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NOVEMBER 1946

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

DATE: 30 Nov 1946

FROM: C INCAPAC

TO : MARCOS (Pass to State Department).URGENT 301129

INFO: CG, AMHDPAC (Pass to Immigration Authorities for info)

PAREN C 767723 PAREN DOCTOR RHEE HAS BEEN GIVEN PRIORITY FOR AIR TRAVEL TO UNITED STATES AND WILL DEPART VIA ATC SHORTLY PD PAREN REDEPTL TO MORLA NUMBER ONE FOUR SEVEN NOV EIGHT CMA SEVEN PM PASSED AS WILLIAM SUGAR VICTOR CHARLIE SEVEN ZERO TWO ONE CMA ONE ZERO NOV FOUR SIX PAREN PORT OF ENTRY WILL BE SAN FRANCISCO WHERE EXPECTED ARRIVE EARLY DECEMBER PD TO AVOID POSSIBILITY EMBARRASSMENT AT HONOLULU REQUEST IMMIGRATION AUTHORITIES THERE ALSO BE NOTIFIED WAIVER VIS REQUIREMENTS PD

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OFFICIAL:

APPROVED BY:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel AGD
Adjutant General

W. A. REIDERLINDEN
Brigadier General, GSC
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-1



Copies to: CinC, C/S, G-2, G-4, AG, Govt Sec, DS

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M/R The following radios apply: a. CG USPIK radio TFPOL 48, 4 Nov 46, advises State Department that Dr. Rhee is contemplating returning to U.S. and requesting that visa requirements be waived. b. State Department radio to CG, XXIV Corps, WSVC 7021, 10 Nov 46, granting State Department clearance for entry of Rhee and requesting info on arrival. c. CG XXIV Corps radio to State Department, TFPOL 51, 27 Nov 46, containing info on purpose of Rhee's visit to States. d. CG, XXIV Corps radio to CINCPAC (for General Mueller), TFCGG 541, 29 Nov 46, referring to telephone conversation Hodge to Mueller and confirming request for clearance to U.S. for air travel for Rhee. e/s, by routing slip dtd 29 Nov 46, granted clearance. 3. Diplomatic Section (W. Bishop) concurs. 4. Authority to issue orders and AFR sent to CG 211 Corps this date.

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ROUTINE

30 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT)
TO : SCAP (POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7425 (DTG 300352 Z) (STATE)
SERIAL NO 592 NOV 29 7 PM) (SENT TO CAIRO
AS 1942 REPEATED TO TOKYO AS 592)

Your A 446 October 18, re cotton for Japan.
Egyptian Government should be advised to present definite plan or proposal outlining method and terms under which Egyptian cotton might be supplied Japan.
Such a proposal should be transmitted to Supreme Commander for Allied Powers in Japan for his consideration in light of Japan's requirements for types of cotton Egypt has for sale and terms under which cotton can be secured from other sources. Present plans call for import of 1500 bales long staple during 1947.
Dept would be glad to relay to SCAP any Egyptian proposal on cotton received here.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

ADDED DIST: ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES SECT, GOVT SECT

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TOO: 300840 Z
MCN: SA 60/30

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF **DECLASSIFIED PER TAG ltr of 6 Aug 75 (DINGMAN)**
NR : WAR SVC 7408 (RELAYS TOP SECRET MSG DTG 291230 Z FROM MOSCOW)

WSDB SVC 80 relays following top secret message from Moscow sent to Dept as 4251:

"Evening Nov 26 Chinese Amb told me he believed his govt did not intend to extend current offensive to final assaults on Harbin and Yen-an.

"Decision not to attempt capture of Harbin he said was based on Stalin warning to Soong during latter's visit here that USSR would not be indifferent to action which would jeopardize Sov paramount interest in former Chinese Eastern Railway. Foo quoted Stalin as having said USSR needed use of CER during 30 years required to make Sov Far East impregnable against attack by Japan. In view of strong Sov feeling regarding North Manchuria, Foo said his govt did not wish to risk provoking Sov retaliation by attempt to capture Harbin.

"Similar reasoning applied to Yen-an. Foo said if Govt captured Yen-an, Chinese Communists would be finished; their ability to continue to guerrilla basis is much NOIURATED. Such development, he went on, might incite USSR to retaliation. Therefore in reply to query by Gimo, Foo had recommended to Nanking not to run risk from USSR involved in occupation of Yen-an and consequent collapse of CCP.

"Without attempting to comment on internal Chinese considerations implicit in Foo's statements,

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I would offer following remarks regarding what seem to us as probable Sov reactions to Nanking capture of Harbin and Yen-an. I believe Central Govt occupation of Harbin would indeed provoke sharp Sov reaction, but that such reaction would probably not be open military intervention. Because of its heavy military commitments elsewhere and its own internal difficulties, USSR will go far even in Manchuria to avoid direct clash with USA. Some reaction would probably, however, take form of intensified undercover political assistance to CCP in Manchuria and disguised military assistance. These forms of resistance would undermine and frustrate Central Govt without posing open challenge to USA.

"As for Yen-an, I doubt that its capture, even with far-reaching results which Foo described, would precipitate active Sov intervention. Certainly Kremlin would not be indifferent to fall of Yen-an. And integration of CCP would represent a serious reverse Sov program for Asia. I doubt however that USSR would resort to overt military counter action because intervention in North China would not only be more of an undertaking than in Manchuria but would involve greater risks of conflict with USA. Furthermore, USSR is anxious for political reasons to avoid evident interference in Chinese internal affairs. And finally, Kremlin, playing a patient long-term game and believing time to be on its side in China, would probably withhold its military hand---it has seen Communist parties crushed before only to rise again in strength and often of a more tractable character. Therefore, I suspect that if Central Govt occupied Yen-an, Sov reaction would be confined pretty much to a violent press campaign,

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incitement of front organizations in other countries and
undercover aid to CCP in inner Mongolia and North China.

"In short, I do not believe reason advanced by
Foo for restraint toward Yen-an is wholly valid. I
recognize, of course, possibility Foo may have knowingly
or unknowingly been attempting to mislead me. Issue
of what USSR reaction would be to Nanking capture of
Harbin or Yen-an is, nevertheless, of more than academic
interest and it is with wider IMAUIVEDIOYS FN MONY that
I offer comments in preceding paragraphs.

Dept rpt to Nanking, Tokyo. Smith."



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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
G-3, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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30 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : USPOLAD BERLIN, AM REP BUDAPEST, DAAO (UNKNOWN)
AM EMBASSY ROME, AM REP SOFIA, AM LEGATION VIENNA,
AM EMBASSY NANKING, AM EMBASSY MANILA, SCAP
INFO : WASHINGTON (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : CIRCULAR 29TH

The following statement has been released by the White House today: "The President today called attention to the favorable situation in the procurement of grain for export to people in need abroad and to the difficulties in rail transportation of grain for this purpose and to the modification in the restrictions on domestic use of grain. Exports of grain together with wheat purchased or under contract by the Department of Agriculture and amounts to be shipped as flour are sufficient to reach the original goal of 257 million bushels for the year ending June 30, 1947. Good crops of all grains and a record corn crop made it possible later to raise the goal to a total of 400 million of wheat, corn and other grains. It now appears that it would be possible to make available for export as much as 550 million bushels of all grains if sufficient transportation could be obtained. However owing largely to the shortage of box cars there are difficulties even in the movement of as much as 400 million bushels. In view of the continuing urgent need for food abroad the Office of Defense Transportation is being asked by the President to make every effort to supply the necessary transportation for export grain and if necessary to provide preferential treatment to move grain for this purpose. Because of the favorable grain supply situation, and in the light of transportation difficulties,

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FROM : WDS NR: CIRCULAR 29TH 30 NOV 46 CONT'D

modifications in the restrictions on the domestic use of grain are being announced by Secretary of Agriculture Clinton P Anderson. The Department of Agriculture will take the following actions:

1. Remove the limitation on the domestic distribution of flour.
2. Permit brewers for the quarter beginning December 1, 1946 to use as much grain as in the corresponding months of 1945 and 1946 but retain the prohibition against their use of wheat and the limitation on the use of rice.
3. Permit distillers to use unlimited quantities of corn below grade 3 but retain the prohibition against their use of wheat and the limitation of their use of rye.

Please emphasize to officials and press that actions described imply no lessening US appreciation difficult food situation abroad or slackening of US efforts to export maximum possible quantity grains. On contrary, statement implies US willingness to export more than original target and intensify transportation efforts. However actual exports in excess of 400 million bushels unlikely. In any case, relaxation of domestic controls will still leave supply for export in excess of amount which can be transported.

Airgram follows giving text of Secretary Agriculture's letter on which President's statement based.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

ADDED DIS1: ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES SECT, GOVT SECT

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TOO: 301155 Z
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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POL AD)
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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT ✓

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,

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T00: 291554/Z
MCN: SA 51/29

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30 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (PASS TO XXIV CORPS FOR POLAD)
NR : 291351 Z

Relay from Moscow "Nov 29 Soviet Press Nov 2 published Ulan Bator dispatch reporting that Ministry Foreign Affairs Mongolian Peoples Republic has published denial of report recently broadcast by Seoul radio concerning concentration of MPR Troops on Chinese Mongolian frontier stating that this report is fabrication from start to finish."Smith."

ACHESON

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
AG, DIPLOMATIC SECT

NOTE : This msg has been passed to Signal Center for
redispatch to CG XXIV CORPS (FOR POLAD) for Action.

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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....ROUTINE 020405

C - 6535, November 29, 1946.

Redeptel 583 Nov 22, 7 P.M. property at Kobe discussed with Osburn cannot satisfactorily be repaired because of structural weakness. Within the next few weeks officer will proceed to Kobe to make recommendations for temporary quarters to be available upon establishment of office there and to submit full report to Department.

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APPROVED:

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Ambassador
Chief, Diplomatic Section

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M/R - Reference radio is War SVC 7308, AG Control 34808 from Secretary of State with regard to obtaining facilities for establishing office in Kobe to perform limited consular functions.

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28 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7396 (STATE SERIAL 591, NOV 27, 7 PM)

Reurtels 417, Sept 22 and 475 Oct 20. This message in two parts.

Part 1. View interested agencies here is that as interim measure, SCAP should take custody of Italian dollar bank notes from Swedish legation and hold safe keeping. State has approached Italian Embassy here for official statement concerning date, place, method and purpose of acquisition these funds. Embassy has not complied to date. Such statement, confirming and supplementing information contained part III urad CA 55009, 20 Nov 45, is considered essential for decision as to final disposition.

Part 2. Understanding here urtels 417 and 475 is that Italian Diplomatic Mission eligible purchase necessary supplies from US Army. No other authorized use perceived for dollar expenditures by Italian Diplomatic Mission in Japan. If this is correct interpretation see no objection to minimum withdrawals from \$1,300,000 fund as are necessary in payment such emergency purchases from US Army by Italian Diplomatic Mission as may be authorized by SCAP. Prefer physical custody all dollar currency necessary for such payments be retained and transferred by SCAP to appropriate Finance Officer on behalf of Italian Diplomatic Mission.

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FROM: WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT) NR: STATE SERIAL 591, NOV 27,
7 P.M. 28 NOV 46 CONT'D



ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
ECON & SCI SECT, CIV PROP CUST

NOTE: Ref tel 417 is C 65431 (Dip Sec). Ref tel 475 is
C 66399 (Dip Sec).

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MCN : SA 101/28

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28 Nov 46

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : AMERICAN EMBASSY NANKING, SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : 271452 Z

Relay from Moscow "Nov 27.

Commenting on Molotov's proposal that security council be presented with information concerning disposition and nbr of United Nations Armed Forces both in non-enemy and ex-enemy States, Pravda Nov 24 international review by F Zhukov states in part as follows:

"Comrade Molotov's proposal, which was imbued with spirit of readiness to cooperate, received widespread recognition from progressive world public. Amended Soviet draft completely revealed provocative fabrications of reactionaries that veil of secrecy surrounds Soviet Military measures occupied ex-enemy countries. No one will now dare to refer to Soviet proposals 'non-objectivity'.

"Strange thesis which Connally firmly stressed in his speech was that American troops do not constitute *** to peace no matter where they are. This is admittedly very bold assertion. Senator Connally had previously, with unusual levity, justified present activities of American Armed Forces in all parts of world. It cannot be denied that such 'thesis' is steeped in arrogant disdain for sovereign rights and national interests of all other

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countries and peoples and is therefore in clear contradiction to obligations imposed by United Nations Charter.

"Nevertheless British representative Cadogan was evidently so captivated by this argument that he likewise considered it necessary to 'recall' statement by British Govt categorically denying that British troops could in any way threaten peace. This unproven assertion was reflected in Bevin's speech.

"It is hard to agree with Senator Connally that American or British troops wherever they may be and however engaged are like Caesar's wives in ancient Rome, untouched by shadow of suspicion.

"On whole Bevin's speech in reply to Molotov's proposal did not bear encouraging character. British Foreign Minister recognized that 'question of presence of troops in certain parts of world --- probably is disturbing', however Bevin declared that problem is too 'restricted' and therefore could be considered only in connection with more general question of disarmament.

"But, in British practice, talk of disarmament is miraculously transformed into slowing down of demobilization, revival of Civil Air Defense, prolonged retention of women in Military Service, and introduction of law for compulsory Military Service in peacetime as well as similar measures.

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"Proposal of Soviet Govt for general reduction of armament and for tendering information on United Nations Armed Forces located aboard is clear evidence of consistently peaceful policy of Soviet Socialist State. These questions affect vital interests of many hundreds of millions. These hundreds desire lasting peace and certainly deserve it. Their interests are not served by feverish search for Military-Air and Military-Naval bases, demonstration 'visits' of warships, increased troop contingents overseas, Military 'exploration' in Arctic, whetting of colonial appetites, and backstage deals of international armaments merchants. Peoples firmly condemn this policy."

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
STAT & RPTS SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : STATE SERIAL 588 26 NOV

Shipment effects Mrs Mitsuko Hirata RUSTAD Tokyo to Wash DC authorized by TO nr 7-3796, Nov 20, chargeable 1970515 TFS 47. Cases marked Hirata, nbrd 3 and 4, left hallway ground floor Chancellery. Report condition and date shipment.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
HQ COMMANDANT

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TOO : 270320 Z
MCN : YB 52/27

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27 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : 270320 Z

Harry Pfeiffer, newly appointed FSO with previous experience, assigned Yokohama and departs soon. Request urtel 518 20th receiving earnest attention.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TOO : 270320 Z
MCN : YA 55/27



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ROUTINE

27 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7378 (DTG 270031 Z) (STATE SERIAL 590
NOV 26, 6PM)

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Dr. Tan (Deptel 580 Nov 22, 7 PM) Nov 22 orally communicated Dept substance Fon Off msg addressed Chinese Emb stating SCAP Apr 20 informed Chu Shihming in reply inquiry that Chinese Nationals "No matter whether from Formosa or other provinces of China" would be treated as United Nations nationals without discrimination.

Nanking dispatch 1365 June 17 reported Chinese Govt shortly promulgating measure restoring Chinese nationality Taiwanese so measure apparently not yet adopted when Chu made inquiry.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
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MCN: SA 57/27

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27 NOV 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC (POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7379 DTG 270031 Z State Serial 589,
Nov 26, 6 PM

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Assistant Secretary Benton asks that following message be delivered Congressman M Mansfield due visit Tokyo November 30 to December 3 with group five Congressmen:

"Your trip affords you exceptional opportunity gather info needed at January hearings on International Info and Cultural Relations Bill. To my knowledge no one on Foreign Affairs Committee has recently visited Far East. Dept has received disturbing info on expansion Russian Propaganda notably Korea and China thru short-wave broadcasting, control of local radio stations, Soviet newspapers, exchange of students, etc. I hope you can check on these reports. I urge you if possible also investigate importance our relay transmitters in Manila, and present negotiations with Philippine Govt for long term broadcasting rights."

Other congressmen in group which interested primarily in naval installations are Izak and Healy, California: Biemiller, Wisconsin: Bishop Illinois.

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, VISITORS
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WARGOS (PASS TO SECRETARY)...~~ROUTINE~~

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531, 27 November 1946.

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Soviet Member, Allied Council, has requested SCAF approval periodic "departure of Soviet diplomatic couriers on regularly scheduled flights of passenger planes or on your ships which sail between Tokyo and Shanghai".

As interim reply we have stated there are no HEPSEF no scheduled ship sailings Tokyo Shanghai and no commercial flights; that only service at present is by United States Army Transport Command planes which under existing rules carry only certain special categories of personnel; that before definitive consideration can be given to request detailed information is required such as frequency of desired courier trips, estimated weight of diplomatic pouch, period of lay-over in Shanghai, whether return of couriers desired to Japan and other pertinent information.

Because of possibility that Department may desire to give consideration to question of reciprocity from Government of USSR toward similar American requests in Europe or to Dairen and Vladivostok would appreciate Department's views earliest.

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JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, ASD
Adjutant General.

GEORGE ATCHESON, JR.
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MEMO FOR RECORD:

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1. Above telegram arises out of request from Soviet Member, Allied Council for Japan, by letter no. 40501, 16 Nov 46, for approval for periodic departure of Soviet diplomatic couriers on passenger planes or ships between Tokyo and Shanghai.
2. An interim reply has been sent by letter dated 27 Nov 46.
3. In view of possible reciprocity considerations involved in Soviet request, above telegram is despatched to Department of State for guidance.

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532, November 27, 1946.

Headptal 521, November 22.

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Following number of American-held Japanese POWs still held in areas indicated;

Philippines:	25,629
Okinawa:	6,557
Pacific Ocean Areas:	5,134
Hawaiian Islands:	1,715

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Repatriation of all of foregoing expected to be completed December 31, 1946 with the exception of 728 POWs being held as war crime subjects in the Philippines.

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1. Above info concerning remaining POWs read by telephone from Major White, G-3.
2. Info concerning POWs to be detained in the Philippines as war crime suspects read by telephone from LS.

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3. Lt. Col. H.H. Jordan, G-2, has no objection to the sending of foregoing message; but that Staffan is unable to verify the data contained therein.

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ROUTINE

27, Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7355 (STATE SERIAL 585 NOV 25 4 PM)

Following telegrams sent Manila repeated your info.

"Dept has decided Phil Govt should claim and collect reparations for own account. Opinion of Dept's Legal Adviser is REHWE does not imply US should be liberal claimant for Phil reparations. Advise Phil Govt US will not claim reparations for Phil war damages or losses. Text Legal Adviser's opinion by air mail."

"Assume request re identifying Japan looted property for restitution (Tokyo dispatch 612 Sept 20 to Dept copy Manila) converted Phil Govt. This request analyzed through US Govt only pursuant general representation arrangements. When Phil Reparations Mission in Japan, communication should be KDIRZCLY with SCAP ASTPN CASZ or other missions."

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG
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(Z - 26164) (Following from Siamese Textile Mission Tokyo for Siamese Legation Washington:)

(This is Atcheson's five two nine November 26) "Japanese Yen funds released here to cover official expenses in Japan can not be exchanged for United States Dollars which are required in payment United States Military mess and Billet charges (approximately \$700)^{nor} for payment of return air transportation fares to Siam (\$772)

Please make available through War Dept a United States Dollar Credit with 240th Finance Disbursing Section, General Headquarters, AFPAC, Tokyo, in the sum of \$1,500 with which to meet these expenses."

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Info copies to: C/S, G-1, G-2, Fiscal Director, Finance Officer, ESS
M/R: Check sheet 15 Nov 46 from ESS to DS recommends that DS take steps to procure \$1,500 for Siamese Textile Mission in Japan. Mr. Wright (2-5145) of ESS had arranged with Mr. Bishop (2-2343) of DS that Siamese Govt be asked to set up a credit for use of its trade representatives in Tokyo. Credits are customarily arranged by the Siamese Legation, Washington. As Siamese Textile Mission is without means of direct communication with Legation in Washington, recommend transmittal of above message on their behalf.

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WARDOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....URGENT

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C-67570

527, November 25, 1946.

