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I. INTERNATIONAL NEWS

SOVIETS AID SRI LANKA AS WORLD BANK MOVES TO FORCE TRIAGE

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- THE SOVIET UNION HAS GRANTED A 40 MILLION RUBLE LOAN TO SRI LANKA AS PART OF THE NECESSARY FOREIGN EXCHANGE FOR A 600 MILLION RUPEE AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROJECT. THE REPORT WAS CARRIED IN THE SEPTEMBER 25 ISSUE OF FOREIGN BROADCAST INFORMATION SERVICE.

TWO WEEKS AGO, THE WORLD BANK HAD RENEWED PRESSURE ON THE SRI LANKAN GOVERNMENT OF PRIME MINISTER SIRIMAVO BANDARANAIKE TO END ALL RICE RATIONS TO THE POPULATION IN AN EFFORT TO MAKE THE COUNTRY MORE CREDIT WORTHY. IN ADDITION THE PAKISTAN TIMES REPORTED THAT THE WORLD BANK ALSO DEMANDED THAT THE GOVERNMENT REVALUE ITS CURRENCY WHILE SHOWING ITS INTENTIONS TO STOP "WASTEFUL" GOVERNMENT SPENDING BY SHUTTING DOWN \$KLL FREE EDUCATION --FROM PRIMARY SCHOOL ON UP.

ALLON ATTACKS U.S. AMBASSADOR TO ISRAEL'S CALL FOR ISRAELI AUSTERITY

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- ISRAELI FOREIGN MINISTER YIGAL ALLON YESTERDAY REPORTED WIDESPREAD INDIGNATION IN ISRAEL AT REMARKS MADE BY U.S. AMBASSADOR MALCOM TOON ADVISING ISRAEL TO "TIGHTEN ITS BELT" AND "RESTRAIN ITS APPETITE," ACCORDING TO TODAY'S NEW YORK DAILY NEWS.

WHILE ALLON'S PUBLISHED RESPONSE TO TOON WENT NO FURTHER THEN TO DEFEND ISRAEL'S ALREADY IMPLEMENTED COST-CUTTING MEASURES AS ADEQUATE, HIS STATEMENTS INDICATE LIMITS TO AUSTERITY BEING SET BY ISRAEL'S INCREASINGLY RESTIVE WORKERS, WHO HAVE CARRIED OUT A WIDESPREAD SERIES OF STRIKES OVER THE PAST FEW WEEKS.

VICTORY FOR PRO-DEVELOPMENT SENTIMENT IN ELECTIONS IN TURKEY, NYT IMPLIES

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- COMMENTING ON THE ELECTORAL GAINS MADE IN THIS WEEKEND'S TURKISH ELECTIONS BY THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC REPUBLICAN PARTY, THE NEW YORK TIMES SHOWS THAT THE QUESTION OF NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT WAS THE CENTRAL ISSUE IN NATIONAL ELECTIONS TWO DAYS AGO.

"POLITICAL CONCERNS HAVE PROMPTED ALL PARTIES TO PROMISE MORE GOVERNMENT SERVICES AND PROGRAMS, WITHOUT RAISING TAXES OR COMMODITY PRICES." TIMES REPORTER STEVEN ROBERTS WRITES.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY SCORED HUGE MARGINS IN THE CITIES OF ISTANBUL AND ANKARA. THE RIGHT-WING JUSTICE PARTY OF THE CURRENT PREMIER DEMIREL SCORED ONLY 41 PER CENT, MAINLY IN RURAL AREAS. SPLINTER PARTIES OF THE ISLAMIC FASCIST RIGHT DECLINED SIGNIFICANTLY FROM THEIR PREVIOUS VOTE TALLIES.

THE GAINS OF THE REPUBLICAN PARTY ARE TIED UP TO THE INCREASING URBANIZATION AND EDUCATION OF THE COUNTRY'S WORKING LAYERS, THE TIMES REPORTS. "THE REPUBLICANS MAINTAIN THAT AS THE COUNTRY BECOMES MORE URBANIZED AND BETTER EDUCATED, TURKS WILL BECOME MORE OPEN TO THEIR SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC IDEAS, AND THEIR STRONG SHOWING IN THE CITIES SEEMS TO SUPPORT THAT THESIS."

