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3 January 1949

En route to San Francisco, California (St. Francis Hotel.)

[redacted] called; is leaving for Canada on Friday, 7 January but will contact Deputy Director on return, about 17 January.

Personnel ceiling of 13 positions was established for the Office of Director for remainder of fiscal year 1949.

By memorandum to Exec Secy, NSC, the Secretary of Defense recommended monthly oral presentations to NSC by DCI to supplement the CIA World Situation Report. The recommendation will be discussed at next NSC meeting.
This has reference to call from General Todd on subject on 22 Dec.

Reference proposed legislation on visas--Mr. Fisher Howe, State, called Mr. Pforzheimer to say he would "concur completely with bill as it now stands provided DCI did not contact Mr. Lovett."

[redacted] called to say that the Voice of America was opening their Washington broadcasting station this afternoon -- North Penthouse, South Interior Building -- that the DD was invited to attend opening ceremonies.

[redacted] will call next week to arrange appointment to brief DD on activities of the working staff on Coordination of Foreign Information Measures.

Deputy Director called to request general information concerning [redacted] [redacted] now senior member of prominent law firm in Seattle; during war was either chief of MO Branch, OSS, or chief of the Far Eastern part of MO organization.
Mr. Little had expressed interest in work of OPC and had offered services if they could be used in any way -- [redacted] DCI will talk with Mr. Wisner about subject.

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Deputy Director also stated he had talked with Dr. Allen, who was member of Eberstadt Committee which submitted report on Scientific Intelligence. DD informed Dr. Allen that we had been successful in obtaining Dr. Machle to head Scientific Intelligence, which information was well received by Dr. Allen and he stated he would submit another memo to the Committee indicating the progress made.

Also advised the Deputy Director about the call from Budget Bureau concerning his length of "active government service"; about [redacted] trip to Honolulu and that he was to arrive in Los Angeles on 4 January. About the notice received concerning meeting of Selection Board to consider promotions. The Admiral and Col. Shannon will handle letter to the Selection Board with recommendation for promotion.

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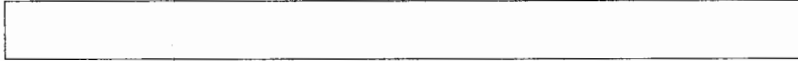
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4 January 1949

In San Francisco inspecting Inter-Agency Office and I&S branch office, etc.



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5 January 1949

En route to Los Angeles. In L.A. inspecting Inter-Agency Office and I&S branch office.

Deputy Director called concerning additional information on [redacted] Seattle. (Orig of SO #6160, Memo to DD from Exec Secy, SO, re subj - handed to DCI for information 1/5/49)

Col. A. D. J. Biddle, Foreign Liaison, ID, advised he would return to DD some T.S. material within the next few days.

Also requested translation of article appearing 4 January in Polish language newspaper published in New York, "NOWY SWIAT", believed written by Michael Zmirski, concerning Polish Army and Army High Command--and mentioning instructions for Polish Ambassador and for Polish M.A. Believes article has something to do with General Modelski.

Also asked to borrow the paper. Request cleared with [redacted] FDB/OO, who will obtain paper, have translation made, and forward both to Col. Biddle, advising this office when it has gone forward.

Later, Col. Biddle also advised that the Polish language paper, "DZIENNIK ZWIAZKOWY", published in Chicago, carried a similar article on 31 December, and they were desirous of obtaining the paper and translation. Stated we would be interested in article. Requested [redacted] FDB/OO, to handle this request, and because of implied interest to this office, suggested copy of each translation be furnished the DD.

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6 January 1949

in Los Angeles inspecting Inter-Agency Office and I&S branch office.

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 advised that Army orders indicated Col. Schow would arrive in the States about 27 February, with 60 day delay authorized. Director informed.

Deputy Director advised of change in scheduled arrival.

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7 January 1949

En route from Los Angeles to Washington, D.C., arriving 1:30 P.M.



First monitored reports of foreign reaction to the President's State of the Union message were received and forwarded to Exec Secy, NSC.

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Col. Biddle reference step-son, [redacted] in town for today and tomorrow; desires General Wright to meet him; is hopeful of connection with CIA. Luncheon appointment arranged for 11 January, 12:30, at Col. Biddle's residence, 1314 - 28th St. N.W.

[redacted] reference NSCID 5--paragraphs 1 and 2 "such other agreements"; Col. Mead, ID, called regarding the "other agreements" and was told the only thing current and effective is NSCID 5 -- although previously there had been both NIA and IAB papers to cover.

[redacted] brought in draft of letter to Commanding General, Panama, on subject.

Col. Edwards, I&S, reference OFFIE case.

Capt. Neilond, ID, advised that the Intelligence conferences held in the Pentagon on Mondays and Thursdays have been discontinued.

[redacted] briefing DD on developments during past two weeks.

[redacted] SO, reference cables, etc.

[redacted] reference papers on [redacted] medical officer.

[redacted] reference new miniature camera in which DD may be interested. Will bring over next time in this area for DD's inspection.

Mr. Carey reference chief of [redacted] office; [redacted] acting, very well liked and capable. [redacted] designated chief, is former newspaper man, prominent and well liked. However, it was suggested that careful check be made to reaction of contacts to "newspaper man". DD also called to ADOO's attention the outstanding qualifications of the I&S representative in Seattle and suggested they might wish to check.

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Mr. Helms, SO, reference ADSO memo recommending two candidates to work
with General Hall, on

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11 January 1949

With Director and Executive.

Mr. Houston, General Counsel, reference NICHOLAI POPPE case, Verified certain background information with General R. L. Walsh regarding subject; subject under British control but British had approached Gen. Walsh several times with view to having EUCOM take over control. OPC(Offie) has now requested subject be brought to US for use. Checked with Mr. Wisner to determine that he was cognizant of background. Mr. Wisner stated subject had been highly recommended by several British universities and that subject would be most valuable for their purpose.

Col. Graling, Foreign Liaison, ID, reference news item, Paris dateline of 8 January, New York Sunday Times--statement that General Jean De Lattre de Tassigny, Commander Ground Forces, Western Union, had been invited to this country for visit. Col. Graling had checked with Army and State and apparently no one had information about proposed visit. DD stated we were not involved. Verified this fact with Mr. Kingsley, OSO. Col Graling added they were querying MA, Paris, with copy to DELWU, London, and EUCOM, for any information on news release.

[] reference Report of Sub-Committee on Medical Intelligence of the Committee on Medical and Hospital Services of the Armed Services.

DD called General Cabell, AF, in connection with above report inasmuch as minutes of last IAC meeting reflected the AF had "non-concurred" in recommendations embodied in subject report Subcommittee headed by the AF representative, Col. Otis O. Vincent, Jr. Report submitted to Secretary of Defense over signatures of the three Surgeon Generals and Dr. Paul Hawley. Gen. Cabell will determine if report was submitted to SecAir Force and/or Chief of Staff because non-concurrence was by Air Intelligence.

The Report of Sub-Committee was forwarded to Dr. Machle for study.

Mr. Carey, OO, reference arrival of two defectees on or about 12 January via MATS; under Air Force control; to alert his people.

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Mr. Carey, OO, reference DD's memo regarding suggested changes in operation of Inter-Agency offices, with particular reference to "auto transportation" and "investigation of sources in the area".

[redacted] SO, reference SO cables, etc.

Col. Galloway to say "hello".

Dr Machle, ADSI, reference [redacted] projects.

Col. Shannon, Mr. Houston, Mr. Pforzheimer reference inclusion of salary for DD in legislation on pay rates.

Lunched with Col. Biddle and step-son, [redacted] at the Biddle residence, 1314 - 28th St. N. W.

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12 January 1949

With Director and Executive.

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Mr. Kingsley, OSO, reference [Redacted] step-son of Col. Biddle;
possible applicant.

[Redacted]

[Redacted] OO, reference operation of field offices -- suggested changes;
observations of recent visit.

[Redacted] -- personal.

Mr. Houston, General Counsel, reported additional information in N.
POPPE case.

Mr. Howard, VA, Assistant Administrator for Claims, reference case of
[Redacted] San Francisco area--personal.

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Mr. Carey reference recent lecture by Mr. Andrews, Management Branch,
to group of MA's in G-2 preparatory to foreign assignments.
DD will discuss matter with Executive.

[redacted] OO, reference growing contact between Chief, Contact Branch,
and [redacted] of OSO.

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14 January 1949

With Director and Executive.

Director's Weekly Staff Conference.

Conference: Mr. Carey, Mr. Kirkpatrick,
Mr. Babbitt
Dr. Andrews

[redacted]
[redacted] Mr. Shannon

Reference observations at Inter-Agency offices recently visited; suggested changes and procedures to be promulgated.

[redacted] FDB/00, reference completed translations of Polish articles requested by Col. Biddle; will be delivered by special messenger today--copy to be provided DD.

Mr. Carey, 00, would like to see IAC minutes in order to check on matters pertaining to 00. DD stated that ADOO could not receive minutes but an arrangement could be effected whereby the Assistant Directors could receive IAC minutes on regular routing before papers are filed by DCI.

[redacted] and Mr. Shannon reference erroneous information given by Mr. Andrews, Management Branch, at recent lecture to MA's in G-2; queried "why" Mr. Andrews should be lecturing; and the fact that speakers should be thoroughly informed before making lectures.

Security Board meeting: Mr. Houston, Col. Edwards, [redacted]
Mr. Shannon and stenotypist -- to consider security case of

Dr. Andrews and [redacted] OCD, reference request by Matthew Fox for appointment with Admiral Souers. (DCI discussed matter with Adm. Souers, who agreed to see subject on DCI's recommendation. (2:30 PM, 14 January) Mr. Carey informed, and was requested to have Mr. Kirkpatrick confirm with Souer's office and Mr. Fox. (Representative of the American*Indonesian Corporation, and declared representative of the Indonesian government.)

