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MEMORANDUM
TO: Chief PSD

25 April 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 24 April (MONDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~CIVIL INTELLIGENCE SECTION~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis reviewed the status of legislation of C&R, OPAR, and affiliated Bills in Diet, all six bills applying to CARB and OPAR systems, save Government Use Bill, have passed Diet and the vitally amended Reformatory and Juvenile Code Laws went into effect 15 April 1950. The important Mental Hygiene Code Bill, for which Dr. Lewis secured the USA, State and Federal Codes, for the Japanese National Committee on Mental Hygiene to use as bases, was amended as PSD suggested so as to increase the effectiveness of C&R institution control and management of mentally disturbed and sadistic cases without the necessity of transferring these cases to insecure welfare, hospital, and special treatment centers for the so-called non-offender classes. That code will go into effect 7 May 1950. The addition of minimum provision for housing and education in the Life Security Act lays the foundation for a possible fundamental change in that law reducing the dependence upon a money exchange economy and increasing the applicability of interchanges of goods and services of which latter the Orient has unlimited abundance.	Steps are being taken to study the introduction into Japan of the inter-ministerial planning council idea, that is "the coordination without control conception" which Dr. Lewis first propounded at the 1921 Milwaukee meeting of the National Conference of Social Work, which he and four ministerial colleagues put into effect in the next two years in New Jersey. These steps will quickly effectuate the new legislation of 1950 Diet.

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Dr. Lewis and Mr. Van Buskirk: Conf. w/ Mr. Miyako, Mr. Fukui, Supt. of Nara Juvenile Prison and Mr. Nakao, District Supervisor of Fukuoka District, re problems of operation.

Dr. Lewis stressed the necessity of the Japanese getting rid of two utterly false conceptions: (1) That they must have adult prisoners in juvenile prisons in order to maintain their industrial quota and (2) that they can not afford the necessary cost of fundamental vocational training in the primary and middle reformatories all the way up through advanced reformatories and juvenile prisons. Dr. Lewis showed these gentlemen from the Handbook of Correctional Planning and Building recently issued by Federal Bureau of Prisons that costs recorded therein proved just the contrary to the facts in respect of the above so called fundamentals.

Miyako promised to have Kenjo eliminate the adult prisoners at Hakodate Juvenile Prison and Nakao will restudy the recent infiltration of adults at Saga with a view to eliminating the adults from prisons.

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26 April 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 25 April (TUESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis and Mr. White: Attended Annual Conference of Wardens and Supervisors, Detached Palace. Dr. Lewis delivered main address, subject: Government Use Bill - Second Part. This was followed by address of Mr. White re: implementing of budget control, district organization, personnel regulations, code index systems, and the reorganization of five classes of institutions.	Photographs were taken of meeting and speakers by Signal Corps photographers.
Mr. White: Received in summary form 1950 construction program and fund allocation plan for C&R construction. CARB would be requested to provide breakdown of information by districts and by individual institutions. Problem is to provide basis for maximum application of Prison Branch advice in utilization of the limited construction budget of 672 Million Yen.	
Mr. White: Received report on detainees in C&R custody at the end of March, 1950. Total figure of 17,000 plus represents so far no relief whatever from the high detention figures of 6-8 months ago. Information from police "temporary detention" shows that total confinement in detention hovers around the all-time high of 24,000 notwithstanding	

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combined efforts of PSD and Legal Section during past eight months to obtain lowering of this figure. The real answer lies probably in judicial education which may be helped somewhat by visitation of Supreme Court Judges to U. S.	
Major Reed and Mr. Maxwell: Preparation of TDY Report, Sendai District.	Completed and submitted for typing.
Lt. Ekstrom and Lt. Cornelius: Preparation of TDY Report, Osaka and Nagoya Districts.	Continuing.

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TO: Chief PSD

27 April 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 26 April 1950 (WEDNESDAY) on daily activities of the ~~[illegible]~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Prison Staff appearances at the Youth Section and Adult Section respectively of the National Conference of Wardens, Superintendents and Supervisors of C&R Districts were as follows: Youth Section, Wm. F. Van Buskirk and Major Reed, 0900-1000. Adult Section, Lt. Col. Drowns, and Ernie L. Maxwell, 0900-1000. Dr. Burdett G. Lewis gave a summary of legislative progress in current Diet to both Sections, 1000-1030. The Youth Section discussion embraced the highlights of the Youth Program situation, in respect of past, present, and immediately desirable next steps. The Adult Section discussion dealt with in-service training, inspection demonstrations of the new plan featuring self-governing inspections of 100 institutions and Hokkaido Honor Camp and proposed medium security prison. The legislative summary showed the great progress in laws which for their implementing calls for the inter-ministerial cooperation on top and vice-ministerial levels contemplated by the original OPAR Bill.	CARB will ask section chiefs and District Supervisors and their Section Chiefs to concentrate upon inspections and development of this kind of inspection and mutual cooperation BGL

