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1. On 12 October 1951 the main office of the People's Bank, Peiping, transported all the silver dollars and silver bullion in the Government silver deposit center on Hsi Chiao Min Hsiang (西交民巷) to the Ch'ien Men railroad station at Peiping, for shipment from there to the USSR by the Peiping-Mukden Railroad. About 30 trucks brought the silver, which was packed in 1,500 cases, to the station. The total weight of the silver and cases approximated 90 tons.
2. This is the third shipment of silver dollars and bullion to the USSR from the People's Bank, Peiping, with a total of about 50 tons sent in November 1950 and February 1951. In early October the Bank ordered all its branch offices to send their entire supply of silver bullion and dollars to Peiping for shipment to the USSR.

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