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FEBRUARY 1947

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28 Feb 47



FROM : WASHINGTON

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23 DEC. 53

TO : CINCFE

NR : WAR SVC 5019 (RELAYS MSG DTG 280045/Z FROM MILATTACHE
WELLINGTON TO MILID) (NR 513)

Dominion press gives wide coverage of Bevin's criticism of America for interference in Palestine question, no editorial comment to date. Prime Minister Fraser states New Zealand to be greatly affected by decision of issues to be brought up at international conference on trade and employment, decision would involve future of New Zealand's Tariff preferences in United Kingdom and other Commonwealth countries and similar preferences enjoyed by other members of the Commonwealth in New Zealand.

2,677 volunteers for J-R Force to date, this number will be reduced by physical examination and elimination of Maoris (one company only desired), have more Maoris than can use, action to be taken on release of J-Force not decided on to date, predict recruitment campaign 44,000 will definitely fail here.

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

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TOO: 281137/Z

MCN: YB 91/28

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ROUTINE

27 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WAR (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : 6726

Your A-11 Jan 21 allotment 0-1221 for salaries alien employees regular program decreased by \$1,18; leaving balance \$2,790 cover expenditures reported form DS-380 Nov 12. Allotment RR-1235 for \$3,365 established appropriation 1970552 for this purpose cover earnings Nov 13 through Mar 29 6 employees total salaries \$8,920 per annum. Allotment documents follow.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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TOO: 270315 Z
MCN: YC 56/27



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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY 27 Feb 47

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FROM : WAR (MILID)
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8988 (USMLO SINGAPORE DTG 260541 Z)



Covering period ending 20 Feb:

A. Malaya. Discussions on acceptance of federation proposals continuing with Chinese pressure groups now proposing royal commission investigate whole matter. Evidences of increasing Chinese Communist organizations control over Malayan and Singapore trade unions with settlement of several strikes by prominent Communist sympathizers. New strikes of dock workers now effective. Chinese Communist organizations last week refused to aid US Graves Registration Team locate graves without payment large bonus which would go into Chinese Communist organization treasury. They stated this demand made because of US aid to Chinese Nationalists. Payment refused.

B. Cease fire orders given by Indonesian Govt on 16 Feb with no reported violations as yet. Indonesians state they are willing to accept only the draft agreement as previously initiated and not Doctor Jonkmans interpretation at The Hague as a basis for new negotiations. Amer ship Martin Behrman now awaiting results of meeting between Dutch and Indonesians regarding export from Java of produce grown in Dutch, American, and British owned estates. Dutch have previously refused export license for such produce, mainly rubber and sugar, claiming that it is looted. 10 British owned ships under charter to Chinese have been refused license for such export previously.

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FROM: WAR (MILID) NR: WAR SVC 8988 (USMLO SINGAPORE DTG 260541Z)
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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
AND
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OUTGOING MESSAGE

26 February 1947

IN THE CLEAR

280737

FROM: SCAP

TO: WARCOS (PASS TO SEC STATE).....PRIORITY

36728) Catch statistics of blue whale units
caught per factory ship by Japanese Antarctic Whaling Expedition
for the period 16 February 1947 to 22 February 1947 inclusive
are as follows: Hashidate Maru 35 units, Nissin Maru 4(1/2) units.
Statistics supplied by Japanese Bureau of Fisheries.

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NOTE FOR RECORD:

1. Pursuant to Radio from WAR (WDSCA ES) to CINCPAC NR 89765, dtg 152059Z January 1947, the above whaling statistics are transmitted to State Department for information.

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2. The Japanese Bureau of Fisheries are transmitting statistics to Sandefjord, Norway via Japanese radio in compliance with Article 4 (3) Protocol signed at London 26 Nov 45.

3. This report covers the period 16 Feb to 22 Feb 47 inclusive.

for [signature]
C. M. A. _____ 2-3237



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

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26 FEBRUARY 1947

FROM: SCAP

TO : WDCSA (PASS TO STATE DEPARTMENT) ROUTINE

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SUGAR VICTOR CHARLIE EIGHT EIGHT EIGHT ZERO DOG TARE GEORGE ZERO TWO ONE EIGHT
ONE SEVEN ZEBRA PAREN STATE SERIAL FIVE ONE FEBRUARY ONE EIGHT CMA ONE ONE ABLE
MIKE PAFEN AND WILLIAM ABLE ROGER SUGAR VICTOR CHARLIE EIGHT NINE FIVE TWO
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CMA ONE PETER MIKE PAREN RELAY FROM NANKING PAREN THREE FOUR ZERO PAREN PAREN
FEBRUARY TWO TWO CMA TWO PETER MIKE PAREN REFER PD PARA RECOMMEND AMERICAN
ASSISTANCE AND PARTICIPATION BE LIMITED TO PROVISION OF SCAP CONTROLLED SHIP-
PING REQUIRED IN EXCESS OF CHINESE CAPABILITIES TO TRANSPORT THE JAPANESE
HOLDOUT TROOPS FROM HULUTAO TO JAPAN PD PARA NO RPT NO FURTHER IMMEDIATE ACTION
CONTEMPLATED BY SCAP PENDING RECEIPT REQUEST FROM CHINA FOR ASSISTANCE IN RE-
PATRIATION SUBJECT JAPANESE

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Adjutant General.

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C. A. RUSSELL,
Colonel, G.S.C.,
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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ROUTINE

26 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDGID)
TO : CINCPAC
NR : WAR SVC 8970 (MELBOURNE TOO 240530 Z)

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Federal Parliament convened 20 Feb. Mr Menzies leader of opposition moved no confidence motion, launching four point attack on Federal Government, charged Government with practicing political jobbery in public appointments, aiming blow at prestige and significance of office of governor general, failing to provide leadership and authority in securing industrial peace and maintaining a depression burden of taxation on people and production. Censure motion defeated 37 votes to 28. Industrial situation remains grave with new trouble threatening. Continued stoppage of supplies for motor car production forcing Ford Motor Company of Australia to curtail manufacturing. Possible meat shortage in Melbourne due to decision of executives of wholesale and retail butchers organization not to buy meat above ceiling rates from 25 Feb. New South Wales government decision to grant 40 hour 5 day work week to 500,000 employees will be brought before Parliament at next session. Strength and composition of permanent post war Army and Navy not to be decided until United Nations Security Force is determined. Final demobilization has reduced total strength to 60,000.

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FROM: WASHINGTON (WDGID) NR: WAR SVC 8970 (MELBOURNE TOO
240530 Z) 26 FEB 47 CONT'D

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

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TOO: 251152 Z

MCN: YC 78/25

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26 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR POLAD)
NR : WAR SVC 8967 (STATE SERIAL 27, FEB 24, 7 PM)

Secretary's remarks news conference Feb 14 (deptel 25 Feb 18 and urtel 29 received Feb 20) were as follows: "I have here a note that news dispatches from Seoul Korea report that police seized in a raid on headquarters of the South Korea Labor Party a certain letter written by Major Nikolai Gusevov, and so forth. Inquiry is, what action does the United States Government plan in this case? My answer is that the department is awaiting official confirmation of this story from officials in Korea."

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

NOTE : This message has been passed to Signal Center for redi-
patch to CG XXIV Corps for info.

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TOO: 251140 Z
MCN: SA 91/25



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26 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8987 (RELAYS MSG DTG 260134 Z FROM STATE DEPT
STATE SERIAL 66, FEB 25, 7 PM)

Time elapsed since original proposal shipment relief goods to Mukden has largely vitiated its effectiveness, (urtel 177, Jan 31) Dept unwilling consider any qualification Chinese acceptance as expressed note Nov 18. Fail understand reference to consideration by FEC of settlement this type of expense. Dept therefore recommends Emb advise FONOFF project will be abandoned if they unable concur fully in original proposal.

While no publicity contemplated by US Govt, FONOFF should be advised that Jap public interest, and that evinced by Holy See, may make some explanation by SCAP necessary. In that event, dept considers SCAP will have no alternative but to place Onus on Chinese Govt.

Re this, see Tokyo's tel 2, Feb 6 to Nanking, sent Dept as 29.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG
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TOO: 261127 Z
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26 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (MILID)

TO : CINCPAC

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NR : WAR SVC 8969 (AMEMBASSY MANILA DTG 250100 Z)



Weekly msg nr 14. Note of Chinese Minister Chenchih-fang received 18 by Phil Dept Foreign Affairs advised that Chinese Govt will discontinue negotiations for treaty of amity between two nations because Phil attitude toward pact has been "Inconsistent" in revising portions of draft treaty Chinese thought agreed upon and Phil Govt has taken steps "Discriminatory to Chinese residents" see embtel 302 and 283. Filipino officials in press statement said they were willing to continue negotiations on same basis as formerly but will not subordinate national interests to wishes of another country. Official reply reported by press 21 Feb attempted to refute Chinese accusations of discrimination revolving around recent act of Phil Govt in ejecting Chinese stall holders from Manila public market in accordance with law and pointed out Chinese market vendors have had 6 years of legislative notice of intention to turn stalls over to Filipinos. A-1. Senator Vicent Sotto liberal proposed bill in Senate outlawing Huk organizations - Nazism Phalanxism and Communism proposing imprisonments or fine of 10,000 pesos or both for violators in addition to disqualification from holding public office. Bill not

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FROM: WASHINGTON (MILID) NR: WAR SVC 8969 (AMEMBASSY
MANILA DTG 250100 Z) 26 FEB 47 CONT'D

sponsored by administration has little chance of passing. A-1. Roxas began tour of Bicol Province 23 Feb. Romulo delegate to UNO returned Manila 20 Feb and will join party drive. Warmly received by Roxas administration. A-1. Bank of America officials Thomas R Coughran Vice Pres in charge of Far Eastern operations and Francis J Moore manager Manila office arrived 20 Feb to open Manila Branch. Roxas received these officials at Malacanan 22 Feb. A-1. Department of Interior issued unnumbered circular to effect that registration of 20 year old male citizens for compulsory military training will take place April 1947 (Section 53 of CA number 1, known as National Defense Act). Press stated goal is to build force of 10,000 per year. Since training area has not been finally selected and funds are not yet available, no definite time has been set for initiation of subject training nor has number to be trained annually been finally decided. No training program likely this year. No funds (garble being svcd by War) in next years budget. A-1. After several day lull Huk-Phil MP clashes at the Pampanga-Bulacan border killed at least 62 Huks during week beginning 16 Feb reported by press 22 Feb. C-3. Base agreement negotiations continue on several points raised by State 225. Roxas asked to defer signing until after party plebiscite 11th March for fear of compromising result by confusing issues on eve

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FROM: WASHINGTON (MILID) NR: WAR SVC 8969 (AMEMBASSY
MANILA DTG 250100 Z) 26 FEB 47 CONT'D

vote. Saonatige now tentatively scheduled 12 March. A-1. Ambassador McNutt expects to visit Japan via air 24 to 26 Feb, China 26 Feb to March 2 departing Manila about mid March for Washington through Europe. A-1. Chief of mission concurs.

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

NOTE: Corrected copy received in AG R/C office at 272150/I

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26 Feb 47

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FROM : WASHINGTON (WDGID)
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8960 RELAYS MSG DTG 241610/Z (FROM MIL
ATTACHE NEW DELHI SIGNED BENNETT)

Ref CDA 17 considered reaction to HMG statement regarding Indian not immediately available. Both parties state must have time to carefully consider all ratifications. One thing certain is that responsibility for formation of government now rests definitely on the 2 political parties in India. Congress has succeeded in their demand that England withdraw entirely from the internal workings of the country on a definite date and consequently should be happy. Jinnah gets placation and he is unable to reach an agreement to enter constituent assembly he has only to wait until June 1948 and Pakistan would be fact according to paragraph 10 of Atlee announcement. Regardless of whether or not Jinnah enters constituent assembly Congress will definitely carry on with forming a constitution and league members in government will remain as they can do more harm to the Congress and more good for the league within than outside the government. Not too much should be expected from present center as situation in interim cabinet very unhealthy, each member runs his department as his political conscience dictates and not for the best interests of India as a whole. Finance member (Muslim) has made large loans to Muslim provincial ministries and withheld same from Congress ministries in provinces. Nehru runs foreign affairs as he pleases while commerce department (Muslim) dispatches trade

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FROM: WASHINGTON, NR: WAR SVC 8960, 26 FEB 47, CONT'D

missions hither and yonher at its own descretion. Nearly all responsible people recognize that Britain has declared her bona fides for quitting India. However facts should not be overlooked that if chaotic conditions exist within the country in June 1948 when Britain will turn over rule to such parties of governments as are then existing the situation might be so confused that HMG could find a loophole to Atlee's statement and continue their tenure in India in the interests of world peace, protection of minorities etc. Para 10 certainly leaves an opening for a continuance of the old divide and rule policy if HMG feels sufficiently that the situation in India could not afford to be thrown wide open to the multiple wolves; that is, Congress provinces, league provinces and princely states to squabble about. Immediate impression is that new Viceroy will merely act as a middle man for the handing over of power and that through Parliamentary action revoking certain provisions of the Government of India Act 1935 the center government as presently constituted will for all intents and purposes be considered sovereign and their actions will not be subject to approval or disapproval by the Viceroy or HMG. It must be remembered that the matter of the settling of the Sterling Debt even though England withdraws from India still gives her a strong weapon with which to influence Indian political affairs. Recall of Wavell is result of direct demand by Nehru, his stand being that Wavell did not get Jinnah to join constituent assembly in return for Nehru's compromise which allowed Muslim league members in interim cabinet and that Viceroy was guilty of grave misjudgement if not willful or

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FROM: WASHINGTON, NR: WAR SVC 8960, 26 FEB 47, CONT'D

culpable action when he said that he had the league's assurance that they would enter constituent assembly if Nehru would compromise on entrance of league into cabinet. Although on surface majority of Princes have agreed in principle to joining constituent assembly there is no guarantee they will enter into the resultant constituent: strong underlying faction particularly in Muslim states, is becoming more and more enmeshed and entangled with the league. In view of HMG statement regarding princely paramountcy this faction can be expected to give more and more support to league so that in the event power is eventually transferred to several or more agencies the league or Muslim princes could form a strong and workable Pakistan area. HMG rumored to have made overtures to Nizam of Hyderabad along line that if a central government does not take over in India an independent treaty between Britain and Hyderabad might be constituted and Britain could maintain bases in Hyderabad if this ties in with rumor unconfirmed that Hyderabad endeavoring to obtain a port on India's west coast-perhaps in the Cochin states or by a treaty with Portugese GOA.

Economic: British Government statement on India may cause mild depression because large private projects will fear possible civil war in next 2 years and may adopt policy of wait and see. Transport member Dr John Mathai presented 47-48 railway budget in legislative assembly 17 Feb. Passenger fares to be increased 1/16 and slight increase in freight rates from 1 April. Government will erect plant at Kanchrapara to manufacture 150 locomotives and 50

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FROM: WASHINGTON, NR: WAR SVC 8960, 26 FEB 47, CONT'D

boilers annually. Plant to cost approximately \$38,000,000 and be ready by 1950. Order placed for 400 new passenger locomotives, 100 in service 48-49. Balance 1951. Finance member Liaquatali Khanin produced bill 17th Feb to issue all coins in any metal. Would facilitate return of lend lease silver to US. Expect bill to pass. Likely to result in speculative rise in silver prices. Burma Govt gave notice to India for termination of joint monetary arrangements with effect 1 April 47. Reserve Bank will cease to manage note issues will not act as banker for Burma. Burmese currency board will control currency and coinage.
Military: Negative.

NO SIG

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

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25 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8964 (RELAYS MSG DTG 242006 Z) (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)



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"One of most hopeful signs we have recently seen is article in Feb 17 Pravda on schism in working class movement (EMBS 450 Feb 18). But before commenting further, we would say something by way of background.

Notwithstanding failures and disappointments during past 30 years Kremlin still places great reliance upon mobilization of world proletariat to advance Sov expansion. While Kremlin no longer entertains illusions that it can engineer world revolution at one stroke it has good reason to believe that if through its propaganda and international agents it succeeds in winning support of even bare majority of workers of world and then harnessing them to its program, it will have gone long way towards subjecting rest of world to its will. Aggressive Sov sponsorship of WFTU and attempts to manipulate it in furtherance of Sov political aims is evidence of Sov intentions in this direction.

Sov attempts to mobilize world proletariat encounter two general forms of active opposition. One is repressive; for example policy of Chinese and Greek Govts. Other is competitive; for example activities of British Labor Govt and AFL. Repression is effective where govt is firmly established and workers weak and unorganized, as in Turkey. But in most other countries outside Sov orbit repressions often boomerang, sometimes disastrously.

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT), NR : WAR SVC 8964 (RELAYS MSG
DTG 242006 Z) (STATE SVC 87 RELAYS FROM MOSCOW), DTD 25
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Competition for proletarian support by strong, independent and nationalist labor organizations is fundamentally more effective because it offers an alternative to Communism and this exerts an attractive influence on proletariat nullifying possibility that proletariat gravitate en masse toward reliance upon and subjection PD USSR. Finally competition does not -- as repression does -- feed sense of persecution, the psychological state most susceptible to Sov exploitation.

It is with foregoing in mind that we say Pravda article on schism in working class is hopeful sign. Sov anxiety revealed in that article is indication that British Labor Party and Govt are competing effectively for proletarian support not only in Britain but also in Europe. Possibility that large segments of Western and Central European workers look to British rather than to USSR for guidance and support threatens major set back to Kremlin plans.

AFL has played somewhat similar role in Germany, Latin America and Japan and has as consequence drawn bitter attacks in Sov press. If AFL activities along these lines are increased and skillfully pursued, they too will constitute major impediment to Kremlin efforts to capture workers of the world. Smith."

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

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redispatch to CG USAFIK for info. (25 Feb 47)

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Feb 25 47

FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCPAC (PASS TO BRIG GENERAL H B LOPER)
NR : WASHINGTON SVC 8963 (RELAYS SECRET MSG FROM ALUSNA NZ
DTG 240010 Z)

New Zealand agrees to mapping of Western Samoa and Cook Islands. Copy of agreement sent by courier to Director of Intelligence and General Loper.

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ACTION: ENGR OFF

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

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TOO: 242152 Z

MCN: YH 5/24

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ROUTINE

24 Feb 47

FROM : WAR
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8953 (PASSES FROM BANGKOK DTG 220600 Z)
(REF NBR 211 WEEKA)

A 1 Pridi greeted enthusiastically. Weekend political meeting set to decide new government. Coalition probably direct favorite for Pri Min although now mention Aduladul for Pri Min Pridi Party speculation this matter intense.

B 3 Pridi considering taking Pri Min himself as virtual dictator.

A 1 Nai Chune editor prominent anti government weekly shot dead by gunman. Gangsterism with Hollywood touch spreading kidnapping, hijacking common terms. Police anti crime drive achieving no major results to date. Much publicity given Pan-Asian interrelations Delhi Conference Siam attending and Free Movements clamoring for representation but blocked chiefly by passport difficulties. Import Export Company lighter crew strike ties up harbor 3 days strike adjusted by company but pressure mounts for labor law. Tin smuggling continues unabated rice apparently under better control. Government radio station reorganizing as public corporation on lines British Broadcasting Company.

B 2 Siamese finally agree on heavy duty runway 150 ton 2500 by 100 meters tender March 1st for bids. Trans-Asiatic Flying School and Aero Repair Shop approved except to take over all such work military and civil.

