Paul. Those who arrived today include: The Duke of Aosta, King Umberto, Princess Theodora of Baden, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Spain Fernando Castiella and his wife, representatives of Yugoslavia Speaker of the House Kardelj and Vice-President Zekovic.

Dignitaries who arrived yesterday include: Prince Loroton Kantol of Cambodia, the Ambassador of Afghanistan in Cairo, Crown Prince of Ethiopia Asfaw Wossen and an Ethiopian delegation, the Count of Barcelona, the Duke of Braganza, representatives of Yugoslavia, the Queen of Denmark and the Crown Princess of Denmark, the Countess de Paris, Princess Eugenia, Princess Tatiana, King Michael, Prince Peter Schleswig-Holstein, representative of Prince Fritz Holstein-Glücksburg, Duke Christian Ludwig Mecklenburg and Prince Nikolai Romanoff.

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Ministerpräsident Lübke, Secretary of State von Hennerth, Chief of Protocol von Hölleben, Prince of Liechtenstein, representatives of the King of Jordan, Ambassador Ekl H. Sati, Chief of Protocol, Minister Plenipotentiary Hassan Ibrahim, representative of Iceland Ambassador M. Magnusson, Queen of Holland, Prince Bernhard of Holland, Representatives of Germany: Prime Minister of Bavaria Goppel, Chief of Protocol Baron von Brandt, Counselor Seibrock and 4-5 other persons, the Duke of Bavaria, Prince Max, Count Herring, the brother of the Shah of Iran, the President of the Austrian Parliament, and French Foreign Minister Couve de Merville.

Official delegates of Scout corps from Canada and Cyprus are also expected in Athens today.

## CYPRUS

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Denktas, President of the Turkish communal chamber on Cyprus, told a news conference.

Denktas, who described himself as the "right-hand man" of Fawzi Kuchuk, Turkish vice president of Cyprus, came to Washington from the United Nations where he explained the position of the Turkish minority on the island.

On Cyprus itself, Turkish Cypriots surrendered of the battle-torn village of Malla on the southern slopes of the Troodos mountains today, according to a Cyprus government spokesman.

They were handing in their arms and agreed to "place themselves under the protection of the government forces", the spokesman announced.

Government forces were in control of the situation, he said.

The Turkish Cypriots handed over 27 shotguns, 29 rifles, one Bren gun, two stenguns and 65 hand grenades.

## Persian arrested for bank theft

A Persian merchant, Mohamed Kanad Kargam Hu, 46, was arrested for stealing 20,000 drs from the pocket of Constantine Macheridis, in front of a counter of a Salonika bank Monday.

The arrested man had arrived at the bank early in the morning and he stood inside the hall following the movement of customers.

He was arrested by bank policemen, who had spotted him while he had his hand in the pocket of Macheridis.

The Persian was taken to the Prosecutor, who remanded him in custody pending his trial.

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### Athens To Witness

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From there, cars will carry the body, the Royal Family, heads of state, and Greek and foreign government representatives to Tatol Palace, where King Paul will be buried.

A huge crowd is going to watch the beloved monarch on his way to the burial ground.

Prior to the procession, there will be a funeral service at the Athens Cathedral according to the manner of the Greek Orthodox Church. The service and the procession thereafter will be attended by the Royal Family, the Government and the Greek and foreign VPI's who have specially arrived in Athens.

Thousands of people continued until midnight last night to file by King Paul's coffin lying in state at the Athens Cathedral.

Despite the cold many people were queuing outside the cathedral at 3 a.m. yesterday while crowds were thick in the morning and afternoon.

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«I regret that lately there has been very little of either cooperation or goodwill.»

## France : Cyprus An Artificial State

PARIS, March 11, Reuter — The French Cabinet met under President de Gaulle today and considered the Cyprus situation.

The Foreign Minister M. Maurice Couve de Murville reported on Cyprus.

Afterwards the Minister of Information, M. Alain Peyrefitte, said the French Government considered the existing Cyprus Constitution was the origin of the trouble on the island and a solution would have to be looked for outside the constitution.

M. Peyrefitte told reporters the constitution created «a hybrid situation.» A state had been set up with Greeks and Turks «who do not appear made for constituting a state.»

#### POSITION

Observers here said the meeting today appeared to be another cautious step by President de Gaulle in preparing the French Government to take a hand in the Cyprus problem.

French diplomatic thinking about the Cyprus problem centers around two main considerations:

1. The State of Cyprus is an artificial creation and there are no «Cyprits» in any real sense. The island is simply inhabited by Greeks and Turks.

2. French diplomats consider it would be useful to re-examine the notion of Cyprus's strategic importance as a Western military base to see whether it is still genuinely necessary.

Mr. Sandys went on: «When our troops have tried to separate the combatants and to protect one group from attack by another, they have been accused of partiality and have been bitterly abused by the press and radio.

«As recent incidents show, it has now reached the point where British troops, while attempting to discharge their duty, are held up by Greek Cypriot police and the Turkish minority generally as rebels who must be forced into submission.»

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Diplomats said there was an agreement between Britain and the United States to make heavy contributions to the initial \$6 million estimated by Thant as necessary to launch the operation.

## PAPANDREOU EXPRESSES GRATITUDE TO TRUMAN

At a dinner that Prime Minister Papandreou gave in honor of former US President Mr. Harry S. Truman, the former expressed the gratitude of the nation because at a critical moment Mr. Truman helped Greece to retain her liberty.

«The genius and generosity of the American policy saved the free world at that time», he said.

Mr. Truman confirmed he has not come to Greece for political discussions, but to partake in the mourning for King Paul.

He announced to Mr. Papandreou that he intends to return to Greece with his family.

## STOP PRESS

LONDON, March 11 (AP) — All NATO planes flying over Soviet security areas «will be destroyed with the use of all the necessary means of defenses if they fail to carry out orders to land», Tass news agency said Wednesday.

## TODAY'S WEATHER

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His Royal Highness Prince Michael escorts Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson from the field after America's first lady and other members of the official United States delegation to King Paul's funeral arrived Wednesday morning at Hellenikon Airport. American Ambassador to Greece Henry R. Labouisse, far right, accompanies the pair. Harry S. Truman can be seen between Mrs. Johnson and Prince Michael.

## MRS. JOHNSON AND TRUMAN COME TO PAY LAST RESPECTS

Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, the U.S. Presidents' wife, and former President Harry S. Truman arrived here yesterday morning on a White House plane to head the American delegation at King Paul's funeral.

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Ambassador in Rome of Algeria representing the state of Algeria; the representative of the National Assembly of Bulgaria, Mr. N. Gueorulev; the Ambassador of Malaya in Rome representing Malaya; Mr. Ch. Drury representing the Prime Minister of Canada; the Secretary of the Supreme Soviet Mr. Geogatzke; the Patriarch of Jerusalem; a representative of the Patriarch of Antioch; and Mr. Rey as representative of the European Economic Community.

