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Doc. No. 2484

23 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Typed Bound Charts "Functional Charts of the Japanese Government Organization from 1 January 42 to September 1945". Drawn up by Central Liaison Office.

Date: July 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: CLO, TOKYO

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Japanese Governmental Organization and Responsibility

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Twenty-eight page chart shows in detail chain of command in various major and minor Japanese Gov't units. Included are military and economic organs, such as the various CHINA development companies.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2485

24 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of YAMAWAKI, Fusa-ichi, on Slaughter of American Airmen, CHICHIJIMA, 1944 and 1945

Date: 23 July 1946 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese, English

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: YAMAWAKI, Fusa-ichi

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TACHIBAWA, (Major General), CHICHIJIMA Commander

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Violation Geneva PW Convention

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

YAMAWAKI, for one year a member of the island's garrison, recounts several specific instances he witnessed in which captured American airmen were tortured and later killed.

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Doc. No. 2486

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: The Great Work of Promoting Asia by MATSUOKA, Yosuke, 339 :

Date: May 10, 1941 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL.

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Home Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: MATSUOKA, Yosuke

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Expansion, Asia; Manchurian Incident; Expansion, SM Railway

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

The Great Work of Promoting Asia, by MATSUOKA, Yosuke, urges Japanese expansion on the Asiatic continent.

I think it is a good opportunity for Japan to develop itself. If we lose this opportunity, Japan will be shut in forever. (p. 5)

Japan must either convert to a "total war system" (p. 6), or it must extend its power as in China. (p. 10)

Japan after the Manchurian Incident is a Japan awakened to her own power. She believes that nothing but the Imperial way can save the world from the poison of Western culture. (p. 45)

"Manchuria is a Japanese life-line." We must colonize and firmly establish the Japanese race in Manchuria. (p. 115)

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"I firmly believe that the Manchurian Incident was done by the KWANTUNG Army and the Manchurian R. R. Co., that the Manchurian R. R. Co. trained talented men for the building of Manchuria, and that the M.R.R.C. conducted basic researches and investigations in Manchuria and Mongolia which led to the results of the present. I think it would never be too much to say that the Manchurian Incident was accomplished by both the KWANTUNG Army and the M.R.R.C." (p. 122-3) /T.N. - Manchurian Incident here cannot be construed as the outbreak of the incident, but must be taken as the fighting itself./

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Investigations Re Trade of French Indo-China by East Asia Research Institute

Date: (see below) Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: East Asia Research Institute, TOKYO

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Aggression, Indo-China; Preparation for War, Economic

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Doc. No. 2487

Investigations re Trade of French Indo-China, 10 Sep 41.
(A study of potentialities of importation of various goods, mainly textiles, by French Indo-China ie French Indo-China's possibilities as a market for Japanese manufactured textiles.)

Doc. No. 2488

Investigations re Trade of French Indo-China 25 May 42.
(A study of the export capability, mainly pertaining to rice, of French Indo-China, of rice producing areas there, and of potential markets.)

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

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Doc. Nos. 2489 - 2494, inclusive

24 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Miscellaneous copies of Extracts from Documents pertaining to POWs held by Japanese. Prisoner of War Information Bureau

Date: 1943-1944 Original () Copy (x) Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Prisoner of War Information Bureau, TOKYO

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Japanese POW Information Bureau
(Lt. Omachi)

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Geneva Convention

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Doc. No. 2489

Extract from "B.A. 84, Prisoner of War Information Bureau No. 20, Sub No 51, Rearrangement of List of Punished Prisoners of War".

This extract is from the Chief of POW Information Bureau addressed to all chiefs of POW Internment Camps, 27 July 43, and states that list of POW shall contain no more than those punished by Courts Martial or Special Courts Martial while those punished in other ways should be reported monthly on a separate list as heretofore.

Doc. No. 2490

Extract from B.A. 84, Prisoner of War Information Bureau No. 20, Sub 52 re punishment of American and British Marines in the Philippines, dated 29 July 43.

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This extract is from Chief of POW Information Bureau to Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs and states that thirty-two officers and men received summary punishment of two months' confinement for violating martial law in concealing the fact that they were military men, and that after expiration of this sentence, they were interned at Philippine's POW Internment Camp.

Doc. No. 2491

Extract from B.A. 84, Army Information No. 1374, "Points Pertaining to Rearrangement of Revision of Censorship Matters Requiring Special Attention", dated 20 Dec 43, from Chief of Army Intelligence Bureau.

This extract lists various types of information re POW that were to be prohibited after 20 Dec 43.

Doc. No. 2492

Extract from B.A. 87, Eastern District Army Special Report No. 3 re partial destruction of Fifth Branch of Tokyo POW Camp and listing POW casualties resulting from accidental collapse of this building. Dated 11 Jan 44.

Doc. No. 2493

Extract from B.A. 98, being telegrams from THAI POW Internment Camp to Chief of POW Information Bureau dated 5 and 7 Sep and revealing that main diseases among POWs are malaria, malnutrition, cortex disease, beriberi and that 37.06% of all POWs are sick.

Doc. No. 2494

Extract from B.A. 84, being a communique re "Matters Pertaining to Investigation of Communication Technicians", and dated 21 June 43. Request is made that investigation re such technicians be made and sent to Army General Staff Hdqrs immediately. It further states that assembly technicians of wireless transmitters and receivers will for the most part, be employed at such places as KOKUSAI; SUMITOMO; NIPPON; OKI and other communications companies, the Broadcast Association Co., and MANCHURIAN Electric Co.

(All documents stamped certified as true copies by Lt Henry T. OMACHI, Aus, AG Casualty Clearance, Japanese PW Information Bureau)

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Doc. No. 2495-2496-2497

25 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Record of Interrogations of Admiral NAGANO, Osami.

Date: See Below Original (x) Copy () Language:

Has it been translated? Yes () No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No ()

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Document Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: NAGANO, Osami

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War, Naval; Japan - USA Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

NAGANO tells role in CHINA Incident and naval attitudes and movement preceding Pearl Harbor. Identifies certain late 1941 naval orders.

<u>Doc. No.</u>	<u>Date of Interrogation</u>
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2495	21 March 46
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2496	26 March 46
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2497	27 March 46
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Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2498

25 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Record of Interrogations of Admiral SHIMADA, Shigetaro

Date: Jan-Feb 46 Original (x) Copy () Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Document Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: SHIMADA, Shigetaro

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Attack on Pearl Harbor; Violation Hague 3; Japanese-USA Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

SHIMADA interrogated on formulation of plans and responsibility for attack on Pearl Harbor, decision to declare war, and intended time of delivery.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2498

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Doc. No. 2499

25 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Record of Interrogation of TOJO, Hideki, at SUGAMO Prison

Date: 7 Feb 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Document Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Conspiracy and Planning of aggressive war.

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

TOJO admits his major responsibility for war, and fixed partial blame on Chiefs of Army and Navy General Staff, and cabinet, to lesser degree.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2499

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Doc. Nos. 2500-2515, inclusive

25 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Records of Interrogations of General TOJO, Hideki

Date: Feb-Mar 46 Original (x) Copy () Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Document Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War, Military; Conspiracy for Aggressive Warfare; Relations with USA.

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Interrogations on dates shown below given document numbers as follows:

<u>Doc. No.</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Doc. No.</u>	<u>Date</u>
2500	8 Feb 1946	2508	1 Mar 1946
2501	11 Feb 1946	2509	11 Mar 1946
2502	13 Feb 1946	2510	12 Mar 1946
2503	18 Feb 1946	2511	14 Mar 1946
2504	19 Feb 1946	2512	15 Mar 1946
2505	20 Feb 1946	2513	18 Mar 1946
2506	21 Feb 1946	2514	25 Mar 1946
2507	23 Feb 1946	2515	26 Mar 1946

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2516-2520, inclusive

26 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Charts and plans relating to Industrial Expansion during 1938-41, by Commerce and Industry Ministry

Date: (see below) Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Commerce and Industry Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War, Economic

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Doc. No. 2516

Contrast list of output (1938-9) of articles whose production had been ordered expanded by Commerce and Industry Ministry - dated 5 July 40.

Doc. No. 2517

Contrast list of actual output (1939-40) of articles whose production had been ordered increased - dated 29 July 41.

Doc. No. 2518

List of output of articles (1940) whose production had been ordered expanded - dated 20 June 41.

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Doc. No. 2519

List of articles (1941) whose output had been ordered expanded - dated 22 June 41. (Allotment of pig-iron)

Doc. No. 2520

Same as above. (Allotment of common steel materials for expansion of productive power, 1941)

Analyst: CG at Blumhagen

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Doc. No. 2521

26 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified Table, "Total Strength of the Japanese Army", compiled by Secretary, First Demobilization Ministry

Date: 1930-1944 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: First Demobilization Ministry,
(SAITO, Haruyoshi)

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War,
Military

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Table covers number of divisions, brigades, and total personnel; certificate states table made from best remaining available records. Troop strength rose from 250,000 in 1930 to 1,350,000 1941.

Analyst: A.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2521

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Doc. No. 2522

26 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed book "Outline of MANCHUTIKOU (MANCHU Empire)", compiled by Information Bureau of General Affairs Board of State Council of MANCHUKUO

Date: 10 Aug 36 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: ATIS

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Jap-MANCHURIAN Relations; Economic Aggression, MANCHURIA

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This edition was published as an addition or supplement to an edition of 1934 and various other data to show rapid progress attained by MANCHUKUO. It is revealed that negotiations between Japan, MANCHUKUO, and Russia resulted in an agreement concluded on 20 Mar 35 whereby transfer to MANCHUKUO of Soviet rights in North MANCHURIA Railway were amicably settled. Chief Japanese companies and amounts of their capital are listed, as are tables to show development of Japan-MANCHUKUO trade for years 1932-5 inclusive.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

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Doc. No. 2523

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: File containing telegrams sent from Foreign Office to Japanese Ambassadors

Date: 1942-5 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Foreign Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru; SUMA; TANI; Masayuki TOGO, Shigenori; TATEKAWA; KASE

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with U.S.S.R.

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

File contains various telegrams sent from Foreign Office to Japanese ambassador dating from 1942-5. Many of these telegrams request information and data concerning Russia. Following are examples:

1. Foreign Minister TOGO to Ambassador TATEKAWA in U.S.S.R., No. 49, dated 30 Jan 42, p. 5, requesting information on living conditions in MOSCOW and food situation in U.S.

2. Ambassador SHIGEMITSU to Foreign Minister TOGO, No. 736, 10 Jun 42, p. 16, requesting materials re German-Soviet War, action of Comintern and other materials from Doc. 1.

3. TOGO to SATO and OTA, No. 104, 576, 31 Jul 42, requesting report of weather conditions for every two weeks to September plus data re crop conditions.

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4. Foreign Minister TANI to consuls in PEKING, SHANGHAI, TIENTSIN, TSINGTAO, No. 120, 20 Feb 43, pp. 73-4, re information concerning Soviet organizations in above mentioned areas.

5. From Soviet Squad of Editorial Room, Navy General Staff to 3rd Section of Research Dept, Foreign Ministry, 10 Feb 43, material re wireless and radio stations of U.S.S.R. and requesting information re number of ships under construction. p. 95.

6. Foreign Minister SHIGEMITSU to Ambassador SATO in MOSCOW, No. 1118, 23 Dec 43, p. 184, requesting sending of weather reports.

7. Foreign Minister SHIGEMITSU to Charge d'affaires ISHII in THAILAND, 22 Apr 44, pp. 249-50, re information concerning communists in THAILAND.

8. SHIGEMITSU to KASE in SWITZERLAND, No. 216, 29 Aug 44, requesting information re recent communist activities in France, Belgium, Holland, Denmark, America.

9. SHIGEMITSU to Ambassador HIDAKA in Italy, 26 Dec 44, pp. 306-7, requesting information re communist influences in new BONOMI reign.

10. Foreign Minister TOGO to SATO (MOSCOW); KASE (SWITZERLAND); OKAMOTO (SWEDEN), No. 614, 23 Jul 45, pp. 339-40, requesting information re French Communist Party Conference held in PARIS, and possible banding together of European communist parties to break down DE GAULLE, FRANCO and SWISS plutarchies.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed Journal, "KAIZO" (Reconstruction) Volume 23, No. 21

Date: Nov-Dec 41 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial University Library, TOKYO

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with U.S.S.R.

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Excerpts pp. 201 and 211 in November issue from article "New Developments in the Russo-German War and Japan" by TANAKA, Koso, take view German victory would be great boon to Japan.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

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Doc. No. 2525

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Mimeographed file, "Materials relating to Special Room", kept by INOUE, Secretary.

