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I. INTERMATIONAL

ECONOMIST CALLS FOR LOOTING VIA SDR'S; SAYS: "THIS IS CHAOS"

NEW HAVEN, CONN., FEB. 12 (IPS) -- YALE ECONOMIST, ROBERT TRIFFIN, PREDICTED YESTERDAY THAT WEST GERMANY WOULD REFUSE TO REVALUE THE DEUTSCHEMARK TO EASE CURRENCY SPECULATION AGAINST THE U.S. DOLLAR, AND CALLED FOR EXPANDED USE OF IMF SPECIAL DRAWING RIGHTS (PAPER GOLD) AS A RESERVE ASSET THROUGH WHICH ATLANTICIST FINANCIERS COULD LOOT WESTERN EUROPE. SPEAKING OF THE PRESENT RUN ON THE DOLLAR, TRIFFIN STATED: "THE SITUATION IS VERY SERIOUS, ALL THE HOPES OF THE IMF HAVE BEEN THROWN OUT THE WINDOW. BRETTON WOODS IS A SHAMBLES AND NOTHING IS IN SIGHT TO REPLACE IT. THIS IS CHAOS. WITHOUT A MOVE TO REPLACE THE DOLLAR AS AN INTERNATIONAL RESERVE CURRENCY WITH THE SDR AND CONTROL ALL LIQUIDITY FLOWS THROUGH THE IMF, THESE DEVALUATIONS AND RUNS ON OTHER CURRENCIES WILL ALWAYS TRANSLATE INTO PRESSURE ON THE DOLLAR."

DEBUNKING EXPECTATIONS OF A MEST GERMAN REVALUATION, TRIFFIN ADDED: "THE JERMANS DON'T WANT TO SEE THE EEC (COMMON MARKET) DESTROYED. THEY WOULD RATHER LET THE DOLLAR FLOAT (I.E., FALL IN VALUE IN THE OPEN MARKET - ED.). I FEEL VERY BAD, BUT THIS IS THE CASE."

TRIFFIN SAID THAT HE WOULD URGE A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE HEADS OF STAFF OF THE IMP AND WORLD BANK IN WASHINGTON, D.C. TODAY TO PUSH FOR AN SDR SYSTEM. HIS PROPOSAL, HE SAID, INVOLVES "PAYMENTS OF DEFICITS THROUGH ASSETS RATHER THAN FURTHER BORROWING." ASKED TO SPECIFY WHAT ASSETS HE HAD IN MIND, TRIFFIN STATED: "SOME OF THIS COULD BE DONE THROUGH IMP SDR LOANS, BUT THE CONDITIONS UNDER AN SDR INTERNATIONAL SYSTEM WILL BE TIGHTLY CONTROLLED. THEN THERE COULD BE DEVALUATIONS AS AUSTERITY MEASURES...YES, LIKE ITALY."

WEST GERMAN CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT ASKS "MOST DRASTIC AUSTERITY MEASURES EVER"

FEB. 12 (IPS) — THE CHAIRMAN OF THE WEST GERMAN CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC UNION IN THE RHINELAND, KOEPPLER, TODAY ANNOUNCED WHAT ONE CDU SPOKESMAN DESCRIBED AS "THE MOST DRASTIC AUSTERITY MEASURES WHICH HAVE EVER BEEN PROPOSED." KOEPPLER, JUST RETURNED FROM A TRIP TO ITALY, HAS PROPOSED BUDGET CUTS OF AT LEAST 500 MILLION DM IN HIS NEW PLAN, THE FULL DETAILS OF WHICH ARE NOT YET AVAILABLE. "ONLY PAINFUL OPERATIONS CAN CLEAR UP DUR FINANCES OVER THE MIDDLE TERM," KOEPPLER HAS STATED. THE MEST GERMAN DAILY, DIE WELT, LINKED TO THE NEO-NAZI CHAIRMAN OF THE BAVARIAN CSU, FRANZ JOSEF STRAUSS, COMMENTED THAT KOEPPLER HAD INDEED SHOWN THAT HE IS PREPARED TO "PLAY THE SURGEONEMS Service Inc. All Rights Reserved. Reproduction in whole or in part without permission strictly prohibited.

