

KISSINGER SEEKS TO DETER KY VISIT

Flying to Paris, Where He Is Expected to Persuade Him to Avoid Capital Rally

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 25—Henry A. Kissinger, President Nixon's adviser on foreign policy, has scheduled a Paris meeting tomorrow with Vice President Nguyen Cao Ky of South Vietnam to try to persuade him not to attend a "March for Victory" rally here next week.

The White House confirmed today that Mr. Kissinger was to fly to Paris tonight and would meet with Mr. Ky. The Presidential press secretary, Ronald L. Ziegler, said Mr. Kissinger would also confer with David K. E. Bruce, the chief United States negotiator at the Vietnam peace talks, and with Mr. Bruce's assistant, Philip C. Habib.

Reliable sources within the Administration said Mr. Kissinger would try to convince Mr. Ky that an appearance at the rally would be in neither his in-

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terest nor that of his country.

The sources said they had indications that Mr. Ky would agree to stay away, or at least delay his arrival in the United States until after the Oct. 3 march.

The Kissinger trip, which was arranged at the last minute, is viewed here as an indication of the White House's concern over the diplomatic and political problems that would arise from an appearance by Mr. Ky at the rally.

For a week, scores of anti-war groups and student organizations have been preparing protests against the appearance. Some have threatened to carry out a citizens arrest, while others have laid plans for a counterdemonstration to protest the war.

A number of Congressmen have also protested Mr. Ky's planned visit, including Senator Edmund S. Muskie, Democrat of Maine, who warned today that it would "deepen the divisions over Vietnam, escalate domestic tensions and increase the chances for violent confrontation."

Arranged by Preacher

The United States March for Victory will be the second mass demonstration in support of the American involvement in South Vietnam organized by the Rev. Carl McIntire, a right-wing radio preacher who is pastor of the Bible Presbyterian Church in Collingswood, N. J.

On April a crowd estimated by the police at 50,000 marched down Pennsylvania Avenue to the Washington Monument to hear Mr. McIntire call upon



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President Nixon to seek a military victory in Vietnam.

The fundamentalist preacher has predicted that as many as 500,000 would converge on Washington Saturday to cheer Mr. Ky and urge a victory over communism in Vietnam.

In an effort to insure Mr. Ky's participation, Mr. McIntire flew to Saigon last month. He emerged from the meeting with Mr. Ky and said the vice president had promised to join the march and address the crowd. Mr. Ky confirmed this on Vietnamese national television last week, before his departure for Paris, where he is conferring with members of the South Vietnamese delegation at the Paris talks.

Since then, the Administration and many South Vietnamese, including the ambassador to United States, Bui Diem, have been urging Mr. Ky to avoid the rally.

Mr. Kissinger, in his capacity as Mr. Nixon's personal representative, is expected to do the same, arguing that a possibly violent confrontation between supporters and critics of the war would do serious harm to United States-South Vietnamese relations.

In his talks with Mr. Bruce and Mr. Habib, Mr. Kissinger is expected to assess the significance of the new eight-point peace proposal put forward by the Vietcong delegation at last week's session of the talks.

High Administration officials said today that they saw no great difference between the eight points and previous Communist proposals, but that the Administration would study the changes in nuance and emphasis with great care before replying in any formal way.

After his meetings in Paris, Mr. Kissinger is scheduled to

fly to Rome on Sunday to meet Mr. Nixon on the first leg of his European tour.