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FROM : CG XXIV CORPS URGENT

TO : CINCAFPAC (PLEASE PASS TO WASHINGTON)

NR : TFGCG 560

Syngman Rhee sent the following 28 Dec rad to his Hq in Seoul, quoted for your info.

"Ten. Please publish through press other channels my New Year message to all our people that sentiment in America and nearly all UN overwhelmingly with US. In our determination to realize independence now we know the President is also deeply concerned about Korea and feels something must be done now. Gen MacArthur knows Korean Communists will never cooperate with us yet few appeasers in State Dept are trying to block us every way. We must join all our forces with others in world in our fight to break through this block. Everyone knows Moscow Decision has been scrapped by Soviet. For 15 months in spite of convictions to the contrary we completely cooperated with AMG in 5 different plans inaugurated by them but all failed because a few so called Leftist leaders refused to participate. We have failed to convince AMG that these Communist leaders only aim is to rule or reign. We cannot expect to achieve independence by patiently waiting any longer, therefore we must take proper steps to prove to world our capability for national unity and independence. We are doing the immediate carrying out of the plan of turning the govt over to Korean Administrators as

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FROM : CG XXIV CORPS NR : TFGCG 560 31 Dec 46 CONTINUED

announced by Gen Hodge and Gen Lerch or immediate national election with no empty promises or dilatory measures. We do not blame Gen Hodge as we know the difficulty of his position but we hope he will follow Gen MacArthur's policy regarding Communist terrorists. We are neither Anti-American nor Anti-social nor Anti-communist. We are solely for Korean peoples interests and for immediate restoration of our independence. We are still endeavoring to solve our problems peacefully. All that we are seeking to do is to exert our right of self determination. If others do not like it, we cannot. Our people must be united in one purpose, the immediate achievement of our independence."

Telegram not delivered but I have had Maj Gen Brown contact Mrs Rhee for discussion of activities of the Rhee group here. Intercepted letters and messages between Rhee and his Hq and CIC information give strong indications that Rhee is directing his followers here with a view to starting mass demonstrations in protest against delays in Korean independence and against the Moscow Decision, which may include violence and sit down strikes, to show the Americans that they are helpless without cooperation of his group.

Recommend that someone in Washington get hold of Rhee and talk frankly to him about the dangers of his apparent line of action. Suggest this be done by someone he will trust and listen to. If M Preston Goodfellow has confidence of administration he would be ideal, since he has complete confidence

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of Rhee. Maj Gen A V Arnold is also suggested, possibly to work with Goodfellow.

Rhee is a nuisance in that he wants everything done his own impractical way and wants to head a separate govt of South Korea. However, we cannot and must not overlook his potential to do irreparable damage unless carefully handled.

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

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31 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : SCAP

NR : TFYMG 3406

Military Government daily report number 319:

Joint Korean-American Conference: the Joint Korean-American Conference has submitted a conclusion that the rice collection and distribution program as proposed by Military Government is sound, can be made to function effectively and that its continuance is necessary.

Nationality: in response to inquiries made of Military Government, the press was advised that earlier reports published in the Japanese and Korean press which stated that Korean Nationals remaining in Japan after repatriation would be considered as either retaining Japanese nationality or be obliged to become Japanese Nationals were erroneous.

Agriculture: information indicates that the decline in area under crops in South Korea during recent years is due primarily to the shortage of fertilizer, particularly between 1943 and 1946. It may be regarded as a major achievement that the 1946 rice planting exceeded the average for the 1940 to 1944 period, but the lack of fertilizer caused the rice yield to drop 18 % below the 1940 to 1944 average.

Livestock: requests have been received by the Dept of Agriculture from 29 different sources for assistance in obtaining feed at a reasonable cost. Efforts are being made to secure wheat and rice bran which at present is being diverted for other purposes.

Marine Affairs: sealed bids will be accepted by the Marine Bureau for the purchasing of 6 steam driven steel

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FROM: CG USAFIK NR: TFYMG 3406 31 Dec 46 CONT'D

boats ranging from 100 to 200 tons.

Foreign Commerce lists of commodities which may be exported and imported, and commodities which are prohibited from being exported and imported, have been prepared by the Department of Commerce.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, STAT & RPTS SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, NAT RES SECT, COMNAVJAP, PACUSA

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31 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO CAD WD WASHINGTON DC)

NR : TFYMG 3412

Korean Interim Legislative Assembly 27 Dec, present: 64. Chairman of Amendment Committee read recommended amendments to rules omitting amendment offered 26 Dec proposing to change Article 2 to read that aim of Assembly is to lay foundation for unified government in all Korea. Kang Sun, sponsor of the amendment, insisted that objective of establishing unified government and also origin and history of organization of assembly be more fully described in rules.

Rightist members generally concurred with committee in omitting Kang Sun's amendment and defended previous wording of Article 2 on the ground that it already proposes development of Assembly into an organ of government for all Korea.

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

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31 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO CAD WD)

NR : MGINF 3411

Korean Interim Legislative Assembly convened 1300 on 28 Dec. Present 65. Kang Sun of Labor Masses Party again dominated discussion, speaking primarily on article 2 of rules also referring to article 1. Kang continued to insist on general principles of amendment proposed on 26 Dec. Urged Kila go on record as planning to dissolve itself as soon as popular elections set up transitional assembly through Korea which will lead to establishment of interim all Korea Govt. Opposition Rightist view, expressed chiefly by Won Se Hun, was adopted. Discussion of articles 1 and 2 terminated. Main provisions: General statement that present assembly will be dissolved when North and South are united and enlarged Assembly can be established by general suffrage. Kim Ho, longtime leader of Korean National Association in US, proposed amendment to article 1 declaring Kila had come into existence by virtue of MG Ordinance nr 118. Proposal voted down strongly.

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

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31 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA GO)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88652

Recurad Dec WX 88575 fol par should fol par 3 part 1, recurad:

"It was pointed out that except for activities auth under Public Circular Number 34, any financial business, trade or other commercial activity on behalf of enemy nationals who are within Germany and Japan continue to be prohibited. Outstanding Treasury Gen Licenses not auth any transactions which involve business or commercial communication with Germany or Japan unless they contain waiver of Gen Ruling no 11. Separate announcement is being made by the Post Office Dept with respect to the postal facilities now open between Germany, Japan, Korea and US. Announcement will also be made of any changes affecting the presently auth weight of postal communications."

NO SIG

ACTION: CIV COMM SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, AG POSTAL BR, SIG OFF, FISCAL DIR, GOVT SECT, [illegible] ECON & SCI SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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31 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSCA IO)

TO : CINCAFPAC (FOR GS)

NR : WAR 88650

Acknowledge receipt 27 Dec drafts Imperial House Law and Election House of Councillors Law. As arranged with Lewis, TDY SCAP Oct, please transmit Japanese texts as well as English texts of this and later legislation. Request air mail shipment all legislation implementing new constitution.

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ACTION : GOVT SECT

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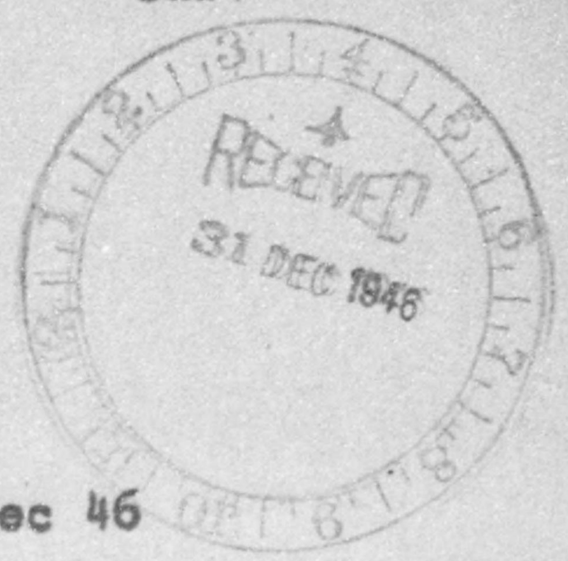

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31 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSPR)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PERSONAL TO MACARTHUR AND HODGE) (PASS TO USFIK)

NR : WCL 40329

AP Washington 28 Dec: State Dept officials conceded tonight that the tug of war between the US and the Soviet Union over Korea has almost hopelessly stalled chances for early unification of that country and has resulted in a bitter struggle in which Russia has some advantage. The officials also reported, in a NBC radio program, that American aims in Korea have reached a critical point, with complete defeat in prospect unless food and rehabilitation are supplied promptly in the American Zone. Edwin M Martin, Chief of the Division of Japanese and Korean Economic Affairs, declared that "All of the Far East is watching the performance of 'The American way' in Korea. The deciding factor between success and failure, he added, can be our ability to get supplies to Korea during the next year. If we are penny-wise on this, we will be pound-foolish regarding our position in the Far East." Hugh Borton, Chief of the Division of Japanese Affairs, predicted that since American aims of a year ago to unify Korea quickly and get out had fallen through, the US would have to stay for a long time and at considerable cost. He strongly implied that the reason for continued American occupation is that if American Forces did not stay, Russian Forces would overflow the entire country. Mr Borton said the American program calls for

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"A friendly, prosperous, Democratic Korea--an important stabilizing factor in the Far East." Mr Martins emphasis on food supplies for Korea appeared to foreshadow efforts by the State and War Depts to persuade Congress to make available ample funds for their program in that and other occupied countries.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, CIV I & E OFF, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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30 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO CAD WAR DEPT)

NR : MGINF 3395

Korean Interim Legislative Assembly convened 1305, 26 Dec adjourned 1705. 62 present. First reading of rules passed with provision special committee will coordinate further proposed amendments and report next session.