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"THE STORY OF A.:" FASCIST FISCAL PORNOGRAPHY IN ITALY

FEB. 12 (IPS)—IN AN EDITORIAL FEB. 10 ENTITLED "THE STORY OF A.:
THE PORNOGRAPHY OF FISCAL HORRORS," THE MILAN INDUSTRIAL DAILY
IL FIORINO, LINKED TO THE PRO-DEVELOPMENT CEFIS INDUSTRIALIST INTERESTS, ATTACKED THE FASCIST AUSTERITY PROGRAM OF GOVERNMENT ECONOMIST NINO ANDREATTA. "THERE IS FEAR AND PANIC THROUGH ITALIAN
INDUSTRIES, AND ANDREATTA IS RESPONSIBLE," THE PAPER STATED.
CONTINUING ITS ATTACK ON THE UNPOPULAR MEASURES TODAY, IL FIORINO
TERMED "THE EXTRAORDINARY TAX PROPOSALS SPANNED BY PROF. ANDREATTA"
AN "EGREGIOUS EXAMPLE OF LEGALIZED FISCAL ABORTION."

SYRIAN AGENT BACKS ISRAELI-JORDANIAN PLAN FOR WEST BANK

FEB. 11 (IPS)—ZUHAIR MOHSIN, THE SYMIAN INTELLIGENCE OFFICER WHO HEADS THE SAIQA WING OF THE PALESTIMIAN LIBERATION ORGANIZATION, HAS OPENLY ENDORSED THIS WEEK'S MOVES BY JORDANIAN KING HUSSEIN TO REESTABLISH JORDANIAN SOVEREIGNTY OVER THE ISRAELI-OCCUPIED WEST BANK. THE PLO EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE HAS BEEN CALLED INTO SPECIAL SESSION TO PLAN A STRATEGY TO COUNTER HUSSEIN'S MOVES, SINCE THE WEST BANK WAS PROMISED TO THE PLO AT THE 1974 ARAB SUMMIT IN RABAT, MOROCCO.

MOHSIN, ACCORDING TO THE FEB. 8 JERUSALEM POST "LASHED OUT AT HIS (PLO) COLLEAGUES" FOR THEIR OPPOSITION TO HUSSEIN'S MOVES.

THE STATEMENTS BY MOHSIN REPRESENT A VIRTUAL ENDORSEMENT OF A PLATFORM PRESENTED THIS WEEK BY FORMER ISRAEL! DEFENSE MINISTER MOSHE DAYAN, ISRAEL'S LEADING HAWK, IN AN INTERVIEW IN THE JERUSALEM POST. DAYAN REJECTED CHARGES THAT ISRAEL'S POLICY AIMED AT RETAINING CONTROL OF THE WEST BANK WAS IN ERROR, SAYING THAT KING HUSSEIN "IS COOPERATING WITH ISRAEL! POLICY, THOUGH WE HAVE NOT GIVEN HIM JERICHO, THE JORDAN VALLEY OR ANYTHING ELSE."

HUSSEIN'S MOVES TO SECURE THE WEST BANK IN "COOPERATION" WITH ISRAEL--WHICH HAVE PROVOKED AN OUTRAGED RESPONSE FROM THE PLO AND OTHER ARAB QUARTERS, INCLUDING THE KUWAITI PRESS-ARE PART OF A PLAN ROUGHLY WORKED OUT IN WASHINGTON TO CREATE A STABLE MIDDLE EAST BY UNDERCUTTING THE PLO, MON UNDER TREMENDOUS SYRIAN AND RIGHT-WING LEBANESE PRESSURE IN LEBAMON FOLLOWING THE ENFORCED END TO THE CIVIL MAR THERE.