Date: June-Sept 41 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Commerce and Industry Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War, Economic

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Contains mimeographed plans and outlines, prepared or used in the "Special Room", apparently an appendage of the C and I Ministry.

Excerpts follow:

P. 5. Emergency Counter-Measures (4 Jul 41)

General discussion of steps to be taken "if the worst should happen", in view of the world situation, in commerce and industry, and with relation to lowering standard of living to minimum level by prohibiting production of unnecessary articles. Preparation of Imperial Proclamation re Total National Mobilization law mentioned.

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PP. 8-9. Policy for Management and Establishment of "Special Room".

Chief is to be head of the General Affairs Section of the General Affairs Bureau, with members from various bureaus.

PP. 10-15. Items for Emergency Disposition.

Includes paragraph posing question, "In case resources in general are restricted to the lowest level by the withdrawal of shipping power, especially in case of participation in the world war", and rationing in time of war.

PP. 15-20. Carrying out Emergency Counter Measures. (Plans to be communicated to the various representatives of the bureaus and then they will put them into concrete form. Names of secretaries involved on particular problems are given.)

PP. 23-29. Investigation Chart of Emergency Shipping Capacity. Shows shipping in case worst happens.

PP. 66-73. Fixed Policy for Planning Mobilization of Resources (Draft) -- Planning Board, 3 July 1941.

Reviews needs, possibilities, and policies, commenting on increased tension in situation.

PP. 74-81. Formulation of Revised and abbreviated outline Draft of Plan for Increasing Productive Power in Accordance with the Emergency Situation. (10 July 41 - Special Room Production Squad)

1. Under Paragraph 2, "Outline of Plan, a Revised Basic Draft Formulation", it is stated: "Future Plans are to be revised basically in accordance with the following hypothesis:

"1. That except for the self-supporting sphere (Japan, Manchuria, and China), and the first supplementary sphere (FIC and Thailand), the import of raw materials, etc., will be cut off entirely after August of this year."

PP. 82-94. Regulation and Unification of Enterprise. (12 July 1941).

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PP. 95-110. Various Drafts, Plans, etc., re Control of Inventory and Investigation of Heavy Materials. (July 1941)

PP. 110-111. Regulation of consumption.

Plans to be made for lessening waste and bringing civilian standard of living down. Methods of controlling or prohibiting production of certain items.

PP. 111-181. Miscellaneous reports and plans dated July and August 41 on smelting of metals, standardization of measurements, rationings, improvement of technical ability, etc.

PP. 181-194. Influence of American Participation in the War and Counter-Measures Thereto.

Commerce and Industry Ministry, Machinery Bureau,
(30 June 1941).

1. In discussion of autos and auto parts, it is stated that parts for one year's supply should be imported before September, to avoid a breakdown in transportation.
(p. 185)

Rationing and various restrictions on consumers discussed.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed pamphlet "Regarding Adjustment of Ration Structure", compiled by Special Room of Commerce and Industry Ministry.

Date: Aug 41 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Commerce and Industry Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War,
Economic

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Pamphlet states that ration or supply structure in wartime shall be adapted rapidly along lines which have been gradually adjusted to meet conditions since the outbreak of China Affair. Actual causes and defects in present ration control structure are listed and concrete measures to be adapted for following principal materials are suggested: iron and steel, non-ferrous metals and light metals, machinery, fibers, chemicals, and fuel.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Photostat of Extract from "Japan Advertiser" reporting Speech of Gen ARAKI, Sadao, on National Destiny and Economy

Date: 1 July 38 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial University Library, Tokyo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ARAKI, Sadao

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

ARAKI states that since war in CHINA may continue for 20 or 30 years, nation should not exist too stringently. Further, he says, "Japan's determination to fight to a finish with CHINA and the Soviet Union is sufficient to carry it on for more than a decade".

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Photostat of Article in NIPPON Times,
on Speech by SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru.

Date: 12 Dec 44 Original () Copy (x) Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes (x) No ()

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial Library, Tokyo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Germany
and Italy; Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

SHIGEMITSU felicitates Axis on prosecution of war, and
emphasizes Unity of Japan, Germany and Italy. Objectives
are the same, he says, on anniversary of conclusion of
Tri-Partite Pact.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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30 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Extracts from English Language Newspapers Published in Japan Reporting Cabinet Meetings and Other Important Government Conferences.

Date: Jan-Nov 41 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial Library, Tokyo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: HOSHINO, Naoki; HIRANUMA, Kiichiro; TOYODO, Teijiro; MATSUOKA, Yosuke; TOJO, Hideki; OIKAWA, Koshiro; MUTO, Akira; KONOE, Fuminaro; SUZUKI, Teiichi; KIMURA, Heitaro; KAYA, Okinori

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Netherlands, U.S. and Great Britain

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Date, newspaper, and subject of extracts, with document number assigned, follow:

Doc. No. 2529

23 January 1941, "Japan Times and Advertiser". Decision re fundamental principles of Japan's population policy made at Cabinet meeting 22 January.

Doc. No. 2530

8 March 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU", Cabinet decides March 7 to put into effect certain regulations of revised National Mobilization Law.

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Doc. No. 2531

3 May 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU", Cabinet decides 2 May, to enforce National Defense Security Law, beginning 10 May.

Doc. No. 2532

10 June 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU"; Authorities of Foreign, Navy, War, Finance, Commerce, Agriculture, and Overseas Ministries, and the Planning Board, in conference of June 9 agree to take strong attitude toward Nippon-NEI negotiations at Batavia. Find NEI reply "unsatisfactory". Negotiations useless.

Doc. No. 2533

14 June 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU"; TOJO speaks to conference on war material mobilization. Present are KIMURA, Heitaro; officials from Planning Board and Commerce Ministry. Covers complete military preparation..

Doc. No. 2534

a. Bound volume of "Tokyo NICHU NICHU" for July and August 1941. 1 July, "Candid views exchanged" in Supreme War Council Meeting June 30. In attendance were: DOIHARA, Kenji; OKAMURA, Yasuji; TOJO; SUGIYAMA, Gen; and KIMURA, Heitaro.

b. 12 July: Cabinet meeting approves final basic financial and monetary policies. Planned economy for total defense state considered.

c. 8 August: Thought Problems Council meets with HIRANUMA, Kiichiro, YAMAGATA, Heisuke, Lt. General SUZUKI, Sadaichi (same as SUZUKI, Teiichi), and IMAIURA, Michiyo, present. Decide future policy of unit.

d. 23 August: Cabinet Meeting of 22 August decides on national commodity mobilization plan for and after second quarter of 1941-42 fiscal year, as proposed by SUZUKI, Teiichi.

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e. 30 August 1941: Cabinet meeting on details of negotiations with USA, in presence of MUTO, Akira; OKA, Takazumi, and TERASAKI, Taro.

Doc. No. 2535

7 September 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU": "Government, at Cabinet meeting on Friday, September 5, decided on a traffic mobilization plan in order to place land and sea transportation on a wartime basis to meet the requirements of the times".

Doc. No. 2536

13 September 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU": People's labor mobilization plan adopted at Cabinet meeting of 12 Sep. Plan explained by Lt. Gen. SUZUKI, Teiichi of Planning Board.

Doc. No. 2537

12 November 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU": Prime Minister Churchill's declaration that should the United States be involved in war with Japan, British declaration would follow within an hour.

Doc. No. 2538

14 November 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU": Cabinet decides at Sep 13 session on administrative, foreign policy, and financial speeches to be made respectively by TOJO, TOGO and KAYA.

Doc. No. 2539

29 November 1941, "Tokyo NICHU NICHU": Cabinet on 28 November recognizes new press system "placing newspapers on wartime basis".

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2540

30 July 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified copy of Cabinet Decision of Meeting of 26 July, 1940, and Announcement of Same of 1 August 1940. entitled, "Essentials of State Policy".

Date: 1940 Original () Copy (x) Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: TAKAHASHI, Michitoshi, Secretary of the Cabinet, Imperial Japanese Government

PERSONS IMPLICATED: Members of Cabinet; MATSUOKA; TOJO; HIRANUMA; HOSHINO, Naoki; YASUI, Eiji; KOBAYASHI, Ichizo; MURATA, Shogo; YOSHIDA, Zengo; KONOYE, Fuminaro.

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Decision establishes certain objectives, with the basic principle being world peace based on "HAKKO ICHIU" and Japan as the core of a New Order in East Asia.

Defense and diplomacy shall be closely allied, with an armament sufficient to carry out the national policy.

In internal affairs, devotion to the State and unification of State policy shall be encouraged.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2540

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2541

31 July 46

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed "Chart of Ultra-Nationalistic Organizations". Stamped "Secret".

Date: Feb 1939 Original () Copy (x) Language:
Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL: Metropolitan Police Bureau

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Chief of Metropolitan Police

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KITA, Ikki; AMANO, Tatsu; et al

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Ultra-Nationalism

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS:

Chart shows type, leaders, and principles of 321 ultra-nationalistic organizations, including 164 "main" societies, and 77 students' societies.

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Doc. No. 2541

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2542

2 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified Copy of "Five-Year Plan for MANCHUKUO", Parts I, II, and III.

Date: Jan 1937 Original () Copy (x) Language: Japanese
Mar 1938 and English

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Imperial Japanese Government

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: CLO, Imperial Japanese Govt

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki; HOSHINO, Naoki (only insofar as officials at time)

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Economic Aggression;
KWANTUNG Army

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

General outline of the MANCHURIA Industrial Development Five-Year Plan dated Jan 1937 (Part I). Document shows it was prepared by KWANTUNG Army Command. Parts II and III are supplements to the plan, and are dated May 1938.

Certified by SUZUKI, Matsutaro, of Foreign Ministry.
Received in response to SCAP directive of 19 June 1946.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2542

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2543

2 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Statement by TATENO, Morio, on Time of Broadcast Announcing Opening of Hostilities with America and Britain, December 8, 1941

Date: 24 Jul 46 Original () Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: TATENO, Morio

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Violation Hague 3

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

TATENO, who was an announcer at Radio Tokyo December 7th, 8th, 1941, attests that a) night of December 7th, (Tokyo time) Chief of News Section made inspection of personnel and gave them to believe important news was expected, and b) That first announcement of opening of hostilities was at 7 A.M. December 8 (Tokyo time), and not at 6:00 A.M. as noted on original draft of script.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2543

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2544

2 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Booklet, "Report on Industrial Sites and Local Conditions of Various Industries in North China". Published by Investigation Section of the North China Economics Investigation Office.

Date: Jan 1940 Original () Copy (x) Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Section

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Unknown (Miscellaneous Sources)

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Economic Aggression, China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Figures on 850 factories in TIENTSIN employing more than 10 persons each show that 55 per cent of the money invested in these factories is Japanese capital (p. 12).

Analyst: Lt Wilds

Doc. No. 2544

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Doc. No. 2545

2 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed booklet, "Review of MANCHUKUO", published by MANCHUKUO State Council, General Affairs Office, Information Section.

Date: Jan 1935 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Tokyo Imperial University Library

PERSONS IMPLICATED: PU-YI

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Economic Aggression;
Aggression Manchuria

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Booklet is publicity handout. Introductory material includes:

1. Statement on Establishment of MANCHURIA. (1 Mar 32)
2. Statement of the Government, by PU-YI. (9 Mar 32)
3. Protocol between MANCHUKUO and JAPAN on independence of MANCHUKUO. Mutual guarantee of integrity. (15 Sep 32)
4. Proclamation of the Emperor PU-YI. (1 Mar 32)

pp. 1-120. Covers various phases of MANCHURIAN Industry, agriculture, etc. Trade with Japan and other countries is covered on pp. 78-83.

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pp. 1-3 praise Japan's contributions; PU-YI is quoted as having said, "Japan and MANCHUKUO will continue collaboration even though the interests of the two may run contrary".

It is freely stated (p. 28) that in local government, for various given reasons, "The advisor system has been adopted, and sincere Japanese youths have been appointed to many posts".

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2546

5 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of General ISHIHARA, Kanji, Aggressive Plans of KWANTUNG Army - 1929-1938.

Date: 24 July 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: ISHIHARA, Kanji

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ISHIHARA, Kanji; ITAGAKI, Seishiro; TOJO

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparations for War; Relations with USSR.

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

ISHIHARA, states that as member of the First Section (operations) of the General Staff, he aided in the planning of operations against Russia and the United States.

In particular, plans for war against Russia were made by the First Section in 1936, 1937, and 1938, which plans he outlines in detail, including the disposition of thirty divisions in MANCHURIA.

Strategic plans were approved and coordinated by the Navy, whose role in the 1938 Incident was to be the bombardment of Vladivostok.

Plans annually received the approval of the Emperor, says ISHIHARA.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2546

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2547

5 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified "List of Those Punished by Military Commissions in Japan Proper (Whites)", prepared by First Demobilization Ministry.

