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Title South Viet Nam

Source World Affairs (705 Yonge St., Toronto 5)

Date Oct 63 pp 19-20 () Editorial

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Title Sou h Vietnam: The Break-Even Point

Source Newsweek

Date Dec 2

() Editorial

() Book

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() Newspaper

"Unless the U. S. and the junta could quickly make up the ground lost by Diem, there was a real possibility that proposals for an neutralist solution . . . would gain force and momentum."

Author _____

Title SouthViet Nam: The New Regime

Source Time

Date Nov 15

() Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

"The most serious danger to the new government is potential rivalry among the generals."

Author_____

Title The Stain on the Revolution

Source Post

Date Nov 4 () Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

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~~The execution of~~ Diem and his brother deserved a better fate than assassination.

Noting some of the pledges made by the new Saigon regime, the editorial says that performance will determine "whether the rebels were interested in genuine changes of policy, or merely in a change of policymakers."

Author_____

Title A Tale of Two Wars

Source Time

Date Nov 1

() Editorial

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() Magazine

() Newspaper

After describing a raid on a Viet Cong position, six months after the Buddhist crisis, Vietnam "carries on its bitter battle against the communist." The best estimates are that the army is holding its own but it remains to be seen how the ~~army~~ Vietnamese will fare in the other war, "the political war waged ~~against~~ by the U. S. against the Diem government."

Author _____

Title Tests Ahead in Vietnam

Source Times

Date Dec 23 () Editorial () Book
() Magazine
() Newspaper

"A clarification of what we are fighting for is long overdue." In discussing the possibility of Vietnam as a subject for negotiation at any conference called by Cambodia to guarantee her independence, the editorial feels that "there need be no fear of negotiating . . ." so long ~~and~~ as the U. S. "and the new regime in Saigon are in accord on . . . war goals."

Author _____

Title Tho's Hold on the Press

Source Trib

Date Dec 14 () Editorial () Book
() Magazine
() Newspaper

An editorial critical of the suspension of three Saigon newspapers by the new government.

Author _____

Title The Two Lands of Viet Nam

Source World Affairs (WA)

Date Nov 63. p 22 () Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

Author_____

Title Unclouded Judgment

Source Time

Date Oct 11 () Editorial () Book
() Magazine
() Newspaper

Analyzes ~~the~~ the McNamara-Taylor report and draws three major conclusions:

The war comes first; an attempt to reform the Diem regime is a major aim of

U. S. policy; and the "bitter disputes among personnel of various U. S. agencies

. . . is a must."

Author _____

Title US Rebuttal for V's name Nhu

Source US News

Date 10/7/63 () Editorial

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() Magazine

() Newspaper

p 28

Author _____

Title US Re-examines Viet Policy

Source Lt Schol. (900 Sylvan Ave, Englewood Cliffs N.J.)

Date 10/18/63 () Editorial

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() Magazine

() Newspaper

p. 15

Author_____

Title Viet Nam_____

Source J-Amer_____

Date Nov 4 () Editorial () Book
() Magazine
() Newspaper

Because Diem was "a courageous, even dedicated anti-Communist", although "blindly stubborn" and "authoritarian", the editorial does not share the elation"of some officials in Washington over the coup."

Author _____

Title Vietnam--Basic Elements

Source Times Mag

Date Nov 10 () Editorial

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A brief pictorial review of recent events.

Author _____

Title Viet Nam Coup

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Date Nov 9 () Editorial () Book
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■ "The only regret over the change is perhaps that violent rather than pacific means had to be employed, resulting in the death of . . . Diem and . . . Nhu.■ . . If it is established that they were put to death after they had surrendered in good faith, those responsible cannot shun condemnation."

Author _____

Title Vietnam--New Start

Source New Rep

Date Nov 16 () Editorial () Book
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"The coup opens the way for a reappraisal of when and how the US can disengage militarily without abandoning South Vietnam to the Communists."

Author _____

Title Viet Nam's Two Wars

Source World Affairs

Date Nov 63, pp 3-5 () Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

"After two months of South Viet Nam's new frontier, any judgment that a brighter day has dawned must await further documentation. Perhaps it is just a new facade."

Author _____

Title The War Heats Up _____

Source Time _____

Date Dec 6 _____

() Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

Noting the intensification of the war, Time points out that U. S. advisers
"are doggedly optimistic, insist that the morale of the South Vietnamese is
rising . . . "

Author _____

Title The War Is Waiting _____

Source Time _____

Date Nov 22 () Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

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Notes the continuing politicaldisarray in Vietnam as the war continues.

Author _____

Title What Mme. Nhu Can Learn

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Date Oct 9 () Editorial () Book
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There is evidence that Mme Nhu and her husband "are even more badly informed about the United States than they seem to be about their own public opinion." The editorial hopes that the American view is made clear to Mme. Nhu; "and if she goes home with that in mind, her trip here will have been well worthwhile."

Author_____

Title What Now in Vietnam?

Source Nation

Date Dec 21 () Editorial () Book
() Magazine
() Newspaper

" . . . Ho Chi Minh is no fool. He knows the Viet Cong cannot win the war. Nor can we. Both sides have the power only to continue the stalemate. . . . He is putting out peace feelers, but the . . . junta . . . is deaf, dumb and blind. They continue to pursue a victory that recedes as fast as they pursue it. There must be a negotiated peace, or worse will befall."

Author _____

Title Which War Are We Fighting?

Source Trib

Date Oct 4 () Editorial () Book
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An optimistic editorial ~~hums~~ which feels there is still time "for rational processes of negotiation to bring about needed reforms in Saigon—and in Washington." Concludes by saying that the U. S. should fight the real war "without starting up any unnecessary ones" in Gia Long Palace or in the State Department.