# COME TO PAY LAST RESPECTS

Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, the U.S. Presidents' wife, and former President Harry S. Truman arrived here yesterday morning on a White House plane to head the American delegation at King Paul's funeral.

The group included the Archbishop of North and South America Iakovos, the Greek-American representative Mr. Bredimas, Mr. Truman's son-in-law, Mr. Clifton Daniel, a newspaperman, Mr. Manatos of Mr. Johnson's Office, and Mr. Robert Schott of the Greek Desk at the State Department.

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A wreath of iris and red carnations from President and Mrs. Johnson will be laid at the burial place of King Paul following his interment at Tatoi today.

Mrs. Johnson lunched yesterday with Mrs. Henry R. Labouisse, wife of the American Ambassador to Greece, and with the following ladies: Mrs. Angier Biddle Duke, Mrs. Elizabeth Carpenter, Mrs. H.D. Brewster, and Mrs. John Maury.

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## France : Cyprus An Artificial State

PARIS, March 11, Reuter — The French Cabinet met under President de Gaulle today and considered the Cyprus situation.

The Foreign Minister M. Maurice Couve de Murville reported on Cyprus.

Afterwards the Minister of Information, M. Alain Peyrefitte, said the French Government considered the existing Cyprus Constitution was the origin of the trouble on the island and a solution would have to be looked for outside the constitution.

M. Peyrefitte told reporters the constitution created a hybrid situation. A state had been set up with Greeks and Turks who do not appear made for constituting a state.

## POSITION

Observers here said the meeting today appeared to be another cautious step by President de Gaulle in preparing the French Government to take a stand in the Cyprus problem.

French diplomatic thinking about the Cyprus problem centers around two main considerations:

1. The State of Cyprus is an artificial creation and there are no 'Cyprits' in any real sense. The island is simply inhabited by Greeks and Turks.

2. French diplomats consider it would be useful to re-examine the notion of Cyprus's strategic importance as a Western military base to see whether it is still genuinely necessary.

Mr. Sandys went on: "When our troops have tried to separate the combatants and to protect one group from attack by another, they have been accused of partiality and have been bitterly abused by the press and radio."

"As recent incidents show, it has now reached the point where British troops, while attempting to discharge their duty, are held up by Greek Cypriot police and the Turkish minority generally as rebels who must be forced into submission."

"Both communities have at one time or another acted in a provocative and unconstitutional manner and neither claim has legal authority to impose its rights."

"In any case this is no time to argue about legal rights and wrongs. Cyprus is in a state verging on civil war."

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## PAPANDREOU EXPRESSES GRATITUDE TO TRUMAN

At a dinner that Prime Minister Papandreou gave in honor of former US President Mr. Harry S. Truman, the former expressed the gratitude of the nation because at a critical moment Mr. Truman helped Greece to retain her liberty.

"The genius and generosity of the American policy saved the free world at that time," he said.

Mr. Truman confirmed he has not come to Greece for political discussions, but to partake in the mourning for King Paul.

He announced to Mr. Papandreou that he intends to return to Greece with his family.

## STOP PRESS

LONDON, March 11 (AP) — All NATO planes flying over Soviet security areas will be destroyed with the use of all the necessary means of defense if they fail to carry out orders to land, Tass news agency said Wednesday.

## STATEMENTS

In a recorded television and radio statement made in the Hilton Hotel, Mrs. Johnson said.

"I have come here to represent my husband, President Johnson. He long regarded King Paul as his friend, whom he admired greatly. He has asked me to bring his personal message of sympathy to Queen Frederika and the Royal Family and to all the Greek people his sorrow at the passing of your beloved King."



The former US President Mr. Harry S. Truman said: "It is a great event for me to be with you even in this



Prince Philip, the Duke of Edinburgh, with Crown Princess Irene.

# King Paul's Funeral

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on the dead King at the Cathedral. Those wishing to lay wreaths can deliver them to a special service at the gate of the Tatoi palace from 4 p.m. today till the evening.

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In Paris today a memorial service will be held in the Greek Orthodox Church for King Paul. The memorial service will be attended by the French President General Charles de Gaulle, who was unable to come to Greece to attend the funeral due to state commitments.

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All vehicles in the country will stand still from 10 to 10:05 this morning in memory of King Paul.

The funeral service starts at 10.

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Boy Scouts at Pyrgos, Vasilissa will plant a cypress tree tomorrow exactly at the time of King Paul's burial.

The ceremony will take place on the top of the hill which King Paul granted to the Boy Scouts for a training center.

King Paul was the chief of the Greek Boy Scout Corps.

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In recognition of the fact that the late King Paul of the Hellenes held the rank of honorary Admiral in the British Royal Navy, the Admiralty have ordered that the Commander-in-Chief Mediterranean, Sir John G. Hamilton, K.B.E., C.B.E., Royal Navy, should represent them at the funeral. Sir John Hamilton will arrive in Thessalonika flying his flag in the destroyer HMS «Diamond» at 7 a.m. on Thursday, 12 March and was scheduled to leave by air in the afternoon. HMS «Diamond» will sail the same day.

## MRS. JOHNSON

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Prime Minister George Papandreou invited President Truman and Ambassador Laboulais to his house in Kastrí for lunch. Ambassador and Mrs. Laboulais hosted a small supper at their residence last night for the U.S. delegation to the funeral.

President Truman, Ambassador Laboulais, General Harry Vaughn and Mr. Truman's son-in-law Mr. Daniel, went to the Acropolis yesterday morning. They were guided there and at the Agora by Mrs. Henry Robinson, wife of the Director of the American School of Classical Studies of Athens.



From left to right: U.S. Ambassador Mr. Henry Laboulais, Foreign Minister Mr. St. Kostas Topoulas, former U.S. President Mr. Harry S. Truman, Prime Minister Mr. G. Papandreou and the Minister to the Prime Minister Mr. A. Papandreou.

# Harry S. Truman Visits The Greece He Helped Keep Free

A strange coincidence of history brought Harry S. Truman to Greece today, 17 years after he signed the historic document which made a living thing of the Truman Doctrine.

President Truman and the first lady of the United States Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, are here to represent President Johnson at the funeral of the late King Paul.

It is a long time since March 12, 1947, and Greece is no lon-

ger in the grip of a savage civil war.

The Truman Doctrine, most historians agree today, changed the course of European history, for it, along with the Marshall Plan and the creation of NATO, was one of the major factors in halting the post-war Communist advance in Europe.

Mr. Truman was worried in 1947 about the security of Greece, and of Turkey. It will be recalled that shortly after Greece's liberation in 1944, Communist revolt had broken out and in the immediate post-war years Greece was torn by armed conflict. President Truman asked the Congress of the

United States to send help to Greece, which had already fought another bloody war against a different tyranny.

The American law proposed in the Truman Doctrine was passed by the U.S. Congress on March 22, 1947. Only five years later President Truman was able to report success. He told the Congress then: «The mutual security program is based on solid foundations.»

And yesterday, nearly 80-years-old, with American Ambassador Henry R. Laboulais, President Truman paid a sentimental journey; he walked up to the Acropolis, and looked at the beautiful, free and shining city of Athens.