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[redacted] personal.

[redacted] ICAPS --reference initiation by JCS of a study of "wartime" operation of CIA.

Lunched in office.

Army and Navy reported there had been no messages (cable traffic) out of [redacted] 7 AM today. OSO requested to query field stations for further information.

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With Director and Executive.

Mr. Warner reference proposed legislation to cover salary of Director, Deputy Director, etc.

Reference lack of cable traffic from [] 13 January:

Message from [] stated there was no indication whatsoever of severance of communication. Communications appeared normal.

Message from [] indicated there had been no break in communications.

Message from [] indicated everything was normal.

OSO furnished the additional information that according to the old calendar, 13 January was New Year for Great Orthodox Church--which may have occasioned lack of traffic.

ORE advised the [] Government had expressed regret at delay in traffic due to "technical" reasons.

[]
DD reported to Mr. Lay, for ExecSecy, NSC, that everything appeared normal.

Mr. Carey, OO, reference discussion with Mr. Kirkpatrick regarding official CB contact with []

[]--personal.

Col. Biddle, Foreign Liaison, ID, expressed appreciation for translations of articles in Polish language newspapers.

Major Baird, AF, reported he had been working on the medical/^{intelligence}report and had been discussing report with General Cabell. Queried if CIA had received copy of the report for comment. DD advised that copy had been received for information but comment was not requested.

Major Baird stated he had talked with Dr. Machle about subject. DD stated that if we were asked to comment, we would have to disagree with recommendation that there should be a separate medical intelligence agency and recommend that medical intelligence be incorporated within the intelligence divisions of the services and CIA. We plan to go ahead with our own medical intelligence branch within the OSI, for our own purposes.

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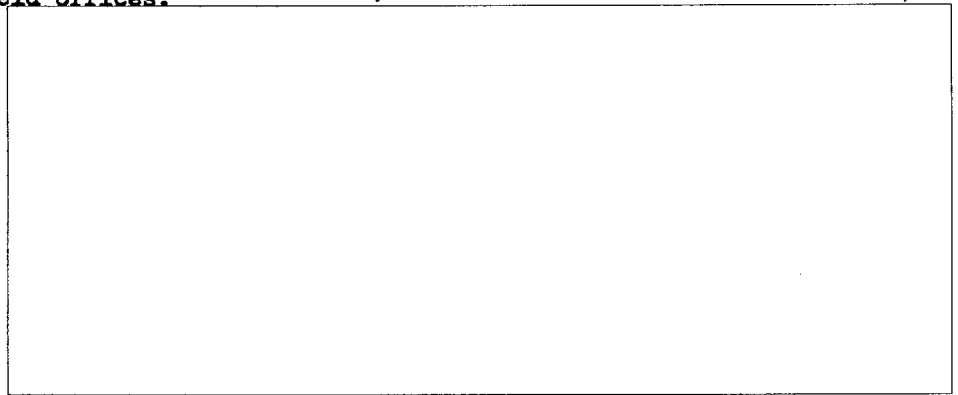
Discussed draft of revised Special Funds Regulations with Executive;
later with DCI.

General Chas. Y. Banfill,, Armed Forces Staff College, Norfolk, --
personal.

Col. Edwards, I&S, reference OPC request for clearance of []
DCI had talked with Mr. Wisner about case but will discuss
case with him again.

[] OCD, reference inventory to be made in OCD Library
of JCS papers on hand. Copy of inventory to be forwarded to
Advisory Council for information and to permit them to determine
those papers which had not been made available to Advisory Council.
A copy of each paper received is to be forwarded to A.D. for
briefing and file.

Mr. Kirkpatrick,
With Director, Mr. Carey, Col. Sterling, /and Contact Branch representatives
from field offices:



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[] reference trip and OSO matters.


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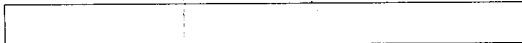
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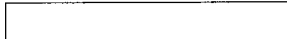
Mr. Saunders and  reference commodity currency.

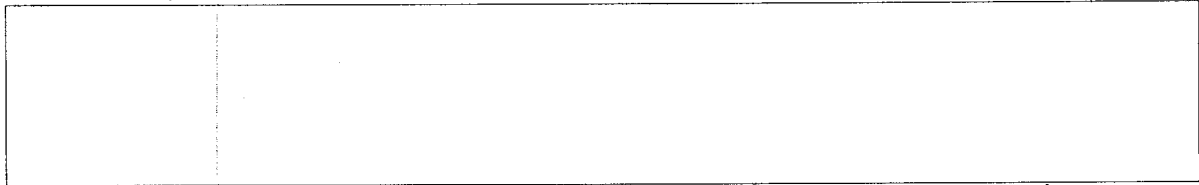


Mr. Shannon reference conference with Bureau of Budget on personnel ceiling, budget, etc.



Attended presentation by Ambassador Wiley of Iran.



Forwarded copy of letter of commendation of Col. Galloway to General Gillem, 5C565 Pentagon, for use by Selection Board.
(Col. Noble, recorder - Ext. 71753)

 OPC, reference Mr.  Seattle (former OSS
MO chief)



Col. Hughes, ID, GSUSA, reference letter being prepared by SecArmy to SecDefense on coordination of service attache system. Stated that Secretary of Navy had recommended that action be initiated by the SecDefense to determine degree of progress being made in collection overseas in accordance with NSC directive.
State had issued directive to field based on the NSC directive.
Any progress report should be issued by the Secretary of State.

 NEG, reference  project proposed by Dr. Gilfallen and alternative suggestion of DCI in reply to Air Force (23039).

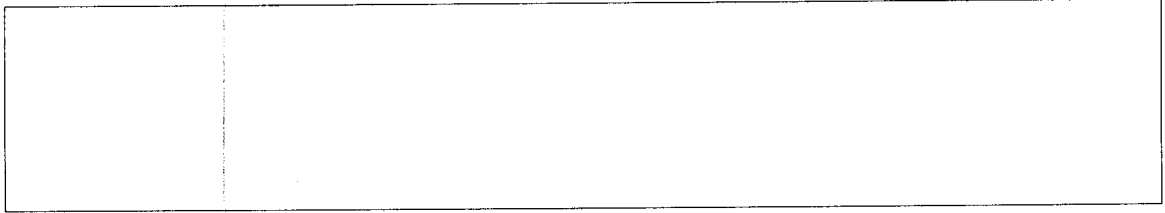
 OSO, reference status of action to be based on findings and recommendations of Board in case of Mr. 

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[redacted] OSO, reference Army ruling which precludes the recall to active duty of certain OSO personnel for temporary periods in grade above lieutenant.

[redacted] will submit complete file and DD will consult General Brooks regarding the problem involved.

Dr. Colby, AEC, reference suggested alternate (Mr. Arnold Kramish).

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Mr. Howard, VA, reference claim of [redacted]

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18 January 1949

With Director.

Col. Galloway called regarding letter of commendation.

Mr. Shannon, Executive, reference case of [] requested by SO to be moved from [] to OSO. Decision to keep in [] and Mr. Shannon will so inform interested offices.

Reference space problem. Deputy Director will discuss further with DCI because additional space can only be procured as a result of Presidential directive.

Reference requirement by NEG for additional clerical personnel (several CAF-4's or 5's); handled.

[] OSO, reference recall to temporary active duty of OSO personnel in view of ruling that only grade of lieutenants may be so recalled. DD will discuss with General Brooks.

MR. KRAMISH to be AEC employee --alternate to Dr. Colby--to report about 1 February; only needs a little indoctrination by []

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With Director.

Conferred with Maj. Gen. Edward H. Brooks, GS, P&A, reference active duty requirements for career agents.

Particular case in reference: action initiated for recall of Mr. George Aurell to replace Lt. Col. Robert Delaney (Supporting file forwarded by OSO and transmitted to [] for further handling.)

DD reported results of conference with Gen. Brooks to []

[] reference additional clerical personnel — necessary action taken by Deputy Exec for two additional people; action also taken with regard to reclassification.

[] reference meeting with Dr. Machle to be held in DD's office. Date not set due to Dr. Machle's absence.

DD queried [] Deputy to Mr. Helms, OSO, regarding report on [] which had been made in 1946-1947. [] reported the report had been sent to the field and no copy remained in OSO.

[] Communications, reference message to be forwarded via OSO to Minister, Amer Embassy, Budapest, at request of State regarding replacement for [] (ER 0-2934)

[] OSO - cables, etc.

With Director to confer with General Irwin and General Bolling regarding []


Mr. Shannon reference OPC space and budget.

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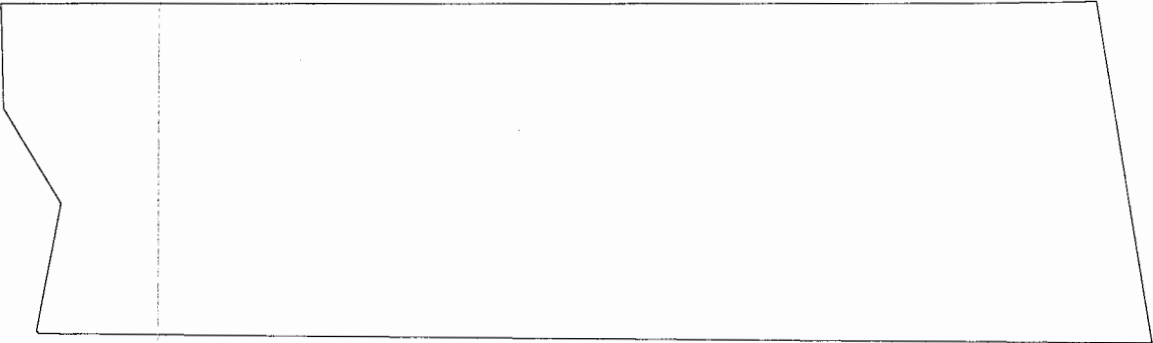
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Director conferred with Mr. Souers, NSC, 

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Mr. McCarthy, ICAPS, reference activity of the SANACC subcommittee on psychological warfare. Have now undertaken the redefinition of p.w.