B 2 Lao Prince Suphanavon last week Jan made futile raid with small Free Lao Group against French north east Thakek hoping draw Free Lao into open conflict on side Vietnam. Raid contrary policy of Lao Majority Leaders who favor further bargaining with French and who see Suphanavon jeopardizing

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FROM: WAR NR: WAR SVC 8953 (PASSES FROM BANGKOK DTG
220600 Z) REF MBR 211 WEEKA DTD 24 Feb 47 CONT'D

whole Lao position otherwise favorable as French now at least talking with them.

A 1 Col Edgar T Heslop Commander British Troops Siam nominated Mil Attache. All British troops expected out 2 weeks.



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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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MCN: YA 11-23

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24 Feb 47

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8952 PASSES (230544 Z) (FEB 23 1 PM) RELAY
FROM NANKING (340) (FEB 22 2 PM)

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"1. Information requested in 2nd para of Deutel
196, Feb 18, 11 A M:

A. Evidence which can be furnished Chinese Govt of
presence of Japanese Forces: In order to minimize embarrassment
to the Chinese Govt, it should simply be informed:

1. That the US Govt understands there are sizeable
Japanese holdout troops in Manchuria located generally in the
Changpai Mountain, Chingpo Hu Area, Mutankiang Area and the
Hsingan Mountains;

2. That the US Govt would appreciate being
informed of any plans of the Chinese Govt for repatriation
of these Japanese Forces;

3. That, if desired, the US Govt will determine
extent to which SCAP shipping can be made available.

B. Logistical feasibility of these Japanese moving
overland into National Govt Territory. The report on
Japanese holdout troops states that it is feasible logistically
for the Japanese troops in the Changpai Mountain Region to
move overland to Tunghua into National Govt Territory, and
for the Japanese troops in the Chingpo Hu Area to move overland
to Lafa and into Nationalist Territory. There are some
Communists in the area which these Japanese troops would have
to traverse; but the report alleges that the Japanese are
capable of protecting themselves during the trek. The other
Japanese troops are behind the Communist lines, at such a
distance and in such inaccessible areas that it is considered
logistically impracticable as well as dangerous for these forces
under present conditions to attempt an overland movement to

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(FEB 23 1 PM) RELAY FROM NANKING (340) (FEB 22 2 PM)
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territory now under control of the National Govt. From a purely logistical standpoint the only practicable method open now would be for Japanese troops to be repatriated over the Chinese Western Railroad to Soviet Russia, thence via the Trans-Siberian Railroad to Vladivostok, provided suitable arrangements could be made with the Russian Govt.

C. Practicability of ordering such a move:
An order for the movement of the 2 groups to Gunghua and Lafa probably should be issued by SCAP, should make reference to the Emperor's desire for their repatriation, should state that the Chinese Govt will act as SCAP suggests, and should contain appropriate assurances from the Chinese Govt and SCAP as to proper treatment and prompt repatriation. This order could be distributed to the Japanese Forces by the Chinese Govt, which is reported already to have communication established with at least one of these forces; it could be sent in by agents available to the AMA in Changchun; it could be dropped from a plane. The 1st method is believed preferable.

D. Nature and extent of American assistance or participation which might be practicable in connection with repatriation: American assistance and participation should be limited to provision of shipping by SCAP to transport the troops from Hulutao to Japan.

2. It is not clear to the Embassy whether 1st para of Dentel 196 is intended to mean that Dent does not wish to take cognizance of political implications in presence of the forces and wishes to reduce the problem to mechanics of accomplishing repatriation.

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FROM: WAR (STATE DEPT) NR: WAR SVC 8352 PASSES (230544 Z)
(Feb 23 1 PM) RELAY FROM NANKING (340) (Feb 22 2 PM)
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3. State Dept does not wish to approach Russians on the matter, although most accessible ports are under Russian control. Embassy considers it premature to approach Chinese Govt at this time, since none of the Japanese Forces is in Chinese Govt controlled areas and approach to the Chinese Govt on the matter could be interpreted as indirect American approval of military operations by Chinese Govt to uncover the 4 groups. The Chinese can be expected to claim that it is logistically infeasible for any of the 4 groups of Japanese troops to reach gov't controlled areas. If, as our information indicated, the Chinese are attempting to use the Changnai and Chingpo Hu forces to their advantage against the Communists, they will possibly claim that it will be necessary to launch a campaign against the Communists to insure the safety of the Japanese holdout forces and also request American logistical support in the campaign.

4. It is considered desirable to remain silent until either Chinese Govt has over run the 4 areas or has significantly increased its capabilities of removing these Japanese without American assistance other than shipping. Present indications are that Japanese will cooperate fully in surrender and repatriation only if US provides observers as guarantee of reasonably fair treatment, food, shelter and prompt repatriation after surrender. The presence of US personnel in forward areas of Manchuria at a time when public attention is focused on American withdrawal from China would provide the Chinese Communists and Russians with effective propaganda material."

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ACTION: G-3

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

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23 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) (GEORGE ATCHESON)
TO : CINCPAC (PERSONAL FOR MACARTHUR)
NR : WAR SVC 8938 (220306 Z) (STATE SERIAL 62 Feb 21, 7 PM)

Keenan's plans now understood from him as follows:
Hospitalization possibly by Feb 24 for surgical alleviation
of condition known to Kendrick. Stay in hospital from 2 to
3 weeks to be followed by period of convalescence and "if
all goes well" return to Tokyo about April 15. I am informed
WAR believes your comment and desires should govern;
therefore request you kindly communicate any comment you
deem desirable to Assistant Secretary Peterson.

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ACTION: SECY GENERAL STAFF

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF



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ROUTINE

TOO : 221410 Z
MCN : SA 137/22

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ROUTINE

23 Feb 47

FROM : WSD

TO : CINCFE (USPOLAD)

NR : 221824 Z (SENT AS DEPT 1210, RELAY FROM LONDON)

"Twenty second. Times today published item from Tokyo correspondent under Feb 21 dateline substance of which follows:

While Officials US Military Govt issue repeated exhortations Jap people on necessity their guarding right, free speech, freedom expression becomes increasingly difficult because US censors restrict impression opinion by Jap Press and even prohibits quotations from newspapers of Allied Nations. Latest manifestation is banning Feb 21 Sir Robert Clive's letter published Times Feb 14. Clive's letter, which pointing out US alone able supply Japan cotton and money essential her economy, drew attention to great respect in which Britain held by Japan in past and stressed his desire see British interests revived. This letter ready for publication leading Tokyo newspaper when censors summarily rejected it without giving any reason. Same censors recently cut Lord Bryce's "Modern Democracies" so severely as to make publication in Japanese impossible.

Thus far press has refrained from Editorial comment. "Gallman".

MARSHALL

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

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ROUTINE
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TOO: 221824 Z
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22 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (USPOLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR ACTING POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : 60 21ST

Ambassador Acheson, Dr Hugh Borton (Chief Division of Japanese Affairs), Dr Ruth Bacon, Swart and stenographer Anne McCord expect depart Gen MacArthur's plane March 2 San Francisco upon arrival there of Gen Pechkoff from Paris. Dr Borton assigned approximately 2 months TDY Tokyo for orientation and consultation with SCAP. McCord will serve Doctors Borton and Bacon and then proceed permanent duty Peiping. Drs Bacon, Swart and McCord cleared for plane previously.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, VISITORS
BUREAU, G-1, G-4, AG, SIG OFF, HQ COMMANDANT

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ROUTINE

22 Feb 47

FROM : WSD
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : 211836 Z (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)

21st Konsemol Pravda V. Iordanski gives his "Impressions of Japan" Feb 20. Author expresses sympathy with continued vitality of Japs despite persistence of bad traditions. Noting tendency of agriculture workers to vote for landowners and dissatisfaction of university professors with conditions of Jap higher education he criticizes new constitution as "Main Support of Militarist Regime" and claims despite "Unbridled Pressure and Bribery" in 1946 elections 2,000,000 votes were cast for Communist Party.

Author claims only Communists attack constitution as mainstay of capitalists and landowners and as failing to supply concrete guarantees of citizens rights. He concludes despite refusal of occupation authorities to permit general strike peasants are beginning to value Communist Party, Smith"

MARSHALL

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

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22 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCPAC
NR : WAR SVC 8926 (RELAYS MSG FROM WELLINGTON NEW ZEALAND
FILED 210410 Z)

Weeks 510.

Long standing water front dispute over issues and guaranteed daily wage settled after long negotiations, Water Front Industry Commission ended, A E Bockett appointed as sole commissioner, terms of Governments settlement with militant Waterside Union represent complete capitulation B negative. Captain Walter Gillow Simpson, CBE, RN, appointed first Naval member and Chief of New Zealand Naval Staff, will take appointment in rank of Commodore Second class on retirement Commodore G H Faulkner. J Force has 1,059 recruits to date.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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T00: 211506
MCN: SA 98/21

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ROUTINE

22 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPARTMENT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR ACTING POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WARSVC 8924 RELAYS MSG (DTG 21007 S)
(STATE SERIAL NR 58, FEB 205 PM)

In connection with urdes 777 Dept desires to acquire real estate. See Deptel 2 Jan. Advise.

MARSHALL

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG,
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TOO : 211434 Z
MCN : SA 91/21

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22 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (GEORGE ATCHESON)
TO : SCAP (PERSONAL FOR MACARTHUR)
NR : WAR SVC 8935 (PASSES MSG FROM STATE DEPT DTG 220003 Z
STATE SERIAL 61, FEB 21, 6 PM)

The Secretary has asked me to delay departure from Washington until Feb 25 in order discuss further important matters of recent reference. This will not affect our ETA Tokyo.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, VISITORS
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TOO : 221038 Z
MCN : SA 110

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22 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (ATCHESON)
TO : SCAP (PERSONAL FOR MACARTHUR)
NR : WAR SVC 8936 (PASSES CONFIDENTIAL FROM STATE DTG
220144 Z STATE SERIAL 59 FEB 21, 4 PM)

Re your tel 38 Feb 14.

Have not had opportunity to discuss this particular subject at any length with Secretary but expect to. I have discussed it with Under Secretary and other officials, including several discussions with American Delegation to FEC. My impression at this stage is that action is at least being held in abeyance for time being.

New subject: Expect to begin return journey leaving here Monday Feb 24.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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TOO: 221036 Z
MCN: SA 109/22

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ROUTINE

21 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : STATE SERIAL 69 20TH

Article Feb 19 Vechernaya Moskva Prazin "On internal political situation Japan" claims policies proposed by Yoshida Cabinet "with support US Occupation Authorities" have aroused indignation Jap masses lack Democratic Agrarian Reform has not helped solve food problem landowners and semi-feudal relation are still retained mass strikes and demonstrations indicate popular discontent bureaucratic machine is hindering growth Democratic forces as was seen in prohibition general strike "real Democratic reconstruction Japan is only possible on basis formation and popular Democratic Government"

Crisis in government shows Yoshida had no intention resigning or changing policies crisis called out of opposition from Jap NCIO Jap Congress of Labor demanded formation new cabinet composed representatives from all opposition parties including Communists.

Right Wing Socialists have been forced demand inclusion representatives other parties.

Yoshida limited himself to changes within Cabinet and to leaving vacant 2 Ministerial Posts apparently reckoning on subsequent agreement with Socialists or other parties events

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) NR : STATE SERIAL 69 20TH 21 FEB 47

in country show policy of US authorities required alteration
to conform with Potsdam decisions." Smith.

MARSHALL

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

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TOO : 202059/2
MCN : YB 03/21



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

41, February 20, 1947.

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Reference Department's telegram 45, February 11.

In view of FEC statement of policy (FEC-055/6) exemptions from capital levy or other extraordinary taxes are apparently determined by FEC. Current FEC policy provides exemption only REPEAT ONLY for property owned by United Nations nationals. Authority has not REPEAT NOT been given to exempt other persons.

Neutrals, former belligerents later considered friendly, stateless individuals, and liberated persons all are presently subject to the capital levy.

It is estimated there are 561,000 Koreans now in Japan who have refused repatriation. Of this number some 20,000, many of whom have sizeable assets, are believed to be subject to the capital levy.

Should Formosans be determined to be Chinese and thus United Nations nationals, they would automatically be exempt under present FEC policy; but this question is understood to be still under inter-governmental discussion and involves many complications, reference our telegram 492, October 29, 1946, and other correspondence to and from Department regarding Formosans in Japan.

If Department is considering proposing changes in FEC policy regarding exemptions from capital levy or other extraordinary taxes request SCAP be fully advised of Department's views soonest and given opportunity to comment thereon prior to final decision United States position and before presentation to FEC.

Whitman presently absent from Japan.

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MAX W. BISHOP
Acting Chief

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BASIC: Rad from SCAP to WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE) 20 Feb 47

M/R:

1. Policy concerning exemption from capital levy has been set forth by statement of policy of FEC (FEC-055/6) 5 Aug 46. Policy in effect provides that no capital levy shall be imposed on property owned by United Nations nationals.

2. ESS/FIN (Mr. Shavell) has prepared a partial study on this question, including statistics concerning Koreans now in Japan, a number of whom presumably are subject to capital levy under current policy.

3. DS' 492, 29 Oct 46, raised question of problem of Formosans in Japan, including discussion concerning dual nationality applicable to Formosans here. State Department views were urgently requested but have not been received. Recommendation was made that agreement should be obtained from Chinese Government that all Formosans who continue to reside in Japan must by individual act obtain documentation as Chinese citizens and divest themselves of Japanese nationality. In practically all cases this has not been done.

4. Above cable is reply to WAR SVC 8775 (State Department's 45, Feb. 11) which suggests that consideration be given to application of capital levy only to Koreans intended to remain in Japan. It is not clear whether Department of State intends changing this policy by a new proposal to FEC. Should such proposal be under consideration or contemplation, SCAP should be given ample opportunity to comment.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT) (GEORGE ATCHESON)
TO : CINCPAC (PERSONAL FOR MACARTHUR) (FOR POLITICAL
ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 8904 (FILED 200134/Z) (STATE SERIAL NR
55 FEB 19 7PM)

Keenan is not well and says he will not be able to return with me because he requires a minor operation which is to be undertaken next week. When he may be expected to return is unknown to me.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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



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TOO: 201035/Z
MCN: SA 53/20

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20 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8905 (RELAYS DTG 200322 Z FROM STATE DEPT)
(STATE SERIAL 54 FEB 19, 6 PM) (FEC 8)

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Obligation to consult Allied Council. In view of firm Soviet position and pressing need of passing papers thru commission, US representative with approval of US Govt on Feb 13 proposed following phrase in lieu of Soviet amendment;

"Upon such consultation with the Allied Council as it required by the Council's terms of reference." This will not place additional burdens upon SCAP. Soviet representative has referred matter to his government.

Advance transfers of reparations. Secretary Marshall Feb 13 authorized placing before FEC for possible approval US policy on advance transfers covering delivery to China, Philippines, Britain and Netherlands for relief and reconstruction purposes in Far East of 30% of Japanese internal assets declared available for reparations. FEC will have period until US policy regarding reparations procedures has been determined to reach decision on advance transfers, so no delay will be caused by placing matter before FEC. Reparations Committee of FEC held 2 meetings Feb 14 to consider policy. France and India insist must have share of advance transfers but their demands can be over-ruled if necessary. More serious is Soviet proposal that percentage to be delivered as advance transfers be raised to 50 or even 70 and that deliveries be made to all 11 nations represented on FEC

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with Soviet receiving 5 or more per cent. Whether or not
this is Soviet firm position not certain at present.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, GEN HARRISON,
G-2, AG, ECON & SCI SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT,
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20 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8909 (DTG 200441 Z) (WSDB SVC 49) (RELAY FROM LONDON)

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"We are informed that a labor MP has put down motion for adjournment in order to debate allied policy toward Japan and that this move may evoke debate in Commons evening of Feb 20. Fonoff suggests MP in question impelled to this action by his feeling that 'iron curtain' exists in this country re Jap developments and especially re deliberations of Control Council. (See Dept 1123, Dept release repeat USPOLAD Tokyo as 2) Fonoff dismisses this feeling as 'nonsensical', pointing out that British newspapers publish little Jap news because British people not interested in Jap developments."

MARSHALL

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

NOTE: Dept's 1123 cannot be identified in this hq.

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20 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)

TO : AMEMB ROME (REPEAT TO CONSULS), AMEMB MANILA
(REPEAT TO CONSULS), AMLEG BUDAPEST, AMEMB WARSAW
(REPEAT TO CONSULS), AMREP SOFIA, AMEMB NANKING
(REPEAT TO CONSULS AND DAIREN), USIS RELAY SHANGHAI,
AMEMB BAGHDAD (REPEAT TO CONSULS), USPOLAD VIENNA,
USPOLAD BERLIN (REPEAT TO CONSULS), CINCFE (PASS TO
POLAD SEOUL), WARCOS, USPOLAD YOKOHAMA

NR : CIRCULAR 18TH

Form 349 is action document under FSS 638 of Oct 17 for all Alien pers action involving funds including appointments reappointments salary increases or decreases suspensions etcetera and amendments or corrections thereof since such actions cannot be effected retroactively the execution date on Form 349 must not in any such case be later than effective date to avoid suspension in accounts.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for redispach to CG USAFIK (POLAD) for Action.

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TOO: 190350 Z
MCN: YH 45/19

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19 February 1947

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FROM: SCAP

TO: WARCOS (PASS TO SEC STATE).....PRIORITY

PAREN **2** - 35689 PAREN CATCH STATISTICS OF BLUE WHALE

UNITS CAUGHT PER FACTORY SHIP BY JAPANESE ANTARCTIC WHALING
EXPEDITION FOR THE PERIOD NINE FEBRUARY FOUR SEVEN TO ONE FIVE
FEBRUARY FOUR SEVEN INCLUSIVE ARE AS FOLLOWS CLN HASHIDATE
MARU FOUR THREE AND ONE HALF UNITS OMA NISSIN MARU FOUR NINE
UNITS PD STATISTICS SUPPLIED BY JAPANESE BUREAU OF FISHERIES

OFFICIAL:

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Colonel AGD
Adjutant General

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Lt Col CE
Chief, Natural Resources Section

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NOTE FOR RECORD:

1. Pursuant to Radio from WAR (WDSOA ES) to CINCPAC NR 389765,
dtg 152059Z January 1947, the above whaling statistics are trans-
mitted to State Department for information.

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2. The Japanese Bureau of Fisheries are transmitting statistics to Sandefjord, Norway via Japanese radio in compliance with Article 4 (3) Protocol signed at London 26 Nov 45.

3. This report covers the period 9 Feb to 15 Feb 47 inclusive.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR POLAD)
NR : WAR SVC 8388 (DTG 182239) (STATE SERIAL 25, Feb 18)

"Background requested on UP story datelined Seoul Feb 13 to effect police in raid on Hq South Korea Labor Party seized letter signed by Russian officer, Maj Nikolai Gusonov, addressed to Ho Hun ordering Korean Communists to stir up student disorders."

MARSHALL

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

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redispatch to CG XXIV CORPS for action.

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POO : 190529 Z
MCN : YD 16/19

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19 Feb 47

FROM : WSD (FROM MARTIN)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR) (FOR WHITMAN)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : SER 53 18TH

Chinese representative concerned reported liquidation Bank of Taiwan and disposal assets Japanese depositors. Appreciate you discuss earliest SCAP Officials and report status.

New subject. Christelow submitted proposal as discussed including textiles. Will forward text when War clears.

