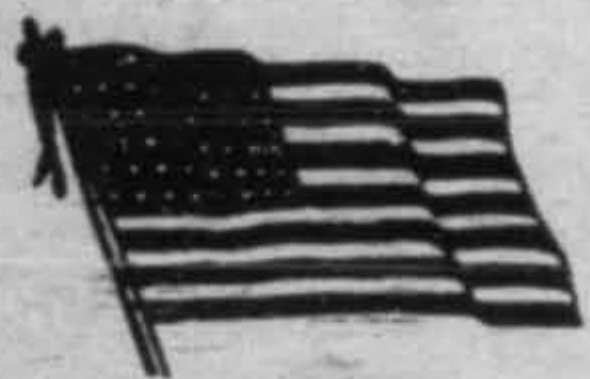
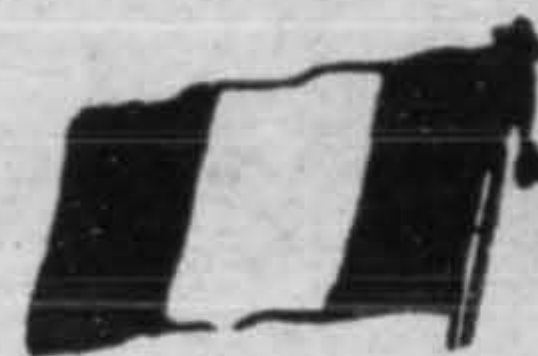




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CONGRATULATING THE VICTORS OF THE JULY 28 ELECTION

By Fernando Alvarado

another term in the House of Representatives. We also congratulate the other Louisiana Congressmen who were victorious in the July 28th election. The Louisiana delegation has done an outstanding job in Washington and we feel sure they will continue to do so for the benefit of the people of State. Keep up the good work.

MACALUSO GETS LEGION HONOR

Commended for Job Aid
for Veterans

The New Orleans commercial and professional office of the Louisiana State Employment Service has been cited for "outstanding accomplishment in job counseling and placement for veterans."

Louis W. Dawson, state veterans' employment representative for the American Legion, presented his organization's trophy to Joseph P. Macaluso, manager of the commercial and professional office.

The trophy is awarded annually to one of the 25 area offices of the Louisiana State Employment Service. It was first presented in 1954 when the Shreveport office won it.

"This trophy represents across-the-board service to the veterans by all offices of the LSES in job counseling, employer contacts, employer relations, job development and in job placement, including a similar preferred service to all employable veterans," said Percy A. Lemoine, state Legion commander.

The trophy has been won three times by the Shreveport office, once by the New Orleans industrial office, once each by the offices in Gretna, New Iberia and Lafayette, and twice by the New Orleans commercial and professional office.

Catholic Group to See Ozarks

The Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women has announced a fall foliage Ozarks sightseeing motor coach trip en route to the NCCW convention Nov. 3-7 in Detroit, Mich. A Canadian tour previously planned has been canceled.

The motor coach will leave New Orleans Oct. 28 and return Nov. 10. Places to be visited include El Dorado, Hot Springs and Eureka Springs, Ark., St. Louis, Mo., and Indianapolis, Ind. On the journey back after the convention, the group will visit Louisville, Ky., and Memphis, Tenn.

The Italian-American International Review urges you to vote for the Hon. Joseph Bossetta who is running for the Traffic Court Judgeship on the Second primary to be held September 1st. Mr. Bossetta is a very popular and well liked attorney in this community and we feel sure he will do a very fine job as Traffic Judge.

THE ITALIAN NEW MINISTER FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Deputy Prime Minister Attilio Piccioni, Senator, Christian-Democrat, 69, was appointed on May 29 Foreign Minister succeeding Antonio Segni who was elected President early in May. Prime Minister Fanfani had temporarily taken over the Foreign Ministry. Attilio Piccioni will continue to be Deputy Prime Minister.

Senator Attilio Piccioni was born on June 14, 1892, at Poggio Bustone, in the province of Rieti, in Central Italy. He was one of the eleven children of a teacher. He interrupted his studies to volunteer for service in World War I, during which he served as an officer in the "Bersaglieri" (elite infantry corps), then transferred to the Italian Air Force. On his return to civilian life, Piccioni graduated in law at the University of Turin and joined the Popular Party, the forerunner of the Christian Democratic Party. In 1920 he was appointed Secretary of the Turin Branch and editor of the local Party newspaper. He was also Municipal Councilor in Turin. As a member of the National Council of the Popular Party, and candidate in the 1924 Parliamentary elections, he was obliged to leave Turin in 1926, when the Fascist authorities dissolved the opposition parties. During the Fascist regime he practiced law in Pistoia and Florence. He joined the anti-Fascist underground and in 1943 assisted in reorganizing the old Popular Party in Tuscany, as the new Christian Democratic Party. Successively he became National Councilor of the Christian Democratic Party, Secretary of the Florence Branch, and Deputy Political Secretary to the Party Executive in Rome, 1944-46. During the same period, he was a member of the National Advisory Assembly, and a deputy to the Constituent Assembly which followed.

In the autumn of 1946 he became Party Secretary, taking over from Alcide De Gasperi who became Prime Minister. To his work in this post is credited the Christian Democratic triumph in the 1948 Parliamentary elections.

Re-elected to Parliament in 1948, he resigned as Party Secretary and became editor of the Party weekly "Popolo e Libertà" and of the "Rivista dei Comuni". Vice-Premier in the 5th De Gasperi Cabinet (May 24, 1948), Minister of Justice in the 6th (January 27, 1950), and Vice-Premier and Minister without Portfolio in the 7th and 8th, from July 26, 1951 to August 2, 1953. Re-elected to the Chamber of Deputies in 1953, he became Foreign Minister in the Fanfani Cabinet (January 18, 1954) and in the Scelba Cabinet (February 10, 1954). In September 1954, he resigned from that post and from 1957 to 1959 served as head of the Italian Delegation to the General Assembly of the United Nations. Elected Senator from Lombardy in 1958 he was chairman of the Christian Democratic Parliamentary Group during the Third National Legislature. Deputy Prime Minister and Minister without Portfolio in the 3rd Fanfani Cabinet (July 26, 1960), President of the National Council of the Christian Democratic Party, he has been redesignated Deputy Prime Minister last March in the present Fanfani Cabinet.

