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MEMORANDUM FOR: Assistant Director, Research and Reports
FROM: Chief, Geographic Research
SUBJECT: GRA Activity Report for the Month of November 1960

A. Major Research and Technical Support Activity

1. The Cartography Division accepted requests for 118 maps and charts and completed 130. Both completions and requests decreased somewhat from last month, leaving a backlog of 365 jobs in progress. Among the major accomplishments of the Division during November was the completion of two significant maps on Africa for the Department of State--the Administrative Divisions map of Africa was revised and brought up to date, and a map, Africa - New Nations and New Leaders, was prepared for the Department.

2. The urban program for the production of USSR city plans advanced to the extent that 3 city plans of the old schedule were printed and published and some progress in the collateral research phase of the new series was accomplished. In addition, the Division completed the printing of 3 [redacted] and is now current on requests for this type of assistance from [redacted].

3. The Geography Division completed and disseminated one Geographic Intelligence Memorandum (GM 60-4, South Vietnam), and seven Geographic Support Projects. One of the Support Projects (GP 60.111:1, Comments Pertinent to the Appraisal of Policy and the Operations Plan for Antarctica, 1960) was done at the request of the DCI, and two others were requested by DD/P. In addition, overlays of East Germany showing sightings of Shyster (IRBM) missiles and LOX manufacturing as well as two overlays of SAM sites in Bulgaria were completed and passed to I/GM.

4. The Map Library Division forwarded 23,353 items to requesters in response to 1,952 requests for maps, related geographic publications, and reference information. Cuba and Africa were the areas of greatest concentration during the month. Maps on all countries of Africa were sent to the Bureau of Cultural Affairs, Department of State, and to two different components of CIA. A large shipment of maps was sent to the Department of State's Vital Materials location. A visit was made to the office of Mr. Foy D. Kohler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs, to survey the map holdings of the office, in order to bring them up to date.

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5. Significant items received by the Map Library Division included: a) a 1960 administrative-territorial handbook of the USSR; b) an Administrative handbook and a 1:200,000 administrative map series of Czechoslovakia, both based on the new administrative divisions effective 1 July 1960; c) a 1960 economic geography of Rumania and accompanying atlas of 25 economic maps; and d) 1960-61 timetables for railroads and buses of Yugoslavia.

6. Support activities of the Special Collection Support Branch, D/GL, included the following: a) a requirement for the collection of Soviet-produced topographic maps of Northern Afghanistan was submitted to St/I for transmittal to DD/P. This requirement supplements a previous requirement on DD/P for collection of maps in Afghanistan. In addition, fourteen other requirements were submitted to St/I, or CD/CO, nine pertaining to Sino-Soviet Bloc collection and five to non-Bloc collection, [REDACTED] b) In response to a GL/S requirement [REDACTED] 3,841 aerial photograph negatives were obtained on a loan basis in November. This photography, covering an area of approximately 14,000 square miles in Somalia, was transmitted to Photo Records and Services Division, ACIC, for reproduction by that organization.

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7. Planning is in progress for foreign travel by Geography Division personnel as follows: Area familiarization travel by [redacted] to the Far East and Southeast Asia, beginning approximately mid-March; and combined area familiarization and procurement missions for D/GL by [redacted] to Latin America, beginning mid-March, and by [redacted] to Western Europe, beginning early February. Plans are also being made for two members of GG/F to attend the symposium on the Sciences in Communist China, to be conducted in New York on 26-27 December as part of the meetings of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

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8. The following reassignment of area responsibilities within the Europe Branch, D/GG, has been made as a consequence of personnel changes [redacted] to the Europe Branch, [redacted] on TDY [redacted] and [redacted] to the Western Hemisphere Branch):

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- Bulgaria, Greece, Cyprus
- France, Italy, Spain, Portugal, Switzerland, Yugoslavia, and Albania
- Benelux, Poland, Finland, Norway, Iceland, Greenland, Svalbard, [redacted]
- Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Rumania, Sweden, Denmark, Ireland

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12. As a result of a meeting with Col. Krause, Chief of the Target Material Division at SAC headquarters, and Major Wright and Major Nash of the SAC Detachment in D. C., it was decided that an employee of SAC would be detailed to GL/S. The individual chosen has Russian, Polish, Czech, and German language capability, and has been in intelligence for eighteen years; [REDACTED] Arrangements were also completed for [REDACTED], GL/S, to spend his two-weeks' Air Force active duty at SAC under Col. Krause.