Date: 12 Dec 31 - Original () Copy (x) Language:
15 Aug 45 Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Chief of Judicial Research Section,
First Demobilization Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: POW Convention

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Lists seventeen cases, charge, punishment, name of prisoner, and commission which handed down sentence.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2547

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2548

6 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of HORIBA, Kazuwo, on Total War Research Institute, and Attached Exhibits.

Date: 5 Aug 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese
English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒
Has it been photostated? Yes ☒ No ☐

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: HORIBA, Kazuwo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: IIMURA, Jo

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparations for War

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Affidavit certifies to authenticity of certain documents relating to Total War Research Institute, members, lecturers, etc., which are listed in five Exhibits, A to E.

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Doc. No. 2549

6 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Carbon-copied, bound "Report of Inspection /Tour/ in MANCHURIAN and KOREAN areas", by Colonel SUZUKI, Shigeyasu. Stamped "Military Top Secret".

Date: May 1931 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: War Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: SUZUKI, Shigeyasu

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Purpose of tour was consideration of suitability of "B" and "C" plans of operation, prepared in event of aggression by hypothetical enemy invading Northern MANCHURIA and Northern KOREA.

Suitability of Northern MANCHURIA for construction of airports is considered, and tactics to be used by Japanese army dispatched in case of Russian attack on Northern KOREA are outlined.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2549

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Doc. No. 2550

6 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: File of "Investigations Re Maritime Provinces for Purpose of Landing Operations", prepared by Shipping Transport Headquarters, OTARU Branch

Date: March 1941 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language:
Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Section

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: ASAHIGAWA

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This file was compiled by the OTARU branch of the Ship Transportation Command in March 1941. Investigations concern geographical features, inhabited areas, roads, communications, harbors, weather, military affairs, customs, disposition of troops, and maps. The Maritime Provinces are divided into 15 areas for investigated purposes.

Analyst: Lt Wilds

Doc. No. 2550

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Doc. No. 2551

8 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed Book: Reports on the Japan-Manchuria China Economic Round Table Conference.

Date: May 30, 1939 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Japanese Institute of Foreign Relations

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KAYA, Okinora; TOJO, Hideki; IZAWA, Michio; HOSHINO, Naoki

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Economic Aggression

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This document was published by the Secretariat of the Japan-Manchukuo China Round Table Conference on May 30, 1939. Chairman of this conference was KAYA, Okinora.

Summary of address made by KAYA, 2 Nov 1938: If Japan is to become the genuine stabilizing power in East Asia, she must be powerfully armed and must have a correspondingly powerful economic set-up. Powerful economic strength is the backbone and foundation of armaments. One of the most necessary things for Japan is economic strength, i.e. the coordinated economic expansion of Japan, Manchuria and China. (p. 2-3)

On page 53, TOJO, Hideki, expresses approval of this three country bloc. (At the TOKYO Conference, 22 Nov 38)

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Director of the So. Man. R. R. Co. IZAWA, Michio:
"Before the outbreak of the Manchurian Incident, when the relations between Manchuria and No. China were not yet smooth, collaboration between the No. China authorities and the So. Manchuria R. R. Co. caused the rails between PEIPING and MUKDEN to be opened to through trains. This had repercussions on the political situation, and may be considered to have contributed to the present state of things." (p. 255)

KAYA at the HIROSHIMA conference: "The situation in China up to the present may be likened to cancer, which needed an operation. Japan is now performing that operation, and after the operation is ended, new flesh and new life will be brought into existence by the genuinely awakened portion of the Chinese people." (pp. 288-9)

HOSHINO, Naoki, Chief of General Affairs Board of the State Council of Manchuria says: "In the past, East Asia, with one fourth of the world's people and only one tenth of its land, has been vainly wandering in the dark. Now the tide has turned and East Asia is returning to its rightful position in world civilization. The coming of dawn for East Asia races was first realized in the Manchurian Incident, the China Incident being a development and expansion of the same." (pp. 348-9)

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Doc. No. 2552

8 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Five-Year Plan for Manchuria:
Agriculture

Date: Oct 1941 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Section

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: East Asia Research Institute

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Economic Aggression

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This document was compiled by the East Asia Research Institute in Oct 1941. It concerns itself only with the agricultural aspects of the Five-Year Plan for Manchuria.

It treats on fertilizers, working expenses, income from soya bean cultivation, income of farmers, cattle, etc.

Analyst: Lt Wilds

Doc. No. 2552

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Doc. No. 2553

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed book, "Outline of the MANCHURIAN Incident", Vol I pertaining to the situation in MANCHURIA from the outbreak of the incident (18 Sep 31) to middle of Jan 32; published by Army General Staff for "Army officers only".

Date: 25 Mar 35 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Army Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KAWASHIMA, Tadashi; DOIHARA, Kenji; HONSHO, Shigeru; HANATANI, Tadashi; TSUBOI, Zenmei; ITAGAKI, Shiro; KWANTUNG Army

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Japanese-MANCHURIAN Relations; Military aggression against MANCHURIA and CHINA

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Book relates occasions giving rise to outbreak of MANCHURIAN Incident, accusing a detachment of regular Chinese Army as being the perpetrators. Reactions of unit commanded by Capt KAWASHIMA, Tadashi, upon occasion of the Incident are given as are movements and orders of various elements of the KWANTUNG Army from the actual outbreak to middle of Jan 1932. Immediately after the outbreak of the Incident, a communication was sent from Major HANATANI, Tadashi, of Col. DOIHARA's staff to Lt. Gen. HONSHO at Port Arthur stating that the chief strength of the Army must be gathered at MUKDEN, and that KWANTUNG Army must dominate important parts of the four Eastern provinces. Pp. 14-15 reveal actual mobilization and movement orders and feeling of ITAGAKI that immediate attack was in order.

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Doc. No. 2554-2567, inclusive

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Collected volumes entitled "History of MANCHURIAN Incident", compiled by Army General Staff for "Japanese officers only".

Date: (see below) Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Army Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KWANTUNG Army

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Military Operations and Aggression in MANCHURIA and China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

These documents are apparently part of a set and with appended maps deal with such phases of MANCHURIAN Incident as: A review of the situation prior to outbreak of the Incident, banditry and subjugation of bandits, general studies of geography, terrain, climate, etc., movements of KWANTUNG Army, military operations, progress of course of operations, air forces activities, function of railways, cooperation between Army and Navy, and similar related topics. A table of contents is included in the scanning sheets of each volume. Documents possessed are itemized as follows:

Doc. No. 2554. Vol. 2 (B), 20 Mar 38. Outline of Progress of Operations in MANCHURIAN Incident.

Doc. No. 2555. Vol. 8, 20 Dec 33. Military Operations To Make a Clean Sweep of Chinese Army from MANCHURIA.

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- Doc. No. 2556. Vol. 11 (A), 20 Dec 34. Subjugating Military Operations of Bandits in MANCHURIAN Incident.
- Doc. No. 2557. Vol. 13, 29 Feb 40. Strategy in JEHOL, Operations Around the Great Wall.
- Doc. No. 2558. Vol. 14, 29 Feb 40. Operations in JEHOL, Operations Around the Great Wall.
- Doc. No. 2559. Vol. 15, 30 Nov 40. JEHOL Strategy and Operations Within the Great Wall.
- Doc. No. 2560. Vol. 16, 30 Mar 35. Military Operations in Neighborhood of SHANGHAI, Attacking Enemy Positions and Pursuits.
- Doc. No. 2561. Vol. 18, 29 Feb 40. Army Operations by Railway in the MANCHURIAN Incident.
- Doc. No. 2562. Vol. 19, 31 Mar 34. Activities of Air Corps in the MANCHURIAN Incident.

In addition to the above, there are several volumes of maps showing operational movements, etc. These are meant to supplement various volumes itemized above. The dates of publication are not given and they are listed for convenience sake in the following manner:

- Doc. No. 2563. Supplementary maps for Vol. 1.
- Doc. No. 2564. Supplementary maps for Vol. 2.
- Doc. No. 2565. Supplementary maps for Vol. 8.
- Doc. No. 2566. Supplementary maps for Vol. 11.
- Doc. No. 2567. Supplementary maps for Vol. 16. (2 different sets or folders)

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9 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Magazine "The New Order in Greater East Asia", published by OSAKA MAINICHI and TOKYO NICHU NICHU.

Date: May 1942 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: J. F. English

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War, Military

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Article, "Glorious Nippon Army", pp. 12-17, recites extensive preparations, both in training and armament, made by the Japanese Army before the attack on Pearl Harbor, by virtue of which success in operations had been obtained.

It is stated that "The Army enforced a six-year arms expansion program, extending from 1937 to 1942, and a five-year productive capacity increase plan, extending from 1937 to 1941".

Includes paragraphs covering "Training for Attack on Malaya", "Training for Attack on Hongkong", etc.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

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Doc. No. 2569

9 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of MIYAMA, Yozo, an Army Order of 14 August 1945 re Burning of Confidential Documents

Date: 5 Aug 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: MIYAMA, Yozo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ANAMI, Korechika

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Burning of Govt Records

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

MIYAMA states that orders were given by telephone and telegram to all Army troops to burn all confidential documents. Order given by War Minister 14 August 1945.

Includes covering letter from M. EMURA of War Crimes Section, C.L.O.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. Nos. 2570-2579, inclusive

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Selected Sections from a handwritten, typewritten and mimeographed binder re "Important Decisions Regarding International and National Policies". Aug-Nov 1938. (Translated in Part)

Date: Aug-Nov 1938 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Section

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Foreign Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ARITA, Hirochi; DOIHARA, Kenji; TSUDA; BANZAI, Rihachiro; KONOE, Fumimaro

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: All-China Military Aggression

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Doc. No. 2570

Parent binder, including miscellaneous dispatches and reports, Aug-Nov 1938.

Doc. No. 2571

Section 1. (Translation Attached) Outline of Management of Administrative Affairs Ensuing from Military Operations in South China. Outline of Management of Administrative Affairs in the Hankow Area. Decided by the War, Naval and Foreign Ministers. 28 Oct 1938. The main object is to maintain South China as an area of military operations. Administrative guidance should be limited within the scope

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necessary to preserve peace and ensure successful military operations. Other administrative affairs are left to the Chinese Gov't as much as possible, so that the Japanese Army will not have to shoulder the task of military government. A "Peace Maintenance Association" will be established. The establishment of local regions will be accelerated by a "Special Committee to cope with Chinese Problems", which will cooperate with the "Canton Liaison Conference of the Army, Navy and Foreign Ministers". This last will guide local regimes after their organizations. Economic policy will be to support the Japanese army in the field for the present, and to promote future foreign trade and recovery of South China itself. We must win over Chinese residents abroad in order to help our plan for South China and gain materials we need by trade with the Southern regions. In respect to third-power interests: Diplomatic and economic complications will be avoided; we will try not to give third powers an excuse to interfere in the incident. England's existing interests will be recognized. Appropriate steps will be taken to ensure that England discard her policy of aiding the Chiang Kai Shek Gov't and accept the administrative policy of Japan. Chinese economic constructions will be financed by Japanese capital. The management of local administrative affairs in occupied areas of South China will be considered, decided and enforced by Army, Navy and Foreign Ministers at the Canton Liaison Conference.

Doc. No. 2572

Section 2. (Translation Attached) Telegrams:

From Consul General In Hongkong NAKAMURATO to ARITA, 3 Nov 1938. (No. 1473): Request that liaison conference for Hongkong be established in the same manner as the one at Canton.

From Foreign Vice-Minister SAWADA to Vice-Minister of Overseas Affairs HAGIWARA, 7 Nov 1938. (No. 480) Paper outlined in Section 1 above is sent to HAGIWARA.

Same paper sent to Finance Vice-Minister ISHIWATA from SAWADA.

Sent to Consul General HORI in Nanking, Consul General UCHIDA in Amoy, Acting Consul General OGURO in HAIKOW from ARITA.

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Another telegram from NAKAMURA to ARITA, 3 Nov 1938, re importance of forming some governing organ for Hongkong. NAKAMURA requests the Army and Navy be consulted.

Doc. No. 2573

Section 3. (Translation Attached) Re establishment of Liaison Committee of Five Ministers Conference 7 Oct 1938.

This liaison committee is organized to screen and select topics for discussion at Five Minister Conferences, and to fill in the concrete essentials to plans and policies made by the Five Minister Conference. The Liaison Committee is formed of representatives of the Foreign, Finance, Army and Navy ministries and of bureaus within these ministries.