Mr. Wisner, OPC, was informed of above activity on part of the subcommittee. He will check into the matter and have continuing check on activity of the subcommittee.

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[redacted] - reference appointment for 1030 Tuesday 25, January.

[redacted] OCD, reference inventory of JCS and SANACC papers.

Also reference arrangements to be made for passes to JCS headquarters for liaison officers: Donald W. Stetson and George T. Heacock. DD requested Chief, I&S to handle.

Mr. Kingsley reference suggested appointment for interview with Mr. [redacted] in Philadelphia. DD will arrange through Col. Biddle.

Also reference [redacted] contract renewed on 2-year basis.

Col. Biddle — appointment arranged for luncheon 25 January, Army-Navy Club; further details to be made at that time for Mr. Kingsley to contact [redacted]

[redacted] reference RAND project; some of people had been talking with [redacted] DD had discussed general background of RAND with [redacted] When Gen. Cabell introduced Dr. Spires and Dr. Henderson to DD he stated that the Air Force was in no way sponsoring the Project.

Mr. Mackey, Immigration & Naturalization, code 1237 x 344, reference German concert pianist, Walter GIESEKING, who had just arrived in NY for concert. Suspected Nazi collaborator. I&N had been informed subject had been cleared in Germany by CIA. DD checked with OSO [redacted] who knew of subject from OSS days but there had been no official connection. Believe CIC had checked subject rather than CIA. Cable going out to field to verify this fact. Mr Mackey informed.

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Col. Edwards, I&S, [redacted]

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[redacted] advised house obtained for Col. Schow at 4219 Alton Place NW.
(Just off Wisconsin Ave. at 42nd St.)

Dr. [redacted] OSI, reference personnel.

Dr. [redacted], OSI, and Capt. Tietjen, Medical Div. - reference Medical
Intelligence Report submitted to OSD and forwarded to CIA for
information.

[redacted]

Mr. Helms, OSO--reference [redacted] DD suggested he call AD/OPC's
attention to cable and urge coordination.

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With Director.

[redacted] -- applicant. (Given Forms 57 and PHS).

[redacted] ICAPS--reference NSC staff paper on peacetime planning for War-time conduct of overt psychological warfare. DD suggested he talk with Mr. Wisner.

Col. Edwards, Chief, I&S, advised that the mission to Venezuela to survey possibilities of sabotage to oil fields will return tonight and report tomorrow.

Col. Edwards, I&S, reference request by OO for use of RUTH/^(EISLER)FISCHER (FISHER) as consultant on WAE basis (\$50 pd). Case discussed with DCI, Mr. Carey, and Col. Edwards and it was directed that OO review their request. If it is actually determined to be necessary to use subject, it is recommended that it be handled on a "job" basis, with payment from unvouchered funds. It is deemed inadvisable to employ subject on government payroll status. Chief, I&S, requested that if subject is used, he be informed in order to permit him to advise the FBI.

Mr. Carey, OO, reference TS report [redacted] covering Soviet plans for East-West conflict. (Copies of report disseminated to President, NSC, and OSD.)

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Lunched at Army-Navy Club with Col. Biddle. Arrangements made for meeting of Mr. Kingsley, OSO, with Mr. [redacted]

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Mr. Richard Davis, Newsweek Magazine, reference appointment for 0930
Wednesday, 26 January.

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Mr. Houston, General Counsel, in connection with letter recently sent
to State concerning "passports".

DCI requested [Redacted] to discuss certain
Navy cables from Adm. Badger re ESD personnel with DD on Wednesday AM.

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26 January 1949

With Director.

Mr. Kingsley, OSO, reference appointment to meet Mr. [redacted] at River Club, E 52nd St., Philadelphia, at 10 AM, Monday, 31 January. N. Y. C.

[redacted] and Mr. Lloyd George, OSO, reference [redacted] personnel.

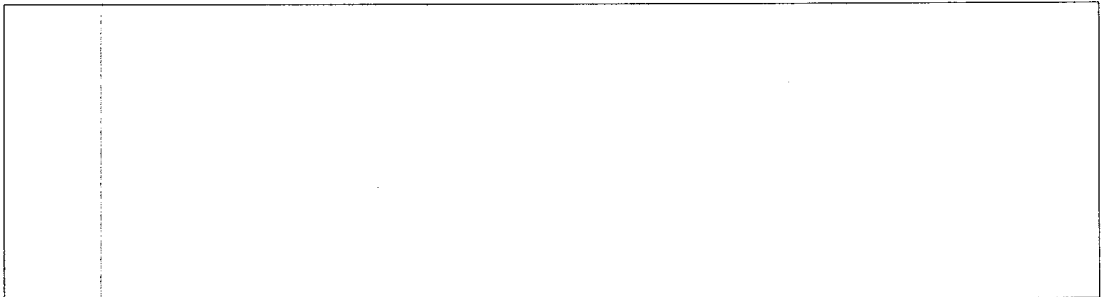
Mr. Shannon, reference A&M Project #22-49-1 reference garage. Approved by DD; to discuss with DCI.

[redacted] and Mr. Shannon reference DCI's request for comments on the Dulles Report "Conclusions and Recommendations" regarding their particular activities. Comments due 15 February. (By memo, comments also requested from AD/ORE, AD/OO, and AD/OCD)

Inventory of JCS, JIC, SWNCC, SANACC, etc. papers in ORE and OCD files given to Advisory Council for information.

Mr. Carey, OO, reference Weekly Target List put out by Contact Branch for guidance of Field Offices. Retention had been extended from two weeks to one month by DCI; additional extension granted by DD to "indefinite retention".

Mr. Lay, NSC, reference additional copy of Dulles Report made available to DCI on loan basis--may have as long as required. DD stated we would need until 15 February.



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Brigadier Chapman reference Patterson Knight -- who desires job.
Luncheon appointment scheduled for 1 PM, 1 February, LaSalle Du Bois.

[REDACTED] I&S, reference policy guidance for supplying intelligence reports to Agriculture.

Reference request for clearance of personnel for OSI, S&S Unit.

Col. Babbitt reference preparation of comment on the Dulles Report.
(Authorization to reproduce denied.)

[REDACTED]

DD discussed with DCI and advised that candidate must be transferred to OSO and also accept assignment on the 2-year contract basis.

Lunched in office.

Mr. Shannon reference move of NEG from South to M Building. Approved.

[REDACTED]

Mr. Richard Davis, NEWSWEEK Magazine, reference article on China.
Also with reference to rumor concerning CIA-Latin American Branch.

[REDACTED] OSO, requested authority to have Mr Kermit Roosevelt go to New York to contact General Donovan regarding his preparation of Preface to the OSS History. Printing being held up pending receipt of his comments. Approved.

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With Director.

Director's Weekly Staff Conference.

[redacted] OSO, reference State Department communication regarding Ambassador Smith's remarks regarding efficiency report of [redacted] Moscow. (23092)

Mr. Babbitt, ORE, further discussion regarding candidate for assignment to EUCOM.

Mr. DeLoach, FBI, reference membership of IAC. Query as result of recommendation of permanent membership on Committee of Director, FBI. (Picked up most recent communication from Intel. Research Bureau.)

Mr. Shannon reference situation at Warehouse.

[redacted] OCD,--SR-38, Japan, delivered to Mr. Gibson, Asst. Secretary of Labor, at DCI's request. Liaison officer reported, after discussion with Mr. Gibson, that a copy of recent working paper issued by ORE/FE-P Br. (SECRET) would be most helpful. DD authorized dissemination of paper to Mr. Gibson after [redacted] has discussed matter with Mr. Babbitt.

Mr. Shannon reference airplane travel in Europe--will require DCI signature.

Reference reassignment of [redacted] OSO.

Mr. McCarthy reference draft paper of SSE 14/4 - proposed SANACC 304/18 - Definition of the term "Psychological Warfare". Opinion to be expressed by CIA representative and was seeking guidance. DD referred paper to [redacted] OPC, for information and comment prior to 1 February. (ER O-3015.)

[redacted] OCD - reference liaison with International Bank.

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Mr. [] ORE -- further discussion on possible assignment []
No decision.

Mr. Houston reference Karaghiosev; to be married 13th--thus solving citizenship problem.
USES had referred subject to Army Map Service--who were very much interested.
Mr. Houston obtained permission to indicate to their Personnel people our interest in subject.

Mr. Carey, OO, reference case of employment of individual at [] security clearance had been turned down [] no interest in hiring individual.

Mr. Carey reference Mr. Kirkpatrick's discussion with State regarding Passport Division being good source of material. State suggested contact thru Mr. Peurifoy. DD stated OO should go ahead and endeavor to make arrangements for this information but did not believe approach should be by DCI at this time.

Lunched in office.

Col. Edwards and Venezuelan mission reported to DCI and report submitted to NSC.

Col. Galloway -- personal --

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28 January 1949

Conferred with Maj. General Almond.

[redacted] ORE-Latin American Br. x 2326, reference presentation of Air Medal to [redacted] DD will make presentation at 1000, 2 February. [redacted] will deliver Medal and Citation to DD; and will extend invitation on behalf of the DD to selected ORE personnel to be present at presentation.

[redacted] -- reference cable from Ambassador Kirk, Brussels, reference [redacted] project. ADSO has prepared suggested reply.

[redacted] ASA (code L47 x 221) reference indication that [redacted] has been blown. DD stated he did not believe subject was under our control however did not preclude possibility of connection with [redacted] or OPC. [redacted] will check further and advise.

