

9TH JUNE

AUGUST 71

POPULAR FRONT FOR LIBERATION OF OCCUPIED ARABIAN GULF
SUBMITS MEMORANDUM TO ARAB LEAGUE ON
BROAD FRONT

THE POPULARFRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE OCCUPIED ARABIAN GULF SUBMITTED A MEMORANDUM TO THE ARAB LEAGUE DURING ITS SESSION HELD LAST MARCH ON THE REQUEST BY THE PUPPET SULTANATE FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE ARAB LEAGUE. IN THIS MEMORANDUM IT REVEALED THE REAL SITUATION PREVAILING IN THE SULTANATE. THIS MEMORANDUM AND THE FIRM STAND OF DEMOCRATIC YEMEN HAVE HAD A DECISIVE EFFECT ON THE POSTPONEMENT OF ANY REVIEW OF THE REQUEST BY THE PUPPETSULTANATE AND A DECISION WAS TAKEN TO THE EFFECT THAT THE SECRETARY GENERAL OR ANY ONE ON HIS BEHALF IS TO VISIT THE SULTANATE TO KNOW THE REAL STATUS THERE AND THE REVOLUTIONARY SITUATION IN THE LIBERATED AREAS. BUT THIS DECISION WAS NOT IMPLEMENTED UPTO NOW.

BAHRAIN AND THE PUPPET SULTANATE IN OMAN AND OTHER WEAK ENTITIES COME FORWARD WITH REQUESTS FOR MEMBERSHIP INTO THE ARAB LEAGUE. THE POPULAR FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE OCCUPIED ARABIAN GULF FORWARDED ANOTHER MEMORANDUM IN WHICH IT ASKED THE ARAB LEAGUE TO SHOULDER ITS RESPONSIBILITIES IN FULL TOWARDS THE SITUATION IN THE AREA OF OMAN AND THE ARABIAN GULF AND CALLED UPON THE ARAB LEAGUE ONCE AGAIN TO VISIT THE LIBERATED AREAS. THE FOLLOWING IS THE FULL TEXT OF THE MEMORANDUM:

THE SECRETARY GENERAL, OF THE ARAB LEAGUE.

AFTER REVOLUTIONARY COMPLIMENTS,

SUBJECT: REQUESTS BY BAHRAIN AND SULTANATE OF OMAN
TO JOIN ARAB LEAGUE MEMBERSHIP

SINCE BRITISH COLONIALISM STARTED TO CONTROL OUR COUNTRY, IT WAS EXERCISING THE UGLIEST METHODS OF OPPRESSION AND ATROCIOUS CRIMES AND LOOTING AND ROBING THE WEALTHS AND PLENTIFULNESS OF OUR COUNTRY:

PARTITION OF OUR COUNTRY BY BRITISH COLONIALISM AND ITS TRANSFORMATION INTO GROUPS OF WEAK ENTITIES (STATES AND SULTANATES), AND THE TIGHTENING OF COLONIALIST INFLUENCE ON THESE ENTITIES THROUGH BROAD AND EXTENSIVE MILITARY BASES SCATTERED ALL OVER OUR HOMELAND IN ADDITION TO MEAN AND STUPID TREATIES CONCLUDED BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE AMIRS AND SHEIKHS OF THESE ENTITIES, TURNED OUR COUNTRY INTO A BIG FIELD FOR LOOTING AND ROBING THE WEALTHS OF OUR PEOPLE AND A DEN FOR WEAVING MEAN CONSPIRACIES TO OBSTRUCT THE ADVANCEMENT OF THE SOCIETY AND TO ENABLE IT SECURE FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE.

A CENTURY AND A HALF OF COLONIALIST OCCUPATION OF OUR COUNTRY AND EXERCISE OF DIFFERENT TYPES OF CRIMES AGAINST OUR PEOPLE, AND THE DROWNING OF PEOPLE IN THE DEPTHS OF ILLITERACY, POVERTY AND DISEASE, NECESSARILY CREATED HATRED IN OUR PEOPLE FOR BRITISH COLONIALISM AND ITS PUPPET SHEIKHS, AMIRS AND SULTANS. IT ALSO MADE OUR PEOPLE CARRY THE ARMS IN NUMEROUS INTERVALS SINCE COLONIALIST OCCUPATION TO RESIST WITH PATRIOTISM COLONIALIST INFLUENCE OVER OUR COUNTRY AND TO LIBERATE THE HOMELAND FROM FOREIGN OCCUPATION.

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THE APPEARANCE OF THE REVOLUTION OF 9TH JUNE, 1965 IN THE SOUTHERN PART OF OMAN AND THE DECLARATION OF THE ARMED STRUGGLE AGAINST ALL FORMS OF COLONIALIST AND PUPPET EXISTENCE WAS A CONTINUATION OF THE LONG AND STRENUOUS STRUGGLES WAGED BY OUR PEOPLE WITH PATRIOTISM. THE PREVIOUS STRUGGLES OF OUR PEOPLE WERE GREAT LESSONS OBTAINED BY THEM THROUGH THEIR LIVE EXPERIMENTS. ALL THESE LESSONS MELTED IN ONE BASIN TO CREATE A NEW AND RIPE EXPERIMENT FORMING THE START OF THE FIRST STREAK OF THE BULLET IN 9TH JUNE, 1965 OVER THE PEAKS OF DHOFAR MOUNTAINS.

TODAY, AT THE END OF 1971, THE YEAR OF HOT EVENTS BETWEEN THE FORCES OF OPPRESSION AND EVIL ON ONE HAND AND THE FREEDOM-LOVING FORCES ON THE OTHER, AND AFTER THE GREATNESS OF THE REVOLUTION AND ITS HEIGHTENING GROWTH INCREASED TO SECURE FOR IT THE SUPPORT OF THE MASSES AND TO HELP IT LIBERATE MORE THAN NINETY PERCENT OF THE DHOFAR RURALS (SOUTHERN AREA OF OMAN) THE FIERCENESS OF THE MALICIOUS IMPERIALIST PLANS AND ITS MEAN ATTEMPTS INCREASED TO RE-ARRANGE ITS BIG INTERESTS THROUGH A NEW FORM OF COLONIALISM (NEO-COLONIALISM) AND PUPPET WEAK AND LOOSE ENTITIES AS POLITICAL FRONTAGES HELPING IN REPRESSING THE NATIONAL LIBERATION MOVEMENT AND THE STRUGGLES OF THE POOR MASSES AND ENSURING THE CONTINUATION OF LOOTING AND ROBING THE PLENTIFULNESS AND WEALTHS OF OUR PEOPLE.

THE COLONIALIST PARTITION OF OUR COUNTRY, NOW REPRESENTED IN THE PARTITION OF OMAN INTO TWO PARTS - THE SULTANATE OF OMAN AND THE AMIRATES OF THE COAST OF OMAN (FEDERATION OF AMIRATES) - AND SHATTERING OF OTHER AREAS IN THE GULF INTO DIVIDED STATES AND THE GRANT OF FAKE AND LIQUIFIED INDEPENDENCE TO THESE ARTIFICIAL STATES AND THE ATTEMPT TO GIVE THE LEGAL SHAPE TO THESE ENTITIES THROUGH OBTAINING ARAB AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION FOR THEM TO QUALIFY THEM TO ENTER THE ARAB LEAGUE AND THE UNITED NATIONS, ARE IN FACT AN OBJECTIVE EXPRESSION OF THE FEARS OF WORLD IMPERIALISM AND ITS REACTIONARY PUPPETS OVER THE HUGE AND VAST INTERESTS IN THIS AREA AND A RESULT OF THE GREATNESS AND INCREASE OF THE MOVEMENT OF THE MASSES AND GROWTH OF THE ARMED REVOLUTION AND ITS SPREAD TO PLACES WHERE OILFIELDS EXIST.

ALL THESE IMPERIALIST AND REACTIONARY CONSPIRACIES, NO MATTER THE FORM OF ARAB AND INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITIONS OF THESE ENTITIES, ONLY MAKE OUR PEOPLE MORE DETERMINED TO CARRY MORE GUNS IN THE FACE OF IMPERIALISM AND THE PUPPETS. THE DESTINY OF THE REVOLUTION IS NEVER DECIDED IN THE GALLERIES OF ARAB AND INTERNATIONAL ASSEMBLIES BUT IS DECIDED BY THE MILITANT MASSES, THEIR FIRM AND ENLIGHTENED LEADERSHIPS AND THROUGH BITTER, STRENUOUS AND LONG STRUGGLE.

THE LONG-TERM POPULAR WAR WAGED BY THE MASSES WILL AT THE END DECIDE THE FATE OF THE REVOLUTION AND ITS ENEMIES AND WILL CHANGE THE BALANCE OF THE ARAB AND INTERNATIONAL FORCES IN THE INTEREST OF THESE MILITANT MASSES.

THE NINTH MONTH OF 1971 IN WHICH THE SESSION OF THE ARAB LEAGUE IS HELD WITH THE REQUESTS FOR MEMBERSHIP INTO THE ARAB LEAGUE BY BAHRAIN AND THE SULTANATE OF OMAN IN FRONT IT, THIS OCCASION PUSHED US TO NECESSARILY LODGE THIS MEMORANDUM (DETAILED MEMORANDA WERE SENT IN THE PAST ON THE ISSUE) TO CLEARLY EXPLAIN AND WITHOUT DOUBT THE EXTENT OF COLONIALIST INFLUENCE OVER OUR COUNTRY AND ITS MILITARY BASES IN IT, AND THE NON-AVAILABILITY OF ANY OF THE CONDITIONS FOR ADMISSION INTO THE ARAB LEAGUE AS CALLED BY THE LEAGUE'S RULES AND LAWS FOR MEMBERSHIP.

HERE WE MUST EXPLAIN ANEW THE NATURE OF COLONIALIST EXISTENCE AND THE NATURE OF THE PUPPET SULTANS IN OMAN THROUGH THE FOLLOWING FACTS:-

THE SULTANATE OF OMAN:

1) THE SULTANATE OF OMAN IS LINKED WITH A NUMBER OF TREATIES WITH BRITAIN. THROUGH THESE TREATIES THE PEOPLE LOST THEIR NATIONAL SOVEREIGNTY AND THEIR WEALTHS WERE OPEN TO LOOTING AND A GROUP OF MILITARY AGGRESSIVE BASES SCATTERED ON THEIR SOIL MAKING THEM LOSE THEIR FREEDOM AND INDEPENDENCE. THESE TREATIES AND AGREEMENTS ARE STILL IN FORCE UPTO NOW:-

- 1798: THE DEFENCE AND OFFENSIVE TREATY BETWEEN MUSCAT AND THE BRITISH-OWNED INDIAN ORIENTAL COMPANY;
- 1839: TRADE AND SHIPPING AGREEMENT BETWEEN BRITAIN AND MUSCAT;
- 1845: SLAVERY AGREEMENT BETWEEN BRITAIN AND MUSCAT;
- 1848: COMPROMISE RELEASED BY THE SULTAN OF MUSCAT IN WHICH HE ABDICATED THE OMANI ISLAND OF KURIA MURIA TO BRITAIN;
- 1811: FRIENDSHIP, TRADE AND SHIPPING TREATY BETWEEN BRITAIN AND MUSCAT;
- 1891: THE AGREEMENT CONNECTED WITH ABDICATION OF AREAS WHICH WAS CONCLUDED BY THE SULTAN OF OMAN ON 20TH MARCH, 1891 WITH BRITAIN.
- 1902: A COMPROMISE BY THE SULTAN OF OMAN FOR THE BRITISH POLITICAL AGENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE OILFIELD AT SOOR;
- 1923: THE SPECIAL UNDERTAKING MADE BY THE SULTAN OF MUSCAT FOR MONOPOLISATION OF OIL BY BRITAIN.
- 1937: THE TRADE AND SHIPPING TREATY BETWEEN BRITAIN AND MUSCAT;
- 1951: THE FRIENDSHIP, TRADE AND SHIPPING TREATY BETWEEN BRITAIN AND MUSCAT;
- 1953: A FRIENDSHIP, TRADE AND SHIPPING TREATY WITH BRITAIN
- 1958: EXCHANGE OF MESSAGES BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDOM AND THE SULTAN OF MUSCAT ON THE SULTAN'S AIR FORCE AND CIVIL AVIATION AND THE REINFORCEMENT OF THE BRITISH AIR FORCES IN OMAN;
- 1958: AGREEMENT ON THE BASES OF SALLALAH AND MASIRAH AND LEASE OF THESE TWO BASES TO BRITAIN FOR 99 YEARS.

