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1 May 1954

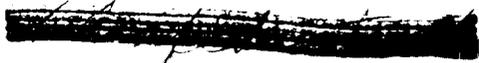
San Bruno FRC on 1 March

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MEMORANDUM

THE FUKURYU MARU AND ASSOCIATED PROBLEMS

I have received your letter of 1/27/54 regarding my visit to Japan to assist in the investigation of the mishap to the Fukuryu Maru. I am sorry that I cannot visit this time because you will no doubt want to have me return to the states in about 2 weeks.

This memorandum is based on the report that Dr. Morton will submit to you. It attempts to point out factors other than those assumed to be the cause of the problem, with which Dr. Morton's report is in agreement.

THE INCIDENT

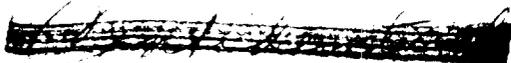
The mishap occurred on 1/27/54. It was known to the Embassy and the world press. The Japanese press. This was two days after the ship had returned to its home port of Yaizu. The report by the Japanese Foreign Office is as follows:

(1) The ship departed Yaizu on 1/27/54 and returned to Yaizu on 1/29/54. On March 1 a search was conducted for the time of departure. The ship was located at 11° 53' 41" north and 146° 53' 41" east. This is the easternmost limit of the search area.

(2) The search was conducted after the light had been extinguished. The search and began at the time the light was extinguished. It continued until the ship was located out of the search area.

(3) At 11° 53' 41" north and 146° 53' 41" east. The ship was located at 11° 53' 41" north and 146° 53' 41" east. The search was conducted at that time.

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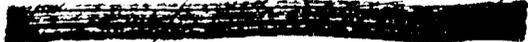
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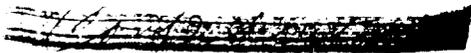
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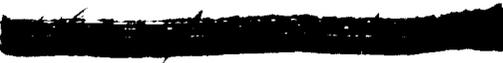
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Dr. Sakuzo Kikawa  
National Institute of Health  
Welfare Ministry  
TOKYO

Dear Dr. Kikawa:

In March 1954, I received information from patients at the Tokyo University Hospital. I was able to report at this time that the range of the fission products which can be accepted as well within the limits of safety is as follows:

0.001 microgramme per liter

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6 April 1954  
Dr. R. Kobayashi

I regret that I am unable to give you the results of analysis of urine from the 11 other patients, thinking that those data would be highly important to your committee's evaluations of the medical status of these patients, so that you might undertake radiochemical urine analysis on all 23 patients. Urine from only two patients has been delivered to us for shipment to the States and analysis by the staff. More urine samples from five additional patients from the Mayo Memorial Hospital are delivered to us, but we have not as yet received any urine from patients now hospitalized at the Fairport Hospital.

Sincerely,  
Robert S. Lewis

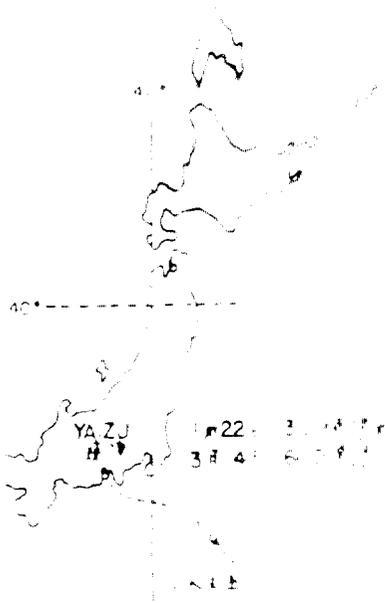
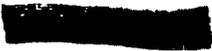
Paul Eisenbud

Director, Health and Safety Laboratory  
United States Atomic Energy Commission

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CC: Dr. M.K. ...  
Dr. R.K. ...

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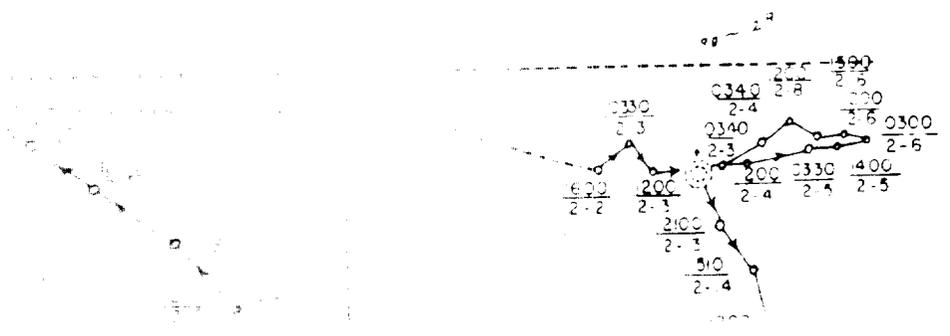


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 (CHART NO 809)

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

1 May 1954

**SUBJECT:** Black and White Contact with Relative to Surveys, Evacuation and Care of Rongelap and Utirik Natives (Prints distributed to following only: C/S, USA, USAF, DMA (AEC), DBM (AEC), HICOM-DESPAC, INDRAD, JCS, JCS/OPS, JCS/STW, JCS/NAVSTAKWAJ)

