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MESSAGET UNK542 VZCZCWHM112 DO MEXICO DE WTE #1286 0851017 ZNR UUUUU 0 261015Z MAR 73 FM THE SITUATION ROOM TOHAK112 TO JON HOWE FOR DR. KISSINGER ZEM UNCLAS WH30874 TOHAK 112 WEEKEND NEWS REVIEW MARCH 26, 1973 PAPERS AND NETS DOMÍNATED BY 3 STORIES? CONTINUING IMPASSE OVER POW RELEASE; FOODPRICES AND EM CALLS FOR TOUGHENED CONTROLS; AND THE MCCORD LETTER (BANNERED IN ALL SAT PAPERS WITTO LIFT LIDAT "MAY TALK!" "BLOWS WHISTLE", AMONG HEADS! AND HIS SUBSQUENT MEETING W/ERVIN COUNSEL DASH AT WHICH LA TIMES SAYS HE NAMED DEAN AND MAGRUDER AS "INVOLVED IN PREPARATIONS FOR THE BUGGING." WH HAS DENIED. BOTH NETS LED SAT W/ STILL UNRESOLVED POW DISPUTE AND SUN, MBC LED WOVER 4 MINUTES, FEATURING VALERIANI, ON RNIS FLAT STATE-MENT THAT NO MORE GIS ARE LEAVING SVN TIL ALL POWS -- INCLUDING 9 HELD IN LAUS -- ARE RELEASED. NVN SAYS THE 107 IT HOLDS CAN COME HOME TUES AND WED BUT NOT TIL ALL GIS, INCLUDING 159 MARINES AT SAIGON EMBASSY ARE REMOVED == A NEW CONDITION AND REFUSED BY US. "A STACEMATE," SAID NBC ACTHO VALERIANT DOUBTS IT'S ALL THAT SERIOUS AND SAID RELEASES COULD COME JUES/WED --DEADLINE IN ACCORD -- AND ADMIN IS CONFIDENT SITUATION WILL WORK DUT, AS TO NYN ASSERTION THAT IT DOESN'T CONTROL POWS HELD BY PATHET LAD -- ALTHO HANDI PROMISED ON SUN. THEY'D BE RELEASED WOUT GIVING A DATE -- VALERIANI NOTED THE 9 HAVE BEEN IN NVN... WIRES NOTE POW FAMILILES ARE BACKING RN'S STANCE ... IN ONE OF LAST REPATRIATIONS OF POWS HELD BY SVNJ 210 REFUSED TO GO NORTH --THE BIGGEST MAS DEFECTION SINCE C-F. NBC SAID THERE VE STILL UNLY 235 DEFECTORS OUT OF 27,000 --+ LESS THAN I PERCENT....

SVN REPORTS LOWEST NUMBER OF VIOLATIONS SINCE COF BEGAN JAN. 28... CANADA IS EXPECTED TO STAY W/ICCS ANOTHER 30-60 DAYS AT LEAST. 5 MORE DIE IN N. IRELAND, INCLUDING 4 BRITISH SOLDIERS LURED TO "COLD, CALCULATED MURDER" BY GIRLS...PARTICULARLY GLOOMY NBC FILM ON INCREASING VIOLENCE AND DIVISION -- ROUGHEST ON POOR

