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C/S - PROTEST IN NORWAY

OSLO, AUG 22, REUTER--THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE HURLED ROTTEN EGGS, STONES AND RED PAINT AT THE SOVIET EMBASSY HERE WEDNESDAY NIGHT IN THE BIGGEST DEMONSTRATION SEEN IN THE NORWEGIAN CAPITAL SINCE THE WAR.

THE CROWDS, DEMONSTRATING AGAINST THE SOVIET TROOP INVASION OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA, OVERTURNED A NUMBER OF SOVIET DIPLOMATIC CARS, BROKE SEVERAL WINDOWS IN THE BUILDING AND PAINTED A SWASTIKA ON AN EMBASSY STAFF RESIDENCE BEFORE POLICE BROUGHT THEM UNDER CONTROL.

SEVEN OF THE DEMONSTRATORS WERE DETAINED BUT LATER RELEASED.

SOME OF THE DEMONSTRATORS, WHO WAVED CZECHOSLOVAK FLAGS AND BANNERS DEMANDING THE IMMEDIATE WITHDRAWAL OF RUSSIAN FORCES, TRIED TO HAND IN A RESOLUTION AT THE SOVIET EMBASSY BUT WERE TURNED AWAY BY OFFICIALS BARRING THE MAIN ENTRANCE WITH HEAVY CHAINS.

THE DEMONSTRATORS LATER MARCHED TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK EMBASSY, HANDING OVER A RESOLUTION STATING THEIR SYMPATHY WITH THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE.

THE NORWEGIAN STUDENTS UNION DECIDED WEDNESDAY NIGHT TO BREAK OFF ALL COOPERATION WITH STUDENTS ORGANISATIONS IN THE SOVIET UNION AND POLAND.

THE UNION DEMANDED A WRITTEN STATEMENT FROM THE ORGANISATIONS ABOUT THEIR ATTITUDE TO THE EVENTS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

TRADE UNION AND NUMEROUS OTHER ORGANISATIONS ALSO ADOPTED RESOLUTIONS CONDEMNING THE SOVIET INTERVENTION.

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