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X/4 C/S - RADIOS REPORT ON PRAGUE EVENTS

MUNICH, AUG 24 -- (CMD) -- A "FREE" CZECHOSLOVAK RADIO STATION SAID TONIGHT THAT SOVIET SOLDIERS WERE WALKING DOWN A PRAGUE STREET SHOOTING INTO THE AIR AND TEARING DOWN RUSSIAN AND CZECH INSCRIPTIONS.

RADIO CZECHOSLOVAKIA ONE SAID THE SHOOTING TOOK PLACE IN NARODNI STREET AND ADVISED YOUNG PEOPLE TO BE CAREFUL.

THE RADIO TOLD THE YOUNG PEOPLE TO ABSTAIN FROM PROVOCATIONS AND KEEP CALM.

RADIO FREE PRAGUE SAID EARLIER TONIGHT THAT FREE PRAGUE TELEVISION WAS NOW BROADCASTING TOO.

THE RADIO SAID PEOPLE WERE CLEARING THE ROAD OF DEBRIS IN FRONT OF THE MAIN RADIO BUILDING WHILE TROOPS ON TANKS WERE LOOKING ON.

THE BROADCAST SAID CZECH-LANGUAGE PAMPHLETS PRINTED IN MOSCOW ENTITLED "ABOUT THE DEFENCE OF SOCIALISM" WERE BEING DISTRIBUTED FROM THE BUILDING OF THE "OCCUPIED RADIO".

THE FREE RADIO SAID "PEOPLE ALREADY KNOW THESE LIES AND SO THEY TRAMPLE ON THE PAMPHLETS AND BURN THEM.

"THE SOLDIERS LOOK ON, IT IS DIFFICULT TO SAY WHAT THEY THINK. AND SO THEY SHOOT INTO THE AIR, INTO THE WINDOWS, INTO THE PLASTER. THEY WANT TO SHOOT FREE THE WAY FOR TRUTH AND THEY DO NOT REALIZE THEY KNOW THAT THEY ARE KILLING TRUTH WHICH THEY CANNOT KILL," THE RADIO SAID. (RADIO CZECHOSLOVAKIA ONE, RADIO FREE PRAGUE/ M, AUG. 24, 1955, 1750)

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