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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

WDCC-  
29 Oct  
1741Z

From: Quarry Heights  
To: MILID CDC 882  
San Juan PR 1081

29 October 1943

G-2 Sgd Brett CDC book message to WD and ANTD.

Guatemala City radio received 29 Oct 43 from Col Lauth CO Guatemala Air Base at 0340Z requesting information on radio broadcast 0255Z that enemy ships and air force were attacking the coast of Mexico. Second radio received from Lauth at 0433 GCT reporting that a United Press broadcast release gave confirmation of attack by enemy ship and two or more planes at Rio Suchiate on Mexican coast. Red raid alert conditions ordered here at 0543z (third radiogram received from Lauth at 100Z stated that pan American Airways at Tapachula advised that no information known regarding reported attacks by enemy ships and planes) alert was terminated at 1130Z cables censorships received 1025Z reports commercial news dispatched were received concerning an initial report from Mayor of Tapachula to Minister of Communications, Mexico that one vessel and a number of airplanes sighted off Suchiate. This intercept later canceled and replaced with information that authorities of Mexico City believed sound battle heard off Chiapas coast were maneuvers of forces. A third message from MILCOM commander at Tapachula stated that no confirmation nor details received about naval battle off Suchiate.

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INFORMATION: OPD  
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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

WDCC  
29 October  
0725 Z

*NDB*  
*Em*

URGENT

From: Quarry Heights CZ  
To: Chief of Staff

Number CDC 881 29th October 1943

Sgd Brett CDC.

Have received report from Guatemala City that radio broadcasts from United States have been heard stating enemy has attacked Mexican coast near Guatemala border from sea and air. No further information available here. Request confirmation of broadcast of any available information.

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INFORMATION: OPD  
~~White House~~  
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CM-IN-17410 (29 Oct 43) 0815Z med

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29 Oct  
1643Z

**INCOMING MESSAGE**

PRIORITY

From: Quarry Heights  
To : War

No : ODC, 883, 29 October 1943

Sgd Brett CDC.

Continuing our 881 dated 29 October upon receipt of radio from Guatemala City concerning rumored enemy attack on Mexican Coast this command went on Red alert status 545Z, full alert 830Z, reverted to normal status 1130Z upon advice from Guatemala that no further reports concerning enemy raids and upon verification Commercial news dispatches that this was a Naval maneuver. We are continuing investigation.

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INFORMATION: OPD  
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CM-IN-17634 (29 Oct 43) 1805Z ong

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**OUTGOING MESSAGE**

**SECURITY CONTROL**

18 June 1943.

SECURITY CONTROL

COMMANDING GENERAL  
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS  
USFOR LONDON ENGLAND

Number R-9708

Combined Chiefs of Staff today agreed to request the British Chiefs of Staff to investigate feasibility of attacking German fleet with American B-17s provided that authority could be obtained for temporary use of Soviet airfield. To Commanding General, European Theater of Operations, from the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

This is for your information only

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JCS memo, 1-4-74  
By RHP, NLR, Date

MAY 21 1974

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INFORMATION: OPD  
GEN. ARNOLD  
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NAVY DEPARTMENT

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DATE	1532		PRIORITY
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RATING B-0 BELGIAN OFFICIAL SOURCE.  
 INFORMATION DATED JUNE 8. GERMANS  
 PLANNING VERY HEAVY AIR ATTACK ON  
 ENGLAND. AIRDROMES IN BELGIUM BEING  
 PREPARED THIS PURPOSE. NUMEROUS PER-  
 SONNEL AND LARGE QUANTITIES BOMBS AR-  
 RIVED CHIEVRES, BEAUVECHAIN, MILSDROECK,  
 BRUSTEM. ATTACK PLANNED FOR MID JUNE.  
 BOMBERS WILL ARRIVE AT BELGIAN AIRDROMES  
 FROM GERMANY ONLY FEW HOURS BEFORE ATTACK.

