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"THEREBY THEY HOPED THAT THEIR PROPAGANDA WILL BE ABLE TO POISON THE CONSCIOUSNESS OF THE POPULATION, AND THUS TO FACILITATE THE EXECUTION OF THEIR PERFIDIOUS PLANS.

"BUT THIS TIME, TOO, THE ACTIONS OF THE COUNTER-REVOLUTION HAVE BEEN FORESTALLED. THE SUCCESSFUL TERMINATION OF TALKS IN MOSCOW SPOILED THE GAME OF THE COUNTER-REVOLUTION WHICH WOULD LIKE THE ATMOSPHERE OF ANARCHY IN THE COUNTRY TO BE REDOUBLED. IT WOULD THEN BE EASIER FOR IT TO ACT.

"THE ENEMIES OF THE CZECH AND SLOVAK PEOPLES GAVE A HOSTILE RECEPTION TO THE IDEA OF TALKS IN MOSCOW. IN THEIR POWERLESS SPITE THEY RESORTED TO THE ONLY ARMS AVAILABLE TO THEM IN ORDER SOMEHOW TO PREVENT THE SUCCESSFUL COURSE OF TALKS -- LIES AND SLANDERS.

"THE UNDERGROUND TRANSMITTERS BROADCAST ONE INFORMATION MORE LYING THAN THE OTHER. THUS, THEY REPORTED THAT PRESIDENT SVOBODA HAD ALLEGEDLY BEEN ARRESTED, OR THEY WAILED THAT THE MINISTER OF NATIONAL DEFENSE MARTIN DZUR HAD BEEN ARRESTED, AND OTHER SIMILAR THINGS.

"AND ALL THIS WAS REPORTED AT THE TIME WHEN THE LEADERS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA CONDUCTED TALKS IN MOSCOW, WHEREBY IN THE COURSE OF THOSE TALKS THEY HAD CONNECTION WITH PRAGUE MORE THAN ONCE.

"A CRUSHING BLOW WAS DEALT ON THOSE INTRIGUES OF THE COUNTER-REVOLUTIONARIES WHEN THE PRAGUE TELEVISION SHOWED FILMS ABOUT A WARM WELCOME OF PRESIDENT LUDVIK SVOBODA IN MOSCOW.

"BUT THIS TIME, TOO, THE SLANDERERS DID NOT RPT NOT BECOME QUIET. THEY DECLARED ON AUGUST 26 WITHOUT SHAME AND REMORSE THAT ALLEGEDLY THAT FILM WAS FALSIFIED, AND THAT THERE WAS NO RPT NO FRIENDLY RECEPTION, THEY SAID.

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