<u>PHOTO NO.</u>	<u>DATE TAKEN</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>CAPTION</u>
1	1 May 54	Utirik	1st Territory Representative and Interpreter arriving Utirik from Kwajalein to meet USS RENSHAW.
2	1 May 54	Utirik	RENDAH receiving Utirik natives.
3	1 May 54	Utirik	Utirik natives on deck of RENSHAW.
4	1 May 54	Utirik	Utirik natives
5	1 May 54	Utirik	Utirik Natives in whale boat.
6	1 May 54	Utirik	Utirik natives on RENSHAW.
7	1 May 54	Utirik	Utirik natives eating on deck of RENSHAW.
8	1 May 54	Utirik	Utirik natives eating on deck of RENSHAW.
11	1 May 54	Kwajalein	Boat arriving Kwajalein.
12	1 May 54	Kwajalein	Utirik natives being transported to Kwajalein.
12-1012	1 May 54	Rongelap	Boat coming onto Rongelap.
12-1013	1 May 54	Rongelap	Boat party preparing gear to pull boat onto beach.
12-1014	1 May 54	Rongelap	Boat on Rongelap Island.
12-1015	1 May 54	Rongelap	Boat pulling native boat onto beach.
12-1016	1 May 54	Rongelap	Boat, different angle.
12-1018	1 May 54	Rongelap	Boat coming alongside USS NICHOLAS.
12-1019	1 May 54	Rongelap	USS NICHOLAS preparing to hoist boat aboard.
12-1020	1 May 54	Utirik	Boat party taking native hut apart.
12-1021	1 May 54	Utirik	Boat party taking sand sample from Sifo for radiation tests.
12-1022	1 May 54	Utirik	Boat party preparing native equipment for protection.

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<u>PHOTO NO.</u>	<u>DATE TAKEN</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>
22-1023	2 May 51	Palau	... Dept of Interior representative ... ... using native goods under cover ... ... of ...
22-1024	2 May 51	Palau	... cleaning native property before ... ... of ...
22-1025	2 May 51	Palau	... climbing coconut tree to ... ... sample for radiation tests.
22-1026	2 May 51	Palau	... checking radiation of drying copra ... ... of ...
22-1027	2 May 51	Palau	... Rongelap School: Front-left.
22-1028	2 May 51	Palau	... above: Front-right.
22-1029	2 May 51	Palau	... of Rongelap School.
22-1030	2 May 51	Palau	... storage.
22-1031	2 May 51	Palau	... spoiled food.
22-1032	2 May 51	Palau	... of a way party going ashore ... ... of ...
22-1033	2 May 51	Palau	... of native hut.
22-1034	2 May 51	Palau	... Utirik Atoll from PEM.
22-1035	2 May 51	Palau	... Utirik.
22-1036	2 May 51	Palau	... from Rongerik.
22-1037	2 May 51	Palau	... of land.
22-1047	2 May 51	Palau	... with native women and ... ... SAN BRUNO FRC
22-1049	2 May 51	Palau	... of ... ... of ... ... from Utirik.
22-1050	2 May 51	Palau	... of ... ... of ...
22-1051	2 May 51	Palau	... and playing for natives at Naval ... ... of ...
22-1052	2 May 51	Palau	... waiting for medics; ... talks

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PHOTO NO.	DATE	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
22-1071	5 Mar 72	...	... Church Service.
22-1072	5 Mar 72	...	... Sprigler with native boy's ...
22-1073	5 Mar 72	...	... Capt. Hall, Capt. DeMont, Lt J.S.
22-1074	5 Mar 72	...	... - prepare for decontamination.
22-1075	5 Mar 72	...	... Lt. DeJong background (DeJong ...)
22-1076	5 Mar 72	...	... Lt. DeJong background (DeJong ...)
22-1077	5 Mar 72	...	... mother with baby ...
22-1078	5 Mar 72	...	... (Detail) in compound.
22-1079	5 Mar 72	...	... children in compound.
22-1080	5 Mar 72	...	... with baby drinking coconut.
22-1081	5 Mar 72	...	... baby drinking coconut.
22-1082	5 Mar 72	...	... native girl.
22-1083	5 Mar 72	...	... Capt. W.F. VanNatta et, AC3, ...
22-1084	5 Mar 72	...	... Capt. DeMont, Gordon
22-1085	5 Mar 72	...	... native woman with
22-1086	5 Mar 72	...	... young native girl.
22-1087	5 Mar 72	...	... monitor native men
22-1088	5 Mar 72	...	... young boy.
22-1089	5 Mar 72	...	... monitor native man-
22-1090	5 Mar 72	...	... native man with baby.

