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SECURITY INFORMATION

ORR Daily Diary, 5 February 1952 (AD/RR information unless otherwise stated)

D/A:

Messrs. ██████████ CONFERRED WITH Mr. Thomas Curtis, OFFICE OF DEFENSE MOBILIZATION, CONCERNING a REQUEST OF that Agency FOR INFORMATION as to AVAILABILITY OF COPPER IN WESTERN EUROPE which could be purchased for US Government account. The ODM, as a result of further consideration of the problem and the difficulty and infeasibility of such a program, modified its request. It was AGREED THAT CIA WOULD FURNISH ODM WITH ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLES OF INTELLIGENCE CONCERNING CURRENT COPPER TRANSACTIONS IN THE WESTERN EUROPEAN MARKETS. (1 hr) (4 Feb)

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Messrs. ██████████ CONDUCTED a MEETING attended by Messrs. ██████████ (I&S), ██████████ (OCD), and ██████████ (D/C) CONCERNING a proposed REVISION OF the MEMORANDUM of June 1951 ON the subject of INTELLIGENCE SUPPORT FOR OIT, COMMERCE DEPARTMENT. (1-1/2 hrs) (4 Feb)

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██████████ of another office, consulted with Messrs. ██████████ (1 hr) (4 Feb)

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██████████ ATTENDED a MEETING WITH ██████████ FOOD RESEARCH INSTITUTE to DISCUSS POSSIBILITIES FOR EXTERNAL RESEARCH. (1-1/2 hrs) (4 Feb)

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D/I:

██████████ (I/SH) ATTENDED a DEBRIEFING of ██████████ chief of a 12-man team from ██████████ which SPENT 5 MONTHS IN ITALY SURVEYING the COUNTRY'S MECHANICAL INDUSTRIES AND DEVELOPING LONG-TERM PLANS FOR IMPROVEMENTS. ██████████ and his group visited 125 plants, INCLUDING STEEL MILLS AND SHIPYARDS. He estimates the present utilization of Italian mechanical industries at about 60 per cent of capacity. The FINDINGS of the ██████████ AND its RECOMMENDATIONS ARE EMBODIED IN a voluminous REPORT WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE SHORTLY TO THE INDUSTRIAL DIVISION. (30 Jan)

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██████████ (I/ASST), Mr. ██████████ of OSI/w VISITED Eclipse-Pioneer Division of BENDIX AIRCRAFT at Teterboro, N.J., TO GET INFORMATION ON ROCKET DEVELOPMENT to apply to the USSR program. They also got considerable information from Mr. Klaus Scheuffelen, former project officer of the German Taifun program, now under contract to Army Ordnance. (2 days) (30 & 31 Jan)

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██████████ (I/CG) CONFERRED WITH Mr. Raymond, ESID, Army Map Service, ON SOURCES OF INFORMATION ABOUT MOTOR VEHICLE PRODUCTION IN THE USSR. (1 hr) (29 Jan)

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D/I (Continued)^{25X1A}

[REDACTED] (I/CG) VISITED Mr. Gloss, Bearings Division, NATIONAL PRODUCTION AUTHORITY, TO DISCUSS THE MAINTENANCE NEEDS OF ANTI-FRICTION BEARINGS IN US INDUSTRY. (2-1/2 hrs)
(1 Feb)

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[REDACTED] (I/SH) FURNISHED INFORMATION REGARDING THE ECONOMIC FACTORS AFFECTING SHIPBUILDING ACTIVITIES IN POLAND AND CZECHOSLOVAKIA TO Miss Virginia Smith of ONI. Shipbuilding facilities in India were also discussed. (1-1/2 hrs) (29 Jan)

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Messrs. [REDACTED] of D/M and [REDACTED] of D/I MET WITH THE WORKING SECTOR ON INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES ON NIE-56. (3 hrs) (4 Feb)

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[REDACTED] (M/AG) SUPPLIED [REDACTED] FROM ORO WITH INFORMATION AND STATISTICS ON THE STATUS OF AGRICULTURAL DRAFT POWER (animal and mechanical), and the 1951 PRODUCTION OF GRAINS IN THE SOVIET BLOC. (1 hr) (4 Feb)

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[REDACTED] of another office, conferred with various branches in D/M. (1 hr) (4 Feb)

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Messrs. [REDACTED] (M/EM) and [REDACTED] (M/NF) MET WITH THE WORKING GROUP ON METALS AND MINERALS FOR NIE-56. (3 hrs) (4 Feb)

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[REDACTED] (M/SC) CONSULTED WITH Mr. D. Dow, Military Geology Branch, US GEOLOGICAL SURVEY ON GYPSUM DEPOSITS AND PLASTIC PLANTS OF USSR as reported in NIS-26. (1 hr) (4 Feb)

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[REDACTED] (M/P) INTERVIEWED Mr. Milton Berger of OIT, Department of COMMERCE, Far Eastern Section, ON POL IN CHINA. (2 hrs) (31 Jan)

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[REDACTED] (M/P) CONTACTED Lt. D. Robinson, China Desk, ONI, TO DISCUSS PETROLEUM PRODUCTS DISTRIBUTION IN CHINA. (2 hrs) (1 Feb)

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D/Gs

[REDACTED] ATTENDED A MONTHLY MEETING OF THE GRAPHICS RESEARCH COORDINATING GROUP. (1-1/2 hrs) (4 Feb)

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At the REQUEST OF THE DD/I, [REDACTED] CONFERRED WITH [REDACTED] and representatives of O/CI REGARDING THE PREPARATION OF A SERIES OF MAPS AND LETTERS FOR THE DD/I. (3/4 hrs) (4 Feb)

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D/C:



Mes 25X1 [REDACTED] CONFERRED with [REDACTED] (AD/IC).
and [REDACTED] (OSI) CONCERNING OPERATIONAL
LIAISON OF the NON-INTELLIGENCE COMPONENTS OF the ARMY SERVICE
FORCES. (3/4 hrs) (4 Feb)

Balance of ORR - Nothing to report

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