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NEW ZEALAND INSURANCE BUILDING
334-338 QUEEN STREET, BRISBANE.

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10th January, 1945.

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Subject: Interrogation Report.

Compilation of NEFIS Interrogation Reports
Nos. 818 and 820-824 (Not Issued Separately).

1. Attached is Compilation of NEFIS Interrogation Reports Nos. 818 and 820-824 (Not Issued separately).
2. Information contained in this report is based solely on interrogation of evacuees and should be evaluated accordingly.
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Director NEFIS

Distribution:

See attached list.

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	Present Price	Former Price
Trousers	/ 95.00	/ 1.50
Socks	/ 3.15 - 5.00	/ 0.15
Coats	/ 15.00	/ 3.15
Underpants	/ 5.00	/ 0.15
Singlets	/ 4.00 - 5.00	/ 0.7
Shoes, good quality	/ 35.00	/ 7.15
Shoes, inferior quality	/ 14.00* - 15.00	/ 4-5.00
Sewing cotton, per reel	/ 0.45	/ 0.2-5

NOTE: The above prices presumably apply to articles of pre-war manufacture.

Indonesians in destitute circumstances could apply for an issue of clothing; if it was found that the application was justified a free issue was made by the Minseibu office. Such supplies however were invariably of very poor quality and were often secondhand.

X. PROPAGANDA AND PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE INFORMATION.

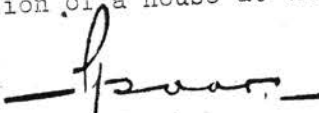
Allied:

Non-Radio Propaganda:

Leaflets and Pamphlets: Djombang and Mojokerto
(E. Java): An inf heard in Soerabaja in Jul 44, that leaflets had been dropped at Djombang and Modjokerto (East Java), but he had no information as to their effect on the population. Mention of these leaflets was sufficient cause for beating and imprisonment by the Japanese.

XIII. GENERAL.

Prostitution: Soerabaja (East Java) Jul 44: Inf observed that the number of brothels had greatly increased, and that most of the remaining prostitutes were Javanese. The largest houses were located in the Boeboetan-Tembaan and Praban districts. Hotels and former private homes had been converted into brothels. Japanese women were seen in occupation of a house at the corner of Plampitan and Oendaan Koelon.



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