Please make following corrections nymtel 524 November 23 (ARMY No. 67529 DSO 24043), all in first numbered paragraph: in first sub-paragraph "and six carrier boats" should read "and six killer HIFAT KILLER boats departed"; end of same paragraph "to leave Nagasaki 25 November" should read "to leave Nagasaki 2 December HIFAT 2 December"; third sub-paragraph, "east longitude and approximately sixty degree south latitude" should read "east longitude at HIFAT AT sixty degree south latitude". Please also correct departure date in subparagraph sentence first paragraph nymtel 522 November 23 (ARMY No. C-76512 DTG 231341) from "November 25" to "December 2 HIFAT DECEMBER 2". Also change final "and" in paragraph No. 2 same message to read "at".

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526, November 25, 1946.

As meetings of Allied Council are open to press and public we have made Minutes of the meetings freely accessible to press correspondents here. It is suggested that Office of Far Eastern Affairs favorably consider doing likewise with news correspondents in Washington.

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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....URGENT

525, November 24, 1946.

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Reference your unnumbered telegram, War Department No. 241830 Z.

Department's mail instruction 270, October 3, did not REPRAT NOT arrive until November 20 (not an unusual example of general slowness of despatch of pouch mail to us).

Entire instructions are being radioed SCAP representatives with whaling fleet and mail copy will also be sent to fleet by ship.

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Based on information obtained from NRS (Capt. Adams).

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24 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : 231830 Z

Reply as urgent whether US Representatives on Jap
factory ships instructed in accordance Depts instruction
270 Oct 3rd.

ACHESON

R E V I S E D

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
NAT RES SECT

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TOO: 231830 Z
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24 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT C/S
NR : W SVC 7306 (STATE SERIAL 580 NOV 22, 7 PM)

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Following Aide-Memoire Nov 21 handed (urtel 492 Oct 29) DR. Tan Shao-Hwa Minister Counselor Chinese Emb who stated he would communicate contents his Govt.

"Reference is made to a recent oral inquiry by a member of the staff of the Chinese Emb concerning the status of Taiwanese in Japan, and the related question of their exemption, as United Nations Nationals, from the jurisdiction of Japanese police and, in criminal cases, from the jurisdiction of Japanese courts. In this connection, it is understood that the Chinese Govt now considers all Taiwanese to be Chinese, excepting only those who have executed before the proper authorities a declaration of unwillingness to acquire Chinese nationality.

"It is the view of the Dept that the removal of United Nations Nationals from the jurisdiction of Japanese police and courts was a measure designed primarily to facilitate the work of the occupation authorities

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FROM: WAR (STATE DEPT) NR: W SVC 7306 (STATE SERIAL
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and to safeguard occupation personnel. Americans and most other nationals of members of the United Nations who are not engaged in occupational duties have in general been repatriated from Japan, and there do not exist there the facilities which would be necessary for properly maintaining order and administering justice were the privilege of exemption from Japanese jurisdiction to be extended to a large community of persons for whom it was not intended. In particular, it is considered that exemption from Japanese jurisdiction was not intended to be accorded the estimated 20,000 persons in Japan claiming to be Taiwanese; these persons throughout the war were enemy nationals and according to Japanese law still retain Japanese nationality, excepting only those who have individually divested themselves thereof in accordance with established procedure.

" The rights of the Taiwanese in Japan to this special treatment therefore would appear to rest upon the technical grounds of the extension to them under Chinese law of the status of Chinese Nationals. It should, however, be pointed out from the legal standpoint the transfer of Taiwanese Sovereignty remains to be formalized; assuredly a treaty of cession will in due time be negotiated which will effect such transfer

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and which may contain provisions in regard to appropriate change in the national status of Taiwanese residents. It is, of course, not now possible to state with certainty that the terms of such a treaty will effect a change in the national status of persons of Taiwanese derivation who have abandoned their Taiwanese residence and settled in other lands. Finally, it should be pointed out that a great proportion of the alleged Taiwanese in Japan are without Chinese certificates of identity and nationality.

"In this connection, it would be most helpful if Chinese authorities would undertake to screen all Taiwanese in Japan, repatriating those who are unable to establish that they have a legitimate means of livelihood and issuing suitable certificates of identity to the remainder. Should the number of individuals in Japan now claiming a special status as Taiwanese be reduced through such a process to a relatively small body of properly investigated and documented persons, it might be possible to extend to them the special treatment which now is claimed for them. In the meantime, this Govt would be disposed to hold that the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers in Japan, on the basis of the aforementioned considerations and on the grounds of Military necessity, would be justified

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in authorizing the Japanese police and courts to continue
to exercise jurisdiction over Taiwanese in Japan."

ACHESON

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1,
G-2, AG, PROVOST MARSHAL, GOVT SECT, LEGAL SECT,
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24 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7287 (NR 1929, NOV 21, 1 PM)

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China press review, two-week period ending Nov 16. Reporting and comment on the political situation which, after almost a year of mediation by Gen Marshall, reached a climax in revocation of the National Assembly, provided the main interest in the press.

Most papers, being able to foresee the outcome, were cautious in their comment or continued to follow previously established editorial lines. There were strong indications in this comment that a year of the battle of words had left its mark in the form of journalistic numbness, apathy, and a feeling that after this length of time nothing remained to be said and that nothing new would be offered short of an unanticipated miracle. All appeared to accept as fact that the assembly would meet, that the Communists would not participate, that some of the third parties in the end would join the assembly, that hostilities in one form or another would continue for an indefinite period, and that the elements of continuing uncertainty are of such proportion that any attempt to prognosticate the course of developments would be futile.

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The announcement of the GMO on Nov 8 that govt troops had been ordered to cease-fire came both as a surprise and shock. There was, however, neither surprise nor shock that the Communists failed to react except to express disinterest and scepticism. Consensus was that cease fire would alter nothing except as it might exert an additional pressure on the third parties to submit their lists for the National Assembly. Confirmation was found when the GMO provided the second shock of the period by announcing on Nov 11 a three-day postponement of the assembly to allow third parties to submit their lists. With * * * * * Socialist Party would definitely submit their lists of delegates. These same papers also featured reports that Chouen-Lai would shortly return to Yen-an. During postponement period KMT Chung Yang Jih Pao pointed out "It is a privilege rather than a responsibility for different parties and groups to participate in the National Assembly and the work of drafting a constitution." C-C Clique Shun Pao warned "Democratic league people have always claimed to be people's representatives. How then can they follow the lead of others without regard for the wishes of the people. We, therefore, hope that besides making a final effort of mediation during the three-day period, they will decide to participate in the National Assembly regardless of Communist attitude." Liberal leftist Wen Hui Pao took an opposing view "This * * * * * one of representatives of different parties and groups and explained that Kuomintang members attending the assembly were there in the capacity of people's representatives. Paper added this draft constitution to be submitted would be in line with FCC principles.

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Left-wing was represented by Wen Hui Pao which recalled that year ago various parties and groups agreed on FCC road to peace, unification, democracy and national reconstruction as a middle course in place of KMT road of unilateral convocation and Communist road of armed revolution and added "With unilateral convocation Kuomintang, FCC road which has been enthusiastically supported by the people will be destroyed." Ta Kung Pao for the middle groups pointed out that the assembly was participated in by a small number of minor parties and a handful of non-partisans and therefore cannot be considered
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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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WARGOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....ROUTINE

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Redeptel 573, November 23.

Subject is press release concerning Antarctic whaling expedition.

1. In light of previous statements issued here, SCAP does not
RPT NOT believe it advisable for him to issue suggested statement or
to continue to agitate the matter in Japan. He is agreeable to release
at any time by the Department of a departmental statement along follow-
ing lines:

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The first units of the SCAP-controlled Antarctic whaling
expedition consisting of factory ship HASHIDATE MARU and six carrier
boats departed from Yokosuka 15 November followed two days later by
the carrier TADOTSU MARU. The second part of the fleet consisting
of the factory ship NISSHIN MARU, three carrier ships (YENYO MARU,
BANSHU MARU, and BANSHU MARU No. 32) and five killer boats left
Nagasaki 18 November. One killer boat ran aground and is being re-
placed with another scheduled to depart 29 November. The NISSHIN
MARU suffered a few days' delay because of engine trouble. The BANSHU MARU
No. 35 and BANSHU MARU No. 36 were to leave Nagasaki 25 November
and the oil transport SAN DIEGO MARU is to leave Yokosuka 12 December.

Two American army officers are accompanying the fleet as SCAP
representatives to insure compliance with the terms of international
whaling conventions and the provisions of SCAP directives. Through
the cooperation of the British and Australian Governments, an
Australian whaling observer boarded a factory ship at Yokosuka and
a United Kingdom observer is scheduled to join the fleet in the
Lombok Straits. Arrangements have been made for Norwegian observers
to board factory ships in the Antarctic when and if Norwegian vessels
are in the vicinity.

The sailing course runs southwesterly from Japan off the east
coast of Mindanao into the Celebes Sea, through Macassar and Lombok
Straits and thence southeasterly on a route approximately sixty miles

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off the west coast of Australia to a destination between 120° and 130° east longitude and approximately 60° south latitude. The whaling vessels are prohibited from approaching closer than twelve miles to any land beyond the home islands except in passage of the Lombok Straits where, as a matter of convenience to the British Government, the United Kingdom observer is to be taken aboard. The northern boundary of the area in which whaling is to be conducted under SCAP directive is several hundred miles distant from the nearest portions of Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand.

General MacArthur's authorization of the expedition was an administrative action by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers undertaken pursuant to a governmental directive of November 13, 1945 filed with the Far Eastern Commission in Washington in accordance with the Commission's terms of reference. One of the provisions of this directive is that Japanese fishing operations should conform strictly to the provisions of agreements relating to whaling to which the United States is a party. The whaling expedition was approved by General MacArthur especially with a view to alleviating the critical world shortage of fats and oils and also the food shortage in Japan where, as distinct from most countries, whale meat is a portion of the national diet. The whale oils to be produced by this expedition will be subject to allocation by the International Emergency Food Council. In addition to the yield of 11,450 metric tons of whale oil, it is estimated that 1,700 metric tons of frozen whale meat, 14,350 metric tons of salted whale meat, 9,330 metric tons of salted whale blubber, and 12 metric tons of whale liver oil, or about 25,000 metric tons of concentrated food, will be added to the world food supply.

Under General MacArthur's orders and supervision by SCAP representatives with the fleet, the whaling expedition will be carried out in strict conformity with all international conventions and regulations relating to whaling. The expedition is a temporary emergency measure which has no bearing on international decisions in regard to the future of Japanese whaling or the disposition of vessels. The future of Japanese whaling is a matter for Allied consultation and decision.

The expedition is of special interest to the United States because the burden of making up food deficits in Japan for the purpose of safeguarding the Occupation has fallen upon the United States.

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States. It is of interest to the world at large because it is expected to add 25,000 metric tons of food to the world's currently short supply."

2. Basis of Norwegian complaints is not understood here especially as Norway was not at war with Japan and is not represented on Far Eastern Commission and also as expedition will operate in international waters, will not infringe upon rights of Norway or any nation and Norway has been given opportunity to assign observers to the expedition.

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ROUTINE

24 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO XXIV CORPS) (FOR POLAD)
NR : WAR SVC 7307 (STATE SERIAL 150 Nov 22, 7 PM)

Following sent WD for approval and transmission to SCAP.

"For your information, on or about Nov 10, telegram signed Kornic sent from Korea to Col Ben Limb, Korean Commission, Washington instructed Commission obtain UN recognition 'Civilian Administration' as Legitimate Govt of Korea'. Civilian Administration understood to be that created by, and acting under Military Govt. Limb and Staggers (latter acting Legal Counsel Korean Commission in Wash) requested Depts advice on procedure to establish recognition. This action appears akin to, and as serious as that outlined in State Serial 29 Sept 25. Depts reply will refer to fact Korea should have fully representative, independent Govt before UN or other recognition is sought."

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ACHESON

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
GOVT SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

NOTE : This msg has been passed to Signal Center for redispach to CG XXIV CORPS (for POLAD) for info.



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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7308 (TRUE TOO 230311 Z) (STATE SERIAL 583
NOV 22, 7 PM)

Dept would be interested acquisition property under consideration Kobe as discussed with Osburn FBO and subject establishment consulate in Kobe. Question of how title to property would be effected will be taken up in due course. Full description and particulars regarding this property requested.

ACHESON

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG



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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7309 (STATE SERIAL 582 Nov 22, 7 PM)

Following message has been sent to WD for approval and transmission to SCAP:

"For your information Dept informed by Brit Emb World Manpower commitments may necessitate withdrawal United Kingdom Brigade from Japan. Additional Commonwealth troops would be substituted or, more likely, remaining United Kingdom and Commonwealth troops spread out over present British Zone. General Gairdner will shortly state position informally to SCAP without prejudice outcome current discussions British Government with Dominions. Dept informed Embassy Representative matter should be discussed by British with SCAP Hqs and SCAP probably would be reluctant agree any reduction requiring increase number and duties American troops."

ACHESON

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3,
AG, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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T00: 230932/Z
MCN: SA 73/23

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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE)ROUTINE

C-67518
523, November 23, 1948.

Redeptel 578, November 21.

SCAP prepared (this is Acheson's 523 November 23) to handle and distribute all of 310 Japanese letters mentioned. Messages mentioned ourtel 407, September 16, transmitted by our dispatch 625, September 27. Other messages are being transmitted through normal postal channels.

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M/R:

1. Reference radio is War Svc 7278(AG no. 34195)
2. Above message refers to letters received by Consul General at Sao Paulo from Japanese residents in Brazil for transmittal to Japan. These messages are being sent in reply to those transmitted by local Japanese to Japanese terrorists in Brazil in accordance with the Department's instruction 186.
3. Ourtel 407 is SCAP radio is 065220 16 Sept to Warcos pass to Secstate.
4. Lt. Colonel Thompson, Executive Officer, Civil Censorship Detachment states that if Dip Sec desires distribution of these letters, OCD will facilitate examination and distribution.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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ROUTINE

23 Nov 1946

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7303 (TRUE TOO 230220 Z) (STATE SERIAL
579 NOV 22, 7 PM)

Following recd from Nanking:
"Foreign Office states proposal of Japanese Govt to
ship relief supplies to Japanese in Manchuria (Deptel
898, Oct 18 to Nanking and Tokyo's 449, Oct 8 to Dept)
acceptable and that authorities concerned have been
notified to take appropriate action. Please inform Tokyo."
Deptel 898 to Nanking is Deptel 532 to Tokyo.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

NOTE: Ref Tokyo 449 is C-65953 (DS).

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ROUTINE

TOO : 230618 Z

MCN : SA 62/23

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See 8002 refers

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ROUTINE

23 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7304 (DTG 230220/Z) (STATE SERIAL 581
Nov 22, 7 PM)

Dept desires info re present status repatriation
American-held Jap POWs and surrendered enemy personnel Far
East including statement number still held and date opera-
tion expected to be completed.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3, AG



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MCN: SA 61/23

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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....ROUTINE

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522, November 23, 1946.

Redeptel 573, November 20.

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1. Sailing date. First part of whaling fleet consisting of factory ship HASHIBATE MARU and six killer boats departed Yokosuka 0800 November 15 followed by carrier ship TABOTSU MARU which departed Yokosuka 1020 November 17. Last reported position of HASHIBATE MARU was off Mindanao with TABOTSU MARU two days behind but overtaking. Second part of fleet consisting of factory ship NISSHIN MARU, three carrier ships TENYO MARU, BANSHU MARU AND BANSHU MARU 32 and five killer ships departed Nagasaki noon November 18. One killer ran aground and is being replaced with another that will depart November 29. NISSHIN MARU developed engine trouble and returned to Nagasaki arriving 1900 November 20 for estimated three-day repairs and should therefore again depart November 23. Remainder of this part of fleet is here-to off Ryukyus awaiting NISSHIN MARU. BANSHU MARU 35 and BANSHU MARU 36 will depart Nagasaki November 25. Fuel oil transport SAN DIEGO MARU will depart Yokosuka December 12.

2. Route. All ships have been given map (copy being transmitted by air mail) setting forth exact course to be followed. This course runs southwesterly from Japan off east coast of Mindanao into Celebes Sea through Macassar and Lombok Straits and thence southerly passing approximately 60 miles off west coast of Australia to destination between 120° and 130° east longitude and approximately 60° south latitude.

3. Schedule. Ships will steam at approximately 10 knots passing through Lombok Straits approximately two weeks after departure and arriving at destination approximately 30 days after departure.

Positions of all ships noon previous day known here at 1000 following day. If desired periodic reports of such positions can be transmitted. Direct contact is being maintained with Batavia regarding movement of NISSHIN MARU in order to facilitate contact with Netherlands Navy which will place United Kingdom observer on board at entrance to Lombok Straits

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RAD FROM SCAP TO WARCOS (Pass to Secstate) 23 Nov 46

Would appreciate receiving periodic telegraphic reports of any discussions of Japanese whaling at present conference.

Press release subject separate telegram.

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NRS**

M/R:

1. Rerad is WAR SVC 7254 (AG no. 33773) from Secstate through WARCOS.
2. Tel. based on info rec'd by DS from NRS.
3. NRS (Capt. Adams) concurs.

UAJ 2-2753

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23 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : STATE SERIAL 584 NOV 22

Stanley Kidder, Tokyo, departed San Francisco Nov
21 USS General Mitchell for Yokohama.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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T00: 230300 Z
MCN: YD 26/23

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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....ROUTINE
Z 25715

220819

520, November 22, 1946.

Redeptel 572, November 20.

Sebald requests to be scheduled approximately December 6.

Expects depart Tokyo by air November 28.

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Chief, Diplomatic Section

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M/R:
Above tel. is in reply to State Dept.
tel (AG control #33240, 21 Nov 46) asking
for approximate date Mr. Sebald of DS
desires to be scheduled for examination
for Foreign Service officer.

Mr. Sebald expects to depart from
Japan for Washington by air approximately
28 Nov 46.

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22 Nov 45

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : AMEMBASSY NANKING, SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE SERIAL 4195

Relay from Moscow.

After reviewing American plans for construction of Pacific Bases, Red Fleet Nov 19, major article by Ocherski "USA and Japanese Mandated Islands" comments as follows on American draft agreement for trusteeship over former Japanese mandated islands.

"USA is striving to retain former Jap islands in Pacific to set up powerful bases to maintain very strong Pacific Fleet. What has brought this about? American military circles explain it by necessity for national defense, only simpletons can believe that construction of bases thousands of kilometers from US frontiers can be dictated by interests of national defense.

"Admiral Sherman revealed true idea of American measures. He recently stated 'If we control oceans our frontier will run along coasts of other countries. We can attack any target within radius of action of our Air Forces and Army located on board our ships'. Thus Admiral Sherman openly admits US imperialist aspirations, and they are far from constituting interests of defense.

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) NR : STATE SERIAL 4195 22 NOV 46
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"Above cited facts illuminate present US Pacific policy and reflect views of influential business and military circles, proponents of militarism and imperialism who prefer power politics UUDXMLICY of international collaboration. Draft agreement now advanced by US for trusteeship over former Jap mandated islands is only part of general US policy in Pacific Bases. This draft is in flagrant contradiction with usages of International Law and UN Charter.

"Even conservative American press regards draft plan as direct annexation of 15,000 Pacific Islands under guise of trusteeship.

"American radio commentator Estelle Sternberger opposes 'US utilization of Pacific Islands as aggressive act aimed at Soviet Union'.

"American draft agreement reflects policy of imperialistic elements which ignore international collaboration and seek to impose their will on others with aid of force".

ACHESON

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
AG, STAT & RPTS SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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TOO : 212230 Z
MCN : YA 26/22

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22 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC
INFO : WDCSA
NR : 211450 Z

Official US Nov 46 estimates, thousand bushels; corn 3,380,672 rice 69,875, grains for sorghums 86,175, other grains unchanged from Oct estimates; soybeans 191,912, potatoes 477,904, commercial apples 121,494, sugar unchanged; thousand pounds, tobacco 2,269,258, hops 50,135, thousand bags, beans 14,916. Conditions oranges, grapefruit continues well above last year and average. Record high production indicated. Quantitative estimates total production available Dec. Jan-Oct milk production 103,288 million pounds, egg production 48,106 million. Record volume crop production now virtually realized. Crops generally have reached harvest under almost ideal conditions. Aggregate volume production 1946 now estimated 3 points above previous peak 1942. Farm work well advanced with Oct weather favorable to ideal. Seeding fall grains mostly completed and prospects Great Plains have seldom been better.