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13. Geographic Attaches will remain at their home posts during December. Over-all restrictions on travel by Foreign Service will be likely to affect planned itineraries of Geographic Attaches. [REDACTED]

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14. Plans and final details for the publication of the Acquisitions List for Antarctic Cartographic Materials are nearing completion by the Map Library Division. The first list is tentatively scheduled for January 1961.

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C. Significant Outside Contacts and Activities

1. In accordance with an OCB instruction to the Working Group on Antarctica, a series of meetings have begun in order to develop U. S. guidelines for the future preparation of operations plans; [REDACTED] attended these meetings during [REDACTED] absence. Other contacts of interest concerning Antarctica were as follows: Dr. H. Dater, U. S. Antarctic Projects Officer was briefed prior to his departure for Argentina where he will be the U. S. observer with the Argentine Antarctic Expedition. Dr. T. Jones, Director, U. S. Antarctic Research Program, NSF, requested a detailed analysis and assessment of the implications of a hostile Soviet article on Antarctica. Mr. C. Steward Hillmor, Stanford University and U. S. National Bureau of Standards, was briefed at the Department of State prior to his departure as the U. S. representative at Mirnyy during the coming season.

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2. NSA GENS-33 representatives confirmed to [REDACTED] GC/E, that NSA now accepts the grid plotting suggestions and uses set forth in our GRA-SC-60-1. GC/E has prepared a memorandum reviewing the project to date and summarizing the latest discussions.

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4. At the request of [REDACTED] and after consultations among [REDACTED] -- a memorandum was prepared for use in briefing the DCI on the situation regarding the handling of maps of Cuba during the past year.

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5. At the November meeting of the Arctic Area Discussion Group, Miss [REDACTED] presented a briefing on economic development in the Soviet Arctic.

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25X1A9a 7. [REDACTED], GG/F, conferred with [REDACTED] OCI, 25X1A9a
concerning plans for resumption of meetings of the Southeast Asia 25X1A9a
Discussion Group, of which the latter is Chairman. [REDACTED] will
call a meeting in December at which, because of the pressure of other
duties, he will surrender the chairmanship. He seemed to view favorably
the idea of having the chairmanship permanently vested in GG/F and
probably will make such a proposal.

8. Dr. Held is presently in Baghdad, where he is conducting negotiations with Iraq officials regarding the revision of 1:250,000 map sheets.

9. The following meetings were conducted by the Special Collection Support Branch, D/GL, during the month:

25X1A9a a. [REDACTED] debriefed a U. S. Department of Agriculture source who travelled to Poland on an official mission and visited several Polish agricultural research facilities. The source was able to provide some information regarding the use of topographic maps in Poland for agricultural purposes.

b. Mr. Emanuel, ACIC Washington representative, was briefed on the Branch project. He promised to obtain an ACIC evaluation (substantive intelligence) of the 1:25,000 sheets of East Germany that have been collected in the past few years. He will also arrange for a priority listing of specific targets in China, for use in a supplement to the China Collection Guide. Targets furnished by AFCIN previously were limited to specific theater targets for a particular weapons system, and were not deemed appropriate for our purposes.

25X1A8a c. Numerous contacts were made with DD/P during the month. [REDACTED] All of these discussions were related to specific operations and operation support activities.

