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- On 11 November King Faruq sent to Amr Pasha, the Egyptian Ambassador to London, his final instructions regarding Egypt's attitude toward the disposition of the former North African Italian colonies. Source claims that the Ambassador was "delighted" with the King's decision to support the British on this question in the United Nations. In addition to their support of the British proposal regarding Cyrenaica, source states that the Egyptians would be willing to back any future British claim to trusteeship over Tripolitania.
- The King instructed the Ambassador not to suggest in his discussions with the British Foreign Office that Egypt's support of the British in the United Nations regarding Cyrenaica was conditioned on the conclusion of a satisfactory agreement on the question of the British troops in the Canal Zone.

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