Doc. No. 2574

Section 4. (Translation Attached) Principles for the adjustment of Sino-Japanese Relations, decided at the Five Ministers Conference of 25 Nov 1938. Japan, China and Manchuria should unite in good fellowship to establish an Asiatic Axis for peace. Unity should be based on friendship, joint-defense against communism and economic cooperation. An area should be established in North China and Mongolia where Japan can exploit natural resources. A special region should be established in the MONGOLIAO region for the purpose of anti-communism in Inner Mongolia. On the lower part of the YANGTZE River there should be established a strongly united area for economic purposes. Inner Mongolia shall be a strong autonomic area. Japan will help the establishment of these areas by despatching special advisors. In order to root out communistic elements, Japan will garrison the necessary forces in North China and Mongolia, and all Chinese forces will be under Japanese command. Excepting the forces mentioned above and Jap forces in the Nanking-Shanghai-Kowchow triangle all Jap forces will be withdrawn. China is to bear a share of maintenance of Jap garrisons. Japan retains the right to supervise and commandeer railways, air routes and all communications in areas where Japanese forces are stationed. China will limit her soldiers and police (in Jap garrisoned areas) to the minimum number necessary for peace maintenance. The three nations will make treaties re economic exploitation of Inner Mongolia, North China and other areas. Special attention will be paid to resources not found in Japan or Manchuria.

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Section 5. (Translation Attached) Emergency Financial Policy for Middle China, decided at the Five Ministers Conference, 5 July 1938. Since it is essential to adjust relations with third countries in order that they stop aiding CHIANG, Japan is prepared to remove restrictions on trade and financial activities of foreign firms and banks in the occupied areas of Central China. We should get the cooperation of third countries, especially England, aiming at the acceleration of trade in Central China. We should issue new currency in anticipation of the collapse of the present currency. Under certain circumstances it may be well to solicit German and Italian aid also. Japan must have financial leadership in Central China. As well as attracting Chinese financial circles, we must aim at undermining the CHUNGKING government. These negotiations must be kept secret.

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Section 6. (Translation Attached) Temporary Diplomatic Policy toward Britain, decided at the Five Minister Conference on 8 July 1938: We must cause Britain to stop aiding CHIANG by impressing her with the justness of our cause.

Creation of a Special Committee for China, decided at Five Minister Conference, 26 July 1938. This committee will be an organ of the Five Ministers Conference, and will enforce policies of that conference and help establish the new Chinese Central Government. Organs on the spot in China will receive orders from the Special Committee for China. Liaison will be maintained between the committee and the Imperial Headquarters by the War and Navy Minister. The committee will be headed by DOIHARA, TSUDA and BANZAI.

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Section 7. (Translation attached) Adjustment of Sino-Japanese relations, decided at Five Minister Conference, 25 Nov 1938. The main purpose in settling the present incident is the establishment of a new order in East Asia based on military victories. We must guard against a third country checking our activities. HAINAN Island will be cap-

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tured if strategically necessary. Foreign Minister said: Economic cooperation between Japan, China and Manchuria would limit profits of outsiders in China. Therefore economic cooperation between the three countries should be played down somewhat in order to prevent complications of international relations and to aid Japanese interests in a wide sense.

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Section 8. (Translation Attached) Telegram dispatched 29 Oct 1938 from KONOE to Consuls HORIUCHI and HIDAKA in PEKING and SHANGHAI respectively. Code No. 3244. Re Management of political affairs in the HANKOW Area.

Summary: "For the time being, we aim chiefly at establishing the Public Order Maintenance Association, and following stabilization of the situation, an anti-comintern local government will be established. The area of this government will be KIANGSI, HUNAN and HUPEH." This is to be carried out by the Special Committee for China supported by the HANKOW liaison Conference of the Army, Navy and Foreign Ministers. We will not start new enterprises backed by our capital.

Telegram dispatched 29 Oct 1938, from KONOE to the above two consuls and NAKAMURA in HONGKONG. Code No. 3243. Re Management of political affairs following the South China operation.

Summary: "South China will be considered an area of military operations." Political affairs to be managed by Chinese. We will limit our guidance to the extent of developing the Public Order Maintenance Association. Use of Japanese capital will be limited to cases where it will aid in development of trade in connection with our plans re Chinese traders (KAKYO) in the Southern Areas.

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Section 9. (Translation Attached) The Establishment of a Federal Committee. Decided at Five Minister Conference. 9 Sep 1938. The Federal Committee will be set up in PEIPING. The F. C. will have jurisdiction over political affairs common to the Provisional Government and the Restoration Govt

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and is to facilitate the establishment of a new Central Govt. The Provisional and Restoration govts will send representatives to the F. C., and the MONGOLIA-SINKIANG Committee may do likewise. (More here on organization of the F. C.) The F. C. will be guided by North China Administrative Control Organ.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of Philip Earle SAUNDERS,
CBM, USNR, on Guam Attack, 8 Dec 1941

Date: 9 Aug 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Doc. Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: P. E. Saunders

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Violation Hague 3

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Saunders, made Captain of USS Y. P. 16 at Guam 8 Dec states that 0805 hours, 8 Dec (Guam time) Japanese planes dropped first bombs on GUAM.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2581

12 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified "Comparative Time Table Based on TOKYO Proceeding Eastward, Dec 7-8th". Prepared by P. E. SAUNDERS, CBI, USNR

Date: 8 Aug 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: P. E. Saunders

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Violation Hague 3

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Time table given in five minute gradations for easy comparison with times at various points, i.e. Pearl Harbor, Washington, Singapore, Hongkong, etc.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2582

12 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Extract translation from TOKUGAWA Yoshichika Diary dating from 17 July 37 to 28 Dec 37.

Date: 17 Jul 37- Original (x) Copy () Language:
28 Dec 37 Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: ATIS (Document Center)

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOKUGAWA, Yoshichika; SHIMIZU, Yukinosuke
OKAWA, Shumei; SATA; KAMAZI; FUJITA, Isamu; WACHI; HAMADA;
ARIMA; HASHIMOTO, Kingoro; SAWADA, Ken; KANEUCHI, Kysuke;
INCUYE; ISHIHARA; SHIONO; AKIYAMA, Sadasuke; JITSUKAWA,
Takijiro; KIDO

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE:

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Original document and 5 copies of extract translations.
Translations cover period between 17 July 37 and 28 Dec 37,
and are concerned mainly with release of OKAWA, Shumei, from
prison and comment re war in North China and the international
situation.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

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Doc. No. 2583

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: File of Messages, Diplomatic Reports from KASE, at BERNE, Switzerland

Date: May-Aug 1945 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Foreign Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USSR and USA

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Diplomatic messages sent from KASE, Japanese Minister to Switzerland concerning interchanges of messages between various belligerent powers and the Japanese Government, such as Red Cross messages, protests, etc., which would have to pass through Switzerland, that country being neutral.

Telegram from SHIMAMOTO to KUBO, Chief of Finance Ministry Foreign Fund Bureau, 11 Jun 1945.

A naval officer wanted to negotiate with "Sulzer" and three other companies to buy commodities for Japan which would be useful after the termination of the war under the term: (1) Most money to be paid immediately and the rest upon delivery at YOKOHAMA. (2) Delivery to be made as soon as possible after the war. (3) Until arrival at YOKOHAMA, the goods are the property of the Swiss companies. (4) A secret agreement will be contracted between representatives of the Japanese and Swiss companies.

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At first the purchase of engines, chronometers and other machines seemed doubtful, but later the price of 20 million yen was agreed upon. The plan may not be effective because there is danger of it being traced afterwards, and the Swiss companies might not keep their end of the agreement if and/or when the plan is discovered.

Telegrams concerning the "Treichber Incident" and Japanese treatment of Swiss nationals in BORNEO.

(Document also includes telegrams exchanged through Swiss government on negotiations for termination of hostilities.)

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Mimeographed Files: Re Areas of
Military Importance in Landings on KAMCHATKA Peninsula.
(2 Vols: Vol 3 and Vol 4)

Date: March 1941 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language:
Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒
Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Asahigawa

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This file is dated March 1941 and was compiled by the OTARU branch of the Transport Command of the Japanese Army. This volume deals with geographical investigations of the East Coast districts of the Kamchatka Peninsula.

The following items are investigated: terrain, inhabited zones, roads, communications, harbors, weather, sanitation, military affairs, customs and disposition of Russian officials. There are many outline maps, photos and sketches of this area, particularly of beaches and shorelines.

There are no actual plans for invasion.

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Doc. No. 2586

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed Book "The Spirit of Japanese Empire Soldiers" by ARAKI, Sadao

Date: Feb 27, 1933 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: ETAJIMA

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ARAKI, Sadao

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Instigation to aggressive warfare

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

ARAKI claims that the divine ancestors of the Japanese people had a purpose and a mission to build states. "It was the intention of our divine forefathers to create an ordered paradise out of chaos, and it has a profound significance that they made efforts to extend this ideal to countries all around." (pp. 2-7)

"(Japanese soldiers) gladly sacrifice their lives for the Emperor and the prosperity of Imperial Rule, and to their deaths with composure, shouting "Long live the Emperor."

"Our armed forces, in several wars in the past forty years, have always fought against superior enemy odds, and defeated them to win a final victory and enhance the glory and prestige of the Empire. The reason is nothing but the sanctity of the Supreme Command and the spiritual strength of our armed forces." (pp. 47-48)

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ARAKI calls upon the 3,000,000 reservists to "rise for the Holy War of National Spirit Enhancement", and help carry out the mission of assisting the Imperial Rule. (pp. 59-60)

"Our material armaments are inferior to those of many foreign nations, but we have in the past defeated materially superior enemies with our spiritual strength." (p. 67)

"Our progress which began under the Emperor Meiji began to stagnate and became de-enervated. The main reason was the self-conceit of the nation, which caused the people to forget past hardships and run after vain enjoyments. It was a special providence that the Manchurian Incident caused the nation to return to a consciousness of its true self." (pp. 69-71)

"The maintenance of our rights and interests in Manchuria and Mongolia is not a move to secure resources, but it is the beginning of propagating the Imperial way on the continent." (pp. 74-75)

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: "Greater East Asia Declarations",
filed by Chief of Political Affairs, 1st Section, Information
Board, and marked "Secret".

Date: 6 Dec 42- Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese
25 Oct 43

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Foreign Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: AOKI, Kazuo (as Minister, Greater East
Asia Affairs)

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Propaganda, Greater
East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

pp. 1-9 contain draft of Greater East Asia Declaration
prepared by 1st Section, 1st Dept, Information Bureau on
6 Dec 42, with note stating that this draft was prepared to
provide referential guidance data in event that such a
declaration might be made later. (Dec 1942)

pp. 10-250 contain material re and drafts of Greater
East Asia Declarations prepared by various bureaus and
organizations.

pp. 251-7 contain texts of Greater East Asia Joint
Declaration in Japanese, English, and French.

pp. 258-263 outline propaganda program for Greater East
Asia Joint Declaration, prepared jointly by Information Bureau
and Greater East Asia Ministry, 25 Oct 43.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Document concerning Censorship of Published Articles Demanding Drastic Change of Japanese Administrative Organization in MANCHUKUO, by Chief of Police Board, Home Ministry

Date: 15 Oct. 34 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Ministry of Justice

PERSONS IMPLICATED: GOTO, Fumio (As Home Minister)

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Control of Press; Aggression MANCHUKUO; Preparing Public Opinion for War

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Contents

1. Requests cooperation of heads of all prefectures and governments in censorship and prohibition of articles re administrative organizational change in MANCHUKUO.
2. Lists newspapers put under ban re change of administration in MANCHUKUO and reason.
3. Examples of published articles banned.
4. Lists newspapers who received cautionary messages re published articles.

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Doc. No. 2589

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Mineographed booklet, "Personnel Directory of Greater East Asiatic Affairs Ministry" published by Greater East Asia Ministry

Date: 1 Nov 42 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Foreign Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: YAMAMOTO, Kumaichi, AOKI, Kazuo

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Greater East Asia Ministry

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Complete personnel directory listing names and positions of members of various sections and bureaus of Greater East Asiatic Affairs Ministry. (Complete translation of members names and their positions is enclosed within document)

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Miscellaneous Reports re Political Situation of Central Govt in China

Date: 1928-40 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Foreign Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: SUZUKI, Yasutaro; OKAZAKI, Kazuo; MORITA, Kanzo; MARUYAMA, Tsurukichi; ADACHI, Kenzo; TANAKA, Baron Giichi; SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru; SHIDELARA, Kijuro

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE:
Background, China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

File contains miscellaneous reports from Japanese officials in China and Manchuria to their superiors, and from prefectural governors in Japan to Home and Foreign Ministers re political situations especially concerning Central Govt in China. Included are reports concerning the activities of KUOMINTANG and other organizations against Chinese Govt in NANKING, Chinese communists, and Chinese war lords in North China.

