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NR : DA TT 4588 AGENDA FOR 111200 Z

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION



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YUGOSLAVIA (CONFIDENTIAL)

US Ambassador Belgrade states that there is reason believe that Yugoslav Government desires change it's position on Korea from one of neutrality to active support of United Nations. It is official's opinion that principal cause for Yugoslav Government's hesitation on making such change is uncertainty that rank and file of Yugoslav Communist Party is ready accept active endorsement of UN Policies in Korea.

Yugoslav Regime's desire to develop internal basis for such a change in policy is indicated by request for accreditation to Korea of Yugoslav Journalist on Staff of Politika, Yugoslavia's second most important daily newspaper.

Comment: There were indications of Yugoslavia's readiness to vote with west in UN on question of aggression in fall of 1950, when Chief Yugoslav Delegate introduced resolution designed to halt any hostilities at an early stage or, failing that, to fix guilt for aggression. Marshal Tito told an American Newspaper Correspondent in November 1950, that in event of hostilities between United States and Communist China, Yugoslavia would adhere to any UN finding concerning aggressor, and would support subsequent UN action.

However, when voting on Korean situation, Yugoslavia has consistently abstained. It is possible Tito has decided his Party is nearly prepared support actively Western Policies in United Nations.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3,
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Present Washingtons
Col W H Brunke
Col R E Hommel
Col H O Patteson
Mr J R Sloss
Mr R H Ingersoll
Lt Col C A Curtis
Maj J L Sutton
Lt D E Bolte
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PART 2 OUTGOING

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Present Tokyo:
Maj Gen C A Willoughby
Col E H F Svensson
Lt Col M L Green
Lt Col B V York
LCDR T W Newland
Capt H E Richards

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A. Army

I Corps ptrls encounter gen light resist dur 9 Apr; elms 29th Br Com Brig, 3d US Div & Turk Brig resumed atk AM 10 Apr. Hostile oppn to IX Corps units relatively light; TF dispatched to secure Hwachon Dam. Elms X Corps crossed Choyang River against determined resist. ROK units on UN right flank rept slight increase en acty. En sup build-up cont with total 1,859 en vehs repted dur nite 9-10 Apr, majority mvg S to fwd areas.

I US Corps: 1st ROK Div maintd prev psns S of Imjin River; all attempts by ptrls to cross dur nite 8-9 Apr repelled by intense en SA fire; however, air obsvd en on high grd vic CS 0898 & CS 0999 withdrawing to N AM 9 Apr. 29th Br Com Brig & 7th Inf atkd N in zone AM 10 Apr with fwd elms recvg light SA fire vic CT 2209 CT 3211.

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25th US Div ptrls probed average of 2500 yds N of prev-reptd psns 9 Apr against sporadic mortar and arty fire. Air obsvd est 1,000 partially occupied en psns vic CT 3719 & CT 4115 AM 9 Apr. Turk Brig atkd N in zone at 100730; elms recvg SA and mortar fire from Hill 126 (CT 3413) as of 100900. 24th US Div units maintained prev psns dur 9 Apr; en gps up to bn str, employing SA, mortar and some arty fire, cont'd to strongly repel friendly attempts to probe beyond CT 13 E-W Grid line.

IX US Corps: 27th Br Com Brig in prev psns reptd only 2 sm ptrl clashes, vic CT 6510, dur 9 Apr. 6 ROK Div maintained psns along gen line CT 6809-CT 7809 dur pd w/o reptd contact. 7th Mar Regt, atchd to 1st Cav Div, ptrld fr prev psns dur 9 Apr w/o contact; elms 8th Cav Regt and Thailand Bn advd unoppd to gen line CT 8511-CT 8911; 7th Cav Regt advd against light en SA and mortar fire to psns vic CT 9011-CT 9312. 1st Cav Div dispatched TF Galloway (2d Bn 7th Cav Regt, 4th Ranger Co and plat of engr) AM 9 Apr to secure dam vic CT 9319; TF engd est en co holding narrow neck of land between riv and reservoir PM 9 Apr, en reptd withdrawing at 091700 after air/arty placed on psns. Dur 9 Apr 1st Mar Div with atchd ROK Mar Regt remained prev-reptd assy areas; Mar Div to rel 1st Cav Div in psns on 10 Apr.

X Corps: French Bn advd unoppd 9 Apr to CT 9614. 23d Inf atkd against stiff resist fr undet nbr en dug-in vic CT 9810-DT 0606; elms unable dislodge this en on 9 Apr, however atk resumed at 100630 with progress unreptd. 17th Inf 7th US Div crossed Choyang River vic DT 1907 and DT 2106 commencing at 090400 against intense SA and mortar fire fr est en regt; engmt contd throughout 9 Apr with elms occupying gen line DT 1807-DT 2107. 32d Inf mvd to vic DT 1800-DT 2105 prepared to fol adv of 17th Inf. 31st Inf enroute to assy area vic DS 1493. 5th ROK Div units contd adv in zone dur 9 Apr with no reptd en contact. 35th ROK Regt mvd to psns vic DT 2306; to cross Choyang River behind 32d US Inf.

III ROK Corps: 18th Regt 3d ROK Div advd unoppd 9 Apr to line DT 3110-DT 3810; 22d and 23d ROK Regts atkd to DT 4008-DT 4508 and DT 4113-DT 5015 against light resist fr undet nbr en dur AM 9 Apr; en broke contact and w/d at 091450.

I ROK Corps: 1st Regt Cap ROK Div ptrlg fr psns DT 5113-DT 5517 made light contact vic DT 5016 AM 9 Apr. 1st Cav ROK Regt maintained psns on line DT 5618-DT 6217; friendly rcn co engd est

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2 en bns vic DT 5528 at 071800 but forced break contact at 081300 due ammo shortage. Fwd elms 9th ROK Div ptld fr prev psns on 9 Apr w/o reptd contact; 4 u/1 2-engine acft strafed friendly psns vic Yangyang (DT 6614) at 090630.

B. Air:

Dur 24 hour pd endg 092400 I: UN acft FEAF con flew 989 eff sorties inclg 221 trans, 51 ftr con, 52 recon, 665 combat of which 140 by USMC, 24 SAAF and 6 ROKAF. Of 168 close spt sorties, 50 in I Corps, 32 IX Corps, 78 X Corps, 8 III ROK Corps sectors. 368 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 172 areas inclg BT 7543, CT 1481, CT 7535, CT 8359 and DT 1043. 56 counter air sorties flown: 32 on escort mission; 8 CAP, 16 on intercept mission, intercepted friendly acft. 24 light bms atkd tgts in 8 areas inclg YD 3334, YD 3894 and YD 4792. 18 night intruder acft atkd tgts in 18 areas inclg BT 1927, CT 0741, CU 2336 and YC 5050. 6 acft on search mission for downed acft.

FEAF Bom Com flew 27 eff sorties: 98th EG: 5 acft radar bbd Anju. 6 acft radar bbd Kunu-Ri. 7 acft radar bbd Sinanju. 1 acft radar bbd Hamhung. All results unobsvd. 2 acft by MPQ-2 radar con bbd CT 7933. 1 acft by MPQ-2 radar con bbd CT 2920. 1 acft by MPQ-2 radar con bbd DT 1612; grd controller reptd exc results. 1 acft on night lflt drop over en trp cones in rear areas: results unreptd. 1 acft landed Taegu; results unreptd. 91st Recon Sq: 2 acft accomplished photo recon NK; good results.

FEAF 315th Air Div's 221 sorties airlifted 1678 psgrs, 403 evacs and 606.3 tons frt. Incl'd above figures: 3 C-46 acft dropped 9.02 tons ammo and rations at DT 2501; exc results.

1 C-46 acft dropped 3.9 tons rations, ammo and gas at DT 5203; fair results.

FEAF Bom Com today dispatched 11 acfts: 19th EG: 4 acft vis bbd Pyongyang afd; exc results. 1 acft radar bbd Pyongyang; unobsvd results. 2 acft radar bbd Pyongyang; exc results. 307th EG: 1 acft radar bbd Sunan; exc results. 1 acft radar bbd Haeju; results unreptd. 1 acft radar bbd Pyongyang; fair results. 1 acft radar bbd Pyongyang afd; exc results.

5th AF repts folg encounters 10 Apr: at aprx 100800 I vic (XE 6408) flt of F-86s engaged 6 MIG-15 acft at 8000 ft. 1 MIG dest, 1 dam. No friendly dam. At 101040 I vic XE 6902, 4 F-80s at 10,000 ft were atkd by 2 MIG-15 acft. 1 F-80 dam by 1 hit. Boss strikes on 1 MIG.

FEAF claims en losses for pd: Pers 141, MIG-15s 1 and 1, tks 1 and 4, vehs 71 and 17, RR cars 15 and 19, en occ bldgs 521

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and 351, sup dumps 7 and 6, gun pens 10 and 3, ammo dump 1, POL dumps 3, RR brg 1, pack anls 54, sup stacks 21, pill box 1, sup carts 57 dam, whses 3 dam, tunnels 4 dam, rds and rail lines cut in numerous places along main sup routes.

Ops planned for 11 Apr 51: B-29s: 76 combat ready (CR), 0 to be employed (TBE). All gps will stand down for maint. Light bms: 47 CR, 41 TBE. Ftrs: 278 CR, 278 TBE. Trans: 136 CR, 116 TBE.

C. Navy:

Korea E coast:

Air: TF 77 acft flew no offensive sorties. TE 95.11 acft fr Bataan and Theseus flew 99 sorties 9 Apr of which 80 against tgts vic Kilchu, Songjin, Sinpo, Tanchon, Yongdae, Kowon, and Munchon. Acft dest 34 bldgs, 3 fuel tanks, 1 boat 120 ft long, 1 sup dump, 1 tk, 6 trps, 5 trks, 4 whses; dam 2 brgs 3 bldgs, 16 junks and sampans, 6 locos, 2 RR tracks, 1 sup dump, 2 tn sheds, 19 trks, 2 whses.

Surface: Hank and Walke conducted anti junk ptrl N to Chongjin, had 1 radar contact just S 41-50N, speed up to 30 knots; unable to illuminate because hvy surface haze; also interdicted brgs vic Kyojo Wan.

Vic Songjin, Hubbard, Thompson, and Hoquiam started large apparent oil fire in low bldg where 3 trks and 12 soldiers seen; badly dam 5 2-masted sailing vessels 50 ft long; slightly dam fishing craft; also fired interdiction on rd junction brg approach.

In Wonsan area, St Paul, Manchester, Brown, Zellars fired night interdiction on rd jets; fired on mov veh lites, extinguishing them; with hlcptr day spot, scored hits on hwy brg and rd and rail jets; shelled coastal rd; started fires in area shore btry and fuel dump where many men sighted; shelled trks, causing 2 large explosions and brilliant white and colored flashes; killed 8 en trps at cave entrance.

At bomblines, Forrest Royal fired on 1000 en trps in 3 villages, results unobsvd. Junk ptrl obsvd no en boat mvmt.

Mines: Floating mine at 32-41N, 134-58E; and at 40-13N, 139-52E; poss floating mine at 35-41N, 134-25E; floating mine drifted against rock and exploded at 40-35N, 139-55E.

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Korea W coast:

Air: TE 95.11 acft fr Bataan and Theseus flew 4 sorties 9 Apr vic Chinnampo, Onjongni, Ongjin, and Haeju: dest 1 RR car and 1 bldgs; strafed 2 large junks and mobile crane.

Surface: Evertsen, Concord, Cockade, Black Swan ptrld coast N to Chinnampo and Yalu Gulf, also Incheon approaches; repta no en boat acty.

Mines: None repta.

Formosa Strait: Surface and acft ptrls repta no unusual sightings. Lofberg, Bole, and Thomason ptrlg.

La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings repta.

D. Negative.

E. Wea:

Summ pe 091800 - 101800 I: Korea, setd low clds throughout Korea with ovest mid and high clds fr 100500 I to end pd. Vis 7 mi. Max temp 58, min 32 deg F.

Fest for pd 101800 I - 111800 I: Korea, ovest mid and high clds in N with low ovest in S and rain until 110001 I beng low brkn clds in N with rain shwrs until 111200 I. Vis 4-6 mi in haze and light rain occas reduce to 1 mi in moderate rain. Vis in NK 10 mi after 111200 I. Max temp 55, min 40 deg F.

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A. Grnd opns past 24 hrs:

1. Pts contact: CT 2712, CT 2811, CT 3211, CT 3413, CT 3713, CT 4215, CT 4315, CT 4516, CT 4913, CT 5012, CT 5112, CT 5711, CT 5813, CT 5911, CT 6510, CT 9112, CT 9217, CT 9810, DT 0308, DT 0507, DT 0606, DT 1705, DT 1907, DT 2106, DT 4008, DT 5015, DT 5016, DT 5528.

2. Fol NKA-CCF loc chgs as of 101700 I Apr.

NKA Unit	Loc	CCF Unit	Loc
1st Div	DT 1625	77th Div	CT 3429
2d Div	DT 5052	78th Div	CT 2130
3d Div	DT 4634	115th Div	CT 8628
6th Div	DT 3875	196th Div	CT 5755
7th Div	DT 4070	197th Div	CT 6253
9th Div	DT 4656	198th Div	CT 6755
10th Div	(remnants DT 5350)		
12th Div	DT 3966		
15th Div	DT 2527		
27th Div	DT 4761		
45th Div	DT 3127		
69th Brig	DT 5646		

3. USA: See sit in brief.

4. ROKA: See sit in brief.

5. Rear areas:

(A) En:

Air reptd total 1859 en vehs dur night 9-10 Apr of which 1020 mvg S, 127 mvg N, 416 mvg laterally, remainder unreptd. Main axis traffic: Sinuiju-Sinanju-Pyongyang; Sunchon-Yangdok-Singye (957 vehs); Hamhung-Wonsan-Kojo-Kumwha (346 vehs); Pyonggang-Chorwon (155 vehs). Photos taken PM 8 Air reveal: 12 veh psns or storage caves vic BT 7453; 9 lt arty empls vic BT 7970, CT 2622; 5 med arty psns vic BT 7970 and CT 3322; sup psn on side of mtn vic BT 8069; 15

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hvy mortar empls vic CT 2821, CT 2921, CT 3300 and CT 3321; 7 AW: empls vic CT 3031 and CT 3222. 4 dur 9 Apr air obsvd: 15 parked vehs vic YC 5050 and 18 vehs in cam revetments vic DV 9193; revetments and runway resurfacing appeared new on airfld vic XD 9408; fires still burning result 8 Apr air strikes on en sup vic BU 5623, pontoon br under constr vic CT 0859. Dur 9 Apr air atkd; unreptd nbr vehs vic YC 0359, CV 5555, BT 6298, BT 6897, BT 7981, BT 8373, BT 9071, BT 9074 and CT 1462 (28 destd); 6 en tks vic YD 1509, BT 8080, CT 1462, CT 1877 resulting 4 dam, 2 destd; 55 ox carts mvg E vic YC 3254, 27 destd and 25 dam; unreptd nbr ox carts vic DT 4177, 20 destd; 23 NW 100 X 30 ft perm-type bldg vic YD 0214; 20 log-covered revetments along rd between BU 5719-BU 6205; en sup vic BT 7543 and CT 1661; en POL ops vic BT 9073 and BT 9074, reptd destd; affect on mil ops of open sluice gates Hwachon Dam believed negligible. Sudden rise in R caused 2 mi br vic CT 8206 and CT 8593 break loose at one end; however Engrs succeeded in holding br intact. R had risen 4 ft 11 1/2 in vic CT 8206 by 090830 and reptdly stopped rising at 090930; by 091640 R had fallen aprx 3 in vic CT 8206, 6 in vic CS 8797 and 11 1/2 in vic CS 8419. IX Corps Engr reptd water in lower dam vic CS 6175 had risen 4-10 ft necessitating opening some gates on dam to offset incr of water. TF Galloway (2d Bn 7th Cav Regt, 4th Ranger Co and Plat of Engrs) dispatched AM 9 Apr to secure dam vic CT 9319; last reptd vic CT 9216 PM 9 Apr.

(B) Frnd: No significant en act reptd dur pd.

B. Air: See sit in brief.

C. Navy: See sit in brief.

D. En capabilities: No change.

Discuss. of:

(1) See TT 4557.

(2) See TT 4528

(3) See TT 4580.

(4) Reinf potential NKF:

VII and VIII NK Corps believed consist of 5 div and 2 brigs with aggregate total of approx 70,000 men constitute strong res force of NKA. These units are known to have been org equipd and

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trnd in Manchuria border area after defeat of NKA in Korea last Nov. Subsequently-they moved S along E Coast and are believed loc SW of Wonsan, possibly in Changimni-Yangdok-Koksan area. With exception of 1 div employed under command of XIX NK Corps, these 2 corps have not been committed to action and there has been evidence of still further movement of elms both corps. The status of their trng, equip and combat efficiency unknown, but it reasonable to assume, considering the time they have been allowed, that they are as well, if not better, prepared for combat than those NK units now in contact with UN forces.

The IV and VI Corps NKs, consisting of 6 divs and 2 brigs with aggregate str of approx 70,000 are employed as security forces in Chinnampo-Sariwon-Yonan area and constitute a formidable force that must also be considered in the over-all NK reinf potential. This force, loc within operating distance of front is readily avail for relief or reinf of front line units in W sector as evidenced by recent employment of 19th NK Div (VI NK Corps) for a short pd time S of Minsan under command I NK Corps. However, in view threat of UN amphibious landings, en will most likely cont employ a portion of his forces for coastal sec purposes.

Four NK Corps, (I, II, V and III) have been actively employed in front line combat cur current retrograde mov. I NK Corps on W flank of front line has remained on constant front line duty since en w/d from Han R, while in E sector the II, V and III NK Corps have been undergoing a "LEAP-FROG" process. Components these corps have borne brunt of UN off and will probably require add pers and equip before they are capable of future sustained action.

In estimating the reinf potential of NKA then, it must be assumed there are avail 4 corps, the IV, VI, VII and VIII, whose components are near full str and are believed loc so as to enable them to: Effect relief of units at any loc along present front lines; be utilized to prepare and occupy def psns to rear of present front; and/or be utilized in any off action that en may undertake. Major problem confronting en in utilization these res forces is not lack of per but continues to be the inadequacy of logistical spt and, based

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on performance of 19th NK Div on W front, a poor state of trng.

- (5) See TT 4581.
- (6) See TT 4559.
- (7) See TT 4579.
- (8) See TT 4436.

E. Negative.

F. Completed 1st air drop 8 Apr. Chinese anti-morale 1st 200,000 Serial 7031 and safe conduct good trng 1st 160,000 Ser 7035 also Korean anti-morale 1st 200,000 Ser 1047 and safe conduct good trng 1st 160,000 Ser 1050.

G. Negative.

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Nothing to rept.

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Eighth Army SITREP 725 period ending 100800 1 Apr repts foll: -
 IDOB: 1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CT 3109 8 Apr by US 64th Tk Bn ident political sect, 78th Div, 26th CCF A. PW stated 2d CCF A was w/d to Chonwon for reorgn and would be held by elmts of 1st Fld A which would def gen fr vic CT 11 E-W grid line. PW obs and talked to soldiers of 1st Fld A in Yonchon CT 3118 o/a 30 Mar. These trps believed to be elmts XIX A Gp. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CT 4110 9 Apr by US 25th Div ident Arty Bn, 262d Regt, 76th Div, 26th CCF A, 1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CT 9010 9 Apr by US 7th Cav RCT ident 3d Bn, 343d Regt, 115th Div, 39th CCF A. 2 NK PWs capt'd vic DT 0602 by US 2d Div Security Force 9 Apr ident 3d Regt, 1st NK Div, III NK Corps. 1 NK PW capt'd vic DT 1006 9 Apr by US 32d Regt ident 1st Regt, 15th NK Div.

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Extract fr Ob Sec, INTSUM 3135, 10 Apr: IDOB: W/D of 38th and 50th CCF Armies (Corps): A PW capt'd 18 Mar revealed on further interrog that he heard fr an off that 38th and 50th CCF Armies (Corps) had been ordered to Manchuria.

Comments: Not believed that either the 38th or 50th CCF Armies (Corps) have completed their rept'd plans to move back to Manchuria, although intention to do so appears to have existed (INTSUM 3119, 3121, 3131). Other repts indicating the w/d to 50th CCF Army (Corps) to Pyongyang area appear more valid (INTSUM 3126, 3131). Until more concrete evidence is rec'd, acceptance of rept'd w/d of 38th and 50th CCF armies (Corps) to Manchuria cannot be accepted, they will be carried as res in Korea. 39th CCF Army (Corps) 1) 115th CCF Div: 1 CCF PW capt'd 8 Apr by US 1st Cav Div vic CT 9412, ident'd comm plat, 343d Regt, 115th Div, 39th CCF Army (Corps). PW stated 500 men of 343d Regt, 115th CCF Div were loc 5 Apr vic CT 9316, spt'd by 10 arty pieces of unk caliber. PW further stated that 22d CCF Army (Corps) was in res somewhere to rear.

Comments: Several recent repts have revealed that on front line trps are expecting arty and armor spt in near future. Mention of 10 arty pieces sptg 500 men of 1 regt could possibly mean that hvy arty has arr fr the N and is now going in psn to spt on front line trps (INTSUM 3124). An intel source rept'd that trps of 18th NK Div, IV NK Corps, were preparing def and emplacing fld pieces along N bank Taedong-gang R between Pyongyang and vic YD 2613 source comment: 18th NK Div considered subord to VI NK Corps, not IV. It is presently accepted as being loc in Chaeryong YC 2853 area. Pend further confirmation above rept not accepted.

Comment. Above is in consonance with accepted repts of move of major elms VI NK Corps into Songhwa-Sariwon area. 18th NK Div is tent accepted in Chaeryong. 239th Brig, however, not accepted as elms 18th NK Div.

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Ob highlights Add CCF Units sent to Korea. An intel source rept that CCF Units transferred to Korea about Mar 51, incl the "North China Special Army Gp", "Jehol Army Gp", and the "Chahar-Suiyuan Army Group C-6 (INTSUM 3135)

Comment: "North China Special Army Gp". The above rept adds further credence to presence in Korea of the recently ident and tenty accepted 18th and 19th Army Grps, N-China CCF Grps. These 2 CCF Army Grps were formerly atchd to 2d and 1st CCF Fld Armies, resp, dur the virtually unopposed rampage of Chinese Red Forces in China proper in 1949. Of 20th CCF Army Gp, which remained with its parent unit, the N China CCF Army Grps dur that pd, only the 66th CCF Army (Corps) has been ident in Korea. Although it has been indicated through PWS and other sources that remaining elms of 20th CCF Army Gp would enter or had entered Korea, no confirmation has been recd to this effect. "Jehol Army Gp": This ident was probably made in ref to 67th Army (Corps), 20th CCF Army Gp, inasmuch as this CCF Army (Corps) was formerly known as Jehol Column. The designation, Jehol Column, was in effect until 1946, when it was redesignated 2d Column of "N China Peoples" Liberation Army. This in turn became 67th Army (Corps), 20th Army Gp, N China CCF Army Grps, in early 49. It is to be noted (INTSUM 3135) that a Chinese NCO PW, fr 66th CCF Army (Corps) captd late Mar 51, claimed hearsay knowledge that 67th CCF Army (Corps) was to arr in Korea shortly. "Chahar-Suiyuan Army Gp": This ident is believed have been made in ref to elms 1st CCF Fld Army, specifically units formerly of Shansi-Suiyuan Peoples' Liberation Army under Ho Lung, which originated in those 2 N China Provinces. These units were later believed integrated into 1st CCF Fld Army in early 49. In this connection, recent rept, (INTSUM 3125) stated 4th and 8th CCF Armies (Corps), of 2d Army Gp, 1st CCF Fld, entered Korea o/a 2 Feb, via Antung and Chian. Credibility this particular rept cannot be determined inasmuch as last reliable rept regarding loc of 4th and 8th CCF Armies (Corps) in the Kansu (N-W China) and Shansi (North China) Provinces, resp, are dtd early Nov 50. Worthy of special attn was another intel source rept which stated bulk of an ex-CNA Army Gp consisting 7 Inf Divs, 3 Cav Brigs, and an independent Inf Brig, Commanded by Sun Ian-Feng, which defected to CCF about Sep 49, was to be committed Korea. This CCF Army Gp, stationed in Suiyuan Province, was part of Ex-CNA General Fu Tso-Yi's Forces which incl Warlord provincial trps of Chahar and Suiyuan Provinces. (INTSUM 3135)

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Est en str as of 082400 1 Apr 50

NKA on immed fronts:

I Corps 7,106

III Corps 22,267

NK sub total 29,373

NKA res capable interventions:

I (-) Corps 3,518

II Corps 10,064

IV Corps 22,414

V Corps 8,150

VI Corps 33,373

VII Corps 32,490

VIII Corps 32,809

105th Tk Div 4,674

Unloc Coastal Brigs. L of C

Hq Trps 24,488

Quer & Remnants 12,512

Misc & Res 11,339

NKA sub total 195,831

NKA total 225,204

CCF on immed fronts:

26th Corps 19,935

39th Corps 26,636

40th Corps 25,436

1st & 8th Arty

Divs (?) 15,744

CCF sub total 87,751

CCF res capable interventions:

20th Corps 23,445

24th (-) (?) Corps 7,616

27th Corps 25,624

30th (-) (?) Corps 14,304



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32d (-) Corps	7,246
37th (-) (?) Corps	19,056
38th Corps	12,299
42d Corps	17,767
50th Corps	11,825
60th (?) Corps	35,000
61st (?) Corps	35,000
62d (?) Corps	35,000
63d (?) Corps	35,000
64th (?) Corps	35,000
65th (?) Corps	35,000
66th Corps	26,139
U/I Cav Div, 3d Fld A	4,712
U/I Cav Div, 4th Fld A	2,486
CCF sub total	382,519
CCF total	470,270
Total NKA-CCF Korea	695,474
CCF reg gnd forces	
Manchuria	373,000
CCF Mil Dist Forces	
Manchuria	370,000
NKA-CCF total Korea,	
Korea-Manchuria	1,438,474

Add CCF Militia
Forces of 560,000 in Manchuria may constitute a res to be
incl in CCF total str.

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 Noted:
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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4,
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PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCFE
NR : DA TT 4584
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION



DA NOTE 4
WIND NBR 221
USSR/CHINA (SECRET)

Regarding categorical denial by Moscow press on 7 April of presence of any Soviet troops in Manchuria.

US Ambassador Moscow, commenting on this announcement by the Soviets, observed that:

A. Statement was "crystal clear" and suggests that Soviets are determined to establish as a "fact," absence of Soviet troops in Manchuria.

B. In order to issue categorical denial, no mention was made of Soviet troops known to be in Port Arthur area in accordance with terms of the Sino-Soviet Treaty of Feb 1950.

C. Mere issuance of denial - which is most unusual - indicates Soviets attach special significance to subject, and this action may portend new form of intervention in Korea - denial serving to establish in advance that Soviets are not officially involved. On other hand, it may foreshadow opposite possibility, i.e., move for negotiated settlement of Korean war.

G-2 agrees this public denial of presence of even single Soviet soldier in Manchuria is unusual and definitely indicates importance which Soviets attach to adhering publicly to their original line of non-involvement in Korean war. Failure to mention Soviet troops in Port Arthur indicates that Soviets either do not consider that area to be in Manchuria or that, for propoganda purposes, it was preferred not to issue qualified statement.

No Soviet line divisions are believed to be in Manchuria (other than forces in Port Arthur area), but presence of Soviet military advisors, and technicians has been confirmed in Manchuria

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as well as elsewhere in China. Presence of some anti-aircraft units and other technical units in Manchuria considered probable. Accordingly, categorical denial by Moscow of presence of any Soviet troops in Manchuria is false.

(END DA-4)

DA NOTE 1

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Attn PSYWAR G-2

Mr Earl Johnson, Assistant Secretary Army, has suggested that much propaganda capital can be derived from fact that Chi Comm do not mix units with NK. While we recognize that exploitation this theme may not be immediately desirable, Mr Johnson's thought is passed on for such action as you deem appropriate.

(END DA NOTE 1)

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, FEAF, COMNAVFE

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Col W F Hocker	G-2
Col H O Patterson	JCS
Capt R E Malpassh	ONI
Mr J C Erskine	CIA
Mr R Ingersoll	STATE
Lt Col M F Gilchrist	G-3
Maj B G Parks	AFOIN
Capt H E Hooks	G-2



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PART 2 OUTGOING

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Present Tokyo:
Col C C Blakeney
Lt Col M L Green
Lt Col B V York
LCDR T G Curtis
Capt R J Laux

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G-3
G-2
AFIO COMNAVFE
DI FEAF



SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION
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A. Army

UN Forces cont lmtd advances in E cen front against gen moderate resist; elsewhere in cen zone friendly elms encounter determined en in strong def psns; UN flanks remain quiet.