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STUCK IN BELFÄST GHETTO BUT EVEN RICH IN SUBURBS ÄRE HAVING TROUBLE AVOIDING VIOLENCE. INDOCHINA POWS VALERIANI SAID THO WH SAYS THERE WERE NO SECRET UNDER-STANDINGS IN PARIS IT INSISTS NVN GAVE PRIVATE ASSURANCES THAT LADS POWS WOULD BE FREED AND RN IS NOW TRYING TO MAKE THE 9 A FORMAL PART OF ACCORD. (RATHER SAID NOTHING ABOUT US STAND ON UNDERSTANDING; HE ONLY SAID POWS IN LAOS WEREN'T MENTIONED IN AGREEMENT.) IT'S HOPED HIS EMPHATIC AND PERSONAL STATEMENT WILL BREAK THE DEADLOCK. WH FELT IT WAS BEING "DOUBLE-CROSSED" AGAIN -- THUS RN ACTED. AS FOR WHAT'S IN IT FOR NYN, VALERIANI SAID HE COULDN'T QUOTE WHAT A SENIOR ADMIN OFFICIAL SAID AS IT'S NOT FIT FOR FAMILY SHOWS, BUT IN EFFECT, NVN WAS SAID TO BE ITS USUAL TROUBLE-MAKING SELF AGAIN. .. NBC'S UTLEY RECALLED HOW OFTEN IN PAST THE VN NEGOTIATIONS HAVE APPEARED HOPELESSLY DEADLOCKED, BUT PROBLEMS WERE ALWAYS SOLVED AND THEY WILL BE AGAIN, THO PERHAPS NOT BY WED. IT'S ANOTHER TEST OF STRENGTH AND ENDURANCE BY THE 2 SIDES. END PAGE ONE SAT, NVA GEN HUA OF JMC SAID ON NBC FILM HE KNOWS NOTHING OF UNDERSTANDING ON POWS TAKEN BY PATHET LAD AND US IS RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL DELAYS... SCHIEFFER OF CBS SAID SAT THAT THERE WAS NO EVIDENCE OF ANY SIGN OR HINT OF APPROACHING AGREEMENT. UPI LEADS: "WHILE HOMETOWN CROWD CHEERED RETURN OF LONGEST-HELD POW IN NVN, RELATIVES OF 2 STILL HELD SAID THEY SUPPORT RN DECISION NOT TO W/DRAW MORE GIS TIL POWS ARE FREED. ... MRS. PURCELL SAID? "I DEFINITELY WANT HIM HOME, BUT WE'LL JUST HAVE TO TRUST IN THE C-I-C. I'VE PUT TRUST IN THE PRES. IN THE PAST. SO WE'LL JUST HAVE TO SEE WHAT HAPPENS. "... EVERETT'S UNCLE SAID! "I GUESS RN IS PROBABLY RIGHT. ITILL PROBABLY DELAY THEM SOME, BUT I SUPPOSE ITIS THE BEST WAY TO DEAL WITHAT CROWD, THE NVN CROWD IS HARD TO COPE WITH." RETURNEE CROWSON SAYS CAPTORS WERE GENERALLY HUMANE AND USUALLY PUNISHED HIM ONLY FOR "SMARTING OFF." WHEN IST CAPTURED. "I THOUGHT THEY WERE GOING TO KILL ME." TALLEY AGREES THAT STEPPED-UP BOMBING PROBABLY GOT THEM HOME SOUNER. "IT GOT SOMEBODY'S ATTENTION, IT GOT ME HOME."... AND DRAMESI ADDS, ALTHO BOMBING WAS CLOSE--"AND THE CEILING WAS FALLING IN, MOST OF US WERE CHEERING." EX-POW MEHL SAYS THEY KENENW ABOUT THE DEC RAIDS WHICH WERE "INSTRUMENTAL IN BRINGING US HOME," HE AND MECLEARY OPPOSE BLANKET AMNESTY AND WERE PLEASED W/ SETTLEMENT. MEHL SAID! "WE REACHED DUR GOALS. WE GAVE SVN A CHANCE TO DEFEND ITSELF." AND MECLEARY SAID POW EXPERIENCE CAUSED HIM TO DECIDE HE'D STÂY

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W/ NAVY -- HE DISCOVERED WHERE HIS VACUES LAY.