(Detailed scanner's notes and translations attached; files section please note for inclusion therein.)

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Doc. No. 2591

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed book "YUSHU" containing monthly reports compiled by Naval Ministry Secretariat.

Date: 24 Dec 40 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial University, Tokyo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ABE, Nobuo; TOSHIRO, Kaku

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Germany and USA; Preparing Public Opinion for War

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Book is compilation of monthly reports by Naval Ministry Secretariat, concerning wide range of topics of naval interest pertaining to various countries of world.

The January number carries a report by Captain ABE, Nobuo, entitled "Meaning of, and Determination by, Tri-Partite Pact". Following quotes are taken from this article: "Japan should establish new order in East; Germany and Italy in Europe".

"In case things should assume serious aspect, Art III should be put into operation; we should prepare ourselves for fighting in Pacific by our own single effort. Now all Japanese people should have a thorough knowledge of the sea and prepare for a time of national crisis."

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March number carries report by Commander TASHIRO, Kaku, entitled "New Order of World and Japanese Navy" from which following quotes are taken:

"Even before conclusion of this Pact, U.S. interfered in our continental policy as greatest country aiding CHIANG KAI SHEK, and now she has turned to be as hostile toward Japan as a belligerent power."

"Japan possesses both naval and military strength and is the only country having this important mission of establishing a new order in the world."

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed book, 111 pp.: "Medical Investigations of Opium Smoking" by Asia Development Board, Central China Liaison Board

Date: 1 May 1941 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: East Asia Research Institute

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Opium Trade, China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This document is a thorough and factual examination of the use of opium in China.

According to English investigations, the percentage of persons smoking opium in China is 30 to 40 percent of overall population, and 40 to 50 percent of the population in major cities. Here a list of reasons why people take to the habit. Almost all people above 20 in the cities are opium smokers. (pp. 1-2)

In opium producing localities, the price of opium is very low, and people can get it easily, so the percentage of addicts is high. In non-producing localities like North China, opium addicts are as low as 4 or 5 percent. We conclude from the above facts that the opium habit is spread throughout the country. Many charts and graphs re special localities are included. (pp. 3-17)

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Investigation of the causes of opium smoking. (pp. 18-25)
Investigation of Special Symptoms of Opium Addicts and effects of the habit on their families. (pp. 26-34)

Opinions of Society and Relatives of Opium Addicts re the habit. (pp. 35-38)

Effects of Opium Smoking on Society. (pp. 38-49)

Opinions of addicts re Curing the Habit. (pp. 50-55)

Index cards used to keep case history of opium addicts in NANKING, Aug 1940. Investigation conducted jointly by a Chinese doctor and a Japanese doctor named SAKAI, Yoshio. Dr. SAKAI was the leader of the Anti-Opium Bureau of the Interior. (pp. 56-58)

Investigations of patients in NANKING Municipal Anti-Opium Institute in May. Number of Opium Houses in NANKING is about 200. There were 4,505 addicts in the city, a percentage of 1.02 percent (p. 65). Proceeds at opium houses estimated at 7,750 Yuan per day. (p. 66) Investigation of heroin addicts. (pp. 67-68)

Handling of the opium situation in HANKOW, WUCHANG and WUHAN. About same as NANKING. Addicts must get permission of the anti-opium board. Those who smoke without registering are severely punished. (p. 80) "Before the Chinese Incident, opium smoking was strictly prohibited and seemingly suppressed. But after the Incident addicts increased until the Anti-Opium Board was set up. Opium was imported from SZECHWAN province, but after the Anti-Opium Board was set up last year, importation of opium was strictly prohibited,....However when establishing municipal governments, opium was sold as a source of revenue, and taxes were collected by registering /the addicts/. The anti-opium board requested the Special Service Agency (TOKUMU-KIKAN) which in turn requested the army to buy opium from North China and Mongolia. Opium thus obtained was given to the anti-opium board, which sold it to merchants, opium houses, and the army at the front. From these sources it comes into the hands of the general public." (p. 81)

In Feb 1939, 15,000 Tael's of opium were consumed, in March, 30,000, April, 40,000, May and June, 50,000. (p. 82)

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"At the rate of 30 YUAN per TAEI, monthly (taxes on opium) come to 150,000,000 Chinese Dollars in HANKOW, WUCHANG and WUHAN." (p. 83)

There are more than 360 licensed opium houses in HANKOW. (p. 83)

"According to the anti-opium board, there are about 4,000 addicts registered in HANKOW. The greater part of them are merchants." (p. 84)

Use of drugs other than opium is suppressed. (p. 85)

A chart listing 11 Anti-Opium Boards and the number of opium houses under jurisdiction of each. (p. 99)

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Doc. No. 2593

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Collection of photostats of Japanese Government messages intercepted, decrypted, and translated by War and Navy Dept personnel. Certified as accurate and authenticated by Carter W. CLARKE, Col. G.S.C.

Date: 2 Jul 41- Original () Copy (x) Language: English
8 Dec 41

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: United States War Dept, General Staff, Intelligence Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: NOMURA, Kichisaburo; TOYODA, Teijiro; OSHIMA, Hiroshi; TOGO, Shigenori

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Jap-American negotiations Relations with Germany and Italy

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Item 1. 2 July; Circular 1390 re "Principal Points in Imperial Policy for Coping with Changing Situation" decided at conference held in Imperial presence. (In 2 parts)

Item 2. 14 July; No. 255 re information from military officials to attaches in CANTON pertaining to plans for invading French Indo-China and crushing Anglo-American assistance in southern areas.

Item 3. 31 July; No. 433; 4 parts; re Imperial Govt policy and views especially concerning Germany and Russia.

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Item 4. 27 Sep; No. 865; 10 parts; Washington to Tokyo reporting progress of Jap-American negotiations and U.S. maintenance of her proposals of 21 June.

Item 5. 8 Oct; No. 907; parts 1 and 4 of four; Washington (NOMURA) to Tokyo re NOMURA's views of progress of Jap-American negotiations.

Item 6. 16 Oct; No. 671; TOKYO (TOYODA) to Washington re German demand that Jap Govt give U.S. notification of existence of belligerent situation if U.S. continues to attack Axis powers increasingly.

Item 7. 18 Oct; listed as "CA"; NOMURA to TOKYO re NOMURA's desire to return to Japan to report progress of Jap-American negotiations.

Item 8. 4 Nov; No. 725; 3 parts; TOKYO to Washington re counter-proposal for resumption of Jap-American negotiations.

Item 9. 4 Nov; No. 726; 4 parts; TOKYO to Washington re Proposal "A", the revised ultimatum to U.S. to meet as far as possible, American wishes based upon proposals of 25 Sep.

Item 10. 5 Nov; No. 735; TOKYO to Washington re submission of Proposal "A" and announcement that if this is declined, Proposal "B" will be submitted as final proposal.

Item 11. 5 Nov; No. 736; TOKYO to Washington setting 25 Nov as deadline for completing Jap-American negotiations.

Item 12. 11 Nov; No. 764; 3 parts; TOKYO to Washington re Jap-American negotiations and their relationship to Great Britain.

Item 13. 14 Nov; Circular 2319; TOKYO to HONGKONG re Japan's foreign policy as pertaining to CHINA if Jap-American negotiations fail.

Item 14. 14 Nov; No. 1090; NOMURA to TOKYO reporting that American policy in Pacific is to stop any further Japanese moves northward or southward.

Item 15. 16 Nov; Army 24878; TOKYO to Washington urging that NOMURA do his best to bring about immediate solution to Jap-American negotiations.

Item 16. 19 Nov; No. 1136; Washington to TOKYO, re three ways Empire might take re policy with U.S.

Item 17. No. 812; 22 Nov; TOKYO to Washington stating that deadline for completion of negotiations will be extended to 29 Nov.

Item 18. 22 Nov; No. 815; TOKYO to Washington stating that Anti-Comintern agreement will be extended 5 years.

Item 19. 25 Nov; No. 118; HANOI to TOKYO re Japanese advance into THAILAND if Jap-American negotiations fail.

Item 20. 26 Nov; No. 1180; NOMURA and KURUSU to TOKYO re proposal for exchange of wires between U.S. and Japan hoping for cooperation in Pacific.

Item 21. 26 Nov; No. 1190; NOMURA to TOKYO re discouraging aspect of Jap-American negotiations.

Item 22. 29 Nov; No. 1393; BERLIN to TOKYO re meeting between Jap Ambassador and VON RIBBENTROP.

Item 23. 30 Nov; No. 985; TOKYO to BERLIN requesting that HITLER and VON RIBBENTROP be given a summary of Jap-American negotiations.

Item 24. 30 Nov; No. 986; TOKYO to BERLIN re Jap-America negotiations and stating that U.S. has decided to regard Japan along with Germany and Italy, as an enemy.

Item 25. 30 Nov; Telephone from Washington (KURUSU) to TOKYO (YAMAMOTO) re plans to see HULL and notification of ROOSEVELT's return to Washington.

Item 26. 30 Nov; No. 1222; NOMURA to TOKYO re publication in America of TOJO's speech of 30 Nov.

Item 27. 30 Nov; No. 866; TOKYO to Washington relating that TOJO made no speech on 30 Nov and that it actually was composed by Business Office of Asia Development League (KOA DOMEI) against whom measures will be taken.

Item 28. 1 Dec; No. 865; TOKYO to Washington stating "to prevent U.S. from becoming unduly suspicious we have been

advising the press and others that though there are some wide differences, the negotiations are continuing".

Item 29. 1 Dec; No. 1226; Washington to TOKYO re belief of many in America that Japanese Govt will resort to strong measures.

Item 30. 1 Dec; No. 1227; Washington to TOKYO stating belief that U.S. wishes to continue negotiations.

Item 31. 1 Dec; No. 1230; Washington to TOKYO stating causes why American sentiment has been aroused against Japan and listing TOJO's speech as one of the causes.

Item 32. 2 Dec, Cir. 2445; TOGO to HAVANA re immediate measures to be taken (burning of telegraph codes.)

Item 33. 2 Dec; No. 1232; NOMURA to TOKYO re events of interview with WELLES and expressing opinion U.S. is desirous of reaching a solution through negotiation.

Item 34. 2 Dec; No. 512; CANTON to TOKYO stating that preparations are ready if hostilities begin.

Item 35. 3 Dec; No. 985; ROME to TOKYO re meeting with MUSSOLINI and CIANO re development of Jap-U.S. negotiations.

Item 36. 3 Dec; No. 878; TOKYO to Washington re to ominous tone of U.S. newspaper and radio comments.

Item 37. 3 Dec; No. 1256; NOMURA to TOKYO re TOKYO to send a reply giving clearer impression of Japan's peaceful intentions.

Item 38. 4 Dec; No. 909; TOKYO to HESINKING re steps MANCHUKUO will take if hostilities begin.

Item 39. 6 Dec; No. 899; TOGO to Washington stating that U.S. has "occupied" NETHERLANDS GULANA and will no longer hesitate to use arms.

Item 40. 6 Dec; No. 1003; TOKYO to BERLIN stating Japan would like to avoid bringing about any situation likely to result in an armed clash with Soviet Russia "until strategic circumstances permit it".

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Item 41. 7 Dec; Cir. 2499; Parts 1 and 3 of three; re steps to be taken in China if international crisis develops.

Item 42. 7 Dec; No. 907; TOKYO to Washington re Japanese reply to U.S. be submitted at 1:00 P.M., 7 Dec; Washington time.

Item 43. 8 Dec 41; No. 1437; BERLIN to TOKYO stating that Jap Ambassador had called on RIBBENTROP at 1:00 P.M., 8 Dec. requesting Germany and Italy to issue formal declaration of war on America at once.

(A.N. Originals of most of the above may also be found in IPS Doc. No. 906.)

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: File of 'Documents Dispatched or Received since Aug 45 by M. P. Unit for KAGOSHIMA Area'.

Date: August-Sep 45 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: KANAZAWA

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Violation Potsdam Declaration Acceptance

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

File of documents dispatched or received by M.P. Unit for KAGOSHIMA Area covers wide range of topics. Significant are instructions received re disposition of documents which might be harmful if they fell into enemy hands and instructions ordering maintenance of public peace, such as the following:

Item No. (1) Instructions for the disposition of Documents, issued by M.P. GHQ, Chief of Staff, Aug. 14, 1945.

Such documents as will be harmful when they fall into the hands of the enemy, for example, documents concerning foreign counter-intelligence, thought, public peace, materials by which national power may be estimated, secret history (such as February 26th Incident) should be burned up as soon as possible. On the other hand, code-books, black-list of the leftists, accounts, personnel records, etc., are all right.

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Item No. (3) A telegram dated Aug. 14, 1945 addressed to various army units by the MP General Headquarters Chief of Staff.