10. The retention of Item 1 F. (relating to geodetic and target locational data) as a first priority category item in the Priority National Intelligence Objectives was defended by Ch/G and [REDACTED] before a meeting of the Board of Estimates, ONE. 25X1A9a

25X1B4d 11. Ch/G participated in the Clandestine Services Review Course presenting not only the Geographic Area activities but [REDACTED] programs as well. 25X1X4

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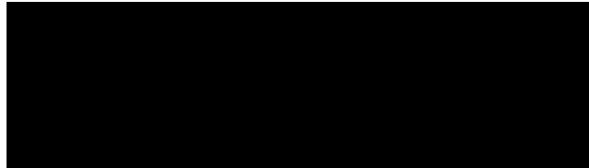
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D. Miscellaneous

Several GRA personnel attended a seminar on the Development of Information Processing Systems presented by the Agency on 30 November at the Department of State Auditorium.



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MONTHLY REPORT FOR THE CARTOGRAPHY DIVISION

Month of November 1960

A. Major Research and Technical Support Activity

Summary of Cartographic Production and Accomplishments:

In the month of November the Division completed 130 maps and charts for various components of the Agency and the Department of State. Requests for new work accepted during the month amounted to 118 jobs. Both completions and requests decreased somewhat from the previous month leaving a backlog of 365 jobs in progress.

Among the major accomplishments of the Division during November was the completion of two significant maps on Africa for the Department of State; the Administrative Divisions map of Africa was revised and brought up-to-date; and a map, Africa - New Nations and New Leaders, was prepared for the Department.

A detailed substantive road map on Yugoslavia, and an accompanying terrain map to illustrate a GSA report (GR 60-3), was completed and sent to reproduction during November.

In cooperation with FE/DD/P an additional series of 16 sketch maps on a Far East area were undertaken. This series resulted from efforts of D/GC personnel while on detail to an operational training unit.

The urban program for the production of USSR city plans advanced to the extent that 3 city plans of the old schedule were printed and published and some progress in the collateral research phase of the new series^{25X1X7} accomplished. In addition the Division completed the printing of 3 [REDACTED] 25X1X7
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The Division has initiated a revision of the Wall Map of Africa. It is planned to bring the present Wall Map up-to-date and change the design to make it more effective. Smaller versions for substantive desk use will also be prepared. In addition the Division is preparing a Wall map on China. This map will be designed similarly to other wall maps which have been produced by the Division and is scheduled for publication in early spring.

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C. Significant Outside Contacts and Activities - None

D. Problems

Although there has been steady progress on city plan production, the Division is faced with the problem of re-arranging manpower for continuing production of initial planimetric work since the shift of [redacted] from this program has halted this phase of the work.

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E. Miscellaneous

1. Two commendations were received by the Division during November. The Division was commended for its part in the preparation of the Electronics Atlas on Cuba. The other was a commendation from the Department of State for the production on a crash basis of a political-biographic map and an administrative divisions map on Africa. Similar maps on the Caribbean and South America are in progress.

2. Messrs. [redacted] attended the Intelligence Review Course presented 24 October to 4 November for mid-career personnel. Reactions to this course were very favorable.

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3. The Deputy Chief of the Division attended a seminar on the Development of Information Processing Systems presented by the Agency on 30 November at the Department of State Auditorium.

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A. SUMMARY FOR NOVEMBER 1960

<u>Agency</u>	<u>Entered</u>	<u>% of Total Entered</u>	<u>Completed</u>	<u>% of Total Completed</u>
CIA:		28%	54	42%
DD/I/ORR	33	7	15	12
OSI	9	18	7	5
NIS	21	4	8	6
ONE	5	24	23	18
OCI	28	0	1	1
OO	0	1	0	0
DD/S	1	10	17	13
DD/P	12	92	125	97
CIA TOTAL	109	3	2	1
State/NIS	3	5	3	2
State	6	100%	130	100%
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>118</u>			

B. 6 MONTHS SUMMARY

<u>Months</u>	<u>New Maps and Charts Ent'd</u>	<u>Maps and Charts Completed</u>	<u>Reruns Completed</u>	<u>*Number of Processing Jobs</u>
November	118	130	20	62
October	188	229	43	69
September	145	83	38	38
August	161	216	31	85
July	133	129	22	63
June	168	132	59	79
	913	919	213	446