National Affairs in Brief

The Minister for Public Health, Senator Raffaele Jervolino, announced in Naples that a radical solution of the problems of hospitals is under consideration, which would entail an expenditure of more than \$800 million.

The question of administrative decentralization, one of the points of the Center-Left Government program, was considered by the Council of Ministers in its meeting of May 24, at which the Council decided to present to Parliament three draft bills on the subject. The first of these calls for a broad plan of decentralization in the fields of public assistance, health, municipal and provincial cultural institutes, agriculture, land improvement, land reclamation, economy of mountain areas, industry, trade, handicrafts, control of food prices in respect to tourism, hunting and fishing, public works, use of public waters, road, rail and cable-car transportation. The decentralization aims at speeding up the Government's activities in these fields, reducing costs for public services and eliminating overlapping of jurisdiction.

The second draft bill concerns the setting up of a special school for public administration which would be located at the former Royal palace at Caserta, near Naples. The school will provide courses for prospective employees of the Government and training courses for personnel of higher rank already in the administration. It will also promote research for the technical and administrative improvement of Government departments and on methods of selecting and training personnel. Instructors and researchers in the Caserta school will be university professors, government officials, or persons of well-known experience in public administration.

The third draft bill will provide for more rapid forms of payment of sums owed by the Government to the public, permitting payment by non-transferable money orders issued by the Bank of Italy.



SEN. RUSSELL LONG



REP. HALE BOGGS



REP. F. EDWARD HEBERT

The Italian-American International Review congratulates the Louisiana delegation that was returned to Congress on the July 28th election. We are particularly happy of the tremendous vote obtained by Senator Russell Long who was returned for another term to the U.S. Senate and also Congressman Hale Boggs and F. Edward Herbert, who



JUDGE JAMES C. GULOTTA

Congratulation to our good friend Judge James C. Gulotta who was reelected to the Juvenile Court of Orleans Parish in the July 28th election. Judge Gulotta has always conducted the Juvenile Court in a

dedicated manner in the interest of proper administration and dispensation of justice. He has always cooperated with the Bar, Social agencies, Welfare and Probation Officers, individuals and Civic groups. The Italian-American International Review has always advocated and supported his outstanding work for the benefit of this community.



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NEWSY NOTES

By Kay Kavanaugh

Congradulation to Councilman Jimmy Fitzmorris and his wife Gloria, on the arrival of their pretty baby girl Lisa, born June 30th at Touro Hospital.

Cpl. Gene and Arlene Williams, of 6888-M.E.M.O. in North Carolina. Proudly presenting someone who is soft and cuddly, sweet and new. Her Majesty Randa Jean Williams, weight 7-1b 15 oz., a Friday July 13, 1962. Special Congradulation from grandfather and Grandmother and Mrs. Nicholas Williams and from Uncle and Aunt Mr. and Mrs. O. Al. Chiarello.

Belated Birthday Wishes to all the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Club who celebrated in July another year older.

IF YOU WAS NOT THERE YOU MISSED THE TIME OF YOUR LIFE

Our big Annual Picnic was held on August 5th, there were games for all ages, and they all had fun.

"SPECIAL NOTICE"

There will be no meeting of the Italo-American Club in August, as we are in the process of a big Bazaar and card social to help raise funds to renovate the Italian Hall, which is in dire need, and we also need all the cooperation and help we can get with this project, in the way of card donation, or prizes etc. Date August 25, in the Italian Hall, for more information call Mrs. Kay, JA 5-8648.

"IMPORTANT"

If any of the members of our Club have any News, Birthdays, Anniversary, or Wedding Announcement, that they would like to have published in the Italian-American Review, just phone Kay Kavanaugh JA 5-8648

(All news items must reach the Editor's office not later than the 20th of each month.)

CHIARELLOS - SCHRAUTS

Mr. and Mrs. I. Philip Chiarello, of 3213 48th Street, Metairie, were hosts at a party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ken-

CONGRADULATION TO A HAPPY COUPLE



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JOSEPH AND MARIA VENINATA

Joseph Veninata, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Veninata join in holy matrimony to Maria Arriola, daughter of Mrs. Marcella M. Arriola. The wedding took place in the St. Mary's Italian Church on July 7th.

drick P. Schraut

Attending the party were: Mrs. Schraut, Mother of Kendrick, his sister Mrs. Alther Larrieu, his brother Joseph and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Chiarello, Mrs. Josephine Mire, Mrs. Marie Pecoraro and her son Alfred Mr. and Mrs. Loys H. Horton, Mr. and Mrs. George Donze, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris, Mr. Jules C. Morales Mr. and Mrs. Jules C. Morales Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Sal Serio, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Latino, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Greiner, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Barto, and Mr. and Mrs. George Penny.

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Chiarellos Celebrate

Mr. L. Paul Chiarello of Jacksonville, Florida, was a recent guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chiarello of 217 Barry Avenue.

Accompanying Mr. Chiarello for a week's stay here were his wife, Betty, and three children, Paul Michael, John Alan and Nancy Lee.

While here, Paul Michael celebrated his fifteenth birthday, July 2, with a party attended by family members. Among them were the Paul Chiarellos' daughter, Mrs.

William V. F. Collins, Mr. Collins, with their children, Bill, Richard and Robert; Mrs. Chiarello's niece, Mrs. Frederick Elliott, Jr., and Mr. Elliott with their children, Frederick III, Charles and Kathy; and Mrs. Chiarello's sister, Mrs. Charles Mascari and Mr. Mascari.

Since it had been some time since the Chiarellos had seen their son, and Paul Michael's birthday occurring while visiting here - the family had dual cause for celebration.

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MISS LYNN MARIE D'INGIANNI daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Vincente D'Ingianni, is the bride-elect of Mr. Jeremiah Dennis Nolan of this city, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jeremiah Joseph Nolan of Orland, Penn. The wedding will take place Aug. 24 at the Garden Lane home of the bride-elect's family.

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Mumfrey's in 60th Year Downtown Represents Three Generations



MUMFREY'S SANDWICH SHOP, 135 St. Charles St., now boasts of three generations of Mumfreys. In picture above, left to right, TONY MUMFREY, founder of this well known downtown luncheonette; CHARLES MUMFREY, present manager, and TONY 'SONNY' MUMFREY, grandson of the founder. Mumfrey's home of the famous Mumfrey Special, will deliver Phone 523-8549. Established over 60 years ago in a small area at Canal and Carondelet Streets, Mumfrey's Sandwich Shop at 135 St. Charles Street near Common represents three generations. For today, in addition to its management by its present owner, Charles Mumfrey, Tony Mumfrey, his and founder, and his son, Tony 'Sonny' Mumfrey, are on hand daily to take care of Thousand of satisfied customers.

