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28 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC

NR : 272016 Z (RELAYS MSG FROM SIAM TRUE TOO 271415 Z FOR DA)
(STATE SV 40 FEB 27, 2 PM SIGNED ACHESON) (POL FROM
BANGKOK SENT DEPT AS 157, FEB 27, 3 PM)

1. Very little firing during past 3 hr fol truce at 10 AM. Marines now beginning to withdraw guns and patrols indicating understanding some sort reached.

2. While Admiral Tahan disclaims political implications Marine participation last night's events, seems almost certain his forces involved in attempt Pridi fol seize power. Proclamation broadcast over radio last night was in name King. Proclamation dismissed Phibun Govt and Generals Kack, Pin and Phao (Nov 8 Coup leaders) and appointed Direk, Admiral Tahan, Admiral Sang-warn and others as Cabinet Minister and also ordered return to original 1933 Constitution. My guess is that plot misfired because of failure of at least some elements Army and whole of Navy to take effective action in support of Marines who apparently left "holding the bag".

3. Dept please pass War Navy soonest.

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ACTION : G-2

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

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FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC

NR : 272003 Z (RELAY MSG FROM SIAM TRUE TOO 271515 Z TO
DEPT OF NAVY. ATTN LIEUT COMDR CUSHMAN) (STATE SWC 37
FEB 27, NOON SIGNED AGNESON) (POL RELAY FROM BANGKOK
SENT DEPT AS 158, FEB 27, 6 PM)

1. Announced over Government radio this afternoon
Army and Navy agreed establish joint committee investigate
"incident" involving shooting of 7 Marine officers and that
committee should report its findings soon as possible to
Phibun Cabinet.

2. Learn very confidentially that: Admiral Sindh,
Commander-in-Chief Navy definitely directed Navy operations
last night but this morning about 10 AM ordered Admiral
Tahan and Marines cease fire. This very displeasing to
Tahan who feels Sindh got cold feet and that Phibun
politically outmaneuvered him. Also learns in strict con-
fidence some of civilians involved in this Fridt-inspired
plot very upset because not informed by Sindh course
events. They now very apprehensive being arrested.

3. City quiet virtually normal."

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ACTION : G-2

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3, AG,
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TO: [Faint text]

URGENT RELAY FROM BANGKOK TO THE OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
RE: [Faint text] RELAY FROM BANGKOK
SENT 11/27 05 17Z, 11/27 05 17Z

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28 Feb 49

FROM : ECA MISSION KOREA

TO : STATE DEPT

INFO : SCAP

NR : 280740 Z (195 28TH)

Following text speech to be delivered by President Syngman Rhee Mar 1 on occasion Sam Il Day:

"We are assembled here today to commemorate the 'March Movement', the passive revolution of 1919. This is the 30th Anniversary of that significant event. It is the more significant in view of the fact that this is the first time we celebrate this day after the establishment of the New Republic of Korea.

"We owe our birth, or rather our rebirth as the Republic of Korea to the UN in general and to US in particular. We never tire of saying that we are grateful to our friends and to our own people whose unselfish love for democracy made their contribution towards the restoration of this independent nation.

"Thirty years ago today the 33 leaders representing the 13 provinces of Korea gathered together secretly, signed the Declaration of Independence and announced to the world the birth of a Republic of Korea. The circumstances under which they found the courage to do all this were no less difficult than the situation under which the signers of the American Declaration of Independence labored 143 years before. Love for freedom and independence knows no limitations. The spirit

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that inspired the fathers of the American revolution in 1776 inspired the fathers of the Korean independence in 1919.

"The republic we are building together is less than a year old but in fact it is already 30 years old. It is not a govt established by American Mil Govt since the VJ Day. We recall all the efforts made by the United States to make the rebirth of this republic possible. Meanwhile, we must remember also that the republic was born in the hearts of the Korean people who were inspired by the principles of American democracy long before this.

"For the first two years after the liberation uncertain policy of America made us almost helpless in our struggle against Communism. The new policy declared by President Truman brought to Korea a new hope.

"The world today is caught up in a gigantic struggle for existence between the two conflicting ideologies, Communism and Democracy. Sooner or later the struggle will be settled by a victory of either one or the other. The longer this cold war continues the stronger will the aggressors become. In fact Democracy cannot successfully cope with the world situations in face of the persistent, ruthless pushing power of the Communists everywhere. It is an epidemic, against the continued spread of which no mighty army or wealth can do anything. Every man and woman must take a firm stand and fight continually for the democratic principles and institutions. And democracies in the world must stand together in their defense. But the danger lies in the fact that democracies being individualistic and not totalitarian in principle will drop out one by one when the danger of war appears imminent. That is how the Kellogg Pact and other similar international agreements including the League of Nations covenants proved to be scraps of paper. Therefore, if the Western democracies cannot hold together for collective security they will have to go through once again the experience of the last two wars in which everyone suffered."

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

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27 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : CSJSA

REF : 261502 Z 26 SENT DEPT XOUJ HT RPTD TOKYO 13 26 (MOSUOW)

Investiyas internatl themes sect Feb 26 devotes 1 Col.

New Jap Govt which hailed most obedient to US Army
postwar Jap Govt. Mentioning "trial balloon" sent
recently by Royall who states US troops intended leave
Japan sooner or later, article says Royall merely aims
to test Jap press what it will remain and thus expedite total
Democratic measures and conversion Japan into PE areas
besides US Imperialism. Kohler.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, AG,
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FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (USPOLAD)
NR : 270332 Z (RELAYS MSG TRUE TOO 270107 Z) (STATE REFLAY
SVC : FEB 26 8 PM SIGNED ACHESON) (RELAY FROM NEW DELHI
SERV DEPT 239 FEB 26 10 AM)

Indian Airline Bharat Airways granted concession start regular service between Calcutta and Shanghai. Proving flight leaving Calcutta Mar 1 for Bangkok, Saigon, Hong Kong and Shanghai but may omit latter due unsettled conditions. Indian Govt has asked permission flight proceed Hong Kong-Tokyo direct about Mar 3. Director Civil Aviation who will be on flight has asked Embassy to support Indian request for proving flight to enter Tokyo. Recommend approval if convenient.
Depz please relay SCAP Tokyo signed Acheson

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ACTION : G-4

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
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26 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : CSUSA
REF : 260321 Z (TRUE TOO 260058 Z) (STATE SERIAL 57 FEB 25,
7 PM)

Margherita Strahler, Swiss citizen, rep ICFE expected arrive Tokyo about Mar 1. Army has applied this fund for aid Jap children and Miss Strahler has been designated its rep to make initial survey Japan. If you perceive no objection give her all appropriate assistance in her desire talk with interested authorities.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC
INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, AG,
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No. 58, February 26, 1949.

Reference Department's 65 February 24 and Nanking's 415 repeated Tokyo as 20 February 18.

While appreciating Nanking's observations concerning possibility Okamura case becoming potentially embarrassing to U. S., we feel that this reasoning is in part based upon lack of knowledge full facts regarding transfer Tokyo 251 Japanese war criminals and additional nine acquitted Japanese (including Okamura).

Basically, question of transfer war criminals from China arose pursuant to request by Chinese Government through Chinese Mission in Japan. When agreement reached between SCAP and Chinese Mission, repatriation vessel was despatched to Shanghai with instructions bring to Japan convicted war criminals. Chinese authorities in Shanghai requested permission also repatriate Okamura and eight additional acquitted Japanese. Officer in charge on repatriation vessel requested instruction in premises, and was given permission by radio also accept Okamura and his acquitted companions as repatriates.

Entire operation was based upon written agreement entered into between SCAP and Chinese Mission which provided in part that when Japanese were accepted on board repatriation vessel responsibility of Chinese Government would cease. Okamura and acquitted companions were released unconditionally as acquitted persons to repatriation vessel and thus came under SCAP's sole jurisdiction as ordinary repatriates.

It therefore appears to us, in absence of any limitation upon SCAP's authority to take custody of Japanese under discussion, that SCAP, as sole executive authority for the Allied Powers, was henceforth sole determinant regarding their custody or release as might be appropriate.

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Basic Rad SCAP to DA, 26 Feb.49

We believe that grave injustice would be done by adoption of the ex post facto proposition that Okamura and his acquitted companions should now be returned to Chinese jurisdiction by reason of a principle of Chinese law which seeks to eradicate an acquittal by a duly constituted court, under the theory of review of court's findings by higher authority.

We believe SCAP would be placed in an untenable position were he to allow these acquitted individuals to be used as political footballs on the basis of demands made by Chinese Communists who obviously are fanning this incident for political purposes.

The decision here, in which we entirely concur, is that the Okamura case is closed and that to reopen the matter on the basis of Communist propaganda would merely serve to further the ends of the Communists not only in China but elsewhere as well.

This matter has been fully discussed with General MacArthur who has seen and concurs in this telegram.

Department may wish repeat this telegram Nanking.

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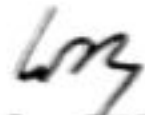
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M/R: Above message approved by Chief of
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26 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : OMO HESSE (ISD), LSO FRANKFURT (ISD), OMO WB (ISB),
OMO BREMEN (ISD), OMO BAVARIA (ISD, NEUE ZEITUNG),
OMGUS REAR (ISD, AM INFO BUREAU), CG USAREUR (PID,
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DANUBE NETWORK), CG TRUST (AIS, PID), CINCPAC (C I & E,
PID, STARS AND STRIPES, FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFIK
(CIB), DA (CAD, ID, OUS, PO, SGS, CI, LLD, T I & E,
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NR : 260233 Z (PASSES MSG DTG 252208 Z FROM STATE DEPT)
(STATE RELAY SVC 130, FEB 25, SIGNED ACHESON)
(OVERNIGHT GUIDANCE 074 FEB 25, 4 PM POR INP, IBD)

Overnight Guidance 074 (Report Nbr 147) on State Dept (OII)
treatment of major current issues (material designed for guidance
of media addressed to indigenous populations).

1. Council for Europe.

The 4 day session beginning today at Brussels to discuss
proposals for a union of European states should receive sym-
pathetic treatment within the framework of US policies. Recall
statements by Mr Acheson and others during the Congressional
hearings on ECA that the US looks sympathetically on idea of
political union in Europe but will not tell the Europeans what
to do. The work of OEEC under the tutelage of ECA is promoting
economic union, a necessary preliminary for political rapproche-
ment. The projected North Atlantic Pact is designed to provide
and guarantee the stability and freedom from fear of aggression
which creates a climate favorable to development of political
union.

2. Trusteeship Council.

A committee of experts draft resolution to establish rules
of procedure for Trusteeship Council (prepared more than a year
ago) may come up for consideration in Security Council Feb 28.
Our position is:

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The charter and trusteeship agreement divide responsibilities for strategic areas between the SC and TC. The question of rules of procedure obviously is a procedural question. It would be well to have rules of procedure established, but there is no need so urgent that it would be desirable to adopt them over the objections of a minority in the SC. We think major members of SC should be in agreement, and have thought consultation should iron out differences of opinion; still more consultation is desirable if disagreement still exists. Filing of the US report on its handling of the strategic Pacific areas with Secy Gen is in line with the spirit of arrangements so far made and in no way prejudices any future decision on courses of procedure.

We should refrain from agitating for action and make clear the reasonable attitude we take in full voluntary agreement thru consultations.

3. Eastern and Central Europe.

Apropos of trials currently going on in Bulgaria, continue keep alive campaign against concerted anti religious moves of Cominform states in line with previous guidance. While giving good coverage to condemnatory reviews of Communist actions in Czechoslovakia since the coup, do not refer to the group in the US as a govt in exile or even as a provisional group designed to assume such powers. Denials by Soviet officials of intentions to withdraw troops from Germany should be treated as confirmation of the line we have consistently followed, namely that all such rumored Soviet withdrawals were strictly for propaganda purposes.

4. Japan.

In view of recent conflicting reports about US policy toward Japan following summary of current US policy is condensed from a telegram which has been circulated to various embassies, for your background and guidance:

"The US has accepted primary responsibility for mil occupation in Japan and continues its interest in sound, progressive transformation from war to peace conditions in the Pacific. Japanese economic difficulties impose another demand upon US resources. A sound Japanese economy is basic to restoring peace in Japan. The Japanese must exert every effort themselves to regain self supporting status and to aid

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world recovery. The US will not permit Japan to become victim of insidious aggression and infiltration which thrives upon economic chaos. The return of normal govt and social conditions in Japan is indispensable to progress. US will maintain its leadership in this recovery and will discharge its military responsibilities."

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NR : 250228 Z (STATE SVC 131 Feb 24, 5 PM SGD ACHESON)

Overnight Guidance 073. Report Nbr 147 on State Dept OII (Treatment of major current issues). Material is designed for guidance of Media addressed to indigenous populations.

Overnight Guidance Nbr 073 Feb 24, 49 4:00 PM.

1. Point IV

Mr Thorp's speech setting forth US thinking on Pres Truman's Inaugural Speech proposals for technical assistance in scheduled for delivery at ECOSOC either late today or early Friday, 25 Feb. The principal theme is to lay the broad program before the UN for consideration and recommendation of the special agencies before proceeding to specific steps toward implementation of the program. The following points should be emphasized through our media:

A. The program could be worked out through international cooperation primarily through the UN.

B. We do not envisage fixed patterns dividing countries into primarily manufacturing or raw-material producing or agricultural, but we see the program adapted to local needs with full consideration of local cultural and traditional differences of

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occupation as well as consideration of available resources.

C. The US places primary emphasis on the self-help angle, utilizing the local labor, local finance and local enterprises to its fullest before adding foreign investment and technical skills.

D. Stable political conditions and stable currencies are essential to provide an international flow of capital to encourage increased production.

E. The maj portion of this project will be accomplished through private capital under the guardianship of the UN and the contracting governments to safeguard against exploitation in the imperialist sense.

F. Continue to avoid delimiting the areas in order not to affix the odium of under-development by pointing out that the variety of the program envisaged will permit wide participation at all levels.

2. Atlantic Pact.

The statements of Lange before the Norwegian Parliament stressing the peaceful intent and the security aspects of the pact fit in well with our general program. Full use should also be made of the speech which Mr Jessup delivered at Yale, clearly differentiating between the present efforts at collective security and future possibilities of world govt. The Austin speech in the Vermont Legislature should also be drawn upon for material along the same lines.

3. Heirs to the Nazis.

In view of Soviet propoganda that the western Powers are pursuing the reactionary policies of the Nazis we should look for evidence of their adoption of Nazi techniques and devices. Two recent examples of such are readily at hand.

A glance at the map will reveal the absurdity of the Soviet claim that they are in danger of encirclement by the Capitalist Countries. While Nazi Germany could use this line with some plausibility, the different geography of the USSR makes this patently absurd.

A 2d example is provided by the Feb 1 issue of the Rumanian Govt Gazette which mentions a new decree regarding the marriage of Rumanian army pers. Article 3 provides that official approval of marriage will be given only after invest-

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FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (USPOLAD)
INFO : CSUSA
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Steering committee MTG on Feb 16, 49 cancelled. Pol summary
FEC MTG Feb 18, 49:

Economic stabilization in Japan (FEC-329/3)

US reply Soviet statement Feb 3, 49 transmitted to SCAP by
DA Feb 17, 49. USSR Member made lengthy statement in which he
reiterated charge US directive Dec 10 48 changed regime of
control in Japan and that it's issuance in evasion of FEC constituted
violation terms reference FEC. He referred to US refusal accept
Soviet proposals that no limitation be imposed on development
peaceful Japanese industry on grounds it served no useful pur-
pose since Soviet proposals in substance rpts FEC policy decisions.
He alleged that US attempt unilaterally and in evasion of FEC
to force upon Japan it's econ program was inconsistent with
earlier position and in contradiction FEC policy decisions.
He stated such actions could be explained by intention of US to
subject Jap economy to interests Amer monopolistic groups.

He further alleged that contrary stated US intent create
econ environment "in which democratization can take place"
creation of governmental committee in revision of labor laws which
is preparing for forthcoming session Diet bills for revision of
labor union law and labor relations adjustment law aimed at
introducing compulsory arbitration for "peaceful" settlement
labor disputes and carrying out other measures, was clearly
directed toward limitation democratic rights of Jap working
people. He added that Labor Dept and Econ Stabilization Board

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were preparing establish strict control over wages workers and employees and maximum wage level which would clearly lead to further deterioration already very low standard living of Jap working people. He also pointed out that it was reported in Jap press that "rationalization" Jap enterprises by US Occupation Authorities and Jap Govt would be accompanied by mass discharges of workers and would lead to great increase in unemployment. It was also his view US is pursuing in Japan policy of it's own, directed towards preservation and strengthening large Jap concerns which played great part in aggression carried out by Jap militarists, in support of which he cited measures to revise Anti Trust Law and refusal US to discuss FEC-230.

He further noted that attempts Jap Govt stimulate development export industry by means Govt subsidies had met with opposition on part US Occupation Authorities and cited this as evidence intention US to close outlet Jap goods to export market in order create privileged conditions for Amer monopolies and that as result Japan's foreign trade indebtedness by Jun 48 amounted to huge sum 790 million dollars. SCAF Cir Jan 14, 49 is also cited as attempt US encroach on econ independence Japan. The Soviet Member concluded by:

- (1) Asking Comm to discuss problems set forth in directive,
- (2) Pressing US provide FEC with comprehensive info concerning fulfillment by Gen MacArthur of policies FEC on econ questions--particularly regarding reduction Jap industrial war potential,
- (3) Supporting proposals other members in respect necessity accelerating adoption by Comm of decisions on level of econ life text of statement almost immed released to press level of economic life in Japan. (FEC-242/32 and FEC 297/10) USSR member urged US present position in near future policy towards patents, utility models and designs (FEC 284/14) vote on Chi Amendment postponed as USSR did not have instrs other business.

UK Member called to atten Comm that problem review Jap Constitution still before committee III and that it was still duty Comm to see if Constitution fulfilled terms Potsdam Declaration and FEC policy decisions. He suggested that attempt be made to point out defects but not to prescribe detailed remedies. He

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therefore proposed committee III be reconvened and that summary
it's discussions be sent to SCAP for comment. Austral Member
associated himself with these views. He added that Japanese
should be encouraged take interest in their Constitution and
that views committee might afford possible guidance for them. It
was agreed committee III would meet early fol wk.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

ADDED DIST : GOVT, ECON & SCI (25 Feb 49)

ADDED DIST : CIV PROP CUST (25 Feb 49)

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NOV : 98711

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(2) (3), and 60-A (1) (2) (3) (4), AR 380-5, 6 March 1946. COPY No.

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25 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT

TO : SCAP (USPOLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : 250149 Z (MSG TRUE TOO 250022 Z) (STATE SERIAL 65 FEB 24,
7 PM SGD ACHESON) (SENT TOKYO 65 RPTD NANKING 264 SHANGHAI
350 CANTON 82)

In light info contained ur A-34 Feb 11 reqst ur views and
those SJAP re recommendations final.

Nankings 415 Feb 18 rptd Tokyo 20. Telcon 28.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

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MCN : 93709

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per paragraphs 51i and 60a, AR 380-5.

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25 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (USPOLAD)

NR : 242110 Z (RELAYS MSG FROM STATE DEPT TRUE TOO 92241544 2)
(STATE SV 86 FEB 24, 10 AM SIGNED ACHESON) (FOLLOWING
FROM COLOMBO SENT DEPT AS 49, FEB 23, 11 PM)

"Permanent Secretary Ministry Foreign Affairs Viathia Nathan intimates Ceylon has no objection in principle to MFW protocol Japan (DEPCIRTEL Feb 11, 3 PM) has strongly hinted GOC to use signature protocol as bargaining weapon with British in forthcoming sterling negotiations and trade talks (EMBTEL 43 Feb 16). GOC does not agree with UK about Japanese MFW protocol as Ceylon anxious to obtain cheap Japanese textiles and other consumer goods. Viathia Nathan represented Ceylon Nov last meeting London Conference on MFW treatment for Japan.

"Single yen rate not believed essential prerequisite to get acceptance Protocol. Possible GOC signature not likely before Jul.

"Ceylon not yet signed sterling agreement with Japan since Ceylon trade with Japan is now in sterling and GOC wants barter agreement which claimed not acceptable Japanese authorities.

"Sent Dept; rptd Tokyo. Signed Cole."

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

ADDED DIST : ECON & SCI (26 Feb 49)

NOTE: DEPCIRTEL Feb 11 and EMBTEL 43 are not of record in this hq.