2) AS A RESULT OF THESE AGREEMENTS AND TREATIES BRITISH EXISTENCE IS NOW REPRESENTED IN THE FOLLOWING MATTERS:-

A) BRITISH INFLUENCE (POLITICAL) ON OMAN IS DEMONSTRATED THROUGH ITS POLITICAL REPRESENTATIVE IN OMAN AND THE ADVISORY BODY CONSISTED OF THE FOLLOWING OFFICERS:-

- * COLONEL HUGH OLDMAN, GENERAL INTELLIGENCE OFFICER AND ACTUAL DEFENCE MINISTER.
- * MAJOR ABRAHAM, PRESENT COMMANDER OF THE ARMY.
- * MAJOR DENISON, COMMANDER OF BEIT-AL-FALAG BASE AND INTELLIGENCE OFFICER.
- * MAJOR LONDON, POLITICAL AND INTELLIGENCE OFFICER IN SALLALAH.

THEY ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL INTERNAL, EXTERNAL, POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY AFFAIRS TAKING OF THE PUPPET SULTANS AS POLITICAL FRONTAGES FOR THEM.

- b) EXISTENCE OF BRITISH BASES SCATTERED ON OMANI TERRITORIES AS FOLLOWS:-
- 1) MASIRAH AIR AND NAVAL BASE IN WHICH SQUADRONS OF BRITISH AIRCRAFT STAY. THIS BASE IS USED TO SUPPLY BRITISH SUBMARINES AND VESSELS OPERATING IN THE INDIAN OCEAN WITH NUCLEAR FUEL;
 - 2) SALLALAH AIR BASE FOR BRITISH R.A.F.
 - 3) ADDUQM INFANTRY BASE NEAR MASIRAH ISLAND;
 - 4) OM AL-GHAWAREF INFANTRY BASE NEAR SALLALAH;
 - 5) BEIT AL-FALAG AIR AND INFANTRY BASE IN MUSCAT;
 - 6) NIZWA BASE;
 - 7) ABRI BASE;
 - 8) BUDBUD BASE;
 - 9) RAS AL-HADD BASE
 - 10) MILITARY AIRFIELDS FOR BRITISH ARMY IN THE FOLLOWING PLACES:- QALIYAH, KHUBABAH, ABRI, NIZWA, JEBEL AL-FUHOOD, THAMREET, MORBAT AND HEGROOT.
 - 11) POSTS FOR BRITISH ARMY IN MANY AREAS OF OMAN.
- c) MONOPOLY OF OMANI OIL WEALTH BY THE BRITISH SHELL COMPANY AT THE RATE OF 85 PER CENT. THE COMPANY SUPPLIES ALL MILITARY AND POLITICAL ACTIVITIES HOSTILE TO THE REVOLUTION AND PEOPLE.
- d) SPREAD OF HUNDREDS OF BRITISH OFFICERS IN COMMANDING MERCENARY OFFICERS AND ADMINISTERING ESPIONAGE NETWORKS AGAINST THE PEOPLE AND REVOLUTION.

OMAN COAST (FEDERATION OF AMIRATES)

THE TREATY OF 1892 WHICH WAS CONCLUDED WITH ALL AMIRS OF THE COAST OF OMAN CALLS FOR GRANTING BRITAIN COMPLETE INFLUENCE AND CONTROL OVER THE POLITICAL, ECONOMIC AND MILITARY AFFAIRS IN ALL AMIRATES, AND ABOLITION OF THE FREEDOM OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC DEALS BY THE AMIRS WITH ANY STATE EXCEPT AFTER REVERTING TO BRITAIN.

AS A RESULT OF THESE TREATIES COLONIALIST PRESENCE IS REPRESENTED IN THE FOLLOWING MATTERS:-

- 1) POLITICAL INFLUENCE REPRESENTED IN THE PRESENCE OF THE BRITISH POLITICAL RESIDENT AND BRITISH ADVISERS IN EVERY AMIRATE WITH THEIR TASKS INCLUDE INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL AFFAIRS;
- 2) MILITARY PRESENCE IS REPRESENTED IN THE FOLLOWING BASES:
 - A) SHARJAH AIR BASE;
 - B) MANAMAH INFANTRY BASE.
- 3) ESTABLISHMENT OF ESPIONAGE NETWORKS HEADED BY BRITISH OFFICERS WITH THE TASKS OF FOLLOWING THE STRUGGLES OF THE POPULAR MASSES.
- 4) ECONOMIC PRESENCE IS REPRESENTED IN PETROLEUM, MONOPOLISTIC AND OTHER COMMERCIAL COMPANIES FOR CAPITALIST INVESTMENT, EXPLOITATION AND LOOTING OF NATIONAL WEALTHS.

AMIRATE OF BAHRAIN

A FRIENDSHIP TREATY DATED 15TH AUGUST, 1971 INSTEAD OF THE 1892 TREATY. THIS LINKS BHRAIN IN CLOSER RELATIONS AND CONTINUED CONSULTATIONS WITH BRITAIN.

BRITISH AND AMERICAN AIR AND NAVAL BASES STILL EXIST IN BAHRAINI AREAS AS FOLLOWS:-

AL-MUHARRAQ, AL-JAFEIR, AND AL-HAMLAH.

THE TREATIES AND BASES MENTIONED IN THIS MEMORANDUM ARE ENOUGH TO STAND AS A STRONG EVIDENCE ON THE EXTENT OF DIRECT IMPERIALIST INFILTRATION AND INFLUENCE ON THE TOTAL MILITARY AND ECONOMIC SITUATION IN OUR COUNTRY. THE QUESTION NOW IS HOW THE LAWS OF THE ARAB LEAGUE PERTAINING TO MEMBERSHIP IN IT CONFORM WITH THESE TREATIES AND BASES WHICH STILL EXIST UNDER THE TITLE OF "FRIENDSHIP TREATIES". YOUR REALISE WITHOUT DOUBT WHAT THESE BASES REPRESENT, WHAT ARE THEIR TASKS AND HOW BRITISH AIRCRAFT TAKE OFF FROM BASES SPECIALLY IN SALLALAH TO DROP INCENDIARY AND DESTRUCTIVE BOMBS ON OUR PEOPLE.

THE TREATIES WHICH BRITAIN CALLS FRIENDSHIP TREATIES MEAN CONTINUATION OF MILITARY BASES AND MILITARY INTERFERENCE AND CONTINUATION OF LOOTING AND ROBING THE PLENTIFULNESS AND WEALTHS OF OUR COUNTRY WHATEVER IMPERIALISM TRIED TO HIDE THE TYPE OF THESE TREATIES AND BASES.

WE, WHILE HOLDING YOU HISTORICALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY NEGLIGENCE FROM YOUR SIDE TO THE ISSUE OF THE STRUGGLE OF OUR PEOPLE AND NATURE OF THE IMPERIALIST PLANS WHICH ARE WEAVED AGAINST THEM, REAFFIRM THAT WE ARE CAPABLE OF TOPPLING DOWN THESE WEAK ENTITIES AND EXPPELLING THEIR COLONIALIST MASTERS FROM OUR COUNTRY THROUGH THE LONG-TERM POPULAR WAR.

IN CONCLUSION WE INVITE TO VISIT THE LIBERATED AREA TO SEE FOR YOURSELF THE CONTROL OF THE REVOLUTION ON THE LIBERATED AREAS AND THE NATURE OF THE ATROCIOUS AND FILTHY WAR LAUNCHED BY THE BRITISH FORCES AND MERCENARY ARMIES AGAINST OUR PEOPLE.

IN THE NAME OF OUR STRUGGLING PEOPLE WE REQUEST TO ABIDE BY THE LAWS OF THE ARAB LEAGUE AND TO PREVENT THESE PUPPET STATES (BAHRAIN AND THE SULTANATE OF OMAN) FROM ENTERING THE ARAB LEAGUE.

THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE GENERAL COMMAND
OF THE POPULAR FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE
OCCUPIED ARABIAN GULF.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 166/71.

ON 9TH JUNE, 1971, AT 8.00 A.M. A GROUP OF ARTILLERY FORCES FROM THE LENIN UNIT SHELLED WITH CONCENTRATION THE ENEMY GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF MORBAT, FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES. ON THE SAME DAY AT 11.30 AT NOON OUR ARTILLERY SHELLED CONCENTRATIVELY THE ENEMY GATHERINGS AND POSITIONS IN THE SAME TOWN. THE ENEMY POSITIONS WERE DIRECTLY HIT AND ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE NOW KNOWN. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 167/71.

ON THE NIGHT OF 12TH JULY, 1971, A GROUP OF ENEMY FORCES TRIED TO INFILTRATE INTO THE AREA OF KUDAIBET IN THE WESTERN REGION BUT THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY WAS WATCHING THEIR MOVEMENT. THE ARMY OPENED THE WAY FOR THEM TO ADVANCE INTO THE AREAS MARKED BY THE LIBERATION ARMY. ON ARRIVAL OF THE AGGRESSIVE FORCES IN THE REQUIRED PLACE, OUR BRAVE MEN SURPRISED THEM WITH FIRE FROM THEIR LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEAPONS FROM THREE DIRECTIONS. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR TWO HOURS DURING WHICH THE ENEMY INCURRED THE FOLLOWING LOSSES:

- * DEATH AND INJURY OF 20 MERCENARY SOLDIERS;
- * DESTRUCTION OF A MACHINE-GUN (MEDIUM) POSITION
- * DESTRUCTION OF AN ENEMY MEDIUM ARTILLERY

AT 1.30 IN THE AFTERNOON OF THE SAME DAY A GROUP FROM THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON GROUPS OF ENEMY SOLDIERS STATIONED NEAR KADIEET CENTRE. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR ONE COMPLETE HOUR DURING WHICH OUR FORCES USED DIFFERENT WEAPONS. AS A RESULT OF THIS SUCCESSFUL ATTACK ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE AS FOLLOWS:-

- * DEATH AND INJURY OF FIFTEEN MERCENARY SOLDIERS
- * DEATH OF HIGH-RANKING BRITISH OFFICER
- * DESTRUCTION OF ENEMY ARTILLERY WITH ITS COUPLE.
- * DESTRUCTION OF WIRELESS SET OF THE 165 MODEL.

AT 5.00 P.M. ON THE SAME DAY AN ARTILLERY UNIT FROM THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY SHELLED WITH CONCENTRATION THE ENEMY FORCES FLEEING FROM THE BATTLE. THE ENEMY FORCES WITHDREW FROM THE BATTLE CARRYING WITH THEM THEIR DEAD AND INJURED MEMBERS AND THE SIGNS OF DEFEAT AND SHAME.

OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 168/71

ON 8TH JUNE, 1971, AT TWELVE NOON OUR HEAVY ARTILLERY SHELLED SALLALAH AIR BASE WHEN THE OFFICERS AND SOLDIERS WERE ENTERING THE MESS FOR TAKING THEIR MEALS. THIS RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING:

- 1) DEATH OF 2 OFFICERS AND 2 SOLDIERS AND INJURY OF A NUMBER OF ENEMY SOLDIERS.
- 2) DESTRUCTION OF A NUMBER OF PROPELLERS AND BURNING OF MANY ENEMY TENTS.