## Athens Hotels

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## HENRY LODGE SWEEPS NEW HAMPSHIRE PRIMARY

CONCORD, New Hampshire, March 11 (AP) — Henry Cabot Lodge, undisciplined candidate, won today in an Ambassador's post had a wild way, swept New Hampshire's start-off Presidential primary with a smashing write-in vote.

On the basis of complete returns from 302 precincts, Lodge scooped up 35 per cent of the vote — the margin that Senator Barry Goldwater had said was needed to score a true victory in the balloting.

Lodge's victory was deemed certain to result in a reshuffling of the Republican Presidential cards.

In far-off Saigon, where he is the U.S. Ambassador to Vietnam Lodge said he did not intend to resign his post despite his upset victory in the nation's first test of Republican sentiment.

Richard M. Nixon 15,752; Sen. Margaret Chase Smith 2,812; Harold G. Stassen 1,385.

## Three U.S. Crew-Members Are Alive

FRANKFURT, March 11 — (AP). — The three crew-members of the U.S. Air Force RB-66 shot down over East Germany by a Soviet fighter are alive and only one of them is slightly injured, an East German source said Wednesday.

A nurse at Gardelegen hospital said one of the three American officers was admitted to the hospital Thursday.

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TODAY'S WEATHER — PARIS: Cloudy. LONDON: Variable. ROME: Variable. BERLIN: Morning haze. NEW YORK: Cloudy. CHAMNEL: Choppy. Details Page 2.

## Truman and Mrs. Johnson Arrive for Paul's Funeral



Former President Truman and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson on arrival in Athens yesterday. Associated Press Wirephoto

Special to The New York Times.  
**ATHENS, March 11** — Professor K. Thomas Doxiadis, the late King Paul's personal physician, said today the Greek monarch had died of an incurable disease. Prof. Doxiadis refused to identify

the ailment, but he said it had removed all hope of the 62-year-old king's recovery. [Former President Harry S. Truman and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson arrived in Athens Wednesday as the representatives of President Johnson.

at King Paul's funeral Thursday. The Associated Press reported.] The doctor's statement appeared in an interview in the Athens morning newspaper Acropolis. He said... Continued on Page 2, Column 3.

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## Truman and Mrs. Johnson Arrive In Athens for King Paul's Rites

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he was drafting a full report on King Paul's case at the request of King Constantine, King Paul's son and successor. Prof. Doxiadis was one of three physicians who treated King Paul. He had been the late King's personal doctor since 1950.

Prof. Doxiadis said, "It is my sacred duty both to the royal family and the nation's history to prepare the report." He said it would be ready in a few days.

The palace and the three royal physicians were criticized sharply by the press for giving out too little information about King Paul's illness. The medical report attached to the death certificate said the king had died of uremia, a kidney complication. According to medical experts this was a result rather than the cause of his ailment.

King Paul was operated on "successfully" Feb. 11 for what was officially described as a stomach ulcer. Medical bulletins said he was making progress until March 1, when blood clotting was reported in his leg and lungs.

Little was reported after that until his death Friday.

Truman, Mrs. Johnson Land

ATHENS, March 11 (AP)—Former President Harry S. Truman and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson arrived today to represent President Johnson at the funeral of King Paul. They led an official seven-member delegation from the United States.

Henry Labouisse, United States ambassador to Greece, welcomed the delegation as the Presidential plane landed at Athens airport this morning.

This was the first visit to Greece for the former President, whose Truman Doctrine of aid after World War II bolstered the Greek Government during the civil war with Communist guerrillas.

For Mrs. Johnson it was her first mission for the President and her first trip abroad since the death of President Kennedy.

Prince Philip, husband of Queen Elizabeth II of England, also arrived in Athens for the funeral. King Paul was the prince's cousin. Prince Philip had delayed his departure for the birth of Queen Elizabeth's fourth child, a boy, Tuesday night.

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## WORLD LEADERS ARRIVE TO PAY THEIR LAST RESPECTS AT KING PAUL'S FUNERAL

As thousands of Athenians yesterday queued outside the Cathedral, patiently waiting for their turn to enter and cross themselves in front of the body of the late King, foreign royalty and other high dignitaries from all over the world were arriving in Athens to join the Greek people in paying the last tributes at the funeral procession this morning.

The funeral service will start in Athens Cathedral at 10 o'clock this morning. It will be officiated by Archbishop of Athens and All Greece Chrysostomos, assisted by other members of the Holy Synod.

At the conclusion of the burial service the body of the late King, who died last Friday at the age of 62, of uremia following complications after a stomach ulcer opera-

tion, will be placed on a gun-carriage.

The funeral cortege will proceed by way of Evangelistrias and Ermou streets, Constitution Square, George I Street and Queen Sophia Avenue to the intersection with Vasileos Constantinou Avenue (Athens Hilton).

The procession will be led by a detachment of policemen headed by the chief of the Athens Police. Next will come a representative contingent of the Greek Scouts Corps, a military band, contingents of the Army, Naval, Air Force and Gen-darmerie Cadet schools, a company of the Royal Cretan Guard, court officials, clergymen and the Archbishop.

The gun-carriage carrying the King's coffin will be drawn by sailors of the Royal Greek Navy and flanked by a company of Royal Evzone guards in pairs on each side.

It will be followed by the King's personal servants, chauffeur, huntsman and horse.

King Constantine and his mother, Queen Frederika will come next followed by Crown Princess Irene, Princess Sophia, Prince Peter, Prince Michael and Prince Don Juan Carlos of Asturias.

King Constantine's Marshal and his Aide-de-Camp will come next, followed by leaders and delegations of foreign countries, the Prime Minister, Parliament President Cabinet

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## TROOPS CLOSE ON NICOSIA: "MAJOR BATTLE IMMINENT"

NICOSIA, Wed., (UPI Re) — Turkish troops based in Cyprus moved up close to Nicosia today as Turkey formally threatened intervention on this island and Greek Cypriots moved to wipe out the vital truce zone separating warring factions in this tense capital.

While a major battle appeared imminent here, reports from Istanbul said two Soviet destroyers had passed through the Bosphorus from the Black Sea en route to the troubled Eastern Mediterranean this morning. An hour later, the reports said, warships of the U.S. 6th Fleet left Istanbul for the Mediterranean.

A highly placed British source said tonight the Greek Cypriots had officially and unilaterally abrogated the "green line agreement" under which a 100-yard wide truce zone was set up last December to keep warring Greek and Turkish Cypriots apart.

The sources said there were in-

Nicosia area. The British, beleaguered in their efforts to keep the peace, fortified their Nicosia headquarters with antitank guns and heavy machineguns.

In other developments:

—The Turkish Government warned the United States and Britain in formal notes that its forces would intervene on battle torn Cyprus unless an international peace keeping force arrived there quickly.

