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## **U.K. Papers See New IRA Truce**

LONDON — The IRA's top leaders plan to meet for the first time in 10 years in a move that could herald an end to the guerrilla group's violent 27-year campaign to drive Britain from Northern Ireland, newspapers reported Sunday.

Several Sunday newspapers here said the shadowy General Army Convention would meet as early as next month — 10 years after its last gathering — to decide policy for the years ahead.

"If the Army Convention were to meet now, it would almost certainly be to seek endorsement of a formal announcement that the IRA campaign is over," the Observer said.

The Sunday Express said the Irish Republican Army could even be ready to give up some of its weapons as a gesture to gain entry for its political wing, Sinn Fein, to talks on the future of Northern Ireland.

The convention is made up of delegates from all the IRA's units, commands and brigades, according to the Sunday Times. "It is the IRA's supreme authority and the only body with the power to declare permanent peace," it added. (Reuters)

## **Paris Leaps Into Turk-Greek Fray**

ATHENS — France is ready to help Greece and Turkey solve their differences, according to Prime Minister Alain

Juppe. He urged the two NATO allies to reach agreement through the principles of international law.

"Differences must be solved through international organs and the International Court of Justice," Mr. Juppe said Saturday after a meeting with the Greek prime minister, Costas Simitis. "France is prepared to help solve the differences between Greece and Turkey and the two communities on Cyprus."

Greece and Turkey also are divided over sea and air rights in the Aegean Sea and a deserted islet that Athens says belongs to Greece under international treaties. (AP)

## **Le Pen Leads March in Marseille**

MARSEILLE — The extreme-right French politician Jean-Marie Le Pen, ignoring charges of racism, led supporters on a tightly policed march to mourn a white teenager allegedly killed by a youth of Arab origin.

The marchers shouted "France for the French" and "Le Pen for president" as they walked through the city Saturday, guarded by hundreds of police and heckled by counter-protesters who booed and denounced the marchers as racists.

The police estimated that 2,000 people attended the rally for Nicolas Bourgat, 14, who was stabbed to death on Tuesday. The boy's father, a doctor, was among many who pleaded against the march, saying he did not want his son's death used for political ends. (Reuters)

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