



NEW SOLIDARITY International Press Service

Daily News and Press Summaries

P.O. Box 1972, G.P.O.
New York, New York 10001
Editorial (212) 279-5950 TWX 581-5679
Customer Service (212) 564-8529

NEW SOLIDARITY INTERNATIONAL PRESS SERVICE (IPS)
EARLY EVENING EDITION
TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1975

I. INTERNATIONAL NEWS

KANAPA WARNS THAT EAST BERLIN CONFERENCE IS NOT OVER

OCT. 20 (IPS) — IN HIS ADDRESS TO THE RECENT EAST BERLIN MEETING OF EUROPEAN COMMUNIST PARTIES, FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY (PCF) POLITBURO MEMBER JEAN KANAPA SHARPLY CRITICIZED THE FINAL CONFERENCE DOCUMENT, WARNING THAT "THE CONFERENCE IS NOT REDUCED TO THE EXISTENCE OF THIS DOCUMENT."

CRITICIZING THE LACK OF POLITICAL CONTENT OF THE ACCORD, KANAPA OBJECTED THAT THE CRUCIAL ISSUES OF "U.S. CAPITAL'S HOLD OVER THE ECONOMY OF WEST EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, MONOPOLISTIC INTEGRATION WITH THE FRAMEWORK OF THE EEC (COMMON MARKET), AND RELATIONS WITH THE THIRD WORLD" EITHER VANISHED COMPLETELY FROM THE TEXT OR "ARE TREATED IN A SUPERFICIAL WAY." KANAPA'S WARNING IS DIRECTED SPECIFICALLY AT THE AGENT-LED ITALIAN COMMUNISTS WHO DIRECTED NATO-ORDERED OPERATIONS TO EMASCULATE THE CONFERENCE.

THE TEXT OF KANAPA'S SPEECH WAS REPORTED IN THE FRENCH COMMUNIST WEEKLY MAGAZINE FRANCE NOUVELLE THIS WEEK.

PCP LEADER CUNHAL CONDEMNS COUP RUMORS AND CALLS FOR REVOLUTIONARY CONSCIENCE AND NEGOTIATIONS

OCT. 20 (IPS) — ALVARO CUNHAL, LEADER OF THE PORTUGUESE COMMUNIST PARTY (PCP), TOLD A MASS MEETING NEAR LISBON TWO DAYS AGO, THAT "THE COUNTRY CONTINUES IN A PROFOUND POLITICAL-MILITARY CRISIS. IF WE WANT TO STOP THE OUTBREAK OF A WAVE OF ASSASSINATIONS AND PROVOCATIONS IT IS NECESSARY TO STOP THE PURGES OF LEFTISTS AND TO EXPEL THE RIGHT-WINGERS FROM THE ORGANS OF POWER. IT IS ALSO TIME TO STOP THE CAMPAIGN OF COUP D'ETAT RUMORS . . . WHICH COME FROM THE COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARY RIGHT," ACCORDING TO TASS, THE NEWS AGENCY OF THE SOVIET UNION TODAY. CUNHAL BLAMED THE CIA-LINKED PORTUGUESE SOCIALIST PARTY (PSP) AND POPULAR DEMOCRATIC PARTY IN THE GOVERNMENT FOR "AGGRAVATING AND DEEPENING THE PRESENT CRISIS."

CUNHAL EMPHATICALLY DEFENDED THE UNITED SOLDIERS WILL WIN (SUW) MOVEMENT AND PROPOSED THAT NEGOTIATIONS TAKE PLACE AMONG

(MORE)

EARLY IPS/10.21/2

VARIOUS FACTIONS OF THE ARMED FORCES MOVEMENT, THE PCP AND THE PSP, CONTINUED TASS.

IRAQIS PROPOSE REGIONAL MIDEAST DEVELOPMENT PLAN

OCT. 21 (IPS) -- THE IRAQI GOVERNMENT HAS PROPOSED TO THE ARAB LEAGUE A PLAN TO "COORDINATE AND DEVELOP ARAB RESOURCES FOR ARAB LANDS."

THE ARAB LEAGUE HAS AGREED TO STUDY THE PROPOSAL IN PREPARATION MEETING NEXT MONTH. SUCH A PROPOSAL LAYS THE GROUNDWORK FOR BLOC TO BLOC NEGOTIATIONS BETWEEN THE EEC AND THE ARAB COUNTRIES, YESTERDAY'S NEW YORK TIMES REPORTS.

