

from Maxine Cheshire column:

R. Sargent Shriver, putting together his presidential campaign organization, says he cannot understand why people refuse to believe that his brother-in-law, Sen. Edward M. (Ted) Kennedy, has no intention of being a candidate in 1976. "If Teddy were going to run himself," Shriver said last week, "he wouldn't let his mother contribute to my campaign, which she is doing, and throw her money away" . . . Shriver, who has traveled to Russia "15 or 16 times" in the past two years putting together banking and hotel deals for various clients of his law firm, has his contracts written in both English and Russian versions by a linguist who used to be the hotline translator for the White House and the Pentagon.

"I certainly *hope* his Russian is accurate," says Shriver . . .