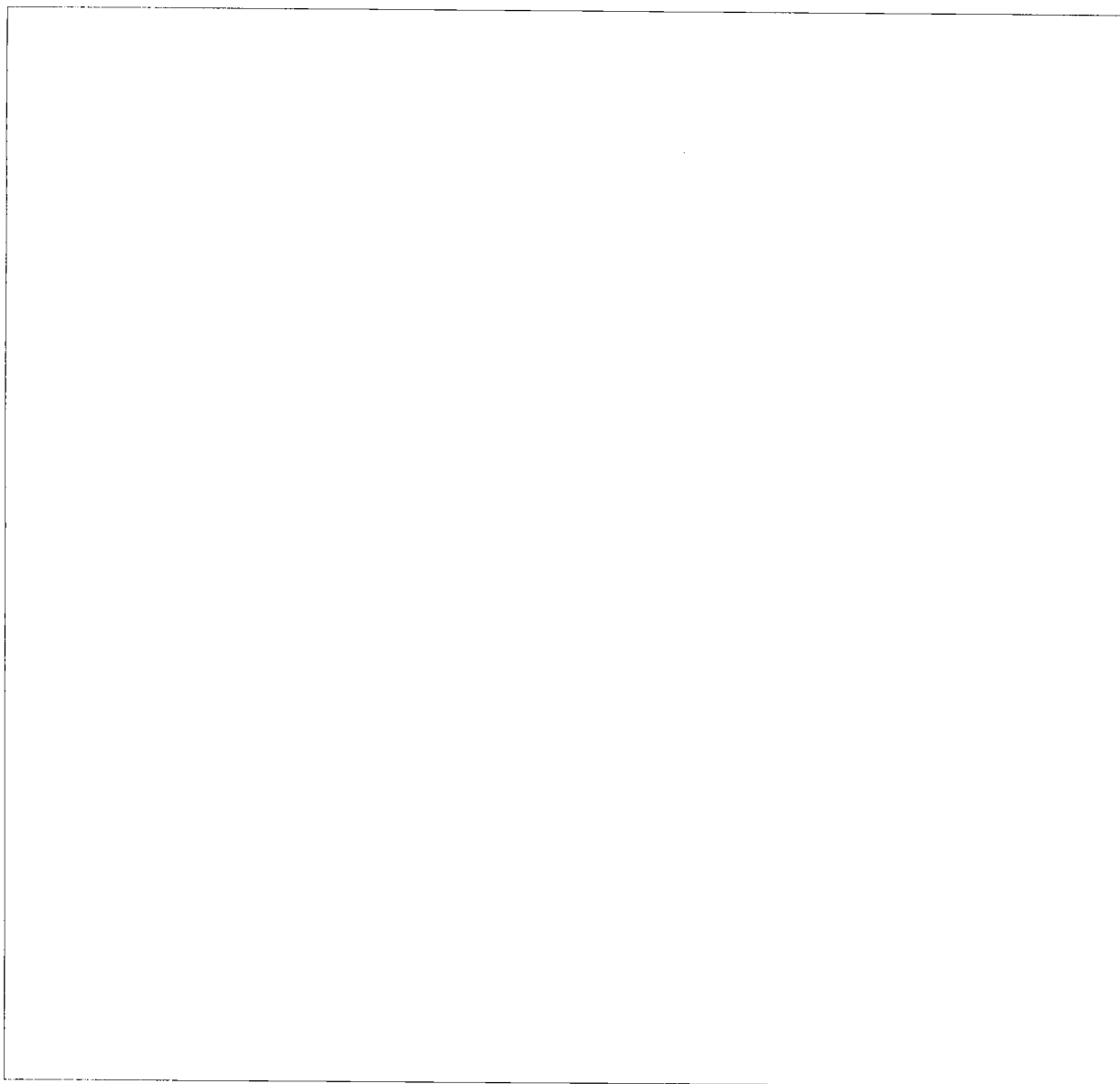


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- 4. China-Korea air activity at lowest level since April:
Communist air activity in China and Korea for the week ending 19 September reveals a further decline. Averaging only 125.