Degree of control by MG over assembly rules discussed. Conclusion that detailed approval by MG unnecessary but close contact must be mutually maintained. Proposal by Younger Lyuh of Social Democratic Party and Kang Soon of Labor Masses Party and 7 other representatives to amend article 2 of rules to read that aim of assembly is to lay foundation for unified government in all Korea, following only spirit and not letter of Moscow agreement. Purpose of amendment is to counteract rumors that permanent separate government in South Korea is intended. Amendment will be considered 27 Dec session.

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, STAT & RPTS SECT, COMNAVJAP, PACUSA

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29 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA GO)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88575

Reurads Dec C 67963, Dec C 67965 and Dec CX 67962 part 1.

1. Auth granted to relaxation of restrictions on external communication with Japan on fol basis:

(A) Effective date 2 Jan 47.

(B) Type of SV-Telecommunication and postal (open and closed ltrs and postcards). Postal Convention establishes maximum weight limit for both open and closed ltrs at 4 lbs 6 oz. If you would wish to establish lower limit, advise soonest as such limit would have to be included in PO bulletin prior to commencement of svs.

(C) Type of msg:

(1) Pers and family msgs.

(2) Business, financial and commercial correspondence limited to ascertainment of facts and exchange of info.

(3) Prohibitions outlined in par 3 A urad C 67963 to remain in effect.

(D) Censorship-100%.

(E) Areas-between Japan and all countries including Germany.

(F) Permitted languages-add Portuguese to languages now permissable.

(G) Financial arrangements- see par 5.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA GO) NR : W 88575 29 Dec 46 CON'D

2. US Treas will issue fol public circular on Jan 2, 47: "Public Circular nr 34, certain communications with Germany and Japan and certain acts exempted from gen ruling nr 11.

(1) These are hereby exempted from the provisions of gen ruling no 11.

(A) Any communication of a financial, commercial, or business character with any person within Germany or Japan;

(B) Any act involving any such communication;

(C) Any act for benefit or on behalf of any person within Germany or Japan;

Provided: That any such communication or act is limited to the ascertainment of facts or the exchange of info.

(2) Attention is directed to rule of procedure section 501.6 (and the regulations thereunder issued by the Office of Alien Property, Dep of Jus, pertaining to service of notice in certain court of administrative actions or proceedings."

(3) Fol is text of press release to be issued Jan 2, 47 by State and Treas Depts:

"Treasury Department Wash, for release, morning newspapers, press service number.

The State and Treasury Departments today announced the issuance of Public Circular no 34 relaxing certain wartime restrictions against business and commercial communication with Germany and Japan. This action was made possible by the decision of the Allied Council in Germany that postal communications limited to the ascertainment of facts and the exchange of info should be permitted between Germany and other countries. Similar action has been taken with respect to Japan by the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA GO) NR : W 88575 29 Dec 46 CON'D

It was stated, however, that all communications will be subject to censorship in Germany and Japan. Under the regulations in effect in Germany, correspondence with Germans relative to German external assets, even of a simple informational character, will not be passed by censorship. A similar restriction is in effect in Japan.

In addition telecommunication service with Japan with similar limitations as to content of communications, has now been opened, with the provision that payment for messages be made in dollars par examples of communications which may freely be exchanged are reports concerning the status of property located in Germany and Japan, info with respect to trade prospects, and other messages looking toward the resumption of business relations with Germany and Japan. The transmission of documents such as birth, death, or marriage certificates, wills, legal notices, etc is also authorized under todays action.

Existing prohibitions on transactional communications will continue in effect in Germany, Japan and the US. These prohibitions include any communication which constitutes or contains authorizations or instructions to effect any financial, business or commercial transaction, as well as the transmission of powers of attorney, proxies, payment instructions, transfer orders checks, drafts bills of exchange, currency, money orders and the like.

Although inquiries with respect to possible trade relationships, such as the nature, quantity and availability of goods, are authorized by todays action, attention was directed to the fact that any trade transactions arising

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out of such communications must be effected through Governmental Agencies. Private commercial transactions will be authorized when arrangements for resumption of private trade have been made."

(4) Request text of theater directive or regulation to be issued by SCAP in Japan. In connection with directive to be issued in theater, State suggests that in addition to maintaining restrictions outlined in par 3 A urad C 67963, it would be desirable that you do not permit Japanese Nationals to send or receive communications with respect to vesting Japanese external assets and danger cloaking operations.

(5) Reurad C 67965. Interested govt agencies giving further consideration to financial arrangements proposed by you. Anticipate fol difficulties if Japanese are permitted to send msgs prepaid in yen while accredited persons and organizations in Japan are required to prepay in MPCS or to send dollar collect:

(A) At a time when economy-minded congress will be asked to approve a large deficiency appropriation for Japan and Germany, serious objections may well be raised that dollars accruing from dollar prepaid and dollar collect messages which otherwise would be available to finance approved imports are being utilized for purposes not connected with the disease and unrest or essential for the purpose of occupation formulae. Even more serious objections would arise if the dollar proceeds of messages should prove insufficient to cover shares of US carriers and a diversion from the proceeds of export account were reqd to meet deficiency.

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FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA GO) NR : W 88575 29 Dec 46 CON'D

(B) Pressures might well be brought to bear to have similar privileges afforded to authorized personnel and organizations who would otherwise prepay outgoing msgs in MPCS or would send dollar collect. Extension of the privilege to such personnel and organizations would not only institute further diversion of dollar funds which would otherwise remain in or accrue to export-import account, but would also have undesirable effect of creating outlet for yen obtained from blackmarket and other improper sources.

(C) US news services and similar organizations would also exert great pressure to be permitted to utilize indigenous yen balances.

Recommend therefore that you establish categories of messages that you deem to be essential for purposes of occupation and that only such messages be permitted to be prepaid in yen. Assumption here that approved categories would in general not include personal and non-trade messages.

Desire you further comments at earliest. Pending your comments and further advice from Washington, all telecommunications service, via US facilities should be on dollar prepaid or dollar collect basis.

(6) State Dept considers arrangement described in par 4 B urad C 67965 as not desirable. It is not considered feasible for US Govt to approach telegraph administrations of other govts inasmuch as settlement of accounts should be handled directly between you and each foreign administration. Suggestion is therefore made and authorization given for SCAP to approach diplomatic mission in Tokyo of each

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govt or carry out direct correspondence with each telegraph administration for purpose of accomplishing plan you outlined. Consider arrangements with foreign carriers should provide that ultimate balances be settled in dollars or other acceptable currencies. Pending completion such arrangements messages from Japan over foreign circuits should, if prepaid in yen, be restricted to those categories which you deem essential for purpose of occupation. To fullest extent possible, same restrictions as apply to messages to US should apply to other areas.

Part 2. Reurad CX 67962.

1. Your proposals with exception that service between Korea and Germany will be included are approved. Effective date Jan 2, 47.

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ACTION: CIV COMM SECT

INFORMATION : COMMANDER IN CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, AG POSTAL BR, SIG OFF, FISCAL DIR, GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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29 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88571

Re Inter-Allied Trade Board paper T-007 dtd 29 Nov transmitted P and O Div, memo 334 FEC dtd 11 Dec. Your comments requested on this paper with particular reference to statement of Netherland Representative that now partially dormant Japanese Export-Import Associations are potential weapons of economic aggression.

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ACTION: ECON & SCI SECT

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

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29 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES), CINCAFPAC

NR : TFYMG 3382

USAMGIK advisors in the industrial, transportation, communications, power, and public works fields are preparing lists of industrial equipment now known or assumed to be in Japan upon which claims should be made by US for Korea pursuant to para 8 of W 82295. These lists will divide equipment needed from Japan into following 3 priorities:

1st Priority, equipment urgently needed to balance and complement present essential industries of Korea as a whole.

2nd Priority, equipment needed to establish new consumer industries and light industries to put Korea on more self sustaining basis.

3rd Priority, equipment needed to establish such new heavy industries as are comparable with availability of raw materials.

In preparing lists, consideration being given to economic needs of South Korea and to avoiding duplication of facilities existing in North Korea. It is expected that a formal statement will be available by 1 Feb. POLAD and Bunce concur.

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ACTION: ECON & SCI SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, GENERAL HARRISON, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, CIV PROP CUST

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29 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDGSP/D)

TO : CINCAFPAC

INFO : CG AFMIDPAC

NR : WX 88549

Reurad CX 68464 dtd 23 Dec 46. The WD is cognizant of the slowness of disposal of surplus property in Hawaii. Steps are being taken to ready an understanding with Dept of Interior for expediting sales in that area.

Favorable consideration is being given your plan for use of Hawaii excess for occupational and Mil Govt requirements in Korea. Details as to firm estimates are requested at the earliest date. Also request details of plan including method of handling, shipment and specific costs involved.

Transp and handling costs will require clarification. Excess property moved within the theater to meet purely mil requirements is chargeable against WD (appropriated) funds. However, the project will receive more favorable consideration if transp and handling costs for moving excess for the purpose of declaring surplus in another locality can be paid for with funds available to Korean Mil Govt.

WD has proposed to State Dept that remaining unobligated OFLC credit to Korea be transferred to WAA and

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28 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSPR)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PERSONAL TO MACARTHUR AND HODGE)
(PASS TO USFIK)

NR : WCL 40060

NY times 27 Dec. Letter from Yongjung Kim, president Korean affairs institute to editor: . . . 1 year ago at Moscow, the Foreign Ministers of the Big 3 the United States, the Soviet Union, and Great Britain, announced that they had placed Korea under a 4 power trusteeship for a period of up to 5 years. Despite the protest of all Koreans, this decision was imposed upon them for the benevolent purpose of helping them to rebuild their country as an independent state. And yet during the last 12 months nothing has been done to implement this solemn pledge. . . . On this anniversary of the Moscow Declaration once again I would like to bring to the attention of the Big 3 Foreign Ministers the following suggestions for the fundamental solution of their problems in Korea:

1-In order to reestablish unified Economic and Political development the unnatual boundary at the 38 parallel should be removed immediately and unconditionally.

