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ALGERIA BLASTS KISSINGER'S INTERIM AGREEMENT

OCT. 1 (IPS) — IN ITS FIRST OFFICIAL STATEMENT ON THE KISSINGER-ARRANGED SINAI INTERIM AGREEMENT, THE SEPT. 26 ISSUE OF THE OFFICIAL ALGERIAN DAILY, EL MOUDAHID, DENOUNCED THE AGREEMENT AS BEING "FAR FROM CONSTITUTING PROGRESS TOWARDS PEACE, AND SERIOUSLY RISKING SETTING UP A FIFTH WAR."

THE EDITORIAL CRITICIZED ARAB COUNTRIES WHICH DEPENDED ON "REAL-POLITIKING"—LETTING THEIR POLITICS BE DICTATED BY THEIR APPARENT IMMEDIATE INTERESTS ONLY--AND ADDED THAT "THE ARAB PEOPLE HAVE ANOTHER CONCEPTION OF THINGS AND WOULD NEVER ACCEPT TRADING OFF THEIR LIBERTY AND INDEPENDENCE."

LIBERIAN VISIT CONFIRMS GROWING WEST AFRICAN INTEREST IN SOVIET TIES

OCT. 1 (IPS) — FRANK TOLBERT, PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE OF LIBERIA (WEST AFRICA), HAS HELD FRIENDLY TALKS IN THE KREMLIN WITH A.P. SHITIKOV, CHAIRMAN OF THE SOVIET OF THE UNION (ONE OF THE TWO CHAMBERS OF THE SUPREME SOVIET), ACCORDING TO THE FOREIGN BROADCAST INFORMATION SERVICE SEPT. 3, CITING IZVESTIA AUG. 24. LIBERIA, HERETOFORE KNOWN AS ONE OF FIRESTONE TIRE AND RUBBER'S PLANTATIONS, JOINS THE POTENTIALLY POWERFUL NIGERIA IN EXPLORING CLOSER RELATIONS WITH THE EAST BLOC, WHILE A THIRD WEST AFRICAN NATION, GHANA, HAS ALREADY ARRANGED FOR SOVIET COOPERATION IN MECHANIZING THE AGRICULTURE OF THAT COUNTRY'S NORTH.

COUP HINTED IN BRAZIL

OCT. 1 (IPS) — DETAILED INFORMATION PUBLISHED IN THE INFLUENTIAL LONDON WEEKLY, LATIN AMERICA, HAS LED THAT PUBLICATION TO CONCLUDE BRAZIL'S EXTREME RIGHT WING, NEWLY ALLIED WITH CENTER FORCES IN THE ARMED FORCES, IS PLOTTING THE OUSTER OF PRESIDENT ERNESTO GEISEL. BOTH LATIN AMERICA AND THE LONDON FINANCIAL TIMES HAVE LINKED GEISEL TO THE FACTION OF INDUSTRIALISTS AROUND MINISTER OF INDUSTRY SEVERO GOMES, WHICH HAS OPPOSED THE POLICIES DEMANDED BY THE ROCKEFELLER-CONTROLLED COUNCIL ON THE AMERICAS. ROCKEFELLER IS SEEKING ADDITIONAL LOOTING BY FOREIGN MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS AND MAINTENANCE OF BRAZIL'S FOREIGN DEBT PAYMENTS.

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PERUVIAN PAPER STRESSES UNITY OF MILITARY
AND "VANGUARD MOVEMENTS OF THE WORKERS"

OCT. 1 (IPS) -- A FEATURED ARTICLE IN THE SUNDAY SUPPLEMENT OF THE PERUVIAN GOVERNMENT NEWSPAPER, CRONICA, GIVES A SHARPLY-FOCUSED ANALYSIS OF THE PORTUGUESE CRISIS IN ORDER TO PROMOTE AN ALLIANCE BETWEEN THE PERUVIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE "VANGUARD MOVEMENTS OF THE WORKERS" IN PERU AGAINST THE COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY, SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC APRA PARTY.