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MCN : 92703



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25 Feb 45

FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (USFOLD), 04
NR : 251140 Z (DELAY FR MOROCCO 25TH SENT DEPT 167 DEPT PASS
"POLY")

Twelve and one-half-column Tokyo Tass dispatch Sov Press
Feb 25 quotes Akahama's publication Jap C's statement re-
nouncing Yoshida cabinet's intention form "Japanese Activities
Commission." (Schler)

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REVISED 25 Feb 45

OPERATION : DIPLOMATIC

ADDITION : COMQUARTER IN CAMP, CHIEF OF STAFF, 0-3, 0-3,
EG, PUBLIC INFORMATION, GOVT, CIV A & E, USPOG

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DOC : 251140 Z
WFO : ADR 106/25



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25 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

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NR : 241951 Z (RELAYS MSG TRUE TOO 241326 Z FROM STATE DEPT)
(HW REENCIPHERMENT OF SRL 50, FEB 11, 11 AM SIGNED
ACHESON, WHICH TOKYO REPORTS MISSING)

"Following message sent Seoul as ECATO 181 repeated SCAP and USPOLAD 50.

"Your TOECA 36 to SCAP repeated Washington TOECA 213 asked for Japanese shipping services from SCAP for movement of Mukho coal to Pusan and Inchon. It is presumed from SCAP's reply rad CX 67703 stating no vessels available that SCAP was under impression your proposition was to bareboat Japanese ships to Korea.

"We agree that bareboat basis quite unacceptable. Our view acceptable basis would be for Japanese flag SCAJAP controlled ships to proceed on an individual voyage basis to carry coal Mukho to Pusan or Inchon and then return to Japan. SCAP would be reimbursed in dollars from ECA or Korean funds at for example 10¢ per deadweight ton per day for the nbr of days of the voyage.

"Protection of Japanese crews from molestation has a bearing on workability this arrangement and we suggest thought be given solution this problem to allay possible apprehension on part of SCAP."

ACTION : TRANSP

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG,
ECON & SCI, NAT RESOURCES, DIPLOMATIC, TOECA LO,
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TOO : 241951 Z
MCN : 93696

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FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC (FOR CI & E, PID, STARS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFIK (FOR CIB), OMG HESSE (FOR ISD), ISO FRANKFORT (FOR ISD), OMG WG (FOR ISB), OMG BREMEN (FOR ISD), OMG BAVARIA (FOR ISD AND NEUE ZEITUNG), OMGUS REAR (FOR ISD AND AN INFO BUREAU, CG USAREUR (FOR PID, TI AND AFN), EMB LONDON (FOR NEUE AUSLESSE), CG USFA (FOR ISB, PID, TI & E AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), CG TRUST (FOR AIS AND PID), DA (FOR CAD, ID, OUS, PO, SGS, CI, LLD, TI & E, PID)

NR : 240130 Z (REALYS MSG FR STATE DEPT DTG 232232 Z)
(STATE RELAY SV 85, FEB 23, 4 PM SGD ACHESON)

Overnight Guidance 072 (Report Nbrs 146) on State Dept (OII) treatment of major current issues (material is designed for guidance of media addressed to indigenous populations).

Overnight Guidance 072 Feb 23, 4 PM for INP, IED.

1. Austrian Treaty Negotiations (primarily for Austrian output).

In treating expected Yugoslav concessions at Thursday meeting, important we preserve our bargaining pos by not giving Yugoslavs excessive credit for modification of their extreme demands.

A. If Yugoslavs completely renounces territorial and reparations claims, we do give them full credit for removing 2 major obstacles to treaty. (Note: However, that outright transfer of Drau-Hydro Electric Works would involve territorial change which we oppose).

B. If Yugoslavia makes only partial concessions which seems most likely, restate our pos but without criticizing Yugoslavia too strongly. It is important bear in mind we do not want to make it too difficult for Yugoslavs to back down completely.

C. In view Austrian sensitivity over proposals of Slovene autonomy, best to fol Reber comments on this subj, if any, without speculation. (We oppose any special status which weakens Austrian sovereignty in area).

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FROM : DA NR : 240130 Z 24 FEB 49 CONTINUED: -----

D. If Soviets prove more uncompromising than Yugoslavs, resist temptation to prove that they do not desire treaty. We have little to gain at this point by exploiting Sov-Yugoslav differences over treaty. Express disappointment but remember that last word has not yet been spoken. Refer also Overnight Guidance 069 Feb 17.

2. The Atlantic Pact.

Although all reports indicate that Norway is fairly safely committed to joining the pact, we must not neglect the fact that within Norway, as well as other Western European Countries with large Socialist Parties, there is considerable gp whose misgivings about pact are based upon a fundamental misunderstanding of its objectives. They make no distinction between a drawing together for defensive purposes to prevent Sov aggression and aggressive coalition against the Sov Union. It is of course to the interests of the Sov Union to encourage this confusion. To dispel this illusion it would be useful to review the way in which Hitler was able to isolate the European States fr ea other and pick them off one at a time at his convenience. Fact that Sov Union is now beginning to blow the same propaganda horn about the danger of Capitalist encirclement serves to point up the comparison.

The Finnish Cabinet crisis should not be connected with the Atlantic Pact discussions in our output. The principal issues were internal, domestic political ones, on the surface at least. Our output should treat the developments there factually and sympathetically.

3. Communism's Weakness.

Statements by Thorez that Frenchmen would cooperate with Russians in event of war, and by Togliatti accusing Vatican of making common cause with Imperialists in a Holy Crusade against Communism should be turned to our advantage by exposing lack of natl feeling on part French Communists who a short time ago pretended be only true representatives of France's interests and the Anti-Christian character of entire movement which pledges its first allegiance to Moscow. These 2 points should contrast well with Sov theme of Non-Interference with Natl Sovereignty on occasion of Czech Coup Anniversary.

ACTION : DIV I & P

NO SIC

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

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FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC (FOR CIE, PID, STARS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFIK (FOR CIB), OMG HESSE (FOR ISD) LSO FRANKFURT (FOR ISD), OMG WB (FOR ISB), OMG BREMEN (FOR ISD), OMG BAVARIA (FOR ISD AND NEUE ZEITUNG), OMGUS REAR (FOR ISD AND AN INFC BUREAU), CG USARPAC (FOR PID, TI AND APN), RMB LONDON (FOR NEUE AUSLES), CG USFA (FOR ISB, PID, TIE AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), CG TRUST (FOR AIS AND PID), DA (FOR CAD, ID, OCS, PO, SGS, CI, LAD, VIE, PID)

NR : 231528 Z (PASSES MSG TRUE TOO 231545 Z FROM STATE DEPT) (STATE SVC 41, FEB 23, 49, SIGNED ACHESON)

Overnight guidance O71 (Report Nbr 145) on State Dept (OII) treatment of major current issues (material is designed for guidance of media addressed to indigenous populations).

Overnight guidance Nbr O71 Feb 21, 49, 4 PM.

Per INF, TED.

1. The Atlantic Pact. Developments over the weekend have tended to bring the Atlantic Pact discussions back into a proper perspective. Let's keep it there by emphasizing the basic issue that US public opinion and sentiment is overwhelmingly in support of using US strength both military and economic to back up the position which it has assumed since the war in support of the reconstruction of an independent European community. The details of the language of the pact and the mechanics by which this support will be committed are of secondary importance in comparison with the weight of the basic decision to play the role of champion of freedom and independence. We should avoid speculative stories about the President's discretionary powers under the Constitution and also keep our media out of the "kicking regarding Congress" prerogatives.

Stories which hint at US pressure on the Scandinavian countries to join the Atlantic Pact serve no useful purpose since they tend to obscure the more important fact that it

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FROM : DA, MR : 231928 Z, 24 FEB 49, CONTINUED

was originally Soviet pressure throughout Europe generally which caused the countries still remaining free to seek a free association with others in order to protect themselves from the fate which had over taken one country after another in Eastern Europe. The answers which Mr Lange gave his Parliament should serve to set the record straight on what questions he asked and what answers he got.

In reporting the official statement of the Soviets that they are strengthening their mil forces, review the small amount of reduction which they have undertaken since the end of the war and draw useful comparisons with the rapid disarmament of the West.

2. Religious persecution in Communist states. We should endeavor in our output to keep this issue on a gen level and not treat the various cases as isolated news stories. Point out that recent developments along this line in Poland, Hungary, Bulgaria and Czechoslovakia cannot have been accidental but reveal a concerted policy which, in the last analysis, stems from Moscow by way of Cominform. Emphasize the basic issue of freedom of conscience and point out that the Communist state cannot tolerate any allegiance to God or conviction which may not coincide with its own beliefs. The new Bulgarian Church Law, combined with the arrest of the Pastors, the Ministry case and new anti-church measures in Rumania indicate that the Kremlin has ordered and is coordinating an anti-church drive in the treaty satellites. The provisions of the Bulgarian law (CP wireless bulletin and VOA for full and correct version) should be extensively carried and commented on to all areas.

3. Lend-lease. The arrival of the trailer Milwaukee expected some time this week on its return from loan to the Soviet Union might be used as a news peg to recall the extent of mil aid which we gave to the Russians in their fight against the Germans.

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ACTION : CIV I & E

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

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MOM : 93635

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23 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC, CINCPAC, CG USARPAC, COMNAVWESPAC

NR : 230415 (RELAYS MSG FROM STATE DEPT DTG 230121 Z)
(STATE SVC 1 FEB 23 SIGNED ACHESON) (RELAY FROM
BATAVIA SENT DEPT AS 190, FEB 22, 9 AM RPTD ARMY,
NAVY, AIR AS UNNUM MSG "AMADJA 144")

This rad in 3 parts.

Part 1. North Sumatra: In Tandjoengpoera Area Dutch policy to not cross status quo line and only defend positions if attacked. Guerrillas located between Atjeh Border and Genting active. One night attack with mortars, machine guns on Dutch post at Gebang this month. Convoys are still being attacked on Kemandjake-Laubalang road and latter not visited by mil observers. Guerrillas located east and west of Laubalang. Food, clothing and medical improved in Sidikalang town but not elsewhere. Crops reported good. Despite Dutch clearing actions west of road Balige-Sibolga east of road Taroetoeng-Pandangsidempuan and around latter town guerrillas occupy the remainder Tapanoeli.

In Alahan guerrillas reported in marshes south of Tandjungbalai and hills south of Kotapinang Baru but are not active at present. Poor, penniless estate workers in this area pleased at Dutch action because improvement in food situation.

Central Sumatra: On 3 Feb Dutch attacked force of 110 Republicans about 10 km south of Solok. Dutch troops occupied Painan on 1 Feb moving both by sea and land. Incidents include officer wounded on road Sitjintjin-Pandjang 1 Feb 1 EW killed

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South Sumatra: Reported all quiet though Dutch authorities state mopping up of armed gangs (former TNI often led by Japanese officers) continues in mountainous areas Djambi Benkoelen Lampong districts.

Central Java: Continued guerrilla activity reported in vicinity Keboeman, Poerworedjo, Magelang and east and SE slopes of Slamet mountain but Bandjarnegara-Wonosobo are reported orderly and conditions improving. Activity Siliwangi Division Region Boemiajoe decreased by continued infiltration division to West Java. Guerrillas active west Solo and on south slope the Merapi. On 9 Feb Solo itself was infiltrated with sniping posts and V Brigade Hq. On 11 Feb Dutch retaliated on Bekonang with artillery fire. About 1/4 bridges in Solo Area damaged since 1 Feb. Economic conditions improving in Solo.

Djocja Area: Sentolo half deserted. All public buildings and entire Chinese quarter destroyed. Town of Pedes and Jalasan totally destroyed and uninhabited. Rail and highway bridges west Kalasan severely damaged. However, in Prambanan little damage and returning to normal. Dutch occupied Kotagede 3 Feb. In Djocja vicinity activity in fields and towns decrease progressively the further one goes from Djocja. However, from Semarang south to former Republican Area field work normal. In Djocja business possibly 35% normal. Most stores open but little merchandise. No ox carts on street so very little produce comes from farms. Although Dutch indicate Republican currency will not be valued Rapias continue-wide circulation and rate is 80 to 1 guilder. Schools closed because teachers refuse cooperation with Dutch. Sultan Djocja and generally all but very few minor former Republican officials firm in refusal work for Dutch. Dutch will claim have documentary evidence "terrorists" plan killing of more mil observers to demonstrate inability Dutch protect them. Dutch concerned that

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mil observers not leave Djocja except escorted and that they remain out southern part city altogether. This may be effort immobilize mil observers. Guerrilla incidents continue including ambushes, road mines and sniping, bridge and building destruction. Nanggoelan still occupied by Republican trps.

Kediri Area: Along road from former status quo line through Djombang conditions improved. Villages south Djombang to Kediri deserted because of movement guerrillas in area. Extensive rifle and mortar fire during mil observers stay in Kediri and Blitar some due to nervous sentries. Btry 25 pounders observed firing from Toeloengagoeng supporting Inf sweep west town believe location larger Republican gun which shelled town. Guerrilla activity as in Djocja area and increasing. Mil observers in convoys exposed to dangers road mines and sniping. This team convoy fired on 4 places and detonated 1 mine between Toeloengagoeng and Blitar

East Java: From Babat to Bondjonegoro towns 20% destroyed and completely deserted. In Bondjonegoro itself 20% destruction and 60% population absent. Pandangan and Ngawi are 40% deserted and all 4 bridges between these towns had been destroyed 3 having been replaced with baileys. Convoy delay of 5 hrs on 13 Feb due to bridge destruction and road obstruction reported by mil observers at point 40 km east Madioen. The Area Grisse, Lamongan, Babat, Bondjonegoro shows agricultural deterioration due absence workers. At Blitar, Tuban and Madiun food shortage considerable. Malang mil observers have not reported. Remainder east Java not observed.

Part 2. Maj John A Simmons Jr. A046581 replacement for Lt Col P C Pay arrived 18 Feb. Lt Col Pay departed 19 Feb for Clark AFB. Brigadier Pryor, Australian senior mil observer arrived Batavia 17 Feb.

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Part 3. Dutch casualty release now adds 9 killed, 8 missing to previously announced, 23 killed in week 30 Jan to 5 Feb.

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R E V I S E D : (24 Feb 49)

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, DIPLOMATIC

ADDED DIST : G-2, G-3, AG, JSPOG (24 Feb 49)



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MCN : 93626

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

OUTGOING MESSAGE
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DATE : 25 February 49

TOO : 231021

FROM : SCAP

TO : CG USAFTH

NR : (2 - 41083)

Reurnsg Seoul Mission TOECA Tokyo Nbr 37 action pending reply soonest.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

R. M. LEVY
Colonel AGD
Adjutant General

W. F. MARQUAT
Major General, U.S.A.
Chief, ESS

Copies to : ESS

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22 Feb 49

FROM : US MISSION SEOUL

TO : STATE DEPT

INFO : SOAF

NR : 220448 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION NBR 180 TO DEPT RPTD
TOKYO 25 FEB 49)



Re: text UNCOK press release issue" Seoul 22:
at its 11th meeting held at Duk Soo Palace, Seoul, on 18
Feb, the UNCOK decided to request the Secretary-General of the UN
to transmit the following message to the Govt of the USSR:
The UNCOK, established by resolution of the GA 12 Dec 48
to lend its good offices to bring about the unification and com-
plete independence of Korea is now meeting at Seoul. 9 Feb 49
the Commission established a sub-committee specifically charged
with the task of making immediate contact with North Korea to
arrange visits there for the commission, its subsidiary bodies or
individual members with a view to breaking down existing barriers
between North and South Korea. The Commission wished to insure
transmission of its aims and purposes by every possible means.
Owing to the lack of normal communication between North and South
Korea, the Sub Committee is exploring various means of making
contact with leading personalities in North Korea and as one
such means requests the Govt of the USSR to lend its good offices
stated above.

"This decision was made after Sub-Committee one of the Com-
mission had submitted its report on the preliminary stage of its
exploration as to the ways and means of carrying out its terms
of reference. The Commission was unanimous in arriving at this
decision and made it clear that this was only one of the ways
in which it was attempting to make contact with the North and
that it intended also to seek other means."

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

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FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

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NR : 221108 Z (MSG FROM DEPT OF STATE DTG 220035 Z) (SENT
BANGKOK 84, RPTD TOKYO 60, SHANGHAI 326 SIGNED ACEESON
LTD FEB 21, 6 PM)

Tokyo reported Jan 29, SCS Shanghai discontinued and requested reg office establish other means transmit courier material. Deptel 198 Shanghai 49 Bangkok stressed need Shanghai-Tokyo service. Shanghai-Tokyo now report no courier link between them except irregular circuitous ONMC route and no courier material from Tokyo to Shanghai since discontinuance SCS. What has been done effect diplomatic courier connection, when effective? What frequency? New is now. Urtel 115 says staff 8 couriers adequate entire area including China, Tokyo, Seoul as well as South Asia. You now have 7 plus 3 supervisors who should double as couriers when necessary. Bahnsen and Nadeau Cairo transferred Bangkok.

NO SIG

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION: COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

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TOO : 221108 Z
MCN : 93596

NOTE: Shanghai's 198 and Bangkok's 115 are not of record in this hq.

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FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (FOR ACTING POLAD)

INFO : CEUSA

NR : 221115 Z (MSG FROM DEPT STATE DTC 220306) (STATE
SERIAL 63 SIGNED ACHESON DTD FEB 21, 7 PM)



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For your info fol CIBTEL sent Feb 19, 4 PM to US Embassies
London, Bangkok, New Delhi, Manila, Canberra, Wellington,
Nanking, Karachi, Paris, Hague, Ottawa:

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which a respectable and peace-loving Japanese society can
develop and endure.

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FROM : DA NR : 221115 Z DTD 22 FEB 49 CONT'D

It must be remembered, however, that US resources are not unlimited and that in meeting the ever increasing demands on US resources from all over the world those demands must be evaluated in terms of their urgency and of their possible effective contribution to world stability and recovery. A basic factor in that evaluation is, of course, the degree to which the recipients, including the Japanese, exert every effort on their own behalf to regain a self-supporting status at the earliest possible moment and also to aid general world recovery and cooperation.

The US, expecting full measure of Jap self-reliance, has no intention while discharging its obligations under the occupation of allowing Japan to become victim to that type of insidious, concealed aggression and infiltration which thrives upon economic chaos. To abandon Japan in such a manner would be to undo our costly victory in the Pacific.

In the evolution of conditions from war to peace, it is to be expected that Japan will henceforth progress only if given every opportunity to obtain as many as possible of the attributes of a normal govt and society with ever increasing responsibility for an initiative in the direct management of its own affairs, both domestic and foreign.

In brief, the US will maintain its leadership in the recovery and reform of Japan and in Japans development into a self-reliant, responsible and peace-loving state. At the same time, the US will stand firm in the discharge of its military responsibilities."

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION: COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF
ADDED DIST : G-3 (23 Feb 49)

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TOO : 221115 Z
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22 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : SCAP (FOR ACTING POLAD)
INFO : CSUSA

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NR : 221056 Z (MSG FROM STATE DEPT DTG 220052 Z)
(SENT TOKYO 61, RPTD BANGKOK 85, SHANGHAI 33
SIGNED ACHESON DTD FEB 21, 6 PM)

Urtel 53. Reg office courier pouch service Bangkok instructed establish adequate Tokyo-Shanghai courier service. Inform that office your needs. Transit time Washington-Tokyo admittedly unsatisfactory but budget will not permit establishment this time transpacific diplomatic courier service which to be effective would have to be twice weekly. Also difficult dept insist USPOLAD receive military courier service superior that provided by military establishment of which it part.

NO SIG

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION: COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

NOTE: Ref urtel 53 is CINCPAC's CX 67944.

