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X/4 C/S - VETERAN COMMUNISTS LAUD SOVIETS, TASS SAYS

MOSCOW, SEPT. 4 (CMD)- TASS TONIGHT QUOTED A LETTER WHICH IT SAID HAS BEEN SENT BY 220 CZECHOSLOVAK VETERAN COMMUNISTS TO THE SOVIET PARTY DAILY PRAVDA DECLARING THEY HAVE NOT RPT NOT REGARDED SOVIET TROOPS AS "OCCUPATIONISTS."

THE STATEMENT SAID THE VETERANS HAVE MET ON MONDAY IN OSTRAVA.

THE TASS REPORT ON THE LETTER TO PRAVDA SAID (TEXT);

IN A LETTER TO THE NEWSPAPER "PRAVDA", ORGAN OF THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE, 220 VETERANS OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA STRESS: "WE HAVE ALWAYS, BOTH IN THE PAST AND TODAY, REGARDED AND REGARD YOU NOW AS OUR CLASS BROTHERS, BEARERS OF GENUINE MARXISM-LENINISM."

THE OLD COMMUNISTS OF OSTRAVA GATHERED ON SEPTEMBER 2ND AT THE CLUB OF THE VITKOVICE METALLURGICAL COMPLEX TO DISCUSS THE RESULTS OF THE PLENARY MEETING OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE COMMUNIST PARTY OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THEY NUMBERED 220 PERSONS. AT THE END OF THE MEETING THE COMMUNISTS UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED A STATEMENT THE TEXT OF WHICH THEY ASKED TO BE PUBLISHED IN THE NEWSPAPER "PRAVD."

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