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**SUBJECT:** Office of Intelligence Research, Department of State  
Projects Initiated since 19 March

1. INTELLIGENCE DIGEST:

a. Proposed Items for Forthcoming Issue of 1 April.

**SOVIET-SWISS**

Soviet-Swiss Trade Agreement

2. SITUATION REPORT ITEMS:

(None)

3. INFORMATION NOTES:

**ITALY**

Italian Prisoners of War in the USSR  
Post-Election Uncertainties in Italy

**RUSSIA**

Current Soviet Attitude toward the American  
Presidential Elections

**NORWAY and SWEDEN**

Communist Party Strength in Norway and Sweden

**FRANCE**

Department Estimate of French Dollar Deficit,  
April - June 1948

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4. SOVIET MONTHLY REVIEW ITEMS:

- a. Monthly Review of Soviet Politics.  
Prospects for Party Congress in 1948  
Moscow Church Continues to Try to Expand Abroad

5. INTELLIGENCE RESEARCH REPORTS:

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USSR

Analysis of the Cause of Economic Bottle-necks in the USSR

BALKAN COUNTRIES

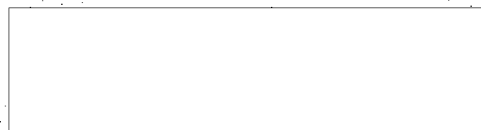
Youth and Other Front Organizations in the Balkan Countries

DIVISIONAL

Reaction to President Truman's Speech of 17 March

Since items listed above are in some cases provisional and in the early stages of preparation, this schedule should not be used as a basis for initiating collection directives. Analysts interested in getting specific information on any project should contact the Estimates Group.

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