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TOO : 221056 Z
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PASS TO DEPT OF STATE PD REFERENCE UNINDICATED DEPTAL
SEVEN OCTOBER ONE NINE FOUR EIGHT PD NOTIFICATION OF JAPANESE ADHERENCE
TO UNIVERSAL PORTAL UNION CONVENTION WAS PAREN THIS IS SERIALS FIVE FOUR
FEBRUARY TWO ONE PAREN DELIVERED TO FRENCH GOVT TWO THREE AUGUST ONE NINE
FOUR EIGHT PD ONLY SUBSEQUENT INFORMATION RECEIVED HERE IS THAT FRENCH
GOVT WAS DISCUSSING MATTER WITH UNISTARNS GOVT PD SHOULD APPROPRIATE DEPTS
HELP IN EXPEDITING MATTER AND INFORMATION CONCERNING PRESENT STATUS

OFFICIALS:

APPROVED:

R. M. IRVY
Colonel, ASD
Adjutant General

K. J. SEWARD
Chief
Diplomatic Section

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21 FEB 45

FROM : THE MISSION REPORT
TO : HQ WASH
INFO : CINCPAC (HQ LIAISON OFFICE TOKYO)
REF : 210230 Z (SENT TO HQ 297 AFHQ TOKYO 56 21ST REPORT
3, ECAC 182, FEB 10)

1. Randall E. Fowler, Chief, Tokyo Liaison Office, at his request released to BSS, WFO SCAP Feb 12.
2. R. J. Jace, Asst Chief, and Dist Div Gr PSM-2, \$10,000 appt. acting Chief, Tokyo Liaison Office, TDY, eff Feb 12.
3. PSM-1, Tokyo Liaison Office, now classified PSM-1, \$8,000 mission desired as re-assigned PSM-2, \$10,000 and advance detailed justification submitted, even mail, Feb 4. Mission to be permanently transfer Jace to Seoul to Tokyo.
4. Post recruitment support as A-2, Asst Chief, Tokyo Liaison Office, PSM-2, \$10,000 recruitment Norman E. Brown, 435 Lyndon St. Polytechnic, Pa.

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21 Feb 49

FROM : US MISSION IN KOREA
TO : ECA LIAISON OFFICE TOKYO
INFO : CINCPAC
REF : 210047 Z (TOECA TOKYO 55, 21)

1. Re TOECA Tokyo 46, Feb 11, 49 of 1 Jan 49 responsibility for continuance US Aid Program to Korea and all correspondence and other files and records Civil Affairs Section, USAFIK transferred to ECA Mission to Korea. By letter dtd Jan 25, 49 to CG, USAFIK, Chief, ECA Mission to Korea assumed responsibility for completion Japanese Procurement Program FY 49, including actions required on Army procurement commitments made in Japan by USOCS, reconciliation and adjustment of SCAP accounts covering deliveries to Korea and transfers or adjustment of funds required therefor.

2. Request all correspondence and other files, records and accounts of Tokyo Liaison Office under USAFIK be transferred immediately to R. J. Kane, acting chief, ECA Tokyo Liaison Office. Kane will assume full responsibility for ECA in USAFIK clean up work.

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

ADDED DIST : G-4 (23 Feb 49)

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FROM : STATE DEPT

TO : SCAP

NR : 201619 Z (STATE RELAY SVC 24 FEB 20, 8 AM SIGNED ACHESON)
(UTN RELAY FROM NANKING SENT DEPT STATE 429, FEB 20, 9
AM SIGNED STUART)



Dept may care to take measures publicly or otherwise for refuting mistaken impressions created by press accounts of forthcoming large scale American mil aid, such as those reported in EMBTEL 420, Feb 18, rpted Embassy Canton 84, and Tokyo 21, and Shanghai's 586 Feb 17 to Dept rptd Tokyo 49, Nanking 398.

These reports, which were prominently published in vernacular and English language press China, have effect of inciting Generalissimo and his irreconcilables to re-take leadership now in renewed resistance movement. He is already being influenced, I hear, by arguments of his indispensability from small group die-hard supporters whose motives are not entirely disinterested.

Meanwhile Generalissimo is interfering in military affairs, thus hampering rather than helping Yangtze defense. (See my 336, Feb 8 to Dept, repeated Shanghai 149, Canton Embassy 22). Li Tsung-Jen may eventually be sufficiently thwarted by these factors to feel forced to retire south, prematurely abandoning peace efforts. Only hope for public support for renewed resistance against Communists lies in convincing Chinese people that CCP does not desire peace on any tolerable basis. Li is presently endeavoring to put this to thoroughgoing test. US can I feel, help more at this stage by avoidance public debate and objective appraisal of coming developments. Tone of Secretary's recent statements on China have been very useful in this regard.

Sent Dept, repeated ANEMB Canton 89, Shanghai 200, Tokyo 22.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

ADDED DIST : G-2, GOVT, JSPOG (21 Feb 49).

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TOO : 201619 Z
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FROM : DA
TO : CINCPAC, DAF, DEPT NAVY, CG USARPAC
NR : 191700 Z (TRUE TOO 191045 Z STATE UNM SVC, FEB 19, 6 AM,
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3 PM RPTD AS UNM MESSAGE)

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Political:

UNCIP commenced meetings with GOI officials and announced decision send sub committee Azad Kashmir. Also submitted to both govts for consideration as plebiscite administrator. No response yet from either govt.

Comment: UNCIP explanations re dispersing Azad forces plebiscite period well received as was decision send sub committee. UNCIP viewed elimination trace line technical matter for direct consultation GOI and GOP nil comdrs understood acceptable both sides. GOI also agreed practical desirability UNCIP deal directly Azad Govt provided recognition not involved. GOI concerned re implications UNCIP surveillance Azad territory and stressed importance adequacy UNCIP control to safe-guard returning non-Muslims.

Press interest Indonesia less for moment but Indonesian representative quoted as predicting sanctions against Dutch by Asian Confederations Nations.

Comment: Indonesians have brought pressure on GOI for sanctions but latter's action thus far limited conveying Indonesian views Asian nations. Believed GOI would prefer them not impose unilateral sanctions present.

GOI increasingly disturbed re developments Burma.

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Comment: Although embassy understands GOB has not asked India for financial or other assistance it appears Nehru becoming somewhat more receptive idea possible mediation by him provided GOB really so desires and makes spontaneous request therefor. Re financial aid GOI might, if asked, extend short term loan against rice crop but long term financing out of question.

Tokyo press story re withdrawal American troops from Japan prominently carried by entire press. Subsequent denials less well publicized but considerable editorial comment results.

Comment: Consensus Indian opinion clearly against precipitous withdrawal with intention not of framing Asian nation but rather that of abandoning forcibly disarmed region to aggressive Communism.

Gen Council All India's Railway Men's Federation voted 123 to 10 against proposed railway strike pending further negotiations. At same time vote condemnation Communist efforts precipitate strike and voted disaffiliate Communist led unions from federation. Jayaprekash Kersyan in lengthy presidential address to federation excoriated and attacked Communist plan use railway strike to force India into Russian orbit or reduce it to chaos. He warned that Communist tactics would lead to Fascist state.

Comment: Principal consequences meeting are avoidance for present of complete railway tieup and consequent economic disaster, and further realignment labor movement into Socialist Communist Congress factions.

Economic:

Railway budget for year beginning Apr 49 presented Parliament Feb 15.

Comment: Gross traffic receipts estimated rupees 2.1 billion and surplus rupees 94 million. Revised estimate surplus current year rupees 158 million. 863 locomotives ordered from US, UK and Canada. Press reports additional 100 to be ordered Germany.

The long pending Banking Companies Bill (1948) was passed on Feb 17 without significant changes.

Comment: This is consolidated piece legislation to regulate commercial banks and safeguard depositors and shareholders. GOI officials confidentially assured no continued operations Natl City Bank in India will be permitted. India's sea-borne trade Nov showed adverse balance rupees 51.6 million.

Wholesale price index averaged 376.2 for Jan compared 393.6 Dec.

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FROM : DA _____ NR : 191700 Z _____ DTD 20 FEB 49 _____ CONT'D

Military: Negative.
Navy: Negative.
Air (CISIL):
Strike causes suspension Air India services as from Feb 18.
Comment: Involves 3,000 subordinate pers who desire in-
creased wages and allowances. Bombay-London service not affected.
Air (Military): Negative.
Sent Dept 215, pouches Karachi, Rangoon, Bombay, Calcutta,
Madras, PHILCOM Manila, Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur, USMIA Singapore.
Dept Army pouch to MA London, Henderson.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, AG,
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FROM : SCARP DEPT

TO : SCARP (POLAD)

NR : 191611 Z (STATE SV 68 FEB 19 SIGNED ACHESON) (RELAY FROM
NANKING SENT DEPT 415 RPTD TOKYO AS 20, FEB 18 RPTD
TOKYO AS 20)

... 359, Feb 3.
... to fear Okamura Case threatens to become cause celebre of
potentially very embarrassing consequences to US. We only con-
cur in observation made in Shanghai telegram Feb 3 sent Tokyo
32, repeated Dept 356, that, "any attempt our part to explain
transfer as being for humanitarian reasons, at best, can only
lead to criticism US and SCAP by Chinese of all political com-
plexions for whom hatred still prevailing emotion as regards
Japanese".

Also, since people demanding punishment of Japanese war
criminals has now been incorporated into first of
Mao Tse-tung's 8 conditions for peace in China (Emdoc 324,
Feb 6) it is possible that we may eventually be forced to posi-
tion of either.

1. Denied to return Okamura and his 260 companions
for retrial by Chinese Communists despite our strong objections
against double jeopardy, etc;

2. Supporting the principles of legal trials at cost
of leaving martial law for continuance of Chinese civil war
making in time for Nationalists comply with all of
the 8 unconditional conditions while we see practicality of any
action by us to US, following recommendations issued to
US as being harmful.

We would tell acting president of that SCAP refused to hold
Japanese prisoners in their present status any longer than is ab-
solutely necessary and urge him immediately to complete final
part of their requests. Meanwhile, SCAP could pre-
pare either to release Japanese in question or to return them
immediately to China for retrial in Nationalist court, depend-
ing on his decision. We believe on moral and political grounds
that we should not turn Japanese over to Communist justice.

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But although there may exist some very valuable quid pro quo of which we are not aware, we see no reason why SCAP should continue indefinitely to accept transfer these Japanese to Tokyo as "A place of safety" and why we should not support decision National Govt to retry Japanese if final review holds their acquittal not correct.

See Dept, repeated Shanghai 195, Amemb Canton 80, Tokyo 20.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

ADDED DIST : G-3 (23 Feb 49)

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20 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT (HOPF)

TO : SCAP (POLAD) (DOUGLAS)

INFO : CSUSA



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NR : 191544 Z (STATE SRL 59, Feb 19, 11 AM SIGNED ACHESON)
(SENT LONDON 588, REPEATED TOKYO 59, CANBERRA 31,
SYDNEY 47, CAPE TOWN 16)

Dept desires importance. US Govt attaches MFN for Jap be reemphasized Brit Govt to sufficiently high level gain reasonable assurance position Brit will take at Annecy (DEPCIRTEL Feb 11). Failure Brit make sincere effort reach satisfactory formula, particularly if takes form seeking influence other countries against US position, would be regarded as inconsistent of agreed commercial policy objectives.

Dept desires earliest possible determination nature modifications GER protocol insisted on or assurances required. Assumes major obstacles lack yen exchange rate and fear Jap textile competition. Effort being made to establish exchange rate and should succeed by early summer. If not established by end-Annecy conf, might consider making effective application protocol hinge on subsequent establishment. Suggest non-committal exploration this possibility.

As to fear competition, Dept recently informally approached by Brit Emb and Sir Raymond Street re possible joint mission to Jap US-UK industry groups to discuss future Jap textile industry. (Memorandum being air mailed). In Emb opinion would Dept acquiescence such project to exchange views Tokyo leaning toward better understanding mutual problems, but not restrictive agreement, have significant bearing Brit attitude re MFN issue?

Dept believes if established exchange rate will remove substance Brit opposition, opposition other grounds less likely gain support other Govts. Your estimate present views Brit Govt desired earliest.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF



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TOO : 191544 Z
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20 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (POLITICAL ADVISOR)
NR : 191600 Z

Herewith repeat Department's telegram 16 sent Yokohama
14 repeated Tokyo 16 Jan 17:

"Military clearance granted Oscar Henry Paul King enter
Japan on or about 18 Jan 49 as AP correspondent on permanent
assignment signed Lovett."

Please acknowledge receipt.

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ACTION : PUBLIC INFORMATION

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, AG
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19 Feb 49

FROM : US MISSION IN SEOUL

TO : STATE DEPT

INFO : SCAP

NR : 190216 Z (167 19TH)

At his weekly press conference 18th President Rhee was asked nbr of questions re UNCOCK. Transcript correspondents questions and Rhee's answers follows.

1. Oral question: The UN Commission on Korea revealed that it would consult with social organizations and individuals on some occasions--not with just the government. What do you think about this?

Oral answer: Newspapermen might be trying to arouse public opinion on this question. Since there is an authorized government, it is unfair for the commission to consult with any non-governmental organizations or individuals.

2. Written question: It is understood that according to a certain delegate of the new UN Commission on Korea, the UN delegates have agreed on the idea of entering North Korea for the purpose of achieving the unification of north and south. One source says that this plan is contingent upon a preliminary discussion with the Korean government. Is this true?

Written answer: So far there has been no specific discussion between the government and the UN delegates on the subject of their entry into North Korea. If they can enter North Korea we will cooperate with them in their plans for the trip. We do insist that the UN delegates consult with

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the Russian authorities when they enter North Korea. That will be more effective, since any group or organization in North Korea acts as it is told by the Russians; the delegates will achieve little success without discussion with the Soviet authorities. If the delegates consult with North Korean groups they will only get results like those of the north-south conference of political leaders held last year. Thus we will never agree with such negotiations by the UN delegates. If this kind of negotiation with North Korea is carried out the reactionaries will gain strength and the dignity of the republic will be diminished, not to mention the fact that unification will be hampered. If we look at China, we can realize this very easily. I think the UN delegates will never be confused about which is the real government in Korea, as recognized by the UN. I don't believe they will ever conduct such negotiations.

3.

Written question: What is your opinion of the first public meeting of the UN Commission? Have the UN delegates consulted with the government since the first public meeting?

Written answer: There was a preliminary exchange of opinion, but there was no real discussion since the first public meeting. Therefore I have no special release about the UN delegates.

4.

Written question: If the Soviets use the veto power in the UN Security Council vote on Korean admission to the UN, what will Korea's future be?

Written answer: The UN vote on Korea's admission to membership is only a superficial matter. 48 members of the UN have recognized us in principle. These 48 members will never say that the Republic of Korea lacks the qualifications. When the UN recognized Korea, it did so in spite of the Soviet veto. Therefore I do not believe the UN will ignore Korea because of Soviet opposition; I believe Korea's application has been sent to the Qualification Committee by a vote of 6 to 2.

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

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Written answer: The UN vote on Korea's admission to membership is only a superficial matter. 48 members of the UN have recognized us in principle. These 48 members will never say that the Republic of Korea lacks the qualifications. When the UN recognized Korea, it did so in spite of the Soviet veto. Therefore I do not believe the UN will ignore Korea because of Soviet opposition; I believe Korea's application has been sent to the Qualification Committee by a vote of 8 to 2.

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19 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC (FOR CIE, PID, STARS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFIK (FOR CIB), OMC HESSE (FOR ISD), ISD FRANKFURT (FOR ISD), OMCWB (FOR ISB), OMC BREMEN (FOR ISD), OMC BAVARIA (FOR ISD AND NEUE ZEITUNG), OMCUS REAR (FOR ITSD AND AM INFO BUREAU), CG USAREUR (FOR PID, TI AND AFN), EMB LONDON (FOR NEUE AUSLESE), CG USAP (FOR ISB, PID, TIE AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), CG TRUST (FOR ALS AND PID), DA (FOR CAD, ID, OUS, PO, SGS, CI, IID, TIE, PID)

NR : 190211 Z (TRUE TOG 182301 Z FROM STATE DEPT) (STATE SV 149, FEB 18, 49. SIGNED AGHESON)

Over night guidance 070 (Report Nbr 144) on State Dept (OII) treatment of major current issues (material is designed for guidance of Media addressed to indigenous populations).

Overnight guidance 070 Feb 18, 49, 4 PM for INP, IBD.

1. Atlantic Pact.

In view of possible developments in Norway over the weekend re Norway's acceptance of the Atlantic Pact, be careful to use only officially reported developments and do not pick up any interpretation without reference to the gen guidance on the North Atlantic Pact. On Langes visit to the US, confine reports to what was officially released by the dept and whatever he may feel free to reveal in presenting his report to Norway.

2. China.

Reports of a Kuomintang split, a possible re emergence of Chiang, continued resistance, etc, should be ignored, even when they come from semi official statements which are frequently contradictory. We should do nothing which could be construed as evidencing undue US concern with the situation, particularly attempts at peace negotiations. The report of the Chinese ambassadors appeal for ECA funds to help out Chinese students in the US cut off from their normal funds may be

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carried briefly, but no elaboration should be made until some concrete action is taken. Speculative articles about possible splits in the Chinese Communist Party or on the possibility of Mac becoming a Chinese Tito should be filed for future reference but not used now. Continue using illustrative stories of Soviet actions elsewhere in the world which foreshadow Soviet interference with the best interests of the Chinese people thru Communist domination. In carrying accounts of Anna Louise Strong's expulsion from the Soviet union, review her close association with and long residence in the USSR and China, her books on these subjects, her reputation as a confirmed supporter of Communism, her articles in the Daily Worker, etc., but do not speculate on the reasons for her expulsion until she has made an explanation herself. Look for material illustrating her support of independent Communist movements but do not link her expulsion with her alleged support of independent Chinese Communism.

3. Eastern Europe

A US note protesting the arrest of the 15 protestant clergymen in Bulgaria has been dispatched today. Watch for its release, probably on Mon.

4. Iran.

If action is taken by Shah of Iran to radically change the constitutional basis of his govt with a view toward establishing authoritarian type controls, we should look for comment which expresses US disapproval. Also watch for statements from high officials re the necessity for a Mediterranean Pact along similar lines to the North Atlantic Security Pact. The official attitude of the US at present is non committal but we should allow the Mediterranean countries to propose what they wish to guarantee their security and should pick up favorable, intelligent comment.

5. Switzerland:

The controversy in congress about the adverse effect of Swiss watch imports on US industry should be given brief factual play with both sides of the story fairly told. FYI: A solution to this difficulty will probably be found within a short time.

6.

A communique is expected to be released soon on the negotiations on German border rectifications. We should emphasize that these are mere technical frontier rectifications without

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political significance, involving attempts to improve communications and ensure more effective utilization of local resources. No major population changes or transfer of significant industrial areas are involved. All rectifications are temporary and subject to final definition at the peace treaty.

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19 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC

NR : 181352 Z (WAR SVC 6298 PASSES MSG TRUE TOO 180615 Z
FROM BANGKOK REF NBR BANGKOK 016. TO USARPAC SIGNED
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Following omitted from State Dept WSEKA through error:
State national emergency proclaimed in Siam. Cause given
border troubles but may be coup d'etat fear.
Police general Pao sleeping Central Police Station past
week.

Police placing large order gas shells and grenades Willis
Bird Co, agents Lake Erie Chemical.

Karen irregulars attacked Wolframline Mahongsonuangwad.

Unarmed Karen refugees reported Mahongsonuangwad total
less than 100. Refugees claim anarchy prevails across border.

Further jungle training additional Siamese officers in
Malay halted by British demand cash payments such training.
Joint operation Malayan border nets small amount arms and equip-
ment Communist camps. Governors Narathiwat and Pattani being
replaced result corrupt administration. Energetic governor
Kamburi goes to Narathiwat.

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18 Feb 49

FROM : DA

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REF : 180156 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 18230 Z FROM DEPT OF STATE; STATE SVC 144 FEB 17, 4 PM SGT ACHESON)

Overnight guidance 069 (Report Rbr 143) on State Dept (OII) treatment of (a) current issues (material is designed for guidance of local addressed to indigenous populations)

Overnight guidance no. 069 Feb 17, 4 pm.

1. Decline in Communist strength.

There are reports from several areas in Western Europe indicating that the Communist Party is having difficulty in keeping its members or recruiting new ones. This is a good reason for renewing and intensifying operations to show that Communism does not serve the best interests of the working class, as revealed by regimentation and slave labor in Communist-dominated states, that the anti-Christian nature of Communism is becoming daily more evident by developments in Eastern Europe, and that the general level of well being in non-Communist states is gradually rising through the help of ERP, while the reverse is true in the Communist-dominated states.

2. Russia.

Do not speculate on the possible reasons for the Russian withdrawal from WHO nor pickup speculation as to what future action this move might forecast. We should likewise not interpret the expulsion of Anna Louise Strong from the Soviet

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Union until she herself has given some indication of her reaction. A good angle for us to exploit is the fact that our Embassy intervened in her behalf as they would for any American under the terms of the Roosevelt-Litvinov Agreement.

3. Eastern Europe.

The announcement of a new religious law in Bulgaria making the Orthodox Church the only approved religious body gives us renewed peg on which to expose the attempted dictatorship by the Communists over the minds and spirits of men. The announcement of a projected UK-Yugoslav Trade Treaty should not be interpreted as indicating a change of policy of the Western Powers toward Yugoslavia. It might usefully be recalled that the UK recently concluded a pact with Poland looking toward greatly expanded trade.

