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ON KOREA TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL TRANSMITTING
A REPORT CONCERNING THE MILITARY SITUATION

Commission met this morning 1000 hours and considered latest reports on hostilities and results direct observation along parallel by UNCOK Military Observers over period ending forty-eight hours before hostilities began. Commission's present view on basis this evidence is first that judging from actual progress of operations Northern Regime is carrying out well planned concerted and full scale invasion of South Korea, second that South Korean forces were deployed on wholly defensive basis in all sectors of the parallel and third, that they were taken completely by surprise as they had no reason to believe from intelligence sources that invasion was imminent. Commission is following events and will report further developments.