I US Corps: 1st ROK Div ptrld fr psns S of Imjin R dur 8 Apr w/o contact; elms 12th ROK Regt reld elms 29th Br Com Brig along line CT 1500-CT 1701. 3d US Div adj prev psns with 29th Br Com Brig now on line CT 1804-CT 2506; 7th Inf ptrl hvly engd by est en co on hill vic CT 2712 PM 8 Apr, otherwise no significant en acty reptd dur pd. 25th US Div ptrls dur 8 Apr also reptd only 1 en contact; however, air obsvd est 2 en regts N of 25th Div psns. In 24th US Div Zone, 5th and 21st Inf Regts ptrlg N fr prev psns on 8 Apr encountered strong reaction fr several en co-str units occupying psns gen vic CT 5112-CT 6012.

IX Corps: 27th Br Com Brig dur 8 Apr ptrld w/o oppn fr psns along gen line CT 6210-CT 6608. Undet nbr en atkd elms 2d Regt 6th ROK Div vic CT 6911 at 080330; en broke contact at daylight and w/d UN long-range MG fire. Ptrls obsvd sm en gps N of friendly psns however no contact reptd. Air obsvd est reinf'd en regt to N of 6th ROK Div front. 7th Mar Regt atchd to 1st Cav Div ptrld fr prev psns w/o contact. 8th Cav Regt & atchd Thai Bn atkd against hvy resist

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to line CT 8311-CT 8811 dur 8 Apr after right flank elms repulsed sm en counteratk; elms failed to dislodge sm en gp def high grd vic CT 8910. 7th Cav Regt adv to psns vic CT 9213 against intense SA fire fr est 2 en bns; elms repulsed 2 co-strength counteratks same gen vic dur afternoon 8 Apr. 5th Cav Regt en route assy area vic Chunchon (CS 8893). 7th & 8th Cav Regts cont atk N 9 Apr. 1st Mar Div with atchd ROK Mar Regt remained prev reptd assy areas w/o contact.

X Corps: French Bn atchd to 2d US Div advd utoppd 8 Apr to psns vic CT 9612. 23d Inf atkd to psns on line CT 9910-DT 0606 dur AM against mod resist in cen & on right flank; dur PM elms failed to dislodge est en bn stubbornly def high grd vic DT 0309-DT 0506. Netherlands Bn closed assy area vic DS 0980. Air obsvd many fires on top of hills to N Hwachon Reservoir at 080800. 7th US Div Units maintd prev psns dur 8 Apr with only lt ptrl contact; 32d & 17th Regts to atk N in zone AM 9 Apr fr gen line DT 0904-DT 2205. 36th & 27th Regts 5th ROK Div advd w/o oppn-except for sporadic mortar fire on left flank-to gen line DT 2409-DT 3008 8 Apr; elms to cont atk N in zone 9 Apr.

III ROK Corps: 3d ROK Div Units strengthened & improved psns along gen line DT 3203-DT 5113 dur 8 Apr. Elms 22d ROK Regt drove est en bn fr psns on hill vic DT 3905 AM 8 Apr; 23d ROK Regt ptrl made strong contact with est 400 en entrenched vic DT 4711 dur PM.

I ROK Corps: Cap ROK Div Units adj psns dur 8 Apr with lt contact contg vic DT 5015. 1st ROK Regt occupied gen line DT 5113-DT 5517 & 1st Cav ROK Regt occupied gen line DT 5618-DT 6217. 29th Regt 9th ROK Div maintd psns DT 6020-DT 6623 with elms ptrlg N to DT 5431-DT 5625 w/o reptd contact.

BA Air

Dur 24 hr pd endg 082400 I: UN acft FEAF control flew 999 eff sorties inclt 209 trans, 45 ftr control, 4 flare drop, 63 recon, 678 combat of which 139 by USMC, 23 SAAF, & 7 ROKAF. Of 126 close spt sorties, 26 in I Corps, 44 IX Corps, 46 X Corps, 4 I ROK Corps, & 6 III ROK Corps sectors; 386 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 176

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areas incg CT 1481, YD 1022, DT 4372, BV 5521, Kumsong CT 7952, CT 5738, & BT 7023. 10 acft flew search missions for downed acft, locs unreptd. 49 counter air sorties flown: 25 on escort; 14 on intercept; 6 on cap & 4 on top cover missions. 24 lt bombs atkd tgts in 8 areas incg Kumu-ri YD 4898, Sinmak Aftd BT 6056, & YD 4295. 60 night intruder acft atkd tgts in 84 areas incg CT 1253, BT 9543, YC 2755, & BU 4802.

FEAF Bom Com flew 25 eff sorties: 19th BG: 4 acft vis bbd RR brg CU 5078; 2 spans on W end of brg down. 4 acft vis bbd RR Brg YD 1993; poor results. 1 acft by MPQ-2 radar control bbd trp conca & sup cen at CT 4231; exc results reptd by grd controller. 1 acft by MPQ-2 radar control bbd trp conca at CT 4225, CT 3425, & CT 4423; exc results reptd by grd controller. 1 acft by MPQ-2 radar control bbd trp conca at CT 7819, CT 9316, CT 8916, & CT 8220; exc results reptd by grd controller. 307th BG: 10 acft vis bbd RR brg YD 1993; bb pattern fell on NW side of brg, no spans obsrd down. 1 acft vis bbd Kumhwa bks area CT 6538; poor results. 1 acft vis bbd RR brg YD 1993; bb pattern fell on N end of brg; no spans obsrd down. 91st Recon Sq: 1 RB-29 & 1 RB-45 accomplished photo recon of N Korea incg cont strips of rail line fr Pyongyang YD 3822 to Anju YD 2888; est poor to good results.

FEAF 315th AD 209 sorties airlifted 1,665 pass, 212 evacs & 480.6 tons frt. Incd in above figures: 2 C-46 acft dropped 5.5 tons rats & ammo at DS 3693; 2 C-46 acft dropped 5.4 tons rats & cigarettes at DT 5203; 3 C-46 acft dropped 10 tons rats, ammo, wire, & cigarettes at DT 4400; 5 C-46 acft dropped 17.55 tons ROK rats, ammo, & lt wpns at DS 4099; 1 C-46 acft dropped 2.5 tons ammo at DT 3001; all drops exc results. 3 C-46 acft dropped 10.37 tons rats & ammo at DS 3595; fair to good results. 3 C-46 acft dropped 8 tons ammo at DT 2500; unk results.

FEAF Bom Com today will dispatch 28 acfts: 98th BG: 26 acft sched for night missions with results unk at this time. 91st Recon Sq: 2 acft flew strip & pin pnt photo of N Korea; est good results.

Preliminary rept fr 5th AF reed at 091500 I indicates RB-45 escort dest 1 MIG type acft & dam 1. Action took place in the XE UTM grid block. No futher details reptd.

FEAF claims en losses for pd: 8 Apr pers 295, tks 1, trks 19, vehs 91 & 55, RR cars 180 & 5, sup carts 2, bldgs 492 & 309, sup dumps 15 & 5, ammo dumps 1, POL dumps 4 & 1, whses 2 dam, brgs 1 dam, pack animals 18, gun psns 15 & 4, tunnels 4 dam, sup stacks 15 & 11, ferry boats 1, bulldozers 1, fld pieces 2 & 2, barges 2 dam, tns 1, pill boxes 2 & 2, rds & rail lines cut in numerous places along MSR's.

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Ops planned for 10 Apr 51: B-29s: 70 combat ready (CR), 23 to be employed (TBE). 19th BG: 12 acft atk afield at Pyongyang YD 4023, K-23. 307th BG: 8 acft atk afield at Pyongyang YD 4023. 2 acft conduct night missions under con of grd radar (MPQ-2). 98th BG: 1 acft conduct sp lft drop over trp cone in rear areas. Lt bmrbs: 47 CR, 41 TBE. Ftrs: 267 CR, 266 TBE. Trans: 110 CR, 91 TBE.

C. Navy

Korea E Coast:

Air: TP 77 replenished & did not fly 8 Apr.

Surface: Hubbard & Massey conducted anti-junk ptrl fr Songjin to Chongjin & conducted interdiction firing on brgs vic Kyojo Wan, results unobsrd.

Vic Songjin St. Paul, Walke, Thompson, Hoquiam fired night interdiction fire on rd & rail crossings, brg, & jet; against en boat mvmt. Ships possible dam boats beached at EA 249034, dest or severely dam 8 sailing sampans 30 to 70 ft long same vic, left several small boats plus 1 large craft behind rocks; also 2 power craft 50 ft long speed 10 knots disappeared in coastline before firing range reached.

At Wonsan, Hank, Alacrity, Zellars, Brown (with Gloucester, Burlington, & YMS 518 on small boat control duty) illuminated & incrd night interdiction fire on key brg & 1,000 yds surrounding it in order to contain a reptd 500 en vehs approaching fr N; low overcast prevented night planes from observing results.

Dur day, ships set fire to 1 large bldg, dest several other bldgs, started fires at hangars, dispersed 1 go trps, obtained direct hit on 8 en near dave, & eliminated 8 trps at another loc, dam 2 motor junks beached on Kalma Gak, reptd no en boat mvmt. Manchester & St Paul arr Wonsan afternoon 8 Apr.

At bomblines, Forrest Royal had no firing missions; junk ptrl reptd no boat mvmt.

Mines: Floating mine 061700 I 40-13N, 139-52E.

Korea W Coast:

Air: CTE 95.11 proceeding Korea E Coast op area with Bataan (CVL), Theseus, Consort, Athabaskan, Bataan (DD), Huron, Sperry; English sched start air ops 9 Apr.

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Surface: Cockade, Concord, Evertsen, Black Swan, with ROK Navy, ptrld coast N & S with no en acty obsrd. Tutira escorted Wave Chief dur replenishment.

Mines: Mine on beach at Kunsan, 36-00N, 126-42E.

Formosa Strait: Surface & air ptrls reptd no unusual sightings. Thomason & Bole ptrlg.

La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings reptd.

D. Negative.

E. Wea:

Sum.pd 081800-091800 I: Korea, brkn to ovest mid & low clds over most Korea with rain shwrs until 090200 I then clearing except for scd low clds along E coast. Vis 7 mi reduced occas to 3 - 5 mi in haze & rain. Max temp 60, min 35 deg F.

Best for pd 091800-101800 I: Korea, clr dur early part of pd with brkn high & mid clds after 101200 I. Vis 8 mi reduced occas to 3 - 5 mi in lt haze. Max temp 63, min 38 deg F.
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A. Grnd opns past 24 hrs:

1. Pts contact: CT 2712, CT 3513, CT 5112-CT 6013, CT 6911, CT 8311-CT 8811, CT 8810, CT 8910, CT 9010, CT 9214, CT 9413, DT 0005, DT 0309-DT 0506, DT 0505, DT 1206, DT 2408, DT 3205, DT 3705, DT 3905, DT 4610-DT 4711, DT 5015 and fol in rear areas: ES 1902, ES 2100, ES 2603.

2. Fol are NKA/CCF loc changes as of 091700 I Apr.

NKA unit	Loc
17th Div	BT 6625 (?)
18th Div	YC 2953 (?)
19th Div	BT 6435 (?)

3. USA: See sit in brief.

4. ROKA: See sit in brief.

5. Rear areas:

(A) En: Air sighted total 297 vehs Sinanju-Pyongyang axis dur night 8-9 Apr of which 235 mvg S and 42 mvg N; Hamhung-Wonsan axis 210 mvg S and 8 N. US IX Corps reptd sluice gates on Hwachon Dam partially open; river has risen aprx 4 ft as of 090740 and mil brg (Class 50 treadway-1 lane) loc vic CT 8206 temp non-opnl. Later rept states water level below dam had stopped rising by 090930; engr states 18 sluice gates on dam of which 10 appeared open. Pilot reptd sluice gates open AM 9 Apr not open 8 Apr; water level of lake not lowered sufficiently to prevent water flowing over spillway. Air obsrd on 8 Apr: Est 12 boxcars vic BU 6271; RR brg vic CT 5639 appeared serviceable; rd being repaired vic BT 6345; 22 cam vehs gen vic CT 3860; T-34 tk vic BT 7238 and light tk vic BT 7833; en placing sup in village vic BS 8499 and 10 stacks sups vic CT 6142; est 2 en cos mvg S fr DT 1274 to CT 9688. Air atkd: Large en sup conc vic BU 5521 resulting destruction 20 trk loads sups; large en sup conc aprx 500 yds long (loc unreptd) resulting est 50 percent destruction;

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en sup vic BT 5369 repta dest; en tk vic BT 9087 repta dest; 6 fld pes vic BT 9555, repta dest.

(B) Frnd: 17th ROK Regt ptrls angd 3 sm en gps vic ES 1902, ES 2100 and ES 2603 dur 6-7 Apr resulting 36 en KIA and 6 PWs.

- B. Air: See sit in brief.
- C. Navy: See sit in brief.
- 2. En capabilities: No change.

Discussion:

- (1) See TT 4557.
- (2) See TT 4528.
- (3) See TT 4580.
- (4) See TT 4471.



(5) Resumption of off: Cumulative intel strongly indicates that 19th and possibly 18th CCF Army Gps are being conc in Singye and Simmak areas respectively. The positioning on this fresh res force of 9/18 divs on W flank may provide clue to en's planned strategy for future off opns. There have been nbr of rpts that some units within these Army Gps have been reinfd with armor and SP Arty. If ~~the~~ true, present area of conc of this force appears be most logical. A study of terrain aval to en along present front reveals that W Coast extending S thru Uijongbu and Munsan Corridors is probably the best suited for a combined Inf-Arty-Armor opn. Although effect of the inudant spring rains will practically preclude cross-country opns by tracked vehs even in this sector, the existing rd-net provides 2 exc avenues of adv, i.e., Simmak-Kumchon-Munsan and Singye-Yonchon-Uijongbu.

It is recognized that en conts be faced with weighty problems of logistical spt. In fact his current w/d and delaying tactics may be an effort to shorten sup lines by falling back on his rhdns thereby affording an opportunity, at least temporarily, to repp, resup and repl units. However, current UN off has not facilitated such opns. This constant pressure apparently has kept en continually off-balance, particularly in cen-sector.

It is quite possible that en's plan for resuming off

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envisions drawing UN forces as far N as possible in cen sector and then, utilizing the forces presently conc in the Kumhwa area, striking with a powerful frontal thrust to fix UN forces on this front. With friendly forces so engd, he could then employ 18th and/or 19th Army Gps down the corridors prev mentioned, in an attempt to envelop the UN W flank and gain control of critical N-S rd-net now servicing UN units in the W and W-cen sectors.

It is well to remember that the advantages offered by this W coastal plain are recognized, for it was utilized in a similar scheme maneuver by NK in their initial off 25 June, and since that time it has figured prominently in strategy of both sides in opas in this sector.

- (6) See TT 4569.
- (7) See TT 4579.
- (8) See TT 4436.

E. Negative.

F. Completed 1flt air drop 7 Apr (prev unreptd) Chinese Sino-American friendship 1flt 495,000 Serial 7039 also Korean UN aid 1flt 225,000 Serial 1054.

G. Negative.

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Nothing to rept.

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Eighth Army SITREP 723 pd endg 090800 1 Apr repts fol: IDOS: 1 CCP PW deserter capt'd vic CT 3109 8 Apr by US 7th RCT ident HMG Co, 1st Bn, 229th Regt, 77th Div, 26th CCF A. PW stated 229th Regt, 77th Div, 26th CCF A and 26th CCF A CP were loc vic CT 3115 on 7 Apr. 2 CCP PW deserters capt'd vic CT 3108 8 Apr by US 64th Hvy Tk Bn ident

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Div Hq, 78th Div, 26th CCF A. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CT 9412 8 Apr by US 7th Cav RCT ident Com Plat, 343d Regt, 115th Div 39th CCF A. PW stated 500 men of 343d Regt, 115th Div, 39th CCF A were loc vic CT 9216 spt'd by 10 arty pieces of unk cal on 5 Apr. PW further stated 42d CCF A was in res somewhere to their rear. 3 NK PWs capt'd vic 3809 8 Apr by US 8th Cav RCT ident 2d Bn, 14th Regt, 1st NK Div, III NK Corps. 1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CT 9606 by French Bn 7 Apr ident 346th Regt 116th Div, 39th CCF Army. PW stated on 3 Apr 346th Regt 116th Div, 39th CCF Army was loc near Hwachon CT 9818 and that 39th, 40th and 66th CCF Armies were resting in that gen area. 1 NK PW capt'd vic DT 2304 8 Apr by US 17th RCT ident 2d Regt, 15th NK Div III NK Corps. 2 NK PWs capt'd vic DT 4306 6 Apr by ROK 22d Regt ident 2d Bn, 1st Regt, 45th NK Div. PWs stated that 1st Regt, 45th NK Div was on W flank, the 3d Regt, 45th NK Div to the E. 1 NK PW capt'd 8 Apr by ROK 1st Regt vic DT 5015 ident 1st Bn, 398th (code designation ?) Unit. PWs stated 1st Bn, 398th Unit had 5-600 men loc vic DT 4815. PW stated also 398th Unit had replaced 69th Brig in its zone of action on unk date. This relief in pos awaits further confirmation before can be accepted.

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Extract fr OB Sec, INTSUM 3134, 9 Apr: CCF preparing psns between Kumchon and Kaesong: An intel source rept'd CCF trps are loc vic Kumchon (BT 7926), are preparing psns between Kumchon and Kaesong (BT 8503) and N of Kaesong. Comment: Dur past month, intel sources have rept'd southward mvmts CCF Units of Army size from Pyongyang area. These repts have mentioned some units 18th and 19th CCF Army Gps, and indicated 18th and 19th CCF Army Gps mvd S into Western sector (INTSUM 3124 and 3132). CCF trps loc in Kumchon-Kaesong area are probably elms 19th CCF Army Gp and possibly elms of 18th CCF Army Gp. 18th CCF Army Gp is carried as tentatively loc in Pyongsan (BT 7537) area and 19th CCF Army is carried as tentatively loc in gen area E of Kumchon (BT 7926).

Str and composition Mongolian Army: A usually reliable intel

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source repts total str of Mongolian Army (Mongolian People's Republic) is aprx 114,000, consisting of 2 Armies made up of 7 Cav Divs and 1 Arty Div. 3 of the Cav Divs have been repte to be mvg to Manchuria to participate in Korean War (see INTSUM 3133, P C/M-1). Comment: Sev repts have referred to formation of "International Volunteer Force" for service in Korea, in which Mongolian trps would be used (INTSUM 2999, 3002, 3121, 3125, 3127, 3130, 3131).
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REF NOTE 1, TT 4430

Asg and attachments major Corps and Army combat units as of 6 Apr 51.

1. Asg Eighth Army: 1-8 in How Bn; 6-155 How Bns; 2-155 Gun Bns; 5-105 How Bns (1 bn in lieu of 24th Div Organic Bn); 1 FA Obsn Bn; 2-M Tk Bns (in lieu of 7th and 24th Div Organic Bn); 11-Engr (C) Bns; 1-Engr Special Brig; 68th and 78th AAA Gun Bns; 15th and 21st AAA AW Bns (in lieu of 7th and 25th Div Organic Bns); 50th and 76th AAA AW Bns; 1-Cml Mort Bn.
2. Atchd I Corps: 1-8 in How Bn; 1-155 Gun Bn; 2-155 How Bns; 2-105 How Bns (1 Bn in lieu of Div Bn); 2-Engr (C) Bns; 21st AAA AW Bn and 1-M Tk Bn (in lieu of Div Bn; 2-M Tk Bns (1 Bn Organic to 1st Cav Div).
3. Atchd IX Corps: 1-FA Obsn Bn; 1-155 How Bn; 4-Engr (C) Bns; 1-Cml Mort Bn.
4. Atchd X Corps: 1-155 How Bn; 3-Engr (C) Bns; 15th AAA AW Bn (in lieu of Div Bn).
5. In add to above, 1-8 in How Bn en route from ZI for asg Eighth Army.

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Status RR in Korea as of 9 Apr:

- A. Seoul NW to Kaesong-line operable to Kumchon. There are no present rqmts for con over this sec.
 - B. Seoul NE to Kapyong-repairs being made on sec E of Seoul-Uijongbu line. ETC to Kapyong 20 Apr.
 - C. Waegwan Brg-ETC 15 Apr.
 - D. Kilrachon brg (N of Chagchon)-ETC 20 Apr.
 - E. Brg 1.5 miles S of Chochiwon (MSR)-2 spans of brg on Northbound track burned 7 Apr. Single track opn at this pt. ETC restoration this brg 18 Apr.
- (END PEC-7)

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4,
DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, FEAFF, COMNAVFE



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PART 1 INCOMING

8 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC
NR : DA TT 4580
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION



Present Washingtons:	
Col R G Duff	G-2
Capt H V Hopkins	ONI
Col E E Brackett Jr	USMC-USAF-ONI
Mr H H Heintzelman	CIA
Mr C C Stelle	STATE
Lt Col M F Gilchrist	G-3
Cdr G H Mead	JIG
Maj L A Turk	JIG
Maj L E McBride	G-2

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SUBJECT: FAR EAST SITUATION

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REF TT 4579 DA NOTE 2 AND REC 6 HEREWITH

Subject cable in full:

British source reports B-2 on increasing activity Communists Okinawa and Japan with direct connections Chinese and Russians Communists through Hong Kong. He stated Europeans in satellite countries and Russia are being urged to "volunteer" for mil forces. These to be trained and equipped for service in FE, to be committed simultaneously with Chinese and Japanese 22 POWs under Russian direction last Aug 1950. Attack will be on Japan and various Far Eastern areas to be selected. Internal disorders in Japan are being arranged now by agents and money passing through Hong Kong which will coincide with Mil attacks. Present policy Communists to stall settlement of Korean War and hold as much territory as possible pending all out attack Aug. Reporting officers comment: This material too inconclusive for local evaluation but is forwarded due to proven

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reliability source on more Mundane subjects. It confirmed
Communists using Hong Kong to send men and equipment to Okinawa
and Japan (refer to USARMLO Hong Kong S-10-51 dtd 2 Apr). Unable
to comment on subjects sources as unknown to reporting officer.
More information promised later.
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PART 2 OUTGOING

JHF/rbo/ehd/rsg/olh

8 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQ : WASH & CINCPAC
NR : DA TT 4580
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Tokyo:	
Maj Gen C A Willoughby	G-2
Col G W Power	G-2
Col J A Barry Jr	G-3
Lt Col B V York	G-2
ICdr T W Newland	AFIO COMNAVFB
Capt Felix Kozaczka	DI FEAF

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A. Army:

Hostile oppn to I & IX Corps decreases as UN forces strengthen prev pens; K US & III ROK Corps in E Cen Zone cont lmt'd gains against generally lt resist; no significant acty in I ROK Corps zone on UN right flank. An build-up continues with total 2,246 vehs sighted dur night 7-8 Apr of which 1,413 mvg S.

I US Corps: 11th ROK Regt ptrld fr prev pens dur 7 Apr w/o contact; elms reld 12th ROK Regt in pens vic CS 1098. Elms 12th ROK Regt across Imjin R 7 Apr advd to CS 0798-CS 0898 & sm en gp on Hill 165 (CS 0999) successfully withstood friendly atks dur day causing friendly elms break contact & w/d to S bank Imjin R at 071630. 1st ROK Div ptrl crossed Imjin R & hvly engd est 2 en cos dur PM 7 Apr. friendly elms w/d at 071925. 3d US Div fwd elms ptrld fr prev pens

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7 Apr; Tk/Inf TF fr 7th Inf suggd undet nbr en vic CT 2909 dur AM captg 38 PWs & 150 en KIA. Div ptrls encountered numerous at mines dur pd. 3 Separate hostile acft flew over friendly psns night 7-8 Apr; no bombs reprot dropped. 25th US Div maintd fwd lines 7 Apr with 24th Inf relvg 35th Inf in psns vic CT 4012-CT 4812 by 071530; 35th Inf closed assy areas vic CS 4192, CS 4194, CS 4391. Turk ptrl recvd lt mortar & SA fire fr vic CT 3413 at 071130 while another div ptrl encountered en MG fire fr vic CT 3715; ptrls reprot sev en psns vic CT 3615-CT 4015 dur day. 5th & 21st Regts 24th US Div maintd psns with some SA fire recvd on left flank. Ptrls dur day to 12th & 13th E-W grid line encountered determined resist fr en gps est to average co-strength; Tk-Engr TF on rd twd Yonchon advd to vic CT 5019 recvg SA, mortar, arty & rocket fire enroute. 19th Inf closed new assy area vic CT 5306 PM 7 Apr.

IX Corps: 27th Br Com Brig ptrld fr prev psns 7 Apr w/o contact 6th ROK Div ptrld fr prev psns 7 Apr with lt contact vic CT 6910 & CT 7411 & heavier contact vic CT 7712; ptrls obsvd est CCF Bn vic CT 7014 & est 2 CCF Cos vic CT 7413 & CT 7713 dur day. 7th Mar Regt atchd to 1st Cav Div consolidated prev psns on 7 Apr; Tk ptrl to CT 8209 & CT 8306 drew lt SA & mortar fire fr undet nbr en dur AM; later, another ptrl drew intense mortar & SA fire fr est en bn entrenched on Hill 326 (CT 8201). 8th Cav Regt & Thai Bn atkd N to line CT 8909-CT 8908 against gen lt SA & mortar fire except on right flank where est 2 en cos successfully defended Hill 650 (CT 8909) causing friendly elms to break contact at 071440. 7th Cav Regt atkd to line CT 9010-CT 9311 by 071825; elms repelled in attempts to seize high grd vic CT 9010 defended by est en co. 8th and 7th Cav Regts to cont atk N in zone AM 8 Apr. 1st Mar Div with atchd ROK Mar Regt contd prev reprot assy areas dur pd.

X Corps: French Bn atchd to 2d US Div maintd psns vic CT 9706 & ptrld to vic CT 9810 dur 7 Apr w/o contact. 23d Inf atkd to line DT 0004-DT 0404 with elms vic DT 0703 against lt mortar & SA fire fr est en co on high grd vic DT 0503. 32d Inf 7th US Div advd unoppd 7 Apr to line DT 0904-DT 1405 while 17th Inf advd also w/o oppn to DT 1805-DT 2205; ptrls encountered en minefld vic DT 1704 & civ reprot villages vic DT 1003 & DT 1503 hvly mined. Air obsvd 2 en cos ea between DT 1809-DT 2206 & DT 1903-DT 1905 PM 7 Apr. 36th Regt 5th ROK Div atkd to line DT 2404-DT 2604 dur 7 Apr against lt SA fire fr undet nbr en occupying psns on Hill 704 (DT 2304); en w/d at 071730. 27th ROK Regt advg to DT 2704-DT 3004 forced est 2 en cos w/d fr psns vic DT 3005 PM 7 Apr. X Corps units to cont atk N in zone AM 8 Apr.

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III ROK Corps: 3d ROK Regt atchd to 3d ROK Div in assy area vic DS 3793; elms made contact with 27th ROK Regt on corps left flank vic DS 3195 PM 6 Apr. 18th ROK Regt forced undet nbr en vacate psns vic DT 3604-DT 3705 at 061600 after hvy engmt thruout day; dur 7 Apr Regt advd to DT 3203-DT 3806 with lt en contact. 22d ROK Regt atkd to line DT 4005-DT 4506 against hvy en SA fire on 6 Apr & to line DT 3806-DT 4507 by 071600; elms seized Hill 669 (DT 3905) AM 7 Apr against stubborn resist by est en bn. 18th & 22d ROK Regts reptd est en Regt along gen line DT 3006-DT 4306 AM 7 Apr. 23d ROK Regt advd unoppd to line DT 4509-DT 4711 by 071600.

I ROK Corps: Elms 1st Regt Cap ROK Div closed assy areas vic DT 5714 & DT 6210 by 071600; other elms contd engmt against sm en gp vic DT 5014-DT 5214 with est 50 en KIA & 2 PWs on 7 Apr. 1st Cav ROK Regt occupied psns along line DT 5618-DT 5817 & DT 6018-DT 6217 w/o en contact as of 071600. Elms 29th Regt 9th ROK Div closed new assy area vic DT 6719 PM 5 Apr while remainder regt ptrld fr prev psns; elms dispersed sm en gps composed partisans & NK Police vic DT 5431-DT 5625 AM 7 Apr.



