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The Monthly Report on the General Situation in the Republic of Yemen (July 2020)



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POLITICAL PREFACE

1. During the futile and unjust war that Yemen, the land and people, is exposed to, many facts, known to some free and honorable people of the world, are revealed to us day by day, due to the misleading media of the US-Saudi-led war countries against Yemen.
2. One of these facts is the direct strategic relationship on the ground between the countries of war on Yemen and Al-Qaeda network, namely Al-Qaeda Network in the Arab Peninsula (AQAP). The US has long reiterated about the gravity of this faction of Al-Qaeda centered in Qayfah region of Al-Bayda governorate, as being the strongest in the region, and demanded broad international cooperation to participate in its elimination. The US has previously carried out empty and ineffective air operations that merely killed innocent people in the region, which enables Al-Qaeda to gain popular sympathy following every raid and subsequently increases its power. It also exposes many facts about the reality of the US fighting against terrorism in Yemen and the region.
3. As the government and people of Yemen reject terrorist groups, the heroes of army and popular committees were able to hunt them in all the areas where they have been centered for decades inside the northern regions of Yemen. The last of their strongholds was Qayfah-Yakla area of Al-Bayda governorate, their headquarters that hosts hundreds of foreign Al-Qaeda elements. The army and popular committees proved the most amazing stories of heroism, in cooperation with the people of the region, who have suffered from violence, oppression and killing by these groups. Our heroes were able to defeat them in a few days and captured many of them who belong to a number of foreign countries. Those who could survive have fled to settle in areas in the southern part of the homeland, which are under the control of the countries of War Coalition against Yemen.
4. While battles are raging in the main center and den of Al-Qaeda network, the Saudi-funded US-warplanes launch dozens of raids, on a daily basis, against the heroes of the army and popular committees. Obviously, such strikes are only in defense of and support for Al-Qaeda network, which they keep warning against its danger, call for combating it and demand an international coalition to enter Yemen under the pretext of toppling it. In addition, there is generous support for Al-Qaeda with money and weapons, which has been evidently documented in audio and video.
5. This support and air raids were shocking to those, whether at home or abroad, who had not yet realized the reality of the US-Saudi relationship with terrorist groups. However, they were essential to warn the remaining misguided people of the region and an incentive for the honorable and free people of the world to support Yemen, which defends, on their behalf, freedom, dignity and independence against the forces of terrorism and its supporters.

ECONOMIC SITUATION

6. The Yemeni people continue to suffer, as 80% of civil servants have not received their salaries since the countries of War Coalition against Yemen relocated CBY administration from Sana'a to Aden Governorate in August 2016. This has led to an obvious increase in the ratio of unemployment and poverty and a decline in basic services, which negatively and significantly affected their lives and their families.
7. The World Food Program (WFP) stated that Yemen is vulnerable to famine due to threats of food insecurity, economic collapse, high food prices, and declining foreign currency remittances. Besides, one third of Yemen's population can no longer afford to buy adequate food.
8. The UAE-backed Transitional Council accuses Hadi's government in Riyadh of being responsible for interrupting the salaries of army and security forces in the southern regions, and that the newly printed banknotes have caused inflation and devaluation of the Yemeni riyal. This exposes the real intention of the countries of War Coalition against Yemen behind occupying the southern governorates and creating a conflict among their tools.
9. The Supreme Economic Committee in Sana'a accuses the UN envoy of deliberately presenting a misleading picture about the fate of Hodeidah port's revenues, despite his knowledge that they were spent in salaries disbursement. The committee stated that it had provided the UN with all documents proving that the collected balance in the Salary Account at CBY Branch in Hodeidah was used for disbursing half the salary of public sector employees.
10. Only one out of the 16 oil derivatives ships held by the War Coalition against Yemen was released and arrived at Hodeidah port, loaded with 29,262 tons of diesel, after being detained for 127 days.
11. The Yemeni Petroleum Company (YPC) in Sana'a states that the stock of oil derivatives will be completely exhausted, and that all vital sectors are at risk of stoppage, and waiting for the disaster to occur once the oil stocks are depleted.

Meanwhile, the War Coalition against Yemen continues to detain 435 thousand tons of oil and food products on board of the ships, which are prohibited from entering the port of Hodeidah.

