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ALGERIA-ARAB-CHINA //UAR PRESIDENT ELCHA

AN EGYPTIAN DIVISION OF 12,000 MEN WILL BE SENT TO ALGERIA. 5000

AT THE SAME TIME CUBA IS INCREASING ITS AID TO THE REGIMEN.

A ~~FAIRLY~~ RELIABLE SOURCE KNOWN BY NAME TO BE IN 1962

WITH US OFFICIALS, CLAIMS HASIE TOLD ONE ON 20 OCT 49, HAD

A PREVIOUS ORDER BARRING EGYPTIAN PERSONNEL FROM CONUS IN 1951

GERIA BECAUSE OF AN APPEAL FROM BEN BELLA FOR "TROOPS, WEAPONS

AND A MILITARY COMMAND."

SOURCE REPORTED ON 17 OCT THAT NASIR WANTED TO AVOID HEAVY INVOLVEMENT IN THE ALGERIAN-MOROCCAN CONFLICT AND INTENDED TO UCRH FOR A PEACEFUL SETTLEMENT.

PRIOR TO ALGERIAN INDEPENDENCE THE CUBAN GOV WENT OUT OF HIS WAY TO CREATE A SENSE OF IDENTITY BETWEEN THE CUBAN AND ALGERIAN

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STANDSTILLS.

TWO CUBAN CIVIL AIR TRANSPORTS ARE KNOWN TO BE HAVE LEFT CUBA FOR ALGERIA ON 21 OCT WITH MORE THAN 200 PERSONNEL AND CREWMEN PASSENGERS INCLUDED TWO PILOTS, MECHANICS, AND RADAR OPERATORS. THE CUBAN CONTINGENT WAS SAID TO HAVE BEEN MET BY COMMANDANT ERNEST JUAN ALEKIDA FIRST DEPUTY MINISTER OF THE CUBAN ARMED FORCES AND CLOSE ASSOCIATE OF CASTRO. SEVERAL CUBAN MERCHANT VESSELS REPORTEDLY ARRIVED OR ARE ON ROUTE TO ALGERIAN PORTS WITH MILITARY EQUIPMENT INCLUDING TANKS //

2. LEBANON-SYRIA-EGYPT: //THE 19 OCT BORDER INCIDENT IN WHICH FOUR LEBANESE SOLDIERS WERE KILLED BY A SYRIAN ARMY PATROL APPARENTLY HAS CONVINCED THE LEBANESE GOVT IT MUST CURTAIL EGYPTIAN INTEL ACTIVITIES IN LEBANON. LEBANESE AUTHORITIES, WHO HERETOFORE HAVE WITNESSED AT SUCH EGYPTIAN OPERATIONS INTO SYRIA FROM LEBANESE BASES, REPORTEDLY PLAN TO ARREST AND EXPEL AS MANY EGYPTIAN AGENTS AS CAN BE LOCATED AND APPREHENDED.//

3. MOROCCO-ALGERIA: THERE HAVE BEEN FURTHER SKIRMISHES ALONG THE BORDER AND NEGOTIATION ATTEMPTS APPEAR TO HAVE FAILED.

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EXPERIENCE WHILE ENLARGING HIS GAINS TO TUNISIA FOR A SHORT
PERIOD. A SHORT TIME AGO, THE MOROCCAN ARMY
ALMOST CERTAINLY WILL DEAL WITH THE REMAINS OF BOU
HASSAN AND HIS BROTHER TO REPLY TO THE PRESENT SITUATION.

ALGERIA IS NOW CALLING FOR AN "EMERGENCY MEETING" OF
AFRICAN FOREIGN MINISTERS OF ORGANIZATION OF AFRICAN UNITY AND
SUGGESTED SUCH A MEETING MIGHT BE HELD IN NEW YORK. THE
AFRICAN FOREIGN MINISTERS ARE ATTENDING THE TRIP. BOTH ALGERIA
AND ALGERIA HAVE APPRISED THE UN SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE
SITUATION, BUT BOTH ARE INCLINED TO KEEP THEIR DISPUTE OUT OF THE
CLANKS. ALGERIANS APPARENTLY ARE ATTEMPTING TO RETAIN HASSI BEIDA AND
TINJCO, THE POSTS HELD SINCE 14 OCT BY MOROCCAN FORCES. ALGERIANS
CLAIM TO HAVE RECAPTURED HASSI BEIDA, BUT THIS SEEMS UNLIKELY IN
VIEW OF MOROCCO'S MILITARY SUPERIORITY IN THAT AREA. ALONG THE
REST OF THE FRONTIER, FORCES OF EACH SIDE SEEM TO BE
TO IMPROVE POSITIONS.

THERE HAS BEEN NO CHANGE IN THE TWO COUNTRIES' ATTITUDES
TOWARD PEACE EFFORTS. MOROCCO IS STILL WILLING TO AGREE TO A CEASE-
FIRE PROVIDED IT RETAINS THE DISPUTED FRONTIER POSTS AND ALGERIA.