2-A Korean Oppression in Korea without any interference from the Soviet and American Commands.

3-Korea is not an enemy Nation and occupation is not necessary. Therefore, all Soviet and American Armed Forces should be withdrawn simultaneously and immediately from Korea.

4-The Provisional Government should have sole right to select such Foreign Advisers and Technicians as Korea may need in rebuilding her national life and to dismiss those who do not properly serve Koreas national interest.

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5-The involability of Korean sovereignty and independence should be guaranteed jointly by the United States, the Soviet Union, Great Britian and China, and they should further pledge not to seek any special privileges in Korea, Political or Economic.

These are the fundamentals of the solution of the Korean question. There is no other way out of that delicate spot, which holds the key to the solution of the whole Asiatic problem. Korea's neighbors need a strong, independent Korea and not a puppet. History has proved that as long as Korea was strong neither China nor Russia was menaced by Japan. . . .

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INFORMATION : COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, CIV I & E OFF DIPLOMATIC SECT

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28 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88498

Reurad Nov C 67384. Fully appreciate imponderables involved in programming Japanese exports and imports for coming year. In view terms re Inter-Allied Trade Board, which make it strictly advisory to US Govt. Cannot perceive any objection to submission export-import programs to Inter-Allied Trade Board after review by US Board should aid in determining market ability some items and its earliest advice should assist in implementing your program. Unless you have further objection propose to submit programs to board after receipt and review.

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ACTION : ECON & SCI SECT

INFORMATION : G-4, FISCAL DIR, GOVT SECT, GEN ACCTG SECT

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FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO WASHINGTON G-2 FOR PASSING TO STATE DEPT WITH INFO COPY TO UNITED STATES EMBASSY MOSCOW)

NR : TFGBI 564

Cite W 86548 DTG 022003/Z May. Korean press analysis for period 151800 to 221800 Dec.

The press reported mostly local news this period with a few international relays concerned with Koreans abroad and news pertaining to the possibility of an independent Korea. The most important local news was in regard to the legislative body with reports in Han Sung Ilbo (Seoul Daily-Right) 21 Dec and other newspapers of the meeting 20 Sept, reporting that the Hankook Democratic Party decided to participate in the proceedings after a talk with General Hodge in Doklip Sinbo (Independence News-Left), and reports of continue disposition to the legislature from the Leftists in Dong A Ilbo (Oriental Daily News-Right) 17 Dec through a statement of the South Korean labor party. The results of the next to the final phase of the reelection in Seoul appeared in Han Sung Ilbo and other papers 20 Dec showing a victory for the Rightists Hankook Democratic and National Society for the Rapid Realization of Korean Independence Parties. In connection with the legislature was the news that the representative democratic council will continue as a legacy of the Korean Provisional Government, maintaining its name and entity although its functions and advisory body to General Hodge has been replaced by the legislature according to Dai-Han Dok-Rip Shinmun (Great Korean Independence News-Right) 18 and Dong A Ilbo 20 Dec.

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Besides reports of contributions made to the mission of Dr Rhee, Syngman trip to America found in Hang Sung Ilbo and Kyeng Hyang Shinmun (Urban and Ruraban News-Right) 17 Dec, Dr Rhee made the headlines 19 Dec in Seoul Shinmun (Seoul Daily News-Left) through a report of the Christian Science Monitor editorial denouncing as "Dr Rhee's sweet dream" his plan for United States troops to withdraw in the belief that an independent South Korean Government could deal more successfully with the Russians. Han Sung Ilbo 20 Dec submitted the rebuttle from Dr Rhee's party in Korea. Louise Yim's activities and statements in the USA were reported in Don A Ilbo 17 Dec and in Dai-Han Dok-Rip Shinmun 18 Dec when she stated that at least the case for Korea had been entered officially on the United Nations records due to her work. The report of the Methodist Convention held in Pennsylvania advocating US-USSR troop withdrawal from Korea as reported in Dong A Ilbo 17 Dec, Edwin Pauleys report implying Russia's intention to remain in Korea same day in Han Sung Ilbo, and MacArthur report on Korea emphasizing the food shortage as desire for independence comprised the main foreign news.

Minju Ilbo (Democratic Daily-Right) 22 Dec reported a clash in Japan between thousands of Koreans and the Japanese Police.

The cry for resumption of the US-USSR Joint Commission led to a meeting in Chongju of 20,000 (less than 3,000 actually) persons which turned into conflict in which 6 persons died as reported in Kheng Hyang Shinmun 21 Dec and Chungpod Shinpo (Domestic and Foreign News-Left) same day printed a relay of the letter to General Hodge from the Russian General in North Korea indicating a possibility of resumption of the Commission.

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Political news included the suggestion in Chung Oi Shinpo 17 Dec that Lyuh, Woon Hyung may return to politics, reports age paper 19 Dec that 7 main youth groups have merged into one strong party, and a report in Haysung Ilbo 18 Dec of the formation of a new party Min Jwng Dong Maing (Peoples Alliance) which Dr Kimm, Kyu Sik may join.

News of internal affairs dealt with the winter difficulties of many fires and the appalling living conditions due to the high cost of living as reported in Diklip Sinbo 20 Dec, transportation difficulties and what is being done reported in Dong A Ilbo 16 Dec, and the report in Chung Oi Shinpo 19 Dec of 2,000 violations of the price ceiling laws recently enforced. All newspapers commented on the death sentence given 16 ring leaders of the South Korean riots with the Socialist Labor Party in Je San Teuk Bo Patec third topic news (18 Dec and the true friends) in Ching Oi Shinpo 21 Dec demanding reconsideration of what they termed an unthinkable crime against true patriots.

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

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY 28 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK (HODGE SENDS FOR LANGDON)

TO : SCAP (PASS TO STATE DEPT)

NR : TFGBI 562 (THIS IS POLAD SEOULS NUMBER 148 TO STATE)

"Summary of conditions Dec 1 through 15. Political: The big political event of the period was the final inauguration on Dec 12 of the South Korea Interim Legislative Assembly. The list of 45 appointive members submitted by the Coalition Committee was revised by Gen Hodge and finally announced on the 7th and letters of appointment issued to those members. Only one of these is a Rhee follower, the rest being mainly moderates in either Rightist or Leftist camp with some representatives of the professional classes, religious groups, etc. On the 9th a crisis arose when the Han Kook Minju Dang (Korean Democratic Party) or Rhee's followers announced 17 elected members would boycott the Legis Assembly unless either the inaugural date were postponed until after the elections in the two districts in which the elections had been voided, or those voided elections be validated. In the face of this challenge Gen Hodge had no alternative but to declare the inaugural ceremony would proceed as scheduled and caused the Acting Military Governor to be ready to amend the Organic Law of the Assembly to provide that half of the members instead of three fourths would constitute a quorum (which was done as soon as it was definitely known that the threatened boycott would be carried out). Popular demand was to get the legislature opened, and to have delayed the opening would on all probability result in complete sabotage of the entire effort). At a preliminary meeting on the 11th the members ready to serve assembled and elected Dr Kim Kyu Sik chairman and at the inaugural meeting 57 members attended and were sworn in.(Out of a total of 84 since the 6 voided seats are still to be filled.) Besides the 17 Han Kook

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members, 3 Rightest and 5 Leftist appointive members, including Lyuh Woon Huung, as well as the only two People's committee candidates elected (from Coeju Island) were absent. These last were flown to Seoul but disappeared since, the assumption being that the Democratic People's Front had forbidden their attendance. Not withstanding this disappointing start, the inaugural meeting took place impressively and excited much public interest and gratification. After reading congratulatory messages from Secretary State, Acting Secretary State and Gen MacArthur as well as messages from the American Commands, drafting replies thereto and organizing preparatory committees, the opening meeting recessed to the 20th. The replies to congratulatory messages, as well as new messages of greetings to heads of interested friendly powers handed to us for transmission, expressed an exaggerated idea, obviously calculated, of the Assembly's legal position and powers and had to be returned to the Assembly for redrafting in line with facts and realities. Referring to the general calibre of the members, Dr Kim observed that they were largely quite unschooled in administration and government. By the 15th the boycotting Han Kook Minju Dang members had indicated their desire to take their seats and negotiations to that end were under way, but Lyuh and the Leftist and three appointive Rightists still held aloof.

Syngman Rhee left by air for Washington on Dec 4 with what has proven to be intent to fight the Moscow Decision before the American Public and if possible before UN Assembly. His public statements since have received much attention locally, while the Soviet Press criticizes US for the travel accommodations furnished him, including stay at the Imperial Hotel in Tokyo, reserved for high Allied personnel (actually

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he was a pay-passenger). In Tokyo he called on Gen MacArthur. After arrival, he radioed Gen MacArthur that we had appointed Communists to the Legislative Assembly.

On Dec 5 Lyuh announced in moving self-deprecatory terms that he was retiring from public life. Actually he has since been working to rebuild his old People's Party or salvage the recently formed Socialist Labor Party or grouping of Non-Pak Hejn Young Leftists. Meanwhile the South Korea Labor Party, or latest regrouping of radical leftists, is building up its organization under the chairmanship of Hu Hun (Pak Heun Young, still in hiding from our arrest warrant, is vice chairman). Hu offered to Gen Hodge assurances of party responsibility and respectability and has been granted the usual office space and other facilities accorded political parties by Mil Govt. In the Right wing the rivalry between Chungking repatriates and Rhees followers becomes more distinct and there promises to be a fight between them for the three voided seats of the Seoul Electoral District. The Leftists are taking no part in this campaign. On the 5th, 83 Han Kook members quit the party on the charge that it protected the privileged classes and toaded to the US. With the coming into being of the Legislative Assembly, Gen Hodge invited the Rep Dem Council to dissolve and measures to that end were taken by Mil Govt. For the same reason the Joint Korean-American Conference to look into the causes of the Oct disturbances disbanded, while the Coalition Committee published a valedictory reviewing its achievements and stating that Lyuh would continue to work for Northern and Southern unification and for reconvening of the Joint Commission

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and in the Legislative Assembly for land reform, labor laws, release of political prisoners, elimination of terrorism, and freedom of speech press and assembly.