DCI reference action on Nikolai POPPE.

Mr. Shannon reference meeting with Assistant Directors (except OPC) for discussion of better dissemination of internal administrative information.

[redacted] reference status of [redacted] Meeting will be set up for further discussion.

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[] - appointment cancelled.

Lunched in office.

Mr. Helma, OSO, reference report from field on Walter GIESEKING, German pianist: had never had anything to do with case; had not investigated individual; never had had any of the records; took no part in it whatsoever.

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31 January 1949

Mr. Carey will be gone from office for several weeks due to crushed knee-

can. [redacted] Deputy, in Arizona for one week but during his absence, Mr. Kirkpatrick has been designated Acting ADOO.

[redacted] OSD, reference desire for briefing on current status of [redacted] Meeting will be arranged for later today, if possible, for further discussion with [redacted] and Mr. Helms. Meeting scheduled for 1030, 1 February.

Reference [redacted] cable regarding GIESEKING. OSO field personnel had had nothing whatsoever to do with investigation of individual. This information relayed to Mr. Mackey, Immigration and Naturalization, who had queried this office 24 January regarding subject.

Mr. Shannon reference P.B.X. situation.

Further discussion with Mr. Shannon, Mr. Houston, Mr. Pforzheimer and [redacted]

Mr. Shannon reference request from Dr. Machle, ADSI, for authority to pay tuition to Russian Language School. Request denied.

Mr. Souers, NSC, reference call from Mr. Eberstadt requesting interview for his daughter and school friend for employment by CIA. Interviewed Miss Ann Eberstadt, 435 East 52nd Street, N. Y. C., and Miss Nancy Martin, 3902 Ingomar Street, W. D. C. Both students at Bryn Mawr--to graduate in June. Were given Forms 57 and PHS to return to DD's attention.

The first weekly meeting of Assistant Directors (except AD/OPC) only was called for 1430 hours, 1 February, Rm 2216 M Bldg. This is to provide better understanding and closer coordination of administrative procedures.

[redacted] advised list of guests to be present on Wednesday 2 February for presentation of Air Medal to Lt. Col. T. P. Wright. [redacted] will bring Medal and Citation to DD's office at 0915 1 February.

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[] ID, and DCI regarding [] draft of letter for Gen. Bradley's signature cleared with CIA prior to signature and transmittal to EUCOM.

[] ICAPS, reference ICAPS comments on Dulles Report.

[]--personal.

Col. Galloway--to say "goodbye".

General Bradley--personal.

Col. Edwards reference badges for two liaison officers from OCD to JCS Headquarters.

Gen. Todd also mentioned to Col. Edwards that Gen. Gruenther had expressed desire to have two ORE research and analysis experts to work closely with his staff. General Wright will discuss further with Gen. Todd.

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1 February 1949

With Director.

Mr. Wisner reference OPC comments on [redacted]

had not had sufficient time to prepare comments.
Paper returned to Mr. MacCarthy for SANACC Subcommittee meeting
this morning.

[redacted] ORE, reference arrangements for presentation of Air Medal
to Lt. Col. T. P. Wright, on 2 February. Air Force Public Relations
officer and photographer will also be present.

[redacted] and Mr. Helms for discussion of
status of Operation [redacted]

Lunch - LaSalle Du Bois - Brigadier Chapman --- and [redacted]
interested in job.

Major John M. White, Jr., Aide-de-camp to Gen. H. S. Vandenberg,
Chief of Staff, U. S. Air Force -- delivered paper. (ER O-3076)

[redacted] reference activities of Working Staff of Inter-
departmental Committee for Coordination of Foreign Information
Measures.

[redacted] reference study being made in ORE.

[redacted] reference Mr. Jesse McKnight--will call for appointment.

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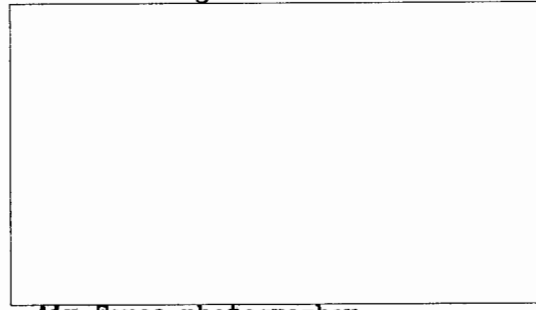
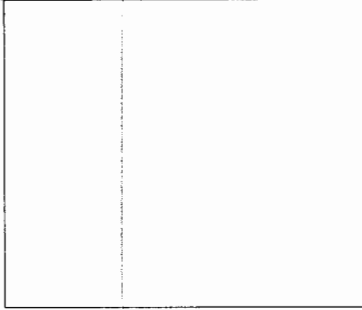
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2 February 1949

With Director.

Presentation of Air Medal to Lt. Col. T. P. Wright.



Air Force photographer
Air Force public relations officer

Col. Babbitt reference provisional clearance--hardship case.

Admiral Souers, NSC - reference Mr. Eberstadt's desire to publish the Eberstadt Report covering "Intelligence". Members of OSD staff are in disagreement with this desire. Director will discuss further with Mr. Souers.

[redacted] advised that Sir Edward Travis accompanied by Commander Coehnis, RN, would arrive in U.S. on March 28th.



Mr. Kirkpatrick advised Mr. Carey is in Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore.

ORE informed that copy of ORE Status Report will not be furnished to Reproduction Division in the future.

[redacted] reference suggestion that no mention be made by Mr. Harriman of Mr. [redacted] DD will handle.

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Mr. William Fraleigh, State x 5817 - Division of International Labor and Social Relations -- queried if DD or DCI had talked with Sec/Army Royall regarding "forced labor". DD stated that to his knowledge no such conversations had taken place.

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3 February 1949

With Director.

Director's Weekly Staff Conference.

Mr. Wisner, OPC, queried if his memo commenting on the re-definition of psychological warfare adequately met the requirements of Mr. McCarthy (CIA representative on SANACC Sub-committee currently considering subject). It was believed the memo was sufficient.

Dr. Machle, AD/OSI -- discussed general framework of OSI.
Recommended coordination and/or integration of OSO Scientific Branch with OSI.
Discontinuance of irregular liaison between OSO and ID and other agencies. All possible to be processed through OCD.

[redacted] reference mobilization plans for Advisory Council; cannot prepare adequate plan or determine needs until they have seen requirements of other offices.

General Bolling, ID, regarding nominations; General Irwin had discussed briefly with DCI on 2 February.

Col. Biddle, ID, reference [redacted] ---looking for job; salary no particular object.
DD checked with Mr. Kirkpatrick because [redacted] had been listed as "Contact Specialist" with the NY IAO.
Mr. Kirkpatrick will brief DD further regarding subject.

[redacted]

Mr. Harriman, ECA, Paris - presentation.

Dental appointment- [redacted]

With DCI and Mr. Lloyd George, OSO, regarding [redacted]

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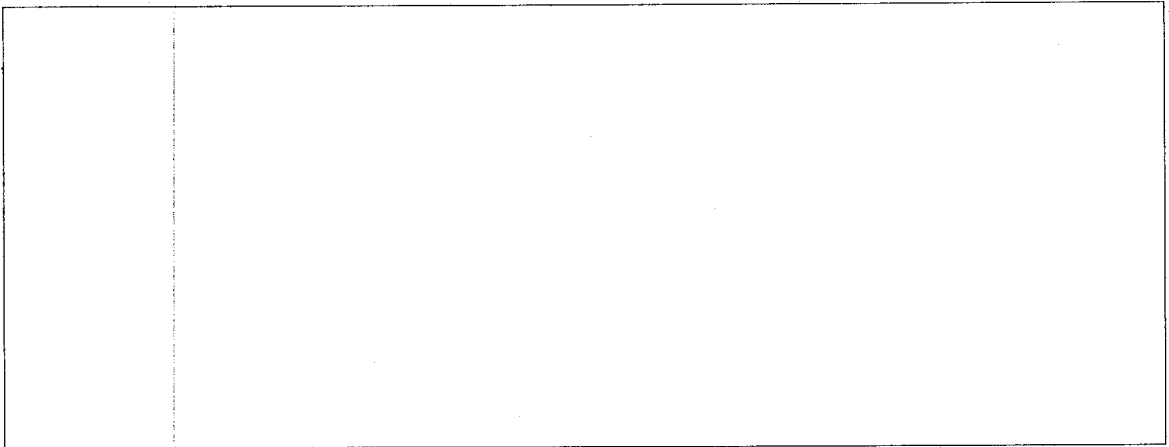
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Mrs. Elise Ray (John A.) - applicant. Recommended by Congressman Karst, Missouri.
Application on file. DD will request check to determine whether or not any suitable vacancy.

Lunched in office.



Mr. C. D. DeLoach, FBI liaison - introduced Mr. Lawrence, who will handle Mr. DeLoach's contacts during the next several weeks while Mr. DeLoach is in training.

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4 February 1949

With Director.

[redacted] reference visit of Mr. Kermit Roosevelt with General Donovan. Later Mr. Roosevelt discussed General Donovan's comments with the Director and Deputy Director.

General Bolling - in his office.

[redacted] OSO - reference paraphrase of cable to be sent to Mr. Harriman, ECA, Paris.

Also reference request for material made available to Army by General Modelski--OCD had been unsuccessful in obtaining and formal request by DCI was forwarded 19 January. No action to date.

[redacted] personal.

Mr. Jesse McKnight, ^(STATE ?) Commerce (Miss Mautner, Secy - x 2292) - tentative appointment for 1030 Tuesday 8 February.

Mr. Shannon reference possible request from Mr. Wisner to attend weekly meetings of the Assistant Directors.

Reference Mrs. Elise Ray--applicant. Was handed Personnel copy of letter to Congressman Karst regarding subject together with copy of Mr. Karst's letter with enclosure, as well as information sheet on subject furnished by Legislative Liaison Div.

