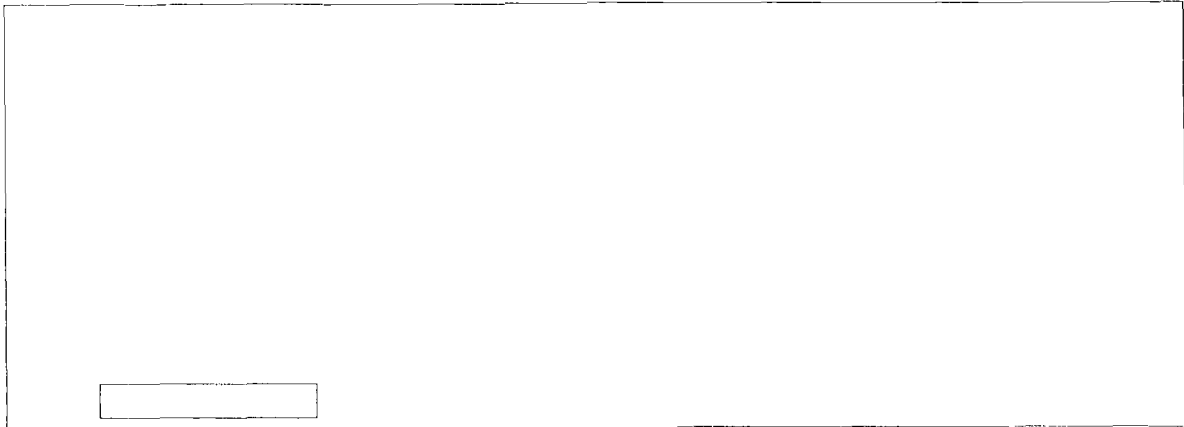
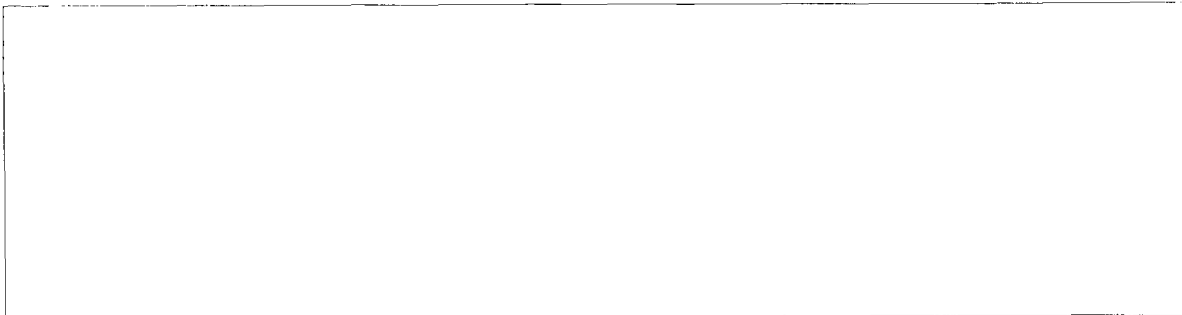


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6. Suiho power plant believed nearly operational again:
The Suiho hydroelectric power plant, damaged by UN fighter-bombers in late June, may be producing power at the pre-bombing level by 23 August, [redacted]

[redacted] the principal damage in the late June raids was inflicted on the transformers and other surface equipment of the plant, while the generators, deep inside the dam itself, were not damaged. [redacted] 19 Aug 52)

Comment: The Suiho power system was reportedly furnishing over 200,000 kilowatts of power to North Korea and Manchuria prior to the late June air raids. [redacted] reports that all power was out in that city for three days after the raids. Radio Pyongyang, deriving its power from Suiho, was off the air for a considerable period, but by 17 July the quality of Radio Pyongyang transmissions had improved markedly.



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