In answer to the recommendations made by the joint Korean-American Conference, Gen Hodge announced on Dec 5th that the following corrective action had been initiated: Mil Govt was directed to improve the efficiency of the police and to search Korean personnel records for "former Japanese collaborators," reenforcement of inspection system to prevent corruption of public officials, trial of ring leaders in recent riots.

As anti climax to the recent trial of Communist counterfeiters who were found guilty and sentenced to varying terms of imprisonment, it was announced on Dec 4 that some of the Korean defense attorneys may be tried for malicious statements made by them during and after the trial.

North Korea: Two major interruptions on Dec 10th in electric power transmission from north of the 38 parallel and the report that the Soviet Commander concluded an agreement with the Chinese Nationalist Commander of the Antung Area to trade electricity for food and fuel have caused authorities in South Korea to expect serious difficulties with electric power during the winter months. Intercepted radio reports indicated that conscripted labor was used to construct a railway spur into Pyong Yang 42 kilometers long. Another radio intercept revealed the existence of plans to train North Koreans as industrial managers and supervisors, thereby furnishing replacements for the many Japanese technicians who are reported as still being retained in their jobs and given preferential treatment. The black market price per small mal of rice is quoted at 550 yen, which compared to the price of 360 yen in South Korea indicates a greater scarcity of rice in the Northern area.

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FROM : CG USAFIK NR : TFGBI 562 (THIS IS POLAD SEOULS NUMBER 148 TO STATE) 28 DEC 46 CONT'D

Mil Govt and Economic: Difficulties in transportation and opposition to the program in certain localities have prevented Mil Govt from maintaining its schedule in the rice purchasing program, only 40 per cent of the quota having been collected by Dec 15. To dispell false rumors relative to land reform, Mil Govt announced on the 7th that it will not confiscate for redistribution farm lands owned by Koreans and that land owners will be compensated for loss occasioned by any land reform lab enacted by present Legis Assembly if such law is enacted while Mil Govt is in power. The food ration in Seoul for the period Dec 6 to 16 was one hop of rice and one and three tenths hop of flour.

On Dec 13 it was announced that the South Korean daily consumption of coal totaled 2500 tons against 1400 tons produced. The Mil Govt regulated price of anthracite was raised 100 yen per ton higher than the price estaolished last May, the present price amounting to 700 yen which is 30 times the 1937 price level. In the period 32,000 tons of amonium nitrate fertilizer from the US were unloaded at Pusan.

As of Dec 9 Bank of Chosen notes outstanding totaled over 16,125,000,000 yen. As exchange of mail between North and South Korea took place on Dec 8, the northbound volume being greater by ratio of 5 to 3. International exchange of mail between South Korea and China was reopened on Dec 10th, provision being made for the mailing of gift parcels from China.

By Ordinance number 126 Mil Govt provided for the extension of representative government to include provincial and municipal levels, the franchise being given to both men and women to elect local officials by secret ballot. In implementing its plan to vacate offices in the National Capital and to act only in an advisory capacity, American personnel of Mil Govt were occupying only an estimated 10 per cent of office space in the capital on Dec 12 when the Legislative Assembly convened.

On the 10th our Liaison Officer in China communicated

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FROM : CG USAFIK NR : TFGBI 562 (THIS IS POLAD SEOULS NUMBER 14< TO STATE) 28 DEC 46 CONT'D

to us the Chinese Governments proposal for Sino-Korean barter trade on a self-balancing basis. The proposal envisaged a monopoly of this trade by Central Trust of China, carriers to be Korean ships because China has no ships available for this trade and commodities to be exchanged Korean silicon and, tungsten and sea products for Chinese salt molasses, wheat bran, woodpulp and matches. The proposal concluded with the remark that trade not arranged through Central Trust would be disapproved and that acceptance thereof by us would be considered VOD unfriendly act. This may have had reference to the largely uncleared junk traffic from China which is licensed after it arrives here and which in Sep totaled 64,000,000 yen including salt; in Oct 40,000,000 yen excluding salt; and in Nov 10,500,000 yen, excluding salt.

By the close of the period, there were 50 Japanese in repatriation camps in South Korea. As of 30 Nov it was announced that there were 45,000 Korean employees of Mil Govt on national level."

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

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PRIORITY 28 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : SCAP

NR : TFYMG 3386

Military Government daily report nbr 317:
Japanese: 7 refugees entered South Korea on 23 Dec making a total of 78 in camps.

Government Reorganization: The Korean Committee on Governmental Economy and the Governmental Reorganization Board has begun joint action to make Korean Government a more effective instrument in administering the needs of the people.

Life Insurance Association: Announcement of the organization of a Life Insurance Association of Korea was made on 24 Dec. Members are the Chosun Life Insurance Company, The Tai Han Life Insurance Company, and the Cooperative Life Insurance Company.

Education: Under date of 24 Dec, the Department of Education announced that the College of Arts and Science and the College of Law had been found inoperative by reason of student strikes, faculty absences or both; further, that the College of Commerce was seriously handicapped by the refusal of students to attend classes. As a result of the findings, the College of Arts and Science and the College of Law of Seoul National University have been closed and the students suspended. The reopening of the two institutions may be made on 3 Feb and the suspension lifted provided corrective measures are taken, however, further interruption of regular work may result in the closing of the institution or institutions involved for the current school year.

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FROM : CG USAFIK NR TFYMG 3386 DTD 28 DEC 46 CONT'D

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, STAT & RPTS SECT, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, ECON & SCI SECT, CIV I & E OFF, COMNAVJAP, PACUSA

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PRIORITY 28 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAMGIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO WAR WDSCA ES)

NR : TFYMG 3385

Reurad W 88233. This cable in 3 parts.
Part 1. Regarding release of information plans for handling export import trade, recommend announcement of signing of USC agreement be made at the same time that announcement is released regarding the opening of USAMGIK accounts in commercial banks and program of controlled private trade. This will avoid any implication that US Govt monoply of Korean Trade is being established.
Part 2. Ourar TFYMG 2883 follows "Roulet AG 121 (26 Sept 46) ESS/FT, subject Use and Administration of Export Funds. It is view of USAFIK that Korean participation in World Trade cannot be successfully encouraged as directed by SWNCC if dollar proceeds of Korean Exports are subject to restriction designed to control trade of enemy countries. In administration of Military Govt, this command treats Korea as liberated country and with issuance of Treasury Dept Public Circular NR 30 dtd 4 July 46, Korea was removed from category of enemy territory under U.S. trading with the Enemy Act. USAMGIK Ordinances NRS 82, 93 and 98 and regulations issued thereunder are designed to let mulate exports by Korean Traders subject to strict control by Military Govt to assure limitation of Korean exchange expenditures to items essential to achievement of objectives os the occupation. It is urgently recommended that and agency of USAMGIK be permitted to open accounts with Commercial Bank in US and Allied Countries in order to expedite Foreign Trade Transactions by use of normal commercial channels. Proceeds from sale of privately

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FROM : CO USAMGIK NR : TFYMG 3385 28 DEC 46 CONT'D

financed exports would be held in such accounts and Korean Traders given non negotiable foreign exchange deposits with the USAMGIK Agency CEA use being limited to financing imports approved by USAMGIK. Proceeds from sale by USCC of USAMGIK exports would be deposited in same accounts for purchase of imports to supplement and eventually replace civilian supply program. Integration of expenditures of export funds with use of appropriate (see your service 42758 this reen our S 3019 part 3) funds will be assured as same personnel in USECGIK will control both foreign trade and civilian supply program. Such personnel could furnish all reports referred to in basic communication from War Dept AGAO-C 120 (15 Aug 46) WDSCA. Procedures outlined in subject letter would place export funds outside normal commercial channels and would greatly hinder private Korean contracts with world markets. Consider suggestions set forth in basic communication from War Dept AGAO-C 120 (15 Aug 46) WDSCA concerning deposit of such funds in trust account inappropriate for development of trade of this liberated area."

Part 3. Regarding para POLAD Cable TFGBI 548 subject shipment was authorized under existing licensing procedure. The Ilhan Nem Co with main offices in Seoul is licensed and is taking the shipment to their branch office in US. Permit for these exports was issued by the Dept of Commerce USAMGIK and concurrently permit was issued for import of approved commodities covering dollar value of exports. These imports will be subject to price and distribution controls of the Dept of Commerce.

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FROM : CO USAMGIK NR : TFYMG 3385 28 DEC 46 CONT'D

Since this company has extensive holdings in Korea present penalties for evasion of agreement and controls ensure compliance. As soon as USAMGIK agency is authorized to establish accounts with commercial banks all proceeds from the sale of such future exports will be deposited in such accounts and released only for purchase of approved imports to Korea.

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

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ROUTINE

27 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA PL)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88422

Allied pers for SCAP Staff is subject.

1. Stemming from visit of Far Eastern Advisory Comm to Japan last winter, procedure was agreed with you whereby govts now represented on FEC could nominate Allied pers for SCAP Staff (see air courier msg 31 May 46 and FEC 069).

2. Subsequently few such nominations have been forwarded you. In light of gen knowledge here that we are continuing to recruit US pers in almost all categories for SCAP Staff, your non-acceptance of above mentioned Allied nominations thus far raises desirability of US either withdrawing invitation for Allied pers for SCAP Staff (FEC 069) or accepting few nominations. Informal advice here is indicative that further Allied nominations are being withheld pending outcome of initial nominations.

3. General view in Wash is that acceptance of limited nbr nominations would be desirable. Although matter might be postponed for further discussion between you and FEC during possible FEC visit to Japan in 47, it is believed some advantage lies with accepting certain nominations prior to FEC visit

4. You might prefer to ask for Allied pers for specific asgmts, allocation to such asgmts to be agreed among FEC members.

