LATE EVENING NEWS
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1. INTERNATIONAL PRESS

BREZHNEV WARNS OF DANGER OF "HOT" WAR

NOV. 27 (IPS)—IN A SPEECH ON NOV. 25 WHICH HAS BEEN ALMOST UNIVERSALLY BLACKED OUT IN THE WESTERN BOURGEOIS PRESS, LEONID BREZHNEV, GENERAL SECRETARY OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF THE SOVIET UNION, WARNED THAT THERE IS GROWING OPPOSITION TO DETENTE "COMING FROM THE MOST AGGRESSIVE IMPERIALIST CIRCLES, GUIDED BY CLASS HATRED, AND THEIR HENCHMEN, THE RENEGADES WHO HAVE BETRAYED THE "SOCIALIST CAUSE."

THOSE PROONENTS OF A "TOUGH LINE," SAID BREZHNEV, "OBVIOUSLY LIVE IN A WORLD OF ILLUSIONS, DIVORCED FROM REALITY. THEY ARE TRYING TO PUSH THEIR COUNTRIES ONTO A DANGEROUS ROAD. WHAT CAN THEY OFFER THEIR NATIONS INSTEAD OF PEACE AND DEVELOPING COOPERATION BETWEEN COUNTRIES OF DIFFERING SOCIAL SYSTEMS? ONLY ONE THING: A RETURN TO THE COLD WAR, OR AN EVEN RISKIER BALANCING ACT ON THE BRINK OF A HOT WAR. THERE CAN BE NO 'THIRD WAY,' AND EVERYBODY SHOULD REALIZE THIS WELL."

BREZHNEV'S SPEECH, GIVEN AT A RECEPTION FOR VISITING CZECHOSLOVAK PARTY LEADER GUSTAV HUSAK, WAS REPORTED IN YESTERDAY'S PRAVDA.

HASSAN HEATS UP MOROCCO-ALGERIA TENSIONS

NOV. 27 (IPS)—RADIO ALGIERS HAS WARNED THAT "THE KING OF MOROCCO HAS MADE STATEMENTS WHICH ARE EXTREMELY HEAVY IN THEIR CONSEQUENCES AND WHICH MARK A NEW ESCALATION IN THE ANTI-ALGERIAN OFFENSIVE ENGAGED AT THE WEST OF OUR BORDERS," ACCORDING TO TODAY'S L'HUMANITE, NEWSPAPER OF THE FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY.

ACCORDING TO YESTERDAY'S BALTIMORE SUN, HASSAN WARNED THAT HE "WOULDN'T BE SURPRISED IF BOUMEDIENNE (THE PRESIDENT OF ALGERIA) MADE WAR ON ME," FOLLOWING RECENT HEAVY CLASHES IN THE SPANISH SAHARA BETWEEN MOROCCAN TROOPS AND THE ALGERIAN-BACKED PALISARIO, A LIBERATION MOVEMENT.

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THE ALGERIAN RADIO CHARGED THAT "THIS IS THE FIRST TIME THAT THE TERM (I.E. WAR) IS USED AND IT IS ALL THE MORE SERIOUS THAT IT COMES OUT OF THE MOUTH OF A HEAD OF STATE," AND TERMED THE SPEECH A CLASSIC WAR PROVOCATION.

THE STATEMENT CONCLUDED: "THE REAL THREAT IS IN THE USE OF THIS REGIME AS A PAWN AGAINST THE ALGERIAN REVOLUTION BY AN IMPERIALISM WHICH IS BOtherED BY OUR POLICIES IN MANY THEATERS OF THE WORLD."

FRENCH COMMUNISTS BLAST GOV'T COMPLICITY IN ANGOLA WAR, AND NATO PROVOCATIONS

NOV. 27 (IPS)—FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY (PCF) DEPUTY LOUIS ODRU YESTERDAY BLASTED THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT'S COMPLICITY IN THE NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL-LED ATTACKS ON THE PRO-SOVIET POPULAR MOVEMENT (MPLA) GOVERNMENT IN ANGOLA, IN A SPEECH BEFORE THE NATIONAL ASSEMBLY.

IN A STATEMENT ADDRESSED TO PRIME MINISTER CHIRAC, ODRU CHARGED THAT FRENCH MERCENARIES, FRENCH-MADE PANHARD TANKS, ALOUETTE HELICOPTERS AND MIRAGE JETS ARE BEING SENT TO ZAIRE AND THAT ZAIREAN PILOTS ARE BEING TRAINED IN FRANCE TO INVADE ANGOLA. ODRU ALSO DENOUNCED THE GOVERNMENT-CONTROLLED TELEVISION STATIONS FOR PRESENTING A "DELIBERATELY LYING PICTURE" OF THE SITUATION.

