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- The following Soviet citizens, all expelled from France during 1947, are now reported to be members of General Markos! Rebel Army Staff. They are as follows:
  - Leon Dimitriovitch Lubimov (alias Doulganov).
  - Michel Rogalov, who was born in Colombo, Ceylon and is an accomplished b. linguist.
  - Dimitri Rosenbach, of Baltic origin.
  - Ajabeck Tashdjian, who was born in Turkish Armenia.
- 2. The Soviets have made recent shipments of drachmae, napoleon d'or, lire, counterfeit American dollars and pound sterling to Markos.
- 3. Two Hungarian military formations, each of brigade strength, are currently activated and being trained in Hungary by the Soviets. They will be sent to Greece in the spring of 1949. They are currently undergoing Greek language instruction.

