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INTER OFFICE LETTER

MEMORANDUM

REPORT

TO: Mr. Gordon Menzies

FROM: Robert Van Hyning

REGISTRY DATE: 21 April 1947

DRAFTER: HJOHNSON

DRAFTER'S DATE: 18 April 1947

SUBJECT A Chinese Directive was issued to all regions on the sun-down program for ONRRA Regional Offices, dated February 4th 1947.

DATE: 2 April 1947

TYPIST: I.R.

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Mr. R. K. DuMoulin
UNRRA Capital Liaison Office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung Shen Road
Nanking, China

Dear Mr. DuMoulin:

Your letter NACO 1461, with enclosures, has been received and I send you herewith a reply to General Chen's letter of April 16 for transmission to him.

The matter of the further difficulties and delays that have been encountered in moving supplies from Tientsin to Communist Areas was not well explained to you in our telephone conversation on the 18th because my own information was faulty. It was based upon a cable dated 16 April and received 17 April as follows:

"Contrary to his original agreement, General Shang Koan Yun Hsiang has refused to provide any soldiers for the protection of our first convoy. We are prepared to go without them, leaving here tomorrow provided there are no further delays. Suggest strong protest to Nanking. Absence of Government guards as far as Tsanghsien leaves us open to attack from organized bandits and increases the already considerable hazards of this operation. Also military authorities here refuse to permit use of rail cars from Tientsin to Tsanghsien to ship two hundred cows, although cars are available in Chinwangtao."

A cable from Tientsin, dated 16 April, has now been received reporting that the cattle referred to have now been shipped.

The difficulty reported is substantial and not readily explainable but it does not, as our telephone conversation implied, constitute a continued refusal to permit the movement of the particular supplies which were the subject of my conference with General Chen in March. Our present information is that those supplies are being shipped at the present time; but, as is indicated in the cable, without the needed protection which had been expected.

Mr. R. K. Dulloulin

19 April 1947

It is regretted that the information you gave Mr. Shen on this subject was not accurate. The fault is my own and I should be glad to have you extend to Mr. Shen my apologies for the inaccuracy.

Very sincerely yours,

Glen E. Edgerton
Major General, USA
Director, China Office

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CC: Registry 2
Subject
Reading

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REGISTRY

Drafting date: 18 April 1947

CONA - 1526

Embankment Building,
370 North Szechow Road,
Shanghai.

APR 19 1947

Mr. R. K. DuMoulin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o U.N.R.R.A.
Nanking Area Office
Nanking

APR 19 1947

Dear Mr. DuMoulin:

Reference is made to your note dated 15 April 1947 requesting information, on behalf of the American Embassy at Nanking, of the mailing address of Miss Rose Yardumian.

Please advise the Embassy that Miss Yardumian is no longer in the employ of U.N.R.R.A. She is now located at the following address:-

International Committee for CIC,
Room 135,
Hamilton House,
170 Kiangse Road,
Shanghai.

Yours Sincerely,

J. E. MERRYMAN III,
Assistant Director,
Administrative Services.

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Concurrence: Scullin
cc: Bull
Regional Administration
Dir. Reading File
Registry (2)
Tsai.

REGISTRY

370 North Soochow Road
Shanghai

18 April, 1947
CONA - 1525

Mr. R.K. du Moulin
Capital Liaison Officer
Capital Liaison Office
NANKING

Dear Mr. du Moulin:

Enclosed is a letter to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek which I would appreciate your delivering personally to Mr. Shen, the Generalissimo's secretary. A copy of the letter is attached for your information. In view of your own active assistance in connection with the issuance of the Generalissimo's revised order, I think you may find it of interest.

Sincerely yours,

Glen E. Edgerton
Major General, U.S. Army
Director, China Office.

Enclosure: 2 copies of letter
to Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek NO. 15737

Drafted by HBPrice/dfg

cc: Registry (2)

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Subject (1) - pulled / JG

REGISTRY



Embarment Building
370 N. Soochow Road
Shanghai

CORA - 1524

APR 19 1947

Mr. Herbert Russel
Chief Regional Representative
UNRRA Banking Area Office
Foo Cheng Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking

Dear Mr. Russel:

Please advise Miss Corone Longstreth that her personal effects
insurance certificate has been forwarded to Washington with
instructions to effect cancellation immediately.

Sincerely yours,

R. G. Le Vaux
Finance Division
UNRRA China Office

LBranchfield - 18 April 1947
cc:
Reading file
Nanking
Controller
Le Vaux
Registry 2

REGISTRY



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CONA- 1523

APR 19 1947

Mr. Rockwell Du Moulin
Liaison Officer
UNRRA Capital Liaison Office
Nanking

Dear Mr. DuMoulin:

Miss Rose Yardumian, whom you referred to in your memorandum of 15th April, is now employed by the Chinese Industrial Cooperatives, situated in Room 135, Hamilton House, Corner of Foochow and Kiangse Roads, Shanghai.

Yours sincerely,

Robert Van Hyning

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cc: Registry (2)

Drafted 18th April 1947

REGISTRY



EMBARKMENT BUILDING
SHANGHAI

18 April 1947.

APR 18 1947

CINA-1522

Mr. Herbert H. Rummel, Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
UNRRA,
Foe Cheng Building,
57 Chung Shan Road,
Nanking.

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Dear Mr. Rummel:

We have referred your letter NA-CO 1423 of 11 April 1947 to Mrs. Autumn Ryan, Program Personnel Division, UNRRA, and to Mr. Keith Philipps of our Program Personnel Division.

We realize that in the beginning of the run-down program, all details were not carried out as they should have been. However, for your information and guidance in any future similar situations, the responsibility for staff reduction lies wholly with China Office. Efforts are being made to notify each employee at least thirty days in advance of the date on which he is to be terminated, so that he may make his own personal plans accordingly.

As you say in your postscript, the information you have received from Mr. Philipps clears up the situation as regards Mr. J. C. Pet and Mr. H. E. Schefferle.

Sincerely yours,

MARY PALIVSKY,
Regional Coordinator.

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Director 2
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Embankment Building,
Shanghai.



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Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
Nanking.

Attention: Mr. Y. Daasnes.

Dear Mr. Daasnes,

Mess Accounts - Nanking

You will no doubt recall my discussing with you when you were last in Shanghai the unsatisfactory figures revealed in the statement of receipts and expenditure submitted in respect of the cooperative mess at Nanking. Accumulated losses have been brought forward from month to month and at the end of February these showed an outstanding amount of CNO\$ 3,011,660, (March statement has not yet been received).

In discussion you agreed to investigate the matter in Nanking and let us have proposals for clearing the matter, and I should be glad to learn whether you are yet in a position to furnish a report on the subject.

Sincerely yours,

T.H. Richards
Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

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17 April 1947

cc: Director Reading File
Controller " "
Accounts & Reports
Procedures & Audits
Vouchers
Regional Admin.
T.H. Richards
Registry (2)

16 April 1947

Chief Regional Representative
UNRRA Office.

Dear Sir,

Living Allowance - Shanghai.