ACHESON

ACTION: ECON & SCI SECT
ADDED DIST: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG, QM,
GOVT SECT, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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UNCLASSIFIEDTOO: 211450 Z
MCN: SA 82/21

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22 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)

TO : AMERICAN LEGATION VIENNA, USPOLAD BERLIN, AM
CONSUL BREMEN, USPOLAD FRANKFURT, AM CONSUL
STUTTGART, AM CONSUL CANTON, AM EMBASSY NANKING,
AM EMBASSY CHUNGKING, AM CONSUL DAIREN, AM CONSUL
HANKOW, AM CONSUL KUNMING, AM CONSUL PEIPING, AM
CONSUL TAIPEI, AM CONSUL TIENTSIN, AM CONSUL TIHWA,
AM CONSUL MUKDEN, YOKOHAMA BRANCH OFFICE USPOLAD,
USPOLAD TOKYO

NR : CIRCULAR, 20TH

Accordance depcirtel Nov 9 and depcirgram Nov 12,
referring changes budget fiscal procedures Nov 13 allot-
ment symbols for (1) all new salary appropriations; (2)
all other expenses formerly payable discontinued appro-
priation 1970509 assigned as follows:

- (1) New salary appropriations
1970550 regular program SS-1.
1970551 regular program TT-1.
1970552 regular program (being assigned
separate cable).
- (2) All other expenses under discontinued
appropriation 1970509 shall be charged to appropriations
1970515, 1970520, 1970530, 1970531 and 1970545 and exist-
ing allotments thereunder accordance corresponding nature
such expenses. Following tabulation shows under each
appropriation to be charged the discontinued allotment

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FROM: WASH NR: CIRCULAR, 20TH DTD: 22 NOV 46 CONTD

symbol followed by the existing allotment symbol to be used for items heretofore charged to that discontinued allotment (in cases where specific allotments were made to posts the letter X is substituted in same number for digits to be added by post).

1970530 allowances, living quarters,
regular program A-3, Q-1.

1970531 cost of living allowances reg-
ular program A-4, V-1.

1970515 travel and shipment of effects
regular program A-5, T-3.

1970520 local travel in field regular
program A-1 XXX, C-1 XXX.

1970545 representation allowances
regular program A-2 XXX, R-1 XXX.

(3) All allotments from appropriation
1970515 under "Travel transfers foreign service clerks
and miscellaneous employees" under appropriation 1970515
herewith changed to title "Travel transfers foreign ser-
vice reserve officers, foreign service staff officers and
employees," without change in allotment symbol and con-
tinued available.

(4) All allotment symbols under continued
appropriations remain unchanged.

(5) New appropriation for consular agents
and assignment allotment symbol subject later cable.

(6) Department will advise amounts new
allotments to posts as established above soonest. Pend-
ing receipt record necessary obligations against allot-
ment account established under new symbols.

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FROM: WASH NR: CIRCULAR, 20TH DTD: 22 NOV 46 CONTD

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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FOO: 210815/Z
MCN: YB 10/22

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ROUTINE

22 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7278 (DTG 220127 Z, STATE SERIAL NO 578
NOV 21, 7 PM)

Can SCAP examine and handle any or all of 310
Japanese letters forwarded Dept by Cons General Sao Paulo
for addressees in Japan? What is status messages 2nd para
artel 407 Sept 16 in view dept's A-144 Oct 23?

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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NOTE: Ref 407 is C 65229 (Diplomatic Sect)



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T00: 220332 Z
MCN: XA 71/22

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ROUTINE

22 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : W SVC 7264

State serial 543 Oct 31, 5 PM, DTG 211443 Z
Refers to Jap Flag. Dept's 562 Nov 13 is from agri-
culture-production figures. Both being repeated.

ACHESON

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TOO : 211616 Z
MCN : SA 105/21

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22 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7254 (STATE SERIAL 573 Nov 20, 6 P.M. DTG
210139 Z)

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Following sent to WD for approval and transmission to SCAP. Brit Emb states it has received info departure date Whaling Expedition was postponed 1 week. Would appreciate indication truth this report and exact sailing date. Australian Emb in recent note (full text being sent your airgram) inquires inter alia route of expedition. In view of this and other Governments requests would appreciate further info regarding route and schedule. Dept informed unfavorable publicity in Norway re Whaling Expedition detrimental US interests and is suggesting Norwegian Emb might make available Norwegian press facts presented in Depts reply to Norwegian protest. In view of Allied protest and press criticisms abroad of which you aware, Dept would appreciate indication whether SCAP intends issue press release setting forth conditions expedition and fact Allied Govts participating by furnishing inspectors. Believed here such release would be helpful. Would appreciate receiving advance copy text for simultaneous issuance Wash.

ACHESON

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG,
GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES SECT,
DIPLOMATIC SECT

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TOO : 210404 Z
MCN : YD 47/21

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22, NOV 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7272 (STATE SERIAL 577, DTG 211920/Z)

In discussion matter urtel 507 Nov 12, Indian embassy stated in strictest confidence GOI now considering appointment replacement for Jain as Political Representative but leaving his staff officer hence your suggestion impractical. Since Jain's dual role only temporary assume matter may be considered closed.

Foregoing should not be revealed Jain.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

NOTE: Ref 507 Nov 12 is C 67273 (DIPLOMATIC SECT)

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TOO: 212115/Z
MCN: SA 3/22

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FROM: CINCPAC

TO: WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT).....ROUTINE

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INFO: WDCSA.....ROUTINE

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SEVEN ZERO NINE FOUR PAREN STATE SERIAL FIVE SIX SEVEN NOVEMBER ONE FOUR DOG
TARE GEORGE ONE FIVE ZERO THREE FOUR ZEBRA PAREN AS FOLLOWS CLN ONE PD NEW
GOVERNMENT CORPORATION SUPERSEDES PETER DOG CHARLIE CHARLIE AND ITS SUCCESSOR
PETER DOG CHARLIE PD PARA TWO PD DURATION OF GOVERNMENT MONOPOLY CORPORATION
TEMPORARY AND WILL BE DISSOLVED PRIOR TO RETURN TO PRIVATE TRADE PD PARA THREE
PD FACILITIES UNDER PETER DOG CHARLIE CONTROL WILL BE TAKEN OVER BY NEW
GOVERNMENT CORPORATION ON LEASE PD

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APPROVED BY:

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21 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT), (JOSEPH C. GREW)
TO : CINCAFPAC, (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER) (PASS TO
DAVID F. SMITH, INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRI-
BUNAL)
NR : W SVC 7255, (TOO 112103) STATE SERIAL 576,
NOV 20, 7PM

Thank you for telegram. Physicians orders pre-
vent my coming to Tokyo but I stand ready answer any ques-
tions here in interests impartial justice.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT ✓

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
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21 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC (POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7257 (DTG 210339 Z) (STATE SERIAL 575 Nov
20, 7 PM)

Senator McFarland of Arizona leaving by plane
under Navy auspices for Far East tour. Tentative itinerary
includes Shanghai, Manila and Tokyo. Appropriate courtesies
should be shown. Dept Public Affairs Officials interested
in his learning about other powers informational activities.

Sent Manila as 700 repeated to Nanking as 1053,
Shanghai as 2118, Seoul as 149.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, VISITORS
BUREAU, G-1, G-3, AG, SIG OFF, CIV COMM
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WAROOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....ROUTINE

519, November 21, 1946.

Z-26034

Depts 566, November 14, regarding accounts current of Foreign Service Officer Charles A. Cooper.

Accounts current in question cannot be found.

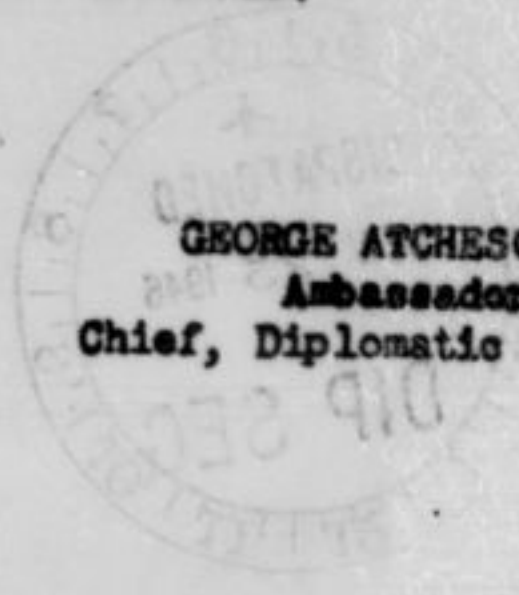
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21 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (CHIEF OF STAFF)
TO : CINCAFPAC (POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT
NR : STATE SERIAL 574 URTEL 516, 16 NOV 46

Allotment checks erroneously credited to Mariquita
Atcheson instead of George Atcheson since June 16-29.
Treasury notified to change plate.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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MCN: YA 21/21

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21 Nov 46

FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
NR : 20TH STATE SERIAL 572

Ref urtel 514 Nov 15. Sebald designated and may take exam early Dec. In order avoid delay he should telegraph approximate date he desires to be scheduled. No travel expenses payable by Dept.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-~~in~~-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

NOTE: Ref tel 514 Nov 15 is Z 24913 (Dip Sect).

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DS/GA/tlc
DATE: 20 Nov 46
NO : 518

FROM: SCAP

(200715)

TO : WARGOS (PASS TO SECSTATE) ROUTINE

(Z-25373) Our need for competent (this is Atcheson's 518 Nov 20) senior officers (ourtel 304 July 6) continues to increase. Is there any prospect for early substitution for Sturgeon? Reurad 569 Nov 18

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY,
Colonel, A.G.D.,
Adjutant General.

GEORGE ATCHESON, JR.
Ambassador
Chief, Diplomatic Section

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20 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : CIRCULAR 19

Your allotments for first quarter for salaries of Alien Employees Regular Foreign Service Program have been extended through Nov 12, and following amounts have been added to them: Appropriation 1970510 allotment O-1221 increase 550 in accordance with Public Law no 724, effective Nov 13th, following single allotment number and appropriation symbol will apply to all Alien Foreign Service regular employees not OIC or other program on and after Nov 13, and you will be issued new allotment advice numbered NR 1235 chargeable to appropriation symbol 1970552 for amount of your unobligated balance upon receipt of report required by depcirgram or depcirtel to follow. Instructions covering allotments available after Nov 12, for all other categories affected will be issued soon.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TOO: 192310 Z
MCN: YA 12/20

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20 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7234 (DTG 200339 Z) (STATE SERIAL
571, NOV 19, 7 PM)

Please obtain from competent disinterested
authority appraisal of Imituui residential property
Tokyo. Bishop is familiar.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
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20 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS) (FOR POLITICAL
ADVISER)
NR : W SVC 7225 (192004 Z) (STATE SERIAL 148, NOV.
19, 1 PM)

British Govt will appoint Derwent W Kermode
(deptel 135 Oct 4) British Consul Gen at Seoul.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, AG,
GOVT SECT

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19 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE SERIAL 569 18TH NOV

Sturgeons assignment has been cancelled. Urtel 500,
5th.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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MCN : YD 11/19

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18 Nov 46

FROM : WSD
TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO CG 24TH CORPS)
INFO : WARCOS (POLAD)
NR : STATE SERIAL 4167, Nov 17

Relay from Moscow.

Pravda Nov 16 carries article by Smolenski "Situation in Korea" containing 1st comprehensive statement by Soviet Press on developments in Korea. Full summary follows:

"First it should be noted that primary task set by Moscow Conference on Korean question, task of creating provisional Korean Democratic Govt still remains unresolved. Representatives of USA in Joint Soviet American Commission established to fulfill this task has displayed tendency to complicate negotiations to delay creating of Provisional Korean Govt and to substitute for this major task, question of 'Unifying' economy of all Korea under leadership of American Administration. American Delegation displayed particular interest in seeing to it that reactionary leaders opposing Moscow Decision should be guaranteed supremacy in future Korean Govt. Delegates of USA sought to limit rights of large Democratic Parties and public organizations which sincerely supported Moscow Decision. Soviet Delegation in Joint Commission decisively rejected attempts to violate spirit and letter of Moscow Decision. American Delegation which was convinced of necessity for imposing its viewpoint on Soviet Delegation and for achieving revision of Moscow Decisions repeatedly during discussions threatened rupture of negotiations and proposed suspending work of Joint Commission."

"General Hodge and other official American representatives attempted to blame for rupture of negotiations on Soviet Delegation which had allegedly infringed sacred principle of freedom of speech. However, facts concerning conduct

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FROM : WSD NR: STATE SERIAL 4167, Nov 17 DTD: 18 Nov 46

of Soviet-American negotiations testify that American Delegation Joint Commission fought for 'Freedom of Speech'. Only for small number of reactionary groups and denied this right to mass democratic organizations."

"Repressions against Korean Democratic Organizations in Southern Korea, closing there of Left-Wing Papers, mass arrests of democratic figures and encouragement to reactionary groups, all this revealed real attitude of Americans toward Moscow Decision."

"As General Chistiakov Commander of Soviet troops in Northern Korea has noted delay in forming provisional Korean Democratic Government is hindering necessary unification of Korea into single state having harmful effect on economic and political situation in Korean people and delaying fulfillment of democratic reforms throughout all Korea."

"Who profits from this delay? In answering this question it is enough to compare situation in Northern Korea, Zone of USSR Military responsibility and in Southern Korea, Zone of US responsibility."

"Relying on wide block of democratic parties and public organizations provisional Popular Committee of Northern Korea representing administration authority has achieved immense success in restoring industry and transport, improving situation of workers and democratizing country's entire internal life. Land reform has been carried out. In Northern Korea about 1,000,000 Hectares which had belonged to Japanese and Korean landowners were confiscated and distributed free of charge for permanent use of Korean peasants. Parasitic landowner class bulwark of Japanese militarism and reaction was liquidated together with medieval tenantry system. Industry, transport, communications, and banks which had belonged to Japanese conquerors and to traitors of Korean people have been confiscated and placed at disposal of Popular Committees."

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Eight hr day has been introduced together with social insurance and protection of labor under special law governing workers and employees. Law on equal rights for women has given them opportunity to participate actively in all forms of political and economic life."

"New genuine democratic authority in Northern Korea has won general recognition. Clear evidence of this lies in elections to provincial town and Popular Committees held on Nov 3. Speech of peasant from Sunan, Lu Chun Don, is indicative of Popular mood. He stated, 'Popular Committee looks after us like our own father. I received land from Popular Committee and I will vote for such persons who show concern for the people.'"

"In what countries of West can such political activity be observed? 4,501,813 persons or 99.6% of general number of registered voters participated in elections."

"Northern Korea is moving confidently along path of full democratic development in accordance with Moscow Decision."

"There is no doubt that democratic reforms carried out by provisional Popular Committee of Northern Korea reflect aspirations and interest of entire Korean people. Evidence of this can be found in numerous statements in Seoul Press in resolutions of mass meeting of workers and Intelligentsia in various towns and villages of Southern Korea, etc. During general strike in Southern Korea in Sept and Oct, one of strikers chief demands was conduct to reforms similar to those carried out in Northern Korea. Why have these reforms not yet been carried out in US Zone of Military Administration? American correspondent D L Olmsted, who spent 8 months with American occupation troops in Southern Korea, makes interesting admissions in this connection."

"When we landed Korea to free country, writes Olmsted in newspaper Korean Independence-Americans had fine opportunity to aid this gallant people in its struggle for independence,

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to give their due to those who fought against Japanese Imperialism and to punish those who aided Japanese in exploiting Korea and in war against Allies. But American Military Administration chose another course. We overthrew Govt of Peoples Republic which had been created by resistance forces after Japanese capitulation.

Korean collaborationists not only survived Japanese collapse but according to lists presented by popular front leaders to Military Admin many of them are still serving under American Military Admin.

"Evidently these elements which have always depended on a foreign purse represent more reliable bulwark for American Military Admin than Democratic Forces which clearly are not at Gen Hodges disposal. 'Suspicious attitude of Gen Hodges administration toward freedom and democracy' about which Olmsted also writes has recently assumed an open form. Population of Southern Korea not only has not been accorded promised democratic reforms but bitterly observes how Korean Police led by reactionaries and supported by American Troops are destroying Hq of mass political organizations, closing down progressive newspapers, arresting democratic figures and firing on strikers. At end of Sep dissatisfaction of Korean population with policy of American authorities crystalized in general strike embracing entire Southern Korea. Armed clashes of strikers with police and American troops occurred in many towns. Entire population went on strike in province of Northern Kensei with exception of 3 centers."

"General Hodge admitted that strike here was transformed into armed uprising in which more than 100,000 persons participated. City of Taikiu in center of province became veritable battlefield. There were many killed and wounded on both sides. After American troops had suppressed uprising mass of insurgents took to hills where they have contd

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struggle. General Hodges attempt to explain this unprecedented uprising as 'Agitation carried out by people outside Southern Korea', was unconvincing. Korean people demand radical democratic reforms in spirit of Moscow Decisions. However, such reforms evidently do not correspond with aims of American Occupation."

"Attempts of American Administration to manufacture 'Independent Government' of Southern Korea with reactionary elements was not crowned with success. Newspaper Korean Independence writes 'American Military Administration has so far had several consultative organs but they have all failed owing to fact that they have not been able to attract Left-wing representation and have been turned into loyal defenders of cause of Korean reactionaries."

"It should be noted that plan to create 'Legislative organ' in Southern Korea, as reported by AP, has been approved by US Govt which ascribed motive for establishing such organ to 'Difficulty of achieving agreement with Soviet. This explanation only testifies to American tendency to avoid fulfilling Moscow Decision in Korea."

"There can be no doubt that such policy of American Occupation authorities by no means contributes to restoration of Korea as independent state and to countrys development on democratic basis."

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FROM : WSD NR : STATE SERIAL 4167, Nov 17 DATED : 18 Nov 46

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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FROM: SCAP

(151459)

TO : WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE). ROUTINE

(Z-24913) For Vincent and Penfield. Is it feasible to make inquiry regarding Sebald's application for designation for examination? He has opportunity to fly home early December which provides solution difficult transportation problem and would save great deal of time - important consideration in view our urgent need his services here. (This is Atcheson's 514 November 15) Please reply by radio.

OFFICIAL:

JOHN B. COOLEY,
Colonel, A.G.D.,
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

GEORGE ATCHESON, JR.
Ambassador
Chief, Di-lomatic Section

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SIS, November 16, 1946 24960

Following message has been received by GINGAPPAG from Commanding General AFWESPAG: "Request a representative of the State Department be stationed on Okinawa or an officer of that command be deputized to perform State Department consular functions. Tremendous loss of time in dealing through Manila with Yokohama on matters pertaining to citizenship, births, claims, etc."

We are convinced that needs of Okinawa are real and desire to be of all possible assistance to the American citizens resident in that area. However, no one is available here for detail. This is another indication of the need for additional officers to arrive here soonest.

The arrival of two additional junior officers who could be made available to Yokohama Branch would permit the detail of one FSO from there to Okinawa and another to Kobe pending the opening of the Kobe office (reference our despatch 637 Oct 7).

Yokohama necessarily ceased making citizenship appointments in July and appointments previously made run through June 1947. If continued at present rate it will require an estimated eight years to complete backlog of known citizenship work.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGP,
Adjutant General

[Signature]
GEORGE ATCHISON
Ambassador
Chief, Diplomatic Section

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16 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : 151954 Z

From Moscow fifteenth summary follows, 2 1/2 column Izvestiya Nov 14 article by V Yarovoi, "Postwar Economy of Japan and American Monopolies".

"Policy of Japanese ruling circles since capitulation has been directed toward doing everything possible to subvert their fulfillment****one means for attaining this purpose was tendency of Japanese monopolies to re-establish their pre-war ties with commercial industrial, and banking circles of US and Britain****from first days following capitulation of Japan many leaders of influential American firms began to consider how to restore Japan as supplier of number of products****it is quite understandable that American monopolies showed little interest in fact that pre-war stream of goods from US to China assisted Japanese military production and therefore had direct effect on Pearl Harbor Catastrophe quotes tendencies towards expansion, consideration of military-strategic nature and also business have pressed and continue to press American Imperialists toward contact with Zaibatsu and toward maximum penetration of Japanese postwar economy.