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD 28 April 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 27 April (THURSDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~[illegible]~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Kurata brought in available temporary passes for Japanese VIP visitors to Prison Branch and is assisting Dr. Lewis in exchanging new style VIP passes with pictures for temporary blue card holders.	Will return all blue cards by 1000, 29 April 1950, and will get action out of NOPAR Board member Ikeda, who had not been photographed up to 26 April 1950.
Judge Naito, Chief of Supreme Court, Secretariat of Family Court, brought in former High Court Judge Masahiko Sato, Sapporo District, now member Tokyo Bench Family Court, for orientation conference with Dr. Lewis preparatory to 12 May 1950 departure on seven-member Family Court Civil Liberties - Civil Affairs Garioa Fund three months' tour in USA. With him came Masarari Doi, M. D., formerly of Darien and Mukden Family Service, then Fukuoka Juvenile Court now of Juvenile Section, Family Bureau, General Secretariat, and Zenko Sakurai, Investigator, Juvenile Court Division, Tokyo Family Court.	Dr. Lewis telephoned Dr. Oppler in accordance with previous understanding regarding this tour and was told R. B. Appleton wanted to see Dr. Lewis 28 April 1950, concerning tour guidance which Appleton is taking over from Dr. Oppler, so latter can accompany Chief Justice Tanaka, Japanese Supreme Court, and six other high court judges and Procurators on tour to begin in USA about 1 October 1950. Dr. Lewis agreed to discuss courts and personnel in New York, Boston, Washington, Chicago, and California briefly with R. B. Appleton, LS, at time specified. Regretfully Appleton said the best Domestic Relations Courts had been left out of the itinerary already approved. These are the courts of Judges Charles A. Hoffman, Cincinnati, and Paul Alexander, Toledo.
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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD 29 April 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 28 April (FRIDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~[illegible]~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis gave R. B. Appleton, LS, who is to accompany Japanese Family Court and Civil Liberties group for Garioa Fund Tour itineraries and in Zone I names, telephone numbers, and street addresses of Family and Allied Court Judges, Probation and Chief Clerks in New York, Boston, Washington, Richmond, Va., Cincinnati, and Toledo, Ohio, also Evanston and Chicago, Illinois. Also some information concerning National Associations in New York, Washington, and Boston. Then location and personnel to be seen in Sacramento and Los Angeles, California.	Appleton will study these in relation to subjects on agenda of itineraries and then ask Dr. Lewis for the letters of introduction which he finds his minimum necessity so they can be prepared before sailing time for the mission on 12 May 1950.
Messrs. Furuhashi, Kumon and Mrs. Azuma came in to report progress in preparation for departure 4 May 1950. Dr. Lewis explained to Chief Consul the character of work Warden Kumon is to perform and the personal interest of Under Secretary Voorhees and Dr. Ralph Reed, Chief Deputy to the Undersecretary have in the correctional institutional industry study in the States.	Prompt, if possible, favorable action on Kumon visa will be forthcoming.
Judge Sato came in to find if he should get at once biography of Inomata of Yokohama Prison for USA trip.	Dr. Lewis told him "no hurry" as Inomata and Kusunoko are not now among those scheduled for "third round" trips to USA. Sato stated that he is waiting for American Bar Association offficial invitation before completing scheduling for International

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Judge Sato says Government Use Bill may be moved by unanimous vote of Cabinet the last hours before Diet adjournment, 4 May 1950.

Penitentiary and Penal Conference.
Staff is "plugging" quietly for that kind of action. May be successful.

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1 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 29 April (SATURDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~CIVIL INTELLIGENCE SECTION~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Wm. F. Van Buskirk assisted Mrs. Masa Azuma to get oriented for her itinerary's tour of specific agencies and institutions in course of stateside studies in the juvenile institution and agency field which her assignment comprehends.	Continuing.
Dr. Lewis gave most of the half-day to the same service for Director Furuhashi and Industry Section Chief Takeshi Kumon, both of CARB, Attorney General's Office. CARB Director Furuhashi is to cover all phases of the diverse correction and welfare supervision system of the U. S. Bureau of Prisons and of the States of New York, New Jersey, and California. Takeshi Kumon is to study Federal Prison Industries, Inc. in Washington Hdq., Atlanta Prison Factories, New Jersey and New York Government Use Hdq. and typical institutional systems, Minnesota, and Colorado State Prison Agriculture and Industry Systems and then Federal and State Industrial and Agricultural Systems situated in California.	Continuing.

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TO: Chief PSD

2 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 1 May (MONDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~[illegible]~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Col. Battey's messages to the C&R trio due to sail for the States 4 May 1950 were conveyed so as to warn them to get all clearance with Japanese on 2 May 1950 as 3 May 1950 3rd Annual Anniversary day of the New Constitution would find all JG Offices closed. Also Dr. Lewis pressed Takeshi Kumon to telephone 26-8048 in order to get visa from U. S. consul, delayed while the effect of his repatriation affidavit was being decided.	
Col. Drowns received from National Personnel Authority showing number personnel trained in service in all agencies in 1949-1950 fiscal year as 237,108, divided as follows: New employees, 28,603; present employees, refresher, 192,785 and supervisory 15,720.	Comparative relation of Attorney General and NRP to the total was shown to be as follows: Attorney General: New employees, 3,900; Refresher Courses for Present Employees, 25,878; Supervisor, 0; Total, 29,778. NRP - new employees, 5,698. Refresher courses for present employees, 67,017. Supervisor, 0. Total, 72,715. That is nearly half of the total of 237,108 are guidance problems of the Public Safety Division. Atty Gen. 39,778 NRP 72,715 TOTAl 112,493 Letters concerning Garioa Fund and IPPC proposed tours of Japanese were received from Warden Dowd, Michigan City, Indiana, Dr. Douglas A. Thom, Children's Clinic, Boston, Arthur T. Vanderbilt, Chief Justice, N. J.

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	Supreme Court, Robert H. Zahn, Chief Probation Officer, Erie County New York Courts.
Drowns, White: Visited Fuchu Main Prison to continue discussion on Reorganization Form #100.	Wardens of Fuchu, Toyatama, and Kawagoe were present. Fuchu and Toyatama state they have designated all Division, Section, Branch, and Unit Heads and that these heads are now engaged in the necessary changes and modifications within their departments to allow immediate operation under the new system. Repeated questions by Prison Branch to bring out any new problems was met by the answer, "no problems." Niishi of Toyatama is working on both reorganization and inspection forms for juvenile prisons. During Warden's conference he had opportunity to confer with other juvenile prison wardens and is going to Mito Juvenile Prison this month for further conferences. Prison Branch will work closely with him in developing the new forms.
Major Reed, Mr. Maxwell: Met with Yokohama prison officials at Yokohama Main Prison re: Industrial Program. Discussion involved vocational training expansion of certain major industries and the transferring of less important industries to other institutions.	Yokohama officials agreed to set up Vocational Training in woodwork, tailoring and shoe repair. Inmates assigned will receive a minimum of 90 days instruction. New classes will be formed each month; this will result in a three-phase program and will release trained inmate personnel monthly, thereby establishing a steady flow of shop replacements. Up to this date, procurement of "key" raw materials for the soap industry has been very difficult. However, since these restricted raw materials have been released, it is now advisable to expand this industry fully. The transfer of less important industries will be studied during May and report submitted as of 1 June 1950.