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END PAGE TWO OTHER INDOCHINA NVN'S GEN TRA PREDICTED PEACE AND NATIONAL RECONCILIATION BECAUSE "NO FORCE CAN REVERSE THE WILL OF HISTORY." BUT HE SAID "WHAT JMC HAS ACCOMPLISHED DOESN'T MEET W/ OUR WISHES".... HE SAID US CHARGES OF NVA VIOLATIONS WERE "PURELY FABRICATIONS" VC SATHEY HT SAMS IN KHE SANH BEFORE THE TRUCE. IT ALSO ACCUSED US OF TRYING TO COVER UP "ILLEGAL" ARMS SHIPMENTS TO DA NANG BY BRINGING UP THE ISSUE. HANDI SAYS ITILE BEGIN PULLING OUT ITS 825-MAN JMC DECEGATION MONDAY AND WILL COMPLETE TASK WED., WHEN JMC IS DUE TO DISBAND.. 2 INDONESIAN ICCS OFFICERS WERE INJURED WHEN SNIPER FIRED ON THEIR CAR IN CAN THO ... NEARLY 5,000 SVIETS BID FAREWELL TO THE LAST GIS IN NORTHERN REGION, SENDING THEM OFF W/"BON VOYAGE" AND "AULD LAND SYNE." "BIG MINH". SÄYS ONLY A "BRD FORCE" COULD GUÄRANTEE THE SPIRIT DE RECONCILIATION AND CONCORD CALLED FOR BY AGREEMENT. BUT THAT FORCE CAN'T DEVELOP TIL FULL LIBERTIES ALLOWED IN SVN. . THIEU WOULDN'T HAVE MUCH CHANCE IF 250,000 POLITICAL PRISONERS BEING ILLEGALLY HELD WERE RELEASED, ACCORDING TO SON OF ONE OF THIEU'S OPPONENTS, DAVID TRUONG, AS QUOTED BY UPI FROM ILL., TRUONG SAID? "US IS ALLOWING THIEU TO CLASSIFY THEM AS COMMON CRIMINALS, THUS BYPASSING LEGITIMATE RELEASE." THE 28-YEAR OLD HAS BEEN IN US SINCE 164 AND WORKED FOR RFK, IN 68 AND MCG IN 172. HE'S A FREQUENT SOURCE FOR WECHSLER. US HAS REPORTEDLY ADVISED LON NOT TO LIFT ASAP THE EMERGENCY MEASURES WHICH FOLLOWED THE BOMBING OF PALACE. . LUPI SAYS THAT "W/HUNDREDS OF DISSIDENTS UNDER ARREST AND MILITARY IN COMPLETE CONTROL: LON NOC APPEARS TO HAVE WON AN OVERWHELMING VICTORY IN HIS STRUGGËE TO RETAIN POWER DESPÎTE LOSS OF POPULAR SUPPORT." BUT A PROMINENT BUSINESSMAN TOLD UPI THAT "CAMBODIA HAS LOST...THE REPUBLIC HAS LOST ... EVERYDAY ONE HEARS OF MORE AND MORE STUDENTS AND YOUNG PROFS. WHO!VE LEFT THE CITY TO JOIN THE RESISTANCE." END PAGE 3 SIRIK MATÁKS ERSTWHÍĽÉ ĽON NOĽ COĽĽEAGUES NOW UNDĚR VÌTRUÁĽ HOUSE ARREST, TOLD TIMES THAT CURRENT GOVET "MUST NOT AND WILL NOT LAST." AND IF US CONTINUES TO BACK LON NOL, MATAK SAYS CAMBODIA WILL FALL TO COMMUNISTS...KAMM OF TIME'S SAYS THE CAMBODIAN GOV'T IS "TEETERING ON THE WRECKAGE OF THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC IT SET OUT TO CREATE 3 YEARS AGO....THE SPIRIT OF DOOM IS SO DEEP THE YEARNING FOR AN END TO THE WAR -- ANY END -- IS THE MOST VIVID EMOTION." AND THE TIMESMAN SAYS CON NOC'S POPULARITY IS SO LOW THAT PREDOMINANT REACTION TO BOMBING OF PALACE IS

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"REGRET" THAT PRIMARY TARGET WAS MISSED.