[redacted] reference cable concerning visit of Sir Travis and Comdr. Loehnis. [redacted] informed of certain contents.

Mr. DeLoach, FBI liaison.

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General Brooks - personal.

Dr. Machle, at a meeting on medical intelligence, was asked the position CIA was taking regarding the subject. Dr. Machle replied that CIA was prepared to handle medical intelligence; that it should be centralized in CIA, as intended by law; that it would be impracticable to place it elsewhere, for example, in the NME; that medical intelligence must be considered in relation to biological warfare, etc., which come under Scientific heading. DCI concurred in Dr. Machle's views.

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[] personal.

Captain Tom Hill, 131 x 5066, member of JCS Committee, of which Lt. Gen. Harman is chairman - General Rice, Army member, and 2 Navy members-- desired information on industrial intelligence as related to effects of atomic bombing. DD will brief committee at 1500 hours today, Rm 2D235 Pentagon

Col. May x 71525 - personal.

General Bradley reference desire of Thomas G Lanphiere, formerly with VA Dallas, to become associated with CIA. DD suggested that General Bradley might wish to suggest that the subject either call or write General Wright for an appointment. Obtained background information on subject from General Lewis.

Mr McKnight, State x 2292, cancelled appointment for 8 February--due to budget hearings. Miss Mautner of his office will inform []

(from Shanghai)

Mr. Fritz Schick, Mayflower Hotel/- presented letter to General Wright from Col. "Dick" McDonnell.

DD called Mr. Wisner, OPC, and suggested someone from OPC contact Mr. Schick at 2:30 today. It was suggested this be done prior to Mr. Schick's appointments with Messrs. McGinnis and Watson Miller of Immigration and Naturalization. Subject is stateless. Speaks, reads, and writes fluently English, French, German, Italian, etc.

Mr Kirkpatrick, CB/OO - reference ID sending field representatives to the IAOs without first checking names with Contact Branch.

DD called this to General Bolling's attention (ID) and it was recommended that any nomination by Army should be submitted in writing to permit us to raise an objection if deemed necessary.

Reference [] - no longer employed by Contact Branch; they do not wish to rehire. (Col. Biddle recently called about [])

Reference Tom Lanphiere - formerly VA, Dallas -- possible employee for Contact Branch.

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Mr. Pforzheimer - reference proposed amendment to the Internal Security bill - which had been concurred in by ADSO.

Mr. Wisner, OPC, expressed pleasure at receiving documents which originated by Mr. Lewis Brown, NYC, through General Vandenberg.
ER O-3076 and ER O-3015 (3105?)

[redacted] - personal.

Mrs. Humphreys, R. L. Kane, Inc - personal.

Lunched in office.

General Bolling, ID - reference statement of Col. Sidney MASHBIR, AG - to the effect that "even at present time he was very much involved in intelligence -- particularly in the interest of CIA". Gen. Bolling queried if subject was working for us; answer "no". Checked with [redacted] OSO, and determined, however, that subject had actually been utilized by OSO for contact in connection with the Berlitz Language School. Col. Mashbir was involved in no way--was not hired for the purpose--and was only used to help on a contact. [redacted] /together with Adm Zacharias [redacted] was informed of subject's concerted effort/to establish ^(each other) himself as the #1 intelligence authority. It was recommended that OSO on no occasion in the future utilize subject in any way. Later in conference with Gen. Irwin and Gen. Bolling, briefed them on background of this particular incident.

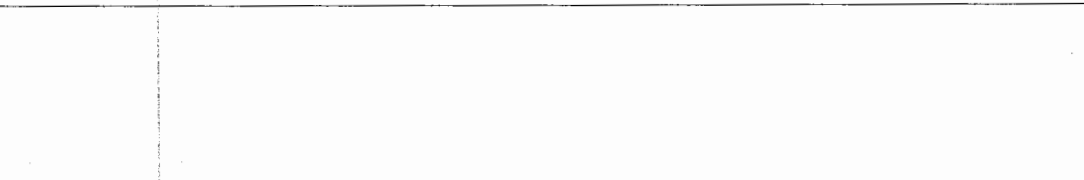
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Col. Shannon, Deputy Exec, reference assignment of 

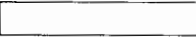

Reference series of six lectures to be given by Ruth (Eisler) Fischer, as requested by Contact Branch -- to be from Confidential Funds, and handled in such a way that her name will not appear on the contract. (Ref 1/25/49)


Mr. Fritz Schick, reported he had been interviewed by our man (OPC) 7 February, and gave him all the information he wanted. Also advised that he had talked with the Immigration and Naturalization people and they were to check his record with State Department. Stated further that he was leaving the Mayflower for private residence and would advise the address and phone number.


Mr. Kingsley, OSO, reference his meeting with Mr.  in NYC.

Appointment was scheduled for Comdr. Sheppard to introduce Brig. Howard, replacement for Brig. Chapman, to the DCI and DD on 10 February.

Mr. Houston, General Counsel, reference developments in case of 

Conference:  OCD, and  ORE, regarding requirements of the Harmon Board (JCS Committee).

 OSO, reference Col. Mashbir and incident of 2/7/49.

Mr. Houston and  reference individual who "went ambling on his own"; will ask the Bureau to pick him up.

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General Bolling, ID, reference cable from General Clay to General Bradley in connection with the transfer of [] to CIA. ID is sending [] to Berlin 9 February to discuss further with General Clay. Queried if we desired to send a representative. Later, [] ID, conferred with DCI, DD and Mr. Helms, OSO, regarding subject. *(ODEUM)

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9 February 1949

With Director.

Col. Edwards, I&S, submitted information on David K. Newman, as requested by DD 2/3/49, for use in connection with reply to Congressman Karst's letter of 2/2/49 (ER 0-3099) on subject.

Later, Mr. Pforzheimer hand-carried the information to Cong. Karst together with the enclosures forwarded with Cong. Karst's original communication.

Col. Sterling, DADCO, obtained permission to deliver copy of the Dulles' Report together with proposed OO comments to Mr. Carey in Baltimore.

Col. Shannon, Deputy Exec, - further information on

Mr. Houston, General Counsel, reference communications contractor in hands of Receiver; Letter dispatched indicating confidential nature of contract and designating as our representative.

Mr. Henry Curran, formerly Branch 12 VA, en route to Paris with ECA. Appointment scheduled for Friday, 1030 hours.
(Mr. Kearn c/o Personnel Officer, ECA)

Mr. McCarthy, ICAPS, reference meeting of SANACC Subcommittee on Redefinition of Psychological Warfare. Draft paper delivered to Mr. Wisner, OPC, for comment and return.

Mr. Thomas G. Lanphier, VA Dallas - applicant. Appointment arranged to talk with Col. Sterling and Mr. Kirkpatrick, OO, on Thursday, 1015 hours.

Col. Edwards, I&S, reference security case of -
DD will discuss with DCI.

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10 February 1949

With Director.

Discussed security case of [redacted] with Director.
Informed Col. Edwards, I&S, of discussion.

Col. Sterling, OO, reference urgent call received from State (Fisher Howe?) requesting Contact Branch to contact 9 Hungarians. White Paper being prepared by State.

I&S advised Contact Branch that the FBI requested that we "lay off" making contact with subjects for one week.

Discussed with Director.

Col. Sterling advised that contact with FBI should be through regular Contact Branch channels--and that if FBI still insists that we not make contact for a week or so, that State be so informed.

DD signed CIA-15-49, 8 February 1949 - Application for Frequency Assignment--

Director's Weekly Staff Conference.

Mr. T. G. Lanphier, Dallas - introduced to Col. Sterling and Mr. Kirkpatrick.

[redacted]

Comdr. C. S. Sheppard, BJSN (Naval Delegation) introduced Brigadier E. A. Howard, successor to Brigadier Chapman.

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Mr. Lanphier reported results of discussion with Col. Sterling and Mr. Kirkpatrick; will submit PHS at later date when completed.

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Mr. Angleton, OSO - reference term of contract with Length of time intentionally omitted to facilitate operational handling.

Mr. Shannon, Deputy Exec, reference Army Reserve Unit -- will arrange for Mr. Andrews, Management Officer, to talk with appropriate people in the Army.

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11 February 1949

With Director.

Col. Sterling, OO, leaving for Baltimore to consult with Mr. Carey; to deliver copy of Dulles report and OO comments for Mr. Carey's information.

Mr. Shannon, Dep. Exec - reference Elise Ray - applicant.

reference FBIB intercept.

Lunched in office.

Mr. Henry Curran, formerly VA Br. 12, en route Paris with ECA.

Mr. Houston, General Counsel -reference case being processed thru Immigration & Naturalization of primary interest to OPC.
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14 February 1949

In New York.

By memorandum dated 11 February (ER O-3227), Mr. Houston, General Counsel advised that the President of Radio Development and Research Corporation had been able to satisfy the court that it can meet any outstanding obligations and therefore it is expected we can proceed under the contract without further interruption. Mr. Houston further advised that the U. S. Commissioner had extended apologies for the trouble occasioned by proceeding too quickly without full investigation of facts.

Mr. Pforzheimer advised that the Senate Armed Services Committee would have hearing on CIA legislation on 18 February, 1000 hours and urged the DCI attend. However, DCI stated the DD would attend in his absence. Later it developed that this would be a hearing by the subcommittee (approximately 9 or 10 members) but that the DD would still be required to attend. Mr. Pforzheimer has brief for DD's use.

Col. Edwards, Chief I&S, requested loan of FBI document: "Summary of Soviet and Satellite Espionage and Communist Activities in the U.S." in order to permit him to index names contained in document. DD will advise whether or not this is possible because DCI had previously stated subject document would be retained in his office only.