AT 11.00 P.M. ON THE SAME DAY, A GROUP OF LIBERATION ARMY FORCES LAUNCHED A FIERCE ATTACK ON THE ENEMY CENTRE AT THE TOWN OF AWQAD AND THE AIR BASE AT SALLALAH AS PART OF THE COORDINATION BETWEEN ALL MILITARY UNITS. OUR FORCES USED HEAVY ARTILLERY IN THIS ATTACK WHICH CONTINUED FOR THIRTY MINUTES. THE ENEMY LOSE THREE DEAD AND THREE INJURED. THE ENEMY ADMITTED TWO KILLED AND THREE INJURED. OUR FORCES RETURNED TO BASE SAFELY CARRYING THE FLAG OF VICTORY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 169/71:

ON 14TH JUNE, 1971, THE ARTILLERY UNIT OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY IN THE WESTERN REGION STRONGLY SHELLED THE ENEMY CENTRE AT SHAGHLEET, RESULTING IN THE DESTRUCTION OF ENEMY FORTIFICATIONS AND SILENCING OF THE ENEMY ARTILLERY. FIRE WAS ALSO SEEN ABLAZE IN ENEMY TENTS. OTHER CASUALTIES AND LOSSES WERE UNKNOWN.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 170/71

ON 16TH JUNE, 1971, A GROUP OF MERCENARIES INFILTRATED INTO THE AREA OF "GAILAD" IN THE EASTERN REGION. AT 3.30 THEY WERE ENGAGED BY A UNIT FROM THE POPULAR MILITIA FOR TEN MINUTES. AT 4.00 THEY WERE ALSO ENGAGED WITH ANOTHER GROUP FROM THE POPULAR MILITIA. THE BATTLE RAGED FOR THIRTY MINUTES. ENEMY CASUALTIES WERE NOT KNOWN. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 171/71.

ON 30TH JUNE, 1971, A GROUP OF MERCENARIES AND STOOGES MOVED AT THE COASTAL VALLEY IN THE EASTERN REGION. OUR FORCES WERE WATCHING THEIR MOVEMENT AND SO SET AN AMBUSH TRAPS FOR THEM ON THE RETURN COURSE OF THE ENEMY. DURING THE WITHDRAWAL OF THE ENEMY FORCES THEY FELL IN THESE AMBUSHES AND WERE ENGAGED BY OUR FORCES IN SEVERAL BATTLES LASTING FOR TWO AND A HALF HOURS DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE UNKNOWN UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 172/71

ON 27TH JUNE, 1971, A GROUP OF ENEMY COLONIALIST FORCES AND MERCENARIES INFILTRATED INTO THE "ALOTARFINIT" HIGHLANDS IN THE EASTERN REGION WHERE AMBUSHES WERE SET FOR THEM BY THE LIBERATION ARMY. AT FIVE IN THE MORNING THEY OPENED FIRE INDISCRIMINATELY. OUR FORCES HAVE SET COUNTER-AMBUSHES FOR THE ENEMY FORCES. OUR BRAVE MEN WERE THEN ENGAGED WITH THE ENEMY FORCES AND THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR FIVE HOURS DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT. THE PUPET RADIO AND THE AUTHORITY ADMITTED THE DEATH OF THREE SOLDIERS FROM THEIR FORCES. FROM OUR SIDE ONE WAS MARTYRISED. HE WAS COMRADE MUSSALAM SALEM MAGTAL.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 173/71.

ON 29TH JUNE 1971, AT TEN AT NIGHT A GROUP FROM THE LENIN UNIT LAUNCHED A FIERCE ATTACK ON THE ENEMY AND STOOGES POSITION AT THE TOWN OF THE MARTYRS "MORDAT" USING DIFFERENT LIGHT AND HEAVY WEAPONS. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR 45 MINUTES DURING WHICH THE ENEMY INCURRED THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES:- 1) DEATH AND AN INJURY OF A LARGE NUMBER OF ENEMY FORCES WHOSE NUMBER WAS NOT KNOWN UPTO NOW; 2) DESTRUCTION OF THE HOUSE FRONT WITH ALL THOSE IN IT COMPLETELY; 3) DESTRUCTION OF ENEMY INSTALLATIONS AND FORTIFICATIONS IN THE TOWN; 4) STOOGES HOUSES WERE DAMAGED SEVERELY. ONE FROM OUR SIDE WAS INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 174/71

ON 30TH JUNE, 1971, AT TWELVE NOON THE ARTILLERY UNIT FROM THE WESTERN UNIT SHELLED WITH CONCENTRATION AND FROM SEVERAL DIRECTIONS THE ENEMY CENTRE AT SHAGHLEET IN THE WESTERN REGION. AT 5.00 P.M. ON THE SAME DAY, OUR ARTILLERY REPEATED SHELLING OF THE SAME ENEMY CENTRE. AS A RESULT OF THIS ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO

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MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 175/71

ON 3RD JULY, 1971, AT TEN IN THE MORNING AN ANTI-TANK MINE EXPLODED UNDER A BEDFORD VEHICLE. THE MINE WAS PLANTED BY MEN OF THE LIBERATION ARMY AT WADI MUDHA, LEADING TO THE DESTRUCTION COMPLETELY OF THE VEHICLE AND DEATH OF ITS OCCUPANTS WHO NUMBER TWELVE MERCENARY SOLDIERS INCLUDING PUPPET SUHAIL AGHARSHARM SON THO'AR.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 176/71

ON 25TH JUNE, 1971, A FIERCE BATTLE RANGED BETWEEN THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY FORCES AND THE COLONIALIST ENEMY FORCES AT AQABAT ANSAR IN THE CENTRAL AREA WEST OF THE RED LINE IN THE NORTH OF THE AIR BASE AT SALLAH. THE BATTLE RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING ENEMY CASUALTIES:

1) DEATH AND INJURY OF 22 SOLDIERS INCLUDING PUPPET MYSALLAM SUHAIL ZAIN WHO WAS DRAGGED BY THE COMRADES WITH ALL HIS WEAPONS DURING THE BATTLE; 2) COMPLETE DESTRUCTION OF WIRELESS SET.

OUR CASUALTIES INCLUDED THE INJURY SLIGHTLY OF TWO COMRADES.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 177/71

ON 6TH JULY, 1971, A GROUP OF OUR GALLANT FORCES FROM THE LENIN UNIT LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON THE ENEMY CENTRE AT TAQA TOWN AT 6:00 P.M. OUR FORCES OPENED FIRE ON THE ENEMY GROUPINGS FROM THEIR HEAVY WEAPONS RESULTING IN THE INJURY OF FOUR ENEMY SOLDIERS. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

DURING THE ATTACK WHICH WAS LAUNCHED BY A GROUP OF FORCES FROM THE LIBERATION ARMY ON THE ENEMY FORCES AT MORBAT ON 27TH JUNE, THE ENEMY ADMITTED 12 SOLDIERS KILLED AND THREE OTHERS INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 178/71

ON 5TH JULY, 1971, AT TWELVE NOON THE ARTILLERY UNIT OF THE WESTERN UNIT SHELLED WITH CONCENTRATION THE ENEMY CENTRES AND FORTIFICATIONS AT "DA'AN THAQBEH". THE HITS WERE DIRECT AND THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE.

OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 179/71

ON 4TH JULY, 1971, AT ONE P.M. THE ARTILLERY UNIT OF THE LIBERATION ARMY "CENTRAL UNIT" SHELLED STRONGLY AND CONCENTRATIVELY THE AIR BASE AT SALLALAH AND THE ENEMY CENTRE OF "ANNA". THE HITS WERE DIRECT LEADING TO THE SETTING OF FIRE IN THE AIR BASE AND "ANNA" CENTRE AND DESTRUCTION OF MANY INSTLLATIONS IN THE BASE AND CENTRE. THE ENEMY ESCAPED FROM THE BASE AND CENTRE AS A RESULT OF PANICH AND FEAR DUE TO THE HEAVY ARTILLERY SHELLING AND THE SEVERE DAMAGE CAUSED BY IT. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 180/71

ON 16TH JUNE, 1971, AT TEN IN THE EVENING A GROUP FROM THE ARTILLERY FORCE OF THE LENIN UNIT, SHELLED STRONGLY AND CONCENTRATIVELY ENEMY CENTRES AND GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF "SADAH". THE SHELLING CONTINUED FOR TEN MINUTES AND THE SCORES WERE DIRECT RESULTING IN THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES SUFFERED BY THE ENEMY:-

- 1) DEATH AND INJURY OF MANY ENEMY SOLDIERS. PLANES WERE SEEN REMOVING THE DEAD AND INJURED SEVERAL TIMES.
- 2) DESTRUCTION OF THE ENEMY MEDIUM ARTILLERY.
- 3) DESTRUCTION OF THE ENEMY FORTIFICATIONS.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 181/71

ON 25TH JUNE, 1971, AT 8.00 IN THE EVENING THE ARTILLERY GROUP OF THE LENIN UNIT, LAUNCHED A CONCENTRATED ARTILLERY ATTACK ON THE ENEMY CENTRES AND GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF SADAH. THE ATTACK CONTINUED FOR FOURTEEN MINUTES AND THE SCORES WERE DIRECT. THE ENEMY SUFFERED AS A RESULT OF THIS ATTACK HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO NOW. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 182/71

ON 11TH JULY, 1971, AT 11 IN THE MORNING THREE AIRCRAFT FROM THE BRITISH R.A.F., LAUNCHED THREE AIR RAIDS ON THE VILLAGES OF PEACEFUL CITIZENS IN THE WESTERN AREA. THE RAIDING PLANES DROPPED INCENDIARY AND DESTRUCTIVE BOMBS INDISCRIMINATELY ON THE PEACEFUL CITIZENS AND THEIR CATTLE. OUR GROUND DEFENCES INTERCEPTED THE RAIDING ENEMY PLANES AND FORCED THEM RETREAT.

AS A RESULT OF THIS SVAGE ATTACK ONE OF THE COMRADES WAS SLIGHTLY INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 183/71

ON 11TH JULY, 1971, AT FOUR IN THE MORNING A GROUP OF ENEMY COLONIALIST AND REACTIONARY FORCES INFILTRATED FROM THAQBEET CENTRE IN THE WESTERN AREA INTO QAI DOON AQBIRAT. FORCES OF THE LIBERATION ARMY WERE WATCHING THEIR MOVEMENTS AND SET SEVERAL AMBUSHES FOR THE ENEMY FORCES. WHEN THE ENEMY FORCES APPROACH NEAR THE AMBUSHES THE LIBERATION ARMY FORCES OPENED FIRE ON THEM FROM THEIR LIGHT WEAPONS. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR FORTY MINUTES DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED TEN SOLDIERS BETWEEN KILLED AND WOUNDED. AT THE END OF THE BATTLE A GROUP FROM THE LIBERATION FORCES LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON THE ENEMY FORTIFICATIONS. SCORES WERE DIRECT. THE ENEMY SUFFERED AS A RESULT OF THIS ATTACK HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO NOW.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUES - CONT'D.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 184/71

ON 9TH JULY, 1971, BRITISH R.A.F. PLANES SHELLED SAVAGELY AND BARBAROUSLY THE HOUSES OF CITIZENS IN THE NORTH OF THE WESTERN REGION "AL-QATN". THE BRUTAL AND INDISCRIMINATE SHELLING RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES:-

- 1) MARTYRDOM OF THE GIRL KHIYAR BINT SUHAIL MAGFOOQ WHO WAS FOUR YEARS OLD.
- 2) INJURY OF ONE-YEAR-OLD GIRL FATIMA SUHAIL MAGFOOQ;
- 3) INJURY OF SIX-YEAR -OLD BOY SALEM FAYEL;
- 4) INJURY OF SEVEN-YEAR-OLD BOY HUSSEIN ALI HADHWAN;
- 5) INJRY OF 12-YEAR-OLD BOY MOHAMMAD BAKHEET ALI;
- 6) INJURY OF CITIZEN SUHAIL MAGFOOQ;
- 7) INJURY OF CITIZEN SUHAIL ALI;
- 8) INJURY OF CITIZEN SAAD HADHWAN;
- 9) INJURY OF WOMAN CITIZEN MITHAL GHAZI WHO WAS 90 YEARS OLD AND INJURY OF SOME CATTLE OF THE CITIZENS.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 186/71

ON 9TH JULY, 1971, BRITISH R.A.F. PLANES SHELLED BRUTALLY AND INDISCRIMINATELY HOUSES OF CITIZENS IN THE CENTRAL AREA AT WADI ADWAN AT 5.00 P.M. BUT NO ONE WAS INJURED AS A RESULT. IN THE EVENING OF THE FOLLOWING DAY AT 4.00 P.M. THE PLANES REPEATED THEIR BARBAROUS RAIDS ON THE SAME PLACE AT WADI ADWAN BUT NO ONE WAS INJURED AS A RESULT.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 197/71

ON 13TH JULY, 1971, AT 12 NOON A GROUP OF ENEMY FORCES CONSISTING OF MERCENARIES AND STOGES, INFILTRATED FROM THE TOWN OF SADAH INTO WADI SHILEEM. THEY WERE ENGAGED BY MILITANT COMRADE RAMADHAN JUMA'AN ASHAABI FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES. THE PATRIOT COMRADE WAS MARTYRISED AFTER INFLICTED TWO DEAD AND ONE INJURED ON THE ENEMY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 188/71

ON 15TH JULY, 1971, AT 6.00P.M. OUR BRAVE FORCES WERE ENGAGED WITH THE COLONIALIST ENEMY FORCES, ESTIMATED AT 200 MERCENARY SOLDIERS AND STOGES, AT WADI SHILEEM TO WHERE THE ENEMY FORCES INFILTRATED FROM THE TOWN OF SADAH. THE BATTLE RAGED FOR EIGHT HOURS DURING WHICH ALL TYPES OF LIGHT AND HEAVY WEAPONS WERE USED. LATER THE ENEMY SOUGHT THE HELP OF THE BRITISH R.A.F. WHICH BOMBED THE AREA IN A HYSTERICAL AND INDISCRIMINATE MANNER. DURING THE BATTLE THE ENEMY SUFFERED THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES:-

- 1) DEATH AND INJURY OF 20 MERCENARY SOLDIERS AND STOGES;
- 2) DEATH OF ONE BRITISH SOLDIER.