TIMES ADMITS CRISIS IN DETENTE MEANS NUCLEAR THREAT

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- IN AN ARTICLE ENTITLED "CRISIS IN DETENTE" ON THE NEW YORK TIMES EDITORIAL PAGE YESTERDAY, TIMES EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER ROBERT KLEIMAN STATES THAT THE SECOND STAGE OF THE STRATEGIC ARMS LIMITATIONS TALKS (SALT II) ARE "IN SERIOUS TROUBLE" AND "WITH IT, THE FUTURE OF EAST-WEST DETENTE." ACCORDING TO KLEIMAN, U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER REPORTEDLY TOLD A RECENT MEETING THAT BOTH SIDES "COULD SURVIVE A SALT FAILURE POLITICALLY BY RETURNING TO A POLICY OF EAST-WEST CONFRONTATION--IF THEY WERE PREPARED TO FACE THE DANGERS THIS WOULD MEAN IN THE PRESENT NUCLEAR ERA."

LEBANESE CP WARNS OF CIVIL WAR, RIGHTWING PLOTS IN LEBANON

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- "THE THREAT OF ARMY INTERVENTION INTO THE LEBANESE INTERNAL SITUATION POSES A HORRIBLE DANGER AND MIGHT LEAD TO CIVIL WAR, MORE DISASTROUS THAN ANYTHING SO FAR," THE LEBANESE COMMUNIST PARTY (PCL) WARNS IN A SEPT. 29 COMMUNIQUE CARRIED BY THE HUNGARIAN NEWS SERVICE, MTI.

THE ARMY DANGER OF CIVIL WAR COMES FROM A SPLIT THAT HAS DEVELOPED IN THE RANKS OF THE LEBANESE ARMY, THE PCL STATES. "CONTROVERSIES BETWEEN CERTAIN GROUPS OF OFFICERS... (ARE) GROWING SHARPER... IT MUST BE FEARED." THE COMMUNIQUE GOES ON, "THAT IN THE END THE ARMY MIGHT TAKE SIDES IN THE CONFLICT INSTEAD OF DOING WHAT IT OUGHT TO DO: ASSERT ITSELF IN FAVOR OF NATIONAL RECONCILIATION AND PEACEFUL CONSOLIDATION."

ALTHOUGH THE LEBANESE CONFLICT IS A "CLASS STRUGGLE..." THE PCL CHARGES, "PART OF THE LEBANESE BOURGEOISIE THAT HAS SOME COMMON SENSE, TOGETHER WITH SOME OF THE CHRISTIAN AND RIGHTIST PARTIES, HAS NOW DRAWN A LINE BETWEEN THEMSELVES AND THE ULTRA-RIGHTISTS WHO ARE KILL-CRAZY."

HEALEY VISIT TO TEHERAN A "SUCCESS"

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- THE VISIT BY BRITISH CHANCELLOR OF THE EXCHEQUER DENNIS HEALEY TO TEHERAN WAS DESCRIBED BY THE OCT. 13 FINANCIAL TIMES OF LONDON AS A "SUCCESS."

IN RETURN FOR THE DISBURSEMENT OF THE SECOND THIRD OF A \$1.2 BILLION IRANIAN LOAN TO BRITAIN, HEALEY REPORTEDLY ARRANGED FOR CITY OF LONDON BANKING EXPERTS TO HELP TURN TEHERAN INTO A MAJOR FINANCIAL AND BANKING CENTER AND FOR EXPANDED IRANIAN COOPERATION WITH THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY (EEC).

SEVERAL SOURCES HAVE SPECULATED THAT HEALEY'S VISIT MAY HAVE HAD A SOMEWHAT DIFFERENT FOCUS--DISCUSSIONS WITH THE SHAH ABOUT POSSIBLE BRITISH MEMBERSHIP IN THE OIL PRODUCERS CARTEL OPEC.

OAU BLOCKS KISSINGER/UN PARTITION OF ANGOLA

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- THE ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY (OAU) LAST WEEK REJECTED THE IDEA OF SENDING A UNITED NATIONS PEACEKEEPING FORCE INTO ANGOLA. U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER IS KNOWN TO BE LOBBYING STRONGLY FOR UN INTERVENTION, DESPITE THE FACT THAT THE DOMINANT POLITICAL FORCE IN ANGOLA, THE PRO-SOVIET POPULAR MOVEMENT (MPLA) HAS ALREADY FLATLY REJECTED THE IDEA.

SPEAKING FOR HIS ORGANIZATION, OAU UNDER-SECRETARY GENERAL, NOURREDDINE DJOURI LAST WEEK TOLD THE PRESS THAT THE OAU REJECTED UN INTERVENTION SINCE EXPERIENCE WITH THE UN IN SIMILAR OPERATIONS REVEALED ITS WEAKNESS. UN INTERVENTION WOULD RESULT IN BALKANIZATION OF ANGOLA--I.E. PARTITION OF THE COUNTRY, HE ADDED.

