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DIARY NOTES

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13 April 1962

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1. I talked to [redacted] briefly about the adverse effect on morale because of the way in which [redacted] was relieved of his job as Comptroller and of [redacted] [redacted] current unhappiness about the busting up of his office. [redacted] spoke to Mr. [redacted] McCone about this, and the latter is going to see Messrs. [redacted] [redacted] when he returns from the West Coast.

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2. I invited General Carter to come to the next DD/S Staff Meeting, and he has accepted. At his convenience we will have it on Thursday, 19 April, at 0930, in lieu of Wednesday, 18 April.

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3. I met with the Director and Messrs. Neal and Cox of the Treasury Department to discuss the Freedom Bond Drive. The Director assured Mr. Neal that we would support the Drive and asked me to prepare the necessary papers for his signature.

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4. [redacted] brought in the latest estimate on [redacted] which was [redacted] I telephoned John Bross and asked him to get the additional \$4,500,000 from the reserve. I have asked [redacted] to work with the Comptroller to give whatever support should be necessary.

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5. [redacted] telephoned to say that he thought I would be interested in knowing that [redacted] have started to audit [redacted]

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6. Larry Houston was in to talk to me about the CAT Board Meeting in Washington which would normally be scheduled for 15 April. I told him to go ahead and invite the Board, and we would have to take our chances in getting the Director or Deputy Director for lunch. (I am sure we can get one of them.) I agreed to take this up [redacted].

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7. Larry also told me that this was [redacted] last day with CAT, and he thought Al would appreciate a call from me. I told him I would try to get in touch with him one day next week.

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8. [redacted] telephoned to say that the Inspector General did, in fact, have a vehicle assigned to him. I agreed to talk to Kirk about releasing it.

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9. As the Director was leaving for the West Coast he told [redacted] not to do anything about his office, i.e., sealing of the doors. He did authorize us to go ahead with the corridor along the back side of the dining room, and I have communicated this to [redacted].

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