

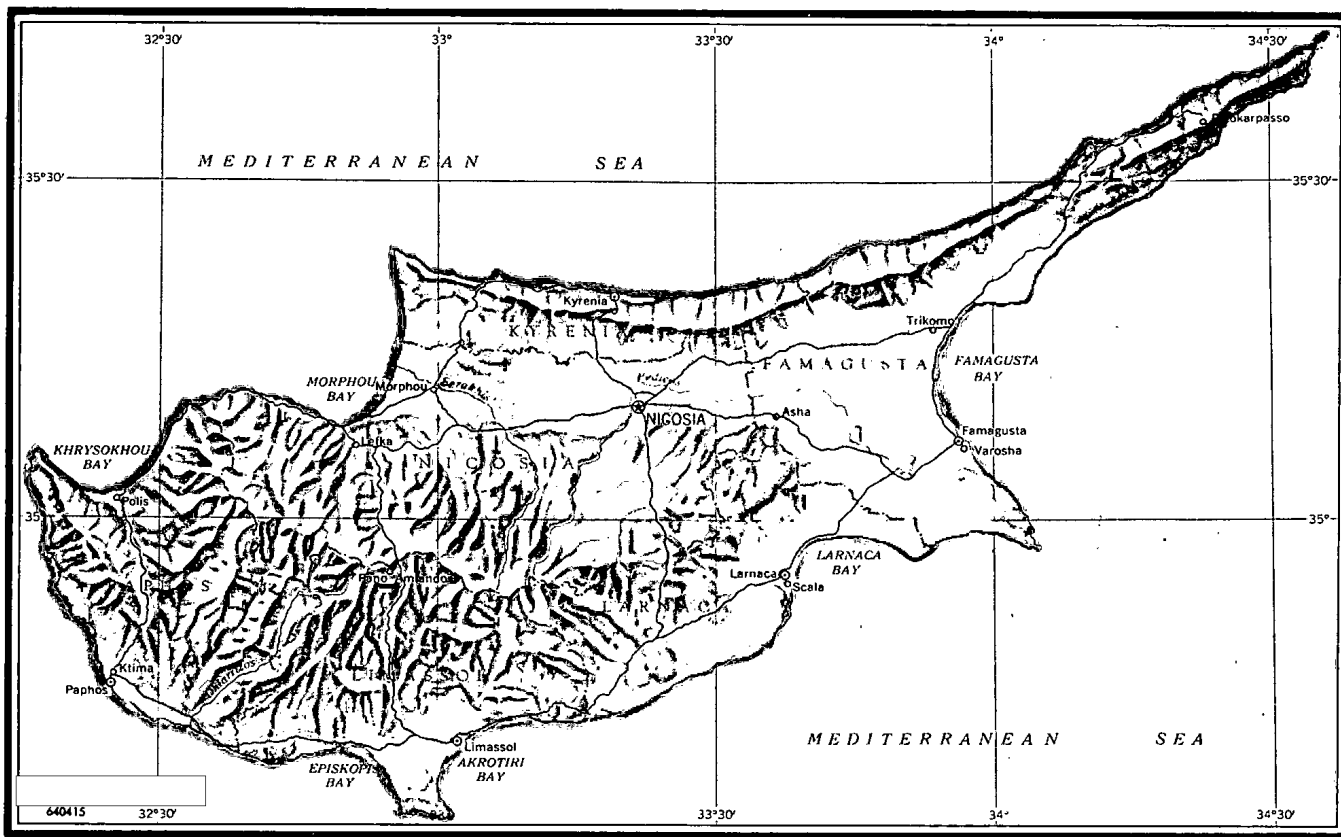
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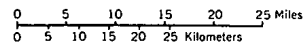
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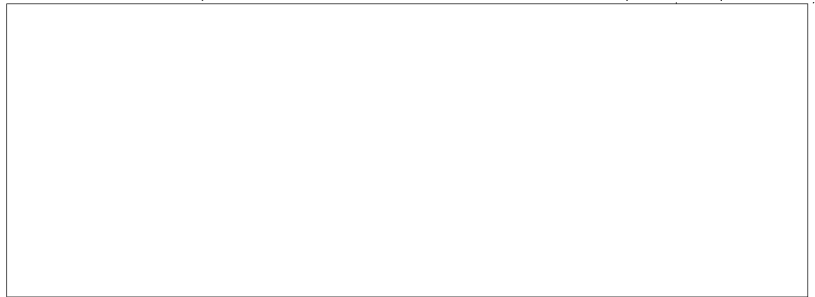
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- District boundary
- District administrative seat
- Road



1. Cyprus

a. Sporadic firing continues in Nicosia and at points along the Turkish-controlled Nicosia-Kyrenia highway.

