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"ROUBLE's[RUBL']"[1] material. In addition to our #815. We transmit an excerpt from the internal memorandum of the worker of the institution of "NABOB"[11] J.B. FRIEDMAN[D.B. FRIDMAN] from 18 June of this year: "This morning Major WHEELER GREY [UILLER/GREJ], who [5 groups unrecovered] raised the following questions in connection with our discussion of 14 June. At our suggestion, the War Department agreed to include in the definition of war crimes the third category, namely: "Invasions of other countries and initiation of wars of aggression in violation of international law or treaties." According to GREY, this interpolation was discussed with the workers of JACKSON[a]

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objection, if we insisted upon it. I said that the Treasury Department [MINISTERSTVO FINANSOV] will insist upon the inclusion of this addition, in so much as our purpose is to guarantee such a situation, in which all top leaders in industry, business and finance would be included in this directive. GREY [5 groups unrecovered] fear^{lest} this directive would be interpreted in the field as an instruction to pick up even the members of the Nazi Youth Organization who gathered old paper [3 groups unrecovered] interpretation will be highly funny [KUR'EZNOJ], for I fear that the workers in the field will arrest only as few criminals as possible

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T.N. [a] Only first syllable of Jackson is recoverable.
Comment: [1] Probably Harold GLASSER
[11] Henry MORGENTHAU, Jr.

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