*Except for final maps and reruns

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D. MAPS AND CHARTS COMPLETED IN PAST 6 MONTHS

<u>Agency</u>	<u>June</u>	<u>July</u>	<u>August</u>	<u>September</u>	<u>October</u>	<u>November</u>
CIA	104	100	181	73	199	118
CIA/NIS	24	24	33	8	27	7
State	1	2	2	1	2	3
State/NIS	3	3	0	0	1	2
Other	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	132	129	216	83	229	130

E. SUMMARY OF WORK LOAD, MAPS AND CHARTS, AS OF 1 DECEMBER 1960 - Does Not Include Service Jobs

<u>Status</u>	<u>GC/S</u>	<u>GC/F</u>	<u>GC/E</u>	<u>GC/C*</u>	<u>GC/X</u>	<u>TOTALS</u>
Completions	25	7	8	40	50	130
Cancelled	1	0	0	4	0	5
Entered	27	13	6	39	33	118
In Reproduction	8	6	5	20	7	46
In Proof	22	28	15	44	1	110
In Check	3	5	2	19	5	34
In Drafting	10	7	5	68	6	96
In Compilation	<u>56</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>79</u>
	99	62	34	151	19	365

*Excludes jobs assigned to Drafting Section from Compilation Branches

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NIS MAP COORDINATOR REPORT FOR NOVEMBER 1960

	<u>New Requests</u>	<u>To Reproduction</u>	<u>From Reproduction</u>	<u>To Reproduction</u>	<u>Remaining for Processing</u>
NIS Contributors:					
Finals	25	21	13	25	12
Proofs	8	8	3	20	0
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NIS TOTALS	33	29	16	45	12
SERVICE	6	6	6	0	0

REMARKS: The above statistics represent only 11 working days, since the Map Coordinator spent 6 thru 20 November 1960 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

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SUBJECT: Geography Division Report for November 1960

A. Research and Technical Support Activity During November:

<u>1. Reports Disseminated</u>	<u>Requester</u>
CIA/RR GM 60-4 South Vietnam	Self-initiated
CIA/RR GP 60-107 A New Ethnic Map of China	Self-initiated
*CIA/RR GP 60-111:L Comments Pertinent to the Appraisal of Policy and the Operations Plan for Antarctica, 1960	DCI
CIA/RR GP 60-114:L NIS 11 ^M , Sweden, Map and Chart Appraisal Component of Chapter I Annual	NIS Program
CIA/RR GP 60-115:L Research Support for Plans of Selected Cities in the USSR: Liepaya	SR/6, DD/P
CIA/RR GP 60-117:L The Northern Boundaries of Korea	DD/P
*CIA/RR GP 60-118:L Reported Missile Installations in Communist China (Manuscript map only) 25X6A	I/GM/RR
CIA/RR GP 60-119:L [REDACTED] Map and Chart Appraisal Component of Chapter I Annual	NIS Program

Overlays of East Germany showing sightings of Shyster (IREM) missiles and LOX manufacturing were completed and passed to I/GM. Two overlays of SAM sights in Bulgaria were also prepared and passed to I/GM, and preliminary work was done on attempting to develop predictions of where SAM sights might be found in the Satellites.

<u>2. New Projects Under Way</u>	<u>requester</u>
63.1725 NIS 14, Rumania, Section 64, Manufacturing and Construction (Review of I/GM contribution)	D/I/RR

* Work Initiated During the Month

2. New Projects Under Way (Con'd.)

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60.1850	██████████	Map and Chart Appraisal NIS Program Component of Chapter I Annual (coordination)	
62.1851		NIS 40, Morocco, Map and Chart Appraisal Component of Chapter I Annual (research)	NIS Program
64.1883		Government Role of Geography and Related Earth Sciences in the USSR	Self-initiated
62.1898		The Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland	Self-initiated
64.1900		Comments on GRA Map, USSR: Railroads 1960	Chief, WE/3