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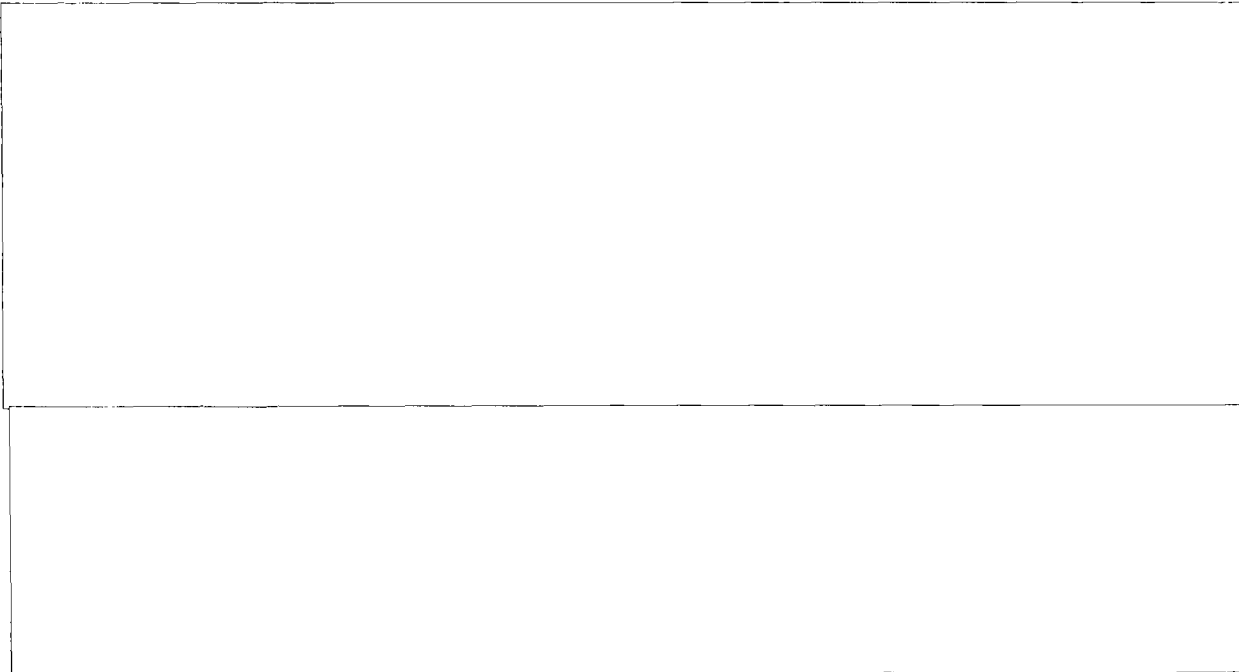
flights per day, the current level of activity is the lowest observed since the last week in April. (CANOE AF Roundup 184, 23 Sept 52)

Comment: This low average is due mainly to decreased jet fighter operations in Korea, which declined to only 21 flights per day. Activity in China proper continues high. Over 400 aircraft recently gathered at Peiping, probably for a 1 October air show.

5. USSR reportedly agrees to send more MIG's and antiaircraft units to Korea: [redacted] that the USSR had on 28 August agreed to send an unknown number of MIG-15's to the Chinese Communist and North Korean air forces by October 1952. [redacted] the USSR would increase the number of Soviet antiaircraft units in North Korea by moving crews and equipment from the Dairen and Antung areas by mid-September. [redacted] (23 Sept 52)

Comment: Although "allied" antiaircraft units have frequently been referred to in Communist messages, there has been no firm identification of Soviet units in Korea.

The USSR has regularly shipped MIG-15's to the Chinese and North Koreans since the beginning of hostilities.



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