Mumfrey Special, in these many years of service to the downtown businessmen and women, is an accepted tasty treat of New Orleans. This wholesome sandwich is sold at a thrifty price so that everybody, office boy to president, can depend upon this luncheon treat.

Charles Mumfrey, owner, has been with his father since 1926 after attending law school at Loyola university, and just a few years ago he was joined by his son to complete the three generation boast.

In addition to 'on hand' service, Mumfrey's offers quick 'take-out' service. Telephone 523-8549.



If you're painting with rollers, here's the way to store them properly. Stand them on end in empty milk cartons that you've washed clean. If the roller lies on its side, its nap may be flattened.

The very popular bamboo matchstick curtains need refinishing from time to time. The best way is to scrub the surfaces with a soft bristled brush dipped in soapy water. Then rinse with clean water and dry thoroughly. Brush on white (clear) shellac that you've thinned with three or four times its volume of alcohol.

Teen-age anguish over acne can be soothed with proper face-washing. According to The Lindsay Company, manufacturer of the automatic home water softener, haphazard face-washing causes much of the problem. Your teen-ager should scrub his complexion thoroughly at least twice a day. This means massaging two applications of warm soap suds into the pores, rinsing well each time with warm soft water, then splashing on cold soft water for a refreshing finish. Soft water itself keeps the pores clean when this method is used.

Looking for plants to grow in a sunny, dry, poor-soil spot in your garden? A few plants thrive under these conditions. They're alyssum, verbenas, moss rose, and four o'clocks. Try some and watch them grow there!

Gum glue used on price tags for utensils is often the dickens to remove. Try baby oil to take it off. If you cover the spot with oil, the adhesive liquifies and can be wiped off.



VANISHING AMERICAN? Not the Cigar Store Indian, which is making a strong comeback as an item of Early American decor in homes across the country. Here's a deep-relief simulated wood reproduction by Arabesque of the famous Indian, complete with his offering of cigars and tobacco. Measuring 32 inches tall, the Indian is a duplicate of an original wood carving. It's finished in fruitwood tone with weathered red, green, and gold color accents. A genuine wood Indian costs \$500; this wall-size version is \$19.95 in department, gift and furniture stores. Manufacturer is Arabesque Division, Burwood Products Company, Traverse City, Mich.

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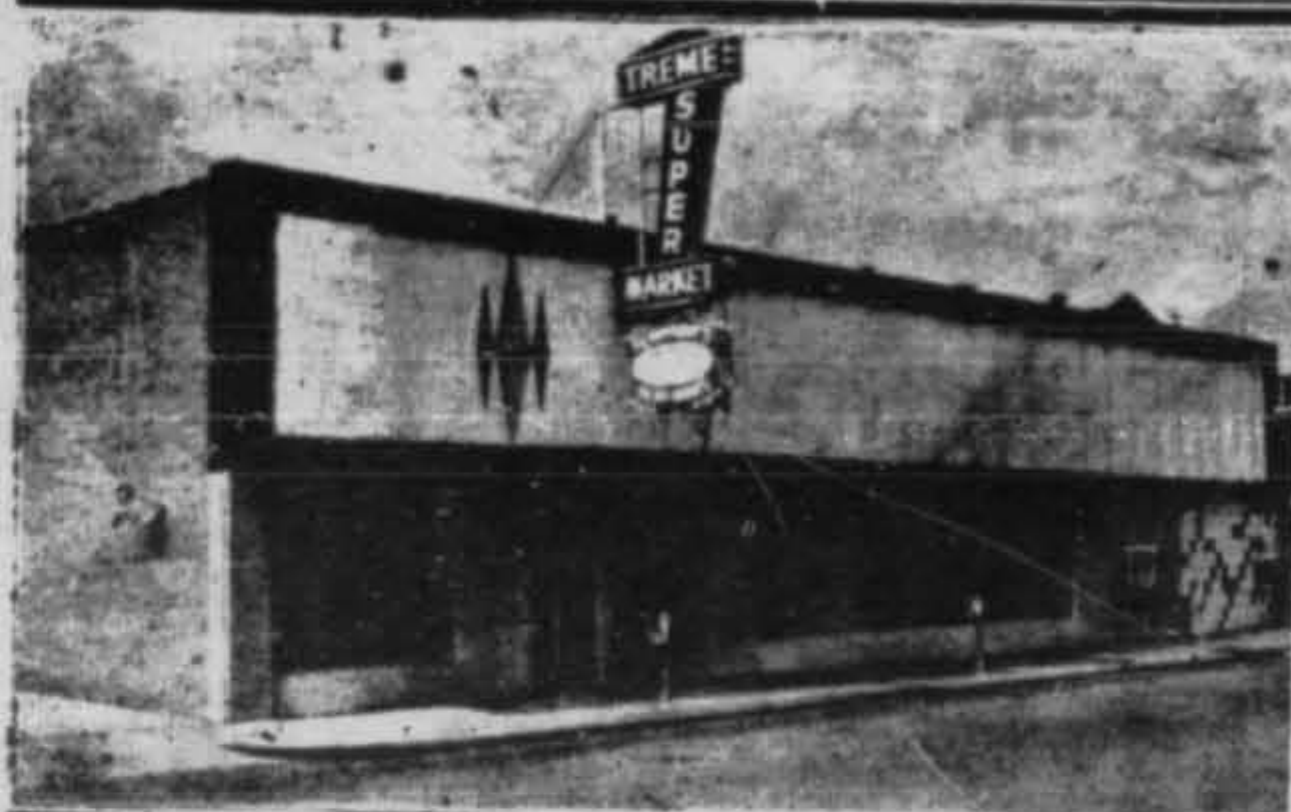
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Jefferson Parish Recreation Department. At right, PAT ANDERSON of the senior champion Harris-Mike Persia receives her award from GERNON BROWN, director of the New Orleans Recreation Department. The tournament was held at Metairie Playground.