PLANES WERE SEEN THREE TIMES REMOVING THE DEAD AND INJURED OF THE ENEMY. OUR LOSSES INCLUDED THE MARTYRDOM OF COMRADE AHMED AMER AHMED, COMMANDER OF THE GROUP, AND LIGHT INJURY OF ANOTHER COMRADE. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE CARRYING THE FLAG OF ORGANISED REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE - CONT'D.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 189/71

ON 16TH JULY, 1971, AT 5.00 P.M. OUR PATRIOTIC PATROL ENGAGED THE ENEMY FORCES STATIONED AT TAQA LINE. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR ONE AND A HALF HOURS DURING WHICH OUR FORCES MANAGED TO INFLICT HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT ON THE ENEMY WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE. THE ENEMY ESCAPED UNDER COVER OF THE ARTILLERY DUE TO HEAVY X FIRING FROM OUR BRAVE MEN. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 190/71

ON 17TH JULY, 1971, AT 8.00 A.M. A GROUP OF ENEMY FORCES, COMPRISED OF TWO ARMoured TANKS AND BEDFORD VEHICLES LOADED WITH MERCENARY SOLDIERS AND STOOGES, TRIED TO INFILTRATE INTO THE AREA. OUR FORCES WERE WATCHING THEIR MOVEMENTS AND WHEN THEY APPROACHED KHOR TAQA AREA THEY OPENED FIRE ON THEM FROM THEIR MACHINE-GUN AND HEAVY AUTOMATIC WEAPONS. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR THIRTY MINUTES AFTER WHICH THE ARMoured TANKS AND VEHICLES ESCAPED TO SALLALAH. THE REMAINING STOOGES ESCAPED TO THE ENEMY FORCES AT TAQA TOWN. DURING THIS BATTLE THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE. OUR FORCES RETURNED TOBASE SAFELY. LONG LIVE THE STEADFASTNESS OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY AND POPULAR MILITIA. LONG LIVE THE STEADFASTNESS OF THE MILITANT MASSES AND DEFEAT FALL UPON THE REACTIONARY AND COLONIALIST FORCES.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 191/71

ON 23RD JULY, 1971, THE DAY WHICH COINCIDES WITH THE EXECUTION OF THE BRITISH REACTIONARY STAGE PLAY TO ERECT 'PUPPET' QABOOS IN PLACE OF HIS FATHER SAEED BIN TAIMOUR, AND DURING CELEBRATIONS BY BRITISH OFFICERS OF THE ELAPSE OF ONE YEAR ON THE EXECUTION OF THIS STAGE PLAY, A GROUP OF ARTILLERY FORCES FROM HO CHI MINH UNIT LAUNCHED AN ARTILLERY ATTACK ON THE SALLALAH AIR BASE AT 10.00 A.M. THE SHELLING ON THE BASE CONTINUED FOR HALF AN HOUR DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 192/71

ON 23 RD JULY, 1971, THE DAY COINCIDING WITH THE EXECUTION OF THE BRITISH STAGE PLAY ONE YEAR AGO TO REPLACE OLD FACE SAEED BIN TAIMOUR BY THE NEW FACE QABOOS BIN SAEED, HIS SON, AND DURING CELEBRATION BY BRITISH OFFICERS OF THE OCCASION, A GROUP OF FORCES FROM THE CENTRAL UNIT OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY LAUNCHED AN FIERCE ARTILLERY ATTACK ON SALLALAH AIR BASE AND THE CENTRES OF "ANNA" AND "KOZA'A", LYING NORTH OF THE BASE OF UM AL-GHAWAREF. FIRE WAS SEEN ABLAZE IN ENEMY TENTS AND INSTALLATIONS. AMBULANCES WERE ALSO SEEN REMOVING THE DEAD AND INJURED. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE AFTER INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT ON THE ENEMY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 193/71

ON 26TH JULY, 1971, AT 4.00 A.M. THE ENEMY ARTILLERY AT SHAQBEET, IN THE WESTERN REGION, LAUNCHED A SAVAGE AND BARBAROUS SHELLING ON INNOCENT CITIZENS AND THEIR CATTLES AND HOUSES. THE SHELLING LED TO THE INJURY OF EIGHT HEADS OF CATTLE OF THE CITIZENS BUT NONE OF THE CITIZENS WERE INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE - CONT'D.

ON 25TH JULY, 1971, A PLANE FROM THE BRITISH R.A.F. LAUNCHED A SAVAGE RAID ON HOUSES OF CITIZENS AND THEIR CATTLE IN THE WESTERN REGION FOR 25 MINUTES. THE PLANE WAS INTERCEPTED BY OUR GROUND DEFENCES AND FORCED IT ESCAPE. AS A RESULT OF THE SAVAGE BOMBING WOMAN CITIZEN MARIAM OMER WAS SLIGHTLY INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 195/71

ON 22ND JULY, 1971, OUR FORCES STATIONED ACROSS COASTAL LINE OF LENIN UNIT AND THE MOVING FORCE LAUNCHED AT 6.30 A.M. A FIERCE ATTACK ON ENEMY GATHERINGS. THE BATTLE RAGED FOR SIX AND A HALF HOURS DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT ESTIMATED AT 20 MERCENARY SOLDIERS BETWEEN KILLED AND INJURED INCLUDING ONE BRITISH OFFICER. FROM OUR SIDE PATRIOT COMRADE AGHAM SALEM ATTURK WAS MARTYRISED. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE CARRYING WITH THEM THE MARTYR COMRADE.

IN THE EVENING OF THE FOLLOWING DAY AT 6.00 P.M. THE ARTILLERY GROUP OF LENIN UNIT SHELLED FIERCELY AND CONCENTRATIVELY THE ENEMY GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF TAQA. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE. OUR FORCES RETURNED TO BASE SAFELY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 196/71

ON 9TH JULY, 1971, THE MOVING UNIT OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY SET A NUMBER OF AMBUSHES FOR THE ENEMY FORCES AT "KHOR UTHAIB" NEAR THE TOWN OF TAQA. AT 7.00 A.M. TWO ENEMY VEHICLES LOADED WITH STOOGES AND MERCENARIES ARRIVED AND WHEN THEY APPROACHED NEAR THE AMBUSHES THEY WERE FIRED BY OUR BRAVE MEN FROM THEIR AUTOMATIC WEAPONS. DURING THE FIRST MINUTES OF THE BATTLE, THE TWO VEHICLES WERE DESTROYED AND TWELVE MERCENARY SOLDIERS AND STOOGES WERE KILLED. THE BATTLE RAGED FOR THREE HOURS DURING WHICH THE ENEMY TRIED TO ESCAPE BUT WAS UNABLE TO DO SO BECAUSE THEY WERE BESIEGED BY OUR FORCES FROM EVERY DIRECTION. THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT. AT THE END OF THE BATTLE THE ENEMY WAS SEEN REMOVING FOUR INJURED TO THE MEDICAL UNIT INCLUDING PUPPET SEIF SAEED AL-HAMDI. FROM OUR SIDE ONE OF THE COLLEAGUE COMRADES WAS SLIGHTLY INJURED AND OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 197/71

ON 23RD JULY, 1971, BRITISH R.A.F. PLANES IN COLLABORATION WITH THE LONG-RANGE ARTILLERY AT UM AL-GHAWAREF BASE, CARRIED OUT A SAVAGE AND BARBARIC SHELLING ON HOUSES OF INNOCENT CITIZENS AT WADI "SAHNOOT". OUR GROUND DEFENCES INTERCEPTED THE ENEMY PLANES AND ENGAGED THEM FOR ONE AND A HALF HOURS RESULTING IN ONE COLONIALIST PLANE BEING DIRECTLY HIT AND FIRE WAS SEEN ABLAZE IN IT. NO LOSSES WERE SUSTAINED BY US.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 198/71

ON 24TH JULY, 1971, AT 4.00 P.M. THE ARTILLERY FORCE OF THE MOVING UNIT LAUNCHED A FIERCE AND CONCENTRATED ARTILLERY SHELLING ON ENEMY GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF TAQA WHERE ENEMY FORCES WERE CELEBRATING THE STAGE PLAY OF 23RD JULY WHICH BROUGHT PUPPET QABOOS TO POWER. THE ENEMY FORCES WERE STRICKEN BY PANIC AS A RESULT OF DIRECT ARTILLERY SHELLING BY OUR FORCES, AND RESORTED TO HIDEOUTS LEAVING BEHIND THEIR CELEBRATIONS. HEAVY DAMAGES AND LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT NOT ASSESSED YET WERE INFLICTED UPON THE ENEMY. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE - CONT'D.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 199/71

ON 25TH JULY, 1971, AT ONE IN THE AFTERNOON OUR FORCES LAUNCHED A CONCENTRATED AND FIERCE ARTILLERY ATTACK ON ENEMY FORCES' POSITIONS AT THE TOWN OF TAQA. AS A RESULT OF THIS ATTACK THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 200/71

ON 26TH AUGUST, 1971, AT 7.00 A.M. THE GROUP FROM LENIN UNIT SHELLED WITH CONCENTRATION ENEMY CENTRES AND GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF TAQA. THE SHELLING CONTINUED FOR TWENTY MINUTES DURING WHICH THE COLONIALIST ENEMY AND HIS MERCENARY ARMY SUFFERED THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES:-

- 1) DESTRUCTION OF THE ENEMY 70-MILLIMETRE ARTILLERY;
- 2) DESTRUCTION COMPLETELY OF THE ENEMY FORTIFICATIONS.

ON THE SAME DAY ANOTHER GROUP FROM THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY'S LENIN UNIT LAUNCHED ANOTHER ATTACK ON THE ENEMY CENTRES AND FORTIFICATIONS AT THE TOWN OF TAQA. THE ATTACK CONTINUED FOR 51 MINUTES. OUR BRAVE FORCES MANAGED TO SHOOT DOWN A COLONIALIST ENEMY PLANE WEST OF THE TOWN OF TAQA AND KILLED ITS PILOT. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE AFTER INFLECTING HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT ON THE ENEMY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 201/71

ON 27TH JULY, 1971, THE LONG-RANGE ARTILLERY OF THE ENEMY SHELLED IN A HYSTERICAL AND AIMLESS MANNER THE SOUTH-WESTERN LINE OF THE RED LINE. AS A RESULT OF THIS SAVAGE SHELLING FOUR HEADS OF CATTLE OF CITIZENS WERE KILLED AND THREE OTHER HEADS INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 202/71

ON 27TH JULY, 1971, AT 6.00 A.M. A GROUP OF STOOGES TRIED TO INFILTRATE INTO THE NORTH-EAST OF THE CENTRAL REGION WITH THE AIM OF FORCING THEIR RELATIVES TO JOIN THE MERCENARY FORCES. THE FORCES OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY WERE WATCHING THEIR MOVEMENTS AND WHEN THEY APPROACHED A SUITABLE PLACE, THEY WERE ENGAGED BY OUR FORCES IN A BATTLE WHICH CONTINUED FOR HALF AN HOUR DURING WHICH THREE STOOGES WERE KILLED AND THEIR WEAPONS CAPTURED. THE STOOGES WERE:-

- 1) STOOGE SUHAIL SALEM ASHIRAM;
- 2) STOOGE SAEED MUSSALAM ADDOSARI QA HAR;
- 3) STOOGE SAEED ALI QA HAR.