At the meeting of the Living Allowance Committee held on 4 April 1947 it was recommended that the Shanghai Living allowance for the sixteen day period ending 10 April 1947 be CNC\$ 55,000 per diem, and this recommendation has been approved.

In this connection it will be observed that the allowances previously made on account of "Fruit juice" and "Extra for casual above standard meals" have now been eliminated. For your information the following is the basis on which the rate was fixed:-

Standard breakfast (with tip)	CNC\$ 12,000 (Up \$ 1,900)
This was based on an estimated 15 day menu including -	
4 breakfasts at the New Asia	
3 at the Embankment Building	
3 at the two YMCA's	
3 at the Park Hotel	
1 at each of the Cathay and Metropole Hotels	
Standard lunch (with tip)	13,800 (Up \$ 500)
This was based on an estimated 15 day menu which included -	
4 lunches at the New Asia Hotel	
4 at the Embankment Building	
3 at the Army-Navy YMCA	
2 at the Metropole Hotel	
1 each at the Cathay Hotel and Chocolate Shop	
Standard dinner (with tip)	21,000 (Up \$ 3,300)
This was based on an estimated 15 day menu which included	
2 dinners at the New Asia Hotel (ground floor)	
5 at the New Asia Hotel (seventh floor)	
2 at each of the Cathay and Metropole Hotels	
1 at each of the YMCA's	
1 at the Park Hotel	
1 at a Chinese Restaurant	
Extra for casual above standard meals	Nil (Down 3,000)
Laundry and dry cleaning	3,000 (No change)
Incidentals (to cover increase in certain costs due to China service over those normally incurred at home.)	5,000 (No change)
	<u>54,800 (Up \$ 2,700)</u>

The above calculation included a 10% tip

The hospitalization allowance is CNC\$ 9,000 per diem.

Sincerely yours,

T.H. Richards
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Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

16 April 1947

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Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

RECORDS

China Office
370 North Soochow Road
Shanghai

APR 18 1947

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Mr. Herbert Rummel,
Chief Representative,
U.N.R.R.A.
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road,
Nanking, Kiangsu.

Dear Mr. Rummel:

I enclose herewith for your information personal records as follows:-

BERGES, William C.

Effective date: 28 Feb. 1947
Inter-office Transfer
UMRRA to CNRRA
Change of Title

BROOKSHIER, Frank A.

Effective date: 1 Mar. 1947
Change of Title
Inter-office Transfer
Change of Headquarters

CALLERY, Magdalene M.

Effective date: 1 Jan. 1947
Promotion
Effective date: 31 Mar. 1947
Inter-office Transfer
Change of Headquarters

CARROLL, Amicia

Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947
Inter-office Transfer
CNRRA to UMRRA
Change of Headquarters
Change of Title

DAASHES, Yngvar

Effective date: 1 Jan. 1947
Change of Title
Employee Copy Only
Effective date: 1 Mar. 1947
Inter-office Transfer
Change of Headquarters
Change of Title

DAVENPORT, Phillip R.

Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947
Within Grade Increment-Annual
Inter-office Transfer
Change of Headquarters
Change of Title

DRAHLE, Anthony T. J.	Effective date: 1 Mar. 1947 Inter-office Transfer Change of Headquarters
EGGESTEN, Adelia L.	Effective date: 1 Jan. 1947 Promotion by Reclassification
GREAVES, Charles W.	Effective date: 19 Dec. 1946 Corrected Copy Home Leave
GULBRANSEN, K. R.	Effective date: 1 Mar. 1947 Inter-office Transfer Change of Headquarters
HOLMES, Evelyn	Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947 Inter-office Transfer Change of Headquarters Change of Title
HOLMES, Horace C.	Effective date: 1 Jan. 1947 Change of Title Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947 Within Grade Increment-Annual Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947 Inter-office Transfer Change of Headquarters
KERSHAW, Cedric	Effective date: 1 Mar. 1947 Inter-office Transfer Change of Headquarters
MASSEY, Gunther W.	Effective date: 1 Nov. 1946 Within Grade Increment - Meritorious Service Effective date: 1 Mar. 1947 Corrected Copy Within Grade Increment-Annual
MASSEY, Pansy Keni	Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947 Inter-office Transfer Change of Headquarters
RAINEY, Eva M.	Effective date: 1 Mar. 1947 Inter-office Transfer Change of Headquarters
ROBINSON, Edward E. A.	Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947 Change of Headquarters Inter-office Transfer
RUSSELL, Amelia	Effective date: 1 Feb. 1947 Corrected Copy Within Grade Increment-Annual

RUSSELL, Amelia

Effective date: 16 Jan. 1947
2 Step Within Grade Increment-
Meritorious Service

SCHON, George

Effective date: 1 Nov. 1946
Within Grade Increment-Annual

VAN ZUYLEN, Henri P. K.

Effective date: 1 Apr. 1947
Salary Conversion to Australian
Scale
Division Copy Only

Please acknowledge receipt of these records by signing and returning the duplicate of this letter attached hereto.

Sincerely yours,

CHARLES L. MULLIN
Chief Personnel Records Officer
Personnel Division

Encl. As above

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cc: Reading File
Registry (2)
Mullin

10 April 1947.

REGISTRY

UNCORR - 1578

Shanghai, China

18 April, 1947

APR 18 1947

UNRRA Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
NANKING

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ATTENTION: UNRRA MEDICAL OFFICER

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find advance information copies of shipping tickets for medical supplies assembled for shipment to your region.

When these supplies arrive, will you please report their receipt in the Weekly Regional Operations Report as provided for in Administrative Order No. 1.0 - 008, Supplement No. 2, Reporting of Medical Supplies.

Will you also please ascertain from CNRRA if the supplies are received as invoiced and report any loss or damage to this office, mentioning in your report the Credit Voucher numbers of the covering shipping tickets.

Sincerely yours,

Howard A. Pringle

Howard A. Pringle,
Director,
Medical Supply Division.

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REGISTRY

UNCOMA - 1517

Shanghai, China
18 April, 1947
APR 18 1947

UNRRA Chief Representative
Nanking Area Office
NANKING

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CHINA OFFICE
SHANGHAI

APR 18 1947
CONA-1516

Nanking Area Office
U.N.R.R.A.
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung Shan Road
NANKING

Attention: Mr. Y. Daasnes

Dear Sir:

Subject: Closure Anhwei Regional Offices

Attached is a copy of the Summary on the closure of Anhwei Regional Offices. You will note the shortage of \$1,321.99 on disposal of Sales Store items. Will you kindly endeavor to obtain an accounting for the stores in question?

Sincerely yours,

F. R. J. Gerard, Chief
Bureau of Accounts & Finance

Drafted: JCasler *for*
15 April 1947
cc: Edgerton
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Reg. Admin.
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REGISTRY

Entertainment Building,
370 No. Soochow Road,
Shanghai, China.

Miss Adelia L. Eggstein,
UNRRA Capital Maison Office,
Nanking, China.

APR 17 1947
CONA-1515

Dear Miss Eggstein:

Your letter of April 10th, 1947, apparently crossed our letter dated April 9th, 1947, CONA-1479, to Mr. Herbert Hummel, with reference to the credit balance on your UNR account.

We regret the delay in writing the Nanking Office and hope it has not inconvenienced you.

