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- 9. Fuel and rice problems are very serious. The Shanghai rice supply will last until the end of June, and possibly to the middle of July. Shanghai now has 350,000 tons of coal, and a monthly consumption of 120,000 tons. The economic problem is the determining factor in the defense of the city.***
- 10. Officials of the Chang Hua printing plant have moved 50 percent of the currency-printing equipment and personnel from Shanghai to Taiwan, and the rest are alerted to leave at a moment's notice.

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