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- 25X1 1. [redacted] Received from the Speaker's office  
registered parcel number 33933 from [redacted] 25X1
- 25X1 2. [redacted] Met with Miss Madeleine Marceau,  
Executive Secretary to Congressman James C. Cleveland (R., N. H.),  
concerning the Congressman's letter of 6 April. I advised Miss Marceau  
that the Agency had received two previous communications from [redacted] 25X1  
[redacted] on the subject of the Congressman's letter. Miss  
25X1 Marceau requested that this meeting be followed up with a short letter  
to the Congressman regarding [redacted] 25X1
- 25X1 3. [redacted] I met with Mr. John Martin, Assistant  
Chief Counsel, House Ways and Means Committee, who advised that the  
present MEDICARE hearings will continue throughout the next several  
weeks with the only anticipated breaks to be for continuation of the debt  
ceiling and tax rate extension, both of which measures are due to expire  
on 30 June.
- 25X1 4. [redacted] Congressman Sam Gibbons stated  
he had just returned from Chile and was very disturbed about developments  
there and said he would like to furnish his impressions to the Agency and  
arrangements were made for him to drop by the Agency at 8:30 tomorrow  
morning. A representative from DD/P and DD/I will be selected to meet  
with him.

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25X1 5. [redacted] Mr. Kirkpatrick and Mr. Warner met with Senator Eastland in response to a query by Senator Eastland about charges that [redacted] Mr. Kirkpatrick 25X1 went into this in some detail pointing out that he had visited there several times and had talked with Ambassadors Gardiner and Smith. Mr. 25X1 Kirkpatrick pointed out [redacted] 25X1

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Kirkpatrick extended an invitation to the Senator to visit out at the Agency at some appropriate time suggesting we might review with him our security procedures. The Senator seemed genuinely interested and we will follow up on this. 25X1

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25X1 7. [redacted] The Rules Committee held further hearings on a resolution for a Joint Committee. Witnesses testifying for the resolution were Representatives Ryan, Zablocki, Dodd, Rogers, Lindsay, Gibbons, and Anderson. In general these presentations were reasoned to arguing that the senior members of existing Subcommittees simply had too great responsibilities to devote sufficient time to intelligence. The other

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theme was that intelligence transcended the jurisdictional lines of military aspects and should not be confined to Armed Services. In general, there were no distortions or accusations about the Agency. The hearings will be continued to give the Armed Services representatives an opportunity to testify. During the hearing, talked with Representative Mendel Rivers who said he thought it would be very important for the DCI to talk with H. Allen Smith, a member of the Rules Committee, after this matter died down. Reading between the lines, it clearly appears the effort is to get a Subcommittee of the Rules Committee to look into the matter in some detail, looking toward pushing the Joint Committee very hard at the beginning of the next Congress when Vinson is out of the picture. Zablocki was quite frank on this privately saying they realized they had no chance of a Joint Committee as long as Vinson opposed it.

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