5. Since this matter is currently source of some embarrassment to US in FEC, your views are requested on fol:

A. Should US withdraw its invitation for Allied pers contained FEC 069? If not:

B. Will you accept few Allied nominations for specific asgmts of your determination?

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26 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAMGIK

TO : CINCAFPAC

INFO : CG NANKING HQ COMMAND

NR : TFYMG 3366

USAMGIK has been unable to secure any action by Chinese Govt as requested in ourads TFYMG 2433, 2591 and 3307 (information copies fwd AFPAC). Unofficial advice from USAMGIK Liaison Office in Shanghai indicates radios have been recd by Chinese Govt but no action yet secured. Request matter be taken up with China Liaison Mission in Tokyo as USAMGIK believes maintenance of Korean Liaison Office in Shanghai essential.

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ACTION: G-2

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

NOTE: Corrected copy received AG Radio Cable Section 281440 I.

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TOO : 252345 Z
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ROUTINE 26 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO: CAD WD WASHINGTON)

NR : MGVNF 3360

Korean Interim Legislative Assembly convened 1315, 23 Dec 46. 72 present. Adjourned 1715.

First reading of rules committee report continued until 26 Dec because of clerical errors in text, but acceptance of report without major changes assured by vote of 49 to 23, rejecting motion to redraft.

Chair announced formation of committee from American Delegation, US-Soviet Joint Commission for Liaison with assembly. Expressed opinion corresponding committee should be set up by assembly and adjourned to 26 Dec. Will be in session 26, 27, 28, and 30 Dec, again adjourning until 6 Jan.

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

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25 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)

TO : SCAP (FOR POIAD)

INFO : WD (CHIEF OF STAFF)

NR : WAR SVC 7863 (STATE SERIAL 623, DEC 24, 2 PM)

Following text transmitted to War Dept today for approval and transmission to SCAP as separate telegram draft text as follows:

"Brit and Aust Embs have protested re use Jap Merchant Marine flag on whaling vessels as provided for in SCAP in 1399, citing formal notes of Oct 4 and Oct 16 to Brit and Aust Embs in which dept stated that SCAJAP pennant not Jap flag would be flown. Fact that Jap flag plus International E as has been used in past on Jap owned ships in Pacific as pointed out urtel 499 Nov 5 may not be conclusive by Allies due to exclusive international character claimed for present whaling expedition. Dept approved proposal urtel 499 Nov 5 on assumption that International E and Jap flags were integral components of SCAJAP flag E and, in order to meet your urgent request for immediate authorization, did not refer matter to other govts. Austs now point out that International E is flown at peak and Jap flag at stern and claiming firm US Govt assurance re flying Jap flag

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FROM: WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT) TO: SCAP (FOR THE FOIAD) NR: WAR SVC 7863 (STATE SERIAL 623, DEC 24, 2 PM) CON'D

requests that SCAP'S Nov 15 order be rescinded and that whaling vessels 'Be forbidden to wear flag of the Japanese Merchant Marine or any other symbol which might be interpreted to indicate that the expedition is a Japanese one.'

UK and Aust concern in this matter is of course based on desire to prevent flying of Jap flag in Antarctic being used as precedent for resumption Jap whaling activities on regular basis. Navy here foresees no serious administrative difficulty in changing whaling expedition flag by prohibiting Jap flag and prescribing modified International E only. In view importance attached this seemingly minor matter by other powers and existence governmental assurances given in good faith request SCAP consideration such modification."

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

NOTE: Ref tel 499 is C 66948 (diplomatic sect).

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ROUTINE 25 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)

TO : CINCAFPAC (FOR POLITICAL ADVISOR) (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS)

NR : STATE SVC 160, 24 DEC 46

Text ACTSEC'S comments on Korea Press Conference Dec (urtel 147, Dec 21): "Sir, will you comment on Korea? What is the Departments feeling about our seeming inability to unify Korea?

A. I think the Department and the Govt Policy is the same as it always has been and as I have stated several times in these meetings that our policy is to bring about the unification of a free and democratic Korea. We intend to stay there until we have been successful in doing it."

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

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UNCLASSIFIED
PRIORITY 24 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSPR)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PERSONAL TO MACARTHUR AND HODGE)
(PASS TO CG USAFIK)

NR : WCL 39170

Chicago Tribune 23 Dec dateline Seoul 22 Dec Walter Simmons: Although two months have passed since the failure of their "October offensive," attended by strikes and riots in which hundreds died, South Korean Communists have yet to recover lost prestige.

Dozens of party members are in jail. Pak Huen Yubg, Moscow educated leader, is in hiding. Sixteen ringleaders of the terror mob which killed scores of policemen in Taegu in Oct have been sentenced to death by an American Military Commission, while four hundred others were sentenced to prison terms.

With these stiff sentences, the American Administration in South Korea served notice that the kid glove policy toward terrorists who receive their orders from the Russian occupied zone above the 38th parallel was at an end.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, CIV I & E OFF, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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21 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : SCAP

NR : TFGAP 1203

Reurad ZX 26123 date time grp 260921/Z Nov and ourad TFYMG 3257 Dec 14 concerning more liberal Missionary Policy for Japan and a verbal ? Capt Koob G-1 Section, AFPAC to Lt Col Hood G-1 Section 24 Corps, 18 Dec 46, "Do you desire broadened policy announced ourad ZX 26123 to apply in Korea?" This Hqs does not desire change in policy for Korea at present. This Hqs desires to continue in effect policy for Missionaries in Korea as approved by 1st indorsement AFPAC 18 Oct 46 to basic communication this Hqs subject "Policy for admission of Missionaries to Korea" dtd 14 Sept 46.

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ACTION: G-1

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, PUB REL OFF, CHAPLAIN, GOVT SECT, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, ECON & SCI SECT, CIV I & E OFF, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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ROUTINE 21 Dec 48

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (ATTN G-2)

NR : TFGBI 558

Final report on Chonju Riot see ourad TFGBI 556, DTG 190347 Z and TFGBI 557, DTG 190812/Z follows: Initial meeting of approximately 3,000 members Democratic Young Men's Alliance, middle school stuients and farmer's union was authorized. Due to unrest police were watching for trouble. Meeting was to terminate at 1600 and at1700 the police chief told the speakers to stop and people began to leave for their homes. Others started a parade. Police organized road blocks at strategic corners, fired several shots in the air attempting to disperse grouns many of whom were returning from work and were in no way involved. 1st shots were fired several blocks away from the parade and tended to drive people toward it. Crowd dispersed with the exception of three groups between two road blocks who could not. Police from each end started firing and telling people to disperse, people being unable to do so stood in the street until police lowered their fire, killed six and wounded 15. 112 prisoners were taken and order established. Firing into groups unwarranted since at no time were demonstrators armed nor did they become disorderly. Recent unrest tended to cause tension.

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

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20 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON

TO : CINCAFPAC (ATCHESON)

NR : 1919272 (SENT DEPT 10168 RELAYED TOKYO 9)

Following questions and answers re Japan House of Commons Dec 18.

Mr Rees-Williams (labor) asked the Secy of State for Foreign Affairs whether he is aware that as result of present occupation policy in Japan, control of economic and political life of the country is being increasingly placed in hands of reactionary and treacherous elements and whether he will instruct our representative on Allied Council to take every step possible to counteract this policy.

Minister of State for Fon Affairs (Mr McNeil) "The present Japanese Govt came into office as the result of a general election in April last based on universal sufferage in which over 75 per cent of the electorate voted. My information is that this govt is doing its best to cooperate loyally with the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers and to deal in a democratic manner with the great problems of employment labor and rehabilitation which are now so pressing. It is expected that a fresh general election will be held in the new year when the Japanese people will again have an opportunity to express their views and it would be an unnecessary interference with this democratic process to cause the Allied Council to intervene."

Mr Rees-Williams "Would the minister say whether it is true that Japanese industry is being handed back to

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FROM : WASHINGTON, NR : DEC 18, 20 DEC 46, CONT'D

the relatives of those people who controlled it prior to occupation."

Mr McNeil "Japanese industry is being treated in different ways and of course proper care has been taken to deal with the people previously associated with the military regime of Japan."

Mr John Paton (labor) "May I ask my right honorable friend if in view of the importance of the proceedings of the Allied Council in Tokyo and also of the Far East Commission in Washington he will have some account of the proceedings placed in the library so that members interested may have some continuous record of the proceedings."

Mr McNeil "There is a good deal of press publicity available on the subject but I will consider the point made by my honorable friend."

Lt Col Hamilton (labor) "With regard to American assistance in occupied enemy territories has the Ministers attention been drawn to a report of American opposition to the socialization of industry in the Brit Zone in Germany."

Mr McNeil "My attention has been drawn to that press report and I am very glad to give an assurance that it is absolutely without truth."

Mr Sydney Silverman (labor) "May I ask my right hon friend how far socialization of industry has gone in Japan and if it has not yet commenced on what basis they are trying to cure economic problems."

Mr McNeil "Perhap my honorable and most courteous friend will give notice of that question."

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ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

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

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TOO: 191927/Z
MCN: YD 25/20

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INCOMING MESSAGE

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PRIORITY 23 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSCA ES)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : WAR 88261

Manufacture of textiles in occupied areas (reports control symbol WDSCA 10) is subj. Interest of Congressional Committees and Govt Agencies in contract dtd 7 Feb 46, with Dept Agriculture and USCC that resulted in current cotton textile program indicates necessity of obtaining sufficient info to reflect periodically status this program. It is requested that you take necessary steps to provide WD (CAD) with cumulative data as of 30 Sept 46, and quarterly thereafter, on manufacture and disposition of textiles pursuant to agreement dtd 7 Feb 46 with Dept of Agriculture and USCC. It is suggested that data be furnished in fol manner:

1. Raw cotton recd
   A. Pounds
   B. Landed cost (in dollars)
2. Raw cotton inventories (as of date of report)
   A. Pounds
   B. Landed cost (in dollars)
3. Manufactured textiles
   A. Retained for Japanese economy (1) pounds or yards (2) US costs in dollars (raw material plus svs and supplies furnished by US)
4. Occupied area costs in dollars
   A. Delivered to USCC or sold through the Agency of USCC (1) pounds or yards (2) US costs in dollars (raw material plus svs and supplies furnished by US) (3) occupied area costs in dollars .