R E V I S E D (20 Feb 47)

MARSHALL

ACTION: EOCN & SCI SECT

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

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19 Feb 47

FROM : WSD
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD), AMEMBASSY NANKING
INFO : WASHINGTON (COS)
NR : 450 18TH (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)

Pravda Feb 17 carries article by B. Ponomarev on "Unity or schism in working class movement stressing need for unity of working class in postwar struggle with aggression and imperialist reaction. Article states during war resistance movement in countries occupied by Germany laid firm basis for democratic forces and since par establishment of WFTU has shown there are no inseparable obstacles to working class unity on national or international scale. Reactionary forces, however, are striving to consolidate position.

"Last Fascist strongholds such as Franco Spain are being elaborately guarded from final defeat. American reactionaries are kindling civil war in China, and in Italy, Japan, Greece reactionaries are again being given opportunity of fighting to regain their authority. They have vast material means at their disposal since lords of financial monopolies do not stint millions for struggle against progressive and workers organizations." Great responsibility lies with present leaders of such organizations. Among those who have learned harsh lessons of war are leaders of French Trade Union Movement, German Social Union Party, Polish Socialist Party. In Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia, Social Democrats have established close connections with Communists. Special alarm is being caused in working class movement by position of British Labor Party which, as ruling one of the largest capitalist states, could have played no small part in consolidation of working class.

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FROM: WSD NR: 450 18TH (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)
18 FEB 47 CONT'D

However, the forces of the Labor Party are being turned against such unity. By sending no less than eleven delegations abroad to establish connections with Socialist organizations in continental countries, Labor Party is dividing working class movement and is attempting to carry out policy of securing British political and economic influence in all European countries.

This is especially true of France, where British Labor Party leaders wage struggle against cooperation of Socialists and Communists. In France Paski advised Socialists not to enter any alliance with Communists and in article published in Czech paper praised speech of Blum presenting program which would disunite forces of French working class and Democratic Movement. Lafki poured all sorts of abuse on French Communists, declaring that they were not really interested in friendship with Socialists, that Socialist-Communist unity would mean "Communists Directorate." Only gainers have been French reactionaries. Socialists lost votes by anti-Communist campaign and only now are joining activities with Communists.

Everywhere influence of Labor Party has been same, namely to set Socialists in coalition with bourgeois parties instead of Communists. In Italy Labor Party has exerted great effort to break Socialist-Communists unity. Laski wrote open letter to Nenni warning him against alliance with Communists. Similar attitude has been taken by "Reactionary

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FROM: WSD NR: 450 18TH (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)
18 FEB 47 CONT'D

figures from American AFL and Socialist Party." It is characteristic recent schism in Italian-Socialist Party and leadership of Saragat was preceded by visits of such reactionaries to Italy, that British Labor Party Delegation approved Saragat's "Party" as magnet for all non-Communist elements. When SED was set up in Germany, 27 labor MP's approved, but leaders decided otherwise and gave support to Schumacher Group which waged struggle against working class unity in Western Zone.

Labor Party paid great attention to Austrian UD Party and influenced them to join with bourgeois Catholic Party against party against Communists. In Scandinavia at meeting of SD Parties of Sweden, Denmark and Norway Labor Party Representatives pinned in opposing those who defended freedom under occupation. Morrison, British Labor Party leader in May 1941 counselled SD parties who worked in joint front with Communists to avoid single electoral lists and to act independently. Labor Party leaders aim at establishing international center to inspire schism in working class movement and to replace late Second International. Four conferences made up mainly of former workers in Second International were held in Britain during past two years, at which discussion turned largely on how to avert joint action with Communists. At Bournemouth Czechoslovak Socialists "were accused" of such cooperation.

Consultative committee formed at Bournemouth after abolition of Second International will be organ for fulfilling will of Labor Party "Upper ten". Thus Executive Committee of Labor Party has openly become center of schismatic

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FROM: WSD NR: 450 18TH (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)
18 FEB 47 CONT'D

activity in ranks of international working class movement.
Question arises, do British workers know of this
sinister activity of leaders? Not a few members of Labor
Party are dissatisfied with policy of leaders. But their
criticism exerts too little influence.

Defeat of Fascism thanks to self-sacrificing struggle
of Soviet Union has given SD great chance to influence pol-
icies of many states in interest of workers. For many years
Communist Parties have extended friendly hand and have not
embarked on competition with SD. The policy of schism, of
forming block with bourgeois parties instead of Communist is
causing enormous harm. The sooner facts are known to workers
the earlier masses will secure fusion of forces against Im-
perialism.

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

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TOO : 190145 Z
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INCOMING MESSAGE

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19 Feb 47

FROM : WSD
TO : CINCFE
NR : 52 18TH

Urtel 27 5th. Inquiry being made Shanghai concerning availability Laing.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

NOTE: Ref tel 27 5th is Z 34002.

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TOO: 190100/Z
MCN: YB 63/19



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INCOMING MESSAGE

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY 19 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (FROM USMILLIAS SINGAPORE)
TO : CINCFE (G-2)
NR : WAR SVC 8881 PEROBI CXQZ OF REH 12) FILED 180357/Z)
CRYPTO WAR RELAYS MSG FILED 150355/Z) (WEEKA 6)

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A. Burma. The return of the delegates from the London Conference has not as yet had a settling effect on Burmese troubles. The strike called by Aungsons Party during his absence still continues and affects 23,000 workers including dock workers and 10,000 civilian clerks in Burmese Army Comd Offices. Aungsons efforts to settle strikes is unsuccessful. Dissatisfaction with terms of agreement reached at London are growing. So far two members of the Executive Council, Ysaw and Thakinbasien have resigned and others may follow. In addition there is growing unrest among Aungsons followers. Haw-Maw, former Japanese Puppet Premier has announced that he will attempt to form new government and force Aungson out of Communist activities growing, particularly in rural areas. On 15 Feb 18 Communists were killed and more wounded in clash with police and troops at Lwe, in Irrawaddy Delta area.

B. Malaya quiet except for strikes of Municipal employees and traction Lines. Train schedules cut as result of additional strike. Chinese and British both protesting Dutch seizure of vessels carrying alleged stolen property cargoes from Nel. One American ship scheduled to load same type cargo consisting of rubber and sugar allegedly grown on European owned estates but being sold by Indonesians, is awaiting developments at Uberibon after discharging textiles. General Ritchie arrived assumed command Ground Forces Vice General Stopford. Little progress Federation plans with Chinese pressure groups continuing to raise objections while majority Malaysians willing to accept.

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FROM: WAR (FROM USMILLIAS SINGAPORE) NR: WAR SVC 8881 DFD
19 FEB 47 CONT'D

C. The Dutch have insisted that the draft agreement as previously initiated by both parties must now include two new points: The interpretation of the draft agreement as made by Dutch Premier Jonkman must be included in the new agreement and a cease fire order must be issued by the Indonesians before the Dutch will sign. Indonesians have already issued cease fire order but it is impossible yet to evaluate its effect since the last similar order was disregarded. Indonesians refuse to include Jonkmans interpretation in the formal agreement. A meeting of the Indonesian Parliament on 25 Feb may clarify their position.

D. Hoey leaves Singapore 16th returns 24th on trip to Kullalumpur in connection with gratuities to natives who aided US Forces during war. Hoey will be in telephone communication.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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NOTE: This message delayed due to service.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8880 (DTG 021817 Z) (STATE SERIAL 51 FEB 18, 11 AM)

In connection with WX 91320 Dept believes early action on repatriation armed Jap forces reported by Riggs to be in Manchuria is advisable and that these forces should be repatriated through Chinese-controlled port since;

1. Area where Japs located not under Soviet control and Dec. Tokyo repatriation agreement provided for return Japs only from Soviet and Soviet-controlled territory;
2. Long delay might result in effort to obtain Soviet agreement to cooperate in repatriation these Japs. SCAP recommendations requested.

Requesting please inform Dept info Tokyo on;

1. Evidence which can be furnished Chinese Govt of presence these Jap forces;
2. Logistic feasibility these Japs moving overland into National Govt territory;
3. Practicability of ordering such move;
4. Nature and extent American assistance or participation which might be practicable in connection with repatriation.

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ROUTINE

WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT) MSG NBR WAR SVC 8880 DTD 19 FEB 47
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ACTION: G-3

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, DIPLOMATIC
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NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for
redispatch to ARMY ADVISORY GROUP NANKING for action.
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40, February 18, 1947.

For Ambassador Acheson.



Headptel SC, February 15. Discussion with Johnson indicates foreseeable purely consular work, principally passports, repatriation and notarial. Okinawa will not exceed five working days a month for one officer and can satisfactorily be handled by periodic detail from Tokyo or Yokohama. However, as mentioned Tokyo's 515, November 16 and 534, November 29, 1946, to handle this work as well as that of Kobe pending establishment full-scale office that city, Yokohama will require junior officer in addition to Pfeiffer.

Following radio has now been received from CG PHILRYCOM: "Due to unsuccessful attempt to secure Political Adviser for duty Ryukyus, Military Government that location is in urgent need of person with such qualifications. Request that a Political Adviser from your Headquarters be assigned Ryukyus on TBI for thirty days qualified assist not only on strictly political affairs, but able to advise on State Department policies and also assist in setting up of mechanical operation of electoral machines. If available request information when advisor will report."

Based on foregoing and discussions with Overton who has just returned from Okinawa, it is our opinion that needs for political adviser are genuine and it is desirable that qualified person be detailed soonest. However, primary need for temporary period is for senior officer thoroughly familiar with United States political and economic policies as well as implementation such policies in Japan in order to furnish guidance these matters to local command. It is therefore not thought necessary nor desirable that officer for consular functions should be same person as officer for political advisory functions. The latter might best be temporarily detailed from Tokyo. Request guidance.

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Not REPMAT not thought necessary or desirable establish foreign service office on Okinawa at this time in view of possibility other governments requesting permission to establish similar offices.

OFFICIAL:

JOHN B. GOOLEY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

for *WV3*
MAX W. BISHOP
Acting Chief
Diplomatic Section

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- M/R: 1. State Serial 80, is WAR SVG 8845, 13 Feb 47, from Ambassador Acheson requesting information concerning needs for Foreign Service Office at Okinawa.
2. Information concerning work-load for limited consular functions as well as actual needs for political adviser on Okinawa obtained from Mr. Overton (DS-Yokohama Branch) who has just returned from Okinawa after having served a period of TDY.
3. Quoted radio from CG PHILRYCOM is S-44836 GSACP, 16 Feb 47. It is felt desirable to repeat this radio to Ambassador Acheson in order to give him a clear picture of needs in Ryukyus and to request guidance concerning who should be detailed from Tokyo.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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ROUTINE

18 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (WDGID)

TO : CINCFE

NR : WAR SVC 8868 (RELAYS MSG DTG 170500 Z FROM MILATTACHE
MELBOURNE)(C 1247 WEEKA)

Minister for immigration Mr Calwell announced 14 Feb that plans for free passage of British migrants to Australia to begin on 31 March were being made with British Government. Administrative capitol New Britain changed from Rabaul to Kokopo, 20 miles from Rabaul. Executive branch of Australian council of trade unions voted against policy ratification of Brentonwoods. Waterside workers strike end pending settlement of claim in arbitration court. Coal and shipping shortage over past 12 months plus strike of maintenance engineers in sugar refineries in support of metal workers strike causes closing of all sugar refineries. Picao conference to end this week.

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



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OUTGOING MESSAGE

17 February 1947

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FROM: SCAP

TO: WARCOS (PASS TO SEC STATE).....PRIORITY

PAREN **2 - 35402** PAREN CATCH STATISTICS OF BLUE WHALE UNITS CAUGHT
PER FACTORY SHIP BY JAPANESE ANTARCTIC WHALING EXPEDITION FOR THE PERIOD
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APPROVED:

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Colonel AGD
Adjutant General

Hubert G. Schenck
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Lt Col CE
Chief, Natural Resources Section

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NOTE FOR RECORD:

1. Pursuant to Radio from WAR (WBSA ES) to CINCPAC NR 389765, dtg
152054Z January 1947, the above whaling statistics are transmitted to
State Department for information.

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2. The Japanese Bureau of Fisheries are transmitting statistics to Sandefjord, Norway via Japanese radio in compliance with Article 4 (3) Protocol signed at London 18 Nov 43.

5. This report covers the period 2 Feb to 8 Feb 47 inclusive.

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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ROUTINE

16 Feb 47

FROM : WAR
TO : CINCPAC
NR : WAR SVC 8858 (RELAYS USMA BANGKOK NR 209 TOO 150530 Z)

Senior statesman Army leader of 32 Coup Phya Phahon died 14 Feb. Party leaders summoned for conference to decide new cabinet 20 Feb coinciding return Pridi. Premier insists no change of government possible. Our view change most probable. Kireck Kuangvarn most prominent public eye. Coalition Government rumors insistent.

3,000,000,000 BAHT import goods released during past 2 months from Godowns where impounded by govt. Import licences these goods large source highest level graft.

Distribution FLC 600,000 US Army uniforms begins with govt workers first priority.

Black market rice now selling cheaper better grade than govt controlled ration shops.

American R S Wintemute former War Shipping Adviser Director Singapore will be port adviser for govt which now takes over new warf largest in port.

Govt establishes Civil Air Board to assume control airlines now under RAF will not function until April due finance difficulty.

Gen Dejonquieres left Bangkok Friday for France via Saigon departure delayed possibly advise Zaridan on free LAO conversations.

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FROM : WAR NR : WAR SVC 8858 RELAYS MSG FROM USMA BANGKOK
16 FEB 47 CONTINUED

Air mission returns today from US and Britain.

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



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16 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (GEORGE ATCHESON)
TO : CINCFE (PERSONAL FOR MACARTHUR)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8846 (STATE SERIAL 49, FEB 15, 1 PM, DTG
151859 Z)

Paper on retention of plants reintroduced yesterday into FEC with American Delegation's modification of Soviet proposed reference to Allied Council, American Delegation's proposal as follows:

"Upon such consultation with the Allied Council as is required by Council's terms of reference". British Delegate stated his government preferred no reference to Council as this would raise in the commission with every paper the question whether that paper was a matter of substance but that his government would go along with the others. Soviet member stated he would refer modification to his government and report as soon as possible, probably by next meeting. If the Soviet Government concurs in modification it appears that paper will be passed

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
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TOO : 152150 Z
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16 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) (ATCHES ON)
TO : CINCFE (PERSONAL FOR MACARTHUR)
NR : WAR SVC 8810 (STATE SERIAL 48 FEB 13, 6 PM, DTG
140204 Z)

Understand that advanced transfer paper introduced today in FEC against background of US Government Decision to issue interim directive if Commission does not act favorably on paper in question within approximately 2 weeks.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
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16 Feb 47

FROM : WAR
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8839 (RELAYS MSG DTG 150725 Z FROM MILATTACHE
MANILA TO MILID AND CINCFE) (WEEKA 13)

Representative Estanislaw A Fernandez, Liberal of Laguna, proposed on 11 Feb congressional legislation favoring a grant of amnesty to Huks and leaders Luis Taruc. Officials generally deeply concerned over implications of interview see cable nbr 11 Feb 8. Press carried considerable discussion of Huk-MP conflicts. Press reports state that Malacanan not entertaining any idea of amnesty for dissident elements and that pacification campaign against Huks will continue as outlined by Roxas and Cabinet. Press reports lull in Huk activity. Malacanan issued 10 Feb order cancelling agricultural leases to Philippine citizens who served as dummies for Japanese corporations, amounting to 15,000 hectares in Davao.

Land thus recaptured by Phil Govt will be operated under National Abaca and other fibers corp which is to lease land to vets and guerrillas on 5 year terms subject to renewal. Land is mostly planted in abaca and coconuts. In message to Congress 11 Feb Roxas submitted budget totalling 269 million pesos for coming fiscal year, 105 million pesos less than authorized expenditures current year Department of National Defense received largest item of 77,882,304 pesos or 34.24% for 1948 as compared with 7,819,822 or 31.33% for 1947.

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FROM : WAR, NR : WAR SVC 8839 (RELAYS MSG DTG 150725 Z
MILATTACHE MANILA TO MILID AND CINCPAC) (WEEKA 13)

Quirino announced 12 Feb plans establishment Phil Legations London, Rome, Nanking, Paris, Sydney, Bangkok, charge D'Affaires in Madrid and consulates in Chicago, Shanghai and Hong Kong. Doubtful if more than few will be established. Madrid definitely out at this time. Quirino had not consulted Roxas on this announcement. Roxas signed Geneva Red Cross Convention and Prisoners of War Convention at elaborate ceremonies at Malacanan 14 Feb. Press reports 9 to 19 Filipino employees killed in explosion in US Army Ammunition Dump at Fauan, Batangas 13 and 14 Feb. Press reports that bill permitting Philippine Scouts to retain citizenship during service passed second reading in house 14 Feb. Bill was suggested and largely drafted by US Embassy Chief of Mission concurs.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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16 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : WAR SVC 8836 (RELAYS MSG (DTG 150107 Z) STATE SVC 95, Feb 14, 8 PM)

Following recd from London as 1029 Feb 14, 4 PM to Dept.

1. FONOPF today informed US Byung Chic Lim, Korean Right Wing adherent of Syngman Rhee, has just arrived London evidently with view to pleading Korea's case for early independence with Brit high officials and press. FONOPF states although it had info of Lim's desire to proceed London it had no authorized visa and his arrival comes as complete surprise.

2. FONOPF states Lim's presence here unwanted and embarrassing and that he will not be received by Brit high officials and will be accorded no official status.

3. FONOPF expects that when Lim perceives his pleas to HMG fruitless he will seek to put his case to Brit public thru medium of press.

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

NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for redispach to CG XXIV Corps (for Political Advisor).

