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## I. INTERNATIONAL

### ROCKEFELLER'S PRESS URGES U.S. THREATEN SOVIET ON PORTUGAL

JULY 17 (IPS)—GONE BERSERK OVER THE VICTORIES OF THE PORTUGUESE WORKING CLASS, THE NEW YORK TIMES TODAY URGES THE U.S. AND NATO TO "MAKE IT PLAIN TO MOSCOW THAT THE SOVIET UNION WILL BE HELD RESPONSIBLE IF PORTUGAL'S COMMUNISTS CONTINUE ON THEIR PRESENT PATH AND THAT THE WEST'S DEMOCRACIES CANNOT ACCEPT IMPOSITION OF COMMUNISM THERE BY FORCE OR SUBVERSION." WHILE NOTING THAT THE PORTUGUESE COMMUNIST PARTY, UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE REVOLUTIONARY ALVARO CUNHAL, MAINTAINS "SUPERB ORGANIZATION, TIGHT DISCIPLINE, BRILLIANT LEADERSHIP...", THE TIMES EDITORIAL CRIES OUT FOR "THE DEMOCRATS OF WEST EUROPE AND THE U.S." TO GIVE "MORE SUPPORT" TO THE DEFEATED SOCIALISTS UNDER THE AGENT MARIO SOARES."

IN A RELATED ARTICLE ON TODAY'S TIMES OP ED PAGE, STANFORD UNIVERSITY FOREIGN AFFAIRS SPECIALIST RONALD HILTON URGES THE U.S. TO DROP ITS DETENTE APPROACH TO THE SOVIET UNION IN FAVOR OF DIRECT THREATS AND CONFRONTATION POLICIES.

### WEST GERMAN STATE SECRETARY FOR DEVELOPMENT ENDORSES DEBT MORATORIUM

WIESBADEN, BRD, JULY 17 (IPS)—DR. OPPELT, STATE SECRETARY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR THE WEST GERMAN DEVELOPMENT MINISTRY TODAY AGREED THAT ORDERLY DEBT MORATORIA ON DOLLAR-DENOMINATED DEBT IS THE ONLY WAY OUT FOR THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES.

"MORATORIA," DR. OPPELT TOLD IPS, "WILL EASE THE DEBT BURDEN OF ALL THESE THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES NOW ON THE VERGE OF COLLAPSE. IT (DEBT MORATORIUM) WILL BE THE FIRST ITEM (ON THE AGENDA) AT THE SEVENTH SESSION OF THE U.N. GENERAL ASSEMBLY."

WHEN INFORMED THAT DEBT MORATORIA COULD NOT BE POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT YEAR AS HE STIPULATED, DR. OPPELT ANSWERED, "YES THAT'S RIGHT. THEY'RE IMMINENT."

### SADAT COMING UNDER PRESSURE FROM PRO-SOVIET MILITARY SAYS STATE DEPT.

JULY 17 (IPS)—AN EXASPERATED U.S. STATE DEPARTMENT MIDEAST ADVISOR TOLD IPS THIS MORNING THAT EGYPT "HASN'T GOTTEN ANY BENEFITS IN A YEAR FROM ISRAEL" AND THAT EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT SADAT "IS DISGUSTED" WITH U.S. ATTEMPTS TO SECURE AN ISRAELI PEACE COMPROMISE. THE OFFICIAL STATED THAT AN ISRAELI TERRITORIAL WITHDRAWAL "WOULD STRENGTHEN SADAT'S POSITION" ESPECIALLY AMONG RESTLESS

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ELEMENTS IN THE MILITARY AND ESSENTIALLY WRAP UP EGYPT AS A PRO-AMERICAN BASTION.

RECENTLY RETURNED FROM EGYPT, HE INSISTED THAT THE EGYPTIAN GOVERNMENT WISHES TO MAINTAIN EGYPT'S TIES TO THE U.S., BUT THAT STAGNATION IN THE SINAI NEGOTIATIONS WITH ISRAEL IS FEEDING DISCONTENT IN THE MILITARY AT SADAT'S PRO-AMERICAN AND ANTI-SOVIET STANCE. "SADAT NEEDS SUPPORT SO HE CAN TEAR DOWN THE SIDE OF HIS HOUSE THAT'S SNIPING AT HIM," BUT THE ISRAELIS ARE SABOTAGING THIS PROCESS SAID THE ADVISOR.