CRONICA CHARGES THAT "GOING INTO OPPOSITION TO THE MFA, MARIO SOARES AND HIS (SOCIALIST) PARTY HAVE GIVEN THE OPPORTUNITY FOR THE UGLY FASCIST FORCES INSIDE THE COUNTRY TO REAPPEAR, AND FOR FORD, THE PENTAGON, THE CIA, AND ITT TO BEGIN THEIR ATTACKS ON PORTUGAL FOR THE OUTSIDE." "SOARES HAS UNLEASHED A BRUTAL ANTI-COMMUNIST CAMPAIGN," THE PAPER ADDS, TO TRY TO GET THE MFA TO BREAK WITH THE PARTY OF ALVARO CUNHAL, THE LEADER OF PORTUGAL'S COMMUNISTS.

THE ARTICLE CONCLUDES BY SAYING THAT "THE ATTITUDE TAKEN BY THE SOCIALIST PARTY OF MARIO SOARES IS THE SAME AS THAT OF THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATS OF FREI IN CHILE, BUT THE PANORAMA OF THE TWO COUNTRIES IS DIFFERENT. WHILE ALLENDE IN CHILE DID NOT COUNT ON THE SUPPORT OF THE ARMED FORCES, IN PORTUGAL THE ARMED FORCES JOINTLY WITH THE VANGUARD MOVEMENTS OF THE WORKERS ARE MAKING THE REVOLUTION."

REORGANIZATION OF ITALIAN ARMY
FOLLOWS NORTHERN MANUEVERS

OCT. 1 (IPS) -- THE ITALIAN ARMED FORCES ARE BEING REDEPLOYED INTO THE HEAVILY WORKING CLASS REGION BETWEEN BRESCIA AND VERONA, AND AROUND EMILIA, ACCORDING TO TODAY'S WEST GERMAN CONSERVATIVE DAILY FRANKFURTER ALLGEMEINE ZEITUNG. THE REDEPLOYMENT WAS PREPARED BY MANUEVERS THIS SPRING AND FALL IN NORTHERN ITALY. THE FORCES TO BE DEPLOYED WILL BE DRAWN FROM THOSE PRESENTLY STATIONED ALONG THE NORTHERN ITALIAN BORDER. THE PLAN FOR THIS SHIFT WAS OUTLINED IN THE "GREEN BOOK" ON THE COUNTRY'S MILITARY, REPORTEDLY PREPARED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE ARMY'S CHIEF OF STAFF, GENERAL ANDREA CUCINE.

LEBANESE LEFTIST WARNS ON COUP THREAT

OCT. 1 (IPS) -- GEMAYEL JUMBLATT, THE SECOND INTERNATIONAL-LINKED HEAD OF THE PROGRESSIVE SOCIALIST PARTY OF LEBANON AND A LEADER OF THE UMBRELLA NATIONAL FRONT ORGANIZATION WHICH INCLUDES REPRESENTATIVES OF THE COMMUNIST AND BAATH PARTIES OF LEBANON WARNED THAT LEBANON FACES THE THREAT OF A MILITARY COUP IN THE IMMEDIATE FUTURE, IN AN INTERVIEW WITH RADIO FRANCE. THE STATEMENT WAS REPORTED IN SEPT. 24 ATH-THAWRA, THE NEWSPAPER OF THE ARAB BAATH SOCIALIST PARTY OF IRAQ.

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BRANDT A LONGTIME CIA AGENT
SAYS CHICAGO SUN-TIMES

OCT. 1 (IPS) — IN AN ARTICLE DOCUMENTING CIA FUNDING OF THE EUROPEAN SOCIAL DEMOCRACIES, CHICAGO SUN-TIMES WRITER THOMAS ROSS REPORTED LAST WEEK THAT PRESIDENT FORD STATED IN AN INTERVIEW THAT HE AND THE WEST EUROPEANS MOUNTED A JOINT EFFORT TO PRODUCE AN "IMPACT ON THE PORTUGUESE SITUATION," SUBSEQUENT TO FORD'S "STRONG STAND AGAINST A COMMUNIST GOVERNMENT IN PORTUGAL AT THE NATO SUMMIT IN BRUSSELS IN MAY."

