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C/S -- 1ST ADD LIFE RETURNING (CN 142) XXX DAYS

SOVIET PARATROOPS RINGING THE CZECHOSLOVAK CENTRAL COMMITTEE BUILDING WERE WITHDRAWN SHORTLY BEFORE MIDDAY.

THERE WERE STILL NO OFFICIAL EDITIONS OF PRAGUE NEWSPAPERS BUT SECRETLY PRINTED COPIES OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY ORGAN RUDE PRAVO AND THE TRADE UNION DAILY PRACE APPEARED.

PRACE PUBLISHED DETAILS OF THE ACCOUNT OF THE MOSCOW NEGOTIATIONS GIVEN BY MR. HUSAK AT THE SLOVAK PARTY CONGRESS IN BRATISLAVA YESTERDAY.

ACCORDING TO THE NEWSPAPER, MR. HUSAK SAID THE CZECHOSLOVAK DELEGATION INSISTED ON CONTINUING THE REFORMIST PROGRAMME AGREED AT THE JANUARY COMMUNIST PARTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE PLENUM --AND THE SOVIET SIDE AGREED TO THIS.

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