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NBC W/LENGTHY LOOK AT US ROLE IN LADS -- NO UNIFORMED GIS THO 3,000 AMERICANS, INCLUDING DEPENDENTS, IN VIENTIANE WHICH CIA AGENTS -- "SOLDIERS IN SPORT SHIRTS" -- USE AS BASE TO DIRECT BO,000 LAD TROOPS, EMPHASIS ON KEY US ROLE IN LAD ECONOMIC AND MILITARY LIFE - \$50M/YEAR IN US ECONOMIC AID KEEPS LAD ECONOMY AFLOAT. ALTHO US PRESENCE IS CERTAIN TO DECLINE SOON AND RAPIDLY, REPORTER SAID KEY ROLE IN CIVIL AIR TRANSPORT PLAYED BY AIR AMERICA AND CONTINENTAL MEANS PATHET LAD MAY TOLERATE OTHER PRIVATE AIR CONCERNS COMING IN AFTER WAR. EXTENT OF FUTURE US ROLE IS UP TO HILL AND COALITION GOV!T DESIRES, RICH POINTED OUT-- 2 FACTORS YET UNRESOLVED. THE SUNDAY OKLAHOMAN SAYS DOD SOURCES HAVE CONCLUDED MY LAI "WAS PLANNED AND COURDINATED W/CIA IN DELIBERATE ATTEMPT TO WIPE OUT AN ENTIRE VILLAGE AND ITS CIVILIAN POPULATION AS A LESSON TO THE ENEMY ," US/USSR/PRC ACCORDING TO PRC SOURCES IN MOSCOW, BREZHNEY WILL VISIT US IN JUNE. A MOSCOW PAPER SAID ONLY "MORALLY UNSTABLE" JEWS WANT TO LEAVE AND THEY ARE PARTICIPANTS IN A ZIONIST PLOT. AND THOSE WHO TRY TO HELP THEM EMIGRATE ARE MEDDLING "W/DIRTY INTRIGUES" IN SOVIET DOMESTIC AFFAIRS. IT NOTED SOME WHO WENT TO ISRAEL WANT TO RETURN HOME AND ARE LIVING IN "DIRTY" COLD, OVERCROWDED ROOMS, IN AUSTRIA. IT DIDN'T EXPLAIN WHY THOSE WEREN'T PERMITTED TO RE-ENTER. END PAGE FOUR PHYSICIST SAKHAROV, ONE OF THE ARCHITECTS OF SOVIET HABOMB, SAID KGB --FDR 1ST TIME -- QUESTIONED HIM OVER HIS CIVIL RIGHTS ACTIVITIES AND CALLED HIM NOT "MORALLY SOUND." NEWS WEEK REPORTS "RUSS DIPLOMATS IN DC DROPPED DAVID ROCKEFELLER AS A HINT THEY!O LIKE A BUSINESSMAN AND AN IMPORTANT DNE. FOR AMB, ACCORDING TO MAGE STATE IS TOUTING MALCOLM TOOM, NOW IN BELGRADE, AS CHOICE AMONG CAREERISTS. ESTABLISHMENT OF PERMANENT US#PRC TRADE TIES IS A CLOSE REALITY BUT WON'T BE A CURE-ALL FOR US BUSINESS, ALEXANDER ECKSTEIN, A LEADING AUTHORITY ON PRC ECONOMY SAID, HE POINTED OUT PRC'S "TRADE IS SMALLER THAN BELGUIM OR HOLLAND, AND RECENT US-PRO TRADE IS NEARLY NEGLIGIBLE IN TERMS OF TOTAL US TRADE. ".... ANOTHER PRC EXPERT, ALLEN WHITING, SAID CHINA'S MILITARY POWER HAS BEEN OVER-DRAMATIZED FOR YEARS, AND HAS ONLY RECENTLY BEEN CITED FOR THE REAL STRENGTH IT IS. HE SAID "PRC HAS HAD NUMEROUS OPPORTUNITIES TO PARTICIPATE IN 'LIBERATION STRUGGLES'... BUT ITS INVOLVEMENT HAS BEEN ONLY MARGINAL." END PAGE FIVE MIDEAST: PM SIDKY'S 14-MONTH-OLD GOV'T RESIGNED TO PAVE WAY FOR SADAT TO TAKE PERSONAL COMMAND OF CABINET AND LAUNCH NEW POLICIES WHICH REPORTEDLY WILL AIM AT GEARING EGYPT MORE ACTIVELY TO MILITARY

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CONFRONTATION W/ ISRAEL TO REGAIN OCCUPIED TERRITORY.

A UPI MIDEAST FEATURE LEADS W/ AN ARAB DIPLOMATIS QUOTE:

"IF USSR PERSONNEL EXPELLED FROM EGYPT HAD REMAINED TIL TODAY;

SITUATION WOULD STILL BE VERY MUCH THE SAME." IN FACT DEPARTURE
MAY HAVE HAD "A SALUTARY EFFECT" ON SADAT'S POSITION.

ADMIN OFFICIALS ARE CONVINCED TIME IS RIPE FOJ NEW EFFORT TO

PROMOTE MIDEAST PEACE DESPITE RECENT VIOLENCE.

