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Today's Tokyo Newspapers			
<u>POLITICS</u>			
The Progressive Reform Party yesterday refused to help the Liberals organize a coalition cabinet. PRP President SHIGEMITSU made it clear that his party will stick with the Opposition at a conference with Prime Minister YOSHIDA...			
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Several hours after his conference with SHIGEMITSU, the Prime Minister reported its outcome to a meeting of top Government and Liberal Party leaders. He told them that since the PRP had balked, he would try to settle political unrest by forming a single-party cabinet. The conferees, including Deputy Prime Minister <u>OGATA</u> , Chief Cabinet Secretary FUKUNAGA, and Liberal Chief Secretary SATO, fmu, then studied a list of potential cabinet members. But a decision on the list was put off until today...			
YOSHIDA is expected to retain OGATA and FUKUNAGA at their present posts...			
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