—At the United Nations, where Secretary General Thant was holding crisis talks, reliable sources said the United States had agreed to pay part of the cost of the Cyprus peace-keeping operation to open the way for dispatch of a U.N. force to the island.

Such an international force was authorized in a recent resolution voted by the U.N. security council.

—In London, Britain also called for a speed-up in forming an inter-

King Constantine gre



His Royal Highness Constantine II, King of Greece, escorted by Mrs. Constantine, from the Hellenikon. Right: King Constantine II, President of the Hellenikon, in place after the funeral.

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King Constantine greets his future father-in-law, King Frederik of Denmark, upon his arrival in Athens yesterday.



Above: His Royal Highness, Prince Michael, escorts Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson from the field after her arrival at Hellenikon Airport yesterday. Right: King Constantine accompanies President Makarios from his plane after his arrival from Cyprus.

## LOST AND FOUND

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Five minutes later he found another box packed with notes and marked "£875." Before he could recover from the shock of these two discoveries, he had found a large coffee tin which he afterwards said was "crammed to bursting point with notes." The total value of his finds was £2,400.

In 1958 a Luton newly-married couple bought a chest of drawers

for 30 shillings. It turned out to be a treasure chest, for the drawers were stuffed with banknotes worth £1,105.

The same year a box containing jewels worth about £500 was recovered from the rubbish dump belonging to Brentwood Council and returned to its owner, a housewife.

She had hidden the box in a waste-paper basket because of robberies in the district. Her domestic help, not knowing what the basket contained, flung the contents into a salvage bag. A short time later a dustman arrived and took it away. Two policemen and about a dozen dustmen searched for an hour before it was found.

Some years ago a South London housewife began to get annoyed about the old dustbin that was wedged in the corner of the shed beneath a pile of rags and junk. She always used another dustbin for household rubbish, and could never understand why her husband would not put out the bin in the shed.

One morning she asked the dustman to empty the old bin as well. How could she have known that her eccentric husband kept his savings in it and that as the pile of rags went into the dustcart, more than £150 went, too?

The husband did not discover his loss till next day. He rushed to the council offices, to find that the refuse was at the dump. A search went on for hours. Just as the men at the dump were due to finish for the day, the money was found intact. Next day the owner put it in a bank!

## N.A.S.A. to negotiate with TWA for space center contract

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration announced that it will negotiate with Trans World Airlines for a contract to provide base support services at the John F. Kennedy space center at Merritt Island, Florida.

A single contract will be awarded to TWA for an initial period of one year with certain renewal provisions expected for each of the following two years. Value of the contract for the first year is expected to exceed 7 million dollars. TWA was selected from 20 firms which submitted proposals.

Services to be provided under the contract are general maintenance and utilities operations, supply operations, fire protection and prevention, security and medical.

Charles C. Tillinghast Jr., president of TWA, said he was gratified that the National Aeronautics and Space Agency has expressed confidence in TWA by awarding it the contract for support services in connection with the Apollo moon launch project at the John F. Kennedy space center. "This offers TWA a further welcome opportunity to broaden its area of public service," Mr. Tillinghast declared.

According to the Space Agency two methods of contracting will be followed in awarding a single contract cost-plus-awardfee for supply operations and general maintenance and utilities and a fixed price for the remaining services.

The base support services contract is one of four basic service contracts which will provide the administration operational and maintenance support for operation of the John F. Kennedy space center. The other three services contracts are launch support services, administrative and management services and communications.

Contracts have been awarded for communications and administrative and management services. Proposals have been received for launch support services and a contract is expected to be awarded in early spring.

The John F. Kennedy space center NASA will have 50 buildings on 88,000 acres. It is the operations base from which project Apollo astronauts will be launched on earth orbital and lunar missions.

### BRITISH COUNCIL

Robert Aiddell, Lecturer in the English Department of the University of Athens, will deliver the third of his series of four lectures on "Approaches to Shakespeare" at 7 p.m. Room of the British Council, 8 Ermou Street. (The subject of this lecture will be "Interpretation." Entrance is free.



HANDSHAKES AND SMILES from Harry S. Truman, U.S. Ambassador, Stavros Costopoulos, Foreign Minister, and Andreas Papandreu, Minister to the Prime Minister.

## Athens Press Re

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but also worldwide. And the Greek people have given a particular attention to these dissonances. Of these the most serious has, according to the paper, been the disrespectful stand taken by an important section of the British press towards the Royal Family, and especially Queen Mother Frederika, and even towards the memory of the still unburied King of the Hellenes. The paper further refers to the incidents which were caused against Queen Frederika, and later against the Royal Couple, in London last year, and states that this stand of the British press should not be isolated from the entire British policy towards Greece today. The peevish and belittling comments of the British newspapers are in line with the policy Britain has drawn up towards Greece because of the Cyprus question. All these, and the stand the London government has taken on the Cyprus issue, are not just isolated events, but constitute the manifestation of a concrete policy towards this country. The second dissonance, in the paper's view, has been the attacks of irresponsible sources, against the doctors of the late King Paul and particularly against Professor Thomas Doxiades whose absolute devotion to the late King and absolute efficiency are well known. The third question which has been raised is that of the title to be accorded to the Queen Mother. We think, states the paper, that this question should not have provoked public discussions and disputes. This is a question which concerns mainly the country's responsible government, which, we do not doubt, will study this matter and make the necessary recommendation in a responsible way. As far as we are concerned, remarks the paper, we do not see

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Truth as a virtue is pure and simple. The hard facts of life very often are neither. It is one thing to report the facts. It is quite another to fight for the truth — until the truth stands up for you. . . . For being among the first to report the truth about Castro, this reporter was the target for familiar abuse. Among the defamers was a iv personality who defended Castro and attacked us for reporting facts.

Incidentally, the Herbert L. Matthews story is not the first time the N. Y. Times was guilty of a giant blunder. This is the same newspaper that thought Hitler was washed up in 1932.

Recently the Journal-American reported: "The validating of Matthews' passport for his present trip to Cuba is due to be linked in the investigation of the Senate Internal Security subcommittee into the case of Otto Otepka. Mr. Otepka, top security official in the State Dept., was fired, according to the subcommittee, for an adverse report on Wieland because of his pro-Castro activities."

### RATES OF EXCHANGE

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Canada Dollar	" 27.36
Swiss Franc	" 6.91
French New Franc	" 6.091
Belgian Franc	" 0.400
German Mark	" 7.49
Italian Lira	" 0.047
Austrian Shilling	" 1.15
Spanish Peseta	" 0.48
Yugoslavian Dinar	" 8.35

### "GREAT EVENT FOR ME" — TRUMAN

Former U.S. President Harry S. Truman, in a recorded television and radio statement made in the Hilton Hotel in Athens yesterday, said:

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She had hidden the box in a  
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Two policemen and about a dozen  
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Some years ago a South London  
housewife began to get annoyed a-  
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ged in the corner of the shed be-  
neath a pile of rags and junk. She  
always used another dustbin for  
household rubbish, and could never  
understand why her husband would  
not put out the bin in the shed.

