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BLOODY SUNDAY

PRIME MINISTER

You will have seen John Holmes' note re Northern Ireland.

I should tell you that Max Hastings, citing a military source he met in Hong Kong, is onto the Bloody Sunday story and is already preparing a big attack. He claims the military are "up in arms". I think we need to reach a conclusion speedily.