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TOO: 151520 Z
MCN: YC 98/15

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16 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT) (GEORGE ATCHESON)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR BISHOP POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8845 (RELAYS MSG DTG 152011 Z) (STATE
SERIAL 50)

Please ask Johnson telegraph me soonest exact actual needs for Foreign Service Office at Okinawa and whether such needs can be met by periodic visit by officer assigned for regular duty at Tokyo or Yokohama.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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



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TOO: 152113 Z
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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)

NR : WAR SVC 8837 (RELAYS MSG DTG 142359/Z STATE SER
UNNUMBERED DTD 14 FEB NOON RELAYS MSG 283, 14 FEB
FROM NANKING)

China press review week ending Feb 8. Since this press review covers the week ending Feb 8, the current economic crisis during that period had only proceeded through the preliminary reaction to the government announcement of new import and export regulations which were immediately followed by violent fluctuations in gold and American dollar rates and by skyrocketing commodity prices. Government and party press reacted with wooden approval as was expected of it, though occasionally criticism or divergences of opinion would creep in, indicating that even in loyal KMT circles the new measures were not blindly accepted as the economic panacea which the government hoped they would be. The only paper which directly and violently attacked T V Soong was the Shanghai KMT Tung Nan Jih Pao, which stated that he was solely to blame for the state of affairs. Criticism from American business circles was played down or ignored in most papers. The military situation was given great importance, but there was little to indicate that developments in Shantung had reached decisive stage. Even the continued growling over the defection of General Ho Peng-Chu sounded more like whistling in the dark than a turning point. News dispatches suggested

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a slow and steady advance of government troops, but the expressed optimism sounded vaguely artificial and communist sources gave no indication of undue pessimism. Nowhere in the country was there any particular comment on hostilities as such, except insofar as scattered papers in provincial centers generally concluded that termination of American mediation would increase the extent of the civil war. All papers reported preparations for disbandment of executive Hqs; and the Peiping and Tientsin press, of course, gave this aspect greater prominence. The factor which loomed increasingly in editorial consciousness as a grave possibility was that continuation and extension of the civil war following on American withdrawal might result in international intervention. The customary cry that the evils of China are not the fault of China, but of someone else, was abandoned in favor of belligerent and repeated assertions that China alone can solve the Chinese problem and that intervention can only make the solution more difficult. Many KMT papers suddenly seemed to suggest that while American troops were in China, there was no danger of foreign intervention, but that with their withdrawal, this danger might arise. All comments on this subject from all shades of opinion were tinged with suspicion, a sense of guilt, and a latent xenophobia. The moment the Shanghai left-wing Lien Ho Jih Pao picked up the story that American Marines might be used to guard the Peiping-Tientsin railway during evacuation of troops, it charged a violation of Chinese sovereignty and the undermining of its independence and prestige. During the week the Shanghai Tifo Nan Kij Pao,

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and Chung Yan Jih Pao all strongly attacked (the intrigue of international intervention in China's internal politics.) (Chung Yang Jih Pao followed this with an imperious demand that China must be allowed to decide her own destiny and there must be no interference in her internal politics.) Coincidentally, papers noted, somewhat apprehensively, what appeared to them to be increasing American public interest in its policy toward China, citing as evidence a proposal by Representative Mansfield, Senator Pepper's attack on Republican foreign policy, and Rosinger's report in foreign policy association bulletin all these items were featured in most papers and the Rosinger report was published in full by Wen Hui Pao as a special supplement. Kunming press devoted much of its foreign news space to France and continued its campaign to demonstrate French imperialism by linking Paracel Islands issue with failure to reach any satisfactory and equitable solution in Indo China. There were also numerous demands that China be more aggressive in the protection of Chinese immigrants in Indo China. Other stories reported construction of the Yunnan-Indo China highway would start this spring and that telegraphic communication between Kunming and Hanoi has been resumed. Japan received greater prominence than during the past few weeks. Most papers, particularly in Nanking did not fail to take due note of British and Soviet opposition to American proposals on Japanese mandated islands. Shanghai KMT Chung Yang Jih Pao proposed that the Japanese peace conference should be held in Nanking, that it should be agreed China would play the dominating role, and that when there was a divergence of views, China's opinion would govern. The Peiping Catholic

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Yi Shih Pao was critical of what it called American appeasement of Japan (America is quite capable of employing the trick of playing off 1 power against another.) Hsin Sheng Pao was typical of Formosan criticism of American policy, the paper charged that once a peace treaty has been signed with Japan, the support which is now being given by the US to Japanese industries will constitute a vital blow to China (if we make no provisions to safeguard ourselves, we will again become the object of Japanese economic aggression). Department please repeat Moscow and Tokyo.

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15 Feb 47

FROM : WAR

TO : CINCPAC

NR : WAR SVC 8814 (RELAYS RESTRICTED MSG FROM WELLINGTON
NZ DTD 13TH TO MILID CINCPAC) (509 WEEKA)

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Minister of Finance Nash returned New Zealand from Canberra, states South Seas Conferences successful, first work to be raising living standards of inhabitants of non self-governing parts of South Pacific, New Zealand to appoint 2 commissioners. Nash to leave Dominion end of month for London to attend trade conference in March. General wage increase for Dominion to be made open by government, regulation to be accepted enabling Court of Arbitration to deal with case to be prepared by Federation of Labor. Small businesses ordered to observe 5 day 40 hour week by Labor Dept, shoppers and owners incensed at government over edict. Incomplete press reports of State Dept Policy on Reciprocal Trade Agreements not favorably received by portion of Dominion Press, Hindenberg-Millikan statement not yet received but will be given wide press coverage on receipt. Controversy boils over announced J-Force recruitment, industry blames government for asking for 4000 men, claim shortage of consumer goods result of shortage labor. Prime Minister states New Zealand's participation in occupation of Japan being examined in all implications. New Zealand Army sources states 125 recruits signed to J-Force as of 13 Feb.

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

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15 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : CIR 407 FOURTEENTH

TRUD Feb 13 carries article by a Sibiriyakov on "Situation in Japan" acclaiming movement for retirement of Yoshida cabinet is spreading not only in trade unions, but also among intelligentsia and peasants. Article claims Government's unwillingness to democratize country caused October strikes, that in December committee was formed including representatives of all great trade unions to demand Government's overthrow, and has since organized mass meetings, that a general strike was announced for Feb 1 unless Government retired.

Quoting Asahi criticism of Socialist Party, article assails Right Socialists for forming coalition with conservative parties while Left Socialists insist on cooperation with Communists. At Socialist Party session in Sept, Right gained control of party and opposed general strike. By willingness to form Coalition Government, Right Socialists approved reactionary line of Yoshida Government which, according to Minpo editorial, hoped to place responsibility for economic crisis on Socialists. Yoshida would not agree to inclusion of Socialists in cabinet, and had succeeded in making Government more reactionary. MacArthur's order forbidding general strike was used by Japanese reaction to prevent any future strike and had resulted in campaign of terror against

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FROM: WAR (STATE DEPT) NR: CIR 407 FOURTEENTH 15 FEB
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trade union leaders, and in protest of Kanagawa workers
to MacArthur. Article concludes new cabinet will be unable
to cope with reconstruction of country. Smith.

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

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TOO: 150200 Z
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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : CIR 397 FOURTEENTH (RELAY FROM MOSCOW)

Red Star Feb 12 carries article "In Manichi Editorial Office", which claims that group of 20 journalists representing Foreign Democratic Press encounter difficulties in obtaining information and are reprimanded for sending to US information which does not suit US administration.

Article also states Japanese Rightist papers enjoy greater facilities than Leftist. While Asahi and Manichi are not prevented from supporting revival of Japanese Imperialism "Tone of these papers has slightly changed and they have been compelled to write good deal about democracy. Editorial offices have displayed interest in Soviet Union about which, however, they print nothing. Unseen hand does not permit anything to appear in their papers regarding growth and achievements of Soviet State." Smith.

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

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TO: 150000 Z
MCN: ZC 24/15

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15 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8830 (RELAYS MSG DTG 141520 FROM MILATTACHE NEW DELHI, WEEKA 7 TO WDGID AND CINCFE)

Chamber of Princes Negotiating Committee and Congress Party have practically come to agreement on issues between them. Chamber of Princes to meet March 1 for final action on entrance or representatives into constituent assembly. If Chamber of Princes decide to enter as appears probable the constituent assembly will represent 330,000,000 of Indias 390,000,000 and can truly be said to represent majority of Indians. Muslim league organs attacking semi-agreement between Princes and Congress bitterly showing that they fear they are losing ground in their fight with Congress. Strong British statement backing Congress-Princes might force league to cooperate. Pro-British Princes attitude would indicate that they believe British will decide against league.

Punjab situation improving some demonstrations but no British Troops used. Other provinces still not affected. Jinnahs supporting ex-Premier of Bengag Fazhulhuq in Provincial Moslim League SUMRAWABDY. This may indicate first real break up of league as SUMRAWABDY has large following in Bengal which is leagues strongest Province. Jinnah still trying line up Muslim League with middle east Muslims but to date has achieved little if any success. Public safety ordinances and legislative bills are meeting opposition in all Provincial Legislatures from Communists and the Muslim League indicating a common cause. However no Communist-League accord yet nor does it appear probable.

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FROM: WASHINGTON NR: WAR SVC 8830 (RELAYS MSG DIG 141520 FROM MILATTACHE NEW DELHI WEEKA 7 TO WDGD AND CINCPAC)

Economic negative. Nationalization of Indian Army being pushed as rapidly as possible. More and more Indians obtaining high staff positions to understudy even higher positions. Auchinlech has come out against cut in military appropriations but so far no actions by Legislative Assembly. It is significant that Congress Party Defense members estimate cut 200 per cent by Muslim League Finance member indicating that Congress claim that Muslim League interim government members are still trying to balk government functioning is probably true.

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

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ROUTINE

14 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8809 (TOO 140127 Z) (STATE SERIAL 47 FEB 13, 6 PM)

Urtel 555 Dec 26 property inventories.

All inventories received by Dept concerning property in Jap Empire and filed by Americans with Embassy and Consulates in Japan 1940-41 have been reviewed. Inventories mainly duplication of listing URGRAM A-104 Nov 7. Total of 4 inventories not indicated this listing being forwarded separate cover: Catherine F Geary, Singer Sewing Machine Co. Horace H and Ethel Underwood, August L Manley. Dept also reviewing all correspondence 1940 to date concerning property in Japan responsive Dept Cir March 20, 1942. Any inventories covering property not previously reported by Dept to POLAD will be duplicated and forwarded to Tokyo.

To obviate duplication property info Dept recommends no new press release until CPC has examined info filed response to above circular and now being forwarded by Dept.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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



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TOO: 140418 Z
MCN: SA 105/14

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WARCOS (PASS TO SECRETARY).....ROUTINE

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C-50122

28, February 14, 1947.

Following for Ambassador Atcheson:

"Thanks for yourtel WAR SVC 8770, February 12. I am replying to State Nos. 43 and 44 by my No. C 80086 today. Desire that you secure a copy. Did you receive my CX 89727 to WDSGA PL which was sent information to you? MacArthur".

OFFICIAL:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, ASD
Adjutant General

APPROVED:

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MAX W. BISHOP
Acting Chief
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13 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : WAR SVC 8792 (STATE SERIAL 24 FEB 12, 7 PM, TRUE TOO 130250 Z)

State Department considering submittal Joint Resolution to Congress authorizing appropriations to cover cost accomplishment US objectives South Korea including civilian pay, disease and unrest imports, aggressive education and economic rehabilitation program. Need urgently your best estimate money needed these purposes fiscal years 1948, 1949, 1950. Thinking here in terms of around 600 million total 3 years, most 1st year and least in 1950. Itemize if possible following: food for disease and unrest, food for increased output, fertilizer, raw materials by major type (cotton, rubber, chemicals, etc) petroleum and petroleum products, coal, repair parts (railroads, industrial plants, utilities) replacement and rehabilitation needs by industry, including railroads and utilities, civilian pay and transportation civilian supplies. New plant equipment in addition capital equipment to be received as reparations from Japan should be included, but adequate justification necessary. Where possible for food, coal, cotton, rubber, etc give metric tons and costs. Also need estimate annual value Korean export under such program. Need best data available Feb 21.

For purposes comparison present War Dept estimates fiscal year 1947 and 1948 requests follow:

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Food	20.4	41.0	61.4	46.2
Agricultural supplies and fertilizer	7.2	nil	7.2	17.5
Petroleum and petroleum products	5.7	2.3	8.0	4.7
Medical supplies and equipment	nil	nil	nil	4.0
Other supplies, services and equipment	nil	nil	nil	20.3
Supplies and equipment and medical and education supplies and equipment	13.0	10.0	23.0	
Pay of civilian employees	9.9	nil	9.9	11.8
Travel of civilian employees	nil	nil	nil	1.1
Transportation of civilian supplies	14.0	15.3	29.3	31.1
Incidental operating expenses	nil	nil	nil	.6
Total	70.2	68.6	138.8	137.3



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FROM: WAR (STATE DEPT), NR: WAR SVC 8792 (STATE SERIAL 24
FEB 12, 7 PM, TRUE TOO 130250 Z), 13 FEB CONT'D

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2,
G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT,
DIPLOMATIC SECT, JPO

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FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCPAC
NR : WAR SVC 8782 (RELAYS SECRET MESSAGE FROM NEW DELHI
INDIA FILED 120955, 15 WEEKS 6) (CHAMBERLIN FROM BENNETT)

Muslim League refusal join Constituent Assembly causing Congress demand that HMG dismiss league members from Interim Government. Viceroy has requested comment on such demand from London. If league members are dismissed league may retaliate by calling India-wide resistance movement of Muslims in industry and politics. This would be opening for Communists and other Left Wingers to step in and cause virtual all-India strike in industry.

Muslim Ministry would no doubt refuse to cooperate with any further directives and Congress would be forced to use dictatorial powers to maintain any semblance of law and order and keep country running.

Meeting of negotiation and Constituent Assembly Committees of Chamber of Princes in session now appears very probable that Congress and Princes will get together. Meetings amicable and disagreement on paramountcy and dynastic rights are being ironed out. Some details still to be decided but Princes appear determined to join Constituent Assembly and they are optimistic about forcing hand of Muslim League by such junction. This would leave Muslim League no UDMWJG except that hope FCR from HMG.

Rumored that HMG may try to get Congress and Muslim League to agree to further meetings on basis Cabinet Mission

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FROM : WASHINGTON NR : WAR SVC 8782 13 FEB 47 CONT'D

meetings of last year and start out afresh but in view of Princes attitude not believed likely. Legislative Assembly gave strong support to Nehru's Frontier Policy of Fines and Hostages from tribe who recently created communal trouble in Hazara. This action will undoubtedly act as another barb inside of league. Action encouraging from viewpoint that it indicates congress is strong willed and will resort to force to maintain government.

Punjab situation reported under control. Demonstrations continue but Ministry refuses to allow league to make issue of situation and is making but few arrests.

Other provinces remain calm but may be awaiting instructions from League High Command. Calcutta general strike has still not materialized.

Following is from secret source. Please restrict discussion. Viceroy, Political Department and Governor of Punjab had planned making Punjab raid on league and recent raids on Communists for several months. Necessity to transfer police and troops from Punjab to Hazara, Biha and Noakali and consequent lessening of force available within the Punjab and Bombay Provinces delayed raid. Resolution in assembly seeking to check and prevent further alien hold on Indian industry was withdrawn at request by Nehru as it was aimed at influencing Sterling balance discussion now going on between India and HMG and Nehru wishes this discussion to progress amicably as he believes that India will be able to obtain favorable position from discussions.

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FROM : WASHINGTON NR : WAR SVC 8782 13 FEB 47 CONT'D

No definite action on defense budget yet. Auchinleck reported to have told Nehru that he will not stand for low defense budget proposed by Finance Department and if it is forced through withdrawal of British troops will cease. Nehru reaction not known. Budget as proposed would provide Indian Army with 78 Inf battalions, 40 FA battalions and 20 armoured battalions which would give them an Army of 1 airborne, 1 armored and 2 Inf divisions for operational purposes: AF would be correspondingly reduced and Navy would be practically nonexistent or altogether a force inadequate to deal with interim commitments.

Committee leaving for United Kingdom to study setup of British version of our ROTC. Committee not impressed with facts already at hand regarding this setup and believed they desire fashion their reserve cadet corps along US lines. Very possible committee upon return from UK will request permission for funds to visit US.

NO SIG

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

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TOO: 121659/Z
MCN: SA 193/12

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ROUTINE

13 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS) (FOR POLAD)
NR : WAR SVC 8778 (DTG 120240 Z) (STATE SERIAL 20, FEB 11, 7 PM)

Inform Bunce following tel sent USDEL UN Jan 31
"Reurtel 9, Jan 4, on needs South Korea for long term and short term financing urgent reconstruction requirements for UN Devastated Areas Subcommittee, please transmit following informally to SYG of UN. Data covers calendar year 1947 only. Population South Korea 20,000,000.

3. Merchandise import requirements.

(A) Food. Based on requirements 1800 calories average total intake per day for normal consumer, food requirements: 850,000 N.T. at cost \$77,500,000.

(B) Other consumption goods, including consumer supplies and equipment, medical supplies, clothing: \$15,000,000.

(C) Agricultural machinery: \$2,000,000.

(D) Other agricultural supplies: \$8,000,000.

(E) Solid and liquid fuel: \$9,000,000.

(F) Industrial raw material: \$5,000,000.

(G) Capital equipment: \$10,000,000, total \$126,500,000.

4. Foreign exchange required for purposes other than para 3: Transportation and miscellaneous: \$54,500,000.

5. Foreign exchange proceeds merchandise exports: \$8,000,000 primarily fish product, special minerals and

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT) NR : WAR SVC 8778 (DTG
120240 Z) (STATE SERIAL 20, FEB 11, 7 PM) 13 FEB 47 CONT'D

handicraft wares.

6. Receipts foreign exchange from other current sources: Relief \$500,000.
7. Receipts commodities under barter trade agreements: Small amounts salt, glass and cement received from China.
8. Current gold and foreign exchange holdings and net change expected in 1947: Data being requested from theater. Believed gold and foreign exchange holdings could not exceed \$500,000 in view Japanese domination.
9. \$25,000,000 credit extended by OFLC, Dept State, to US Army Mil Govt in Korea for purchases Army surpluses located abroad. \$17,000,000 surplus items have already been earmarked for Korea from this credit. Remaining \$8,000,000 unusable because no surpluses remain Pacific area value Korea.
10. No loan applications filed and expected filed end 1947
11. No resources becoming available 1947 from liquidating existing foreign investments.
12. No data on value and major types reparations deliveries. US may propose transfer to Korea small portion industrial facilities available under its reparations claim from Japan.

Replying SYG UN primarily formality. Unlikely funds for short or long term financing available as result recommendations UN Devastated Areas Subcommittee. Working group for Asia and Far East Subcommittee on economic reconstruction devastated areas meets Feb 14. Will advise progress."

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG,
GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT, CIV
PROP CUST, JSPOG, EX REP

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MCN : YC 71/12

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ROUTINE

13 Feb 47



FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : WAR SVC 8791 (TRUE TOO 130240 Z), (STATE SERIAL 22 FEB 12, 7PM)

Central News Agency Feb 5 Nanking Broadcast in Chinese reports Chinese CG Liu Yu-Wan stated Feb 3 prior departure Tokyo for Seoul that "China's fundamental policy toward Korea is to support the Korean demand for independence". Dept desires any available info on background of statement and accuracy quotation.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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TOO: 130847 Z

MCN: YC 39/13

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13 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)
NR : WAR SVC 8793 (TRUE TOO 130250 Z) (STATE SERIAL 23 Feb
12, 7 PM)

EMB Nanking has approved and Department concurs suggestions contained urtel 12 Jan 20 including Synn's assignment to CG Shanghai to which he will be responsible and thru which he should conduct all except routine business. As Emb indicates it has not seen instructions issued Synn, suggest copy be provided Nanking for comment prior to final issuance.

MARSHALL

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

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NOTE: Ref #12 dtd 20 Jan is ZPOL #93 (XXIV CORPS).



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MCN: YB 81/11

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FROM

LONDON

DATED February 12, 1947

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Secretary of State
Washington

A-298, February 12, 1947

1. Reference Embassy's despatches nos. 2318, October 30, 1946, and 3162, January 6, 1947, and airgrams A-168, January 28, 1947, and A-186, January 30, 1947, on general subject of foreign trade with Japan.

2. Following question and answer on trade with Japan occurred in House of Commons on February 11, 1947:

Mr. Rees-Williams (Labor M.P. for Croydon, South) asked the President of the Board of Trade whether, in view of the fact that in 1946 the U.S.A. supplied almost all Japan's imports and bought 67 per cent of her exports and in order to prevent Japan from recapturing her position in Far Eastern markets, particularly in textiles, and obtaining world monopoly in the supply of silk, he will instruct our representative on the Allied Council for Japan to press for a policy which will avoid this danger to British commerce.

Mr. Marquand (Secretary for Overseas Trade, Board of Trade): "In response to the invitation of the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers in Japan, His Majesty's Government have indicated the commodities they would be interested to purchase or supply in order to assist him to complete the 1947 import/export programme which he is at present preparing. This programme will then be submitted to the Inter-Allied Trade Board in Washington where the views of His Majesty's Government will be made known through their representative. On the general question of Japanese exports, I would prefer my hon. Friend to the statement made by my right hon. and learned Friend in the House at the end of Questions on 28th October."

3. Attention is invited to the fact that the foregoing inquiry and previous similar questions in House of Commons, together with occasional articles in the press, all reflect a certain amount of underlying discontent--by no means general, however--with respect to the status of British trade with Japan.