JUNIOR AND SENIOR champions in the annual Tri-Parish girls softball tournament are honored as captains of each title-winning team received team trophies. At left LINDA SWAREZ of Harris-St. Gabriel, junior division winner, receives a trophy from BERT CHALONA, director of the

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SENATE AND HOUSE BILLS SUPPORT Graziano Heads Oak Street Unit ACIM FOURTH PREFERENCE APPEAL

Representative Walter and Senator Pastore
Introduce Bills for Extension of P.L. 86-363

For the past several years the American Committee on Italian Migration has advanced proposals among the nation's legislators for the benefit of tens of thousands of close relatives of American citizens who have been awaiting the opportunity to be rejoined with their families. Of necessity the proposals have been repetitive to effect a solution to a problem that presently finds 170,000 registered applicants of various nationality groups stymied in a backlog of applicants hoping to emigrate.

The current year is no exception and, again, a proposal was made to amend the law to provide relief for those included in the Fourth Preference category.

Bills Introduced

Numerous members of the present Congress, understanding the problem, have taken up the matter and have introduced a number of bills to effect remedial legislation.

Representative Francis E. Walter (D. Penna.), chairman of the House Sub-Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, and recognized by Congressional colleagues as a foremost authority on immigration legislation has introduced a bill reflecting a proposal made by ACIM to make possible admission of close relatives under the Fourth Preference Quota.

A companion bill also was introduced by Senator John O. Pastore (D., R.I.).

"Cut-off" Date Advanced

The bills, H.R. 11911 and S. 3361, call for the non-quota admission of Fourth Preference applicants who were registered on consular waiting lists prior to December 31, 1954, and for whom petitions were approved by the Attorney General prior to January 1, 1962.

Thus the proposed bills would move up by one year the registration date in these cases as specified in the 1959 law which expired, March 1962. In a statement issued by ACIM on behalf of its chapters (Dispatch, May '62), an urgent request was made to "alleviate an ethical and moral injustice" brought about by the acceptance of petitions with few, if

any, visas issued, by extending P.L. 86-363 to bring the "cut-off" date of registration to December 31, 1955.

The action by these leading Congressional figures and other members of the House and Senate, is a happy reflection on the zealous efforts of ACIM's chapter chairmen and their members. Passage of this legislation will mean that several thousand Italians as well as Greeks, Spaniards, Chinese, Portuguese and other nationalities (sons, daughters, brothers and sisters of U.S. citizens) will be the beneficiaries. Also, their spouses and children will be permitted to accompany them.

Appreciation by all ACIM officials and chapters for the efforts of Congress to establish new legislation to reunite separated families is being expressed on all fronts. The other members of the Senate and House who have introduced bills indicate a mobilization of action in support of the repeated appeals seeking a revision of basic immigration policies so often described as outmoded and outdated.

Senate and House Bills

Notably, the omnibus bill of Senator Philip A. Hart (D., Mich.) calling for a comprehensive revision of immigration laws (S. 3043) and a departure from the "national origins" quota system is co-sponsored by one fourth of the members of the entire Senate.

Two co-sponsors additionally have introduced bills of their own. Senator Thomas J. Dodd (D., Conn.) member of the Committee on Foreign Relations and the Senate Judiciary Committee has introduced a bill (S. 3150). In a statement he said, "We may say that this (fourth preference) group of brothers and sisters and sons and daughters of American citizens are the forgotten persons of our immigration policy."

Sal J. Graziano is the new president of the Oak Street Improvement Association, Victor Klentz, treasurer, announced Thursday.

Graziano and an entire slate of officers was elected at an organization meeting held at 8119 Oak St.

Boris Haase Jr. was elected vice-president.

Mrs. Bernice Lane, recording secretary; Mrs. Gertrude Broussard, corresponding secretary, and Victor Klentz treasurer.

The new organization, Graziano said, comprises the merchants and owners of commercial property on Oak St. and will work with the city toward improving traffic flow and parking facilities on the street and for improvements in the area.



GRAZIANO

Elect Licciardi For 12th Time

Charles Licciardi has been elected for the 12th straight time to be president of the Holy Name Society of St. Joseph the Worker church, Marigny.

This is regarded as a record among member societies of the Archdiocesan Union of Holy Name Societies.

Joseph Bertucci, has been named first vice-president, Joseph Miller, second vice-president; Jack Montecino, secretary; Nolan Gomez, treasurer; and Salvador Giardina, marshal. The Rev. Anthony Russo is spiritual director.

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250 Kids Attend St. Mary Day Camp

St. Mary's gym was a beehive for some 250 youngsters this summer.

What was the big attraction?

St. Mary's day camp. Nestled in the confines of the gym, the youngsters were taught to swim, played games, indoor ball and participated in handicraft projects.

Fr. John Clarkson, O.M.I., St. Mary assistant parish pastor and director of the day camp, said the six-week program was a complete success this summer.

"EVEN THOUGH this is only the second year we've staged the day camp it has caught on fast," said Fr. Clarkson. "Naturally, our biggest attraction is swimming."

Handling the girls program was Mrs. Ruth DiRosa while Armond Bertin instructed the boys.

The camp activities ended last week but kids still come around every day to swim, play ball and participate in other athletics around the gym — which is open at all times to youngsters of the city.



—States-Item photos.
SWIMMING IS THE biggest drawing card on St. Mary's menu for the day campers. Here, from left, RICKY RICARDO, DEWEY STANN, RICHARD VINEYARD, DON WILSON, life guard, HOWIE STANN, CHARLES MOREAU, and NICK LOGIUDICE kick up the water.



GIRL CAMPERS GET some tips on how to make a pot-holder from Mrs. Ruth DiRosa, sixth from left, director of the girls division. Following her instructions in handicraft are, from left, KAREN SIPOS, DIANE SOUHLAS, NINA

CAPPO, DEANNA STOKES, CAROL SOUHLAS, MRS. DI ROSA, SUSAN BARAGONA, MARIE PAONE, RHONDA BARAGONA and ANNA PAONE. The girls also participated in the athletic program.



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RACE AGITATING MINISTERS HIT

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. (AP)—A Negro who says he represents a group of about 300 members said he sent a telegram to President Kennedy denouncing "so-called ministers" who create racial strife.

Sam Moore said he is president of Sensible Approach to Negro Efforts. He said he wired Kennedy that "integration efforts on the part of certain organizations have created a serious situation in the South and is being aggravated by persons calling themselves ministers of the gospel. They are creating strife and confusion between the white and black in this section of the country."