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B. Air³

During 24 hr pd ending 072400 18 UN acft FEAF control flew 802 sorties incg 228 trans, 37 ftr control, 1 lift drop, 41 recon, 495 combat of which 78 by USMC, 19 SAAF and 8 ROKAF. Of 63 close spt sorties, 59 in I Corps, 4 IX Corps sectors. 264 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 157 area incg tgts in the BT, DA, BU, CU, CV, CT, DU, DV, DT, YG and YD UTM grid block areas. 99 counter air sorties flown: 31 on CAP, 62 escort, 4 intercept, 2 search. 18 lt burs atkd tgts at Pyonggang afd, YD 2131, YD 2664 and YD 2759. 3 night intruder acft atkd tgts at BT 9545, BT 8635 and CT 4847.

FEAF BOMCOM flew 50 eff sorties: 19th BG: 11 acft vis bbd RR brg Cho-Ri DV 4449, brg badly dam or dest. 98th BG: 23 acft vis bbd RR brg Sinuiju XE 1840, bbs walked across brg. 307th BG: 11 acft vis bbd hwy brg Uiju XE 3050, brg believed unserviceable. 1 acft landed at Itazuke, results unreptd. 1 acft landed at Fusan, results unreptd. 1 acft exploded while returning to emergency afd after en ftr atk, results unk. 98th BG: 1 acft on night lift drop, results unobsvd. 91st Recon Sq: 1 acft flew photo mission over N Korea, est poor results due haze in tgt area.

FEAF 315th Air Div 228 sorties airlifted 1,928 pass, 337 evacs and 639.4 tons frt.

FEAF BOMCOM today dispatched 23 acft: 19th BG: 8 acft vis bbd RR brg YD 1993, unobsve results. 1 acft vis bbd Yonghung, exc results. 307th BG: 11 acft vis bbd RR brg YD 1993, poor to fair results. 1 acft vis bbd Kumbwa, poor results. 1 acft vis bbd tgt of opportunity, loc unreptd, unobsrd. 91st Recon Sq: 1 acft conducted vis recon vic DT 7115, good results.

At aprx 081200 L, vic Pyongyang, 1 RB-45 was atkd by 2 MIGs. Engagement lasted aprx 5 min from 40,000 to 18,000 ft. At start of atk, RB-45 dove. Dur dive, pilot states he went well over mach and MIGs experienced no difficulty in coming up very fast. No dam reptd to RB-45.

FEAF claims en losses for pd: Pers 127, tks 2 and 1, vehs 46 and 23, RR car 1 dam, sup carts 22, en occ bldgs 374 and 154, sup dumps 3 and 2, ammo dumps 3, POL dumps 6, RR brg 1 dam, pack animals 29, gun psns 4 and 11, en occ villages 2 dam, sup stacks 14, bulldozers 2, pontoon brg 1 dam, MIG-15 acft 1 and 2.

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Ops planned for 9 Apr 51: B-29s: 66 combat ready (CR), 26 to be employed (TBE). 19th BG: 7 acft conduct indiv night missions against comm cen of Sinanju YD 2486. 7 acft conduct indiv night missions against comm cen of Anju YD 2888. 7 acft conduct indiv night mission against comm cen of Kunu-Ri YD 4798. 4 acft conduct night missions under con of grd radar MPQ-2. 1 acft conduct sp lift drop over trp conc in rear areas. Lt bmrs: 51 CR, 47 TBE. Ftrs: 270 CR, 268 TBE. Transports: 108 CR, 89 TNE.

G. Navy:

Korea E coast:

Air: TF 77 planes fr Philippine Sea and Boxer 7 Apr flew 103 sorties, incl close spt 22 in ROK III Corps, 8 US X Corps, and 83 vic Songjin, Ilsin-Dong, Hapsu, Tanchon, Kansong, Chodo-Ri, Yanggu, and Hwachon. Planes dest 41 bldgs, 3 carts, 13 huts, 6 vehs, 1 whse, atkd 5 trp concs, exc results reptd by controllers; dam 51 bldgs, 2 gun psns, 2 lumber yards, 10 RR cars, 1 sect RR track, 1 RR yard, 1 whse.

Surface: At bomblines, Forrest Royal shelled en trp psns, results unobd.

At Wonsan, Zellars and Hank interdicted concrete brg which still usable after hits on it; Alacrity fired on Kalma-Gak, causing smoke to rise fr en psns; Gloucester and Burlington on FLYCATCHER duty reptd no en boat mvmt; fog-prevented minesweeping; Manchester and Brown enroute to Wonsan.

Near Songjin, O'Brien, St Paul, Lind and Massey fired interdiction of brgs, rd and rail jcts. Royal Mar Commando raid at EV 122877.7 Apr cratered RR bed between tunnel entrances for 100 ft to depth 16 ft, then mined crater. Lind and Massey enroute Sasebo, O'Brien enroute Yokosuka; Hank and Hubbard enroute Songjin.

Thompson and Hoquiam ptrld to lat 41-50N, fired interdiction at Churonjang brg complex, sighted no junk traffic.

Mines: None reptd.

Korea W coast:

Air: No air ops 7 Apr.

Surface

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Surface: Cockade, Concord, Black Swan ptrlg; Evertsen escorting Kenya; Atira, after minesweeping, escorted Wave Chief to replen area; no hostile acty reptd.

Mines: None reptd.

Formosa Strait: Surface and air ptrls reptd no unusual sightings. Thomason ptrlg.

La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings reptd.

Locs 1st Mar Air Wg units and Mar Air Control ops and Mar Grd Control Intercept sqs in FE as of 8 Apr: 1st MAW, MAG 12, VMF (N) 513, MGCIS-1, MRACS-2, VMF 323, VMF 214, Pusan (K-1); MWSS-1, Itami; MAG 33, VMF 311, VMF 212, VMO-6, MGCIS-3, Pohang (K-3); VMF 321, Bataan CVL 29.

D. Negative.

E. Wea:

Sun pd 071800-081800 I: N Korea remained clear except for few patches of brkn low clds along NE coast early morn bcmg less than 3 tenths low clds after 0900 I with vis unrestd at night bcmg 1 - 3 miles in haze and fog early part fest pd. Min temp was 35, max was 58 deg.

Fest for pd 081800-091800 I: Korea, clr to sectd mid and brkn high clds are fest for entire pd. Vis restd bcmg 1 - 3 miles haze and fog improving to 8 miles by mid pd. Fest min temp 35, max 58 deg.

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A. Grnd opns past 24 hrs:

1. Pts contact: BS 9994, CS 0093, CS 0797-CS 0898,
CS 0799, CS 0999, CT 2909, CT 3413, CT 3715, CT 4011, CT 5019,
CT 5112, CT 5117, CT 5211, CT 5413, CT 5513, CT 5613, CT 5712,
CT 5812, CT 5912, CT 6013, CT 6311, CT 6910, CT 7411, CT 7712,
CT 8209, CT 8210, CT 8306, CT 8710, CT 8909, CT 8910, CT 9010,
DT 0404, DT 0503, DS 0599, DT 2304, DT 3604-DT 3705, DT 3905,
DT 4007-DT 4107, DT 4911, DT 5214, DT 5431-DT 5625 and fol in rear
areas: DS 7464, DS 7658, DS 7762, LR 2492, CP 1462.

2. Fol CCF-NKA loc changes, pd endg 081500-I Apr:

CCF units	Loc	NKA units	Loc
115th Div	CT 8522	8th Div	CT 0210
116th Div	CT 7925	15th Div	DT 2321
117th Div	CT 9330	17th Div	BT 9318
		45th Div	DT 3432
		69th NK Brig	DT 5935

3. USA: See sit in brief.

4. ROKA: See sit in brief.

5. Rear areas:

(a) En: Air sighted total 2,246 en vehs dur night
7-8 Apr of which 1,413 mvg S, 459 mvg N and remainder mvg other
directions or direction unrep'd: Hvlst traffic obsrd on West-
ern routes although 487 vehs sighted between Hamung-Wonsan. Air
obsrd dur 7 Apr: In mvg NE vic CV 7575 and in mvg N vic CT 5575
and 6 gondola cars vic CT 5639; many sups stacked on rd vic BU
4419; large amt cam sups in villages fr CT 4034 to CT 6540; FOL
dump vic CT 6241; sev sup dumps vic CT 8337; 18 cam trks vic CT
1070 and 6 cam vehs vic CT 6243; intense 50 cal AA fire vic CT
1070; 20mm flak and 50 cal AA fire vic CT 7648. Air atkd and
destd dur 7 Apr: 23 vehs vic YC 5572, BT 4263, BT 6496, BT 8371,
CT 0382, CT 1070 and CT 6242; 2 cam sup dumps vic BT 6496 and CT
8337; 1 tk vic BT 8075; 2 tractors vic BT 8371; 6 gun psns and sev

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stacks ammo vic CT 1070. Air dam 15 vehs vic YC 4393, YC 4697, YC 5572, BT 4263, and CT 1070.

(b) Frnd: 5th and 8th ROK Regt ptrls dispersed on en gps vic DS 7464, DS 7658 and DS 7762 dur 5-6 Apr. ROK Police rptd est 100 en vic ES 2002 and est 100 en vic ER 2492 dur 6 Apr; Police engd en gp vic ER 2492 with unreptd results. Undet nbr en atkd elms 10th ROK Regt vic CP 1462 at 060200.

B. Air: See sit in brief.

C. Navy: See sit in brief.

D. En capabilities:

1. W/d and def: vic 38th Parallel.
2. Disposition in depth N of 38th Parallel.
3. Reinfmt potential of CCF.
4. Reinfmt potential of NKF.
5. Resumption of the off.
6. The log problem: Combined CCF and NK Armies.
7. Potential of air opns.
8. Guer opns rear areas.

Discussion:

1. See TT 4557.
2. See TT 4528.
3. Reinfmt potential of CCF.

The CCF reinfmt potential strictly in terms of manpower has been pointed up in prev issues INTSUM; however this potential as it pertains to horse Cav units should be given serious consideration. With advent monsoon season in Korea (Apr thru Sep), trafficability problems will multiply greatly for UN forces and the mvmt of sups, trps, and sptg wpns will be correspondingly more difficult. With large Communist cav units aval for rapid cross-country trp mvmts, en will possess a formidable wpn for strong catks or ltd off opns at selected pts where mvmt and sup of UN forces are the most difficult.

At present only 2 Cav units (u/i divs) are known be operating in Korea, but with horse still utilized in CCF as primary means trans, the providing of add such units for the Korean action should offer little difficulty. In this connection, numerous

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unverified reports of Communist intent to introduce "Mongolian" volunteers into Korea are of particular significance. "Mongolian" troops from both inner Mongolia semi-autonomous region of China and outer Mongolia (Mongolian Republic) are predominantly cav troops and might well serve to provide Communists with a strong highly mobile force for low trafficability areas. While current strength Mongolian units are not firm, it is believed that up to 20,000 cav troops (3-5 divs) could be made available from inner Mongolia and about 30/50,000 cav troops (5-9 divs) from outer Mongolia, should Communists elect to utilize these forces. In addition to these Mongolian units, 3 divs Moslem cav of 1st CCF Field Army of N China are presently believed to be moving towards Manchuria-Korea and might well be utilized in reinforcement role.

4. See TT 4471.

5. See TT 4549.

6. See TT 4569.

7. See TT 4579.

8. See TT 4436.

E. Negative.

F. Completed lift air drop 7 Apr Chinese anti-morale nostalgia lift 280,000 serial 7034; Chinese safe conduct-good treatment 160,000 serial 7035; Korean nostalgia lift 240,000 serial 1048; and Korean safe conduct-good treatment lift 40,000 serial 1050.

G. Negative.

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Nothing to report.
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Fol fr Eighth Army SITREP 721 as of 080800-1 Apr: IDOB:
5 NK PWs captd vic CS 0799 by ROK 12th Regt 7 Apr ident 2d Regt,
8th NK Div, I NK Corps. 3 NK PWs, deserters, captd vic CT 2806
7 Apr by US 7th RCT ident 26th Brig IV NK Corps. PWs deserted
their unit 27 Mar while 26th Brig was loc vic Chinnampo. 15 CCF
PWs captd vic CT 3110 7 Apr by US 7th RCT ident 228th Regt, 76th
Div, 26th CCF Army. 9 CCF PWs captd vic CT 3110 7 Apr by US 7th
RCT ident 232d Regt 78th Div, 26th CCF Army. PWs stated their unit,
a reinf'd co, was composed of elms 228th Regt, 76th Div, 26th CCF
Army and elms 232d Regt, 78th Div, 26th CCF Army. 1 CCF PW captd
vic CT 3709 6 Apr by Turk Brig ident 3d Co, 2d Bn, 262d Regt, 76th
Div, 26th CCF Army. US 23d RCT captd 9 NK PWs vic DT 0504, DT 0599
and DT 0603 7 Apr fr HW, Eagr Co and 3d Regt of 1st NK Div. 8 NK
PWs captd vic DT 1603, DT 2104 by US 17th RCT 7 Apr ident 15th NK
Div, III NK Corps. 3 NK PWs captd vic DT 4206 6 Apr by ROK 22d
Regt ident 3d Regt, 45th NK Div.
(End PEC-4)

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Fol extract fr OB Sec, INTSUM 3133, 8 Apr 51, Par 2, IDOB:
CCF reinfmts: An intel source rptd that according to line crosser,
appr 500 trp "Reinforcements" fr 2d CCF Fld Army passed thru Sinmak
(BT 5856) daily dur pd 23-25 Mar. and contd twd Kaesong (BT 8505).
The trps rptdly came fr direction Pyongyang. Comment: Significant
to note that 2 prev repts also spoke of elms 2d CCF Fld Army mvg
fr Pyongyang area to the immediate front of friendly lines. 1st
rept (INTSUM 3129) stated 2 U/I CCF Divs of 60th CCF Army (Corps),
18th Army Gp, 2d CCF Fld Army, mvd fr Pyongyang area twd Chorwon 1
Mar. In add, other U/I Units of undet str of 60th CCF Army (Corps)

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movd fr Pyongyang to Yonchon-Ni. The 2d rept (INTSUM 3129) asserted "On 10 Mar, 60th CCF Army (Corps), 18th Army Gp, 2d CCF Fld Army, movd fr vic Pyongyang to Kumchon (BT 8326)."

(End FEC-5)

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Fol extract fr OB Sec, INTSUM 3133 8 Apr 51: Par 1, IDOB: Sub-Para D: 39th CCF Army (Corps): A CCF PW (deserter) capt'd 6 Apr by 7th Mar Regt in vic CT 8109, ident 350th Regt, 117th Div, 39th CCF Army (Corps). PW stated 117th CCF Div was on line, the 115th Div, 39th CCF Army (Corps) W/D to rear o/a 26 Feb and that 116th Div, 39th CCF Army (Corps) W/D to rear o/a 2 Apr. PW further stated elms of 2 CCF Army Gps were loc to rear in vic N of Imjin River. Source comment: The elms of 2 CCF Army Gps referred to are probably elms of 18th and 19th CCF Army Gps. Comment: Based on foregoing rept and lack of capt'd PWs fr 115th and 116th Divs since 2 Apr, it is probable that 117th CCF Div is only Div of 39th CCF Army (Corps) on line at present. It seem logical that 115th and 116th CCF Divs might possibly be loc in rear of 117th CCF Div, preparing def psns to be occ by 39th CCF Army (Corps) when UN forces adv further N. The 18th and 19th CCF Army Gps mentioned above, have been tentatively accepted in Korea (INTSUM 3124 and 3132).

(End FEC-6)

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Fol extract fr OB Sec, INTSUM 3133, 8 Apr 51. Para 1, IDOB: Sub-Para A. 60th Army (Corps), 18th CCF Army Gps. A CCF PW capt'd 5 Apr by US 35th RCT vic CT 4612 claimed to be member of 3d Regt 1st Independent Div, 60th CCF Army (Corps). Source comments: PW was badly wounded, and ident mentioned is questionable, pending further ident. Comment: An intel source rept'd that 10 Mar 60th CCF Army (Corps) Cnd fr vic Pyongyang to Kumchon (BT 8236), where psns were prepared around city (INTSUM 3120). Another intel source rept'd (INTSUM 3130) that 2 U/I CCF Divs totaling aprx 20,000 men were loc along rd fr Sohng (BT 5339), Sinmak (BT 5755), Nuchon-Ni (BT 6435), to Pyongsan (BT 7537). It is very probable that 18th CCF Army Gp, consisting 60th, 61st and 62d CCF Armies (Corps), is concentrated in Sinmak (BT 6055)-Kumchon (BT 8236) area and that

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elms 60th CCF Army (Corps) have adved SE twd front lines.
However, pending further confirmation, 60th CCF Army (Corps) not yet
accepted as wvg into front lines.

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G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, FEAF, COMNAVPE



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Present Washington	
Col F S Bambase	G-2
Capt J M Ocker	ONI
Col R L Goerder	AFOIN
Mr W P Bird	CIA
Mr W C Trueheart	STATE
Lt Col C A Curtis	JIG
Lt Col H M Hutton	G-3
Maj W J Morgan	JIG
Capt H E Hooks	G-2
Lt D E Bolte	G-2

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NR : DA TT 4579

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Tokyo:	
Col W M Ives Jr	G-2
Col J H Berry Jr	G-3
Lt Col B V York	G-2
LCDR H R Fleck	AFIO COMNAVPE
Capt C E Johnston	D/I PEAR



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A. Army

Hostile resist dur pd characterized as rear gd acty except in W-Gen Zone where en conducted several probing atks dur pd. Elms 1st ROK Div made lmtd penetration across Imjin R AM 7 Apr. Poor visibility restricted air sighting in en rear areas dur night 6-7 Apr.

I US Corps: No en contact repta by 1st ROK Div dur 6 Apr as 11th ROK Regt adj pns N of Munsan (CS 0692) and 12th ROK Regt improved pns E of Imjin R with elms mvg fr assy area to pns CS 0895-CS 1098; ptrls obsvd en plat-size gps defending pns along N and W bank of river. Elms 12th ROK Regt atkd across Imjin R vic CT 0898 AM 7 Apr; repta engd with est en co vic CS 0797 at 070900. No significant en

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acty reptd in 3d US Div Zone dur 6 Apr. 29th Br Com Brig ptrld fr prev psns w/o contact. 7th US Inf maintd psns along line CT 2605-CT 3306; regt reptd 2 sm ptrl clashes gen vic CT 2908 dur PM 6 Apr. 65th Inf, Belgian and Phil Bns contd in respective assy areas dur 6 Apr. Only minor ptrl contact reptd in 25th Div Zone. Turk Brig completed relief 27th Inf at 061230 along line CT 3409-CT 4012; 27th Inf closed assy area vic CT 4505-CT 4601 dur PM. 35th Inf ptrld fr prev psns while 24th Inf contd res; 24th Inf to relieve 35th Inf in psns on 7 Apr. 5th Inf 24th US Div strengthened prev psns dur 6 Apr; elms replused 2 sm probing atks vic CT 5312 dur night 6-7 Apr. 21st Inf atkd to line vic CT 5611-CT 6110 against mod en SA and mortar fire; elms encountered protected minefld and many booby-traps, on hill vic CT 5809.

IX Corps: 27th Br Com Brig atkd to psns vic CT 6210-CT 6608 on 6 Apr against lt to no oppn; right flank elms delayed by minefld and many booby-traps vic CT 6608. 2d Regt 6th ROK Div atkd N to line CT 6809-CT 7309 with only minor en resist; 7th ROK Regt atkd to CT 7410-CT 7809 by 061740 dispersing est en co en route; 19th ROK Regt closed new assy area vic CS 7597 PM 6 Apr. 7th Mar Regt atchd to 1st Cav Div advd unoppd on 6 Apr to line CT 7809-CT 8210. 8th Cav Regt and Thai Bn atkd to line CT 8409-CT 8908 by 061815 against sporadic SA and mortar fire fr undet nbr en occupying high grd vic CT 8609 and CT 8708; elms encountered many improvised mines and booby-trapped wpns vic CT 8807. 7th Cav Regt and Greek Bn atkd to CT 9009-CT 9408 by 061715; arty fire dispersed est 2 en cos en route resulting est 300 en cas. 1st US Mar Div with atchd ROK Mar Regt contd in prev reptd assy areas dur 6 Apr w/o contact.

X Corps: French Bn atchd to 2d US Div advd unoppd to vic CT 9706 dur 6 Apr. 23d Inf atkd N in zone on 6 Apr to line DT 0003-DT 0502 against mod resist fr est en co occupying high grd vic DT 0202 and undet nbr en vic DT 0403. 23d Inf contd atk N in zone at 070800. 38th Inf ptrld fr prev psns w/o contact on 6 Apr; elms deptd for assy areas vic DS 0430 and DS 0980 at 070700. 32d Inf 7th US Div advd unoppd to psns vic DT 1001 and DT 1301 on 6 Apr. 17th Inf atkd to line DT 1701-DS 2199 against hvy SA and mortar fire; elms dispersed en gps on hills vic DS 1999, DT 1900 and DS 2197 dur day but failed to dislodge undet nbr en occupying def psns on hill vic DS 2199. 36th Regt 5th ROK Div atkd N in zone to vic DS 2399-DT 2603 on 6 Apr; elms drove est en co NW fr psns along ridge vic CT 2602 dur AM. 27th ROK Regt advd w/o reptd oppsn to DT 2802-DT 3102 on 6 Apr and prepared to cont atk N in zone AM 7 Apr.

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III ROK Corps: 3d ROK Regt closed new assy area vic DS 3793 PM 5 Apr; elms to maint contact with 5th ROK Div on corps left. 18th ROK Regt contd atk N and as of 061200 engd with undet nbr en dug-in along gen line DT 3607- DT 3705. 22d ROK Regt atkd to line DT 4001 DT 4607; elms engd with undet nbr en dug-in vic DT 4007-DT 4107. 23d ROK Regt advd unoppd to line DT 4607-DT 5509 by 060900 with elms reptd vic DT 5013 at 061430.

I ROK Corps: 1st Regt CAP ROK Div adj psns to DT 5311-DT 5514 and DT 5606-DT 5608 while other elms en route to occupy psns extending to Cav ROK Regt left flank; elms contd in contact with sm en gp vic DT 5115. 1st Cav ROK Regt atkd thru 26th ROK Regt on 5 Apr to line DT 5714-DT 6314 w/o oppn; 26th ROK Regt in res vic DT 7901. 29th Regt 9th ROK Div advd w/o reptd oppn to DT 6020-DT 6623 as of 060800.

B. Air:

Dur 24 hr pd endg 062400 I: UN acft FEAF control flew 476 sorties inclg 189 trans, 20 ftr control, 4 flare drop, 23 recon, 240 combat of which 79 by USMC, 9 RAAF, 2 SAAF, of 23 close spt sorties, 5 in I Corps, 1 IX Corps, 6 X Corps 11 III ROK Corps. 119 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 64 areas inclg tgts in YC, YD, XE, XD, CT, BT, BU, CU, DT UTM grid blocks. 33 counter air sorties flown, all on CAP. 12 lt bombs atkd Anak Afld. 53 night intruder acft atkd tgts in 38 areas incld tgts in YD, XE, XD, BT, CT, YC grid block areas.

FEAF Bom Com flew 1 eff sorties: 91st Recon Sq: 1 RB-45 flew surveil & photo coverage in N Korea, est good results.

FEAF 315th ADs 189 sorties airlifted 1,394 pass, 131 evacs & 471 tons frt. Incd figures above, 4 C-46s dropped 13.9 tons rations DS 8693 & DS 4099, exc results.

FEAF Bom Com today dispatched 46 acft: 19th BG: 11 acft vis bbd by-pass brg DV 4547, poor to exc results. 98th BG: 23 acft vis bbd RR brg XE 1840, exc results. 307th BG: 11 acft vis bbd hly brg XE 2750, exc results. 91st Recon Sq: 1 acft flew surveil, results unreptd.

At aprx 071025 I, vic Sinuiju, aprx 28 F-84s flying escort sighted aprx 37 MIGs. Some en acft made firing passes. No dam to friendly acft. No positive claims made.

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FEAF claims en losses for pd: Pers 26, MIG-15 acft 5 dam, vehs 50 & 62, loco 1, RR cars 3 & 2, sup cart 1, en occ bldgs 123, & 69, sup dumps 2 & 1, POL dump 1 dam, pack animals 8, gun pans 1 dam, sup stacks 3.

Ops planned for 8 Apr 51: B-29s: 85 combat ready (CR), 23 to be employed (TBE). 19th BG: 8 acft atk double RR brg 5 mi NW Sinanju YD 1993. 3 acft conduct night mission in conj with grd radar (MPQ-2). 307th BG: 12 acft atk double RR brg 5 mi NW Sinanju YD 1993. Lt bmrs: 48 CR, 40 TBE. Ftrs: 291 CR, 284 TBE. Transports: 112 CR, 94 TBE.

C. Navy.

Korea E Coast:

Air: TF 77 planes from Phillipine Sea & Boxer 6 Apr flew 164 sorties, incl close spt 24 in ROK III Corps, 6 in US IX Corps, 8 in US X Corps, & 126 sorties vic Hoeyang, Wonsan, Hamhung, Hungnam, Songjin, & Chongjin. Planes dest 3 AA gun pans, 83 bldgs, 1 factory, 1 fuel dump, 2 fuel tks, 2 boats, 50 oil drums, 3 RR cars, 2 tks, 15 trks, 1 brg; atkd 8 trp pans under controller; dam 3 hwy brgs & 1 RR org, 2 bldgs, 1 loco, 18 RR cars, 1 RR sta, 13 sect RR track, 1 RR yard, 3 sup dumps, 5 vehs, 1 whse.

Surface:

Massey & O'Brien ptrld fr Songjin N, shelled en brgs near Chongjin; later Thompson, Hoquiam, & Borie on Northern ptrl bombarded brg approaches near Chuuronjang.

Near Songjin dur night 5-6 Apr Naval gun fire interdicted RR at 4 locs, extinguished lights at various times & locs. On 6 Apr St Paul, Massey, & Lind dest 5 beached boats, obtained hits in 3 bldgs, & RR cars; bombarded 4 beach areas, destroying & burning many bldgs. Between 070800 & 1600 I, 41st Royal Marine Commandos sptd by St Paul, Lind, Massey, Fort Marion LSD 22, Begor APD 127, & acft assgd fr TF 77, landed near Songjin & with lt en oppsn blew up sects

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RR track & withdrew. At Wonsan night 5-6 Apr Zellars & Hank interdicted brg & rd jcts; Saturated beach area on Kalmagak where 12 to 15 trks seen moving S, illuminated area dur night; night planes at 0154 I reptd 35 to 40 trks mvg S between Hamhung & Wonsan in sm gps with like nbr mvg N & at 0400 reptd 100 vehs mvg S into Wonsan with ETA 0530 to 0600 I; ships increased interdiction rate & contd illumination fire; rept no mvt visible dur illumination except 2 vehs on br under fire; later, day plane spot reptd wrecked trks & debris on Kalmagak Beach; ptrl ships obsvd no en boat activity Wonsan Harbor. On 6 Apr ships at Wonsan contd unobsvd interdiction fire in morning haze; then with plane spot saturated area CU 685323 to CU 686321 silenced AA btrys, levelled bks, & burned houses; contd interdiction fire on concrete brg CU 682324 which acft atk failed to knock out; en mine base reptd CU 620520 atkd by plane spot, results unobsvd. At bomblines, Forrest Royal had no gunfire rqsts from shore control party; turned junk traffic back Southward.

Mines: 2 mines sunk off Songjin at 40-39.5 N, 129-17.5 E.

Korea W Coast:

Air: Bataan planes 6 Apr flew 12 sorties: Cratered Onjongni afd, dam 2 RR cars & 2 whses Chinnampo, dest 3 trks, & 2 bldgs Haeju; performed air spot for Black Swan bombardment.

Surface: Black Swan in Haeju Bay knocked out 1 en gun & dest 10 bldgs. Concord, Cockade, & Evertsen ptrld; Tutira minesweeping; Cockade also on Bird Dog Duty.

Mines: None reptd.

Formosa Strait: Thompson ptrlg. Surface & air ptrls reptd no unusual sightings.

La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings reptd.

D. Negative.

E. Wea:

Summ pd 061800-071800 I: N Korea remained clear in NW. Ovcast mid & high clds prevailed in cen & S areas dur early portion of pd bcng gen less than 3/10 in all areas dur night. Mid & high clds increased again in S areas to ovcast. Vis was unrestricted xcept in patches of haze, smoke & fog dur morn. Battle area temps: Min near 40, max 60.