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INFO : AMEMBASSY NANKING.....ROUTINE

32, February 12, 1947.

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Redeptel to Nanking regarding files in archives former Japanese

Consulates in China, Jap Govt urgently needs these for administrative purposes and requests their return through SCAF to Japan. Request Embassy Nanking approach Chinese Government to obtain concurrence for return of Japanese Consular Court Documents and, if you deem it appropriate and feasible, other Japanese consular documents.

Repeated to Nanking as No. 5.

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APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY,
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General

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ROUTINE

12 Feb 47

FROM : WAR
TO : CINCPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR)
NR : WAR SVC 8774 (STATE SERIAL 44 FEB 11,,7 PM)

Obligations to consult Allied Council. Soviet Representative has proposed, as sine qua non for approval, insertion in assured production capacity levels policy paper of clause "Upon consultation with the Allied Council." Soviet Representative stated proposal has no hidden motive but arises from desire to call attention to existing obligation of SCAP under terms of reference of council to consult with council on matters of substance. Proposal he said does not contemplate going beyond existing terms of reference. Some members questioned authority of FEC to require such consultation. US Representative reserved position pending consultation with his Govt.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

ADDED DIST: ECON & SCI SECT, GOVT SECT (13 Feb 47)

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12 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (FROM STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLAD) (INFORM WHITMAN)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8775 PASSES MSG (TOO 120027/Z) STATE
SERIAL 45 FEB 11, 7 PM

Suggest you discuss with SCAP officials application capital levy Koreans in Japan. Assumption here is under 100,000 yen exemption few Koreans involved. If deemed practicable suggest consideration be given applying only Koreans intending remain in Japan. If Koreans intend return Korea are exempt, involves consideration exemption Formosans, also use Koreans by Japs for cloak-ing purposes.

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R E V I S E D (15 Feb 47)

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT

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TOO: 120333/Z
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12 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8773 (DTG 112051/Z) (STATE SERIAL 33 FEB 11,
3 PM)

In view of efforts of alien to immigrate and lukewarm attitude Italian Embassy here there seems reason to doubt that Comito will depart from US. (Urtel 195, Dec 28. Comito). Appears preferable he return Italy other route than via US.

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REVISED (13 Feb 47) ✓

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



NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for redispach to CG 8TH ARMY (US POLAD YOKOHAMA) for action. (13 Feb 47)

NOTE: 195 (YOKOHAMA'S) is not of record in this Hq/

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TOO : 120226/Z
MCN : SA 84/12

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12 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (GEORGE ATCHESON)
TO : SCAP (PERSONAL FOR MACARTHUR)
NR : WAR SVC 8770 (RELAYS DTG 112158/Z FROM STATE DEPT
STATE SERIAL NO 43, FEB 11, 5 PM)

1. Yesterday American Delegation FEC invited me to sit with them preparatory to full FEC meeting Feb 13. Principal topic was paper on retention Jap industrial plants. Delegation fully realizes importance of getting this paper through FEC soonest and has been making strenuous efforts to do so. Matter has now come to point where Soviet member is agreeable providing authorization to you to undertake retention of plants contains some reference to consultation with Allied Council. Specific Soviet proposal is to use words "After consultation with Allied Council." One alternate American suggestion was "After such consultation as may be called for under the council's terms of reference." My views were requested and I pointed out strong objections to any reference to consultation with council on various grounds as such reference would open way for Derevyanko to demand some system of plant inspection with his staff participating and also as non-compliance with recommendation of council would expose SCAP to public Soviet and possibly other criticism as well as providing Soviet Press with further anti-American propaganda material.

However, in the light of importance of achieving early FEC approval of the paper, American Delegation still feels it will have to make some language concession to Soviet along the lines of that suggested. While this will undoubtedly bring about difficulties envisaged there will be no impairment of

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FROM : WASHINGTON NR : WAR SVC 8770 12 FEB 47 CONT'D

your authority and it might be possible to handle matter with a minimum of trouble by asking council members by letter for their recommendations and at the same time exercising your full authority by going forward with the program.

2. Other subject was publication of constitutional review decision. My views and delegation's were as widely divergent as before and discussion was inconclusive.

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



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MCN: SA 19/12

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY 12 Feb 47

FROM : WAR

TO : CINCPAC (DIRECTOR OF INTL)

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NR : WAR SVC 8757 (RELAYS MSG FROM USMLO SINGAPORE) (WEEKA 5)

Burma. The return of the delegates from the London Conference has failed to have a settling effect on Burma. Since 2 members of the 6 man body of Burmese delegates failed to agree on the proposals reached at the meeting, their followers are continuing to criticize Aung San's action. The 2 dissenting delegates Aung Mye Thazan, leader of the Myochie party and Thakinmya of the Burma for the Burmese party. Since the communists who were not represented at the conference had announced that they would disregard any agreement reached, there is now widespread dissatisfaction reportedly even among Aung San's followers. The agreement reached conformed with the 1935 white paper excepting that in place of a legislature, a constitution forming assembly is to be elected in the first central elections to be held in April. Aung San is so far unable to stop a strike called by his followers in his absence. Unconfirmed reports state that Nehru informed Aung San that all Indian troops must be returned from Burma by April. The possibility of a general strike continues.

Malaya. Strikes involving 20,000 workers continue, mainly employees of the Municipality of Singapore. The government claims all strikes are illegal since unions have failed to properly register as required by law. No doubt that strikers who are mainly Chinese coolies are really same Chinese communist labor organizations who are attempting use strike as lever to obtain more favorable citizenship terms in new Malayan Federation proposals. Harbor coolies refused to load French ship taking non military goods

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FROM : WAR NR : WAR SVC 8757 (RELAYS MSG FROM USMLO SINGAPORE)
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to Indo China as expression of Chinese sympathy for Viet Nameese. Also refused handle cargoes of Dutch vessels due protest at Dutch stoppage Chinese traders from exporting goods from Indonesia which Dutch claim is looted from Dutch estates. Strike in only coal mine in Malaya has caused curtailing of railway movements. Much talk but no action by Chinese to form volunteer corps to go to Indo China and fight with Viet Nameese. Government declares individual free to go but will stop any attempt of organizational nature.

Nei. Resumption of talks between Dutch commission general and Indonesian Representative scheduled to begin within few days. Dutch will insist that talks cannot proceed until Indonesians issue and enforce a cease fire order. Although Dutch governor general optimistic, Dutch military feels talks may break down and that military forces will be necessary. Consul general Batavia well informed and will report developments to state and army as result of agreement made during my trip in last week all A 1.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG
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TOO : 111246/Z
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33, February 11, 1947.

Redeptel 605, December 13 last sentence and Yokohama's 192, December 23, 1946.

Suggested policy on travel of Japanese abroad is subject of SCAP radio C-69634, January 30, 1947, to War Department.

It is thought that upon approval this policy satisfactory replies to queries regarding visits of Japanese to United States will be possible. Please instruct if additional information desired.

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Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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BY MAX W. BISHOP
Acting Chief
Diplomatic Section



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- M/Rs-1. State Dept telegram 605, 13 Dec 46, is WSVG 7678, 15 Dec 46. State Dept stated that War and State are under increasing pressure from religious and educational organizations regarding visits by Japanese to U.S. Comments were requested.
- 2. Yokohama's 192, 23 Dec 46, explained why transit visas were granted to Japanese students enroute to Italy to study for priesthood. It was also stated that US Fed would reply to Dept's request for comment.
- 3. Radio C-69634, 30 Jan 47, sets forth suggested policy regarding travel of Japanese abroad.
- 4. Above radio invites State Dept's attention to suggested policy and complies with last sentence of Yokohama's 192.

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ROUTINE

11 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCFE
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 8755 (TOO 110011 Z) (STATE SERIAL 42 FEB 10, 6 PM)

Re investigation ICRC claim Japanese assets Switzerland, following inquiries suggested:

(1) Bonafide nature 10,000,000 Swiss francs donation and whether Empress in habit donating similar amounts for charitable purposes.

(2) From where did initiative for donation come; were YSB and/or Japanese War Cabinet consulted prior request? If so, their comments at time desired.

(3) Can lapse time between offer by Empress to ICRC (April, 45) and transfer (Aug 45) be explained by war exigencies, ie, disruption communication facilities?

(4) Did funds originate
(A) From private account Empress and/or Imperial household,
(B) Govt accounts,
(C) YSB accounts, perhaps as loans to Empress or govt?

(5) Were funds earmarked for special purpose in offer made to ICRC in any written agreement or understanding? If so, are details available? If such is case, were funds earmarked for particular Japanese individuals with possibility channeling funds via ICRC to ultimate Japanese recipient?

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FROM: WAR (STATE DEPT) NR: WAR XVC 8755 (TOO 110011 Z)
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ACTION: CIV PROP CUST

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, GEN HARRISON,
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ROUTINE

11 Feb 47

FROM : WAR
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8739 (RELAYS MSG DTG 100200 Z FROM MIL ATTACHE BANGKOK NER 207)

Revision WEEKA 206 of 8 Feb. B-2 Direk-Kri Combine planned political change of regime separate from New Nationalist Party also separate from Royalist-Army planning which not quite clarified except its existence and possibility imminence. Royalist-Army coup is against form of government.

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

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TOO: 102023/Z
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ROUTINE

11 Feb 47

FROM : WAR
TO : CINCPAC
NR : WAR SVC 8738 (RELAYS MSG DTG 100515 Z FROM
MILATTACHE MELBOURNE AUSTRALIA NR C 1147 WEEKS)

South Pacific Island Commission established 6 Feb. Australia responsible 30% expenses. Agreement provides for close cooperation with UNTO, representation local inhabitants at future Advisory Conference and permanent Hq located within dependent areas with interim Hqs at Sydney. James McGirr Minister for Housing elected Labor Premier of New South Wales on 5 Feb in succession to McKell. Defeated Mr Heffron who was supported by ALP executive.

Industrial unrest continues in intensity with Australian Waterside Workers refuse night work until demands for paid holidays met and all Australian Labor Unions threatening one day demonstration strike on May 1 to enforce demands for 40 hours week. South Seas Regional Air Conference opened 4 Feb. Delegates agree to establish Standard Air Traffic Control Procedure.

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DIPLOMATIC SECT

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11 Feb 47



FROM : WAR

TO : CINCFE

NR : WAR SVC 8737 (RELAYS SECRET MSG DTG 100137 FROM MIL ATTACHE MANILA) (WEEKLY CONFIDENTIAL MSG NBR 11)

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Today National Convention Liberal Party ending Feb 1 voted tentative fusion with Democratic Party, Popular Front, Popular Front Labor Party and other allied elements. Seven former oppositionist members of Congress officially joined Liberal Party. One current member resigned from party which pledged all out support to party proposal and Roxas administration. Avelino new executive head of party. Convention action definitely established consolidated party for Roxas Faction.

Press reported Huk MP skirmished in Bulacac and Nueva Ecija during week ending 9 Feb. About 50 Huks being killed 5 Feb east of Santa Rosa, Nueva Ecija. In exclusive interview widely publicized in local newspapers on 7 Feb, Luis Teruc, Huk Supreme Commander, informed an AP Correspondent that Huks will continue resistance but would welcome Democratic peace. Alleged terms are enforcement of Bill of Rights, dismissal of charges against Huks growing out of events of past 5 months, replacement of Fascist minded officials in municipal and provincial governments and MP Command in provinces affected by Agrarian unrest, restoration of all Democratic Alliance Congressmen to their seats and implementation of Roxas Land Reform Program beginning with a foolproof 70-30 crop distribution law leading toward eventual abolition of tenancy. According to press proposed budget for ensuing year is pesos 248,600,000 with an estimated income of

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FROM : WAR NR : WAR SVC 8737 11 Feb 47 CONT'D

pesos 110,000,000. Proposed budget will carry deficit of about 124,800,000 which Phil Govt expects to be covered by loan from US. Estimated income believed low, should approach 150,000,000 if tax collection system is improved.

Confederation of Legions of Phil Vets in 2nd Annual Convention approved by acclamation following resolutions:

1. Request Pres to deny amnesty to political collaborators.
2. Demand removal from Peoples Court of Judge Lopes who sponsored the idea suspended sovereignty.
3. Demand removal of corrupt officials.
4. Request PHILRYCOM to expedite action on guerrilla recognition.

5. Request Pres to ask US to turn over to guerrilla occupants Japanese lands held by US Alien Property Custodian.

Breaking before convention McNutt promised he would do everything to see that Filipino Vets get square deal. Press reaction favorable except Left Wing papers. Ambassador McNutt received a special Distinguished Service Medal awarded by council vets. Roxas awarded same type medal following day. Vets have strengthened their organization and may become powerful political influence. Roxas approved opening Phil Mil Academy in June at Cp Allen in Baguio. Lt Col Ramon Enriquez is assigned as Supt and Maj Antonio Chanco as Comdt.

Negotiations settlement water front labor dispute involving 4,800 employees began 5 Feb between Luzon stevedoring officials and Stevedores Union. Union can spend 8,000 pesos daily for 6 mos strike. Discussion indicates 70% wage increase demand will be given.

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FROM : WAR NR : WAR SVC 8737 11 Feb 47 CONT'D

Agreement reached all points base agreement except article 22. Discussions continue. French Minister Willoquet presented credentials 7 Feb. Roxas visited Santa Maria Bulacan 6 Feb speaking in Tagalog on Parity, Peace and Order. Enthusiastically received. Will visit Bicol 3 days beginning Feb 16. No hostile demonstrations on his first visit as President to one of the Huk strongholds. Chief of Mission concurs.

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

11 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) (SURREY)
TO : CINCPAC (POLAD) (SILVER)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8751 (DTG 101911 Z) (STATE SERIAL 41, FEB 10,
1 PM)

Final limits of categories of Ger enemy external assets under Art 6 A of Paris Reparation Agreement not yet determined at IARA. Discussions proceeding in committee of experts on Enemy Property Custodianship of agency. First and second reports of committee on this subject being forwarded by pouch. (Re ur unnumbered tel Jan 22.)

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, GEN HARRISON, AG, ECON & SCI SECT, CIV PROP CUST, EX REP



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TOO: 110409 Z

MCN: SA 71/11

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ROUTINE

10 Feb 47



FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8728 (RELAYS MSG DTG 091515/Z STATE SER UNNUMBERED
DATED FEB 9, 10 AM RELAYS MESSAGE 228, FEB 8, 3 PM FROM
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"For the first time in months, news of hostilities completely pre-empted news and editorial interest for the major portion of the week ending Feb 1. Political developments became secondary to what the press considered as the drawing of the lines for an important, if not decisive, showdown by force in Shantung and RELATED strategic areas north of the Yangtze. Even the American announcement on the Executive Hqs and the committee of three (treated separately in other telegrams) only momentarily became a topic of primary news interest. The importance attached by the press to growing hostilities was indicated not only by the space given to this (in the case of most important papers seldom less than a quarter of each entire paper) but also by daily maps and TYEPTAY given to Gen Chen Cheng's trip to Hsueh and the GMD's inspection tour the same area.

The announced defection of Gen Ho Peng-Chu to the Govt with an alleged 50,000 troops was played up, particularly in the Govt press (it should be remembered that Ho has at previous times worked for the Govt, Wang Ching-Wei, the Japanese and the Communists). The Nanking KMT Chung Yank Jih Pao said his turning would have great bearing on the political situation and marked 'The political failure of the Communists, because Communist-led troops are not willing to be the cat's paw of

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FROM : WASHINGTON NR : WAR SVC 8728 10 FEB 47 CONT'D

Chauvinist elements within the Communist Party'. (This seems to be an all time low in propaganda for the KMT). The Shanghai Army Ho Ping Jih Pao called the surrender 'prelude to collapse of Communist forces'. Hankow Wuhan Shih Pao launched bitter attack on Govt conscription policy describing revival of corrupt war time practices and reciting lurid examples of self-mutilation to avoid military service. Governor of Hupeh was reported to be aroused over conditions in his province resulting from National Govt activities.

Final exchange between KMT and Communists of announcement on peace negotiations was taken by the press as closing all possibility for negotiations at the present time. There was nothing additional for the Communists to say since their attitude had long since been made abundantly clear. The KMT Chung Yang Jih Pao seemed to add the final word for the Govt in labeling the most recent Communist statement (Emb tel 11, Jan 19) as 'vicious propaganda', 'full of abuse' and an 'exposure of Communists wickedness'. This coincided with the Govt announcement that having failed to secure Chinese Communist cooperation they would pursue the only course open, namely 'political democratization'. News and speculation on Govt reorganization became progressively feebler with most papers inclined to believe that is was not imminent, mostly because of unreasonable demands by the Social Democrats and the hesitating, if unexplained, attitude of the Youth party on its own participation. The other two aspects of the political situation which drew attention were Lord Lindsay's speech in the House of Lords and rumors of a new American Ambassador.

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FROM : WASHINGTON NR : WAR SVC 8728 10 FEB 47 CONT'D

There was a paucity of economic news except in Hankow and Formosa Press. Former continued its plaintive appeals for help and acid condemnation of Govt inactivity. Hankow C-C Clique Ta Kang Pao reported a record collection in Hupeh of the land tax in kind. Much was also made of scandal concerning distribution to Hankow news men of flour intended for distribution to famine victims in return for which they praised activities of relief directors. All Taihoku newspapers attributed recent steep rise of rice price to smuggling and hoarding and unanimously urged the Govt to check speculative practices.

Paracel Islands issue continued to draw fire with repetitive demands in all important papers that France recognize Chinese sovereignty over the islands. Kunming papers coupled this issue with Indo-Chinese crisis as additional evidence French motives are purely imperialistic.

Japanese Cabinet crisis was commented on by Shanghai Ta Kung Pao and Chung Yang Jih Pao, both pointing out that Japanese people are opposed to conservative Yoshida Cabinet. Ta Kung Pao advised MacArthur 'to admit his mistake at an early date and revise his policy of controlling Japan'. Several Kunming papers charged Yoshida Cabinet with being an American manufactured 'democracy in disguise' and went on to criticize American economic policy in Japan as dangerous for the future of China. Tientsin KMT Chung Hua Jih Pao commented on the SCAP statement about the Shibuya incident---'we cannot believe the picture presented by MacArthur's statement is true according to common judgment and observation on his one year control over Japan'. Tientsin Jen Min Tao Pao claimed that responsibility should rest with the Japanese and that American tolerance of Japan's

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FROM : WASHINGTON NR : WAR SVC 8728 10 FEB 47 CONT'D

police corruption was an indirect cause of the incident.
Principal foreign news items were Palestine, Indo-Chinese hostilities, Anglo-Burmese agreement, Polish elections, London meeting of Deputies for the Foreign Ministers."

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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10 Feb 47

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FROM : WAR
TO : CINCPAC
REF : WAR SVC 8725 (RELAYS MSG DTG 080600 Z SKPOMRNL
ATTACHE BANGKOK TO MILID AND CINCPAC NBR 206
WEEK 8 FEB)

A 1. Sudden resignation of Direck 4 Feb creates political furor with prefect assuming For Min portfolio and announcing no change in cabinet no special session of Parliament. Kri Minister Communications as Burma Railroad inspection train crashes bridge.

B 3. That Direck and Kri were back of new party, that Kri feared trouble on rail trip cancelled invitation to US observer for same. Last moment changed trip from South to Burma but the wrong Govt jumped ahead sabotaged bridge. Govt had been planning arrest Kri for 2 weeks. Royalist Military coup planned before change of moon Col Tuan Deputy Minister Defense involved. Invited with several Americans Sunday boat trip learned Friday this trip for consolidation confidential plans between leaders. Believe our presence for security against foul play.