FROM OUR SIDE NO ONE WAS INJURED. AT 3.00 P.M. ON THE SAME DAY, THE ARTILLERY GROUP OF THE LIBERATION ARMY LAUNCHED AN ARTILLERY ATTACK ON THE ENEMY CENTRE OF "ANNA". THE HITS WERE DIRECT AND AS A RESULT THE ENEMY SUSTAINED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE - CONT'D.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 203/71

ON 15TH JULY, 1971, A BRITISH R.A.F. PLANE FLEW OVER THE RED LINE AREA. IT WAS INTERCEPTED BY OUR GROUND DEFENCES AND WAS DIRECTLY HIT BY THEM LEADING TO ITS CRASH ON AQABAT NASSAR, NEAR THE RED LINE. TWO HIGH-RANKING BRITISH OFFICERS WERE ABOARD THE PLANE AND THEY DIED FOLLOWING ITS CRASH. THE ENEMY ADMITTED THE CRASH OF THE PLANE AND DEATH OF THE TWO BRITISH OFFICERS.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 204/71

ON 17TH JULY, 1971, A GROUP OF ENEMY FORCES AND MERCENARIES INFILTRATED INTO THE NORTH OF THE EASTERN REGION NEAR "AL-BEIT" BUT WERE ENGAGED BY OUR FORCES FROM LENIN UNIT. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR THIRTY MINUTES DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES:-

- 1) DEATH OF TWO MERCENARY SOLDIERS AND INJURY OF SEVEN OTHERS;
2* FROM OUR SIDE ONE OF THE COMRADES WAS SLIGHTLY INJURED. OUR FORCES RETURNED TO BASE SAFELY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 205/71

ON 18TH JULY, 1971, AT 7.00 A GROUP OF THE FORCES FROM LENIN UNIT LAUNCHED AN ATTACK ON THE ENEMY GATHERINGS IN THE EASTERN REGION OF THE AREA. THE ATTACK LED TO THE DESTRUCTION OF THE FILE AND RANKS OF THE ENEMY SOLDIERS AND THEIR ESCAPE TO "LEISAT" AREA NORTH OF THE EASTERN REGION. ON THE SAME DAY THE FORCES OF THE LENIN UNIT LAUNCHED AN ATTACK AND BLASTED THE WATER PUMP OF THE BRITISH FORCES AND MERCENARIES AT THE TOWN OF THE MARTYRS "MORBAT". THE PUMP WAS COMPLETELY DESTROYED AND OUR FORCES RETURNED TO BASE SAFELY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 206/71

ON 22ND JULY, 1971, THE ARTILLERY FORCE OF THE LENIN UNIT LAUNCHED A CONCENTRATED AND FIERCE ARTILLERY ATTACK ON THE ENEMY GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF THE MARTYRS "MORBAT" INFLECTING HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT ON THE ENEMY. OUR BRAVE FORCES ALSO REPEATED ARTILLERY SHELLING ON THE SECOND DAY ON THE SAME ENEMY CENTRES AND GATHERINGS AT THE TOWN OF THE MARTYRS "MORBAT". THE BITS WERE DIRECT RESULTING IN SEVERE DAMAGES BEING INFLECTED ON THE ENEMY IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT. FROM OUR SIDE NO ONE WAS INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 208/71

ON 25TH JULY, 1971, THE BRITISH R.A.F. LAUNCHED BRUTAL BAIDS ON VILLAGES OF ARMLESS CITIZENS IN THE EASTERN REGION. THE PLANES DROPPED DESTRUCTIVE AND INCENDIARY BOMBS ON THE VILLAGES OF THE CITIZENS AND THEIR CATTLES IN A HYSTERICAL MANNER. BUT NO ONE WAS INJURED AS A RESULT OF THIS BARBARIC BOMBING.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE - CONT'D.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 209/71

ON 27TH JULY, 1971, AT 5.00 P.M. ARTILLERY GROUP OF THE MOVING FORCE LAUNCHED A CONCENTRATED AND DIRECT ARTILLERY ATTACK ON THE ENEMY GATHERINGS AT TAGA TOWN INFLICTING HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT ON THE ENEMY. OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 210/71

ON 29TH JULY, 1971 AT NINE IN THE MORNING THE ARTILLERY FORCES OF THE CENTRAL UNIT SHELLED WITH CONCENTRATION THE BRITISH AIR BASE AT SALLALAH AND ENEMY CENTRES OF "ANNA". THE SCORES WERE DIRECT AND THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UPTO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE

FOLLOWING THIS SHELLING THE BRITISH FIGHTERS LAUNCHED SAVAGE RAIDS ON THE POSITIONS OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY NEAR THE SHELLING AREA. THEY WERE INTERCEPTED BY OUR GROUND DEFENCES WHICH BROUGHT DOWN ONE RAIDING PLANE NEAR THE ENEMY CENTRE OF ANNA AND FORCED THE OTHERS ESCAPE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 211/71

ON 30TH JULY, 1971, THE ARTILLERY GROUP OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY IN THE WESTERN UNIT LAUNCHED FIERCE AND DIRECT SHELLING ON THE ENEMY CENTRES AND FORTIFICATIONS FROM ALL DIRECTIONS IN THAQBEET. THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT AS A RESULT OF THIS SHELLING. THE FOLLOWING DAY OUR FORCES REPEATED THE ATTACK ON THE SAME ENEMY POSITIONS AT THAQBEET. THE SHELLING WAS CONCENTRATED AND FIERCE AND CONTINUED FOR TWENTY MINUTES. THE ENEMY WAS STRICKEN WITH PANICK AND FEAR AND SUFFERED THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES:-

- 1) HEAVY CASUALTIES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT;
- 2) FIRE BEING SET TO THE ENEMY TENTS;
- 3) SILENCING OF THE ENEMY ARTILLERY.

OUR FORCES RETURNED SAFELY TO BASE.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 212/71

ON 2ND AUGUST, 1971, THE ARTILLERY GROUP OF THE LIBERATION ARMY AT THE CENTRAL REGION SHELLED WITH CONCENTRATION AND FIERCELY THE BRITISH AIR BASE AT SALLALAH. AS A RESULT OF THIS SHELLING THE ENEMY SUFFERED THE FOLLOWING CASUALTIES:-

- 1) SEVERE DAMAGE AND HEAVY CASUALTIES. A STATE OF EMERGENCY WAS DECLARED IN THE COLONIALIST BASE AND ALL DOCTORS WERE PLACED UNDER ALERT TO TREAT THE INJURED WHOSE NUMBER IS NOT KNOWN UPTO NOW.
- 2) DESTRUCTION OF FOUR MILITARY VEHICLES ALONG WITH A GARAGE.
- 3) FIRE BEING SET TO STORES IN THE BASE AND AMBULANCES OF THE ENEMY WERE SEEN SPEEDING UP TO EXTINGUISH THE FIRE WHICH RAGED THROUGHOUT THE NIGHT.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE - CONT'D.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 213/71

ON 2ND AUGUST, 1971, A GROUP OF ENEMY PLANES (BRITISH) COMBED THE AREA SITUATED NEAR WADI "GARDOOM" AT 10.00 A.M. BUT THEY WERE ENGAGED BY OUR GROUND DEFENCES WHICH HIT ONE PLANE AND THE REST ESCAPED. FROM OUR SIDE THERE WAS NO ONE INJURED.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 214/71

ON 2ND AUGUST, 1971, AT 5.00 A.M. OUR ARTILLERY FORCES SHELLED THE POSITIONS OF THE COLONIALIST ENEMY WHO INFILTRATED INTO KADBEET IN THE WESTERN REGION. THE SHELLING WAS FIERCE AND CONCENTRATED MAKING THE ENEMY ESCAPE ARTILLERY FIRE ON HIS CENTRE AT THAQBEET AFTER INFLECTING HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT ON HIM. OUR FORCES RETURNED TO BASE SAFELY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 215/71

ON 3RD AUGUST, 1971, A LANDMINE PLANTED BY THE ENGINEERING GROUP OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY EXPLODED UNDER A HUGE BEDFORD VEHICLE WHICH WAS LOADED WITH MERCENARY SOLDIERS AND WHICH WAS ON ITS WAY TO THE ASIFA CENTRE OF THE ENEMY. THE VEHICLE WAS DESTROYED ALONG WITH ITS OCCUPANTS COMPLETELY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 216/71

ON 6TH AUGUST, 1971, A GROUP OF OUR PATRIOTIC FORCES INFILTRATED INTO THE HIGHLANDS SURROUNDING THE ENEMY AT THE TOWN OF TAQA FROM CLOSER DISTANCES. OUR FORCES OPENED MACHINE-GUN AND AUTOMATIC FIRE ON THE ENEMY POSITIONS RESULTING IN THE DEATH OF FOUR ENEMY SOLDIERS AND INJURY OF OTHERS. OUR FORCES RETURNED TO BASE SAFELY, CARRYING THE FLAG OF VICTORY.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE No. 217/71

ON 6TH AUGUST, 1971, A GROUP OF ENEMY FORCES MOVED FROM "BITAIN" CENTRE TO WADI MADHOOB IN THE EASTERN REGION. OUR FORCES WERE WATCHING THEIR MOVEMENT AND AS SOON AS THEY APPROACHED CLOSER TO THE AMBUSHES THEY WERE FIRED BY OUR FORCES WHICH USED DIFFERENT LIGHT AND MEDIUM WEAPONS. THE BATTLE CONTINUED FOR 48 MINUTES. ENEMY CASUALTIES DURING THE BATTLE WERE AS FOLLOWS:-

- 1) DEATH AND INJURY OF 28 MERCENARY SOLDIERS AND STOOGES;
- 2) DEATH OF HIGH-RANKING BRITISH OFFICER WHO HEADED THE FORCE.
- 3) DESTRUCTION OF A WIRELESS SET.

FROM OUR SIDE PATRIOT COMRADE AHMED ASLAM WAS MARTYRISED.

OUR FORCES RETURNED TO BASE SAFELY CARRYING THE FLAG OF ORGANISED REVOLUTIONARY VIOLENCE AND VOWING THE MARTYRISED COMRADE THAT THEY WILL CONTINUE THE STRUGGLE UNTIL OUR COUNTRY AND PEOPLE ARE LIBERATED FROM ALL TYPES OF OPPRESSION AND BACKWARDNESS EXERCISED BY BRITISH COLONIALISM AND ITS STOOGES.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE - CONT'D.

MILITARY COMMUNIQUE NO. 218/71

ON 6TH AUGUST, 1971, THE ARTILLERY GROUP OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY CARRIED OUT AN ARTILLERY SHELLING ON THE ENEMY CENTRE OF "THAQBEET". THE SHELLING CONTINUED FOR FIFTEEN MINUTES DURING WHICH THE ENEMY SUFFERED HEAVY LOSSES IN LIFE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH WERE NOT ASSESSED UP TO THE WRITING OF THIS COMMUNIQUE.

LONG LIVE THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY AND PEOPLE'S MILITIA.

LONG LIVE THE STEADFASTNESS AND RESISTANCE OF OUR STRUGGLING MASSES IN THE RURAL AND URBAN AREAS.

DEFEAT FALL UPON THE REACTIONARY AND COLONIALIST FORCES.

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AWAITED VACUUM IN GULF!

THE NEW YORK TIMES SAID: "THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND BRITAIN ARE TAKING PART TOGETHER IN BACKING THE POWER (MILITARY) OF IRAN - AIR, SEA AND LAND -. IT ALSO SAID THAT AMERICA AND BRITAIN UNDERTOOK TO SUPPLY IRAN WITH WEAPONS VALUED AT ABOUT ONE THOUSAND MILLION DOLLARS SO THAT IT MAY BE ABLE TO CONFRONT ANY POSSIBLE MULTIPLICATIONS WHICH MAY RESULT FROM THE PROPOSED WITHDRAWAL BY BRITAIN. THE NEWSPAPER ADDED THAT THIS HUGE ARMS PROGRAMME FOR IRAN BY AMERICA WILL BE IN THE FORM OF SQUADRONS OF MODERN PHANTOM PLANES WHILE BRITAIN WILL SUPPLY IRAN WITH TANKS IN ADDITION TO MILITARY VESSELS. THE TIMES ATTRIBUTED TO AMERICAN OFFICIALS THEIR SAYING THAT THE AIM BEHIND THIS MILITARY BUILD-UP IN IRAN IS TO FILL THE GAP TO BE LEFT BEHIND. THE NEWSPAPER ALSO SAID THAT FINANCIAL AMOUNTING TO 950 MILLION DOLLARS WILL BE GIVEN TO IRAN.