He said the telegram added: "In the interest of peace and harmony between races in the South and for the sake of unfortunate Negroes who are suffering as a result of these ill-considered efforts, we call upon you to consider the integration issue on its merits and recommend a peaceful and sensible approach toward a solution."



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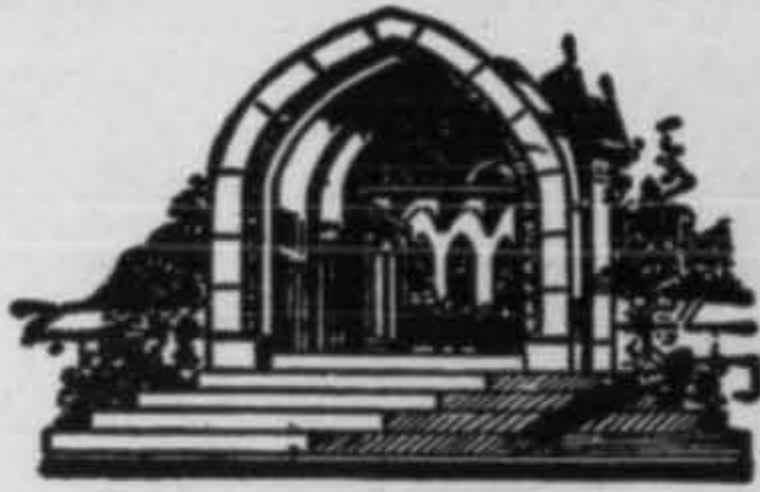
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Mother Pollet Re-elected to Prioress Post

Mother Mary Imelda Pollet, O.P., a native of New Orleans, has been re-elected mother prioress general of the Dominican Sisters, Congregation of St. Mary. The election took place at the novitiate in Rosaryville.

Mother Mary was formerly superior and principal of St. Leo the Great school and St. Mary's Dominican high school here.

Entering the Dominican congregation in 1918, she was the first superior and principal of St. Peter school, Reserve. She was procurator general of the congregation 18 years, 1938 to 1956. Mother Mary resides at Dominican college here.



MOTHER MARY

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'La Kennediana' Strains Delight Jackie, Caroline

RAVELLO, Italy (AP)—An Italian brass band serenaded Jacqueline Kennedy today with a tune called "La Kennediana." The U. S. President's wife and her 4-year-old daughter Caroline applauded as they sat on a parapet of their villa and watched the 60-piece band. Maestro Raffaello Miglietta composed "La Kennediana"

after President Kennedy was elected in 1960. But Miglietta had to wait until today to play

it for a Kennedy.

He brought his band across the Italian boot from his home village of Corato near the Adriatic coast. The band massed in the main square of this cliff-top resort where Mrs. Kennedy and daughter Caroline are spending a two-week vacation on the Amalfi coast.

Almost as soon as the music sounded, Mrs. Kennedy

joined in, so did dozens of tourists in the square.

"La Kennediana" started out slow and sweet.

Mrs. Kennedy—in a sleeveless white dress—and Caroline listened intently.

Then "La Kennediana" entered its second phase of rhythmic marching music.

Caroline loved that. She started to clap, Mrs. Kennedy

joined in, so did dozens of tourists in the square.

The band marched about the square, going through different formations.

When the show was over, Caroline, her mother and other guests at the villa applauded.

Then the party climbed into an umbrella-topped open car and drove down the cliff to the beach for another day of swimming.



FOR THE FIRST TIME in the history of the Archdiocese of New Orleans, newly ordained deacons of the Catholic Church are doing parish work to assist priests and are authorized to baptize, distribute Communion, preach, and perform

other services. The diaconate is the final step in training next to the priesthood. From left are the REV. GARY O'BRYANT, the REV. JOSEPH LATINO and the REV. DONALD LEDET.



MISS MARY FRANCES RUSSO

daughter of Mrs. Joseph Russo and the late Mr. Russo, has chosen Sept. 8 for her marriage to Mr. Frank Michael Readinger Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Readinger. The wedding will take place in St. Stephen's church.



MRS. SALVADORE JOSEPH JANUSA, formerly Miss Linda Ann Spera, is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel George Spera. She was married in St. John Vianney church.

Crisi nella Giunta Regionale di Sicilia

La Giunta Regionale Siciliana — ci scrivono da Roma — è in crisi. Il governo di centro-sinistra presieduto da Giuseppe D'Angelo — costituitosi il 12 settembre 1961 con una coalizione che comprendeva democristiani, socialisti e repubblicani — ha dovuto rassegnare le dimissioni, in seguito all'esito negativo del voto di fiducia sulla richiesta per l'esercizio provvisorio. Ancora una volta, la Sicilia viene a trovarsi senza governo, senza un bilancio e con una situazione politica rivelante profondo malessere.

La Giunta D'Angelo portava in sé i germi della dissoluzione sin dalla sua nascita e la scarsa operosità governativa, che si è tradotta in un vero e proprio immobilismo, è stata la conseguenza di una combinazione politica che ha portato a livello di governo regionale le polemiche interne di partiti, come la Democrazia Cristiana e il Partito Socialista.

Fra i democristiani, gli "aperturisti" hanno, in ogni occasione, contrastato i "centristi", mentre, in campo socialista, i "carristi" hanno dichiarato guerra aperta agli "autonomisti". Situazione ideale, questa, per i "franchi tiratori" dell'una e dell'altra parte, proprio in ogni votazione a scrutinio segreto, a mettere in forse l'esistenza del governo. Indubbiamente la crisi sarebbe scoppiata al principio di quest'anno se i voti dei comunisti non fossero intervenuti, più di una volta, a determinare la maggioranza.

Con una Democrazia Cristiana divisa e con un forte gruppo di socialisti "carristi" legati ai comunisti, la sorte del governo regionale era segnata. Dalle prime avvisaglie, la manovra comunista per allargare la sfera d'azione, già così vasta, si delineò nelle sue reali intenzioni: costringere il Capo della Regione a rimaneggiare il governo, per escludere, da una parte gli avversari dell'apertura a sinistra, e, dall'altra, per immettere nel governo i rappresentanti della sinistra socialista. A tale scopo, i comunisti non si fecero scrupolo di accusare un assessore socialista (autonomista) di irregolarità, chiedendo una inchiesta ed una commissione di inchiesta. Su questo punto, il governo, posto in minoranza, ma D'Angelo preferì non dare le dimissioni pur di arrivare alla approvazione del bilancio provvisorio. Fallita la possibilità di un rimpasto, i comunisti hanno ritirato il loro appoggio, lasciando il governo alla mercé dei "franchi tiratori" di ogni partito.

