

JAPAN

- ① Prospects - Int + Fiscal
- ② ~~Prospects of Japan in Far East~~
Long term softness of character of
Radical left - Effect of Bombings -
- ③ Effect of Vietnam War on
Japanese - Mainly Aid
- Fear is related to
possible self-motivation
- ④ Think Reischauer

No
Easy
Surrender
Solutions
- China &
No V-N Lead
Serious

If V.C. + Mr. V-N will not
dispute then,

Consider ~~Trop. Incense~~

- ~~Closing off Haiphong~~
- ~~Bombing Non-military~~

Important targets, -

- ~~Railroads~~ ~~Cellulose~~ ~~Pent~~

- ~~Supply Depots~~

~~Also~~ ~~Cellulose~~ ~~plants~~

power plants -

- ~~Docks~~

- ~~River R.R.~~

- ~~Dikes~~

- ~~Industry~~

~~steel~~

- ~~Buildup in Hanoi~~ ~~Fertilizer~~ ~~air attacks~~

- Must also consider

- ~~Sihanoukville~~

- ~~Laos~~ ~~Cambodian~~ ~~Trains~~

- ~~Mekong River~~ ~~Transp~~

- ~~South China Sea~~ ~~Coastal~~

Supply Route

- Prepared to meet
Communist infiltration
of Thailand in NE,
& potentially in
the Siam Border

in light of realities &
w/ view to avoiding
senseless escalation

④ - Press for more allied troops
& open assistance

⑤ - Vastly improve
techniques & resources
available for
development of Democracy
~~Democracy~~
& economic vitality

Recognize ~~the~~ difficulties -
- Military, and, Political
Social & Economic

⑥ Show our goal is
not Communism, economic
gain, but self-will
& the health, pol.,
Social & Econ development
of Asia!

(C) ~~Difficult to Stop~~
 Suppliers on Trail,
 Mainly by water coastal
 routes + ~~by~~ via
 Cambodia - ~~to~~ Myanmar.
 - Describe trails

Trucking

- Parking in Nakhon
- Special on Trail
- Special Firms along routes.
- ~~Just the~~ ~~Patrol~~ -
 + Swift Boats

Disrupt Inflation
 He must recognize

Nature of ~~the~~ Fundamental ~~as~~ ^{provide line on current}
~~the~~ ^{Influence of money market}

- (1) ~~Widespread~~ ^{of} ~~liberalization~~ ^{of N.C.}
 + Red China Tensions
 Table S.E. Asia, India
 Indonesia, Africa
 Latin America.

- (2) Hope for Enforceable
 Honorable Peace
 Preventing VN to follow
 the same course

- (2a) - ^{Exhaustive Economic Development}
^{mechanism} ^{to} ^{Asian Development}
 (3) Mountain Military Presence
 + ~~cautious~~ ^{cautious} ~~mountain~~ ^{mountain} presence

PROBLEMS

(A) Step up in Communist effort.

- U.C. Recruitment
- PAVN Infiltration
- Better equipment
eg. Rifles, 120 MM
Mortars

(B) Weak & Unattractive
Central Committee ~~motivated~~ ^{challenged}
by highly effective
U.C. Cadre at local
level (20 years of
training)

They

Recruit

Propagandize

Help

Raise Taxes

Terrorize

Murder (bribe)

LIVE IN HAMLETS

Making some
mistakes here
Types, recruits, training
Successful

NOT POLITICAL Appeal
So Much AS Strong &
Experienced Organization

③ We have an impressive
but not adequate, program
to help O-N people &
develop democratic infrastructure

② - USOM Mission

- JUSPAO

- Military → General Lammie

④ ~~Political~~ Myanmar

① Clear & hold

② Help - eg -

- Food (Inflation)

- Schools

- Medical Help

- Agricultural Help

- Seed, Fertilizer

- ~~Comms~~ Comms, Irrigation, etc

⑤ Believe most serious
weakness.

- Techniques & Goals not
clearly defined

- Competing Groups at

- ^{Wally} ~~Armies~~

- Resources not adequate

- CANNOT MAINTAIN
SECURITY -

VC are everywhere.

⑥

United Japan, India, ~~the~~ Thailand, + Vietnam

① U.S. Troops have helped.

- 7 mos ago headed for disaster

~~1~~ - J.C. clearly helped for million Vietnam - Cut in half

② U.S. effort improve

- Leadership (Westmoreland)

- Forces Cooperation

- Equipment

- Air Mobility - Better

Rifles ^{AK15} Artillery - 175mm

A. Rockets - Radios -

- Air Strikes

- Quality of U.S. Fighting men

→ → - Minnesota men - Generally Satisfied

③ A.R.U.N. Effort strong

+ improved, but weakness at Field Command level.

- U.S. strengthening M.A.G. effort

④ We are moving rapidly to correct highly vulnerable supply logistics problem

- Saigon Harbor -

How - Ann Ranch Bay

- Coastal Ports

- Air Fields

- Elsewhere.

Must push for
improved India by
Effort to reach for
Self-Sufficiency
Target 15% per

Remember

unfortunate: Shastri dead

Remember India largest
Democracy in world
essentially pro-West.

