

Thousands of Saigon Students Demonstrate at State Funeral

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SAIGON, South Vietnam, May 29 (UPI)—Several thousand students today staged the biggest anti-Government demonstration in recent weeks at the state funeral of Phan Khac Suu, a former South Vietnamese Chief of State.

The police used tear gas to disperse students who marched toward Independence Palace after the funeral chanting, "Down With the Militarist Regime of Nguyen Van Thieu." Six students were arrested when they threw rocks at police vehicles.

Mr. Suu ran against Mr. Thieu in the 1967 presidential election. He came in third in the voting and charged irregularities in the election, won by Mr. Thieu.

Mr. Suu, 65 years old, died Sunday of a cerebral hemorrhage and several newspapers

accused President Thieu of having failed to provide adequate medical facilities for him. Mr. Suu had been treated at a United States Army field hospital in Saigon.

President Thieu and Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky attended the Buddhist funeral, driving to the cemetery in closed cars.

Veterans Occupy Ministry

SAIGON, May 29 (AP)—Some 200 disabled veterans temporarily occupied offices of the Veteran's Ministry here today.

After marching on the ministry demanding better treatment from the Government, the veterans staged a sit-in and demanded to see the minister. After several scuffles and after the police fired tear gas, the Veterans' Minister agreed to talk with the men.