4. Austrian Treaty.

In reporting difficulties in London, avoid adjectives like "blocked" or "stalemated." At this stage, even though the Soviet's are accusing us of not desiring a treaty, it is best to take a line of dogged hope, without unrealistic optimism, than to counter-attack them. We can continue to highlight any clear instances of Soviet obstruction, but should avoid:

- (1) Drawing any conclusions about their final position.
- (2) Replying to Soviet propoganda. Couple news about difficulties with expressions of:
 - (A) Hope that Soviets will change their attitude, or
 - (B) Refusal to believe yet that they are unprepared to make concessions, or
 - (C) Reminders that the negotiations are still in a feeling-out stage. This line accords with our own desire to have a treaty concluded. If Soviet obstruction persists, we can throw the book at them later.

5. Japan-Korea.

The renewed blast of Panyushkin on the US directive to MacArthur will be officially replied to shortly. In the meantime, recall the State Dept's position that they are perfectly in their right in issuing such directives. Do not emphasize Ass't Secy of Labor Gibson's proposal to send a Union Trade Delegation to Japan since it is merely in the proposal stage and might be interpreted as undue alarm over recent Communist successes. If the proposal materializes it can be usefully exploited to indicate US interest in developing sound CFODem Trade Union activities in

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Japan. The rejection of the Soviet resolution on considering North Korea for membership in the UN should be correctly interpreted as a reaffirmation of the General Assembly's vote on the Korean Republic and not as a rejection of North Korean people from the community of nations.

6. China.

Disregard the numerous reports about a vast new ECA program for China since they lack any foundation in fact, watch for official developments from Washington on this point.

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FROM: CINCPAC
TO: AMIK ROUTINE

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~~4061~~ ZERO ZEBRA PREVIOUS ARRANGEMENT FOR IMPORTATION OF FRENCH FILMS INTO KOREA SATISFACTORILY ARRANGED BETWEEN KOREAN LIAISON MISSION TOKYO AND FRENCH SYNDICATE PD CONSIDERED VISIT OF MON SHIK MIN FOR PURPOSE STATED WOULD SERVE NO USEFUL PURPOSE AND IS NOT REPT NOT FAVORABLY CONSIDERED

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED BY:

R. M. LEVY,
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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

Copies to: CinC, C/S, G-2, G-2 CIS, AG, PHN, DS

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1. ECA msg 120310 Z reqsts entry Korean national to arrange importation of French films into Korea. Msg states that logistic support guaranteed by Mr Francois Chevallier.
2. Mr Chevallier states that no arrangements have been made for logistic support and that he cannot guarantee to keep Mr Min in his house or to pay for his accommodations in commercial hotel. Further that the French Syndicate has satisfactorily completed previous arrangements for importation of French films into Korea thru the Korean Liaison Mission in Japan.
3. RSM (Lt Col Ryder) states that entry of Mr Min would in no way contribute to the economic rehabilitation of Japan.
4. G-2 SAs (Lt Macleer) has no derogatory info concerning Min.



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17 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : CINCPAC (USPOLAD)
NR : 170340 Z (CIR 16)

Fol is repeat of Cir telegram Feb 15.

"Reference recent press reports from Tokyo attributed to high Amer official fol statement was given press by DA Feb 12 'the acting Secretary of the Army William H Draper Jr today denied categorically that Secretary Royall had made any statement indicating our withdrawal from or possible abandonment of Japan either during war or otherwise nor had he done so by any implied statement. Mr Draper added that he had been in personal communication with Mr Royall in order to answer queries concerning recent press statements attributed to the Secretary and that he was making this denial on Mr Royall's direct authority."

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC ✓

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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17 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT

TO : SCAP (ACTING POLITICAL ADVISER) (PLS PASS FOLLOWING
TO CHIEF SURGEON OCCUPATION FORCES)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : 162051 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 161801 Z) (STATE SVC 92 FEB 16,
1 PM SIGNED ACHESON) (FOL RELAY FROM NANKING TO DEPT FOR
RELAY TOKYO SIGNED STUART REPEATED TOKYO FROM LT COMMANDER
PACKARD EMB NANKING DOCTOR)

"Urgently need surgery and hospitalization for US emb em-
ployee female age 29. Breast tumor 5 centimeters in diameter
may require radical breast amputation. If adequate bed space,
surgical and pathological consultation available may we trans-
port patient via air Sunday Feb 20? Wire confirmation and
special instructions Air Attache flight available Feb 20 if
patient accepted by Army will you arrange clearance for entry
Japan? Reply soonest."



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FROM : DA

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NR : 170151 Z (PASSES MSG DTG 162250 Z FROM DEPT OF STATE)
(STATE SVC 149 FEB 16, 4 PM SGD ACHESON)

Overnight Guidance 068. (Report Nbr 142) on State Department (OII) treatment of major current issues (materials designed for guidance of media addressed to indigenous populations).

1. The Atlantic Pact: The statement made by Mr Acheson enables US to expand and emphasize the line we have been following. We should emphasize the collective security angles implied by the statement of President Truman and the Vandenberg Resolution and should point toward the end objective as a guaranteeing of the peace. We should not, however, refer to this as a peace pact since that is subject to misinterpretation is revealing a quarrel between the signatory powers and indicating a feeling of weakness and insecurity. Until the release of more detailed info on the pact, speculation will probably center on the objectives which Mr Acheson described as being agreed upon but did not elaborate further. Again, your best spell-out for the moment is the Truman Inaugural Address and the Vandenberg Resolution. Emphasize the psychological aspect of increased confidence, the protective aspect of enabling European reconstruction to operate, the deterrent aspect on aggressive designs and the security aspect in cases of military necessity.

2. ECA: Do not overlook the favorable developments of the last few days pointing toward a more permanent organization

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of OEEC with a view toward continuing European economic cooperation and the useful comments of Secretary Snyder regarding the use of counterpar funds, the necessity of increased European exports and the eventual objective of balance of payments to provide European economic stability.

3. The UN: Russian withdrawal from who should be reported straight without picking up the speculative angles that this foreshadows withdrawal from all UN Agencies. The Russian reason for this move seems to be particularly weak and comment which indicates injured surprise at Soviet failure to cooperate internationally in such humanitarian efforts might be used to offset Soviet attacks that the US is by-passing the UN.

4. Austrian Treaty: The agreement at Potsdam not to exact reparations from Austria was binding only upon the Big Three. We have taken the position that this also US not to support other reparations claims, while Russia has interpreted it to mean that they are free to support the claims of Yugoslavia. Russian claims against Austria should be correctly referred to as reparations from German assets in Austria. In view of the uncertain future of Yugoslav claims and Russian support of them, we should not take a condemnatory line at this time but report developments factually. The talks are still in the stage of reviewing and restating previous positions.

5. Berlin Currency: When and if report prepared by UN committee of experts (which has completed discussion at Geneva on Berlin currency problem) reaches floor of UNSC, Soviet refusal to recognize fact that unilateral Soviet moves in Berlin since Aug 30 directive have altered basis on which Berlin problems would now be considered and that Soviet proposals re Berlin currency show plainly USSR aims unilaterally to dominate completely the economy (and thereby that entire life) of the four-power city should be emphasized.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
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17 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER TOKYO AND YOKOHAMA)
INFO : CSUSA
NR : 162353 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 162029 Z) (STATE SVG 111 FEB
16, 5: 30 PM SIGNED ACHESON FROM STATE DEPT) (RELAY
FROM NANKING SENT DEPT 403 FEB 16 NOON)

"Can you use services Tientsin alien (white Russian) clerk,
George S Ephraimoff, now Tsingtao on evacuation order. He
employed at Tientsin Consulate Gen since 1927, experienced in
consular routine, inventory, property maintenance, speaks
Russian, English, Chinese, some Japanese. He will be paid
from Tientsin alien salary allotment. Reply urgently.

Sent Manila 24, Am rep Secul 5, dept pass USPOLAD Tokyo
as 17, Yokohama as 1."

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

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FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (USPOLAD)
INFO : CSUSA
NR : 162050 Z (RELAYS MESSAGE FILED 161756 Z) (STATE SVC 91
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GOON TO DEPT AS 54, FEB 16, 11 AM SIGNED ACLY, REPEATED
TOKYO)

"Copy Japan Burma trade agreement Jan 14 just received
but no copy rice contract.

"In light past experience strongly recommend contract
include provision weighing and surveying by local agent such as
general superintendence concurrently retained by CCC on rice
shipments to ECA China. Local "Independent Board of Surveyors"
actually controlled by GOB Marketing Board. Post-war Burmese
rice shipments have frequently been short weight and sub-quality.

"British Food Ministry representative recently departed
Rangoon refusing to contract for further rice for India, Ceylon,
Malaya after GOB insisted on more than 38 lbs sterling per ton.
Actually because of Civil War little new rice expected to reach
Rangoon from interior.

"John Lyras loading approximately 8,000 tons with no con-
trol over loading because strike board employees. Sails 16th
for Okinawa per SCAP 540 CR 140 ACD Feb 10.

"This telegram pouched Bangkok, Shanghai pass to USPOLAD
SCAP Tokyo as Rangoons 3."

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF
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FROM : DA

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NR : 160217 Z (WAR SVC 6256) (TRUE TOO 152243 Z) (STATE SVC 141 FEB 15, 5 PM SCD ACHESON)

Overnight guidance 067. Report Nbr 141. On State Dept OII treatment of maj current issues. Material is designed for guidance of MEDIA addressed to indigenous populations.

Overnight guidance Nbr 067 Feb 15, 4 PM for INP, IED.

1. The North Atlantic Pact.

In view of the continuing unfavorable reaction from aboard on the developments in Congress yesterday regarding the North Atlantic Pact we should make a continuing and repetitive effort to play this development in its proper perspective. A constitutional provision reserving the right to declare war to Congress has been repeatedly referred to throughout the discussions of the North Atlantic Pact. It is, therefore, not a significantly new fact when the senate reiterates its stand upon this issue. The Vandenberg Resolution, however, enlarged the scope of United States interest in peaceful conditions in other areas. Selection of those bases in yesterdays debate in the senate which emphasize the "Community of interest" of the North Atlantic Pact nations and point up the objective of deterring aggression by means of alliance with these nations should serve to offset some of the disappointment. Continue to hammer home the line that we look to the UN for collective security but have found it necessary to turn to regional arrangements to achieve that security for peace which the Soviets have blocked

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2. China Policy.

The letter from 51 republican members of the House requesting the President's views on our policy toward China in answer to 7 specific questions should be handled briefly and factually in summary fashion without either minimizing or over-emphasizing its importance. A reply is being drafted for the President which, it is hoped, will be available for release as nearly simultaneously with the original letter as possible. In summarizing the letter, do not dwell on the reversals of American policy but use the positive aspects such as the statement that "A free and independent China is necessary to world stability and peace as well as to our own security."

3. United Nations.

In picking up the UN debate on the request that the Soviet Union explain the large numbers of slave laborers under its control be sure to emphasize the origin of this proposal in the American Federation of Labor and play up heavily the worker aspects of this inquiry. This issue should not be made to appear as a further pawn in the struggle between Russia and the US. In reporting developments on the Russian sponsored resolution regarding the appointment of a Trieste governor use the statements made in the UN by our representatives straight and avoid picking up further unfavorable comment on the Yugoslav role in this entire dispute.

4. The Mindszenty Case.

Continue to keep alive the discussion of the issues highlighted by the trial of Cardinal Mindszenty. Sufficient material on Communist persecution of the Church continues to be available from developments in Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia and Poland. Do not allow our media to become engaged in arguing the details of the Mindszenty trial apropos of the escape of 1 of the judges to Vienna, although these developments should be reported as part of the weight of evidence against the methods employed by the Communists to silence their critics.

Germany (primarily for use of occupied areas media).

A. New "Peace" campaign in Germany.

The new Communist "Peace" campaign should be treated as a desperate attempt on the part of German Communism to break out of its dilemma (brought into the open at the recent SED Congress), and recapture some of its lost appeal. By misrepresenting the US as the power responsible for international tension and specifically for the continued division of Germany, German Communists hope to divert attn from the maintenance of a serious

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source of international friction in Germany, IG. The blockade of Berlin smn and from the continued harmful unilateral policies of the Soviet Occupation Power in Eastern Germany which tend increasingly to prejudge chances for an eventual reunification.

German "Peace" demonstrations would more properly be directed to the address of the Soviet Govt which could make a substantial contribution to peace by reversing its German policy in some outstanding respects.

In so far as "Peace demonstrations" are conducive to disturbances, our MEDIA should seize upon such developments by stressing that public demonstrations and other propaganda maneuvers are the wrong means to reduce international tension, even if they are conducted under "Peace" slogans.

Expose the Soviet habit of misusing the common desire for peace and stability for propaganda campaigns relating to all kinds of subjects.

B. New payment system for German imports.

In presenting the new plan for payment of the German good imports, to counteract strong objections from the German consumer, we should explain the program in simple economic terms:

a. Even since before the war, German economy has been insulated from the world market by artificial trade barriers. Differential and fictional exchange rates, quota systems, barter agreements, etc. A uniform exchange rate in place of the multiple system in effect under the Nazis is necessary, in order to reintegrate Germany into the European economy. The new program for food imports means that this policy will now be applied to food commodities.

b. Explain that under the new system, the German importer (in this case, the German Govt) will pay normal world market prices at the exchange rate of 1 mark equals 30¢, instead of paying subsidized prices at the obsolete exchange rate of 44. Thereby the German Govt will pay a larger amount of money into the ERP's "Counterpart Fund"--, all expended in the German economy on such projects as reconstruction of mines, air support of Berlin, ect.

c. Make clear that the new system will not compel the German Govt to shift the burden of increased food prices

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onto the consumer. German authorities can easily maintain existing ceilings on food prices, and make up the margin by subsidies to millers and other wholesale food processors. Subsidy funds could be obtained by increased taxation distributed over the population, as the most wholesome policy benefiting the total price structure.

d. Failure to initiate soon a gradual equalization between basic German price structures and world prices would expose the German economy to a severe shock when the existing artificial barriers are removed. Without such cushioning measures as those now to be introduced, the German consumer later would face a sudden abrupt increase in his food prices because the German price structure would have to adapt itself to the higher world market prices.

e. A system similar to that now being initiated in Western Germany has been effective in Britain and the relatively small increased tax burden has been borne by the British without adverse financial or economic effects.

f. The new system need in no way affect German consumer prices, and the German consumer need not feel the price rise except possible in a small increase in taxes proportionately distributed, which, in turn, would be a generally salutary measure, as a drain on inflationary pressures, tending toward lowering of prices on other commodities.

g. The motivations of the program are complex and its economics difficult to explain--facts which invite distortion of the program. Explain the problem to the German consumer in terms which he can easily grasp. (bread might serve as a valuable example).

C. Soviet takings from Germany and satellites.

Out MEDIA to sov Zone Germany and satellites should look for material which points to contrast between loaded trains leaving for the USSR and frequent empty trains, or cars returning from there. US MEDIA in Germany might look for reports based on movements through particular rail centers (eg Frankfurt/Oder)

Because juggling of currency, finance, holdings etc. By Soviet economic specialists in Sov Zone and satellites goes on behind scenes, invite listeners living on through rail lines near rail centers, to see with their own eyes in which direction goods move, and to draw own conclusions therefor regarding the true nature of Soviet economic policy.

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MEDIA may point out empty returning cars prior to years end could well have served for repatriation German POWs from USSR, and currently returning empties eloquently demonstrate Soviet Union disinterest in speedy repatriation.



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FEB 15, 1 PM RPTD TOKYO AS UNN MESSAGE) (SENT DEPT 204,
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"Indian press has given prominent treatment recent
Reuter's stories from Tokyo to effect US contemplating
withdrawal near future American forces in Japan. Front
pages Feb 14 carried Reuter's despatch Feb 13 from Tokyo
quoting excerpts from what purports to be transcript
special press conference summoned in Tokyo Feb 6 by "High
US military authority" from which Gen MacArthur's Public
Information Officer was all gaily excluded and to which
only certain US correspondents were invited, transcript
which we assumed Department has begins, "I don't think
we have a single moral obligation to these people (the
Japanese) for anything," and ends "even with a Russian Japan
we might be able to hang on to the Aleutian Islands and
Okinawa. If we pull out from Japan we can still shove
dollars in here to keep the Japanese anti-Communists on our
side."

Reuters stories are so detailed and have such appearance
authenticity that despite publication Wash denials they are
believed by many persons in India.

Official foreign policy of India as dept knows is
that India should remain completely neutral in present
world crisis and not take sides with either US or USSR.
This policy has wide support from press and many influential
persons who maintain US and USSR are leaders of blocs
operated on basis opportunism for selfish ends in disregard
world for peace and tranquillity. These same elements are
skeptical.

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FROM : DA NR : 160527 Z 16 FEB 49 CONT'D

US fidelity principles UN charter and insist that our policies motivated by power politics and designed further "capitalist imperialism".

For several months we have been doing our utmost here to dispel widely current belief that US is fol "Great Power Bloc" policy, to convince govt and public that our foreign policy is dictated by our determination to put halt to onward march of aggressive forces, and to make it clear, without saying so specifically, that all genuinely peace loving people cannot remain neutral in present world crisis without imperiling the future of potential victims of aggression among whom they themselves may be included. The tendency to give credence the Reuters stories of the cold blooded and cynical statements by high US Mil auth is particularly damaging to US at this time. Unless thoroughly discredited, stories of this kind are sure to offset some of our own efforts and to create suspicions regarding American motives even among some our best friends who may begin to wonder whether American policies in forum of UN and elsewhere are dictated by other than narrow mil considerations.

The contrast between willingness ascribed to this American auth to permit Russian take over peoples in an Asian area and our govts reiterated determination allegedly based on principle to defend other peoples in Europe from Soviet aggression is most striking. Repetition of such statements would gravely jeopardize our basic task of winning confidence of Nat movements in Asia and particularly in India which has become of so much greater consequence to US with apparent collapse of China.

It would be appreciated if in my discussions with govt GOI re its attitude certain aspects Japanese problem (see depcirtel, Feb 11, 3 PM). I be auth to state categorically that US has made no decision to withdraw its forces from Japan, that it is not our intention to withdraw in near future, and that if for some reason at later date we should decide it advisable to withdraw our forces we would do so only after full consultation with other interested powers, that our policies with regard to Asia are based on same broad principles as those which dictate our policy with regard to Europe, and that we intend to continue energetically to oppose any aggression against peoples of Asia within framework of UN just as we oppose aggression in other world areas.

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FROM : DA

TO : SCAF (ACTING POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

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Re submission applications for UN membership by both Korean rep and North Korea, we informing our SC Rep we will support reps application and oppose that of North Korea. However, we see no advantage in early SC action on either application, since early dismissal North Korean application might prejudice UNCTOC's execution GA Mandate involving removal barriers between North and South Korea. We also believe it unwise precipitate expected Soviet veto of Korean reps application until after larger number states have recognized rep. Because our support Korean Rep, we do not wish initiate any proposal for postponement of application, but we would not oppose such proposal if made by another member.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

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FROM : DM

TO : MAC (ACTIVE POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : 160055 Z (PASSES WGS TRIM TOC 152221 Z FROM DEPT OF STATE
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FEC Meeting Steering Com Dec 8 cancelled.

Summary FEC Meeting Feb 10 follows: Economic stabilization
Japan (FEK-329/5).

New Zealand member informed Commission his govt entirely
adopted view he expressed in Steering Com Dec 21, 48. He
admitted his govt regrets course action taken in matter and hopes
Commission will discuss terms directive issued, as Commission
entitled to. He concluded his govt entirely concurs with point
of view expressed by Mr Bullock behalf Australia Dec 30, 48 in
which, amongst other things, he expressed an apprehension lest
this attempt-which very proper attempt-at stabilization might
preclude some of objectives which Commission has been aiming at
in past.

French Member called upon Com to 3 fundamental conditions
according to which, in conformity with Art II of Potsdam
Declaration, Jap Economy should be rehabilitated:

- A. Provision of Jap life for own life;
- B. Suppression war industries;
- C. Reduction of reparations.

Also Fr del was aware importance helping Japan become
capable satisfying its own needs as soon as possible, it felt
obliged emphasize fact that interests must take precedence over
those of nations which not so long ago were victims Japanese
aggression and must not set aside right to reparations of
countries which until now need so compensation. Fr del attached
particular interest to FEC 242/32 which however imperfect had
merit to determine for nbr of categories of essential industries,
activity of Japanese Econ life consistent with security safeguards
which Allied Powers must impose on Japan. By authorizing only
nbr of peaceful industries on one hand (FEC 242/32) and by



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successing war industries on other, the team would have to... certain extent, coupled with first two allocated... reparation Jap econ life in conformity with Potsdam Declaration.