NP - 36 Billion - 7.2

% annual 3.5-4%

Populately 2.4 % 12 Million
Birth rate 44/1000M

Problems

Balance of Payment

Reserves so low & low
Monetary ~~and~~ program
is outdated & seriously
hampers econ. growth

Export targets are being met.

Exports 7.7 - ~~Exports~~ 1.6
Minus - 700 Million

Agriculture

Same ^{good} progress

"Do Not Give P.L. 480 as
a crutch" - Weiss

Prospects

Substantial Growth, if we will
help.

AID

U.S. & other help has been indispensable to good India growth

But no end to need for help in sight

Better Prospects

Ag growth eg. Sebramancin

- Price Supports
- Fertilizer

- ① Farm enlargement
- ② - Family Planning
- ③ - Fuller use of existing capacity (50%)
(improve balance payments)
- ④ - Push Exports & Foreign Investment

US Should

- ① Be tougher.
- ② " More generous help, eg. project to 60% growth.

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1 January 1966

VISIT OF SENATOR WALTER F. MONDALE

4-5 January 1966

(Period In-country: 4-7 Jan 66)

OFFICIAL PARTY:

Senator Walter F. Mondale (D-Minn)

OFFICE OF PRIMARY INTEREST:

USOM

UNOFFICIAL PARTY:

Mr Leo C. Nelson
Hubbard Broadcasting Company
Station KSTP, Minneapolis

PROJECT OFFICER:

Mr Charles J. Herter, USOM
Tel: 23234 ext 625 or 544

Mr James Borman
Midwest Radio-TV Cooperation

ESCORT OFFICER:

Lt Col Arthur P. Lombardi
Tel: 50411 (duty)
60056 (quarters - Rm 26)

BILLETS:

Astor Hotel:

Senator Mondale
Mr Nelson

Catinat Hotel:

Mr Borman

PURPOSE OF VISIT: To receive briefing on the military situation, visit combat areas, meet Minnesota servicemen; to observe progress of Vietnamese government in attaining economic and political stability; to observe Food for Peace Program and non-military construction such as schools and hospitals.

FOUO MARKING CANCELLED
AFTER 10 January 1966

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

<u>DATE/TIME</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>REMARKS</u>
<u>Tue. 4 Jan 66</u>		
1545	Arrive Tan Son Nhut (VIP Side)	Air Vietnam Flt 681
1545-1605	Press Conference in VIP Lounge	
1605-1630	En route MACV I	Sedan
1630-1745	Discussion with General Officer	Command Conference Room, normal J1/2/3 standby briefers
1745-1800	Call on COMUSMACV	Photographic coverage responsibility of OI
1800-1815	En route quarters	Sedan
<u>Wed. 5 Jan 66</u>		
0730-0800	En route III Corps Air Traffic Control Office	Sedan
0800-0810	En route 1st Infantry Division Helipad	UH-1
0810-0850	Current situation briefing	
0850-0900	Refreshments and meet constituents	
0900-0920	En route 173d Airborne Brigade	UH-1 w/light fire team
0920-1005	Visit 173d Airborne Brigade	
1005-1025	En route 2d Brigade	UH-1 w/light fire team
1025-1105	Visit 2d Brigade	
1105-1110	En route III Corps (Soccer Field)	UH-1 w/light fire team
1110-1225	Meet CG III Corps, briefing, and lunch at III Corps	
1225-1230	En route 3d Surgical Hospital, Army, Mobile	UH-1
1230-1300	Visit 3d Surgical Hospital, Army, Mobile	

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1300-1305	En route Bien Hoa Air Base	UH-1 (Land on grassy area directly across taxi way from tower)
1305-1415	Visit 6251st Tactical Fighter Wing	
1415-1530	En route Cam Ranh Bay	U-8F (Pick up at Southwest ramp).
1530-1730	Visit Cam Ranh Bay Expeditionary Airfield and Logistical area	UH-1 provided by FFV
1730-1845	En route Tan Son Nhut (Base Operations)	U-8F
1845-1900	En route quarters	Sedan

for *Edward Bautz, Jr.*
EDWARD BAUTZ, JR
Colonel, GS
Secretary, Joint Staff

General MacChristen

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ทะเบียนการค้า ก.ท./บ.ร. 771

Date วันที่

4-1-66

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เลขที่ No. 19541

Name ชื่อ

Mr. Mondale

Room No. ห้องเลขที่

A/c No. บัญชีเลขที่

Explanation รายการ	Rooms ค่าห้อง		Cash เงินสด	☐
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STATEMENT							RAMA HOTEL PLEASE DETACH AND RETURN THIS STUB WITH YOUR REMITTANCE.				
							AMOUNT \$				
MEMO	DATE	EXPLANATION	CHARGES	CREDITS	BAL. DUE						
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SCHEDULE FOR SENATOR WALTER F. MONDALE