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By DBS Date MAY 22 1973

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Operations Division, JCS  
Combined Subjects Section, WFOVD  
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**SECURITY  
CONTROL**

SECURITY CONTROL

6 June 1943

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF  
ALLIED FORCES  
NORTH AFRICAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS

Number 9719

At a meeting of the Combined Chiefs of Staff this date it was agreed: (Marshall to Eisenhower)

A That it was inadvisable to publish a list of intended targets in occupied countries.

B That the inherent military importance of a target should be the criterion as to its selection.

C That these facts should be communicated to the British Chiefs of Staff by the British Staff Mission in Washington. This is for your information

ORIGINATOR: OPD

INFORMATION: GEN. ARNOLD  
JCS  
OIC-WDCMC

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By RHP, NLR, Date MAY 21 1974

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**OUTGOING MESSAGE**

Joint Chiefs of Staff

June 4, 1943

**SECURITY  
CONTROL**

**SECURITY CONTROL**

COMMANDING GENERAL  
EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS  
USFOR LONDON ENGLAND

Number R 9241

At a meeting of the Combined Chiefs of Staff this date it was agreed:

A That it was inadvisable to publish a list of intended targets in occupied countries.

B That the inherent military importance of a target should be the criterion as to its selection.

C That these facts should be communicated to the British Chiefs of Staff by the British Staff Mission in Washington.

For Commanding General European Theater of Operations, USFOR London, from the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

This is for your information.

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INFORMATION: OPD  
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By RHP, NLR, Date

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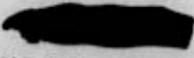
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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

**From:** Ankara  
**To:** Secretary of State, Washington  
**Number** 835, May 7, 1943

At noon today, May 7, the Foreign Minister told me that his military authorities in the area had just reported that a terrific air raid began at 9:15 a.m. this morning on the Dodecanese islands and that at 10:30, the time of his report, it was continuing.

Steinhardt

**ACTION:** G-2

**INFORMATION:** OPD  
 CG AAF

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BRATTON		✓
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By DBS Date MAY 22 1973

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DATE 1536			DEFERRED
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NETHERLANDS AND BELGIAN AIR OFFICIALS HAVE  
 PROTESTED TO THIS OFFICE REGARDING 8TH AIR  
 FORCE USA BOMBING NON MILITARY OBJECTIVES  
 THEIR COUNTRIES, DESTRUCTION PRIVATE PROPERTY,  
 KILLING OF FRIENDLY NATIONALS, A-1, GENERAL  
 EAKER INFORMED AND WILL TALK WITH ABOVE OFFICIALS  
 UPON HIS RETURN HERE AFTER WHICH DETAILED REPORT  
 WILL BE SUBMITTED.

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

Bern  
Dated April 26, 1943  
Rec'd noon, 27th

Secretary of State  
Washington  
2573, 26.

*WA*

Paris INB propaganda despatch states casualties  
French civilian population period ending April from American  
British airraids totaled 6349 dead, 12440 injured and over  
200 thousand homeless.

HARRISON

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By *NR* Date MAY 22 1973

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CCWD  
April 23, 1943.  
1035Z

*Hold for  
President*

From: USFOR London.  
To: War

No. 9013 April 23, 1943.

*Bombing  
occupied nations*

Through Sir Charles Portal we have been advised that the War Cabinet desires that only such bombing (for Marshall signed Andrews cite ETTCG) be done in occupied countries as can be accomplished without excessive danger to civilian population. Interpreted strictly this would necessitate abandonment of such bombing since inevitable strays will occur. After discussion with Portal it has been agreed that this request will be modified so that in accordance with Para 7 CCS 166/1/D a list of possible targets in occupied countries will be prepared for approval by the War Cabinet and published for the information of our Allies. Having given this warning, bombing will be carried out on targets included in the list as tactical and strategic situation requires. In this manner the German defense will continue to be spread and we will attempt to reduce the danger to the population of the occupied countries through suitable choice of targets. Eaker is familiar with this subject and can advise you further. Full correspondence will follow by air mail.

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FROM: NAVCOM LONDON  
ACTION: NAVCOM WASHINGTON

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FROM: NAVCOM LONDON 202211 NCR9300 21 JANUARY 1943  
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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

DM

Secretary of State,  
Washington.