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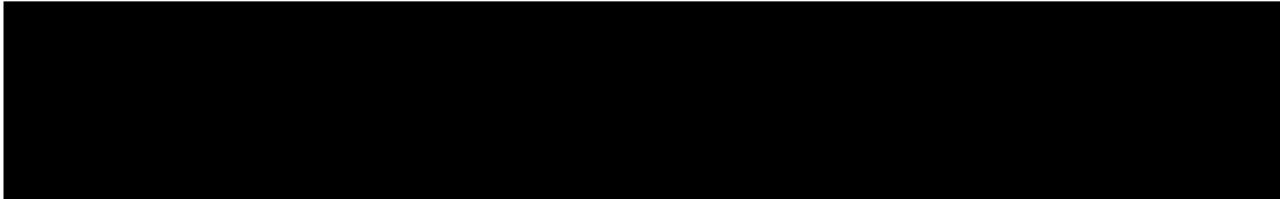
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D. Problems

The full-time assignment of two senior analysts to special project work outside GG/S further depletes the available USSR Branch manpower, which is already below strength because of the difficulty in obtaining a suitable candidate for the vacant position in the Branch. The rapidly developing Soviet Central Asia area has had to be covered on an ad hoc basis for over a year. These new assignments will increase the difficulty of clearing up the heavy load of outstanding projects and of assuming new commitments in the future.

E. Miscellaneous

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[REDACTED] entered on duty in the Division at the end of the month and was assigned temporarily to the Europe Branch. [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] returned to duty in GG/C following maternity leave.

[REDACTED] completed the "midcareer" Intelligence Review Course. A critique of the course was prepared by [REDACTED] at the request of the OER Training Officer.

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Chief, Geography Division

Project Control	Title	Requester	Status	Est. Date of Publication
<u>Geographic Intelligence Reports (for standard distribution), CIA/RR GR</u>				
61.1212	Geog. of Sinkiang	DD/P	*	I 61
69.1655	NonSov. Activ. in Antarctica during IGY	Self-init.	In abeyance	Open
63.1767	Industrialization of Slovakia	Self-init.	In abeyance	IV 60
63.1861	Roads in Yugoslavia (GR 60-3)	Self-init.	In Reprod.	Dec 60
<u>Geographic Intelligence Reports (for limited and special distribution), CIA/RR L-GR</u>				
69.1279	Satellite Geod. Activ. since Sofia Conf.	Self-init.	Deferred	Open
61.1357	North Korea Target Study: Ch'ongjin	DD/P	In abeyance	Open
63.1728	Agr. Region, Rumania	M/AG/RR	In abeyance	Open
60.1742	Annexes to <u>The Kurds in 1959</u> (GR L-60-2)	OIS for NEA	*	Open
64.1786	Underground Nuclear Explosions	AD/SI	*	Open
69.1840	Paraguay	WH, DD/P	***	Open
69.1876	Guatemala	WH, DD/P	In abeyance	Dec 60
64.1881	Govt. Role, Geog./Earth Sciences, Com.E.Europe	Self-init.	*	Open
61.1882	Govt. Role, Geog./Earth Sciences, Com.China	Self-init.	*	Open
64.1883	Govt. Role, Geog./Earth Sciences, USSR	Self-init.	*	Open
69.1887	Dominican Republic	WH, DD/P	*	Open
69.1888	Haiti	WH, DD/P	*	Feb 61
69.1889	Nicaragua	WH, DD/P	*	III 61
<u>Geographic Intelligence Memorandum</u>				
62.1898	Rhodesia-Nyasaland	Self-init.		Dec 60

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Project Control	Title	Requester	Status ^{1/}	Est. Date of Publication
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Geographic Support Projects, CIA/RR GP

