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Jan. 6, 1970

The Afghanistan ambassador based in Tokyo, presented his credentials at 9:00 AM. Constitutional monarchy of 17 million it has Red China to the East and Russia to the North and West and a birth rate of 1.7% "like Japan".

Tried to convince Jocelyn Campos not to worry an American last night up to 4:00 AM to no avail.

We must develop our high grade pulp industry from Abaca. This German firm offers:

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Krauss-Maffei AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT
Process Engineering Division I
8000 MÜNCHEN 50-KRAUSS-MAFFEI
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It has put up a ^{new} straw pulp and paper plant in Egypt. There are other offers from France, Sweden, U.K., Japan and the U.S.

Manoel Durano, Ugnis Havarro, Flaminio Cruzobgo, Ali Duruggero and Joe Alberto came to see me as they want to change Laurel as speaker of the House. He had been criticizing me again and so has his brother, Don Laurel who wants to run for President in 1973. I have given permission for them and their groups which would be controlling, not to attend the caucus called by speaker Laurel.

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However, we would have very problems if Laurel is reposed as speaker. But we will keep him after we have clarified the position that (he and his opp) have taken on the apparently socialist and communist policies they are pronouncing under the guise of nationalism and the unjustified criticisms of his brother. Sen. Jose Roy, President Pro Tempore seeks the presidency in the coming constitutional convention but must drop the VP the presiding officer of the senate if the bicameral system is retained.

But the presidency of the party should go to Roy now.

It is unhealthy for the members of Congress to depend on the President to decide their internal problems like the election of the presiding officers.

Don Jamieson, who was landed by submarine at San Esteban and June, La Union to be the demolition man of our unit kept one of my letters from 5 MC4 Dec. 26, 1944. was a pleasant surprise and brought many memories of the war. Just tried out the other day a white bullet - proof vest, light and the latest in the USA from Intergal - brought in by Mike. Boni says sent it.

5 MC 4

W. L. Field
26 Dec. 1944

Dear G. Jamison:

Bill has not arrived, & am still indisposed, and it seems as if #22 wishes me up at his hg. I still don't know how and when I will be able to travel.

St. Carins arrived at R.H.Q. yesterday — without any equipment. Four signal men also arrived this morning at the same place without any equipment. The stuff you left at R.H.Q. arrived here tonight and I am sending them tomorrow.

From the looks of it, there is no need for you. Why don't you write 514-1113 about it?

Your letter reads like a warning. And I am beginning to feel like a kid looking into a candy shop from the outside. I can't say the scirts are the cause of my unhealthy state but if they are, they surely are "giving me the shivers."

"Don't get too drunk — on today. you might stay that way."
— Ferd —

Please communicate to with me —