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1. Talked with John Sipes, State Department, who asked about passport legislation questions at yesterday's hearing before Senate Foreign Relations Committee. I gave him the general picture and promised to give him more specific information if we were able to get a transcript.

2. Miss Elizabeth Peoples in the office of Senator Albert Gore (D., Tenn.) telephoned to inquire if as a result of General Cabell's letter to Senator Gore General Cabell could have lunch with Senator Gore tomorrow. I assured her we would let her know later today.

Arrangements were made firm for 12:30 in the Senators' Dining Room in the Capitol.

3. Harry Carter, USIA, telephoned mentioning that George Allen was to appear before the House Science and Astronautics Committee and asked for any help we could give them in this connection. Arrangements were made for a meeting with Carter on Thursday, the 21st, after the Agency has appeared before the House Science and Astronautics Committee.

4. Representative William G. Bray (R., Ind.) visited at the Agency for a luncheon meeting. Present from the Agency were: Robert Amory, Jr., [redacted] Bronson Tveddy, [redacted] and John E. Warner. The Congressman gave us copies of his report of his travels in Africa and reported orally on some of his impressions. He seemed genuinely pleased with the opportunity to visit with us and discuss his trip and assured me it had been a worthwhile visit for him. We apologized that both Mr. Dulles and General Cabell were unable to be present at lunch and he accepted this in good grace.

5. Colonel Rederick in the office of Legislative Liaison, OSD, telephoned inquiring if the Director's statement before Senate Foreign Relations could be made available to the Air Force. I alerted him to our arrangement with General Twining's office specifically with Captain Gray wherein we had made available a copy of the Director's statement before the Defense Subcommittee of House Appropriations to General Twining on behalf of OSD and, therefore, suggested that he check with Pat Gray.

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6. Upon inquiring of Colonel Frederick the status of Pentagon consideration of physical security problems on Capitol Hill, he advised that generally they were beginning to do technical sweeps. In addition, it had been determined that in lieu of specific individual clearances for the contract reporters they would treat the reporting firm as industrial facilities thus getting both individual clearances and the ability to inspect the physical layout of the reporting firm offices.

7. Received from Mr. Amory General Twining's draft notes for congressional use.

8. Miss Dorothy Feedick on the staff of Senate Government Operations Subcommittee on National Policy Machinery, called and requested our advice concerning the Subcommittee's report on policy machinery in the USSR. She was interested in suggested language for the preface of this report acknowledging that changes had occurred in the central ministry of internal affairs since the report was originally prepared. Suggested language was obtained from Dick Lehman in OCI and passed on to Miss Feedick.

9. Mr. George Berg in the office of Representative Robert J. Corbett (R., Pa.) called and requested information for a constituent on the organization and function of CIA and OSS. Mr. Berg was advised that there was no official information on this but that he might wish to refer the constituent to published books such as Ransom's book and several other books on OSS which were named in addition to the National Security Act and the CIA Act. Mr. Berg was most appreciative of this information.

10. Discussed with Mr. Tracy Barnes our conversation with Senator Hiram Fong (R., Hawaii). (See Journal of 13 January 1960) Mr. Barnes will look into this and give us his recommendations.

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