Yours sincerely,



M.M. Ward,
Chief, Ledger Section,
Bureau of Accounts and Finance.

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16th April 1947

cc: Riker
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Info copy

REGISTRY

CHINA OFFICE

Drafting date: 16 April 1947

CONA -1514

Embankment Building,
370 North Soochow Road.
Shanghai.

APR 17 1947

Mr. Herbert Rummel
Chief Regional Representative
Nanking Area Office
Nanking

Attention: Mr. H. A. Teall

Dear Mr. Rummel:

Reference is made to our CONA-1397 dated 17 March 1947 and a reply from Mr. H. A. Teall in connection with his personal parcel previously detained at the Shanghai Customs.

Please advise Mr. Teall that we have made further inquiries at the Shanghai Customs and ascertained that the detained parcel referred to in the above letters was the same one which had been forwarded to him at Nanking vide P.O. Parcel Post No. 62446 on 6 March 1947. We have in our file a receipt signed by Mr. Teall acknowledging the parcel. Apparently the Customs had delivered a duplicate Parcel Notice thus causing the misunderstanding.

Please ask Mr. Teall to check the sender's name and address and the contents of the parcel which he received and see whether they were identical with those of the parcel quoted in our CONA-1397.

Sincerely Yours,

J. E. MERRYMAN III,
Assistant Director,
Administrative Services.

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Concurrence: Leo Wisniewski
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cc: Bull
Regional Administration
Dir. Reading File
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REGISTRY

CHINA OFFICE
Embankment Building
Shanghai

CO-NA-No. 1513

Drafted: 17 April 1947
APR 17 1947

Mr. R. K. Du Moulin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Du Moulin:

Transmitted herewith please find a copy of a Packing List and Price List covering a shipment of 27 (twenty-seven) cases of commissary supplies sent to your office on Train No. 30-OH-54732 on 16 April 1947. The above supplies were not escorted by an UNRRA guard.

Please inform this office when the shipment has been received.

Sincerely yours,

J. E. Merryman III
Assistant Director
Division of Admn Services

Enclosures: 2

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cc: Registry (2) ✓
Bull
Palevsky
Edgerton

REGISTRY

EMBANKMENT BUILDING
SHANGHAI

16 April 1947.

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APR 17 1947

Mr. Herbert Rummel, Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
UNRRA,
Woo Chong Building,
57 Chung San Road,
Nanking.

Dear Mr. Rummel:

Attached hereto is a memorandum prepared by the Industrial Rehabilitation Division setting forth the limits of responsibility and definition of duties of the Industrial Rehabilitation Officers in the various area offices.

You will note that no such officer has been assigned to the Nanking Area Office, because of the comparatively slight amount of Industrial Rehabilitation operations in the area. However, Mr. J. L. Winograd, who is assigned to the Central China Office, has been charged with responsibility for Honan Province, and the Anhwei and Chekiang areas will be served from China Office.

Thus you may be sure that any rehabilitation projects in your area will have proper attention.

Sincerely yours,

MARY PALEVSKY,
Regional Coordinator.

Drafted: EPayne/jw

CC - Registry 2
Director 2
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REGISTRY

UNCOMA - 1511

Shanghai, China

16 April, 1947

APR 17 1947

The Capital Liaison Officer
c/o UNRRA Hanking Area Office
NANKING

ATTENTION: UNRRA MEDICAL OFFICER

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find advance information copies of shipping tickets for medical supplies assembled for shipment to your region.

When these supplies arrive, will you please report their receipt in the Weekly Regional Operations Report as provided for in Administrative Order No. 1.0 - 008, Supplement No. 2, Reporting of Medical Supplies.

Will you also please ascertain from UNRRA if the supplies are received as invoiced and report any loss or damage to this office, mentioning in your report the Credit Voucher numbers of the covering shipping tickets.

Sincerely yours,

Howard A. Pringle

Howard A. Pringle,
Director,
Medical Supply Division.

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REGISTRY

UNCONA -1510

Shanghai, China

16 April, 1947

APR 17 1947

Chief Representative
UNRRA Nanking Area Office
NANKING

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Medical Supply Division.

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REGISTRY

370 North Soochow Road,
Shanghai.

APR 17 1947

CONA - 1509

Mr. Henri P. K. Van Zuylen,
Hostel Manager,
c/o Banking Area Office,
Tee Cheng Building,
57 Chung San Road,
Nanking, Kiangsu.

Dear Mr. Van Zuylen,

We attach herewith for your information your copy of a P-3 action dated 1st April, 1947, converting your salary from the Continental to the Australian Salary Scale; your salary has been placed on the third increment of grade 7, Australian Scale, to give you £4695, which will compensate for the difference in exchange value between the sterling and Australian pound.

Mr. J. Corner of the Payroll Section, Room 103, Rehabilitation Building, will be glad to discuss this matter with you, and help you with regard to any questions that you may wish to raise on the subject of salary payments, and future banking arrangements.

Yours sincerely,

GRAHAM STELAIN
Director of Personnel

Encl. P-3 of 1.4.47

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Concurrence: Mr. Corner (Payroll)
Mr. House (Personnel)

cc : Payroll Section
Personnel File
Reading File
Registry (2)

11 April, 1947

REGISTRY

Embankment Building,
Shanghai.



WIGLEY

Mr. Y. Daasnes,
Executive Officer,
Nanking Area Office,
Nanking.

APR 16 1947
CONC-979
CONA-1508

Dear Mr. Daasnes,

Mess Accounts - Pengpu Field Office.

Thank you for your letter MACO 1399 dated 4 April. The figures you quote for the mess at the Pengpu Field Office show a result which is considered to be quite satisfactory.

T.H. Richards
Sincerely yours,

T.H. Richards
Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

THRRichards:kp
16 April 1947

cc: Director Reading File
Controller Reading "
Accounts & Reports
Procedures & Audits
Vouchers
Regional Admin.
T.H. Richards
Registry (2)

REGISTRY

Shanghai, China,

April 16, 1947.

APR 18 1947

CNA-1507



Mr. H. Rummel,
Chief Representative,
UNRRA,
Nanking Area Office,
Foo Chong Building,
57 Chung San Road,
Nanking, Kiangsu, China.

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Attention: Anhwei Regional Representative.

Subject: Shipment of basic food to South Anhwei.

Dear Mr. Rummel,

The Food Division of UNRRA and the Joint CNRRA-UNRRA Food Allocations Committee are well aware of the criticism which has been made by the Anhwei Regional Office, the CCFE and the local press, concerning the shipments of rice and flour to Anking and Wuhu in South Anhwei.

In order to inform you of the attitude of the China Office and our denial of responsibility for these shipments, I am attaching copies of letters from General Edgerton to Director-General of CNRRA. The first letter was sent on the 6th of March and dealt with 3,000 tons of rice shipped to South Anhwei, contrary to the allocations. The second, dated April 14, refers to another shipment of 600 tons of flour to Anking, South Anhwei.

We are awaiting a report from the Office of the Director-General, CNRRA, as to the action taken.

