<u>August 1992</u>... South Korea has lifted the six-month old
   restrictions on trips to North Korea by South Korean
   entrepreneurs to discuss economic exchanges. This decision
   is designed in part to foster a good atmosphere for next
   month's eighth round of inter-Korean PM talks in Pyongyang.
   (29th) [KJDA-W]

         The 8th round of the inter-Korean Nuclear Control
Commission is held in Panmunjom, but the two sides fail to
make substantial progress in negotiations to work out
arrangements for mutual inspections of nuclear
installations. (31st) VP

         A team of the IAEA officials led by Wily Theis, a
section chief in the IAEA Safeguards Department, arrives in
Pyongyang for the 3rd ad hoc inspections. (31st) VP

<u>September 1992</u>: Russian Ambassador to Seoul Alexander Panov
   called for diplomatic recognition of North Korea by the US
   and Japan to complete cross recognition of the two Koreas by
   four surrounding powers. (3rd) [KJDA-W]

         Dissident Kim Nak Jung arrested in South Korea
on 7 Sept. on suspicion of spying for North Korea for the
past 36 years. [FEER-B, Sept 17]

         South Korean Prime Minister Chun Wok Shik led a
40 member delegation to North Korea for talks on family
reunions and economic exchanges. Prospects for agreement
look slim due to the North's refusal to accept bilateral
inspections of nuclear facilities. [FEER-B, Sept. 17]

         The prime ministers of S. & N. Korea signed and
put into effect three agreements to implement an inter-
Korean basic pact signed late last year. The agreement on
non-aggression, reconciliation and exchange, however does
not include many fundamental and controversial issues such
as the recognition of each other's govt in the political
area and prohibition of arms buildup along the DMZ. (17th)
[KJDA-W]

         Speaking before the UN General Assembly, President
Roh Tae Woo urged North Korea to submit to inter-Korean
nuclear inspections as soon as possible. Roh also proposed
an international forum for lasting peace in Northeast Asia
among all countries concerned, including the US and China.
(22nd) [KJDA-W]