One morning she asked the dust  
man to empty the old bin as well.  
How could she have known that her  
eccentric husband kept his savings  
in it and that as the pile of rags  
went into the dustcart, more than  
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He also said that he had submitted his resignation to the new King, which, however, was not accepted.

The Greek press is urging that the report on the causes of King Paul's death be made public. Several papers yesterday submitted a series of questions in connection with ailment and the death of the late monarch.

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Why, if the ailment was not cancer, were British cancer specialists invited here? Did the two foreign doctors recommend the operation or did they support that it was of no use, in order to avoid speeding up the fatal issue, as happens in several cases?

Why was the public only told of the symptoms of King Paul's ailment and not the exact nature of the disease?

Asked about the Doxiades report, Prime Minister Papandreou said yesterday that he has not yet received the report, but added that the government will not remain indifferent to the matter.

**LUNCH IN HIS HONOR**

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Follow six hymns, called "Bless- ings", because the verse 12 of the 119 Psalm precedes four of them. The Hymns urge us to regain through repentance, the Paradise lost to us. Eight hymns of the famous writer of hymns John of Damascus (750-750 A.D.) follow, in these he reminds us of the vanity of all things tem- poral and of the eternal value of heavenly riches.

After the "Beatitudes" of the Lord and the Readings from the Bible (I. Thessalonians 4,13-17 and John 8, 24-30) a collect is said by the offici- ating clergyman, which brings the whole service to the dismissal hymn. In this all those present are urged to give their last kiss to the dead in thankfulness to God, because the departed is hurrying towards the grave, where he will be free from all the concerns of his trouble.

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**GREAT EVENT FOR ME" — TRUMAN**  
U.S. President Harry S. in a recorded television and tement made in the Hilton Athens yesterday, said : a great event for me to be even in this time of sorrow pathy. That is what I am We were all exceedingly hear of the death of the ig of Greece. We are here uture to his memory leaving erything that we had to do, as sorry as I can be that been to Greece before. But t my fault, I haven't had ntunity."

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Members of the Royal Family, foreign monarchs and official dele- gations, the Prime Minister and the president of Parliament will accom- pany the procession to Tatoi, while the rest of the procession will dis- perse.  
The office of the King's Grand Marshal announced yesterday that no wreaths will be laid on the cof- fin of King Paul in the cathedral. Those wishing to lay wreaths may hand them over to a special serv- ice at the central gate of the Ta- toi Palace after 4 p.m. The Nation- al Bank of Greece has announced that up to yesterday donations of- fered to the special account opened in memory of the late King, a- mounted to 35,100 drs.  
Yesterday morning and afternoon prayers were held in front of the King's coffin. King Constantine, his mother Queen Frederika and other members of the Royal Family were present.  
Foreign Royalty and other high dignitaries who arrived in Athens yesterday included:  
Former President H. Truman, Mrs. Lyndon Johnson, Prince Tomislav, Archbishop Makarios, Minister of Foreign Affairs of Cyprus M. Ky- prianou, King Symeon, President of the Italian Parliament Mr. Br. Buc- ciarelli Ducci, Senator and Minister Attilio Piccioni, Gen. de C.A.E. Scot-

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In recognition of the fact that the late King Paul of the Hellenes held the rank of honorary Admiral in the British Royal Navy, the Ad- miralty have ordered that the Com- mander-in-Chief Mediterranean, Sir John G. Hamilton, K.B.E., C.B.E., Royal Navy, should represent them at the funeral Sir John Hamilton will arrive in Phaleron bay flying his flag in the destroyer HMS "Dia- mond" at 7 p.m. today and will leave by air in the afternoon. HMS "Diamond" will sail the same day.

sing of eighteen verses from the Psalm 119. This is divided in three parts and after each part a litany by the deacon follows, in which we beseech the Lord, the immortal King, to grant peace to the soul of the "sleeping", to forgive all his trespasses and to take his soul in- to the Kingdom of Heaven, where the righteous rest. Then, the pre- siding bishop or priest, turning to Christ, confirms our litany and says that we are turning to Him because He is the Resurrection, the life and the Rest of our bodies and souls.  
Follow six hymns, called "Bless- ings", because the verse 12 of the 119 Psalm precedes four of them. The Hymns urge us to regain through repentance, the Paradise lost to us. Eight hymns of the famous writer of hymns John of Damascus (675- 750 A.D.) follow, in these he reminds us of the vanity of all things tem- poral and of the eternal value of heavenly riches.  
After the "Beatitudes" of the Lord and the Readings from the Bible (I. Thessalonians 4,13-17 and John 5, 24-30) a collect is said by the offi- ciating clergyman, which brings the whole service to the dismissal hymn. In this all those present are urged to give their last kiss to the dead in thankfulness to God, becau- the departed is hurrying towards the grave, where he will be free from all the concerns of his troubl- ed flesh, through the peace and the rest which, we pray, the Lord, will give him in the Eternal Life. The Greek Orthodox Church knows only one Burial Service for all laymen.  
One of the hymns of this Service says: There is no difference be- tween King and soldier, rich and poor, just and sinner.

**MARY HAWORTH'S MAIL**  
Continued from page 4—  
gining to dawn in their guarded ex- change.  
As the story ends, we sense that they have passed the crisis of sick- sick self-rejection and rejection of life, and are heading towards re- covery — which needn't consist in being like other people, but rather in being themselves, harmoniously, with a live-and-let-live acceptance of valid human differences.  
The moral of the tale, applicable to you, is that emotionally disturbed youngsters (such as your daughter seems to be) need analytic help, and their parents need parent-education from the same source, to solve their mutual heartache.  
M. H.  
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## Truman and Mrs. Johnson Off for Funeral of King Paul



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Former President Harry S. Truman and Mrs. Johnson, just before they left for Athens, with President outside White House. Behind Mr. Johnson is Secretary of State Rusk.

Special to The New York Times

WASHINGTON, March 10 —Former President Harry S. Truman talked with President Johnson at the White House today before leaving for Athens where he and Mrs. Johnson will represent the President at the funeral of King Paul of Greece on Thursday.

Mr. Truman was ac-

companied by Clifton Daniel, an assistant managing editor of The New York Times, his son-in-law, and Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan, his former military aide.

Mr. Truman would not comment on his discussion with the President.

Special to The New York Times

ATHENS, March 10—Silent

crowds filled today past the body of King Paul, lying in state in the Metropolitan Church here, as royalty and dral here, as royalty and world leaders converged on Athens for the funeral.

Two requiem masses were said in the presence of King Constantine, 23-year-old son of King Paul.

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Prince Philip, Mrs. Johnson, wife of the American President, and Archbishop Makarios, President of Cyprus, in the cortege at the funeral in Athens yesterday of King Paul. (Another picture—P241)

## KING PAUL BURIED AT GREEK PALACE

Great and Humble Pay  
Tribute at Funeral

By DAVID BINDER  
Special to The New York Times

ATHENS, March 12 — Hundreds of thousands of Greeks paid tribute to King Paul today as his body was borne to the grave.

