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TO: Brig. General William J. Donovan
 FROM: Captain Carl G. Hoffmann
 SUBJECT: Captain Duncan Lee

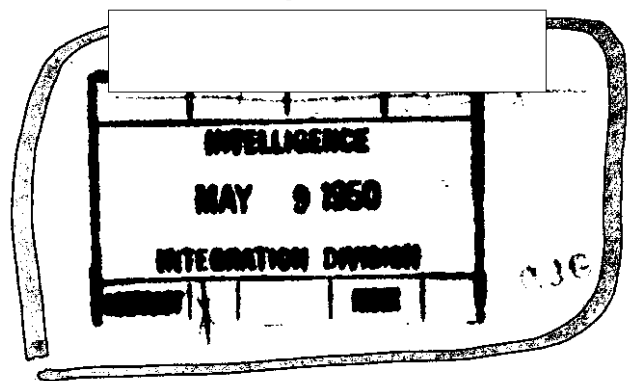
1. Captain Duncan Lee was on the plane that crashed in Northern Burma. Newspapers carried the report and John Davies' picture but made no mention of Duncan Lee's presence.

2. Ever since the crash occurred I suspected Duncan was on the plane and followed War Department cables that were coming in to the Asiatic Desk. A Captain Rou C. Lee was reported on the plane but as he was listed with Orientals, we assumed he was a Chinaman. Especially is this so, since Major Doering's office reported another location for Duncan.

3. It was officially confirmed to me yesterday that the Captain Lee was Duncan. He has received no injury. The entire party is receiving medical aid and are being nourished by parachute with the use of panel signals. I will follow this matter and keep you advised.

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