

ahold of it and decide what he thinks he might need in the way of fiscal information. Then there is an office in Headquarters, Marine Corps, responsible for determining whether or not there are other functions within this unit that can be put in the same hardware, and it may end up by being a system which may serve many purposes.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. We stopped at Okinawa on a trip we had in January, where you are rebuilding the depot, the repair depot.

General TYLER. Yes, sir.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. We didn't have much time there. But you have got quite an operation there of repairing all kinds of things. I am not sure if it was the Marines. Was it an Army base?

General TYLER. We have the 3d Force Service Regiment located in Okinawa.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. You do?

General TYLER. And they are storing material and doing a limited amount of fifth echelon, and as much of the third and fourth echelon repair as is necessary to fill in for the in-country forces.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. Does the Army do any work for you there in the way of repairs?

General TYLER. Yes, sir.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. Of automotive equipment, trucks, and things like that?

General TYLER. We have a number of agreements with the Army on Okinawa and with the Army up in Japan to assist us in using their facilities for major rebuild programs.

Mr. HOLIFIELD. Thank you very much, Admiral, and General Tyler. We will excuse you from the witness table now, and call General Riemondy of the Air Force to the table. I think we will put your statement in the record in its entirety. It is quite long, and we will proceed to discuss it by question and answer, General. That will save your time and ours.

General RIEMONDY. Very fine, sir.

(The biography and statement of General Riemondy follow:)

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