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COPENHAGEN, AUG 27 (RFE SPECIAL/THOMSON)- THE DANISH COMMUNIST PARTY DAILY LAND OG FOLK AGAIN GAVE HEAVY PLAY TO THE CZECHOSLOVAK STORY TODAY, AND CARRIED EDITORIAL COMMENT AS WELL.

THE LEAD STORY ON THE FRONT PAGE WAS AN AGENCY COMPILATION BASED ON REPORTS THAT POINTED TO THE "UNCERTAINTY OVER MOSCOW MEETING, UNEASE PREVAILS IN PRAGUE." THE STORY CONTAINED NEWS OF THE CHANGED RUMANIAN STANCE AND AN IZVESTIA CLAIM THAT RUSSIAN FORCES HAD FOUND SOME UNDERGROUND PRITING AND RADIO OPERATIONS IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

PAGES TWO AND THREE WERE DEVOTED TO AN EDITORIAL AND ARTICLES STRESSING THE NEED TO MAINTAIN RELATIONS WITH THE SOVIET UNION AND THE OTHER INVADERS, EVEN IF ONE DID NOT LIKE THE INVASION. THIS WAS THE GIST OF OF THE EDITORIAL, AND THAT OF A PROCLAMATION BY THE AALBORG UNIONS AND THE COMMUNIST YOUTH OF DENMARK.

ON PAGE 5 THE PAPER CARRIED A TRANSLATION OF A PRAVDA EDITORIAL WHICH PROCLAIMED "HOPES OF IMPERIALISM IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA CRUSHED."

ON THE SPORTS PAGE WAS A ROUNDUP OF ANTI-WARSAW PACT SPORTS ATTITUDES AMONG THE DANISH ATHELETIC ASSOCIATIONS, AND ON THE BACK PAGE WAS A WRAPUP OF THE BRITISH PREMIER AND THE NORWEGIAN DEFENSE MINISTER SAYING THAT THE INVASION HAD STRENGTHENED THE IMPORTANCE OFHNATO DEFENSE COOPERATION.

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