63.1341	City Plan: Sofia, Bulgaria	25X1A8a000200240002-4		
64.1698	USSR City Plans	DD/P	Deferred	Open
63.1715	Research for Agr. Maps of E. Germany	[REDACTED]	*	Open
63.1741	Index for plotting mapping Eur. Satellites	M/AG/RR	Deferred	Open
63.1745	Safe Areas: USSR	Self-init.	*	Open
61.1776	Soviet Dev. in Geodesy, etc. (ICBM)	SAC	*	Open
60.1801	Boundary Inventory	Self-init.	In abeyance	Open
60.1804	Article for Intelligence Studies	IRC/GE/State	*	Feb 61
63.1824	Plotting Missile-Related Activities	Self-init.	In abeyance	Open
63.1841	Determ. Location, Certain Instal. in E. Europe	GM/TF	*	Open
60.1844	Border Information	Self-init.	*	Open
61.1870	Exploitation of [REDACTED] W.China Materials	DD/P	*	Dec 60
60.1871	Maps from ComBloc Countries	Self-init.	*	1962
63.1875	Intel. Potential of the E.German 1:25,000	Self-init.	***	Dec 60
64.1878	Soviet Missile Site in Zakarpatskaya Oblast'	D/GL/S	*	Dec 60
60.1885	Support for SinoSov Relations Task Force	TM/TF	**	Dec 60
62.1886	Mali	25X1A8a Task Force	*	Open
64.1900	Comments: Map USSR: Railroads	[REDACTED]	*	Dec 60

External Research, CIA/RR X (OSU)

69.908	Sov. Geod. and Photogram. Instruments		In abeyance	Open
69.908	A Report on Sov. Cartography		In abeyance	Open
69.908	Selected List of Ref. to Sov. Cartography		In abeyance	Open
69.908	Selected Bibliography of Sov. Geodesy		In abeyance	Open

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60.1832	NIS 14M,	Poland	30 Dec 60	NIS Section 19 Chapter I	
60.1833	NIS 38,	Burma	31 Jan 61		
60.1834	NIS 46,	Tunisia	21 Feb 61		
60.1835	NIS 16,	Austria	31 Mar 61		
60.1836	NIS 53A,	UAR: Part A, NIS 28A, Syria	31 May 61		
60.1837	NIS 86,	Part B, NIS 53B, Egypt	31 May 61		
60.1838	NIS 35, Annex,	Venezuela	30 Jun 61		
		Nepal	30 Jun 61		
60.1851	NIS 48,	Morocco	15 Dec 60		NIS Section 19 Chapter I <u>ANNUAL</u>
60.1852	NIS 29,	Jordan	16 Jan 61		
60.1853	NIS 41B,	South Korea	15 Feb 61		
60.1854	NIS 5,	Belgium	7 Mar 61		
60.1855	NIS 24,	Greece	23 Mar 61		
60.1856	NIS 41A,	North Korea	17 Apr 61		
60.1857	NIS 7,	Denmark	15 May 61		
60.1858	NIS 42,	Thailand	15 Jun 61		
60.1818	NIS 50A,	Ghana	Jan 61	NIS Chapter IX	
60.1819	NIS 57,	Rhodesia and Nyasaland	Mar 61		
60.1820	NIS 26M,	USSR (5 studies)	Jun 61		
#60.1890	NIS 68M,	Iceland	Sep 61		
#60.1891	NIS 56A,	Kenya and Zanzibar	Nov 61		
#60.1892	NIS 42M,	Thailand	Dec 61		
#60.1893	NIS 78,	Cuba	Jan 62		
#60.1894	NIS 19M,	Hungary	Feb 62		
#60.1895	NIS 52,	Equatorial Africa	Mar 62		
#60.1896	NIS 39A ^M ,	Communist China	May 62		
#60.1897	NIS 21 ^M ,	Yugoslavia	Jun 62		



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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Geographic Research 1 December 1960
 FROM: Chief, Map Library Division
 SUBJECT: D/GE Activity Report for the Month of November, 1960