Sincerely yours,

cc: Col. Ennis, CNRRA
Carl Sedore, SSO
K. Y. Chen, SSO
V. Y. Tcheng, SSO

H. D. Brown, Chief,
Food Division, UNRRA,
China Office.

Reading file (OD)

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Shanghai, China,

April 14, 1947,

No. 15401

Mr. P. H. Ho,
Director-General, CNRRA,
120 Foochow Road,
Shanghai, China.

Re: Shipment of basic food to South Anhwei.

Dear Mr. Ho,

The China Office wishes to draw to your attention the recent shipment of approximately 600 tons of wheat flour to Anking, South Anhwei. SSO cable No. 448, of April 8, 1947, states: "shipped m/v Kwan Ti 13400 bags wheat flour at 100 pounds, sailing April 1st SSO". The Administration would point out that there was no allocation of the flour made by the Joint CNRRA-UNRRA Food Allocations Committee authorizing this.

The continued shipments of basic food to South Anhwei has caused criticism both by UNRRA Anhwei Regional Representatives and the Distribution Committee of CCFE. It is our firm conviction that basic food should not be shipped to South Anhwei at the time stocks are very low and there is great need of this food in North Anhwei and in the Yellow River areas.

We would draw your attention to our letter No. 13544 dated March 6, 1947. This letter registered the Administration's criticism of shipments made to Wuhu and Anking in February against the specific recommendations of the Food Committee. While we are still awaiting the reply requested in our letter of March 6, we find that a further shipment of basic food has been made to Anking in South Anhwei. The only explanation, which we have had for these unfortunate diversions of food to South Anhwei is that Mr. Ko, representing CNRRA Anhwei Regional Office, is said to have made such a request verbally.

We trust that this matter will receive your immediate attention.

Yours sincerely,

Glen E. Edgerton,
Major General, USA,
Director, China Office.

C O P Y

Shanghai, China,

6 March 1947,

No. 13544

Mr. P. H. Ho,
Director-General, CNRRA,
120 Foochow Road,
Shanghai, China.

Re: Rice for Anhwei.

Dear Mr. Ho,

The China Office has received reports from our Anhwei Regional Office in connection with Regional supplies of flour and rice, about which the China Office feels that CNRRA should take some action.

The first is the shipment of 33,603 bags, each 100 pounds of rice, shipped to Wuhu, South Anhwei, on the s.s. Hai Fon of the Wah Shang Shipping Company. Also the shipment of a similar amount of rice, approximately 1,500 tons, shipped to Anking in February. These shipments, totaling approximately 3,000 tons of rice, were sent to South Anhwei contrary to the allocations made by the Joint CNRRA-UNRRA Food Allocations Committee. This Committee allocated this quantity of rice to Pengpu in North Anhwei, where, as you know, critical famine conditions exist. The allocation specifically designated Pengpu and this was emphasized in the information given to SSO. The Anhwei Regional Office of UNRRA has severely criticized these shipments of rice to South Anhwei, a surplus rice area. The unfortunate diversion of this allocation to a rice surplus producing region has brought unfavourable publicity in an editorial of the Shanghai Evening Post of March 3, 1947, a copy of which is enclosed herewith. It is reliably reported that these shipments were diverted from Pengpu, in North Anhwei, to Wuhu and Anking in South Anhwei, upon the request of the CNRRA Deputy Regional Director. The China Office requests that your Bureau of Investigation look into this matter.

The second report is contained in a cable received from Wuhu which states that UNRRA flour is being sold in the open market in Anking, South Anhwei, for 20,000 dollars for each 48-1/2 pounds rice and 75,000 dollars for a hundred pound bag. I am attaching a copy of this cable dated March 1, 1947, and our reply of March 4, 1947.

The China Office would appreciate a report of CNRRA's action on the above matters.

Sincerely yours,

Glen E. Edgerton,
Major General, USA,
Director, China Office.

REGISTRY

16 April 1947

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Mr. R. K. DuMoulin
Capital Liaison Officer
UNRRA
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung Shan Road
Nanking, China

Dear Mr. DuMoulin:

Your letter of April 14, WACO 1434, enclosing copy of the minutes of the second meeting of the Coordination Committee of the Executive Yuan on April 11 has been received and I have reviewed the minutes.

I think Miss Rainey is to be congratulated on the accuracy of her notes and I believe the minutes should stand as written.

Very sincerely yours,

Glen E. Edgerton
Major General, USA
Director, China Office

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REGISTRY



EMBANKMENT BUILDING
SHANGHAI



CO-NA- 1505

Drafted 14 April 1947

APR 16 1947

Mr. R. Du Moulin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
Foe Cheng Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Du Moulin:

Please be advised that one hundred and twenty blankets taken along by the Survey Party to Kaifeng on Thursday night, 10 April 1947, were charged against your office. The blankets were received by Miss Audrey Jenkins of UNRRA and signed for by her. It is up to your office either to return the blankets to Administrative Services, UNRRA, and receive credit or keep them in your stock as UNRRA property.

Sincerely yours,

J. B. Merryman
Assistant Director
Division of Administrative Services

cc: Registry (2)
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370 North Soochow Road,
SHANGHAI



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Mr. Herbert H. Rummel
Chief Representative
Nanking Area office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
NANKING. Kiangsu.

Dear Mr. Rummel,

For your information, we are enclosing herewith the following correspondence reference the designating of Mr. J.E. Forster as senior member of the group remaining in Kaifeng:

1. KACO-1299 dated 26 March 1947
2. COKA-1452 " 3 April 1947
3. KACO-1405 " 8 April 1947.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Palevsky
Regional Coordinator.

Encl: 3.

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Drafted: 15 April 1947

C O P Y

UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

26th March 1947

KA-CO-1299

The Director
UNRRA China Office
Shanghai

Attention: Miss Mary Palevsky

Dear Sir,

At a meeting to consider the details of the run-down programme for the Honan region held to-day, I proposed that Mr. J. E. C. Forster, Regional Distribution Officer, who will continue presumably until the end of the programme, should be the person in charge of the remaining UNRRA staff. I refer not only to the 8 persons left as proposed in your plan, but I would like to note that it will be necessary to have someone known to be in charge, so that the questions of correlation with work of other UNRRA sections active in the region can be properly handled.

Mr. Forster is the senior staff member on the remaining list, and twice during my absences in the past six months has acted for me as Regional Representative.

Realizing that Mr. Forster is on the CNRRA budget line, I have consulted Mr. McDowell, who has agreed that the appointment could be made, subject to approval by Dr. Ma Chieh, CNRRA Director for Honan, from whom I am sure consent will be forthcoming.

Sincerely yours,

Walter West
Chief Regional Representative

C O P Y

UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION
CHINA OFFICE
370 North Soochow Road,
SHANGHAI

COKA-1452

Mr. Walter West
Chief Regional Representative
UNRRA Regional Office
KAIFENG, Honan

Dear Mr. West:

Thank you for the recommendation contained in your KACO-1299 of 26 March. Recent developments, in addition to other factors, prevent us from designating the person recommended by you as senior member of the group remaining. These factors are:-

1. The person designated should be UNRRA rather than Program personnel.
2. Since emphasis is being placed on rehab. activities in the Flooded Area Rehabilitation project, it is thought desirable that the person designated should be an Agriculture Officer.
3. The Kaifeng Office will be merged with the Nanking Office on the 1st May, and it is thought that the Chief Representative of the Nanking Area Office should designate the senior member for the group remaining on travel status in Kaifeng.

