"GRANDPAPA's" CHAT WITH "FIST".

Item 1

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1. GRANDPAPA [DEDUSHKI][i] had a chat [a groups uncovered] with the chief candidate of the BEAR CURS [MEDVEZHIE][ii] (henceforth "FIST" [KULAK][iii]) [about][?] the latter's [C: invitation]. If the SYNDICATE [SINDIKT][iv] has not advised you [about this][?] I can pass on the contents of the chat, which was of interest, from what GRANDPAPA related.

2. Expedite a reply to No. 338[v].

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MAY [K.J][vi]

[T.N. and Comments overleaf]

Distribution
T.N.: [a] Inserted by the translator.

Comments: [i] DEDUSHKA: Evgenij Dmitrievich KISELEV, Soviet Consul-General in NEW YORK.

[ii] MEDVEZHATA: the Republicans.

[iii] KULAK: Thomas E. DEWEY.


[v] NEW YORK's external serial No. 526 of 5 May 1944 [S/NRF/T86].

[vi] Maj: Pavel Ivanovich FEDOSIMOVS.