January 3 1630 Arrive on Air India Flight 112A - Mr. Yoder will meet

1700 - 1800 Sightseeing or shopping

1900 Informal Dinner. Guests: M.R. Chakratong Tongyai,
Undersecretary of Ministry of Agriculture
Khun Prayd Buranasiri, Secretary-General, National Economic
Development Board
Dr. Sala Dasananda, Director General, Rice Department,
Ministry of Agriculture
Mr. Chanchai Lestavorn, Ministry of Finance (Office of
Fiscal Policy, Statistics Office)
Sheldon Turner, Assistant Director for Rural Affairs, USOM
Konrad Bekker, First Secretary
Sam Bhornchai, Office of the Agriculture Attache
Amos Yoder, Control Officer

January 4 800 Check out of Hotel Rama

0830 Courtesy meeting with Ambassador

0840 Mission Briefing. Participants: J. Robert Flukey,
Economic Counselor
H. Carl Walstrom, Chief, Political Military Section
Carl Nelson, First Secretary, Political Section
Clinton Doggett, Acting Assistant Director for Program, USOM
John C. McCarthy, Director Peace Corps Staff
Colonel William R. Bond, U.S. Military Assistance Command,
Thailand (USMACTHAI) Operations
Robert J. Clarke, Deputy Director, USIS

1030 Depart for Airport

1145 Depart via Air Vietnam Flight 681

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Medical Unit 37968

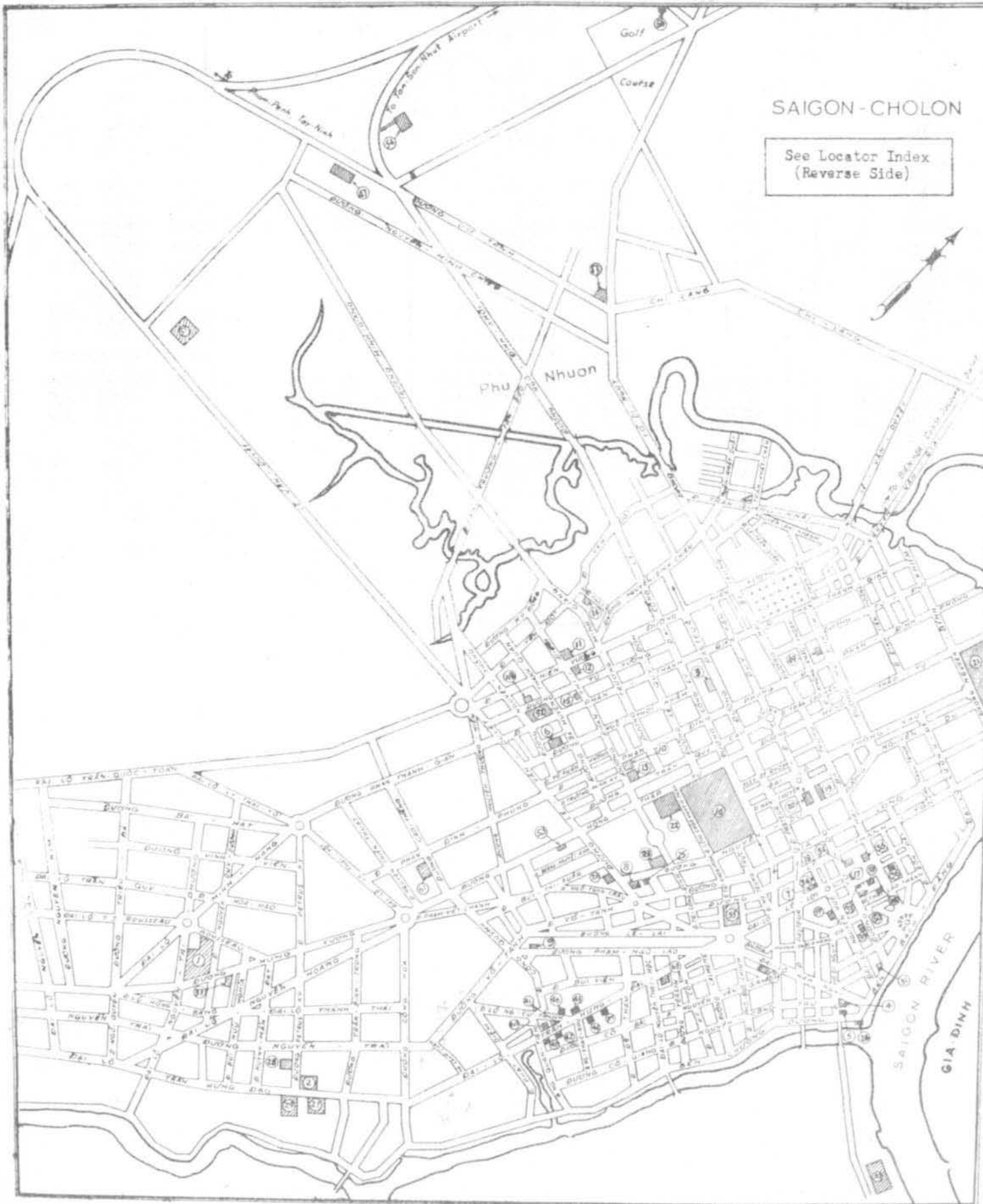
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