BALTIMORE SUN NAMES NATO AS GUN RUNNER TO LEBANON

OCT. 21 (IPS) -- THE LEBANESE RIGHT-WING FALANGISTS "ARE EQUIPPED WITH NEW AMERICAN AND NATO WEAPONS AND VEHICLES," REPORTS MICHAEL PARKS FROM BEIRUT IN YESTERDAY'S BALTIMORE SUN. HE ALSO NAMES U.S. LEBANESE AMBASSADOR G. MCMURTRIE GODLEY "WHO USED TO RUN THE SECRET AMERICAN WAR OPERATIONS IN LAOS AND CONGO" AS THE AGENT RESPONSIBLE FOR ARRANGING ARMS SHIPMENTS TO THE FALANGE, DESPITE DENIALS BY THE U.S. EMBASSY.

KISSINGER, CHINESE AGREE: RUSSIA IS MAIN COMMON PROBLEM

OCT. 21 (IPS) -- U.S. SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER AND CHINESE FOREIGN MINISTER CHIAO KUAN-HUA AGREED IN PEKING YESTERDAY THAT THE MAIN PURPOSE OF KISSINGER'S CURRENT FOUR-DAY VISIT IS THE ALLEGED DANGER OF SOVIET EXPANSIONISM. CHIAO ARGUED THAT A "TIT-FOR-TAT STRUGGLE" AGAINST SOVIET "HEGEMONISM" WAS NECESSARY AND CHIDED THE U.S. FOR "MISTAKING HOPES OR WISHES FOR REALITY" AND ACTING IN SUCH A WAY AS TO "ABET THE AMBITIONS OF (SOVIET) EXPANSIONISM." KISSINGER REPLIED THAT "THE UNITED STATES WILL RESIST (SOVIET) HEGEMONY AS WE HAVE ALREADY STATED IN THE SHANGHAI COMMUNIQUE."

KISSINGER ASSURED THE CHINESE THAT THE UNITED STATES WOULD COME TO THE DEFENSE OF ANY THIRD COUNTRIES THREATENED BY THE SOVIET UNION, AND SAID THAT "THERE IS NO RELATIONSHIP TO WHICH THE UNITED STATES ASSIGNS GREATER SIGNIFICANCE THAN ITS TIES WITH THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA."

NEW YORK TIMES COLUMNIST C.L. SULZBERGER PREDICTED YESTERDAY THAT "BOTH PARTIES (WILL) AGREE ON THE NEED TO UNDERSTAND EACH OTHER ON THE RULES OF COOPERATION WITH RESPECT TO MOSCOW . . . THAT'S WHAT THE PRESENT TALKS AND JOURNEYS ARE ABOUT."

(MORE)

SOVIETS PROFILE U.S. FACTIONAL SITUATION

OCT. 20 (IPS) — SOVIET OBSERVERS OF UNITED STATES POLITICAL FACTIONAL DEVELOPMENTS WRITE THAT "THE OLD DIVISIONS OF POLITICIANS INTO LIBERALS AND CONSERVATIVES DOES NOT ALWAYS HELP TO UNDERSTAND THE ESSENCE OF THINGS," IN A SERIES OF INTERVIEWS WITH AMERICAN POLITICIANS NOW APPEARING IN PRAVDA, THE SOVIET PARTY DAILY. RATHER THE VIEWS OF INDIVIDUAL LEGISLATORS, THEY SAY, ARE DETERMINED BY THEIR ELECTORAL BASES AND THEIR BUSINESS CONNECTIONS.

THE FIRST INSTALLMENT OF THE INTERVIEW SERIES, PUBLISHED IN PRAVDA ON OCT. 17, QUESTIONS SEVERAL POLITICIANS WHO ARE ASSOCIATED WITH NASCENT ANTI-ROCKEFELLER FACTIONS IN THE U.S., PARTICULARLY THOSE REPRESENTING THE VIEWS OF CHICAGO INDUSTRIALISTS, ON THEIR VIEWS ON DETENTE, THE SCHLESINGER DOCTRINE, AND EAST-WEST TRADE.

SEN. EDWARD KENNEDY (D-MASS.), WHO IS TREATED BY PRAVDA AS A POSSIBLE PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, TOLD THE SOVIET PAPER THAT HE REJECTS THE PROVOCATIVE ANTI-DETENTE STATEMENTS OF U.S. SECRETARY OF DEFENSE JAMES SCHLESINGER, AND CALLS FOR FURTHER U.S.-SOVIET COOPERATION. SEN. ADLAI STEVENSON (D-ILL.), WHO HAS PREVIOUSLY SPONSORED CREDIT LEGISLATION WHICH DISCRIMINATED AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION, NOW SAYS THAT HE "REGRETS" HAVING DONE SO. "WE DID NOT EXPECT THAT THE SOVIET UNION WOULD REACT SO DECISIVELY TO AN ATTEMPT TO INTERFERE IN ITS DOMESTIC AFFAIRS," HE SAID, ADDING THAT "FOR US IT IS NECESSARY TO HAVE CONTACTS, MEETINGS, EXCHANGE OF OPINION, TO REDUCE MUTUAL SUSPICION AND REMOVE DISTRUST."