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22 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88257

Re Oct CG USAFIK TFGCG 513 POLAD 124 reourad Dec WX 87383 Financing US visit 6 members Korea Economic Advisory Board is subj.

No State or War Dept funds available for such trip FY 47 although WD budget proposals FY 48 include estimates for exchange of persons between Korea and US. Were such funds now available, State and War Depts would have no objection qualified limited group truly representative of Korea visiting US to work specifically under direction of CAD, WD and State Dept, 1st, to supply supplementary material on recommendation by you for integrated Korean Natl Economic Policy, or, 2nd, to complete program of economic studies well defined in advance departure from Korea. If you believe important consultation or studies should be begun prior to FY 48, your statement of recommendations for work of mission and apl of visit will supply basis for approaching non-govtal agencies, e.g., Rockefeller Foundation, with financing problem.

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

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ROUTINE

22 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : SCAP

INFO : CG 8TH ARMY, CG USAMGIK, CINCAFPAC

NR : TFYMG 3346

Reurad CX 68099 120126/I, December, reurad Z 28071 131119/Z December. Office of Foreign Affairs USAMGIK investigating disposition of subject passbooks and insurance policies taken from Japanese repatriates. Report of search will be made earliest.

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ACTION; ECON & SCI SECT

INFORMATION: GOVT SECT, CIV PROP CUST

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INCOMING MESSAGE

Confidential
ROUTINE 21 Dec 46

FROM : WAR

TO : CINCAFPAC (POLITICAL ADVISOR)

NR : WAR SVC 7800 (RELAY 201140 Z SVC 97 DEC 20, 7AM FROM STATE-RELAY BANGKOK 1380 DEC 19, NOON)

1. "Note from Foreign Office dtd Dec 17 reference Japanese textiles (my telegram 1333, Dec 3) proposes purchase of textiles by :

(1) Payment of $7,000,000 on long term credit 15 to 20 years, interest to be mutually agreed upon;

(2) Barter Siamese goods and raw materials needed by Japan;

(3) Combination of (1) and (2) in equal amounts.

2. I am repeating proposal of USCC set forth in Dept's telegram 887, Nov 14 and pointing out deferred payment of $4,000,000 is tantamount to extension short term credit. Am also indicating that consummation satisfactory arrangements for sale of 2,000 tons tin metal to RFC (Dept's telegram 930, Dec 5) would give Siamese Govt considerable sum dollars to meet cash payment of $3,000,000 for textiles.

3. Reference payment of balance I am informing Foreign Minister that his proposal to barter Siamese goods and raw materials will be referred to Dept and SCAP for consideration. In this connection Foreign Minister attached lists of goods and other commodities which Siamese Govt prepared offer in part payment of textiles. Copy this list understood already presented SCAPby Siamese Textile Commission now in Tokyo. First 2 items this list constitute glutinous rice in amounts approximating those mentioned Dept's telegram 925, Dec 3. I am asking Foreign Minister confirm

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FROM : WAR NR: WAR SVC 7800 (RELAY 201140 Z SVC 97 DEC 20, 7 AM FROM STATE-RELAY BANGKOK 1380 DEC 19, NOON)
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4. Dept please repeat to SCAP, Tokyo. Stanton."

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ACTION: ECON & SCI SECT

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

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21 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSPR)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PERSONAL TO MACARTHUR AND HODGE)
(PASS TO USAFIK)

NR : WCL 38841

Chicago Tribune 20 Dec Walter Simmons: Evidence has mounted in the past few weeks that the Russians with occupation control now firmly established in Northern Korea intend to set up the area North of the 38th parallel Demarcation Line as a separate nation friendly to Moscow. Kim Il Sung, Mussolini like North Korea Communist Leader, is reported by refugees to have gone to Moscow to discuss the advantages of establishing an autonomous "Peoples Republic," which he would lead. Kim, who adopted the name of an aged Korean revolutionary here, is a vigorous man of about 35, selected by the Russians for his present post a year ago. In Northern Koreas name he already has executed at least 2 foreign agreements on international treaty level. The first involved the opening of a direct telegraph line to Moscow from Pyongyang, the Northern capital. The other was an agreement with Manchuria to exchange Northern Koreas plentiful hydro electric power for grains, fuel, and raw materials....

Despite objections from both Rightists and Leftists, the American Occupation Force has kept its promise to give Southern Korea virtual self govt by the years end. The Interim Legislature now in session here represents the first step toward popular rule in the Southern Zone.

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ROUTINE 21 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSCA ES)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88190

Reurad Nov C 66989 United Nations Nationals interests in Japan is subj.

Request send airmail copies of Japanese Govt Ordinances related to guarantee of bank deposits, exemption from tax on war damage claims and Zaibatsu liquidation issued as result your instructions to protect interests United Nations Nationals reurad parts A, B and C.

NO SIG

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, ECON & SCI SECT, CIV PROP CUST

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21 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : W 88151

Reurad Nov C 66815.

Re 1st para urad re proposed reduction or elimination 3% sales sv charge by USCC on sale Japanese exports.

USCC agreeable to reduction of charge to 2%, effective with respect to sales made by USCC on or after 1 Dec 46. USCC states that this 1% reduction not based on cost study or analysis of operations as impossible to accurately ascertain actual expenses and contingent liabilities of program. Therefore, USCC proposes that if at later date determined that 2% charge results in dollar return to USCC in excess adm expenses and contingent liabilities, further reduction would be entertained. Conversely, if 2% is insufficient to cover, consideration would be given to increasing HSHLR our acceptance of above would constitue amendment to WD/USCC/CCC cotton contract. Request advise and comments.

II. With respect to the CCC, USCC, state, WD cotton contract points you mention urad were discussed with CCC and other agencies concerned. Four cents per lb export subsidy with ref to cotton shipped on the present contracts to both SCAP and OMGUS will not be allowed CCC claims to have sufficient basis and assures that full consideration was given by CCC Board of Directors to question in disallowing; request. Also ½% added to FAS cotton prices is basic policy of CCC and constitues

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FROM : WAR (WDSCA ES) NR : W 88151 21 Dec 46 CONT'D

a contingency fund which is applicable to all CCC contracts, no exception will be made in cotton agreements with OMGUS or SCAP.

With respect to 50% deposit of net proceeds held in ESCROW, from exports sold by USCC, WD made point that under present situation whereby approximately 200,000,000 yards cotton textiles are being sold to various countries, a sizeable amt of these textiles were manufactured from cotton other than CCC cotton. It was suggested that proceeds from sale of all cotton textiles, both CCC and other sources, should be made avail to CCC and USCC as rapidly as sold by USCC. In consideration of having all textile proceeds apply to reduction of CCC and USCC cotton indebtedness, and an agreement by SCAP to make avail for export sale under contract a minimum of 80% of all textiles as they are manufactured, CCC will relinquish right to place in ESCROW $25,000,000 of initial "First-in" $50,000,000 in the special fund account. Net effect of this proposal is that the "First-in" $50,000,000 of proceeds from exports, other than for textiles sold by USCC will be avail for immediate use by SCAP and WD. There is good reason to believe that above proposal will be acceptable to CCC and other agencies of cotton agreement. Assuming that above proposal will be agreed upon WD made a proposal also that after the net proceeds of $50,000,000 has been recd, fol which 50% ESCROW clause would again become operable, all net proceeds of sales of Japanese exports by USCC, other than textiles, would be divided on basis of 20% to CCC and 80% to

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FROM : WAR (WDSCA ES) NR : W 88151 21 Dec 46 CONT'D

SCAP account, payment of 20% be made immediately to CCC against cotton acct. The effect of this proposal is that instead of holding in a special acct of 50% of exports proceeds, 20% will be paid immediately, on a monthly basis by USCC, for which CCC will REBKVW TAPTLL/ claim on the remaining 30%. The above second proposal made by WD will very likely be acceptable to CCC and other agencies in the cotton agreement provided SCAP approves. Your comments requested.

NO SIG

ACTION: ECON & SCI SECT

INFORMATION: G-4, GOVT SECT

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21 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : SCAP

NR : TFYMG 3339

Military Government daily report number 313:
Japanese: 45 refugees entered South Korea on 17 Dec making a total of 180 in camps.
Rationing: The ration for the period beginning 16 Dec for the Seoul area is 1-½ hop rice, 1 hop whole wheat and 1 hop of flour.
Agriculture: Plans are being made for a meeting of Provincial Bureau of Agriculture Chiefs at Seoul 20-21 Jan. Over-all agricultural problems will be discussed.
Welfare: ON THE December, the Juvenile Court authorities conducted a 2nd round-up of homeless children in Seoul. Seventy six children were taken to various institutions for appropriate action.
Public information: 260,000 copies of the pamphlet "Handbook of Constitutional Government" have been distributed. The response is good.
Education: Instruction at Seoul National University is being impeded by the failure of students to cooperate with faculty rules and regulations.
Foreign study: Five Government students arrived at Inchon on 19 Dec having completed 1 year of Medical study in the United States.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, STAT & RPTS SECT, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, ECON & SCI SECT, CIV I & E OFF, NAT RES SECT, COMNAVJAP, PACUSA

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URGENT 20 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSCA GO)

TO : CINCAFPAC (FOR POLAD) (PLS PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR ACTION)

NR : W 88061

Reference TFGCG 547 Dec and State Dept radio 156... dtd 17 Dec. State Dept now reconsidering position stated in their nbr 156. There is no indication whether reconsideration will result in any change.