UN INTERVENTION IN THE EARLY 1960'S INTO THE CONGO HAD PRODUCED A PARTITION. DJOURI IS REPORTED BY THE WEST GERMAN DAILY SUEDEUTSCHE ZEITUNG, TO BE HEADING UP THE MISSION OF THE OAU'S ANGOLA CONCILIATION COMMISSION NOW VISITING ANGOLA.

II. CONTINENTAL NEWS

CORPORATE TREASURER: SPECULATE AGAINST THE DOLLAR

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- THE TREASURER OF ROCKWELL INTERNATIONAL, A MAJOR MULTI-NATIONAL CORPORATION, HAS ADVISED FINANCIAL OFFICERS OF MULTI-NATIONAL CORPORATIONS TO BORROW IN DOLLARS, BECAUSE HE EXPECTS THAT CURRENCY TO WEAKEN OVER THE LONG-RUN. AS REPORTED IN YESTERDAY'S JOURNAL OF COMMERCE, TREASURER ROBERT DEPALMA SPECULATED THAT A NEW YORK CITY DEFAULT WOULD PROVIDE THE "INITIAL SHOCK" TO THE DOLLAR, AND THAT THE DOLLAR'S COLLAPSE WOULD BE AGGRAVATED BY HUGE FEDERAL DEFICITS AND RENEWED INFLATION.

BOSTON GLOBE AND SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER PICK UP CHICAGO SUN TIMES ARTICLE BLASTING ROCKEFELLER

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- THE OCT. 12 CHICAGO SUN-TIMES ARTICLE, NAMING VICE PRESIDENT NELSON ROCKEFELLER AND SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY

KISSINGER AS THE KEY FORCES CONTROLLING THE U.S. INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY, WAS REPRINTED IN FULL ON THE FRONT PAGES OF THE OCT. 12 BOSTON GLOBE AND SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER. THE SAN FRANCISCO EXAMINER RAN BANNER HEADLINES ACCUSING SECRETARY KISSINGER OF BEING BEHIND A "SECRET PLOT" TO REORGANIZE THE CIA.

THE ARTICLE, WHICH NAMES NELSON ROCKEFELLER AS "KISSINGER'S ORIGINAL PATRON," ALSO IDENTIFIES THE SECRETARY OF STATE AS THE CULPRIT BEHIND THE "CIA'S OPERATION THROUGH THE SUPER SECRET '40 COMMITTEE' THROUGHOUT BOTH HELMS' AND COLBY'S DIRECTORSHIP (OF THE CIA)." KISSINGER HAS MADE IT "PERFECTLY CLEAR IN PRIVATE" THAT HE AGREES WITH THE VICE PRESIDENT THAT BOTH THE CIA REVELATIONS AND INVESTIGATIONS HAVE GONE FAR ENOUGH," SUN-TIMES WRITER THOMAS ROSS CHARGED.

WHITEHOUSE STAFF DEMORALIZED AS FEUDS CONTINUE

OCT. 15 (IPS)--BECAUSE OF A "CONTINUING RIFT BETWEEN PRESIDENT FORD'S TWO TOP AIDES, DONALD RUMSFELD AND ROBERT HARTMAN," THE OCT. 13 CHICAGO TRIBUNE REVEALS, FORD'S MOST IMPORTANT SPEECH IN MONTHS, HIS RECENT TAX CUT ANNOUNCEMENT, WAS NOT EVEN WRITTEN BY THE WHITEHOUSE SPEECHWRITERS. INSTEAD, THE SPEECH WAS DRAFTED BY A FORMER AIDE TO TREASURY SECRETARY SIMON WHO WAS CALLED TO THE WHITE HOUSE TO DISCUSS IT WITH ROCKEFELLER-RIVAL RUMSFELD.

ONLY ON THE DAY OF DELIVERY WAS THE SPEECH SHOWN TO THE WHITE HOUSE SPEECHWRITERS, THE TRIBUNE REVEALS AND DEMORALIZATION AMONG THE STAFF IS SO GREAT THAT ONE AIDE WHINED "THE PRESIDENT HIMSELF IS BORED BY THE SPEECHES."

ANOTHER AIDE COMPLAINING ABOUT THE INABILITY OF THE ADMINISTRATION TO COME UP WITH ANY MEANINGFUL PROGRAM MOANED THAT THE "OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET COULD HAVE PROVIDED A POSITIVE COST ANALYSIS ON DACHAU."

