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I. INTERNATIONAL

BRITAIN, JAPAN IN AEROSPACE TALKS

NOV. 20 (IPS)—THE ARRIVAL IN LONDON OF JAPANESE GOVERNMENT AND AEROSPACE INDUSTRY OFFICIALS "HAS STARTED SPECULATION AMONG LEADING EUROPEAN AIR FIRMS AS TO BRITAIN'S INTENTIONS," SAYS THE LONDON DAILY TELEGRAPH OF NOV. 17.

"AS THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT IS BEHIND THE VISIT," THE TELEGRAPH REPORTS, "EUROPE'S AIR INDUSTRY WANTS TO KNOW IF THIS MEANS A SWITCH IN POLICY FROM EUROPEAN COLLABORATION TO NEW PARTNERS IN THE FAR EAST."

EUROPE'S POST-WAR AIRCRAFT INDUSTRY HAS BEEN CLOSELY DEPENDENT ON COOPERATION WITH THE ECONOMIC NEEDS AND POLITICAL POLICIES OF THE UNITED STATES.

THE TELEGRAPH ALSO REPORTS THAT THE JAPANESE ARE "DISENCHANTED" WITH AMERICAN COOPERATION.

BRITISH TRADE MINISTER SIGNS DEAL WITH CUBANS

NOV. 20 (IPS)—BRITISH TRADE MINISTER PETER SHORE, RETURNING FROM A VISIT WHICH INCLUDED MEETINGS IN CUBA AND MEXICO, TOLD THE PRESS THAT CUBA'S NEW FIVE-YEAR-PLAN SHOULD "PROVIDE A MAJOR SALES OPPORTUNITY FOR BRITAIN'S MACHINERY EXPORTERS," ACCORDING TO YESTERDAY'S LONDON FINANCIAL TIMES. SHORE, WHO ATTENDED THE FIRST MEETING IN HAVANA OF THE ANGLO-CUBAN JOINT COMMISSION TO DEVELOP ECONOMIC AND INDUSTRIAL COOPERATION, REPORTED THAT BRITISH TRADE WITH CUBA WAS LIKELY TO BE 25 PER CENT HIGHER THIS YEAR.

DAYAN ALLY IN ISRAEL CALLS FOR FASCIST NATIONAL PLANNING BODY

NOV. 20 (IPS)—ISRAELI TRANSPORT MINISTER GAD YA'ACOBI, A LONG-STANDING ALLY OF GEN. MOSHE DAYAN, CALLED LAST WEEK FOR THE "ESTABLISHMENT OF A NATIONAL ECONOMIC COUNCIL WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENT, THE HISTADRUT (CORPORATIVIST ISRAELI TRADE UNION CONFEDERATION) AND EMPLOYERS" THAT WOULD "DRAW UP AN OVER-ALL ECONOMIC PLAN FOR THE NEXT THREE YEARS," ACCORDING TO THE NOV. 16 JERUSALEM POST.

EMPHASIZING THAT THE GOVERNMENT WOULD BE BOUND BY THIS PLAN IN MAKING NEW BUDGET ALLOTMENTS, YA'ACOBI INSISTED THAT BOTH THE GOVERNMENT AND THE PUBLIC "CURTAIL CONSUMPTION IN ORDER TO FIGHT THE GROWING BALANCE OF PAYMENTS DEFICIT."

KING HASSAN EXPOSED AS DOPE PUSHER

NOV. 20 (IPS)--"THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO HAS ENROLLED THE SERVICES OF THE MAFIA TO ENSURE WORLDWIDE MARKETS FOR ITS LARGE-SCALE PRODUCTION OF CANNABIS AND LSD," THE NOV. 18 DAILY EXPRESS OF LONDON REPORTED.

IN AN ARTICLE ENTITLED, "KING OF DRUGS: THE HASHISH TRAIL THAT MAKES A MONARCH RICH," EXPRESS REPORTER COLIN PRATT, JUST RETURNED FROM A PERSONAL INVESTIGATION IN MOROCCO, CHARGED THAT THERE IS "CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE" THAT "MAFIA GANGSTERS...ARE IN NO FEAR OF ARREST--BECAUSE THEY ARE IN EQUAL PARTNERSHIP WITH KING HASSAN HIMSELF...WITH ALL THE KING'S MEN--INCLUDING THE ROYAL MOROCCAN POLICE--BACKING THEIR OPERATIONS, (THE MAFIA) HAS BEEN ABLE TO BOOST PRODUCTION, WITH AN ENTIRE REGION TAKEN OVER AS A CANNABIS-GROWING CENTRE. THE TIE-UP WITH KING HASSAN IS NOW BEYOND DOUBT."