A 1. Position Chinese in political turmoil key factor Royalist Military accuse present regime of being Chinese tool.

A 2. Chinese drilling daily in closed compounds also avidly collecting automatic weapons. Tendency strongly noted Chinese political factions preferred until under ambassador event local trouble.

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FROM : WAR NR: WAR SVC 8725 10 FEB 47 CONTINUED

A 1. Tin sales remain low imports improve under new foreign exchange regulations. Recent labor management difficulties bring editorial realization need for labor legislation.

A 1. Political unrest evident again among officers both Bangkok and out stations. Phibun Men more open in opinions than formerly. Pro Phibun spirit very evident Kosat.

A 2. Two Adul reported against Phibun but contacts in coup movement have nil love for Adul believe possible kill Adul to make way for Phibun. Phibun and army rabid in fear of local Chinese.

A 1. Group Capt Colin C McMullen appointed British Air Attache Lt Col Cowper acting British Military Attache moved suddenly Rangoon no successor chosen. Refer New York Times 18 Jan Trumbul Vietnam story page 1 we agree but figures too high.

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

NOTE: Corrected copy received in AG R/C office 131130/Z.

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TOO: 091550/Z

MCN: YB 5/10

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ROUTINE

8 Feb 47

FROM : WSD
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD) (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS POLAD FOR BUNCE)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE SER 40 7TH

Tientsin's 18. Feb 3rd repeated to dept. Suggest following answer. Interested agencies and US Mil Govt Korea developing controls proceeds private exports from Southern Korea. Pending completion no Allied Nationals permitted enter Southern Korea for private trade purposes.

MARSHALL

ACTION: G-1

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

NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for redispach to CG XXIV CORPS (POLAD) (FOR BUNCE) for Info.

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TOO : 080350 Z
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ROUTINE

8 Feb 47

FROM : WSD
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE CIR 38 7TH

Clerk Leola A Campbell \$2,880 Moscow transferred
Tokyo proceed via Dept for consultation. Position nbr TK-17.
Expenses authorized subject regulations chargeable to FY 1947 to
7-6310 Jan 28.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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TOO: 080330/Z
MCN: YD 67/08

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

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29, February 7, 1947.

Following telegram has been sent to Ambassador, Nanking:

"2, February 6, 1947.

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Reference Nanking unnumbered telegram January 31, 7 p.m.
(WAR SVC 8582 relayed from Department) regarding relief goods for
Japanese in Manchuria.

Phrase 'such expenses be recorded in temporary account' is not
understood. Request Department clarify Chinese statement in refer-
ence telegram that settlement this type of expense is presently being
discussed in FEC.

By memorandum January 14, 1947, Japanese Government advised of
its desire to reduce amount of relief goods sufficient for twenty
thousand persons instead of fifty thousand persons as originally
requested. Consignee of goods would be Toshio Hirashima in charge
Liaison Office for Japanese Residents, Mukden.

In view of relatively short remaining cold-weather period and
delay which has already taken place in obtaining Chinese approval,
it may become necessary shortly to reply to Japanese Government that
relief project must be abandoned in view of Chinese failure to approve
without charge transportation and protection from port of entry to
final destination."

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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Acting Chief
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IN THE CLEAR

FROM: SCAP

071007

TO: WARCOS (PASS TO SEC STATE).....PRIORITY

PAREN ²⁻³⁴¹⁸⁰ PAREN CATCH STATISTICS OF BLUE
WHALE UNITS CAUGHT PER FACTORY SHIP BY JAPANESE
ANTARCTIC WHALING EXPEDITION FOR THE PERIOD TWO SIX
JANUARY FOUR SEVEN TO ONE FEBRUARY FOUR SEVEN INCLUSIVE
ARE AS FOLLOWS OLN HASEDATE MARU THREE ONE UNITS OMA
NISSIN MARU FOUR EIGHT UNITS PD STATISTICS SUPPLIED BY
JAPANESE BUREAU OF FISHERIES

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NOTE FOR RECORD:

1. Pursuant to Request from WAR (WDSCA ES) to
CINCEC NR W09765, dtg 152059Z January 1947, the above
whaling statistics are transmitted to State Department
for information.

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NOTE FOR RECORD: (Contd)

2. The Japanese Bureau of Fisheries are transmitting statistics to Sandefjord, Norway via Japanese Radio in compliance with Article 4 (3) Protocol signed at London 18 Nov 45.

3. This report covers the period 26 Jan 47 to 1 Feb 47 inclusive.

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7 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)

TO : AMEMBASSY ROME, AMREP SOFIA, AMEMBASSY MANILA, AMLEGATION
BUDAPAST, AMEMBASSY WARSAW, AMEMBASSY NANKING, AMEMBASSY
BAGHDAD, ANPOLAD VIENNA, USPOLAD BERLIN, AMEMBASSY RIO DE
JANEIRO, AMEMBASSY MANILA, SCAP (FOR POLAD)

INFO : WASHINGTON (ATTN COS)

NR : CIRCULAR 5TH

Dept requesting Bern to have BURINTERNA communicate info all Govts already invited (Cirtel Dec 30) World Telecommunications Conf 1947 (excluding Spain and Spanish Morocco) that Radio Administrative Conf will open Atlantic City, New Jersey May 15 1947. Plenipotentiary Conf same place July 1 1947 and high frequency broadcasting Conf also same location immediately following radio Conf. Invited Govts requested advise Dept names all delegation members and accompanying family members as soon as possible giving probable date arrival ports and times to facilitate customs WI Courtesies. Info received indicates provisions Article 35 radio regulations not clear as regards participation international organizations. BURINTERNA also being asked remind all invited countries that notification should be given all interested international organizations by contracting country in which Hqs of organizations located. Organizations desiring participate should submit applications as soon as possible to Dept through Medium of Competent Govt. Shortage of time may not permit circularization as per Art 35 para 3 (1) anticipated list applications

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FROM : WASHINGTON NR : CIRCULAR 5TH 7 FEB 47 CONTINUED

will be submitted to first Plenary Session for approval.
Please advise appropriate authorities of foregoing refer-
ring to your previous action.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, SIG OFF,
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TOO : 060430 Z
MCN : YD 26/06

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FROM : WAR
TO : CINCPAC
NR : WAR SVC 8681 (TRUE TOO 062335 Z FROM WELLINGTON)

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Dominions press looks unfavorable on appointment of William J McKell as Gov Gen of Australia, who, because of former political affiliations feels he will show partiality toward Labor Party. Labor Press Southern Cross disapproves MacArthurs banning strike in Japan, call him undemocratic and suggests he is carrying power too far by taking high hand with labor. High New Zealand military authorities approved of MacArthur generally, says Chief of Staff "He is 1 man in world accomplishing something." Minister of Defense Jones announces immediate recruiting for 4000 volunteers for 18 mths service with J-Force to replace present force due relief May and June. This stations opinion that task of getting these volunteers will fail because of publicity given poor conditions in Japan and demands for labor in many industries here. If recruiting campaign fails New Zealand will seek reduction in size of J-Force. French sloop La Grand here paying good will months visit New Zealand, no military implications seen.

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

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FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : SCAP (PASS TO YOKOHAMA BRANCH OFFICE OF UNITED STATES
POLITICAL ADVISER YOKOHAMA)
NR : WAR SERVICE 8675 (RELAYS MSG FROM STATE DEPT TRUE TOO
061900 Z STATE SERIAL NO 30 FEB 6 1 PM)

Since Edward Pestel urtell 22 Feb 3 being brought US
by Army for consideration employment project PAPERCLIP no
need Dept waiving passport requirements for temporary visitors
visa since subject will be in Army custody. This in accordance
with Army practice handling cases German Scientists brought
to US. Therefore consider Dept has no interest Pestel.

MARSHALL

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

NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for
redispatch to CG 8TH ARMY (FOR POLAD YOKAHAMA).

NOTE: Yokohama's tel 22 to State is not of record in this hq.

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TOO: 062350 Z
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7 Feb 47



FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WAR DEPARTMENT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8665 (DTG 061240 Z) (WSDB SVC 81 RELAYS
AMEMBASSY MOSCOW 316 FEB 6, 11AM TO TOKYO UNNUMBERED)

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All Moscow papers Feb 5 carried Shanghai press dispatch Feb 3 reporting transfer of some American Troops in north China as it was stated this move did not mean that USA had resolved to withdraw troops from China. It was suggested that in view of forthcoming conference USA felt it had to make some move but that troops would simply be transferred to coastal points.

MARSHALL

INFORMATION: *✓* COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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WARCOS (PASS TO SECSTATE) ROUTINE 061121

(Z-34002) Understand Consulate General Shanghai (This is Bishops 27 Feb 5) has approved request of Administrative Officer Duncan Laing for transfer to Tokyo. This Office needs his services and would welcome his assignment. With reopening of Kobe Office imminent (A-130 Dec 28), Laing, with his experience and capabilities, would be extremely useful there or he could equally well replace administrative personnel now in Tokyo or Yokohama who would be assigned Kobe. If assignment Tokyo approved, request telegraphic advice in order initiate arrangements for housing etcetera.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

MAX W. BISHOP
Acting Chief,
Diplomatic Section

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ROUTINE

6 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON

TO : CINCFE

NR : WAR SVC 8661 (RELAYS SECRET MSG DTG 051515 Z FROM NEW
DELHI C F TABLE 14 WEEKA 5 TO CHAMBERLIN)



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League Working Committee decides against joining Constituent Assembly. Passed resolution condemns Congress Party for composition of Constituent Assembly and for already having exceeded limits imposed by British White Paper in passing resolutions which impinge upon powers and functions of the sections. Thought League will appeal to HMG to dissolve Constituent Assembly. Congress resolved to go ahead with Assembly meetings and attempt to form a constitution. Not thought this either possible or practical as would be constitution framed without representation of Muslims or Princely States. Princes demand return of paramountcy when British withdraws. Congress position appears isolated and if Congress forces the issue and no action taken by HMG to start renegotiations chaotic and widespread unrest would seem inevitable. Everything hinges on HMG decision regarding AICC resolution accepting principle of grouping in sections coupled with what action Muslim League members of Interim Govt will take regarding continuance in office. Evident Jinnah still playing for time and hoping HMG will force more clear cut interpretation by Congress. At present impossible to forecast what may happen politically between now and 9 April when Constituent Assembly reconvenes.

Punjab situation greatly eased but as affair there was an inter-necine battle between two elements of Muslim Party one of which feigned Congress sympathies to get in Provincial Coalition Govt root of trouble remains. League wished to make arrest of its leaders and action against League National Guard an all India affair. May receive support from Sino Govt but Suhra Wardy

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in Bengal not likely to join at present due to his desire to allow more time for calming down of populace in Bengal and Assam.

Possibility of major showdown throughout country looms larger than ever. Provincial Ministries have enacted all necessary legislation to maintain law and order and Central Govt has aided by issuance of special press ordinance limiting scope of communal propoganda allowed. These measures would be effective only if they received whole hearted police support and if military is on the spot when outbreaks occur.

Maulana Azad calling meeting of all Muslim groups not affiliated with league for purpose of forming a Nationalist Muslim group to side with Congress and oppose league claim of being sole Muslim Party.

Civilian Aviation Conference resulted in bringing to the fore that Govt idea is to have either outright nationalization of transport or such a tight control that it will amount to same thing. Look for nationalization along lines of present railway setup.

No change in minor communal upsets in major cities. Calcutta tramway worker on strike since 20 Jan with general strike scheduled for 5 Feb to include all local transport dock workers and staffs. Govt exerting strenuous effort to avert by treaty with military. Principal and righteous grievance is under pay. This could be spark for another Calcutta massacre.

January tour of South India showed substantial improvement of food crop prospects over last year. Partial failure of rice and millet crops in central provinces and Kashmir reported. Wheat crop reported poor in Rajutana and Punjab. Effect will be noticed chiefly in rationed area as villagers will hoard.

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At present 160,000,000 reported under rationing CCTN : 7/1 STRENOUS 9/7 of South India in urban areas. Some political elements in Delhi reported taking advantage of reduced rations to foment unrest but to date no success. Govt is launching new food offensive for imports especially of wheat and initiating grow more food campaign. Month long tour of South India by Assistant Military Attache convinced him that 46 famine threat was over emphasized and present dim view of Indian authorities in effort to gain what they can. Our belief that conditions for 47 no worse than 46.

Movement for prohibition sweeping South India. 8 Madras districts to go dry from Oct. Bombay Presidencya will implement prohibition reforms over 4 year period. Possibility of prohibition enforcement in India with under paid and corrupt police force is even less likely of success than prohibition in US was. Consequent ineffective laws could give rise to an India Capone era.

Strong possibility Auchinleck will remain an official military advisor to Indian Govt and nominally head of British troops in India but with British Major General in direct charge of the British forces here.

Defense Depts recommendation for a \$100,000,000 defense budget cut by Finance Dept to approx \$34,000,000. Believe budget as finally approved by Legislative Assembly will not exceed \$40,000,000. This necessitates complete revamping of post war India Armed Force of 300,000 to approx 125,000 for all 3 services. Policy of leaders is to cut down military to very low scale. If present leaders still in power in 1948 look for further reduction Indias Armed Force.

No more families of British military being brought to India. Speed up of repatriation of British Army personnel in

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India taking place as is transfer of British Officers from India to British forces.

At present rate Nationalization will be a fact by late 47 notwithstanding fact that Indian Politicos and military heads alike realize total lack of qualified personnel to head even the small establishment now visualized. Transfer of Cruisers from British to Indian Navy originally scheduled to take place next 6 months will take 18 or more. Bengal Govt has requested military to stand by for action in case Calcutta general strike materializes on 5th.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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5 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8626 (RELAYS MSG TRUE TOO 041857 Z) (STATE SERIAL 33, FEB 4)



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FEC 6: Atomic Research. US Govt policy in past has been to prohibit all Japanese research in field of Atomic Energy but owing to severe criticism connected with destruction of Japanese Cyclotrons U S Govt desired FEC decision on matter. Consequently introduced into FEC policy paper permitting very restricted Japanese research into fundamental nuclear fission similar to that permitted in Germany. This policy emphatically rejected by FEC which on Jan 30 adopted policy prohibiting for present all Japanese research in field of Atomic Energy, all development or construction in Japan for utilization of Atomic Energy and mining, processing and refining of radio active materials except under specific approval and surveillance of SCAP. Policy decision contemplates future control of atomic research and development in Japan will be governed by United Nations decisions and special restrictive policies established for disarmament of Japan. Policy will be published after communication to SCAP.

Publication of review policy. AP dispatch dtd Tokyo Jan 10, published in some US newspapers, contained some facts regarding FEC policy decision regarding review of new Japanese Constitution. FEC took note of this leakage in Tokyo and at Steering Committee Jan 14 motion introduced that commission publish review decision in view of partial leakage and misleading

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) NR : WAR SVC 8626 (RELAY MSG TRUE TOO
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impression given of FEC in dispatch under reference. Motion carried by 8 votes to 1, US member voting in negative in accordance with SWNCC decision and China and Philippines abstaining. Matter since tabled in full commission at request US Representative pending review of publication decision by SWNCC.

MARSHALL

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG, GOVT SECT,
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5 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (WDGID)
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8602 (RELAY MELBOURNE C-9470 DTG 030300 Z)

McKell, Premier New South Wales appointed Governor General Australia. Menzies, leader of opposition commented "Shocking and humiliating. It constitutes the most deplorable incident in governments growing record political robbery". Mr Fadden, Country Party Leader said Chiefley had not only misled the King but had let Australia down badly. Majority editorials negative but Melbourne Age comments "Despite right and wisdom of those opinions appointment is made and proper now to accept it with good grace". Strike situation stale-mated with no immediate end in view. It is now a fight between Unions and Chiefley for removal of wage pegging. Picaso Conference began today. CINCFE informed joint mapping agreement between US and Australia for Pacific Islands now cleared all Government Depts and awaits action by Prime Minister.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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DATED February 5, 1947

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Secretary of State
Washington

A-244, February 5, 1947

Following questions and answers in regard to developments in Japan took place in House of Commons on February 3, 1947:

1. Local Government

Mr. Rees-Williams (Labor M.P. for Croydon, South) asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether he will make a statement with reference to the elimination of undesirable persons from local government bodies now proceeding in Japan; and when it is anticipated that this process will be concluded.

Mr. Mayhew (Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs): "According to the United States Chairman of the Allied Council for Japan, the process of eliminating undesirable persons from Japanese local government bodies is expected to be completed towards the middle of April next."

2. Municipal Elections

Mr. Rees-Williams asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether, in view of the many postponements by the Japanese Government of the date of the municipal elections in Japan, he will instruct our representative on the Allied Council to press for the fixing of a definite unalterable date for these elections.

Mr. Mayhew: "A Japanese Government ordinance, dated 4th January, provides that candidates for municipal elections must possess a certificate showing that they have been screened and do not fall under the provisions of the purge directives. The screening of candidates must, therefore, be completed before the elections can take place, but it is intended that these should be held as soon as possible after the middle of April."

Mr. Rees-



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Mr. Rees-Williams: "In view of the repeated postponements by the Japanese Government, will the Minister instruct our representative to hasten this elimination process?"

Mr. Mayhew: "We are anxious for it to be carried through as soon as possible, but there are 60,000 people involved, and it must take some time."

Mr. Rees-Williams: "Are the 60,000 all election candidates?"

Mr. Mayhew: "I could not say for certain. I believe so."

3. Ownership and Control of Broadcasting

Mr. Rees-Williams asked the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs whether, in view of the desirability of State ownership and control of broadcasting stations and services in Japan, he will instruct our representative on the Allied Council to press for such ownership and control in opposition to the proposal to establish privately-owned and controlled systems.

Mr. Mayhew: "The Commonwealth representative on the Allied Council was instructed in December, 1946, to press for the continued state monopoly of the Japanese Broadcasting Corporation. He has, in fact, done so in subsequent Allied Council meetings."

Mr. Rees-Williams: "Can the Minister say whether his representations have had any success?"

Mr. Mayhew: "It is still under consideration by the Allied Council, and our representative still takes the same view."

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5 Feb 47

FROM : WSD
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : STATE SERIAL 35 FEB 4

Urdis 801 replying Depts A-169 Dec 9 1946 in con- sidering Claim Dept finds detailed info from Jap Govt following points necessary:

1. Estimated value Awb Maru at time of sinking and basis on which this value determined.
2. Basis determined cargo claim, i.e. value and description including breakdown cargo and info re source cargo.
3. Total number crew, number in each of four categories listed urdis 801, incl 1, page 14, number and rank of officers and number seamen.
4. Terms agreement with owners ship regarding voyage and basis claim loss expected profits. Also info re actual profits vessel for period several months prior sinking.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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5 Feb 47

FROM : WSD
TO : SCAP (FOR ACTING POLITICAL ADVISOR)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : STATE SERIAL 34 4 FEB

Retirement Thomas S Horn approved effective close of business May 31 under provisions Sect 63 Foreign Service Act 1946. Travel must be completed prior to May 31, however should not arrive in US prior to May 1. All expenses authorized accordance accounts supplement E chargeable TFS 1947, under TO 7 6302 Jan 29. Report dates.

MARSHALL

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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TOO: 042022/z
MCN: YC 9/05

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FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : WD CHIEF OF STAFF
NR : WAR SVC 8611 (RELAYS MSG DTG 040310 Z STATE SER
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23 DEC. 53



Maj-Gen I I Zubkov delivered public lecture Jan 30, 'Post-War Armed Forces of Capitalist Countries.' Highlights summarized below.