MORE BRITISH FORCES FOR OMAN COAST

REPORTS FROM SHARJAH SAID THAT A BRITISH BATTALION ARRIVED AT SHARJAH FROM BAHRAIN. THE SOURCES SAID THAT THIS BATTALION, NUMBERING 800-STRONG, WILL REMAIN IN THE BRITISH AIR BASE AT THE AMIRATE. IT IS TO BE RECALLED THAT THE BRITISH FORCES IN THE COAST OF MAN ARE COMBING IN A WIDE-SCALE HILLTOPS IN SEARCH FOR THE REVOLUTIONARIES. DESPATCH OF MORE BRITISH FORCES TO THE COAST OF OMAN COMES TO REPRESS THE MASS MOVEMENTS WHICH THE IMPERIALIST AND REACTIONARY CIRCLES FEAR TO EXPAND AND FORM GREAT DANGER TO THE IMPERIALIST INTERESTS.

BRITISH OFFICERS AND LOCAL ARMIES IN TANAMI

SOME REACTIONARY SOURCES SAID THAT BRITAIN WILL ESTABLISH A NAVAL FORCE AT RAS AL-KHAIMAH TO WHICH PART OF HER FORCES IN BAHRAIN AND SHARJAH WILL BE MOVED. THIS COMES AFTER IT BECAME CERTAIN THAT BRITAIN WILL CONCLUDE A ~~xxx~~ SEPARATE TREATY WITH RAS AL-KHAIMAH AFTER KEEPING THE AMIRATE AWAY FROM THE SIX-MEMBER LAME FEDERATION. THE SOURCES ADDED THAT 400 BRITISH OFFICERS AND NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICERS WILL BE ADDED BY BRITAIN TO THE GROUP OF FORCES OPERATING IN ABU DHABI WHICH IS KNOWN AS THE ABU DHABI DEFENCE FORCE.

STOOGES IN MUSCAT AND HEALTH EXECUSES

IN A QUESTION DIRECTED TO PUPPET ABDULLA ATTAI DURING HIS PRESS CONFERENCE WHICH WAS HELD IN MUSCAT AT THE END OF LAST JULY, ABOUT THE REASONS FOR THE REFUSAL BY THE OMANIS TO JOIN THE ARMY HE REPLIED THAT THAT WAS DUE TO HEALTH REASONS. THE RESIGNATION OF PUPPET FEISAL BIN ALI FROM THE MINISTRY OF ECONOMY WAS ALSO INTERPRETED AS DUE TO HEALTH REASONS.

NEWS REEL - CONT'D.

REPRESSION, TERRORISM AND THE RULE OF PUPPET QABOOS

REPORTS FROM NIZWA CONFIRM THE INCREASING FEAR LIVED BY THE BRITISH FORCES THERE WHICH WERE REINFORCED BY NEW DIVISIONS. THE COLONIALIST AUTHORITIES CARRIED A SERIES OF SEARCH CAMPAIGNS OF HOUSES OF CITIZENS IN SEARCH FOR REVOLUTIONARIES IN THE JEBEL AKHDHAR AREA. THEY ARRESTED NUMEROUS CITIZENS THERE ON THE GROUNDS THAT THEY ARE RELATIVES OF REVOLUTIONARY ELEMENTS NEEDED BY THEM. THIS NEW METHOD ON WHICH THE BRITISH AUTHORITIES DEPEND IN THE INTERIOR OF OMAN COMES AS A RESULT OF THE FAILURE OF THE BRITISH INTELLIGENCE TO ARREST THE ACTIVE REVOLUTIONARY ELEMENTS IN THE AREA. THE COLONIALIST AUTHORITIES HAVE HAD NO OPTION BUT TO USE THIS METHOD- ARREST OF THE REVOLUTIONARIES AND THEIR FAMILIES AND THEIR TORTURE. IN THIS WAY THE PUPPET RULE OF QABOOS PROVES ITS BARBARIC METHODS AGAINST PEOPLE.

BRITISH PLANES COMB RURAL AREAS IN DHOFAR DAILY

BRITISH AIR FORCES ARE STILL LAUNCHING DAILY BARBARIC RAIDS ON THE VILLAGES OF PEACEFUL CITIZENS TO KILL THE CHILDREN, AGED PEOPLE AND CATTLE IN THE RURALS OF DHOFAR AFTER THE FAILURE OF ATTEMPTS BY THE COLONIALIST AUTHORITY TO DISTORT THE MASSES AND DISTRACT FROM THE REVOLUTION AFTER SUFFERING HEAVY LOSSES INFLICTED BY THE FORCES OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY. THIS MADE THE COLONIALIST ENEMY RESORT TO HYSTERICAL ACTS TO AN EXTENT THAT BRITISH PLANES ARE COMBING THE RURALS OF DHOFAR FROM END TO END TO RETALIATE FROM THE ARMLESS CITIZENS.

AUTHORITY ARRESTS CITIZENS

THE COLONIALIST AUTHORITY IN SALLALAH ARRESTED LAST JULY EIGHT CITIZENS FROM THE TOWN OF MORBAT ON THE CHARGE OF BELONGING TO THE REVOLUTION. THEY INCLUDED: AWFEET MOHAMMAD HARR, AHMED MOHAMMAD NASEEB, AMER MUSSALAM JUMA'AN, AHMED SALEM SHEIKH, NASSER AWADH KOWFAN AND AMER SALEM HUSSEIN.

IT IS TO BE RECALLED THAT THE SERIES OF ARRESTS INCREASED IN THE RURAL AND URBAN AREAS OF OMAN TO AN EXTENT THAT FORMER PRISONS WERE NOT ENOUGH TO HOLD THE DETAINEES. THIS MADE THE COLONIALIST AUTHORITY IN MUSCAT BUILD NEW PRISONS IN DIFFERENT AREAS OF OMAN SUPPLIED WITH MOST MODERN EQUIPMENT OF TORTURE. THESE PRISONS ARE SUPERVISED BY BRITISH INTELLIGENCE OFFICERS.

DUBAI

MORE THAN 250 CITIZENS ESCAPE FROM DUBAI TO ABUDHABI AS A RESULT OF THE INHUMAN TREATMENT FOLLOWED BY PUPPET RASHED BIN SAEED AL-MAKTOUM. THESE CITIZENS WERE LIVING AT ASHANDAGHA FOR TENS OF YEARS. LAST YEAR PUPPET RASHED ISSUED A RESOLUTION FOR THE EVACUATION OF THE INHABITANTS OF THIS AREA IN ORDER TO EXPAND THE MARINE HARBOUR WITHOUT ANY COMPENSATION BEING GIVEN TO THEM. THESE CITIZENS HAVE NO ALTERNATIVE BUT TO BUILD HOUSES FOR THEM AT AL-GUMEIRAH. THE AUTHORITIES BEGAN TO CAUSE INCONVENIENCES TO THEM IN ORDER TO MAKE THEM QUIT THEIR POSITIONS BECAUSE AL-GUMEIRAH IS CONSIDERED AS PART OF THE LANDS OF THE AMIR ON WHICH HE BUILDS HUNDREDS OF HOUSES AND DELIVER THEM TO THE BRITISH. THESE INCONVENIENCES REACHED THEIR PEAK LAST MONTH WHEN A DELEGATION OF CITIZENS WENT TO PUPPET RASHED FOR GRANTING THEM HOUSES TO SHELTER THEM. BUT HE REFUSED AND FORCED IMMIGRATE ABROAD.

NEWS REEL -CONT'D.

PUPPET ZAID WAS WATCHING THESE MOVEMENTS. SO HE EMBRACED THEM AND DISTRIBUTED TENTS TO THEM, IN A BID TO SECURE WIDE PUPPOPULARITY. HE ALSO PROMISED TO SOLVE THEIR PROBLEMS WITH RASHED BIN SAEED.

IT IS TO BE RECALLED THAT THE COLONIALIST AUTHORITIES EXPELLED MORE THAN 4,000 CITIZENS FROM THE ISLAND OF ZA'AB AT RAS AL-KHAIMAH IN 1969 AND SENT THEM TO ABUDHABI WHERE THEY LIVED FOR SOME TIME UNDER THE TENTS AND LATER MIGRATED TO OTHER AMIRATES. THIS PLAN AIMS AT GIVING PUPPET ZAID THE FORM OF THE SOLE RESCUER OF THE MASSES IN THE COAST AND AT THE SAME TO EMPTY THE AREA FROM HUMAN ELEMENTS CAPABLE OF MOVING AND RUNNING AND TO GATHER THE CITIZENS IN AREAS WHERE IT IS EASY TO CONTROL AND WATCH THEIR MOVEMENTS.

HANDS OF TREACHERY AND TREASON

AT THE END OF LAST JULY ONE OF THE ANTI-REVOLUTIONARY ELEMENTS - STOOGE MOHAMMAD MUHARRAM - CARRIED OUT AMEAN OPERATION WHEN HE OPENED FIRE ON SOME COMRADES WHILE RESTING. AS A RESULT ONE OF THE COMRADES - PATRIOT SAEED OMER ASHAABI - WAS MARTYRISED. BUT THE CRIMINAL PUPPET DID NOT ESCAPE AND WAS KILLED BY THE BULLETS OF THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY AFTER TRYING TO ESCAPE FOLLOWING HIS MEAN OPERATION.

IT IS TO BE RECALLED THAT THE ANTI-REVOLUTIONARY FORCES AND ELEMENTS MERGED WITHIN THE RANKS OF THE REVOLUTIONARIES, AFTER FAILING IN ALL ATTEMPTS TO DISTORT THE MASSES AND AFTER THE COLONIALIST AND REACTIONARY FORCES FAILED TO REALISE ANY VICTORY OVER THE PEOPLE'S LIBERATION ARMY AND MASSES OF THE PEOPLE, RESORTED TO THE METHOD OF TREACHERY AND TREASON. THIS METHOD ONLY PROVES THE UTTER FAILURE WHICH BEFELL THE COLONIALIST AND ANTI-REVOLUTIONARY FORCES DAILY AS A RESULT OF THE BLOWS DIRECTED TO THEM BY THE LIBERATION ARMY AND THE STEADFASTNESS OF THE MASSES.

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POLITICAL STATEMENT ON: FAKE INDEPENDENCE OF BAHRAIN

THE COLONIALIST CIRCLES ANNOUNCED ON 14TH AUGUST THE SECOND STEP IN CONNECTION WITH RE-ARRANGEMENT OF THE SITUATION OF THEIR STOOGES AND PUPPETS IN THE ARABIAN GULF AREA.

THIS COLONIALIST STEP COMES AFTER A SERIES OF WIDE-SCALE ARRESTS CARRIED OUT BY THE BRITISH AUTHORITIES DURING THE RECENT PERIOD AND COVERED A NUMBER OF WORKERS, STUDENTS, EMPLOYEES, INTELLECTUALS, WRITERS, ADVOCATES AND OTHERS IN THIS AREA.

O' MILITANT MASSES;

THE COLONIALIST CIRCLES, WHICH WERE SHOCKED BY THE TORRENTIAL MASS REVOLUTIONARY CURRENT ALL OVER THE AREA OF OMAN AND THE ARABIAN GULF AND THE GREAT DANGERS IT IS FORMING TO ITS INTERESTS, ECONOMICALLY, AND POLITICAL IN THE ENTIRE AREA, FOUND THAT THE ONLY WAY TO SAFEGUARD THEIR INTERESTS IS TO CONTINUE THE POLICY OF DIVIDE AND RULE AND SHATTER THE UNITY OF OUR PEOPLE AND CREATE WEAK ENTITIES AND GRANT THEM FAKE INDEPENDENCES IN ORDER TO WEAKEN THE ABILITY OF OUR PEOPLE TO RESIST IN THE FACE OF THE COLONIALIST DANGERS SURROUNDING THEM. IN OTHER WORDS CONTINUATION OF COLONIALIST INFLUENCE.