FORD "DISMAYED" OVER ROCKY'S ABOUT-FACE ON AID TO NYC

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- PRESIDENT GERALD FORD, WHO SAID AT A NEWS CONFERENCE ON THURSDAY THAT HE OPPOSED FEDERAL AID TO NEW YORK CITY, WAS "DISMAYED" OVER VICE PRESIDENT ROCKEFELLER'S RECENT CALL FOR CONFRESSIONAL ACTION TO ASSIST NEW YORK CITY, ACCORDING TO A BANNER HEAD-LINE ARTICLE APPEARING IN THE OCT. 13 NEW YORK POST. THE VICE PRESIDENT'S ABOUT FACE, REFLECTIVE OF THE GENERAL CHAOS OVERTAKING THE ADMINISTRATION, LEFT MR. FORD "UNHAPPY" AND "SURPRISED." FORD ALSO COMPLAINED THAT ROCKEFELLER HAD NOT CONSULTED HIM BEFORE ISSUING THE STATEMENT.

DETROIT FREE PRESS PLUGS FOR LEAA

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- MAINTAINING THEIR STRONG PRO-LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION (LEAA) STAND, THE OCT. 13 DETROIT FREE PRESS EDITORIALIZED IN FAVOR OF RETAINING THE WAYNE COUNTY ORGANIZED

CRIME TASK FORCE--A BODY ORIGINALLY FUNDED BY THE LEAA.

THE WAYNE COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS WANTS TO ELIMINATE THE ORGANIZED CRIME TASK FORCE FOR BUDGETARY REASONS. THE US LABOR PARTY HAD EXPOSED THE LEAA TAKEOVER OF WAYNE COUNTY AT RECENT POLICE COMMISSION HEARINGS.

BLACK BUSINESSMEN PUSH DRUGS

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- THE CONSERVATIVE NORTHWEST BLACK BUSINESSMEN'S ASSOCIATION YESTERDAY PASSED A RESOLUTION URGING THE MICHIGAN STATE LEGISLATURE TO LEGALIZE HEROIN AND OTHER ADDICTIVE DRUGS.

THE DIRECTOR OF THE ASSOCIATION, REVEREND RAY SHOULDERS, WAS QUOTED IN TODAY'S DETROIT FREE PRESS AS SAYING "IF THE GOVERNMENT WOULD LEGALIZE IT (HEROIN) THE PROFIT MOTIVE WOULD BE ELIMINATED. I DON'T SEE WHY ANYONE NOT GETTING A PROFIT FROM ILLEGAL DRUGS WOULD OPPOSE LEGALIZING THEM."

FBI INFILTRATED CONGRESS

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- THE FBI ASSIGNED ONE OF ITS ASSISTANT DIRECTORS TO INFILTRATE THE SENATE PERMANENT INVESTIGATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE, ACCORDING TO YESTERDAY'S WASHINGTON POST. "THE IDEA WAS THE INFILTRATION OF CONGRESS," THE POST'S SOURCE SAID. HE ALSO SAID THAT THERE ARE 30 FBI AGENTS ASSIGNED ON A TEMPORARY BASIS TO THE HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.

THE AGENT, COURNEY A. EVANS, WAS ASSIGNED TO JACKSON'S COMMITTEE ON A PART-TIME BASIS. TOLD TO PASS ALONG INFORMATION ON SENATOR'S SEX-LIVES AND DRINKING HABITS, FBI DIRECTOR J. EDGAR HOOVER BECAME "SUSPICIOUS" OF EVANS, ACCORDING TO A SOURCE. BECAUSE HE DID NOT REPORT DEROGATORY INFORMATION ON SENATOR ROBERT F. KENNEDY. EVANS, WHO IS NO LONGER WITH THE FBI, DENIED THESE CHARGES BUT ADMITTED TO FBI LOBBYING EFFORTS SAYING THAT "OBVIOUSLY, YOU CREATE A FAVORABLE ATTITUDE WHEN YOU'RE COOPERATING."

FBI ACTIVATING KKK WITH NEW "SPLIT"

OCT. 15 (IPS) -- A NEW KKK, GOING UNDER THE OLD TITLE OF THE "INVISIBLE EMPIRE OF THE KKK" HAS BEEN FORMED AS ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY BY OHIO GRANDDRAGON DALE REUSCH. AT A MINIMUM, HALF OF THE KKK IS COMPOSED OF FBI AGENTS OR INFORMERS AND 75 PER CENT OF NEW KKK RECRUITS ARE ALSO FBI OPERATIVES, INFORMED OBSERVERS INDICATE THAT THE FBI WILL ACTIVATE THE TWO GROUPINGS AROUND "CONTROLLED DIFFERENCES."

THREE DAYS AGO APPROXIMATELY A DOZEN KKK'ERS FROM THE "NEW GROUP" HARASSED A BALTIMORE LABOR PARTY PICKET LINE AGAINST SS KRESGE CO. AND SHOUTED ANTI-COMMUNIST SLOGANS.