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MAGIC--FAR EAST SUMMARY
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2. Japanese Intelligence--Reading of Chinese Messages: (F36147)

It has already been reported (i) that at least during May, June and July the Japanese were reading on a current basis encoded radio communications about Allied operations on the N Burma and Salween fronts, (ii) that these messages apparently had been originated by Chinese communications centers and sent in Chinese codes, and (iii) that the entire subject was under examination by the theater authorities to determine proper corrective action (FES 20 Oct 44). Two of the messages read by the Japanese purportedly were "from Stilwell to Chiang Kai-shek." A third such instance is now available in a 22 July report from the Japanese Thirty-third Army in N Burma which states:

"Addressed to Chiang Kai-shek by Stilwell on the 18th: 'Two battalions of the 72nd Brigade of the 36th Indian Division have arrived in Myitkyina.' (The remainder has not been deciphered.)".

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