"American businessmen relying on support of occupational authorities are already making considerable efforts to extract profit from restored Japanese foreign trade." (Figures follow on current Japanese American foreign trade). "American capital seeks not only to gain

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possession of Japan as market for its goods. American monopolies are extremely active in question of capital investment in various branches of postwar Japanese economy. This is case both with companies which had capital investments in Japan prior to war and with those which evidenced interest in Japan after its capitulation.****Total amount of American capital investment in pre-war Japan varied between 4 and 5 million dollars.

"Under circumstances and in view of growing interest of American capital in postwar Japanese economy Japanese magnates of finance welcome in every way increasing activity of American business circles.****It goes without saying that Japanese concerns are in no way disturbed by fact that realization of their appeals to American capitalists will inevitably lead to enslavement of Japanese economy by foreign capital. Japanese monopolies are anxious to preserve their positions in country's economy. Cherishing dreams of rebirth of Japanese Imperialism, concerns seek to 'Interest' American industrialists to highest degree. This finds very broad response among latter since they approach policy from their own expansionist desires.

"In light of this 'Rappoochement' between Japanese interests and American monopolies it becomes clear that during year since Japan's capitulation dissolution of Zaibatsu has been slowed down in every way."

"It is known that in 1945 MacArthur issued order for Zaibatsu's dissolution and drew up measures to this end. Practical fulfillment of this directive was entrusted

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to Japanese Govt which reflected interests of those very concerns which it should liquidate. It is clear that Zaibatsu clique made broad use of this circumstance and during year since MacArthur's directive has been able to protect their interests to maximum and actually to disrupt fulfillment of this directive. Indeed American occupation authorities themselves adopted no severe measures for directives implementation which was therefore tantamount to a demonstration calculated for foreign consumption.**** On Oct 1, 1946 representative of so-called Liquidation Commission under Japanese Govt announced that work had begun to liquidate Zaibatsu. As result three concerns Mitsui, Mitsubishi and Yasuda-stated that they are terminating their activity, in which connection commission is receiving from these concerns securities amounting to 1.7 billion yen. Representative further indicated that ll remaining major Japanese companies will shortly cease their activity and surrender all their securities to commission****Is this so?

"By end of war, capital of various industries banking and commercial companies controlled by only 4 concerns-Mitsui, Mitsubishi, Yasuda and Sumitomo-reached total of about 100 billion yen. All these concerns held not less than 40% of country's total national wealth.

"This is why 'Self dissolution' of Mitsui, Mitsubishi and Yasuda concerns and their transfer of securities in amount of 1.7 billion yen seems not to be liquidation of monopoly but common maneuver calculated to deceive world public opinion. Such 'Dissolution' gives Japanese monopolies opportunity to preserve their economic and political positions in country.

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"But this is primarily related to policy of American occupation authorities who according to Chicago Sun correspondent consider that 'Adoption at present of any radical measures against Zaibatsu would seriously reflect against rebirth of Japanese economy'.****It is scarcely surprising that representatives of these monopolies feel extremely free and, willingly greeting American expansionist designs, consider exploiting with them jointly both population of Japan and peoples of other Asiatic countries.

"Thus desire of American capital to seize Japanese economy meets a response among mandates of Japanese finance capital who count on strengthening their position by satisfying American designs. All this creates conditions hindering execution of Potsdam Declaration which demands democratization of Japan and its transformation into peaceful state."

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, STAT & RPTS SECT,
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TOO : 151954 Z
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FROM : US EMBASSY STATE DEPT PARIS FRANCE
TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO SEOUL KOREA)
NR : 151415 Z

Following digest leading article Brigadier Fitzroy MacLean MP recently returned from Japan and Korea appearing Times Nov 17.

Korea already occasion 2 Far Eastern conflicts. Now Korea once again on way becoming international powder magazine. Across 38th parallel quarter million Soviet troops face some 40,000 Americans. Relations between 2 Commands to all intents broken off. In Russian Zone familiar pattern of Soviet State rapidly taking shape. In American Zone Communist engineered "Oct Revolution" threatens make administration impossible.

At Yalta decided in principle restore Korean independence. After Jap capitulation Soviets and Americans came in theory at least not as conquerors but as liberators. Terms of reference Allied Forces of Occupation worked out at Moscow. Joint Soviet-American Commission set up under terms met Seoul in March. But ran into difficulties over question which today exercises world, namely, correct definition term democratic Russian refusal admit any party could be democratic that opposed Moscow Decision caused consternation for with exception Communists Soviets have covered whole range Korean political parties.

Soviet definition democracy not shared by General Hodge who maintained such interference essentially undemocratic. Complete deadlock was reached and early in May Joint Commission adjourned and has not met since. Consequently no progress made toward formation provisional

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Govt and coordination economic and administrative matters. Meanwhile iron curtain dropped along 38th parallel with Americans and Soviets "Democratizing" respective zones according own lights.

In Soviet Zone Communist party disappeared but Left-wing coalition bearing name "Labor Party" has emerged. This party controlled by former CEC OG Communist party backed by efficient police and 250,000 Red troops Labor Party making excellent progress along Soviet lines.

In American Zone things not going so smoothly, chief obstacle being South Korean Communists who obstructing work Mil Govt and preventing political unity. They have aggravated inflationary tendency by counterfeiting currency and have stirred up strikes which have lead to disturbances so violent as to be referred to in Korea "Oct Revolution".

Influence from north 38th parallel dominates whole situation. Brief visit inspires grave misgivings. Situation leaves one with feeling Korea may take its place with Trieste, Greece and Dardanelles as international trouble center. Prospects unified democratic state receding. Profoundly to be hoped 4 Trustee Powers will make serious attempt break existing deadlock.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
GOVT SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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WARGOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....PRIORITY

SII, November 16, 1946.

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C - 67286 Redaptal 553, November 6 (NS4976).

1. Two U.S. Army Officers, Capt. William M. Terry and 1st Lt. David R. McCracken, are accompanying Japanese Antarctic whaling expedition as representatives of Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers. For purposes of administration and control desirable designate SCAP representatives as "representatives" not, repeat not, as whaling inspectors. Jap Bureau of Fisheries has assigned two experienced competent Japanese whaling inspectors to each of the two whaling factory ships. SCAP directives require Japanese obtain all biological statistical data specified by International Whaling Conventions. SCAP representatives are instructed insure Japanese compliance with terms International Whaling Conventions and provisions SCAP directives relating to whaling, and prepare comprehensive reports all phases activities Japanese whaling fleet with special reference to techniques of killing and flensing processing biological data and methods predicting occurrence of whales. They will make complete photographic record.

2. All available material of importance in SCAP files on Antarctic project being forwarded airmail.

3. Although SCAP originally authorized conversion three tankers, two repeat two of which are ships used in present Antarctic whaling expedition, conversion of third tanker, which was not repeat not to be completed until May 1947, has been stopped because original plan for use in Benin Island whaling operations now found impracticable. There are no repeat no present plans to continue conversion this ship for whaling operations. Beyond completion hull to point where launching is possible, no further construction or conversion will be carried out pending decision regarding future use of vessel.

4. Lt. Col. R. H. Fiedler, O-183587, former Chief Fisheries Division, Natural Resources Section, GNG, SCAP, is now in Washington. He is familiar with Japanese whaling problems. Believed he may be reached US Fish and Wildlife Service or US Army Civil Affairs Division.

OFFICIAL:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGO
Adjutant General

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GEORGE ATCHESON JR.
Ambassador

Chief, 5 Diplomatic Section W-99794-100

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(3) APPROVED BY C/S 11/15/46.

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16 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7127, TOO 152005 Z STATE SERIAL 568,
NOV 15, NOON

Questions raised urtel 492 Oct 29 being taken
up by Dept with Chinese Embassy.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2,
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15 Nov 46

FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT)

TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)

INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)

NR : WAR SVC 7094 (STATE SERIAL 567 NOV 14, 6 PM.
DTG 150134 Z)

Establishment govt-owned Oil Distribution Corp
(CINCPAC rad Z 23111 sec 2 part 1).

1. Does new govt corp supersede PDCC and presumed successor PDC Ltd?
2. Is duration of govt monopoly corp temporary and only for a period until return to private trade feasible or is intent permanent?
3. If answer to (1) affirmative what disposition being made of facilities presently under PDCC control?

ACHESON

ACTION: GOVT SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4,
AG, STAT & RPTS SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT



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FROM : (STATE DEPT)

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MANILA, AMEMBASSY PANAMA, AMEMBASSY NANKING, VIENNA
AMLEGATION, USPOLAD BERLIN, SCAP

INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)

NR : CIR 14TH

Depcirtel Nov 8 and depcirgam Nov 12 850 AM
requirement for separate payroll for period Nov 13 through
16 covering salaries and allowances modified to permit at
discretion of post inclusion this fractional period
with next full pay period. Preparing roll for Nov 13
through 30 inclusive payments by Dept of Allotments of
pay not affected by above cited depcirtel and depcirgam and
your deductions for allotments of pay may be taken in full
from payroll period Nov 3 through 12 or prorated between
this fractional period and next period at discretion of
officer if warranted. Notify consulates your jurisdiction.

ACHESON

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-~~IN~~-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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15 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (US POLAD)
NR : STATE SERIAL 566 NOV 14

Advise Department if you can prepare and forward certified true copies of Charles A Coopers Sept and Oct 1941 accounts current attention invited chapter V section V-28 note 2.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT ✓

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TOO: 141957 Z
MCN: YH-14-14

STATE SERIAL 614 - refer to
GA'S - 519 - refer to

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15 Nov 46

FROM : STATE DEPT LONDON
TO : CINCPAC
NR : 141750 Z (SENT STATE AS 9503 RELAYED TOKYO 4XX)

Following digest special article by Sir Paul Butler Far Eastern expert Royal Institute International Affairs appearing today's Manchester Guardian.

Belief Brit and US authorities that Jap nation would seek refuge in throne from humiliation of defeat and Govt in name of Emperor would provide only effective instrument through which Allies could administer Japan held well founded by developments in Japan to date. Pattern new Japan essentially American. Jap leaders steering unfamiliar course with obvious misgivings and reluctance but they cannot turn back. MacArthur has carried out with much ability instructions his Govt to use presurrender form of govt while at same time giving encouragement such democratic inclination as Jap people may acquire through such measures as Jap Bill of Rights.

Renunciation by Emperor of divine attributes purging of exponents of Militarist Nationalism and enactment new constitution. Re constitution which probably drafted MacArthur's Headquarters difficult share MacArthur's enthusiasm for article 9 for history last peace suggests renunciation sovereign rights by defeated nation unlikely be observed when victors no longer in position apply compulsion. Nevertheless constitution has merits of being charter on which Japs may lay foundations Democratic State. High praise due MacArthur for campaign political reeducation resulting in first free election Japan's history. Although Yoshida Cabinet probably fails satisfy confused aspirations Jap people new govt making all required gestures democratic reform and seems enjoy confidence Allied Headquarters.

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On surface therefore political regeneration and Military Occupation Japan proceeding well as could be expected and MacArthur enjoys popularity among Japs such as few Occupation Military Commanders have experienced. But there portents in Jap political firmament which may have disquieting implications. Most disquieting is recent tendency representatives Allied Council Japan take sides in Jap Internal Politics should be DIATROU if ideological differences afforded Japs opportunity play off 1 great power against another.

Secondly practical democracy yet to take root method forced culture effective only if adequate controls remain until strongly developed. Finally several Jap Editorials have advocated new approach SINOJAP cooperation. SINOJAP goodwill is vital For Eastern security but in view disruption in China and Japens past record difficult to feel any confidence reestablishment Jap influence in China would not be used for subversive ends. Text being pouched Dept Tokyo.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG, GOVT
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TOO: 141750 Z
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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7076 RELAYS (TRUE TOO 140156/Z)
(STATE SERIAL 565 NOV 3, 7 PM)

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Reurtel 343, Aug 21, and Deptel 338, Nov 2
TRD Dept desires to know nbr of natives of former
Japanese-mandated Islands now living in SEA who
desire repatriation and also approximate nbr who are
likely to apply for repatriation. This info necessary
because of difficult problems of shipping facilities,
trans-shipment, housing and subsistence involved in
any arrangements which can be made to repatriate these
natives.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3, AG

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Z 24783

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512, November 14, 1946.

Redeptel 555, November 7, re supplies for Mukden.

Inquiries this Headquarters reveals Paiping Headquarters Group although logistically supported by AFWESPAC actually receives most supplies from Navy and Marine Corps who are understood to use port of Taku Bar. Suggest Consulate Tientsin be requested obtain information feasibility rail transportation Taku Bar to Mukden. Further information not available Tokyo.

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GEORGE ATCHESON, JR.,
Ambassador,
Chief, Diplomatic Section

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Above msg replies State Dept. request for info on shipping supplies to Consulate at Mukden, Manchuria. Info in first sentence obtained from GTS (Maj. Unger).

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE : SERIAL 563 13 NOV

Dept informed Swiss Govt that after clearance by SCAP for Mr Dubois to proceed to Japan he would be entitled to designation Swiss Diplomatic Representative in Japan, now held by Bossi. Dept assumed that in accordance with SCAP's Circular no 8, Aug 13, Swiss mission in Tokyo would request SCAP's approval of Dubois appointment. Dept perceives no objection to Dubois assignment.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1,
G-2, AG

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TOO : 140240 Z
MCN : SA 111/14

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14 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) (FROM AGRICULTURE)
TO : CINCPAC (POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR (WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : 140200 Z

Official U.S. Nov 1946 estimates, thousand bushels: Corn 3,380,672, rice 69,875 sorghums for grain 88,175, other grains unchanged from Oct estimates; soy-beans 191,912 potatoes 477,904, commercial apples 121,494 sugar, unchanged; thousand pounds: tobacco 2,269,258 hops 53,135, thousand bags, beans 14,916.

Conditions: oranges, grapefruit continue well above last year and average. Record high production indicated. Quantitative estimates total production available Dec. Jan-Oct milk production 103,288 million pounds, egg production 48,106 million.

Record volume crop production now virtually realized. Crops generally have reached harvest under almost ideal conditions. Aggregate volume production 1946 now estimated 3 points above previous peak 1942. Farm work well advanced with Oct weather favorable to ideal. Seeding fall grains mostly completed and prospects great plains have seldom been better.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4,
AG, ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES SECT

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FOO : 140200 Z
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FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7077 (REF AYS DIG 132312 Z STATE CIRCULAR
NOVEMBER 13, 1946)

French Milit Intelligence Officials Hanoi state
4000 to 5000 Japs at large. Vietnam about 3000 whom
being used as milit instructors and petty officers.
They not believed be contact Japan or be rendering any
political assistance.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
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14 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (POLITICAL ADVISOR)
NR : WAR SVC 7078 RELAYS (DTG 140141 Z) (STATE SERIAL
564 NOV 13, 6 PM)

30,000 Japanese POW's remain out of approx
80,000 at end of hostilities (infotel). About 1,500
now being used by Brit Military and approx same nbr
by Govt Burma on rehabilitation projects.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
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13 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7064 (STATE SERIAL CIRCR NOV 12, 1 PM,
DTG 122345 Z)

Reply our note re retention 13500 Jap POW'S
as laborers NEI and our desire early repatriation
accordance Potsdam terms. (infotel) Dutch AMB states it
essential retain these men repair transport work at
Airfields Harbors destroyed by Jap and Dutch Govt,
assumes responsibility for upkeep repatriation these men.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1,
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509, 13 November 1946.

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Reference Department's 561, November 12. Our reply to Department's 469, September 6, is contained in our 419, September 20 which stated "No objection perceived".

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GEORGE ATCHESON, JR.
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Info: CAG
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MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. State Department's 469, 6 Sep 46, expressed preference that a commission be issued to an American consular officer at Yokohama rather than to an officer of I Corps in Kyoto, and requested information whether any objection is perceived.
2. Diplomatic Section's 419, 26 Sep 46, replied, "No objection perceived".
3. Above telegram is in reply to State Department's 561, 13 Nov 46 (AG 29767) which refers to Department's 469 and states "Expedite reply". It is apparent that our 419 either was not received by State Department or its meaning was not understood.
4. Above telegram is intended to clarify matter and reply that no objection is perceived.



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13 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (US POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE SERIAL 561 NOV 12

Depts 469 Sept 6 your A-67 expedite reply.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT ✓
INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG
NOTE: A-67 is Z 21674 (DIPLOMATIC SECT).

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13 Nov 46

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FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : 13 NPT

Relay from Moscow. "Summary follows:

New Times Nov 1 major article by Maj Gen M Galaktionov
"Growth of Militarism in US."

"In July 1939 American Army numbered only 174,000 men, at beginning of Oct 1946 American Sec of War Robert Patterson speaking at San Francisco gathering stated that American Armed Forces should consist of nearly 5,000,000 men. On Oct 8, Gen Spaatz Commander of US Army Air Forces speaking at AFL session in Chicago demanded yet more decisively strengthening of US Armed Forces particularly of Air Corps. Only air power can defend America from attacks through Arctic region," he said. Who intends to attack Gen Spaatz across North Pole remains unknown. By judging from his speech he is ready to attack all parts of globe. He indicated that industrial districts in Asia, Europe and America are in mutually accessible zone to aviation and that B-36 planes are able to carry heavy bomb loads 8 kilometers and return without landing. In Gen Spaatz speech as in number of similar speeches is reflected that policy of force which influential business and military circles stubbornly and maliciously are imposing upon American people. More farsighted people abroad and throughout world understand that policy of force contradicts policy of international cooperation which the late President Roosevelt conducted in US.

"Policy of force is dangerous for general peace, this is indisputable. But it is dangerous primarily for country which proceeds along path of such policy. Experience of history proves undeniably that not democratic but quite other regimes are built on foundation of military force and

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that tendency toward extraordinary expansion of armed forces is indication of a state's internal weakness. Comrade Stalin has shown there is well-known law of history according to which aggressive nations interested in new war and building up forces for it, are usually better prepared for war than peace-loving nations but XXXXXXXXXX was force of democratic states among them US which destroyed aggressors. Nil force of Anti-Hitlerite coalition counted with moral force and economic supremacy. Rapacious war aims of aggressor states lead to their weakening, isolation and growth of centrifugal forces within. Fascist aggressor states yet before war consigned their economy to service of militarism. Peace-loving states paid chief attention to peacetime economic developments. It results that their economy was more capable of supporting burden of protracted war than economy of aggressors. This permits following conclusions: One of most evident and important lessons of Second War is that system of militarism which raised military force as guiding principle for solution of international questions suffered collapse.

"It is now desired to impose this bankrupt system on American people. It is indeed question of imposing it, as all historical traditions of Americans contradict this system. Development of capitalist monopolies has inevitably given rise to imperialist tendencies in US. But American capital first has preferred until now to base its expansion not on military but on economic means of penetration. Second, US did not need to create strong armed forces because no country of American Continent could compare with it

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in military affairs. Wilson and Roosevelt had to expend considerable efforts to introduce obligatory military service even in time of war. Immediately after Second World War question arose of repealing obligatory military service. Only with greatest effort was Govt able to keep it in force. Every govt must have present armed forces necessary to preserve country's security. But wherever development of armed forces extends beyond framework of these lawful demands and serves purpose of pressure on other countries or becomes means of intimidation and blackmail, militarism begins.

"At present preservation of large Army in US is unnecessary. In truth it is impossible openly to explain to people of Trans-Atlantic republic why US troops are, and Philippines, Air Forces are growing in Europe. Budget provided \$195,000,000 for construction of permanent military bases in Alaska, Marianas, Philippines, Hawaii and Okinawa. It not so much question of amount but of policy hidden behind this measure. There can be no question of these bases possessing defensive character: They are located too far from America. Distribution of bases immediately adjoining Eastern Asiatic Coast clearly indicated tendency to domination of Eastern Asia by American Aviation. Picture is completed considering line of bases established near Western shores of Europe and in South America.

"Reactionary portions of American press have raised furor over danger of air attack on US particularly across Arctic; purpose of this furor is to convince American public of necessity for conducting military measures and to conceal their aggressive character at basis of policy creating bases and reorganizing American Armed Forces, already being put in effect, is idea of dominant role of aviation. Bill providing for union of War and Navy Depts and creation

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of single Command clearly reflects fears that these measures are pushing country further along road to militarism.

