

JA.

Surely the most the Chinese

command - at least from the Export

Import Bank - is another 20

million this cannot be spent

directly on war material.

But have have been

any developments since the outbreak

of March 5th or 7th about

weapons etc which we can

report?

JA.
U.S.

1. Mr Reid
2. Mr Hoyer

I think the only developments can have been on Mr Ashton-Gwatkin's side. Point I believe he drew a blank in his interview with Mr Morgenthau on the 11th. Is there a record of this, and is anything further pending?

JA 18/3

P.T.O.

[OVER.]

JA agrees that this should be discussed with [unclear] on his return.

By [unclear]
March 22

JA

I shelled
M.P. M.H.T.
copies of the
relevant
telegrams

Not immediately.

Mr Purvis, Mr. Rist and I will

be reviewing whole ferro. alloy

situation next week.

Jim Gordon 7/4

Mr. Hays Miller (to be above minute)

Then bring up again on

In previous return.

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Jm
1.4.

Is there anything definite to be done yet?

Jm
5.4

No.

Jim 7/4

Mr. FAG is in NY this week will be
seeing Mr. Purvis

PRA 8/4

Mr. Hays Miller

Bring up 15th
Jm

? He might be
working whole
asking of Hombeck
if this is true?

Jim 7/4