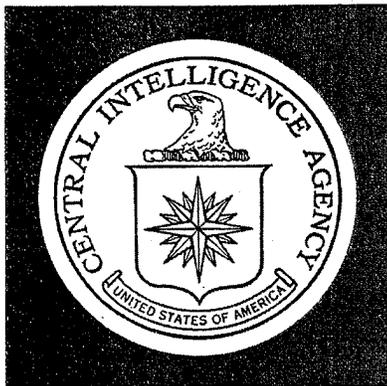


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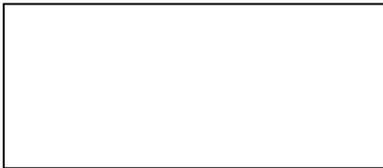
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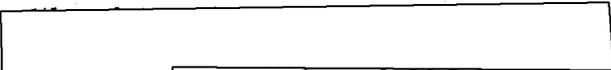
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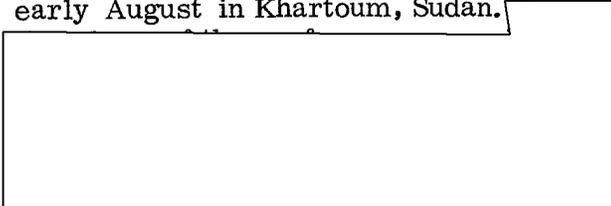
SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

Although short lulls in CW activity have occurred, to date Egypt shows no sign of stopping its use of toxic agents. World publicity, including the statement by the International Red Cross, has not changed the Egyptian position on use of CW. Egypt appears to believe that these agents are an effective way of combatting the guerrilla tactics of the Royalists.

Egypt continued use of toxics through 5 June, the date on which the Arab-Israeli war began. From 7 June to until 1 July, no instance of toxic employment is known,



From 1 through 23 July, however, nine chemical bombing attacks were made. Use of chemicals was suspended then, possibly due to the conference of Arab foreign ministers in early August in Khartoum, Sudan.



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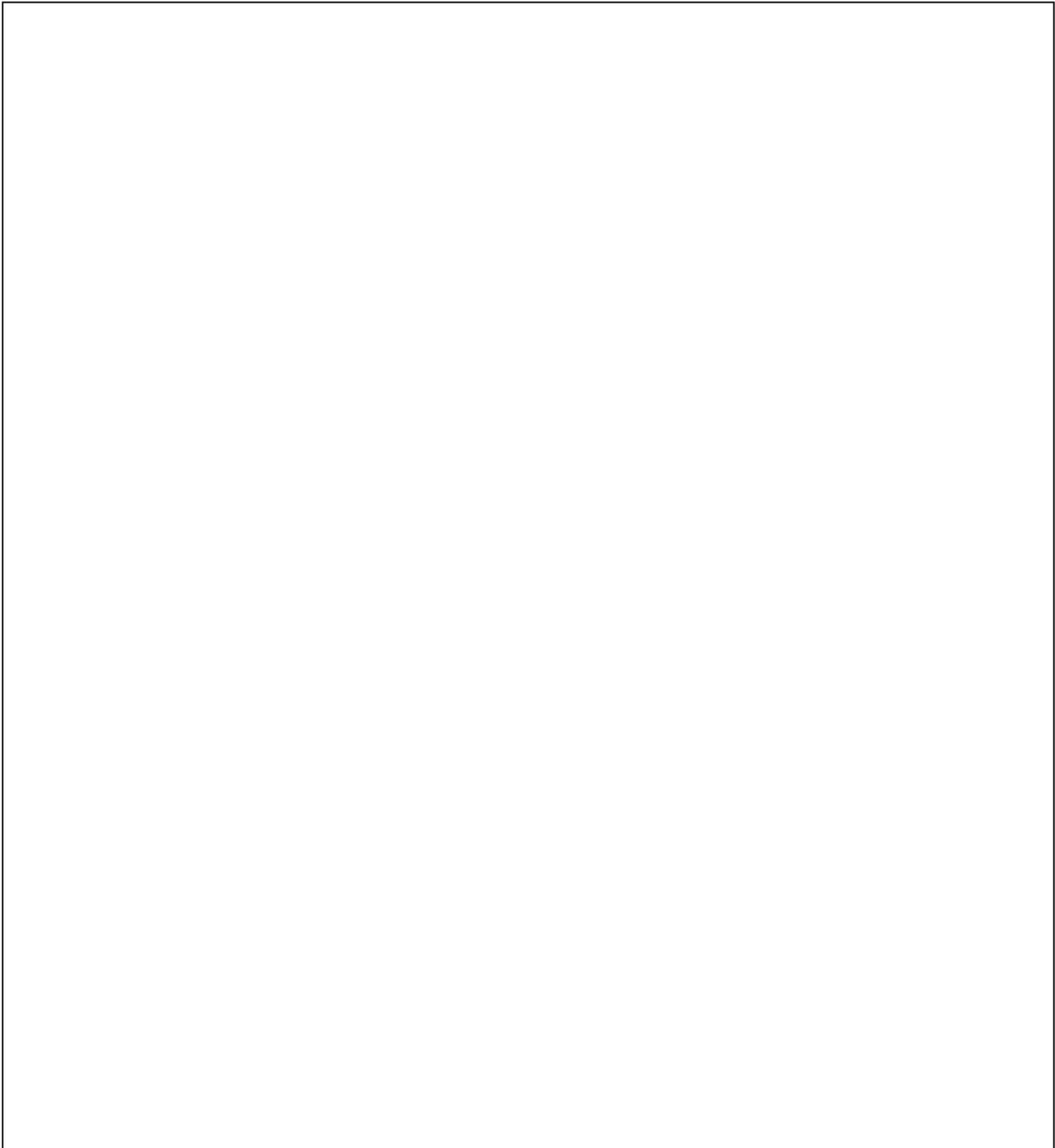


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