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The President ^{of the United States} ~~Eisenhower~~, today issued a special statement - reaffirming our strong ties with Britain and France. The statement, released by Presidential ~~Press~~ ^{News} Secretary, ~~James~~ Hagerty - at Augusta, Georgia.

The President emphasizes one point - that, no matter what the particular difficulties of the moment, nothing will break the alliance between the three ~~great~~ democracies. The ^{— these are his words —} President referring to "the great bonds that have so long joined our nation - with the United Kingdom and the Republic of France."

This Eisenhower statement was in general terms - but it was something that needed saying - considering the distrust on both sides of the Atlantic. The British, French, American alliance, not to be destroyed - by the present tensions of the Suez crisis.

We are also told that Secretary Dulles will participate in the Nato meeting in Paris on December Eleventh. This, emphasizing that we still regard Nato as the keystone of our foreign policy - cooperation with the nations of Western Europe.

BRITAIN

Today's editions of the British newspapers ^{indicate} ~~are~~ ~~not~~ ~~commentary~~

~~commentary on~~ the way Anglo-American relations have

disintegrated. Almost all the papers, launching a savage attack

on America ^{- including} even the Laborites, who originally opposed the

^{invasion of} ~~attack on~~ the Suez Canal Zone.

The Laborite "Daily Mirror" carried a cartoon, showing Acting Prime Minister Butler pouring the last drop out of a gasoline can into a car labelled "Britain" - while President Eisenhower drives by, ignoring British attempts to flag him down.

The Conservative papers are even more bitter. The "Evening News" carried a headline reading: "Eisenhower - Friend or Foe?" And the paper says in another place that Britain has made two mistakes - getting out of the Canal Zone in Nineteen Fifty-Four - and getting out of the Thirteen Colonies in Seventeen Eighty-Three. One writer in the usually pro-American "Daily Express", even charges that America is trying to do to Britain - what Russia is doing to Hungary.

ISLAND

~~With all the talk about the breach between Britain and~~
~~America - here's an item showing that~~ ^{But} the two nations have not
stopped cooperating. London and Washington, signing an
agreement to allow our Navy to use Grand Turk Island in the
Bahamas - about a hundred miles north of the Dominican
Republic. The purpose - oceanography - research on things
like temperature and current in the Atlantic. The data,
to be used in countering submarine warfare, if our two nations
should have to patrol the Atlantic again, some time.

JORDAN

The situation in the Middle East took ~~a drastic~~ ^{quite a} turn Jordan
~~for the worse~~ today - when Jordan scrapped her military
agreement with Britain, ^{the nation that virtually created and sponsored} The Jordanian Prime Minister,
announc^{ed}~~ing~~ that he is demanding the withdraw^{al} of all British
forces from ^{that semi-desert} ~~the~~ state. Also, that he is considering -
establishing ^{close} diplomatic relations with Russia.

This decision brings to an end a long period of
cooperation between Britain and Jordan. ^{A major} ~~The first real~~ break
came eight months ago - when Jordan ousted Sir John Glubb, ^{creator}
^{and} Commander of the Arab Legion. Along with Glubb, a number of
other British officers were dismissed. ^{At that time} ~~And~~ Jordan said ~~she~~
she would examine the whole basis of her relations with Britain.

Now we have the ~~ultimate~~ decision - Britain and
Jordan, no longer allies in maintaining the stability of the
Middle East. Jordan, to try to get from other Arab nations -
the thirty-five million dollars she ^{has been getting} ~~used to get~~ annually from
Britain - in return for British military bases in Jordan.

The Prime Minister today ^{at Amman} ~~said~~ also said ~~there~~ there

would be no peace with Israel - which he called "an illegal entity - based on conquest and aggression." He even went so far as to denounce the other allies of Britain - Turkey, Iran, Pakistan - especially Iraq. Relations between Jordan and Iraq badly strained - with Jordan saying that her Mesopotamian neighbor has been fomenting revolt in Syria. This in cooperation with Israel. Iraq asking the United States to send her arms, in case of attack by Syria and Jordan.

