


WHITE HOUSE


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The White House again expressed ^Sgrowing concern ~~today~~ over the use of Cuban troops in Angola. Spokesman John Carlson saying Cuban troops "are fighting in an area - in which they have no legitimate interest." Adding: "The President will continue to work through diplomatic channels and use whatever means are available to him - to see ~~that~~ ^{if} this conflict can be ~~soon~~ resolved without foreign interference."



LUANDA

At the same time - from Luanda ^{comes} a report
~~today~~ that Soviet backed forces have now captured
- virtually the entire northern part of Angola. ~~This~~
^{Says}
~~according to the~~ Soviet news agency Tass; - ~~which~~
~~adds:~~ "now that the northern front in Angola has
practically ceased to exist - the task before the
government of the peoples republic of Angola is to
liberate the South of the country."



DILOLO

Meanwhile From neighboring Zaire - a ~~in~~ blast today
at soviet backed forces - for allegedly shooting up the
border ~~down~~ of Dilolo in Zaire's Shaba province.

Zaire saying: "This action is a 'casus belli'," an
act justifying war. Adding, in effect, - if it happens
again ~~look out!~~ there'll be grave consequences,

~~And now~~

ROME

The names of seven men said to be C I A agents in Italy - were published today by a left-wing Italian newspaper. This in an article written by Steve Weissman, a former editor of the U S Magazine Ramparts - who said he did it "because the more time C I A agents have to spend protecting themselves - the less time they will have to meddle in Italian politics."

INTELLIGENCE

From The White House ~~again - an announcement~~ ^{we hear}
~~today that~~ the President has blocked publication of
a House Intelligence Committee report ["] on covert
C I A operations. ["] This - for reasons of national
security. The President's veto said to be in accordance
with an earlier agreement - which, in turn, allowed
the committee virtually unlimited access to top
secret documents. Washington sources indicating,
~~however,~~ the covert operations in question apparently
~~took place~~ ^{were} in Italy and Angola.

FED

~~Elsewhere in Washington~~ The Federal Reserve

Board today ~~signalled another easing of monetary~~

~~policy~~, cutting its discount rate - from six to five-

and-a-half percent, the lowest ~~it's been~~ in years. -

~~The Fed discount rate~~ ^{This} λ the interest it charges member
banks for money they borrow.

DAMOUR

The Lebanese air force intervened for the first time today in Lebanon's nine month ~~old~~ ~~civil~~ civil war. Air Force jets coming to the aid of an eight truck army convoy - under attack by Palestinian guerrillas near the Christian town of Damour, south of Beirut; bombing and strafing the Moslem gunmen - till they let the convoy pass.

SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco - Patricia Hearst ^{- today} was ordered
~~today~~ to cooperate with government psychiatrist ^{Dr.} Harry
Kozol - whether ~~whether~~ she likes it or not. Judge
Carter in so ruling - dismissing ~~an~~ a defense claim
of unprofessional conduct. Saying: "The court is
not inclined to second guess a man of doctor
Kozol's qualifications."

AUSTRIA

The major oil producing nations today completed five days of talks in Vienna - on how to set up a billion dollar fund to aid developing nations. The ~~of~~ findings ~~is~~ and recommendations of the Vienna meeting - to be presented to O P E C - finance ministers in ten days. An ~~of~~ O P E C spokesman indicating, however, the aid will probably consist of interest-free loans, To help developing countries meet their balance of payment deficits.

RUHPOLDING

A woman who was once Adolph Hitler's mother-in-law has just died at Ruhpolding, West Germany.

Franziska Braun the mother of Eva Braun - who was married to Hitler just before they both committed suicide in World War Two. Mrs. Braun age ninety.

LONDON

A cat said to be the most popular cat in Britain - dead today in London. His name was Jason - he was a Siamese; also, a regular on the ~~BBC~~ BBC childrens program "Blue Peter" since he was three weeks old. The last of his ~~xx~~ nine ~~lives~~ lives coming to an end - after his nine hundred and fifty second TV appearance.

Jason the Siamese - most popular cat in Britain - ~~ninet~~ age - eleven.

And now this -

JACKSONVILLE

Gals, would you like to marry - a red-blooded two-fisted Australian? Ralph Topp, a marriage broker from Sydney, Australia is attempting to recruit marriageable women - age twenty to fifty - who are willing to move to the Antipodes - "Down Under". He says his clients include men - from all walks of life - fat, thin, tall, short, well built - doctors, lawyers, teachers, sheep men, cattle men, opal miners from the out Back - ~~and~~ each considered an excellent catch.

But why has he come to the U S A? Because he says Aussie women are too self-centered; "tend to want more out of a ~~ni~~ marriage relationship - than they - the Australian women - are prepared to give."

And now for (°) —