Instructions on the technique of burning up documents.

Item No. (15) A notice of MP General Headquarters Chief of Staff giving special warning that the destruction of secret documents, be strictly observed. (Aug 20, 1945)

Item Nos. (33) and (34) Notice of the classification of documents into three categories: those to be preserved, those to be burned up, those to be prepared for burning up.

The documents to be burned up are of the following kinds:

Police Affair Documents, A-class.

Police Affair Documents, B-class.

Special Service Diaries.

Issued by the senior staff of the MP Headquarters for the Western District dated Aug 27, 1945.

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Doc. No. 2595

20 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certificate of MIYAMA, Yozo, of First Demobilization Bureau on Documents Relating to Planning of War Against USSR

Date: 7 Aug 1946 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: First Demobilization Ministry, Imperial Japanese Government

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KWANTUNG Army; Japanese General Staff

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

MIYAMA, Chief of Correspondence Section of First Demobilization Bureau, states that all files of Japanese General Staff bearing on planning of war against USSR (OTSU and KAN-TOKU-EN Plans) as well as correspondence between Tokyo and Kwantung and Korean Armies on same subject are not now in possession of the First Demobilization Bureau.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

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Doc. No. 2596

20 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Full translation of Amendments (1 Apr 42)
to Organization of the War Ministry (18 Dec 08)

Date: (see above) Original () Copy (x) Language: English
and Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: A.T.I.S.

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: War Ministry Organization
and Responsibility

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Amendments to Organization of War Ministry (18 Dec 08) are known as Imperial Ordinance No. 300; 1942, effective on and after 1 Apr 42. The amendments give Minister of War general control over all military and civilian personnel attached to Army, and supervision over various departments under its jurisdiction. (Art 1) Article VI establishes following seven bureaus in War Ministry, and delineates the area of their responsibility.

Bureau of Personnel (JINJI KYOKU)
Military Affairs Bureau (GUNMU KYOKU)
Military Administration Bureau (HEIMU KYOKU)
Economic Mobilization Bureau (SEIBI KYOKU)
Intendence Bureau (KEIRI KYOKU)
Medical Bureau (JIMU KYOKU)
Judicial Bureau (HONU KYOKU)

Article X establishes Army Affairs Section and Military Affairs Section in the Military Affairs Bureau.

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Article XI enumerates controls given to the Army Affairs Section and Article XII the controls given the Military Affairs Section.

Article XIII establishes the Military Administration Section, Military Preparations Section, Defense Section, Horse Administration and Veterinary Section in the Military Administration Bureau.

Article XIV lists the controls granted the Military Administration Section; Article XV those granted Military Preparations Section; Article XVI those granted Defense Section; Article XXIII those granted to the Judicial Bureau.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of SHIRAO, Kanjo, re Delay in Delivery of Foreign Telegrams by Direction of Japanese Govt.

Date: 18 Aug 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English and Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: SHIRAO, Kanjo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOMURA, Morio; SHIRAO, Kanjo

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USA

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Affidavit relates that during Nov and Dec 41, SHIRAO was in charge of the department of Censorship, a section of the Ministry of Communications, and that beginning on 29 Nov 41 and extending through 8 Dec 41, he received orders delaying delivery of foreign telegrams for a period ranging from 5 to 15 hours. Finally on 8 Dec 41, he received orders stopping entirely all communications with foreign countries. Involved in the issuance of the above mentioned orders were LtCol TOMURA, Morio; Mr. NAKAYAMA, Chief of Foreign Telegram Section of Telecommunication Bureau; Col. MURAKAMI of War Ministry.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

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Doc. No. 2598

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Handwritten and mimeographed: Research re Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere and Plan of First Period of Total War for the construction of East Asia. Prepared by Total War Research Institute.

Date: Jan 1942 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Total War Research Institute

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Britain, USA, and USSR; Planning aggressive warfare; Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This document is a record of policies decided at the 9th and 10th conferences of the Total War Research Institute. No names are mentioned, and the only date to be found is 14 Jan 1942. It outlines Japan's grandiose schemes of conquest in the years following the war.

Fundamental Principles: Establishment of a new order in East Asia on the principle of unification of the world under Japanese Emperor; liberation of East Asia from western rule; awakening of oriental culture opposing that of the West; collaboration of East Asia nations under Japan's leadership. (p. 1)

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The G.E.A. Co-Prosperity Sphere's area will be decided from viewpoints such as defence, resources, race, culture, etc. For the time being, the sphere will include the following territories: Japan, Manchukuo, China, French Indo-China, Thailand, Philippines, N. E. I., Malay, British East India, Burma, Eastern Siberia and the Pacific Islands. India, Australia and New Zealand will be included later. (p. 2)

In collaboration with other nations of the sphere, Japan will secure a basic line to defend the whole territory of the sphere. Japan will secure points necessary for that defence. (p. 3)

Diplomacy: Fundamental principle is to establish peace of the world based on co-prosperity of East Asia. Japan will direct this diplomacy and have other nations cooperate. (p. 3)

Political Establishment: States established by Japan are to be dependant on Japanese policy. (p. 4)

Economic Establishment: Development of natural resources to be used for national defence. Establishment of a currency system based on the YEN. (p. 5)

Relationship with other spheres: Other spheres must recognize Japan's authority in the Greater East Asia Sphere. (p. 7)

Conditions and general principles to be followed for the next five years. (p. 8-20)

Measures to be taken by Japan: The establishment of the Co-Prosperity Sphere will be completed by developing our political, economic, ideological and diplomatic powers. (p. 15)

Principles of dealing with the outside of the co-prosperity sphere: Destruction of hostile power and capture of strategic points such as Midway, Howland Island, New Caledonia, Port Darwin, Bismarck Islands, Cocos Isles and important areas in Burma, Kanchatka, and Far Eastern Russia. Australia and India must be isolated. (p. 19)

Security of supply lines within the sphere and research on the feelings of native races towards Japan are necessary. A vigorous strengthening of the power of the sphere is necessary. (p. 19-20)

Conditions and principles for action in the following twenty years: When the war is over, an autarchy will be established in the East Asia Sphere including India and Australia. In military and political affairs Japan will be the leader of this sphere. The world will be divided into the following blocs: East Asia Sphere, American Sphere, European and African Sphere, and Soviet Sphere. (p. 21)

Armament for the next five years: We will try to expend our military strength sparingly in the South Seas and in China, and will concentrate our preparations against Russia. Size of the army will be doubled. We will have 10,000 planes ready for action and an annual production output of 20,000 (including navy planes). Tanks: 5,000 ready, 20,000 annual production. (p. 26)

Naval armament will be sufficient to destroy British and American fleets dispatched to the West Pacific or Indian Oceans. (p. 29)

Scientific objectives for the following twenty years: Japan's techniques will be based on East Asia resources, and Japan's science will be developed above the level of world science. "Efforts will be made to invent new weapons, and we will prepare for a final and decisive world war." (p. 34)

Economic aims in the twenty years thereafter: We want a supply of 20,000,000 tons of steel for World War III armaments. (p. 50)

Financial objectives for the five year period: The national income should be increased following securing of Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere. We will expand our armed strength in anticipation of a decisive naval battle on a large scale against America and England and action or preparation for action against Russia. (Here are given figures on uses of government funds in 1941 and expected amounts to be spent in 1946. The 1946 totals are thirty percent to 100% larger. pp. 60-61) (p. 56-61)

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Financial objectives for the twenty year period: The national income will probably increase greatly in the twenty years hereafter because of investments in the Co-Prosperity Sphere. We must prepare for another great war against Europe and America, and the main strength of our finances should be turned to war expenditures. (p. 61-63)

Analyst: Lt Wilds

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Doc. No. 2599

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certificates Authenticating and Identifying Publishers of "TOKYO Gazette"

Date: Aug 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Cabinet Secretariat; Document Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE:

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Certificates establishing (a) Source and authenticity of copies of "TOKYO Gazette", and (b) That the publication of same from July 1937 to March 1942 was at all times supervised and articles therein approved by Japanese governmental agencies.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2599

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2600

23 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Imperial Rescript on Occasion of
Tripartite Pact

Date: 27 Sep 1940 Original () Copy (x) Language:
Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

IJG, Imperial Household Ministry

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: IJG

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki; MATSUOKA, Yosuke; HASHIDA,
Kunihiko; KAWADA, Retsu; KONOYE, Prince Fumimaro

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Germany
and Italy

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Rescript hails collaboration with Germany and Italy
"Who have similar objectives with the Empire".

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2601

26 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Carbon-copied Lists of Members of
Opium Committee of Ministry of Public Welfare, 1931-1938

Date: 1946 Original () Copy (x) Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Ministry of Public Welfare, IJG

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: IJG, CLO

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KIDO, Koichi

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Opium

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Merely lists names of members of Opium Committees according to date of meeting. Marquis KIDO, Koichi, is identified as present and chairman of the Twelfth Opium Committee, 12 November 1938.

Committees generally consist of twenty members and chairman.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2602

26 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: "Urgent Counter-plans for SINGAPORE", published by KOKUSAKU KENKYUKAI (National Policy Research Institute)

Date: 13 Sep 40 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: KOKUSAKU KENKYUKAI (National Policy Research Institute)

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for war

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Gist of this plan is that Japan would greatly regret losing her leadership and opportunities for advancement in South Seas; consequently it is advocated that Japan attack and invade SINGAPORE promptly as a step in Japan's plans to rule over not only the South Seas, but also British Malaya; Dutch East Indies; Burma; and Siam.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

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Doc. No. 2603

26 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed book "Wartime Economic Life" by KAYA, Okinobu, published by Today's Problems Publishing Company

Date: 18 Sep 1938 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial Library, Tokyo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KAYA, Okinobu

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War, Economic; Economic Aggression

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Book deals mainly with Japan's economic prowess and plans for improvement of her economic structure in war. List of contents follows:

A. The Question of Japan's Economic Power (pp. 13-26)

1. War with force of arms and economic warfare (pp. 13-18)

"We have been very patient with the Chinese. However, since they have shown no signs of repentance, we can't endure it any longer. We must make them reflect upon themselves by dealing a heavy blow upon them."

2. How strong is Japan's economic power? (pp.18-22)

"It is estimated that we are able to shoulder a war expenditure of at least 20,000,000,000 yen."

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3. The main problem of war-time financial economy.
(pp. 22-24)

"The demands of the Army and Navy must be satisfied first of all. Material, capital, and labor must be concentrated upon supplies of the Army and Navy and on industries closely connected with national defense. Export and import also should be regulated."

4. Regulation of funds and import. (pp. 24-26)

"In order that all materials may be concentrated for the purpose of war, the new law for regulating funds and imports was promulgated."

B. Necessity for National Economy Having Definite Plan. (pp. 27-38)

1. Necessary to institute many new institutions and facilities within the scope of nation's economic capabilities.

a. A systematic plan of collaboration must be drawn up between Japan and MANCHUKUO to increase productivity, balance export and import, and regulate the demand and supply of materials.

b. Not necessary to reduce exchange standard.

c. Necessary to re-estimate value of gold.

C. Three Principles of Financial Economy. (pp. 41-56)

1. Establishment of concrete plans for increasing productive ability.

2. Establishment of plans to maintain equilibrium between incoming and outgoing foreign trade.

3. Establishment of appropriate plans to meet demand and supply of materials.

D. Financial and Economic Policies of the Day. (pp. 57-94)

1. Policies aim toward harmonizing material and money in fields of economy and finance.

E. Financial Economy Behind the Gun and Cooperation of the People. (pp.95-132)

1. Review of progress since Russo-Japanese War.
2. Assertion that Japan can endure a war costing 20,000,000,000 yen for two years under a war time system upon establishment of:
 - a. Adjustment of funds
 - b. Control of business
 - c. Encouragement of export
 - d. Speedy consumption of public bonds
 - e. Maintenance of rate of exchange
3. Cooperation of people can be gained in two ways.
 - a. Through positive cooperation in business.
 - b. Economizing in expenditures.

F. Adjustment of Funds and Financial Policies. (pp.133-148)

G. Prolonged Warfare and Service to Country in Economic Fields. (pp. 149-191)

1. People must save money and deposit this in banks.
2. People must economize in rate of consumption.

H. Advocacy of war-time Economic Morale. (pp. 195-205)

I. Warfare and National Deposits. (pp. 207-227)

J. The Way of Serving the Country by Means of Deposits. (230-258)

K. Women Behind the Gun. (pp. 260-273)

"It is the women's duty to take care of consumption. They must realize that their economy in the home is directly connected with national economy."

