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C/S - SHORTER ITEMS

FOCUS ON CZECHOSLOVAKIA

MUNICH, AUG 21 (CNR) - WESTERN NEWS AGENCIES WERE SWAMPED WITH NEWS FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA TODAY.

THE RARE ITEMS CONCERNING THE REST OF THE WORLD TO APPEAR ON THE WIRES OF REUTER, UNITED PRESS INTERNATIONAL, AND THE GERMAN AND FRENCH AGENCIES WERE ACCOUNTS OF THE VIETNAM FIGHTING AND PEACE TALKS IN PARIS, PREPARATIONS FOR THE POPE'S TRIP TO BOGOTA, THE COUP IN COLUMBIA AND THE CONDITION OF FORMER U.S. PRESIDENT EISENHOWER.

ICFU CALLS FOR SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING

BRUSSELS, AUG. 21, REUTER - THE INTERNATIONAL CONFEDERATION OF FREE TRADES UNION (ICFTU) TODAY CALLED ON UNITED NATIONS SECRETARY-GENERAL U THANT TO SUMMON AN EMERGENCY SECURITY COUNCIL MEETING TO CONDEMN THE OCCUPATION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

IN A TELEGRAM TO THE SECRETARY GENERAL THE ICFTU, SPEAKING ON BEHALF OF SOME 63 MILLION WORKERS ALL OVER THE WORLD, EXPRESSED ITS PROFOUND HORROR AND INDIGNATION AT THE OCCUPATION.

IT URGED THE COUNCIL TO RULE THAT ALL FOREIGN TROOPS LEAVE CZECHOSLOVAKIA IMMEDIATELY.

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