IN THE SENATE YESTERDAY, PCF MEMBER RAYMOND GUYOT EXPOSED THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY OF "CONTINUOUSLY STRENGTHENING FRANCE'S LINKS TO NATO" AS A POLICY ESTABLISHED AT THE RECENT RAMBOUILLET ECONOMIC SUMMIT HELD BY WESTERN HEADS OF STATE. "IT IS IN THE PUBLIC RECORD THAT WEST GERMAN LEADERS HAVE EVEN PRESSURED THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT FOR PLUTON (NUCLEAR) MISSILES TO BE BASED ON THE EDGE OF THE ELBE RIVER AND THE CZECHOSLOVAK BORDER," HE SAID.

TODAY'S PCF DAILY L'HUMANITE, WHICH REPORTS BOTH SPEECHES, ADDS THAT GUYOT'S INTERVENTION ELICITED MUCH COMMOTION IN THE SENATE.

PORTUGUESE RIGHT-WING MILITARY ASKS PCP TO COOPERATE

NOV. 27 (IPS)—FOLLOWING THE STAGED "LEFT-WING MILITARY UPRISING" IN PORTUGAL AND THE SUBSEQUENT IMPOSITION OF A STATE OF SIEGE IN THE LISBON AREA, RIGHT-WING REVOLUTIONARY COUNCIL MEMBER, MAJOR ANTUNES CALLED FOR COMMUNIST COOPERATION IN A TV INTERVIEW YESTERDAY. CLAIMING THAT THE PARTICIPATION OF THE PORTUGUESE COMMUNIST PARTY (PCP) IS "INDISPENSIBLE" FOR SOLVING THE POLITICAL CRISIS, ANTUNES WENT ON TO CALL ON ALL THE POLITICAL PARTIES TO WORK OUT A "PLATFORM OF POLITICAL ACTION" THAT WOULD SERVE AS THE BASIS FOR AN ALLIANCE WITH THE MILITARY "ON THE ROAD TO SOCIALISM."

THE INTERVIEW WAS REPORTED BY EAST GERMAN RADIO.

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CIA SET-UP IN PORTUGAL EXPOSED:
GOMES IMPOSES STATE OF EMERGENCY IN LISBON REGION

NOV. 27 (IPS)—THE SEIZURE OF FOUR PORTUGUESE AIRBASES BY
PARATROOPERS TWO DAYS AGO, AND THE SUBSEQUENT RIGHT-WING PRO-
GOVERNMENT RETALIATION WAS A STAGED OPERATION, L'HUMANITE, THE NEWS-
PAPER OF THE FRENCH COMMUNIST PARTY CHARGED TODAY.

"OFFICIALLY IT IS AFFIRMED THAT THE PARACHUTISTS FROM TANCOS
WERE MANIPULATED... THE RIGHT-WING MILITARY AND CIVILIANS CRIED THAT
IT WAS A LEFT-WING INSURRECTION. CURIOUS INSURRECTION — NO LIASON,
NO COORDINATION, NO PLAN OF ACTION," L'HUMANITE SAID.

FURTHERMORE, THE PAPER STATES, "THE STATE OF EMERGENCY DEGREE
WHICH WAS INSTITUTED YESTERDAY (WEDNESDAY, NOV. 25) CARRIES THE
DATE OF NOV. 21." THE STATE OF EMERGENCY DEGREE, ORDERED BY
PRESIDENT COSTA GOMES, INCLUDES "CENSORSHIP OF THE PRESS AND OF
MAIL, CURFEW FROM MIDNIGHT TO 5 A.M., CLOSING OF BANKS, SUSPENSION
OF HABEAS CORPUS AND THE INVIOABILITY OF PRIVATE HOMES, AND
PROHIBITION OF PUBLIC MEETINGS," ACCORDING TO TODAY'S WASHINGTON
POST.

SOVIETS OPEN UP COOPERATION WITH JAPAN

NOV. 27 (IPS)—FOLLOWING THE CALL FOR EXPANDED WORLD TRADE AND
DEVELOPMENT BY JAPAN'S PREMIER MIKI, THE SOVIET UNION HAS STEPPED
UP ITS INITIATIVES FOR COOPERATION WITH JAPAN.