#### PCF WARNS SADAT

JULY 17 (IPS)--TODAY'S FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY DAILY L'HUMANITE NOTED THAT "THE SHORTEST ROAD FOR AVOIDING A NEW WAR REMAINS THAT OF GENEVA," WARNING EGYPTIAN PRESIDENT SADAT THAT A CALL FOR RECONVENING THE GENEVA CONFERENCE IS THE ONLY POSSIBLE WAY TO RESOLVE THE MIDEAST CRISIS.

L'HUMANITE REMINDS SADAT THAT THE RIGHT TURN HE IMPOSED ON EGYPTIAN POLITICS BY REMOVING SOVIET MILITARY ADVISERS IN 1970 IN AN ATTEMPT TO GAIN U.S. AID AND SUPPORT IS PROVOKING UNREST IN THE ARMY.

"IN THE ARMY NUMBERS OF OFFICERS ARE WONDERING ABOUT THE FUTURE OF THESE (SADAT'S) POLITICS," OBSERVES L'HUMANITE, ADDING THAT THE ARMY GENERALLY DISAPPROVES OF THE CORRUPTION AND PROFITEERING THAT IS BEING REINTRODUCED INTO EGYPTIAN SOCIETY.

#### ROCKEFELLER COUNTERMOVES AGAINST SOVIETS WITH \$1 BILLION CREDIT TO EGYPT

JULY 17 (IPS)--HENRY KISSINGER HAS PUT TOGETHER A PLAN TO EXTEND DEBT-STRAPPED EGYPT A \$1 BILLION LOAN. IT WOULD INCLUDE \$250 MILLION CREDITS FROM IRAN, SAUDI ARABIA, AND THE U.S., WITH THE REMAINING \$750 MILLION COMING FROM THE EEC COUNTRIES AND JAPAN, ACCORDING TO TODAY'S NEW YORK TIMES.

DURING KISSINGER'S TRIP TO EUROPE LAST WEEK, HE FIRMED UP COMMITMENTS FROM WEST GERMANY TO CONTRIBUTE A \$100 MILLION CREDIT. THE WASHINGTON POST REPORTS THAT THE NINE EEC COUNTRIES ARE PRESENTLY DEBATING THE LOAN AT A TWO DAY SUMMIT MEETING.

SUCH AN OPERATION IS A BLATANT MOVE ON THE PART OF ROCKEFELLER TO COUNTER AN EGYPTIAN LINK-UP WITH THE SOVIET BACKED EURASIAN TRADE BLOC, SPEARHEADED BY ALGERIA AND IRAQ. THE EGYPTIAN FINANCE MINISTER IS PRESENTLY IN THE SOVIET UNION IN AN EFFORT TO RESCHEDULE EGYPT'S MULTI-BILLION DOLLAR DEBT TO THE USSR, ACCORDING TO U.S. RADIO REPORTS TODAY.

CPGB CALLS FOR UNITED FRONT AROUND  
ECONOMIC EXPANSION, EAST-WEST TRADE

JULY 17 (IPS)—THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF GREAT BRITAIN HAS ISSUED A CALL FOR A UNITED FRONT OF TRADE UNIONISTS, LEFT LABOUR PARTY MEMBERS, COMMUNISTS AND OTHERS AROUND THE CPGB PROGRAM FOR ECONOMIC EXPANSION ON THE BASIS OF EAST-WEST TRADE. THE CALL WAS ISSUED FROM A MEETING OF THE CPGB'S NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE THIS WEEKEND AND PRINTED IN THE COMMUNISTS' MORNING STAR NEWSPAPER.

