REPORT TO PRESIDENT—Defense Secretary Robert McNamara, left, and Gen. Maxwell D. Taylor, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, talk to newsmen following their arrival at Andrews Air Force Base in Maryland after a fact-finding mission to South Viet Nam. They reported to President Kennedy later in the day. (UPI)

McNamara, Taylor Report On Study of South Viet Nam

WASHINGTON (UPI) — President Kennedy today received a report on the confused situation in South Viet Nam from Defense Secretary Robert S. McNamara and Gen Maxwell D. Taylor, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

The two top Pentagon officials just returned from an inspection tour of the area.

W. Averell Harriman, assistant secretary of state for far eastern affairs, also attended the White House meeting along with Central Intelligence Agency Director John A. McCone.

Spent Week

McNamara and Taylor spent a week in South Viet Nam trying to find out for Kennedy whether the war effort against the Communist Viet Cong had been hampered by the little Asian nation's domestic religious crisis.

McNamara declined on their arrival at nearby Andrews Air Force Base, Md., today to give newsmen any inkling of what his report contains. He saved it for a conference the two Pentagon leaders had with the President at the White House, only a little over three hours after their return.

On their departure from Saigon Tuesday, McNamara issued a statement saying he and Taylor had traveled the "length and breadth of this land" and had spoken with several hundred persons during their visit.

Assess Situation

Kennedy sent McNamara and Taylor to South Viet Nam Sept. 23 to make a first hand assessment of the progress of that country's war against the Communist guerrillas, a war in which 12,000 to 15,000 U.S. servicemen are involved.

The President gave the two investigators a three - way assignment:

—To assess the military situation now, compared with the period before late August when the Vietnamese government cracked down on Buddhists and threw the country into a political turmoil.

—To assess the probable effect of the Vietnamese government's repression of the Buddhists and other policies on the future progress of the war.

—In the light of the first two findings to recommend what action the United States should take.

U.S. officials said it was not a question of deciding U.S. "policy" in Viet Nam — the policy is and has been to see the war won and help the Vietnamese economically toward a better life.

Nervous Gangster Died of Broken Heart, Valachi Tells Investigators

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Cosa Nostra informer Joseph Valachi told Senate investigators today about a mobster who "died of a broken heart" after disgracing himself by showing nervousness after the killing of gangland boss Giuseppe Masseria.

The squat alumnus of the crime combine identified the nervous gangster as Ciro Terranova. Masseria, who was set up for death by his own lieutenants, was murdered in a Coney Island restaurant. Masseria was the leader of the Italian faction in the 14-month Italian-Sicilian gang war of 1930-31.

"Ciro was so shaky in putting the key in the ignition that they threw him off the wheel," Valachi said in describing the episode. He said Vito Genovese, alleged "under the table boss" of Cosa Nostra, Terranova and other aides had been present at Masseria's slaying.

Stripped of Power

Valachia said Ciro began to have what he called the "buck wheats" after the incident and his underworld power began to be stripped away.

"After a while he took it so hard that he just died of a broken heart," he said.

"He disgraced himself?" asked Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) of the Senate investigations subcommittee. Valachi agreed.

Valachi testified about the Masseria slaying, touched upon briefly in Tuesday's testimony, after answering a volley of questions posed by subcommittee members.

He disclaimed knowledge of criminal operations in a variety of mid-western cities in language which suggested that he had never heard of the cities themselves.

"Senator, I never heard of Omaha," Valachi said, when Sen. Carl T. Curtis (R-Neb.), asked about policy and horse book operators there.

Valachi, who violated an oath of loyalty and silence sworn in blood and fire, was serving two separate narcotics conspiracy convictions at the time he killed a fellow prisoner he suspected of being his intended executioner. It was after this that he turned on Cosa Nostra and began spilling its inside secrets to government agents.

Gave Livid Account

Valachi came on like Gangbusters for the senators Tuesday, giving a murder-by-murder account of the struggle for controls of the New York branch of Cosa Nostra in the early 1930s. He also described in lurid detail his own secret initiation into the crime clan.