1. A list of important materials in the use of which economy must be practiced is given.

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Doc. Nos. 2604-2605

29 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Newspapers "Japan Advertiser", Tokyo.
(Article "Army Explains War Bill", an outline of the National
Mobilization Law)

Date: May 19 and 20, Original (x) Copy () Language:
1938 English

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial Library, Tokyo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki (As Vice Minister of War)

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War,
Military

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Explanatory article, "text of a pamphlet issued by the
War Department", emphasizes all-embracing nature of the
Mobilization Bill. Acquisition of a stockpile of materials,
Government finance control, and scientific elements are
emphasized. Reason for the law is to enable Japan "to
demonstrate national power most effectively for defense".

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May 20 Issue - Doc. No. 2605

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2606

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Outline of Apportionment and Supply of Specific Resources decided by the General Mobilization Scheme applicable to the China Incident. Prepared by the Resources Bureau. Marked "Top Secret"

Date: 16 Sep 37 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: First Demobilization (Army) Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Japanese Chinese relations; Economic Aggression against China; Preparation for War, Economic

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

A. Chapter I and II General Rules

Article 1 - This outline shall decide the skeleton of apportionment and supply of specific resources according to the General Mobilization Scheme (decided by the Cabinet on Sep 2) applicable to the CHINA Incident.

Article 2 - This outline shall be decided upon the following resources.

- a. Steel materials
- b. Zinc sheets
- c. Other ferrous and non-ferrous metals
- d. Petroleum products

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Article 3 - The applicable period of this outline shall be for six months starting from 1 August 1937 to 31 January 1938.

Article 4 - The amounts of demand and supply shall be classified and calculated as follows:

1. Demand:

- a). Demand by Army and Navy (hereafter called military demand)
- b). Domestic demand (hereafter called civilian demand)
- c). Total amount of demand (Total of a) and b))

2. Supply:

- a). Total production
- b). Possible supply amount at present (i.e. as at July 20)
- c). Total amount of supply (Total of a) and b))

(pp. 1-5)

Article 5 - Comparison table.

B. Chapter III Plan for supplying the deficit

Article 7 - Plan of supplying the deficit by importation shall be as follows: (T.N. Imports from Manchuria to supply deficit) (pp. 6-9)

Article 9 - (Plan of supplying the deficit by curtailment)

C. Chapter IV Distribution Plan

Article 12 - The distribution shall be carried out in accordance with Articles 9, 10, and 11 of Chapter III of the basic outline and generally in the following manner:

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1. Preference shall be given to military demand.
2. Next preference shall be accorded to the demand required for production of ammunition and next comes the demand required by the government offices.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Magazine "DAI TOA SHINBUNKAI", Vol I
(Greater East Asia Press Federation)

Date: Nov 1944 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese
English
& others

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL:

PERSONS IMPLICATED: KOISO, Kuniaki

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Propaganda Warfare

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Magazine contains information that the Greater East Asia Press Federation is a union of newspapers constituted by 100 odd leading newspapers in all regions of Greater East Asia whose main objective lies in "launching of a great thought war by total mobilization of vigorous publicity power characteristic of the press for the promotion of prosperity of East Asia and for construction of a Co-prosperity Sphere". Details of construction, management, activities, organization, and regulations of the federation are given. Among the various articles submitted by men from all parts of Greater East Asia, is a congratulatory message (p.54) upon the inauguration of this federation by KOISO, Kuniaki, then Prime Minister of Japan. Excerpts from this address follow:

(p.54, English Section) "Needless to say, the current war is a war of Justice, for it is being waged for the sole aim of liberating the entire sphere of Greater East Asia from the aggression and invasion of the United States and Britain

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and of constructing Asia for the Asiatics. The ignominious history of the political and economic aggression and encroachment of Greater East Asia by the United States, Britain and Holland cannot be recalled without a sense of resentment and indignation, for these imperialistic countries have hypnotized in the name of civilization the Asiatic peoples into believing that they are a constellation of subject nations; deprived them of the happiness and welfare which rightfully belong to them; trampled under their hobnailed boots the true position of the Asiatic peoples and prevented them from collaborating with each other. The War of Greater East Asia has, however, awakened every one of the Asiatic peoples to the truth that Asia is one and further led them to rise to their feet jointly to crush the Anglo-American aggression as well as to build up a new order in Greater East Asia. This is certainly a great March forward unparalleled in history. In order, however, for all the Asiatic peoples to go courageously on their warpath hand in hand against their common foe, they must be fully cognizant of the destiny and reality of Asia and at the same time they must be tied together firmly by strong bonds of mutual trust. It is, indeed, based on such cognition and bonds of mutual trust that all the principles embodied in the Joint Declaration of Greater East Asiatic Nations, the great historic character, can be powerfully propelled toward realization of our object of reconstruction of Asia, through the accomplishment of the conduct of war. It is, therefore, the common duties of all the newspaper men of Greater East Asia to knit more closely together these bonds among all the nations of Greater East Asia....."

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Doc. No. 2608

29 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed book "Report on Japan-MANCHUKUO-China Economic Council" compiled by Secretariat of Japan-MANCHUKUO-China Economic Council

Date: 30 May 39 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: East Asia Research Institute, Tokyo

PERSONS IMPLICATED: HOSEINO, Naoki; KAYA, Okinoru; GODO, Takuo

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Economic Aggression; Relations with China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Contains report of proceedings of Japan-MANCHUKUO-China Economic Council including speeches by important figures such as GODO, Takuo. Significant among these proceedings are the following:

Former Minister of Finance KAYA, Okinoru, was elected the chairman of the Economic Conference of Japan-MANCHUKUO-China, by the Preparation Committee on 2 Nov 1938. Meetings were held at Tokyo, Osaka, Hiroshima, Moji and Hsinking successively.

At the Moji meeting of 30 Nov 1938, the chairman KAYA, Okinori was quoted as saying -- (p.307) "The goal of our expedition in the present Chinese Incident is to do away with the anti-Japanese-pro-Communist policy in which Chinese National Government persists; establish a new order which will

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maintain permanent peace in East Asia, and ultimately contribute to universal peace.

"This new order can be established upon the foundation of mutual cooperation in national defense, politics, culture and economics between Japan, Manchukuo and China.

"Speaking of economical relations, it is a constructive labor to exploit natural resources that we want to hand down to posterity."

HOSHINO, Naoki, at the Asinking meeting of 3 Dec was quoted as saying -- (pp. 347-348) ".....Therefore, in our endeavor of establishing a new order in East Asia, the circumstances do not admit of a day's idleness nor a moment's indolence. The Manchurian Incident is now in a stage of prolonged constructive warfare, and we must cope with the long, exhausting warfare our enemy is planning by means of unsparing punishment on the one hand, and assiduous, constructive management on the other.

"To conquer all difficulties we encounter and to build the first step in our management plan of new East Asia is the only way by which we can console the souls of the victims who died in this Manchurian Incident....."

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Doc. No. 2609

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: File of Various Documents Regarding Sino-Japanese Joint Declaration of War and Sino-Japanese Agreements for Cooperation in War, compiled by First Section of Treaty Bureau

Date: 1942-3 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Foreign Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki; TANI, Masayuki; AOKI, Kazuo; SHIGEMITSU, Mamoru; others

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Sino-Japanese relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

I. Record of Debates at the Privy Council Committee Meeting concerning the Sino-Japanese Joint Declaration and Sino-Japanese Agreement. 8 Jan 1943.

1. Four documents concerning the execution of the retrocession of concessions and relinquishment of extra-territorial rights. Drafted 15 Feb 1943.

II. Documents concerned with negotiations with China.

1. Message handed from President Wang Ching-wei to Premier TOJO on 21 Dec 1942.

In this message Wang says that China would participate in the war in cooperation with Japan.

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2. Instructions issued from Foreign Minister TANI and Greater East Asia Minister AOKI to Ambassador SHIGEMITSU to China on 29 Dec 1942 ordering opening of negotiations to conclude various agreements with the National Government of China.

3. General plan for dealing with the agreements to be concluded with the National Government of China when China participates in the war. (no date)

(a) Joint declaration of Japan and China concerning cooperation for the prosecution of the war.

(b) Abandonment of Japan's concessions in China.

(c) Transferral of the Shanghai International Settlement and Amoy International Settlement.

(d) Japan's mediation in the relinquishing of the French and Italian concessions in China.

(e) Transferral of Japanese legation's quarters in Peking.

(f) Relinquishment of extraterritorial rights.

(g) Transactions in enemy property in China.

4. Records of the talks of Premier TOJO and President Wang in December 1942.

(a) Record of the talk on 21 Dec 1942.

Appendix (1) Message handed from Wang to TOJO in which WANG expresses that China would participate in the war.

(2) Outline of TOJO's talk to Wang, in which TOJO approves of WANG's statement that China will participate in war and suggests this be done after middle of January 1943.

5. Documents concerning China's participation in the war and the ensuing retrocession of concessions and relinquishment of extraterritorial rights.

Most of these documents are instructions and reports exchanged between Foreign Minister TANI and Ambassador SEIGEMITSU to China.

Among these documents the following included:

Draft of the declaration of the Imperial Japanese Government concerning China's participation in the war.

Statement of Prime Minister TOJO concerning China's participation in the war in which TOJO expresses his respects to China and his resolution to continue prosecution of Pacific War by any and all means.

Draft of the joint declaration of Japan and China concerning cooperation for the prosecution of the war.

Draft of the agreement between Japan and China concerning the withdrawal of concessions and relinquishment of extraterritorial rights.

Draft of the extracts from the records of debates in which Japan assures China of positive cooperation in carrying on the war.

Explanatory document on the joint declaration of Japan and China concerning the cooperation for the prosecution of the war and the agreement between Japan and China concerning the withdrawal of concessions and relinquishment of extraterritorial rights.

III. Documents concerned with the negotiations with Germany, Italy and France from 31 Dec 1942 to 12 Feb 1943. The content of these documents is classified as follows:

1. To inform to the said three countries of China's participation in the war and the steps taken by Japan thereafter.

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2. To request Italy and France to follow Japan's example (relinquishing concessions, etc.)

IV. Documents concerned with Manchukuo, Mongolia and Thailand, from 2 Jan 1943 to 18 Mar 1943. In these documents Japan informed the said three countries of China's participation in the war and of Japan's steps. (Taken in connection therewith)

V. Documents concerning repercussions in foreign countries.

These documents may be classified as follows:

1. Reports from Japanese diplomats abroad on reactions to China's participation in the war in foreign countries.

2. "Source Documents on Reactions in Foreign Countries to China's Participation in the War", compiled by the Foreign Office and Greater East Asia office.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: File of mimeographed reports labelled "Top Secret" re Greater East Asia Construction Deliberation Meeting, 6th Section

Date: May-June 1942 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL : Commerce and Industry Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: INO, Hiroya

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Economic Aggression; Relations with Netherlands and Indo-China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

I. (pp. 1-12) First Meeting, at official residence of the Agricultural-Forestry Minister, 13 May 1942. (2 cys) Discussion of need for shipping.

II. (pp. 13-32) Second Meeting, at the same place, 20 May 1942. (2 cys)

(p. 20) Committeeman ISHIGURO "As for foodstuffs, unified supply and demand manipulation by JAPAN is necessary. Regarding special products of SOUTH SEA Areas, it is of immediate necessity to prevent their outflow to enemy countries and to enforce, more or less, such control measures as State Monopoly or State Management, in order to establish the unique position of the SOUTH SEA Area in world economy. When the time is ripe, planned outflow of SOUTHERN products out of the Co-Prosperity Sphere shall be attempted now and then, in order

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to prevent substitute industries in enemy countries from prospering, and to maintain the uniqueness of the SOUTH SEA Areas".

III. (pp. 33-48) Program for Vegetable Oil Acquisition in the "A" Area of the SOUTH SEAS, 28 May 1942. (Proposal by the Staff Members' Conference of the Sixth Section.

1. Vegetable oil industry in the PHILIPPINES, JAVA, MALAY, BURMA and CELEBES shall be assigned to the following JAPANESE companies:

KYODO Oil and Fat Company, DAINIHON Oil and Fat Co., HONEN Oil Manufacturing Company and about twenty other companies.

IV. Plans submitted 20 May 1942 to conference.

3. (pp. 85-86) In the past, right to cut down trees was almost entirely in the hands of nationals of hostile countries and Chinese merchant-residents, so they shall be made to give up the right.....

.....In case Australia is occupied, such speedily-growing trees as the eucalyptus shall be made use of as much possible.

4. (p. 87) As regards needle-leaf trees, in case the Imperial Army occupies the coastal region of SOUTH ALASKA, great efforts shall be made towards their utilization.

6. (p. 89) As regards the fundamental principle for stock breeding, assuming our occupation of AUSTRALIA and NEW ZEALAND, our utmost efforts shall be expended on those areas, and other areas shall play an auxiliary role. If a plan is formulated excluding AUSTRALIA and NEW ZEALAND, it must undergo complete revision with the occupation of these areas.

