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The scene to-day in British Guiana--

Oct 16th. 1953.

Through the prompt action of the Government to forestall an attempt to force Communism upon the Colony of British Guiana, ^{AND SHIPS} troops [^] were rushed to Georgetown- the capital. / 29

After disembarkation, the first job was to set up makeshift camp until suitable barrack-accommodation could be found.

Meanwhile, in Georgetown, it was "business as usual"- as a meeting of the State Assembly opened in Parliament Buildings. ³⁾
^{The former} ~~At the~~ head of the British Guiana Government ^{was!} Dr Jagan- an East-Indian by birth- who, with his American-born wife Janet, was named as having links with the Communists. 30

Although uneasiness prevailed amongst the crowds in the streets, the arrival of the ~~British~~ British troops did much to strengthen the morale of the local police. / 25

Events in Guiana will be followed with anxiety---- But by ~~moving~~ moving so quickly, the British Government may well have prevented serious trouble- in a confused and difficult situation. / 28