Fcst for pd 071800-081800 I: Brkn low clds along the SE coastal area. Sctd mid clds & sctd high clds S of 39 deg. Sctd high clds above 22,000 ft N of 39 deg. Vic gen unrestricted xcept in cen & S areas where smoke & haze is expected to reduce vic to 4 mi dur early morn. Battle area temp: Min 38, max 58 deg.

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A. Grnd Opns past 24 hrs:
 1. Pts contact: CS 0797, CT 2908, CT 4214, CT 5211, CT 5312, CT 5313, CT 5411, CT 5511, CT 5809, CT 5811, CT 6011, CT 6209, CT 6210, CT 6409, CT 6809-CT 7309, CT 7410-CT 7809, CT 8609, CT 8708, CT 9307, CT 9308, CT 9408, DT 0202, DT 0403, DT 1900, DS 1999, DS 2197, DS 2199, DT 2602, DT 3503, DT 3607-DT 3705, DT 4007-DT 4107, DT 5115.

2. Fol NKA-CCF loc changes as of 071700-I Apr:

NKA Unit	Loc	CCF Unit	Loc
2d Div	(DT 4634)	76th Div	(DT 4228)
3d Div	(DT 4622)	112th Div	(CT 4832)
6th Div	(DT 3855)	115th Div	(CT 8918)
7th Div	(DT 3951)	116th Div	(CT 9125)
9th Div	(DT 4541)	118th Div	(CT 7326)
10th Div (remnants)	(DT 5236)	119th Div	(CT 5126)
12th Div	(DT 3646)	120th Div	(CT 6224)
27th Div	(DT 4747)		
45th Div	(DT 3617)		

3. USA: See sit in brief.

4. ROKA: See sit in brief.

5. Rear areas:

(A) En: Due wea conditions, ain sighted only 374 en vehs dur night 6-7 Apr of which 135 mvg S, 195 mvg N; traffic pattern fairly even. Air atkd 3 tks vic DV 3233 and DV 3868 at 061330.

(B) Frnd: Elms 7th ROK Div dispersed sm en gp vic DS 6354 PM 4 Apr (delayed rept).

B. Air: See sit in brief.

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- C. Navy: See sit in brief.
 D. En capabilities: No change in listing.

Discussion:

1) See TT 4528.
 2) See TT 4528.
 3) Reinfmt potential of CCF: While no firm ident can yet be made for those CCF units reptdly being mvd fr Manchuria to rear area psns in Korea, the frequent occurrence of unverified repts on 18 CCF Army Gp leads to its acceptance in Korea. This 18th Army Gp, believed composed of 3 CCF Corps or 9 Divs, has been reptd mvg S for some time and is believed be assembling in Sinmak-Kumchon area. Contd hv vehicular traffic dur past 2 wks further spts this possible mvmt, and, while no unit ident has been made, repts fr air obsvrs in this area indicate large concs trps, sups and vehs.

Although it too early to predict ultimate use these forces, possibility their physical presence in close proximity of UN front lines must be carefully considered in planning future UN opns. These forces might well be utilized for reinfmts, either off or def, repls, or as a gen strategic counter-atk force.

4) See TT 4471.
 5) See TT 4569.
 6) See TT 4549.
 7) See TT 4436.
 8) Potential of air opns: Recent days have seen MIG-15s rise again in rather sizeable nbrs to do battle with UN air, and by so doing provide a forceful reminder of en air potential. En opns cont virtually confined to counter air sweeps with little intrusive action directed against UN grd psns. However, en's capability for off opns, which can be undertaken whenever he elects, can definitely not be discounted.

While UN forces have exacted a contg toll of hostile acft, en has not engd on a scale to permit an as yet noticeable attrition effect. Accordingly, although acft repl may well be a critical problem, his air capability is considered to remain substantially unaltered. Over a 30 day pd, with his present force

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operating fr Manchurian bases, he is believed capable mounting 7000 ftr sorties, 3500 grd-atk sorties and 2250 bmr sorties.

Fwd displacement his units to Korean bases would signify an appreciable increase in en's total sortie capability, since by this maneuver some acft could be utilized on more than 1 mission a day. Moreover, use of Korean flds would probably entail a higher percentage of effective sorties in that reduction of time to and from tgts would mean a proportionately greater allowable interval in battle zone. In this connection, should be recalled that en's efforts to repair and improve Korean air facilities have been pressed with unabated intensity and that now some 14 flds in NK are believed serviceable.

The en's contd avoidance of Korean bases, despite obvious advantages of their use, is not believed fully attributable to policy of acft conservation (see INTSUM 3097). Since preponderance his effort to date occurred in "MIG Alley," area immediately proximate to Manchurian border, it may be that importance atchd to pilot recovery is of decided weight in determination of opnl policy. Certainly, by choosing to join battle mostly only over rear areas occ by his own grd forces, en sacrificing his max striking capability, but by same token acquires an optimum psn as regards recovery of downed pilots. Inasmuch as trained pilots are definitely in ltd nbr, his present tactics may represent a conscious endeavor to conserve his pilot corps until a flow of trained repls is established. In all probability, both pilot and acft limitations have exerted considerable influence on en's apparent decision to conserve his air potential against the day when its full commitment is exigent. (Concurred in by DI FEAF).

E. Negative.

F. Completed 1flt air drop 6 Apr Chinese anti-moral 1flts 480,000 serial 6007, 550,000 serial 7031, nostalgic 1flts 50,000 serial 7034, 150,000 serial 7036, safe conduct good trtmt 1flts 360,000 serial 7035 and news sheets 225,000 serial 5025 also Korean anti-morale 1flts 280,000 serial 9013, 240,000 serial 1047, nostalgic 1flts 100,000 serial 1048, 100,000 serial 1051, safe conduct good trtmt 1flts 230,000 serial 1050 and news sheets 135,000 serial 2025.

G. Negative.

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Nothing to rept.

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Info fr Eighth Army SITREP 719 as of 070800 I Apr: IDOB:
1 NK PW deserter capt'd vic CT 2904 by US 65th RCT 2 Apr ident
3d Co, 3d Bn, 1st Regt, 37th NK Div, VII NK Corps. 1 NK PW
deserter capt'd vic CT 2904 by US 65th RCT 1 Apr ident 2d Co, 2d Bn,
2d Regt, 37th NK Div, VII NK Corps. 1 NK PW deserter capt'd vic
CT 2904 by US 65th RCT 1 Apr ident 1st Co, 3d Bn, 3d Regt, 37th NK
Div, VII NK Corps. 3 CCF PW deserters capt'd vic CT 4211 6 Apr
by US 35th RCT ident Med Co, 262d Regt, 76th Div, 26th CCF Army.
1 CCF PW capt'd vic CT 4612 5 Apr by us 35th RCT ident 2d Plat, 6th
Co, 1st Bn, 3d Regt, 1st Indpt Div, 60th CCF Army. Ident of PW,
badly wounded, is questionable pend further clarification. 1 NK
PW deserter capt'd vic CT 7505 by ROK 6th Div 6 Apr ident 12th Regt,
1st NK Div, III NK Corps. PW stated, hearsay, 12th Regt would
withdraw at unk date 8 mi N of 38th parallel and regroup for an
offensive. 1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CT 8109 6 Apr by US 7th
Mar RCT ident 5th Co, 2d Bn, 350th Regt, 117th Div, 39th CCF Army.
PW stated 117th Div, 39th CCF Army was on line; the 115th Div, 39th
CCF Army having withdrawn to rear on or about 26 Feb and 116th
Div, 39th CCF Army having withdrawn to rear on or about 2 Apr.
PW further stated elms 2 (2) A gps were loc to the rear in vic N
of Imjin R. This may refer to elms XVIII and XIX A Gps rept'd to be
in that gen vic by agent and PW's repts.

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Ch Trans fr Trans Off FEC.
 Status RRs in Korea as of 7 Apr 51.

- A. MSR (w): Shoo-Fly over Han River completed 3 Apr 51. MSR now extends to Uijongbu. Est capy sect fr Seoul to Uijongbu 1,500 tons per day. A rhd fr CL III sups has been estb at Uijongbu.
- B. Tonnage mvg N over rail lines dur pd 31 Mar - 7 Apr, incl fol:

Cl	W MSR	E MSR
I	6,025	1,600
II & IV	1,950	550
III	11,125	3,050
V	2,500	875
Misc	22,770	4,030
Total	44,370	10,105

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Fol extract fr OB Sec, INTSUM 3132, 7 Apr: 18th A Gp, 2d CCF Fld Army: Entry of 18th CCF A Gp or elms thereof into Korean Theater Opns has become increasingly apparent in recent wks as Pws fr various CCF units cont mention presence elms this army gp in Korea. Credibility these statements is enhanced by an officer Pw capt'd vic Yongbyon early as 12 Nov 50, who claimed unit ident 2d Bn, 540th Regt, 180th Div, 60th CCF Army (Corps). Subsequently, total of 16 CCF Pws have claimed, hearsay, knowledge of all or elms

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of 18th CCF Army Gp, in Korea. Of particular interest was "time and space factors" of some these repts:

(1) "Heard on or about 20 Nov 50, that 60th Army (Corps) entered Korea thru Antung";

(2) "Heard 60th Army (Corps) passed thru Kunu-ri on or about 20 Dec 50, en route to Pyongyang"; and;

(3) On 4 Jan 51 and 25 Feb 51 heard "elms of 60th Army (Corps) were loc along 38th parallel." Incl in these statements was another which "heard on 13 Jan 51, 60th Army (Corps) was near Yalu River waiting to enter Korea." In add, probably the most accurate repts were submitted by intel sources, considered fairly reliable, as fol:

A. (10,000) trps of 18th CCF Army Gp crossed Tumen River into Korea on 20 Oct (INTSUM 2993).

B. 60th and 61st Armies (Corps) are to be sent to Korea as result decision made at a Chinses Communist conference Peking on 15 Dec (INTSUM 3049).

C. 545th Regt (evaluated as 182d Div, 61st Army (Corps) indicated on a sign in Hoeki-dong in Jan 51 (INTSUM 3129).

D. 60th, 61st, 62d, 69th, and 70th Armies (Corps) and 3 unidentified armies were in Sariwon (YC 3965) - Sinchon (YC 1747) areas 14 Feb (INTSUM 3129).

E. 548th, 549th and 550th units (evaluated as 183d and 184th Divs of 61st and 62d Armies (Corps) respectively repta to have retreated on 18 Feb fr Kangwondo (Province loc on E coast) to Sariwon (YC 3965) and Madong (YC 5060) (INTSUM 3108).

F. 50th and 56th contingents (evaluated as 540th and 556th Regts, 180th and 186th Divs, of 60th and 62d Armies (Corps) respectively) were indicated on signs pointing N dur period 19-26 Feb 51 (INTSUM 3104).

G. Unconfirmed repts recvd naming elms 41st, 51st, 55th, 58th, 60th, 61st, 62d, 67th, 68th, 69th, and 70th Armies (corps) in Korea (INTSUM 3091).

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H. 59th Unit (evaluated as possibly 59th Army) obsvd in Kowon area (INTSUM 3107).

I. 61st Det (evaluated as possibly 61st Army (Corps) reptd in Chorwon (CT 4335) area on 27 Feb (INTSUM 3124).

J. As of 27 Feb, aprx 4 tons rice collected by CCF 24th and 61st Dets (evaluated as 24th and 61st Armies (Corps) from Chorwon area and transported N (INTSUM 3129).

K. 531st and 925th Units (evaluated as 531st Regt, 177th Div, 59th Army (Corps) and possibly 529th Regt, 177th Div, 59th Army (Corps) in Kangso-gun (YD 1314) on 1 Mar (INTSUM 3096).

L. 60th and 61st Armies (Corps) arr at Sino-Korean border area early Mar 51, and are planning to move to Korea soon (INTSUM 3129).

M. An intel source reptd that on 1 Mar 51, aprx 2 U/I CCF Divs of 60th Army (Corps), 18th CCF Army Gp, moved fr Pyongyang area twd Chorwon, thru Suan (BT 7186), Singye (BT 8665), and Sibyon-ni (BT 9842). In add, other U/I units of undet str of 60th Army (corps) moved fr Pyongyang to Yonchon-ni (CT 3020) (INTSUM 3113).

N. An intel source reptd that on 10 Mar, 60th Army (Corps) mvd fr vic Pyongyang to Kumchon (BT 8326) and proceeded prepare arty psns around city. Trps roamed city dur day in gps of 7-8 and were alerted after 1900 hrs. They all spoke Jap and claimed to have been trained by "Liberty Union" (Jap Emancipation League), composed Jap deserters to CCF dur WW II (INTSUM 3123).

O. An intel source reptd that 62d Army (Corps), 18th CCF Fld (?) Army, mvd fr Pyongyang to Singye on 14 Mar 51 (INTSUM 3120). Comment: Although it probable some of hearsay info reptd by PWs are results of Communist political machination, it is extremely unlikely that en propagandists would overdo this particular theme in view adverse effect on trps morale should this promise of reinfmts prove false. Based on re-evaluation info presented above, presence in Korea of 18th CCF Army Gp, comprised of 60th, 61st, and 62d Armies (Corps), is now tentatively accepted. Str of these units will be reflected in CCF str chart, INTSUM 3133.
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ATTN: Psy War G-2.

For your info 1st Lt Wilfred G Behrend, 02020517, Inf, currently on Shipment OM-Y 135-QC (A) to your command was assigned to the 3rd Mobile Radio Broadcasting Co attached to 12th Army Group ETO for 2 years during World War II. Off is interested in Psy War Assignment. He had enlisted experience with Leaflet, Radio, and Loudspeaker Sections of 3rd MRBC. Also has radio repair and operation background.

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DA NOTE 2

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FROM G-2 DA TO G-2 FEC.

Your attention drawn to Cable USAIRLO, Hong Kong, CALHK 351-51 DTG 030736 Z Apr 51, CG FEAF info addressee.

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PART 1 INCOMING

7 April 1951

PARTICIPATING HQS: WASH AND CINCPAC

NR : DA TT 4575

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Present Washington:

Col F G Rothwell	G-2
Col H O Patterson	JCS
Capt R H Rodgers	ONI
Mr R E Ingersoll	State
Lt Col C A Curtis	JTG
Lt Col H M Hutton	G-3
Maj J L Sutton	AFOIN
Capt H E Hooks	G-2
Lt D E Bolte	G-2

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PART 2 OUTGOING

7 April 1951

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC
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Present Tokyo:
Maj Gen C A Willoughby G-2
Col E C Ewert G-2
Lt Col M L Green G-3
Lt Col B V York G-2
LCDR T G Curtis AFIO COMNAVFE
Maj R W Bowe D/I FEAF



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A. Army

UN forces made lmt'd gains in cen region against spotty but more determined hostile resist; little hostile acty rept'd on UN flanks dur pd; build-up in en rear areas cont.

I US Corps: 1st ROK Div ptrld fr prev psns w/o significant en contact dur pd. 3d US Div ptrls drew sporadic SA and mortar fire fr undet nbr en vic CT 3007-CT 3309 AM 5 Apr and elms 7th Inf recd en harassing fire; otherwise no significant en contact occurred as div units ptrld fr prev psns. Air obsvd est en bn entrenched gen vic CT 2817 PM 5 Apr. 27th Inf 25th US Div overcame light en resist and atkd N to gen line CT 3410-CT 3811-CT 4012 by 051515; ptrl made contact with undet nbr en vic CT 4011 at 052005.

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Elms Tuck Brig to rel 27th Inf in psn on 6 Apr. 35th Inf atkd to gen line CT 4112-CT 4713 against light to mod SA and mortar fire on 5 Apr; on 6 Apr Rext consolidated psns and patrolled. 5th Inf 24th US Div atkd N on 5 Apr to gen line CT 4912-CT 5511 against gen mod resist; Elms drove sm but determined en gp fr Hill 330 (CT 5210) after long engmt. Tk ptrl dispersed sm en gp vic CT 4917 and briefly engd est en plat vic CT 5120 dur day. Elms 5th Inf repulsed 2 sm probing atks dur nite 5-6 Apr. 21st Inf atkd N to gen line CT 5809-CT 5611 by 051515 against intense en SA and some arty fire; elms seized 2 hills in hand-to-hand combat. 21st Inf encountered minefld vic CT 5809. 5th and 21st Inf Regts adj psns on 6 Apr; 19th Inf contd in res vic CS 5585.

IX Corps: 27th Br Com Brig advd against light oppn to line CT 6208-CT 6607 by 051800; elms resumed atk AM 6 Apr. 2d Regt ROK 6th Div advd w/o reptd oppn to line CT 6808-CT 7108 by 051800; elms contg adv to CT 7308 recvg en SA and mortar fire at 052100. 7th ROK Regt advd w/o oppn to line CT 7406-CT 7806 by 051800. 19th ROK Regt in res vic CS 7395. Elms 2d and 7th ROK Regts contd atk N in zone AM 6 Apr. Acty 1st Cav Div zone inerd dur pd. 7th Mar Regt overcame hvy rest fr en gps up to bn str and estab psns vic CT 7708-CT 8308 by 051700. Thailand Bn advd aprx 2,000 yds to vic CT 8507 on 5 Apr against hvy resist by undet nbr en. 8th Cav Regt atkd to psns CT 8706-CT 8907 also against hvy oppn; elms reptd many en mines along route of adv. Greek Bn and 7th Cav Regt made minor gains to CT 9207-CT 9405-CT 9506 against stiff resist by est en co. 1st Cav Div elms contd atk N in zone AM 5 Apr. 1st Mar Div contd assy areas dur 5 Apr; 1st ROK Mars closed assy area vic CS 8989 PM 5 Apr.

X Corps: 23d Inf 2d US Div atkd N 5 Apr to line CT 0103-CT 0201; elms were strongly resisted by undet nbr en entrenched on hills vic DT 0202 and DT 0302 and by another en force vic DS 0399. Elms 23d Inf repelled en probing atk vic DT 0102 early AM 6 Apr. 9th Inf en route to assy area vic DT 0571 on 6 Apr. French Bn in psns vic CT 9801 w/o reptd contact dur 5 Apr. 31st Inf 7th US

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Div closed assy area vic DS 0980 at 051420. 32d Inf closed assy area vic DS 1491 FM 5 Apr; elms capt'd hills vic DS 1299-DS 1399 against determined resist by Co-size en gps in def psns. 17th Inf atkd N to psns DS 1898-DS 2298 by 052100 against determined oppn by en co-size gps on high grd gen vic DT 1501-DS 1697. Friendly forces failed to dislodge other en gps occupying hills vic DS 1998-DS 2197 dur 5 Apr. Many wooden box-type mines encountered dur AM 5 Apr. Air obsvd extensive en fortifications vic DT 1634. Elms 7th Div contd atk N in zone on 6 Apr. 36th Regt 5th ROK Div passed thru 38th Inf on 5 Apr and atkd N to DS 2395-DS 2899 against resist by est en co; 27th ROK Regt advd to DS 2799-DS 3299; 35th Regt remained prev assy areas.

III ROK Corps: No significant en acty rept'd in Corps zone dur pd. 18th ROK Regt ptrld fr psns vic DT 3400-DT 4001 w/o contact. 3d ROK Regt en route to assy area vic DS 3591. Elms 22d ROK Regt reld 3d ROK Regt and adj psns to vic DT 4404-DT 4505 and DT 4802 as of 050500. Elms 23d ROK Regt adj psns vic DT 4707-DT 5108 AM 5 Apr and elms closed assy area vic DT 5202.

I ROK Corps: No significant en acty rept'd in Corps zone dur pd. Elms 1st ROK Regt contd atk; last rept'd vic DT 5115 with other elms en route to DT 5514. 1st Cav ROK Regt reld 26th ROK Regt and occupied psns on line DT 5714-DT 6314. 26th ROK Regt closed assy area vic DT 7703. Opnl control 29th ROK Regt passed from Cap ROK Div to 9th ROK Div eff 050001.



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B. Air:

Dur 24 hr pd endg 052400 I: UN acft FEAF control flew 1,020 sorties inclg 219 trans, 50 ftr control, 4 flare drop, 53 recon, 694 combat of which 112 by USMC, 24 RAAF, 24 SAAF and 6 by ROKAF. Of 70 close spt sorties, 38 in I Corps, 20 in IX Corps, 2 X Corps and 10 III ROK Corps. 448 Armed recon acft atkd tgts in 172 areas inclg Chongju, Sunan, Ichon, Hanpo-ri, Fyonggang. 77 Counter air sorties flown: 35 on CAP, 24 escort, 16 intercept, 2 search. 24 lite bms atkd tgts at CT 4213, YC 4308, YD 5164, YC 4389. 52 Nite intruder acft atkd tgts in 79 areas inclg Kumhwa and tgts in YD, XD, XE, YE and BU utm grid areas.

FEAF Bom Com flew 25 eff sorties, 23 nite bombing missions and 3 day recon. 19th B3: 4 Acft radar bbd sup cen Sariwon, unobsvd results. 1 Acft, MPQ-2 controlled, bbd sup cen CT 8614 and CT 8815, unobsvd results. 1 Acft, MPQ-2 controlled, bbd trp conc CT 7018, unobsvd results. 1 Acft, MPQ-2 controlled, bbd trp conc CT 7118, unobsvd results. 1 Acft crash-landed at Okinawa due wea, results unreptd. 3 Acft unreptd at this time. 307th B3: 3 Acft radar bbd sup cen Sinanju, unobsvd results. 2 Acft radar bbd sup cen at Anju, unobsvd results. 2 Acft radar bbd sup cen Chongju, secondary explosions obsvd. 1 Acft vis bbd Hungsu-ri, bbs fell in cen of town. 1 Acft radar bbd Anju, unobsd results. 1 Acft radar bbd Sinanju, unobsvd results. 2 Acft radar bbd Chongju, fires obsvd in tgt area. 91st Recon Sq: 3 Acft flew surveil and photo coverage over NK, fair to good results.

FEAF 315th AD 219 sorties airlifted 1,835 psgrs, 173 evacs and 596.1 tons frt. Ined in figures above, 11 C-46s dropped 50.5 tons mil sup at DS 4699 and DS 4099, exc results.

Between 060830 I and 060845 I, in Sinuiju area, 12 F-86s engaged 20 plus MIG-15s. claims, 5 MIGs damaged, no damage to F-86s.

FEAF Bom Com stood down today.

FEAF claims en losses for pd: Pers 263, tks 3 and 3, vehs 111 and 57, locos 1 and 4, RR cars 4 and 47, sup carts 4, en occ bldgs 601 and 233, sup dumps 4, FOL dumps 6, pack anls 37, gun psns 6 and 12 sup stacks 7, CP 1, AA guns 3, oil drums 57, whse 1 dam, RR brg 3 dam, tunnels 3 dam, TN 1 dam.

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C. Navy.

Korea East Coast:

Air: TF 77 planes fr Boxer and Phil Sea 5 Apr flew 126 sorties incl 33 in close spt US X Corps and 93 sorties via Iwon, Hagaru-ri, Sinhung, Hamhung, Wonsan, Kowin, Songnae-ri, Hoeyang and Inje.

Planes dest 6 bldgs, 5 carts, 1 fuel dp, 1 gun psn, 4 huts, 1 loco (CT 8063), 10 RR cars, 5 tks, 19 trks; atd 4 tp concs with controller rent good coverage; dropped spans in 2 RR brs and 1 hwy br and dam 4 other brs; dam 3 bldgs, 6 secs RR track, 1 tk, 5 trks, 1 tunnel.

Surface: On 5 Apr, Massey and Hoquiam sighted no junks on ptrl to Chongjin; interdicted rd jct, Churonjang, ret'd to Songjin. Near Songjin, St Paul, Massey, and Lind, employing airspot, obtained direct hits in box cars on siding wrecking them, 8 direct hits on sampans on beach, 5 hits on 60-ton power junk on beach rendering it unseaworthy. 15 Hits in bldgs alongside RR starting 2 fires, hits on fishing boats on beach destroying 5 boats. Thompson ptrld fr Wonsan to Songjin with no en craft sighted; stopped near Chaho to bombard brs. Near Ilsa'n Dong, minesweepers obtained hits on beached boats which started several fires. At Wonsan, Zellars' gunfire dest bldg and hit boxcar containing coal CU 748282, badly dam br at CU 727297. Zellars and Hank conducted night interdiction. Alacrity, Gloucester, and Burlington obsd no en boat activity. At bomblines Forrest Royal had no gunfire rqsts fr shore fire control pty; prevented junks fr going N along coast.

Mines: None rentd.

Korea West Coast:

Air: Bataan planes replenished 5 Apr and did not fly.

Surface: Evertsen, Concord, Black Swan, and Codkade ptrld coast and Inchon approaches 5 Apr with no en activity obsrd; Tutura minesweeping with ROK YMS. Black Swan with airspot sched to bombard 2 gun psns vic Haeju Bay 6 Apr.

Mines: None reptd.

Formosa Strait: Air and surface ptrls rptd no unusual sightings. Thomason ptrlg.

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La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings reptd.
D. Negative.
E. Wea:

Sum pd 051800-061800 I: Korea, gen clr in extreme N Korea. Overcast high clds S of 37 deg throughout pd. Scattered mid clds in cen and S Korea being broken dur morn in cent areas and overcast in S Korea. Scattered to broken low clds in S Korea dur the day. Intermittent light rain dur early morn in SE coastal areas spreading inland in S Korea dur afternoon. Vsby was gen restricted to less than 10 mi in areas of heavy haze and smoke. Min temp in battle area: Near 40 deg. Max temp: 60 deg. Fcst for pd 061800-071800 I: Multilayer clds, intermittent light rain and low vsby in cen and S Korea dur night and dur morn of 7 April. Conditions will improve dur day with ceilings and vsby being unrestricted by end of pd. Battle area temp: Min 46 deg, max 60 deg.
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A. Grnd opns past 24 hrs:

1. Pts contact: CT 1406, CT 2006, CT 3007, CT 3108,
CT 3309, CT 3411, CT 3612, CT 3812, CT 4011, CT 4411, CT 4512,
CT 4917, CT 5011, CT 5019, CT 5210, CT 5211, CT 5709, CT 6108,
CT 6607, CT 7308, CT 7908, CT 8207, CT 8309, CT 8507, CT 8607,
CT 8809, CT 9207, CT 9307, DT 0102, DT 0202, DT 0302, DS 0399,
DS 1299, DS 1399, DT 1501, DS 1697, DS 1998, DS 1999, DS 2197,
DT 2600, DT 5813, and fol in rear areas DS 6854, ER 1290, ER 1792,
ER 2762.

2. Fol CCF-NKA loc changes for pd endg 061700 1 Apr:

CCF UNITS	LOC	NKA UNITS	LOC
76th Div	CT 4525	1st Div	DT 1618
77th Div	CT 3626	2d Div	DT 5326
78th Div	CT 2724	4th Div	BT 7587
115th Div	CT 9760	6th Div	DT 3237
117th Div	CT 8124	7th Div	DT 3330
148th Div	Pyongyang	9th Div	DT 4427
149th Div	Pyongyang	10th Div	DT 5724
150th Div	Pyongyang	12th Div	DT 3422
		15th Div	DT 2213
		27th Div	DT 4640



- 3. USA: See sit in brief.
- 4. ROKA: See sit in brief.
- 5. Rear Areas:

(A) En: Air sighted total 1041 vehs dur night 5-6 Apr of which 665 mvg S, 196 mvg N and 180 direction unreptd; traffic pattern fairly evenly distributed incl E Coast route. Dur 5 Apr air sit with these results: Loco mvg S at XD 7095; 3 tns vic YD 5480 and BT 6558; 6 en tks vic YC 3871, CV 7464, CT 6250 and BT 7555; 5 sup dumps and unreptd nbr en trps vic BT 7555; 10 en vehs vic BY 8212, BT 8332, BT 8617 and CT 1979; est en co vic CT 1979; est 75 en trps vic CT 9442; 2 vehs and 2 fld pcs vic

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DT 1327. Flood gates on Hwachon Reservoir vic CT 9318 were open at 051300. Air obsvd dur 5 Apr: 1 loco mvg N at CU 6278; 2 en tks vic BT 6557.

(B) Frnd: 8th ROK Regt ptrl engd sm en gp vic DS 6854 at 041800. 17th ROK Regt ptrl dispersed sm en gp vic ER 1290 on 4 Apr; capt'd offcr gp stated main body his orgn vic ER 1752. Elms 17th ROK Regt engd est 200 en vic ER 1792 PM 4 Apr resulting 35 en KIA, 5 PWS. 7th Scty Bn engd undet nbr en vic ER 2762 resulting 28 en cas and capt'd equip.