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TO: Chief PSD 3 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 2 May (TUESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis held an orientation conference for Urashiro Furuhashi, Takeshi Kumon, and Masa Azuma attended by returned High Court Judges Yochiro Naito and Koiichi Inomata, also Procurator Shingo Osabe. It was chiefly of value in impressing upon above about-to-leave trio that they must use their orientation notes if they are to get a balanced conception of their fields in the States instead of going on sight seeing tour.	More attention to detailed preparation will be made by above trio on 3 May 1950.
Mr. Kikuchi, Chief of Education, conferred with Mr. Van Buskirk regarding Reorganization of Administration of ~~Farming~~ Training Schools.	During conference of "Wardens" the supts. of training schools approved one skeleton chart of several suggested. Details now being ironed out.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD

4 May 1950 1949

1. Herewith submitted report for 3 May (WEDNESDAY) 1949 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis worked most of the day on detailed questions to be asked at some of the stops which Messrs. Furuhashi and Kumon and Mrs. Azuma will make in the States.	The gaps in the Procurator and C&R tours may be partly filled and the proper balance in the Industry Program secured if the tours can be prevented from political manhandling in the States.
Drowns and White: Visited construction site of Tokyo C&R DHQ which is scheduled for dedication 20 May 1950. Site is located approximately one-half minute by auto southeast of Yoyogi and F Avenues intersection.	Site and construction progress were inspected; recent construction progress has been rapid. Administration building layout appears to have been well planned. Entire site, when completed, shows promise of adequacy and attractiveness. Occupancy of new site in near future should provide much incentive to Tokyo DHQ Staff which is now sandwiched into cramped spaces borrowed from Kosuge Prison.
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MEMORANDUM
TO: Chief PSD

5 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 4 May (THURSDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the Civil Intelligence Section

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis completed data for use of the trio during their Garioa Fund Tours questions to ask at various stops on respective itineraries.	
Dr. Lewis, Lt. Col. Drowns, Major, Reed, and Mr. White: Saw Messrs. Furuhashi and Kumon and Mrs. Azuma at Yokohama for their Garioa Fund Tours.	
Chief of Education Section, CARB, Mr. Kikuchi, conferred with Mr. Van Buskirk pertaining to types of psychological tests to be used for juvenile classification.	Recommended use of battery, of basic tests as requirement with list of optional tests for checking and verification of results.
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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD

6 May 1950 ~~1949~~

1. Herewith submitted report for 5 May 1950 ~~1949~~ (FRIDAY) on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Mrs. Van Buskirk reported after an all night and all day vigil at the 49th General Hospital, where she, as a former registered nurse, was allowed every courtesy, that the physicians are of the opinion that her husband will pull through all right, that he must remain in the hospital for about a month, that he then must take it easy for about two weeks convalescence before he undertakes to slip back into his regular routine.	Dr. Lewis sent word for him not to worry about the TDY trip which he cannot take and that as time goes on he will have time to help the Prison Branch most by using his time to think about the larger issues and assistance which have been largely impossible while all of his necessary visitations were being carried out.
As to Lt. Ekstrom, he is past the crisis, will probably need some quick action to remove some water on one lung, though there is no positive test report in favor of T.B. in any form. He has been placed on a ground meat and liquid diet, will need to stay during May in the hospital where action to try and fit dentures while he is in hospital is to be taken.	Dr. Lewis sent word that he can find ways to adjust for Ekstrom's inability to go on TDY or to come to the Office.
Dr. Lewis and Mr. White: Visited and inspected the new building construction at Central Training Institute, Imperial Park, and of the District Dyopar Headquarters across the street at the site of the Old Juvenile Protection Headquarters.	The speed on these buildings indicates that they will be ready for dedication before August.
Dr. Lewis sent to Col. Pulliam memorandum supporting completed project item in April summary of Projects of Prison Branch, in which he showed that there is no need to use the services of the International Institute of Education in Garioa Fund Interchange of Personnel Tours in the States. Also he	DA direct, IIE be used

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commented upon Para. 2 of Col. Pulliam's directive as to orientation and service of the PSD tours.

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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD

8 May 1950 ~~1949~~

1. Herewith submitted report for 6 May 1950 ~~1949~~ on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis studied summary of In-Service Training tables supplied by JG by the NPA and suppoied to Prison Branch by CARB.	Ascertained relation of in-service initial and refresher load of cases under Attorney General to that of thos other Ministries with comparable loads so that possibilities of drawing upon other Ministries for interchange of lectures could be investigated.
Dr. Lewis called upon Van Buskirk and Lt. Ekstrom during visiting hours and found the former a little better and the latter much improved. (7 May 1950, 1800-2000)	The doctor made his rounds while Dr. Lewis was in hospital. He stated Van Buskirk had passed crisis, was a little better, would need 30 days absolute quiet, 2 weeks convalescence, and then a gradual easing back into routine. The lung tapping contemplated for Lt. Ekstrom probably will be unnecessary. Both men were told they could use hospital time to think about their work and of tasks they could do later on while convalescing.