Furthermore, it was view held that levels econ life cannot be rationally and definitely estab without final div shares for reparations among legitimate beneficiaries. In mind of the govt determination of levels econ life in Japan and settlement of reparations claims were obviously linked. Neither questions had recd any settlement if FEO decides. Besides, it also seemed clear Jap industrialists and traders were anxious learn how both questions were going to be solved and in absence of any such settlement gen uneasiness prevailed in several fields of Japanese economy.

On consideration of above French Delegation expressed necessity of review of whole problem:

A. By a careful study of measures taken or to be taken by JAP in conformity with directive FEO 325/2 issued by the US Govt on Dec 10 '49, with reference to the economic stabilization in Japan, as compared with the proposed levels of economic life included in Document FEO 322/39.

B. By drafting simultaneously a final div of the reparations shares to be distributed among the countries members of the Far Eastern Commission UK member referred par 3 FEO 325/2 and required of US member when program was initiated.

Following toward patents, utility models and designs FEO 322/39.

Indian member stated he still had no instructions Chinese member proposed deletion following clause in first sentence:

As he would have been entitled to enter into gear re existing with Japan immediately prior to the outbreak of hostilities. Australian member was of view meaning of clause could disappear if reference to pre-war priorities were omitted.

Further discussion postponed.

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FROM : US MISSION IN KOREA
TO : CINCPAC (ECA LIAISON OFFICE), COMNAVFE
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NR : 160711 Z (TOECA TOKYO 51 16TH)

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As background for New Delhi For Serv Conf you will receive copies papers on current political, mil, economic situation in countries of assignment prepared by principal offices Southern Asia. DEPTEL 44 Feb 3. Maynard should endeavor review papers prior conf as they will be discussed, not read, New Delhi. Owing housing shortage New Delhi, families not to accompany delegates.

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(FOR ISD), OMG WB (FOR ISB), OMG BREMEN (FOR ISD), OMG
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INFO BUREAU), CG USAREUR (FOR PID, TI & AFN), EMB LONDON
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Overnight guidance 066 (Report Nbr 140) on State Dept
(OII), treatment of major current issues (material is designed
for guidance of URGDIA addressed to indigenous populations).

1. The Atlantic Pact. For the immediate future our
media will be faced with a very delicate and difficult problem
to explain to the world the debates on the Atlantic Pact
currently going on in Congress and to maintain assurances to our
friends aboard that the original Vandenberg Resolution meant
what it said. There is already considerable disillusionment
aboard and the Soviets have been quick to interpret this as a
disavowal of US policy by congressmen who have consulted their
constituents. Pending issuance of official statements which
reaffirm our position, recall the overwhelming vote by which the
Vandenberg Resolution was originally passed and continue to
plug hard the statements made by Truman, Acheson and others that
the Atlantic Pact will operate under and through the UN. This
latter is particularly important in view of the developing
Soviet strategy to fight the Atlantic Pact and other US moves
as designed to undermine and by-pass the UN. A review of public
opinion in support of mil aid for Western Europe based upon
"special reports on American opinion" might be advantageously
used at this time.

2. The UN. In line with the above the Soviet Union will
probably attempt in the next few sessions of the UN to illustrate
US by-passing of the UN in the Trieste and Korean issues. Review
the various attempts made by the US and western powers to provide
a fair settlement of the Trieste issue in the CFM and Soviet
obstruction of this decision. Similarly, the action of the General

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Assembly on Korea should be used to counteract a certain Soviet veto of Korea's application for membership in the UN.

3. Rumbings in the Far East. In connection with the storm protest and opinion which has been aroused a propos of the Handelman story suggesting that the US, will abandon Japan in the event of war with Russia, it is well to note that there is no official basis for this story. If any comment is carried from various officials in the Far East it should be carefully attributed and it should be recalled that there has been no announcement of a change in US policy toward that area. With proper attribution, the statement of Romulo suggesting an orgn of free, Democratic, non-Communist nations of Asia may be carried without dwelling on his attitude toward Japan.

4. Near East. In view of Mr Nehrus statement to the Indian Parliament that India is considering entering into a treaty of friendship, commerce and navigation with the US, comment should be looked for which points out that this is a normal routine type of treaty and precedent of similar treaties with other nations should be cited wherever possible.

5. ECE. As an addendum to point 1 of Overnight Guidance Nbr 064, it should be noted that since the discussion of President Truman's point 4 (IV) has been raised in ECOSOC it will probably not be discussed at DCE. Our present position is that the problem is under examination by respected agencies in the US. Govt and detailed proposals are being worked out to implement the program.

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14 Feb 49

FROM : CHIEF US MISSION IN KOREA

TO : STATE DEPT, SCAP (DIPL SECT)

NR : 140855 Z (SENT DEPT 148 RPTD TOKYO 25 14TH)

Following is text of President Rhee's msg read by Prime Minister at Seoul Stadium 12th on occasion of mass meeting welcoming UNCOK:

"Mr Chairman and the other members of the United Nations Commission on Korea: We, the Korean people and the Govt of the Republic of Korea, most heartily welcome you all back to Korea with a sincere congratulation on the success you achieved at Paris on our behalf. Ur success is the triumph of the cause of justice and democracy. We should like to congratulate you in advance on the success you are bound to make in ur endeavor to unify the north and south of Korea, for those who fought for a cause cannot fail. The sentiment of the civilized world is with you, and the 30 million people of this country are solidly behind you.

"At present the entire world is engaged in a cold war between the 2 conflicting ideologies, Democracy and Communism. In this gigantic struggle, every nation and every individual must choose either 1 or the other, for there is no middle course. To choose Communism is to accept enslavement, the loss of national, as well as individual identity. We have committed ourselves to the principals of Democracy, which stands for freedom and independence. This is the position the US Commission on Korea has taken. In this common cause we Koreans will do our part in cooperation with you, and we know you will do ur share in cooperating with us.

"During the 1st 2 yrs following the liberation we felt as if our path were blocked. When we were told that we must accept the

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Moscow Trusteeship Decision, we faced an unsurmountable block, and again when we were told that we must cooperate with the Communists, our future course seemed dark indeed. However, with undaunted patriotism of our people and their spirit of love for freedom and independence held them together in their continued struggle until the cloud of gloom disappeared, and our friendly nations of the world stepped in to help us. As the result of a general election, the democratic govt has been established and our former independent status has been restored.

"When we are to compare the situations existing a year ago with that of today, we cannot but regard it a miracle, and we are confident that we shall continue to achieve miracles. We know that the United Nations Commission of Korea will closely cooperate with us, and the unification of the North and South can be accomplished in peaceful manner. The only thing we should like to warn our neighboring nations is that they should respect our political independence and territorial sovereignty just as they would respect their own. No nation can afford to count solely on its military might and trample upon the rights of man and the boundaries of nations. What has become of Hitler, Mussolini, and Tojo is a shining example.

"We are a peace loving people, desirous of living in peace with our neighbors, and we expect our neighbors to live in peace with us. That does not mean, however, we shall sacrifice our nation or freedom for the sake of peace. We managed to maintain an independent existence for more than 40 centuries between our powerful neighbors. This can prove that if war is necessary we are willing to fight for our national defense. We are not responsible for the division of our country. We are all 1 spiritually and geographically. To remove this barrier at once is our earnest appeal and demand to all our neighbors and the members of the United Nations.

"In closing, we assure you of our fullest cooperation with ur Commission in accomplishing the great task entrusted to you. We hope that your efforts will be crowned with a complete success."

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12 Feb 49

FROM : ECA MISSION KOREA
TO : STATE DEPT
INFO : SCAP (DIPLOMATIC SEC)
NR : 120755 Z (SEN DEPT 141 RPTD SCAP 22 AND DEPT PASS
US UN 12TH REMYTEL 140 12TH)

Following text resolution on establishment of sub-committees adopted at 5th meeting until Feb 9, and made public at first open meeting of commission in Seoul today.

"The commission, as a first step to carry out the provisions of the gen assembly's resolution of 12 Dec 48;

"Bearing in mind the provisions of par 4 of the resolution which require the commission to lend its good offices to bring about the unification of Korea, to seek to facilitate the removal of barriers to economic, social and other friendly intercourse caused by division of Korea, and to be available for observation and consultation in the further development of representative govt. based on the freely-expressed will of the people;

* "Establishes 2 sub committees herein designated as Sub-committees I and II: Sub-committee II to be composed of the representatives of China, France and the Philippines;

"Directs Sub-committee I to:

1. Utilize every available medium such as the press, rad, public meetings and personal contact in order to impress upon the people throughout Korea the commission's earnest desire to extend it's good offices to remove existing barriers in Korea with a view to promoting unification;

2. Study the nature and extent of existing economic, social and other barriers in Korea; obtain full info from official as well as from unofficial sources concerning efforts to remove such barriers; and recommend methods for further

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improvement;

3. Explore means for promoting social and cultural relations among the people throughout Korea; and as a means of discharging the tasks enumerated in pars 1, 2, and 3;

4. Make immediate contact with North Korea with a view to arranging visits there for the commission, its subsidiary bodies or individual members;

"Directs Sub-committee II to:

1. Study the development of representative govt in Korea;

2. Be ready for consultation with govt authorities and provide such info and advice as may be requested;

3. Gather from experts and organization's opinions and views which have a bearing on the further development of representative in Korea; and directs these sub-committees to submit reports of progress to the commission fortnightly and at such other times as they may deem appropriate."

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12 Feb 48

FROM : ESCA MISSIONS IN KOREA

TO : STATE DEPT

INFO : SCAP (DIPLO SEC)

NR : 120754 Z (SENT DEPT 140 RPTD TOKYO 21 AND DEPT PASS US UN)

Fol text UNCOGK statement of policy adopted at closed meeting of commission Feb 10 and read by commission chairman at 1st open meeting held Seoul Feb 12:

"The UN Commission on Korea has met almost daily since establishing itself at Seoul. The subj of our discussion has been the question of how to carry on the charge laid upon us by the resolution of the gen assembly of 12 Dec 48. In the course of these meetings we have happily arrived at agreed conclusions concerning the way in which to initiate our work.

"It is a settled principal of the UN that the meetings of its organs shall be held in public unless exceptional circumstances require that meetings shall be pvt. For reasons which will be evident it is inevitable that most of our work should be carried on in pvt. Nevertheless, the principal of publicity of which I have spoken, a principal which rests on the action that the strongest pillar of the UN is an enlightened public opinion, that principal requires that formal decisions and conclusions arrived at in pvt shall be announced at an early public meeting. That is one important reason for our present public meeting.

"Another reason lies in the nature in our talk and of the conclusions we are about to announce concerning the manner of its discharge. The fundamental aim of the UN as expressed in the gen assembly resolution of 12 Dec 48 is to help the Korean people achieve their complete unification and independence. The commission, an organ of the UN, has been directed by the highest body of that organization, the gen assembly, to lend its good offices to the Korean Govt and people for the achievement of that aim. The 2d reason for this public meeting is to make it known in every part of this country that the commission is ready and anxious to aid Koreans in every appropriate way to realize the ideals of independence and unity which like all the peoples of the UN, they cherish.

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FROM: ECA MISSIONS IN KOREA NR : 120754 Z (SENT DEPT 140 RPTD
TOKYO 21 AND DEPT PASS US UN) 12 FEB 49 CONT'D

"Like every other proud people the Koreans wish to accomplish these ends by their own efforts. Like other peoples who have had to suffer oppression for many years they need the help of those who are already free. The commission believes that with the help of the free peoples of the world, help freely and unselfishly rendered, Korea undivided can take her place as an equal in the company of free nations. The commission stands ready to extend such help. It is a purpose of this meeting to make known to all that determination of the commission.

While the unification of Korea is in the first place a task for Koreans, we wish to make it clear that we do not hold the idea that we should sit back and merely watch the Korean effort of unification. On the contrary, we have from the outset been unanimous in construing our terms of reference as requiring us to play an active part in facilitating realization of the objectives defined in the gen assembly resolution. We intend to use every means at our command to convey understanding and appreciation of our purpose and of our desire to help the people of Korea break down the barriers which now divide them.

"We wish to make it clear that the commission will seek energetically to extend its help to all Korea. We think that unification requires the cooperation of the entire country and must rest on the freely expressed will of all its people.

"We therefore attribute great importance to the widest exercise of our functions. For that purpose we shall investigate every means of establishing active contact with the north. We wish to leave no doubt concerning our meaning: The commission as a whole its subsidiaries, and its individual members are ready and eager to go anywhere in this country in order to carry out the tasks with which we have been charged by the UN. We invite a response to this expression of our desire in the same spirit that animates us.

"After the long interval between the suppression of Korean Independence and its rebirth, Korea stands in need of help in the further development of representative institutions. The tasks of modern govt are difficult and complex; its practical problem of democracy is that they should be carried out through institutions truly representative of the popular will so as to ensure both freedom and efficiency. The experience of members of the UN may be invaluable to a newly liberated people. The commission has been charged by the UN to make such experience available. It stands ready to consult with govt authorities in Korea and to provide such info and advice as they may ask for. The commission will observe with keen interest and active solicitude the efforts of the people of Korea and to improve the representative institutions so happily established on the basis of their will freely expressed in the elections observed last year by the commissions predecessor.

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"For the more efficient discharge of these first tasks the commission has established 2 committees, the first to explore the problem of unification, the second to concern itself with the growth of representative institutions in Korea. This div of labor will enable the commission more quickly to go to the bottom of the special problems involved.

"The commission will bear in mind the status of the gov't of the Republic of Korea as defined in the gen assembly resolution. In the interest of achievement of the high aims of that resolution, the commission will deal kindly and loyally with all concerned on the spirit of the purposes and principals of the UN. It requires their cooperation in a like spirit.

"It is in the light of these considerations that the commission wishes the resolution adopted by it on 9 Feb and which I shall now read to be interpreted."

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

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12 Feb 49

FROM : ECA MISSION SEOUL
TO : SCAF (DIPLO SECTION)
NR : 120310 Z

Clearance for entry into Japan requested by Korean Ministry Foreign Affairs for Mr Min, Won Shik, Korean national. Min desires enter Korea for 2 weeks to arrange transportation of French films into Korea thru Syndicat D'Exportation des films Francais, Tokyo. Logistic support guaranteed by Mr Francois Chevallier, representative of Syndicat D'Exportation.

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ACTION : G-1

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG,
PUBLIC H & W, DIPLOMATIC

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TOO : 120310 Z
MON : AUB 55/12



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12 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : SCAP (POLAD)
INFO : CSUSA
NR : 120219 Z (MSG FROM STATE DEPT TRUE TOO 112338 Z) (STATE
SERIAL 52 FEB 11, 6 PM SIGNED ACHESON)

Glenn Shaw now cleared by dept and ready lv for Tokyo
FORN OFF Project. Desires wife accompany him. Pls advise re
SCAP clearances. Army transp desired for both.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

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TOO : 120219 Z
MCN : 93190

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FROM : DA NR: 120201 Z 12 FEB 49 CDNF'D

interference in natl sovereignty should be developed for 2 reasons:

A. To counter the reiterated Soviet propoganda that US policies infringe upon natl sovereignty and,

B. To prepare the way for presenting the Atlantic Pact as a political pact by the Brussels Powers.

2. Palestine.

US non-representation at the Israeli constituent assembly meeting in Jerusalem should be interpreted as disapproval of the Israeli movement to annex Jerusalem and continued support of the GA resolution that Jerusalem should be internationalized. Cautious optimism about the peace negotiations at Rhodes may be used. Negotiations for emigration of Jews fr Eastern Europe have been broken down because of Satellite Govt insistence that only the aged and infirm and Communists be permitted to emigrate. We might revive the stories of Communist stripping of emigres reminiscent of Nazi methods. We are not commenting favorably on the general amnesty in Palestine because they have not yet apprehended the murderers of Bernoadotte.

3. Austrian peace talks.

Fr press reports it would appear that the deputies are reviewing all the unagreed articles and that the Soviets are taking maximum positions and showing no disposition to compromise, in some cases even taking more extreme positions than they had previously. This should be interpreted as Soviet unwillingness to confirm by deeds what it has been trying to sell in words.

4. Moslem World Conference.

The meeting at Karachi scheduled for Feb 18, 19 is non-governmental, but will be attended by many officials and has blessing of Pakistan Govt. Is is expected to deal primarily with long range Moslem problems, including cultural and educational. The US attitude is neutral toward the conference. Do not anticipate the raising of Palestine, Indonesian and Kashmir questions.

5. Eastern Europe.

Continue to emphasize the indignation and horror of public opinion, both in this country and abroad, over the Mindszenty affair, reviewing Lovetts, Achesons and Trumans statements and conveying a forceful impression of universal condemnation of the Hungarian regime, which by its action now stands indicted before the Christian civilized world. Do not speculate on methods employed or review the details of trial

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FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC (FOR C I & E, PID, STARS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFIK (FOR CIB), OMC HESSE (FOR ISD), ISO FRANKFORT (FOR ISD), OMC WB (FOR ISB), OMC BREMEN (FOR ISD), OMC BAVARIA (FOR ISD AND NEUE ZEITUNG), OMCUS REAR (FOR ISD AND AM INFO BUREAU, CG USAREUR (FOR PID, TI AND APN), HMB LONDON (FOR NEUE AUSLESE), CG USPA (FOR ISB, FID, T I & E AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), CG TRUST (FOR AIS AND PID), DA (FOR CAD, ID, OUS, PO, SGS, CI, LLD, T I & E, PID)

NR : 120201 Z (RELAYS MSG TRUE TOO 112250 A FROM STATE DEPT) (RELAY SVC 164 FEB 11, SIGNED ACHESON)

Overnight guidance 065 (Report Nbr 139) on State Dept (OII) treatment of major current issues (material is designed for guidance of media addressed to indigenous populations) overnight guidance 065 Feb 11, 4 PM for INF, ID.

1. Regional arrangements.

Use Mr Lies statement as a peg to recall that both Truman and Acheson have definitely described the North Atlantic pact as projected to operate within the framework of the UN and designed to strengthen UN machinery. Review US efforts to make the UN an effective machinery for collective security and point out how the US went over to regional arrangements only after recognizing the futility of beating one's head against an iron curtain.

Acheson's statements at the ECA hearings on US support and encouragement for European political integration without

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itself, but focus attention on Mindszenty's prearrest circular letter, disavowing his "confessions" and reaffirm its present validity. Emphasize the now readily apparent campaign being waged by the Kremlin directed satellite regimes against independent Christianity. Events in Bulgaria confirm and again illustrate the fact that Communism will seek to destroy independent ideals and thoughts when it is unable to suborn them to its own ends. Emphasize that while world opinion is deeply sympathetic to the fate of the victims of the Communist purges of religion, the individuals themselves and the trumped up, fictitious charges lodged against them are incidental to the fundamental issue, the destruction of values basic to human dignity and individual worth.

6. China.

A. Peace talks.

The following facts should be kept in mind in reporting developments:

There have been to date no peace negotiations on a national scale. There has been a regional settlement in Peiping. The Comms have actually said on their broad that they are not interested in overall peace dis at this time. They have rptdly indicated their desire for local and regl settlements patterned after that in Peiping.

All the various "peace missions" are unofficial in character, according to both the Communists and Nationalists. One from Nanking has reportedly been received by the Communist mayor of Peiping. One from Shanghai is due to fly to Peiping today. Today's despatches report a meeting in Hangkow to form a regional delegation from Central China. The apparent purpose these missions is to discuss ways of establishing channels for peace talks.

Both the Communists and the nationalists are apparently engaging in an all out propoganda war, each attempting to place on the other the onus for failure to end the fighting.

Communist broadcasts seem to indicate that they are interested in nothing less than unconditional surrender. Their

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Eight Point program and repeated additions thereto would seem to make impossible anything else.

B. Communist attack on AP and UP correspondents.

Ignore this story for the present. It would probably do us more harm than good if repeated. If considerable comment appears, hold for guidance.

C. Speculation on censorship of foreign correspondents in Peiping.

Disregard these stories. There is as yet no censorship in Peiping of this sort, but we are cabling for the text of these directives to the Chinese press for possible use in the event that censorship of foreign correspondents is imposed.