ISRAEL SAYS IT HAS AN AIR-TO-AIR MISSILE OF ITS OWN, THE LATEST ISIN SERIES OF NEW WEAPONS UNVEILED AS PART OF 25TH ANNIVERSARY.... AN ISRAELI OFFICIAL SAYS GOV'T WILL PUBLISH OFFICIAL REPOTRT THAT ISRAELI AGENCIES LOOTED FOREIGN-OWNED PROPERTY IN SINAI.,... ISRAEL WILL SEND A SPORTS TEAM TO MOSCOW. IT ALSO HINTED IT'S GIVING SOME CREDENCE TO REPORTS THAT KREMLIN HAS STOPPED TAXING EMIGRANT JEWS.

IN UPI GREAT DECISIONS FEATURE, WRITER LEADS: "NEARLY 6 YEARS AFTER 167 WAR, THERE'S NOT BEEN A SINGLE POSITIVE ACHIEVEMENT LIKELY TO LEAD TO LASTING PEACE IN MID EAST, DIPLOMATS SEE NO PROSPECT OF SUCCESSFUL EFFORT IN NEAR FUTURE BECAUSE THERE'S NO IMPETUS." EMPHASIS ON POWER OF GUERRILLAS TO BLOCK ANY PROGRESS.

NUMAIRI BECAME IST AFRICAN REVOLUTIONARY LEADER INVITED TO LUNCH QIWITH QE II, TO CONFER WITH HEATH AND FETED BY LORD MAYOR.

AL FATAH LEADER DADUD, WHOSE LIFE W

S SPARED BY HUSSEIN, HAS
CONFESSED HIS ORG CARRIED OUT ALL TERRORIST OPERATIONS ATTRIBUTED
TO BLACK SEPT, INCLUDING MUNICH MASSACRE.... A POPULAR FRONT LEADER
SAID IT "HAS DEFINITELY GIVEN UP HIJACKS OR ANY OTHER ATTACK AGAINST
CIVIL AIRCRAFT." DECISION TAKEN AFTER PERSUASION BY ARAB STATES,
USSR, AND PRC... ANOTHER UPI MIDEAST FEATURE BEGINS: "ISRAELI
MILITARY HAS BEGUN EXPRESSING CAUTIOUS CONFIDENCE THAT 'IT'S ONLY
A MATTER OF TIME! BEFORE GUERRILLAS ARE BROUGHT TO HEEL AND ATTACKS
STOPPED."... FRENCH POLICE TIGHTENED SECURITY AFTER BBLACK SEPT
THREATENED TO ATTACK FERRIES CROSSING ENGLISH CHANNEL... A PARIS
SMAG SUGGESTED BLACK SEPT MAY BE AN ISRAELI OPERATION USED TO
DISCREDIT ARABS.
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NBC NOTED 5 ISRAELIS FOUND FUGUILTY OF ORGANIZING AND LEADING A SYRIAN SPY RING BENT ON OVERTHROWING ISRAEL.
PANAMA/OTHER LATIN AMERICA:

ALTHO STATE IS PLAYING DOWN REPORTED THREAT OF VIOLENCE AGAINST SCALL AND PUBLICLY ACCEPTING PANAMA'S EXPLANATION OF "MISUNDERST ANDING," NEWS SAYS SOME OFFICIALS WERE STILL INCENSED OVER "INEXCUSABLE" INCIDENT AND ROGERS WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN "BOILING MAD."....SCALL DECLINED COMMENT, SAYING "THE IMPORTANT THING IS THERE WAS NO VIOLENCE."

"THERE'S LITTLE DOUBT IN PANAMA CITY...THAT US SUFFERED NOT ONLY A DIPLOMATIC DEFEAT AT PANAMA'S HANDS, BUT WILL LIKELY FACE IN MONTHS AHEAD EMBOLDENED HOSTILITY THOU THE HEMISPHERE," SAYS

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GOODSELL, MONITOR'S LONG-TIME LATIN SPECIALIST WHO ADDS THAT SOME OBSERVERS ARE SURPRISED US "EVER ALLOWED SELF TO GET MANUEVERED INTO CASTING THE VETO." MANY FEEL US BELIEF THAT THEY WERE CLOSE TO AGREEMENT W/ PANAMA ON RESOLUTION REFLECTED MISREADING OF TORRIJOS STANCE.