"Strengthening of armed aggressive policy for creation of new bases, idea of dominant role of aviation are all links of one chain. There is one more link-- Atom Bomb. Present atomic policy leads to strengthening militarism in US and to new arms race. Only radical decision now before peoples is to fully outlaw applications of atomic energy as military means. Militarists strive to prove that atom war program unlike former programs will be cheap bases, air power, atom bomb and that's all. But idea of basing policy of force on supremacy of aviation is simple idea. No weapon including aviation will force democratic peoples to bow to aggressors.

"As for atom bomb. Myth of its importance was specially invented to frighten people with weak nerves; it is characteristic that even Bikini tests organized under notorious plan to atomic diplomacy demonstrated inconsistency of this myth. Assistant Director of Special Unit for atom bomb tests McAuliffe stated in interview that atom bomb will probably not find great application on conflict against enemy troops. According to McAuliffe review of results of experiments with equipment of Army land forces shows that trenches will protect soldiers from atomic rays and from high temperatures when these trenches are located fairly near point of explosion of atom bomb. Tanks, artillery and other heavy arms located near explosion will actually remain almost undamaged; such appraisal of military virtues of atom bomb by a competent personality are highly characteristic; it repeatedly confirms that atomic weapon which possesses great destructive force for use against peaceful cities is by no means capable of deciding fate

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of war. Even less can this weapon make war lightning like and cheap as present charlatan instigators of new war affirm.

"Program of militarists is not restricted to growth of aviation and atomic armament but denotes gigantic growth of arms of all types and trend toward new burdensome and lengthy world war. It is understandable that this program arouses opposition of American people who see that half of countrys budget already goes to military expenditures. Proponents of policy of force in international affairs are pressing US on road to militarism. History has shown that this road is dangerous and ruinous. People want peace and security. Militarism offers neither one or the other".

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
AG, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7045 (TOO 101700 Z) (WSDB SVC 73
RELAYS MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW)

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Summary follows article Red Star Nov 6 by A
Leontev, "Sov Union-- Bulwark of peace and security of
peoples".

"Sov National Policy has made country fraternal
family of equal people. This radically differentiates USSR
from multi-national states built on oppression of people
and discrimination. How can one speak of attractions of
'British Brotherhood of Nations' when in reality British
Empire is based on domination by Anglo-Saxon races of colored
populations of Imperial possessions? Same is true of 'American
way of life' since 1/10 of that Republic's population
is deprived of all human rights."

"Marx wrote that a people cannot be free that
oppresses other peoples. Life shows this to be true and what
countries seeking to build their wellbeing on oppression
of other peoples cannot be free from imperialist tendencies."

"During war Red Army was the one that fought
exclusively for freedom and independence of motherland, that
fulfilled liberating mission to Poles, Yugoslavs, Czechs
and others, the one to which any encroachments on liberty
and independence of other nations are completely alien."

"Even during war Soviet peoples heard from their
leader Stalin that USSR had no such aims as annihilation or
enslavement of German people or state... in his replies to
president of UP Stalin said: 'Not only economic but also
political unity of Germany must be restored

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(WSDB SVC 73 RELAYS MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW) 11 NOV 46 CONT'D

"Other views on German problem are held by imperialists of Anglo-Saxon powers and particularly by new war-mongers in Churchill's clique. These circles which desire to impose foreign will on German people impede restoration of its political and consequently its economic unity, and at same time play with forces of German reaction and supporters of revenge. These circles are very willing to maintain German Imperialism provided it is weakened and turned into tool of Anglo-Saxon pretensions to world hegemony. Such are tendencies manifested in even more open form in Anglo-American policy toward Japan."

"Just as clear is difference between 2 courses of present day foreign policy regarding fate of small Allies of Hitlerite Germany in Europe. At Paris Peace Conference and discussions of peace treaties with these countries, Sov Delegation consistently fought for principles of democratic peace. These principles of democratic peace were opposed by another course calculated to take advantage of temporary weakness of these countries, to enslave them economically to Wall Street and city financiers, to bind these countries hand and foot and turn them into spheres for expansion of Anglo-American capital. This course was naturally opposed by Sov Reps and by delegations of other democratic countries."

"Finally Sov Deleg pursues struggle for peace and security in UN. But reactionary elements are rearing their heads in Anglo-Saxon countries. These circles wish to turn UN into an organ for realization of Anglo-Saxon plans for world hegemony, an organ with whose help Anglo-Saxon Bloc may be able to dictate its will to all other countries."

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FROM: WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT) NR: WAR SVC 7045 (TOO 101700 Z)
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"Such plans naturally imply deadly danger for UN. Efforts which have been made during past year to realize these plans have done obvious harm to this organization's authority in eyes of world. In their efforts to avoid responsibility for their machinations imperialists allege that damage to authority of UN and particularly to SC is caused by Sov Union's policy which is opposed to attempts to turn UN into branch of Washington State Dept."

"In USA and Britain demobilization is proceeding at snail's pace artificially slowed down by influential groups for definite purposes that have nothing in common with interests of peace and security."

"US expansionist policy had led to organization of hundreds of Naval and Air Bases in farthest corners of world which bear no relation to defense of Trans-Atlantic Republic."

"Arms race in post-war period threatens to assume particularly threatening proportions in connection with atom bomb. Unscrupulous blackmailers are trying to use atomic weapon as means for exerting pressure in international negotiations."

"World was given inspiration by Sov proposal to reduce armaments and outlaw atom bomb. In this proposal world saw real will of Sov State and its determination to fight for lasting establishment of peaceful international relations. This desire dictates Sov Foreign Policy."

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FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCAFPAC
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 7035 (RELAY FROM NANKING) (STATE DEPT
TOO: 092119/Z)

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"Pre-occupation of China Press for week ending Nov 2 continued to be political situation. News interest and comment centered around third party efforts at mediation and by end of week almost all papers had come to depressing conclusion that the failure had become evident. Though most seemed to feel that third party proposals had small chance of acceptance by Government or Communists, the materialization of this fear came as something of a shock and a further cause for gloom. The only exception was statement of Democratic League Delegation Lo Ling-Chi who continued brightly to insist that there was much hope. Only Nanking Press gave National Assembly prominent attention with many news items on preparation and featuring of Communist statement refusing to name delegates. Editorial comment maintained Government would convoke assembly on Nov 12 regardless of co-operation of others.

Generalissimo's 60th birthday dominated all papers Oct 31. Most editorial comment consisted of the expected and almost all major papers put out huge supplements. Shanghai Ta Kung Pao was conspicuous by

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its failure to issue a supplement. War news everywhere continued to be played down, particularly in Government papers, and even capture of Antung was not headlined, some papers expressed fear that this would be just another block to peace efforts.

Surprisingly enough Shanghai Press had less comment on political situation than any other major metropolitan center. Most significant editorial was powerful C-C Clique Shung Pao which stated that 'there can be no assurance that peace talks will be successful, but also little likelihood that quick decision can be reached on the battlefield.' Making suggestions for positive steps, paper went on to say: 'On the one hand, the Government could officially issue a cease-fire order and voluntarily cease hostilities on the basis of present military situation, and on the other hand publish names of delegates to the National Assembly and reorganize the State Council. The number of representatives from each party or group should be in accordance with PCC decision and vacant seats should be left, pending appointment by Communist Party and other groups of their respective representative parties. If, after the Government has made these concessions, the Communist Party still refuses to participate in the National Assembly or tries to prevent other parties and groups from participating, then the Communists will be alienating themselves from the nation.'

Canton papers were also gloomy and placed entire blame on Communists. One Kuomintang paper questioned the

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value of forming Interim Coalition Government and claimed that indications from Washington were that US is becoming less interested in helping form one and that Marshall might be recalled. Paper continued that Chinese people are in agreement with US now that temporary Interim Coalition is unnecessary as real Democracy under Constitutional Government would be the outcome of the approaching National Assembly.

Hankow Press devoted an unusual amount of space to economic conditions in the middle Yangtze Valley. Comment indicated business as stagnating completely, largely due to almost complete absence of shipping, bankruptcy extensive, prices rising and Government doing little to remedy situation. Conditions are further aggravated by difficulties with rural conscription as a result of which many farmers are fleeing to Hankow to avoid seizure. Kmt. Wuhan Jih Pao said: 'National reconstruction is impossible. More than 70% of National expenditures are devoted to Army, and the Ministry of Finance must resort to inflation, land taxes in kind, sale of gold, auction of enemy property and contraction of industrial loans.'

Formosa Press was largely concerned with local conditions and lack of constructive moves to improve situation. Most interesting item was announcement that in future no newspapers could be published in Japanese. (Since only an insignificant percentage of the population can read or speak anything but Japanese, this, to a very large extent, puts Formosan population beyond the reach of newspaper influence.)

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Killing of a peddler by a policeman in Knowloon and subsequent riot received universal attention. News handling and editorial comment indicated indignation and most papers demanded some kind of action, though Government papers, particularly in Nanking and Shanghai, tended to be cautious in comment. Stronger stand was taken in Hankow where the Kwt Wuhan Jih Pao wondered what the real intentions of the Hong Kong Government were and concluded that return of Hong Kong to China is real solution. Hong Kong Tao Pao said that so long as British retain Hong Kong 'more unfortunate incidents will surely follow' and Ta Tung Jih Pao stated that Hong Kong Government attitude toward Chinese residents will 'compromise Sino-British friendship.' Almost all Formosan papers played up the incident and demanded compensation and the return of Hong Kong. In Peiping General Tu YuMing's Hsih Sheng Pao warned 'British economic policy toward China cannot continue in its pre-war status. Past exploitation of raw materials and dumping of commodities must not be repeated in China today.' Ching Shih Jih Pao, organ of Generalissimo's Hqs, pointed out that Hong Kong remains a stumbling block to Sino-British friendship, 'issue was first omitted in Cairo Declaration and then neglected in new Sino-British Treaty of Equality. At a time when China is involved in complicated internal affairs we are quite unwilling to raise problem concerning small island. It seems unwise, however, that Great Britian does not remove stumbling block.'

Though so far not subject of comment, it is interesting that during the week there have been a series of

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strong news articles in Chinese Vernacular as well as Shanghai English language papers alleging persecution of overseas Chinese in Korea, Philippines, Indo China, Siam and Indonesia. These stories have usually been accompanied by long and vigorous protests from Chinese associations in those areas. Particular emphasis has been placed upon Philippine legislation considered as discriminatory to the Chinese.

On Japanese issue, conservative independent Shanghai Ta Kung Pao continued its series of editorials highly critical of American policy as being dangerous eventually to China. In Peiping Generalissimo's Ching Shih Jih Pao took a strong stand demanding abandonment of Appeasement Policy: 'General MacArthur did dissolve Japanese financial plutocrats and he introduced land reforms. But plutocrats are allowed to sell out stocks and thereby enabled to preserve power in a scattered way, while tenants are not in position to offer price for land. Potsdam Conference Declaration demands dissolution of the Japanese Military as well as economic armament. While the former has been dissolved the latter has not. Combination economic armament and Militarized working hands will make possible restoration Japanese Military armament.'

UN General Assembly was most prominent foreign item, news stories being featured throughout week. There was considerable comment, particularly in Nanking. General reaction was that conditions have been improved and that even though there will still be difficulties,

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they can and must be worked out. Veto question, Spain, and Allied Forces in non-enemy territories are seen as most difficult hurdles. Stalin interview with Hugh Baillie generally considered an optimistic development. Molotov's proposal for general reduction of armaments was considered hopeful. Number of papers, in discussing UN affairs, deplored dependent character of Chinese Foreign Policy. Particularly optimistic over Stalin's interview and Molotov's proposal were Shanghai Kmt Chung Yang Jih Pao, C-C Clique Sin Wen Pao and Army Ho Ping Jih Pao. These papers generally favored modification or abolition of veto powers which liberal left-wing Wen Hui Pao supported. Attitudes toward UN were similar throughout country. Department please repeat Moscow, Tokyo."

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (POLAD)
NR : WAR SVC 7046 (TOO: 11101730 Z)

As indicated in embtel #096 Nov 8, Zhdanov's speech Nov 6 is one of most revealing pronouncements made by Soviet leader re present economic plight of country despite its obvious sophistry and Bolshevik doubletalk.

Audience at Bolshoi Theater received speech with marked lack of enthusiasm which gave impression they fully realized real significance black picture as painted directly or between lines. General tenor of speech in text as well as emphasis given by speaker may be summed up as follows: You may think that life is most difficult here but you ought to see how bad life is in capitalist countries and how much the people are suffering in those countries; your govt doing something to help, others are not.

Zhdanov emphasized the "Political and economic crises" in US, UK and other capitalist countries and claimed that in contrast Soviet Union had no such crises. In order to prove this point he used such tricks as a false comparison between production in US and USSR, stating that total US production 1946 was 1/3 less than total production 1943, while in USSR civilian production for first 3/4 1946 compared to same period 1945 had increased 19% and average daily carloadings during same period had risen by 12%. It will be noted

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that for American figures total production is used and that cited for USSR is only civilian production.

Despite Zhdanov's effort to prove that crises only arise in capitalist states, entire speech is admission of grave economic, political and ideological crises now taking place in Soviet Union.

He makes it clear that severe hardships face Soviet people in overcoming difficulties brought about by the war, that they all must tighten belts for indeterminate time, all must work harder, and makes it clear that tens of thousands of people who are either not now working or have white collar jobs will be forced into factory work in order to try fulfill 5-year capital investment plans. While Zhdanov did not say so, it was clearly implied that recent measures of depriving various categories of adults, particularly women, of ration cards unless they were engaged in useful work were measures taken to force these persons into factories. Furthermore, his reference to redistribution of manpower was confirmation of fact that many white collar workers in bureaucracy, including that of collective farms, are being dismissed, thereby deprived of ration cards, and thus forced to seek employment in factories. These admissions tend confirm low productivity of labor, failure of production in many industries to come up to plan, and lack of enthusiasm on part of masses to enter factories and get behind five year plan to produce goods which in general will not alleviate their individual plights.

As indication of hard pull ahead, he reiterated

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Stalin's recent statement that restoration of devastated areas will take at least six or seven years. Zhdanov attempts to explain difficulties and hardships as an economy measure necessitated by tremendous expenditures which State must make under five year plan. Without saying so, he makes it clear by this argument and others as well as by admission that local and cooperative industries particularly must increase consumers good production, that one of principal reasons for increased ration prices was to drain off surplus rubles from masses so that they would not be in position to create run on consumers goods and foodstuffs markets if, as and when derationing takes place. Increased ration prices, of course, will also tend to force workers to overfulfill their normal supply to attain sufficient rubles to make ends meet after their surplus rubles have been drained off by high prices.

It is interesting to note that for first time it has been officially admitted in connection with cut in rations and increase in ration prices that this was necessary because of "Reduction of State stocks." This tends confirm not only that stocks low but that because of sales on free markets etc., State does not control sufficient amount of available stocks.

In this connection it is significant that Zhdanov thought it necessary again to refer in detail to recent measures taken to stamp out survivals of capitalism in the economy, particularly in agriculture. His further reference to serious efforts now being made by govt to put entire machine back on ideological track, indicates extent to which individualistic tendencies have

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grown up in recent years and how, despite 29 years of Marxian inoculations, the serum has not cured basic trait of human nature to look out for oneself first.

Speech as regards internal economic situation was most defensive in tone and was obviously given for purpose of trying to quell discontent and disillusionment of masses caused by recent decrees and actions of govt by trying to give them some solace in thought that despite hard times they were better off than anybody else in world. Despite explanations given, it is not felt that speech which emphasized sacrifices ahead will raise morale to any extent.

In the international section of speech, the principal economic fabrication was the reiteration of Soviet opposition to the internationalization of Danube and "Unjust principle of equal opportunity" which Zhdanov stated signified in reality desire of economically powerful countries to enslave small countries. He, of course, made no mention of heavy Soviet reparations or establishment of 50-50 Soviet-sattelite companies which in fact are endeavoring to monopolize principle industries and "Enslave" former enemy countries.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
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10 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORP, FOR THE POLITICAL
ADVISOR)
NR : W SVC 7021, (090408 Z) (STATE SERIAL 147 NOV 8 7 PM)

Rhee's reentry permit expired Sept 14, 1946 (URTEL 131, Nov 4) however General Hodge may wish suggest to Rhee that questions arising under immigration laws may be less complicated if he returns US shortly in which case Dept will inform Immigration Service regarding waiver visa requirements. Port, steamship and date of expected arrival should be telegraphed in advance.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2,
AG, GOVT SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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FROM : WSD

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ROME (REPEAT TO CONSULS), AMERICAN REPRESENTA-
TIVE SOFIA, AMERICAN REPRESENTATIVE TIRANA,
AMERICAN EMBASSY MANILA (REPEAT TO CONSUL),
AMERICAN EMBASSY PANAMA (REPEAT TO CONSUL),
AMERICAN LEGATION BUDAPEST, AMERICAN EMBASSY
WARSAW (REPEAT TO CONSULS), AMERICAN EMBASSY
NANKING (REPEAT TO CONSULS AND DAIREN), AMERICAN
CONSUL MUKDEN, AMERICAN CONSUL TAIPEI, AMERICAN
LEGATION BAGHDAD (REPEAT TO CONSULS), AUSPOLAD
VIENNA, USPOLAD BERLIN (REPEAT TO CONSULS),
SCAP, YOKOHAMA BR (US POLAD)

NR : CIR 8TH

New Foreign Serv Act requires changes fiscal procedure beginning November 13. Detailed airgram enroute. Following brief instructions apply pending receipt airgram appropriations 1970502 1950509 and 1970510 and allotments therefrom discontinued close of business Nov 12 for obligation and expenditure following new appropriations established Nov 13 1970550 salaries Foreign Serv reserve off 1970551 salaries Foreign Serv Staff off and emp and 1970552 salaries alien clerks and emp. Foreign Serv salaries applicable pers now paid from appropriations to be discontinued payable from new appropriations beginning Nov 13, also liquidate any applicable obligations unpaid Nov 12 from new appropriations allotment advices follow. Appropriations 1970515

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FROM : WSD, NR : CIR 8TH, 10 NOV, CONT'D

1970520 1970531 and 1970545 amended to authorize payment therefrom beginning Nov 13.

Outstanding unliquidated and new obligations for travel expenses district travel quarters living allowances and representation allowances formerly payable from 1970509 charge existing allotments pending receipt new advices. Make separate payrolls at existing rates for all salaries and allowances from Nov 3 through 12 and at applicable new rates from Nov 13 through 16 salary table 3 for all employees forwarded existing cost of living and quarters regulations continue in effect until further notice, but increased cost of living allowances resulting from increases in individual salaries payable beginning Dec 1. Pay none of new types allowances authorized by FS Act in absence of specific authorization consular agents shall file final form 191 COB Nov 12 and will thereafter receive annual salary rates follow forward special report form DS-380 as of Nov 12 for each allotment under appropriations 1970500 1970502 1970505 1970509 1970510 1970515 1970520 1970530 and 1970531.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP, USPOLAD FRANKFURT, AMCON MUNICH, USPOLAD
VIENNA, AMCON DAKAR, AMCON KUNMING, AMCON TIENSIN,
AMCON MUKDEN, AM REP TIRANA, AMREP SOFIA, AM EMB
WARSAW, AM EMB MANILA, USPOLAD BERLIN,
NR : CIRCULAR 8TH

Department urgently needs Nov retail price
schedules as per FORSERPSE 278 of Nov 18, 1944.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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9 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (POLAD)
INFO : WARCOS
NR : WAR SVC 7000 (WSDB SVC 61 Nov 8, 7 AM) (081112/Z)
(RELAY FROM BANGKOK SENT DEPT AS 1253)

"For Luang Pradit, Siamese Textile Mission from
Bisal. Govt approved following items in your report:
item 1 or item 2, or item 1 and 2 together, providing for
half of each."

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP
INFO : WAR DEPARTMENT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 7012 (TOO 11081903 Z) (WSDB SVC 64
RELAYS MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW NR 4096)

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Embassy offers following comments on Zhdanov
Nov 5 speech.

Most striking feature of dreary but revealing oration was attention devoted to home front difficulties. About 2/3 of speech dealt with problems or defects of industry, agriculture, rationing, trade, ideology and other domestic problems. Much of what Zhdanov said regarding these subjects was stale rehash of previous pronouncements. Nevertheless total effect added up to frankest official admission yet of difficulties confronting Sov Govt and hard times being experienced by masses.

One of most significant problems touched on by Zhdanov was political education of youth. His statement that this had special significance and must be organized in spirit of Bolshevik ideas implies that disillusionment on part of youth with Marxian ideology is disturbing Sov leaders.

