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A. SIGNIFICANT ITEMS

None to report.

B. OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. On a personal basis, I complied with a request of a research team working at Georgetown on Mechanical Translation, in which CIA is significantly involved, to listen to a tale of woe. I shall report this personally to you for such use as you feel should be made of the information.

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3. Further by way of comparing CIA and other agencies in language training effort, the following figures from the Bureau of the Budget for 1959 have just come to us and are included here as a matter of interest:

Army	\$10,566,310
State	3,021,313
Air Force	2,695,500
ICA	809,000
Navy	626,656
USIA	524,195
CIA	517,219
NSA	248,000

The total in the government is just under \$20,000,000; so CIA's expenditures for language training represent about 2½% of the total.

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