ROSS CONTINUES; "IT WAS THEN, SOURCES SAID, FORD DECIDED TO PROVIDE CIA FUNDS (TO PORTUGAL-ED.) INDIRECTLY. THE RULING SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY OF WEST GERMANY IS UNDERSTOOD TO BE THE PRINCIPAL CONDUIT FOR THE CIA MONEY. THE CIA HAD A CLOSE WORKING RELATIONSHIP WITH LEADING GERMAN SOCIALISTS SINCE WWII. FORMER CHANCELLOR BRANDT REPORTEDLY WORKED FOR THE OFFICE OF STRATEGIC SERVICES, THE CIA PREDECESSOR, IN SCANDINAVIA DURING THE WAR AND MAINTAINED THE CIA RELATIONSHIP AS A MAYOR AND LATER IN THE BUNDESTAG. THE CIA HAD ALSO SUPPORTED SOCIALISTS IN BRITAIN, FRANCE AND BELGIUM, ARGUING THEY HAVE PROVED THE MOST SUCCESSFUL IN POLITICAL COMPETITION WITH COMMUNISTS."

PROVOCATION IN THAILAND

OCT. 1 (IPS) — A GRENADE EXPLOSION RIPPED THROUGH A PROTEST MEETING IN SOUTHERN THAILAND KILLING 15 PERSONS AND INJURING 16 OTHERS, TODAY'S WASHINGTON POST REPORTS.

THE EXPLOSIONS OCCURED IN THE MIDDLE OF A NEGOTIATING SESSION BETWEEN A GOVERNMENTAL OFFICIAL AND PRIVATE DIVERS PROTESTING FOREIGN OWNED COMPANIES MINING FOR MINERALS IN THE COASTAL WATERS OF PANG NGA PROVINCE, 500 MILES SOUTH OF WEST BANGKOK. THE INCIDENT COMES AT A TIME OF INCREASED LABOR UNREST AND A GOVERNMENTAL CABINET CRISIS.

THAI GOVERNMENT SPLIT OVER REPRESSION

OCT. 1 (IPS) — THE SIX MONTH OLD GOVERNMENT OF THAILAND'S PRIME MINISTER KUKRIT PRAMOJ, IS ON THE VERGE OF COLLAPSE FOLLOWING A THREAT BY THE SOCIAL JUSTICE PARTY TO LEAVE THE RULING COALITION IF THE GOVERNMENT DOES NOT DISMISS DEFENSE MINISTER PRAMARN ADIRECKSON. THE THREAT WAS DELIVERED BY AGRICULTURE MINISTER THAURT KLINPRATHUM. DEFENSE MINISTER ADIRECKSON IS A STRONG BACKER OF THE REPRESSIVE NATIONAL SECURITY AND MAINTENANCE BILL WHICH IS OPPOSED BY STRIKING STUDENTS AND LABOR UNIONS, AND BY LEFT WING AND CENTER POLITICIANS.

JAPANESE NEWSPAPER SAYS:
LET THEM EAT RICE AND FISH

OCT. 1 (IPS) — A MAJOR JAPANESE DAILY, ASHAI, PROPOSED THAT JAPAN ACHIEVE SELF-SUFFICIENCY IN FOOD THROUGH A "DRASTIC ABOUT-FACE IN THE CONSUMPTION STRUCTURE" OF THE PEOPLE. JAPAN SHOULD GO BACK TO

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THE "PRE-INDUSTRIAL RICE AND FISH DIET," IN ITS SEPT. 16 EDITORIAL. ASHAI URGES THAT THE JAPANESE PEOPLE SUBSTITUTE RICE FOR WHEAT AND STOP EATING MEAT TO END THE NEED TO IMPORT FOOD GRAINS.

