

'No, It Can't Have Happened'--Jackie

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LONDON → Jacqueline Kennedy's reaction to the shooting of Sen. Robert F. Kennedy today was "No. It can't have happened."

The former First Lady was informed in New York of the shooting during a telephone call from London by Prince Stanislaus Radziwill, husband of her sister Lee.

The princess told newsmen Mrs. Kennedy "couldn't believe it. She kept saying, 'No. It can't have happened. Tell me more.'"

In Paris, U.S. Ambassador Sargent Shriver said that he and his wife, Sen. Robert F. Kennedy's sister, and Mrs. Edward Kennedy, the wife of the Massachusetts senator, "are making arrangements to fly to the United States if necessary."

Mrs. Edward Kennedy is in Paris with the Shriver's after a visit to Dublin.

Shriver said they were all "very shocked by the news" of the shooting of Sen. Kennedy.

"We have been advised not to leave France until the results of the operation are known. We are making arrangements to fly to the United States if necessary."

Meanwhile, Mrs. Shriver

Francis Xavier Roman Catholic Church in Hyannis.

A few minutes later, son Sen. Edward Kennedy telephoned from California with details. The elder Kennedy, an invalid since suffering a stroke in 1961, overheard part of the conversation.

He cried for a few moments. It was like living through the dark days of Dallas all over again.

the former Eunice Kennedy, was expected to go ahead with plans for her first call on France's first lady, Mme. Yvonne de Gaulle, late this afternoon. Shriver arrived in Paris May 8 to take over the embassy.

An embassy spokesman said Shriver also was going ahead with his day's schedule.

In Hyannis Port, Mass., a spokesman for the family of Joseph P. Kennedy said early today that the former ambassador and his wife were told of the shooting of their son when they awakened this morning.

"They took it with remarkable courage," a source close to the Kennedy family said.

Ailing Joseph P. Kennedy, who will be 80 in September sobbed quietly. The mother, Mrs. Rose Kennedy, 78, concealed her sorrow lest she further upset her husband.

Mrs. Kennedy first learned of the news on television when she arose to attend the 7 a.m. Mass - as customary - at St.

'Ashamed as American'— Church Head

GENEVA (AP) — Dr. Eugene Carson Blake, general secretary of the World Council of Churches, said today the attempt on Sen. Robert F. Kennedy's life left him "full of shame and confusion as an American citizen."

He said in a statement:

"The United States, by its increasing reliance on violence to solve human problems, has been progressively losing its moral position among the nations . . .

"Surely now the American

people will become a community dedicated to the only fitting memorial to these men — namely, the establishment of a free, democratic society based neither on the hidden violence of oppression nor the open violence of dissent."