BRITAIN TIRED THROUGHOUT THE PAST THREE YEARS TO APPEAR AS AN ADVOCATE OF FEDERATION AND UNION BETWEEN THESE WEAK AMIRATES. THEN IT FOUND THAT THE ONLY WAY FOR BLOCKADING THE POPULAR CURRENT AND THE MASS MOVEMENT IS TO ENCIRCLE THESE MOVEMENTS BY LOCAL ENTITIES AND TO REFLECT ON THESE MOVEMENTS THE INTELLIGENCE AND REPRESSIVE INSTRUMENTS. AT THE SAME TIME SHE WILL CHANGE THE OLD AGREEMENTS WHICH ARE NO MORE VALID IN FRONT OF THE WIDE-SCALE ECONOMIC INVASION OF THE AREA, AND REPLACE THEM BY OTHER AGREEMENTS ENSURING CONTINUATION OF COLONIALIST INFLUENCE AND CONTROL.

THIS FAKE INDEPENDENCE WHICH WAS GRANTED BY BRITAIN TO HER PUPPETS IN BAHRAIN, CAME TO CORONATE THE HUGE FLOW OF FOREIGN CAPITAL AND MONOPOLISTIC CAPITAL AND BANKING CAPITAL SEEN BY THE AREA DURING THE PAST THREE YEARS. AT THE TIME IN WHICH THE COLONIALIST CIRCLES KEPT OPEN THE DOORS FOR THESE MONOPOLIES TO HAVE COMPLETE CONTROL ON THE ECONOMIC AFFAIRS AND POLITICAL AFFAIRS OF THE COUNTRY, THE REPRESSIVE INSTRUMENTS WERE INTENSIFYING THEIR BLOWS AGAINST THE NATIONALIST AND HONEST PROGRESSIVE FORCES AND CHASING ALL NATIONALIST ELEMENTS REFUSING AND REJECTING THESE FILTHY CONSPIRACIES AND DEMANDING THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO DETERMINE THEIR DESTINY AND FATE.

THE POPULAR FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE OCCUPIED ARABIAN GULF AND THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF OMAN AND THE ARABIAN GULF REJECT THESE COLONIALIST CONSPIRACIES WHICH AIM AT KEEPING BAHRAIN AN AREA FOR WIDER INFLUENCE OF THE EXPANSIONIST REGIME OF IRAN AND SAUDI REACTION AND A NEW TOOL FOR THE COLONIALIST CIRCLES AT LOCAL, ARAB AND INTERNATIONAL LEVELS. THESE CONSPIRACIES ALSO AIM AT SHATTERING OUR PEOPLE AND PLANTING POLITICAL DIVISION WITHIN THEIR RANKS IN ORDER THAT IT BECOMES EASY FOR THE COLONIALIST CIRCLES TO PASS THEIR FILTHY PLANS AND DESIGNS.

POLITICAL STATEMENT - CONT'D.

BOTH FRONTS REJECT AND CONDEMN THESE PLANS BECAUSE THEY DO NOT TAKE PEACE EXCEPT THROUGH FIERCE AND CONTINUOUS BLOWS TO THE NATIONALIST AND HONEST PROGRESSIVE FORCES. THESE PLANS ARE NOT IMPLEMENTED EXCEPT BY FILLING PRISONS AND CELLS WITH HUNDREDS OF DETAINEES AND HONEST MILITANTS. THESE PLANS ALSO SERVE THE INTERESTS OF COLONIALISM AND THE PUPPET TRIBAL FAMILIES AND STOOGES LINKED WITH THE COLONIALIST.

O' MILITANT MASSES,

INDEPENDENCE CANNOT BE OBTAINED THROUGH AMIRI (ROYAL) DECREES. THE PUPPET SHEIKHS WHO SOLD OUR COUNTRY TO THE COLONIALISTS THROUGHOUT THE PAST YEARS CANNOT BECOME HONEST WATCHMEN ON OUR LAND AND LEGITIMATE NATIONAL RIGHTS. THE COLONIALIST CIRCLES, WHICH INCREASE DAILY THEIR ACTS OF LOOTING AND MONOPOLISING OUR PETROLEUM WEALTH AND TO TURN OUR AREA INTO A MARKET FOR THEIR GOODS, CANNOT MISHANDLE THIS AREA AND GRANT IT REAL INDEPENDENCE.

THE INDEPENDENCE GRANTED BY BRITAIN TO THE PUPPET AUTHORITY IN BAHRAIN IS ONLY A NEW WHIP USED BY THESE COLONIALIST AND REACTIONARY CIRCLES FOR MORE REPRESSIVE MEASURES AGAINST THE MASS MOVEMENT. THIS INDEPENDENCE CANNOT FULFILL THE AMBITIONS AND WISHES OF OUR PEOPLE AND THEIR RIGHT FOR SELF-DETERMINATION.

WE CALL UPON ALL HONEST NATIONALIST FORCES AND ARAB AND WORLD COUNTRIES TO CONDEMN THESE NEW BRITISH METHODS. WE ALSO CALL UPON ALL ARAB AND WORLD ORGANISATIONS AND INSTITUTIONS TO REJECT THIS "WEAK STATE" AND TO RAISE THEIR VOICES HIGH FOR GRANTING OUR PEOPLE THE RIGHT FOR SELF-DETERMINATION AWAY FROM COLONIALIST AND REACTIONARY TRUSTEESHIP AND THE DRUTAL REPRESSIVE INSTRUMENTS DEPENDENT BY BRITAIN IN THE AREA.

OUR NATIONALIST MASSES WILL CONTINUE THEIR STRUGGLE FOR OUSTING THESE PUPPET REGIMES AND DETERMINE THEIR OWN DESTINY IN ORDER TO REALISE THE UNITY AND COMPLETE INDEPENDENCE OF THE AREA.

LONG LIVE THE STRUGGLE OF OUR PATRIOTIC PEOPLE IN BAHRAIN AND DOWN WITH ALL REACTIONARY AND COLONIALIST NEW CONSPIRACIES AND PLANS.

THE POPULAR FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF THE OCCUPIED ARABIAN GULF

THE NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC FRONT FOR THE LIBERATION OF OMAN AND THE ARABIAN GULF.

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.... AND FINALLY (BRITAIN WITHDREW)!!!!

THE GULF AREA OCCUPIES GREAT IMPORTANCE IN THE IMPERIALIST PLANS DUE TO TWO REASONS:-

1) BEING A STRATEGIC MILITARY CENTRE. THIS MADE THE COLONIALISTS RUN AFTER FOR LONG AND WAGE WARS AGAINST EACH OTHER AND LAUNCH ATROCIOUS MILITARY RAIDS AGAINST THE AREA PEOPLE.

2) DURING THE YEARS WHICH FOLLOWED THE SECOND WORLD WAR UPTO NOW THE AREA OCCUPIED A NEW POSITION IN ADDITION TO ITS STRATEGIC POSITION AS OIL STARTED FLOWING TO FORM THE ECONOMIC LIFE OF THE AREA. THEREFORE, IN THE COURSE OF COMPLICATED INTERNATIONAL POLICY AND THE QUICK DEVELOPMENT OF EVENTS AND WHEN TO SPEAK ABOUT THE GULF AREA AND KNOW ~~HOW~~ WHAT GOES ON THERE AND HOW THE IMPERIALISTIC PLANS ARE IMPLEMENTED IN THE AREA, WE MUST DISCUSS THE IMPORTANCE ENJOY BY THE AREA IN THE IMPERIALISTIC PLANS. IN ORDER TO DISCUSS THE IMPORTANCE OF THE GULF AREA, WE MUST EXPLAIN THE COLONIALIST NATURE WHICH REVEALED FOR THE PAST TWO CENTURIES IN THE BRITISH POLICY.

BRITAIN, WHICH ISOLATED THE AREA AND ITS PEOPLE THROUGHOUT ONE AND A HALF CENTURES AND ADHERED TO HER RIGHT TO CONTROL THE AREA FOLLOWING BY THAT SEVERAL MEANS NOT RELATED TO LAW AND ORDER, CANNOT TODAY ABANDON THE GULF PARTICULARLY THAT INTERESTS BECAME MORE LIVELY TO HER. THIS IS NOT DIFFICULT TO UNDERSTAND AS IT CAN BE KNOWN FROM THE PROCESSION OF BRITISH COLONIALISM IN THE WORLD. IT IS KNOWN ABOUT BRITAIN THAT SHE WONT WITHDRAW FROM ANY AREA IF NON-WITHDRAWAL IS THREATENING HER INTERESTS.

BRITAIN, WHICH DEVOTED PARTITION IN THE AREA DURING THE PERIOD IT OCCUPIED THE ULF, CANNOT TODAY UNITE THE AREA PARTICULARLY THAT BRITAIN'S POLICY IS WELL KNOWN - "DIVIDE AND ULE".

THEN WHAT IS THE NATURE OF THE COLONIALIST PLANS IN THE GULF? AND WHAT IS THE FEDERATION PROJECT? AND HOW TO INTERPRETE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FEDERATION BETWEEN THE SIX AMIRATES?

IN FACT THE APPEARANCE OF OIL IN THE GULF AREA BROUGHT ABOUT PARTNERS FOR BRITAIN AS SHE IS NO MORE THE ONLY MISTRESS IN THE AREA. MOREOVER, THE PROFESSION OF OIL EXTRACTION, BROKE, TO SOME EXTENT, THE BLOCKADE IMPOSED BY BRITAIN ON THE GULF PEOPLE ESPECIALLY THAT OIL BEGAN TO FLOW IN BIG QUANTITIES AND IN MORE THAN ONE MIRATE.

THEN THE PRESENCE OF NEW INSTALLATIONS AND THE APPEARANCE OF NEW TOWNS HAD DIRECT EFFECT ON THE PEOPLE OF THE GULF. THE LIBERATION MOVEMENTS WHICH TOOK PLACE IN THE ARAB HOMELAND REFLECTED THEIR EFFECT ON THE GULF PEOPLE AS NEW CIRCUMSTANCES SPRING UP AND COLLIDE WITH THE COLONIAL PRESENCE AND FEUDALIST AND MONOPOLISTIC OPPRESSION EXERCISED BY THE PUPPET SHEIKHS AND THE COLONIALIST. ALL THIS PILED UP UNTIL IT REACHED A MOMENT FOR EXPLOSION. IN FACT THE NATIONALIST CURRENT BEGAN TO GROW AND EXPRESS ITSELF TAKING SEVERAL METHODS DURING THE DIFFERENT STAGES STARTING WITH RESISTANCE IN AN UNORGANISED MANNER BY THE CITIZENS IN DUBAI AND RAS AL-KHAIMA, THE MOVE OF 1956 IN BAHRAIN WHICH TOOK UP A NEW FORM WHICH WAS MORE DEVELOPED AND ENDING WITH THE UPRISINGS OF 1957 AND 1959 IN OMAN, THE UPRISING OF 1963 IN QATAR AND THE UPRISINGS OF 1965 IN BAHRAIN AND 1965 IN DHOFAR. ALL THESE UPRISINGS WERE MADE BY OUR PEOPLE TO SHOW THAT THEY WILL CONTINUE THEIR RESISTANCE AGAINST OCCUPATION AND OTHER TRIBAL MOVES.

ALL THIS MADE BRITAIN AND HER COLONIALIST PARTNERS MAKE PLANS IN ORDER TO RID THE AREA FROM THE WINDS OF THE REVOLUTION AND TO PROTECT THEIR INTERESTS. THEY GRANTED KUWAIT INDEPENDENCE PRIOR TO PAVING THE WAY FOR HER TO LEAD A FEDERATION TO BE ESTABLISHED IN THE AREA. THEN THEY THOUGHT ABOUT SAUDI AREA AND THEN IRAN. BUT ALL THESE ATTEMPTS ENDED WITH NO RESULT AND THE MASS REVOLUTIONARY CURRENT WAS GROWING IN THE AREA AND THE IMPERIALIST INTERESTS BECAME MORE AND MORE THREATENED EVERY DAY.