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## Representatives of Many Nations Attend the Funeral Service for King Paul and March in Procession



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#### No Funeral Oration

There was no funeral oration, as had been the tradition in ancient Attica. Still, there were touches of the past.

From the Marthex, or porch, of the Greek Metropolitan Church, the cathedral of Athens, where the funeral ceremony was held, one could see the Acropolis, golden in the morning sunlight.

Outside were 96 sailors ready to pull the gun carriage bearing the royal coffin, as if to symbolize the maritime power that raised Athens to ancient greatness.

King Paul, who died last Friday at the age of 52 of complications after surgery for an ulcer, had chosen a naval career more than 40 years ago.

The funeral service opened a few minutes after 10 A. M. in the soft light of the cathedral. Six ruling European monarchs and a hundred princes, premiers and presidents were assembled in the 111-year-old church when the Royal family entered.

Accompanied by King Constantine, the widowed Queen Frederika knelt twice at the catafalque to kiss the royal standard.

The 23-year-old King bent to touch his lips to the crown resting on top with two crossed swords and the field marshal's baton of his father.

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A choir intoned in deep bass the verses of the Byzantine requiem, Psalm 119, asking peace for the soul of the monarch. And the 84-year-old primate read the litany in a rich tenor.

The choir sang six hymns written by John of Damascus more than 12 centuries ago. Finally, the white-bearded Archbishop read from the Bible and joined in the last hymn urging the congregation to give one kiss to the dead.

Queen Frederika and her son knelt once more before the coffin. They were followed by Crown Princess Irene; her sister, Princess Sofia; the archbishop, and the court chaplain, Ieronymos Kotsonis.

To muffled drums the procession set off through downtown Athens, led by a detachment of policemen. The pace was 58 steps a minute, and every 80 seconds a cannon boomed from a mountain to the north.

The 90-minute procession wound past crowds estimated at close to a million.

After contingents of the military services and other units bearing war flags came aide-de-camp carrying velvet lows with the late King's orations. They were more than 100 bishops.



Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson and Archbishop Makarios, Cyprus



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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 1964

Mrs. Johnson and Mr. Truman Depart for King Paul's Funeral

## U.S. Mourners Leave for Greece

By Dorothy McCordle

MRS. Lyndon B. Johnson and former President Harry S. Truman, left Andrews Air Force Base at 4:45 p.m. yesterday to attend the funeral of King Paul, of Greece on Thursday as official representatives of the President.

President Johnson said Mrs. McCordle goodby to his wife on the South Lawn of the White House just before she boarded a helicopter for Andrews Air Force Base. The President kissed his wife on the cheek, and some said he had tears in his eyes over the farewell.

Mrs. Johnson carried with her hand-written letters of "sympathy and hope" from President Johnson to King Paul's widow, now Queen Mother Frederika, and to the new King Constantine, son of the late King Paul.

Mrs. Johnson was dressed all in black. Mr. Truman, wore a black overcoat over a grey suit, carried a black homburg in one hand and a black cane in the other.

They are due in Athens this morning and will return to Washington on Friday.

During her stay in

Athens, Mrs. Johnson will receive many heads of state who are attending the funeral. She met several of them when she and the then Vice President visited Scandinavia last year.

She took with her gifts for U.S. Ambassador to Greece and Mrs. Henry R. Labouisse—a crystal bowl for Mrs. Labouisse, the former Eve Curie, and a framed autographed photograph of President Johnson for Ambassador Labouisse.

Former President Truman was accompanied by his son-in-law, Clifton Daniel, and his former military aide, Gen. Harry Vaughn. U.S. Chief of Protocol and Mrs. Angier Bidle Duke and Greek Ambassador and Mrs. Alexander Matsas were in the official party. Elizabeth Carpenter, Press Secretary to Mrs. Johnson, went to handle press relations.

Others invited to accompany Mrs. Johnson in Air Force One were Archbishop Iakovos, Greek Orthodox Primate of North and South America, Rep. John Brademas (D-Ind.), Mike Manatos, John Plumides, president of the Ahepa, Greek philanthropic society. Dr. James Young, of the White House medical staff, also accompanied Mrs. Johnson.



**A FOND FAREWELL**—President Lyndon B. Johnson kissed Mrs. Johnson good-bye yesterday just before she entered a helicopter on the south lawn of the White House on the first stage of her journey

to Athens for the funeral of King Paul of Greece Thursday. Mrs. Johnson and her party, including former President Harry S. Truman,

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**TAKE-OFF FOR ATHENS** — President Johnson (right) escorted his wife and former President Harry S. Truman to the helicopter on the south lawn of the White House yesterday to see them off

to Andrews Air Force Base. They left by jet for the funeral of King Paul.

## Weather Forecast

District and Vicinity.—Clear tonight, low in middle 30s. Sunny tomorrow, with high around 48. Today's high, 49, at 2:40 p.m.; low, 34, at 4:20 a.m.

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# Hoffa Gets 8 Year

## House Rejects Move to Kill Own Pay Raise

**\$10,000 Clause Stays in Bill on Vote of 125 to 37**

By JOSEPH YOUNG  
Star Staff Writer

The House this afternoon rejected a move to eliminate the \$10,000-a-year Congressional pay raise from the Government salary bill.

The lopsided vote of 125 to 37 gave fresh encouragement to Government pay raise sponsors that the key congressional salary raise provision could be kept in the bill.

It was reported, however, that other amendments would be offered to trim the proposed \$10,000 congressional pay increase to \$7,500.

### Brought Into Line

Earlier this afternoon the House adopted an amendment to cut \$123 million from the Government pay bill. This would reduce the cost from \$668 million to \$545 million and bring it into line with President Johnson's pay budget requests to Congress.

The amendment, sponsored by Chairman Murray of the House Civil Service Committee, would not reduce the amount of pay raises for Government classified and postal employees that had been approved by his committee.

Rather, it struck out fringe benefits in the bill which would have given added within-step pay raises to postal workers and would have authorized a five-day week for postmasters.

The Murray amendment as adopted by the House also requires Government agencies to absorb 10 per cent of the pay raise cost.

### Predicts Approval

Representative Morrison, Democrat of Louisiana and co-floor manager of the bill, predicted that it would be approved by 75 votes if it came to a roll call. Sponsors as well as the Democratic leadership are seeking to avoid a roll-call vote which would place House members on record regarding the provision giving themselves a \$10,000 raise.



## AT GREEK KING'S FUNERAL

Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson and Britain's Prince Phillip walk in the funeral procession for King Paul in Athens today. (Story on Page A-10).—AP Wirephoto

## U. S. Demands Flyers' Return

**Denies Red Claim Of Spy Mission**

### BULLETIN

The United States called on Russia today to hand over "hostage" three Amer-

## More Aid for Viet Nam Promised by McNamara

**Defense Secretary Winds Up Trip, Calls Situation Serious, but Is Confident**

SAIGON, Viet Nam, Mar. 12 (AP).—Secretary of Defense McNamara warned tonight he had found the situation in Viet Nam serious but expressed confidence in victory over the fled guerrillas.