EAST GERMAN PRESS HAILS INDIA FOREIGN POLICY MOVES

FEB. 12 (IPS)—NEUES DEUTSCHLAND, THE NEWSPAPER OF THE GERMAN DEMO-CRATIC REPUBLIC, YESTERDAY PRAISED THE INDIAN GOVERNMENT FOR DISPEGARDING PRESSURE FROM IMPERIALISTS AND RECOGNIZED THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF ANGOLA. AT THE SAME TIME, A GDR RADIO BROADCAST YESTERDAY REPORTED THAT THE INDIAN ECONOMIC MINISTRY HAS PUBLISHED A REPORT DRAFTED FOR THE MEXT MEETING OF THE UNITED NATIONS COUNCIL OF TRADE AND COOPERATION (UNCTAD) IN NAIROBI WHICH STATES THAT INDIA'S COOPERATION AND ECONOMIC INTEGRATION WITH THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES HAS REACHED A MEW LEVEL, AND THAT FURTHER PROGRESS IS REQUIRED.

GREEK OP SUPPORTS DICTATORSHIP OF THE PROLETARIAT

FEB. 12 (IPS) -- THE DEPUTY GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE GREEK COMMUNIST PARTY (KKE) NIKOS KALOUDIS, WHO HEADED THE PARTY'S DELEGATION TO THE JUST-CONCLUDED 22MD CONGRESS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF FRANCE, SAID IN AN INTERVIEW WITH THE GREEK PAPER, ELEUTHEROTYPIA, FEB. 10, THAT "GREEK REALITY DOES NOT ALLOW US TO REJECT THE DICTATORSHIP OF THE PROLETARIAT; IT IS NECESSARY TO GO THROUGH THIS STAGE, WHICH, HOWEVER, WOULD BE PROVISIONAL."

THE KKE PAPER RIZOAPASTIS, IN A SMALL ARTICLE FEB. 10, CARRIES AN OBJECTIVE REPORT OF THE PCF CONGRESS WHICH MENTIONS THE PCF'S REJECTION OF THE TERM "THE DICTATORSHIP OF THE PROLETARIAT" WITHOUT COMMENT. IN THE SAME ISSUE, ROZOSPASTIS PRINTED A SHORT ACCOUNT FROM PRAVDA OF A NEUES DEUTSCHLAND COMMENTARY WHICH STRESSED THAT "THE DICTATORSHIP OF THE PROLETAPIAT IS THE ONLY FORM OF POWER FOR THE WORKING CLASS."

TURKISH FOREIGN MINISTER CANCELS KISSINGER MEETINGS

FEB. 12 (IPS) -- TURKISH FOREIGN MINISTER, I.S. CAGLAYANGIL, SUDDENLY AND UNEXPECTEDLY CANCELLED A TRIP TO WASHINGTON THAT WAS TO HAVE BEGUN YESTERDAY. CAGLAYANGIL WAS TO HAVE MET WITH U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER, WHO IS PRESSURING TURKEY TO REOPEN 26 U.S. BASES IN TURKEY AND TO ALLOW THE U.S. TO RESUME TURKEY-BASED INTELLIGENCE GATHERING OPERATIONS IN THE SOVIET UNION. THE BASES WERE CLOSED LAST SUMMER IN RETALIATION OVER THE U.S. CONGRESSIONAL DECISION TO CUT OFF MILITARY AID TO TURKEY.

INCREASED ANTI-NATO FERMENT IN TURKEY HAS MADE IT DIFFICULT FOR CAGLAYANGIL TO GO ALONG WITH KISSINGER'S DEMANDS FOR CONCESSIONS BY ANKARA ON THE CYPRUS ISSUE AND HIS REFUSAL TO PAY RENT TO TURKEY FOR THE BASES. TODAY'S NEW YORK TIMES NOTES THAT "IT WOULD HAVE DIFFICULT FOR FOREIGN MINISTER CAGLAYANGIL TO RETURN TO TURKEY WITH AN AGREEMENT THAT LACKED SUBSTANTIAL PAYMENT BY THE UNITED STATES, PARTICULARLY WITH A MAJOR POLITICAL BATTLE SHAPING UP IN ANKARA LATER THIS MONTH." THE POLITICAL BATTLE INVOLVES THE NEW TURKISH BUDGET, WHICH WILL BE DEBATED IN THE TURKISH PARLIAMENT AT THE END OF THIS MONTH. THE BUDGET CALLS FOR EXTENSIVE AUSTERITY MEASURES, AS WELL AS A 66% HIKE IN MILITARY EXPENDITURES.

