

~~Tojo attorney~~ and ally

Re Russ. P/x
Col. Shiran.

Pro mail room 22614
Sam

~~Defense of Tojo~~

Tojo and other we suspect defendants presented treaties and basic documents ranging from the Shimonoseki Treaty of 1895 between Japan and China to the Atlantic Charter to lay historical legal background for their case - at one point Arthur Compton Case - British Parliament objected to introduction of annex ^{Sov. Jap} convention of 1921 saying "it's only purpose is to be a needless offense to one of our allies"

An Def. atty. Aristides S. Logos of NY City retorted "Mr. Case is being unduly vicious in describing any such purpose to the Defense" adding later "we will not seek to embroil one of our allied nations"

Lt. Gov. Pro. Maj Gen A.N. Vasilyev asked Judge Fiske Convention bet. Japan + Sov. was introduced saying it "irrelevant" as defendants not charged with violating a Fiske agreement. Defendant presented speech note by Japanese delegate to Washington Disarmament Conf - Nov 1921 one of whom was Baron Shidehara - ~~the~~ currently powerful figure in Japanese scene then defending Japanese ^{point} "quite support to the Comd Chief Generalissimo" ~~para~~

Vasilyev objected to introduction ~~the~~ speed quote as far as we know Baron Shidehara is not an authority on history nor intention of Shidehara and his opinions are irrelevant ~~irrelevant~~

Well admitted document ~~for~~ saying Baron Shidehara was "a spokesman for Japan ~~in~~ on that occasion."
Gen Vasilyev = ~~and edge~~
Comd Case

For Defendants (continued)

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If the Imperial Rescript on Education
is not militairster why for the Present
Education Minister announced that a
new Rescript will probably be issued?

Because he was ordered to do so by SCAP

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M. Logan:

Can I see you for a few minutes
or will you write a note giving me your
opinion on Keenan's statement re Jop. Documents and
witnesses — and what effect this will have on
Deferse case ————— (Please before lunch)

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SNS - REUTERS

Big metro. papers run about 500 a day.

Radio Tokyo 12 n 3pm & 5pm = war trials news
7:15⁵ - 7:30 - 15 m. complete coverage.
all networks

Radio is best media

"Orders are orders."

"Got my article is censored each day."

Disarmament world requires
almost as much time
as final judgment.

(Tojo vs. Kido
on Pearl date.)

Indictment written without
full knowledge - better evidence
then come it out.

- 15 yrs.
- Hayashi
- "7 of 8" -
page 7 world.

of tribunal takes requests pushed by
Pros. If claim is key, the court will
set it. But if trib. takes separate
cases diff.

Defense phase may blow-up - cut throats
But stay case because documentary
not based on interviews.

Prosecution down to count 53, 4, 15
was finally worked up during week of Jan. 13.
2 week agreement to accept degree to
prepare case. Degree est. 5 months.

Present phase (Tanner)
G-1 - OCP

Pres. feels has own-possibilities if anything.

350 in Pres. inc. Jan. (29 in Pres. Sec.)

Language pool around 100.

Tightening up on budget by OCP, formerly free.

slipstream, Miami - Kids.

800 - documents

Opine

March phase
poorly handled

- Every night Gap radios parts out among of trials.

- Gap press plays up fluctuations of own leaders
to unusual extent.

153 jobs in permanent phase - about 50 a day.

Original pressure on press by SCAP.