Before war USA and British armed forces were organized on principle of enlistment with compulsory service. Mistake to believe this was dictated by humanitarian motives. It was explained by specific political and economic considerations. USA and British armed forces were used for police functions and army of unemployed in both countries supplied sufficient volunteers to fill necessary quota.

What is present situation in these 2 military systems and what lessons have been learned from past war?

American post-war military program is based on (1) maintenance of tremendous cadre Army of 2,500,000; (2) maintenance of huge Air Force of 8,000 first-line planes; (3) maintenance of powerful Navy of 550,000 men and 6,000 first-line planes.

Post-war land forces will consist of National Guard, Regular Army, and reserves. Military program thus lies as heavy burden on American people as pointed out by Wallace.

American military plans not limited to own Army, Navy and Air Force. USA seeks standardization of Western

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Hemisphere forces and ultimate creation of single standardized military tool in hands of Anglo Saxon nations.

American military theory based on World War II experiences is one-sided. In that war enormous land battles occurred but chiefly on Sov-German front. Neither American nor Brit Armies participated in enormous military engagements and are thus without such experience. Furthermore, war in Pacific was largely characterized by naval and air actions. This experience is reflected in current American over emphasis on role of Navy and Air Force and under-estimate of land Army role.

Experience with atomic bombing was so slight as to make premature over-all military policy on results of this weapon. However, there are American theoreticians thinking in terms of lightning warfare, a theory discredited by German experience in World War I, II.

Patterson defined current American military doctrine: (1) USA will be the target in next war, (2) next war will be over long distance and waged by aircraft, air-borne troops, rockets, etc, (3) necessity for immediate counter attack, (4) time is now most important factor.

There has been lively discussion in USA in which supporters of most aggressive plans favor lightning warfare executed by powerful Air Force armed with atomic bombs. Many prominent American generals inclined to believe that future war will be short.

It cannot be said thus far this is official US Govt view point. Size of Army, Navy and Air Force show approach is based on complex of these branches. However, certain prefer-

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ence for Air Force characterizes even official point of view. In Navy also carrier is considered chief striking force.

Brit post-war program based on (1) retention of compulsory military service, (2) single unified defense plan for Empire, (3) unification all Brit armed forces. Never in Brit history has peace-time Army been so large. It is scattered over tremendous areas. At same time extensive scientific research on armaments is proceeding.

Current Brit military doctrine is based on experience of World War II plus factor of latest inventions. Before war Brit doctrine preferred small highly mechanized Army. Some Brit theorists still believe next war will center around small highly integrated force of tanks, air-borne troops and atomic bombs. Size of Brit Army and Navy, however, shows that official circles do not share this view.

Another concept current in Brit speculation is idea of total warfare in which propoganda will play large role. New approach also emphasizes offensive but places less hope on extremist theories of lightning warfare prevalent in USA. Because of close Anglo-American military cooperation it is difficult to say how long Brit will adhere to own viewpont, which is considerably more mature than that of USA and shows that UK has drawn more profitable lessons from recent war.

Armed forces of both USA and UK far exceed defense needs. They are disposed in offensive positions and are increasingly used by aggressive circles preaching new war. But who is threatening USA and UK? These huge military programs serve purpose

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FROM: WASHINGTON NR: WAR SVC 8611 5 Feb 47 CONT'D

of whetting appetite of imperialist expansionist circles.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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26, February 4, 1947.

Reference is made to WAR radio W 89522 and SCAP radio C-69253. Subject this radio is technical aides to CUSRRM on restitution problems.

PART ONE. As indicated in radio C-69253 Part Two, technical aides and clerks totaling twenty in number are authorized to enter the theater at this time. Agree in principle remarks in Part Two radio W 89522 and in accord with suggestions made in Part Four same radio it is recommended that at least five technical aides comprising the following competencies be recruited as soon as possible: One patent and trademark expert; one financial expert or experienced auditor capable of ensuring maximum protection of prewar American investments in Japanese industries now being liquidated, restricted or controlled; one insurance expert; one industrial and one construction engineer to insure proper preservation American-owned machinery, equipment and buildings pending final restitution.

PART TWO. In addition, it is recommended that program be instituted for recruitment of technical aides capable of advising on problems pertaining to protection and preservation United States properties during interim period prior to final restitution. These persons should be placed on a rotation basis, limiting stay in Japan to period of three or four months each person, and should be capable of covering such fields of United States commercial and industrial interests as electricity, petroleum, communications, automotive trade and other specialized industries.

PART THREE. Consideration should be given to fact that in addition to restitution personnel examination of Reparations facilities, when initiated, will have to be conducted by technical aides from this group of twenty. Selection of such aides we believe would be predicated on the types of facilities that are considered suitable for United States claim. Example iron and steel engineer to inspect and appraise steel making facilities. Reparations inspections in a given industrial category will not be time consuming and visits of Reparations aides should seldom require more than one month.

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PART FOUR. It is emphasized that clerical assistants for United States group must be included in the limitation of twenty persons.

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MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Above radio sent at the request of GPC/FP by check sheet to DS, 3 Feb 47, subject: "Technical Aides to U.S. SAR Delegation".
2. It is considered that above radio is an administrative matter explaining position previously indicated in radio 3069253 from SGAP to WARCOS, 18 Jan 47.
3. Office of Deputy Chief of Staff (Brig. Gen. Harrison) concurs.

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ESS/FI WFM/WKL/EJB/WNR/mlm
DATE: 4 February 1947

FROM: SCAP

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TO: WARCOS ROUTINE

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ZERO PAREN SUGAR VICTOR CHARLIE SEVEN FIVE JAN ONE ONE CMA NINE AM PAREN PD
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COMMENT ON QUALIFICATIONS OF INCUMBENT REPRESENTATIVES OF BANK OF CHINA IN
OSAKA SMCLN IT APPEARS THAT NO SIMILAR INVESTIGATION HAS PREVIOUSLY BEEN
MADE PD WILL ADVISE OF DEVELOPMENTS PD LATEST BALANCE SHEET OF BANK OF
CHINA CMA OSAKA CMA INDICATES THAT AN APPROXIMATE SIX FIVE PERCENT DIVIDEND
COULD BE PAID DEPOSITORS WITHOUT ANY ATTEMPT AT LIQUIDATION OF ASSETS BUT
AFTER FORMALITIES OF PUBLICATION OF NOTICE TO FILE CLAIMS

OFFICIAL:

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)

TO : CINCFE (FOR THE POLAD)

INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)

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NR : WAR SVC 8595 (TRUE TOO 022206 Z) (STATE UNNUMBERED SVC
2 FEB 4:00 PM)



Following is Nanking's 181 (C-253) of 1 Feb,
1:00 PM to Department:

"Due to the Lunar New Year, material in the Chinese press for the week under review was meagre. Most papers were closed for 3 days, others for the entire week.

For the first time in months, news of hostilities was more prominent than that on peace negotiations and reorganization of Government. Reports indicated wide-scale fighting in Shantung, on the Peiping-Hankow Railway, and in Manchuria along the Sungari River in Kirin Province. Reports alternated between Government and Communist victories. Several Tsingtao papers reported unconfirmed rumors of heavy Communist troops transfers from Manchuria to eastern Shantung with attendant threat to Tsingtao.

Following Yen-an's refusal of Govt offer on negotiations, the Govt announcement disclosing the 4 points forming the basis of its negotiations offer was a headline story. (refembtel 119 Jan 21). Communist reply thereto has not been published in Govt or party press. Negotiations between the Govt were also widely reported. A series of editorials in KMT papers thruout the country limited themselves to expressing general belief that the people wish peace and hope the Communists will become less obstreperous in the face of obvious Government sincerity to find a solution conducive to the welfare of the people. Govt papers

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gave only brief news summaries on meeting of the second Plenary Session of the Democratic League CEC and avoided comment. The left-wing press in Shanghai was silent, mostly because the liberal left-wing Weh Hui Pao was closed by a strike and the Sin Min Wan Pao has, for the time being, discontinued its editorial column. The only strong comment was found in Canton KMT papers which demanded solution by force. Govt and party press showed increasing nervousness over possible influence by international developments on internal Chinese affairs, particularly whether China might not be the subj of discussion at the Foreign Ministers meeting in Moscow. Much attention was given Lord Lindsey's remarks on China and the ensuing parliamentary debate. Most papers took a rather unfavorable view of his suggestion that other powers become involved. Typical was the Shanghai Ta Kung Pao: 'The British have been jealous of the US because she has been able to do and get anything she liked in China. Britain seems both sympathetic and glad to see US bogged down in Chinese problems.' The most ironic comment came from Shanghai left-wing Wen Hui Lao which has seldom been known to overlook an opportunity of piling its scorn and displeasure on the Govt and which took immediate issue with Lindsey's proposals as being the greatest insult to the Govt of China in many years.

The Lunar New Year came and went and the economic debacle which had been so gloomily and confidently predicted by most papers thus far has failed to materialize, though there were many stories of economic tension, price fluctuations, labor disputes, strikes and difficulties. Commercial papers, particularly in Shanghai, Canton and Tientsin, seemed rather disappointed when mounting economic deterioration failed to become disaster and came to the conclusion finally that perhaps the

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situation was not as desperate as they had thought.

The landing of French troops on the Paracel Islands and the ensuing dispute between China and France was an issue made to order for those papers desiring to find indications the Western Powers still consider China as a Colonial Area. The Chinese protest provoked all papers to demand that the French withdraw at once, some calling for a punitive expedition and others suggesting that France today is in no position to risk Chinese displeasure. Typical was the Shanghai C-C clique Shun Pao which charged France with imperialist designs and the Taihoku Hsin Sheng Pao which warned France not to neglect China's friendship and hinted that China might be forced 'To return an eye for an eye.' The Taihoku Wen Min Pao even went so far as to suggest that China should assist the ANNAXIZES to seize power in Indo-China.

Principal items of Foreign news were the London meeting of Deputy Foreign Ministers, the new French Government, Indo-Chinese hostilities, and the Polish election. The most interesting comment on the US came from the Peiping Catholic Ji Shih Pao which saw an expansion of American conservative influence and disintegration of progressive forces since the death of Roosevelt-- 'The monopoly group is further strengthened, labor movements suppressed and Nationalism is rampant. Truman's message to Congress shows the disappearance of dissension between democrats and republicans. If this trend is not stopped, it will endanger America as well as the World. Middle class progressive Americans and the trade unions, being aware of the crisis have started various democratic organizations.'

Dept please repeat Moscow and Tokyo. Stuart."

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FROM: SOAP

TO: WARCOS (PASS TO SEC STATE).....PRIORITY

PAREN **2** **33622** PAREN CATCH STATISTICS OF BLUE WHALE
UNITS CAUGHT PER FACTORY SHIP BY JAPANESE ANTARCTIC WHALING
EXPEDITION FOR THE PERIOD ONE NINE JANUARY FOUR SEVEN TO TWO
FIVE JANUARY FOUR SEVEN INCLUSIVE ARE AS FOLLOWS CLM KASHIDATE
MARU TWO ZERO UNITS OMA NISSIN MARU FIVE ZERO AND ONE HALF
UNITS PD STATISTICS SUPPLIED BY JAPANESE BUREAU OF FISHERIES
PD CATCH STATISTICS ARE BEING SUBMITTED DIRECT TO SANDEFJORD
OMA NORWAY VIA JAPANESE RADIO IN COMPLIANCE WITH ARTICLE FOUR
PAREN THREE PAREN PROTOCOL LONDON ONE SIX NOVEMBER FOUR FIVE

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1. Pursuant to Radio from WAR (WDSCA ES) to CINCPAC NR: W'89765, dtg 152059Z January 1947, the above whaling statistics are transmitted to State Department for information.

2. The Japanese Bureau of Fisheries are transmitting whaling statistics to Sandefjord, Norway via Japanese Radio in compliance with Article 4 (3) Protocol signed at London 16 Nov 45.

3. This report covers the period 19 Jan 47 to 25 Jan 47 inclusive.

C. M. A. lma 2-3237

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Reference Deptal 30, January 29, 9 p.m.

Documents contained in shipping advice numbers listed reference telegram are still in possession International Prosecution Section SCAP which desires continue using them. These documents are available for examination and if desired could be microfilmed for early forwarding Washington. Originals will in due course be returned to AFIS and forwarded to Washington.

No record presently obtainable of Jap Foreign Office documents destroyed by Japs but as of March 1, 1947 survey (estimated to require three months) will be made to determine which documents destroyed. Some Jap Foreign Office archives dating back to 1890 are available but pending completion survey complete picture not available.

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Information contained in above reply obtained from Maj. Erikson of AFIS who orally concur with above reply.

3. Col. Buchanan (SO) states that micro-filming is possible.

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3 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCFE (FOR POLAD)
INFO : WAR DEPT (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8585 (DTG 021154 Z) (STATE SVC 50 RELAY
FROM MOSCOW TO DEPT AS 270)

Soviet press has recently carried several articles from Soviet correspondents in Japan describing with indignation and heavy sarcasm alleged restrictive measures imposed on their freedom by American military authorities. We are unable to muster much sympathy for these individuals gagging at a dose of the medicine so liberally and persistently dispensed by their own authorities to American correspondents in USSR. These Soviet complaints which may be expected to continue will cease to have a hollow ring at such time as Soviet authorities permit American correspondents freely to travel and report in this country.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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3 Feb 47



FROM : WAR

TO : CINCFE

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(DINGMAN)

NR : WAR SVC 8579 (RELAYS TOP SECRET MSG FROM MANILA DTG 010830/Z) (WEEKS MSG NR 10)

Roxas delivered State of Nation speech to Joint Session Congress 27 Jan reporting progress in past 8 months toward rehabilitation, reestablishment peace and order and increase in international prestige. He cited numerous aids to Philippines by US without which he said present progress would not be possible. He described mountainous difficulties still facing Philippines and said crisis not yet past; said approval equal rights amendment which he described as certain will open the door to National Rehabilitation and industrial development. He discussed base agreement with US giving greatest emphasis, but Press largely overlooked significance of these remarks. He stated that recent press reports that fundamental Phil-American relations were being endangered by presence of American Troops here were largely inaccurate, that the conduct of American Troops had improved to such an extent that they have again become welcome guests in our land. For this improved condition he credited Ambassador McNutt and Major Gen George F Moore whose prompt and energetic actions resulted in a speedy elimination of causes that existed. He said our relations with US today are satisfactory. Roxas said that immediately following signature of Base Agreement he would undertake to reach a Military assistance agreement wherein US would provide a Military Mission, assistance to Philippine forces during next five years, and 84 ships for offshore patrol. Sec Interior Jose Zulueta according to press account of 31 January ordered MFC forces totalling 7000 to initiate offensive against Huks simultaneously in

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provinces of Nueva Ecija, Tarlac, Pampanga, Laguna, Quezon, and Zamboanga. Bands of 500 to 1000 Huks continue acts of terrorism. Press reports on 30 Jan that under auspices Congress of Labor organizations, the CLO will stage demonstration on 2 Feb before presenting Roxas with petition for abolition Court of Industrial Relations and the establishment in its place a board composed of representatives from working classes. Alleged practice of requiring certain civic employees to pledge not to strike or join unions will also be denounced. Manila Tribune 31 Jan reported that Malacana Public Relations Office denied tribune report that Sec Justice had started move to get peoples court to favor executive proclamation of amnesty for political and economic collaborators. According to Tribune Roxas reiterated: alleged collaborators being at present a judicial matter, no executive action is under consideration. Editorially Tribune stated it is satisfied that story which provoked denial is correct. In liberal party convention Roxas urged preservation of strong two party system and asked small parties that had coalition with Liberals to enter Liberal Party fold. He also asked coalition of Bloc Government. Roxas received credentials of Spanish Minister but exchange of remarks was significantly perfunctory although atmosphere of ceremony was cordial. Sec of Justice has ruled that Philippine "Flag Law" does not permit American firms same 15 percent preferential on Governmental contracts as Filipino firms, that document executed in US before Clerk of Court for Philippine use are not acceptable as provided before 1 July 46 without Philippine Consular authentication and that benefits of copyright law are denied to non resident American citizens and firms. First and third items will be

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subject Diplomatic representations. Press reports 31 Jan that responsible Foreign Office officials stated that US Ambassador and Vice President Quirino have resumed conversations on base agreement, that it was revealed that draft of final agreement would be released to public to test reaction and insure that Treaty complies substantially with public opinion before signatures. Most part US appears opposed to agreement that bases not be located in or near Manila. The Confederation of Philippine Veterans Legion will award Roxas and McNutt Distinguished Service Medals on 4 and 5 Feb for Distinguished Service to the cause of Filipino veterans.

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2 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON
 TO : CINCPAC
 NR : WAR SVC 8583 (RELAY FROM BANGKOK) (DTG 010530 Z)

Ref nbr 202 weeks ending 1 Feb.

A 1. Khuang and Senate affirm decision no coalition prefer role loyal opposition. 30 Jan treaty of friendship signed with Holland. Concessions granted Chinese schools Chinese texts, permitted history and geography taught in Chinese and teachers need not master Siamese language.

Two Latvian Buddhist priests ordered deported as result letters directed against High Priest Siam also suspected (B 2) as Soviet agents.

A 1. Malayan Siamese Border Control decides buy off bandits who agree sell weapons and surrender. Meanwhile police guard all through trains Malaya. 31 Jan Bangkok Catholic priest kidnapped held for ransom near Huahim south of Bangkok.

A 1. Tin rubber at standstill. Government action on exchange maintains confusion. Are not now in position permitting two exchange rates one official one "open market."

A 1. Agriculture Ministry given Chaopdya River Dam project for consideration long favored by PRIDI. Seven man commercial aviation created.

A 1. Major General Prakithkhitasangha sentenced six years prison embezzled funds of military supply during 43, 44. General Dejon Quieres arrives Bangkok from Saigon en route Paris to retire after having successfully completed

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FROM: WASHINGTON NR: CINCFE NR: WAR SVC 8583 (RELAY
FROM BANGKOK) (DTG 010530 Z) 2 FEB 47 CONT'D

mission reoccupation ceded provinces. 200 British Indian
troops of 198 Railroad Shop Company to leave Bangkok with-
in two weeks.

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



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2 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (FROM STATE DEPT)
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8582 (TRUE TOO 011739 Z) (RELAY FROM NANKING)

"Jan 31, 7 PM.

After consideration by Ministries concerned Foreign Office states that freight charges and customs duties connected with shipment supplies to Japs in Manchuria (reurtel 17, Jan 3) apparently differ in character from expenses related to maintenance of livelihood and that in addition question of settlement this type of expense is presently being discussed by FE Commission. Foreign Office suggests that, pending decision such expenses be recorded in temporary account.

Reply also points out Japs remaining in China permitted retain clothing and other subsistence essentials while Chinese Govt is providing them livelihood necessities. Reply of Chinese is vague and qualified but Embassy has been unable either in writing or orally to obtain explicit understanding from Foreign Office on these details even though Embassy has pointed out that Foreign Office note of Nov 18 last accepted proposal for shipment supplies to Mukden (reported mytel 1927, Nov 21). Nov 18 note stating Chinese agreement was couched in general terms, but definitely indicated Chinese agreement to entire proposal outlined in Embassy's note of Oct 30 which specifically stated that transport and protection supplies should be provided by Chinese Govt without charge."

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NOTE: Nanking's 1927 was repeated Tokyo as W SVC 7303. State's 17 to Nanking repeated 62406

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FROM : WASH (FROM STATE DEPT) NR : WAR SVC 8582 (TRUE TOO
011739 Z) (RELAY FROM NANKING)

Sent dept as 177.