JAPAN CANCELS LOCKHEED ORDER

FEB. 12 (IPS) -- THE JAPANESE GOVERNMENT ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT IT IS CANCELLING ITS \$1.3 BILLION OPDER FOR THE LOCKHEED CORPORATION'S P-3C ANTI-SUBMARINE RECONNAISSANCE PLANE AND SERIOUSLY RECONSIDERING ITS PLANS FOR THE \$1 TO \$2 BILLION PURCHASE OF NEW AMERICAN FIGHTERS DUE TO THE RECENT LOCKHEED SCANDAL IN JAPAN, REPORTS YESTERDAY'S NEW YORK TIMES.

INSTEAD, A PUSH FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF "INDEPENDENT" JAPANESE MILITARY PRODUCTION ALONG THELINES OF THE TINDEMANS PLAN FOR EUROPE, WA OUTLINED BY UNNAMED "JAPANESE OFFICIALS", WHO TOLD THE TIMES THAT "THE TARNISHED IMAGE OF THE AMERICAN AIRCRAFT COMPANIES HAD STIMULATED JAPANESE ARMS PRODUCERS TO RENEW DEMANDS THAT THEIR GOVERNMENT ORDER MORE FROM THEM AND ALLOW THEM TO EXPORT TO THE WORLD MARKET." IN ORDER FOR JAPAN TO DEVELOP THE OST SOPHISTICATED ARMS TECHNOLOGY ON ITS OWN, THESE SOURCES SAY THAT JAPAN "WILL HAVE TO

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GO HEAVILY INTO ARMS EXPORTS."

WEST BERLIN CP ATTACKS PRO-IRAQI GROUPS IN LEBANON

FEB. 12 (IPS) -- IN A NEWS REPORT IN DIE WAHRHEIT, JOURNAL OF THE AGENT-RIDDEN WEST BERLIN COMMUNIST PARTY, WRITER KLAUS HOFFMAN ATTACKS THE PRO-IRAQ "REJECTION FRONT" OF LEFT-WING ARAB GROUPS AS IDENTICAL TO THE EXTREME RIGHT-WING CHRISTIAN FASCIST FALANGISTS IN LEBANON. BLASTING THE FALANGISTS, HOFFMAN CLAIMS THAT "THE EXTREMIST PALESTINIAN GROUPS...WHO CATEGORICALLY DENY ANY SOLUTION OF THE MIDEAST CONFLICT," FIRED ON MEMBERS OF THE PALESTINE LIBERATION ORGANIZATION WHO WERE DISMANTLING BARRICADES IN LEBANON AS PART OF THE RECENT SYRIAN-IMPOSED "CEASEFIRE." IGNORING THE NOTORIOUS MURDERS OF PRO-IRAQI LEFTISTS IN BEIRUT BY SYRIAN-BACKED SECURITY FORCES, HOFFMAN CONCLUDES, "THANKS TO THE CAREFUL RESPONSE OF THE LEBANESE SECURITY FORCES AND THE PALESTINE LIBERATION ARMY, THIS PROVOCATION WAS PRE-VENTED FROM TURNING INTO A NEW OUTBREAK OF FIGHTING."

HOFFMAN'S PIECE FOLLOWS BY ONE DAY A STRONG AFFIRMATION BY IRAQI PRESIDENT BAKE OF IRAQI SUPPORT FO THE SO-CALLED "REJECTION FRONT," WHOSE PRO-SOCIALIST CADRE OPPOSE U.S. EFFORTS TO STAGE-MANAGE THE EXTERMINATION OF THE LEBANESE LEFT WING SYRIAN FORCES.

HOFFMAN'S ARTICLE REPEATEDLY PRAISES THE SYRIAN ROLE IN LEBANON.

