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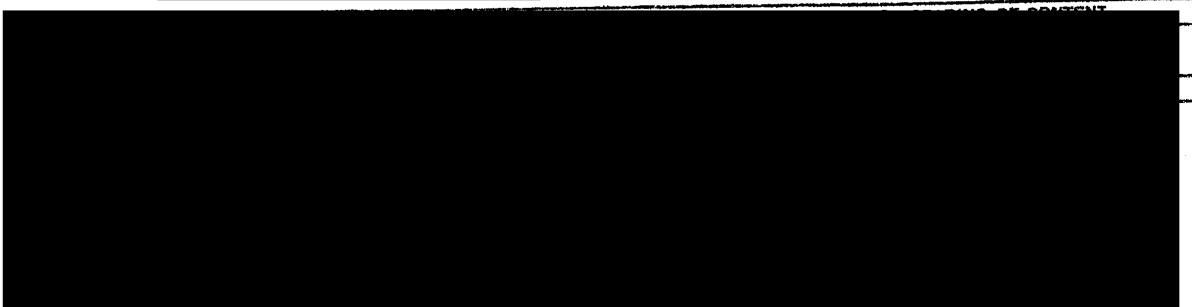
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1. Between 29 September and 9 October 1951 the following goods were smuggled from the Hong Kong New Territories to Communist China through Lok Ma Chau<sup>1</sup>: cans of gasoline, tons of kerosene, 6 telephone sets, sets of automobile tires, 4 cases of automobile parts, and 4 cases of electrical supplies.
2. During the same period 46 truck loads of materials were smuggled into Communist China through Man Kam To<sup>1</sup>. These trucks carried 240 drums of dyestuffs, 186 cases of electrical supplies and parts, 195 cases of signal supplies, 61 cases of automobile parts.
3. Between 29 September and 9 October 48 carloads of supplies were shipped through Lo Wu<sup>1</sup> on the Canton-Kowloon Railway, en route to Canton from Hong. The goods thus shipped were: 320 drums of dyestuffs, 345 cases of medicines, 730 cases of small metalware, 270 cases of electrical supplies and parts, 140 drums of macilage, 36,000 pairs of rubber shoes, and 100 sets of rubbers (sic).<sup>2</sup>
4. On 1 and 2 October five boats out of Sha Tau Kok<sup>1</sup> carried 70 cases of electrical supplies, 30 cases of medicines, and 300 gallons of lubricating oil from the New Territories to Communist China.

25X1A 1. Comment. [redacted] contains a detailed report on recent smuggling via this route.

25X1A 2. Washington Comment. This shipment occupied two cars. Piece rubber has been shipped by this route [redacted]; rubber tires are usually shipped in sets, but tires are not usually shipped out by rail.

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