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CAIRO, Nov. 2—President Nasser has indicated that he is preparing for long-term guerrilla warfare against the British and French throughout the country.

He said yesterday that he had ordered arms distributed to every Egyptian. Military authorities called on every able-bodied man and woman from the ages of 21 to 28 to offer their services to the National Liberation Army.

At an emergency Cabinet meeting last night, the President proclaimed martial law and imposed censorship on all incoming and outgoing news.

The Minister of the Interior, Zakaria Mohieddin, who has been placed at the head of civilian affairs in the country with the President directing military affairs, is to be chief censor.

The Nasser regime also said it had considered withdrawing from the United Nations. However, after the emergency meeting last night, the President announced that Egypt would stay in the world organization.

President Nasser said he would urge Dag Hammarkjold to stay in as Secretary General "to carry out his mission of maintaining peace."

Cairo underwent at least ten air raid alerts from dawn to dusk yesterday. Traffic continued to move on most streets. Shops remained open, although business was almost at a standstill.

In one raid, bombers came in low over the center of the city and bombed a factory in the crowded Shubra district.

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