SWEDISH SOCIAL DEMOCRATS ISSUE BOOKLET ON ELC

STOCKHOLM, FEB. 12 (IPS) -- A GLOSSY, MULTI-COLOR PAMPHLET TITLED "MOLES IN SOCIALIST CLOTHING: A REPORT ON THE ELC IN SWEDEN", HAS BEEN CIRCULATING TO TRADE UNION AND SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY OFFICIALS THROUGHOUT SWEDEN ON DIRECT ORDERS OF PARTY LEADER AND PRIME MINISTER OLOF PALME. THE PAMPHLET WAS WRITTEN BY HAAKAN HERMANSSON, A REPORTER FOR THE MALMOE-BASED SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PAPER, ARBETET, WHO HAS IN THE PAST WRITTEN NUMEROUS SLANDER ATTACKS ON THE EUROPEAN LABOUR COMMITTEES, CALLING THEM "CHILDREN OF GOD" AND CIA-FUNDED.

THE BOOKLET WARNS READERS THAT THE "ELC IS NO LEFT ORGANIZATION", AND THAT IT IS A "WELL-ORGANIZED GROUP...THAT USES COMMUNIST RHETORIC IN AN ENTIRELY DIFFERENT WAY THAN IS CUSTOMARY FROM OTHER LEFT GROUPS."

NORWEGIAN PRESS EXPOSES ROCKEFELLER AGENTS

FEB. 12 (IPS) -- A PROMINENT ARTICLE TITLED "NORWEGIANS IN ALLIANCE WITH ROCKEFELLER", PUBLISHED IN THE FEB. 10 ISSUE OF THE CONSERVATIVE OSLO DAGBLADET, REVEALS THREE PROMINENT NORWEGIAN F9IGURES ARE MEMBERS OF THE POCKEFELLER FAMILY'S SUPRA-NATIONAL TRILATERAL COMMISSION. THE ARTICLE, WHICH CALLS THE TRILATERAL "A PERMANENT ORGANIZATION OF THE ROCKEFELLER INTERESTS TO EXECUTE CONSTANT INFLUENCE OVER WORLD DEVELOPMENTS" NAMES OTTO GRIEG TIDEMAND, PROMINENT SHIPOWNER; JOHN SANNES, HEAD OF THE CIA-CONNECTED INSTITUTE OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS; AND THORVALD STOLTENBERG, A GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL AS NORWEGIAN MEMBERS ALONG WITH SUCH FIGURES AS AGNELLI OF FIAT, DAVID ROCKEFELLER, H.O. VETTER, WEST GERMAN UNION OFFICIAL.

THE ARTICLE, WHOSE SOURCE IS GIVEN AS A "REPORT FROM A CANADIAN BROKERAGE FIRM WHICH DAGBLADET GOT HOLD OF IN A CONFIDENTIAL WAY," HAS DRAWN INDIGNANT STATEMENTS FROM THE THREE NORWEGIAN TRILATERAL.

MEMBERS DENYING THAT THEY WORK FOR ROCKEFELLER. TINDEMAND AND STOL-TENBERG SAY THEY WERE INVITED TO JOIN THE GROUP BY "A DUTCH PROFESSOR."

CONFTSCATED "BRANDT" DOCUMENTATION STILL HELD BY WEST GERMAN BORDER AUTHORITIES

WIESBADEN, BRD, FEB. 12 (IPS) -- AS OF THIS MORNING, WEST GERMAN BOR-DER AUTHORITIES ARE STILL HOLDING A SHIPMENT OF THE EUROPEAN LABOR COMMITTEES' GERMAN-LANGUAGE THEORETICAL JOURNAL THAT WAS PRINTED IN ITALY AND SHIPPED TO WEST GERMANY. THE ISSUE CONTAINS EXTENSIVE DOCUMENTATION OF WILLY BRANDT'S COLLABORATION WITH THE CIA. CONFISCATION IS PART OF AN EXTENSIVE PATTERN OF HARASSMENT OF ELC ORGANIZERS IN WEST GERMANY. OVER THE PAST SEVERAL DAYS. ORGANIZARS HAVE BEEN THREATENED WITH BEING RUN OVER BY SPEEDING CARS, WOMEN ORGANIZERS HAVE BEEN HARASSED AND MOLESTED, AND AN EXTENSIVE NAGGING OPERATION AGAINST MEMBERS IN SEVERAL AREAS OF WEST GERMANY IS UNDERWAY.