Checked with Services Office regarding request by DD for up-to-date list of all property issued to the DD on Memorandum Receipt. This is in preparation and should be forwarded within the next day or so.

General Bolling, ID, called. The DD will return call on Tuesday.

Captain Hill, and members of Harmon's Board, will arrive about 2 PM Tuesday for inspection of OCD machine records facilities. Dr. Andrews alerted.

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By memorandum the Chief, I&S, advised that the Atomic Energy Commission
"had cleared clearance for [redacted]
[redacted] for access to restricted atomic energy data".

[redacted] ICAPS, requested to see TS 021831 - copy of General
Bolling's letter of 12 January to Commander-in-Chief, Caribbean
Command, on the subject of "Central Intelligence Agency" and
enclosing copy of NSCID 5.
Copy recalled from OSO and made available to [redacted]

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With Director.

General Bolling regarding General Hasal -- Czech -- queried if we could use subject.

Also regarding Col. E. C. Ewart, MA, Denmark. Have asked for report on subject by [redacted] It was expressly suggested that information on subject not be obtained from Mr. Tomlinson, Air Attache, who is currently in States.

[redacted] Advisory Council, reference French problem. Plans for closer coordination of [redacted] service and matters of common concern.

Mr. Fritz Schick - reported on action of Immigration and Naturalization-- will return to W.D.C. next week.

[redacted] ICAPS, reference NSC studies.

Miss [redacted] -- reference change of assignment.

Col. Babbitt, ORE, -- discussion of different types of [redacted] reports.

Mr. Kingsley, OSO -- regarding [redacted]

[redacted]

Reference [redacted] 11 February and [redacted] 27 January, DD advised CURTIS that DCI and DD did not desire copies of the T.S. Weekly Intelligence Digests of Soviet and Satellite Countries [redacted]

Lunched in office -- with General John K. Rice.

Introduced General Rice to DCI.

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Col. Biddle -- reference appointment for Mr. Rettinger, former secretary and confidential advisor to the late General Sikorski. 10 AM Thursday, tentative.

Conference: Harmon Board members--
Lieut. General Hubert Harmon
Brig. Gen. John K. Rice
Capt. Thomas Hill, USN
Capt. Geo Anderson, USN
Col. Wm. Roper
Col. Kennedy

General background information on functions and organization of CIA.

Tour of inspection of OCD and ORE.

Col. Drum, OSO, reference arrangements for meeting Col. Schow.

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With Director.

Col. Biddle, ID, reference background information on Mr. Rettinger, former adviser to Gen. Sikorski; presently honorary secretary of European Movement, of which Churchill, Spaak, Blum, etc., are leaders.

[redacted] OSO, reference Mr. Rettinger; requested either [redacted] or representative [redacted] be present at interview because it is believed Mr. Rettinger has a suggested plan which may be of interest to OSO and/or OPC.

[redacted] ICAPS, reference IAC meeting scheduled for Friday.

[redacted] OCD, reported on Harmon Board inspection tour.

Mr. Shannon, Deputy Executive, reference space requirements of OPC-- additional space allocated to OPC in L Building.

Mr. Pforzheimer reference hearings on legislation. Tentative appearance by DD before Senate Armed Services Committee on Thursday, 10 AM.

[redacted] -- personal.

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Mr. Pforzheimer, Legislative Liaison, reference questions to be asked at House Armed Services Committee hearings on 18 February.

Requested background information on questions from ORE. Latest world situation report; latest figures on Russian troop strength-- and their disposition; general picture of Russian purchases of rubber; Indonesian situation; background information on Matthew Fox and the American-Indonesian Corporation; etc. CB/00 furnished information on Matthew Fox.

Mr. Jozef Retinger, Polish political agent (Plaza Hotel, NYC) - former advisor and secretary to the late General Sikorski -- and [] OSO.

[] reference his trip to North West and visits to Army and Naval installations.

Reference Dr. Colby's letter designating Dr Kramish as assistant. Checking with Dr. Machle, OSI, regarding Dr. Kramish.

[] ICAPS - method of drafting reply to Dulles Report. Reference agenda for IAC meeting 18 February.

Col. Babbitt, ORE, queried if permissible to have Mr. Hitchcock introduce Ambassador Bruce, Argentina, this afternoon; Col. Babbitt unable to be present.

Brigadier Howard, British Staff, reference visit of General Packard to US--arriving March 6th and departing March 14th, pm. Appointment arranged to see DCI and DD at 1215 March 14th, followed by lunch. (EX 1940 x 104)

[] reference copy of State Department outgoing cable to Embassy, Athens, re establishment of Greek psychological warfare unit. Copy to be furnished OPC for information.

Mr. Pforzheimer released translation of document to House Armed Services Committee.

Col. Smith, ID, x 2828, requested appointment with DD; scheduled for 1030 Wednesday, 23 February.

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Col. Shannon, Deputy Executive - project 00-16-49/1 - Foreign Intelligence Potential of American Scientists -- approved by DD.

Reference going to Baltimore to see [] regarding Army Reserve training program.

Proceeding with plans to obtain P-9 position from SecDefense.

[] I&S, to see G-2 on [] former warehouse employee.

Lunched in office.

OSI requested they have access to [] DD approved regular routing to AD/OSI. []

Director's Weekly Staff Conference.

Col. Edwards, Ch. I&S, reference recent request on JCS for JCS passes for our two liaison officers; Gen. Todd advises request will be denied because it is felt liaison officers do not have frequent need for ready access to JCS area and therefore do not require passes.

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[redacted] advised that as result of National Security Council meeting on Thursday, 17 February, decision made to leave in State the responsibility for peacetime planning for wartime conduct of overt psychological warfare.

[redacted] ID, had talked with [redacted] reference recent statement by Army that they would furnish one copy only of information cables. Army reconsidered and will continue to furnish cables in triplicate. It will be unnecessary for the DCI to write to the Sec/Army.

[redacted] OCD, informed that problem settled.

[redacted] CB/00 -- reference interest in Thomas G. Lanphier, applicant. As soon as Forms 57 and PHS received, will be forwarded to his attention.

House Armed Services Subcommittee -- regarding proposed legislation.

IAC Meeting.

Lunched in office.

Mr. Angleton advised that Col. Gaudefroy has been promoted to Brig. General and the DD requested him to prepare a letter of congratulations for the DD's signature.

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21 February 1949

With Director.

Briefed Director on interview with Mr. Jozef Retinger on 17 February.

Col. Babbitt, ORE, reference advice from [] that at IAC meeting on 18 February it was agreed that there should be another report of the world situation and possibility of war. Working levels to be contacted for meeting on Wednesday, 23 February, to endeavor to prepare final report for presentation at IAC meeting on 25 February. Later, Col. Babbitt advised that apparently the Intelligence Chiefs had not informed their various working levels of the requirements for final paper but that plans would be made for meeting on 23 Feb. As result, DD called General Irwin, ID, General Cabell, AF, and Mr. Fisher Howe, State, to request they alert their working staffs.

[] OSO, reference request for assignment of Lt. Col. Peers. Instructor at Command and General Staff School; our request denied with information that Col. Peers was to be assigned to troops. OSO particularly desire because of training in new techniques, etc. DD called General Bolling, ID, who asked that the request be forwarded to his attention and he would endeavor to obtain assignment of Col. Peers to CIA.

[] CB/OO, reference query from Mr. Hunt, NY IAC--arrangements to meet Col. Schow and facilitate arrival. To contact OSO man and offer assistance; coordinate with 2nd Army.

Mr. Borel, ORE, reference suggestion of 10 August []

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be taken.

No action to

Mr. Herbert Corey, National Business magazine --to write article on Intelligence Services; wants background information. DD stated we would have no comment to make and preferred no publicity of any kind. However, appointment arranged for 11 AM, Wednesday, 23 Feb. Mr. Corey acquaintance of []

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General Bolling, ID, reference report to be prepared [Redacted]
[Redacted] on Col. Ewart, MA.

Reference request for assignment to this Agency of Lt. Col. Peers;
Gen. Bolling will contact P&A to endeavor to obtain assignment.
Original request to P&A with P&A 1st Ind. forwarded for Gen. Bolling's
use.

Mr. Shannon, Deputy Executive, reported that Mr. Helms, OSO, would inter-
view [Redacted] regarding her assignment on Wednesday, 23 Feb.

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23 February 1949

With Director and Executive, ~~Director~~.

Mr. Babbitt, ADORE, reference proposed meeting of working level representatives of IAC agencies for preparation of report as suggested by IAC. Called Col. Smith, Chief, Intelligence Group, ID, to alert his staff.

Mr. Blandford, Chairman, House Armed Services Committee -- requested through Mr. Pforzheimer, background material for Mr. Sasscer's radio speech tonight covering request and need for "visas" as contained in CIA legislation. Cleared with DD and DCI.

Col. G. S. Smith, Chief, Intelligence Group, ID, and Mr. Robert H. McDowell (Rm. 2E761) requested guidance re handling of conflicting requirements of OSO and OPC; did not fully understand functions and lines of responsibility of OPC.

[redacted] Assistant to Mr. Kingsley, OSO, reference request by ID for memo from [redacted] covering Col. Ewart, MA, Copenhagen. Will check on status.

[redacted]
Partial shipment went forward 22 February with instructions from [redacted] balance of shipment went forward today with duplicate instructions. No charge to be indicated.

Col. Shannon reference proposed organization chart.

[redacted] reference findings of inspection trip [redacted]

Dr. Machle, OSI, reference endeavors to get medical intelligence activated; planning for absorption of the nuclear energy group; and provision for more orderly processing of scientific intelligence through OSI.

[redacted] ICAPS - reference meeting on NSC staff paper on organization of State Department planning group for overt use of propaganda in time of war.

[redacted] reference request for copy of "Souers" report on atomic energy intelligence to be made available to Dr. Machle, OSI.