PRATT NOTES THAT IN "DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES, THE FACTS ARE INTENSELY EMBARRASSING" FOR DRUG-RUNNER HASSAN.

WEHNER BUYS LEFT AGENTS' SILENCE AT MANNHEIM SPD CONGRESS

NOV. 20 (IPS)--FINAL RESULTS OF THE NOV. 14 ELECTIONS FOR THE WEST GERMAN SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC PARTY (SPD) EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE AT THE SPD'S RECENTLY CONCLUDED NATIONAL CONGRESS AT MANNHEIM SHOW ONLY SMALL PERSONNEL CHANGES.

THE ENTIRE AGENT-DOMINATED "LEFT" WING OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, INCLUDING MAOIST ORGANIZER PETER VON OERTZEN, ZERO GROWTH HANS MATTHOEFER AND "LEFTIST" IDEOLOGUE JOSHEN STEFFEN, KEPT THEIR SEATS, AS DID WEST GERMAN DEFENSE MINISTER GEORG LEBER, CLOSE ASSOCIATE OF JAMES SCHLESINGER. SPD CHAIRMAN WILLY BRANDT AND CHANCELLOR HELMUT SCHMIDT WERE RE-ELECTED ALMOST UNANIMOUSLY.

SEASONED OBSERVERS OF THE INTERNAL SPD FACTIONAL SITUATION POINT OUT THAT THE MASSIVE PUSH FROM THE "LEFT" WING FOR "CO-PARTICIPATION" AND OTHER CORPORATIVIST "NATIONALIZATION" PROGRAMS NEVER MATERIALIZED AT THE CONGRESS. THIS, ACCORDING TO THESE OBSERVERS, IS AN INDICATION THAT SPD PARLIAMENTARY FRACTION LEADER HERBERT WEHNER HAD PREVIOUSLY AGREED NOT TO MOVE ORGANIZATIONALLY AGAINST THE "LEFT" ON THE CONDITION THAT THEY "MAINTAIN THEIR SILENCE" ON PUSHING THE UNPOPULAR CORPORATIST POLICIES.

WEHNER, WHILE RESIGNING FROM HIS POSITION AS SPD VICE-CHAIRMAN LAST YEAR, AS PARLIAMENTARY FRACTION LEADER CONTINUES TO HOLD THE REINS OF PARTY POWER.

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MEXICAN BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVE CALLS FOR
BRAZIL HOLOCAUST AS MODEL FOR MEXICO

NOV. 20 (IPS)--THE RIGHT-WING EMPRESARIAL COORDINATING COUNCIL (EEC) OF MEXICO HAS ENDORSED THE "BRAZILIAN MODEL" FOR THE MEXICAN ECONOMY. EEC REPRESENTATIVE AND VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE MAJOR EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATION, JORGE ORBANANOS, SPEAKING BEFORE THE IV NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF FINANCE EXECUTIVES IN MONTERREY, SAID THAT "THE ONLY COUNTRY WHICH HAS HAD RATES OF GROWTH ON THE ORDER OF 10 PER CENT HAS BEEN BRAZIL." HE THEN SAID MEXICO'S RECENT GROWTH RATE OF 7 PER CENT WAS CLEARLY INADEQUATE AND URGED SHOOTING FOR BRAZIL'S 10 PER CENT, IN A REPORT CARRIED BY THE MEXICAN DAILY EXCELSIOR ON NOV. 15.

OBSERVERS NOTED THAT THE SO-CALLED BRAZILIAN MODEL HAS TURNED THAT COUNTRY INTO AN ECOLOGICAL AND HUMAN HOLOCAUST. DISEASE RATES HAVE SHOT UP IN RECENT YEARS AND THE AVERAGE WORKER'S SALARY, BY OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT FIGURES, HAS DECLINED 40 PER CENT. THE APPARENT GROWTH HAS BEEN BASED SOLELY ON SPECULATION, OBSERVERS REPORTED.