A. Major Research and Technical Support Activity

1. 3,913 maps and 818 related publications were received by the Procurement Branch from foreign sources in November. 58% of the maps were purchased, 36% were received on exchange, and 6% were gifts. 40% of the maps were retained in the Agency; 33% were forwarded to the Army Map Service; 18%, to the Library of Congress; and 9% to various other U.S. agencies. Significant among the items received were: a) a 1960 administrative-territorial handbook of the USSR; b) an administrative handbook and a 1:200,000 administrative map series of Czechoslovakia, both based on the new administrative divisions effective 1 July 1960; c) a 1960 economic geography of Rumania and accompanying atlas of 25 economic maps; and d) 1960/61 timetables for railroads and buses of Yugoslavia. Reports received from Geographic Attachés during November included: "Status of Air Survey and Mapping of Afghanistan;" b) "Organization Report on the Afghan Cartographic Institute;" c) reports on mapping organizations in Victoria, Western Australia, and South Australia; and d) "Organization of Institut Géographique National (France);" e) "Organization Report of the Land Survey of Finland."

2. The Processing Branch cataloged 546 new map titles (comprising the processing of 751 copies) and 3 new series titles, indexed 419 new series sheets, and listed and processed 841 new copies for the Loan Copy Collection. Entries for 323 new volumes, of which 291 were retained for the Reference Collection, were added to D/GE catalogs. 246 obsolete volumes were removed from the atlas and book collection. 171 maps were processed for Vital Storage. The AIMP Unit indexed 91 new SAC charts.

3. The Collection Section, Processing Branch, was able to resume the maintenance of depository holdings this month. 32 hours were spent on this work.

4. 23,353 items were forwarded to requesters by the Reference Branch, in response to 1,952 requests for maps, related geographic publications, and reference information as follows:

	<u>No. of Requests</u>	<u>No. of Items</u>
Maps	1,249	20,454
Publications	167	428
AIMP	99	2,471
Place Name Requests	137	
Miscellaneous Reference Questions	300	
	<u>1,952</u>	<u>23,353</u>

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Cuba and Africa were the areas of greatest concentration during the month. DD/I and DD/P placed the greatest number of map requests. Maps on all countries of Africa were sent to the Bureau of Cultural Affairs, Department of State, and to two different components of CIA. A large shipment of maps was sent to the Department of State's Vital Materials location. A visit was made to the office of Mr. Roy D. Kohler, Assistant Secretary of State for European Affairs, to survey the map holdings of the office, in order to bring them up to date.

5. Support activities of the Special Collection Support Branch included the following:

a. A requirement for the collection of Soviet produced topographic maps of Northern Afghanistan was submitted to St/I, for transmittal to DD/P. The requirement supplements a previous requirement on DD/P for collection of maps in Afghanistan, and follows up several discussions with DD/P, NEA desk officers. Fourteen additional requirements were submitted to St/I, or CD/00, nine pertaining to Sino-Soviet Bloc collection and five to non-Bloc collection, mostly from U.S. oil companies. (Secret/Noform/Limited).

b. As a result of a meeting with Colonel Krause, Chief of the Target Material Division at SAC headquarters, Major Wright, and Major Nash of the SAC Detachment in D. C., it was decided that an employee of SAC would be detailed to GL/S, Map Library. The individual chosen has Russian, Polish, Czech, and German language capability, and has been in intelligence for eighteen years. His experience includes agent handling in the 7000th in Germany. Arrangements were also completed for Mr. Dickson, GL/S, to use his AF active duty under Colonel Krause, at Omaha. (Secret).

c. In response to a GL/S requirement upon a petroleum company, 3,841 aerial photograph negatives were obtained on a loan basis in November. This photography, covering an area of approximately 14,000 square miles in Somalia, was transmitted to Photo Records and Services Division, Aeronautical Chart and Information Center, for reproduction by that organization. It is expected that additional aerial photographic coverage of Somalia will be forthcoming from another source in December. (Confidential).

B. Planning and Development

1. Geographic Attachés will remain at their home posts during December. Over-all restrictions on travel by Foreign Service will be

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2. Plans and final details for the publication of the Acquisitions List for Antarctic Cartographic Materials are nearing completion. The first list is tentatively scheduled for January 1961.

C. Significant Outside Contacts and Activities

1. Dr. Held is in Baghdad, where he is conducting negotiations with Iraq officials regarding the revision of 1:250,000 map sheets.

