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## Order of Proof of the United States Case as generally approved by the Planning Committee.

1. Reading of Indictment

Mr. Alderman

2. Opening Address on behalf of the United States

Justice Jackson

3. Presentation of Evidence as to Capture of Documents, Method of Processing and Outline of Preparation and Presentation of Self-Proving Briefs.

Colonel Storey

4. Presentation of the Common Plan or Conspiracy

Justice Jackson

A. Objectives of the Plan

Col. Wheeler - Major Wallis

B. Political Control of Germany

Col. Kaplan and others from panel trial lawyers

C. Consolidation of Control, including doctrines and methods used by

(1) Terror

(2) Purges

(3) Abolition of Trade Unions

(4) Persecution of Churches, etc.

Cdr. Kaplan - Mr. Alderman

Economic Aspects of Conspiracy

Aggressive War (Conspiracy Aspects)

Mr. Dodd

5. Criminal Organizations

Colonels Taylor, Storey and Seay

6. Individual Defendants

Mr. Albrecht and others to be selected

7. Visual Presentation and Motion Picture Evidence

Cdr. Donovan

The above outline is for the U. S. Case in Chief relating to briefs and documents. Any witnesses that may be used will be selected and coordinated with the Justice and the respective responsible trial attorneys.

Motion Picture and Visual Presentation: It is generally the policy that the film on Concentration Camps will precede the introduction of evidence on this subject. Special consideration is being given to the other main film, "Nazi Rise to Power", with the possibility that it will be presented in two parts.