CPGB WELSH DISTRICT SECRETARY BERT PEARCE WAS QUOTED AS SAYING THAT THE CURRENT LABOUR GOVERNMENT POLICY IS "A SAVAGE ATTACK ON THE LIVING STANDARDS OF THE BRITISH PEOPLE..." CALLING FOR BRITISH TRADE WITH THE EAST BLOC, AND THE THIRD WORLD TOGETHER WITH NATO ARMS REDUCTION. THE MORNING STAR DECLARED THAT UNITED FRONT AROUND SUCH A PROGRAM "IS PRACTICABLE AND POSSIBLE NOW."

KANAPA SAYS CSCE WILL UNITE EUROPEAN CONTINENT

JULY 17 (IPS)—POLITICAL BUREAU MEMBER JEAN KANAPA IDENTIFIES THE JULY 30 SUMMIT CONFERENCE ON EUROPEAN COOPERATION AND SECURITY (CSCE) AS A "CAPITAL STEP" WHICH WILL LAY THE "FOUNDATIONS OF A PEACEFUL EUROPE."

WRITING IN A FORCEFUL EDITORIAL IN TODAY'S FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY DAILY, L'HUMANITE, KANAPA ASKS HOW IT WILL BE POSSIBLE, ONCE THE SUMMIT IS CONCLUDED, "TO JUSTIFY THE DIVISION OF THE CONTINENT INTO ANTAGONISTIC MILITARY AND ECONOMIC BLOCS?" HE CONCLUDES THAT AS IT HAS BEEN IN THE PAST, IT IS THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES AND EUROPEAN COMMUNIST PARTIES WHOSE INITIATIVES WILL ENSURE THAT THE CSCE CONFERENCE BECOMES THE LAUNCHING PAD FOR EVEN BROADER COOPERATION.

NAZI LABOR PROCEDURES REVIVED IN WEST GERMANY

WIESBADEN, BRD, JULY 17 (IPS)—THE WEST GERMAN EMPLOYMENT ADMINISTRATION ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT RECIPIENTS OF UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PLANNING TO TAKE A VACATION DURING THE SUMMER MUST FIRST ASK FOR APPROVAL FROM THEIR LOCAL UNEMPLOYMENT OFFICE. THE UNEMPLOYMENT OFFICE HAS THE RIGHT TO CUT OFF ALL BENEFITS IF A WORKER LEAVES AGAINST THE OFFICE'S ORDERS.

ACCORDING TO AN ARTICLE IN THE WIESBADEN KURIER, 18,024 WORKERS IN WEST GERMANY WERE REFUSED UNEMPLOYMENT BENEFITS, 2,835 OF THESE SPECIFICALLY BECAUSE THEY REFUSED JOBS OFFERED THEM.

THE EUROPEAN LABOR PARTY HAS RECEIVED SCATTERED REPORTS AS TO WHAT KINDS OF JOBS ARE BEING OFFERED: A WORKER IN THE RUHR SAID THAT HE WAS FORCED TO TAKE A JOB AS A CEMETERY GARDENER FOR THE

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EQUIVALENT OF 40 CENTS PER HOUR. WORKERS IN THE STATE OF HESSEN REPORT THAT THEY ARE BEING FORCED TO TAKE LABOR-INTENSIVE DIKE-BUILDING JOBS.

#### SPD MAYOR PROCLAIMS FASCIST OUTLOOK

JULY 17 (IPS)--THE SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC MAYOR OF HAMBURG, WEST GERMANY CALLED FOR A VIRTUAL RETURN TO NAZISM ACCORDING TO A REPORT IN YESTERDAY'S SUEDEDEUTSCHE ZEITUNG.

MAYOR HANS-ULRICH KLOSE, IN A SPEECH AT AN EVANGELICAL ACADEMY CONFERENCE ASSERTED THAT UNEMPLOYMENT CAN ONLY BE REVERSED BY CUTTING WORK TIME AND INCOMES. ALTHOUGH THE TRADE UNIONS WILL INITIALLY PROTEST HE SAID, "WE HAVE TO BREAK THROUGH PEOPLE'S CONSUMER MENTALITY AND DEVELOP THEIR SELF INITIATIVE...THIS REQUIRES FESTIVALS, BLOCK ORGANIZATIONS CLUBS FOR PEOPLE TO MEET IN, IDENTIFY THEMSELVES IN SOCIETY, FEEL GOOD, DO SOMETHING."