Very sincerely yours,

Mary Palevsky,
Regional Coordinator.

C O P Y

UNITED NATIONS RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION

Kaifeng, Honan
8th April, 1947

KA-CO-1405

The Director
UNRRA China Office
Shanghai

Attention: Miss Mary Palevsky, Regional Coordinator

Dear Sir,

With reference to your memorandum COKA 1452, I note your decision on my recommendation of the person to serve as senior member of the group remaining here after 30th April. I assume that the Chief Representative of the Nanking Area Office will make the designation, and will await any enquiry which he may wish to make of me. For your information and his, with reference to your paragraphs 2 and 3, the senior Agrehab member of the Kaifeng staff is Mr. John Shirkey.

Sincerely yours,

s/ Walter West
Chief Regional Representative

REGISTRY

Embankment Building,
370 North Soochow Road,
Shanghai.

CCNA No. 1503

APR 16 1947

Mr. R. K. DuMoulin,
Capital Liaison Officer,
Nanking Area Office, UNRRA,
57 Chung Shan Road,
Nanking.

Dear Mr. DuMoulin:

Thank you for your letter of 11 April advising me of your conversation with the French Ambassador in Nanking regarding Ambassador Meyrier's credentials as French member for the Committee of the Council for the Far East.

I am forwarding a copy of your letter to the Secretariat at UNRRA Headquarters in Washington and feel quite sure that there will be no further question raised by that office in the matter.

Sincerely yours,

Franc Shor
Secretary, Committee of the
Council for the Far East.

Drafted by Garrett:ahk

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CHINA OFFICE

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15th April 1947.

CONA-1502

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Mr. R. K. DuMoulin,
Capital Liaison Officer,
Foo Chong Building,
57 Chung Shan Road,
Nanking.

Dear Mr. DuMoulin:

In reply to your recent request, we are forwarding
you a copy of the Basic Field Manual with appropriate inserts.

If we may be of further assistance, please let us
know.

Very truly yours,

H. D. McInnis, Chief,
Office of Administrative Planning.

cc: Courtesy copy
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Shanghai

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CONA 1501

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Mr. R. Dulcullin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Dulcullin:

Attached please find a letter addressed to the Ministry of Interior concerning Mr. Guenther MINDEN.

It will be very much appreciated if you can find time to present this letter to the Ministry and enlist their good offices in securing the required statement.

It is our understanding that the American Consulate in Hankow has assured Mr. MINDEN that as long as he has not committed any action directly against the interests of the United States, he will be able to secure his immigration visa. However, the fact that he was in an internment camp for such a long period is something, which from the Consulate's point of view, requires official explanation. Hence, the Consulate requires a statement from the Ministry of Interior as to the reason for his internment.

With many thanks for whatever assistance you can give us in this matter,
I am

Sincerely yours,

Robert Van Hyning, Director
Displaced Persons Division

Attachment
Mr. Interior No. 15508

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Clearance: Logan
cc: Dir Read - Logan - Registry

REGISTRY

370 North Soochow Road
SHANGHAI

15 APR. 1947

CONA-1500

Mr. Herbert H. Rummel
Chief Representative
Nanking Area Office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
NANKING. Kiangsu.

Dear Mr. Rummel:

Just prior to the closure of the Wuhu Regional Office, several requests were received for the initiation of personnel actions. Time did not allow for completion of these before closure of that Office, and I now wish to advise you what action was taken so that the records might be complete:-

1. (a) WUGO-875 of 21 February 1947, signed by W.J. Cammon, Chief UNRRA Regional Representative, requested upgrading for Miss Esther Salas. Miss Salas was promoted to Grade 7 as a result of the Classification Survey, effective 1 January. She has been reassigned to the Kaifeng Regional Office.

- (b) A request for personnel action in regard to Miss Amicia Carroll and Dr. George Schon, also contained in the above mentioned letter, could not be initiated by UNRRA as they were program personnel, and initiation for their personnel action for any upgrading would have to be received through the CNRRA channels.

Both Miss Carroll and Dr. Schon have now been transferred to the Nanking Area Office. Any future personnel action will depend upon the duties and responsibilities of their present positions.

2. A request for the promotion of Mr. Yngvar Daasnes from Grade 11, Executive Officer to Grade 12, Executive Officer was received. The position of Executive Officer, Nanking Area Office has been established at Grade 11 by the Classification Survey, and such action is not possible under present conditions.
3. A request for upgrading of Mr. Anthony Dralle from Economic Analyst & Reports Officer, Grade 11, to Deputy Liaison Officer Grade 12 was also received. Such a position does not exist under the present Staffing Authorization of the Nanking Area Office, and action was not initiated.

Mr. Herbert H. Rummel:

Page 2

4. WUCO-868 of 20 February 1947 requested action be initiated appealing the decision of the classification action on Miss Eva M. Rainey. This request has been forwarded to the Personnel Division for reconsideration by the Classification Section, and you will be notified of any action taken.

Very sincerely yours,

Mary Palevsky
Regional Coordinator

REGISTRY

UNCOMA 1499

Shanghai, China
14 April 1947

15 APR. 1947

UNRRA CHIEF REPRESENTATIVE
NANKING AREA OFFICE
NANKING

ATTENTION: UNRRA MEDICAL OFFICER

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find advance information copies of shipping tickets for medical supplies assembled for shipment to your region.

When these supplies arrive, will you please report their receipt in the Weekly Regional Operations Report as provided for in Administrative Order No. 1.0 - 008, Supplement No. 2, Reporting of Medical Supplies.

Will you also please ascertain from CNRRA if the supplies are received as invoiced and report any loss or damage to this office, mentioning in your report the Credit Voucher numbers of the covering shipping tickets.

Sincerely yours,

Howard A. Fringle

Howard A. Fringle,
Director,
Medical Supply Division.

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Shanghai, China
14 April, 1947

15 APR. 1947

UNRRA Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
Nanking

ATTENTION: UNRRA MEDICAL OFFICER

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find advance information copies of shipping tickets for medical supplies assembled for shipment to your region.

When these supplies arrive, will you please report their receipt in the Weekly Regional Operations Report as provided for in Administrative Order No. 1.0 - 008, Supplement No. 2, Reporting of Medical Supplies.

Will you also please ascertain from CNRRA if the supplies are received as invoiced and report any loss or damage to this office, mentioning in your report the Credit Voucher numbers of the covering shipping tickets.

Sincerely yours,

Howard A. Pringle

Howard A. Pringle,
Director,
Medical Supply Division.

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Embankment Building
Shanghai

CO-NA-No. 1497

15 APR. 1947
Drafted: 14 April 1947

Mr. R. K. Du Moulin;
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Du Moulin:

Enclosed herewith please find two copies of Packing Lists covering a shipment of 3 (three) cases of auto parts for jeeps and clutch assemblies sent to your office on 12 April 1947 on Train No. 15-OH-9842. The above shipment was not escorted by an UNRRA guard.

