

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Meeting at DOB this date

8 July 64

Area representatives: DOB, []
SR, []
EE, []
DO, []
NE, []

(in the afternoon [] [] were not in the meeting, [] [] DOB, []
entered, from TSD were [] [] from OC)

The meeting was in session as I started taking ~~notes~~ notes. Perry stated that we have wanted the divisions satisfied. [] [] stated (on the subject of them in by teaching jump training to the students) that he may have to send/boat, submarine, etc. He stated from the standpoint of a hot war, the Middle East, this makes a nice depot of SR weaponry where they can come in very quickly.

Peter stated that in the effort to meet the course we cut demo and sab out increasing observation and reporting. He stated that they had greatly increased clandestine methods and techniques. Peter said they gave them 80 hours of operations. He also commented that there was quite an insistence of SR to get into active opposition. Boris had wanted 18 hours, nobody qualified. We finally got six hours. Peter stated that this instruction has to be well done or the people get ~~fr~~ frightened. He said what they would like to do next time is to cut back on observation and reporting and tighten up ~~in~~ field exercises for three days, ~~dis~~ expense with judo completely which took some 28 hours. in this time provide the students with six to eight ~~hours~~ days with sab and demo. Everyone was in agreement with this.

Peter said what he would like to do is come up with an hourly breakdown and come up with a schedule of the next class. Perry asked Peter, ~~is~~ with the cut of judo would he increase physical training. Peter said yes, from the 30 minutes it would probably be increased to 45 minutes or an hour. He also stated ~~h~~ that he feels judo is unrealistic, that the students will be better prepared with dirty fighting

[] stated that in the EE area they don't think of the WHIPPERS primarily as sabotage training. He said they are committing them as reporters and sources. He ~~said~~ said they would rather see a man continue reporting rather than blowing up a few things. There was a discussion on academic training. / Perry said he didn't see how we could reduce the 10 day block and make it worth while. Peter stated that he feels the things the students do with their hands sticks with them more. [] said they also think of ~~them~~ their men as espionage agents.

Perry asked if they should put back in the course basic familiarization. []

[] said he had no objection, [] said he went along with that with the dispense of judo, [] also agreed. Virgil ~~said~~ said the students would have to learn how to survive under radiation and they should be trained in the concepts and techniques. On the subject of the different divisions' ideas of training Peter stated that all of them should get a basic and sound course, that the divisions could decide what they want for summer training. He said he thinks we need a summer course for survival because it would take too long during the basic course.
(this closed the first meeting which ended at 12:00 noon)

Meeting in the afternoon re clothing & documentation of students

[] stated that the situation in MKTOPAZ is dried up and the only other place they could hope to get any is isolated places of other parts of the world.

He said they don't have sizes of all the men. Another thing is will the clothing be the same as in the area they are going. He also said they have to have a great deal of information on the graduates and quite a bit of money to outfit these men.

[] asked as a result of this meeting would there be a memo deciding the things such as who would pay clothing, documentation, etc. []

[] said there would be. [] told [] that the Base would help him in any way we ~~could~~ could, getting clothing sizes, making the people available for photographs, etc. []

[] said the most they could do is get general ~~type~~ type of clothing for black living. He said the SR Division is going to take a very

dim view in ordering so many sets for so many men. He also said that is the responsibility of DOB. Virgil stated it is their responsibility to levy the

requirements and not be a supply office. [] stated that when you drop people, they don't drop on a dime and you just don't accept black anymore. He

stated they have ~~photos~~ photographs they are using for the third and fourth time.

it was decided
~~By~~ There was a discussion on EE type clothing and ~~Joe said~~ they could give

EE people a basic wardrobe including some type of tweed coat, two pair of

slacks, socks, shoes, etc. Joe said he wanted to determine whether these costs would be defrayed by DOB. []

[] said he did not think ~~it was necessary~~ there was ~~any~~ any worry in stockpiling clothes for his people. [] said

he would not collect material if there was no requirement and he had no requirements from NE, re documentation. [] (TSD) said they/would get their requirements. [] stated that they want to make the documents as authentic as possible. [] said it was up to the Divisions to brief the men on area ~~in~~ knowledge. [] said that when the time comes the Division will brief the agents. [] wanted to know if it is worthwhile to go ahead and make the documents, he said maybe they could just take the photographs. [] stated in addition to supplying TSD with sizes, etc. we could provide them with bio data. Another thing in outfitting the men, [] said that all the men would have to have watches, of the same make in ~~which~~ the country they were sent. Mickey asked [] if they could set up a list of information that ~~is~~ they need for documentation. Joe stated they had one already made up.

Virgil said not to do anything on clothing and documentation until TSD hears from them further. Bill told Joe to forward the 10 or so documents they have to us and we will file them in the 201 files. He also said that it would be advisable to have photos taken when the men come in this month, next and the next.

The meeting was dismissed.