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THE MILITARY SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST AND THE RELIEF OF GENERAL MAC ARTHUR
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The purpose of this guide is to direct the reader to the filmed location of the testimony of witnesses before the Senate Joint Committee on Armed Services and Foreign Relations (April 30, 1951 to August 17, 1951). The material which we have filmed is the stenographer's original transcript of the complete hearings (rather than the abridged printed version). The numbers on the left side of each page of the guide refer to the target numbers which we have added to the film in order to facilitate research; otherwise, with the exception of the material appended to Reel 8, all volume numbers and page numbers in this guide correspond with the numbering of the original transcript of the hearings. The detailed subject/name index to the printed hearings (which can be found at the end of Reel 8) can be used as an index to original transcript by referring to the conversion table on pp. 3679-80 (also at the end of Reel 8).
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