THE SOVIET NEWSPAPER PRAVDA ANNOUNCED YESTERDAY THAT A DELE-
GATION FROM THE SUPREME SOVIET IS VISITING JAPAN AND MEETING WITH
MIKI. PRAVDA ALSO PUBLISHED AN ARTICLE ON THE JOINT SOVIET-JAPANESE
DEVELOPMENT OF THE SOUTH YAKUTSK COAL BASIN IN SIBERIA.

"THE LONG TERM CHARACTER OF THE AGREEMENT," THE ARTICLE STATED,
"WHICH IS THE FIRST LARGE-SCALE PROJECT IN JAPANESE-SOVIET COOPERA-
TION FOR DEVELOPING THE NATURAL RESOURCES OF SIBERIA AND THE FAR
EAST, ALLOWS FOR A SIGNIFICANT EXPANSION OF TRADE BETWEEN THE TWO
COUNTRIES. BECAUSE OF THE PROTRACTED RECESSION WHICH THE
JAPANESE ECONOMY IS UNDERGOING AT THE PRESENT TIME, THIS IS OF
SPECIAL SIGNIFICANCE."

SOVIETS TO U.S.: TRADE, BUT NO "POLITICAL CONCESSIONS"

NOV. 27 (IPS)—PRAVDA YESTERDAY REPORTED THAT GROWING INTEREST BY
U.S. FIRMS IN EAST-WEST TRADE WAS EXPRESSED AT A RECENT SYMPOSIUM
ON EAST-WEST TECHNOLOGICAL EXCHANGE ORGANIZED BY THE STATE
DEPARTMENT AND THE U.S. FOREIGN TRADE MINISTRY.

(MORE)
DEPUTY SECRETARY OF STATE ROBERT INGERSOLL, SAID PRAVDA, DESCRIBED THE CURRENT LEVEL OF U.S. TRADE WITH THE SOCIALIST COUNTRIES AS "VERY MODEST, WITH MANY UNUSED POSSIBILITIES." INGERSOLL CRITICIZED THE CONGRESS FOR USING THE ISSUE OF TRADE RESTRICTIONS AS A WAY TO INTERFERE IN THE DOMESTIC AFFAIRS OF THE USSR. "THESE ATTEMPTS," HE SAID, "HAD NO CHANCE WHATSOEVER OF SUCCEEDING. THEY ONLY UNDERMINED THE GROWTH OF SOVIET-AMERICAN TRADE."


TETHER ATTACKS BRITAIN'S ROLE IN DOLLAR EMPIRE

NOV. 27 (IPS)—COLUMNIST GORDON TETHER OF THE LONDON FINANCIAL TIMES CHARGES THAT, "THANKS TO THE OFFICIAL OBSESSION WITH REHABILITATING LONDON'S INTERNATIONAL BANKER FUNCTIONS IN THE INITIAL POST-WAR PERIOD, THE UNITED KINGDOM FOUND ITSELF SADDLED WITH SHORT-TERM INDEBTEDNESS OF AN ORDER THAT DEPRIVED IT FROM THE START OF ANY HOPE OF CREATING AN ADEQUATE BASE...FOR ECONOMIC TAKEOFF."

TO TETHER'S FINANCIAL AUDIENCE, BRITAIN’S INTERNATIONAL BANKING FUNCTION CLEARLY REFERS TO ITS JUNIOR PARTNERSHIP IN THE DOLLAR EMPIRE.

TETHER ASKS WHY THE LABOUR GOVERNMENT IS NOT NOW RECONSIDERING THIS ROLE, "SEEING THAT IT HAS THE GREATEST RELEVANCE TO ANY NEW ATTEMPT TO PUT THE COUNTRY ON A GROWTH FOOTING."

RACIST POWELL PROTECTS LABOUR GOVERNMENT

NOV. 27 (IPS)—THE RIGHT-WING RACIST ENOCH POWELL PROTECTED THE LABOUR PARTY GOVERNMENT FROM A MAJOR DEFEAT DURING THE PARLIAMENTARY VOTING ON NOV. 25, BRITISH NEWSPAPERS REPORT.

THE CONSERVATIVE AND NATIONALIST PARTIES WOULD HAVE COME CLOSE TO VOTING NO CONFIDENCE IN THE LABOUR GOVERNMENT'S ECONOMIC AUSTERITY PROGRAM, BUT FOR POWELL'S ORDER TO HIS 11 ULSTER UNIONIST DELEGATES TO ABSTAIN FROM THE VOICE.

