

an honest broker". Said United States papers turning against GOP, because GOP cannot say anything. Knew Turkey opposed to Iraq.

My personal summary Governor General discouraged but eventually expects help disappointed amount but bitter about his treatment. Incidentally Foreign Minister spoke at length today to above-mentioned travelling United States reporter Mowrer but not to me today about importance of military grant to GOP before any Turkish-GOP agreement. Foreign Minister's statements plus mood Governor General may spell trouble when decisions broken to GOP. Hope I may tell Prime Minister something his return from Dacca January 30. Much easier to deal with than Governor General.

Re GOI activities abroad: Governor General felt United States not getting reliable reports from its Embassy Indonesia on activities GOI in Indonesia.

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770. Berlin for Secretary. Foreign Minister ill past few days. Birgi hopes review developments with him this afternoon or tomorrow morning to obtain approval various draft texts including agreement with Pakistan, Turk-Pakistani communiqué and Turk comments re proposed US statements welcoming communiqué and announcing decision extend military assistance Pakistan.

Birgi appreciated problem re press speculation (Department telegrams 812 and 818).<sup>2</sup> He is seeing *New York Times* correspondent Hangen today and will tell him no agreement exists nor have there been negotiations with Pakistan thereon, although as Hangen aware Ghulam Mohammed discussed possibility Turk-Pakistani cooperation in broad terms when he was here (re Embassy telegram 766, January 27).<sup>3</sup>

Instructions to Turk Ambassador Pakistan with texts US-Turk exchange of notes and full background information being forward-

<sup>1</sup> Repeated to Karachi, London, Paris, and Berlin.

<sup>2</sup> Neither printed, but see Document 180.

<sup>3</sup> Not printed. It reported the Ankara representative of the *New York Times* had called to ask the Ambassador's comment on a "flash" he had had from his Washington bureau, saying that Turkey and Pakistan would be signing a defense agreement immediately. (782.5/1-2754)