PRAVDA ALSO INTERVIEWED SENATORS ALAN CRANSTON (D-CAL.) AND CHARLES PERCY (R-ILL.).

WEST GERMAN MILITARY EXPERT RIPS FLEXIBLE RESPONSE DOCTRINE

OCT. 20 (IPS) — ADELBERT WEINSTEIN, ONE OF WEST GERMANY'S FOREMOST MILITARY CORRESPONDENTS, AND A FORMER MAJOR IN THE GERMAN GENERAL STAFF DURING WORLD WAR II, BLASTED U.S. DEFENSE SECRETARY JAMES SCHLESINGER'S STRATEGY OF FLEXIBLE — I.E., "LIMITED NUCLEAR" — RESPONSE IN THE OCT. 18 FRANKFURTER ALLGEMEINE ZEITUNG AS "NEITHER A STRATEGY, NOR A FLEXIBLE SYSTEM OF THOUGHT . . . AND NOT WORTHY OF CREDIBILITY." WEINSTEIN CHARGED THAT WEST GERMANY LOST ALL INDEPENDENCE IN MILITARY MATTERS TO THE UNITED STATES, AND HAS NOW FINALLY KNUCKLED UNDER TO THE FLEXIBLE RESPONSE DOCTRINE, WHICH HE CALLS "A STRATEGY OF SUICIDE."

WEINSTEIN CONCLUDES WITH THE DEMAND THAT WEST GERMAN TROOPS BE LED BY GENERALS "WHO HAVE LEARNED FROM SCHLIEFFEN'S DEBACLE." COUNT VON SCHLIEFFEN OF THE IMPERIAL GERMAN GENERAL STAFF DEvised A STATISTICALLY PERFECT BATTLE PLAN FOR WORLD WAR I ACCORDING TO WHICH GERMAN TROOPS SHOULD HAVE BEEN IN PARIS A MONTH AFTER

(MORE)

EARLY IPS/10.21/4

THE WAR BEGAN.

MANY WEST GERMAN OFFICERS OPPOSE SCHLESINGER'S "LIMITED" NUCLEAR WAR DOCTRINE ON THE GROUNDS THAT WEST GERMANY WOULD BE IMMEDIATELY REDUCED TO RADIOACTIVE RUBBLE UNDER THE PLAN.

CHASE STEPS IN AFTER KISSINGER FAILS
TO GET BAILOUT FOR ZAIRE FROM CONGRESS

OCT. 21 (IPS) — CHASE MANHATTAN LTD., THE LONDON AFFILIATE OF CHASE MANHATTAN BANK, IS ORGANIZING A SYNDICATE TO LOAN \$227 MILLION TO ZAIRE NEXT MONTH, ACCORDING TO YESTERDAY'S WALL STREET JOURNAL. LAST WEEK, A BEHIND-THE-SCENES ATTEMPT TO GET \$60 MILLION IN EMERGENCY AID FROM CONGRESS MET STRONG OPPOSITION.

ZAIRE, THE MAIN BASE OF CIA OPERATIONS AGAINST ANGOLA, HAS DEFAULTED ON \$8 MILLION IN INTEREST PAYMENTS SINCE THE END OF JUNE AND IS EXPECTED TO AT LEAST DOUBLE ITS ARREARS BY THE END OF THE YEAR.

II. CONTINENTAL NEWS

ADMINISTRATION RETREATS
ON KISSINGER'S OIL-FOR-GRAIN SCHEME

WASHINGTON, OCT. 21 (IPS) — THE WHITE HOUSE ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT PRESIDENT FORD HAD LIFTED THE TWO MONTH MORATORIUM ON FURTHER U.S. GRAIN SALES TO THE SOVIET UNION THIS YEAR AND HAD REACHED A FIVE YEAR AGREEMENT ON GRAIN PURCHASES WITH THE SOVIETS. THE GRAIN AGREEMENT, EFFECTIVE NEXT OCT. 1, IS FOR SOVIET PURCHASES OF SIX TO EIGHT MILLION TONS PER YEAR AT WORLD MARKET PRICES, ACCORDING TO TODAY'S NEW YORK TIMES. THE ADMINISTRATION WAS APPARENTLY FORCED TO RETREAT FROM SECRETARY OF STATE HENRY KISSINGER'S INSISTENCE ON LINKING FUTURE SOVIET PURCHASES OF U.S. GRAIN TO A LONG-TERM SOVIET COMMITMENT TO SELL OIL AT BELOW WORLD MARKET PRICES TO THE UNITED STATES.