THE ELC HAS SENT AN OFFICIAL LEGAL COMPLAINT TO CUSTOMS OFFICIALS IN FRANKFURT. AND TO THE OFFICES OF TWO STATE ATTORNEYS WHO ARE ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR TWO LEGAL SUITS AGAINST THE ELC. FILED ON ORDERS FROM WILLY BRANDT. IN FRANKFURT AND WIESBADEN.

NO OFFICIAL EXPLANATION FOR THE CONFISCATION OF THE ELC PUBLICA-TIONS HAS BEEN GIVEN BY THE STATE ATTORNEY'S OFFICE, BUT ONE OFFICIAL IN FRANKFURT INDICATED THAT A "LAW FOR THE DEFENSE OF PUBLIC ORDER" WOULD BE INVOKED. ANOTHER CUSTOMS OFFICIAL CLAIMED THAT THE ELC PUBLICATIONS WERE "HOSTILE TO THE STATE" (STAATSFEINDLICHE A TERM TAKEN DIRECTLY FROM NAZI LAW.

II. CONTINENTAL

DANIELS' PUBLIC WORKS JOBS PASSES WITHOUT SUFFICIENT MARGIN TO OVERRIDE EXPECTED VETO

FEB. 12 (IPS) -- THE HOUSE ON FEB. 10, PASSED REP. DOMINIC DAN-IELS' \$6 BILLION BILL TO EXTEND THE PUBLIC SERVICE JOBS PROGRAM THROUGH NEXT YEAR AND NEARLY DOUBLE ITS SIZE TO CREATE 600,000 JOBS IN STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTS. ACCORDING TO YESTERDAY'S WASHINGTON POST, THE BILL WAS SENT TO THE SENATE BY A VOTE OF 239 TO 154, A MARGIN FAR LESS THAN WOULD BE NEEDED TO OVERRIDE THE EXPECTED VOTE BY PRESIDENT FORD. CORRECTIONS:

DUE TO TYPISTS' ERRORS, THE BEGINNING OF THE 2ND PARAGRAPH OF THE LEAD ITEM IN THE FEB. II LATE IPS, "MASSIVE ATTACK ON THE DOLLAR," WAS INCOHERENT. THE SENTENCE SHOULD READ: "IN NEW YORK, WHERE MAJOR MONEY CENTER BANKS OPENED THEIR FOREIGN EXCHANGE TRADING ROOMS AT 3 A.M. THIS MORNING TO BE ON HAND FOR EUROPEAN TRADING HOURS, ONE SOURCE EXPLAINED THE SITUATION: " ETC.

THE SECOND SENTENCE OF THE SECOND ITEM, "FRENCH, WEST GERMAN CENTRAL BANKS, ETC.," SHOULD READ: "AT THE SAME TIME, AT THE TOP- .. SECRET, PRESS-EXCLUDED BANK FOR INTERNATIONAL SETTLEMENTS MEETING OF EUROPEAN CENTRAL BANKS WHICH ENDED TODAY IN BASLE, SWITZERLAND, BANK OF ITALY GOVERNOR GBAFFI PRESENTED A PROPOSAL FOR THE DEFENSE OF THE LIRA, ACCORDING TO THE ITALIAN DAILY, LA STAMPA. LA STAMPA DID NOT PRESENT DETAILS," ETC.

THE SECOND SENTENCE IN THE ITEM, "MORO 'MONO-COLOR' NOT FORMED YET". SHOULD READ: "MORO'S CONTINUING FRUSTRATION". ETC.

END OF CORRECTIONS. END OF 2/12/76 FARLY IPS.