NO SIG

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

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20 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (STATE DEPT)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS)

INFO : WAR DEPT CHIEF OF STAFF (FOR POLITICAL ADVISER)

NR : WAR SVC 7781 (DTG 191654 Z) (WSDB'S SVC 93 RELAYS MESSAGE FROM MOSCOW, SENT DEPT AS 4423, DEC 19, 6 PM)

Soviet Press Dec 19 carries Tass Pyongyong dispatch referring to Gen Hodge's latest proposal on resumption of work of joint Soviet-American Committee on Korea and summarizing in considerable detail Gen Chistiakov's reply thereto. Dispatch concludes that Chistiakov expressed Soviet delegation's readiness to come to Seoul without delay to reopen negotiations provided that Americans agree to adopt his counter proposals.

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

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PRIORITY 20 Dec 46

FROM : CG 8TH ARMY

TO : CG I CORPS, CG IX CORPS, CO CHUGOKU MG REG, CO SHIKOKU MG REG, CO TOKYO-KANAGOAWA DIST

INFO : SCAP (ATTN GOVT SECT)

NR : DX 99595

Subject is Orientation Conference at GHQ SCAP from 6 to 11 Jan 47 to be conducted by Govt Sect SCAP concerning (A) extension of purge (B) forthcoming local govt elections (C) Constitution of Japan. It is desired that orders be issued placing oneofficer from each of following hqs on temporary duty with GHQ SCAP for the period 6 Jan to 11 Jan inclusived 47: (A) One officer from each Corps Hqs (B) One officer from each Div Hqs (C) One legal and govt officer from each military govt team. Officers detailed to attend this conference will be directed to report on 6 Jan to room 615 Dai Ichi Building upon arrival in Tokyo. Hqs Commandant will arrange for billets for officers except those stationed in the Tokyo Yokohama Area. Each addressee will furnish this hqs attn Mil Govt Sect a radio report soon as practicable giving the name and rank of each officer who will attend. The Govt Sect GHQ SCAP will be included as an info addressee.

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INFORMATION: GOVT SECT, HQ COMMANDANT

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19 Dec 46

FROM : CG 8TH ARMY

TO : BCOF (GOC)

INFO : SCAP (ATTN GOVT SECT)

NR : D 99596

Subject is conference at GHQ SCAP from 6 to 11 January 1947 concerning extension of purge, forthcoming local elections and constitution of Japan under auspices of Government Section SCAP. Issue orders placing 1 officer from your headquarters and 1 officer from Hq Brindiv on temporary duty with GHQ SCAP for purpose of attending subject conference for the period 6 to 11 January 1947. Officers will be directed to report to room 615 Dai Ichi Building on 6 January upon arrival in Tokyo. Headquarters Commandant GHQ will arrange billets. Report by radio to this headquarters attention Military Government Section with an information copy to SCAP attention Government Section giving name and rank of officers who will attend conference.

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INFORMATION: GOVT SECT, HQ COMMANDANT

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19 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (JOINT CHIEFS OF STAFF)

TO : CINCAFPAC (TO MACARTHUR)

NR : W 87951

The following directive, prepared by the State Department to implement the policy adopted by the Far Eastern Commission on 6 Dec 46 under the provisions of paragraph II, A, 1, of its terms of reference, has been received from the State, War and Navy Departments for transmission to you for your guidance in accordance with paragraph III, 1, of those terms of reference:

"DIRECTIVE REGARDING ISSUANCE OF THE POLICY DECISION ON REVIEW OF THE JAPANESE CONSTITUTION."

1. The terms of the policy decision contained in FEC-034/41 (provisions for the review of a new Japanese Constitution, approved on 17 Oct 46 and forwarded to the Supreme Commander For The Allied Powers on 28 Oct 46, Serial Number 62) should be formally communicated to the government of Japan.

2. The time and manner of public announcement of this policy decision are still being considered by the Far Eastern Commission."

NO SIG

ACTION: GOVT SECT

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

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PRIORITY 19 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSPR)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PERSONAL TO MACARTHUR AND HODGE)
(PASS TO USFIK)

NR : WCL 38172

Chicago Tribune 18 Dec Walter Simmons: Thousands will starve to death in Russian occupied Northern Korea this winter due to critical food shortage and breakdown of transportation, say refugees who continue to cross into the American Zone despite the bitter weather. ...North Koreans are told by the censored press and radio that conditions in the American Zone are appalling. A typical newspaper headline says: "Oppression and imprisonment, starvation and unemployment, tyranny of reactionaries are raging more and more. Compatriots in South Korea groan under dark Govt." Orators at mass meetings pass the hat for the "Unfortunate Brothers" in the South...800,000 refugees have fled into the American Zone---and they're still coming.

Chicago Tribune 17 Dec Walter Simmons: Experiments are now under way with a pressed earth type of housing for soldiers and dependents of the 6th Inf Div, occupying Southern Korea, Maj Gen Orlando Ward of Denver, Colo, Div Commander, said today.

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FROM : WAR (WDSPR) NR : WCL 38172 19 DEC 46 CONT'D

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, CIV I & E OFF, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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ROUTINE 19 Dec 46

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO WAR G-2 FOR PASSING TO STATE DEPT WITH INFO COPY TO US EMBASSY MOSCOW)

NR : TFGBI 554

Cite W 86548 DTG 022003 Z May. Korean press analysis for period 091800 to 151800 Dec. The opening of the Legislatureon 12 Dec as reported in Han Sung Ilbo (Seoul Daily-right) 13 Dec and all other newspapers plus the many factors connected with the Legislature consumed the most space and interest in the newspapers this period. Beginning 9 Dec Cha Yoo Shinmun (Korean Free Press-neutral) reported that all Govt activities will be transferred from Americans to Koreans as soon as the Legislature is in action and ended 15 Dec with the report that the second election for representatives from Seoul is underway. Meanwhile all was not smooth within the Legislature as Dong-A Ilbo (Oriental Daily News-right) 13 Dec expressed regret that missing from the opening were the representatives from Seoul, Kangawon-Do, 20 members from the Extreme Rightist Hankooka Democratic Party and several members from the Extreme Left. Seoul Shinmun (Seoul Daily News-left) 10 Dec reported that the Democratic Peoples Front had issued a statement that any of their members who accepted seats in the Legislature would be expelled from the group, that the Socialist Labor Party refused to accept seats, and Doklip Sinbo (Independence News-left) 12 Dec reported that Yoon, Ki Sup was expelled from the Korean Revolutionary Party for accepting his appointment. Same paper thenclaimed that the Legislature is merely another Representative Democratic Council while Chung Oi Shinpo

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(Domestic and Foreign News-left) 12 Dec declared the typical Leftist criticism that it is an attempt to prolong American Mil Govt is Korea. However, the Legislature has convened and Kyeng Hyang Shinmun (Urban and Rural News-right) 14 Dec reported the results of the first meeting to be telegrams of appreciation sent to Gen MacArthur and the State Dept, request for assistance from Gen Hodge, and desiring unity and cooperation in setting up a Provisional Govt to North Korea.

Political news this period was complex and changing as Cha Yoo Shinmun 11 Dec announced the beginning of a new party under the leadership of Hong, Myung Hi called the Democratic Unity Party which will work for unity of all Korean people toward the setting up of an Independent Korea; Jesan Teuk Bo (Third Topic News-neutral) 10 Dec reported the possibility of the Socialist Labor Party joining with the South Korean Labor Party; Kyeng Hyang Shinmun 11 Dec stated that part of the Executive Committee withdrew from the Socialist Labor Party in order to restore their own peoples party with Dong A Ilbo 13 Dec stating that the Socialist Labor Party may dissolve. Dai-Han Dok Dalh Rip Shinmun (Great Korean Independence Press- right) 12 Dec printed the announcement of the Coalition Committee that their work will continue even though the Legislature has been established. Dai Dong Shinmun (Great Eastern News-right) same day reported that the Representative Democratic Council may dissolve 20 Dec.

Foreign News such as the report in Han Sung Ilbo 10 Dec of Stalins illness received space while reports in same paper 13 Dec of Louise Ims activities in America received much comment. Dean Achesons pledge of continued interest and assistance from America to Korea Je San Teuk Bo

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12 Dec, New York Herald Tribunes editorial "The Tragic Korean Problem" Seoul Shinmun 14 Dec, and Gen MacArthurs report on Korea emphasizing the Korean desire for resumption of the US-USSR Joint Commission, Cha Yoo Shinmun 15 Dec received much comment this period. Dong A Ilbo 11 Dec reported Dr Rhees activities in America.

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

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18 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSPR) (VICKERS)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PERSONAL TO MACARTHUR AND HODGE); (PASS TO USAFIK)

NR : WCL 37911

NY Times 14 Dec A M Rosenthal:...
In a major speech before the General Assembly in the crowded Hall at Flushing Meadow, Mr Byrnes gave an unexpected outline of US Armed strength outside US Territory....
He disclosed that this country had 96,000 troops in the Philippines, 19,000 in China, 1,500 in Panama and a few scattered non-combat units in the Azores and Iceland....
In China, the US has 15,000 combat troops and about half of them are under orders to return home, he said.
We are also prepared to fix agreed ceilings for the Occupation Forces in Japan and Korea....

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, CIV I & E OFF, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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18 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES)

TO : CINCAFPAC

NR : WCL 37705

Reurad Oct Z 23077 and ourad Dec W 87550. Japanese Foreign Trade Programs is subj. State proposes fol airgram to principal US Diplomatic and Consular Posts. Airgram will not be dispatched until your comments recd. Proposed airgram follows:

"1. SCAP has requested assistance of US State Dept in ascertaining trade possibilities between Japan and other countries, especially those not now represented in Tokyo by Official Liaison Missions and Trade Representatives. SCAP now preparing Japanese Import and Export Programs for 47. Govts should be advised that trade with Japan will be greatly facilitated if info re trade possibilities, including some indication of quantities of particular commodities desired from or avail for sale to Japan, is avail to Tokyo before these programs are in final form. Fol commodities tentatively scheduled for export during 47: (To be inserted: list of commodities programmed for export distribution to Trade Representatives in Tokyo Oct 2). Fol commodities tentatively scheduled for import: (To be inserted: list, above source).

