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Sec. Gen., Cordier, Bunche meeting.

- Suggestions to UNOGIL

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On receipt of Unogil 358 Monday morning I had a meeting with Cordier and Bunche, at which I proposed the following action:

1. Cable to Group saying that in the light of Bull's evaluation we felt that matter of reporting had become matter of urgency. We therefore expect that the Group would speed up its consideration of the observations and the conclusions to be drawn from them.
2. Suggestion to the Group that Bull personally see Harami at once pointing out that the Group was in possession of the observations mentioned in Unogil 358 and with such observations any attack on Tripoli was likely to be judged as an act of aggression. The Group further should consider making formal request to Harami ^{for} ~~with~~ full access to area North of Tripoli.
3. Loutfi should be informed about development with the observation that nothing could of course undo what had happened in the course of last week and that ~~such~~ the only way to straighten things out would be for Egypt to take strong and open counter-action.
4. Malik must be informed about probability of report so as not to leave New York unwarned.
5. The US Delegation to be informed about our approach to the Group

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