B. Air: See sit in brief.

C. Navy: See sit in brief.

D. En capabilities: No change.

E. Negative.

F. Lflts being prepared in Chinese and Korean language for dissemination over specific tgts where en trps believed to be massing. Lflts will stress prev atks by Communist forces which resulted in enormous cas and the futility of matching human flesh against UN armor and air pwr. Communist trps will be told graphically what awaits them in any repeated off moves and reminded that death awaits them unless they accept UN sanctuary.

G. Negative.

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Nothing to rept.

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Eighth Army SITREP 717. End 060800 I Apr rpts fol IDOB: 2 NK PWS capt'd vic BT 8602 4 Apr by ROK 1st Div agents ident 35th Regt, 19th NK Div. PW states 19th NK Div is withdrawing N to Nuchon BT 6335, date unk. 2 CCF PWs deserters capt'd vic CT 4608 5 Apr by US 25th Div ident 2d Plat, 4th Co, 2d Bn, 356th Regt, 119th Div, 40th CCF Army. PWs stated elms 1st and 2d Fld Armies were in Korea and

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would be committed to action dur month Apr. 4 CCF PWs deserters captd vic CT 3910 5 Apr by US 25th Div ident 4th Co, 2d Bn, 262d Regt, 75th Div, 26th CCF Army. 1 CCF PW captd vic CT 5111 by US 24th Div 5 Apr ident 1st Co, 1st Bn, 355th Regt, 119th Div, 40th CCF Army. 1 NK PW captd vic CS 9298 5 Apr by French Bn ident 2d Regt, 32d Div, VII NK Corps. 2 NK PWs captd vic DT 0202 5 Apr by US 23d TCT ident 3d Regt, 1st NK Div. 2 NK PWs captd vic DS 1796 5 Apr by US 17th RCT ident 3d (50) Regt, 15th NK Div.

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A. Since CCF apparently did not anticipate fighting def type war when they 1st entered Korea, it not believed they brought land mines with them. In present withdrawal, however, Chinese have employed land mines at every opportunity-when mines avail. The generally crude manner in which CCF has laid mines bears out repts that CCF units in Korea recd no prior trng in mine warfare.

B. Because NKA has Engr tps (believed trnd in mine warfare) down to div level, NKA land mine employment is more effective than CCF which does not follow this practice. It is possible that CCF in forward areas could be obtaining some help fr NKA due to aforementioned lack trng.

C. Fol land mines and similar devices are believed employed by CCF in Korea: Chinese type 4 and 8 AT and AP mines, Bangalore torpedo, and a 20-pound AT and AP mines; Soviet, TMD-B mine and Bangalore torpedo; US M 6 mine; miscell, various improvised AT and AP mines. Info on types mines encountered by UN forces contained in Eighth Army Engr Tech Bulletins and repts by 533d Engr Tech Intel Det (Research). All repts prepared to date have been forwarded G-2, DA.

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D. No reliable TO & E info has been recd relative mine warfare equipt in CCF units. Late PW repts indicate that varying nbrs of mines mentioned Par C were being issued, when aval, so it is quite possible CCF is operating with a mine warfare T/E. This particularly holds true for bangalore torpedo, an old oriental weapon with which they throughly familiar.

E. Attn invited to ATIS current transl Nbr 1, dtd 26 Aug 50, titled "full translation of a Chinese document on land mines". Doc Nbr 200124, which contains info on fols "Types, uses, constr, tactics, detection and disposal of land mines." This doc now considered to be of reasonable validity. Copy this doc was forwarded to DA, G-2, Oct 1950 as TB-1146-50.

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Prelim analysis of study of tk and SP losses since 1 Nov until 31 Mar results conclusion that 220 tks and SP's have been destroyed and 143 dam. Of these it appears reasonable that not less than 1/3 of these reprd dam have become total cas through cannibalization to effect repair remainder thus resulting in total loss for above period of approx 270-325 tks and SP. Info so far at hand makes firm breakdown between tks and SP's impossible though it est no more than 15-20% of total represent SP's. Upon finalization of current study D/A will be furnished copy of analysis.

(END FEC-6)

H/W addition to FEC-1 B. AIR.

B. Air:

Opns planned for 7 Apr 51: B-29s: 74 combat ready (CR), 48 to be employed (THE). 98th BG: 24 acft atk RR brg in XE UTM grid block. 307th BG: 12 acft atk hwy brg in XE UTM grid block. Light bms: 44 CR, 38 THE. Ftrs: 275 CR, 275 THE. Trans: 108 CR, 92 THE.

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AGENDA INCOMING

6 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCFE
NR : DA TT 4575
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION



DA-4

Wind No 219

Soviet Zone, Germany (Secret)

CINCEUR summarizes Soviet Summer Field Training activity in Soviet Zone, Germany for week ending 2 Apr as follows:

A. Soviet Ground Force Units continue move to field training areas, and acceleration of this movement expected within next two weeks.

B. About 1/2 of each of two rifle armies are already in same training areas used previous years.

C. Elements of three of four mechanized armies have also moved to field, but movements to date appear to consist primarily of quartering parties. Antiaircraft div of remaining mechanized Army believed to be at Antiaircraft firing range on Wustrow Peninsula (on Baltic Coast), but other major elements this Army are still in winter garrison areas north of Berlin.

D. Approximately 1/2 of IV Arty Corps has moved to Altengrabow Field Arty range (southwest of Berlin) and to Wustrow Antiaircraft Arty range.

E. There are indications that ~~indications~~ that unit of 3d Shock Army participated in CPX near Perleberg (northwest of Berlin near British Zone boundary) early Mar, and similar exercise or demonstration may have been conducted by 3d and 4th Guards Mechanized Army Units southwest of Berlin, 10-15 Mar.

CINCEUR comments that conduct of CPX problems this early in training season indicates units are further advanced this year than at same period in past years.

Comments: Beginning of CPX problems by Soviet units in Germany this year occurred approximately two months earlier than last year, and this development tends substantiate other indications of possibly increased scope of field training during current season.

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It is noteworthy that 3d Shock Army and 3d Guards mechanized Army were also major participants in large Army vs Army maneuvers held last Oct near Magdeburg on Elbe River.

Movement of Antiaircraft Arty Divs (as well as organic antiaircraft units of Soviet line divs) to Wustrow Peninsula is normal practice observed in previous years.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, FEAF, COMNAVPE



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5 April 1951

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Present Washington:

Col A R Fitch	G-2
Col H O Fatteson	JCS
Mr J R Sloss	CIA
Mr R H Ingersoll	STATE
Cdr C P Mead	JIG
Cdr P Welden	ONI
Lt Col H M Hutton	G-3
Maj G B Parks	AFOIN
Capt H E Hooks	G-2
Lt D E Bolte	G-2

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View of urgent high level request can you give an interim cumulative estimate en tk and sp losses pending completion ur newly initiated study. Need such estimate this TELECON if at all possible.

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PART 2 OUTGOING

5 April 1951

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC

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SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Tokyo:

Col H V White

G-2

Lt Col M L Green

G-3

ICDR T W Newland

AFIO COMNAVFE

Maj D E Allen

G-2

Capt H L Holley

D/I FEAF

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

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A. Armys

I Corps dur 4-5 Apr contd advg twd obj line: Imjin R-CT 2406 - CT 4012 CT 6211; right flank elms encountered increasing oppn. Other Eighth Army units resumed offensive noon 5 Apr twd obj line: CT 6211 - CT 8109 - CT 9115 - E along S edge Hwachon Reservoir to DT 2121 - DT 3521 - DT 5514 - DT 7115. En veh sightings dur night 4-5 Apr totalled 1621.

I Corps: 1st ROK Div ptrld fr prev psns w/o contact; SK Partisans reptd no en in area to S gen line BS 8193 - BS 9592 on 4 Apr. 3d Div units adj prev psns and ptrld on 4 Apr with strong ptrl contact vic CT 3009 and CT 3108; Belgian Bn mvd to assy area vic CS 2295. Air obsvd some en acty vic CT 2618 - CT 2812 dur AM. 27th Inf 25th US Div atkd against lite to mod resistance to gen line CT 3509 - CT 4010 on 4 Apr while 35th Inf atkd against mod SA

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and mortar fire to psns vic CT 4010 - CT 4709; dur night 4-5 Apr elms 27th Inf repulsed 3 en probing atks vic CT 3810 and 1 sm atk vic CT 3710 and elms 35th Inf repulsed light probing atk at 050400. Air obsvd est en co entrenched on ridge vic CT 4610 - CT 4616 AM 4 Apr. 24th Inf and Turk Brig remained prev assy areas. 35th Inf resumed atk N in zone AM 5 Apr. 5th and 21st Regts 24th US Div atkd to gen line vic CT 4810 - CT 5408 and CT 5607 - CT 6107 by 041800 against lite to mod en SA and mortar fire; Tk-Engr TF AM 4 Apr atkd to CT 5915 recvg hvy en mortar and SA fire en route. Dur night 4-5 Apr elms 5th Inf repulsed sm en probing atk vic CT 5110.

IX Corps: 27th Br Com Brig atkd N on 4 Apr to psns vic CT 6205-CT 6606 against stubborn resistance fr est en bn occupying high grd vic CT 6606; elms dislodged en dur day. Brig resumed atk N in zone at 050700. 2d Regt 6th ROK Div advd to vic CT 6805-CT 7305 by 041430 dispersing sm en gp vic CT 7304 dur AM; elms recvd long-range SA fire fr vic CT 7206 PM 4 Apr. 7th ROK Regt advd unoppd to gen line vic CT 7406-CT 7805 by 041500; ptrl obsvd est en bn mvg N twd CT 7409 AM 4 Apr. 19th ROK Regt remained in res vic CS 7395. Elms 2d and 7th ROK Regts atkd N in zone AM 5 Apr. 7th Mar Regt atchd to 1st Cav Div atkd N to Vic CT 7906-CT 8105 recvg lite en SA fire fr vic CT 7904 dur AM 4 Apr; elms encountered US type minefield defended by sm en gp vic CT 7800. 8th and 7th Cav Regt ptrls probed 3000 yds N fr prev psns w/o contact; Greek Bn ptrls made lite contact with undet nbr en vic CT 9105 and CT 9405 AM 4 Apr. 1st Cav Div Units resumed atk N AM 5 Apr. Elms 5th Mar Regt 1st Mar Div occupied high grd CT 9700-CT 9802 on 4 Apr against hvy en mortar fire; en SA fire fr Hill 734 (same area) contd thruout day. 5th Mar Regt reptd on line DT 0100-DS 0299 PM 4 Apr; regt reld by elms 2d US Div by 041800. 1st ROK Mars dur 4 Apr recvd SA fire fr N side Soyang R vic DT 0300; reld in psn by elms 7th US Div. 1st US Mar Regt reld in psns by elms 17th Inf by 041800; closed assy area vic DS 0073 AM 5 Apr.

X Corps: 23d Inf 2d US Div occupied psns along gen line CT 9702-DT 0100 PM 4 Apr relvg elms 1st Mar Div. 38th Inf ptrld fr prev psns with lite contact vic DS 2396 AM 4 Apr. 9th Inf maintd psns vic DS 2391-DS 2489; elms departed for assy area vic DS 0571. French Bn in assy area vic CS 9398. 2d Div reptd sev ptrl contacts

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dur period and air obsvd new en psns vic DS 1699 at 041230; Div to atk N in zone at 051200. 27th and 36th Regts 5th ROK Div ptrld fr prev psns on 4 Apr w/o contact; on 3 Apr ptrld clashed with sm en gp defending hill vic DT 3002. 35th ROK Regt enroute DS 3486 and DS 3983. 17th Inf 7th US Div reld elms 1st Mar Div vic DS 1496 DS 1996 PM 4 Apr; to cont atk N in zone at 051200. 31st Inf enroute to assy areas vic DS 1593, DS 2873 and DS 3977; elms 32d Inf closed assy area vic DS 1944 AM 4 Apr.

III ROK Corps: 3d ROK Regt (-) enroute assy area vic DS 3896; elms remained psns vic DT 4102-DT 4203 dur 3 Apr awaiting relief by 22d ROK Regt. 18th ROK Regt established psns gen vic DT 3400-DT 4001 PM 3 Apr against no reptd en resistance. 22d ROK Regt adj psns to DT 4102-DT 4605 by 042200 w/o oppn. 23d ROK Regt advd N to psns vic DT 4306-DT 5208; friendly ptrld reptd en minefield vic DT 5504 PM 3 Apr. Intel source reptd est 3,000 en vic DT 4306.

I ROK Corps: 1st Regt CAP ROK Div atkd N to line DT 5212-DT 5316 on 3 Apr against lite resistance; contact with en lost by 032200. 26th and 29th ROK Regts ptrlds fr prev psns dur period w/o reptd contact. 1st Cav ROK Regt contd tng vic Chuminjin (DS 8594).

B. AIR:

Dur the 24 hr pd endg 042400 I: UN acft under FEAF control flew 897 sorties incg 173 trans, 47 ftr control, 1 flare drop, 47 recon, 629 combat of which 103 by USMC, 24 by RAAF, 23 by SAAF and 5 by ROK AF. Of 67 close spt sorties, 36 in I Corps, 21 in IX Corps, 6 in X Corps, and 4 in III Corps sectors. 456 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 185 areas incg Suncheon, Kangso, Hanpo-ri and Sariwon. 61 counter air sorties flown: 46 flew CAP, 4 flew escort. 11 scrambled, intcpd friendly acft. 1 scrambled, neg contact. 24 light bms atkd tgts at YD 4337, YD 5093, YD 4852 and YD 3151. 9 night intruder acft atkd tgts in 18 areas incg Chorwon and Pyonggang.

FEAF BOMCOM flew 12 eff night missions: 19th BG: 1 acft, MPQ-2 control, bbd Pyongyang, unk results. 7 acft bbd Pyongyang sup cen, explosions and fires obsrd. 307th BG: 2 acft, MPQ-2 control, bbd trp conc at CT 5254. CT 5325, CT 5427, CT 8222, CT 7119, CT 7722, CT 8703, with unobsrd results. 2 acft MPQ-2 control, bbd trp conc at CT 8717, CT 3516, CT 3315, fires and explosions obsrd.

FEAF 315th AD 173 sorties airlifted 1,826 psgrs, 168 evacs and 393.5 tons of freight.

FEAF BOMCOM scheduled to fly all night missions. See opns planned for 5 Apr 51.

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HEAD claims any losses for pd: Pers 429, MIG-15 acft 1 and 2, vehs 85 and 55, RR cars 15 and 81, sup carts 40 and 11, any ooc bldgs 460 and 328, sup dumps 9 and 2, ammo dumps 1 and 1, gun psns 6 and 3, POL dumps 6, RR bridge 1, pack animals 62, sup stacks 12 and 7, pillbox 1, RR tunnel 1 dam, tk 1, bunker 2 dam, trns 2 dam. Opns planned for 6 Apr 51: B 29s: 80 combat ready (CR), 25 to be employed (THE). 98th BG: 7 acft atk sup cen at Kunu-ri YD 4898, 7 acft atk sup cen at Anju YD 2988, 7 acft atk sup cen at Sinanju YD 2586, 4 acft conduct night mission under con of gr radar MPQ-2. Light bmrns: 43 CR, 36 THE. Ftras: 274 CR, 273 THE, Transports: 119 CR, 104 THE.

C. Navy: Korea East Coast:

Air: TF 77 planes from Boxer did not fly until noon 4 Apr due weather, in afternoon flew 32 sorties, including close support 14 sorties US IX Corps and 2 sorties US X Corps sectors, and remaining 16 sorties via Yanggu, Iwon, and Sinpo. Planes destroyed 1 MG, 1 truck; atkd 4 trp concentrations, inflicting 5 observed casualties; damaged 1 truck.

Surfaces: Lind and Hoquiam 3/4 Apr patrolled northward to Lat 41-50 N, bombarded Chauronjang bridges and roads, sighted no junks; on 4 Apr O'Brien and Massey conducted same patrol with no en craft sighted.

At Songjin 3/4 Apr St Paul in heavy fog placed interdiction fire on a hwy and RR jct, a bridge and a hwy jct.

Patrolling southward from Songjin 3/4 Apr, Massey and Thompson repta no junk traffic; delivered interdiction fire on rail and road jcts near Chaho.

At Monsan 3/4 Apr Zellars and Forrest Royal continued interdiction fire on road and rail jcts; also fired on trucks which night heckler planes repta, and fired on trps, dispersing them; on 4-5 Apr same ships continued unobserved interdiction fire on transportation arteries in morning haze; later, using helicopter spot Alacrity and Zellars obtained 2 hits on RR bridge, several hits on 1 hwy bridge, and 10 hits on another hwy bridge which made it impassable; during night continued to fire on roads where planes repta en vehs moving, and fired on and extinguished lights on Kalma Gak. No en sm craft acty repta by patrolling ships. Minesweepers hampered by reduced visibility.

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Near bomblines, Hank 3-4 Apr had no fire missions, investigated 14 junks filled with unarmed refugees and turned them South; also no fire missions 4-5 Apr requested by shore fire control party, but forced 4 junks and armed boat from northern course to beach. Forrest Royal relieving Hank.

Mines: 1 floating horned mine sighted 041100 I 40-20 N, 140-02 E, and another 041730 I 36-40 N, 143-52 E.

Korea West Coast:

Air: Bataan planes 4 Apr flew 53 sorties, including 16 sorties in close support I US Corps and remaining 37 sorties via Onjongni, Chinnampo, Pyongyang, Sariwon, Sinmak, Kaesong, and Haeju. Planes destroyed 46 bldgs and 1 truck, atkd trps, inflicting 31 casualties; damaged 1 airfld, 3 gun posits, 1 half-track, 14 boats, 1 MG, 1 RR track, 2 trucks. 1 plane lost to flak; pilot rescued but died.

Surface: On 3 and 4 Apr, Cockade, Bataan (DD), Black Swan with ROK Navy craft patrolled coast and Inchon approaches, investigated 2 fishing vessels. Tutira with ROK YMS minesweeping. Bataan (DD) being relieved by Concord and Evertsen.

Mines: None reported.

Formosa Strait: Thomason relieving Bole on Patrol; no unusual sightings rptd. La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings rptd.

D. No report.

E. Weathers:

Summary for pd 041800 I to 051800 I: Korea, scd clds during evening bcng clear over all Korea during night and early morn. Increasing cloudiness during morn of 5 Apr to ovest high clds S of 38 deg N. Brkn to ovest low clds along W Coast S of Pyongyang. Increasing high and mid clds indicated during afternoon. Haze restricted vis to 3-5 mi over low terrain areas of Korea. Min temp in battle area on morn of 5 Apr was near 35 deg; max temp during afternoon reached 59 deg.

Fest for pd 051800 I to 061800 I: Korea, low ceilings, multilayer increasing during night of 5th and morn of 6th. Intermittent rain throughout the 6th. Vis generally 6 mi lowering to less than 1 mi in rain. Min temp in battle area on morn of 6 Apr near 40 deg; max temp near 50 deg.

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A. Grd opns past 24 hrs:

1. Pnts contact: CT 3009, CT 3108, CT 3509, CT 4010-CT 4709, CT 3710, CT 3810, CT 4810-CT 5408, CT 5110, CT 5607, CT 5710, CT 5809, CT 6107, CT 6405-CT 6707, CT 7304, CT 7800, CT 7904, CT 9105, CT 9305, CT 9600, CT 9700-CT 9802, DS 0199, DT 0300, DS 1597, DS 2197, DS 2297, DS 2396, DT 3002, DT 4002, DT 5115, DT 5813 & fol in rear areas: DS 7655, DS 7764, DS 8052, DS 9755, ER 1792, ER 2468.

2. En ob changes:

Fol are CCF-NKA loc changes for pd endg 051700:

CCF Units	Location	NKA Units	Location
76th Div	CT 4923	1st Div	DT 1313
77th Div	CT 4025	6th Div	DT 3237
115th Div	DT 0617	7th Div	DT 3330
117th Div	CT 7919	12th Div	DT 3622
118th Div	CT 7626	15th Div	DT 2213
119th Div	CT 5525	4th Div	BT 7587
120th Div	CT 6622		

3. USA: See Sit in Brief.

4. ROKA: See Sit in Brief.

5. Rear areas:

(A) En: Dur nite 4-5 Apr air sighted total 1,621 en vehs of which 302 mvg S, 186 mvg N, 125 mvg E & 508 direction undet; Sightings gen scattered however 296 obsvd between Hamhung-Wonsan, 251 mvg S. Air obsvd on 4 Apr: Unreptd nbr RR cars vic YD 5072; all RR brgs fr Wonsan to Chorwon under repair; undet nbr en entrenched vic BT 7515; est en co in open vic CT 2923; 10 cam vehs & arty pans CT 4414-CT 6346; large nbr cam supplies vic CT 5340-CT 6026 & CT 6532; est 2 en cos mvg S vic CT 8323; many new trenches and bunkers gen vic CT 7817; cam supplies vic DT 5448. Dur 4 Apr air atkd: 20-car tn vic XE 3830; 3 large guns vic YD 1302; unreptd nbr vehs vic YD 1513, CU 6004, BT 6346, BT 9445, CT 1668, CT 2928, CT 4057; est 500 en vic YD 2300 resulting est 300 en cas; cone tks, arty & vehs vic YD 2453; supplies & trks vic DT 4742, YD 3832; POL dumps vic

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BU 5905, BT 6343, BT 9275, BT 9445, CT 4057; 5 tks & 6 trks vic BT 6848 resulting destruction 4 tks & 6 trks; cam supplies vic BT 7346, BT 7515, BT 7620; & 3 vehs vic BT 9445; undet nbr en vic CT 1028; road blk vic CT 1237.

(B) Friendly: Friendly ptrl engd est 80 en vic DS 7655 at 030055. 8th ROK Regt ptrl engd est 50 en vic DS 7764 at 031200. 30th ROK Regt ptrls reptd pursuing 2 en gps of undet str vic DS 8052 & DS 9755 at 032200. Elms 17th ROK Regt engd est 100 en vic ER 1792 at 041615 resulting est 15 en cas. Est reinfd en co engd by elms 7th Sec Bn vic ER 2468 at 031800 resulting 14 en cas.

B. Air opns past 24 hrs (see Sit in Brief).

C. Naval opns past 24 hrs-See Sit In Brief.

D. En capabilities: No change in listing.

Discussions:

(1) See TT 4528.

(2) See TT 4528.

(3) See TT 4528.

(4) See TT 4471.

(5) The logistic problems: Combined CCF & NK Armies:

Volume of en trans mvmt S continues hvy despite constant UN air interdiction. Such acty is clear indication en determined to provide adequate logistic base for major opn soon to be undertaken, whether a sustained defense, passage, to offensive, or each in turn. Study of tfo pattern shows focal point of vehicular mvmt S is still Chorwon-Kumhwa-Hwachon triangle, where large reserve formations incl elms of 3 and poss 4 CCF Armies are believed concentrated. Defensive and offensive potential of this strong reserve noted in prev INTSUMS, also en's apparent reluctance due primarily to deficiencies in logistic support, to use these forces. Added significance given this en resupply effort Army Eight estimates that en has now accumulated sufficient supplies in fwd areas to support offensive or major defensive effort.

Though persistent en effort to accumulate adequate supplies in fwd areas may have been partially successful, this, perhaps in a measure, enables him to support strong defense at any loc he chooses N of 38th Par, but it is still doubtful that his stockpiles are

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are sufficient to support a major offensive beyond initial stages.

- (6) See TT 4549.
- (7) See TT 4436.
- (8) See TT 4518.

E. No rept.

F. Fol is Wkly Ops Plan 8-14 Apr.

Part 1: Lflts for en trps. For front line trps: Safe conduct pass, good trmt of PWS, UN materiel superiority, method of surr, nostalgia and hardships of families, Sino American friendship (for CCF trps). For rear area trps: Nostalgia and hardships of families, UN materiel superiority, unfulfilled Communist promises of materiel support, useless sacrifice of life, UN plans for relief and re-habilitation in Korea, Sino American friendship (for CCF trps).

Part 2: Korean radio bdsts. Continuing themes: Story of Communist Satellites, Kim Il Sung responsible for Korean tragedy, participation of ROK and other non American UN Forces, Communist subordination of patriotism to Communism, reign of terror in China. Along with stress on Communist responsibility for failure of cease fire negotiations and continuance of war, constantly refer to comm responsibility for starting and prolonging war by Chinese intervention when peace nearly achieved. Themes used as single sentences or paragraphs in commentaries or news stories on other subjs. Reptd Communist forced evac of Korean civs in vic 38th Par. Contrast with UN assistance to NK civs wanting to escape Communist tyranny at Hungnam, program for care of refugees in UN territory, and steady mvmt of Korean refugees S since 1945. Play up recent State Dept release on failure Communist Land reform in NK. Example of Communist in action. Promises betrayed by actions. Cont hvy play food theme, various aspects, emphasizing CCF procurement in Korea. Concentrate on 2 approaches: Divisive propaganda, stressing CCF drain on meager Korean food supply, and action prop, urging NKs do all poss to avoid supplying food to CCF, and discrediting Communist food receipts. Pick up Kim Il Sung's call to NK farmers (bdest by rad Peking 3 Apr) to produce more

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food "to strengthen support of front", and cast doubt on whether food collected by NK Communist Regime reaches NK Soldiers.

G. No rept.

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FEC-3

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No rept.

END FEC-3

FEC 4

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Fol info from Eighth Army Sitrap Nbr 715 as of 050800 1 Apr 51:
Ident and ob: Two CCF PW deserters capt'd vic CT 3503 on 3 Apr by US 27th RCT Ident Arty Regt, 76th Div, 26th CCF Army. One CCF PW capt'd vic CT 3810 on 4 Apr by US 27th RCT Ident 262d Regt, 88th (76th) Div, 26th CCF Army. Two CCF PWs capt'd vic CT 3810 by US 27th RCT on 4 Apr ident 262d Regt, 76th Div, 26th CCF Army. On the basis of these and prev PWs repts regarding 262d Regt, 88th Div of the 30th CCF Army, it is now accepted that the 88th CCF Div has been deactivated and the 3 regts integrated into the 26th CCF Army. The 262d and the 263d Regts were consolidated as the 262d Regt and integrated as the 3d Regt of 76th Div, 26th CCF Army and 264th Regt was integrated as the 3d Regt of 77th Div, 26th CCF Army. Three CCF PWs capt'd vic CT 4509 on 4 Apr by US 35th RCT ident 356th Regt, 119th Div, 40th CCF Army. One CCF PW capt'd vic CT 5506 on 4 Apr by US 5th RCT ident the 355th Regt, 119th Div, 40th Army.
(END FEC 4)

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Ref DA-1 (UB) DA TT 4563

Source is confidential informant believed to be Chinese National presently in Manchurian Area. Info in turn passed to US thru 2 cutouts. Believe evaluation C-6 would be more appropriate than C-4.

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REUR Note 1 DA TT 4569

To psywar from G-2 psywar FBC:

Noted: Assistance greatly appreciated.

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REUR DA Note 2 TT 4569

Recheck of all avail info on tank losses from 25 June to approx 1 Nov 50 shows that our study on subj in Dis 2987, 13 Nov essentially correct. This study stated that between 650 and 800 tanks were destroyed by UN Forces or abandoned, due operational losses for that pd. Eighth Army Armored Officer this date stated belief not less than 650 tanks were destroyed, and he had personally inspected more than 300 of these. ORO said 7 tank teams had inspected Taegu-Seoul-Fyongyang, Taegu-Pohong-dong, and Taegu-Andong-Tanyang hws and observed and inspected 239 T-34 Tanks and 79 SU-76 SP guns destroyed up to 21 Oct. No other roads inspected and ORO said main hws were never deviated from by more than couple miles. Foll roads, which ORO stated were used by tanks were not inspected: Chindong-ni-Chinju-Namwon-Chonju, road net NW of Chonju, Sangju-Foun-Chochiwon, Yechon-Mungyong-Wonju-Chunchon, Tanyang-Yongwol, Pyongchang-Kangnung, Yangdok-Kangnung, Chongju-Chungju, Chungju-Ichon-Seoul. This ORO report which did not have as its primary objective compilation of total NK tank losses will be published 15 May and at least inferentially bears out basic study. Tech Intell says 1 member of section present in Korea from 7 Jul to 10 Nov estimates minimum destruction at least 500 tanks. New study of tank and SP destruction initiated by this hq for pd 1 Nov 50 to 1 Apr 51 and will be submitted to DA on completion.

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REF DA NOTE 3.

More recent data on cumulative en tank and SP gun losses not yet avail. Will fwd up-to date figures soonest.
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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF. CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, PMAF, COMNAF

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5 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC

NR : DA TT 4569 FOR 051200 Z

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION



DA-4
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Wind No 218
Negative
(END DA-4)
DA Note 1

Secret (Attn Psywar G-2.)