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## Star 3/12 P A-10 World Figures Present As King Paul Is Buried

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The dead King's son and successor, King Constantine, 23, walked with his weeping mother, Queen Frederika, and his sisters, Crown Princess Irene and Princess Sophie, behind the flag-draped coffin on a caisson pulled by sailors.

### Philip Attends

The foreign mourners were led by King Baudouin of Belgium, Queen Juliana of the Netherlands, King Frederik of Denmark, King Gustav of Sweden, and King Olav of Nor-

way. Only Queen Elizabeth II of Britain, who gave birth to her fourth child on Tuesday, was absent. Her husband, Prince Philip, represented her.

Nearly 800,000 Greeks lined the mile and a half route of the cortege through downtown Athens.

### Mrs. Johnson Walks

Former President Truman and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson represented the United States. Mr. Truman, who will be 80 May 8, rode in a car toward the rear of the procession. The American First Lady walked beside Prince Philip, husband of Britain's Queen Elizabeth II.

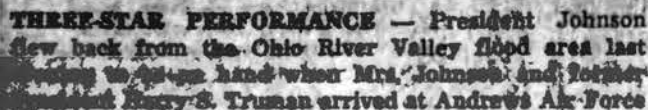
Walking with Mrs. Johnson and Philip were 17 other princes, eight princesses, seven dukes, two duchesses, two presidents—and envoys from Yugoslavia and the Soviet Union, Communist nations where royalty is considered a political curse.

In the line of march were former kings whose thrones no longer exist—Umberto of Italy, Michael of Romania and Simeon of Bulgaria.

King Paul died last Friday at Tatol Palace, 18 miles north of Athens, of uremia following stomach surgery. He was 62 and had reigned 17 years.

The mournful procession began after a 50-minute funeral service conducted by Archbishop Chrysostomos, primate of Greece, in the capital's Greek Orthodox cathedral where the body had lain in state since Monday.

At the conclusion of the service the King's 46-year-old widow knelt alone and kissed her husband's coffin.



Base by jet from Greece where they attended the funeral of King Paul. Here Mr. Truman watches the Greek Executive embrace Mrs. Johnson.

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After Escorting Mrs. Johnson From Greece

## HST Took Center of Stage

By Maxine Cheshire

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Base by jet from Greece where they attended the funeral of King Paul. Here Mr. Truman watches the Chief Executive embrace Mrs. Johnson.

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After Escorting Mrs. Johnson From Greece

# HST Took Center of Stage

By Maxine Cheshire

FOR THE FIRST TIME anyone could remember, a U.S. President and First Lady touched ground within five minutes of each other last night upon returning to Washington from separate duty missions an ocean apart.

But it was a dapper, retired haberdasher from Mrs. Cheshire Missouri, pulling on elegant dove-grey suede gloves to ward off the chill airport winds, who lingered in the limelight after this historic husband-and-wife encounter at Andrews Air Force Base.

Former President Harry S. Truman, who had gone to the funeral of King Paul of Greece with Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson as the personal emissary of her husband, found himself the center of attention when he landed back on U.S. soil at 6:42 p.m. Mr. Truman's presence in Athens, seemingly an inspired bit of personal diplomacy because of the esteem in which he is held by most

Greeks, had precipitated demonstrations in which a statue of him had been white-washed and defaced with "Truman Go Home" signs.

"I never did want them to erect that statue in the first place," he said with a grin as he strode across the landing field to confront microphones and cameras. "They can tear it down for all I care, I don't think anyone should erect statues to living people. Wait till they're dead."

His bronze likeness had been cast as tribute to the "Truman Doctrine" which had kept Greece free in 1947 when his Administration sent millions of dollars in aid to the government in the civil war against Communist guerrillas.

"The thing I'm sorry about," Mr. Truman told reporters, "is that we made the peace in the Eastern Mediterranean and left Greece and Turkey in prosperous condition. Now they're at each others' throats and almost in a shooting war. It will be easy enough for them to start a third World War."

About his role in Greek

history, he added: "They named the Truman Doctrine after me, but I didn't know anything about it till they had done it."

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Immediately after the House vote, members of the Post Office and Civil Service Committee said they would try

House roll call vote on  
pay bill. Page A12.

to get a new pay bill out of the Committee and limit it to the 1.7 million classified and postal employees.

They said it was questionable whether Federal executives and judges would be included in it.

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House-approved civil rights bill collided merrily yesterday with Northern champions of the measure, but the issue that divided them for the moment wasn't civil rights at all.

What aroused Dixie forces, and delighted their Northern adversaries, was a "bipartisan civil rights newsletter" published jointly by Democratic and Republican supporters of the bill. It was the fourth day of Senate debate on calling up the Southern-besieged civil rights bill and, from much of the discussion, it appeared that the verbal ammunition on both sides is already running a little low.

Southern Democrats, led by Sen. John Stennis (Miss.), lambasted what they termed the "mysterious" and "anonymous" newsletter, and demanded to know whether the Democratic Policy Committee, on which Southerners also serve, was being used as a "command post" to attack them.

Sen. Hubert H. Humphrey (D-Minn.) said there was nothing sinister about the bipartisan newsletter and that the Democratic Policy Committee had nothing to do with its preparation. Humphrey said he, as floor manager of Senate Democratic civil rights forces, and Sen. Thomas H. Kuchel (R-Calif.), work-

three fliers are alive. He gave no further details, United Press International reported, but it was the first Communist news media report on the condition of the captured men.]

The United States hopes to avoid having the incident damage the relatively moderate climate of present American-Soviet relations. Each side so far has couched its comments about the affair in comparatively mild language.

#### Low-Key Reaction

Presumably, the Soviet Union has an equal interest in handling the incident in low-key fashion, although some Western officials are speculating that the Soviets may press the case further as a warning against overflying Communist territory.

Soviet Ambassador Anatoly F. Dobrynin was given a message about the airmen in a 12-minute State Department meeting with Llewellyn E. Thompson, chief adviser on Soviet affairs.

A spokesman said Thompson told Dobrynin the United States has no further details. See FLIERS, A19, Col. 1

## Philippine Envoy Is Operated On

Ambassador Joaquin Elizalde, former Foreign Secretary of the Philippines, was operated on today for a heart ailment.

Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, who represented the American, Chief Executive, and Archbishop Makarios, President of Cyprus, are shown yesterday as they walked in the funeral procession for King Paul of Greece in Athens. Former

## Canal Zone Agreement Held Near

United Press International  
Panama and the United States have narrowed their differences on the Canal Zone issue to a point that an agreement can be expected within the next 24 hours, diplomatic sources reported last night.

Sources said the two countries have agreed that an announcement of final agreement on the two-month-old dispute will be made simultaneously by the White House and at the Panamanian Presidential Palace.

The agreement, it was understood, calls for immediate resumption of diplomatic relations and for a bilateral conference later to review all issues affecting the relations between the two countries.