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TO: Chief PSD

9 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 8 May (MONDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis reviewed the status of several prison industrial projects and with Mr. White reviewed the possible actions in respect of Government Use Bill which might be taken, then with Col. Drowns the present and immediate future of the Central and District Training School for initial in-service and refresher service.	Next steps must be planned carefully in view of new personnel in Offices of CARB and the new group of laws which call for inter-ministry cooperation along the lines of the bill for the original OPAR top mixed commissions, one for youth and one for adults. Also there are the problems connected with bridging the transition required by the Immediate Aid to Offenders Law and the Rehabilitation Officer Law.
Drowns, Cornelius: Oriented Lt. Col. Tglesco on functions and operations of Prison Branch on 8 May 1950 from 1430 to 1515 as part of his general orientation in G-2.	Gave general outline description of organization, personnel, policies, and duties of Prison Branch.
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TO: Chief PSD

10 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 9 May (TUESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis: Preparation of Manpower Charts.	Completed and submitted to Chief PSD
Mr. White and Lt. Col. Drowns: Conferred with CARB officials in re-revision of statistical reporting forms and practices (2) Complete analytical summary of approved budget (3) Analytical summary and reference forms for periodical review of personnel situation (4) Questions involving need for greater understanding and cooperation between CARB and NOPAR.	Printing of inmate population summary Report No. 1 has been completed by Yokohama Prison. CARB is drafting appropriate instructions. Agreement reached to meet in CARB conference room on 11 May for purpose of drafting inmate population reports Nos. 2 and 3 as well as a single sheet report form for institutional use in reporting on essential data to DHQ's. Regarding items 2 and 3, samples of desired forms were given in briefing; Matsumoto and Ogata respectively will have these ready at an early date. Reference, Item 4, Honda was requested to contact Saito and Suzuki at NOPAR and then contact Dr. Lewis for mutually agreeable conference day, for purpose of mooting need for improved liaison and working agreements between CARB and NOPAR.
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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD 11 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 10 May (WEDNESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis: Reviewed projects of 1950-51-52 from viewpoints (1) of using all already available means of implementing transition from old laws, cabinet orders, and ministerial regulations to new or revised ones, (2) readjusting C&R Bureau and DHQ workloads and assignments in Attorney General's Office and (3) reassigning the work load of the Prison Branch to meet present or immediately foreseeable contingencies.	Continuing.
Dr. Lewis: Discussed with Warden Suzuki possible availability of manuals of U. S. Prison Bureau of Prisons in respect of (1) internal business and administrative procedures, (2) organization of medical service and (3) functioning of Juvenile Service Bureau.	Dr. Lewis agreed to cull over available data and to let Warden Suzuki know what of the above immediately are available.
Mr. White: Conferred with Kurata, CARB, who brought up question of supposed hardships being inflicted upon DHQ's and institutions as a result of compliance with provisions of Internal Regulation 190 (which supplements Attorney General Order 155 and Cabinet Order 400) providing for establishment and functioning of DHQ's). Difficulty described by Kurata arises from necessity of prior clearance with CARB in Tokyo of travel requests beyond District boundaries.	Kurata cited examples of routine penal-correctional travel, such as transport of inmates and visitation to Finance Ministry District Offices, which, ostensibly were handicapped because of necessity for obtaining prior Tokyo approval for each trip. Pointed out that intent of regulation was not to stymie normal business, but to curtail unnecessary travel by hundreds of C&R officials in Grades 10 and upward at times just prior to a close of fiscal periods for the actual but not advertized purpose of supplementing

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incomes at the expense of travel allowances in the budget. Kurata admitted that such "feather-merchanting" was the rule in the Japanese Government. Advice was to effect that it might set a good example if at least one agency of the Japanese Government is free of graft. Recommendation is made that CARB should be encouraged strongly to get into the habit of disapproving these many requests for unnecessary and unjustified travel, when they clearly are such.

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TO: Chief PSD

12 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 11 May (THURSDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
R. B. Appleton, LS, SCAP, brought back books borrowed from Dr. Lewis for orientation of Family Court and Civil Rights Garioa Fund Personnel whom he is to escort during their stay in the States upon departure from Yokohama 12 May 1950. In place of giving him letter of introduction to Chief Justice Vanderbilt, New Jersey Supreme Court, requested by Dr. A. C. Oppler, February, 1950, which is no longer permitted, Dr. Lewis was able to show Appleton a personal letter from Chief Justice Vanderbilt, date, 25 April 1950, received by Dr. Lewis prior to directive of recent date in which the Chief Justice already said he would take care of any such situations in respect of any future tours.	Agreed that outcome of previous cooperation between LS and PSD of August and November 1949 was well implemented by several actions and results among which was the securing by High Court Judge Koiichi Inomata of a year's scholarship in Post Graduate Law School course in a large USA University. Friction between I.I.E. and U. S. Bureau of Prisons over changes in itineraries of Procurators Osabe and Idee was settled by U. S. Bureau issuing permits for these two to visit several Federal Institutions which did not fit in well with LS ideas of what Procurators should center upon. The outcome with these two reversed the preliminary good results which flowed from Col. Pulliam's suggestions of August 1949.
Dr. Lewis prepared remarks for 20 May 1950 Dedication of Tokyo DHQ and Training Institute situated adjacent to a public school and Aoyama Gakuin near entrance on Yoyogi Street and "F" Avenue to Meiji Shrine and Washington Heights Dependent Housing.	Submitted for clearance.
Dr. Lewis and Mrs. W. P. Woodard conferred with Messrs. Takeda, Asst. Chief of Industry Section, speaking for Acting Chief Takahashi of that Section, while Warden Kumon is in the States, concerning making	Continuing.

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at Kyoto Prison of a large order of souvenir tiles commemorating the forthcoming restoration of Tokyo Union Church.

Radio AFRS reported at 1745 San Quentin Prison was visited today by three Japanese penological experts, Taro Ogawa, Director, Japanese Prison Association, Mme. Fumi Suzuki, member Tokyo District Parole Commission, and Dr. Masao Otsu, Chief of Attorney General's Medical Services. Taro Ogawa said they are completing a three months' study of American penal institutions.

This is proof that Dr. Otsu, not under Garioa Fund, IIE sponsorship, is having an auspicious beginning of his tour which began with the landing, 8 May 1950 of Swedish Liner, Olga Maersck.