E' assai presto per dire come sarà risolta la crisi e se la Democrazia Cristiana, rimanendo fedele alla formula generale, cercherà di allargare la maggioranza, includendovi i cristiano-sociali, oggi all'opposizione. Ma quanto accade in Sicilia è già bastevole per mettere a fuoco due considerazioni. La prima delle quali riguarda direttamente i socialisti e i loro rapporti con l'area democratica.

La presenza del "carristi" all'Assemblea Siciliana ha fa-

vorito e favorisce i comunisti che si inseriscono nella politica della Regione, influenzandone i provvedimenti. Mai i comunisti hanno avuto tante posizioni di potere, in Sicilia, da quando la sinistra socialista può far sentire in Assemblea il suo peso. Conseguenza dannosa di un errore iniziale qual'è stato quello di non chiedere al partito socialista la rottura preliminare e polemica con i comunisti e con i filocomunisti prima di essere accolto, con funzione di governo, nell'area democratica.

L'esempio siciliano è la chiara dimostrazione di come il comunismo, attraverso la parte estremista dei socialisti, possa inserirsi ed operare in modo da condizionare e determinare la attività di un governo. La formula di centro-sinistra inaugurata in Sicilia per isolare il comunismo e limitarne le ingerenze si è rivelata inadatta allo scopo, perché l'atteggiamento equivoco dei socialisti ha conferito ai comunisti la potestà di mantenere in vita una Giunta Regionale o di dissolverla.

L'altra considerazione è di ordine generale e riguarda l'aspetto politico degli ordinamenti regionali, dove, stando all'esperienza fin qui acquisita, — la Sicilia fa testo — i socialisti tendono a conservare o a creare posizioni di potere con i comunisti. Si guardi alla Sicilia che, da anni, è tormentata da lotte politiche senza mai poter disporre di un Governo Regionale consensuale ai suoi interessi e alle sue aspirazioni: si considerino gli episodi di milazzismo, i casi di innaturali alleanze e, infine, le condizioni di favore in cui il comunismo può operare in una Regione, contando su una parte dei socialisti come su sicuri alleati.

La crisi del governo siciliano e la situazione siciliana stessa non potranno risolversi sino a quando i partiti democratici non chiederanno ai socialisti una chiarificazione circa i loro intendimenti e le loro alleanze. Come a Roma, così in Sicilia è necessario che al più presto, i socialisti operino le loro scelte, si presentino col loro vero volto, e dicano, una volta per sempre, chi di loro è con i comunisti e chi, invece, è disposto lealmente a rafforzare lo schieramento democratico.

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La "first lady" Jacqueline Kennedy, giunta a Ravello per la vacanza, raggiunge la villa che la sorella, Principessa Radziwill, (a destra) ha preso in affitto per due settimane. Mrs. Kennedy è accompagnata dalla figlia Caroline. Ravello ha tributato alla consorte del Presidente calorosa accoglienza.

CALOROSISSIMO "BENVENUTO" DI RAVELLO ALLA MOGLIE DEL PRESIDENTE KENNEDY

UN OMAGGIO FLOREALE DI SEGNI

La folla entusiasta è stata trattenuta a stento — Il saluto del Sindaco

RAVELLO, 8 (ANSA-UPI). — L'ospitale popolazione della costa amalfitana ha calorosamente accolto quest'oggi con grida e cartelli di benvenuto la "first lady" degli Stati Uniti, signora Jacqueline Kennedy, e la di lei figliuola Caroline al loro arrivo a Ravello dove, com'è noto, trascorreranno una vacanza di due settimane soggiornando nella villa di Sangro, una delle più belle della zona. Grida di "viva Jackie!", "benvenuta, benvenuta!" hanno sovrastato il rumore del corteo di macchine con cui la moglie e la figliuola del Presidente Kennedy sono giunte a Ravello, provenienti dall'aeroporto di Ponte Cagnano, presso Salerno, dove l'aereo privato "Beach Craft" con a bordo l'illustre ospite era atterrato.

Dopo otto ore e 54 minuti di volo, tanto è stato il tempo impiegato dal quadrigetto di linea sulla rotta New York-Roma, la signora Jacqueline Kennedy e la figlia Caroline erano giunte stamane alle 10.50 all'aeroporto di Fiumicino. Già dalle prime ore della mattina sull'estremo piazzale di volo dell'aerostazione era stato preparato un recinto atto a contenere i numerosi fotoreporter, cine e teleoperatori inviati della stampa italiana ed estera.

Dopo qualche attimo, Jac-

queline Kennedy si è presentata al portello dell'aereo tenendo per mano la piccola Caroline. La signora Kennedy indossava un soprabito di raso bianco con accessori in nero ed era senza cappello. La piccola Caroline invece indossava un completino rosa con cuffietta della stessa tinta. Giunti al piedil della scaletta dell'aereo la consorte del Presidente degli Stati Uniti ha ricevuto il benvenuto in Italia e l'augurio di buone vacanze da parte del gen. Salaris, Sovrintendente dell'aeroporto di Fiumicino, dall'incaricato di Affari Esteri dell'Ambasciata a Roma Horsey e dal Ministro Roberti, Capo del Cerimoniale della Farnesina. La "first lady" e la figlia, accompagnate dal seguito si sono subito dirette verso il bimotore che le doveva condurre a Salerno. Lungo il tragitto di circa 150 metri Jacqueline Kennedy è passata davanti al recinto dei fotografi e dei cameramen sorridendo loro con molta semplicità. Qualche minuto dopo la signora Kennedy e la piccola Caroline sono salite nell'aereo privato.

A Ravello, l'animazione per l'arrivo della signora Kennedy, si era iniziata stamani di buon'ora. Fin dalle prime ore del mattino agenti americani ed italiani, in borghese, hanno iniziato, con molta discrezione, i loro turni di guardia in tutta la zona adiacente la Villa di Sangro. Anche per le strade che conducono alla incantevole località cara a Wagner e a Greta Garbo è stato predisposto un accurato servizio di si-

urezza. Nella Villa, che sorge nel quartiere alto dei grandi alberghi, confinante con Villa Rufolo e con ampia vista sul mare, è stato tutto organizzato per rendere più piacevole il soggiorno alla signora Jacqueline. Di ciò si è preoccupata la Principessa Radziwill, sorella della signora Kennedy, che si trova a Ravello da alcuni giorni.

