

REPORTS.

190 CUBAN CIVIL AIR TRANSPORTS ARE KNOWN TO SIX HAVE LEFT
CUBA FOR ALGERIA ON 21 OCT WITH MORE THAN 200 PASSENGERS AND
CREWMEN PASSENGERS INCLUDED BIG PILOTS, MECHANICS, AND RADAR
OPERATORS. THE CUBAN CONTINGENT WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN HELD
BY COMMANDANT XENY JUAN ALKIDA FIRST DEPUTY MINISTER OF THE
CUBAN ARMED FORCES AND CLOSE ASSOCIATE OF CASTRO. SEVERAL CUBAN
MERCHANT VESSELS REPORTEDLY ARRIVED OR ARE ON ROUTE TO ALGERIAN
PORTS WITH MILITARY EQUIPMENT INCLUDING TANKS //

2. LEBANON-SYRIA-EGYPT: //THE 19 OCT BORDER INCIDENT IN
WHICH FOUR LEBANESE SOLDIERS WERE KILLED BY A SYRIAN ARMY PATROL
APPARENTLY HAS CONVINCED RE LEBANESE GOVT IT MUST CURTAIL EGYPTIAN
INTEL ACTIVITIES IN S LEBANON. LEBANESE AUTHORITIES WHO HERE-
TOFORE HAVE STIMULATED AT SUCH E SYRIAN OPERATIONS INTO SYRIA FROM
LEBANESE BASES REPORTEDLY PLAN TO ARREST AND KICK AS MANY
EGYPTIAN AGENTS AS CAN BE LOCATED AND APPREHENDED.//

3. MOROCCO ALGERIA: THERE HAVE BEEN FURTHER SKIRMISHES
ALONG THE BORDER AND NEGOTIATION ATTEMPTS APPEAR TO HAVE BOUNDED

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... EXPERTS WHILE SEARCHING FOR A WAY TO BRING THE TWO COUNTRIES TO A
... ALMOST CERTAINLY WILL DEAL WITH THE PROBLEMS OF BOTH COUNTRIES
... MASSA AND BEN BULLA TO MEET REFINANCING CONDITIONS
... ALGERIA IS NOW CALLING FOR AN "IMMEDIATE RETROGRADE"
... OF FOREIGN MINISTERS OF ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY AND
... SUGGESTED SUCH A MEETING MIGHT BE HELD IN NEW YORK, THE
... AFRICAN FOREIGN MINISTERS ARE ATTENDING THE MEETING BOTH
... AND ALGERIA HAVE APPRISED THE UN SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE
... TIONS, BUT BOTH ARE INCLINED TO KEEP THEIR DISPUTE OUT OF THE CHANNELS
... ALGERIANS APPARENTLY ARE ATTEMPTING TO RETAKE HASSI BEIDA AND
... TILJOD, THE POSTS HELD SINCE 14 OCT BY MOROCCAN FORCES. ALGERIANS
... CLAIM TO HAVE RECAPTURED HASSI BEIDA, BUT THIS SEEMS UNLIKELY IN
... VIEW OF MOROCCO'S MILITARY SUPERIORITY IN THAT AREA. ALONG THE
... REST OF THE FRONTIER, FORCES OF EACH SIDE SEEM MERELY CONTINUING
... TO IMPROVE POSITIONS.

THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE TWO COUNTRIES' ATTITUDE
... TARD PRICE EFFORTS. MOROCCO IS STILL WILLING TO AGREE TO A CEASE-
... FIRE PROVIDED IT OBTAINS THE DISPUTED FRONTIER POSTS AND ALGERIA

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AGREES TO NEGOTIATE THE FRONTIER PROBLEMS UNDER THE
MOROCCAN'S CONDITIONS FOR NEGOTIATIONS, BUT WILLEN TO
TO SIT DOWN WITH THE MOROCCANS WITHOUT ANY AGREEMENT.

