### SCHLESINGER POURS ARMS INTO ISRAEL

Nov. 8 (IPS)—At a press conference Nov. 6 Israeli Information Minister Aharon Yariv reported that Israel had been "assured of an important amount of additional arms" and that "an important part of this hardware will get to Israel as soon as possible." Yariv, a former general in the Israeli armed forces, thus confirmed a Nov. 4 report that Secretary of Defense James Schlesinger—the "hard cop" in Rockefeller's Schlesinger/Kissinger duo—had ordered an emergency airlift of military supplies to Israel.

Meanwhile, in West Germany on a tour of NATO facilities, Schlesinger himself yesterday announced that some active U.S. units had been "stripped down" in order to carry out the supply effort.

Timed to coincide with the arrival in Israel of Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, these Defense Department leaks have effectively crippled Kissinger's efforts by publicly removing the major U.S. leverage over the trigger-happy Israelis--the withdrawal of arms. Given the delicate nature of Kissinger's "peace" mission to the Middle East, the Schlesinger policy of massive Israeli rearmament can have the effect only of undercutting the Secretary of State and pushing the explosive Middle East over the brink into another Rockefeller-rigged Arab-Israeli war.

### "No Choice But War"

As U.S. arms poured into Israel, a spokesman for the Saudi Arabian government told IPS that "if the United States continues to support Israel, we will have no choice but to go to war." He added, without prompting, that "the Saudi government does not wish to begin a world nuclear war, but we are motivated by brotherly support for the Palestinian cause."

## U.S. ANNOUNCES PRO-LIBERATION POSITION IN SOUTH AFRICA

Nov. 8 (IPS)--Assistant Secretary of State for African Affairs Donald Easum today publicly acknowledged full-scale American participation in the southern African black-white "detente."

While meeting with Zambian officials, Easum made it clear that "the U.S. government intends to tell South Africa it abhors its racist policies" and that "soon there would be a big change in America's role in Africa, with Washington coming down firmly on the side of the liberation movements and against South African apartheid."

Easum's statement follows an announcement by South Africa's Prime Minister Vorster that within a year his country's critics "will be amazed at where we stand." This official "conciliatory" attitude is coupled with the enthusiastic response to "detente" by Rockefeller's local African leadership. Black-white "detente" is essential for Rockefeller's accelerated looting of southern Africa.

# BOURGEOIS PRESS USES SOVIET PARADE CANCELLATION IN PSYMAR

Nov. 8 (IPS)--The traditional parade for the Soviet Union's October Revolution festivities was abruptly broken off yesterday after the military part, ostensibly due to rain. Hundreds of civilian marchers were sent home. While the actual reasons for the cancellation are as yet not known, the Western bourgeois press has circulated rumors to the effect that the Soviet leadership is a group of doddering old men practically near death. Thus the Baltimore Sungleaned from a gesture of General Leonid Brezhnev that he was "protecting" the feeble Nicholai Podgornyi. The Sun also described Premier Kosygin as looking cold and wan.

The following day, West Germany's <u>Die Welt</u> picked up this latest CIA psywar line, writing that the parade was cancelled supposedly because Brezhnev himself had had a heart attack...and also the flu!

### EAST GERMAN RADIO WARNS OF NUCLEAR WAR IN MIDEAST

Nov. 8 (IPS)--The domestic radio of the German Democratic Republic (East Germany) warned today that Israel is threatening to launch a nuclear war in the Mideast. The broadcast then cited Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev in reference to the need to resolve the crisis as soon as possible.

The report, however, failed to mention Foreign Minister Gromy-ko's recent announcement of Soviet support for the creation of a Palestinian state. Unsere Zeit, daily newspaper of the West German Communist Party, similarly edited out this section of Gromyko's speech.

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