

Trieste: A strip of disputed territory, bordering the Adriatic, that has been divided, since the war, by the Nationalist claims of Italy and Yugoslavia. A " tinder-box " of the Balkans that has flared up in frequent riots.

Until last year (when it was transferred to Italian administration) Zone A was garrisoned by Britain and America. The neighbouring Zone came under Yugoslav jurisdiction. Now British and American statesmanship has been rewarded. For after months of secret negotiations, the Ambassadors of Italy and Yugoslavia, with British and American representatives, met in London, to initial an agreement on the disputed territory.

Mr Eden was ~~present~~ <sup>PREVENTED</sup> by a cold, from presiding over the Conference.

Among the documents signed were maps, showing the lines of zonal demarcation, which, (except for minor adjustments) remain intact. While the rights of minorities in each zone are safeguarded.

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