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Mr. Herbert Corey, Nations Business, - referred to Executive; requested background information for article he proposes to write on the intelligence services.

Mr. Carey - reported back to duty.

-- cables.

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24 February 1949

With Director and Executive.

Director's Weekly Staff Conference.

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Mr. Houston, General Counsel, reference passport for OSO alien resident.

Maj. John M. White, Jr., USAF, Aide de Camp to Gen. Hoyt S. Vandenberg, C/S, USAF, - personal.

Mr. Pforzheimer, Leg. Liaison, - call from lawyer for Hilton Railey, ex G-2 colonel, 485 Madison Ave., NYC - MU 8-3880, res. phone: AL 4-6612 - Alan McNab Associates -- stated Mr. Railey had written to CIA but had received no reply; stated he was close friend of King PETER of Yugoslavia and that some people were leaving within next few days whom he believed would be of interest to CIA. Mr. Angleton, OSO, will contact Mr. Railey to obtain further details.

Mr. DeLoach, FBI Liaison, requested copy of HR 2663, proposed CIA legislation -- particularly interested in portion dealing with visas for aliens to be permitted each fiscal year.

General Irwin, ID, -- General Eisenhower had queried if General Hasal, Czech, was being used in any way. ID had controlled subject until finances for that purpose depleted; CIA had interrogated subject temporarily. General Irwin will determine interest in subject by Gen. Eisenhower and, if required, will request further financial assistance from CIA.

Mr. Carey, OO, alerted and necessary papers for project prepared in event they should be required.

[REDACTED] - appointment scheduled for 0930 hours, 25 Feb.

[REDACTED] reference passport for Mrs. Wright.

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24 February 1949 - 2

Mr. Angleton, OSO, reference message

General Lewis, AG, reference assignment of General Rice; had informed subject assignment could not be made until duty with ad hoc committee completed.

General Rice -- appointment scheduled for Friday afternoon 1530 hours -- although stated he would endeavor to come over at 1400 hours to do some preliminary reading.

Dr. Andrews, OCD, reference feasibility of microfilming "diary". Further discussion with Mr. Shannon, Deputy Executive. Work to be handled by Reproduction Unit.

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25 February 1949

With Director and Executive.

General Bolling, Deputy Director of ID, - regarding General Irwin's call of 25 Feb. concerning Czech Gen. Hasal. ID would like to use him for short time.

DD stated that CIA would assist ID financially. ID will sign blanket receipt to cover transaction; CIA will have no further responsibility or interest.

OO initiated project and delivered the \$300.

Mr. Herbert Corey, Nations Business -- will try to call DD again next week. Did not desire to talk with the Executive.

Mr. Shannon, Deputy Exec -

FORMS 57 and PHS of Miss Ebarstadt and Miss Martin turned over to Mr. Shannon, Deputy Exec - for further handling.

Mr. Albert Stowe, ME. 1259 - expressed regrets that the DD is leaving CIA. Requested information on Dr. J. K. Hasek, 1129 Vermont Ave. - Combined Agencies Corporation -- Czech; former banker in Prague; firm to do business with Belgian and French concerns. Checked with Contact Branch and OSO and informed that no record existed on either individual or firm name. Col. Stowe so informed.

- 2nd Army, G-3 - personal.

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Mr. Blandford, professional member, House Armed Services Committee, code 131 x 72501 or code 190 x 341 -- requested information on legislation -- referred to Mr. Shannon.

[redacted] AD/OCD, -- request had been received from Chief, Office of Corps of Engineers, for copies of ORE M-4 on Persian Gulf,

[redacted] Chief, ICAPS - reference credit for foreign service personnel on duty with CIA; request for foreign service officer with Far Eastern experience.

Lunched in office.

[redacted] - to pay respects.

Brig. Gen. John K. Rice - for background information: National Security Act of 1947; the NSCID's and DCID's.

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28 February 1949

With Director and Executive.

Mr. DeLoach, FBI Liaison -- repeated invitation to visit FBI and inspect facilities.

[] AD/OCD -- General Irwin, Director, ID, talks to members of ID staff each Friday on activities of week. Lt. Col. Gleszer, ID, assembles notes for Gen. Irwin's use; queried OCD liaison if CIA had anything to add to Gen. Irwin's presentation. DD stated he believed it should be an Army briefing and CIA activities should not go into the Army report.

Reproduction Unit -- microfilm.

Warehouse.

Wing Commander ~~CURRENT~~ requested appointment with DD. (~~Wing Cdr Current(?)~~) Appointment scheduled for 1500 hours, 2 March.

Brig. Gen. J. B. Cress, Retd, Deputy Administrator of VA, Richmond (Richmond 6-3841) -- had talked with General Lewis, AG, and General Rice -- wants job.

[] - applicant -- will forward Forms 57 and PHS on 1 March.

[] OSO, desires to discuss general topics with DD prior to his departure. Will arrange for 2 March.

Col. Rubenstein, OSI Training School, USAF (TR. 1846) - queried if DD would prefer to speak from 1100 - 1150 hours rather than the time previously scheduled from 1200 - 1250. Will confirm 1 March.

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1 March 1949

Col. Rubenstein, OSI Training School, USAF - TR 1846 -- confirmed hour of lecture on 7 March as 1100 to 1150.

[redacted] - reference film being developed.

[redacted] AD/OCD - ORE report being prepared which will involve FBI; suggested he talk with Executive or time will be set up to discuss with DCI.

Lt. Col. Harrington, AMA, Berne -- being civilianized -- desires job. (Personal friend of Col. Babbitt.) Formerly with Foreign Liaison, G-2. Appointment scheduled for 1100 hours on 2 March.

[redacted] - reference trip to San Juan.

[redacted] reference assignment of Lt. Col. Peers; [redacted] had received call from Career Management Branch stating that unless papers were forwarded to Gen. Brooks immediately, that assignment could not be considered. (Previously request for assignment had been denied.) Called General Bolling, Deputy Director of Intelligence, querying status of action on Lt. Col. Peers. His people had discussed case with Career Management and advised that if we approached Gen. Fred Irving, that assignment might be considered because "exceptions have been made to this policy". DD requested return of our initial request for assignment, and then we will contact Gen. Irving.

General Bolling, ID -- reference report [redacted] on Col. Ewart, MA, Copenhagen.

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2 March 1949

With Director and Executive.

[] - general discussion of OSO problems.

Col. Jones, Office Chief of Engineers (131 x 5110) -- General Pick had requested assignment of [] to replace Col. Wm. E. Potter, Alaska District Engineer, to be effective not later than 31 March.

DD stated we would agree to release of []
Col. Shannon, Deputy Exec, informed.

[] had expressed desire to DD that his release be approved.)

Mr. Richard Eads, Aeronautics Division, Library of Congress (131 x 474) issued invitation for DD and Mrs. Wright to attend lecture by J. Carlton Wood, Jr. Chairman of Fairchild Institute, on "Economic Consequences of Air Power" - at the Library 8:30 pm, Monday, 7 March.
Regrets expressed.

Brig. Gen. Cress, VA Richmond - appointment scheduled for 1500 hours, 3 March.

[] Executive -- discussion of general projects and problems.

[] - reference future assignment (Vienna).

Mr. Franklin Farley, 20 North Wacker Drive, Chicago (home: 490 Orchard Lane, Winnetka, Ill) - personal.

[] OCD - reference subsequent issues [] requested by OSI -- in connection with [] - the latter having been withdrawn []

[] desires to see DD prior to departure.

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Lt. Col. Davis Harrington, former AMA Berne -- being civilianized--
staying with Col. Babbitt temporarily--wants job--also
desires to discuss "Polish net".

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Called General Bolling; will call again 3 March.

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3 March 1949

With Director and Executive.

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Mentioned that Col. Jas H Drum was to temporarily replace an administrative officer coming back on leave; General Bolling had several letters of introduction for his use.

[REDACTED]

Director's Weekly Staff Conference.

Brig. Gen. John B. Cress, VA Richmond - left list of employees on duty with VA Richmond who shortly will be released due to reduction in force. List and biographical information turned over to Executive for action.

[REDACTED] - reference release for duty as Alaska District Engineer.

Lunched - Carlton.

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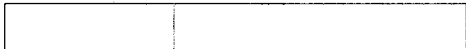
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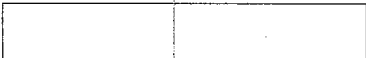
General Robert Walsh - queried date of arrival of Col. Schow and was informed that we expected Col. Schow about 8 March.



 -- for signature on debriefing statement.



Col. Graling, Foreign Liaison, ID -- expressed regret unable to attend luncheon on Monday, 7 March, for Maj Gen C. D. Packard, British Director of Military Intelligence.

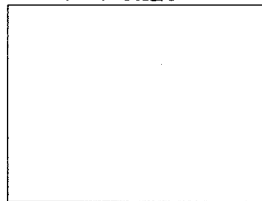
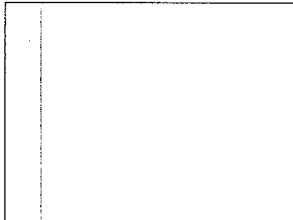
 and OSO Branch Chiefs -- for farewell statement.

Luncheon - 2400 Hotel -- Honoring Brig. Gen. E. K. Wright --

Present: Admiral Hillenkoetter
General Wright

Mr. Houston
Mr. Fforzheimer
Mr. Childs
Mr. Wisner
Dr. Machle


Col. Shannon



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Brig. Gen. Edwin K. Wright, U.S. Army

4 March 1949

Mr. Walter L. Pforzheimer

Engrossed Copy of Farewell Ode

It's hard to write a farewell ode
To the Deputy Director.
As far as channels are concerned,
I'm a horrible defector.
A copy hasn't gone to Ford,
It's not even gone to Ted;
It's going directly to Pinkie Wright,
And bring things to a head.