CONTINENTAL NEWS

SENATOR STEVENSON RIPS INTO SINAI ACCORD FEARS NUCLEAR BUILD-UP

OCT. 1 (IPS) — SENATOR ADLAI STEVENSON (D-ILL), SPEAKING YESTERDAY AT THE LOS ANGELES WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL, WARNED THAT THE PROPOSED SINAI ACCORD WILL TOUCH OFF AN ACCELERATED ARMS BUILD-UP AND MAY LEAD TO "A HIGHER LEVEL OF VIOLENCE," I.E. NUCLEAR WAR. STEVENSON SAID THAT SECRETARY OF STATE KISSINGER IS "MAKING PROMISES BEYOND (THE U.S.'S) POWER TO KEEP." HE ALSO CONDEMNED KISSINGER'S PLEDGE TO SUPPLY ISRAEL WITH PERSHING MISSILES. STEVENSON WARNED THAT "CONGRESS HAS NO DUTY TO ACQUIESCE" IN THE ACCORDS.

SENATORS SEEK PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF KISSINGER ACCORDS

WASHINGTON, D.C., OCT. 1 (IPS) — SENATE FOREIGN RELATIONS COMMITTEE MEMBERS FLOYD HASKELL (D-COLO) AND SEN. MARK HATFIELD (R-ORE) HAVE INTRODUCED A RESOLUTION CALLING FOR FULL DISCLOSURE OF THE SECRET PROVISIONS OF THE SINAI ACCORD, ACCORDING TO AN AIDE TO SEN. HASKELL.

OBSERVERS NOTE THAT HASKELL AND HATFIELD MUST STILL CONTEND WITH SENATOR CLIFFORD CASE, WHO IS ORGANIZING A TOKEN OPPOSITION TO SECRETARY OF STATE KISSINGER'S HANDLING OF THE SINAI NEGOTIATIONS, DEMANDING THAT KISSINGER "AUTHENTICATE" SELECTED PARTS OF THE AGREEMENT RECENTLY "LEAKED" BY THE STATE DEPARTMENT TO THE NEW YORK TIMES. UPON THIS RECEIPT OF THIS "CONCESSION", CASE WILL ATTEMPT TO RAM THROUGH APPROVAL OF THE ACCORDS.

FORD TURNS OVER SOME DOCS PIKE CONTINUES ATTACK ON KISSINGER

OCT. 1 (IPS) — THE FORD ADMINISTRATION TURNED OVER ALL BUT 50 WORDS OF SUBPEONAED DOCUMENTS ON THE TET OFFENSIVE TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES LATE LAST NIGHT, ACCORDING TO TODAY'S NEW YORK TIMES. IN COMMITTEE HEARINGS YESTERDAY HOWEVER, A STATE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL REFUSED TO ANSWER QUESTIONS ABOUT INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY ESTIMATES OF THE CYPRUS WAR IN 1974, CITING SECRETARY OF STATE KISSINGER'S ORDERS TO REMAIN QUIET.

IN RESPONSE TO THOSE EVENTS, COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN OTIS PIKE (D-NY) REMARKED "I DON'T THINK IT'S THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES WHO'S CAUSING OUR DIFFICULTIES. I'VE SAID IT BEFORE AND I'LL SAY IT AGAIN, I THINK IT'S SECRETARY KISSINGER."

PIKE IS STILL MOVING AHEAD WITH HIS RESOLUTION ASKING FOR A VOTE OF CONFIDENCE FROM THE HOUSE, SINCE AS A COMMITTEE SOURCE PUT IT, THE COMMITTEE IS STILL AWAITING OTHER INFORMATION FROM OTHER EXECUTIVE AGENCIES.

