China Developing Missle

HONG KONG — A former top American military commander said this week Communist China will have a missle with a 6,000-mile range capable of carrying a nuclear warhead within about 15 months.

Lt. Gen. Victor H. Krulak, former U.S. Marine Corps Pacific commander, predicted that China would fire a "highly publicized and highly propagandized" long-range missile into the Pacific Ocean.

Handyman Admits Arson

NOTRE DAME DU LAC, Que. — A 64-year-old handyman who confessed Wednesday to starting the fire that killed 40 elderly persons at a rest home last December has been ordered held for criminal charges.

Loul Chiasson, a convicted arsonist, confessed at an inquest here to setting fire to the Repos Du Vieillard where he lived and worked.

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BLACK CAUCUS — Father George Clements, pastor of Holy Angels Church in Chicago and an official of the Black Caucus addressed seminarians at St. Mary's in Catonsville recently. Shown here from left, Russell Dillard, Walter Barrett, Father Clement, Donald Sterling, and Maurice Blackwell.

AT BLACK CAUCUS

Militant priest says justice rests with youth

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Father George Clements, pastor of Holy Angels Church, Chicago, and an official of the Black Caucus addressed the seminarians at St. Mary's Seminary, Catonsville, Md., recently.

Invited by the Black Seminarian's Union, he told of the many demonstrations he participated in with the late Dr. Martin L. King Jr. in Selma, Ala. and Cicero, Ill.

He said the non-violent revolution has been lost and the only hope for justice in this nation rests with the young gifted black men and women.

The black priest told of his struggles in the Archdiocese of Chicago for equal rights and said that the Catholic Church in the U.S. is primarily a white racist institution. The Catholic Church must take the Black Manifesto seriously if something is to really be done for the Blacks. So far the Episcopal Church is the only church group to do so.

He added that since this country was conceived in violence, from the Revolutionary War to Vietnam, the white man has nothing to fear from the Blacks since he has excelled in violence. It is necessary for the young gifted blacks to speak out for their rights and justice in this country if anything is to be done.

The priests of the Black Clergy Caucus are now organizing groups of blacks in various cities to speak out and organize for Justice and equal rights in the country. There is one such Black Lay Caucus already begun in Washington, D.C.

Colleges for blacks seen losing $$ war

HOUSTON (UPI) — Black colleges are losing out in competing with white schools for money, a leading black educator said at the 56th annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges Tuesday.

"Our tuition fails to meet the cost of education, yet many students cannot even affort that," said Vivian W. Henderson, president of Clark College in Atlanta. He said the nation's 120 black colleges have to depend on the "yankee dollar" to get by.

"Society's image is that if it's black, it's inferior; if it's white, it's superior," he told the 1,000 colleges presidents and academic deans.

"Spokesmen for higher education have ignored our problems. When it came to federal aid to education and private grants, we done in.

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"We found prestigious universities were easing their consciences by taking in a few black kids and putting them in methodological programs which didn't benefit anyone."

Henderson said qualified black professors are often lured to white colleges by higher salaries. "We don't need consultation, we need manpower," he said.

Despite their problems, Henderson said "The black college will be one of the nation's most important resources in meeting social and cultural problems."

He called on black schools to upgrade their own curricula by going after the necessary grants themselves."

Another speaker, a student activist at San Jose College, warned that faculties and students were on a collission course unless students get a bigger voice in higher education.

"We want opportunities and we want to provide opportunities for others to learn about things relevant to our existence," Stephen Lieurance said. Lieurance is coordiantor of the California State College Student Presidents Association.

"This means exposure in the classroom to men of controversial qualification, eminently qualified to instruct because of what they know, yet grossly underqualified because of how they came to know it," he said.

Luther H. Foster, president of Tuskegee Institute in Alabama, was elected the first black chairman of the association in its 56-year history.

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JAN. 17

Metropolitan United Methodist Church, Carrollton Ave. and Lanvale Street is conducting an open forum for youth and young adults on church-related vocations on Saturday, Jan. 17., at 1:30 p.m. in the social hall.

The Rev. Frank Wanek, minister, St. Marks United Methodist Church, Liberty Heights and Garrison Blvd. and secretary on enlistment of the Baltimore conference, United Methodist Church, will be the keynote speaker.

All interested persons are urged to attend.

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PICTORIAL REVIEW OF THE PAST WEEK

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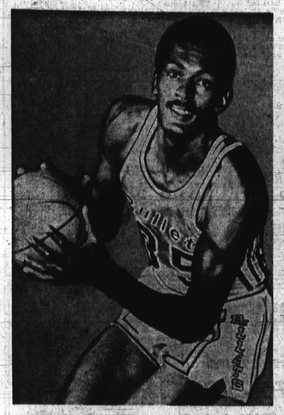
It's rare when 6-11 guy is caught looking up: Bullets' Leroy Ellis



Ed Manning left Bullets in trade

Banked snow no deterrent to race fans, horses at Bowie Race Track

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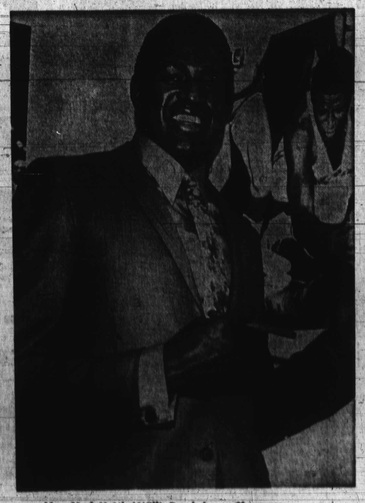

New York Knicks' Willis Reed sharp off court, too

WBA champ Jimmy Ellis looks mean while prepping