INQUIRER CALLS UN VEDT "AN VETO "AN UNFORTUNATE CASE OF OVERKILL."

ABSTENTION "WOULD HAVE SERVED AS WELL...THE VETO MERELY FANNED

THE FLAMES (OF ANTO-ANTI-AMERICANISM), PLAYING INTO HANDS OF UN
DELEGATES MAY WHO LIKE TO MAKE US SQUIRM."...TRIB REPORTS
PANAMA'S COCKY LEADERS MAY HAVE OUTSMARTED THEMSELVES BECAUSE THE
VERBAL ABUSE HEAPED ON US IS LIKELY TO HURT IN ANY SENATE DEBATE
ON NEW TJEATY, BUT TORRIJOS "CONTINUES TO GLOAT" AND IS "STILL
REELING FROM HIS HEADY PROPAGANDA TRIUMPH."

AP LEADS: MORE QUESTIONS THAN ANSWERS EMERGED FROM 1ST 3
DAYS OF SENATE INQUIRY INTO ALLEGED ITT ATTEMPTS TO STOP
ALLENDE FROM TAKING OFFICE." AP ASKS: "WHAT DID CIA DO, IF ANYTHING, TO HELP PREVENT EXPROPRIATION? WHAT DID ITT INTEND FOR
GOV!T TO DO W" / A \$1M OFFER."....INDIGNATION ON AGRONSKY SHOW
OVER ITT-CIA STORIES CAME CLOSE TO IRE EXPRESSED OVER WATERGATE.
"APPALLING" WAS THE CONSENSUS WORD W/ AGRONSKY ASKING, FOR U
UMPTEENTH TIME, "WHAT HAS HAPPENED TO THE CAPACITY FOR MORAL
INDIGNATION IN US?"
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ALLENDE WILL ANNOUNCE ECONOMIC AUSTERITY MONDAY/ W/ NEW CABINET. THERE'LL PROBABLY INCLUDE SOME RATIONING OF FOODS.

ECHEVERRIA HAS PUT ON UNEXPECTEDLY HEAVY POLITICAL TONE ON HIS 6+NATION WORLD TOUR"--INCLUDING USSR AND PRC VISITS--AND NOW CALLS IT "A MISSION FOR PEACE." UPI SAYS THE MEX PRESS. SURPRISED CORRESPONDENTS BY INSISTING HIS MAIN GOAL IS POLITICAL--"AN EPO CH OF WORLD PEACE." SINCE TRIP WAS IST ANNOUNCED, HE HAS TALKED MAINLY OF EXONOMIC ADECONOMIC AND TRADE GOALS. HE "REPEATEDLY CHIDED US" BUT SAYSAW NO REASON FOR HOSTILE RELATIONS.

UNEMPLOYMENT DROPPED TO LOWEST LEVEL IN 2 YEARS, AND BROUGHT "A SPRING TONIC" TO BRITIAINS GOV'T, REPORTS UPI ON THE 3.1 PCT LEVEL.

US AMB TO SPAIN REIVERO HAD HIS CAR STONED BY MADRID STUDENTS FRI. AT A TIME WHEN CONTROVERSY BUILDS OVER ALLEGEDLY POOR CONDITION OF US WARSHIPS PROVIDED SPAIN.

TURKISH SENATE TURNED DOWN EXTENSION OF PRES SUNAY'S TERM, THUS KILLING MOST LIKELY CHANCE OF BREAKING DEADLOCK IN PRESIDENTIAL ELECTIONS.
UGANDA SAID IT CRUSHED INVASION BY 3,5000 TANZANIANS.
DOLLAR TRADE:

W/ONLY 2 DISSENTS (PROXMIRE AND BLACKBURN THE JOINT EXONOMIC COMM SAID AN SHOULD MEET W/LEADERS OF CANADA, JAPAN AND W.