Melsinki  
Dated November 8, 1943  
Rec'd 12:11 p.m.

1077, November 8, 1 p.m.

During one plane surprise raid half an hour ago several bombs fell opposite the Johannes Church in the immediate vicinity of the General Staff killing or wounding scores of people according to clerk Vonderlieth and chief electricians mate Vargo who were standing in front of the building hit by these bombs. Fortunately they were uninjured.

SCHROENFELD

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PARAPHRASE

Department of State  
The Secretary

Telegram number: 238

Dated: Oct 30, 1942, 10 a.m.

From: Horta

Rec'd: Oct 30, 1942, 9:50 a.m.

The state of alert reported in my number 237 of October 29 was terminated on that date.

S:WDM:MEB:SS

LYON

Note: Number 237 is CM-IN-12700 (10-30-42) G-2.

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

PARAPHRASE

Telegram no. 4652

Dated: 10-15-42, noon

From: Bern

Rec'd: 10-15-42, 4:36 p.m.

The following is reported by Lea:

The effect of recent air raids by the British over Germany has been considerably diminished by several factors involved in the circumstances of the raids and in the thorough preparations made by the Germans for defense against them. It is admitted that the effects of the raids are frightful, but it is believed that they will not have a decisive effect on the war if continued as previously. The fact that only 1 city and the area immediately surrounding it is attacked at 1 time means that the defense in a large area can be mobilized and directed to 1 point to clear up debris, fight fires which would have otherwise been hardly controllable, send in anti-aircraft formations such as regional fire-fighting groups, kitchen units and SA reserves. The actual raid has a severe effect on the people initially bombed but German propaganda soon strengthens the will of all Germans to make a stronger effort in the war, and the initial shock is changed to actual bitterness. In southern and Western Germany when areas are bombed the people are cheered up by cafe and theater comedians during the 1st shock of the raid and at the present time synthetic coffee and tea with caffeine added is distributed to the people free. Even before the end of the raids loud speakers cruise through the streets blaring propaganda. Another factor is the fact that important factories are being established underground. Furthermore, the limited areas of the raids means that trains can be rerouted easily.

Officers of anti-aircraft units and regional air signal units in the bombed areas say that so far raids are only powerful irritants to Germany. They add that the Germans in Central Europe and in areas affected by raids are able to make a surprisingly quick adjustment to them. They state that the raids have some effect but that so far the number of planes is too small. Power transmission and rail traffic could only be decisively disrupted if raids many times the size of the present ones occurred.

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Preparations for defense against air raids are being carried very far, including the widespread production of artificial fog and camouflage nets and the preparation of smoke screens in industrial areas. At the same time shelters and factories are being moved underground at a very rapid rate and this is especially true in Berlin. More anti-aircraft gun batteries are to be placed around Vienna in the near future and defenses of that city are otherwise being strengthened. Evacuations are being made from Munich and continually on a large scale in other areas. There are already several female companies to the west and south of the Rube for regional air signal work. Especially selected women are being trained and air signal regiments are being sent replacement formations made up of women sections. Women are also being trained for replacement formations in anti-aircraft regiments. Camouflage and fog experts are being placed in every factory in areas threatened by bombing. Anti-aircraft machine gun defense is also being greatly strengthened.

The raid made at the end of August on Nuernberg was the tip off to General Zenetti, commander of the air signal group in Munich and Southern Bavaria, that the next raid would be made on Munich in as much as in the previous raid bombers apparently reconnoitered over Munich while dropping several bombs. When the British did not give out any news of the bombs dropped on Munich, Zenetti felt he had proof that this was a raid made for observation purposes. As a result regional fire fighting units and anti-aircraft groups which had had a great deal of experience were brought into the city because of the warning given and also hundreds of armored shields, referred to in my telegram of September 2, no. 4023, were passed out all over Munich which up to that time had not received any such shields. The result of these preparations was that the raid was more costly and less effective.