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ACTION : CIV I & E

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

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TOO : 120201 Z
MCN : 93203

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11 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : 110325 Z (PASSES MSG TRUE TOO 110011 Z FROM STATE
DEPT) (STATE SERIAL 49, FEB 10, 5 PM SIGNED AGHESON)



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Indian Rep FEC has requested dept assistance arranging for employment Jap national Midzuno by Delhi Cloth Mills Co at New Delhi. Application for SCAP approval this employment was submitted by Indian Liaison Mission in Jap in ltr Nbr TCG (4) 48/32 dtd Oct 7, 48 and rejected by SCAP ESS ltr 680.2 (12 Oct 48) ESS/FTC dtd Oct 12, with explanation that permission for travel by Japs to accept gen employment not anticipated prior peace treaty.

Press item Nippon Times Jan 12 reversing above ruling noted but lacks official confirmation.

Dept previously informally advised Indian Rep that US Govt considered SCAP exec auth extended to action on such applications in his discretion.

131 Ref dept msg to SCAP W 87574 of Aug 14 48 and SCAP reply C 63292 of Aug 25. Request you ascertain whether Midzuno are reviewed by SCAP under C 63292 Part 3, Par B, 4A 4 > 7 terms of possibility applying provisions of W 87574 Part 3 paras 1 to 6 inclusive and other conditions dictated by circumstances this case, or whether rejection based on priority need of Jap economy for services of subj.

Comments on which to base dept reply to Indian Rep are desired.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC ✓

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

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TOO : 110325 Z
MON : 93135

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FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC, USARPAC, CINCPAC, COMNAVWESPAC

NR : 110413 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 102124Z FROM DEPT OF STATE FOR
ARMY REPEATED TO NAVY)(STATE RELAY SVC 102, FEB 10, 4
PM SIGNED ACHESON)(DELAY FROM BATAVIA SENT DEPT 155 Feb
9, FILE PM

AMADJA 142. Developments in Indonesian situation practically
suspended awaiting definition of Dutch position on 28 Jan SC resol-
ution. Methdel action deferred presumably until Cochran's arrival-
on basis few recent Mil Observers reports French Senior Mil Observ-
ers abetted by Belgians pressing for all report that guerrilla
activity decreasing, order improving and that Dutch Sp withdrawal
would result in chaos and bloodbath. Prn Contrary Dutch AIS release
7 Feb indicating little if any abatement in strife. Above with
other indications confirmatory that French reports mil info to
Dutch regularly and also their suggestions in furtherance Dutch
objectives. That Dutch permit little as possible info of Guerrilla
and own activities to reach Mil Observers illustrated by announce-
ment of incident both in Java and Sumatra none of which have been
reported by Mil Observers Dutch announce total casualties to 5 Feb
277 killed, 22 missing. Nbr wounded not given. Commented on drop
to only 25 killed and none missing in last week.

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

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MCN : 93143

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FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC (FOR CIE, PID, STARS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFIK (FOR DIB), OMG HESSE (FOR ISD), LSC FRANKFURT (FOR ISD), OMG WG (FOR ISB), OMG BREMEN (FOR ISD), OMG BAVARIA (FOR ISD AND WUE ZEITUNG), COMUSREAR (FOR ISD AND AM IN HQ BUREAU), CG USAREUR (FOR PID, TI AND AFF), EMB LONDON (FOR NEUE AUSLOSE), CG USFA (FOR ISE, PID, TIE AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), CG TRUST (FOR AIS AND PID), DA (FOR CAD, ID, GCS, PO, SGS, CI, LID, TIE, PID)

NR : 110258 Z (RELAYS MSG TRUE TOO 102250 Z FROM STATE DEPT)
(STATE SV 141 FEB 10, 4 PM SGD ACHESON)

Overnight guidance 064 (Report Nbr 138) on State Dept (OII). Treatment of major current issues (material is designed for guidance of Media addressed to indigenous populations) for INP, IBD.

1. ECA.

The trade committee meetings of ECA begins tomorrow, Feb 11. The US favors expansion of trade in the direction of multi-lateralism and we continue to be opposed to bi-lateralism, although modifications of the multi-lateral system within bi-lateral devices might be approved. An analysis of the existing balance of payments between East and West should precede any steps toward multi-lateral trade involved in these areas. It is hoped the committee will deal with specific proposals and avoid general discussion of long-range economic developments. If Eastern countries ask whether the provisions of Truman's Point IV Program apply to them, the US Delegation is instructed to indicate that our attitude depends on the nature of the project and the extent to which the area concerned contributed to cooperative and peaceful development. In handling news stories and editorial comment on the conference, look for items which follow the above lines and indicate that the US is maintaining an open-door for trade.

2. Depression in the United States.

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FROM : DA _____ NR : 110258 Z _____ DTD 11 FEB 49 _____ CONT'D

In order to offset the possibly harmful effects which recent reports of price drops and unemployment in the US. May have abroad in shaking the confidence of the world in the US's ability to carry through on its far-flung commitments, we should preface such accounts with a review of how freely and openly such info is discussed here, in contrast to the policy of concealment and secrecy in the totalitarian states. Point out that the basic prerequisites of a major depression such as that of 1930 are completely absent at the present time and use the considered opinion of qualified officials in evaluating present fluctuations.

3. Austrian Treaty.

As a correction to overnight guidance Nbr 063, no mention should be made about improvement of US-Yugoslav relations. The Soviet tactical maneuver in introducing the Yugoslav claims to territory early in the negotiations should be treated as a move to embarrass the Yugoslavs. Reemphasize the fact that it is the aim of the Western powers to restore Austria to its rightful independence. Pledged by the major powers more than 5 years ago. Point out the typical Soviet tactic of maneuvering a secondary issue into a prominent place, to obscure the fact that the Soviets have not lived up to their pledge and are bargaining with Austria as a pawn to cover up this fact.

4. Japan.

Soviet spy ring revelation. Having played announcement of Soviet spy ring discovery, avoid following up with any except hard developments such as possible resignations of any present Communist party members involved.

5. Eastern Europe.

In a declaration which appeared on Feb 9 in the Croatian Language American Paper, Americki Hrvatski Glasnik, Croatian Peasant Party leader in exile, Dr Macek drew attention to rumors circulating in Europe to the effect that he was participating in the activities of a "Second Croatian Convention", to be held in Chicago later this month. Certain persons connected with this convention are said to favor the establishment of an independent Croatia. In his statement, Dr Macek affirmed his agreement with the recent declaration of the majority of the committee members of the organization "United Croatians", which has publicly repudiated this convention. He also stated his agreement with their action in dissolving their organization "United Croatians," which had no connection with and will not participate in the forthcoming "Second Croatian Convention."

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

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TOO : 110258 Z
MCN : 93138

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11 Feb 49

FROM: ECA MISSION IN KOREA
TO : CINCPAC (TOECA LO)
NR : 110835 Z (TOECA TOKYO 46, 11TH)

Per tp conversation Feb 11 with Anderson, Powley made available ESS, GHQ, SCAP 12 Feb pending transfer soon. Effective same date B J Jane designated Acting Chief, ECA Tokyo Liaison Office.

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ACTION : TOECA LO

INFORMATION : ~~COMMANDER IN CHIEF~~, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, AG,
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ADDED DIST : ECON & SCI (12 Feb 49)

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FROM : ECA MISSION IN KOREA
TO : ECA WASH (FOR KOREA DIV), DA (COPENG) (PASS TO
GIROUX, SPECIAL ASST TO CHIEF US ARMY ENGRS, FOR ACTION)
INFO : CG SPPE, CINCPAC, ECA LIAISON OFFICE
NR : 110831 Z (SENT TO ECA 258 RPTD TO ECA TOKYO 25 112H)

After checking Item 7, TOC 60-4-230 listing 600 sets gaskets for Model 16201 A diesel engines, Korean Power Mission feels this excessive. Suggest you contact Mr B H Gonnell, GM, Cleveland Diesel Engine Div. Ascertain possibility cancelling Item 7 and substituting new requirement of 24 complete sets gaskets, grommets, and seals plus 1,000 fuel line copper gaskets (Cat Nbr 3206177), 1,000 upper injector cork gaskets (Cat Nbr 8060391), and 1,000 lower injector gaskets (Cat Nbr 3200761), price saving approx \$17,900.

This would provide 1 year's supply gasket material for barge Electra. Total weight estimated 150 lbs. Based on \$33.31 per set, estimated total cost \$2,000. Gaskets urgently needed. If possible, request you urge contractor to expedite delivery. Request air shipment.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG,
ENGINEER, ECON & SCI, NAT RESOURCES, TO ECA LO

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NR : AUB 93/11

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11 Feb 49

FROM : CHIEF ECA MISSION SEOUL
TO : SCAP (ECA LIAISON OFFICE)
INFO : STATE DEPT (ECA)
NR : 110115 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION TOECA TOKYO NR 43
REPEATED ECA WASH TOECA 250 FEB 11)

Subj is fluorite and manganese ore. Informed by Pusan Office of Korean BUPORCOM that telegram from Japanese CMMC requested info regarding possibility of shipping 1,700 tons fluorite and 2,500 tons manganese ore from Pusan. In this connection BUPORCOM Seoul questions validity of CMMC communication but if sent with knowledge approval of HSS/SCAP requests future messages from CMMC be directed to Seoul not Pusan. Request your comments.

Secondly, subj fluorite and manganese ore have not been sold and cannot be shipped until contracted for. BUPORCOM now studying your offer of \$0.55 per mton unit on manganese and will reply shortly. Fluorite is 70% CAP 2 and not part of 3,00 tons 90% sold recently to SCAP (refer our Feb 5 red Nbr 34). Advise whether SCAP interested to make offer on 70%.

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ACTION : ECON & SCI

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG, FISCAL, GEN PROC, NAT RESOURCES, TOECA LO, GARIOA

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TOO : 110115 Z
MCM : AUG 25/11

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TO : CINCPAC (FOR CIE, PID, STARS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFTR (FOR DIB), OMC HESSE (FOR ISD), ISO FRANKFURT (FOR ISD), OMC WE (FOR ISB), OMB BREMEN (FOR ISD), OMC BAVARIA (FOR ISD AND NEUE ZEITUNG), OMCUS REAR (FOR ISD AND AM INFO BUREAU), CG USAREUR (FOR PID, TI AND APN), EMB LONDON (FOR NEUE AUSLESE), CG USPA (FOR ISB, PID, TIE AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), CG TRUST (FOR AIS AND PID), DA (FOR CAD, ID, OUS, FC, SGS, CI, ILL, TIE, PID)

REF : 100203 Z (RELAYS MSG TRUE 100 002243 Z) (STAFF SV 100 FEB 9 5 PM SGD ACHESON)

Overnight guidance 063 (Report Nbr 137) on State Dept (OII), treatment of major current issues (material is designed for guidance of media addressed to indigenous populations).

Overnight guidance 063 Feb 9, 4 PM.
For INP, IED.

1. The council of Europe.

Acheson's additional statement today as well as several resolutions in Congress and comments by Harriman and Hoffman furnish us with a nbr of official leaders to develop the idea of European unity. We might supplement Mr Acheson's history by reviewing comment which points out that the idea of European unity is not new and that several attempts failed in the past, notably Napoleon's and Hitler's because they attempted to create by force a union in which there were first and second class citizens. The Russian method is a historic throw-back for the same reason. In contrast, we have attempted, first in the United Nations and upon being thwarted there by Soviet obstructionism, through other regional means, to permit the free association of nations with proper safeguard of their national traditions

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and historic and cherished cultural differences. This latter method is slower and more painful, but is beginning to show results and we should not allow the Soviet distortion of the overall aims to dissuade us from the objective.

2. The Atlantic Pact.

There will undoubtedly be further trial balloons in the form of reports of the time and place for the signing of the Atlantic Pact. In line with Acheson's rejection, we should ignore such attempts to determine the right place by eliminating the wrong ones. Treat the Scandinavian press exchanges about the effects of the Atlantic Pact upon a projected Scandinavian Defense Pact as a family quarrel and keep us out of it if you can. On the basis of statements made so far by Truman, Acheson and others our best immediate line is that the Atlantic Pact endeavors to preserve and guarantee the "freedom from fear" so necessary to enable the freedom from want (FFW) to be achieved successfully.

3. The Austrian Treaty.

The initial Soviet move in bringing up the border issue at once and suggesting that Yugoslavia be heard again should be labelled for what it is, namely a tactical move to embarrass the budding friendship between the US and Yugoslavia. In view of Acheson's statement on this subject, it will be difficult for our delegates in London not to hear Yugoslavia again although they have rehearsed the same story on the border issue at least four times, and very little useful progress can be made unless the Yugoslav position has fundamentally changed. In line with Acheson's statement reference should be made to Yugoslavia's fulfillment of its POW commitments under the CFM Agreement and its implied criticism of the USSR for failure to do so.

4. The Mindszenty Case.

Note that Acheson's statement is couched in terms equally applicable to other-satellite countries under domination of a minority Communist govt in view of possible developments in Poland and Czechoslovakia.

5. Korea.

The resolution of the Korean Parliament asking for retention of US troops should be used for the record in view of the fact that we may have to use this angle to defend the presence of US troops in Korea before the UN.

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FROM : STATE DEPT NR : 100203 Z TO FEB 29 CONT'D



ACTION : CIV I & E

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

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TOC : 100203 Z
DDP : 93063

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, FAR EAST COMMAND
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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9 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA



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NR : 090321 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 090045 Z FROM DEPT OF STATE)
(STATE SERIAL 46 FEB 8, 7 PM SIGNED ACEESON)

Part 1. Subj summary Steering Comit MTG Feb 1.
Replacement lost cultural objects (SC-272/12). In
reply to query of Indian member re use cultural objects by
SCAP for purpose democratization in Japan, US member stated
his govt understood SCAP has used and is currently using
selected cultural objects for purpose democratization and
education Jap people.

Sov member requested consideration amendment be postponed
until all members had instruction. Item retained on Agenda.

Removal of aircraft and private munitions plants from
Japan (SC-312). Retained on Agenda.

Part 2. Subj summary FEC MTG Feb 3.

Labor Policy in Japan (FEC-045/5). No discussion.

Economic stabilization in Japan (FEC-329/3). Sov member
referred to SCAP and State Dept replies to his statement of Jan
27, 49, that directive to SCAP involved change in regime of
control in Japan and reiterated view that directive to Gen
MacArthur was contrary to decisions adopted by FEC. Also
referred to SCAP's Cir Nbr 2, Jan 14, 49, on foreign business
and investment activities in Japan and press release on
same subj and inquired if "investments made by Amer investors
and the businessmen from Wall Street would foster the Japane-
se national independence" Felt such rights given to business-
men by this cir would on the contrary endanger natl indepen-
dence of Japan, and that this was in contradiction with FEC
policy decisions. Also alleged that cir was not in accordance
with para 3 for FEC policy decision on conduct of trade with
Japan.

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per paragraphs 51i and 60a, AR 380-5.

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Concluded as Follows:

"In connection with the carrying on of the program for the economic stabilization of Japan, on Jan 14, 49, the SCAP issued to the Japanese Govt a cir and directive which required unlimited expansion of the field of activity for foreigners in Japan, allow free investment of foreign capital, and permit the acquisition of property by foreigners. The directive requires the Japanese Govt to remove limitations existing in the Japanese legislation in respect to foreign enterprises. New regulations which are being introduced on the basis of the cir and the directive put foreign nationals, with the exception of transactions in respect to immovable property, on the same footing with persons of Japanese nationality and Japanese firms.

"The cir and the directive issued by Gen MacArthur also lead to substantial changes in the regime of control over Japan and consequently should be discussed by the Far Eastern Commission."

US member pointed out that as chairman he had made great effort to try to obtain international cooperation in FEC, but that Sov Amb did not seem desire to cooperate in that he tilted at every windmill that came out in newspapers. Added, however, that Sov member had right to call attention of comm to any act of SCAP inconsistent with FEC policies and that he would try to give reasonable replies to the many charges of Amb which were usually made with sinister implications.

In reply to Sov statement made at last mtg, US member read formal statement--text of which was transmitted by Army Dept on Feb 3, 49.

Sov member categorically rejected statement of US member that he, Sov representative, did not want to cooperate, adding that everything done by Sov representative had objective of FEC policy decisions. Reserved his right to answer statement of US member at latest mtg.

US member replied he would try to keep comm informed of developments in economic situation in Japan and would bring Sov statements to attention of his govt. Also indicated that Sov member was within his rights, under FEC policy on press, to release his statements to the press without waiting for a reply if he felt such action met his responsibilities to other members of comm without giving them opportunity to consider statement or hear a reply.

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Policy toward patents, utility models and designs in Japan (FEC-284/14). This paper represents Comite revision of FEC-284/10 which was referred to Comite 1 on Jul 14, 48. Chairman of Comite 1 indicated Sov amendments to paras 4 and 5 and West amendments had been defeated and that in place of either US or UK amendment to para 5 A compromise wording of para 5 had been agreed upon as follows:

"Nationals of countries at war with Japan who had duly filed in any country the 1st application for a patent not earlier than 12 months hiatus."

Positions of CHI, Indian and Sov members reserved on this para. No action taken on comm level.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

ADDED DIST : GOVT, ECON & SCI, CIV I & E, CIV PROP CUST
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MCN : 93030

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MON : 93031

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INFORMATION : COMMANDERS IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
AG, DIPLOMATIC, JCS/JCS

ACTION : CIA I & R

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It is impossible to determine clearly from here
what kind of peace proposals are being discussed. Greek
news services as carefully as possible and play them as they
come.

... of the Soviet on their agreements since the end of the
of the Soviet for implementation in view of the consistent
give reliance upon the continued good faith and performance
... upon further agreements regarding Austria which will re-
comment when points out that the West will be reluctant to
Soviet extraction of its late pound of flesh. Also, look for
the program and ... On the negative side we should review
contributed extensively to Austria recovery through 2 interim
paid its own way in occupation costs since Jul 1, 47 and has
... claim to the share of German assets in Western Austria, has
to accept this line, we should recapitulate how the US has never
... and that new moves are expected from the West. In order
made extensive consultations toward getting the German assets
... that the Soviets will early develop the line that they have
the Austrian and German debt. In addition it may be expected
... yesterday was supplementary to previous guidance for
... The Austrian Treaty. The General Guidance which was
... future so we should keep our powder dry.
... developments on the Atlantic East are expected in the
... fact which is the prototype of the Atlantic East. In-
... tendency at the time of the conclusion of the Hemisphere
... out that ... had not been able to discover this "under-
... agreement is permitted by the UN Charter and to
... the UN except to reiterate our position that this
... the 1953 line now being developed that the Atlantic East is
... The Atlantic East. For the moment we will disregard
... management from the US.
... together the mutual self-aid and mutual self-defense with
... will credit to the European nations for having drawn
... which has appeared since the end of the war. Look for comment
... the sign for restoring the balance of power in the world,
... through it is a small beginning, is by far the most hope-

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MON : 93031

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FROM : 04

TO : USAF (FOR USPOIAD)

INFO : USUSC

NR : 082145 Z (PASS'S MSG DTC 081704 Z FROM DEPT STATE (STATE
SRL SVU 86 FEB 8 SIGNED ACHESON) (RELAY FROM TAIPEI) (SENT
DEPT STATE 35, FEB 3, 4 PM SIGNED FRENZ)

Evidence of increasing Generalissimo's hand operating here, Trend
to harsh Police Govt marked in many respects. Economic situation
worsening. CC retainers active. Post on resolve resentful
military especially GAF bad behavior. Gen arch Chen to appoint
Gen Lu Chao-Ying, a Deputy Garrison Commander, and that Gen Peng
urges appointment Gen Sun Li-Jan, also a deputy under him. Lo's
bad record well known. Chen Cui has high officials here
he will govern here as he did in Hunchia. KMT reactionary
style.

Wholesale replacements by gens believed held up partly for
consolidating position and partly with eyes on US. All liberal
Chinese deplore trend, have no recourse. Taiwanese opinion seems
be that revolt before further KMT dipping in advisable or golden
opportunity lost. In attempt counsel patience and an urging
Chinese moderation but feel situation deteriorating rapidly.
Taiwanese action believed aimed wholly to sabotage avoidance
direct clash.

Over 50 members, reaction team here being said locally engage
ing politics.

Best department 5, revealed passing 30, POLAD Tokyo."

