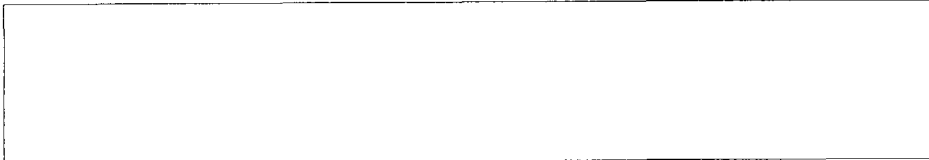


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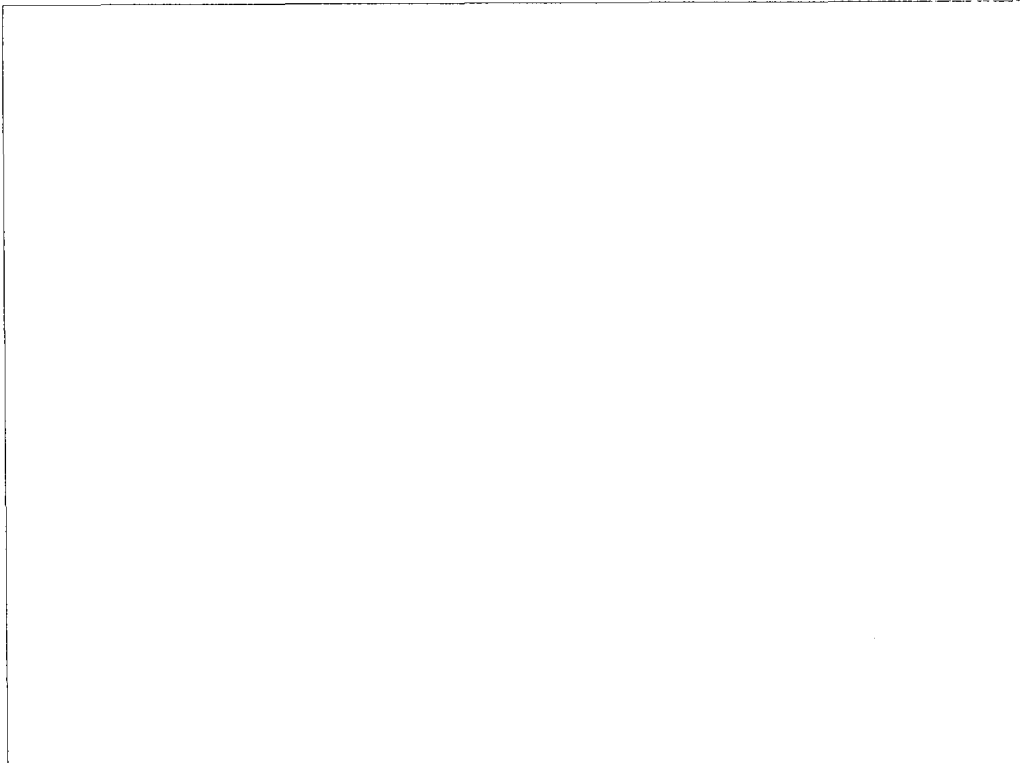


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2. Korea - North China - Japan

Evidence is thus far lacking on whether or not the build-up which preceded the invasion of South Korea has continued since the UN - US involvement.

Air activity between Khabarovsk and southern Sakhalin increased considerably after 7 July, with 94 flights (a record number) reported on 10 July. Such flights far exceed in number those from Khabarovsk south to the Vladivostok area and may represent an increase in Soviet capabilities to the north of Japan and on the flank of U. S. operations in Korea.



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