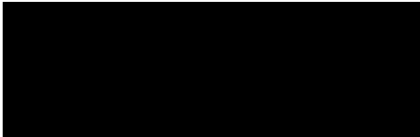


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DIARY NOTES

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1 October 1955

1. Jim Garrison was in with a status report on the building and also to request three additional positions for the Building Planning Staff which is to be set up entirely separate from the Real Estate and Construction Division. I approved.

2. Jim advised me that J. C. King, Chief, WH Division, had asked him to select a Logistics man to make a trip through Latin America with Howard Preston. I told him to do this by all means.

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3. [redacted] stopped in to say that he was concerned about the [redacted] construction project. He understands (and this I have confirmed) that the FE Division has written a paper, which is now with Frank Wisner, recommending that the [redacted] Mission not go to [redacted]. If this is the case, then we could save a great deal of money by not building such an elaborate installation there. However, at the same time we will probably be subject to severe criticism for building a \$5,000,000 installation which we do not need. I must get in touch with Frank on this without delay.

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4. I discussed with Jim Garrison the possibility of sending [redacted] to Europe as a War Planner. He thought that this was a good idea, and it will probably go through.

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