Please inform this office when the shipment has been received.

Sincerely yours,

J. E. Merryman III
Assistant Director
Division of Admin Services

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cc: Registry (2) ✓
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REGISTRY

14 APR. 1947

Shanghai, China
11 April, 1947

UNRRA Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
NANKING

ATTENTION: UNRRA MEDICAL OFFICER

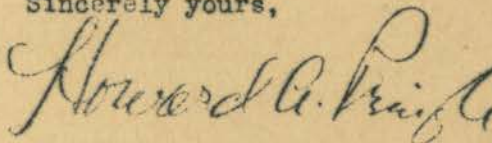
Dear Sir:

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When these supplies arrive, will you please report their receipt in the Weekly Regional Operations Report as provided for in Administrative Order No. 1.0 - 008, Supplement No. 2, Reporting of Medical Supplies.

Will you also please ascertain from CNRRA if the supplies are received as invoiced and report any loss or damage to this office, mentioning in your report the Credit Voucher numbers of the covering shipping tickets.

Sincerely yours,



Howard A. Pringle,
Director,

Medical Supply Division

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UNOCRA 1495

Shanghai, China
11 April, 1947

UNOCRA Chief Representative
Hanking Area Office
HANKING

14 APR. 1947

ATTENTION: UNOCRA MEDICAL OFFICER

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find advance information copies of shipping tickets for medical supplies assembled for shipment to your region.

When these supplies arrive, will you please report their receipt in the Weekly Regional Operations Report as provided for in Administrative Order No. 1.0 - 008, Supplement No. 2, Reporting of Medical Supplies.

Will you also please ascertain from CNRRA if the supplies are received as invoiced and report any loss or damage to this office, mentioning in your report the Credit Voucher numbers of the covering shipping tickets.

Sincerely yours,

Howard A. Pringle

Howard A. Pringle,
Director,
Medical Supply Division

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REGISTRY

Embarkment Building,
Shanghai.

14 APR. 1947

CONA-1494

Mr. Herbert Rummel
UNRRA,
Nanking Area Office.
Nanking.

Dear Mr. Rummel:

NANKING -- Vouchers 21 - 28 Feb. 1947.

Receipt is acknowledged of Nanking cash bank statement and supporting vouchers for the above mentioned period.

Examination of these documents reveals that they are in good order with the exception of the following point:

Receipt 627. Refund of CWC\$700,000 in the name of Helen Harris is posted on cash page 3040 but copy of receipt No. 627 was not sent. Kindly forward.

Sincerely yours,

T. H. Richards
Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

Drafted: LAlexander:ok ⁸⁹

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cc. Director Reading File
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REGISTRY

370 North Soochow Road
Shanghai

10 April 1947

14 APR. 1947

CONA-1493

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Mr. R. Du Moulin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Banking Area Office
Foo Cheng Building
57 Chang San Road
HANKING

Dear Mr. Du Moulin:

Our records indicate that the due date for your monograph on "Work of Capital Liaison Office" was 15 March 1947.

May we have word from you as to progress on the monograph, the date we may expect to receive it and the approximate date when you plan to leave China?

It is most important that all of the monographs now in preparation be completed as soon as possible in order that they may be carefully studied and that plans may be made for recording adequately the balance of the story of UNRRA in China.

We look forward with confidence and anticipation to receiving your "opus" at an early date. Let me know if we can be of any further help to you on it.

Sincerely yours,

Harry E. Price
Assistant Director
and Chief Historian
UNRRA China Office

cc: Registry(20)
Reading file (1)
Subject file (1)

REGISTRY

Embankment Bldg., Shanghai

12 APR. 1947

CONA 1492

Mr. R. Du Moulin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Du Moulin:

RE: Egyptian Transit Visas

Enclosed herewith the following passports, safehanded to Nanking
by courtesey of Margaret W. Fuchs:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>NATIONALITY</u>
Mr. W. P. Montgomery	British
Mr. L. Tomkinson	"
Mr. Jean G. Mancini	French
Miss A. Black	British
Mr. Oluf Saxe	Norwegian

All of the above are proceeding to European destinations (Paris or London) by air for termination at home stations. They will require Egyptian transit visas.

If possible, please return these passports on the Monday night train so that we can procure other visas for them on the 15th of April.

Sincerely yours,

Enclosures: 2 British Passports
1 French Passport
1 Norwegian Passport

Drafted: 12 April 1947

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Conc: Lindsey

cc: Lindsey
Merryman
Reg. Adm.
Reading File
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J. E. Merryman III
Assistant Director
Division of Admn Services

REGISTRY

370 North Soochow Road
Shanghai, China

12 APR. 1947

CONA-1491

Mr. H. H. Rummel
Chief Representative
Nanking Area Office - UNRRA
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Rummel:

In reply to your letter of 6 March, I am enclosing the specifications and the prices paid for cotton oil pressing plants which we hope will be of some assistance to you in determining the need for this equipment in your region. You will be notified as soon as definite allocations have been made.

Sincerely yours,

Enclosures (2)

Glen Briggs
Acting Chief, Agricultural
Rehabilitation Division

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April 10, 1947

cc: Briggs
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CHINA OFFICE
Embankment Building
Shanghai

12 APR. 1947

CO-NA-No. 1490

Drafted: 11 April 1947

Mr. R. Du Moulin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
57 Chung San Road
Foo Chong Building
Nanking

Dear Mr. Du Moulin:

We are referring to your letter NA-CO-1408 dated 8 April 1947 which covers your requisition No. 27.

The items listed as not required have been noted and will not be included in your shipment.

It is anticipated that these supplies will leave Shanghai in the near future. Your office will be notified as to the departure date.

Sincerely yours,

J. E. Merryman III
Assistant Director
Division of Admn Services

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cc: Registry (2) ✓

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LETTER **COCA-1696**

DOCUMENT

CABLE

INTER OFFICE LETTER

MEMORANDUM

REPORT

TO: Chief Regional Representatives.
Attention: Agricultural Rehabilitation Officers.

FROM: Glen Brigg

REGISTRY DATE: ¹¹~~12~~ April 1947

DRAFTER: Allman

DRAFTER'S DATE: 10 April 1947

SUBJECT Fertilizer Distribution Excluding Taiwan.

DATE: 24 April 1947

TYPIST: I.R.

REGISTRY



11 APR. 1947

CONA - 1488

PHOTOGRAPH

Miss Joan H. Young
Finance Officer
UNRRA Banking Area Office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Miss Young:

Thank you for your letter of March 29th, 1947, NACC-1380
about the account of W. H. Cowan.

We can now inform you that Mr. Cowan's account is in
balance.

Yours sincerely,

M. M. Ward
M. M. Ward
Chief, Ledger Section
Bureau of Accounts & Finance

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JRiker/bp
Date: 8 Apr. 1947
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REGISTRY



11 APR. 1947

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CONA-1487

Mr. Harvey C. Accola
c/o Nanking Area Office, UNRRA
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Accola:

Your US\$ account shows a balance due of \$37.00. This is due to the fact that the advance of \$75.00 you received of in Washington last August was only covered by an expense voucher to the extent of \$38.00.