Statistics of the economic and agricultural establishments targeted by the Saudi-led coalition air strikes in various governorates during the month of (July 2020)

Enterprise	Size of damage			Notes
	Destroyed	Damaged	Total	
Tank and Water Pumps	2	9	11	Including wells, pumps, reservoirs, water networks and irrigation projects
Agricultural Fields	9	20	29	Including all types of farms as well as agricultural nurseries and equipment
Cattle	13		13	Including sheep, cows, camels, donkeys and others
Poultry Farms	1		1	
Food Trucks	7		7	
Airports		1	1	
Commercial Facilities	1		1	
Boats	2	1	3	
Food Stores	9		9	

HUMANITARIAN SITUATION

The Closure of Sana'a Airport

12. The airport closure, since August 2017, has had a catastrophic impact on the Yemeni people in general and on the health situation in particular. As a result, more than 42,000 patients died, because they were unable to travel abroad for life-saving treatment. In fact, the health situation in Yemen has been greatly affected by the war, as the majority of patients are unable to receive treatment inside the country. Statistics estimate that there are more than 350,000 patients who need to travel abroad to receive treatment for several diseases, the most important of which are cancerous tumors, renal failure, heart diseases, thalassemia, congenital anomalies, plastic surgeries after burns, injuries, etc. In addition, there are wounded children, women and men who were injured by the air strikes of the US-Saudi-led War Coalition countries within 53 months.
13. The closure of Sana'a airport has resulted in the disappearance of a large number of important life-saving medicines (352 brand names), either from the Ministry's stores or the commercial market. Such medicines need very special conditions for transportation, including cooling and speed delivery, which can only be done through Sana'a airport, including blood derivatives medicines, hormonal medicines, immunomodulatory drugs, serums, blood coagulants, anticoagulants, resuscitation and anesthesia medicines and some laboratory and diagnostic solutions.
14. The continuation of the airport's closure for three years is completely unjustified. The airport is fully prepared to receive all civil aircraft, as the UN, its organizations and other international organizations witness this.
15. International organizations such as NRC (Norwegian Refugee Council) and CARE International have issued a strong statement about the closure of Sana'a airport, describing the situation as "a death sentence for thousands of Yemeni patients."

The Issue of Prisoners

16. The issue of prisoners is still pending. Likewise, Amman Prisoner Exchange Agreement has not been implemented due to the failure of the countries of War Coalition against Yemen to implement the Agreement.
17. The prisoners' profile is primarily a humanitarian issue, as there are a number of prisoners and abducted persons who are subjected to torture and systematic killing in the prisons of Marib and elsewhere. The last victim was the captive Abdullah Al-Juridi, who was tortured and murdered in full view of the United Nations and its bodies.

The Tragedy of Al-Durayhimi Goes on

18. Al-Durayhimi tragedy has exposed the falsehood of the UN and its organizations' neutrality and put their humanitarian stand under question. Rather, it confirmed that the UN and its organizations have turned a blind eye to the siege of Al-Durayhimi District in Al-Hodeidah Governorate since August 2018 by the KSA-UAE-led War Coalition against Yemen with direct American and Western support. The UN was unable to deliver the necessary food-and-medicine aids, which were burned and bombed on the way. It did not even show any stand to condemn such a terrorist act.

19. Al-Durayhimi's tragedy continues amidst the silence of the UN and its organizations, which amounts to the participation of the countries of War Coalition against Yemen in killing the Yemenis and massacring them collectively through all means of bombardment and siege.

Safer Floating Oil Storage & Offloading Vessel (FSO Safer)

20. Sana'a government has notified the UN of its approval of the evaluation and maintenance for the tanker. It has also called for a specialized team earlier and renewed this request through official letters later.

21. FSO Safer was one of the most important economic resources for Yemen before the aggression. Now, it has become a threat to the region after 5 years of aggression and siege. The UN and the so-called Legitimate Government bear full responsibility for not responding to the calls of the National Salvation Government to speed up the maintenance of the floating Safer oil tanker. We are also surprised at the UN attitude, which holds the National Salvation Government fully responsible, despite the correspondence made by the government to the United Nations and the Secretary-General's envoy.