LABOUR HAS A MAJORITY OF ONE IN PARLIAMENT WHEN ALL THE OPPONENTS VOTE TOGETHER.

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II. ORGANIZING AND INTELLIGENCE

MANSON ADMITS HE AUTHORED THREATENING LETTER TO USLP

SAN FRANCISCO, NOV. 27 (IPS)—CONVICTED MURDERER CHARLES MANSON ADMITTED THAT HE WROTE THE ASSASSINATION LETTER RECEIVED BY THE U.S. LABOR PARTY OFFICE HERE NOV. 8, ACCORDING TO CORRECTIONS OFFICER BOB BRIGGS OF THE SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS.

BRIGGS CALLED THE LABOR PARTY OFFICE YESTERDAY AND REPORTED THAT HE WENT TO MANSON TO ASK IF HE AUTHORED THE LETTER. MANSON ACKNOWLEDGED THAT HE WROTE IT AND THEN SENT IT TO HIS FOLLOWERS IN SACRAMENTO TO BE FORWARD TO LABOR PARTY.

BRIGGS ASSERTED THAT THERE WAS "NO BASIS FOR PROSECUTION" OF MANSON SINCE THE THREATS IN THE LETTER WERE "VAGUE". THE LETTER CONTAINED NO INFORMATION AS TO WHO WAS THREATENED OR WHEN AND WHERE THE DEATH THREATS WOULD BE CARRIED OUT, BRIGGS SAID.

LABOR PARTY PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE LYNDON LAROUCHE, JR. CANCELLED HIS SCHEDULED CAMPAIGN TOUR TO SAN FRANCISCO NOV. 19, BECAUSE FEDERAL AND LOCAL OFFICIALS REFUSED TO INVESTIGATE THE MANSON THREATS OR PROVIDE ADEQUATE PROTECTION.

RED HORNETS ARE PROTECTED UNDER WING OF FEDERAL JUDGE

CHARLOTTE, N.C., NOV. 27 (IPS)—A SOURCE IN THE POLICE DEPARTMENT HERE TOLD U.S. LABOR PARTY REPRESENTATIVES THAT THE RED HORNET DRUG CULT HAS BEEN PROTECTED FROM INVESTIGATION AND PROSECUTION BY FEDERAL DISTRICT COURT JUDGE MCMILLAN. THE SOURCE SAID THAT HE WANTED TO ARREST THE POthead HORNETS "FOR YEARS" BUT HE WAS NOT ABLE TO. "JUDGE MCMILLAN PROTECTS THEM," THE SOURCE SAID.

THE RED HORNET GROUP, INITIALLY CREATED BY THE FBI AND USED TO HARASS PRESIDENT NIXON'S 1972 CAMPAIGN, REGISTERED IMPOSTER MARK ENGLANDER AS A MAYORAL CANDIDATE HERE ON THE U.S. LABOR PARTY TICKET IN THE OCTOBER PRIMARY ELECTION. THE LABOR PARTY COURT CASE AGAINST ENGLANDER, WHO ADMITTED THAT HE ENTERED THE RACE SIMPLY TO DISRUPT THE LABOR PARTY CAMPAIGN, IS BEING HEARD BY JUDGE MCMILLAN.

MURDER ATTEMPT AGAINST SAN FRANCISCO ORGANIZER

SAN FRANCISCO, NOV. 27 (IPS)—LAST NIGHT NATIONAL CAUCUS OF LABOR COMMITTEES ORGANIZER DAVID BARNES NARROWLY AVOIDED BEING RUN DOWN BY A MOTORIST IN SAN FRANCISCO. BARNES JUMPED OUT OF THE WAY OF THE CAR AND WAS NOT HURT. AFTER THE HIT-AND-RUN ATTEMPT, THE DRIVER OF THE CAR LOOKED BACK FOR A FEW SECONDS, SHOT AN ANGRY GLANCE AT BARNES AND THEN SPED OFF.
THE DRIVER WAS IDENTIFIED AS A "WHITE MALE, MID-TO-LATE-Twenties, Shaggy blond hair with neatly trimmed beard and mustache." THE LICENSE NUMBER OF THE CAR, WHICH HAD CALIFORNIA PLATES, HAS BEEN TURNED OVER TO THE SAN FRANCISCO POLICE DEPARTMENT.