

# Peking story (American prisoners in China) - correspondence, letters and ca...

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a.) Weaver, Ostrand van J. (Colonel, U.S. Air  
Force Base, Newfoundland)

- 1 letter from D.H.

b.) Rudkin, R. S. (Liaison Officer, New Delhi)

- 1 letter to D.H. with message from

A. Cordier.



UNITED NATIONS MILITARY OBSERVER GROUP  
IN INDIA AND PAKISTAN

New Delhi.

2 January 1955.

TO: Mr D.Hammarskjöld ,  
Secretary- General.

FROM: Liaison Officer,  
UNMOGIP.,  
New Delhi.

*VG teen*

Sir,  
I have been instructed by Lieutenant General R.H.Nimmo, CBE.,  
to pass on to you the following Most Immediate and Confidential  
message received from Mr Cordier :-

QUOTE:

US MISSION SUGGESTS LIKELIHOOD RETURN SEVERAL MILITARY MEN  
COMPLETING THEIR TOUR OF DUTY ON TOKYO NEW YORK PLANE STOP  
CORRESPONDENTS OF COURSE EXCLUDED STOP FELT YOU SHOULD  
BE INFORMED. CORDIER.

UNQUOTE.

*R.S. Rudkin*  
.....Maj.  
R.S.Rudkin .  
Liaison Officer, New Delhi.

2 January 1955

Dear Colonel Weaver,

Let me tell you how very much we all appreciated the warm welcome and hospitality at your home last Thursday night. This our first stop on the long journey could not have been spent in a more pleasant way, and our gratitude goes to you and Mrs. Weaver together with our very best wishes for the New Year.

Colonel John van Ostrand Weaver  
United States Air Force Base  
Argentia  
Newfoundland