Oil derivatives crisis and its humanitarian impacts continues

22. With insistence and arrogance, the countries of War Coalition against Yemen inhumanly and intransigently continue to impose siege, starvation and brutal killing on the Yemeni people. They obstructed the arrival of oil derivatives ships, domestic gas, food, medicine and other urgent needs to Hodeidah port, despite completing all the procedures of inspection and scrutiny in Djibouti through the UN verification and inspection mechanism. All this is taking place, while the world is mobilizing all its forces to face COVID-19 pandemic, which ravages all humanity. As a result of this pandemic, Yemenis face the risk of death amidst an unjust blockade that prevents the entry of oil derivatives ships needed to supply hospitals to face the threat of the deadly virus. The lives of millions of Yemenis are threatened due to the lack of health and logistical capabilities to face diseases and epidemics. This has contributed to spread of the diseases that kill the Yemenis.

CRIMES AND VIOLATIONS

23. During the month of July 2020, the US-KSA-led countries of War Coalition against Yemen and their mercenaries continued deliberately to use their warplanes to launch a number of air strikes on vital civilian places and facilities in various governorates of the Republic. The War Coalition countries and their mercenaries used various heavy and light internationally-prohibited weapons to target populated areas, resulting in the demolition of the civilian homes over the heads of their residents, and the destruction of various vital civil facilities.

24. The countries of War Coalition continue their siege and prevent humanitarian aid from reaching the people of Al-Durayhimi District in particular, and all Yemeni people in various governorates of the Republic in general. Besides, the War Coalition countries and their mercenaries continue to violate Stockholm Agreement through indiscriminate attacks on citizens' homes in Hodeidah and its various districts, especially what happens to Al-Durayhimi district, through direct attacks on civilians in the presence of UN representatives, who are responsible for implementing Stockholm Agreement.

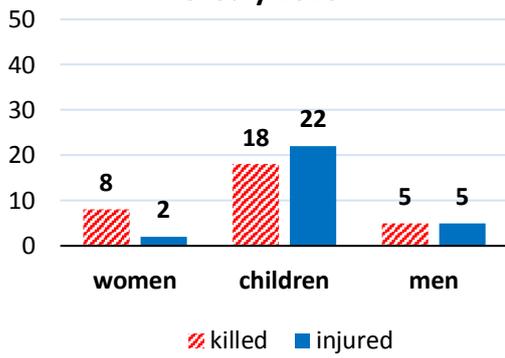
25. A warplane of the War Coalition countries targeted a house in the village of Al-Qateeb, Da'en area, in Washha district of Hajjah governorate, in which the families of the citizens Naif and Asif Musa'ad Mujali Al-Quteeb live, with an air raid that destroyed the house on the heads of their children and women. The attack caused casualties including dead and wounded victims. The number of the dead victims was nine children, while a woman and a little girl were injured.

26. The warplanes of the countries of War Coalition against Yemen also targeted citizens in the Ma'atara area in Khub wal Shaaf district of Al-Jawf governorate, by launching 6 air strikes on civilians, killing 20 people and wounding 7 others.

27. Moreover, the War Coalition countries, through their warplanes, targeted the house of the citizen, Mabkhout Marzouq Mura'i, in Al-Masa'ifa village, in Al-Hazm District of Al-Jawf Governorate, with an air strike that killed 11 people, including 5 children and two women, and wounded 6 children and one woman.

28. The arbitrary restrictions imposed by the War Coalition countries continue to prevent the entry of ships loaded with the basic materials for the lives of Yemenis including foodstuffs, medicine and oil and gas derivatives through Hodeidah port. There are still more than 16 ships loaded with oil derivatives and foodstuffs at sea, which are not allowed to enter Hodeidah port, despite having the UN pass permit documents after inspection.