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AGREES TO NEGOTIATE THE FRONTIER PROBLEMS. MOROCCANS
REJECTS S. CONDITIONS FOR NEGOTIATIONS. BUT WILK TO
TO SIT DOWN WITH THE MOROCCANS WITHOUT ANY AGENDA.

DEN BELLA'S STATEMENT OF 24 OCT THAT THE MARYLLE REBELS
HAVE JOINED FORCES WITH THE ALGERIAN GOVERNMENT TO FIGHT
CANS IS PROBABLY FALSE. LIMITED ANTI-MOROCCAN SENTIMENT
ARE LIKELY TO CONTINUE IN THE FUTURE. (CLASSIFIED BY
REPORT DISSENTING. IS ALSO UNDERSTOOD THAT THE MOROCCAN
CAUSE OF ECONOMIC DISORGANIZATION AND UNEMPLOYMENT.

4. CONGO: THE ARREST OF THE THREE TOP LABOR LEADERS
24 OCT MAY PROVOKE DEMONSTRATIONS AND DISTURBANCES BY UN-
AND VIOL.

THE ARRESTS WERE ORDERED BY THE THREE-MAN "REINFORCED COMMITTEE"
HEADED BY MINISTER OF DEFENSE ARMY AFTER WHAT APPEARED TO BE
INCREASINGLY SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS TO HALT THE STRIKE OF CIVIL
SERVANTS FOR PAY RAISE AND TEACHERS FOR SALARY ADVANCE.

PRESUMABLY THE COMMITTEE CONCLUDED THAT THE CONTINUED
OF THE LABOR LEADERS WHO HAD BEEN CALLING FOR A NEW GOVERNMENT

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REPRESENTED A POTENTIALLY DANGEROUS SITUATION. ANY DISORDER
BY MILITARY OFFICIALS. THEY WERE FORCED TO HANDLE THE SITUATION
WOULD BE THE FIRST THING WHICH WOULD BE THE FIRST THING WHICH
THE GOVERNMENT IS FIGHTING AGAINST. THE GOVERNMENT IS
SUSPECT OF ANTIGOVERNMENT PLOTTING BY ARMYST. WOULD BE THE
RESULT IN DISORDERS WHICH THE ARMY COULD NOT BE FORCED TO
CONTAIN. TO MEET THE THREAT, A REGIME OF QUANTITATIVE
BEN ESTABLISHED UNDER A THREE-PARTY EMERGENCY COMMITTEE
BY MINISTER OF DEFENSE ARMY AND BEING RAISED BY ARMY OFFICERS
SECURITY.

//THERE ARE SOME 5,000 CONGOLESE GENDARMES AND ARMY TROOPS
IN THE LEOPOLDVILLE AREA.// THEIR SUPPORT OF THE GOVERNMENT
FOR A SHORT PERIOD IS LIKELY BUT WOULD PROBABLY COLLAPSE IN AN
EXTENDED DISORDER. *80*

//THERE IS ALREADY SOME EVIDENCE THAT ANTIGOVERNMENT LEFT-
WING "NATIONALIST" ELEMENTS HAVE HAD SOME SUCCESS IN INFLUENCING
GENERAL EBUTU'S SUPPOSEDLY ELITE AND MOST THE LATER PARACHUTE
UNITS.//

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ASSEMBLY DEBUT INVOLVED IN MURDER CASE. INDICATIONS ARE THAT
DATE ASSEMBLY PRE. AFFAIRS ALLOTTED AFFAIRS TO CON. SET OF
HAND TO REARMS BACK. ON 28 OCT AND ONLY APPROXIMATE FIVE HUNDRED
THE BUREAU REPORT.

SEVERAL HAVE BEEN REPORTS OF INCREASED COMMUNIST ACTIVITY
AMONG UNION AND FESTIVITIES AMONG LOTS OF UNEMPLOYED IN AREA
ONE REPORT INDICATES LARGA DEMONSTRATION PLANNED COINCIDE WITH
RETURN FROM FOREIGN TOUR DEPARTURE ON 20 OCT.

AGENTS OF INVESTIGATION ISSUED SYSTEMS TO THE NATIONAL
TOP TARGETS OF AGENTS FORMERLY NATL ASSEMBLY PRES ADAMSON ASSOCIATES
VICE PRES DICKSON AND LARGE LEADER FACILITIES.

CAUTIONED CREW MEMBER AND AMER BELIEVED CAPABLE HANDLING NAVAL UNREST. SERIOUS DISORDER WOULD CONFRONT PEOPLE WHO HAVE TROUBLE IN DEALING WITH PEOPLE WHO THOUGHT THEY RECENTLY FACED IN COUNTRIES.

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