At one point during his recital of the initiation ceremony, he told the listening senators and the silent crowd in the ornately paneled hearing room:

"Senators, I need to go no further than what I'm doing—exposing this to you, the press, everybody—this is my doom!"

Senate investigators planned to unveil a set of prepared charts to aid Valachi in giving an up-to-date reading of who's who in Cosa Nostra's New York set-up.

Valachi will draw on first-hand knowledge up to 1959, when he was arrested. After that date he has information acquired in federal prison as a cell-mate to Genovese.

Although much of Valachi's testimony Tuesday dealt with crimes of more than 30 years ago, some of the cases still are in the New York Police Department's "active" files. Prosecutors in the greater New York area were reported by subcommittee aides to be "very much interested" in his disclosures.

Negro Charges Discrimination At Eugene School

EUGENE (UPI) — The only Negro to go through fraternity rushing at the University of Oregon this fall was quoted by the campus newspaper today as saying there is "rather evident" discrimination on the campus.

Herb Sanders, a freshman English major from Los Angeles, told the Oregon Daily Emerald that all but two of the fraternities "definitely did not intend to pledge me from the start."

He said he received "drop cards" from all but two of the houses, indicating the fraternities did not wish him to return.

There is no way for a Negro to become a fraternity member at the University, Sanders predicted.

He told the paper he was "amazed at the lack of courage shown."

"It belies the whole principle of brotherhood which underlies the fraternity system. It seems that they lost sight of the goal."

Sanders insisted he was not bitter, but he added, "discrimination makes some pretty nice guys bitter."

"Those who are bitter are those who are going to be the leaders of the Negro community," The Emerald quoted Sanders as saying.

State Prison Medium Custody Inmate Flees

SALEM (UPI) — Joseph Bernarr Custer, 26, escaped from a state prison medium custody crew Tuesday afternoon, Warden Clarence T. Gladden reported.

Custer was committed from Lincoln county in May to serve four years for grand larceny.

UO Students Make $12,500 Available

EUGENE (UPI) — University of Oregon Student Body President Phil Sherburne said today some $12,500 has been made available by students to help finance a campaign in favor of a "yes" vote at the special tax election Oct. 15.

Sherburne said most of the money was collected from students who are turning over part of the $15 "breakage fees" to the campaign.

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Foreign Briefs

OUSTED DOMINICAN PRESIDENT ARRIVES IN PUERTO RICO

SAN JUAN, P.R. (UPI)—Ousted Dominican ex-President Juan Bosch and his Cuban-born wife Carmen arrived here by air Tuesday night to set up housekeeping as refugees on this U.S. Caribbean island.

BOLIVIAN PRESIDENT, TITO TO SIGN AGREEMENTS

COCHABAMBA, Bolivia (UPI)—President Victor Paz Estenssoro returns here today to take part in ceremonies winding up Yugoslav President Tito's visit to Bolivia. The two men will sign a joint communique expressing their views on international affairs. Trade agreements covering an $8 million exchange of goods also will be signed.

NATO SECRETARY TO CONFER IN GREECE

ATHENS, Greece (UPI)—Dirk Stikker, secretary general of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization, arrived here Tuesday for three days of conferences with officials of the Greek government on military problems.

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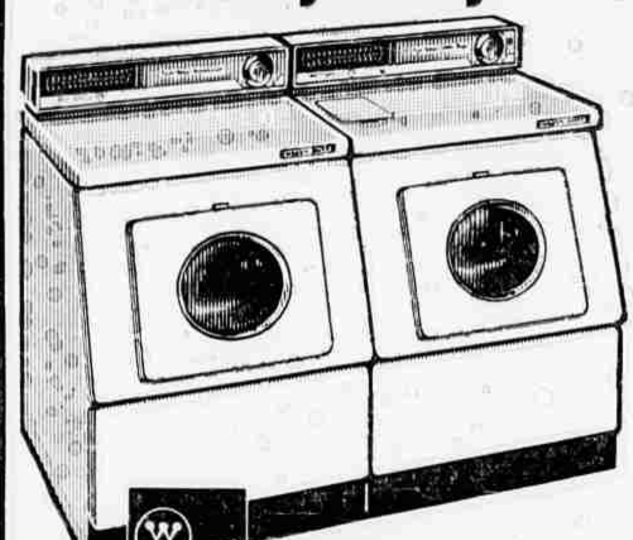

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After all, it's your hard-won money. You would like to have it bring you an income from dividends on stock. Or interest on Bonds. Or to have a good prospect of increasing in value over the years.

