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LATE EVENING NEWS PRIORITIES
WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 17, 1975

I. INTERNATIONAL

EEC IMPOSES MORE ECONOMIC BLACKMAIL OF PORTUGUESE: LEVIES DUTIES ON FABRICS

SEPT. 17 (IPS)--THE COUNTRIES IN THE EUROPEAN COMMON MARKET (EEC) AND THE EUROPEAN FREE TRADE ASSOCIATION (EFTA) ARE IMPOSING ADDITIONAL DUTIES ON PORTUGUESE TEXTILES, ON TOP OF THE ONES LEVIED IN JULY. THE DUTIES WILL TAKE EFFECT "WHERE EXPORTS OF CERTAIN PRODUCTS EXCEED PRESCRIBED LEVELS," ACCORDING TO YESTERDAY'S LONDON FINANCIAL TIMES.

ACCORDING TO RELIABLE SOURCES, NATO SECRETARY-GENERAL LUNS HAS WARNED PORTUGUESE LEADERS THAT IF A COMMUNIST IS INCLUDED IN THE SIXTH PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT THEN THE "EEC COUNTRIES WOULD ECONOMICALLY BLOCKADE PORTUGAL."

PCP LEADER ALVARO CUNHAL ADDRESSES CROWD OF 70,000

SEPT. 17 (IPS)--ALVARO CUNHAL, LEADER OF THE PORTUGUESE COMMUNIST PARTY (PCP) ADDRESSED A 70,000 MAN DEMONSTRATION TO EXPRESS CONFIDENCE IN THE CONTINUED DEVELOPMENT OF A DEMOCRATIC PORTUGAL AND THE DEFENSE OF THE REVOLUTIONARY ACHIEVEMENTS, ACCORDING TO THE EAST GERMAN NEWS AGENCY ADN. CUNHAL SAID, "THE PROBLEMS OF OUR COUNTRY CAN ONLY BE SOLVED WITH THE PCP, AND NOT AGAINST THE PCP...THE PCP SHOULD MAINTAIN STRONG ALLEGIANCE TO THE ARMED FORCES MOVEMENT." (MFA). CUNHAL SINGLED OUT THE MFA AS THE REVOLUTIONARY VANGUARD, AND THAT IF IT SHOULD DISAPPEAR, THIS WOULD IMMEDIATELY ENDANGER THE REVOLUTIONARY PROCESS, ADDED ADN.

II. CONTINENTAL

WASHINGTON POST WARNS THAT U.S. DELIVERY OF PERSHING MISSILES TO ISRAEL WOULD RISK NUCLEAR WAR

SEPT. 17 (IPS)--TODAY'S WASHINGTON POST REPORTS WIDESPREAD FEARS THAT THE MOOTED DELIVERY OF PERSHING MISSILES CAPABLE OF CARRYING NUCLEAR WARHEADS TO ISRAEL WOULD PUT ARAB COUNTRIES "UNDER THE GUN" AND LEAD TO CONSEQUENCES RANGING FROM "SOVIET INTERVENTION TO NUCLEAR WAR." THE DELIVERY OF THE MISSILES IS ONE OFFSHOOT OF SECRET MEMORANDA SIGNED BY ISRAEL AND THE U.S. AND MADE PUBLIC YESTERDAY IN THE POST.

POST REPORTER GEORGE WILSON IDENTIFIES THE PERSHING AS FITTING "INTO THE CHANGES IN NUCLEAR STRATEGY SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JAMES R. SCHLESINGER HAS ORDERED TO GIVE THE U.S. THE CAPABILITY OF FIGHTING LIMITED WAR WITH NUCLEAR WEAPONS."

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IN RELATED COVERAGE, THE BALTIMORE SUN TODAY NOTES THAT "THE DISCLOSURE THAT PERSHING'S MAY BE SUPPLIED TO ISRAEL CAUGHT MANY HIGH OFFICIALS IN THE DEFENSE DEPARTMENT BY SURPRISE."

DUNLOP, KENNEDY PRESS FASCIST LABOR NEGOTIATION BILL

SEPT. 17 (IPS)--SECRETARY OF LABOR JOHN DUNLOP, TESTIFIED BEFORE THE SENATE LABOR COMMITTEE YESTERDAY, IN AN ATTEMPT TO GAIN SUPPORT FOR BILL S.2305. THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY COLLECTIVE BARGAINING ACT, AS IT IS KNOWN, WOULD ESTABLISH A CORPORATIVIST LABOR-MANAGEMENT PANEL FOR THE CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY, CHAIRED BY DUNLOP HIMSELF, WITH POWER FOR THE PANEL TO END ANY STRIKE FOR THIRTY DAYS AND IMPOSE WAGE SETTLEMENTS, OVERRIDING LOCAL UNION REJECTIONS. SENATORS JAVITS, TUNNEY, RIBACOFF AND KENNEDY, ARE SPONSORING THE BILL. ALSO SPEAKING ON BEHALF OF THE BILL AS ROBERT GEORGINE, PRESIDENT OF THE AFL-CIO BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL.