This is a strange development in view of the fact that the Kings of Iraq and Jordan are of the same family, rulers who were close friends.

SYRIA

Washington

~~Our State Department~~ charges that Russia is still sending arms to Syria. ^{State Dept. spokesman} ~~Press officer~~, Lincoln White, saying that the weapons include "small arms, trucks, and things of that nature." This, in defiance of a United Nations resolution - calling on all members not to ship military equipment to the Middle East. Press Officer White refused to say flatly that the Soviets have violated the U.N. resolution - but he was emphatic that ~~the~~ arms are still going into Syria, from Russia.

In London, it's being said that Syria is now virtually a Soviet satellite.

BURNS

General Burns, chief of the U. N. police, moves another battalion into the Port Said area. Bringing his force to around nine hundred men. One-hundred-and-eighty more Danish troops are ready to move early tomorrow. Others to follow.

General Burns adds that another detachment will be stationed in No Man's Land - the territory between the Anglo-French command and the Egyptians. The U.N. Commander, moving to keep the combatants apart - separated by U.N. soldiers.

Substitute EGYPT.

The Egyptian government denies - that it is planning a mass expulsion of British and French Nationals. Which - has been rumored. Egypt says - not so.

But this denial in Cairo concerns - only British and French. No mention - of Jewish residents in Egypt. And, tonight, the Foreign Minister of Israel, charges - that Egypt has ordered the deportation of more than thirty thousand Jews. *So he charged* ~~so stated~~ in a letter to the Secretary General of the UN, which adds - that the deportation order was issued on Thursday of last week.

ETHIOPIA

Ethiopia accuses an Egyptian military attache in Addis Adaba, of recruiting Ethiopians for war against Britain, France and Israel. The officer, identified merely as Colonel Hilmy. We hear that the Colonel set up an Egyptian recruiting office near the Hailli Selassie theatre in the Ethiopian capital. But the Emperor doesn't want anything like that inside his ^{Abyssinian} empire. - ~~and so this~~ ^{So the} Egyptian ^{Colonel} military man is being expelled ^{- hustled off} ~~sent home~~ to Cairo.

HUNGARY

Tonight's dispatch from Vienna ^{sounds} ~~has a sinister sound~~
like something from the days of Stalin. It tells of a new
terror campaign in Hungary. - ^{The Kadar puppet} ~~the~~ government, rounding up what
it calls, "criminals and counter-revolutionaries". ~~Puppet~~
~~Premier~~ Kadar, ^{grim} threatening ~~the worst~~ punishment for those who
continue to defy him and his Soviet masters.

The crack-down is described as ruthless. In one place,
Russian troops arrested ~~the~~ ^{an} entire garrison of the Hungarian
army - six hundred men, at a post near the Austrian border.
~~They're~~ All accused of helping refugees escape.

And Kadar himself announced that two journalists will
go on trial - as "Titoists". It seems that he doesn't bother
to pretend any longer - ^{or something like it} and that Stalinism ^{is} back in the
saddle in Hungary.

Hungarian ^{labor leaders} ~~laborers~~ admit ~~that~~ they ^{are} ~~are~~ virtually defeated.
Their strike ~~is~~ breaking up under the impact of ~~Hungarian~~
hunger and the cold of the central European winter. They say
they can't hold out much longer against this new terror

campaign. And they ^{now} doubt that they'll ever get a chance to talk with former Premier Nagy - whose whereabouts are still a mystery.

UNITED NATIONS

The United Nations today received a ^{jolt} ~~blow~~ from an unexpected quarter. South Africa, sending home her permanent delegate and saying ^{that henceforth} she will have only token representation. ~~from now on.~~ The reason - the world organization's debates on racial policies of its members. South Africa says those debates are a violation of the U.N. Charter. - ^{So,} ~~and so~~ the South African delegation ^{has had enough,} ~~will not be there when these~~ ~~debates open next time.~~ However, the nation at the southern tip of Africa will continue to pay her annual assessments - and will be represented on various committees of the U.N.