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CIVIL INTELLIGENCE SECTION

MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD

13 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 12 May (FRIDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~CIVIL INTELLIGENCE SECTION~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
White and Drowns: On 11 May conferred with Deputy Chief, CARB, and Staff in orientation and discussion of revision of statistical reporting forms.	Recommended that Honda's initial draft instructions covering inmate statistical report No. 1 (recently drafted) should be rewritten to include complete and comprehensive instructions regarding purpose, intent, usefullness and advantages of new form to field services and CARB. Recommended also that samples of forms properly filled out (using either actual or hypothetical figures) should be provided to DHQ's as visual aids in illustrating via graphic means what would require reams of paper to explain in words. Reviewed also CARB illustration of required inmate statistical data in addition to Report No. 1: It appeared that CARB is handicapped in statistical efficiency for practical purposes due to current practice of providing data purported to be useful to the Supreme Court Prosecution Bureau and GHQ.
	Opinion is that substantial amount of data now considered as routine should either be eliminated or reduced to quarterly report requirements. Will confer with Dr. Piersel, S&A, and again with CARB during week of 15 May.

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Lewis, Drowns, White: Participated in PSD conference with Lt. Col. R. C. Erlenbusch, G-1, and Mr. Tanaka, Japanese Foreign Ministry in re Japanese Government delay in taking appropriate and proper implementing action apropos of SCAPIN's 2055 and 2083.	Conferees generally were critical of Japanese Government failure to present problem of repatriation to 7th Diet for legislative action. Also conferees agreed generally that responsibility for operation of the Hario Camp should not be placed in CARB of the Attorney General's Office and that escorting subjects for deportation is considered police burden. Agreement reached to take further exploratory action in GHQ which should be designed to obtain high level approval on plane to bring pressure upon Japanese Government for presentation of repatriation problem to next Diet. In addition, encouragement will be given to effective Japanese Government agencies toward mooting repatriation question within Japanese Government circles. Subsequent meeting, White with Judge Sato brought out repeated assertions by Sato of Attorney General Office objections to current unrealistic, poorly applied, stop gap procedures. Sato expressed intent of conferring at early date with top officials of National Government management agencies and with Foreign Office officials.
Kurata brought word that the dedication of Tokyo DHQ and Training Center building had been postponed until 10 June 1950 since unexpected rains had delayed construction by about 15 days.	The later dedication date will permit Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Fumi Suzuki to attend the dedication, ~~and comment, despite their limited training center observations made at Louisville and Denver, since the special four-day visit of Mrs. Suzuki to the Rackham School of Social Administration was eliminated from the itinerary of Mrs. Suzuki by I.I.E. revision.~~

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD 15 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 13 May 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH
(SATURDAY)

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis: Review of existing Garioa Fund Interchange Of Personnel orientation and possible immediate uses of reports of Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Fumi Suzuki.	Continuing, 15 May.
Drowns and White: Conferred with officials of C&R DHQ in connection with further testing and utilization of Information and Inspection Routine 100.	Col. Drowns made arrangements for Kudo to inspect Chiba Prison during week of 15 May with understanding that his (Drowns) own inspection of same institution would follow on or about 23 May; both visitations would involve utilization of newly revised Form 100. Follow-up get-together and comparison of data agreed upon. If possible, Sugita newly placed First Division Chief, will accompany Kudo for orientation purposes. In addition, the many significant and varied practical uses of this Form were discussed. These included probable voluntary adoption by wardens of Routine for their own uses in checking up on their individual staffs' efficiency. Substantial evidence exists that C&R Services are beginning to feel justly proud of Information and Inspection Routine 100.
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MEMORANDUM
TO: Chief PSD 16 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 15 May (MONDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis continued with Acting CARB Director Honda discussion of logistics for joint reception of Japanese Prison Affairs Association. CARB and NOPAR Commission on afternoon of 27 May 1950 at Detached Palace Conference Room of Attorney General for Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Fumi Suzuki. The purpose will be to get a quick comprehensive review from each on a question and answer basis of the highlights of the whole three months' tour of the first two C&R delegates who were oriented to serve as trail blazers for subsequent correction and rehabilitation Japanese interchange personnel. Dr. Lewis advised Honda to seek the cooperation of the other two organizations in developing the logistics of making the best uses of the results of American tours along some such lines as: (1) Receptions and quick comprehensive reviews of studies and visitations taken as a whole. (2) Special fact finding summaries by returned delegates at quarterly conferences of C&R District Supervisors and staff of DAOPAR and DYOPAR Commissions and their staffs at Dedication and Central Training Institute Session opening and closing ceremonies. (3) Publication in Prison Affairs Journals and District Human Relations monthly magazines of special factual articles concerning special	Acting Director Honda will confer with Director General Saburo Saito of NOPAR and Director Takizawa of the Prison Affairs Association and report back suggestion for a comprehensive plan of action.

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problems or of peculiar solutions of special problems observed in USA with suggested applications in Japan. (4) Possible publication by CARB or NOPAR Commission of a final report of each returned visitor to the States under the Garioa or other Fund Tours so that they can be assembled as a single bound volume.	
Drowns and White: Conf. with Dr. Piersel for purpose of determining (1) Inmate statistical data essential for S&A PSD purposes and (2) form of required statistical data (3) Source.	Needs and ideas of S&A and tentative estimates of needs by Prison Branch, in general, discussed. Found that some data utilized by S&A should be obtained through channels from courts and procuratorial services. Continuing.
Drowns and White: Joined Lt. Col. Spiegel in conference with Tanaka and Ito of Foreign Ministry, who sought expression of approval from PSD of proposed JG stopgap solution for operation of Hario Detention Camp.	Japanese advised that, while PSD is not issuing any instructions or directives apropos of JG plan to place responsibility on Attorney General C&R services for operation of Hario Camp, PSD disapproves of plan. As recommendation, suggested that new organization be set up to function under Foreign Ministry.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD

17 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 16 May (TUESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
On 15 May Takahashi, CARB Chief of Custody Section, came in to report on status of preparations for operation of Hario Detention Camp and also to comment upon his observations of Hario following recent visit. Meeting attended by Lt. Col. Spiegel, Drowns, and White.	Takahashi reported that CARB has no information other than that a tentative date of 1 June has been set for CARB operation of Hario. Proposed chain of authority will run from the Hario Camp director to CARB Custody Section Chief, to CARB Director to Criminal Affairs Assistant Attorney General to Attorney General, with Fukuoka DHQ, Supervisor Nakao remaining uninvolved. Takahashi observations of Hario were, as reported, not good. Majority of camp area unused with depertees including men, women, and children being held in stalls of 50 capacity each in one barn-like structure. Sanitation and other factors reportedly unfavorable. CARB does not propose to involve prison guards in the maintenance of security at Hario in support of proposed operational contingent of 190, but, by agreement apparently, will depend upon support of the NRP. In re this matter, CARB is in agreement with Prison Branch view that assignment of prison or other institutional personnel to Hario on any pretext would lack both legal and moral justification. PSD advised CARB to "keep us informed" on any and all developments.

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Mr. White: Visited Fuchu Prison and discussed progress of administrative reorganization plan following adoption on 1 May.

Warden absent. Discussed developments with staff. No difficulties of significance are apparent. Orientation of divisional, sectional, and branch heads appears to be satisfactory. Some uncertainty is apparent at clerical levels but available information indicates that these are coming into line. Recommendation is made that progress since 1 May at Toyotama should be checked at earliest and if found to be advanced as Fuchu, Wardens Suzuki and Ohi should be encouraged to begin actual preparation of drafted regulations for CARB; information from other 9 "pilot" prisons should be taken into account.

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MEMORANDUM
TO: Chief PSD

18 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 17 May (WEDNESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Chief of Personnel Ogata, CARB, brought in a proposed clarifying regulation establishing sub-positions in each section of DHQ organizations more nearly to conform to the existing and proposed organization under the revised classes of institutional organization, for example, under Section Three, "regular educators" sub section would handle the actual or simulated public educational courses, while special education would handle classes for illiterates, blind and deaf, recreation and some socialized courses such as home making in girls' Shonen-In Training Schools.	Left revision for review and suggestions in Prison Branch.
Ogata also left proposal for appointment of present Deputy Supt. at Seto Shonen-In Training School to one at Osaka District at Kobe so as to release present head of that institution to become Junior Director in Fukuoka.	Dr. Lewis passed this proposal to front office stating Prison Branch saw no objection to the proposals under the conditions which must be met.
Spiegel, Drowns, White: Participated in conference in Dai Ichi Building with Lt. Col. Erlenbusch, G-1, K. Onogi, Deputy Director, National Administrative Management Agency, Rokuzo Yaguchi, Chief of Immigration Service Division of Foreign Office, Mr. S. Honda, Deputy Chief, CARB, and currently Acting	During discussion Lt. Col. Erlenbusch endeavored to explore PSD position re temporary assignment to Attorney General's Office, CARB, of operational responsibility for Hario Detention Camp. PSD representatives reiterated view that in PSD opinion the one unwise decision, as reflects the Vice Ministers' memorandum, was Paragraph 2a which

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Director, and T. Kurata, CARB. This conference, by invitation Lt. Col. Erlenbusch, for purpose of endeavoring to settle on appropriate JG interim measures for implementing SCAPINS 2055 and 2083.

provides for Attorney General operation of Hario Camp. This was mooted as technical point rather than a blanket criticism of the Vice Minister's proposal in total. Question would be mooted further during 18 May conference to be represented by PSD, G-1, GS, and three key Vice Ministers in JG, namely, Sato of Attorney General's Office, Onogi of National Administrative Management Agency and the Vice Minister Foreign Office. This conference will precede Vice Minister's Conference of same day, thus affording possible opportunity to promote change in Vice Minister's decision re Hario Camp from Attorney General operation to Foreign Ministry responsibility.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief PSD 19 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 18 May (THURSDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis: Sent a memorandum to Col. Pulliam date 18 May 1950 entitled "Three SCAP Schools for Transition Period" to which was attached a report of the National Personnel Authority, entitled, "The Total Number of National Personnel Trained in Service in 1949 and 1950 Fiscal Years" showing "Trainees in 1949" were 237,108 Trainees pre-arranged for 1950 as 216,121 Of these PSD was concerned with: Trainees in 1949 National Rural Police 72,715 Attorney General's Office 39,778 Total PSD 112,493 Trainees Pre-arranged 1950 53,440 Attorney General's Office 40,050 Total PSD 93,490	Purpose is to secure, if possible, immediate consideration of handling the problems as regard PSD and especially the initiation of much more extensive services under the NPA Law. Premature on E+R Concentrate on developing schools now. RJB
Dr. Lewis: Spent some time orienting Messrs. K. Nishimura and Kenzo Suzuki for their Exchange of Personnel studies of Training Schools and methods of in-service and other kinds of training in the States.	
Dr. Lewis received a report from Kenzo Suzuki that his wallet was "lifted" while on his way to Utsunomiya with Commissioner Toda to conduct a District DAOPAR and DYOPAR conference. He lost considerable money and	Sent the report to Col. Battey for consideration and instructions.

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his NYK VIP Pass which carries his picture.

Lt. Col. Drowns and Mr. White: Participated in conference held in PSD conference room in re implementation of SCAPINS 2055 and 2083 and the spirit thereof, particularly with respect to administrative responsibility and operation of Hario Detention Camp. In attendance were, including above named, Lt. Col. Battey, Lt. Col. Spiegel, PSD; Mr. Matsukata, GS; Lt. Col. Benson, G-1; Lt. Evans, DS; and Vice Ministers of Attorney General Office Foreign Ministry and Administrative Management Agency; Chief, Immigration Service Division, and aides.