General tone of parts of speech dealing with domestic problems appeared to be defensive. Zhdanov admitted that people must make "serious sacrifices" in restoring economy. He explained postponement abolition of ration card system by reference to drought and, cryptically, reduction of state provision stocks.

In concluding section he emphasized that such large part of history of regime had been years of war that it had

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FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT) NR : WAR SVC 7012 (TOO 11081903 Z)
(WSDB SVC 64 RELAYS MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW NR 4096) 9 Nov 46
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had little time for peaceful work.

But if somewhat defensive in argument, speech held out no hope to Sov people or world of relaxation of pressure or abandonment of Bolshevik principles or methods. To solace weary and discouraged Sov people it painted a black picture of plight of toilers in UK and particularly USA, where Zhdanov claimed there were 3,000,000 unemployed, whose countries were gripped by "great political and economic crises". It is doubtful if criticism of USA, to most Russians a fabulous land of plenty, will give much psychological lift to millions of Soviet citizens living in austerity in comparison with which American unemployed enjoy undreamed of luxury.

Zhdanov reference to labor shortages, caused in part by inflated bureaucracy, and necessary measures to relieve it must sound ominous to many Soviet people. Sections of speech on prices and rationing sounded particularly cold blooded. Reason given for what amounts to belt tightening for millions of people was abstract fiscal goal of unified price system. Tightening up in collective farms was justified on grounds of adhering to "Bolshevist line", not by reference to any possible effect on food production.

Above all it was emphasized that regime expects sacrifices by people for "common cause" and relies heavily on inculcation of ideological zeal to inspire cooperation on part of public. Regime's attitude might almost be said to be "let them eat slogans".

Foreign affairs section of speech continued line recently set by Stalin, a somewhat confused blend of olive branches and brickbats. USSR was presented as injured

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FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT) NR : WAR SVC 7012 (TOO 11081903 Z)
(WSDB SVC 64 RELAYS MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW NR 4096) 9 Nov 46
CONT:

innocent which had striven and yearned for "democratic" peace and international collaboration only to be deeply disappointed by machinations of international reaction. Speech contained 1 particularly neat example of contrast between demagogic assurances intended for gullible at home and abroad and ideological fire and brimstone dished out to party faithful.

Zhdanov quoted Stalin to effect that peoples of world do not want war. He conveniently neglected to mention however that in recent issue of Agitator's Companion very same quotation was followed by another from Stalin asserting that "Wars are rooted in very nature of Capitalism."

A fuller analysis of speech from economic view will follow in later telegram.



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8 Nov 46

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FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : WAR SVC 6976 (TOO 062152 Z) (STATE SERIAL
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Following message transmitted to WD for approval
and transmission to SCAP.

Part 1. Re cable no 466, Oct 12, from Polad.

Info re Jap inspectors and penalties satisfactory.
State Dept requests info re qualifications American in-
spectors accompanying expedition, also SCAP file on Ant-
artic project.

Info desired in anticipation questions at forth-
coming International Whaling Conference.

Further info re right whale sent airmail.

Part 2. Re SCAPIN 1152, 23 Aug 46. Conversion
tankers to whaling factories. Despite assurances given
by State Dept both Brit and New Zealand Govts have again
raised question SCAP directive Aug 23 re conversion 3
tankers to whaling factory ship. Brit note reiterates
desire that provisions directive--"---can be nullified---"
and New Zealand note expresses hope directive--"--- will be
cancelled at an early date.--"---. In view these persis-
tent objections and expectation issue will be introduced
forthcoming Whaling Conference. Your further comments
would be helpful.

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FROM: WASHINGTON, NR: WAR SVC 6976, 8 NOV 46, CONT'D



INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4,
AG, TRANSP SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES
SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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MCN: SA 64/07

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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....Urgent

506, November 8, 1946 -6706 5

Australian Political Representative addressed note to GHQ SCAP dated November 5 requesting clearance for Mr. Kenneth James Cunnah, Australian whaling inspector due to leave Sydney November 6 and arrive Japan November 10. Australian Representative here had made no previous approach to this Headquarters and Australian Government apparently unaware of or disregarded information forwarded Department in our 431 September 29, 482 October 22, and others regarding Allied inspectors. (Redeptel 556 November 6 received here November 8 900.)

Although Australian Government has not repeat not complied with SCAP's reasonable requests, there is no objection to Australian inspector boarding ship and every effort to facilitate his embarkation will be made providing he arrives as scheduled November 10. Australian Representative here was completely uninformed regarding necessary supplies for Australian inspector but now states that he has just been informed BCOF can and will furnish necessary supplies.

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Adjutant General

6.A
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SCAP Tokyo to WARCOS

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- M/R - 1. Australian Political Liaison Officer, Mr. T. W. Eckersley, states that under date of November 5, 1946 he addressed a note to G-2/FL requesting clearance for Mr. Connan, Australian whaling inspector scheduled to leave Sydney November 6 and arrive in Japan November 10 and that he has received no reply to this communication.
2. Although this inspector is arriving late and arrangements have not been previously made it was recommended that SCAP agree to accept the inspector and make every effort to make possible his travel with the factory ships. It is to be expected that unless SCAP makes every effort to accept this Australian inspector efforts to make political capital out of this whaling expedition will be redoubled by the Australian Government.
3. Natural Resources Concur. (Capt. Adams).

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8 Nov 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF (THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : WAR SVC 6994 (DTG 080157 Z) (STATE SERIAL 559,
SENT BATAVIA AS 340)

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Dept Oct 25 requested Emb the Hague approach Netherlands Govt to obtain agreement use by SCAP-controlled Japanese Antarctic Whaling Fleet of passage through Lombok Strait on outbound voyage whaling expedition. Emb replied Oct 29 that Dutch Navy Ministry approved passage providing continuous and no stops made. Dutch Form Office stated overseas Ministry had referred matter NEI Govt together with Navy Ministry comment and requested that reply be cabled direct Netherlands Mission, Tokyo. SCAP has not yet received confirmation Dutch permission pass Lombok Strait and requests Dept exert further efforts expedite final confirmation. Fleet expects arrive vicinity Lombok Nov 23. Dept requests you inquire NEI Govt this matter and notify Tokyo direct before sailing date Nov 12.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4,
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FROM : WAR
TO : CINCPAC (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISOR)
NR : WAR SVC 6992 (STATE SERIAL 557 Nov 7, 6 PM)
(DTG 082320 Z)

Reurtel 499 Nov 5 following message has been sent to WD for approval and transmission to SCAP:
"Use of SCAJAP Flag E (Jap Merchant Marine Flag plus Modified International E) authorized. International notification extension this combination to whaling will be given here. Request SCAP promulgate locally."

ACHESON

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4,
AG, GOVT SECT, NAT RES SECT, COMNAVJAP,
DIPLOMATIC SECT

NOTE: Ref 499 Nov 5 is C 66948 (DS).

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8 Nov 46

FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP
INFO : WAR (FOR CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE SERIAL 558 Nov 7

Dept informed by Chinese Embassy James S L Yang
appointed Sec Chinese Delegation International Military
Tribunal replacing Wellington Fushu Fang.

ACHESON

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1,
AG, SECY INTL MIL TRIB

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T00: 080330 Z
MCN: YFB 80/08



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FROM : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : STATE SERIAL 552 Nov 6

Your airgram A-78 Aug 26 1946 and telegram 462 of Oct 10. I Since 1945 term United Nations customarily used to mean parties to United Nations Charter rather than 1942 declaration dtd etc omit Iceland and add Argentina BYELO Russian Soviet Socialist Republic and Ukrainian Soviet Socialist Republic although Iceland signed neither declaration nor charter and is not a United Nation it can be classified as "Associated with the United Nations in the war." Use term Republic of the Philippines rather than Philippine Commonwealth in connection with all definitions except that of United Nations omit words "Meaning and" in phrase "Meaning and including the following Nations" because a list might vary according to different definitions of what constitutes a nation. Classify following as nations having a special status: Austria, Italy, Finland and Siam. Austria is regarded as a liberated country subject only to controls reserved to occupying powers in control agreement of Jun 28, 1946. Until conclusion of a treaty of peace, state of war technically continues to exist with Italy. Italy was recognized as a co-belligerent however and diplomatic relations between US and Italy were resumed. Finland is in technical state of war against Czechoslovakia, Soviet Union, United Kingdom and Dominions but not against US. Diplomatic relations with Finland were severed by the US but reestablished. Siam declared war against US and United Kingdom but US did not declare war against Siam and regarded it as enemy occupied territory.

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FROM: WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF) NR: STATE SERIAL 552 Nov 6 CONT'D

In Aug 1945 regent of Siam proclaimed this declaration as "Null and void" and on Jan 5, 1946 Siam and US diplomatic relations, United Kingdom, India and Australia have signed peace treaties with Siam. Regarding present United States attitude towards Austria with special reference to the application of the German VEATING decree against bona fide Austrian interests. The position of this government is that this decree has no application against bona fide Austrian interests. Furthermore on July 10, 1946 US publicly announced that it was prepared to enter into negotiations looking towards renunciation of United States share of German assets in Austria as part of a general settlement.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG, LEGAL SECT, CIV PROP CUST

NOTE: Ref telegram 462 of Oct 10 is C 66040 (Diplomatic Sect).

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MCN: YH 13/07

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7 Nov 46

FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFPAC
NR : 070600 Z

CIRCULAR SIXTH.

Forms 349 converting Foreign Service non-career American employees to new classes and salary rates of Staff Corps as directed by Foreign Service act 1946 have been airmailed from Dept.

For confirmation Depts records report immediately by airmail indicating if 349 actions complete and accurate. Give detailed info any discrepancies. Do not include OIC program employees.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TOO : 070600 Z
MCN : YA 62/7

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ROUTINE

7 Nov 46

FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : STATE SERIAL NO 555

Telegraph recommendations for routing personal
and official supplies from US to Mukden.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4,
AG

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T00: 070000
MCN: YFS-30-07

UNITED STATES POLITICAL ADVISER

FOR JAPAN

Tokyo, November 7, 1946

Unrestricted

No. 691

SUBJECT: Release of the Netherlands Steamship Reael

The United States Political Adviser has the honor to refer to the Department's airmail instruction No. 208 of July 24, 1946 (File No. 856.85/6-1246) with regard to the release of Netherlands steamship Reael.

There is quoted below the reply of the Office of Civil Property Custodian, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, dated October 18, 1946 with regard to its investigation into the status of this vessel:

"1. Investigation of the status of the SS "Reael" (Gyosho Maru) has been made with the following results:

(a) The SS "Reael" is now employed in the Hokkaido coal trade but retention is not essential and the vessel can be released at the completion of her current voyage if SCAP so directs.

(b) Available information indicates that the SS "Reael" is a Netherlands ship. Steps are being taken to restore the ship to the Netherlands Government.

"2. Letter of this date to COMNAVJAP requests that the "Reael" be released at the end of her current voyage and sailed to the port of Maizuru for repairs and refitting required in order to make restitution.

"3. The Japanese Government is being directed to take steps to repair and refit the SS "Reael" in order that the vessel may be returned in a condition substantially similar to that at the time she came into the hands of the Japanese Government. The CMMC (Civilian Merchant Marine Committee) of the Ministry of Transportation has designated the port of Maizuru for refitting".

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7 Nov 46

FROM : WAR

TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)

NR : WAR SVC 6976 (STATE SERIAL 554 NOV 6TH, 4 PM)
(DTG 062320 Z)

GOI still considers Jain Official Staff Officer of British Commonwealth member Allied Council, as well as Independent Political representative of India. Does SCAP approve?

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
NO : CINCPAC
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR POLAD)
NR : WAR SVC 6974 (DTG 070009 Z) (STATE SERIAL 556
Nov 6, 6 PM)

Following msg has been sent to WD for approval
and transmission to SCAP:

"State Dept informed by Australian Emb that
Australian Govt sending 1 whaling inspector, Kenneth
James Gannon, who is leaving Sydney Nov 6 with ETA
Japan 1630 Nov 10. Emb and State assume Australian Govt
has communicated directly SCAP its arrangements for
this inspector join whaling expedition.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4,
AG, ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES SECT

NOTE: Corrected copy received in AG Office at 072050 I.

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 6970 (STATE SERIAL NO 551 NOV 6, 1 PM)

Following message has been sent to WD for approval and transmission to SCAP:

"Reurad Z-06941, July 6, Brit Emb inquires of State Dept if vacancy still exists. If you now have place for British labor expert, British prepared to nominate representative. Request your comments and decision soonest."

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, AG,
ECON & SCI SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT



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MCN: SA 41/7

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WARGOS (PASS TO SECSTATE)..... ROUTINE 071041

505, November 6, 1946. -6703 6

Reference our 468 October 16 property inventories.

Have now succeeded in locating in files of former Embassy a file of 88 inventories deposited with Embassy by American firms and individuals in 1941. Therefore our 468 may be disregarded unless Department has additional information or inventories on file. List inventories located here being communicated by airgram.

These inventories are not complete and comprehensive record American financial interests and property holdings in Japan at outbreak of war.

These inventories together with information being received in response to press release made on basis of SCAP radio No. C-62853 9 July and specific inquiries received by Department from individuals and firms and transmitted here are very helpful. However, they do not entirely fill Civil Property Custodian's needs for information to enable him to prepare complete report on all American interests and holdings in Japan in compliance with radio SCL 44194 to CINCPAC from WSCA and for eventual restitution.

It is suggested Department release to press and give wide publicity as possible statement that Civil Property Custodian is now compiling inventory all United Nations, including United States, property and interests in Japan and desires receive all pertinent information from American citizens and firms. Information previously contained in inventories submitted to Embassy 1941 and in response to the press release made in accordance with radio C-62853 and inquiries in regard to detained cargo need not be repeated. Information should be as specific and detailed as possible giving legal description of real

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estate, exact names in which held and locations of bank accounts, exact number of shares of companies, stock certificate numbers, bills of lading numbers and exact description of detained cargo et cetera. Release might contain additional statement that claims procedure not yet established and that foregoing required for purpose completing inventory^{to} facilitate eventual establishment claims procedure and processing of claims.

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Adjutant General

GEORGE ATCHESON, JR.
Ambassador
Chief, Diplomatic Section

Info copies to: CinC, C/S, G-2, G-3, AG, CPC

- M/R - 1. Reference radio is C-66304 to Secstate through Warcos requesting detailed information with regard to inventories of property filed with the American Embassy in 1941. As it has ~~never~~^{not} been possible to open the vaults of the Embassy and obtain the copies on file there the State Department is being informed it need not make further efforts in this regard.
2. In order to clarify the present apparent confusion with regard to information desired with regard to American interests and holdings in Japan the suggestion is made for a press release on the subject.
3. CPC (Col. Dodenhöff) concurs.

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WAGCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE).....URGENT

67010

504, 6 November 1946.

Final confirmation permission pass Lombok Straits not REPEAT not yet received from Netherlands Indies Government. Anything Department can do to expedite final confirmation permission passage Lombok would be greatly appreciated. Under present plans estimated date arrival vicinity Lombok 23 REPEAT 23 November. (REDETEL 550 WAR SVC 6925).

Recurtel 502 estimated date arrival off Perth 29 REPEAT 29 November.

Suitable rations for one REPEAT one inspector being loaded in anticipation United Kingdom inspector will board either off Lombok or Perth.

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Info: Cinc, C/S, G-1, G-2, G-4, AG, Govt Sec, ESS, HRS.

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. BR (Capt Adams) concurs.

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502, 6 November 1946.

Reference Department's 544, 1 November 7 p.m., Japanese Antarctic Whaling fleets anticipate refueling catcher boats at sea on or about 30 November near Perth, Australia. Arrangements could be made to have whaling vessels stand by 12 miles off Perth to pick up United Kingdom Inspectors.

If United Kingdom Inspectors can make all necessary arrangements to board off Perth, SCAP would have no REPEAT no objection. United Kingdom Liaison Mission here orally informed.

SCAP must have notification regarding British wishes for supplies before November 8 REPEAT November 8.

Forgoing suggested as possible alternative to boarding at Lombok Straits recourd 497, 3 November (C-66891).

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MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Forgoing based on check sheet, 4 Nov 46 from NR to DS.

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6 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (PASS TO CG 24TH CORPS)(FOR BUNCE)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : W SVC 6941 (DTG 11052341 Z) (145 Nov 5th, 6 PM)

Stuart Meacham, former director Los Angeles Region NLRB, being processed for dispatch to Korea as labor adviser. Is there any other action which Wash might undertake at this time to assist you in connection with current Korean Labor difficulties? Would it be useful to secure SWNCC approval for labor directive for Korea, and if so are there specific points you would like included in this directive?

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1,
AG, GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 6942 (RELAYS MSG DTG 11052301 Z FROM
STATE DEPT), (CIR NOV 5, 10 AM)

We decided Rehabilitation Act does not imply
US should be legal claimant for Philippine reparations.
We instructed McNutt inform (infotel) Philippine Govt
US will not act behalf Philippine Govt in claiming War
damages or losses.

ACHESON



ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1,
G-4, AG

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPARTMENT)
TO : CINCPAC
NR : W SVC 6927 RELAYS (2050018 Z) (STATE CIRCULAR
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Paraphrase required this message

Murphy reports since Bevin's recent Commons Speech
Brit Officials Berlin stated frankly Official Policy
UK Mil Admin Germany will henceforth be encouraged and
effect wide degree Socialization. They support this as
in accord with Economic Theory Labor Party and only sound
policy for peacetime recovery German Industry. Officials
indicated Social Democratic Party will be utilized as
instrument Brit Labor Party and they will attempt streng-
then Social Democrats without allowing stigma Allied
support fall upon party. Brit feel recent Berlin elections
showed general trend favoring Socialism as desired solu-
tion and best defense against both Nationalism and
Communism.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT)
TO : SCAP
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR PCLAD)
NR : STATE SERIAL NO 550, 3PM, WAR SVC 6925, (DTG 050308 Z



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- (1) Brit Emb states 1 United Kingdom Inspector (Reurtel 497, Nov 3) can arrive Surabaya by mid-day Nov 21 if expedition proceeds through Lombok Straits. Brit Govt has approached Netherlands govt regarding arrangements. Second inspector cannot be sent.
- (2) Emb states Brit Govt agreeable pay for supplies by dollar reimbursement and requests suitable rations for 1 inspector be loaded if passage through Lombok Straits confirmed and above date satisfactory.
- (3) Request confirmation route of expedition and estimated date arrival vicinity Lombok.

ACHESON

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES SECT

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TOO : 050449 Z
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5 Nov 46

FROM : WASH (COMBINED REPAT EXEC) (OMGUS)
TO : CINCPAC
INFO : AGWAR
NR : WAR SVC 6916 (RELAYS SECRET MSG DTG 041710 Z FROM
BERLIN NBR CC 6820)

Subj: Repatriation of obnoxious German Nationals.
Reference your cable CX 66390 dtd 19 Oct.

1. This reply to reference cable delayed pending acknowledgment of our CC 5759 dtd 17 Oct, which we requested but have not received.

2. Answer to part 1: We are prepared to accept 1353 objectionable Nationals listed.

3. Answer to part 2: Agree here to SCAP proposals regarding Monetary, personal effects, and baggage allowances.

4. Request personal documents concerning repatriates which will be of assistance to Intelligence Officers be attached to nominal rolls to accompany shpmt.

5. SCAP kindly acknowledge receipt of this and our CC 5759.

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FROM: WASH (COMBINED REPAT EXEC) (OMGUS) NR: WAR SVC
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ACTION: G-1

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
G-4, AG, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, ECON & SCI SECT,
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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLAD) CG XXIV CORPS (POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 6911 (RELAYS DTG 042000 Z) (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)

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Qtn in regard to Nov 3 telegram from Gen Hodge (relayed via Tokyo) transmitting text of Chistyakov's reply of Oct 26 to Hodge's letter of Aug 12 on possible resumption of joint Soviet-American Commission for Korea, attention is called to EMBTEL 4061. Nov 4 reporting that Sov press Oct 31 devoted 2 columns to excerpts from this exchange of correspondence, citing at particular length from Chistyakov's reply.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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Reference Department's 547 November 2, 2:00 p.m.

