

The US "look" at mining Ho Chi Minh, a bombing of vi-
et installations, came at the end of a ~~month~~ week in which two
respected "China experts" appeared before the Sen. For-
eign Relations Committee ~~to testify~~ to feel that with assumption of
the US attack on NVN there was an increasing
chance of China getting into the war, of her feeling
her own security required this.

Senator Fairbanks answered a question on
this by ~~the~~ replying "yes, no doubt about it - yes."

Both were clearly apprehensive of war with China
as a consequence of US policy.