If you will send us authorization we can arrange to deduct \$37.00 from your Field Allotment, or Home Allotment of salary.

Yours sincerely,

M. M. Ward
Chief, Ledger Section
Bureau of Accounts & Finance

PERSONAL

cc: Herbert Rummel

JRiker/bp

Date: 8 Apr. 1947

cc: Edgerton (Reading file)

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REGISTRY

11 APR. 1947

CONA - 1486

PM 10 APR 47

Miss Joan Young
Finance Officer
Nanking Area Office, UNRRA
Foo Cheng Building
Chung San Road
Nanking

Dear Miss Young:

Mr. William A. Logan has Cash Receipt #00042 dated March 19th, 1947 covering a payment of CN\$100,000. to Anhwei. Will you please let us know what account this remittance was in payment of.

Yours sincerely,

M.
M. E. Ward
Chief, Ledger Section
Bureau of Accounts & Finance

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Date: 9 April 1947
cc: Edgerton (Reading file)
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Regional Admin.
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REGISTRY

Embankment Building,
Shanghai.

11 APR. 1947

COAD-1485

Mr. H. Rummel,
Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
Nanking.

Dear Mr. Rummel,

Vouchers- Period 1-31 January.

An audit of the accounting vouchers submitted by Nanking for 1-31 January has revealed some irregularities in the leave records for personnel assigned to that office. The following examples are quoted, and it would be appreciated if you would be good enough to cause full enquiries to be made in each case and notify the result to this office after making any adjustments which may be necessary.

Voucher 1009. Lillian Robbins. Travel authorization No. 92791 dated 26 December states purpose of travel to be 3 days annual leave to visit Peiping and Tsingtao during period 30 December to 5 January. Her claim for travel expenses was preaudited in Nanking and reveals that she left Shanghai 11 a.m. December 28 and arrived Peiping 4 p.m. The voucher shows that she remained in the north till leaving Tsingtao on January 8, and the full period of absence therefore was December 28 to January 8, though there does not appear to have been any explanation furnished by Miss Robbins for overstaying leave nor have the extra days been reported as leave to adjust the records.

Voucher 1027. J. Thompson has travel authorization No. NIM-NA 337 dated 10 January in support, stating purpose of travel "Personal ($\frac{1}{2}$ day annual leave)" to go from Nanking to Shanghai during period 10-12 January. His claim for travel expenses shows he left Nanking on the evening of January 10 and returned on January 15. No explanation is given for the extension of the annual leave, and the period taken was apparently not reported for recording in China Office.

Voucher 1054. Miss A. Russell, travelled to Shanghai on 1 January under authorization No. NA 324 dated 31 December, which states purpose of travel "Personal (Official holidays and Compensatory Leave), and arrived back in Nanking the morning of 6 January. No report has apparently been sent to China Office for recording the amount of compensatory leave earned and/or taken in this case, and a general

is requested - 2 -

statement/of the practice followed in Nanking regarding compensatory leave. The same point applies to

Voucher 1090 submitted by Miss J. Young who travelled from Nanking to Pengpu the morning of January 18 and returned a.m. on 21 January. The travel authorization No. NA 350 dated 18 January states the purpose of travel to be "Personal (1½ days compensatory leave)".

The following queries also emerged from the audit:-

Voucher 953. submitted by T. Thompson stated he departed Nanking night of 23 December and was amended to read 2 p.m. 24 December. Full Shanghai subsistence at CNC\$ 28,000 paid for 24 December is questioned on the ground that Mr. Thompson was in travel status and should therefore only claim actual expenses plus post allowance. Clarification is requested please and in the meantime he should be notified that the amount in question has been debited to his personal account.

Voucher 976. Submitted by Goodrich E. Schauffler reveals that there was an underpayment of subsistence amounting to CNC\$ 5,000, and the sum has been credited to his personal account.

Voucher 1089, for Mr. T.C. Pet shows: (a) he was in Changsha for period 18-27 and 29-31 December and claimed full field subsistence of CNC\$ 13,000 per day. Please ascertain whether he was billeted in the UNRRA hostel at Changsha and received full meals in the mess as in that event there would have been an overcharge of CNC\$ 6,000 for each of the days in question. (b) Mr. Pet claims CNC\$ 50,500 in respect of accommodation at the Lutheran Mission in Hankow, and should be asked why he was not billeted at one of the UNRRA hostels in Hankow.

Sincerely yours,

T.H. Richards
Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

THRRichards:kp
10 April 1947
cc: Director Reading File
Controller " "
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370 North Soochow Road
SHANGHAI.

PM 10 APR 47

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CONF-1484

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Mr. Herbert H. Rummel,
Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
Foo Chong Building,
57 Chung San Road,
NANKING. Kiangsu.

Dear Mr. Rummel,

For your information, we enclose copies of three cables sent to the Directors of the CNRRA Offices at Wuhu, Chinkiang and Kaifeng, announcing the consolidation of the UNRRA Offices in those areas with the Nanking Area Office.

Sincerely yours,

Mary Palevsky
Regional Coordinator.

EAPayne/Meb.

Drafted 9 April, 1947

For encl. referred to
see UNCOMI 070337,
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Embankment Building,
Shanghai.

CONF-1483

Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
Nanking.

Dear Sir,

Chinkiang Field Office - Living Allowances.

Thank you for your letter No. NACO 1393 dated 2 April 1947.

Your recommendations that the living allowance for the personnel on travel status in Kiangsu Region as from 1 April be CNC\$ 26,000 per diem and that personnel provided with free meals and laundry by the UNRRA operated mess claim only post allowance of CNC\$ 5,000 per diem are hereby approved.

Sincerely yours,

T.H. Richards
Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

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9 April 1947

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Embankment Building,
Shanghai.

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Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
Nanking.

Dear Sir,

Pengpu Field Office. - Living Allowance.

Thank you for your letter No. MACO 1392 dated 2 April 1947.

Your recommendations that the personnel staying in the Pengpu hostel and receiving free meals will be paid CNC\$ 11,000 per diem to cover excess cost of incidentals, laundry and extra meals outside the mess, and that travellers in the field outside of Pengpu will receive the full living allowance of CNC\$ 26,000 per diem, are hereby approved.

Sincerely yours,

T.H. Richards
T.H. Richards
Chief Regional accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

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Mr. T. Danmes
Executive Officer
Nanking Area Office
Foo Cheng Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Danmes:

Thank you for your letter dated March 24th, 1947, NACC-1366 about the account of Arnold A. Olsen, upon receipt of Mr. Olsen's travel voucher (No. Nanking 1423) for the amount of \$600,000. CMC his account will be in balance.

Yours sincerely,

H. M. Ward
Chief, Ledger Section
Bureau of Accounts & Finance


JHiker/bp
Date: 7 Apr. 1947
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AM 9 APR 47

Mr. J. E. Hughes
c/o Nanking Area Office
U.N.R.R.A.
Foo Cheng Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Hughes:

Thank you for your letter of March 13th, 1947 about
the account of A. J. Parenti.

We have located the amount of \$120,000. CMC paid by
Mr. Parenti and the balance of his account is now
\$ 74,350. CMC.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be "H. M. Ward".