Il gruppo dei giornalisti, fotoreporter e tele e cineoperatori è notevolmente aumentato nel corso della nottata e stamattina essi erano un centinaio e forse più; sono stati i primi a svegliarsi e ad iniziare il pacifico assedio alla Villa di Sangro, che è situata al n. 4 di Via San Giovanni del Toro. La Villa sorge in una posizione incantevole. Il portoncino di colore verde è ormai apparso su tutti i giornali degli Stati Uniti. Già casa episcopale, Villa di Sangro è una costruzione a due piani, tutta bianca, con finestre bifore e balconcini verdi. Protetta dagli alberi e illeggiadrita dai gerani, si compone di un atrio molto bello, di una luminosa sala di ingresso sulla quale si affacciano la biblioteca e quella che fu la stanza del vescovo. Al piano superiore vi sono cinque camere da letto. La camera della signora Kennedy dovrebbe essere una ad angolo che guarda verso la torre di Villa Rufolo. Nella camera si trova un letto in ottone e ferro battuto sormontato da un baldacchino. Un grande specchio copre quasi una intera parete.

Miscelaneas Deportivas

Parece que el Club Deportivo Internacional pronto contará con un equipo de tenis. Dieciocho aspirantes se presentaron para la última práctica en las canchas de City Park. Desde su fundación hace apenas unos seis meses, el C.D.I. ha estado representando en las actividades deportivas locales por dos conjuntos de fútbol, cuatro de softbol y dos de baloncesto, uno de ellos femenino. Nos complace ver de nuevo entre nosotros al veterano deportista Joe Cullotta. Hace años, en el Club de Tenis de City Park, Joe no era jugador de nada, para acurrar una frase... el entusiasta deportista Hernán Arostegui, que fue uno de los jugadores que se destacó en el recién terminado campeonato de softbol del C.D.I. es Director de Publicidad de la Casa Internacional... Spny Pérez, de Colombia, ganó el campeonato de badminton de las chicas de la Escuela Crossman... Henry Weyerstall, de Guatemala, ha reanudado sus actividades tenísticas. Entre varios galardones obtenidos, Henry fue campeón de tenis de Ocean Springs, Mississippi. Además, fue Director Técnico de un equipo de fútbol americano y capitán de varias cuadrillas de niños exploradores. Y, dicho sea de paso, el modesto Henry es Teniente Coronel de Infantería del ejército norteamericano... Carlos Mitchell fue allí en sus tiempos de juventud (y cuando hablamos de la juventud del Casey Stengel de los Veteranos del C. D. I. nos referimos a largos años ha) fue lanzador del equipo de beisbol de una Academia Militar en Mississippi y también uno de los mejores tenistas de dicha Academia... el Club Deportivo Internacional es verdaderamente cosmopolita: celebra sus sesiones en la Casa Alemana, sus fiestas en el Centro Italiano, y cuenta con numerosas astronautas que hacen expediciones nocturnas a "La Luna"...



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LA ASOCIACION HONDURENA DE NUEVA ORLEANS

Debido a la ausencia de la mayoría de los componentes de la Junta Directiva de esta prestigiada sociedad hondureña, la mejor organizada y mas activa agrupación Latino-americana de la localidad, no celebro su sesión ordinaria el ultima Sabado del mes de Junio anterior. Se nos informa que al regreso de sus vacaciones el Presidente Dr. Reyes y de la Vice-Presidenta Sra. Maria Elena de Porter quien tuvo que viajar a la hermana Republica de Mexico el regreso del primer Secretario P.M. Ramon Matamoros, las actividades de la Asociación se reanudarán, y se habla de planes para un suntuoso baile durante el mes de Agosto o si no en el mes de Septiembre para celebrar al día de la Independencia Patria, cuya fiesta esta siendo esperada con mucho entusiasmo por numerosos grupos latinos que se han dirigido a esta Sección Inter-Americana indagando sobre el particular.

Tenemos mucho gusto en anunciar que las muy distinguidas y cultas señoras Dona Mirtha M. de Matheu y Dona America de Jastram, fueron galardonadas en recompensa de sus muchas y meritorias actividades en pro de la Asociación Hondureña de Nueva Orleans, para quienes van nuestros mas calidos aplausos con el deseo de que continuen trabajando, como siempre, por el engrandecimiento de esta sociedad hondureña con la cual se han sabido significar con el beneplacito de toda la colonia Latino-americana de esta metropoli.

ACTUALIDAD POLITICA EN LATINO-AMERICA

VENEZUELA

A pesar de los acontecimientos politicos ocurridos en Venezuela en meses pasados, es un hecho evidente que el gobierno del Presidente Romulo Betancourt cuenta con el respaldo absoluto del pueblo y en especial de los sindicatos obreros.

El ministro de Relaciones Exteriores venezolano, hizo recientemente, interesantes declaraciones sobre la actividad desarrollada por los guerrilleros, la reforma agraria y la situación cubana.

El canciller venezolano manifesto que conatos de insurrección popular por parte de las llamadas extrema izquierda y los comunistas tuvieron un fracaso rotundo, porque el pueblo venezolano no solo les dio un repudio total, sino que rodeo al gobierno.

Refiriendose a informaciones de caracter alarmista que han circulado en Latinoamerica sobre la actual situación politica en su país, declaró que los campesinos fueran los que se encargaron de apresar a los guerrilleros, porque ellos se dan cuenta y tienen conciencia de que la reforma agraria que esta realizando el gobierno del

FESTIVAL MUSICAL INTERAMERICANO

El Presidente y la senora Kennedy presidiran en caracter honorario, el Tercer Festival Musical Interamericano, a celebrarse en la ciudad de Washington americano a celebrarse en la ciudad de Washington durante Abril y Mayo de 1963. Al igual que en ocasiones anteriores el festival tendra como objetivo ofrecer por primera vez al publico norte-americano, composiciones no conocidas de los mejores autores de America Latina, Estados Unidos y Canara. Hasta el presente, se han seleccionado unas 25 obras.