THE SECRETARY'S POLICY HAD RECEIVED SHARP CRITICISM IN THE PRESS AND AMONG CONGRESSIONAL DEMOCRATS AS WELL AS MIDWEST REPUBLICANS IN RECENT WEEKS.

THE SOVIETS APPEAR TO HAVE HELD ALL BARGAINING CARDS IN THE TALKS. U.S. GOVERNMENT AND TRADE SOURCES SAY THAT SOVIET PURCHASES OF NON-U.S. GRAIN SINCE LAST AUGUST, WHEN THE STATE DEPARTMENT EMBARGOED AMERICAN GRAIN SALES TO THE SOVIET UNION, MAY TOTAL 5 TO 8 MILLION TONS, ACCORDING TO TODAY'S WASHINGTON POST.

ACCORDING TO THE POST YESTERDAY, "A HIGH-LEVEL AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT OFFICIAL SAID SOVIET TRADERS HAVE BECOME SO CONFIDENT THAT THEY HAVE TOLD AMERICAN EXPORTERS THAT THEY PLAN NO MAJOR PURCHASES FROM THE UNITED STATES IN THE NEAR FUTURE, AND

(MORE)

EARLY IPS/10.21/5

ARE IN NO HURRY FOR THE ADMINISTRATION'S EMBARGO TO END."

BIPARTISAN BLOC IN SENATE FIGHTS TO CUT DEFENSE BUDGET

WASHINGTON, OCT. 21 (IPS) -- A BIPARTISAN GROUP OF SENATORS HAVE CUT NEARLY \$1 BILLION FROM A \$9.2 BILLION DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS BILL ALREADY PASSED BY THE HOUSE, DEFYING CLAIMS BY DEFENSE SECRETARY SCHLESINGER THAT THE ACTION WOULD IMPAIR NATIONAL SECURITY. DEMOCRATIC SENATORS CRANSTON (CAL.), KENNEDY (MASS.), PROXMIRE (WISC.), AND EAGLETON (MO.), TOGETHER WITH REPUBLICAN SENATORS MATHIAS (MD.), SCHWEIKER (PA.), AND HATFIELD (OREG.), HAVE INSISTED ON THE CUT BECAUSE THE HOUSE APPROPRIATION EXCEEDS CONGRESSIONAL BUDGETARY LIMITS.

THE SENATORS ARE GENERALLY ON RECORD AS OPPONENTS OF SCHLESINGER'S NUCLEAR COUNTER-FORCE POLICIES. THE APPROPRIATIONS BILL WILL BE CONSIDERED THIS WEEK BY THE SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE, WHOSE CHAIRMAN, JAMES MCCLELLAN (D-ARK.), HAS VOWED TO RESTORE THE CUT.

PARENTS DEMAND END TO FORCED ADDICTION OF CHILDREN TO AMPHETAMINES

OCT. 21 (IPS) -- THE PARENTS OF 17 CHILDREN IN TAFT, CALIFORNIA HAVE FILED A SUIT AGAINST THE LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT, CHARGING THAT THEIR CHILDREN ARE BEING FORCED TO TAKE THE DRUG RITALIN IN ORDER TO ATTEND SCHOOL. ACCORDING TO AN OP-ED PIECE BY PETER SCHRAG IN THE OCT. 19 NEW YORK TIMES, THIS IS THE FIRST SUCH SUIT AGAINST WHAT HAS BECOME A WIDESPREAD PRACTICE AFFECTING BETWEEN 500,000 AND ONE MILLION CHILDREN.

THE SUIT STATES THAT THE SIDE EFFECTS OF TAKING RITALIN AND OTHER AMPHETAMINES INCLUDE PSYCHOTIC EPISODES, HALLUCINATIONS, WEIGHT LOSS, HEADACHES, NOSERBLEEDING, STOMACH ACHES, INSOMNIA, NIGHTMARES, CRYING JAGS, AND SOMETIMES A PERMANENT STUNTING OF GROWTH.

AS WITH THE DRUG PROGRAMS FORCED UPON INDUSTRIAL WORKERS, THE YOUTHFUL VICTIMS OF RITALIN ARE TOLD THAT THE DRUG WILL SOLVE A PROBLEM: THEIR INABILITY TO LEARN. HYPERACTIVITY, "MINIMAL BRAIN DYSFUNCTION," OR OTHER VAGUE "SYNDROMES" ARE CITED AS THE CAUSE OF THE LEARNING DISABILITY, CAUSING DESPERATE PARENTS AND TEACHERS TO AGREE TO A PROGRAM OF DRUGGING TO MAKE THE VICTIM DOCILE.

END OF EARLY IPS FOR OCT. 21.