REPORTEDLY, KLOSE AVOIDED USE OF THE FORMER NAZI SLOGAN "STRENGTH THROUGH JOY."

## II. CONTINENTAL

### IPS EXCLUSIVE

#### NEW MAYOR'S TASK FORCE PLANS CRISIS MANAGEMENT FOR NYC

NEW YORK, JULY 17 (IPS)--IPS LEARNED THAT A MAYOR'S TASK FORCE FOR EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS WAS CREATED EARLY THIS WEEK TO IMPLEMENT PLANS FOR SO-CALLED CRISIS MANAGEMENT OF NEW YORK CITY. THE NEW AGENCY IS FUNDED DIRECTLY BY THE DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE CIVIL PREPAREDNESS AGENCY (DCPA) AND THE LAW ENFORCEMENT ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION (LEAA) AND IS DIRECTED BY LOUIS WEIN, ALSO THE MAYOR'S LIASON TO THE DOMESTIC COUNCIL WHICH REPORTEDLY IS "CLOSELY MONITORING" THE NEW YORK CITY SITUATION. FIRST NATIONAL CITY BANK AND IBM ARE REPORTED TO BE WORKING WITH THE NEW TASK FORCE.

WEIN WAS THE AMERICAN ADVISOR WHO HELPED ELECT THE NOTORIOUS CARLOS PEREZ PRESIDENT OF VENEZUELA IN 1973. IN AN INTERVIEW ON TUESDAY HE REVEALED THAT THE TASK FORCE IS CONSIDERING ACTION IN SUCH EMERGENCIES AS "NUCLEAR ATTACK, NUCLEAR BLACKMAIL OR STRIKES THAT CRIPPLE THE EAST COAST."

HE ADDED THAT THE TASK FORCE WILL BE RELYING HEAVILY ON RAND CORPORATION REPORTS TO DRAW UP THEIR EMERGENCY PLANS AND NOTED THAT THE APPARATUS THAT IS DESIGNED FOR NEW YORK CITY WILL SERVE AS A MODEL FOR OTHER MAJOR CITIES NATIONALLY.

THE PRESENT EMERGENCY CIVIL DEFENSE STRUCTURE IN NEW YORK CITY, HEADED BY A CAREER CIVIL SERVANT, WILL BE BYPASSED IN THE NEW PLANS.

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U.S. ARMY TESTED LSD ON CIVILIANS, SOLDIERS

JULY 17 (IPS)--THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND MEDICAL SCHOOL AND THE U.S. ARMY TESTED THE HALLUCINOGENIC DRUG LSD ON HUNDREDS OF CIVILIANS AND SOLDIERS WITHOUT THEIR KNOWLEDGE IN EXPERIMENTS CONDUCTED UNDER CONTRACTS BETWEEN THE ARMY'S CHEMICAL CENTER, THE EDGEWOOD ARSENAL, AND THE U. OF MARYLAND'S PSYCHIATRIC INSTITUTE IN BALTIMORE, ACCORDING TO THIS MORNING'S WASHINGTON POST. MAJ. GENERAL (RET.) LLOYD FELLEZ, COMMANDER AT EDGEWOOD FROM 1956 TO 1969, CONFIRMED THAT LSD TESTING HAD TAKEN PLACE AT THE ARSENAL AND AT MILITARY BASES, SPECIFICALLY FT. BRAGG, NORTH CAROLINA. "WE DIDN'T KNOW WHEN WE WERE SUPPOSED TO GET IT BUT WE WERE TOLD IT WOULD BE DONE. I WAS BRIEFING A GROUP OF OTHER OFFICERS WHEN I REALIZED IT WAS TAKING EFFECT," SAID THE GENERAL OF HIS EXPERIENCE AS AN UNWITTING GUINEA PIG FOR THE ARMY.

END OF EARLY IPS FOR JULY 17.