The following is the comment of the Legation on the above reports:

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

The same sources prove that transportation and industry in Germany are becoming increasingly hurt by the air raids in spite of the reports of the successes achieved by German propaganda in overcoming the initial shock of the raids. It is clear from the above that the intensity and frequency of the air raids should be increased so that the German propaganda could be met and so that the transportation systems and factory areas could be done the most harm. It is apparent that the German propaganda has been successful because of the fact that the raids have been restricted to small areas comparatively and because of the long delays between each raid.

Harrison

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

*WSE*

PARAPHRASE

Telegram no. 347  
From: Dakar

Dated: August 31, 11 p.m.  
Rec'd: Sept. 2, 9:42 a.m.

Effective today the Navy alert has been reduced from 6 hours to 4 hours, allegedly caused by the sighting by French air patrol of a large British-American troop convoy. This appears to be a fantastic yarn as it is presumed the convoy would not advertise its movements to the Axis by sailing within range of the coastal air patrol maintained by the French.

FLEXER

AMERICAN CONSUL

ACTION: G-2 *WE*

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NAVY DEPART

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <b>PABEAFRON</b>		<b>FORCES, PACIFIC BECTOR; PABEAFRON</b>	<b>PRIORITY</b>
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE <b>3 AUGUST 1942</b>			DEFERRED
TOB CODEROOM <b>2025</b>		FOR ACTION INFORMATION	PRIORITY
DECODED BY <b>FERMIER</b>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <b>LELAND</b>			DEFERRED

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ACTION

F-00
F-01
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F-05
F-07
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F-3
F-30
F-31
F-32
F-33
F-34
F-35
F-37
TG-00
V-00

PANAMA TASK FORCE NOW ON ALERT, VICINITY COIBA ISLAND  
UNIDENTIFIED AIRCRAFT REPORTED.

(INTERCEPTED FOR INFO)

COG: COMINCH.....  
10/11.....16.....20G.....FILE.  
CNO.....20P.....FILE.

*20 mi W of Panama  
Coast Panama*

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NSS V NAM P51 T QUOD QUHB

Z QUAN 012545 Q5U Q PLAT P GR 15  
FROM: DCGO FIFTH NAVDIST NORFOLK YA  
ACTION: ALL UNITS UNDER MY COMMAND  
INFO: COM FIVE

PRIORITY/PD

BE ON SPECIAL ALERT AGAINST ENEMY ACTION EITHER BY AIR X SURFACE  
OR UNDERWATER CRAFT

TOT 0631 AUG 1 H

COG - COMINCH

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <b>CTF 24</b>		NOB ARGENTIA	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		CTF 22	PRIORITY
DATE <b>11 JUNE 1942</b>		CO FORT MCANDREW	ROUTINE
FOR CODEROOM <b>0416/0311</b>	FOR ACTION	CTC 22.2	DEFERRED
DECODED BY <b>DRUMMOND/EDWARDS</b>		ASP ARGENTIA	
PARAPHRASED BY		COM NBC (PASSED BY	PRIORITY
		CINCLANT / FONF)	PRIORITY
	INFORMATION	AIRJOHN (PASSED BY FONF)	
		SOPA PORTLAND, MAINE (CINCLANT	
		COMEASTSEAFRON (PASSED FOR INFO	
		COMINCH (TO THESE ADEES)	

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TEXT FROM CTF 24 ACTION TO NOB ARGENTIA, CTF 22, CO FORT MCANDREW, CTC 22.2 ASP ARGENTIA, INFO TO COM NBC, CINCLANT, AIRJOHN. FONF PLEASE PASS TO AIRJOHN AND COM NBC. PASSED TO ACTION ADEES BY BOAT. ALL ACTION ADEES PLEASE ACKNOWLEDGE.

AI 2000 L.C.T. TODAY WEDNESDAY, CANCEL SPECIAL AIR ATTACK ALERT AND SPECIAL MEASURES PRESCRIBED THEREFOR. INVESTIGATION INDICATES UNRELIABILITY INFORMATION WHICH WAS BASIS FOR SUBJECT ALERT.

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