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

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FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (USPOLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : 082113 Z (PASSES DTG 081707 Z FROM STATE DEPT)
(STATE SRL SVC 69 FEB 8 SIGNED ACHESON) (RELAY FROM
NANKING SENT DEPT STATE 339, FEB 8, 10 AM SIGNED STUART)

"Re embtel 324, Feb 6, repeated Embassy Canton 17, Tokyo
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According our info there are both real and fancied grounds for great importance CCP is currently attaching to Okamura case. There is also strong element of propaganda in CCP statements on this subj, obviously with intent of causing serious embarrassment to National Govt and USA and even of impeding genuine peace negotiations at this stage as regards real grounds, understand Okamura was 1 of better Japanese Generals. His command committed few atrocities against Chinese population, but it was particularly effective against Chinese Communists. He was classmate of General Ho Ying-Chin at Japanese Military Academy. Since VJ Day he has been serving informally as advisor on tactics to Ministry of National Defense and has made himself quite useful in that position. His acquittal by War Crimes Tribunal of Ministry of National Defense was quite possibly influenced by Gimo and Gen Ho as regards fancied grounds, rumor even in Nationalist China frequently has it that SCAP actually is planning to employ Japanese troops and that Okamura will be used for this purpose. Also, fact that Yen Hse-Shan at Taiyuan has used Japanese troops and has repeatedly urged that more of them be employed against Chinese Communists could easily give rise to supposition that this is deliberate

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FROM : DA NR : 082113 Z 9 FEB 49 ~~CONFID~~

policy National Govt as regards propaganda CCP North Shensi broadcasts are, of course, strongly slanted, failing to mention recent Nationalists protestations that Okamura has been finally acquitted since verdict must be approved by highest military auth, that if verdict is disapproved Okamura will be returned to China for retrial, and that Okamura has not been repatriated but merely transferred to Tokyo jail under military guard.

Re Shanghai's telegram Feb 3, sent Nanking 278, repeated Tokyo 36, Dept 367 PRS. Also, we note that during past year or more Communist public pronouncements have not shown any particular concern or vindictiveness regarding former Japanese commanders in China. That they are suddenly doing so now clearly shows intentions to use this potentially explosive subject as propaganda weapon in current campaign against USA and National Govt.

Sent Dept, repeated Embassy Canton 27, Shanghai 150, Tokyo 15."

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

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

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TOO : 082113 Z
MCN : 93011

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9 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : 082037 Z (PASSES MSG TRUE TOO 081709 Z FROM STATE DEPT)
(STATE SRL SVC 70 FEB 8 SIGNED ACHESON) (RELAY FROM
NANKING SENT DEPT STATE 324, FEB 6, 3 PM SIGNED STUART)

"CCP insistence on return of Okamura and other Japanese war criminals to China for retrial by PLA was advanced by North Shensi broadcast Feb 5 to status of almost impossible barrier in way of genuine peace negotiations. Broadcast which purported to be statement of spokesman of CCP amended list of Mao's 8 conditions by demanding punishment of Japanese war criminals as well as so-called KMT war criminals. As usual broadcast placidly claimed amendment "reflects will of people of entire country." It added that amendment is "not a pre-condition. It is a demand." As respects Chinese "War criminals" broadcast demanded that National Govt take all necessary measures to prevent them escaping.

"Since double jeopardy Japanese Officers can hardly be permitted by National Govt much less by SCAP we can only conclude that this most recent demand of CCP further closes the door to any real political settlement of Chinese Civil War."

"Sent Dept, repeated OFFEMB Canton 17, passed Tokyo."

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

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

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TOO : 082037 Z
MCN : 93013

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9 Feb 49

FROM : US MISSION IN KOREA

TO : SCAP (DIPLO SECT)

NR : 090110 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION NBR 18 FEB 9)

Request intransit entry for Robert Clement Voss, RCA Representative arriving Northwest Mar 7 lving Mar 14 for Manila. Logistics provided by G Jennings, RCA Representative for Japan. Purpose of visit business.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, AG,
ECON & SCI

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TOO : 090110 Z
MCN : AUD 08/09



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9 Feb 49

FROM : US MISSION IN KOREA

TO : SCAP (DIPLO SECTION)

NR : 090112 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION NBR 17 FEB 9)

Request entry into Japan for Patrick Henry Cleary, American Catholic Priest, who desires 1 month observation visit to Maryknoll Fathers in Kyoto and Karasaki. Desired entry date between April 15 and 20. Logistics provided by Maryknoll Fathers. Has medical clearance from 12th Med Gen Dispensary dated Feb 8.

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ACTION : CIV I & E

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

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TOO : 090112 Z
MCN : AUD 11/09



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9 Feb 49
47 to Dept of State
9 to Nanking

From : SCAP
to : DEPT OF ARMY
Info : AMEMB NANKING
Nr : (CY-67707) Pass to Dept of State.

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(This is Seb. lds 47 to Dept February 9 rptd Nanking as 9) as approval to proceed with negotiations for property acquisition expected this week strongly recommend temporary assignment Tokyo experienced FBO representative. Believe Geborn or Anner most suitable for this purpose and would welcome their assistance.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

R. M. LEVY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

W. J. SEBOLD
Chief
Dip Sec

m:r: Above concerns Dept of State administrative matters.



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Date: 8 February 1949

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FROM: CINCFC

TO: U S MISSION, SEOUL, KOREA . . . ROUTINE

INFO: CG EIGHTH ARMY ROUTINE

Z 50522 REURMSG ZERO FIVE ZERO FIVE TWO TWO ZEBRA CMA CLEARANCE
GRANTED KIM CMA IN SOON ENTER JAPAN FOR PURPOSE PURCHASE ELEVATOR PARTS FOR
BANTO BUILDING PD LOGISTIC SUPPORT WILL BE PROVIDED BY MAJOR MOBLEY

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED BY:

R. M. LEVY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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

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- M/R: 1. Rad 050822 Z "Clearance requested for entry into Japan for a period of 2 weeks for Kim, In Soon born Seoul Korea 29 Jun 1909. Korean national, mechanical engineer employed by Post Services Branch, AMIK. Purpose of stay in Japan is to purchase elevator parts from Otis elevator Co for elevators in Banto Bldg. Seoul. Mission is urgent as elevators are in very poor condition. Korean passport for Mr. Kim is in process of being issued. Maj Mobley will supply logistic support as per telephone conversation with Maj Kenneth Goff, USAFIK Liaison Officer Tokyo. Previous cable this subj was our Nbr 1 of 8 Jan."
- 2. ESS (Mr. Kram) states that such parts will be sold if dollar credits are deposited in SCAF commercial accounts. Maj Goff states that purchase will be made by this method from AMIK funds.
- 3. Maj Mobley confirms logistic support in his quarters in Washington Heights.
- 4. G-2 CIS (Mr. Wheeler) has no record of subject individual.

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DEPT OF ARMY.....ROUTINE

46, February 8, 1949 (PASS TO DEPT OF STATE)

Reference Department's telegram 41, February 7, 1949 from
Karachi for Sebald.

SCAP Mission ST Tokyo February 21. Will advise ST Karachi
later.

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OFFICIAL:

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R. N. LEVY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

W. J. SEBALD
Chief
Diplomatic Section

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M/R: Self explanatory.

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8 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : SCAP (ACTING POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : CSUSA
NR : 0804138 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 080023 Z FROM DEPT OF STATE)
(STATE SERIAL 43 FEB 7, 6 PM 330 ACHESON)



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Subj is summary FEC meeting, Jan 27, 49.
Labor policy in Japan (FEC-045/5).
No discussion.

Economic stabilization in Japan (FEC-329/3).

Text Soviet statement to effect US interim directive in economic stabilization in direct contradiction with FE policies and therefore constitutes change in regime control in Japan being transmitted by Army, Jan 28, 49.

State same day released to press statement US directives not inconsistent with FEC policy decisions.

Level of economic life in Japan (FEC-242/32; FEC-297/10).

In compliance request UK reps US member convey to his govt expression of anxiety that views US govt be placed before commission in reasonably short time, US member replied he had called to attn his govt statement UK rep and fact that ntr of reps of other member govt associated themselves with views he expressed. He added as follows:

"My govt has asked me to state that the views of these members of the commission have been noted by my govt, and that this matter continues to receive its most urgent attn. I am confident that my govt's views will be presented at the earliest possible moment, but it may be some additional time before this can be done."

Preparations removals: Accessory facilities, buildings, technical data (FEC-299/5).

Neth member called to attn of commission his proposal of Oct 29, 48 (FEC-299/8) to approve paper without par 2 and discuss par 2 further. Chi member also pointed out commission had failed discuss his amendment of Nov 11, 48 (FEC-299/9).

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FROM : DA, NR : 0804138 Z, 6 Feb 49, CONTINUED

US member indicated he could not agree to approval paper without par 2 pending new instructions.

Item retained on agenda.

Under other business chairman read to commission SCAP's reply to consultative message on review Japanese constitution. Reply referred to Committee III for consideration.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

ADDED DIST : ECOM & SOI, CIV PROP CUST (9 Feb 49)



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NR : 92965

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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8 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : SCAP (ACTING POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : CSUSA
RE : 080355 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 080030 Z FROM DEPT OF STATE)
(STATE SERIAL 44 FEB 7, 7 PM SGT ACRESBY)

Urta 39, Feb 3 New Delhi Conference postponed to
Apr 4 to 9.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

NOTE : Referenced message is CIRCPE's C 67570.



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TOO : 080355 Z
WON : 92967

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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8 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : SCAP (ACTING POLITICAL ADVISER)
INFO : CSUSA
REF : 080355 Z (RELAYS MSG DTG 080030 Z FROM DEPT OF STATE)
(STATE SERIAL 44 FEB 7, 7 PM SGT (CHESON))

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF

NOTE : Referenced message is CIRCPE's C 67570.



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TOO : 080355 Z
MCN : 92967

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8 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : CINCPA (CI & E, PID, SPARS AND STRIPES AND FE NETWORK), CG USAFIA (CIB), COMUS FRELIN (FOR ISD), COM HESSE (FOR ISD), SO FRANKFURT (FOR ISD), COMGWB (FOR ISD), COMG HANNOVER (FOR ISD), COMG BAVARIA (FOR ISD & NEUE ZEITUNG), COMUS REAR (FOR ISD & AM INFO BUREAU), EUCOM (FOR PID, TI & AFI), EMB LONDON (FOR NEUE AUSLESSE), USFA (FOR ISB, PID, TIE AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), FRUST (FOR AIS & PID)

NR : 080240 Z (PASSES MSG DTG 072227 FROM STATE TO DA)
(STATE SV 122 FEB 7 SGT ACHESON)

In order to improve guidance as to media in occupied areas, the fol procedure, eff today, will be employed on a trial basis:

1. The Pri-Weekly Occupied Area Guidance will be replaced by Daily Overnight Guidance, also issued to IED (Div of Internatl Broadcasting) and INP (Div of Internatl Press and Publications) of State. Overnight guidances will contain special details for occupied areas as called for.
2. The Daily Overnight Guidance will be cabled to addressees nightly by the Army.
3. The Daily Overnight Guidance will be teleconned during the night by State to Berlin to be avail next morning.
4. The Thursday morning telecon between State and Berlin will continue to be reserved for discussion of policy and technical guidance problems.
5. Should add telecons be necessary, either State or Berlin should reqst them.
6. Comments on substance and timeliness of guidance are reqst.

Overnight Guidance 061 (Report Nov 1938 on State Dept (OIT) treatment of major current issues (material is designed for guidance of media addressed to indigenous populations).

Overnight Guidance 061 Feb 7, 4 PM for INP, IED:

1. The Austrian Treaty discussions will begin again in

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FROM : STATE DEPT NR : 080230 Z 8 FEB 49 CONTINUED:

on Wednesday, 9 Feb on the Austrian Treaty. In view of fact that this has been several times recently mentioned by high US officials (Lovett, Acheson) as an opportunity for Soviets demonstrate their peaceful intentions by deeds not words, considerable attn will be focused on these talks. The principal issues which separate the Western Powers fr the USSR on the treaty are:

A. The territorial integrity of Austria within its 1937 boundaries;

B. The amt of the sum to be paid by Austrians to redeem the enterprises seized by the Russians under the guise of German assets;

C. A series of minor points including the setting up of an Austrian Army and guarantees of its continued existence as an independent state--all of which involve the guaranteeing of Austrian sovereignty and freedom fr political and economic pressure fr the Eastern Bloc into which it projects.

The fol points should be looked for in comment:

A. Consistent US adherence to its 1943 commitment to restore Austria to sovereignty and independence;

B. Sov lip sv to the Moscow declaration while treating Austria in every respect as an ex-enemy state;

C. Avoid speculation on the w's angles;

D. Austria's record of political stability and the smallness and impotence of the Communist faction to minimize the danger of a Czech-like coup in Austria after occupation forces are withdrawn.

E. Point out the coincidence of US and Western Policies with the basic aspirations of the overwhelming majority of the Austrian people.

2. The Mindszenty Trial.

Avoid rehashing the specific charges and counter-charges and the confusing nature of Mindszenty's self-castigation. In carrying the full wt of US public opinion condemning the trial in substance and in method, try to bring the issue back on the plane of religious persecution and suppression of minority grps by Communist Govts. Note that Moscow had has ignored trial for home consumption but is making full use of it in foreign output.

3. Sov note to Norway.

Let the Norwegians make their own answer when Lange gets back to Norway. In the meantime, point out the fate of previous non-aggression pacts that Sov had with Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania, Finland and Poland, without implying that the US

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recognizes incorporation of the Baltic States into Sov Union. Recall also the Acheson statement that non-aggression pacts are superfluous between fellow members of UN. Recall Russia's responsibility for creating the apprehension which makes regional security pacts to guarantee the peace necessary under the UN.

4. Iran.

Look for comment in the US press which cautions Iran against using the pretext of the attempted assassination of Shah for introduction of excessively repressive measures. To other areas, report factually and briefly the vote of confidence in the Iranian Govt.

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ACTION : CIV I & E

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
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FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (POLAD), CSUSA
NR : 071724 Z (SENT DEPT 41 7TH FOR SEBLAD TOKYO FROM KARACHI)

Pak Govt Note confirms contents my telegram 19 Jan 19.
Visas authorized but Pak Govt hopes Tokyo Mission arrive after
Feb 15th avoid overlap Italian Mission.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

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

ADDED DIST : ECON & SCI (8 Feb 49)

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TOO : 071724 Z
MCN : AGE 98/07



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6 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : CINCPAC (USPOLAD)
NR : 051550 Z (23 to 26)

Director Gen UNESCO has requested for be transmitted SCAP
"Accordance decisions UNESCO gen conference concerning program
occupied territories propose for candidate post UNESCO Rep
Japan Les Shi Mou nationality Chinese, age 52, experience higher
education degree US University Professor, Dean and Chancellor
Chinese University for 20 yrs. Member Chinese Educational
Mission Europe 1932 and 1933. Counselor Specialist Ministry
Education China. Presently Commissioner Education Shanghai
Municipality. Request your comments."

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, AG,
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TGO : 051550 Z
MCN : AUB 134/06



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5 Feb 49

FROM : ECA MISSION KOREA
TO : AMEMBASSY MANILA
INFO : SCAP (DIP SECT), STATE DEPT
NR : 050524 Z (SENT MANILA 3 RPOD SCAP AS 15 DEPT 110 50E)

Diplomatic visas granted today by this mission for entry into Philippines to Pyun, Young Dal, Special Representative Republic of Korea to Philippines and Kim, Yang Shik, Counselor to Special Representative. Visa Nos 1 and 2. Itinerary ETD Seoul Feb 7 arrive Tokyo same day, ETD Tokyo Feb 10 via Northwest Airlines arrive Manila same day. Embassy Manila please notify Philippine Foreign Office.

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

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TOO : 050524 Z
MCN : ADA 63/05



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5 Feb 49

FROM : ECA MISSION KOREA
TO : SCAF (ECA LIAISON) (PASS TO POWLEY)
INFO : ECA WASH
NR : 050523 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION TO ECA TOKYO NR 345)

Subj is Fluor spar. Refer Radio from CG, USAPK to CINCPAC
site Dec TPCOA-PT 218H and subsequent telephone
conversations. SUPPROCON has not contracted with suppliers and
will not until written contract received. Please expedite action
requested by you in reference Dec radio. Supt period must nec-
essarily be advance to Feb-Mar-Apr.

BTWC

ACTION : ECON & SCI

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-4, AG,
FISCAL, GEN PROC, NAT RESOURCES, TORNA LO,
GARTOA

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TOO : 050523 Z
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FROM : US MISSION IN SEOUL KOREA
TO : SCAP (DIPLOMATIC SECTION)
NR : 050522 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION NBR 14 FEB 5)

Clearance requested for entry into Japan for a period of 2 weeks for Kim, In Soon born Seoul Korea 29 Jun 1909, Korean National, mechanical engineer employed by Post Services Branch, AMIK. Purpose of stay in Japan is to purchase elevator parts from Otis Elevator Co for elevators in Banto Bldg, Seoul. Mission is urgent as elevators are in very poor condition. Korean passport for Mr Kim is in process of being issued. Maj Mobley will supply logistic support as per telephone conversation with Maj Kenneth Goff, USAFIK Liaison Officer Tokyo. Previous cable this subj was our Nbr 1 of 8 Jan.

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ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : G-4, ENGINEER

ADDED DIST : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2,
AG, ECON & SCI (7 Feb 49)

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TOO : 050522 Z
MCN : AUB 70/05

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3 Feb 49

FROM : ECA MISSION IN KOREA

TO : SCAP (DIPLOMATIC SECTION)

NR : 030130 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION NBR 11 FEB 3)

Intransit clearance Japan requested for Doctor Dewitt Stratton Lowe, Presbyterian Missionary, born Pawnee City Nebr 5 Jul 1899. Holds US Passport 155895 issued Washington DC. Wishes enter Japan 14 Feb via Northwest Airlines depart Yokohama on President Cleveland 19 Feb. Request WC Kerr, Civil Information and Education Section SCAP provide logistics. Medical records checked.

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ACTION : CIV I & E

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

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TOO : 030130 Z
MCN : AUD 15/03



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FROM : CHIEF ECA MISSION KOREA
TO : SCAP (DIPLOMATIC SEC)
NR : 030720 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION NBR 12 FEB 3)

Entry clearance into Japan requested for William Carl Beckner, Jr, born Cincinnati, Ohio Jul 8, 22. Proceeding Tokyo accept position with Williams International Inc. Length of stay in Japan unknown. Holds US Passport 5864 issued at San Francisco on 12 Aug 47. Plans enter Japan via NWA 7 Feb, medical records checked.

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ACTION : G-1

INFORMATION : G-2, AG, DIPLOMATIC

ADDED DIST : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF (4 Feb 49)

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TOO : 030720 Z
MCN : AUD 78/03



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4 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : CINCPAC
INFO : CSUSA
NR : 040019 Z (RELAYS MAG DTG 031456 Z)
(STATE SERVICE 78 SIGNED ACHESON DTD FEB 3, 10 AM)
(RELAYS FROM CANTON SIGNED LUDDEN) (SENT DEPT 22 FEB
3, 4 PM)

Suggest Sgt Balog's mission greatly simplified if he in possession valid passport vised for Hong Kong by appropriate British authorities Japan. Chinese entry visa will be arranged by American Consul Hong Kong. (CK 67478 refers).

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ACTION : G-1

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,
QUARTERMASTER, DIPLOMATIC

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TOO : 040019 Z
MCN : 92750

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TO SCAP (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)

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INFO CSUSA

REF 031200 Z (RELAY FR NSC FROM STATE DEPT DTS 030235 Z
(INFO SPO FEB 3 4 AM, SIGNED ACHESON) (RELAY FR SHANGHAI)
(SENT STATE AS 356, FEB 3 8 AM RPTD TOKYO AS SHANGHAI'S 32)

Relay Tokyo 32 Feb 1, to Nanking 273, as 7 apt 337.
Consider Carpenter's statement as repeated. Recent press
more unfortunate. Certain aggressive local representatives. In
specific regard SCAP Hongkong took special care to avoid any prior
publicity removal Japanese War criminals and managed average
transfer without exciting public interest.
View extreme Chinese local interest this subject. Try
least possible publicity and campaign against such removal
or abandoned Carpenter. Believe all official statements
should be checked here facts transfer arranged request
Chinese Govt through Chinese Embassy Tokyo, getting names for
explaining here squarely on Chinese side. Any attempt on
part to explain transfer as being for humanitarian reasons
etc. can only lead to criticism of and SCAP by Chinese of all
political complexions with whom hatred still prevailing emotion
as regards Japanese.

Sent Tokyo 32, repeated Dept 356, Carter S. reached
Nanking 273."