Participaran en el festival las principales orquestas sinfonicas de Estados Unidos y Latino-America; grupos de musica de camara, y algunos de los mejores solistas de ambos hemisferios.

Este reconocimiento de los países del hemisferio occidental, a la importancia de un mayor acercamiento cultural, se encuentra relacionado directamente con la nueva ALIANZA PARA EL PROGRESO.

El festival se celebrara bajo los auspicios de la Union Pan-Americana y el Consejo Musical Interamericano, y los conciertos tendran lugar en el Salon de Conferencias del Departamento de Estado, en el Paraninfo Cramton de la Universidad Howard y en la Sala Coolidge, de la Biblioteca del Congreso.

Nosotros estamos seguros, que este Festival Musical Interamericano obtendra un éxito rotundo y servira para estrechar aun mas los lazos de amistad y propiciara una mejor comprensión y entendimiento entre los pueblos de este Hemisferio.

Presidente Betancourt, no es algo demagogico, sino una realidad social autentica. "El país nuestro- agregó el Canciller en su inmensa mayoría quiere vivir en paz, quiere tranquilidad y quiere que el regimen democratico se mantenga para bien del país."

En relacion con la reforma agraria declaró al ministro del exterior, que en Venezuela existen mas de 300.000 familias sin tierra y que el gobierno esta dispuesto a resolver este problema en un 90 por ciento. Destaco el hecho de que la estructura latifundista esta bastante que brantada en el país y sostuvo la tesis que aquellas unidades economicas y agricolas que estan en producción y que son prosperas no iran a ser expropiadas. En cambio el latifundismo improductivo, es decir aquel tipo de propiedad que socialmente no es util sera expropiado y repartido.

Hablando del problema cubano, el canciller venezolano dijo que en la patria de Martí no existe sino



Por Fernando Alvarado

un regimen totalitario, policial, que domina sobre la base del terror, pero que hay que recordar lo que decia Bonaparte: "No se puede gobernar sobre las bayonetas."

Como muy bien lo afirmo el destacado escritor peruano Louis Alberto Sanchez, "los que conocemos algo a Venezuela y mucho a Betancourt, abrigamos la certeza de que la hora de la democracia agresiva y en ataque al totalitarismo, ha empezado ya. Que esa nueva actitud abra rotundamente las vias de la victoria. Y que todos los gobiernos y los pueblos y las esperanzas de America, se unan a las de Accion Democratica de Venezuela, en esta hora en que el destino ha puesto en sus manos la decision de una de las mas largas y terribles luchas a que tenemos que encararnos y irremediablemente."

NICARAGUA

Como es de conocimiento de nuestros lectores, en la hermana Republica de Nicaragua se desarrolla actualmente una candente campana para las elecciones presidenciales que se verificaran en Febrero de 1963 y en las cuales se decidira quien sera el sucesor del Presidente Somoza y de su partido el Liberal Nacionalista.

En un mitin de Aclamación organizado por la Juventud Somocista de Nicaragua, el

Doctor RENE SCHICK GUTIERREZ, postulado como candidato a la Presidencia de la Republica por el Partido Liberal Independiente, dijo: "Yo vengo del pueblo y trabajo para el pueblo. Llegare a la presidencia de la Republica por la voluntad de la clase trabajadora, que es la clase a que pertenezco. Prometo que se cumplan las leyes y las prestaciones sociales que establece el CODIGO DEL TRABAJO y dare las conquistas sociales que anuncio al Presidente Somoza en su discurso del primero de Mayo".

Mientras tanto TODOS LOS PARTIDOS nicaraguenses de oposicion firmaron una "ALIANZA PARA LA VICTORIA", tendiente a acabar con el regimen somocista en las proximas elecciones presidenciales de 1963. Los Somozas han gobernado en Nicaragua por espacio de treinta años.

Los partidos LIBERAL INDEPENDIENTE, CONSERVADOR NICARAGUENSE, SOCIAL CRISTIANO y ACCION REVOLUCIONARIA, ilieraron en fecha reciente, a un acuerdo sobre LA CARTA CONSTITUTIVA DEL FRENTE DE OPOSICION NACIONAL llamado tambien "ALIANZA DE LA VICTORIA".

Segun el convenio, la oposicion acudira a los comicios de 1953 "ai cuenta con garantias electorales satisfactorias".

Simultaneamente, al General CARLOS PASOS, jefe del movimiento Revolucionario Nicaraguense, recién creado en Mexico con fuerzas de la gobierno de los hermanos Somoza, ha declarado que se ira a la violencia si las elecciones de 1963 en su país, no son libres.

EL GENERAL PASOS categoricamente plantea la cuestion de que la guerra civil es necesaria cuando un gobierno no quiere conceder elecciones libres para entronizarse en el poder, recurriendo a la juaada formula del candidato oficial que es el que cuenta con toda la maquinaria del gobierno y todos los recursos del Estado, armas, dinero, sin descontar el fraude, lo que imposibilita a los de abajo luchar en igualdad de condiciones y les da el derecho de la lucha armada para la reivindicación de la democracia y los derechos conculcados.

Nosotros deseamos que esta pugna politica en la democracia y los derechos conculcados.

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GUATEMALA

Ha continuado el terrorismo y el estallido de bombas en la ciudad de Guatemala co.o una demostracion del descontento contra el gobierno que preside el General Ydigoras Fuentes, inspirado, segun informaciones, por el castro-comunismo.

A principios del mes de Junio estallo una potente bomba terrorista que causo destrozos de consideracion en la Oficina de Relaciones Publicas de la policia Nacional situada en el tercer piso del edificio de tal cuerpo. Asi mismo estallo una bomba de reloj, de efecto psicologico pero causante de pocos danos materiales, en el ala correspondiente al Ministerio de la Defensa en el Palacio Nacional. Todos estos sucesos han sido causa de gran panico entre los habitantes de la bella capital chapina.

Por esa misma fecha, el grupo de diputados perteneciente al Partido Union Democratica denunció ante el Congreso de Guatemala, el atentado de que habia sido victima el Licenciado Jorge Luis Z. Coronado. El Presidente del Partido antes mencionado, Diputado Enriaue Peralta Mendez, dijo que pedira a la Directiva de La Asamblea que actue en la defensa de la integridad de los diputados y para que el atentado contra Zelaya Coronado no quede impune.

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