BEN BELLA'S STATEMENT OF 24 OCT THAT THE MARYLIE...
HAVE JOINED FORCES WITH THE ALGERIAN GOVERNMENT TO...
CANS IS PROBABLY FALSE. LIMITED ARTICULAR...
ARE LIKELY TO CONTINUE IN THE EASTERN...
REPORT DISSENTING IS ALSO WIDESPREAD...
CAUSE OF ECONOMIC DISORGANIZATION AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

4. COCOCO: THE ARREST OF THE THREE TOP LABOR LEADERS
24 OCT MAY PROVOKE DEMONSTRATIONS AND...
AND VILLY.

THE ARRESTS WERE ORDERED BY THE THREE...
HEADED BY MINISTER OF DEFENSE ARMY AFTER WHAT APPEARED TO BE
INCREASINGLY SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO HALT THE STRIKE OF CIVIL
SERVANTS FOR PAY RAISE AND TEACHERS FOR SALARY...
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PRESUMABLY THE COMMITTEE CONCLUDED THAT THE CONTINUED
OF THE LABOR LEADERS WHO HAD BEEN CALLING FOR A NEW GOVERNMENT

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REPRESENTED A POTENTIALLY GREATLY ENLARGED RAY DISORDER.
MILITARY OFFICIALS FEEL THAT POWER HANDLED BY THE GOVERNMENT
WOULD BE THE BEST THING WHICH MIGHT BE DONE TO PREVENT
THE GOVERNMENT IS FACING THE POSSIBILITY OF BEING THE
SOURCE OF ANTIGOVERNMENT PLOTTING BY ANTI-STATE FORCES WHICH
MIGHT RESULT IN DISORDERS WHICH THE ARMY COULD NOT MAINTAIN IN
CONTROL. TO MEET THE THREAT, A REGIME OF QUANTITATIVE CONTROL
HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED UNDER A THREE-RAY EMERGENCY CONTROL SYSTEM
BY MINISTER OF DEFENSE ASANT AND BEING RAISED BY ARMY OFFICERS
REPUTED.

// THERE ARE SOME 5,000 CONGOLESE GENDARMERIE AND ARMY TROOPS
IN THE LISOPOLVILLE AREA. // THEIR SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT
FOR A SHORT PERIOD IS LIKELY BUT WOULD PROBABLY CRUMBLE IN THE
EXTENDED DISORDERS. *BT*

// THERE IS ALREADY SOME EVIDENCE THAT ANTIGOVERNMENT LEFT-
WING "NATIONALIST" ELEMENTS HAVE HAD SOME SUCCESS IN INFLUENCING
GENERAL BOBOTO'S SUPPOSEDLY ELITE AND MOST EYE TALKING PARASOONTO
UNITS. //

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INDUSTRIAL ORGANIZATIONS...
OPERATIONAL PLAN.

NOTE FOLLOWED PRINTING UNDER PARLIAMENTARY ISSUE...
ASSEMBLY DEPUTY INVOLVED IN MURDER CASE...
HARD TO REASSURE MICA. ON 28 OCT ANGRILY ACCUSED...
THE MURDER DEPUTY.

WEEKS HAVE BEEN REPORTS OF INCREASED OCCASIONAL ACTIVITY
AMONG OFFICERS AND MEMBERS AMONG LOTS OF UNEMPLOYED IN AREA
ONE REPORT INDICATES LABOR DEMONSTRATION PLANNED...
RETURN FROM FOREIGN TOUR DEPARTURE ON 26 OCT.

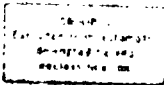
AGENTS OF DEMONSTRATION LEADERS...
TOP TARGETS OF ARRESTS PROBABLY MATH ASSEMBLY PRES...
VICE PRES DICKSON AND LARGE LEADER FACILETTA.

CAUTIONARY OPERATIONS AND ARE BELIEVED CAPABLE HANDLING...
UNREST. SERIOUS DISORDER WOULD CONTRIBUTE...
IN MARCH WITH PEOPLE LIKE THOSE THEY RECENTLY FACED IN...
COURTS.

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