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HUMPHREY CALLS FOR S.1

OCT. 1 (IPS) — YESTERDAY AT THE SENATE SUBCOMMITTEE ON TREASURY AND THE POSTAL SERVICE, AFTER HEARING TESTIMONY BY BUREAU OF ALCOHOL, TOBACCO AND FIREARMS DIRECTOR REX FAVIS ON THE INVOLVEMENT OF ATF UNDERCOVER AGENTS IN TWO ADDITIONAL PLOTS TO ASSASSINATE PRESIDENT FORD, SEN. HUBERT HUMPHREY LAUNCHED INTO A TIRADE CALLING FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF ALL THE MAJOR FEATURES OF SENATE BILL S.1. HUMPHREY HYSTERICALLY RAILED ABOUT GUERRILLAS, MILITANTS AND RADICALS WITHOUT NAMING ANY SPECIFIC GROUPS, AND STATED THAT "WE SHOULD DESREGARD THE PUBLIC OUTCRY" ABOUT CIVIL LIBERTIES AND THAT ALL SUSPECTS MUST BE TRAILED BY EITHER THE POLICE OR THE SECRET SERVICE. HE ALSO CALLED FOR LIMITING THE PRESS IN ITS "SPECTACULAR" COVERAGE OF THE ASSASSINATION ATTEMPTS.

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE BACKS BURNS' SLAVE LABOR

OCT. 1 (IPS) — IN A LEAD EDITORIAL YESTERDAY, THE JOURNAL OF COMMERCE LIKENED THE PRESENT ECONOMIC SITUATION TO THAT OF THE GREAT DEPRESSION, AND SUPPORTED THE PROPOSALS OF THE CHAIRMAN OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE ARTHUR BURNS FOR THE INSTITUTION OF SLAVE LABOR PROGRAMS AT A RATE OF PAY BELOW THE \$2.10 FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE LEVEL. "TODAY IT SOMETIMES SEEMS AS IF WE ARE HAVING A REPLAY OF THE 1937-38 PERIOD, WHEN A BUSINESS RECOVERY THAT HAD LIFTED THE COUNTRY OUT OF THE SEVERE DEPRESSION WAS FADING RAPIDLY," SAYS THE JOURNAL. SINCE INFLATION AND UNEMPLOYMENT CONTINUE TO PERSIST IN OUR "FREE ECONOMY," THE JOURNAL OF COMMERCE LAUDS BURNS FOR NOT LIVING IN A STATE OF "MONEY ILLUSION" AND GOES ON TO QUOTE HIM AT LENGTH: "THERE WOULD BE A REVIEW OF LAWS AFFECTING THE LABOR MARKETS INCLUDING THE MINIMUM WAGE LAW AND THE UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION SYSTEM WHICH MAY BE BLUNTING INCENTIVES TO WORK." "THE CHIEF ALLURE OF THE GOVERNMENT BECOMING THE EMPLOYER OF LAST RESORT WOULD BE THAT ALL INVOLUNTARY UNEMPLOYMENT WOULD BE ELIMINATED. THE BUDGETARY COSTS WOULD NOT BE BURDENSOME SINCE THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE TAKING GOVERNMENT JOBS WOULD BE MUCH SMALLER THAN THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE NOW COUNTED AS UNEMPLOYED."

JAMES RESTON SQUAWKS OVER PIKE COMMITTEE

OCT. 1 (IPS) — NEW YORK TIMES COLUMNIST JAMES RESTON TODAY ATTACKS THE HOUSE CIA COMMITTEE, CHARGING THAT COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN OTIS PIKE'S (D-NY) ATTACKS ON THE ADMINISTRATION FOR STONE-WALLING "ARE BORDERING ON THE RIDICULOUS." BLUSTERS RESTON: "IF MR. PIKE WANTS A CONFRONTATION WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE...HE WILL GET IT, FOR MR. KISSINGER WILL NOT FOLLOW JOHN FOSTER DULLES EXAMPLE OF THROWING STAFF OFFICERS TO HIS CRITICS. THE IDEA OF GIVING CONGRESS EVERYTHING IT NEEDS TO BE AN EFFECTIVE PARTNER IN THE CONDUCT OF FOREIGN POLICY IS LONG OVERDUE, BUT IT IS NOT NECESSARY TO WRENCH THE FOREIGN SERVICE TO DO IT."

