On 20 February the Working Party took the following decisions concerning its future work programme:

1. At its second meeting, from 26 February to 12 March, the Working Party will:

   (a) devote the first day or two to a discussion of general questions which, together with the general discussions during the first meeting, will provide a basis for the drafting of the general part of the report;

   (b) examine the following commodities:

   - Oilseeds and vegetable oils
     - groundnuts and groundnut oil
     - copra and coconut oil
     - palm kernels, palm kernel oil and palm oil
     - other oilseeds and vegetable oils

   - Cotton (including cotton fabrics)

   - Hard fibres
     - jute (including jute bagging)
     - sisal
     - coir (including coir products)
     - hemp
     - piassava

   - Wood and timber - logs and sawn (including plywood and veneer)

   (c) consider the draft reports on the commodities examined at the first meeting (cocoa, etc.); and

   (d) consider a draft of the general part of the report based upon the discussions held under (a) above.
2. At its third meeting, from 17 to 26 March, the Working Party will:

(a) examine the following commodities¹:

Aluminium, bauxite and alumina
Copper and semi-manufactured copper products
Other ores and metals
Vegetable tanning materials and extracts
Rubber
Hides and skins
Pyrethrum
Spices
Pineapples, canned and fresh
Lentils, peas and beans
Cassava, sago and tapioca flour

Contracting parties interested in these commodities should submit statistical and other relevant data as soon as possible and at the latest by 6 March. These papers will be transmitted to the representatives of the Six, who will be invited to submit replies, if possible, in time for the discussion commencing on 17 March. The Six are also asked to submit for these products the information mentioned in paragraph 4(a) of the Work Programme (IC/WPl/4).

(b) consider the draft reports on the commodities examined at the second meeting (oilseeds, etc.);

(c) approve the text of the general part of the report.

3. If necessary a final short meeting will be held on 10 to 12 April to consider the draft reports on the commodities examined at the third meeting.

¹ It is understood that commodities for which the common tariff will be nil — with the exception of copper — will not be given priority treatment in this connexion, but may be considered at the third meeting if time permits. As the representatives of the Six were not prepared at this stage to agree to the inclusion of copper and certain other commodities with at present insignificant production and export in the Associated Overseas Territories, they were requested to obtain instructions to that effect.