The other nations were surprised and disturbed by the South African announcement. Nothing quite so drastic has happened before - the worst being, Russian walkouts. But Russia never threatened to have only a nominal contact with the U.N.

As for the business facing it, the U.N. today was still considering the problems of Suez and Hungary. India's Krishna Menon especially prominent. He asked the Secretary

General to investigate reports - that France is building up her forces in Port Said. ^{Also} ~~and~~ Krishna Menon had special talks with

the Hungarian Foreign Minister - trying to get from him an

okay ^{to} ~~about~~ the ~~U.S.~~ ^{U.N.} request for observers to enter Hungary,

~~and inspect the situation there.~~

POLITICS

The Chairman of the Republican Party agrees with his rival of the Democratic Party - that the ceiling on campaign spending should be raised. Leonard Hall, testifying before a Senate Committee - and calling the present three million dollar ceiling "completely ridiculous". He told the Committee he would like to see it raised as high as twelve million.

Which
~~that~~ agrees with what Democrat Paul Butler told the Committee yesterday - when he said it would be "realistic"

to put the figure closer to twelve million than to the present

three million. [#] Both parties, ^{expecting} ~~wanting~~ ^{far} to spend more money on

future national
~~election~~ campaigns.

CRASH

The ~~plane~~ crash of that Venezuelan airliner - happened when it was only five minutes from its destination. The pilot, coming into Caracas airport for a routine landing. It was raining, with a low ceiling - but officials say the weather was not dangerous. Yet the plane ~~never got to the airport.~~ Instead, it smashed into a mountain ^{only} ten miles ^{out,} ~~away.~~ No survivors, from the twenty-five on board.

~~All told,~~ this has been a black week for aviation. Last Friday, an Italian plane crashed at the Paris airport - killing thirty-three. The next day, a Czech plane crashed outside Zurich, Switzerland, with twenty-three dead.

OLYMPICS

Now the olympics: - at Melbourne, another day for the Americans. A new Olympic mark in throwing the discus - set by Al Oerter, of New Hyde Park, New York. Also the Yale crew came through and won that gold medal.

But the big story was Bobby Morrow of San Benito, Texas. He clinched his right to the title of "the world's fastest human" - running the two hundred meter in the record time of twenty-and-six-tenths seconds! A victory giving him a second gold medal - and the chance to become the first triple winner since the Jesse Owens won four and made Hitler's hair bristle at Berlin, in Nineteen Thirty-Six.

TAXES

Our tax system discriminates against women, says Janet Myers, of a New York cosmetics firm. Testifying before a House Sub-Committee.

Speaking of lipstick she said that women have to pay a special tax on that necessary item - while men don't pay the same tax on shaving equipment. She described lipstick as "an essential beauty product" - denied that a razor is that essential to a man. "After all, they could wear beards", said she. But lipstick - absolutely, positively necessary.

DALI

A master of weird painting reveals - a new phase in his career. Salvador Dali, arriving in this country, to work on a new type of art that he calls - "bulletism".

The title means just what it says - Dali uses bullets to set his patterns. He showed newsmen the ~~gun~~ gun he uses - an arquebus - a three hundred year old rifle. The arquebus is five feet long, and weighs twenty pounds - a relic of the primitive days of firearms.

How does Dali use the arquebus for painting?

Well, he bores a hole in its heavy bullet - and puts in a small pencil. Then he fires at a lithographic stone. The point of the pencil cuts a line along the stone - a mark that Dali uses as his starting place. Other bullets are used to help fill in the rest of the picture.

The technique sounds as if the artist can't tell at the beginning - what his picture will be about. He has to

1 of his 300 year old arquebus!
fire a few rounds ~~x~~ to see what kind of pattern comes out.

*Ah, Henry, only Dali could have thought
Anyway, only Salvador Dali could have thought of this idea
up that one!*