USLP INTELLIGENCE AND ORGANIZING REPORT

PHILLY TEAMSTER JOINS COMMITTEE TO STOP METHADONE

PHILADELPHIA, OCT. 1 (IPS) — FRANK GORMLEY, PRESIDENT OF TEAMSTERS

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LOCAL 470 HERE HAS ENDORSED THE U.S. LABOR PARTY'S 10 DAY DETOX PROGRAM AND THE "COMMITTEE TO STOP METHADONE" CALLING IT AN "URGENT MORAL QUESTION." HE DECLARED THAT 9 OUT OF 10 TEAMSTERS IN THE REGION SUPPORT THE USLP DRIVE SHUT DOWN ALL METHADONE DRUG NETWORKS. TOMMORROW 3 LABOR LEADERS, 2 PROFESSORS, A DOCTOR, AND SEVERAL SHOP STEWARDS WILL ANNOUNCE THE FORMATION OF A REGIONAL COMMITTEE TO STOP METHADONE. TELEVISED HEARINGS WILL BE HELD AT LEHIGH UNIBVRSITY NEAR BETHLEHEM ON IN-PLANT CONDITIONS AND DRUG-RUNNING AT BETHLEHEM STEEL AND MACK TRUCK PLANTS ON OCT. 15. SHOP STEWARDS FROM THE PLANT ARE SCHEDULED TO PRESENT EVIDENCE.

COUNCILMAN CALL FOR INVESTIGATION
OF CHARLOTTE METHADONE RING

CHÄRLOTTE, OCT. 1 (IPS) -- CITY COUNCILMAN JOE WITHROW HAS CALLED FOR AN INVESTIGATION OF THE CITY'S METHADONE PROGRAMS FOLLOWING A U.S. LABOR PARTY PRESENTATION AT MONDAY'S COUNCIL MEETING. USLP SPOKESMAN SANDY ROBERTS DOCUMENTED THE INVENTION OF METHADONE BY THE NAZIS AND ITS LINKS TO THE ATTEMPTED ASSASSINATIONS OF PRESIDENT FORD. HE QUESTIONED THE SANITY OF COUNCIL PLANS TO APPLY FOR HUD MONEY TO EXPAND NEIGHBORHOOD METHADONE BRAINWASHING CENTERS AND EMPHASIZED THAT THE VOTERS WOULD RETALIATE IN NOVEMBER IF THE COUNCIL REFUSED TO SHUT DOWN THESE DRUG NETWORKS.

WBT-TV COVERED THE HEARINGS ON THE 6 O'CLOCK NEWS AND RELATED THAT MAOR BELK WAS LOOKING INTO THE MATTER.

N.Y. CITY COUNCIL PROBING CIA INFILTRATION OF NYPD

NEW YORK CITY, OCT. 1 (IPS) -- CITY COUNCILMEN IN NEW YORK CITY ARE NOW CONSIDERING TWO BILLS TO CURB THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CIA-CONTROLLED INTELLIGENCE DIVISION OF THE NYPD, COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE "RED SQUAD". THE BILLS, SPONSORED BY CITY COUNCIL PRESIDENT PAUL O'DWYER AND 11 OTHER COUNCILMEN WOULD REQUIRE THAT POLICE OBTAIN COURT ORDERS BEFORE INFILTRATING POLITICAL GROUPS OR BEFORE TAPING AND FILMING PUBLIC, LAWFUL DEMONSTRATIONS.

U.S. LABOR PARTY ORGANIZERS IN NEW YORK ARE PRESENTLY ENGAGED IN LITIGATION AGAINST THE NYPD FOR ILLEGAL INTERFERENCE IN ELECTORAL CAMPAIGNS AND FOR CONSISTENT HARASSMENT OF USLP RALLIES.

END OF EARLY IPS FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1975.