Ref Gen Willoughby's ltr to Gen McClure 24 Mar 51.

Estimate 1st RB & L Gp, RA unit now at Riley avail for shipment FECOMD 1 Jul 51. Readiness date this unit earlier than that of 301st. 1st RB & L Gp contains skilled propoganda, radio broadcasting, monitoring, and printing specialists. Troop ceiling will be increased to accommodate.

(END DA Note 1)

DA Note 2

Secret From DA G-2 to FEC G-2.

Urgent highlevel requirement current estimate of en tank and SP cumulative losses in max detail avail. Reply requested at start of TELECON; with additional info mentioned DA TT 4509 FEC 8 if now avail.

(END DA Note 2)

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, JSPOG, DIPLOMATIC, FEAF, COMNAVPE

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4 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC
NR : DA TT 4565
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Present Washingtons
Col J K Baker G-2
Col H O Patteson JCS
Mr J C Erskine CIA
Mr R H Ingersoll State
Lt Col C A Curtis JIG
Cdr S C Loomis ONI
Lt Col H M Hutton G-3
Maj D L Evans AFOIN
Capt H E Hooks G-2
Lt D E Bolte G-2

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION
CLASSIFICATION : SECRET

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PARTICIPATING HQS: WASH AND CINCPAC

NR : DA TT 4565

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Tokyo:

Col T R Malone Jr

G-2

Lt Col M L Green

G-3

Lt Col B V York

G-2

LCDR H R Fleck

AFIO COMNAVRE

Capt M F George

D/I FEAF

Subject: Far East Situation

Classifications: Secret

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REF DA-1

A. Army

I Corps diversionary atk across Imjin R results hv en cas as other I Corps units score lmt'd gains against minor oppn; IX Corps units continue lmt'd obj advances; elsewhere across front ptrls probe en pns as friendly units adj and strengthen lines. Air sightings en vehs drop to 80% dur night 3-4 Apr due to wea.

I Corps: Elms 11th ROK Regt, conducting diversionary atk N side Imjin R dur 2 Apr, eng'd est 1,000 en vic BS 9995, CS 0095 and CS 0096 and with air/ arty spt inflicted est 800 en KIA and 3 PWs; friendly elms broke contact and w/d S of river at 031620. 12th ROK Regt ptrld fr prev pns w/o repta contact on 3 Apr while 15th ROK Regt remained res vic CS 1680. Div repta 4 en eos vic BS 9996-CS 0098 and air repta numerous smaller en pns N of Imjin R. 29th Br Com Brig ptrld fr prev pns w/o contact. 65th Inf and

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Belgian Bn remained assy areas. 7th Inf advd unoppd to psns vic CT 2605-CT 2906 and CT 3406 by 031300. 3d Div ptrls reptd sev contacts with en plat to Co-size gps dur pd. 27th Inf 25th US Div overcame lt resist fr undet nbr en vic CT 3606 and CT 3707 advg to gen line vic CT 3606-CT 3908 on 3 Apr. 35th Inf atkd to gen line CT 4007-CT 4707 by 031400 against lt en SA fire fr vic CT 4205. 27th and 35th Regts resumed atk AM 4 Apr against lt to mod resist. Turk Brig remained assy area vic CS 3991. Air obsvd undet nbr en dug-in vic CT4109 AM 3 Apr. 5th Inf 24th US Div advd unoppd to psns vic CT 4907-CT 5206 and CT 5405; however, ptrl recvd SA and arty fire fr vic CT 5308-CT 5408 dur AM. Elms 21st Inf atkd to psns CT 5605-CT 6005; engd undet nbr en vic Hill 1010 (CT 6005) dur 3 Apr. 19th Inf in res vic CS 5585. 64th Tk Bn TF advd to CT 5711 dur AM encountering SA fire fr est en co vic CT 5707 and en SA and Arty fire vic CT 5711. 5th and 21st Regts resumed atk AM 4 Apr; elms reptd encountering mod en oppn.

IX Corps: 27th Br Com Brig atkd N in Zone on 3 Apr to psns vic CT 6203-CT 6564 and CT 6702-CT 6804; elms drove est en co fr psns vic CT 6204 PM 3 Apr. 2d Regt 6th ROK Div atkd 3 Apr to psns vic CT 6802-CT 7106; elms forced sm en gp w/d fr psns vic CT 7301 dur AM. 7th ROK Regt atkd to gen line CT 7401-CT 7801; elms with air/arty spt dispersed est en co vic CT 7701 PM 3 Apr. 19th ROK Regt closed assy area vic CS 7395 at 031700. 7th Mar Regt, atchd 1st Cav Div, advd unoppd to vic CT 8203 by 031700. 8th Cav Regt and Thai Bn advd to gen line CT 8304-CT 8903 w/o contact. 7th Cav Regt and Greek Bn atck to gen line vic CT 9103-CT 9503 against resist by est en co vic CT 9404 and smaller gp vic CT 9104; at 040100, elms repulsed counteratk by est en co vic CS 9699. Elms 7th Cav Regt encountered 5 en mine flds dur 3 Apr and air obsvd tk traps to div front and 200 occ en entrenchments vic CT 8612. 5th Mar Regt ptrld fr prev psns vic CS 9798-DS 0099-DS 0298 on 3 Apr w/o contact; elms mvd to assy area vic CS 9599. 1st ROK Mar atkd N in zone to gen line DT 0500-DS 1297 against mod SA fire PM 3 Apr. 1st US Mar Regt contd prev psns; at 040337 u/i acft dropped unreptd nbr bbs on friendly psns vic DT 1500. Dur 3 Apr air obsvd 2 en cos entrenched vic CT 9802 and DT 0203 and

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atkd est 3,000 en vic DT 0002. IX Corps units resumed atk AM 4 Apr against gen lt scattered resist.

X Corps: 9th and 38th US Regts ptrld fr prev psns dur 3 Apr; combat ptrl fr 38th Inf made strong contact with est en co vic DS 2197 dur AM. 23d Inf (-) closed vic CS 9198, to relv 5th Mar Regt. French Bn remained vic DS 1984. 2d US Div Arty engd am en gps dur 3 Apr and civ reptd est 2 en bns vic DT 2502; otherwise no significant en acty reptd dur pd. 5th ROK Div maintd prev psns w/o reptd contact; elms obsvd est en co ciggig-in vic DT 3201 at 021200. No en contact reptd in 7th Div Zone dur pd; elms 31st Inf reld by elms III ROK Corps AM 3 Apr mvd to assy areas vic DS 2775, DS 3686 and DS 3978.

III ROK Corps: 3d ROK Regt atkd W fr Hyon (DT 4000) engd undet nbr en vic DT 3902 at 030955; regt reptd est 2 en bns vic DT 4002 and DT 4103 PM 2 Apr. 18th ROK Regt atkg in coord with 3d ROK Regt crossed Naerin R and advd w/o contact to DT 3900 AM 3 Apr. 22d ROK Regt adj psns to DT 4301-DT 4600 on 2 Apr. Elms 23d ROK Regt estab psns vic DT 5304-DT 5404 on 2 Apr while other elms in assy areas vic DS 5286 and DS 5902.

I ROK Corps: Elms 1st ROK Regt drove est en co W from Vic DT 5614 PM 2 Apr and advd to DT 5514 by 030530 while other elms estab psns vic DT 5605-DT 5707. 26th ROK Regt reld in former psns by 29th ROK Regt mvd W and advd unoppd to line DT 5815-DT 6115 PM 2 Apr. 29th ROK Regt estab psns vic CT 6513-DT 6917; elms advd to psns DT 6218-DT 6621 PM 2 Apr w/o contact.

B. Air:

Dur 24 hr pd endg 032400 I: UN acft FEAF control flew 888 sorties incg 155 trans, 41 ftr control, 4 flare drop, 45 recon 643 combat of which 153 by USMC, 23 RAAF, 31 SAAF and 8 ROKAF. Of 66 close spt sorties, 17 in I Corps, 39 IX Corps, 10 X Corps. 356 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 160 areas incg Hwachon, Pyonggang, Sariwon and Chorwon. 115 counter air sorties flown: 37 on CAP; 74 escort; 4 scrambled, intercepted friendly acft. 19 lt bms atkd tgts at YD 3339, YD 2369, YD 5163 and BS 8793. 50 night intruder acft atkd tgts in 78 areas incg Wonsan, Pyongyang, Kumhwa, Chongju and Sohung.

FEAF BOMCOM flew 31 eff sorties: 19th BG: 1 acft vis bbd

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Pyongyang sup cen; bbs fell SW of town. 6 acft radar bbd Pyong-
yang; unobsrd results. 1 acft vis bbd CP's at CT 0818 and BT 8705;
exc results. 98th BG: 15 acft radar bbd Hamhung sup cen; good
results. 1 of above acft also radar bbd RR brg DA 4422; no dam.
1 acft vis bbd Yonghung; bbs fell into SE corner of city. 2 acft
vis bbd Changjon; prob dam to brg. 1 of above acft also bbd DT
2873; poor results. 1 acft radar bbd Sangnyong; unobsrd results.
1 acft landed at Komaki; results unk. 307th BG: 3 acft radar bbd
Pyongyang; unobsrd results.

FEAF 315th ADivs 115 sorties airlifted 1,589 pass, 315 evacs
and 36.4 tons frt incg 38 tons mil sup dropped at DS 4790; 413 tons
mil sup dropped at DS 6496; 22 tons mil sup dropped at DT 5903;
21 tons mil sup dropped at DS 5696; 13.5 tons rats dropped at DS
5286; good to exc results all drops.

Between 031025 I and 031100 I, aprox 22 F-86 and 16 F-80s
encountered aprx 50 MIG-15s in Sinuiju Area. 3 MIGs dest, 3 dam,
2 poss dam. 1 F-80 dam.

Between 040315 I and 040335 I, u/1 acft circled elms 1st
Mar Div and dropped unk nbr bbs vic DT 1500. No dam repts.

At aprx 040815 I, 12 F-86s encountered aprx 24 MIG-15s in
the Sinuiju Area. 1 MIG-15 dest, 2 dam.

FEAF claims en losses for pd: Pers 217, MIG-15s 3 and 3
and 2 poss dam, tks 1 dam, vehs 124 and 131, locos 1 dam, RR cars
21 dam, sup carts 3 and 7, en occ bldgs 369 and 164, sup dumps
1 and 1, ammo dumps 1, POL dumps 4, whses 10 and 1, brds 1 and 4,
pack animals 17, gun psns 7 and 2, tunnels 3 dam, sup stacks 15,
arty pieces 2 and 3, OP 3, sup boxes 100.

FEAF BOMCOM today will dispatch all night acft. Opns planned
for 5 Apr 51: B-29s: 65 combat ready (CR), 23 to be employed (TBE).
19th BG: 4 acft atk sup cen Pyongyang YD 3722; 4 acft atk sup cen
Sariwon YC 4065; 3 acft conduct close sup in battle area under
control ground radar. All atks will be individual night. 307th BG
4 acft atk sup center Sinanju YD 2486; 4 acft atk sup cen Anju YD

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2888; 4 acft atk sup cen Chongju XD 8995. All atks will be individual night. Lt bmrs: 39 CR 39 TBE. Ftrs: 325 CR and 294 TBE. Transports: 112 CR, 71 TBE.

C. Navy

Korea E Coast.

Air: TF 77 acft flew 2 night heckler sorties 3 Apr; replenished in afternoon. Acft bbd lights in village near Yonghung, results unobsrd.

Surface: On ptrl to 41-50 N nite 2 Apr St Paul with Thompson fired on fol tgts Kyoji Wan results unobsrd; road jct EA 550756, EB 6131, EB 603201; RR EA 547889 to 550882, EB 553128 and EB 518098; brgs EB 5918 area; radar contacts believed to be sm fishing craft 41-43 N 130-10 E; also fired on Churonjang; 3 Apr with hlcptr spot St Paul placed many hits in whses EB 543129, 2 hits among trps at gun empl EB 574102, and started fires around bldgs and en mov at EB 565171.

At Songjin 3 Apr O'Brien obtained many hits on boxcars EV 154973 where considerable unloading acty obsrd before firing; in afternoon St Paul, using hlcptr, obtained 5 hits in RR cars and add hits in tracks EV 151955; 2 hits among pers manning gun psn EA 167000.

At Wonsan, nite 2 Apr, Forrest Royal and Alacrity fired on 10-15 trk convoy mov S; acft reptd rd clear after firing; ships maintained shelling road at 4 locs, results unk.

At Wonsan afternoon 3 Apr Forrest Royal and Zellars gunfire dispersed trps CU 695355 and at tunnel entr CU 686377; dam Sampan CU 807357, occupants considered cas.

Near Kansong 2 Apr Hank cont bombardment bldgs in sup areas; airspot reptg aprox 100% coverage, with 4 bldgs believed to contain trps and sup dest, and with many explosions fr fires obsrd, green smoke fr 1; Brisk fires left burning poss sup dumps. On 3 Apr Hank had no fire missions.

Mines: Mine sighted 021625 I 34-57 N, 129-05 E; floating mine sighted 021530 I 35-51 N 134-17 E, towed into Maizuru Bay; 3 Apr 1 floating mine sunk 41-33.7 N 129-49.9 E; 11 new mines swept Songjin area 40-40 N 129-18.4 E to 40-27 N 129-03.4 E.

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Korea W Coast:

Air: Bataan acft 3 Apr flew 52 sorties, incl 20 in close spt US I Corps; remaining 32 sorties vic Onjongni, Chinnampo, Sariwon, Hungsu-ri, Nuchon-ni, Sibyon-ni and Kaesong. Acft dest 38 bldgs, 2 RR cars, 1 sup dump; inflicting 135 en cas; dam 2 aflds, 1 RR brg, 1 bldg, 2 gun psns, 1 section RR track, 3 vehs.

Surface: Nite 2 Apr Black Swan and Cockage ptrld coast, Bataan (DD) Inchon approaches; 3 Apr Cockade on bird dog duty Yalu Gulf; Tutira minesweeping with ROK YMS negative.

Mines: None reptd.

Pormosa Strait: Bole ptrlg; no unusual sightings reptd.

La Percuse Strait: No unusual sighting reptd.

D. Negative.

A. Wea:

Summ pd 031800 I - 041800 I: Brkn mid and hight clds over NK clrg dur afternoon. Ovcst mid and high clds in cen and NK beng brkn in late AM and setd dur afternoon. Ovcst low clds in S Korea beng brkn dur AM and setd in afternoon. Lite intmt rain dur nite and early AM in cen and S Korea. Vis reduced to 3-5 mi in haze and in rain areas. Min temp near 40, max temp aprx 58 deg F.

Rest for pd 041800 I - 051800 I: Setd high clds throughout Korea brkn low clds along W Coast. Vis unrest xcpt dur early AM 3-5 mi in haze. Min temp 35, max temp 56 deg F.
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A. Grnd Opns Past 24 hours:

1. Pts of Contact: BS 9995, CS 0197, CT 1504, CT 3507,
CT 3706, CT 3807, CT 4206, CT 4408-CT 4608, CT 5308, CT 5408, CT 5707,
CT 5711, CT 6005, CT 6106, CT 6204, CT 7302, CT 7303, CT 7801,
CT 9104, CT 9404, CS 9699, DT 0500, DS 2197, DS 2297, DT 2602, DT 3902,
DT 5614 and fol in rear areas: CR 9961, DR 0466.

2. Chgs CCF-NKA units as of 041700 1 Apr:

CCF UNIT	LOC
76th Div	CT 5920
77th Div	CT 4624
114th Div	CT 5730
115th Div	DT 0617
116th Div	CT 9019
117th Div	CT 7518
118th Div	CT 7122
119th Div	CT 9026



3. USA: See sit in brief.

4. ROKA: See sit in brief.

5. Rear Areas:

A. En: Air sighted total 804 en vehs dur night 3-4
Apr, 699 mvg S. Air obsvd new air strip and revetment const vic
CT 8352 at 031030 and obsvd many en trps vic Sariwon (YC 4065) at
031205.

B. Frnd: Elms 9th Security Bn 11th ROK Div engd est
60 en vic CR 9961 and undet nbr en vic DR 0466 PM 2 Apr. ROK Police
in 2d ROK Div Sector, SE Korea, engd total 107 en dur pd 29 Mar -
1 Apr resulting 42 en KIA, 7 PWS.

B. Air: See sit in brief.

C. Navy: See sit in brief.

D. En Capabilities: No change.

E. Negative.

F. Completed iflt air drop 3 Apr Chinese surr instr 240,000
Serial 7033 and nostalgia iflts 210,000 Ser 7034 also Korean surr

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instr 140,000 Ser 1049 and nostalgia 1flts 130,000 Ser 1048.

G. Negative.

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Nothing to rept.

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Info fr Eighth A SITREP 713 as of 040800 I Apr:

IDOB: 3 NK PWs capt'd vic CS 0197 by ROK 1st Div 3 Apr ident 6th Co, 2d Bn, 81st Regt, 8th Div, I NK Corps. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CS 3383 3 Apr by US 7th RCT ident Arty Regt, 78th Div, 26th CCF A. PW stated Arty Regt had recently been ordered withdraw northward to regroup then counter atk at unk date. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CT 6005 3 Apr by US 5th RCT ident 360th Regt, 120th Div, 40th CCF A. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CS 7097 31 Mar by ROK 6th Div ident 5th Co, 2d Bn, 350th Regt, 17th Div, 39th CCF A. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CS 7496 by ROK 6th Div 31 Mar ident 4th Co, 2d Bn, 350th Regt, 117th Div, 39th CCF A. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CS 8395 by ROK 6th Div, 2 Apr ident 1st Bn, 374th Regt, 116th Div, 39th CCF A. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CS 7697 31 Mar by ROK 6th Div ident 5th Co, 2d Bn, 353d Regt, 118th Div, 40th CCF A. PW stated only 2d Bn, remained in def pens vic CT 7600 to cover withdrawal remaining elms 353d Regt. 1 NK PW capt'd vic DT 0500 by KMC 3 Apr ident 2d Bn, 3d Regt, 1st Div, III NK Corps. PW stated 3d Regt was loc vic DT 0300 with mission to def.

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Fol extract fr INTSUM 3129, OB Sec: 18th CCF A Gp: Repts of presence in Korea of 18th CCF A Gp have been recd in steadily increasing instances for past several mos. These repts come from outside sources, KOL, & FRU/FEC's & also have been suptd by numerous repts from PWs taken fr 38th, 40th, 42d & 50th CCF Armies (Corps).

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Listed below are extracts of 14 repts indicating presence this CCF A Gp in Korea:

- 1) 10,000 trps of 18th CCF A Gp crossed Tumen R in Korea on 20 Oct. (INTSUM 2993).
- 2) 545th Det: The 545th Regt (eval as the 182d Div, 61st CCF A (Corps) (?) mentioned on a sign in Hoeki-dong in Jan 51.
- 3) 60th, 61st, 62d, 69th, & 70th CCF Armies (Corps) & 3 u/1 armies totaling 20,000, were in Sariwon (YC 3965) - Sinchon (YC 1747) area on 14 Feb. (INTSUM 3108).
- 4) 548th, 549th & 550th Units: (Eval as 183d & 184th Div, 61st & 62d CCF Armies (Corps) reprd to have retreated on 18 Feb from Kangwondo to Sariwon & Madong (YC 5060). (INTSUM 3108).
- 5) 40th & 56th Contingents: (Eval as 540th & 556th Regts (?)) mentioned dur pd 19-26 Feb. Mentioned on a sign with arrow pointing N. (INTSUM 3104).
- 6) Unconfirmed reprd have been recd naming elms 41st, 51st, 55th, 58th, 60th, 61st, 62d, 67th, 68th, 69th, & 70th CCF Armies (Corps) in Korea (INTSUM 3091).
- 7) 59th Unit: Obsvd 25 Feb in Kowan area. (INTSUM 3107).
- 8) 61st Det: In Chorwon area 27 Feb (INTSUM 3124).
- 9) 531st & 925th Units: (Eval as 531st Regt, 177th Div, 59th CCF A (Corps) (?) & 925th Unit (529th Regt), 177th CCF Div) in Kangso-gun (YD 1314) 1 Mar (INTSUM 3096).
- 10) 60th & 61st CCF Armies (Corps): 60th & 61st CCF Armies (Corps) arr Sino-Korean border area in early Mar, & are planning to move to Korea soon.
- 11) 60th CCF A (Corps): An intel source reprd that on 1 Mar 51, aprx 2 u/1 CCF divs, 60th A (Corps), 18th CCF A Gp, mvd fr Pyongyang area twd Chorwon (CT 4335) through Suan (BT 7186), Singye (BT 8665), & Sibyon-ni (BT 9842). In add, other u/1 units of undet str of 60th CCF A (Corps) moved fr Pyongyang to Yongchon-ni (INTSUM 3113).
- 12) An intel source reprd that on 10 Mar 60th CCF A (Corps) mvd fr vic Pyongyang to Kumchon (BT 8326) & proceeded to prepare arty psns around city. Trps roamed city dur day in gps 7-8 & were alerted after 1900 hours. They all spoke Japanese & claimed to have been

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trnd by "Liberty Union" (Japanese Emancipation League), composed
Japanese deserters to CCF dur World War II (INTSUM 3123).

13) 62d CCF Army (Corps): An intel source reptd that 62d
A (Corps), 18th CCF Fld A, mvd fr Pyongyang to Singye 14 Mar 51
(INTSUM 3120).

14) A CCF PW captd early Feb stated he heard that 62d CCF
A (Corps) was in Korea in Dec 50 (INTSUM 3120). Add 16 CCF PWs from
4 different armies (corps) of 4th Fld A stated they had heard that
all or elms of 18th CCF A Gp were in Korea. Comments While still
too early to accept this CCF A Gp in Korea, there is now suff
accumulated evidence to make prognostication that very probably
this unit will make its debut on front when & if an en counteroff
is undertaken.

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Investigation of CIC source indicates strong probability both
repts derive fr same source.

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CINCUNC concurs stated chgs.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3,
G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, FEAF, COMNAVEF

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4 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC

NR : DA TT 4565 FOR 041200 Z

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

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CHINA ~~(SECRET)~~

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US official, Hong Kong, reports the following views of a former British Charge d'Affaires recently returned from Paipings:

(1) Fear of US intentions was important factor impelling Chinese Communists intervene in Korea, US action in Korea, aid to Viet Nam and Siam and plans for strong Japan have convinced Chinese leaders that they are being encircled, and they believe US military leaders are bent on stifling development of Chinese revolution and preventing China from taking her rightful position of leadership in Asia.

(2) Chinese think that USSR will come to their aid if Chinese territory is attacked.

(3) Chinese will not accept cease-fire in Korea unless their demands are met on questions of Chinese Communist representation in UN and subject of Formosa. Heavy losses may lead to typical Chinese settlement in form of an undeclared cease-fire which would, in effect, restore pre-June 1950 situation.

(4) There was no visible evidence of dissension within Chinese Communist Party (CCP) over Korean war, and there was nothing but "rumor" relative to existence of "Internationalist" and "Nationalist" cliques within party.

(5) Chinese Communists are primarily interested in reconstruction of country, which is likely to take 20 to 30 years, by which time Chinese leaders will have become more Chinese and less Chinese Communist than is case today.

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(6) Since Mao and Chinese came to power with very little Soviet aid, Chinese are unlikely submit to Soviet dictatorship. Although Chinese Communists are Marxist-Leninists, they think of themselves, rather than Kremlin, as leaders of Asia. However, more western pressure is exerted, more Chinese will be forced depend upon USSR and less they will be able to act independently.

Comment:

(1) Similar views have previously been expressed by related sources. Seems highly unlikely, however, that Chinese Communist leaders are so politically naive as to believe sincerely that US has imperialistic designs on China or that our actions, to date, have been anything other than defensive actions motivated by Communist aggression or threat of aggression.

(2) and (3). Are probably true.

(4) Internationalist and Nationalist cliques may, in fact, exist within Central People's Govt (CPG), but party discipline probably sufficiently rigid prevent breach from coming into open and diminishing effectiveness of Party's unity of purpose.

(5) Despite avowed interest in national reconstruction, most of Chinese Communist efforts appear to be directed toward strengthening their over-all military position and purging unreliable elements.

(6) Despite fact that Chinese Communists came to power largely by their own efforts, ideological tie with Kremlin has always been present. They are already largely dependent upon USSR and other members of Soviet Bloc to extent that it is difficult see how increased western pressure could make them more so. There is no evidence to Titoism in CCP now, nor are there any indications that there may be in foreseeable future.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, PEARF, COMNAVFE

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PART 1 INCOMING

3 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC

NR : DA TT 4561

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Washington:	
Col M B DePass	G-2
Col H O Patteson	JCS
Mr H H Heintzelman	CIA
Mr R H Ingersoll	STATE
CDR JR Bromley	ONI
Lt Col H M Hutton	G-3
Lt Col C A Curtis	JIG
Maj J L Sutton	AFOIN
Capt H S Fischgrund	G-2
Capt H E Hooks	G-2

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3 Apr 51

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NR : DA TT 4561
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Tokyo:
Maj Gen C A Willoughby G-2
Col H S Mathewson G-2
Col J A Berry Jr G-3
Lt Col B V York G-2
LCDR T G Curtis AFIO COMNAVSE
Capt W E Cave D/I FEAF

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION
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A. Army:

UN Forces cont lmt'd obj advances on 2 Apr against little oppn. Much en acty obsvd S and E Hwachon Reservoir. Air sightings en vehs remain hvy with total 2092 obsvd dur night 2-3 Apr, 1028 mvg S. Eighth Army to atk from present psns to destroy en forces, material and supplies S of gen line: BS 9585-along Imjir R to CT 240-CT 4012-CT 5711-CT 8109-CT 9115-E along S edge Hwachon Reservoir to DT 2121-DT 3521-DT 5514-DT 7115.

I Corps: 1st ROK Div units ptrld fr prev psns 2 Apr w/o contact; mod en mortar/art'y fire recvd dur day; air reptd all en entrenchments vic CT 1109 occupied as of 020815. At 030700 11th ROK Regt conducted diversionary atk vic CS 0297 and CS 0393; elms

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drove east 2 en cos fr psns vic CS 0197 at 030900. 29th Br Com Brig ptrld w/o oppn 2 Apr fr prev psns S of Imjin River; Brig reptd encountering newly-laid mines on road behind friendly psns vic CT 3001. 65th Inf closed assby areas vic CS 2994 and CT 2804 PM 2 Apr after reld by elms 7th Inf. 7th US Inf advd to psns CT 3105-CT 3304; elms reld elms 65th Inf on line CT 2603-CT 2905; TF Hawkins advd unoppd to CT 3106 recvg en mortar fire fr vic CT 3206 dur PM 2 Apr. Opnl Control 7th RCT passed fr 3d US Div to I Corps eff PM 2 Apr. Belgian Bn mvd to assby area vic CS 3096 PM 2 Apr. 27th Inf 25th US Div atkd against light SA fire 2 Apr to gen line vic CS 3505-CS 3905; u/1 acft dropped 1 bomb vic CT 4101 dur night 2-3 Apr. 35th Inf advd unoppd to vic CS 4104-CS 4803; ptrl dispersed sm en gp vic CT 4608 AM 2 Apr. 24th Inf closed assby area vic CS 3381 and CS 3583 while Turk Brig closed vic CS 3991. 24th US Div passed to opnl control I Corps concurrently with corps bdry change at 022000. 5th Inf contd in prev psns on 2 Apr; ptrl engd by en force undet str vic CT 5508 at 021230. 21st Inf ptrld fr prev psns w/o contact; elms closed assby area vic CS 5696 AM 2 Apr. 19th Inf remained assby area vic CS 5685 and CS 6080. I Corps units resumed off atkg N in zone twd line KANSAS commencing 030800.