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d. Makarios' statement yesterday indicating that Grivas will not be going to Cyprus at this time probably reflects the Archbishop's unwillingness to meet Grivas' demand for political as well as military authority.

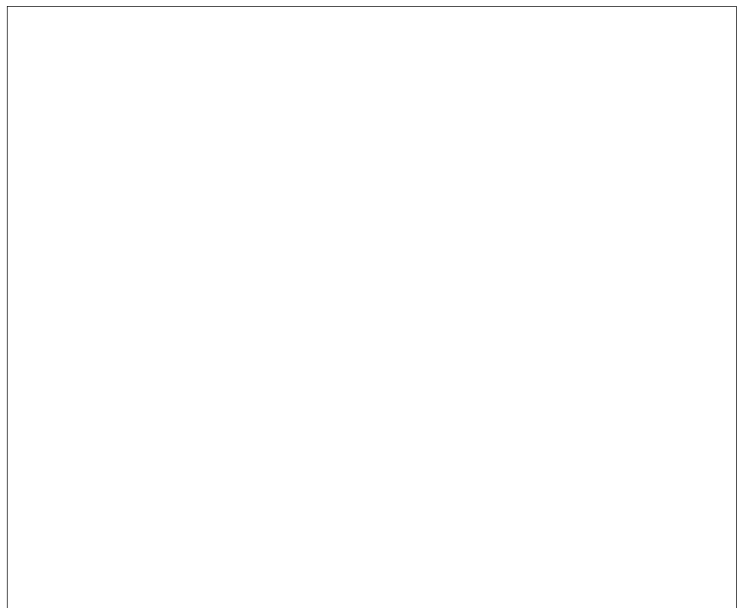
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3. South Vietnam -
Cambodia - US

a. Embassy Saigon believes that as many as 1,000 of the 1,677 ethnic Cambodians receiving training in Vietnamese Special Forces camps may be members of the anti-Sihanouk Khmer Serei dissidents.

b. These trainees are usually picked by individual Vietnamese province chiefs. The embassy has no evidence that it is South Vietnamese national policy to support the Khmer Serei; it notes that many ethnic Khmer make effective combat troops.

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c. The Cambodians are generally aware that Khmer Serei dissidents are receiving training, and Sihanouk has chosen to interpret it as a US sponsored effort directed against him.

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NOTES

A. Syria The Baath government has moved quickly to quell disturbances which broke out yesterday in the northern city of Hama. Nineteen participants, reportedly followers of former Baathist leader Akram Hawrani and conservative elements, have been arrested. The government claims to have full control of the situation, though [redacted] [redacted] predicts further antiregime activity in other parts of Syria during the next few days.

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B. India-Pakistan Indian officials are warily watching Sheikh Abdullah's well-publicized tour of his Kashmir homeland, during which he has once again been advocating independence. They are worried since this sort of talk not only agitates the Kashmiris but is likely to stir up the communal problem, which is always at flash point.

C. Spain-USSR Negotiations for a resumption of diplomatic relations between Madrid and Moscow now appear to be indefinitely stalled. [redacted]

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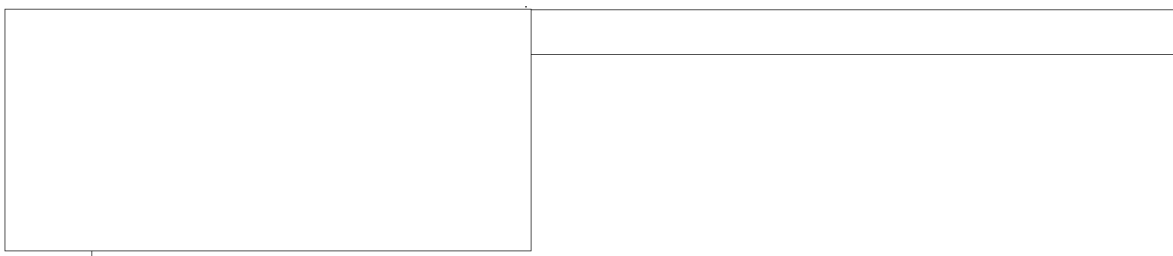
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