Problems of [redacted] failure of JG to take effective action to date in implementation of SCAPINS 2055 and 2083 and the wisdom of administrative direction of Hario Camp were discussed. Recommended that JG should issue Cabinet Order implementing concerned SCAPINS without further delay and recommended for JG consideration the advisability of both from a legal and moral point of view, placing direction Hario Camp under an appropriate immigration control authority other than the Attorney General's Office. Detailed report to follow.

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MEMORANDUM

TO: Chief, PSD

~~19~~ 20 May, 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 19 May, 1950 on daily activities of the Civil Intelligence Section

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Mr White conferred with Tosuke Sato, ~~Chief~~ Criminal Assistant Attorney General re the Hario situation	Continuing
Lt Cornelius returned from TDY. Field trip.	

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MEMORANDUM
TO: Chief PSD

22 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 20 May (SATURDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis: Received from Merrell Vories a Handbook in Japanese on Thornell, Massachusetts types of treatment and methods of handling feeble minded youth.	Will be referred to Chief of Education Kikuchi and Doctors Tani, Supt. of Tokyo Observation Home and Hayo, Superintendent, Tokyo Medical Reformatory, respectively, for study and report.
Mr. White: In follow-up of 19 May conference with Criminal Affairs Assistant General Sato, Kurata, CARB Liaison Officer, came in to report at Sato's request that growing interest among concerned Japanese Government Agencies in PSD point of view regarding disposition of Hario Detention Camp problem had increased to a point where Mr. Okazaki, Chief Cabinet Secretary, was preparing to call on GHQ on or about 22 May with request for advice and guidance of a technical or organizational nature. Instead of Mr. Okazaki planning to call on GS as was forecasted by by Sato on 19 May, information is that plans are being made for a call upon PSD for purposes of obtaining PSD ideas along the lines offered by PSD on 18 May.	

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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD

23 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 22 May 1950 (MONDAY) on daily activities of the ~~Civil Intelligence Section~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Kenzo Suzuki, Dept. Dir. Gen., NOPAR Commission, brought in to Dr. Lewis "Program of Conference of NOPAR Commission and Supervision Officers" for 13, 14, and 15 June 1950. Dr. Lewis suggested inserting an Item 2 calling for a report by Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Suzuki of their observation of probation and parole supervision officers' work in the States. This meeting is in compliance with the advice offered by Dr. Lewis before and at the April 1950 conference called by the NOPAR Commission.	Suzuki said they gladly would place the item on the calendar and he asked Dr. Lewis to explain to the conference just what scientific and realistic supervision is.
Final draft of fingerprint regulations brought in by Kurata.	

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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD 24 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 23 May 1950 (TUESDAY) on daily activities of the ~~Public Safety Division~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Kokichi Higuchi, M.D., Chief of Medical Section, Tokyo Observation Home, presented a letter of introduction from Tsuneo Muramatsu, M.D. (now Professor of Psychiatry, Nagoya University) already selected by STAC of Japanese Government. Higuchi's expenses are to be borne by JG who is to go to the States for a three months' tour under auspices ESS Scientific and Technical Division, exactly as was Dr. Masao Otsu. Dr. Murumatsu requested aid of Dr. Lewis in working over itinerary for Dr. Higuchi, which the latter already has prepared in tentative form for presentation to ESS.	Generally speaking, Dr. Lewis advised Dr. Higuchi to follow the itinerary of Dr. Otsu, except possibly as a psychiatrist he should ask the California University Medical Center, San Francisco, and the U. S. Public Health Service. Bethesda, Maryland, to substitute Mental Hygiene for Tropical Medical laboratory study and visitation. Also, Dr. Higuchi was advised he should spend more time with Doctors Humphreys, Brancale, and Gordon, top line psychiatric specialists in New Jersey and with the Gluecks and Judge Baker Foundation specialists in Boston. Dr. Higuchi will come back for detailed discussion of men and facilities available at each stop on Dr. Otsu's itinerary. Also he will confer with Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Fumi Suzuki who recently spent three days with Dr. Otsu seeing California Mental Hygiene Institutions.
Dr. Lewis attended the Staff Conference concerning Garioa Fund Interchange of Personnel tours.	Emphasis upon good orientation and proper planning to help Japanese use results of tours will be made by Prison Branch without burdening tourists with detailed note taking while conferring with counterpart officials in USA.
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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD

25 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 24 May (WEDNESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Public Safety Division~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Kurata brought in to Dr. Lewis statement of Interchange of Personnel Program in the States for Dr. Kokichi Higuchi and also ~~the~~ suggested draft of his proposed itinerary. Dr. Higuchi, a 1944 graduate of Tokyo Medical School, of high standing, is Chief of the Medical Section of Tokyo Observation Home for the Feeble Minded. His assignment is "Study and Investigation of Conditions, Practice, Education, and Treatment for Psychopaths and Feeble Minded," also "Management of Medical Training Schools." During Three-Year Post Graduate Interneship, Dr. Higuchi prepared five separate studies and three subsequent ones as psychiatrist at Tama Training School for Boys.	Dr. Lewis will attempt to improve the statement of the itineraries and to definitize some special investigations at some of the stops, notably in California, New York, New Jersey, and Massachusetts. Also this assignment supplementing the studies of Dr. Otsu now under way and of Dr. Murumatsu about to begin, should be carefully integrated with them in order to yield best results for the correctional medical program in Japan.
Copy of Cabinet Order entitled, "Central Juvenile Problems Committee Order" of 15 May 1950 was received and reviewed in the Prison Branch during the day.	
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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD 26 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 25 May (THURSDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Public Safety Division~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Liaison Officer, Kurata, CARB, brought to Dr. Lewis translations of two letters of Dr. Otsu, one to Judge Sato and one to Acting Director Honda, showing that Dr. Otsu has had a series of eye-opening experiences in analyzing the reception and classification procedures at San Quentin and medical services at Alcatraz Prisons. Strangely enough he gives no indication of having grasped the other revolutionary implications of medical work at Sonana Institution for Feeble Minded and Stockton State Mental Hospital and at the Mental Hygiene Bureau of the State Correction Department at Sacramento.	Dr. Lewis advised Kurata that Judge Sato or Acting Director Honda should inform Otsu, who is not under the IIE should speed up his tour, or he will make only about half of it.
Drowns, Cornelius, Ekstrom: Conducted an inspection of Chiba Main Prison 23 May and 25 May as a final test of Inspection Form #100 (hereafter to be known as Information and Guidance Sheet).	Except for minor corrections, the institution was in good shape. PSD inspection has been partially compared to inspection made by Mr. Kudo of Tokyo District Headquarters and indicates form is serving purpose of indoctrinating Japanese inspectors in required inspection techniques. Full report will be made in regular form.