2. Mr. Rugg reports that General Ristic of GINJNA, in Yugoslavia, has been replaced by General Petrovic.

3. The Special Collection Support Branch conducted meetings as follows: 25X1A9a

a. [redacted] debriefed a U.S. Department of Agriculture source who travelled to Poland on an official mission and visited several Polish agricultural research facilities. The source was able to provide some information regarding the use of topographic maps in Poland for agricultural purposes. (Confidential).

b. Mr. Emanuel, ACIC Washington representative, was briefed on the Branch project. He promised to obtain an ACIC evaluation (substantive intelligence) of the 1:25,000 sheets of East Germany that have been collected in the past few years. He will also arrange for a priority listing of specific targets in China, for use in a supplement to the China Collection Guide. Targets furnished by AFCLW previously were limited to specific theater targets for a particular weapons system, and were not deemed appropriate for our purposes. (Secret)

25X1A8a Numerous contacts were made with DD/P during the month. [redacted] All of these discussions were related to specific operations and operation support activities. (Secret/NoFORN).

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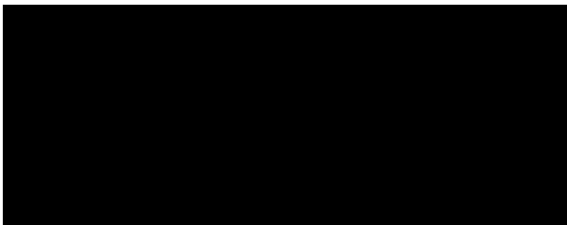
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D. Problems

D/GL has experienced repercussions from the Department of State's cutback in funds. The map mounting and framing position in the Department has been abolished and State personnel have no access to facilities for this service. The Map Library supplies maps only. Expensive mounted wall maps are not available for purchase through D/GL.

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SUMMARY OF STATISTICS - NOVEMBER 1960

<u>RECEIPTS (For retention in Map Library)</u>			
<u>Maps</u>	<u>Specialty Map Sheets</u>	<u>Series Map Sheets</u>	<u>Total Map Sheets</u>
a. Made in CIA/D/GC	12,779	0	12,779
b. On automatic receipt and purchases for stock	5,950	9,453	15,403
c. From other domestic sources	14	0	14
d. From foreign sources	1,079	816	1,895
e. From foreign sources for stock	753	0	753
Total	20,575	10,269	30,844
<u>Atlases and other reference materials</u>			<u>Total/Volumes</u>
a. On automatic receipt and purchases for stock			522
b. From other domestic sources			3
c. From foreign sources			395
Total			920
<u>PROCESSING</u>			
<u>Map Cataloging</u>	<u>Titles</u>		<u>Sheets/Volumes</u>
a. Special maps made in CIA/D/GC	151		151
b. Special maps - all others	395		600
c. Series indexed and cataloged	3		841
Total	549		1,592
<u>Cataloging, etc. of Reference material</u>			
a. Atlases	88		91
b. Place-name volumes	12		20
c. Publisher's catalogs	9		31
d. Other reference volumes	102		149
Total	151		291
<u>DISBURSEMENTS</u>			
<u>Maps</u>	<u>Requests</u>	<u>Titles</u>	<u>Request/Volumes</u>
1. To CIA	777	3,006	9,764
2. To Department of State	191	550	2,157
3. Foreign Service Posts	17	41	372
4. To Department of Defense	169	875	7,055
a) Department of the Army	79	410	4,692
b) Department of the Navy	34	180	673
c) Department of the Air Force	37	164	527
d) Other components of Defense	19	121	1,163
5. Other government agencies	93	309	1,104
6. Miscellaneous	2	2	2
Total	1,249	4,783	20,454
<u>Atlases and other reference materials</u>			
a. To domestic establishments	167	307	428
b. To foreign establishments	1	170	383
Total	168	477	811
<u>Information</u>			
a. Place-name questions	137		
b. Other reference inquiries	300		
Total	437		

*60 of these were separate titles

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