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heard this from who presumably was in the group to which TSUJI talked, on 11 March 1957. We are reporting it on the theory that TSUJI's views are of continuing interest.

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The following views and statements were presented by former Colonel TSUJI Masanobu to a group of former Japanese naval officers shortly after TSUJI's return from his recent trip to the Middle East:

- a. The United States' insistence upon a quid pro quo in extending aid to foreign nations is hurting the United States, particularly since the USSR has been handling the same problem much more skillfully. Although the USSR has been selling obsolete arms and charging exorbitant prices for her agricultural products, this has not made news, while every time the United States makes a request for a quid pro quo, headlines appear.
- b. TSUJI was surprised, in his interview with CHOU En-lai, to hear CHOU state laughingly that Communism will not succeed in Japan because the Japanese are too nationalistic and passionately patriotic.
- c. Trade with Communist China is "a snare and a delusion", because with Japanese individuals on one end of a transaction and the Chinese Communist Government on the other the Government will get the better of the individual every time.

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