"2. For info re the procedures to be followed by third countries in trading with Japan please refer to the Depts Circular airgram of July 2, 46. There has been no substantial change in policies and procedures outlined therein. Pending establishment of procedures under which participation by private individuals and corporation in Japanese Foreign Trade

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FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES), NR : WCL 37705, 18 DEC 46, CONT'D

may be auth (which participation by private individuals and corporations in Japanese foreign trade may be auth which will be as soon as conditions permit) exports from and imports to Japan may be arranged in any of 3 ways outlined under A, B, and C, below:

"A. Through duly authorized buying and selling agencies of interested govts. It should be emphasized, however, that it is neither desire nor intention of SCAP to encourage govts to establish new purchasing agencies or to engage in governmental bulk procurement of Japanese goods. It is entirely possible for govts to limit their relationship to Japanese trade to liaison activities as described in B, below. Such agencies may maintain liaison with SCAP either through (1) an accredited liaison mission and trade representative in Tokyo, (2) accredited liaison mission of some other govt which is willing to render this sv, or (3) direct correspondence either by postal service or telegraph.

"B. Through agencies, depts, or ministries of interested govts which are authorized to maintain liaison with SCAP on trade matters. Such depts or ministries need not act as buyers from or sellers to Japan; they need only sponsor and endorse buyers and sellers of their respective countries and take specified responsibilities in connection with export or import transactions involving their countries. Such depts or ministries may maintain liaison with SCAP in one of 3 ways specified under A, above.

"C. Through US Commercial Company. If a govt does nct care to make use of sv of an authorized buying agency or a dept authorized to sponsor and endorse transactions between a sales agency of Japanese Govt and Nationals of its own

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FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES), NR : WCL 37705, 18 DEC 46, CONT'D.

country SUCC, an agency of US Govt, is prepared to act as intermediary. Private firms and individuals in such countries may negotiate imports and exports through USCC, subj of course to pertinent import, export, and exchange regulations. Such firms should communicate with USCC in Wash DC either through regular diplomatic or consular channels or directly.

"3. Govt to which you are accredited should be advised of these policies and procedures. If such govt designated a dept, ministry, or other agency through which its Nationals may negotiate sales and purchases with SCAP, that govt should so inform dept, SCAP, gen public. Thereafter either authorized agency or SCAP may initiate correspondence directly with other and begin flow of inquiries and info which necessarily precede trade transactions. In event a govt prefers to have all or most negotiations relating to trade with Japan handled by having its Nationals deal through US Commercial Company, Dept, SCAP, and gen public should be informed to this effect.

"4. A govt which maintained a diplomatic or consular mission in Japan before war or which can reasonably anticipate a considerable volume of trade with Japan during next few years but which has not yet established a liaison mission or trade representative in Tokyo should be advised that an inquiry re possiblity of sending missions and trade representatives to Tokyo should be addressed to dept either through you (in which event you should fwd to Wash and Tokyo simultaneously) or through its Wash mission. All such requests will be fwd to SCAP, who has possibility of determining when arrangements can be made to accomodate add missions."

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FROM : WASHINGTON (WDSCA ES), NR : WCL 37705, 18 DEC 46, CONT'D

ACTION: ECON & SCI SECT

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

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18 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSCA WC)

TO : AFWESPAC

INFO : CINCAFPAC

NR : WCL 37623

Reurad Dec GX 21641 grateful to you for urad subj: Protest Manila Defense Attorneys. It was never doubted here that your Hqs in interests of fair trial and justice avoided discrimination by providing facilities and conveniences to defense substantially same as prosecution. Info we requested was needed here to form basis for replies to numerous inquiries made as a result of articles appearing in various publications and newspapers.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF,
AG, GOVT SECT, LEGAL SECT

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18 Dec 46

FROM : WASHINGTON (STATE DEPT)

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO CG XXIV CORPS FOR POLAD)

NR : WAR SVC 7747 (STATE SERIAL 156 DEC 17, 1 PM, DTG 12171841 Z)

Draft text as follows passed to War Dept today for approval and transmission by separate War Dept telegram to SCAP: "Dept shares views expressed opening sentence TFCCG 547 Dec 8 and approves dispatch proposed ltr subject to suggestion that General Hodge consider the following:

1. Proposal no 2 to read as follows:
'Parties or social organizations may appoint individuals as their representatives who sign the declaration in communique no 5 and who the parties or social organizations believe will cooperate with the joint commission in the implementation of the Moscow decision. If for good reason it is believed that a representative of a party or social organization is antagonistic to either of the Allied powers or that he would not in good faith cooperate in the implementation of the Moscow decision, the joint commission may by mutual agreement require the declarant party to name a substitute spokesman'.

2. In proposal no 3 before the word opposition in the 1st and 2nd sentences it is suggested that the word 'active' be inserted."

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FROM: WASHINGTON NR: WAR SVC 7747 (STATE SERIAL 156 DEC 17, 1 PM, DTG 12171841 Z) 18 DEC 46 CONT'D

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

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ROUTINE 17 Dec 46

FROM : WAR (WDSPR)

TO : CINCAFPAC, (PERSONAL TO MACARTHUR AND HODGE), (PASS TO CG USAFIK).

NR : WCL 37504

NY Times 15 Dec: Mr Pauleys Diary of a six day inspection trip through the Northern Soviet Zone went to President Truman with a report in which Mr Pauley said that it might be Russia's aim to force a Moscow Dominated Government on all Korea before she agreed to withdraw her troops. In contrast to Manchuria, where he said the Russians had carted away enough machinery to wreck the industrial plant; Mr Parley found industry in operation in the Soviet Zone of Korea.

NY Herald Tribune 15 Dec: A wave of strikes, and attempt to assassinate the head of a major political party and very little industrial recovery were high lights of a report by General Douglas MacArthur today on Korea during September. Despite the difficult period, Koreans were told that they should assume more governmental responsibilities and that American Occupation authorities would act henceforth only as advisers. Others included temporary suspension of 3 newspapers and an address by Lt Gen John R Hodge, American Commander, warning Koreans of political motives behind a Sept railway strike. Hodge said the strike was "Fomented by agitators to discommode and discredit the American Forces in Korea."

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FROM : WAR (WDSPR) NR : WCL 37504 17 Dec 46 CONT'D

MacArthur said there was "More progress in developing an efficient Korean police system," but that crime had increased and profiteering had retarded rice collecting programs. On the brighter side, the report noted that a plan for barter with Japan had been completed, a child labor law had gone into effect and American imports had provided for medicinal needs.

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INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, AG, PUB REL OFF, GOVT SECT, CIV I & E OFF, DIPLOMATIC SECT

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ROUTINE 17 Dec 46

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS

TO : CINCAFPAC (PASS TO WDSCA)

NR : TFYMG 3292 IO

Reurad W 87453 120650 Z. A summation of proceedings of Korean Interim Legislative Assembly follows: Inaugural meeting 12 Dec 46 at 1200 solely ceremonial meeting, oaths of office administered, congratulatory telegrams read, addressed by Commanding General and Military Governor, signing of oath by all members present. Assembly resolved itself thereafter into committee of whole to meet in closed sessions in afternoon of 12 Dec and 13 Dec. Business transacted by committee of whole and made public summarized: Resolution was adopted to send greetings to US State Dept, Supreme Commander Pacific, United Nations, Britian, Russia, France, Philippines, India, Indonesia, Joint US-USSR Commission. Letter of appreciation sent to Lt Gen John R Hodge and Maj Gen Archer L Lerch for their efforts in creating assembly and requested them to continue to give assistance. Following msg was prepared for possible dispatch in the future to Peoples Committee Northern Korea: "We must unite to endeavor to solve all problems, particularly to influence reopening of Joint US-USSR Commission to obtain United Provisional Korean Govt as soon as possible." Seven man committee was elected to form 2 committees as follows: First to review qualifications of members, second to draft rules and regulations of assembly body. These committees were formed at meeting of 13 Dec and received their instructions. Names of the credentials committee are being withheld from the public until further

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FROM : CG XXIV CORPS NR: TFYMG 3292 IO 17 DEC 46 CONTINUED

notice. Assembly adjourned to meet at the call of chairman following completion of work of committees appointed. Complete record of proceedings of assembly will be published by the assembly itself, requiring about 10 days for printing. Daily summation of proceedings will be mimographed and forwarded to all concerned. To process these daily summations will require estimated 48 hours to prepare and will be sent to you by radio. 10 copies each of Korean and English record of proceedings will be forwarded air mail when received from the assembly. The next meeting will be 20 Dec 46 at which Brig Gen Helmick, acting Mil Governor, will deliver his message to the assembly.

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

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NOTE: Ref W 87453 requests summation of Korean Legislative proceedings be furnished WDSCA.

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ROUTINE 16 Dec 46

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS

TO : CINCAFPAC (ATTN CIVILIAN PERSONNEL SECTION)

NR : TFCPS-410

Reurad Z 27686 110513/Z which refers to our TFCPS 394, this is a repeat message. "Reurad 032319/Z, because of change in basic policy in administration of Korea requiring organizational changes in Military Govt, some positions were cancelled after commitments had been made. Position for which Mr TheodoreBullockus was recruited was not in existence on his arrival and an effort was made to place him elsewhere in a position of like seniority, status and pay. This could not be done and Mr Bullockus was returned to the US at government expense at his own request."

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ACTION: CIV PERS SECT

INFORMATION: G-1, AG, AG MANAGEMENT BR, GOVT SECT

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