Diplomatic sources said there was not yet full agreement on the text of the formula but that the position of the two countries was so close that it could be expected at any minute.

# McNamara Pledges Viet Support 'As Long as Required' for Victory

By Nicholas Turner

SAIGON, March 12—Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara left today for Washington via Honolulu after again giving assurances that the United States will provide whatever aid is needed to win the war against the Communist Viet Cong guerrillas.

In an airport talk, McNamara stressed the United States Government's support for Prime Minister Nguyen Khanh.

McNamara said: "The position of our government is clear. We fully support Gen. Khanh, we fully support his government, we fully support the people of South Viet-Nam."

McNamara, wound up a five-day assessment of the anti-guerrilla war by raising his arms in the air and calling three times in Vietnamese: "Long live Viet-Nam!"

The cheering crowd of several thousand, largely students, waved Vietnamese and American flags and carried banners, many of which ex-

States was prepared to provide economic support, military training, logistical support and military equipment "in whatever quantities they are required for as long as required."

McNamara later today made a short stopover in Honolulu to confer with the U.S. Pacific forces commander, Adm. Harry D. Felt.

He was expected to arrive in Washington Friday to give his assessment to President Johnson.

[In Washington, a White

## 2 Seized in Rail Blast Attempt

Associated Press

The FBI early Friday morning announced the arrest of John Wesley Davis, 28, and Joseph Leo Vetter, 32, at Fort Pierce, Fla., for attempting to derail a Florida East Coast Railway train Thursday night.

The FBI said 50 pounds of

President Harry S. Truman also represented the United States at the burial services. An estimated one million Greeks joined the royal family and the world dignitaries paying homage to the late King. Story, other picture, A19.

included in it.

#### Bill Thought Safe

The House suddenly reversed itself by its vote to kill the legislation. Until that time the bill's supporters had won every floor skirmish except higher salaries for officials of the District government.

There were predictions the bill would pass by 100 votes. At one point, Rep. August E. Johansen (R-Mich.) charged to the well of the House to protest against the "steamroller" tactics that had beaten down all amendments.

The House earlier had beaten back a dozen different amendments to either knock out or reduce their \$10,000 pay raises. An amendment by Rep. Glenn Cunningham (R-Neb.) to wipe out all pay raises in the legislative branch was defeated by a 125 to 37 vote.

But all the votes were taken See PAY, A12, Col. 3

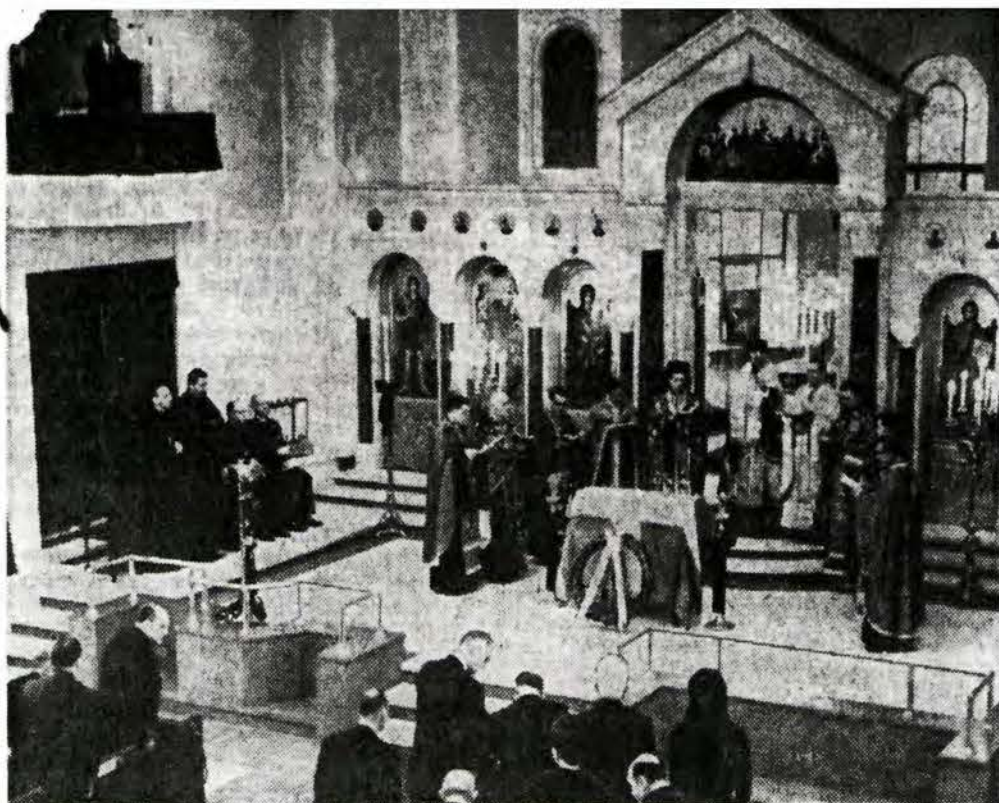
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President Johnson is shown in the front row, center, as he attended a Requiem Mass for King Paul of Greece in the Greek Orthodox Cathedral of St. Sophia at 36th st. and Massachusetts ave. nw., yesterday. With the Chief Executive were

Chief Justice Earl Warren and several members of the Cabinet. Standing at the end of the pew opposite the President is Nicaraguan Ambassador Guillermo Sevilla-Sacasa, dean of the diplomatic corps stationed in Washington.

## Modern Athens's Greatest Throng Attends Funeral of Greek King Paul

ATHENS, March 12 (UPI)—An estimated one million Greeks today joined the royal family and world dignitaries in paying final homage to the late King Paul of Greece.

Former President Harry S. Truman and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson headed the official United States delegation at the funeral and burial service for the King who died last Friday at the age of 62.

The crowd was the biggest

in the modern history of Athens. Hundreds of persons fainted or were injured in the crush. Police had difficulty in restraining men and women who tried to break through the lines to touch the coffin as it passed on the way from the Cathedral to the royal cemetery at Tatoi Palace.

The King's widow, Queen Mother Frederika, appeared greatly anguished when she arrived at the Greek Ortho-

dox Cathedral of Annunciation for the funeral, accompanied by King Constantine, 23.

The service was conducted by Archbishop Chrysostomos of Athens, 84, who also is head of the Greek Orthodox Church. The service included chanting of the lines: "There is no difference between king and soldier, rich and poor, just and sinner."

At the conclusion of the service, Constantine, Frederika and other members of the royal family knelt and kissed the coffin.

White skirted blue-jacketed royal Evzone guards lifted the coffin, carried it out of the cathedral and placed it on a gun carriage drawn by Greek sailors.

The King's crown, his field marshal's baton and his sword were placed atop the coffin. The national anthem was played at a death march tempo and the slow booming of a 21-gun salute echoed across the city.

Walking in a large group after the royal family were official representatives including seven kings or former kings, three queens, more than two dozen princes and princesses and such notables as Truman and West German President Heinrich Lübke.