SOAP is not REPEAT NOT able to concur in proposal that natives of former Japanese mandated islands now in Southeast Asia be repatriated via Japan because no shipping is presently available from Japan to these areas and their maintenance for a prolonged period in Japan would constitute a drain on Japanese economy.

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OFFICIAL:

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M/R - 1. Foregoing sent in reply to WAR SVC 6889 (AG no. 26299) from SECSTATE re repatriation via Japan of natives of former Japanese mandated islands from Southeast Asia. State Dept requested comments on proposal that such persons be embarked with Japanese being repatriated by British to Japan and from Japan to return them to the former mandated islands.

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2. G-1 (Lt. Col. Higgins) concurs.
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499, November 5, 1946.

Following telegram being sent by CINCAFPAC to War Department recurred 486, October 25:

"On basis recommendation of Commander Naval Activities Japan who has made careful study of international law and customs involved prefer use of Jap merchant marine flag with modified international easy. (Reurad W-24570). Japanese merchant marine flag flown with modified international way has been accepted in Hong Kong, Singapore, Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, and in Dutch and Chinese ports in the Pacific. Flying Jap merchant marine flag plus modified international easy on Jap-owned ships is therefore already well known and accepted in Pacific waters. Request immediate international promulgation for use Jap merchant marine flag plus modified international easy for Japanese ships engaged in forthcoming whaling expedition. Urgently request reply earliest in order direct Japanese to use proper flags."

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Statement of ComNavJap that Jap merchant marine flag has been used and accepted corrects misinformation this point in our 431, September 29.

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5 Nov 46



FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 6898 (DTG 031642 Z)

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State unnumbered service relays message from Nanking
(from Stuart)

"China Press for week ending Oct 26 got off to hectic and unreal start with announcement that Chou En-Lai, at behest of 3 Government delegates headed by Wu Teh-Chen, Secretary General of Kuomintang, and 3rd party leaders would return to Nanking for resumption of peace negotiations. This sudden spurt of false optimism was soon depressed when it became apparent that little, if any, progress was being made-even towards the establishment of any reasonable basis for which to proceed with future conversations.

"Announcement early in week that Generalissimo had left to pay visit to Formosa came as obvious shock to China press. Govt papers minutely reported his trip though refraining from comment whereas independent and opposition press engaged in modicum of thinly veiled sarcasm that he should leave at that particular point even though the trip had been planned long in advance.

Most fantastic aspect of peace negotiations during week was obviously that surrounding the 3rd parties loudly trumpeted truce of propaganda which was built into something completely out of proportion to other issues. Repeatedly the

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3rd party leaders announced that Govt and Communists had agreed to refrain from public bombast and that this was a significant break in deadlock, with equal monotony Govt and Communist spokesmen denied any such agreement, each claiming he had not been engaged in propaganda and therefore needed to sign no agreement, but exhorting other party to mend its ways. This 3rd party insistence naturally gave rise to suspicion that 3rd party, in desperation to produce some results from their activities were picking on point which they may have believed to have been most susceptible of agreement.

Throughout most areas of country war news was definitely played down even in north which has usually featured it. Govt attack on Chefoo was hardly mentioned. Tu Yu-Mung's offensive was ignored until announcement was made that Antung had been captured. Where there was reference to war news and Govt press, implications were that hostilities were approaching a close and that Govt had situation well in hand.

There has been a recent tendency in Govt and party press to suggest that the active stage of hostilities is about over and that the Govt has occupied most of the country. Perhaps the eventual implication is that Govt measures have liquidated Communists as a major military and political problem. It is not impossible that problem may in time be publicized as one of bandit suppression.

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The Nkg press had nothing new of interest to offer in the way of comment, but in distinction to that in other parts of the country showed greater interest and concern in the impending National Assembly, the preparations for which commanded a large part of domestic news space though comment was largely limited to banalities.

Representing party views on renewal of peace negotiations Shanghai Kuomintang Chung Yang Jih Pao pointed out that location and distribution of troops is problem not worth too much wrangling between two parties and advised: 'Since President Chiang has made major concessions, both parties should have no difficulty in reaching agreement on minor issues.' Similarly the powerful Shanghai C-C Clique Shun Pao urged emphasis on major issues and ignoring of minor ones and expressed hope Communists would accept Generalissimo's eight-point proposal because otherwise 'There would be no direction to be followed in negotiations.' Shanghai Army Hq Ping Jih Pao followed similar line. Govt and party papers in other cities such as Canton, Hankow and Peiping followed same general trend. Liberal leftwing opinion was represented by Shanghai Wen Hui Pao which expressed doubt why 'On the one hand the government sends representatives to Shanghai to urge representatives of Communists and third parties to proceed to Nanking but on the other calls a mil conference in Peiping.'

Perhaps the most interesting comment was from Shanghai independent conservative Ta Kung Pao whose editor, Hu Lin, has been one of the most prominent figures in third party mediations. His real views may be represented by his editorial comment that 'Present mediation efforts of third party people are based upon a special frame of mind and a special approach, namely, giving treatment to a dead horse as if it were still alive.'

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The fantasy of the propaganda truce is perhaps best illustrated by the fact that despite its extensive news coverage it was apparently considered to be beneath comment.

Chinese attitude toward the United States in its international role and its activities in China continued to attract attention in a variety of fields. Practically all Shanghai papers continued reporting on several cases involving injury to Chinese at the hands of American servicemen. These cases have been built up to a proportion entirely out of line with their real importance and are reported in such a way as to place the blame on what is called American carelessness and indifference, even contempt, for Chinese. Such reports also are continual in Peiping Press with the most violent comment on such incidents being in the Ching Shih Jih Pao, organ of Generalissimo's Peiping Hqs, and in C-C Clique Shih Chieh Jih Pao.

Criticism of the US had cropped up in Hankow Govt papers alleging that dumping of American goods is forcing Chinese interests to close down. These papers call on Govt to take measures to restrict entry of such American goods. Comment on Japan almost invariably now takes an anti-American slant.

Shanghai independent Ta Kung Pao is continuing its unrelenting campaign against American policy, having said in one editorial 'The US has been kind and generous to the Japanese with the fundamental purpose of nurturing a reactionary force which will be a menace to the Chinese. On the question of reparations MacArthur has also tried to protect the interests of the Japanese. Japan remains the strongest nation in the Far East and if anything happens to her, peace time industries can be converted into war factories and her merchantmen into warships. She will be able to wage aggressive war again both on land and sea. In peace time her light and cheap commodities can be sold on the Far Eastern market with perfect freedom *****'

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If we continue to follow the lead of others then our eight years of war will have been fought in vain, our national security threatened, and our national reconstruction will be facing a powerful enemy.'

The army Ho Ping Jih Pao the following day made a similar statement. Peiping Catholic Yi Shih Pao appealed for 'Extreme vigilance toward Japan' and said American support of Japan is due to three points: 'Japan's anti-Soviet tradition, stronger Japanese industrial foundations and a weaker democratic movement. Whatever may be or become Sino-Soviet relationship, Japan, thus patronized and built up in East Asia, will undoubtedly become a dangerous enemy to China.'

Main items of interest in foreign affairs centered around statements by Secretary of State, American relations with Yugoslavia, ATTQGBEBB Dardanelles and Senator Vandenberg's speech. Much attention was paid to convocation of UNO General Assembly which received extensive news coverage.

Comment on President Truman's speech was favorable. In Shanghai C-C Clique Sin Wen Pao said 'Comparatively speaking, this session of the General Assembly is opened under more pleasant circumstances than the Paris Peace Conference;' and the Kuomintang Chung Yang Jih Pao said 'There is no call for pessimism about the present difficulties of UNO,' while the independent Ta Kung Pao said 'This unanimous appeal for peace (speeches by representatives of major powers) should be carefully listened to by people throughout the world' and emphasized removal of HUWUAL suspicion.

Liberal left-wing Wen Hui Pao saw no cause for pessimism and urged abolition of veto power. Hankow C-C Clique Ta Kang Pao called it 'Another golden opportunity for cooperation among

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the Big Four' and then criticized severely recent Soviet actions in international meeting. Canton and Peiping papers also generally expressed great hope for the meeting and urged all parties to lay aside selfish interests and work for peace."

ACHESON

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
AG, DIPLOMATIC SECT



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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE) ROUTINE

(Z-23832) We have received letter (Travel Order 73323) from Transportation Branch DCS, Oct 10, addressed (This is Atcheson's 500 Nov 5) Sturgeon this office but stating his headquarters, Yokohama. In light our urgent needs for senior officers (See our 304, July 6 and related correspondence), it is assumed mention Yokohama as Sturgeons Headquarters is inadvertent error; that his original assignment Tokyo stands; and that matter temporary detail officers between Yokohama Branch and this mission continues flexible in my discretion as guided by exigencies our duties. As Department is aware Johnson has since Johansen's death been temporarily detailed executive officer Tokyo day-time and administers Yokohama Branch at night. Horn expected within a few days and after suitable preparatory period Johnson will be released from this double duty and return to Yokohama for full-time service there. Yokohama personnel deficiency lies only in Junior categories. When is Sturgeon expected? He should precede family as indicated our 199 May 2 and second paragraph our 487 October 25.

OFFICIAL:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, A.G.D.
Adjutant General

APPROVED:

GEORGE ATCHESON, JR.
Ambassador
Chief, Diplomatic Section

M/R Foregoing refers to assignment to Tokyo of a Foreign Service Officer.

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5 Nov 46

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : 050505 Z

Soviet Press Oct 31 devotes 2 columns to excerpts from Aug 12 letter from General Hodge to Soviet Commander in Northern Korea General Chistyakov regarding possible resumption of Joint Soviet-American Commission for Korea and to lengthy citations from Chistyakov's reply of Oct 26 article concludes that it is apparent from Hodge's letter that Americans continue to adhere to position requiring revision of Moscow decisions whereas Chistyakov made it clear that Soviet Delegation to Joint Commission will be prepared to renew its work only on basis of their precise execution.

Pravda Nov 2 carries article by P Ivanov "Elections in Northern Korea" hailing universal elections to Permanent Peoples Committees on Nov 3 as creates development in life of Korean People Provisional Committees numbering 12,000 members of which 3/5ths are peasants and remainder representatives of all social classes had arisen following liberation. During their year of existence they have accomplished enormous task in liquidating results of Jap domination this has consisted of extensive land reform as result of which land is now owned by those who cultivate it, labor law establishing 8 hour day and prohibiting child labor, grant to women of equal political and economic rights, confiscation of all enterprises belonging to "Traitors of Korean People" and reorganization of

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National education on democratic basis. These historic transformations achieved by Provisional Peoples Committees reveal democratic character of these organs. Elections to permanent Committees will be conducted on basis of universal suffrage with secret ballot. Central Committee of United Democratic Front of Northern Korea has announced platform which meets with broad approval of masses. It aims at independent Korean State characterized by land reform and naturalization of institutions belonging to "Traitors of Korean People" only. Reactionary Pro-Jap elements inspired by violent opponents of democracy Syngman Rhee and Kim Koo who have entrenched themselves in American zone are attempting to obstruct conduct of democratic elections. These traitors seek to restore state of affairs which existed under Japs and employ basest methods to this end. Article concludes that no reactionary provocations will subvert successful elections furthering "Democratization" of Northern Korea.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, STAT & RPTS SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, CIV I & E OFF, NAT RES SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE SERIAL 549 NOV 4

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : ~~COMMANDER~~-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT)
TO : SCAP
NR : WAR SVC 6899



Herewith reencipherment our WARX Nr. 55/01st
DTG 010545 Z:

"War Svc 6830 relays confidential TOO 010312335Z from State Department to Supreme Commander Allied Forces Tokyo, Info War Dept, Chief of Staff (for Political Adviser). 'At FEC meeting October 31 Australian rep strongly reiterated desire his government that directive on review Jap Constitution should be published not later than November 3, date promulgation, in order avoid future imputation bad faith. UK New Zealand India supported stand. (Lifotel) USSR advocated early publication. All realized difficulties involved, realized SCAP not yet had time transmit his views re timing of publication, agreed ask US submit above opinions SCAP and call special meeting immediately SCAP views received.' Byrnes."

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
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497, 3 November 1946.

1. SCAP has no objection to British inspectors joining expedition (Readopted 544 November 1 WAR SVC 6045) at Lombok Straits providing British Government makes all REPEAT all necessary arrangements with Netherlands Government and providing further that the expedition is not delayed. Confirmation that two REPEAT two British inspectors will board during passage of Lombok Straits must be received by SCAP not later than November 8 REPEAT November 8 in order that necessary supplies may be loaded. Also request confirmation that British Government will pay for supplies with dollar reimbursement. Time and other details of rendezvous to be worked out after confirmation. We understand Netherlands Mission here has no REPEAT no authority in matter but we are informing them of foregoing.

2. SCAP has no objection in principle to one REPEAT one Norwegian inspector boarding factory ship in Antarctic for short REPEAT short period of time should factory ships meet on catching grounds and such visit is practicable. Final decision as to details will be made by senior SCAP representative on board Japanese factory ships from whom permission should be obtained before boarding.

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1. Forgoing replies to telegram from State Dept reporting that British Govt inspectors cannot reach Hongkong before Nov. 21 and that Comdr. Gethy, Norwegian inspector, unable join whaling expedition.
 2. Forwarded to C/S for approval, because of early departure of ships draft has not been forwarded through other interested sections. (Maj. Janssen, NRS, concurred by telephone)

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3 Nov 46

FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT)

TO : CINVAFPAC

NR : WAR SVC 6880, (DTG 021355 Z) (WSDB SVC 35 RELAYSS
MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW NOV 2, 11 AM. DURBROW)

"With considerable gratification Soviet press has been reviewing American reaction to Stalin's and Molotov's recent statements. Possibly revealing Soviet wish as father to American thought, Pravda Oct 30 quoted 'A well-known American correspondent' who was alleged to have stated 'With feeling : I am now convinced that we can collaborate with Soviet Union.'

It may be of interest at this juncture to review fundamental Soviet attitude toward those elements in USA who 'feel' that USA can collaborate with USSR, those grps to whom Soviet press refers as 'progressives.'

For months now Kremlin mouth-pieces have been asserting that only obstacle to amicable USA-USSR relations are monopolist capitalists and other reactionaries in USA and their tools in Am Gov.

They have gone so far in this connection as to cite names: Hoover, Hearst, Vandenberg, Baruch, Lippman, and Harriman. Elimination of those 'malevolent forces' and their replacement by 'progressives' Soviet press implies, would smooth way for friendly co-existence. With regard to this grp. too, names have given: Wallace, Morgenthau, Pepper and Rep Delacy and Fatterson.

Were those persons designated by Soviet press as 'progressives' to assume administrative authority in USA,

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would USSR alter its attitude toward USA and consent to 'increasingly broad and friendly cooperation and mutual help' described by Molotov in his speech before Gen Assembly several days ago? Answer to this question turns on basic issue of whether Kremlin has abandoned fundamentals of Communist ideology or whether it still adheres to basic Leninist-Stalinist tenets. If rulers of Russia have abandoned dogma of Communist infallibility and party dictatorship, then it might be possible for USSR and an American Govt of 'progressives' to exist in same world on live and let live basis. If, however, Leninist-Stalinist doctrine still has validity as motivation force of USSR, then an American 'progressive' administration could hope in long run for scarcely more favorable attn than present administration.

Post-war events in USSR and pronouncement by Soviet leaders (excepting Stalin's to Werth and Baillie) combine to increase positive impression that Kremlin has hit sawdust trail in revival of old-time Leninist religion. There is no need to repeat here evidence of these phenomena which we have been reporting during past months. Fact that Soviet people view this Marxist evangelism with exhausted apathy (an experienced observer having close contact with Russian people told us today that morale is now lowest he has ever seen) has for present at least slight bearing on formulation of Soviet foreign policy. Therefore it is logical to assume that in this most schematic of states a return to a revival of Communist orthodoxy involves a revival of historic attitudes and tactics of Communism.

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This in turn means that current Kremlin view of American 'progressives' is in all likelihood patterned on historical Marxist-Leninist-Stalinist attitude toward bourgeois liberals. From the conspiratorial period when Lenin used and then destroyed Mensheviks until full flower of Soviet power when Stalin sought to use and now seeks to destroy German Social Democrats, Russian Communism has viewed bourgeois liberals as tactical allies--allies to be temporarily exploited when possible and always to be liquidated when Communists gained ascendancy over common foe and liberals lost their usefulness.

It consequently seems evident that it is not for love of mass of American 'progressives' that Kremlin has bestowed kind words upon them. It is simply that they can be currently useful to Kremlin. Were Stalin to have his wish and most outspoken American resistance to Soviet expansionism eliminated, Kremlin would thereupon set about eliminating next most active grp. Reduced to ultimate, only elements in USA genuinely acceptable to Kremlin are not those willing to collaborate with USSR, but those willing to subj USA to Soviet domination.

There is no reason to believe that Stalin now entertains any more tolerant attitude toward non-Soviet world than that of Lenin who said, 'we cannot live peacefully--either one side or the other will eventually win out. We have not forgotten that war will come back. We cannot live in peace--memorial services will be sign either over the Soviet Republic or over world capitalism.' But until this takes place, the principal rule is 'to dodge and maneuver.'

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FROM : WAR

TO : CINCPAC (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISOR)

INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)

NR : WAR SVC 6889 (STATE SERIAL 547 NOV 2, 2 PM, TOO 022147 Z)

For your info and possible comment (reurtel 429 Sept 28 and previous) following tel being sent CG Batavia and Singapore: 'Although US recognizes no legal responsibility for repatriation natives (urtel 343 Aug 21) we wish to be as helpful as possible, particularly in connection with those who are persons displaced by the War. Navy agreeable in principle to allowing natives of Jap mandated Islands of non-Jap race to return to their native places but will wish to check status of individuals before granting specific authorization. If Brit or Dutch authorities can arrange trans of natives to Japan along with Japs now being repatriated by Brit at Brit expense it may be practicable to repatriate them to home islands from Japan. Suggest further discussion this matter with appropriate local authorities.'

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1,
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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)

TO : SCAP

NR : STATE SERIAL 548

Ur A-90 tenth representation allotment \$120 tentatively approved auxiliary officers Sebold period July 1 to Nov 12 inclusive allotment document containing final approval follows: Appropriate allocation of regular representation allotment R-1014 may be made Sebold upon appointment as Staff Officer.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TOO : 022245 Z
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3 Nov 46

FROM : WSD
TO : AMERICAN EMBASSY NANKING, CINCAFPAC (POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : 4034 NOVEMBER 1ST (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)

Summary follows Pravda 30 October.

Conclusion of Major article by A. Leontiev "30th anniversary of Lenins work Imperialism as highest stage of Capitalism" first part of which was reported in Embassys 4012 October 30. Conclusion emphasizes inevitability of war under monopoly Capitalism.

"Inherent in contemporary monopoly Capitalism is tendency to impede development of productive forces and technical progress. Example of atomic energy is case in point its peaceful utilization has enormous possibilities for expanding humanitys collective power over nature whereas under conditions of monopoly Capitalism this outstanding scientific achievement being employed exclusively for purposes of destruction for preparing atomic war in future and for unscrupulous atomic diplomacy in present.

"Political reaction corresponds to monopolies domination of monopolies is indissolubly bound up with diverse forms of suppression and falsification of popu-

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lar will with corruption in spheres of economics and politics. It by no means follows from this that in epoch of monopoly Capitalism struggle for Democracy is no longer necessary.

"On contrary, Lenin pointed out that capitalism, in its monopoly state increasingly converts Democracy into an illusion but at same time stimulates Democratic aspirations of popular masses. Result is aggravated antagonism between Imperialism which denies Democracy and masses who strive for it.

"Aggressive Foreign Policy is as characteristic of monopoly Capitalism as reactionary domestic policy. Most developed industrial countries seize large part of globe and turn previously independent states into their colonies semicolonies and dependent countries."

Although often said that 19th century Imperialism is dead this cannot alter fact there exists 20th century Imperialism. Sufficient to recall British declared "Trans-Jordan" Independent to maintain control of country. How British strove to acquire former Italian Colonies in Africa under same source of independence. Also sufficient to recall how American Imperialism granted independence to Philippines retaining in its own hands not only complete economic domination of country but also all levers by which Washington controls puppet Philippine Govt which is waging armed struggle against Philippine people.

