

News Summary

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International

Tanzania's President was pessimistic after several hours of talks in Dar es Salaam with Secretary of State Kissinger. Julius K. Nyerere said he had heard nothing to encourage the possibility of negotiated solutions for either South-West Africa or Rhodesia. Mr. Kissinger suggested later that the statement might turn out to be only positioning in preparation for later talks with South Africa's Prime Minister. [Page 1, Columns 1-2.]

Dissatisfaction with foreign policy is the picture brought back to Washington by aides to Mr. Kissinger following "town meetings" with representative groups of citizens in Pittsburgh, Portland, Ore., San Francisco, Minneapolis and Milwaukee. They found distrust of the Government's effectiveness in carrying out humanitarian policies. The New York Times obtained their reports from an official who felt disclosure would help the candidacy of Jimmy Carter. [1:1.]

Sterilizations have tripled in the last year in India, where the Government claims to be making some real progress toward slowing the growth of the population. Lowering the birth rate has top national priority, and a Health Ministry aide called the recent steps "a real breakthrough." [9:1.]

National

President Ford's formal campaign began with a speech at his alma mater, the University of Michigan. He proposed legislation to spur home ownership by persons of limited means, and without naming his Democratic challenger for the Presidency, Jimmy Carter, he thrust at him by suggesting that the people's trust must be earned by leveling with them. [1:6.]

The decisive farm vote was courted by Secretary of Agriculture Earl L. Butz during a visit to a Midwestern

fairground with the message that the farmers have never had it so good. Although farmers have traditionally voted Republican, a poll by The New York Times shows President Ford trailing Jimmy Carter. [1:6.]

The House-Senate deadlock on the abortion issue may have been broken by a formula from the conference committee. The language would bar payment through Medicaid for abortions except where the mother's life was endangered, but the prohibition was softened in the conferees' binding official report. [1:3.]

Daniel Schorr refused the House Ethics Committee's demand to know how he got the Pike Committee report on intelligence activities, citing his rights under the First Amendment. However, the panel will not cite the CBS News correspondent for contempt. [1:1.]

Metropolitan

The winner, Daniel P. Moynihan, accepted as "gracious" the promise of help from Bella S. Abzug whom he narrowly defeated in the Democratic primary for the United States Senate nomination. The Liberal Party prepared to shift from its token candidate to support Mr. Moynihan against the incumbent Conservative-Republican, James L. Buckley, who handily defeated Representative Peter A. Peyser, the moderate Republican challenger. [1:4-5.]

A debate appeared in prospect between the two Senate candidates from New York. Senator Buckley, who tagged Mr. Moynihan as to the left of most New Yorkers, announced his readiness, while his challenger, proclaiming himself a "liberal centrist," said that wanted to debate. [3:4-5-6.]

A dim view of Mayor Beame by half of New York City's voters is reported in a New York Times survey of voters in the primary on Tuesday. The city's first Jewish mayor was popular with only 45 percent of the Jewish voters

while 44 percent of them gave him an unfavorable rating. There were unfavorable majorities among Catholics, union households, blacks, and Democrats who place themselves in the "reformer" category." [35:6.]

New patterns in municipal services dividing the city into 52 community districts for decentralized delivery in most cases, were proposed by Mayor Beame. The changes are mandated under the City Charter revisions voted last November and would replace the existing 62 community boards with 52 to take office on Jan. 1. [52:1-2.]

Business/Finance

American Telephone and Telegraph earned just over \$1 billion in the quarter ending Aug. 31, making it the first publicly owned corporation to earn that amount in a three-month period. Its chairman attributed the gain to a general improvement in the economy, higher telephone usage and higher rates and productivity. [1:2.]

Charging illegal practices, New York State's Superintendent of Banks took over the American Bank and Trust Company and arranged for it to become part of the Bank Leumi Trust Company, an Israeli concern. The bank's problems had been disclosed previously but the accusation of practices in violation of law was an unexpected surprise. [57:5-6.]

The International Monetary Fund auctioned an additional 780,000 ounces of its gold at an average price of \$109.40 an ounce. This was about \$2 below the day's closing price of gold in London. There was no lack of bids, with prices ranging from \$108.76 to \$114. The I.M.F.'s profit of about \$54 million will go to a special trust fund set up to assist about 60 of the world's poorest countries. [57:4.]

Stock prices moved in a narrow range with advances slightly outnumbering declines. The Dow Jones industrial average gained 0.67 points, closing at 979.31. [57:5-6.] **Bond trading** in Government and Federal agency securities reflected the trend toward lower interest rates in other sectors of the credit market. [58:3.] **Soybeans again advanced**, followed by oats, wheat and corn with demand active. [59:2.]

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Quotation of the Day

"We' in Washington simply have not appeared to be animated in the last decade or so by the same root sense of right and wrong as 'they' elsewhere in the country."—Report by aides to Secretary of State Kissinger on what American people think about United States foreign policy. [7:4.]

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CORRECTION

The starting date for cooking lessons by Cook's Corners of Westport, Conn., was listed inaccurately in *The Times* last Saturday because of incorrect information provided by the school. The starting date is Sept 21.