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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD 27 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 26 May (FRIDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Public Safety Division~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Dr. Lewis and Mr. White: Conferred with Judge Sato in PSD Conference Room at latter's request in connection with the as yet unsettled question of JG actions in implementation of SCAPIN 2055 and 2083 reference files on illegal entries.	Sato stated purpose in desiring conference with PSD at this time was to (1) Advise PSD that at least some concerned quarters in JG are still thinking in terms of cabinet action in implementation of 13 April Vice Ministerial recommendation which would place Hario Detention Camp operation under Attorney General (and CARB); (2) To convey bitter opposition on the part of Attorney General's Office to assignment Hario Camp operation to Attorney General; (3) To request PSD continued strongest efforts in prevention of so called temporary disposition of Hario Problem. Long discussion followed. Agreed that so called temporary solution would be in effect a permanent one. In view Attorney General limitations preventing direct petition to GS, Attorney General will present to PSD on 27 May official memorandum outlining opposition to procedures outlined in 13 April Vice Ministerial Memorandum. Subject to PSD approval, PSD conferees agreed to forward copy of 27 May Memorandum to GS at earliest.
Drowns: Conf. with Mr. Honda and other representatives of C&R at C&R National Headquarters 26 May 1950 relative to revision of present prisoner numbering system used in Japanese Prison.	Showed Japanese the outline of the Federal numbering system in U.S. C&R now preparing similar outline of their own present system. Upon receipt of this outline, work will go ahead on the revision.
Major Reed and Mr. Maxwell: Returned from TDY, Hokkaido District. Preparation of Survey Report.	Continuing.

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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD 29 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 27 May (SATURDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the Public Safety Division, Prison Branch

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Fumi Suzuki, C&R Garioa Fund Interchange Personnel, returned to Japan on USNS General S. B. Buckner which landed at Yokohama, 0900. Dr. Lewis and Acting Director Honda, CARB, and several other Japanese met the ship.	Arrangements made for official reception for two at Detached Palace at 1000, 29 May 1950.
Kurata filed more monthly statistical data and copy of Cabinet Order establishing juvenile delinquency committee of the Prime Minister's Office.	
Mr. White: Was advised verbally by Kurata, CARB, that Attorney General Office draft of opinion and analysis of JG proposed action to Vice Ministerial recommendation on 13 April would be delivered to PSD on the morning of 29 May for such perusal and action as PSD might be able to undertake in support of Attorney General opposition to placement of Hario Detention Camp to Attorney General CARB administrative responsibility.	

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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD 31 May 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for ~~29 May (MONDAY)~~ 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Public Safety Division~~ Prison Branch

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
The Prison Staff attended the Detached Palace Attorney General's Reception for Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Fumi Suzuki, who returned 27 May 1950 from 3 months' Garioa Fund Personnel organized tour of certain correction and rehabilitation institutions and agencies in the states.	Dr. Lewis acted as interlocutor assisting the concerned to give and the auditors to receive a brief comprehensive review of the highlights of the tour of the two, chiefly in New York, Washington, Indiana, and California, with important brief stops enroute at Louisville, Kentucky, Omaha, and Denver.
Staff Conference went over existing work projects in order to reassign projects of Coordinator Leslie A. White, who is returning to the States by separation and to make provision for carrying the bulk of Wm. F. Van Buskirk's work while he is ill.	One or more of Mr. White's projects will be dropped, two or more of Mr. Van Buskirk's projects will be held in abeyance and the great bulk of all these respective projects will be carried by the Prison Staff and the JG.
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MEMORANDUM
TO : Chief PSD 1 June 1950

1. Herewith submitted report for 31 May (WEDNESDAY) 1950 on daily activities of the ~~Public Safety Division~~ PRISON BRANCH

ACTIVITY (Who, what, where, when, why and how?)	ACTION (Full account of action, briefly stated.)
Taro Ogawa and Mrs. Fumi Suzuki came to PSD to call upon Col. Pulliam and Prison Branch Staff. They stated they felt their stateside studies and conferences with counterpart officials would be of great help to Japan C&R officials. Those names especially were Edward R. Cass, Secretary, American Prison Association, New York City, and New York State Department of Correction, U. S. Bureau of Prisons, Warden Dowd, Indiana State Prison, and California State Department of Correction and its Youth and Adult authorities, also Warden Clinton Duffy, San Quentin Prison. Their studies of probation had to be confined to that of the Boys' Probation Court, New York City, U. S. Courts, Office of the Chief of Probation and the Probation Section of California Youth authority.	Reports on special topics are being prepared by both representatives, also a consolidated report will be made. Their spontaneous remarks about the JIE's changes and regulations are being reported to Col. Pulliam by memorandum.
Drowns, Maxwell: Visited Central Training School, Tokyo, 31 May 1950, for purpose of making two one-hour lectures.	Drowns lectured on "Sanitation in Prisons" to the Graduating Chief Guards' Class, stressing importance of an active sanitation program in all types of institutions. Maxwell lectured on "Factors Relative to the Industrial Program" to a class of industry technicians gathered from overall Japan for a special industry class. The industry lecture came at an opportune time, coinciding with the pilot plant demonstration being set up at Yokohama Main Prison. It was well received and created interest and a number of excellent questions.

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