IX Corps: 27th Br Com Brig passed fr 24th Div to opnl control IX Corps; elms occupied psns vic CS 6698-CS 6895 while remainder Brig maintd psns and ptrld 2 Apr w/o contact. 19th ROK Regt, 6th ROK Div, atkd to line vic CS 6998-CS 7699 against lite en resist dur AM 2 Apr. 7th ROK Regt advd w/o oppn to line CS 7799-CS 8399; est en co obsvd vic CS 7999 at 021000 but no contact made. Air obsvd est en bn assembling vic CT 7304 at 020730. 2d Bn 7th Mar Regt advd unoppd to CS 8499; 1st and 3d Bns on line CS 8597-CS 8798 as of 021900. 8th Cav Regt atkd to psns vic CS 8899-CS 9199 with lite en contact vic CT 8700 AM 2 Apr. Thai Bn closed assby area vic CS 8997 PM 2 Apr. Greek Bn advd unoppd to psns vic CS 9198-CS 9399 on 2 Apr. 7th Cav Regt advd to vic CS 9397-CS 9697 on 2 Apr w/o contact. Air obsvd est 2 en cos dug-in along ridge vic CT 9402 and atkd est en bn vic CT 9813 dur 2 Apr. 5th Mar Regt advd against lite long-range SA fire fr sm en gp loc N bank Soyang R to line CS 9798-DS 0398 on 2 Apr while 1st ROK Mar Advd unoppd to DS 0697-DS 1396; 1st Mar Regt ptrld fr prev psns w/o contact. Air obsvd est en div vic DT 1221; large nbr en trps vic DT 0506, DT 1537 and within 4 mile radius Yachon (DT 1620); and much acty

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and mvmt in entire area S of Hwachon Reservoir on 2 Apr. IX Corps units contd atk N in zone AM 3 Apr.

X Corps: 2d US, 5th ROK and 7th US Divs ptrld aggressively in zone fr prev psns dur period with no significant en contact repts; arty dispersed sm en gp vic DT 2202 and air repts est 2 en plats mvg S into trenches vic DT 2408 PM 2 Apr.

III ROK Corps: 3d ROK Regt estab line DT 4400-DT 4503 as of 021200; hvly engd with est en bn dug-in vic DT 4202. Elms 3d ROK Regt seized Hyon (DT 4000) at 021800. 22d ROK Regt adj psns w/o oppn on 1 Apr to DT 4400-DT 4801 and DT 5003-DT 5203. 23d ROK Regt reld elms 18th ROK Regt along line DT 5708-DT 6009 1 Apr; elms closed DT 6005. Elms 18th ROK Regt closed assby areas vic DS 4699 and DT 6605; remainder Regt maintd psns vic DT 5605.

I ROK Corps: Elms 1st ROK Regt ptrlg fr prev psns engd est reinfd en co vic DT 5614 and smaller en gp same vic 2 Apr; air repts est 2 en cos vic DT 4417-DT 5514 AM 1 Apr. 26th ROK Regt reld elms 1st ROK Regt along gen line DT 6209-DT 6512; 29th ROK Regt reld 26th ROK Regt in psns DT 6218-DT 6621-DT 6917 AM 2 Apr. 1st Cav ROK Regt contd tng vic Chuminjin (DS 8594). Elms 28th ROK Regt maintd psns along line DS 7480-DS 8588 unoppd; remainder 9th ROK Div Contd prev psns.

E. Air.

Dur 24 hr pd endg 022400 I: UN acft FEAFF control flew 953 sorties incg 156 trans, 44 ftr contrl, 4 flare drop, 59 recon, 690 combat of which 177 by USMC, 20 RAAF, 26 SAAF and 11 ROKAF. Of 75 close spt sorties, 31 in I Corps, 28 IX Corps, 16 X Corps. 475 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 239 areas incg Sibyon-ni, Ichon, Pyonggang, Yanggu and Kumsong. 47 counter air sorties flown: 60 on CAP; 37 escort; 4 scrambled, neg incidents. 23 lite bms atkd tgts at CT 6638, YD 2664 and Anak and Sinmak aflds. 47 nite intruder acft atkd tgts in 88 areas incg Yanggu, Chwon and Chongju.

FEAFF BOMCOM flew 26 eff sorties: 19th BG: 4 acft vis bbd RR brg BV 6848; bb pattern covered brg. 4 acft vis bbd hwy brg BU 6035; poor results. 1 acft nite radar bbd Sariwon; unobsrd results. 2 acft (MPQ-2 radar controlled) nite bbd CT 8604 and CT 8704; grd control repts exc results. 307th BG: 4 acft vis bbd RR brg BA 9419; bb pattern covered brg. 4 acft vis bbd RR brg BV 8792; poss 1 span down. 3 Acft vis bbd RR brg BA 9738; bb pattern covered

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brg. 1 acft landed Itazuke, results unk. 91st Recon Sq: 3 acft accomplished photo coverage NK; est good results.

FEAF 315th ADiv 156 sorties airlifted 1,743 psgrs, 117 evacs and 335.4 tons frt of which 2.5 tons ammo dropped at DT 4400 and 2.3 tons lflts dropped in unreptd area.

FEAF BOMCOM today dispatched 29 acft: 98th BG: 9 acft vis and radar bbd Hamhung; unobsrd to exe results. 9 acft unreptd at this time. 307th BG: 5 acft radar bbd Pyongyang; unobsrd results. 1 acft vis bbd Pyonggang; fair results. 1 acft radar bbd BT 7065; unobsrd results. 1 acft unreptd at this time. 19th BG: 1 acft radar bbd Pyongyang; unobsrd results. 2 acft unreptd at this time.

FEAF Claims en lossed for pd: Pers 343, tks 3 and 4, vehs 193 and 109, locos 3 and 4, RR cars 11 and 78, sup cart 12 and 8, en occ bldgs 759 and 363, sup dumps 7 and 4, ammo dump 1, POL dumps 8, whses 2 and 1, brgs 2 and 7, pack anls 7, guns pens 6 and 5, tunnels 9 dam, sup stacks 9 & 8N rwy 1 dam, bunker, 1, arty pc 1, MG 1, boats 2, fld pcs, 2 dam, AW pcs 3 & 1, half track 1.

Ops planned for 4 Apr 51: B-29s: 83 combat ready (CR), 12 to be employed (TBE). 307th BG: 4 acft on nite missions under control grd radar (MPQ-2). 19th BG: 8 acft atk sup cen at Pyongyang (YD 3722). Lite bmrs: 43 CR, 38 TBE. Ftrs: 291 CR, 286 TBE. Trans: 120 CR, 86 TBE.

C. Navy:

Korea & Coast:

Air: TF 77 acft fr Princeton & Boxer flew 144 sorties 2 Apr, incl close spt sorties, 14 in IX US Corps, 8 in I US Corps, 6 in X US Corps; the other sorties vic Songjin, Tanchon, Hamhung, Wonsan, Kojo, Kangdong, Huichon, Hagaru-Ri. Acft dest 4 bldgs, 6 carts, 1 CP, 1 fuel dump, 1 gun pens, 9 RR cars, 13 vehs, 2 whses; atkd 10 trp cones, inflicting 107 cas; dam 2 RR brgs, 30 sections RR track, 2 tks, 7 vehs, & 1 tunnel.

Surface: On patrol Northward to lat 41-50N on 1-2 Apr, Massey & Thompson fired on trans tgts vic Chonjin, starting small fires at EB 583182; fired on fishing boats, stoping 1 but dam unk at EB 5818, causing others to beach W of Yodo Is. Nite 2 Apr, St Paul &

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Thompson ptrlg northward and bombarding Kyojo Wan.

At Songjin 1-2 Apr, Alacrity, Lind and O'Brien cont interdiction fire on rd and RR jct, brg and veh tfo. Alacrity ptrld S to Wonsan dur nite but reptd no junk tfo. At Songjin 2 Apr, O'Brien St Paul with airspot fired on RR brg at EV 144947, increasing dam done by acft, fired on wrecked repair tn EV 137923, burning fr earlier acft strafing; obsrd 9 hits in cars and tracks; acft bbd and completed destruction. Ships also fired on bypassed RR brg EV 142945, brg approach EA 180053, rd and RR jct EA 190085 with hits, but still passable; fired on 32 box, flat, and tank cars on siding EV 096849; obsrd 4 hits in cars; 1 hit tore crater in center track; 12 hits in nearby bldgs. Hoquiam on FLYCATCHER duty, after Thompson departed on northern ptrl.

At Wonsan 1-2 Apr, Zellars, St Paul fired on rds and RR line, rd jct, tk and trk convoy reptd by acft spot, en pers acty on Kalma Pando; extinguished lites on beach, dispersed en, started explosion and gas fire, extinguished trk lites. At Wonsan 2 Apr Zellars, Alacrity, Forrest, Royal, fire dispersed en trps on Kalma Pando; resumed nite interdiction fire at 1900 I. FLYCATCHERS: Burlington, Gloucester, YMS 518.

North Yangyang 2 Apr Hank with acft spot fired at sup dumps and vehs near Kojin-ni DT 5055; dest 10 bldgs and 6 sup pnts which burned with sm explosions for 2 hrs; at DT 5355 dest 8 bldgs, inflicted pers cas and excited considerable acty. Hank returning to bomblines spt duty; new no-fire line estab for GFS E-W grid line DT 30.

Mines: Floating mine sighted 021520 I 35-51 N, 134-27 E; Paricutin sank mine 021820 I 39-41 N, 129-08 E.

Korea W Coast:

Air: Bataan (CVL 29) acft flew 53 sorties 2 Apr, including 20 sorties in close spt of I US Corps; other sorties vic Onjong-ni, Sariwon, Ongjin, Sinmak, Kumchon, Kaesong. Acft dest 51 bldgs, 4 fuel dumps, 4 gun pens, 2 RR cars, 12 vehs; atkd 4 trp cones, inflicting 65 cas; dam 1 RR brg, 48 bldgs, 5 locos, 3 RR cars, 2 tks, 8 vehs, 2 whses. 1 Acft lost to 40mm fire; pilot rescued.

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Surface: No rept.
Mines: None reptd.
Formosa strait: Bole ptrlg; no unusual sightings reptd.
La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings reptd.
D. Neg.
E. Wea.

Summ pd 021800 I to 031800 I: Brkn to ovcst high and mid clds prevailed over Korea thruout pd. Haze fog and smoke reduced vis to less than 2 mi over low terrain areas Korea. Battle area temps: Max aprx 60 deg F, min aprx 40 deg F.

Fest for pd 031800 I to 041800 I: Ovcst high and mid clds with low brkn clds thruout Korea. Clrg in extreme N dur afternoon. Low vis with haze, fog and occas rain. Battle area tmepts: Max expected to reach 56 deg F, min expected to be 36 deg F.
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A. Grnd opns past 24 hrs:

1. Pnts contact: CS 0197, CT 3505-CT 3905, CT 4608, CT 5508, CS 6798-CS 7699, CT 8000, CT 8700, CS 8899, CS 9899, DT 4202, DT 5614, and fol in rear areas: CR 9568, DR 0669, ER 0575, DS 7158.

2. Fol CCF-NKA loc changes as of 131700 I Apr:

NKA Unit	Loc
19th NK Div	BT 9602

3. USA: See sit in brief.

4. ROKA: See sit in brief.

5. Rear areas:

(A) En:

Air obsvd total 2,092 en vehs dur night 2-3 Apr; 1,028 mvg S; 444 mvg N; remainder dir undet. Air obsvd much en acty and numerous CAM 50 Cal MG psns vic CT 5535 AM 2 Apr. Dur AM 2 Apr; air dest 1 of 4 tks mvg S vic YC 3733; dest 1 tk vic YC 3771; atkd 1 CAM tk vic BT 8169; dam 1 tk vic BT 9344. Dur PM 2 Apr; air dest 2 tks and dam another vic YC 3830; obsvd 1 tk vic CU 2538; dam tk vic CU 4634; dam 1 tk vic CT 1929. Dur PM 2 Apr air obsvd: Area vic Sariwon (YC 4357) hvly surrounded with over 25 AW psns and many en trps; rds fr Kumwha (CT 6538) to Hwachon (CT 8718) appeared newly graded.

(B) Frnd:

Delayed rept of 11th ROK Div elms engaging est 150 en vic CR 9568 PM 30 Mar; other elms Div engd est 70 en vic DR 0669 PM 1 Apr. Est 30 en vic DS 7158 engd by elms 7th ROK Div AM, 1 Apr. Est 100 en vic ER 0575 engd by elms 2d ROK Div at 021130; Prev report of elms Div engaging est 300 en vic ER 0170 was erroneous.

B. Air: See sit in brief.

C. Navy: See sit in brief.

D. En capabilities: No change.

E. Negative.

F. Completed lflt air drop 2 Apr Chinese surr instrs 480,000 serial 7033 and nostalgia lflt 190,000 serial 7034 also Korean surr

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instrs 390,000 serial 1049 and nostalgia 1flit 120,000 serial 104 .
G. Negative.

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Nothing to rept.

(End FEC-3)

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Foll fr Eighth Army Sitrep 711 as of 030800 1 Apr: IDOB:
1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CT 1303 2 Apr by elm ROK 1st Div ident
233d Regt, 78th Div, 26th CCF Army. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CT 5001
1 Apr by US 5th RCT ident 2d Bn, 226th Regt, 75th Div, 26th CCF
Army. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CS 5089 31 Mar by US 24th Div MP Co
ident Litter Plat, 264th Regt, 77th Div, 26th CCF Army. 1 CCF PW
capt'd vic CS 5089 31 Mar by US 24th Div MP Co ident 3d Bn, 264th
Regt, 77th Div, 26th CCF Army. 1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CS 8699
1 Apr by US 7th Cav RCT ident 2d Bn, 347th Regt, 116th Div, 39th
CCF Army. 1 NK PW deserter capt'd vic CS 9697 2 Apr by 8th US Cav
RCT ident Engr Plat III NK Corps. 7 NK PWs capt'd vic DT 4202 2 Apr
by ROK 3d Regt ident 3d Bn, 1st Regt, 45th NK Div. PWs stated 45th
NK Div and 1st Regt CPs were loc vic DT 3806.

Attn called to Par 2, OB sec, INTSUM 3128, 3 Apr 51.

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Fol est of en str as of 012400 1 Apr 51:

NKA: On immed fronts:

I (-) Corps	7,846
II (-) Corps	7,044
III (-) Corps	5,387
V Corps	8,231
VI (-) Corps	9,870
VIII (?) (-) Corps	10,792
NK Sub-Total	49,170

Res capable intervention:

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Unloc brigs, L of C, Hq trps 27,958

I Corps	3,518
II Corps	3,032
III Corps	6,837
IV Corps	22,414
VI Corps	23,604
VII Corps	21,640
VIII Corps	40,189
105th Tk Div	4,674
Guer and Remnants	12,999
Misc and Res	12,245
NKA Total	228,280

CCF on immed front:

26th CCF Corps	22,741
39th CCF Corps	27,565

Tent accepted

1st and 8th CCF Arty Divs 15,744

CCF sub-total 66,050

CCF res capable intervention:

20th CCF Corps	23,445
24th (-) (?) CCF Corps	7,616
27th CCF Corps	25,624
30th (-) (?) CCF Corps	14,304
32d (-) (?) CCF Corps	7,246
37th (-) (?) CCF Corps	19,056
38th CCF Corps	12,364
40th CCF Corps	25,939
42d CCF Corps	17,775
50th CCF Corps	11,891
63d (?) CCF Corps	35,000
64th (?) CCF Corps	35,000
65th (?) CCF Corps	35,000
66th CCF Corps	26,139

U/1 Cav Div 3d Fld Army 4,712

U/1 Cav Div 4th Fld Army 2,486

Sub total 303,597

CCF Total 369,647

Total NKA-CCF Korea 597,927

CCF Reg Grd Forces, Manchuria 373,000

CCF Mil Dist Forces, Manchuria 370,000

Combined NKA-CCF Korea - Manchuria 1,340,927

Additionally the CCF Militia Forces of 560,000 in Manchuria may constitute a res to be incl in CCF total str.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3,
G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, FEAF, COMNAVFE



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PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC
NR : DA TT 4561 FOR 031200 Z
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION



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Wind No 216.
Indo-China (Secret)

Reports from United States officials in Indo-China show following activity by Viet Minh during period 23-31 Mar:

A. On 23-24 Mar, Viet Minh Division in Dong Trieu area attacked southwest toward Sept Pagodes. This attack was stopped by French, who did not pursue Viet Minh into Dong Trieu area where they would have been exposed to two Viet Minh Divisions in Luc Nam area.

B. On 31 Mar, strong attacks were reported East of Dong Trieu by Viet Minh 308th Division. French were reported holding firm. Light Viet Minh attacks against Vinh Yen were stopped by French. Latest Viet Minh moves indicate they may next strike East of Quang Yen coal mines.

C. Only harassing action reported North and West of Hanoi during week. High French officials are reportedly considering possibility that current Viet Minh action may have purpose of covering entrance of Chinese Communist "Volunteers" into fight.

Comments: Present Viet Minh attacks appear to be in some force. It is believed that further attacks will develop. G-2 continues to give Chinese Communist forces in vicinity of Indo-China border capability of intervention in Indo-China without further warning.

China (Secret)

US Military observer, Formosa, doubts that Chinese Communists will attempt even limited attack on Formosa in near future. This estimate predicated on:

- (1) Limited regular forces immediately available (approximately 331,500 from Shanghai to Swatow);
- (2) Lack of adequate shipping; and

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(3) Presence of United States 7th Flt in Formosa Strait. In reporting officer's opinion, few troops on Formosa would defect and internal dissident elements are not strong.

Comment: G-2 estimate Communist field forces along coast from Shanghai to Canton is 385,000; figure from Shanghai to Swatow is in general agreement with G-2 order of battle. While it must be granted sufficient shipping is available to Chinese Communist with which to launch limited attack, such move is regarded as highly unlikely in view of probability of failure with resultant loss of both shipping and troops involved. G-2 concurs with reporting officer's estimate of unlikelihood of limited attack in near future.

Korea-China (Secret)

According to report received by United States Counsel General Hong Kong, CCF Command Korea has reported that UNs Air Force has fearsome power cause casualties and seriously affect morale of troops who may be forced lie prostrate all day under air attack without daring raise their heads. Report further stated Peking had decided send 30 to 50 jets and small number other planes fly regularly over Korea to raise spirits of troops. Since, however, 80 percent of experienced pilots are hired Soviet personnel they will not be allowed enter dangerous areas or engage in combat due to possibility of being shot down over UN controlled area thereby giving rise to international complications.

G-2 Comment: G-2 has no information which would confirm employment of Soviet Pilots in Korea. It has been general practice of jet acft in Korea to remain fairly close to Korea-Manchuria border.

(END DA-4)

DA Note 1 (For G-2)

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USSR

Reference PEC-7, REUR A.

Within Soviet Union, members of 7 nationalities have mongoloid features. About 750,000 men from these nationalities can be considered suitable for military service. These people are backward and many speak no Russian. In general, they have shown little enthusiasm for Soviet Regime and some gps have been punished for political unreliability. Hence only minority have had military training. Soviets formed some homogeneous national units

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up to division size during first half of World War II, but their combat record was generally poor and none were of mongoloid races. Such national units were completely eliminated shortly after war and Soviet present policy is to scatter men of minority nationalities throughout army. There is no record of formation of any mongoloid units, based on racial characteristics rather than nationality. Reinforcement capabilities of mongolian type personnel from Soviet Armed Forces is estimated 100,000 to 150,000 men. Few are trained in technical skills which Chinese communist also lack. So far as known, no separate Soviet Mongolian units exist. Since present policy is mixture as opposed to segregation, any mongolian units would have to be specially formed, and if wholly mongol, they probably would be understaffed in good officers and specialists. It is doubtful if more than five well-trained divisions of mongoloid Soviets could be formed now.

Peoples Republic of Outer Mongolia, considered by Soviets as a separate puppet, has an army of some 30,000 men. This force, which has some token mechanized elements and an air arm of sorts, could be reinforced by outer mongolians and other mongoloid personnel to a strength of 100,000 effectives in a relatively short time. However, commitment by Soviets of such an expanded outer mongolian army in Korea would certainly excite Chinese Communist suspicion of ultimate Soviet motives. An equal effort expanded in direct materiel aid to Chinese Communists and North Koreans probably would be considered more desirable by CCP and Soviets.

REUR B. If Soviet mongolian units were to be used in Korea, they probably would be formed in Soviet Far East, perhaps around Ulanude, capital of Buryat-Mongol autonomous republic. Personnel would be brought from units chiefly within the USSR, so as to maintain security. If outer mongolian army were to serve as vehicle of mongoloid reinforcement, such units would be formed up probably in outer mongolia, around Ulan Bator (Urga), and in Eastern outer mongolia where former Soviet military installations exist.

Although some mongoloids may be employed as "Volunteers", it is considered that they would make no advantageous contribution

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to Communist operations in Korea, particularly in view of the vast remaining manpower resources of Communist China and USSR.
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INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, DIPLOMATIC, JSPOG, FEAF, COMNAVFE



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2 Apr 51

PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC
NR : DA TT 4557
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Washington:
Col G L Church G-2
Col R E Hommel ONI
Col H O Patterson JCS
Mr W P Bird CIA
Mr R H Ingersoll STATE
Lt Col C A Curtis JIG
Lt Col H M Hutton G-3
Maj L E McBride G-2

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SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

DA NOTE 1.
Secret
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To CINCPAC

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W/ CHANGES - 7 DATT 4565*



1. The following amendment is proposed in your 17th report to the U.N. (URAD C 57842)

A. In last paragraph, second sentence, amend to read "in spite of their statements to the United Nations, we have no information indicating any compliance with the provisions of etc".

B. In last paragraph, last sentence, add one word "yet" so that sentence reads as follows: "The International Red Cross has not yet been permitted to establish etc".

2. The above proposed amendments are requested by State Department because the CCF have let some letters pass from PW's and CCF have commenced broadcasting some names of PW's. Also Dr Paul Ruegger, pres of International Committee of the Red Cross Societies, has just departed Hong Kong for Geneva after negotiations with Communist authorities. There is evidence that Dr Ruegger may have met with some success.

3. Request your comment or concurrence in the above proposed amendments.

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PART 2, OUTGOING

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PARTICIPATING HQS : WASH AND CINCPAC

NR : DA TT 4557

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Tokyo:	
Maj Gen C A Willoughby	G-2
Col R S Bratton	G-2
Col J A Barry Jr	G-3
Lt Col B V York	G-2
LCDR T W Newland	AFIO COMNAVFE
Capt R J Baseman	D/I FEAF

SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION
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A. Army:

UN forces cont lmtd advances and adj psns against little hostile opn as reflected by relatively low en cas reptd for 1 Apr: 257 KIA, 40 WIA, 47 PWS; however, en continues build-up in rear areas with total 2082 vehs obsvd dur night 1-2 Apr of which 1601 mvg S.

I Corps: 12th Regt 1st ROK Div established psns via CT 1103-CT 1205 w/o contact; elms recvd sporadic SA fire CS 0938 AM 1 Apr. 29th Br Com Brig established psns via CT 1503 and CT 2405 while other fwd elms contd prev psns. 65th Inf advd against light SA fire to psns via CT 2606-CT 2807 by 011700 while 7th Inf advd to CT 2701 and CT 3103. TF advd N along Uijongbu-Chongong road encountering hvly mined sections and recvg en SA fire via CT 3105 dur PM 1 Apr. 27th Inf 25th US Div advd unoppd to CT 3501- CT 4003

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with elms via CT 3506 by 011745. 35th Inf atkd to line CT 4203+ CT 4702 by 011355 against light en SA fire fr vic CT 4203. 27th and 35th Regts resumed atk AM 2 Apr. 24th Inf and Turk Brig contd prev psns in res.

IX Corps: 24th Div units adj psns dur 1 April 27th Br Com Brig held 21st Inf with elms via CS 6798 and CS 6899 while elms 21st Inf in psns via CT 5900; remainder both units mvd to assby areas in new zones respectively. 5th Inf Tk/Inf ptrl dispersed en gps via CT 5606 and CT 5707 AM 1 Apr. Air obsvd en psns and est en bn via CT 4905-CT 6305. 6th ROK Div units ptrlg fr prev psns dispersed sm en gp via CS 8398 AM 1 Apr; on 21 Mar ptrls obsvd est 3 CCF cos entrenched via CT 7102, CT 7606 and CT 8901. 7th and 19th ROK Regts atkd N in zone AM 2 Apr. 2d Bn 8th Cav mvd to psns via CS 8896-8996 after being held by elms 7th Mar Regt via Chunchon; 8th Cav ptrls encountered mines and drew en SA fire via CS 8699 and CT 8903 PM 1 Apr. 7th Cav and Greek Bn contd prev psns; ptrls directed arty fire to en gps encountered via CT 9301 and CT 9401 on 1 Apr. 7th Mar Regt atkd opnl control 1st Cav Div off 012200; elms closed via CS 8692 relvg elms 8th Cav. Elms 1st Cav Div and 1st Mar Div atkd N in zone at 020800.

X Corps: No significant acty or en contact reptd in 2d Inf or 5th ROK Div Zones dur 1 April units ptrld fr prev psns except elms 23d US Inf closed assby area via DS 0930 PM 1 Apr. 7th Inf Div units ptrld fr prev psns w/o contact except elms 17th Inf en route to via DS 1593 dur 1 Apr. Air obsvd undet nbr en entrenched DT 3101-DT 4201 PM 1 Apr.

III ROK Corps: 3d Bn 3d ROK Regt atkd W to DT 4202 by 011600 against mod SA and mortar fire by est en bn loc via DT 4102. 22d ROK Regt occupied psns on line via DT 4700-DT 4901 w/o reptd oppns; ptrl dispersed sm en gp via DS 4898 AM 31 Mar. 3d Bn 18th ROK Regt adj psns to line DT 5706-DT 6009; 1st and 3d Bns maintained prev psns w/o reptd en contact. Air atkd est 2 en cos via DT 5411 and DT 5526 and obsvd undet nbr en entrenched via DT 4719 -DT 5514 PM 1 Apr.

I ROK Corps: 3d Bn 1st ROK Regt occupied psns via DT 5912-DT 5914 PM 31 Mar. 26th ROK Regt ptrld from prev psns w/o contact.

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B. Air:

Dur 24 hr pd endg 012400 I: UN acft FEAF control flew 335 sorties incg 123 trans, 45 ftr control, 15 recon, 152 combat of which 6 by ROKAF. Of 55 close spt sorties, 18 in I Corps, 18 IX Corps, 5 X Corps, 8 I ROK Corps, 6 III ROK Corps. 21 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 10 areas incg Anhyop & Ichon. 45 counter air sorties flown on CAP & escort. 8 night intruder acft atkd tgts in 8 areas incg Kaesong & Pyongyang.

FEAF BOMCOM flew 23 eff sorties: 19th BG: 7 acft vis bbd hwy brg YD 2991; hits reptd on brg, pose 1 span down. 2 acft night radar bbd Haeju; exc results. 2 acft (MPQ-2 radar controlled) night bbd CT 2410 & CT 4608; good results. 307th

BG: 4 acft vis bbd hwy brg YD 3392, exc results. 0 acft vis bbd Sinanju RR by-pass brg; good to exc results.

FEAF 315th AD 123 sorties airlifted 1,383 pass, 351 evacs & 220.5 tons frt of which 27 tons dropped at DS 4699 with poor to good results.

FEAF BOMCOM today dispatched 22 acft: 307th BG: 4 acft vis bbd RR brg BA 9419; exc results. 4 acft vis bbd BA 9730; exc results; 4 acft vis bbd RR brg BV 8792; good results. 19th BG: 4 acft vis bbd RR brg BV 6848; exc results; 4 acft vis bbd hwy brg BV 6035; good results. 91st Recon Sq: 2 acft surveil; fair results.

FEAF claims en losses for pd: Vehs 31 & 18, en occ bldgs 38 & 40, POL dump 1, brgs 1 & 1, pack animals 2.

Ops planned for 3 Apr 51: B-29s: 68 combat ready (CR), 36 to be employed (TBE). 19th BG: 4 acft atk hwy brg in KE UTM Grid block. 307th BG: 8 acft atk hwy brg in KE UTM Grid block. 98th BG: 24 acft atk RR brg in KE UTM Grid block. Lt Bmrs: 44 CR, 37 TBE. Ftrs: 334 CR, 320 TBE. Transports: 132 CR, 93 TBE.

C. Navy

Korea E Coasts

Air: TF 77 planes from Princeton & Boxer flew 89 sorties 1 Apr against tgts vic Tanchon, Songjin, Kilchu, Myongchow, Chongjin, & Hapsu: On RR brg at EA 160220 planes dropped 2 spans & burned out repair forms which dropped 2 add spans; also dropped 1 span RR brg at EA 551750; dam RR brg at EA 118531. Other results: Dest 6 bldgs, 6 carts, 10 RR cars, 4 vehs; atkd trps; dam 1 factory, 1 lumber yard, 2 RR cars, 1 saw mill, 18 section RR track, 1 sup dump, 6 vehs.

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1 AD shot down at EA 1353; pilot rescued.