Author _____

Title Who's at the Helm?

Source Newsweek

Date Dec 23 () Editorial

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() Newspaper

The new government "is all too plainly divided and indecisive . . . the junta itself has so far failed to display dramatic leadership. . . . with the Viet Cong on the move, and popular unrest mounting, Vietnam may conceivably be running out of time.

Author _____

Title Widow's Retreat

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Date Nov 22 () Editorial () Book
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Mme Nhu arrived in the U. S. as a crusading wife and left as an embittered widow.

Author _____

Title Win with Whom?

Source Newsweek

Date Oct 14

☐ Editorial

☐ Book

☐ Magazine

☐ Newspaper

Reflects the doubts existing regarding the optimistic reports on the progress of the war. Noting the attacks on U. S. newsmen, the article feels "It may be possible to win the war in the paddy fields, but it can certainly be lost in the cities."

Author _____

Title Young Tigers--And Cautious Optimism

Source Newsweek

Date Nov 18

() Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

" . . . most people /in Saigon/ hoped that somehow the new regime would give them the freedom, and a sense of purpose, that they had lacked before."

Author_____

Title_____ 'You're in America Now' _____

Source_____ Time _____

Date_____ Nov 15 () Editorial () Book
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Although the Diem regime has been overthrown, "certain to be heard from for quite a while is Mme. Ngo Dinh Nhu . . . "

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Author_____

Title_____ Alsop, Joseph

Source_____ Asia Balance Sheet

Date_____ Trib () Editorial () Book
Oct 23 () Magazine
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Returning to an old theme, Alsop feels that

U. S. difficulties "have at least been somewhat exaggerated by the obsession of a number of the American newspapermen in Saigon with a political-moral crusade against . . . Diem." "Front line reports have been singularly rare. And the war is still going rather well . . . " But, on balance, " . . . our difficulties in Viet Nam are downright trifling compared with the difficulties which now confront the Chinese Communist regime, not to mention the regime in North Viet Nam, where conditions are even worse than in China." We can reasonably hope that the pendulum will swing our way as a result of these difficulties.

Author Alsop, Joseph

Title Farewell to Diem

Source Trib

Date Nov 4

() Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

Events in Vietnam were bound to happen because "Ngo Dinh Nhu finally lost all grip on reality, while . . . Diem, though sane enough himself, nonetheless saw the outer world through the half-mad eyes of his brother."

A humorous piece noting that Mme Nhu is another in the long string of ~~strange~~ names strange to schoolchildren, who--because such persons are in the news--must learn a mass of useless information about them.

Author Baldwin, Hanson W.

Title Key Factors in Vietnam

Source Times

Date Dec 7 () Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

The situation in Vietnam is "still somber" but this is less important ~~than military and~~
~~and~~ in the long run "than political and psychological factors." Warfare of the
kind being fought in Vietnam ~~is a~~ must of necessity be warfare of
attrition. It is too soon to tell how the ~~new~~ military reforms of the new govt.
will affect the course of the war.

Author Barry, Joseph

Title De Gaulle and Vietnam

Source Post

Date Oct 18

() Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

() Newspaper

De Gaulle's current neutralism "is nothing but neo-interventionism".

But his pressure for a solution to the struggle may ~~ham~~ cause Kennedy in his second term "to close down one ~~for~~ of the last and least defensible battlefields of the cold war."

Author Barry, Joseph

Title Unfinished Coup

Source Post

Date Nov 20 () Editorial

() Book

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reports Paris rumors of
Barry/~~predicts~~ another coup within four or five weeks, a coup which will bring in
"non-military men with . . . a political policy of ~~negotiation~~ negotiated peace."

Author Bartlett, Charles

Title She Can Upset Our Policy

Source Journal

Date Oct 10 () Editorial () Book
() Magazine
() Newspaper

A "fragile harmony" exists among the various U. S. agencies in Vietnam and between the U. S. and Diem; Mme Nhu can disrupt this harmony "if she uses her visit to agitate the debate on the merits of the Diem government."

Author Buchwald, Art

Title Madame Nhu's Dream Interview

Source Trib

Date Oct 15 () Editorial

() Book

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states, among bther things, that

An imaginary humorous interview with Mme. Nhu, in which Mme Nhu ~~claims her~~ the
her coming to visit
reason for/~~visiting~~ the U. S. is to/~~see~~ her father and mother.

Author Burnham, James

Title What Chance in V?

Source N. Rev.

Date 10/8/63 () Editorial

() Book

() Magazine

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p 304

The S. V. operation ~~is~~ is being conducted "within a ~~for~~ strategic & political framework that makes Anti-Comm. success impossible."
The US is not permitted to use "advanced weapons" (biol., chem. & nuclear), cannot ~~use~~ use allied troops - Australian, Thai, & Not. Chinese; - in short "we fight the enemy on a relatively small scale, on his terrain & terms." Since we cannot win, "In the end we will pull out" settling for some form of neutralized regime.

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Author Conniff, Frank

Title Our Puzzling Foreign Policy

Source Journal

Date Oct 11 () Editorial () Book
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Conniff wonders why we refuse to receive Mme Nhu officially while welcoming Tito. Also, why do we deplore military coups in Latin America while the State Department "publicly urges military leaders in Viet Nam to organize a coup . . ." And other complaints.

Author Conniff, Frank

Title State Dept. Takes 2d Look at Saigon

Source J-Amer

Date Nov 8 () Editorial () Book
() Magazine
() Newspaper

"The idea that purging the Diems marked a final period in a complicated story . . . was reflect in most press comments about the tragic episode. Actually the canof worms that has now been spilled will grow more tangled as the months and years progress."