The good wishes going
In this here ode
Cannot be taken amiss.
And I know they come
From all of us,
Although not cleared with Chris.

MacArthur may be seen to blanch
And even seen to stagger,
When our Deputy hits old Japan
Complete with cloak and dagger.

And so I turn to you, Admiral,
In terms that are quite contrite.
Aren't we going to be unhappy
Without Deputy E. K. Wright?

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7 March 1949


With Director and Executive.

Col. White, FBIB - stopped to pay respects.

Lecture - Office of Special Investigations, Training School, U. S. Air Force - (National Guard Armory) - on CIA Organization and Mission.


General J. B. Cress, Richmond VA -- will call again.

 - personal.

 -- Foreign Information program.

Mr. Lloyd George - cable signed by DCI, transmitted to CNO for sending to Adm. Badger, stating that we must move. Incoming cable reporting results of conference with Adm. Badger today, inconclusive as to steps to be taken subject to available shipping but indicating Adm. Badger still wants to hang on in Formosa, which he cannot do.

Lunched in office.

 - dental appointment.

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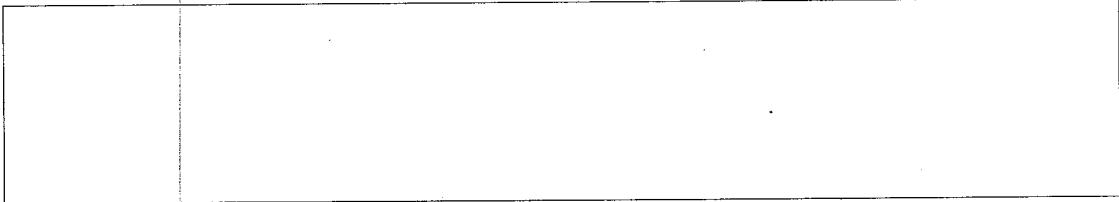
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8 March 1949

NOTES FOR THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR.



[redacted] OSI/NEG --queried line of future action in connection with [redacted] Should he be introduced to AD/OSI -- or should further connections be severed?

[redacted] - was informed that Mr. Allen, Asst SecState for Public Affairs, had accepted nomination of Col. Babbitt, AD/ORE, as member of Consultative Group for coordination of foreign information measures; suggested that he arrange to brief Col. Babbitt on essential background information.

General J. B. Cress, Richmond VA -- desires to talk with DD.
(Code 139, Long Distance operator.)

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9 March 1949

With Director.

General Cress, VA Richmond - queried if it would be appropriate for his Personnel Officer to contact CIA personnel officer in connection with reduction in force. Will contact [] directly.

Col. Harrington -- applicant -- has contacted [] OSO.

Dr. Craig, JIG -- to say goodbye. (Code 131 x 4038)

Also mentioned he had letter from Brigadier Denis Chapman concerning [] (applicant). Was informed that at one time there had been possible interest in subject but that no interest existed now -- subject is British citizen.

Mr. Carey, OO -- reference rumor that Thos. G. Lanphier, Jr. being considered to SecDefense (Designate) Johnson. Mr. Lanphier, Sr., applicant for OO/Contact job.

Mr. Wisner, OPC -- Amb. Wiley pushing case of [] and refers to discussion with DCI on 2/23 when DCI is reported to have promised "to look into case". OPC is not interested in individual--some questions of security involved; inadvisable to send to sensitive area. After talking with DCI, Mr. Wisner was informed that there were no strings attached nor any desire for subject individual; that a brush-off was completely appropriate; the DCI had had to listen politely but no commitment.

General Lewis - personal.

General Bolling -- call cancelled; BCI will call 10 Mar regarding Capt. Waldeman.

DD said goodbye to various members of the staff. Lunched in office.

Detached 1700.

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10 March 1949

Brig. Gen. E. K. Wright, USA - officially detached as Deputy Director of Central Intelligence and reassigned to Army -- c/o Far East Command.

11 March 1949

11th or 14th:
Mr. Farrington, G.W. Uni, NA 5200- - - -
called; said DD has asked him to call.

GEN. WRIGHT CALLED.

(14, 15 and 16 March - [redacted])

15 Mar: GEN. WRIGHT CALLED

17 March 1949

Mr. Porter, USES, HO. 3660 x 702, called concerning a Mr. John Arden, former regular army officer--past 19 years with General Motors in Near and Far East; believed we would be interested in interviewing subject. Call referred to [redacted] Personnel Office, who arranged appointment for Mr. Arden with Personnel Officer on 21 March.

18 March 1949

Mr. Kirkpatrick, CH/00, inquired to whom correspondence from Mr. Herbert Little, Seattle, had been referred; and was advised it had been forwarded to OPC, but that they were not interested. Mr. Little formerly was head of the Morale Branch of OSS. Mr. Little is in town and desired to talk with someone; Mr. Kirkpatrick will handle.

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21 March 1949

GENERAL WRIGHT called from Albuquerque, N.M.; queried results of DALTON case.

22 March - [] on leave.

23 March

Prepared worksheet of efficiency report covering General Wright.

24 March 1949 ----- Final Efficiency Report on Gen. Wright signed & forwarded.

25 March 1949: ^{S.R.} General Hinds called; transferred to [] GD.

28 March: Official luncheon honoring Sir Edward Travis
(North Lounge, Carlton Hotel.)

29 March: DCI lectured at National War College.

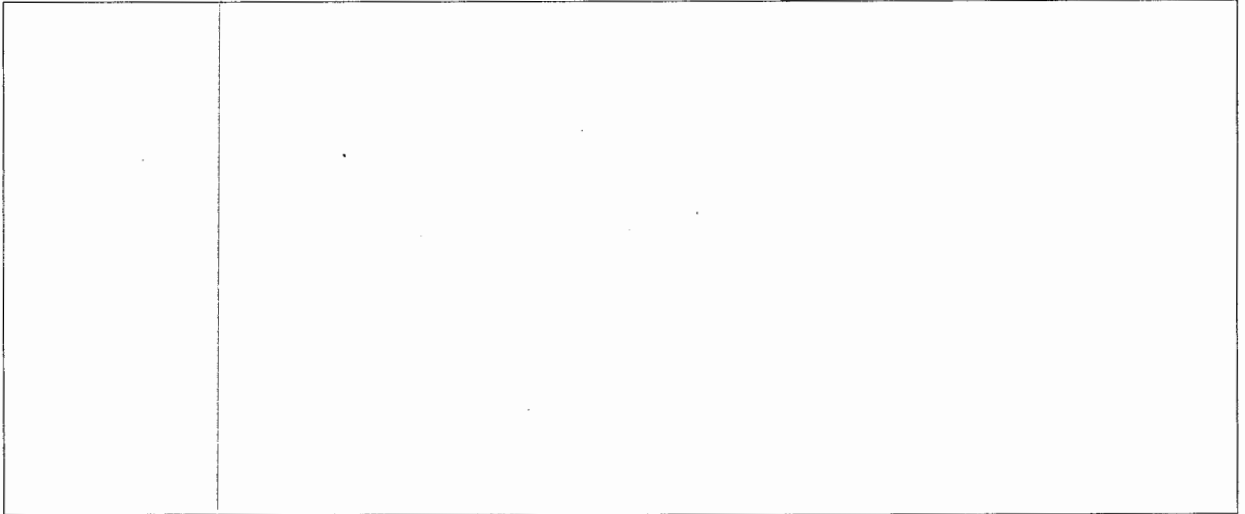
30 March: Reference ER O-2850, DD Memo of 12 Jan 49 to Executive, concerning briefing of JCS, SANACC, etc., papers by the Advisory Council. [] stated that as a result of a misunderstanding, subject papers had not been referred to the Adv. Council and consequently did not reach the desk of DCI, but that arrangements were being made to handle. However, [] did not concur with the statement (paragraph 2, referenced memo) that a copy of such papers should be filed in Adv. Council; it was his contention the Library was proper repository for such documents.

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21 June 1949

Mr. Ernest Wm. Vaughn (Volkmar), applicant - telephoned to inquire status of his application. Referred to Personnel Officer.

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26 July 1949 (Tuesday)

Miss Koeberlein, Office of Congressman Karst, Missouri (x 378) tel -
Advised that the Congressman had written a letter of recommendation to the National Security Council on behalf of RICHARD D. GRANT, 5658 Cabanne Avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, applicant, who had also indicated interest in employment with CIA.

The Congressman had received a reply from the Executive Secretary, NSC, advising that the application of Mr. GRANT had been referred directly to CIA.

Therefore, the Congressman was desirous of learning whether or not we had received the application, what action had been taken on it, and its present status. Miss Koeberlein was informed that the call would be referred to the appropriate office for checking and that she would be informed of status of applicant.

Legislative Liaison Division was informed of above call and requested to make appropriate check with Personnel Office and to advise the Congressman's office directly.

9 SEPTEMBER 1949

Mr. Richard Davis, NEWSWEEK Magazine (tel) - wanted to "check some information"; call referred to Executive.

20 September 1949

Dr. Malcolm C. Henderson, formerly of G-2, now with AEC, and designated by Dr. Colby (and cleared by participating agencies) to receive material pertaining to nuclear energy from Advisory Council. Previously, Dr. Colby and Mr. Kramish were cleared for this dissemination.

21 September 1949

Additional duty assigned to Mr. John S. Earman: to act as liaison between Advisory Council and JCS and, when necessary, as liaison between Advisory Council and the Office of Secretary of Defense.

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6 October 1949 - ORE called attention to #23569 and #23570 which had been routed to them from OCD, with no further routing indicated, and in which other offices had a definite interest, and inquired if perhaps other copies of document had been rec'd and routed elsewhere. [redacted] ORE, was requested to add ORO and OPC to routing on #23569 and OSI on #23570.

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