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LETTER DATED 14 MARCH 1951 FROM THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE NETHERLANDS
TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL IN REPLY TO THE SECRETARY-GENERAL'S
CABLEGRAM OF 14 JULY 1950 (S/1619) CONCERNING THE
SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTIONS OF 25 AND 27 JUNE
AND 7 JULY 1950 (S/1501, S/1511, S/1588)

Further to my letter of the 8th inst. (S/2041), I have the honour, under instructions received, to inform you that Her Netherlands Majesty's ship "van Galen" will shortly proceed to the Far East in order to join the United Nations naval forces operating in Korean waters. The above Netherlands destroyer will relieve H. Neth. M. destroyer "Evertsen", which, as stated in my telegram of the 5th July 1950, No. 1, was at that time despatched to Korean waters and has since the end of July 1950 taken part in the United Nations naval operations in Korean waters.

I may add that the "van Galen" is manned by 16 officers and 268 other ranks and that she is commanded by Lt.-Commander A.M. Valkenburg R.N.N. The destroyer will arrive on the 18th April in Hong-Kong and will there join the flag of the Senior Naval Officer in command of the United Nations naval forces in Korea.

I have the honour to be, Sir, your obedient servant,

(Signed) D.J. von BALLUSECK
