

## Personalities

Queen Elizabeth and her husband, Prince Philip, will visit five American cities at the height of the Bicentennial celebrations next July.

Buckingham Palace announced yesterday that the royal couple will sail to the United States on the royal yacht Britannia, arriving in Philadelphia on July 6. They will sail to Washington and spend July 7 and 8 here before traveling to New York on July 9 and Charlottesville, Va., on July 10.

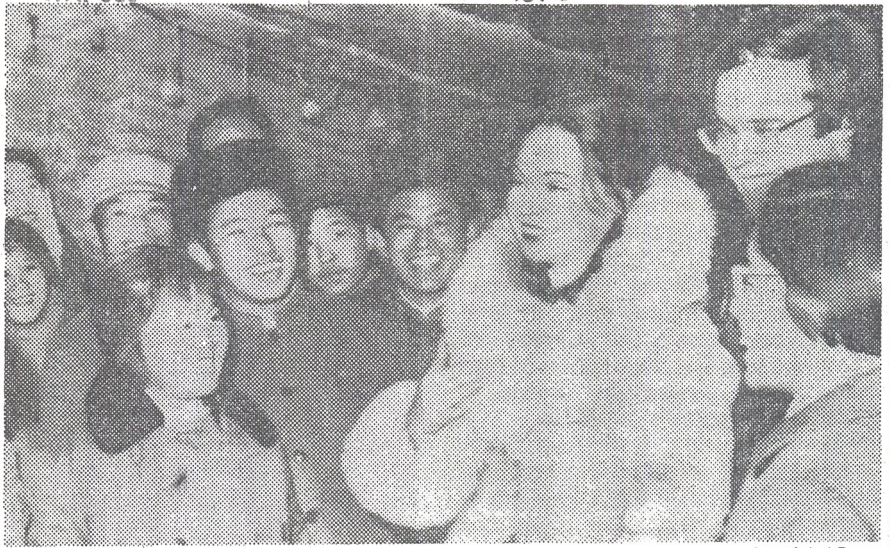
They will end their U.S. tour in Boston on July 11 before sailing to Canada, where the Queen is due to open the Montreal Olympic Games on July 18.

NBC News confirmed yesterday that Marilyn Berger, a staff reporter for The Washington Post, will become its National Security Correspondent in February. Berger, who has covered the State Department for the Post, will primarily cover the Pentagon for the network, but will also be available to cover other national security developments at State and in Congress.

Those are not jealous husbands who are telling everyone in Rome how Casanova is making them suffer these days—they are the producer and director of a new movie about the 18th-century gentleman with the widespread social life.

Producer Alberto Grimaldi accused director Federico Fellini of missing the Dec. 20 deadline on the movie and missing the \$6.8 million budget, and now Fellini is calling Grimaldi's charges "slandorous, untruthful and offensive."

Among the adventures "Casanova" has had since filming started last July



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### Julie and David Eisenhower with students from Tsinghua University

were a theft of the early film, which has still not been recovered, illness and strikes. That, says Fellini, is why he needs two more weeks shooting time.

"Convoy," the song about 1,000 truckers racing across the country, has sold a million copies, but it picked up some bad reviews while racing through Iowa.

"I despise it," said Victor Preisser, director of the Iowa Transportation Department.

"We have enough problems enforcing the 55-mile-an-hour speed limit," said Robert Holetz, the deputy public safety commissioner.

The song was made by a former advertising executive from Omaha, Bill Fries, who has been singing as C. W. McCall, the friendly Old Home Bread deliveryman in midwestern commercials.

A New Year's Eve performance of "Tosca" will be Dorothy Kirsten's farewell appearance at the Metropolitan Opera, where she first sang 30 years ago. Kirsten will not be retiring, however—she has a concert tour and appearances in Honolulu and Cincinnati booked . . . Gail Deborah Percy, the daughter of Illinois Sen. and Mrs. Charles Percy, is joining project HOPE as a medical anthropologist in Tunisia.

Julie and David Eisenhower got a firsthand look at higher education in the People's Republic of China yesterday when they visited Peking's Tsinghua University. Before they knew it, they were surrounded by friendly, if equally curious, students. The visit was part of the tour the Eisenhowers are taking, thanks to an invitation by Premier Chou En-lai extended through Julie's father, former President Richard Nixon, when he visited China in 1972.

—Judith Martin