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GEUROPE "AT EARLIEST POSSIBLE DATE" TO DEAL W/TRADE AND MONETARY REFORM. AND IT SAID RN SOULD SEEK AN AGREEMENT IN WHICH US WOULD BE REPAID IN FULL "FOR OUR NET OVERSEAS EXPENDITURES" FOR DEFENSE.... JAVITS PROPOSED MAJOR W Z. EUROPEAN AND N. AMER COUNTRIES HOLD SUMMIT TO COMBAT DISUNITY W/IN THE ALLIANCE. "THESE IS A TIME OF SERIOUS CRISIS." JAVITS SAID.

US NATO OFFICIALS CALCULATE THAT 310,000 GIS IN EUROPE PUTS US BALANCE OF REPAYMENTS ANOTHER \$2.58 IN RED EVERY YEAR. (MANSFIELD SAYS IT'S \$58.) GOODPASTER SUGGESTS AN INTERNATIL FUND TO COMPENSATE FOR THE LOSS....AFTER NOTING \$365,000 TAKEN FROM ARMY FINANCE AT

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FT. POLK, UTLEY SAID ARMY IS "ARMY ILOSING LOTS MORE OVERSEAS" DUE TO DEVALUATION AND LECOAT -- IN FACT "A GREAT DEAL" W/\$100M ALREADY GONE DUE TO DEVALUATION. ARMY COMPTROLLER ON FILM DISCUSSING PROBLEM AND HOPES FOR WASHINGTON HELP LEST FURTHER DRASTIC CUTBACKS ON SERVICES BE REQUIRED....SPARKMAN DISAGREED W/DEM PROPOSAL THAT US UNILATERALLY W/DRAW A SUBSTANTIAL NUMBER FROM EUROPE. "WE'VE NO RIGHT TO W/DRAW ON A UNILATERAL BASIS," HE SAID.

UPI LEADS: "DOLLAR COMPLETED FIRST POSTET-CRISIS WEEK IN PRETTY GOOD SHAPE."....MINISTERS OF DEVELOPING WORLD EXPRESSED DISSATISFACTION W/PROGRESS TOWARD MONETARY FRREFORM AND PLEDGED TO PRESS NEED TO LINK ECONO MIC PROGRESS TO REFORM. THEY FEEL FLOAT HANDICAPPED THEM....SUN FINDS LITTLE PROGRESS IN COMM. OF 20 PREPARATIONS FOR SESSIONS OPENING MONDAY AND AP REPPORTS MOST US OFFICIALS BELIEVE THE FINANCIAL EXPERTS WILL MARK TIME DURING LOAT TO SEE HOW THINGS WORK OUT.

JAPAN'S TRADE MINISTER BRUSHED ASIDE RN'S CRITICISM OF TOKYD POLICY AND SAID US WAS RESPONSIBLE FOR INTERNAT'L ECOMONIC TROUBLES THRU ITS OWN ECONOMIC "DIARRHEA."

USDA SAYS PROSPECTS APPEAR TO EBE IMPROVING FOR FURTHER BIG SALES OF COTTON TO PRO....UPI FEATEURURE LEADS W/VIEW OF A US COMPUTER FIRM'S PREST "YUGOSLAVIA, 3RD FORCE IN COMMUNIST WORLD AFTER USSR AND PRO, IS A FERTILE FIELD FOR US BUSINESS." IN FACT

CHARLES LECHT SAYS "THE YUGOSLAVS APPEAR TO LIKE AMERICANS MORE THAN SOME OF NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRIES OF EUROPE." Defense

AP LEADS: "STILL NEW AT DOD, RICHARDSON IS FEELING WAY TOWARD WESTABLISHING TIGHTER CIVILIAN CONTROL AT TOP WHILE INVOLVING OFFICER CORPS MORE BEROADLY IN SHAPING POLICIES."....MONDAY HE MAKES 1ST APPEARANCE ON HILL SINCE TAKING DOD. APIS HOFFMAN SAYS THE SECY "STILL IS GOOPING FOR SPECIFIC WAYS TO BRING ABOUT CHANGES HE HAS HIN MIND. HE SEEMS TO WANT TO PULL TIGHTER ON REINGS THAN LAIRD, BUT TO STOP WELL SHORT OF RETURNING TO MCNAMARA'S

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AUTORITARIAN STYLE," UPI NOTES RICHARDSON PROGRAM "CALLS FOR REVISION OF MANAGEMENT POLICIES; BUT FEW CHANGES IN WORLD WIDE MILITARY STRATEGY."
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