

## Czeslaw Milosz gets Nobel Prize for poetry

BERKELEY (California) Oct. 9.—Czeslaw Milosz, awarded the Nobel prize for poetry, said here early today he was particularly moved because his poems reflected many of the horrors of the 20th century, reports Reuter.

"I am polish and I wrote much of my poetry under the Nazi occupation of Poland" he said by telephone from his home here.

"I am particularly honoured and moved to be given the No-  
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bel prize because my poetry reflects many of the horrors of the 20th century" he said.

The Swedish Academy awarded the 880,000 crown (212,000 dollar) prize to Milosz "who with uncompromising clear-sightedness voices man's exposed condition in a world of severe conflicts".

Czeslaw Milosz was born in 1901 in Lithuania with Polish as his mother tongue, and regards himself chiefly as a poet. He is married with two sons, and he is a lecturer on Polish literature at Berkeley University in California.