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"Increasingly reactionary character of reigning Bourgeois ideology is characteristic of monopoly. Capitalism economic omnipotence of monopolies and their corruptive influence in political life leads to appearance and propagation of obscurantism and misanthropic views.

"Leninist Stalinist Theory of Monopoly Capitalism is key to understanding real causes contemporary wars. 1st and 2nd World Wars broke out as an inevitable consequence law of inequitable economic and political development of Capitalistic countries in Imperialist epoch by virtue of this law relative economic might and military strength of Capitalist. Countries altered balance of forces contradicts previous division of spheres of influence. Inevitability of wars under monopoly Capitalism derives from this.

"Second World War brought about particularly important changes in balance of forces among Capitalist powers. Germany and Japan were struck off list of great powers. Italy has also ceased to be great power for certain period of time France was considerably weakened, Britain lost considerable portion of its economic positions on world market on other hand US was greatly aided by war. It considerably expanded its productive capacities.

"Epoch of monopoly Capitalism generates struggle among strongest Capitalist powers for world economy

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This is reflected at present time in desire for world domination exhibited by influential reactionary circles of Anglo-Saxon countries. Policy inspired by ideas of world domination of Anglo-Saxon Bloc is most important stumbling block on path to attainment of firm and lasting peace.

Owing to changes which have taken place balance of Imperialist and anti-Imperialist forces in International Arena has altered precisely for this reason. Agents of International reaction are enraged for this reason. They speak with such hatred and malice for new Democratic regimes in Eastern and South Eastern Europe and search for nooks and crannies into which it might be possible to penetrate in order to undermine these new Democratic Regimes.

"Both 1st and 2nd World Wars broke out as result of crisis of Capitalist system of world economy. This system is pregnant with crisis and military catastrophes. It is clear from this that so long as Capitalist system of world economy exists Soviet people must be ready for all contingencies for presence of this system signifies possibility of aggressive hostile actions against our country undertaken by most frantic among Imperialists.

"For its part Soviet Union follows policy of peace and friendly collaboration with all peace loving peoples." In this policy it receives support of all progressive Democratic forces. "All opponents of new wars and supporters of just, firm and lasting peace are rallying their ranks around Soviet Union."

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FROM : WSD NR : 4034 NOVEMBER 1ST (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)
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"Leninist Stalinist scientific theory of Monopoly Capitalism has emerged from greatest historical tests. This theory is for Soviet people as well as for all progressive humanity, a faithful compass which furnishes proper orientation in complex labyrinth of contemporary international relations."

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3 Nov 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC, (FOR POLAD), THE EMBASSY HAWKING
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : 021545 Z (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)

Pravda 28 Oct carries 3 column article by A. Leontiev devoted to 13th Anniversary of Lenins work "Imperialism As Highest Stage Of Capitalism" the entire essence of new epoch lies in monopolistic regeneration of Capitalism Lenin concluded that in half a century which had passed since appearance of Marxist "Capital" Bourgeois Society had entered a new phase of development Imperialism. Lenin revealed that Imperialism was monopolistic, decaying or parasitic dying Capitalism under which gigantic progress of productive forces goes for benefit of insignificant handful of monopolists and Reactionary class seeks by police measures and bribery of upper crust of working class by force and terror to hold back social progress Imperialism is nothing other than eve of Proletarian Socialist Revolution and between level of social development achieved at monopolistic stage of Capitalism and social reorganization of society there is not and cannot be an intermediate level.

All contradictions of new speech are disclosed in law of unequal economic and political developments in capitalist countries in Imperialism which is key to understanding basic problems of new epoch. Nothing can be comprehended

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of nature of contemporary epoch if one overlooks that former more or less smooth course of development of Capitalism under which some countries overtook and then surpassed other countries without sharp spurts.

And military catastrophes has become a thing of past under domination of monopolies. There is sporadic development of some countries in comparison with other, rapid crowding out of world market of some countries by other, periodic redistribution of already distributed world by means of armed clashes and military catastrophes of gigantic scale. Thereby inequitable development becomes decisive force under Imperialism.

Proceeding from this law of inequitable development Lenin made his historic disclosure of possibility of victory of Socialism initially in one Capitalist country and impossibility of simultaneous victory in all countries.

Since publication of "Imperialism As Highest Stage Of Capitalism" Leninist Stalinist theory of monopolistic capital has been completely justified. Omnipotence and oppression of monopolistic organizations of capital are characteristic of modern epoch. It is sufficient to cite data on capital concentration in USA (statistics given).

At top of Monopolistic pyramid are 8 financial groups including Huse O' Morgan which directly or indirectly through its branches controls around a third of all banking and industrial corps of USA. How far is this picture from Utopia of "Peoples Capitalism" propagated by certain American Politicians?

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Omnipotence of monopolies is not infringed but even more intensified as result of government interference in economic life to which governments of number of capitalist countries were forced to resort during 1st World War in more critical moments of period between two wars and to even greater degree during 2nd World War.

Lenin showed economy capitalist countries during war constitutes paradise for capitalists and military penal servitude for workers.

Colossal profits of American monopolies during 1st World War are well known but they pale by comparison with colossal enrichment of American firms during Second World War. Lion share of government orders went to 100 greatest corporations which obtained 67.2% of all war orders totaling \$173,000,000,000. Proportions of war profits are just now gradually becoming known.

St John Ship Bldg Co in Florida obtained \$2,080,000 profit although its capital investment was only \$600 this constitutes 350,000% profit. Two dozen companies received more than \$350,000,000 according to house committee investigating illegal profits but these profits are insignificant compared with those of greatest monopolistic giants. General Motors "earned" billions on war. The position of those American politicians who in light of these facts undertake to assert that they do not know any countries which have enriched themselves under war is really unenviable.

Lenin showed that elimination of depressions by cartels is fable fabricated by apologists of capital between two wars Stalin unmasked insolvency of theories of "organized

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Capitalism" and 2 years before depression which began in 1929, he predicted that out of temporary and partial stabilization of Capitalism would grow deepest and sharpest depression World Capitalism.

After 2nd World War capitalistic countries are again beginning cyclical process of overproduction as result of gigantic destruction. Number of industrially developed countries are kept from active participation in struggle for markets but there cannot be any doubt that as wounds are healed problem of market will grow sharper. Growth of unemployment which began immediately after end of war in number of countries particularly in USA is grave forewarning of further intensification of contradiction of capitals. Ruling circles are aware of this which explains attempts to delay demobilization of troops and thereby prevent rapid growth of unemployment undertaken in US and Britain under cover of present hue and cry regarding "New War".

Post war plans monopolistic capital consist in liquidating consequences of war by imposing all burdens on shoulders of workers through further sacrifices and deprivations of working class. Typical that in USA country which enormously enriched itself during war monopolists are waging uninterrupted offensive against living conditions of working class. Not wishing to give up their surplus profits American monopolies seek to impose all losses connected with post-war reconversion of industry on working class. As result position of American proletariat since end of war has deteriorated steadily.

Of course in ravaged and impoverished European countries working class must bear incomparably greater burdens than enriched America.

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FROM : WASH (STATE DEPT) NR : 021545 Z 3 Nov 46 CONT:

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATF DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC
NR : 012030 Z

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TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 6860 (STATE SERIAL 545, NOV 1, 7PM,
STATE DEPT TOO 020413 Z)

Reurtel 473, Oct 17 Dept. Suggest SCAP
cable War Dept direct requesting Llewellyn
assignment as it is Dept's understanding that
before War Dept will assign personnel in Japan
request for such personnel must be made by SCAP
directly to War Dept.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TO : CINCPAC (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
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NR : CRYPTO WAR SVC 6851 TRUE (2011917 Z)

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WSDB Svc 27 relays the following message from
Moscow.



F. N. Oleschuk, Asst Chief of Administration Propaganda and Agitation Comparty Central Committee, recently delivered illuminating lecture analyzing Paris Peace Conf in relation to Post War trends. Contrasting Conf role of Western Bloc led by USA and Britain with that of opposing Bloc of Ukraine, by Russia, Poland, Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia led by USSR, lecturer asserted that aim of Western Bloc was to keep Fascism alive, stifle Democratic movements, and establish armistice such as Versailles proved to be, rather than peace. Even during War certain Imperialist Circles in Britain and America sought to forestall German's complete defeat. This remains their policy. Therefore, in view of Democratization Program now proceeding in Soviet Zone and possible emergency of Soviet-German Alliance, they seek to combat these trends and to establish opposing regime in Western Zones.

Likewise during War Churchill sought unavailingly to launch Military landings in Balkans to combat Democratic movements which he knew would grow most strongly there. As he foresaw, Postwar developments have led to weakening of Imperialist position and to strengthening of that of USSR in that area. Because of emergence

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of Democratic Eastern Europe, Capitalist encirclement, as Stalin stated to Werth, has become impossible. This would indicate that when stating that Britain and American "Could not create Capitalist Encirclement of Sov Union even if they wanted to," Stalin in no sense implied that they had abandoned this intention but that Sov Diplomacy had erected in place of former "Cordon Sanitaire" bulwark of friendly states which obviated possibility of such encirclement. (Capitalists have accordingly succeeded only in former so-called Anglo-Saxon Bloc of Brit and USA. Their attempts have failed to form Northern Bloc of Denmark, Norway, Sweden and Finland. Sweden particularly has demonstrated unwillingness to enter such Bloc by recent conclusion of Sov-Swedish trade agreement. They have also failed to form Western European Bloc, which would be founded on exploitation of and therefore be unacceptable to France, and Eastern Bloc.)

League of Arab States (rendered unrealizable by existence of strong Nationalist and Democratic Forces in middle East. However, same attempts prevail in Far East, where USA seeks to exploit Japan against USSR and openly supports reactionary Chinese Govt.

Considering these Postwar transformations, it is clear that Sov Union's former Allies are now waging offensive against her, seeking to win advantages which they

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failed to gain during war. Events in USA have revealed marked swing to right in recent months, while labor Govt in Britain pursues conservative policy at home and abroad. Position is worst in USA as shown by recent replacement of Wallace by ultra-right wing Harriman. It has been truly said that Wall Street now sits in White House. Attempts to win that war failed to bring so far to explain Peace Conf, outstanding feature of which was Anglo-American endeavor to gain economic control of Eastern Europe and to transform Southeastern Europe into Anglo-Saxon base. Molotov was correct that its results were unsatisfactory and that no durable peace has been achieved. It had good results, however, in rallying Democratic forces of world, and above all, in manifesting supremacy of young Sov Diplomacy, which never diverging from Yalta and Potsdam decisions has been more than equal to that of Britain and American statesmen who showed there mediocrity by hiding behind representatives of small countries.

Offensive of Anglo-Saxon Bloc against Sov Union has 4 main characteristics.

1. It seeks to blacken USSR ideologically in eyes of democratic world by arguing that USSR is totalitarian and expansionist.

2. It exercises diplomatic pressure to present united front against Sov proposals even when latter are incontestable.

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3. It applies economic pressure which altho successful respecting small countries is of no avail against Sov Union, which is economically and industrially independent and can if necessary dispense with a US credit.

4. It frightens world with threat of 3rd war by expanding its troops and bases and by brandishing atom bomb.

In face of this offensive USSR remains calm, discounting threat of war. Moreover, strong deterrent to war instigators is revenge taken by democratic forces on instigators of last war, who have been executed in numerous countries, particularly in Balkans. Majority met similar fate at Nuremberg, despite fact that release of Schacht, Von Papen and Fritzsche was obtained by Imperialist Capitalists who might require their services. As for atom bomb, did Western Countries think that USSR had no powerful modern weapons? That some thought they had was evidenced by talk that USSR has its own "Atomgrad" has even developed "Cosmic" bomb in comparison to which atom bomb is mere toy. Essential point is that atom bomb itself will not win wars. Final argument against another war is that peoples of world do not want it. As Stalin has stated, settlement of present problems must be settled by great power collaboration based on principle of equality of States with compromises on both sides. Capitalist countries also want collaboration for devel-

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opment of trade; and it should not be forgotten that Wallace, who strongly supports collaboration, is 100% Capitalist.

Reiterating that 2 main forces at work in world are growth of Imperialist Capitalism led by USA and Brit and that of democratic masses, lecturer concluded that role of USSR will be that of "Locomotive of History" leading to final triumph of Democratic masses.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCAFAC (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 6857 (DTG 020224 Z STATE SERIAL 546 NOV 1, 8 PM)

Following submitted to WD for concurrence and transmission to SCAP. "New Zealand Government has stated desire to bear share in occupation Japan and as result your expression willingness to accept Allied Staff members has offered services Chief Inspector of Forestry, C M Smith, for appointment Forestry Division SCAP's Staff. Smith is New Zealand National, born 1892 and Chief Inspector since 1932. He is prepared to fly from New Zealand on short notice. Please advise earliest if appropriate vacancy exists and if Smith acceptable for it."

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2,
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TO : SCAP
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR THE POLITICAL
ADVISOR)
NR : WAR SVC 6845 (DTG 020224 Z, STATE SERIAL 544
NOV 1, 7 PM)

Following msg has been sent to WD for approval
and transmission to SCAP:

"Brit Emb now states (Reurtel 482; Oct 22)
United Kingdom inspectors because of infrequency air
service Hong Kong and difficulty completing medical
other arrangements cannot arrive Hong Kong before Nov
21. Emb states Brit Govt does not wish delay departure
expedition this account by inquiries whether any alter-
native can be suggested. SCAP comments requested re
feasibility Brit inspectors joining expedition when it
passes through Lombok Straits if Netherlands Govt grants
permission (The Hague 868, Oct 29, repeated to Tokyo.)
Suggest matter might be discussed with Netherlands Mission
Tokyo.

Norwegian Emb has just notified Dept Lt Com
Ostby (Deptel 540/CMM Oct 29) unable join Whaling Ex-
pedition and Norwegian Govt cannot at this time provide
another inspector. Emb inquires whether 1 of Norwegian
inspectors on board factory ship in Antarctic might be



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permitted to board 1 of Japanese factory ships for short period of time in case factory ships should meet on catching grounds and such visits would be practicable. SCAP comments requested re feasibility this arrangement.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (FROM STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : WAR SVC 6653 (DTG 012237/Z) (STATE CIR NOV
1, 9 AM)

UK Embassy here suggested allocation of Jap merchant and fish ships among Allies be made same basis as with German shipping i.e. in proportion overall gross tonnage losses regardless whether incurred Europe Far East fighting. (INFOTEL) Emb official explained under this provision UK would receive slightly more Jap shipping than if considered separately but pointed out UK in fact recd less German shipping because this formula applied. We are considering UK proposal.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISOR)
NR : WAR SVC 6832 (401 6 Oct 30, 6 PM, RELAY FROM MOSCOW)

While it is hoped that Stalin's answers to questions from head of United Press may presage a more conciliatory Soviet Policy, it is feared that they were largely designed to confuse and deceive the West.

There is no need to analyze all Stalin's statements point by point. In general it can be said that the Democracies might be justified in succumbing to soothing strains of Stalin's lullaby were it not for symphony created by steady blare of martial themes issuing in mounting crescendo from all other official media of propaganda.

Stalin's statement that he did not agree with secretaries statement that tension between USSR and USA was increasing was wholly disingenuous in light of Kremlin inspired press campaign attributing aggressive intentions not only to American "Reactionaries" but also to American Govt. This statement takes on qualities of downright dishonesty when it is recognized that under Kremlin direction party ideologies are publically declaring day in and day out that American "Imperialism" is laying foundations for new world war.

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Stalin's diagnosis that Churchill and his supporters in Britain and USA are most serious threat to world peace and Stalin's prescription for avoiding a new war--that Churchill and his supporters be exposed and restrained are obvious political quackery. Stalin knows as well as American man in the street that most serious threat to peace is Soviet expansionism. Furthermore, according to logic of Leninist-Stalinist doctrine (currently being reemphasized), if not by other forms of logic, there can be no sure avoidance of war so long as USSR is motivated by Leninist-Stalinist Doctrine and rest of world remains free.

Stalin's indifference to US warships in Mediterranean and his statements that USSR does not have atomic bomb and atomic energy should be subjected to strict international control are designed to convey an impression of Soviet serenity and "peace loving" intentions. These statements, so in contradiction to bellicose tone of Soviet press on same subject serve as a background for Stalin's expression of continuing interest in receiving loan from USA. Having implied that the secretary was an alarmist, having professed an attitude of calm confidence and atomic impotence and having genuflected in direction authority he announced that "you can do business with Stalin". It is difficult to believe that these assurances did not have in Stalin's mind relation to one another and that

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they were not made with an eye to current American political scene. Recently Soviet press has displayed considerable interest in forthcoming elections and in a public lecture it was made plain that USSR favored "progressives" in democratic party. Foregoing points made by Stalin could scarcely have been better designed to undercut present American policy towards USSR by giving political ammunition to element critical of a firm policy.

Being "most faithful" disciple of Lenin, Stalin has not only in answers discussed above but throughout his series of replies to Hugh Baillie, followed injunctions of his master who said, "we have to use any ruse, dodge, trick, cunning unlawful methods, concealment, veiling of the truth".

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INFO : WDSCA
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TO : SCAP

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NR : WAR SVC 6922, TRUE TOO 311615 Z, OCT 31 3 PM (RELAY
FROM MOSCOW)

Series of important theoretical articles in Sov Press recently have indicated that ideology and propoganda machine have been instructed to accentuate differences between Sov system and Capitalist Western World. Significant step in this process, which contrasts with conciliatory gesture made by Stalin in his replies to correspondents and by Molotov in NY statements, signal given by Oct 30 issue of Culture and Life to Sov Economists to devote major effort to producing Anti-Capitalist theoretical works. This organ of Central Committee, with has spear-headed current revival of Marxist orthodoxy, devotes about half of current issue to theme "Put an end to backwardness of Economic Science." Thus, ideological drive has gotten around to very basis of Sov thought, namely Economic Theory upon which all phases of ideology rest. This is aspect of Sov thought which is most uncompromisingly hostile regarding collaboration between Sov and Western World.

Institute of Economics and Institute of World Economy and World Politics as well as of Economic Faculty in Moscow University are criticized. Sov Economists are charged with failure to produce works dealing with concrete tasks of Sov Economy and to give theoretical Marxist criticism of

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capitalist system. Editorial declares that duty of Sov Economists is to present "In light of Leninist-Stalinist theory a scientific analysis of economic phenomena of contemporary capitalism." It states that in recent yrs various economic theories praising Capitalism and proposing schemes for restoring health of capitalist system and planning of capitalist economy have been propounded abroad. Some Economists have not fulfilled their duty of exposing to World scientifically unsound and ideologically harmful theories of apologists and "Reformers" of capitalism. Editorial is supplemented by special articles analysing the above point of view work of Economic Institutes and individual Economists.

Article on work of Institute of World Economy and World Politics severely criticizes this institute for failing to produce studies on International relations and theoretical analyses of "Problems of contemporary stage of Imperialism and crises of capitalism." This article also criticizes Institute of Economics of Academy of Sciences for not publishing fundamental works and studies on capital accumulation in Sov Economy, on work of collective farmers, etc. Article criticizing economic faculty of Moscow University, hits faculty particularly for failure to organize courses and seminars on Socialist Economy.

With exception of injunctions to turn out criticisms of capitalist system, above material is vague. As is usual

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in Sov Press criticisms of work of scholars and specialists, little concrete guidance is offered. Economists face difficult and possibly dangerous task of producing works which will be original and will not in any way conflict with Orthodox Stalinist Theories, or with party line at moment of publication of their works. Campaign to reactivate Sov Economic Science apparently being inaugurated has considerable significance. It is undoubtedly one of most important sectors in ideological struggle being mapped by Sov Authorities against a Capitalism which they still interpret in light of dogma laid down 30 and 40 years ago.

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TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 6826, (DEPT SVC 741 OCT 31 4 PM))
(The Hague 868)

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23 DEC. 53

(Paraphrase necessary). Following received from The Hague Oct 29, 5 PM (your 493). "Fonoff states Navy Ministry approves (Tokyo's 485 to Dept Oct 24) passage through Lombok Strait by Japanese whaling fleets provided passage is continuous and no stop made. Overseas Ministry is referring matter to Netherlands Indies Govt together with comment of Navy Ministry with request reply be cabled direct to Netherlands' mission Tokyo. Informant added that while no objection passage can be perceived here and believes permission will be granted, possibility nevertheless exists Indies Govt may raise objections."

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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