III. INTELLIGENCE AND ORGANIZING

SOVIET LEADER - FUSION POWER BY 1980

PARIS, SEPT. 17 (IPS)--ASKED TODAY ABOUT PROSPECTS FOR FUSION POWER BY 1985, GREGORI ROMANOV, CANDIDATE MEMBER OF THE POLITBURO OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE SOVIET UNION, TOLD EUROPEAN LABOR COMMITTEE ORGANIZERS: "1985? YOU MUST BE KIDDING. AT THE RATE WE ARE MOVING, WE WILL GET FUSION POWER BY 1980!"

THE CHANCE MEETING BETWEEN ROMANOV AND THE ELC MEMBERS OCCURRED AT THE FESTIVAL OF L'HUMANITE, PAPER OF THE FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY. ROMANOV IS HEADING THE SOVIET DELEGATION TO THE FETE.

CAROL RUCKERT ON BALLOT FOR SEATTLE TREASURER IN NOVEMBER RACE

SEATTLE, SEPT. 17 (IPS)--IN TWO CITY-WIDE RACES LP CANDIDATES WON ONE OUT OF FIVE VOTES YESTERDAY. CAROL RUCKERT POLLED 18% IN THE RUN-OFFS FOR SEATTLE TREASURER AND WILL FACE JOHN KELLY IN THE ELECTIONS IN NOVEMBER; KELLY POLLED 32% YESTERDAY. BRIAN LANTZ WON 21% IN THE RACE FOR COMPTROLLER.

THE U.S. LABOR PARTY'S OTHER CANDIDATES' VOTE WAS HIDDEN BY A CLEAR VOTE-FRAUD PATTERN PROGRAMMED INTO THE CITY'S LEAA COMPUTERIZED TALLY SYSTEM WHICH ATTRIBUTED THE SECOND PLACE POSITION THAT THE LP WON TO A SHIFTING ARRAY OF UNKNOWNNS, AND COUNTERINSURGENT ODD-BALLS. ELECTION TURN OUT WAS REPORTED AT 20%.

LP CANDIDATE FOR CITY COUNCIL POSITION 2, MARIANNA STAPEL WAS ATTRIBUTED 1.7% AGAINST 70.3% FOR THE INCUMBENT AND SECOND PLACE WAS AWARDED TO A "FORMER" WEATHERMAN AGENT CHIP MARSHALL. AT THE SAME TIME STAPEL RECEIVED 14.3% SECOND POSITION, IN A

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SIMULTANEOUS RACE FOR THE UNEXPIRED "POSITION TWO" COUNCIL SEAT. USLP CANDIDATE FOR SCHOOL BOARD STEVE KANE WAS ANNOUNCED RUNNING NECK-IN-NECK FOR SECOND POSITION AGAINST A COUNTERINSURGENT EDDIE RYE AT 11 P.M. LAST NIGHT BY A VISIBLY WORRIED "TV COMMENTATOR" WHO THEN REVEALED AT 11:30 P.M. THAT RYE HAD "PULLED AHEAD" TO 23% AGAINST KANE'S 15% AS A SPECIAL LEAA CONTINGENCY "PROGRAM BRANCH" WENT INTO EFFECT.

THE LABOR PARTY IS NOW COLLECTING AFFIDAVITS FROM VOTERS IN PREPARATION FOR LEGAL ACTION ONCE PRECINCT-BY-PRECINCT RETURNS COME IN.

DETROIT CITY COUNCIL GRILLS
POLICE COMMISSIONER TANNIAN ON SURVEILLANCE

SEPT. 17 (IPS)--DETROIT CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT CARL LEVIN CALLED FOR A REVIEW OF THE DETROIT POLICE SURVEILLANCE UNIT'S POLICIES IN ORDER TO PREVENT ILLEGAL SURVEILLANCE OF POLITICAL GROUPS FOLLOWING AN INTERROGATION OF DETROIT POLICE COMMISSIONER PHILIP TANNIAN BY THE CITY COUNCIL YESTERDAY.

TANNIAN APPEARED BEFORE THE COUNCIL TO ANSWER CHARGES THAT HE HAD ORDERED ILLEGAL SURVEILLANCE OF POLITICAL GROUPS AND MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL. AFTER HEARING TANNIAN DENY THAT ANY FILES ON POLITICAL GROUPS HAD BEEN KEPT FOR TWO YEARS, LEVIN ALSO ASKED THE CITY'S CORPORATION COUNSEL TO ADVISE COUNCILMEN ON HOW THEY COULD USE THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT TO FORCE DISCLOSURE OF SURVEILLANCE. LEVIN SAID THAT TANNIAN'S "ANSWERS MAKE IT MORE NECESSARY TO INSTITUTE SAFEGUARDS."

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