II. CONTINENTAL

DALEY EDUCATION OVERRIDE FAILS ON FIRST TRY IN THE SENATE

NOV. 20 (IPS)--CHICAGO MAYOR RICHARD DALEY'S INITIAL ATTEMPT TO OVERRIDE ILLINOIS GOVERNOR DAN WALKER'S VETO OF \$81 MILLION IN STATE AID TO EDUCATION IN THE ILLINOIS STATE SENATE FAILED BY A VOTE OF 31-26 WITH TWO ABSTENTIONS YESTERDAY. THE VETO WAS OVERRIDDEN IN THE STATE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THREE WEEKS AGO. DALEY FORCES PLACED THE VOTE ON "POSTPONED CONSIDERATION" AND ARE NOW ENGAGED IN AN INTENSE LOBBYING EFFORT TO GATHER THE 30 VOTES NEEDED TO FORCE ANOTHER VOTE BY THE END OF THE WEEK.

YESTERDAY'S CHICAGO SUN-TIMES, CREDITING THE REGIONAL OFFICE OF THE UNITED AUTO WORKERS WITH THE SUCCESS OF THE OVERRIDE IN THE HOUSE, NOTES THAT THE UAW IS CONTINUING TO PLACE INTENSE PRESSURE ON ALL STATE SENATORS BY MAKING ITS 1976 ELECTION ENDORSEMENTS NEXT MONTH CONTINGENT ON SUPPORT FOR THE ADDITIONAL EDUCATION AID. UAW REGIONAL DIRECTOR ROBERT JOHNSTON TOLD PRESS THAT "THIS IS THE MOST IMPORTANT VOTE OF THE DECADE" AND THE REPUBLICAN CAUCUS DECISION TO BACK WALKER "CAN BE BROKEN." IN A DIRECT ATTACK ON WALKER, JOHNSTON HAS ISSUED A STATEMENT WELCOMING A BID BY DALEY SUPPORTER WILLIAM HOWLETT, NOW SECRETARY OF STATE, TO RUN AGAINST WALKER IN THE DEMOCRATIC GUBERNATORIAL PRIMARY IN MARCH.

TIP O'NEIL PREDICTS KISSINGER OUT SOON

NOV. 20 (IPS)--CONGRESSMAN THOMAS "TIP" O'NEIL (D-MASS), THE HOUSE DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY LEADER, PREDICTED THAT "SECRETARY OF

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STATE KISSINGER'S DEMISE NOW SEEMS INEVITABLE," ACCORDING TO THE NOV. 18 BOSTON GLOBE. SPEAKING BEFORE A JEWISH AUDIENCE NOV. 17, O'NEIL EMPHASIZED THAT CONGRESS HAS A "RELATION OF MISTRUST" WITH KISSINGER.

NEXT MONTH, THE HOUSE WILL VOTE ON RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE HOUSE SELECT COMMITTEE ON INTELLIGENCE THAT KISSINGER BE HELD IN CONTEMPT OF CONGRESS FOR REFUSING TO COOPERATE WITH THE COMMITTEE'S INVESTIGATIONS OF NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCIL OPERATIONS RUN UNDER HIS DIRECTION.

YESTERDAY'S CHICAGO TRIBUNE QUOTES WHITE HOUSE SOURCES WHO MAINTAIN THAT "IF A VOTE (ON KISSINGER) WERE TAKEN TODAY, HE WOULD LOSE."

III. ORGANIZING AND INTELLIGENCE

LAROCHE COMPLETES SUCCESSFUL NORTHWEST TOUR

SEATTLE, NOV. 20 (IPS)--LYNDON H. LAROCHE, JR., U.S. LABOR PARTY PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE, GAVE A FORUM AT REED COLLEGE, PORTLAND, NOV. 18, ON THE INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT BANK (IDB) TO AN AUDIENCE OF MORE THAN 70 STUDENTS AND WORKERS. LAROCHE EMPHASIZED THAT THE IDB PROGRAM FOR WORLD RECONSTRUCTION MUST BE IMPLEMENTED WITHIN 90 DAYS OR THE ALTERNATIVE WOULD BE UNCONTROLLED HOLOCAUST THROUGH DISEASE AND STARVATION. THE MAJOR PRESS IN PORTLAND, INCLUDING THE OREGON JOURNAL AND ABC AND CBS AFFILIATES, CONDUCTED LENGTHY INTERVIEWS WITH THE CANDIDATE.

THE PREVIOUS DAY, LAROCHE ADDRESSED A SEATTLE CAMPAIGN RALLY ATTENDED BY 75 ORGANIZERS, INCLUDING OLDER WORKERS FROM BUILDING TRADES, TEAMSTERS, BOILERMAKERS ENGINEERS, FISHERMEN AND FORMER COMMUNIST PARTY MILITANTS. ALSO PRESENT WERE YOUNGER WORKERS FROM POSTAL, BUILDING TRADES, AFSCME AND BREWERY WORKERS.

