

lot. I still think that. I am going to be very much interested in the list of your contracts, the amounts and purposes.

Moreover, I want to see some of the reports that must have been supplied over this period of time dealing with these various subjects. I want to know whether there is not the same information already available in other agencies of Government and many other agencies of Government.

Mr. FOSTER. You have a list of a number of the contracts. We are not duplicating. These are all discussed with the other agencies before they are placed and the amount of duplication has been minimized. I won't say it has been eliminated. That would be a foolish statement to make in this Government of ours. But it has certainly been substantially reduced by the opportunity of coordinating and by the instructions of the Executive order under which we operate in this field.

Mr. GROSS. In hearings before the House Appropriations Committee last year the ACDA presented a budget for \$11 million. You got \$9 million; is that not correct?

Mr. FOSTER. Nine from the Senate, which was concurred in by the House.

Mr. GROSS. \$9 million.

Mr. FOSTER. Yes.

Mr. GROSS. On the basis of this you were to have 214 employees; is that not correct?

Mr. FOSTER. That is correct.

Mr. GROSS. Now you are going to have 214 employees although you were cut back. Where do you get the money to put these, to finance these 214 employees? You were cut back by \$2 million.

Mr. FOSTER. 214 employees were what was allowed.

Mr. GROSS. Getting back to your employees and the list you are going to furnish this committee, if it is within your power to do so, I wish you would tell this committee where the 21 key employees that you have lost—I believe the figure was 21 that you used, or approximately 21—where these employees went? Did they go to some of these contract organizations?

Mr. FOSTER. We will be very glad to see what we can find. They went to a number of places which we will attempt to find for you.

Mr. GROSS. Has my time expired?

Chairman MORGAN. The gentleman's time has expired.

Mr. Murphy.

Mr. MURPHY. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Foster, have you noticed any change in the Soviet's position in Geneva following the explosion of the bomb in Sinkiang by Red China?

Mr. FOSTER. Mr. Murphy, we have not been in Geneva since that explosion. We of course in Geneva were aware of the possibility that it would take place. We have been in contact with the Soviet representatives in New York since that explosion, and there is no change in the representatives' personal approach to these problems. They are very silent when we ask them about the Chinese situation.

Mr. MURPHY. Thank you.

Chairman MORGAN. Mr. Berry.

Mr. BERRY. Just one question.