Surface: At Songjin 1 Apr, Lind, Massey, & Alacrity, later joined by O'Brien & Thompson, contd interdiction rds, brgs, lights; obtained 6 hits on brg at EV 144945. At Wonsan, night 31 Mar Forrest Royal & Zellars contd hv interdiction fire on rds & rail jets & en trp pns vic Kalma Gak; Hank, Burlington, Gloucester, & ROK YMS 518 acting as flycatcher, fired at 1 small boat which disappeared. 1 Apr, St Paul returned Wonsan & using spot by shore fire control party, fired on gun pns on Kalma Gak, neutralizing area; Zellars fired & dispersed trps in adjoining area; Burlington, Gloucester, Comstock, & Forrest Royal Flycatcher & hev duty; mine sweepers conducted moored checksweep main channel & magnetic check, results negative.

Near Yangyang 31 Mar St Paul atkd village, results unobsvd; 1 Apr Hank, after relieving St Paul, examined small craft; at night, illuminated & stopped 1 power junk & 1 sailing junk with firing; both drifted southward, dam unk.

Mines: Floating mine sighted 011330 I 32-10 N, 143-40 E. 1 mine sunk 1 Apr at ea fol pns: 39-03.5 N, 128-19.7 E; 39-09 N, 128-15 E; 40-24 N, 130-21.5 E.

Korea W Coast:

Air: Theseus planes 1 Apr flew 55 sorties, incl 11 in close spt US I Corps, & remaining sorties vic Onjongni, Chinnampo, Hwangju, Sariwon, Ongjin, Haeju, Sinmak, Kunchon, & Sibyon-ni; On RR brg at YC 3869 planes dropped 2 spans & dam RR brg at BT 4358; other results: Dest 2 bldgs, 3 vehs; atkd 2 trp concs, inflicting 9 obsvd cas; dam 10 bldgs, 2 sections RR track, & 8 vehs.

Surface: Belfast, Amethyst, & Comus ptrld coast night 31 Mar; Tutira & ROK YMS completed minesweeping area. 1 Apr Cockade, Bataan (DD), & Black Swan relvd Comus & Amethyst; Belfast, Black Swan proceeded Inchon, Cockade ptrlg Inchon approaches, Bataan (DD) ptrlg. No en contacts.

Mines: None reptd.

Formosa Strait: Bole ptrlg; no unusual sightings reptd.

LaPerouse Strait: No unusual sightings reptd.

D. Negative.

E. Weather:

Summ pd 011800-021800I: Sctd high and mid clds over extreme

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N Korea. Brkn to ovest hight & mid clds over cen & lower Korea dur entire pd, vis gen rstd to less than 10 mi due to haze & smoke. Vis in cen Korea reduced to 2-4 mi. Battle area temps: Max aprx 54, min aprx 42 deg F.

Rest for pd 021800-031800I: Gen clr over N Korea brkn mid clds & setd low clds in S Korea, vis unrstd. Battle area temps: Max 49, min 35 deg F.

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A. Ground opns past 24 hours:

1. Pts contact: CS 0998, CT 2606-CT 2807, CT 3105, CT 4002, CT 4907, CT 5606, CT 5707, CS 7499-CS 7699, CS 8398, CS 8699, CT 8903, CT 9301, CT 9401, DT 4200, and fol in rear areas: ER 0170 and ER 0775.

2. Fol CCF-NKA loc changes as of 021700 I Apr.

CCF Units	Loc	NKA Units	Loc
76th CCF Div	CT 5816	47th NK Div	CT 1316
77th CCF Div	CT 4319		
78th CCF Div	CT 3120		
116th CCF Div	CT 9212		
117th CCF Div	CT 7413		
118th CCF Div	CT 8919		
119th CCF Div	CT 7120		
120th CCF Div	CT 8024		

U/1 (CT 7014) removed from sit map.
U/1 (CT 7120) removed from sit map.
U/1 (CT 7725) removed from sit map.

3. USA: See sit in brief.
4. ROKA: See sit in brief.
5. Rear areas:

(A) En: Air sighted total of 2082 en vehs dur night 1-2 Apr; 1601 mvg S; 264 mvg N; remainder direction undet.

(B) Frnd: Delayed rept of elms 11th ROK Div ambushing est 150 en vic DR 0566 PM 29 Mar, resulting 50 en KIA. Est 190 en vic ER 0775 engd by elms 2d ROK Div at 311200; other elms div engd est 300 en vic ER 0170 at 011100.

B. Air: See sit in brief.
C. Navy: See sit in brief.
D. Capabilities: No change.
Discussion:

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(1) W/d and def, vic 38th Parallel:

Prev discussions on capabilities have pointed out possibility on might well choose offer sustained def on battle psn with Western portion its MLR loc along Imjin River, an obstacle which would impart natural terrain str to that sector. However, as UN forces approach Imjin, resist cont spotty and discontinuous; also repts fr grd ptrls, air observers, and other intel sources have failed indicate presence any extensive def installations on N bank, despite fact that on has had ample time and trps readily avail to undertake such construction. These developments suggest he may elect cont his delaying tactics for a time and when chooses defend, anchor his W flank farther NW.

It might well be on's ulterior motive of contd w/d in W is to entice UN forces out of present geographical "bottleneck" to a more Northerly loc affording wider space for maneuver and thus exploit his advantage of superior nbrs, particularly in the creation of opportunity to pass to counter-offensive.

E. Negative.

F. Completed 1flt air drop 31 Mar Chinese surr instructions 180,000 Serial 7033 and nostalgia 1flts 50,000 Serial 7034 also Korean surr instructions 10,000 Serial 1049 and nostalgia 1flts 20,000 Serial 1048.

G. Negative.

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Nothing to rept.

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Fol fr Eighth Army SITREP 709 as of 020800 1 Apr: IDOB: 2 NK PWs capt'd vic CS 0094 1 Apr by ROK 1st Div ident Recon Co, 8th NK Div. PW stated 8th NK Div CP loc vic CT 0818 1 Apr. 5 NK PWs capt'd vic CS 0895 31 Mar by ROK 1st Div ident Mort Co, 2d (36th) Regt, 19th NK Div. 2 NK PWs capt'd vic CS 0795 31 Mar by ROK 1st Div ident HMG

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Co, 1st Bn, 3d (37th) Regt, 19th NK Div, I NK Corps. 1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CS 4499 by US 35th RCT 31 Mar by US 35th RCT ident 1st Bn, 230th Regt, 77th Div, 26th CCF Army. 1 CCF PW capt'd vic CS 4397 by US 35th RCT 1 Apr ident 2d, 229th Regt, 77th Div, 26th CCF Army. 1 CCF PW deserter capt'd vic CT 4804 by US 25th Div 1 Apr ident 2d Bn, 356th Regt, 119th Div, 40th CCF Army. PW stated 356th Regt was loc vic Sinjang-ni CT 4609 31 Mar and 355th Regt was loc vic CT 3910 31 Mar also. Mission both Regts was to def. 2 NK PWs capt'd vic DS 4798 31 Mar by ROK 22d Regt ident 429th (cods nbr?) Guer Unit. Further interr 1 NK PW capt'd 31 Mar by ROK 1st Div identifying 3d (83d) Regt, 8th NK Div revealed that PW had obs CCF trps in vic Tangpari CS 0897 on 28 Mar but that they had departed for Korangpo-ri CT 1106. An agent also rept'd est 2,000 en, largely CCF vic CT 0107 on 29 Mar. These are initial repts of CCF along N bank Imjin R in I NK Corps sector.
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REF NOTE: 1, TT 4430

Asg and attachment Major Corps and Army Combat Units as of 30 Mar 51.

1. Asg Eighth Army: No change from FEC Item 5, TT 4479, 12 Mar.
2. Atchd I Corps: 1-8 inch How Bn; 1-155 How Bn; 1-155 gun bn; 2-Engr (C) Bns; 21st AAA AW Bn (SP) and 1-M Tk Bn (in lieu Div Bns); 1-M Tk Bn.
3. Atchd IX Corps: 1-Obsn Bn; 1-155 How Bn; 1-105 How Bn (in lieu Div Bn); 2-Engr (C) Bns; 1-Cml Mort Bn; 1-M Tk Bn (1st Cav Div Organic Bn).
4. Atchd X Corps: 1-155 How Bn; 2-Engr (C) Bns; 15th AAA AW Bn (SP) (in lieu Div Bn).
5. In add to above. 1-8 inch How Bn en route from 7I for asg Eighth Army.

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REF NOTE 1, TT 4555

Concerning views and recommendations on proposals of Geneva Zones Orgn to establish "Scty Zones" throughout Korea to provide sanctuary for hapless civs. Measures now in practice respecting vic relief incl displacement of non-combatants to areas not immediately subject to hostile action. These areas being established in territory under control and protection of UN forces are in effect inviolate by belligerent forces, in view of ineffectiveness to date of en air. Establishment of add sanctuaries of "Scty Zones" within areas under control of UN forces under supervision of a Control Commission composed of representatives of non-belligerent states of an International Humanitarian Orgn as proposed by Geneva Zones Orgn is believed at this time unnecessary and impractical. The establishment of sanctuaries in areas not under control of UN forces could be agreed to only provided by Geneva Zones Orgn can guarantee without reservation that such zones would not be used in any manner in furtherance of belligerent action against UN forces and provided Control Commission can evidence to satisfaction of UN Member Nations whose forces are engd in Korea capability of enforcing such guarantee. It is considered that neither determination of suitability of areas on Korean Peninsula or off-shore islands which might be utilized under proposed plan of Geneva Zones Orgn or recommendation of suitable areas for consideration can be made until specific conditions and details of opn of proposal have been agreed upon and announced.

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Will ans soonest.

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NR : DA TT 4556
SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Wash :	
Col C H Ott	G2
Capt R E Malpass	ONI
Col D S Crist	AFOIN/E
Mr A S Chase	STATE
Cdr C H Mead	JIG
Lt Col H M Hutton	G3
Capt H S Fischgrund	G2



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Since no normal TELECON tonight - do you desire special transmission set-up or shall reply be included in Washington TELECON Monday night?

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SUBJECT : FAR EAST SITUATION

Present Tokyo;	
Maj Gen C A Willoughby	G2
Col C C Blakeney	G2
Col J A Berry Jr	G3
Lt Col B V York	G2
LEDR H R Fleck	AFIO COMNAVFE
Capt A M Burrows	D I FEAF

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A. Army: Advg UN Forces contd encounter sporadic but determined on rear guard action and mines. Veh sightings in on rear areas dropped to 725 with 500 mvg twd front, dur night 31 Mar-1 Apr.

I Corps: 1st ROK Div units contd in pens; prev reptd combat ptrl across Imjin river on 30 Mar repulsed on Co-size atk dur AM vic CS 0797 and obsrd est on Bn mvg in gen area; another ptrl obsrd est on Bn on N side river vic CT 1004 - CT 1406. Elms 65th Inf 3d US Div advd unopposed to CT 2605 and CT 2606 while other elms maintained pens with 10th Phil Bn vic CT 1502 - CT 1804. 65th Inf contd adv in zone AM 1 Apr. Elms 29th Br Com Brig closed assy area vic CS 2592 PM 30 Mar. Elms 7th Inf repulsed light probing atk vic CS 2897 early AM 31 Mar; Regt atkd N against mod resist to CT 2600 - CT 3100 by 311000; hv on SA and mortar fire on hill 347 (CT 2600) dur day caused friendly elms w/d to CS 2699; elms repulsed sm probing atk vic CS 2599 early AM 1 Apr. 7th Inf resumed atk AM 1 Apr and as of 010850 had secured pens vic CT 2701 w/o reptd opposition. Elms 64th Tk Bn advg to CT 3106 dur 31 Mar recvd on SA and mortar fire this vic and reptd 3 tks disabled by mines; another tk TF proceeded to CT 3103 as of

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010850 w/o contact. Dur 31 Mar air obsrd large en conc entrenched vic CT 0831 and est 2 en bns in scattered pans N of 3d Div front. 27th Inf 25th US Div overcame mod resist fr en gps vic CS 3499, CS 3797 and CS 4097 and advd to line CS 3499-CS 4099 on 31 Mar. 35th Inf atkd to line CS 4199-CS 4699 dispersing undet nbr en to N vic CS 4299 and CT 4400 AM 31 Mar. 24th Inf and Turk Brig remained Div res. 27th and 35th Regts resumed atk in zone AM 1 Apr against no reptd opposition.

IX Corps: 5th Inf 24th US Div atkd to line CT 4902-CT 5401 dur AM 31 Mar against light en SA fire; tk/Inf ptrl dur PM annihilated en plat-size gps vic CT 5204 and CT 5303 and engd another gp vic CT 5207. 27th Br Com Brig atkd to line CT 5500-CT 5900; elms dispersed est en co vic CT 5900 at 311230. 21st Inf atkd to CS 6298-CS 6797 on 31 Mar; left flank elms hvly resisted by am firmly entrenched en employing SA and mortar fire vic Hill (CS 6298) dur PM causing slight adj in friendly pans. Elms 21st Inf contd atk N at 010700 w/o reptd opposition. 19th ROK Regt atkd against light SA fire to line CS 7098-CS 7597 on 31 Mar. 7th ROK Regt adj pans along line CS 7696-CS 8394; elms dispersed est 2 en co vic CS 7897 at 311220. Air and ground repts indicate at least 2 en bns entrenched vic CS 7699-CS 8699. 1st Cav Div maintained prev pans on 31 Mar; ptrls made light contact vic CS 8598 and CT 9201 PM 31 Mar. 1st US Mar Div ptrls engd est 50 en vic DS 0897 and est en bn vic DS 1899 and obsrd another en bn vic DT 1900 dur 30-31 Mar; 7th Mar Regt enroute to assy area vic CS 9091. On 31 Mar air obsrd est 2 en bns vic DT 0910 and DT 1218.

X Corps: 9th Inf, 2d US Div, ptrld fr prev pans on 31 Mar w/o contact. 38th Inf adj pans to line aprx DS 2093-DS 2595; elms ptrld to vic DT 2400 and DS 2598 with light contact vic DS 2597 PM 31 Mar. 23d Inf enroute assy area vic DS 1181. 5th ROK Div ptrlg fr prev pans made light contact vic DT 2801 PM 29 Mar; air atkd est en regt entrenched vic DT 3514 on 31 Mar with good results. 7th US Div units remained prev pans w/o contact except elms 31st and 17th Regts mvd to DS 3899 and DS 4494; 17th Inf to move to DT 0980 on 1 Apr. Air reptd est en regt gaa vic DT 3514 and undet nbr en digging entrenchments vic DT 3902 dur 31 Mar.

III ROK Corps: 1st Bn 3d ROK Regt occ pans vic DS 4605-DS 4705 at 301600; 2d Bn mvd fr assy area to pans vic DT 4700 and 3d Bn closed assy area vic DS 4699 PM 30 Mar. 23d ROK Regt ptrld fr prev pans w/o contact. 1st and 2d Bns 22d ROK Regt closed pans vic DT 4700 and DT 4901; Regt to relieve 3d ROK Regt PM 31 Mar. Elms 22d ROK Regt engd undet nbr en vic DS 4898 AM 31 Mar resulting 29 en cas. 18th ROK Regt adj prev pans w/o reptd opposition. 8th Regt 7th ROK Div closed new assy areas aprx 2.5 mi N of Yuchon (DS 6658).

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I ROK Corps: 3d Bn 1st ROK Regt contd atk twd DT 5815 on 31 Mar against light resist while remainder regt ptrld fr prev pans; plus contd reop and en mortar fire vic Hill 387 (DT 6014). 26th ROK Regt ptrld fr prev pans w/o reopd contact; Cav ROK Regt contd tag vic Chuminjin (DS 8594).

B. Airs

During 24 hour period ending 312400 I: UN acft under FEAF control flew 967 sorties including 162 transport, 42 ftr control, 3 flare drop, 48 recon, 712 combat of which 148 by USMC, 16 by RAAF, 28 by SAAF. Of 194 close spt sorties, 82 in I Corps, 90 in IX Corps, 22 in X Corps. 358 armed recon acft atkd tgts in 172 area including Pyonggang, Kumu-Ri, Chongju and Sinmak. 64 counter air sorties flown: 27 on CAP; 37 on escort. 27 light bombers atkd tgts at Sariwon afd, YD 3337 and YD 4337. 52 night intruder acft atkd tgts in 76 area including Sinanju, XE 7312, BU 6108, YC 4062 and CT 0850.

FEAF Bomb Comd flew 12 eff sorties: 98th BG: 10 acft vis bbd hwy bridge at CB 2629; hits on bridge. 1 acft vis bbd Sinpo M/Y DV 3332; exc results. Same acft vis bbd RR bridge DV 5846; poss dam. 91st Recon Sq: 1 acft accomplished photo coverage of tgts in N Korea; fair results.

FEAF 315th Air Div 162 sorties airlifted 1539 psgrs, 164 evacs and 378.1 tons of freight including 92.4 tons ammo, water, mortar shells and were dropped at DS 3691, DS 5286, DS 3090 and DN 3185; 4.5 tons rations dropped at DS 3185; 12 tons ammo and rations dropped at DS 3090; good to exc results all drops.

FEAF Bomb Comd today dispatched 19 acft: 19th BG: 7 acft vis bbd hwy bridge YD 2991; exc results. 98th BG: 8 acft vis bbd RR by-pass bridge YD 2438; good to exc results. 4 acft vis bbd hwy bridge YD 3392; exc results.

FEAF claims any losses for period: pers 167, tks 1 and 1, vehs 81 and 95, locos 3 and 1, RR cars 5 and 45, sup dumps 4 and 1, POL dumps 2 and 2 whse 1, pack animals 71, gun pans 2 and 1, tunnels 11 dam, sup stacks 4 and 5, bunkers 2, RR sta 1 dam, SP gun 1 dam, revetments 4 dam.

Opns planned for 2 Apr 51: B-29s: 68 Combat Ready (CR) 23 to be employed (TBE). 19th BG: 4 acft atk RR bridge S of Huichon BV 6847. 4 acft atk hwy bridge 10 mi SW Huichon BV 6035. 2 acft conduct night close spt mission in conjunction with ground radar

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(MPQ-2). 1 acft conducts night harassing atk against S/C at Sariwon YC 4065. 307th BG: 4 acft atk hwy by-pass bridge at Kanggye CT 5156. 4 acft atk RR bridge at Pyorha-r1 BA 9419. 4 acft atk RR bridge NE of Koin-dong BV 8792. Light burs: 47 CR, 41 TBE. Ftrs: 312 CR, 302 TBE. Transports: 149 CR, 112 TBE.

C. Navy:

Korea E Coast:

Air: TF 77 planes from Princeton and Boxer flew 152 sorties 31 Mar. Including close support 2 in I US Corps, 3 US IX Corps, 2 ROK I Corps; other sorties vic Chongjin, Songjin, Iwon, Kojo, Anbyon, Hoesyang, Chichon-ni, Pyonggang, Songosan, Major-ni, Munchon, Chosin Reservoir, and Hwachang at CT 7858⁴ dropped 3 spans hwy bridge and hit bypass rendering both unserviceable, slightly damaged another hwy bridge; knocked down 4 spans RR bridge, broke tracks on another RR bridge; destroyed 30 bldgs, 2 carts, 1 command post, 1 fuel dump, 6 pack animals, 10 trucks, and other vehicles; atkd 7 troop concentrations, inflicting 41 casualties; damaged 1 bldg, 4 sections RR track, 9 trucks and other vehs. One plane shot down; pilot recovered by helicopter.

Surface: Lind and Alacrity on anti-junk patrol to Lat 41-50 North fired on transportation tgts vic Chongjin, fired on and drove fishing boats ashore at 41-49 N, no hits. Later Lind and Alacrity returned Songjin.

At Songjin, O'Brien fired on bridge under repair, scored hits with no apparent damage; Lind interdicted road jcts and bridge approach; Massey negative; O'Brien on FLYCATCHER duty had no contact; Alacrity ASW and FLYCATCHER negative. At Wonsan Forrest Royal, St Paul, Zellars, Burlington, and Gloucester fixed harassing, interdiction and illumination missions against roads, gun pan; St Paul with helicopter spot obtained hits on boats in 2 locations, starting fires; fired at groups enemy pers, scattered them, killing est 12; fired on airstrip, road jcts, and several possible mining boats and bldgs, damage unknown except 2 boat-contacts left drifting. LST 799 helicopter crashed on landing ashore; pilot uninjured, still ashore.

Mines: On 31 Mar Forrest Royal sank floating mine 39-16 N, 127-29 E, and Pelican swept 1 new mine 39-13.5 N 127-33.5 E

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in previously cleared waters; Rush sank mine 010800 I 40-35 N, 130-40 E.

Korea W Coast:

Air: Theseus planes flew 47 sorties 31 Mar, including 12 in close support US I Corps, others vic Haeju, Sibyon-ni, Namchonjom, Chaeryong, Sariwon, Chinnampo: Dest 11 bldgs, 4 junks, 25 trucks; inflicted 7 en casualties observed; damaged 27 bldgs, 1 RR bridge.

Surface: Belfast Comus, and Amethyst patrolled coast with no en contact; Tutire with ROKN minesweeping.

Mines: None repta.

Formosa Strait: Bole patrolling; no unusual sightings repta.

La Perouse Strait: No unusual sightings repta.

Locations of 1st Marine Air Wing Units and Marine Air Control Groups and Marine Ground Control Intercept Sqdns in Far East as of 1 April 51: 1st MAW, MAG 12, VMF (N) 513, MGCTS-1, MTACS-2, VMF 323, VMF 214, Pusan (K-1); MWSS-1, Itami; MAG 33, VMF 311, VMF 212, VMO-6 (MAG 33 for logistics) with 1st Mar Div, MGCIS-3, Pohang (K-3); VMF 312, Bataan CVL 29.

D. Negative.

E. Weather: Summ period 311800-011800 I: Korea, multilayers of low, mid and high clds beng brkn in W central sector and clr in NW sector during late afternoon. Intmt light rain began at aprx 311700 I and ended at aprox 011000 I. Vis was rstd in rain 1 to 3 mi. Battle area temps; max 60 deg F, min 40 deg F.

Fest for period 011800-021800 I. Clr in W sectors. Sctd to brkn low, mid and high clds in Central and S sectors. Beng clr in most of Korea with exception of E coastal areas during morning 2 Apr and clr thruout Korea by end fest period. Vis will be unrstd. Winds will be northerly over Korea. Battle area temps: Max 53 deg F, min 33 deg F.

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A. Grnd opns past 24 hours:

1. Pnts contact: CS 0696, CS 0797, CS 0896, CT 2600,
CS 2599, CS 2896, CT 3100, CT 3106, CS 3499, CS 3797, CS 4097,
CS 4299, CT 4400, CT 4902, CT 5204, CT 5207, CT 5303, CT 5900,
CS 6298, CS 7098, CS 7398, CS 7897, CS 8598, CT 9201, DS 0897,
DS 1899, DS 2595, DS 4898, DT 5814 and fol in rear areas: DS 8064
and DS 8743.

2. Fol are CCF-NKA loc chgs as of 011700 Apr:

NKA Units	Loc
5th Div	XD 9505
45th Div	DT 3812

3. USA: See sit in brief.
4. ROKA: See sit in brief.
5. Rear areas:

(A) En:

Air sighted total 725 en vehs dur 31 Mar-1 Apr;
500 mvg S; 219 mvg N; remainder dir undet. Air atkd large conc
trps. sups and est 100 veh vic YC 4555 AM 31 Mar. Dur PM 31 Mar,
air dest 1 tk vic BT 8032 and dam another tk vic BT 8939. Air
obsvd est en bn with pack animals mvg S from CV 4080 to CV 2638
at 311330.

(B) Frnd:

Sm en gp guers vic DS 8064 pursued by elms 9th
ROK Div AM 30 Mar while other elms div engd sm en gp vic DS 8743.
Friendly ptrl obsvd est 300 guers vic ES 1410 on 28 Mar.

- B. Air: See sit in brief.
- C. Navy: See sit in brief.
- D. En capabilities: No change.
- E. Negative.

F. Completed 1flt air drop 30 Mar Chinese nostalgia 1flt
240,000 serial 7034 and surr instrs 210,000 serial 7033 also
Korean nostalgia 1flt 140,000 serial 1048 and surr instrs 130,000
serial 1049.

G. Negative.

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Info fr Eighth Army Sitrep 707 as of 010800 Apr: IDOB 28 NK PW cap vic CS 0795 31 Mar by ROK 15th Regt ident 1st Co, 1st Bn, 3d Regt, 8th NK Div, 1st NK Corps. PWs stated 8th NK Div was deployed along Imjin River from CS 0699 to CS 0999. 1 CCF PW captd vic CT 9700 30 Mar by US 7th Cav RCT ident 9th Co, 3d Bn 359th Regt, 120th Div, 40th CCF Army. PW stated 5th Co was loc vic CT 9700. 6 NK PWs deserters captd vic DS 1695 31 Mar by US 1st Mar RCT ident 2d Plt, 3d Co, 2d Bn, 3d (48th) Regt, 15th NK Div. PW stated on 30 Mar 48th Regt occupied def pns vic DS 1899. PW further stated 1st NK Div was to W of 15th NK Div and 5th (?) NK Div was to E. Mission was hold at all costs until 11 Apr when a gen off was to be launched. 4 NK PWs captd vic DS 4599 by ROK 3d Regt 30 Mar ident 45th NK Div. PWs stated that CP of 1st Regt, 45th NK Div was loc vic DT 3307. 2 CCF PWs captd 24 Mar by US 5th RCT from 4th Ind Trans Regt, 4th Fld Army stated they had obs elm 1st Fld Army entering Korea vic Sinuiju in late Feb and mvg eastward from Chongju XD 9096 o/a 4 Mar. These elm ident themselves from an unk Army Gp of 1st Fld Army. Contg repts have indicated presence elm 1st Fld Army in Korea. Most persistant mention by PWs and agents has been of 19th Army Gp, 1st Fld Army and to a lesser extent of 28th Army Gp, 2d Fld Army. Since 25 Mar, 19th Army Gp with 63d, 64th and 65th CCF Armies as components, has been carried as believed to be in Korea but unloc.

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Ref: INTSUM 3126 1 Apr: IDOB: Para 2: 9th CCF Army Gp:
 An intell source reptd fol info: (C-6) A. Sung Shih-Lun's comd recd orders from the Cen Govt to select 1 or possibly 2 Divs from each Army (Corps) to undergo special tng. On 2 Mar 51, the selected Divs were trfd to Feng Huang Ch'eng, loc on the Mukden-Antung RR, where they recd new Soviet equip. All hv wps and tk pers in these Divs are Japanese, and each unit above Regtl level

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has 3 to 8 assgd Soviet advisers. The allotted time for re-equipping and special tng is set at 50 days and upon completion these trps are to act as cadre for the "International Volunteer Army."

Comment: Prev repts indicating move of 9th CCF Army Gp across Yalu River into Manchuria dur late Dec 50 and Jan 51, poses possibility that above reprd action was in progress earlier than stated. This is 1st rept associating Japanese pers with 9th CCF Army Gp, and it believed that if above action occurred, it was accomplished prior to 9th CCF Army Gp's recommitment along 38th Parallel. The units that have Soviet equip and atchd Arty and Tk Units are believed possibly to have relationship to prev reprd TF Units, the actual orgn of which unk.

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Ref INTSUM 3126 1 Apr; Par 1: IDOB, Sub-Para D. 40th CCF Army (Corps); a CCF PW capt'd 28 Mar, by US 187th Abn RCT, vic CS 2893, ident 360th Regt, 120th Div, 40th CCF Army (Corps). PW stated he deserted his unit 14 Mar while in Uijongbu area, as 40th CCF Army (Corps) was retreating NE. PW further stated that CCF tactics dur curr phase were to be as fol: If UN forces driving N from Seoul, were found to be sufficiently weak, the CCF forces would allow them to penetrate as far N as Tongduchon, in vic CS 2998. then, 39th, 40th, 42d and 50th CCF Armies (Corps) would atk from E and 27th, 60th and 66th CCF Armies (Corps) would atk from W. If however, UN forces are stronger than expected, the CCF will retreat N of 38th parallel and def. Comment: Such a plan described above might conceivably be in process execution but no definite conclusions can be drawn now, pending further confirmation. Mentioning of 60th CCF Army (Corps) indicates 60th Army (Corps), 18th CCF Army Gp, might possibly be loc somewhere within operational distance of front line; however, pending further confirmation, 60th CCF Army (Corps) not yet accepted.

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1. CG Eighth Army has rqstd info as fol:
 - A. What is the reinforcement capability of the en from standpoint of "Mongolian Trps"?
 - B. Will such trps be from Manchuria or Soviet Russia?
2. We are currently preparing answers to these questions from all locally aval data. Your views on these 2 questions are rqstd for inclusion in our reply to Eighth Army. Will appreciate your efforts to include views on Agenda for tomorrow.

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