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DIARY NOTES

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1. Talked to General Morris, Meloon and [redacted] reference [redacted] dismissal and subsequent attitude taken by the Civil Service Commission because the case is defective procedurally--i.e. [redacted] might win an appeal because our charges are classified and he was not permitted to take them out of the Agency. Instructed them to reinstate [redacted] for the specific purpose of correcting this technicality and to serve unclassified charges again simultaneously with his re-entrance on duty. I also told them to assign him to duty in the Personnel Pool or at some other location where he did not have access to the interior of the Agency and, if possible, insure that he was kept busy on something which would benefit the Agency. I am assured by both Personnel and General Counsel that we will not have to conduct any new hearings and that our only obligation will be to pay him for the thirty days on duty. We definitely will not have to pay him for the period since he was discharged.

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2. Went over the T/O and ceilings with General Morris and Meloon. They will make a careful study of their situation and discuss it with me.

3. Mr. Wisner called reference [redacted] complaint that alterations in his building at [redacted] are not being made fast enough. Told Wisner the story on this--specifically that OTS had told me the expenses would be very minor and that they now want over \$142,000. Later talked to [redacted] and arranged for them to see this building as well as another government building at 14th and Indiana Avenue tomorrow. After that we will have to determine what our next move will be.

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4. Approved Colonel Edwards' taking leave next week.

5. [redacted] telephoned to say he will have a mobile radio unit on display today and tomorrow between wings 4 and 5 of Building "I". He invited any of our personnel interested to see it.

6. Went over a number of problems with [redacted] and have arranged to discontinue payment of per diem to trainees at the [redacted] effective 1 November 1952. There will be some cases which will continue after that date due to previous commitments, but will insure that none continue longer than six months. This will save the Agency some money which I think was spent unnecessarily in the past and will also simplify bookkeeping

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