LARRY MEYERS, NATIONAL LABOR ORGANIZERS DEFENSE FUND ADVISORY BOARD MEMBER, HOSTED A STATEWIDE RECEPTION FOR LAROCHE. FOLLOWING AN INTERNATIONAL BRIEFING BY LAROCHE AND AN OVERVIEW OF LABOR PARTY GROWTH IN THE SEATTLE AREA BY SEATTLE LABOR PARTY LEADER WILL WERTZ, DISCUSSION AT THE MEETING CENTERED ON THE STATE OF THE NATIONAL LEGAL DEFENSE WORK OF THE NCLC AND THE ORGANIZING PROCESS IN DETROIT AND THE MIDWEST. THREE ATTORNEYS, SEVERAL UNION OFFICIALS, PROFESSORS AND JOURNALISTS ATTENDED THE MEETING.

SPINOLA ROUTED IN CONNECTICUT

HARTFORD, CONN., NOV. 20 (IPS)--THE EXILED PORTUGUESE FASCIST GENERAL, ANTONIO DE SPINOLA, WAS ROUTED NOV. 18 AT THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT IN STORRS NORTH OF HERE BY THE COMBINED FORCES OF THE U.S. LABOR PARTY, THE PORTUGUESE COMMUNIST PARTY (PCP) AND A PCP-ALLIED PARTY, THE MDP, AS HE BAGAN A U.S. TOUR INTENDED TO DRUM UP SUPPOT FOR A NATO BLOODBATH IN PORTUGAL.

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SPINOLA'S APPEARANCE ON THE CAMPUS BEGAN WITH A PRESS CONFERENCE IN WHICH THE GENERAL, IN RESPONSE TO A QUESTION FROM IPS, DENIED THAT HE HAD FOUGHT AGAINST THE SOVIET UNION WITH HITLER'S ARMIES AT LENINGRAD. "IT WAS AT STALINGRAD," SPINOLA REPLIED.

A SECOND QUESTION ELICITED SPINOLA'S TACIT ADMISSION THAT HE WAS COMPLICIT IN THE ASSEMBLING OF A FASCIST INVASION FORCE ALONG THE PORTUGAL-SPAIN BORDER.

SPINOLA THEN ARRIVED AT A CAMPUS MEETING ATTENDED BY 200-300 PERSONS. THE HARTFORD CELL OF THE PCP AND THE PROVIDENCE, R.I. MDP ORGANIZATION GREETED SPINOLA AND HIS SIDEKICK, CAPT. RAMOS, WITH A LEAFLET ENTITLED "WHO ARE THESE MEN?" WHICH EXPOSED THEIR PARTICIPATION IN THE STATE DEPARTMENT-ORDERED COUP ATTEMPT OF MARCH 11, 1975. BEFORE RAMOS EVEN REACHED THE FRONT OF THE STAGE, A LABOR PARTY SPOKESMAN DENOUNCED RAMOS AS A CIA COUP ORGANIZER NOW ACTIVE IN THE U.S. COLLECTING MONEY TO FINANCE GUN-RUNNING TO FASCISTS IN PORTUGAL.

AS THE UNIVERSITY AUDIENCE APPLAUDED, RAMOS BEGAN REPEATEDLY DROPPING HIS BRIEFCASE, PICKING IT UP, AND DROPPING IT AGAIN. "YOU...YOU HAVE US ALL WRONG," HE STAMMERED. "WE ARE NOT THE PEOPLE YOU THINK WE ARE. WHY WE WORK WITH SOME COMMUNISTS--WE LIKE SOME COMMUNISTS--LIKE AMENDOLA AND BERLINGUER....WE WOULD EVEN ASK YOU TO COME ON THE TOUR WITH US, BUT IT'S ALREADY ARRANGED."

AS PROOF, RAMOS DISPLAYED SPINOLA'S ITINERARY. AT THE TOP OF THE LIST WAS A MEETING WITH DAVID ROCKEFELLER YESTERDAY AND AN APPEARANCE AT DAVID ROCKEFELLER'S COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS. WHILE RAMOS WAS DEFENDING SPINOLA, THE MONOCLED NAZI GENERAL HIMSELF GOT UP AND WALKED OUT. HE DID NOT RETURN.

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