So remember these five tell-tale signs of the tipster:

Tipster: "Boy, have I got a hot one!"

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Tipster: "Hurry. There's only a limited amount of that stock around."

Broker: He knows that people who rush you often have something else in mind than your welfare. It's wise to take the time to be careful.

Tipster: "It's a chance in a million to make a killing."

Broker: He meets people who have shot for the moon and missed. And people who have, instead, set long-term goals to fit their circumstances and gone a long way toward achieving them.

Tipster: "You can't lose with this."

Broker: He knows that prices go down as well as up. That a company may not continue to pay dividends or interest.

Tipster: "You'd be wise to put as much as you can into this."

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Stocks Go Higher On Quiet Trading

NEW YORK (UPI) — Stocks moved irregularly higher early today in quiet trading.

Chrysler rose nearly ½ in a firm auto group. Virginia Karolina and Eastman Kodak were up nearly a point in the chemicals. Continental Steel added a large fraction in a steady steel section.

Pennsylvania Railroad dropped more than 1 and New York Central close to 1½ after the Kennedy administration attacked the proposed merger of the two lines.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

NEW YORK (UPI) —Dow Jones final stock averages: 30 industrials 738.33 up 3.51; 20 railroads 170.93 up 0.10; 15 utilities 138.87 off 0.08; 65 stocks 260.85 up 1.24. Sales Tuesday were about 4.42 million shares compared with 3.73 million shares Monday.

Tuesday's prices of selected stocks: [illegible]

Armco	60
American Standard	18
Bendix Corp	49
Bethlehem Steel	31
Boeing Air	34
Brunswick	11
Caterpillar Corp	42
Chrysler Corp	81
Coca Cola	104
CBS	75
Columbia Gas	29
Continental Can	45
Crown Zellerbach	52
Crucible Steel	23
Curtiss Wright	19
Dow Chemical	58
Du Pont	243
Eastman Kodak	112
Firestone	36
Ford	54
General Dynamics	24
General Electric	80
General Foods	86
General Motors	77
General Portland Cement	21
Georgia Pacific	53
Great Northern Railway	53
Greyhound	18
Gulf Oil	48
Homestake	46
Idaho Power	34
IBM	449
Int Paper	30
Johns Manville	48
Kennecott Copper	77
Lockheed Aircraft	36
Martin	18
Merck	98
Montana Power	33
Montgomery Ward	38
National Biscuit	51
New York Central	24
Northern Natural Gas	32
Northern Pacific	48
Pac Gas Elec	33
Penney (J.C.) Ltd	48
Penn RR	21
Permanente Cement	17
Phillips	51
Procter & Gamble	80
Radio Corporation	71
Richfield Oil	47
Safeway	50
Sears	91
Shell Oil	46
Socony Mobil Oil	71
Southern Co	54
Southern Pacific	32
Sperry Rand	17
Standard California	65
Standard Indiana	61
Standard N.J.	70
Stokely Van Camp	19
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Texas Co	63
Texas Gulf Sulfur	16
Texas Pacific Land Trust	30
Thiokol	18
Trans America	[illegible]
Trans World Air	20
Tri-Continental	48
Union Carbide	107
Union Pacific	39
United Aircraft	43
United Air Lines	36
U.S. Plywood	63
U.S. Rubber	47
U.S. Steel	51
United Utilities	40
West Bank Corp	40
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Record Enrollment At Pacific University

FOREST GROVE (UPI) — A record 681 students had registered for fall semester at Pacific University Monday, the largest in the 114-year history of the school.

The new enrollment figure shows a 1½ per cent increase over the previous year.

The family developing from the eggs of one female moth can devour up to 12 pounds of wool a year.