

located. But we will have to wait until some of these matters are decided before the decision on that is made.

5 I would like to say this: there was a story yesterday -- and the Leader of the Opposition asked me about this in the House yesterday -- about a report that France was withdrawing not only its military but its political support from the NATO organi-
10 zation. I can say that the story seems to be wholly unfounded, and likewise there is no basis for suggesting that the Government of France proposes to ask that the Council be not maintained in Paris. The latest information I have is that the story to that effect yesterday, and about which there was also a question,
15 has no basis in fact.

This is a very important meeting for the future integrity of the organization, and it has a very definite bearing on the improvement of international relations in the next period.

20 BEN MALKIN: Sir, has de Gaulle consulted with the NATO Alliance about what he is going to talk about in Moscow immediately after the Brussels meeting?

HON. PAUL MARTIN: The opportunity will be afforded to the French foreign minister of indicating the talks that he has had in Roumania and, more
25 recently, in Poland. I am sure that, following NATO practice, he will make a report of conversations that do have a very great interest for all NATO members. And I would hope that he would find it desirable to
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