Civilian Victims during the Month of July 2020

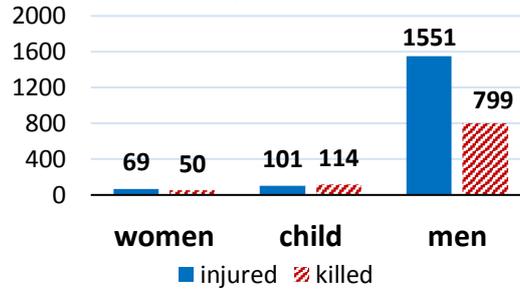


Statistics for Victims During the Month of July 2020

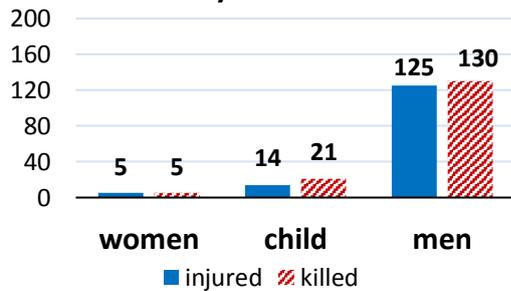
5	killed	18	killed	8	Killed
5	injured	22	injured	2	injured
Dead		Total Victims		Wounded	
31		60		29	

HAPPENED ON THIS MONTH (July of Previous Years)

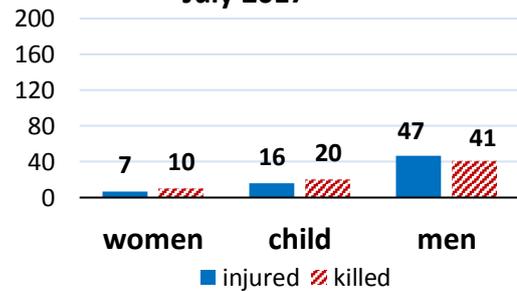
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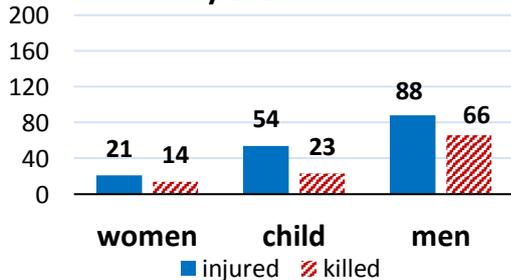
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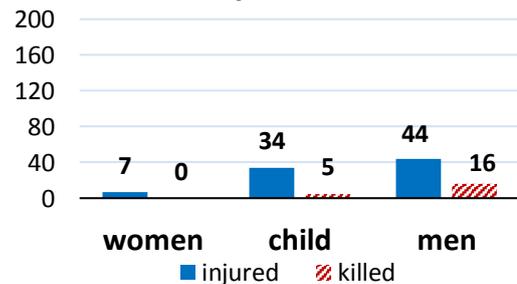
Victim Statistics in the Month of July 2017



Victim Statistics in the Month of July 2018



Victim Statistics in the Month of July 2019



Statistics of the number of air raids and missile and artillery bombing launched by the Saudi-led Coalition this month in various provinces (July 2020)

Governorate	Air Raid	Rocket Bombing	Artillery Bombing	Cluster Bombs	Sound Bombs	Light Bombs	Drone	Warships	Total Number
al Bayda	61								61
al Jawf	483								483
Hodeidah	33	1,232	2,969						4,234
Capital Secretariat	30								30
Taiz		12							12
Hajjah	51								51
Saada	101	447							548
Sana'a	24								24
Amran	11								11
Marib	479			1					480
TOTAL	1,273	1,691	2,969	1	0	0	0	0	5,934

Statistics of Destroyed and Damaged Facilities During July 2020



STORY OF THE MONTH

(How was the Party Turned into a Bloodbath...?)

Many children and women from the Mura'i family and their neighbors gathered in Al-Jawf governorate to celebrate an event related to the family on Wednesday 15 July 2020. They were all very happy; and most of the neighbors' mothers took their children to participate in this party. Mohammad Bodour, Saleha and Saleh were among the attendees, who were happily celebrating and congratulating each other.

At a terrible moment, as silence dominated the place, an awful deafening sound blasted. It was the sound of a missile explosion that was fired at the house by one of the Saudi-led coalition warplanes. More than thirty people, mostly women and children, were killed and injured. Paramedics rushed to the bombed house and took the cut and torn bodies of the innocent children and their mothers to hospitals.

Oh God, it is a horrific crime, added to those crimes committed by the Saudi coalition warplanes when they bombed civilians, homes and civilian objects including the deadly strikes on the Funeral Hall (Al-Kubra Hall), Sanban Wedding Party, Al-Mazraq Refugee Camp, and other civilian places.

Oh God, when will the international community conscience wake up and say to this coalition: "Stop your futile war that has killed thousands of women and children"?