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC
INFORMATION : CONTINUING IN CHINA OFFICE OF SCAP
ADDED DIST : LEGAL (4 Feb 49)
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TO : 031200 Z
INFO : 02739

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INFORMATION : [illegible]

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3 Feb 49

FROM : DA
TO : SCAP (FOR POLAD)
INFO : ACOFS
NR : 050700 Z (RELAYS MSG TRUE TOG 040225 Z PP STATE
DEPT TO SCAP TOKYO) (STATE SERIAL 40 FEB 4, TFM
SIGNED WHESON)

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Secy INCOK proceeding Tokyo en route Seoul IWA Flight 7,
Feb 4 ETA 5: 35 AM Feb 7. Commercial connections permit
tvl Tokyo Seoul only Feb 11 or 12. Earlier arrival desired
by commission if possible arrange thru mil. Appreciate your
assistance this connection. We are suggesting he call on
you.

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION: COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3,
AG, TORCA LO

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6 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC, CSCID, CG USARPAC

NR : 061343 Z (MSG DTG 051030 Z FROM RANGOON MSG NR 84
FOR IRWIN SIGNED BAKER)

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Police levies and militia continue offensive pressure against Karen insurgents now principally hemmed vicinity Technical Institute north edge Insein town. Govt forces utilizing superior firepower mortars and 1 battery 2 1/2 pounders 4 guns with improvised crews some previous gunner experience. Karen insurgents have only few mortars and several cerlikons captured from Navy launches. Burmese Navy motor launches now patrolling Hlaing River. Regular Army troops Rangoon Garrison so far utilized only guarding Army AF installations Rangoon and Mingaladon. Karen have blocked Twante Canal with sunken barge. Otherwise unconfirmed Govt intelligence indicates 3 groups armed Karens each several hundred strong moving from immediate north and north west on Insein reinforce insurgents. Karen insurgents from Toungoa area have moved past second Burifs at Nyaunglebin in motor vehicles and reached outskirts Pegu yesterday. Whether racially mixed second Burifs resisted their advance not yet known. Govt forces have broken large highway bridge just south Pdgu in attempt delay Karen column who constitute greatest threat at present. Tenasserim region remains quiet so far. Fairly reliable reports indicate second Karen Rifles remain prone in defensive attitude, 3d Karens Mandalay disarmed without fighting, part of 1st Karens Toungoa joined insurgents while remainder are in passive attitude at airfield there. Fifth Burma Rifles ordered Rangoon but not yet departed from Akyab. NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, AG,
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TOC : 061343 Z
MCN : 92902

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FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (FOR POLICE ADVISOR)

INFO : ACCFS

NR : 050026 Z (RELAY MSG FROM TOC 042043 Z FROM STATES DEPT
TO SCAP TOKYO (SERIAL 39 FEB 4, 49 FM SIGNED ACHESCI)

Sov Counselor orally informed Feb 2 (Dopter 24 Jan 49, unrel 30 Jan 30) that news showed no discrimination against Sov judges, that ban on exclusion was fact that seating row would be contrary to proper justice, being the lawyers would delay completion trials. Long delay would be emphasized. Counselor raised question request judges be English speaking, to which reply was that was within SCAP's administrative discretion.

Re allegation Sov judges involved late, it was pointed out that though arraignment of 19 courts recessed until Nov 20. Also pointed out some administrative officer, improper for US or other individuals involved in matter, and that US Govt believing WAF had acted reasonably, did not wish to urge him change opinion. Counselor emphasized he was not authorized discuss question and requested privilege not make further comments.

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FROM : DA
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TO : CINCPAC, (CIB, PID, STARS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST NETWORK), CG USAFIK, (CIB), COMUS BERLIN (ISD), COM HESSE (ISD), LSC FRANKFURT (ISD), COM WB (ISD), COM BREMEN (ISD), COM FUJIKAWA (ISD AND NEUE ZEITUNG), COMUS REAR (ISD AND AM INFO BUREAU), HUCOM (PID, TI, AND AFN), EMB LONDON (NEUE AUSLESER), USFA (ISB, PID, TIE AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), TRUST (AIE AND PID),

NR : G 050488 Z RELAYS MSG DPG 042219 Z STATE, STATE SVC 13 2 FEB 49, SIGNED ACHESON)

Report Nbr 134 on state department (11) treatment of major 49 issues.

1st. US reaction to Stalin interviews
(The following is in substance a repeat of informal guidance point given to Boerner over the Feb 3 telecon with Berlin).

We must make sustained effort counteract impression that US has "rejected" any Soviet "peace move", and must especially counteract any false inferences to be drawn from such an impression. To this end, such must be focussed away from idea of a meeting between 2 heads of govts. and we must try to get our feet back on solid issues.

Opinion here is that the Acheson statement Feb 2 leads itself to aggressive exploitation by our media stressing,

(A) American concern with achieving stable and peaceful conditions throughout the world.

(B) That the much publicized Soviet statements, especially Stalin's remarks to the newspaper correspondent, are disappointing in substance because they fail to provide any new or constructive ideas which would facilitate agreement on the crucial issues.

Continue to impress upon our audiences real issues which are in way of Soviet agreement with the west and show why no agreement on these has been possible to date. By aggressively exposing Soviet vagueness, we should attempt to force Soviet media back to a discussion of issues rather than procedures. Continue to build up to the forthcoming Austrian treaty talk as a significant test case for Soviet good will towards conciliation and agreement.

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FROM : DA NR : 050458 Z 5 FEB 49 CONF'D

Continue to emphasize that existing obstacles to world-wide peaceful consolidation are not in Soviet-US relations, but in the obstruction of the Soviet Govt (and its satellites) to the common effort of the western nations towards economic reconstruction and political stability.

20. Austrian Treaty Talks.

1. Four Power negotiations for an Austrian State Treaty, to begin in London on or about Feb 7, confront US info media with a particular problem: Austrian weariness with unsettled status of their country due to continued absence of a treaty may lead to increasing impatience and consequent criticisms of all 4 Allied Powers if the conference should again disappoint hopes. Soviet propoganda are certain to foment and exploit such attitudes. At present Soviet media are presenting the Soviet Govt as anxious to produce a treaty, while sowing distrust as to a similar readiness on part of Western Powers. Soviet propoganda will undoubtedly attempt hold Western Powers fully responsible for any lack progress or ultimate failure at conference.

2. In order counteract possible effects this type of propoganda, our media should without further delay attempt make clear to Austrian as well as world public:

A. That US anxious to expedite completion of treaty so as to launch Austria on road to full independence, to terminate present state of uncertainty of the Austrian people and govt, and in further pursuance of US policy of promoting peace and stability thruout the world.

B. That interests of Austria as well as of world-peace and stability can honestly be served only by achieving a treaty on acceptable terms (as against a treaty "at any price", i.e. a treaty which will effectively insure Austria against foreign domination, political or economic, and will not jeopardize Austrian economic recovery.

3. Pre conference commentary should highlight US initiative since 1946 in favor of negotiation of an acceptable Austrian treaty at earliest possible date (recall Marshall Statement of May 1948).

4. Pre conference commentaries should also review treaty negotiations up to now, making clear that those issues on which no agreement possible to date are of crucial significance for Austrian independence and economic well being. Show especially that an acceptable treaty must permit conditions under which Austria may be free from outside political or economic pressure, avoid sapping her economic strength and endangering her ability to recover, be able maintain its internal security.

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5. Before conference takes up major issues, define general requirements the treaty must fulfill clearly and realistically, but be careful not evidence pessimism as to outcome of the negotiations.

6. Make clear that US interests at conference coincide fully with best interests of Austrian people.

7. Emphasize strongly that Austrian treaty discussion will be followed with particular interest thruout world as first major opportunity for Soviet Govt demonstrate whether recent statements, indicating a new readiness for cooperation with the west in interest of peace and stability, have any meaning in practice.

8. Follow conference developments in this framework, and be ready to analyze and expose Soviet position on major issues as to effect it would entail on Austrian independence and economic welfare.

9. Wherever the course of negotiations provides such evidence, show that US is acting in best possible interest of Austrian people. Show same for Britain and France without giving impression that 3 Powers are acting on preconceived accord.

3d. Equalization of war burdens in Germany:

In view of press stories on alleged State Dept veto of equalization legislation (Lastenausgleich) in Germany, following may be quoted as official State Dept position:

"The Dept of State and Military Govt have consistently favored legislation for equalization of burdens and have repeatedly urged that such German legislation be enacted. However US authorities feel that it is incumbent on them to see that any law passed will be fair and equitable to all interests concerned. It is for this reason that the present legislation has been found unsatisfactory since some of the technical provisions do not meet standards set by United States for such legislation. This reservation in no way affects firm position of American Govt that the economic burden imposed upon German people by effects of war and needs of reconstruction should be distributed fairly and equally over all social strata, thru appropriate legislation by the German authorities, and that first steps to be taken should be in direction of emergency relief".

4th. Korea Border Incidents.

Avoid playing up scattered border clashes along 38 deg parallel in Korea as indications of imminent invasion from North. Note State Dept release of third pointing out that official reports received here indicate clashes were not as alarming as press reports from Seoul characterize them. In reporting any Republic of Korea military preparations to deal with situation,

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play down US role in Korean Security Forces as established by agreement in August 1948. Suggest use of term "Korean Security Forces" to cover both police and constabulary in order avoid any emphasis on internal bickering between latter 2 as to their respective roles.

5th. Korean Application for UN Membership.

Note application of Republic of Korea for membership in UN but avoid speculation on likely Soviet and Soviet Satellite action if and when application comes before Security Council.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3,
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FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : DA, NAVY, DAF, CINCPAC, CG USARPAC, CINCPB, COMNAVWESPAC
NR : 030311 Z (RELAY FROM BATAVIA SENT DEPT AS 130, FEB 2,
9 AM RPYD ARMY, NAVY, AIR, CINCPB, CINCPAC, CG USARPAC,
COMNAVWESPAC SGD CARLOCK)

"AMADJA 138 from Dutch Mil.

"During 1st 3 weeks of current operations Dutch casualties were 135 killed, 366 wounded, 16 missing and in next 2 weeks were 71 killed, 215 wounded, 2 missing. Requesting non publication, announced 10,220 Indos killed in same 5 weeks. Dutch training a command unit named Green Force in south and west Java and expect to use it East Java early Feb. (Confirms part 2 AMADJA 137).

"Djoeja mil observers report on action mentioned Part 3 AMADJA 137 confirms action but state it was initiated by Dutch with object of occupying towns Bantoel and Barongan in order permit free movement produce of arms to Djoeja from south. Opposing Repub force well disciplined. It withdrew leaving behind only 3 Japs dead.

"Apparent Dutch plan to win by attrition of Indos, holding them in unproductive areas till hunger, lack of munitions and discouragement force return to peaceful pursuits. Some areas report recent observation young men in field which was not condition at beginning of police action. War nominal and not of gen application yet. Meanwhile sabotage, sniping mining road obstruction and bridge destruction continues with varying intensity in all areas.

"Requested Dutch week ago to auth Wiley view operations esp to aid in better deployment mil observers and for mil observers visit disordered areas outside former Repub areas. Now in hands Meth Del and presumed referred to Hague."

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FROM : STATE DEPT NR : 030311 Z 3 Feb 49 CONT'D

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, AG,
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39, February 3, 1949. (PASS TO DEPT OF STATE)

Redeptel 29, January 27: mytel 29, January 25.

In view considerations deptel under reference, Maynard will attend conference as sole SCAP observer.

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- M/R: 1. Above arrangement discussed and agreed to by CinC.
- 2. ESS (Col. Ryder) concurs.

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20535
SEP 13 1979

Special Agent
in Charge
New York Office

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (100-441100)
FROM: SAC, NEW YORK (100-100000)
SUBJECT: [Illegible]

DATE: [Illegible]
TIME: [Illegible]



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AMERICAN MISSION, SEOUL, KOREA.....PRIORITY

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February 2, 1949. FOR MUCCIO FROM BISHOP.

Because of short stay in Korea, Secretary Royall wishes to minimize formalities in connection with Korean officials and hopes that brief call on President and possibly Foreign Minister, if you feel latter desirable, will be sufficient.

The Secretary will wish to discuss fully with you our policy in Korea.

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M/R: Above sent at request of
Secretary Royall.

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TO : SCAP (POLAD)
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2 Feb 49

FROM : US MISSION KOREA

TO : SCAP (DIPLOMATIC SECT)

NR : 020220 Z (THIS IS SEOUL MISSION NBR 10 FEB 2)

Clearance request for entry into Japan for Paul A Tsoy born Vladivostok Russia date unknown US citizen naturalized New York City Nov 9, 43. Radio Corp of America employee. Wishes enter Japan Feb 14 via Northwest Airlines, remain in Japan until Feb 19 on which date will depart on President Cleveland from Yokohama.

Clearance also requested for wife, Moon Chan Tsoy born Pyongyang Namdo Korea Jun 16, 1927, Korean citizen holding Korean Passport 00137 dtd 25 Nov 48 possessing valid visa for entry into US. Will enter Japan and depart same dates as husband. Wishes enter same purpose.

Commercial reservations requested.

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ACTION : G-1

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

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TOO : 020220 Z
MCN : AUC 32/02



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1 Feb 49

FROM : US MISSION IN KOREA
TO : SCAP (ECA LIASON)
INFO : STATE DEPT (ECA)
NR : 010855 Z THIS IS SEOUL MISSION TOECA TOKYO NBR 30/RPTD
TOECA 199 FEB 1 SIGNED BUNCE

This message in 4 parts.

Part 1. Subj is ECATO 106 dtd 13 Jan not repeated Japan. "Urgently need advice iron and steel and other metal products included program FY 50 which can be supplied fr Japan. Request earliest review by SCAP and advice listing quantities such metals products that can be supplied. Similar advice desired subsequently on other short supply items available through SCAP"

Part 2. Fol is iron and steel programmed for FY 50 in mtos: Corrugated iron 600, boiler tubes 1440, locomotives 325, pipe castiron 5000, misc mining requirements iron 175, steel shapes 5600, tool and die steel 1"10, silicon steel 450, misc ingots 850, steel rails 75, pipe steel 151, cable steel 1150, steel reinforcements 13420, misc mining requirements 175.

Part 3. Korea has 5000 mtos semi finished steel available for export to Japan for fabrication into finished product. This to be applied against program FY 50. Survey in process to determine other indigenous metals on hand. Will advise results.

Part 4. Request you explore and advise earliest possibility of fabricating items in Japan listed Part 2 fr raw materials supplied by Korea.

ACTION : TOECA 10

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, G-4,
AG, ECON & SCI, NAT RESOURCES, DIPLOMATIC

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TOO : 010855 Z
MCN : AUD 98/01

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2 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (POLAD)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : 020030 Z (RELAYS MSG TRUE TOO 011913 Z FROM STATE DEPT)
(STATE UNNUM SVC, FEB 1, 3 PM SIGNED ACHENSON) (RELAY
FROM MOSCOW) (SENT DEPT 252 DEPT PASS LONDON 28 TOKYO 8)

"New and devolping Sov propaganda line provided Pravda's
International Review Jan 30 entitled 'The City's Worries',
alleging Brit commercial circles seriously concerned over
revival German and Jap industry and competition world markets.
Seems clear this line will be pushed as industrial production
in and exports from (Western) Germany and Japan develop fur-
ther. Signed Kohler".

NO SIG

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, AG
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TOO : 020030 Z
MCN : 92613

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1 Feb 49

FROM : STATE DEPT
TO : SCAP (ACTING POLAD)
INFO : CSUSA
NR : 010241 Z (MSG DTG 312136 Z) (STATE SERIAL CIR JAN 31 1 AM)



"For cir sent all posts for US delegates use 11 Apr GATT Meeting, pls report soonest all instances in which nation to which you accredited known to discriminate against Jap imports such matters as customs duties, exchange regs, quotas, etc, or imposes special restrictions applying only Jap goods. Textiles thought most likely item desire all evidence you can supply for Jap EFD, particularly re discrimination in State Trading Opns, plus other arguments or points which should be considered by USDEL."

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23 DEC 53

ACTION : DIPLOMATIC

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG

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TOO : 010241 Z
MCN : 92553

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1 Feb 49

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FROM : DA

TO : SCAP (PASS TO POLAD YOKOHAMA)

INFO : CSUSA

NR : B 12212 T (RELAYS MSG FROM STATE DEPT DTG 311607 Z) (STATE
SERIAL 26, JAN 31, 10 AM SIGNED ACHESON)

Urtel 8, Jan 17, Paul Marella. No objection issuance
diplomatic 33 visa your discretion.

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

NOTE : This message passed to Signal Center for electrical
transmission to AMCONGEN YOKOHAMA for action.

NOTE: Reference radio is not of record in this hq.

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TOO : 311930 Z
MCN : 92526

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per paragraphs 51i and 60a, AR 380-5.

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1 Feb 49

FROM : DA

TO : CINCPAC (FOR CIB, PID, STAFFS AND STRIPES AND FAR EAST
NET WORK), CG USAFIK (FOR CIB), CMC HESSE (FOR ISD),
LSC FRANKFURT (FOR ISD, CMC WB (FOR ISB), CMC BREMEN
(FOR ISD), CMC SAVANNA (FOR ISD AND KUNDE ZIEHTW), CINCPAC
(FOR ISD AND AN IVE BUREAU), CG USARMC (FOR FID, V, AND E
PW), CMC LONDON (FOR NEVE ANGLESE), USFA (FOR ISB, PID,
VIE AND BLUE DANUBE NETWORK), URUST (FOR AIS AND PID),
DA (FOR CAD, ID, CMC, PD, SRS, CSLLD, VIE, FID)

REF : OLR 2, PASSIS 10, STATE DEPT DRS 31221 2
STATE SEC 112, DAV 31, SRS AGESON (UNLON SCHEDULED
FOR FEB 1)



Report Wbr 152 on State Dept (OII) treatment of major cur-
rent issues (material is designed for guidance of media address-
ed to indigenous populations)

1. Soviet Economic Aid Council

Continue to stress the point that the new Soviet-sponsored
Council of Mutual Economic Assistance appears to be an organ-
ization primarily intended for aid to the Soviets themselves.
With the present network of Soviet-Satellite agreements for trade
economic and industrial collaboration already providing for most
if not all of the cooperative exchanges emphasized in the Council.
The new council's role would appear to be essentially that of a
Soviet-directed coordination agency for extracting the maximum
benefits from the areas under the Kremlin's control, neither that
the new council appears to be the economic counterpart of the com-
inform, an organization for the political control of the satellite
areas.

As an example of Communist claims of Soviet help to the
satellites, mention might be made of the unpublished Soviet-

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Bulgarian Trade Agreement of 1949. While nothing of this agreement has been published, since the Bulgarian authorities are apparently afraid to admit to their own people how badly they were taken, output might mention that "the Soviets are taking most of the Bulgarian tobacco crop and other valuable exports which they then resell on the world market at low prices, hence the prices paid by them to Bulgaria must be exploitatively low. In return, the Soviets follow the Nazi pattern of shipping to Bulgaria a minimum of machinery, much of which is known to be of poor quality. Stress the similarity of the present conditions to the former Nazi system, pointing out that the Bulgarian regime, like that of other satellite regimes, has again chosen to remain in a colonial status, only changing its master from Germany to the USSR. In contrast, continue to emphasize and illustrate the recovery in western European countries and point out the amount of aid received in the course of this recovery by such small countries as Belgium and Denmark.

2. The Stalin answers.

The official US position re Stalin's answers to Kingsbury Smith's questions will probably be enunciated by the president or the Secy of State. Until this happens, we should avoid any appearance of official or semi official reaction. In picking up comment and statements by congressional leaders, the following general lines should be looked for:

A. US public, like every other nation in the world, is anxious to find a peaceful solution to the present international tensions. The extensive press and radio coverage of Stalin's replies bears testimony to this overwhelming interest.

B. The questions put by Mr Smith were so phrased as leading questions that Mr Stalin could do very little else than give assent. From Smith's point of view this achieves maximum propagandistic scoop effect.

C. US public is still more urgently interested in deeds than in words and any move by the Soviets to decrease the pressure at those points where world peace is threatened would be welcomed much more than Mr Stalin's reiterated assurances of peaceful intentions in words.

D. The reasons for Stalin's olive branch at this time may be his increased concern with the resolute progress of the west toward cooperation in self defense, particularly by the North

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Atlantic Pact, or it may be the realization that aggressive Communist tactics of the recent past failed to achieve the continuing Communist goal of world domination and a practical retreat is necessary.

E. The proposal should be treated as a whole, and it should be pointed out that none of the basic conditions which have led to the present impasse have been altered by the Soviets, who created them.

F. Avoid comment which makes this an issue between the US and USSR and look for editorials in support of the view that this is a struggle of all freedom loving people against oppression.

NO SIG

ACTION : CIV I & E

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