H. M. Ward
Chief, Ledger Section
Bureau of Accounts & Finance

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9 APR 47

Mr. Herbert Rummel
Chief Representative
Banking Area Office
U.S.E.R.A.
Yoo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Hankow

Dear Sir:

This is to inform you that Adelle L. Eggstein has
a credit balance of CMC\$885,100. in her personal
account at this office. Please allow her to draw
CMC against this while in Hankow.

Yours sincerely,

M. W. Ward
Chief, Ledger Section
Bureau of Accounts & Finance

JRiker/bp

Date: 7 Apr. 1947

cc: Edgerton (Reading file)

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9 APR. 1947

Embankment Building,
Shanghai.

CONA - 1478

Mr. Herbert Rummel.
UNRRA,
Nanking
Nanking Area Office.

Dear Mr. Rummel:



WUHU - Vouchers 21 - 28 Feb. 1947.

Receipt is acknowledged of Wuhu vouchers and cash bank statement submitted for the above mentioned period.

Examination of these documents reveals that they are in good order with the exception of the following points:

Voucher 2/1036. Dr. Schow is entitled to CNO\$12,000 additional subsistence due to change in Nanking rate Feb. 17 from CNO\$28,000 to CNO\$40,000. Please advise him to make an additional claim unless he has already done so.

Receipt 297. There is a miscalculation resulting in an undercharge of CNO\$3,000. The conversion of US\$11.25 at CNO\$12,000 is CNO\$135,000 not CNO\$132,000. Please adjust and notify accordingly.

Receipt 307. The remarks for Receipt 297 apply, as the conversion of US\$17.00 at CNO\$12,000 is CNO\$564,000 and not CNO\$157,500. The undercharge of CNO\$406,500 should be recovered.

Drafted: L. Alexander:ok
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Sincerely yours,

T. H. Richards
Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

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Embankment Building,
Shanghai.

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Chief Representative,
Nanking Area Office,
Nanking.

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your letter NO. NACO 1384 dated 1 April. In reply would you please note that commissaries or other rations on charge should only be issued to personnel on repayment terms unless there is an equitable offset in expenditure for subsistence under code 2.15 of the Relief and Rehabilitation Account.

The stock of rations referred to should be accounted for in the monthly return sent to this office, and it is requested that a report of the position be furnished as early as possible with particulars covering the period in arrears.

Sincerely yours,

T.H. Richards
Chief Regional Accountant
Bureau of Accounts & Finance.

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8 April 1947

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370 N. Soochow Road
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COMA 1476

Mr. Herbert Russell
Chief Regional Representative
UNRRA Banking Area Office
Foe Cheng Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking

Dear Mr. Russell:

Enclosed are personal effects insurance certificates for the following personnel who, according to our records, are assigned to the Nanking area:

Gerena Longstreth	No. 3313
Amelia Russell	No. 3248
Eva M. Rainey	No. 3390
Herbert H. Russell	No. 3427

We would appreciate it if you would take care of transmitting the certificates to their respective owners.

Sincerely yours,

R. C. Le Vaux
Finance Division
UNRRA China Office

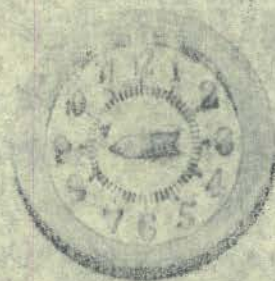
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CONA-1475

Mr. R. K. DuMoulin,
UNRRA Capitol Liaison Officer,
Nanking.

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Dear Rockie:

Mrs. DuMoulin and you were very good to Mrs. Falconer and me
over the week end, and we are grateful to you.

Best of luck to you! I hope I see you sometime in the States.

Faithfully yours,

DOUGLAS P. FALCONER,
Deputy Director,
Bureau of Field Services.

REGISTRY

Embankment Building
370 N. Soochow Road
Shanghai

9 APR. 1947

CONA-1474

Mr. H.H. Rummel
Chief UNRRA Representative
Nanking Area Office
Foo Chong Building
57 Chung San Road
Nanking

Dear Mr. Rummel:

We are attaching a copy of a letter which we have received from Mr. C.Y. Hsiang, Director of the Department of Investigation, CNRRA, relative to the correspondence which you forwarded to us in connection with the procedures being used in Nanchang, Kiangsi Province, on work relief projects.

We hope that as a result of our writing to Mr. Hsiang, some positive action will be taken by him.

Sincerely yours,

Robert Van Hyning
Chief Welfare Officer

Attachment

H. Johnson/ek
7th April, 1947

COPY

CHINESE NATIONAL
RELIEF AND REHABILITATION ADMINISTRATION
120 Foochow Road
Shanghai.

3rd April, 1947

Mr. Douglas P. Falconer
Deputy Director
Bureau of Field Services
China Office, UNRRA
Shanghai

Dear Mr. Falconer:

I have reviewed your letter of 19 March No. 14263, and the copies of correspondence between your Mr. Rummel and the CNRRA Acting Director of our Kiangsi Regional Office.

We agree that the procedures followed by Mr. H.S. Huang are not in accordance with the principles of the work relief program. We are writing Mr. Huang to this effect and we are requesting that he report in detail the method of carrying out work relief projects in his region. It is hoped that with the establishment of the Work Relief Unit in Shanghai closer supervision and observation can be maintained over the various projects throughout the regions.

Sincerely yours,

(Sgd.) C.Y. Hsiang, Director
Department of Investigation

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CONA 1473

8 APR. 1947
8 April 1947

Mr. R. Du Moulin
Capital Liaison Officer
c/o Nanking Area Office
57 Chung San Road
Nanking, Kiangsu

Dear Mr. Du Moulin:

Enclosed herewith British passport A-237198 issued 8 March 1946 to James L. Macintyre at Sydney, Australia by then Governor-General on the passport forms of the Commonwealth of Australia. This slight irregularity was due to the fact that Mr. Macintyre, interned during the war in Hongkong where his passport was lost, was removed to Australia at the end of the war and was employed by UNRRA without returning to the United Kingdom.

Mr. Macintyre is now proceeding by the first available air transport to London on annual leave. He will require a transit visa for Egypt. It would be appreciated if you could obtain the visa for him and return the passport to Shanghai by the morning of April 10th, as last minute cancellation may enable us to send him out on very short notice.

Sincerely yours,

J. E. Merryman III
Assistant Director
Division of Adm Services

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Enclosure:
Passport No. A-237198

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8 APR 1947

370 North Soochow Road,
Shanghai.

CONF-1472

Mr. H. Dufoulin,
Capital Liaison Officer,
c/o Nanking Area Office,
Foo Chong Building,
57 Chung San Road,
Nanking, Kiangsu.

Dear Mr. Dufoulin,

I am writing to acknowledge your letter NACO 1338 of 18th March concerning Dr. George Schon's salary, and to inform you that Dr. Schon was given an annual within grade increment on 1st November, 1946. We hope that your copy of the P-3 action will reach you in a few days.

Yours sincerely,

GRAHAM SINCLAIR
Director of Personnel

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cc: Personnel File
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4 April, 1947