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SUBJECT: [REDACTED] Evacuation

PHOTO NO.	DATE TAKE	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
22-1111	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	Native clothes to Marshallese; Mrs. C.E. McLanahan, Mrs. [REDACTED], Mrs. W.H. Shannon, and Mrs. [REDACTED].
22-1112	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	John (District Anthropologist) and Magistrate John and [REDACTED].
22-1114	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	Dr. (Lt) J.S. [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] (native doctor) and [REDACTED].
22-1115	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	McKitter and W.W. Naylor monitoring [REDACTED] in laundry.
22-1116	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	Still before evacuation. Natives [REDACTED], 1st Lt W.J. Larson, USAF, [REDACTED] (Officer) and Ens R.P. [REDACTED], SMR, arriving in rubber boat. [REDACTED] background.
22-1117	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	Still at [REDACTED].
22-1118	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED].
22-1119	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED].
22-1120	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	Native paddling toward [REDACTED].
22-1121	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	Four [REDACTED] - [REDACTED].
22-1122	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED] getting soil samples, [REDACTED] background.
22-1123	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED] SAN BRUNO FRC
22-1204	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED] 2 years, [REDACTED] contamination.
22-1205	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED] back rash on [REDACTED].
22-1206	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED] Dr. [REDACTED], natives, [REDACTED] Pratt set for still
22-1207	11-27-54	Marshall Is.	[REDACTED] native children.





PHOTO NO.	DATE TAKEN	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
22-1235	12/27/54	Beaufort	Man holding sick rat (radiation) in his hand.
22-1237	12/27/54	Beaufort	Walked along beach.
22-1238	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1239	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1240	12/27/54	Beaufort	Man checking outrigger canoe for radiation.
22-1241	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1242	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of Beaufort.
22-1243	12/27/54	Beaufort	Group: Mr. M.E. Wilds (Department of Defense representative) and Lt Fink, Commander of USS NICHOLAS talking to the media.
22-1244	12/27/54	Beaufort	Man checking radioactive secondary battery.
22-1245	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1246	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work in part of Beaufort.
22-1248	12/27/54	Beaufort	Man walking from Beaufort.
22-1249	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1251	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1252	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work on boat.
22-1253	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1254	12/27/54	Beaufort	Man to top of air in lagoon for radiation survey.
22-1255	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work in lagoon.
22-1256	12/27/54	Beaufort	Man walking examining mess hall at Beaufort Island.
22-1257	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work in mess hall.
22-1258	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.
22-1259	12/27/54	Beaufort	View of defensive work.

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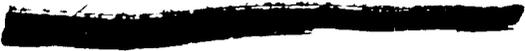


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22-1296	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
22-1297	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] on Bangalap beach.
22-1298	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] examining King Ian of Utirik
22-1299	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
22-1300	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
22-1301	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
22-1302	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] of Utirik watching examina-
22-1303	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] native women and two girls.
22-1304	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] examining.
22-1305	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] native natives watching exami-
22-1306	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] examining native girl's
22-1307	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] examining native boy's hair.
22-1308	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] King Ian of Utirik.
22-1309	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] Pratt, King Ian, [Redacted] King Ian's wife.
22-1310	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] examining natives
22-1311	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
22-1312	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
22-1313	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] hospital, nurse Kathleen [Redacted] of [Redacted] Fr. [Redacted] background.
22-1314	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] children
22-1315	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted]
22-1316	12/27/54	[Redacted]	[Redacted] linen treated for anal cracks.

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PHOTO NO.	DATE	TIME	LOCATION	DESCRIPTION
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0 12-1320	7/1	5:00	10000'	crus of native
12-1321	7/1	5:00	10000'	dark forest in
12-1322	7/1	5:00	10000'	
12-1323	7/1	5:00	10000'	
12-1324	7/1	5:00	10000'	
12-1325	7/1	5:00	10000'	sample from Airman
12-1326	7/1	5:00	10000'	
12-1327	7/1	5:00	10000'	sample from weather station
12-1328	7/1	5:00	10000'	sample from
12-1329	7/1	5:00	10000'	12-1328.
12-1330	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
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12-1332	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
12-1333	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
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12-1335	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
12-1336	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
12-1337	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
12-1338	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
12-1339	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest
12-1340	7/1	5:00	10000'	of forest

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EXHIBIT: [Redacted] at San Bruno, Expedition  
 [Redacted]

PHOTO NO.	DATE TAKEN	IDENTIFICATION	DESCRIPTION
9 22-1339	2/1/41	[Redacted]	Whit and Dr. Bond talking to [Redacted].
22-1340	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] and examination.
22-1341	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted], but with Dr. Bond in group.
22-1342	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] and Dr. Bond examining [Redacted].
22-1343	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] examining native child.
22-1344	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] examining native baby on [Redacted].
22-1345	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] native father and baby. Dr. [Redacted] examining baby.
22-1346	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] native father and baby.
22-1347	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] long hair of [Redacted].
22-1348	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted].
22-1349	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted], a [Redacted].
22-1350	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted], a [Redacted].
22-1363	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] spilled food from roof.
22-1364	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] spilled food onto truck.
22-1365	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] 22-1363. <b>SAN BRUNO FRC</b>
22-1366	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] spilled food onto truck.
22-1367	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] onto roof to dispose of [Redacted].
22-1368	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] spilled food on roof.
22-1369	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] working on a on Sifo Island.
22-1370	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] native tent.
22-1371	2/1/41	[Redacted]	[Redacted] for blood sample taking [Redacted].

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