DURING THE PAST FOUR YEARS, IMPERIALISM BEGAN THINKING OF DIVIDING THE AREA IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS INTERESTS. IN OTHER WORDS TO SPECIFY THE MONOPOLISTIC INTERESTS AND TO ~~XX~~ DIVIDE THE AREA INTO PIECES.

THE FEDERATION PROJECT WAS LAID DOWN AS A GAME TO DISTRACT THE ATTENTION OF THE WORLD AND LOCAL PUBLIC OPINIONS IN GENERAL AND THE POPULAR PUBLIC OPINION IN PARTICULAR WHILE THE COLONIALIST CIRCLES CONTINUE THE FINAL FORM OF THIS FEDERATION. ALL COLONIALIST CIRCLES BEGAN DRAWING UP, THROUGH REPORTS AND DELEGATIONS SENT BY THEM AND VISITS AND MEETINGS, THE PICTURE OF THE BRITISH PROJECT UNTIL THE FIRST LINES OF THIS PICTURE APPEARED TO REFLECT FROM THE FIRST MOMENT THE AIMS OF IMPERIALISM TO CREATE WEAK ENTITIES, GRANT THEM FAKE INDEPENDENCE AND MERGE THEM IN THE ARAB LEAGUE AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANISATIONS TO GIVE THEM THE LEGITIMATE FORM WHILE THESE ENTITIES CONTINUE TO PROTECT THE IMPERIALIST INTERESTS IN THE AREA AND REMAIN UNDER THE TIGHT GRIP OF BRITISH COLONIALISM WITHOUT AROUSING THE WRATH OF THE PEOPLE. THIS APPEARED IN THE SO-CALLED SULTANATE WHEN BRITAIN REPLACED SAEED BIN TAIMOUR BY HIS SON AND PUSHED FORWARD THE SULTANATE TO ASK FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE ARAB LEAGUE AND THE UNITED NATIONS. THEN BAHRAIN AND QATAR WERE EXCLUDED FROM THE FEDERATION AND LATER FOLLOWED BY RAS AL-KHAIMAH. AFTERWARDS A SIX-MEMBER FEDERATION WAS ANNOUNCED PRIOR TO DELIVERY OF AUTHORITY TO IT AFTER THE PROPOSED BRITISH WITHDRAWAL.

IN FACT BRITAIN WILL NOT WITHDRAW FROM THE GULF. THIS WAS DEMONSTRATED BY THE REVOLUTION FROM THE FIRST DAY OF THE DECLARATION OF THE BRITISH PROJECT. BRITAIN AND HER ALLIES ONLY WANTED TO ABSORB THE WRATH OF THE PEOPLE AGAINST THE FEUDALIST AND COLONIALIST RULE IN ORDER TO RID THE AREA FROM THE REVOLUTIONARY STORMS ~~XXX~~ WHICH STARTED TO REACH THE OIL SPRINGS AND BRITISH BASES.

IT CAN BE NOTED FROM ALL MOVEMENTS WHICH TOOK PLACE FROM 1968 UPTO THE DECLARATION OF THE SIX-MEMBER FEDERATION THAT IT WAS INTENDED TO KEEP RAS AL-KHAIMAH FROM THIS FEDERATION. SOON AFTER THE DECLARATION OF THE FEDERATION, THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE BEGAN TO ANNOUNCE THE INTENTION OF RAS AL-KHAIMAH TO CONCLUDE A DEFENCE ACCORD WITH BRITAIN. THEN REPORTS FLOW IN TO SAY THAT BRITAIN WILL WITHDRAW HER FORCES FROM SHARJAH AND BAHRAIN TO RAS AL-KHAIMAH. THIS MEANS THAT BRITISH EXISTENCE WILL REMAIN IN THE GULF IN A MANNER NOT EXPECTED BY OBSERVERS. SELECTION OF RAS AL-KHAIMAH WAS NOT MERE COINCIDENCE BUT THERE WERE SEVERAL FACTORS WHICH INVITED THE SELECTION OF RAS AL-KHAIMAH. THESE INCLUDED:-

- THAT RAS AL-KHAIMAH IS A NEW STRATEGY FOR THE BIRTH OF ARMED STRUGGLE IN ADDITION TO THE INDIGNATION OF ITS INHABITANTS AGAINST THE EXISTING SITUATION;

- THAT RAS AL-KHAIMAH ENJOYS A GOOD POSITION AT THE ENTRANCE OF THE GULF AS MOST OIL CARAVANS PASS ACROSS ITS WATERS. THIS CONFIRMS ITS STRATEGIC IMPORTANCE. ONE OF THE BRITISH PEOPLE SAID THAT WHOEVER RULES RAS AL-KHAIMAH WILL RULE THE ENTIRE GULF!

- THE NATIONALIST FORCES AT RAS AL-KHAIMAH GROW VASTLY THAN IN OTHER AMIRATES. THE COLONIALISTS TRIED TO LIQUIDATE THESE FORCES FURTHER FOLLOWING DIFFERENT METHODS INCLUDED ENTICEMENT IN A COLLECTIVE MANNER (THE EXPERIMENT OF 1969 MADE BY ZAID).

ALL THESE CIRCUMSTANCES AND EVENTS PROOVE THE IMPERIALIST PLANS WHICH AIM AT PROTECTING ITSELF FROM ONE HAND AND HITTING THE MASS MOVEMENT AND ISOLATING THE REVOLUTION IN THE SOUTHERN AREA ON THE OTHER. THE PROJECTS LAID DOWN AND CHANGED EVERY DAY AND THE ENTITIES WHICH APPEAR DAILY ARE ONLY FOR SAFEGUARDING THE IMPERIALIST PRESENCE WHICH PROTECTS THE IMPERIALIST INTERESTS IN THE AREA. BUT IS IT TO SAY THAT THESE ENTITIES WHICH APPEARED RECENTLY FORM THE END OF THE ROAD?

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QABOOS RULE STRANGLER BY ISOLATION DUE TO "HEALTH REASONS"

AFTER THE ELAPSE OF MORE THAN ONE YEAR OVER THE RULE OF QABOOS AND AFTER A SERIES AND CHAIN OF FLOOD LIGHTS REFLECTED ON HIM BY THE COLONIALIST AND REACTIONARY CIRCLES, IT APPEARS CLEAR TO THE EYE HIS FAILURE TO REALISE ANY PROGRESS IN THE SITUATION IN OMAN AND HIS COMPLETE FAILURE TO FACE THE MASSES AND SOLVE THEIR DAILY PROBLEMS WHICH HE PROMISED TO SOLVE SINCE THE DAY HE CAME TO POWER. INSTEAD OF ACHIEVING ANY REMARKABLE SUCCESS AT INTERNAL LEVEL, HE ADDED TO THE COUNTRY'S PROBLEMS AND DIFFICULTIES AND EXHAUSTED THE MASSES WITH A SERIES OF OPPRESSIVE AND DETECTIVE MEASURES WHICH MADE HIM LIVE IN ISOLATION.

AFTER THE ELAPSE OF MORE THAN ONE YEAR, THE OBSERVERS DISCOVER THAT BRITISH INFLUENCE IN OMAN INCREASED AND THE NUMBER OF BRITISH ADVISERS VASTLY INCREASED TOO. THE BASES OF THE BRITISH ARMY AND ITS TRAINING CENTRES EXPANDED AND INCREASED IN NUMBER AND SPREAD ALL OVER OMAN, THAT EVEN ONE OF THE JOURNALISTS, WHO IS PUPPET FORM IS UNDOUBTED, WROTE AT THE END OF AN ARTICLE PUBLISHED IN A GULF NEWSPAPER: "IF THE NEW ERA IN MUSCAT CONCENTRATED A LITTLE ON THE ARABISATION OF THE ARMY AND POLICY AND IF IT TRIED TO REDUCE DEPENDENCE ON THE BRITISH OFFICERS IT WOULD HAVE GAINED MUCH!!!"

AFTER MORE THAN ONE YEAR OVER THE QABOOS RULE, THE PUPPET INFORMATION MINISTER REPEATS THE SAME REASONS REPEATED BY TAREQ BIN TAIMOUR ONE YEAR BEFORE THE INDEPENDENCE OF OMAN AND THE REASONS THAT MADE THE SULTANATE REJECT AND REFUSE TO EMPLOY THE OMANIS.

AT HIS PRESS CONFERENCE WHICH WAS HELD ON 25TH JULY, 1971, TAI SAID THAT THE COUNTRY NEEDS WORKING HANDS, BUT THE OMANIS DO NOT WANT TO WORK IN BUILDING PROJECTS AND THE COUNTRY IS IN NEED TO YOUTH WHO WILL JOIN THE ARMY BUT THE OMANIS ARE NOT FIT FOR THE ARMY DUE TO HEALTH REASONS. WE DISTRIBUTED THE EMPLOYMENT PAPERS TO THE OMANIS ABROAD AND ASKED THEM NOT TO COME UNTIL WE PAVE FOR THEM THE RESIDENCE AND SHELTER. AS TO THE SHELL COMPANY, IT SENT ENVOYS TO ENROLL THE OMANIS IN HER EMPLOYMENT BUT IT TOLD THEM (THE OMANIS) THAT IT WILL CALL THEM IN FUTURE AS SOON POSSIBLE. HE FORGOT TO SPEAK ABOUT THE EPIDEMICS SPREADING IN JAALAN EAST IN PARTICULAR THE CHOLERA EPIDEMIC AND WHY THE AUTHORITIES REFUSED TO RECEIVE THE DRUGS FROM ABROAD BECAUSE THE CITIZENS ARE DISSIDENTS.

THE PUPPET RULE DID NOT ACHIEVE SUCCESS AT ARAB AND INTERNATIONAL LEVELS AS THE ARAB COUNTRIES REFUSE TO RECOGNISE THIS REGIME AND COLONIALIST TERRITORY AND REFUSE TO BRING INTO THE ARAB LEAGUE. IT REPEATEDLY ASKED THIS REGIME TO SUBMIT AN OFFICIAL STATEMENT EXPLAINING ITS RELATIONS WITH BRITAIN. THE ARAB LEAGUE ALSO TRIED TO SEND A DELEGATION ON A FACT-FINDING MISSION BUT THE QABOOS REGIME REFUSED AS DID THE RULE OF SAED BIN TAIMOUR BEFORE.

THE ARAB AND FOREIGN COUNTRIES (EXCLUDING THE IMPERIALIST COUNTRIES) DISCOVERED THE FALSEHOOD OF THE CLAIMS CIRCULATED BY THE REGIME ABOUT INDEPENDENCE AND SOVEREIGNTY. REPORTS FROM MUSCAT STATED THAT THE BRITISH OCCUPY ALL IMPORTANT POSITIONS AND CONTROL EVERY SMALL AND BIG THINKG LEAVE ALONE THE MILITARY BASES WHICH THREATEN THE PEACE AND SECURITY OF THE ARAB COUNTRIES.

AT A TIME IN WHICH THIS PUPPET REGIME COME TO THE NUDE AND THE ~~xxx~~ LAST CARD WITH WHICH IT IS COVERING ITSELF FALLS, THE REVOLUTIONARY MASSES JUMP FROM VICTORY TO VICTORY AND REALISE WITH THEIR WILL THE CHERISH FREEDOM AND PROGRESS. THE MASSES IN THE LIBERATED AREAS ELECT THEIR LEADERSHIPS AND PEOPLE'S COUNCILS AND THE WHOLE CITIZENS, IN SPIE OF THEIR ILL-HBALTH, CARRY THE ARMS AND DEFEND THEIR LAND WHILE THE HONEST AND NATIONALIST ELEMENTS JOIN THE LIBERATION ARMY FROM THE SULTANATE ARMY DAILY TO ENJOY FREEDOM, EQUALITY, PRESTIGE AND DIGNITY.

IN THE FACE OF ALL THESE VICTORIES THE POPULAR FRONT LAID DOWN ITS NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PROGRAMME FOR THE ENTIRE PEOPLE INCLUDING WORKERS, PEASANTS, INTELLECTUALS AND ALL SECTIONS OF THE PEOPLE, FOR REALISING MORE VICTORIES FOR THE PEOPLE AND EXPELLING THE BRITISH AGGRESSORS AND THEIR FEUDALIST STOOGES OF TRIBAL FAMILIES. OUR PEOPLE ARE DETERMINED TO RECOVER THEIR RIGHTS AND ARE FULLY CONFIDENT OF WINNING VICTORY.

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