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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
ECON & SCI SECT

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TOO : 012158 Z
MCN : SA 98/01

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ROUTINE

2 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)

TO : SCAT (FOR POLAD)

INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)

NR : WAR SVC 8561 (DTG 311944) (STATE SERIAL 31, JAN 31, 1 PM)

Your 133, Jan 23, 47.

US position reopening Japan to private trade approximately as follows: Conduct of Japanese foreign trade should be placed in hands private business rapidly as possible. First steps this direction should be taken as soon as an adequate system of export, import and exchange controls has been developed and put into effect.

Reopening Japan to private trade will not mean immediate and complete elimination present system government to government trading because, for some time to come, private traders will be handicapped by shortage or lack of food, housing, transportation, communication, and banking and other business services within Japan, trading agencies of Japanese Government of one hand and of US and possibly other outside government on other, will be essential in order trade be carried on in spite these difficulties.

Restoring Japanese foreign trade to private firms within and outside Japan does not mean such trade will there-

NOTE: 133, Jan 23, cannot be identified in this hq.



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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) NR : WAR SVC 8561 (DTG 311944)
(STATE SERIAL 31, JAN 31, 1 PM) 2 FEB 47 CONT'D

after be free and uncontrolled. SCAP must continue to exercise close supervision and control over formulation and implementation of Japanese export and import programs.

Sent to Manila 137 repeated to Tokyo 31.

MARSHALL

ACTION: ECON & SCI SECT



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

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TOO : 010319/Z

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

DATE: 1 FEBRUARY 1947

FROM : SCAP

TO : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT) ROUTINE

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^{2 8 2 0 2 0 2} ONE SIX AND YOURAD TWO EIGHT TWO ZERO TWO ZERO ZEBRA PD TASS AGENCY DIS-

PATCH FROM VLADIVOSTOK IS CONSIDERED TO BE A MALICIOUS DISTORTION OF FACT
PD CHRONOLOGICAL OUTLINE OF FACTS FOLLOWS CLN THE NEED OF THE ORTHODOX
CHURCH IN JAPAN FOR A BISHOP FIRST CAME TO THE ATTENTION OF THIS HEADQUAR-
TERS FORMALLY IN SEPTEMBER WHEN A LETTER WAS RECEIVED REQUESTING QUOTE THAT
PERMISSION BE GRANTED FOR A BISHOP OF THE ORTHODOX GREEK CATHOLIC CHURCH
OF NORTH AMERICA TO ENTER JAPAN FOR A TEMPORARY STAY TO ASSIST THE JAPAN
ORTHODOX CHURCH IN PERFORMANCE OF NECESSARY RELIGIOUS FUNCTIONS PD UNQUOTE
THIS LETTER WAS SIGNED BY THREE RANKING MEMBERS OF THE CONSISTORY OF THE
JAPANESE ORTHODOX CHURCH PD THIS REQUEST WAS RELAYED TO HIS EMINENCE METRO-
POLITAN THEOPHILUS CMA HEAD OF THE ORTHODOX GREEK CATHOLIC CHURCH OF NORTH
AMERICA THROUGH THE JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF BY OURAD CHARLIE SIX FIVE EIGHT
^{7 2} SEVEN TWO PD ON SEVEN DECEMBER CMA URAD WAR SUGAR VICTOR CHARLIE SEVEN FIVE
^{4 5} FOUR FIVE WAS RECEIVED EXPRESSING FEARS OF THE MUNICH CHURCH GROUP THAT
ESTABLISHMENT OF A MOSCOW REPRESENTATIVE WOULD RESULT IN DOMINATION OF
JAPANESE CONGREGATION BY SOVIET GOVERNMENT PD OURAD CHARLIE XRAY SIX EIGHT
^{1 6 0} ONE SIX ZERO REPLIED THAT A RUSSIAN BISHOP HAD NOT BEEN INVITED AND THE
JAPANESE CONGREGATION WAS ACTIVELY RESISTING SOVIET PRESSURE PD SUBSEQUENT
TO THIS A PROTEST WAS RECEIVED FROM THE SENIOR SECRETARY OF THE CONSISTORY
OF THE JAPANESE ORTHODOX CHURCH REQUESTING SCAPS PROTECTION FROM SOVIET
DOMINATION PD THIS PROTEST STATED THAT AT A MEETING HELD TWO FOUR NOVEMBER

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

DATE: 1 FEBRUARY 1947

FROM : SCAP

TO : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT) ROUTINE PAREN COMTD PAREN

ONE NINE FOUR SIX QUOTE SUDDENLY WITHOUT A FOREWARNING CMA THERE ARRIVED
AT THE MEETING A SOVIET OFFICIAL CMA MISTER VOLGIN CMA WHO WAS ACCOMPANIED
BY A GROUP OF RUSSIAN EMIGRANTS CONSISTING OF APPROXIMATELY TEN PERSONS PD
UNQUOTE MISTER VOLGIN STATED THAT THE JAPANESE CHURCH SHOULD NOT RECEIVE
THE AMERICAN BISHOP WHO IS NOT ABIDING TO THE MOSCOW PATRIARCH AND SHOULD
NOT RECEIVE ANYBODY WITHOUT PERMISSION FROM MOSCOW PD MISTER VOLGIN STATED
QUOTE THERE ARE TWO BISHOPS ARRIVING IN THE NEAR FUTURE FROM MOSCOW PD
THESE LEGITIMATE BISHOPS MUST BE GREETED BY THE JAPANESE CHURCH PD UNQUOTE
THE PROTEST FURTHER STATED QUOTE WE TAKE THIS STEP BECAUSE IT IS BECOMING
OBVIOUS THAT THE SOVIET'S OFFICIAL AND HIS SUBJECTS ARE INTENDING TO SEIZE
OUR CHURCH FOR SOME PARTICULAR POLITICAL PURPOSE PD FOR YOUR INFORMATION
CMA WE SHOULD LIKE TO MENTION THAT THE RUSSIAN EMIGRANTS WHO HAVE RECENTLY
ACQUIRED SOVIET CITIZENSHIP HAVE NO RIGHT TO INTERFERE WITH OUR CHURCH
MATTERS BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT BONAFIDE MEMBERS OF THE PARISH AND NEVER PAID
ANY CHURCH MEMBERSHIP DUES PD IN GENERAL CMA THE ILLITERATE RUSSIANS THINK
THAT THE JAPANESE ORTHODOX CHURCH WAS ESTABLISHED WITH RUSSIAN MONEY AND
THEREFORE BELONGS BY INHERITANCE TO THE SOVIETS PD THERE WAS A TIME WHEN
WE WERE RECEIVING SOME SUPPORT FROM THE RUSSIAN CHRISTIAN MISSION CMA BUT
DURING THE LATER PERIOD CMA WHICH EXTENDS FOR MORE THAN THIRTY YEARS CMA
WE HAVE RECEIVED NO ASSISTANCE FROM ANY QUARTERS PD WE CMA THE JAPANESE CMA
WERE WORKING INDEPENDENTLY CMA AND CMA FOR EXAMPLE CMA RECONSTRUCTED THAT
TOKYO CATHEDRAL AFTER THE FIRE WITH OUR OWN MONEY PD THEREFORE WE DO NOT

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DATE: 1 FEBRUARY 1947

FROM : SCAP

TO : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT) ROUTINE PAREN CONTD PAREN

WANT TO BE SUBJECTED TO THE WILL OF THE MOSCOW COMMUNISTIC PATRIARCH PD
UNQUOTE THIS PROTEST WAS REFERRED TO THE SOVIET MEMBER OF THE ALLIED COUNCIL
FOR JAPAN ON ONE SIX DECEMBER REQUESTING HIS COMMENTS IN THE MATTER PD NO
REPLY HAS BEEN RECEIVED FROM THE SOVIET MEMBER PD ON ONE SIX DECEMBER ONE
NINE FOUR SIX CMA A REQUEST WAS RECEIVED FROM THE SOVIET MEMBER OF THE
ALLIED COUNCIL FOR CLEARANCE INTO JAPAN FOR TWO BISHOPS OF THE ORTHODOX
CHURCH FROM RUSSIA TOGETHER WITH A SECRETARY CMA VASILIIY MIHAILOVICH
SOKOLOV CMA THIS REQUEST WAS ALLEGEDLY BASED ON A TWO FOLD WRITTEN APPEAL
FROM THE LOCAL CHURCH TO THE MOST HOLY ALEXII CMA PATRIARCH OF MOSCOW AND
OF ALL RUSSIA PD THERE WAS NO KNOWLEDGE IN THIS HEADQUARTERS OF SUCH AN
APPEAL CMA HOWEVER CMA IN VIEW OF WHAT APPEARED TO BE AN INCONSISTENCY IN
THE DESIRES OF THE JAPANESE ORTHODOX CHURCH CMA A REPRESENTATIVE OF THIS
HEADQUARTERS MET WITH RANKING OFFICIALS OF THIS CHURCH TO DETERMINE THE
TRUE SITUATION PD THIS CONFERENCE REVEALED THAT THE CONSISTORY OF THE CHURCH
WAS A DEMOCRATICALLY ELECTED BODY CMA THAT THE DECISION TO REQUEST AN
AMERICAN BISHOP WAS MADE UNANIMOUSLY AT A CONFERENCE HELD IN APRIL ONE NINE
FOUR SIX CMA REPRESENTATION AT THIS CONFERENCE WAS ONE DELEGATE TO EACH
FIFTY PARISHIONERS PD CHURCH OFFICIALS STATE THAT THEY WERE QUOTE UTTERLY
OPPOSED UNQUOTE TO THE INTRODUCTION OF A BISHOP FROM THE UNCLE SUGAR SUGAR
ROGER PD THEY SAID PRESSURE WAS BEING FELT FROM THE SOVIET MISSION HERE
CMA BUT THAT THIS QUOTE PRESSURE WAS UNSEEN UNQUOTE BECAUSE IT WAS EXERTED
THROUGH MEMBERS OF THE LOCAL WHITE RUSSIAN COMMUNITY PD UNQUOTE SINCE THE
POSSIBILITY OF UNAUTHORIZED PRESSURE FROM MEMBERS OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES

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DATE: 1 FEBRUARY 1947

FROM : SCAP

TO : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT) ROUTINE PAREN CONTD PAREN

WAS SENSED CMA THE SCAP REPRESENTATIVE CAREFULLY QUESTIONED THE CHURCH OFFICIALS IN AN EFFORT TO DETECT ANY SUCH POSSIBILITY PD THIS QUESTIONING RESULTED IN A STATEMENT BY CHURCH OFFICIALS THAT UNITED STATES MEMBERS OF THE OCCUPATION FORCES WERE PARTICIPATING IN CHURCH ACTIVITIES BUT WERE IN NO WAY EXERTING PRESSURE OR CAUSING INTERFERENCE PD CHURCH OFFICIALS THEN EXPRESSED A FEAR OF VIOLENCE UPON THE ARRIVAL OF THE BISHOP FROM THE UNITED STATES PD THEY WERE ASSURED OF SCAP'S PROTECTION PD AS A RESULT OF THIS CONFERENCE AND THE WRITTEN PROTEST RECEIVED FROM THE CHURCH CMA REPLY WAS MADE TO REQUEST OF SOVIET MEMBER THAT QUOTE THE WILL OF THE JAPANESE CONGREGATION APPEARS TO BE CLEARLY EXPRESSED IN THE REQUEST TO THIS HEADQUARTERS FOR A BISHOP FROM THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES AND IN THE PROTEST UNQUOTE REFERRED TO ABOVE PD QUOTE IN VIEW OF THE FOREGOING THE REQUESTED CLEARANCE WILL NOT BE GRANTED PD UNQUOTE IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOVIET MEMBER'S REQUEST CMA IT IS BELIEVED BY INTELLIGENCE SOURCES HERE THAT THE SECRETARY CMA VASILY MIHAILOVICH SOKOLOV CMA MAY BE THE SOVIET AGENT WHO ACCOMPANIED AN ORTHODOX BISHOP TO THE UNITED STATES IN ONE NINE FOUR FIVE WHEN THE RUSSIAN CHURCH ATTEMPTED TO ASSUME DOMINATION OF THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN NORTH AMERICA PD NO ACCURATE INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE CONCERNING THE ALLEGED TWO FOLD WRITTEN APPEAL TO THE MOSCOW PATRIARCH BUT INFORMAL INFORMATION INDICATES ONE SUCH REQUEST WAS MADE BY FOUR LOCAL WHITE RUSSIANS TO THE SOVIET MEMBER REPRESENTING THEMSELVES AS EXPRESSING THE DESIRES OF THE CHURCH PD BISHOP BENJAMIN OF THE DIOCESE OF PITTSBURG

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

DATE: 1 FEBRUARY 1947

FROM : SCAP

TO : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPARTMENT) ROUTINE PAREN CONTD PAREN

AND WEST VIRGINIA ARRIVED IN TOKYO ON SEVEN JANUARY WITHOUT INCIDENT AND
IS ASSISTING THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN THE STATUS OF A REPRESENTATIVE MIS-
SIONARY AS ESTABLISHED IN OURAD ZEBRA XRAY TWO SIX ONE TWO THREE PD THE
INTELLIGENCE SECTION OF THIS HEADQUARTERS HAS SUSPECTED FOR SOME TIME THAT
THE ORTHODOX CHURCH IN JAPAN WITH SOME FOUR ZERO ONE ZERO ZERO ZERO MEMBERS
HAD BEEN SELECTED TO BE THE CENTER OF SOVIET PROPAGANDA AND INTELLIGENCE PD
SINCE PREPARATION FOREGOING MESSAGE YOUR WAR SUGAR VICTOR CHARLIE EIGHT
FIVE TWO EIGHT HAS BEEN RECEIVED PD

OFFICIAL:

Approved by:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel AGD
Adjutant General

W. A. BEIDERLINDEN
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Brigadier General, GSC
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M/R: Approved by the Chief of Staff.



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[STATE FEB 47]

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ROUTINE

1 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)

DECLASSIFIED PER DA CIRC. #
23 DEC. 53



TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR THE POLITICAL ADVISER)

NR : WAR SVC 8546, (STATE SERIAL 16 JAN 30, 7 PM) (DTG 3101045 Z)

Pertinent section Williams speech (urtel 20, Jan 29) follows:

"Since May 8, and particularly within the past few months, the respective commands in Korea have received numerous petitions from Korean individuals and organizations of all kinds urging resumption of negotiations with a view to carrying out the terms of the Moscow Agreement. Should this sentiment develop sufficient force, it may become a substantial basis upon which the US and USSR could resume negotiations and carry out their commitments, which in the end would furnish Koreans the opportunity to realize the independence they so profoundly cherish. Koreans, being realists, subscribe to a proverb, current in Korea, to the effect that 'it is better to have a small light than curse the darkness.'

In reconsidering the Moscow Agreement now, they may feel that two significant phrases, perhaps overlooked at first, provide the 'small light' dispelling their objections to trusteeship. The first is the definition of the word 'trusteeship' as the act of 'helping and assisting the political, economic, and social progress of the Korean people, the development of democratic self-government, and the establishment of the national independence of Korea.' The second, and perhaps more immediately significant phrase is that which contemplates a 4-power trusteeship for a limited time only,

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FROM: WASHINGTON NR: WAR SVC 8546 1 Feb 47 CONT'D

namely, 'for a period of up to 5 year.'

The fact is becoming more widely understood in Korea that the Allies, who made great sacrifices in breaking the power of Japan over them, are, unlike the Japanese before them, committed by the Moscow Agreement to a limited period of control. They are also conscious of the fact that this period of control should not be a dead loss. There is too much to be accomplished in throwing off the effects of 40 years of isolation from the rest of the world."

Full text forwarded air pouch Jan 30.

MARSHALL

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

NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for redispach to CG XXIV CORPS (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER) for info.

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TOO: 310545/Z
MCN: YA 85/31

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1 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCFE (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR POLAD)
NR : WAR SVC 8567 (DTG 010318 Z) (STATE CIR JAN 31, 5 PM)

Upon reconsideration Dept now holds that naturalized citizens of US who intended return to US before Oct 15 last but were prevented from doing so by action authorities of countries in which they resided did not lose citizenship under Sect 404 Nationality Act but that those whose failure to return this country before Oct 15 was due to other exigencies such as inability obtain transportation or have their passport applications considered because of understaffing FONSERV Offices will have to be regarded as having lost US citizenship unless and until Congress gives retroactive extension period specified in Sect 409 Nationality Act or otherwise amends such Act to take care such cases. Matter will be brought to attention of Congress. Meantime in your discretion extend unofficial good offices for protection such persons in cases which appear to be meritorious while at same time avoiding so far as possible discussion their legal status with authorities in country of residence or giving assurance to such persons Congress will extend period in question or otherwise amend Nationality Act for their benefit.

In view foregoing persons coming within categories (1) or (4) CIRTEL Oct 11, 1946 can no longer be recognized or documented as American citizens.

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT), NR: WAR SVC 8567 (DTG 010318 Z)
(STATE CIR JAN 31, 5 PM) 1 FEB 47 CONT'D

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for
redispatch to CG XXIV Corps (POLAD) for action.



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TOO: 010806 Z

MCN: YA 102/01

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ROUTINE

1 Feb 47

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)
TO : CINCFE (PASS FOLLOWING TO YOKOHAMA BR, OFF OF US
POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)
NR : WAR SVC 8566 (RELAYS DTG 010318 Z) (STATE CIR JAN 31,
5 PM)

Upon reconsideration Dept now holds that naturalized citizens of US who intended return to US before Oct 15 last but were prevented from doing so by action authorities of countries in which they resided did not lose citizenship under Sect 404 Nationality Act but that those whose failure to return this country before Oct 15 was due to other exigencies such as inability obtain transp or have their passport applications considered because of understaffing FONSERV Offices will have to be regarded as having lost US citizenship unless and until Congress gives retroactive extention period specified in Sect 409 Nationality Act or otherwise amends such Act to take care such cases. Matter will be brought to attn of Congress. Meantime in your discretion extend unofficial good offices for protection such persons in cases which appear to be meritorious while at same time avoiding so far as possible discussion their legal status with authorities in country of residence or giving assurance to such persons Congress will extend period on question or otherwise amend Nationality Act for their benefit. In view foregoing persons coming within categories (1) or (4) CIRTEL Oct 11, 1946 can no longer be recognized or documented as

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FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT) NR : WAR SVC 8566 (RELAYS DTG 010318 Z)
(STATE CIR JAN 31 CMM 5 PM) DTD : 1 FEB 47 CONT'D

American citizens.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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1 Feb 47

FROM : WASHINGTON
TO : CINCFE
NR : WAR SVC 8549 (RELAYS MESSAGE DTG 310610/Z FROM:
MIL ATTACHE MANILA TO MILID)

Ref msg nbr 8 dtd 29 Jan related thereto is following
Embtel dtd 29 Jan signed McNutt:

"Manila Tribune headlines report that Malacanan is circularizing peoples court judges in effort to gather support for an executive proclamation of amnesty for political collaborators. Yesterday Roxas told embassy representative informally that (1) He, Roxas, had no intention of granting executive amnesty to collaborators, that (2) he had no intention of taking any action until Supreme Court ruled on moot questions of suspended sovereignty, and that (3) he would at no time take overt action without previous expressed approval of Congress and of people in Plebiscite. Press report is based on rumors circulating widely here, which in turn is probably based on activities of individuals close to Roxas but who do not represent Roxas' own wishes or intentions."

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ACTION: G-2

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

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TOO: 310925/Z
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