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## Cairo Says U.S. Joined In Syria Plot

CAIRO, Oct. 1 — The authoritative Egyptian newspaper al-Ahram said today Saudi Arabia, Jordan, the United States and British intelligence services were involved in a "Bay of Pigs" style conspiracy aimed at toppling Syria's leftist regime.

The paper said details of the plot were revealed by former Syrian Army Col. Tallal Abu Asali, who fled to Jordan after taking part in last month's unsuccessful Syrian coup attempt.

He had now arrived in Cairo to lay evidence before Egyptian authorities, the paper added.

Al-Ahram quoted as claiming that King Faisal of Saudi Arabia was financing the plot, while Jordan's King Hussein, was supervising it.

The papers said the object was to bring down the Syrian Government and form one which received orders from Saudi Arabia and Jordan with the blessing of Washington and London.