V. (pp. 103-112) Measures for Forestry in the Greater East Asia (as decided by the Wartime Food Department of the Agriculture and Forestry Planning Committee)

1. (p. 103) Fundamental Principle

The Fundamental Principle is, in the first place, the unification and adjustment of forest administration of the Empire, then the establishment of a forest management policy for MANCHUKUO and CHINA, under a grand plan in keeping with the expansion of our economic sphere.

2. (p. 106) Forests, belonging to enemy nationals or of uncertain private ownership, shall, as a rule, be put under state management, to begin with, and then handed over to regulated private enterprise.

3. (p. 108) Areas designated as SOUTH SEA Areas for the time being are as follows:

(1) The Philippines (2) Borneo (3) Burma
(4) Celebes (5) Malay and Sumatra (6) Java (7) New Guinea

VI. (pp. 285-324) Report Submitted by the Sixth Section.
Measures for Agriculture, Forestry, Marine Products Industry
and Stock-Breeding, Decided on by the Sixth Section, 24 Jun
1942.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed book, "The Netherlands Indies and Japan", by Hubertus J. VAN MOOK. W...Norton and Co.

Date: 1944 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherland Government

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ARITA, Hachiro; KOBAYASHI, Ishizo; MUKAI, T.; ISHIZAWA, Y.; YOSHIZAWA, K.

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Netherlands

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Book covers Japanese relations with the NEI from 1938 to 1941, with particular reference to the economic negotiations with Japanese missions 1940-1941. Aggressive nature of Japanese demands is made clear.

Analyst: W.E. Wagner

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2612

30 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Gov't Report "Ten Years of Japanese Burrowing in Netherlands East Indies"

Date: Feb 1944 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Jap-Netherlands Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This book, published in the U.S. by the Netherlands Information Bureau, 10 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, contains the official report of the Netherlands East Indies Gov't on Japanese subversive activities in the Archipelago during the last decade.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

Doc. No. 2612

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2613

30 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Gov't Report "Organization of
Japanese Intelligence Service in Netherlands East Indies

Date: 27 Oct 41 Original (x) Copy () Language: Dutch

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Jap-Netherlands Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Government Report with maps relates circumstances re
organization of Japanese Intelligence Service in the
Netherlands East Indies Report is dated 27 Oct 41 from BATAVIA.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

Doc. No. 2613

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Doc. No. 2614

30 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Record of Process of Independence Movement, a translation of official report by Japanese 16th Army H.2 to Allied Hdq in Singapore. (Certification is awaited and will be added later)

Date: Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☐
Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☐

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki; KOISO; HATA; NISHIMURA;
16th Army Leaders

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Japanese-Netherlands Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

This is an official report regarding the process of the Independence Movement made by 16th Army H.2 to the SINGAPORE and SAIGON H.2. It lays special stress upon the situation after the surrender but also contains valuable material re the Independence problem during war time.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

Doc. No. 2614

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2615

30 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Translations from "ASIA RAYA", 8 Jul 43 No. 159 concerning visit of Prime Minister TOJO to JAVA from original MALAY into English. Certified as true by P.W. JOHAN and K.A. de WEERD

Date: 23 Jul 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English
Dutch, Malayan

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TOJO, Hideki, SATO; YAMAMOTO; MAEDA;
OZAKI

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Japanese-Netherlands
E. I. Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Translation from "ASIA RAYA", 8 Jul 43 concerning visit of Prime Minister TOJO to JAVA was made from original MALAY into English by P. W. JOHAN, Lt. D. Commissioner, Neth.-Ind.-Civil Service and subscribed and sworn before K. A. de WEERD, LL.D., Senior Official attached to Office of Attorney-General, N.E.I. Annexed original edition of "ASIA RAYA" 8 Jul 43 is included. Events of TOJO's visit are given in words and photographs. Included is a copy of a speech made by TOJO on 7 Jul 43 at BATAVIA in which he states Japan's resolution to end the war with destruction of U.S., England and the Netherlands and his hope that the entire indigenous population of JAVA will wholeheartedly cooperate with Japan toward this end.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

Doc. No. 2615

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Doc. No. 2616

30 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of LtGen YAMAMOTO, Moichiro, Chief of Staff, 16th Army on Japanese activities in JAVA

Date: 1 Jun 1946 Original (x) Copy () Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: YAMAMOTO, Moichiro, TOJO, Hideki; HARADA; ITAGAKI; TERAUCHI; NAKAMURA; MABUCHI; TAKAHASHI; NISHIDA

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Jap-N.E.I. Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Affidavit of LtGen YAMAMOTO, Moichiro, lists major events of his military career to his appointment as Governor-General of JAVA. YAMAMOTO tells of the Japanese administrative setup in JAVA, admits his responsibility for all executions carried out during his Governor-Generalship, and remarks about other Japanese activities in JAVA prior to Japanese acceptance of the POTSDAM agreement.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

Doc. No. 2616

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Doc. No. 2617

30 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Annual Statistics Concerning War Ministry during 1933 - published by War Ministry

Date: Sep 1933 Original (X) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (X)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (X)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: East Asia Research Institute

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparation for War; Aggression

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Contains annual statistics for 1933 re those items directly under supervision of War Ministry. Following tables reveal total Army and Civilian personnel and Army expenditures for year 1932.

Total Army Civilian Personnel - 42,797

- 1) Total Army Personnel (p.2) 1,610
- 2) Total Civilian employees (p.4) 42,797
- 3) Army Expenditures (in 1932)

Estimates	¥ 400,499,943,000
Balance from last account	¥ 11,205,122,978
Payment from reserve fund	¥ 12,780,668,000
Practically reserves	¥ 424,435,733,978
Payment (finished)	¥ 373,575,402,123
Carried for next year	¥ 21,656,998,988
No usual account	¥ 29,203,332,867

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Doc. No. 2618

30 August 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Official Record Kept by J. D. van Pelt, containing Sworn Statement of Col. C. Van Den HOOGENBAND on BALIKPAPAN ultimatum

Date: Original () Copy () Language: Dutch
English

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Netherlands Forces Intelligence Service

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: NEFIS

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Netherlands

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Hoogenband, who was commander at Balikpapan, affirms that ultimatum carried to him 20 Jan 1942 from Japanese Command Ship by Maj. Reinderhoff, stated that unless Balikpapan surrendered undamaged, all Europeans at Tarakan would be executed.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2618

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2619

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of A.F.P. HULSEWE, Lieutenant, RNNR, on Japanese Ultimatum to BALIKPAPAN Garrison

Date: 22 Jun 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Forces Intelligence Service

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Netherlands

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

HULSEWE affirms that in document he saw, signed by commander of a BUTAI, (force), the demand was made surrender of Balikpapan with all installations intact. In case of demolitions, it was stated, "some people" would be killed. It was believed at the time this meant residents of TARRAKAN, already in Japanese hands.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2619

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2620

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Official Record of Interrogation and Sworn Statement of Joseph T. VAN AMSTEL, on Massacre by Japanese at BALIKPAPAN, 24 Feb 1942

Date: Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Dutch and English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Forces Intelligence Service

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Netherlands; Violations Hague Convention, POWs

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

AMSTEL, a sailor with the Royal Netherlands Navy, wounded in January 1942, states that 23 Feb 1942, all white patients were taken from the hospital where he was a patient, and the next day taken to the beach.

There a group of about one hundred whites, including some of the doctors, were gathered. The Japanese butchered the district officer and police inspector, and then the Europeans, in groups of ten to fifteen, were made to walk into the water, where they were shot.

He had also heard that the military garrison of RIKO, nearby, had been slaughtered after surrendering.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2620

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2621

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified Reports of Interrogation of
BALIKPAPAN Natives on Mass Murder of Europeans at BALIKPAPAN,
Feb-March 1942

Date: 24 May 1945 Original () Copy (x) Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Netherlands Forces Intelligence Service

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: NEFIS

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with NEI;
Violation Hague POW Convention

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Natives testify that groups of British and Dutch, subjects,
military and civilian, and including women and children, were
killed while herded together in various large groups, some by
machine gun fire.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2621

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2622

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of A.F.P. HULSEWE on the
BANDOENG Ultimatum of 8 March 1942

Date: 22 June 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language:
English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Forces Intelligence Service

PERSONS IMPLICATED: Lt General IMAMURA, Mitoshi

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with
Netherlands

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Mr. Hulsewe, who was present at the BANDOENG Negotiations as translator and aide, states that while the Governor-General of the NEI came to a conference with Lt. General IMAMURA to surrender BANDOENG only, he was told by IMAMURA he must order surrender of all the Netherlands Indies, or BANDOENG would be bombed flat.

The Governor-General said his authority had been cancelled, but the Japanese insisted he tender unconditional surrender, which finally was done.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2623

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Statement by Dr. Hubertus J. VAN MOOK, Affirming Accuracy of Facts Stated in Book, "The Netherlands Indies and Japan", published in 1944

Date: 8 Jun 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Department of Justice, Netherlands Indies

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TANI, Masayuki

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Netherlands

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Dr. VAN MOOK, Lt Governor of the Netherlands Indies, enumerates certain facts in his book, on NEI - Japanese relations, which were known to him personally to be true. They cover the history of relations with the Japanese from 1929 to 1941.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2624

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of G. L. REINDERHOFF on
BALIKPAPAN Ultimatum, January 1942

Date: 13 Jul 46 Original () Copy (x) Language: English
Dutch

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Netherlands Forces Intelligence Service

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: NEFIS

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with
Netherlands

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Reinderhoff, a Major in the RNIA, states that while a POW on board a Japanese staff ship, he was read an ultimatum to the BALIKPAPAN Garrison which he later took by motor launch to BALIKPAPAN, then to BANDOENG.

The ultimatum carried the threat that if BALIKPAPAN's oilworks were blown up, or even if the garrison resisted, all European residents of TARAKAN, male and female, would be killed, as well as all POWs.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2625

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Copy of Newspaper "ASIA RAYA" of
19 Oct 42, No. 152 with certified true English translation of
article on ATJEH Insurgents

Date: 23 Jul 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Malay
English

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐
Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Netherlands Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Jap-Netherlands Relations

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

English translation is certified as true by P. W. JOHAN,
LL.D., Asst Commissioner N.E.I. Civil Service and subscribed
and sworn before K.A. de WEERD, LL.D., Senior Official
attached to Office of Attorney-General, N.E.I. This report
tells of the activities of ATJEH Insurgents against the Dutch,
and of their associations with the Japanese in this
insurrection.

Analyst: 2d Lt Blumhagen

Doc. No. 2625

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2626

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: "File of Operational and Garrison Duty Documents Relating to MANCHURIAN Army", kept by 7th Division Staff - stamped "Secret"

Date: May-Oct 1934 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)
Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: ASAHIGAWA

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TADA, Hayao; NISHIO, Toshizo; HAMAMOTO, Kisaburo; SEKI, Genroku; KATO, Katsumichi; (KWANTUNG Army leaders)

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Document Concerning Plans of Operation and
Defense of the Manchurian Army Compiled
by the Staff of the 7th Division
3 May 1934 to 18 Oct 1934

1. Re Reorganization of the Manchurian Army Dispatch
No. 89.

From - TADA, Hayao, the supreme counsellor of the
Military Administration Office to the Chief of the general
staff of the 7th Division, Date: 3 May 1934.

"We carry out the reorganization of the Manchurian Army
according to an attached book: 'Regulations of reorganization
of the Manchurian Army'. The number of men adjusted by these
regulations is about 10,000".

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2. Regulations of the Reorganization of the Manchurian Army (Summary). April 1934 by Military Administration Office.

Article 1. These regulations stipulate the items regarding the carrying out of schemes necessary to make the revision of defense organs of Army aiming to improve Army's real power.

Article 2. Shortage of heavy firearms, fireguns and other instruments arising from the reorganization will not be filled up for the time being.

Article 3. The surplus members brought about by the reorganization shall be discharged.

From SEKI, Genroku, the Counsellor of the District of Administration under the Third Army and of the Civil Administration Office to the Chief of the Staff of the 7th Division.

"We carried out the reorganization of the Army formerly, but now we need more changes in the disposition and movements of the units following the change of the regions in which they were stationed. So we will carry out more changing of the disposition and movements by the order attached to this paper.

We keep in secret touch with the Japanese Army and other military institutions and plan and carry our policies for the units so as to make no slip about the defense and so as to check any rumors. Almost all traveling units are doing demonstration marches, and I ask that the defense units under your administration will kindly cooperate with us and make due guidance about the said thing."

3. Order of 25 July 1934 - Headquarters of the District Administration under the JEHOL Army.

- (1) New appellations and seats of the headquarters.
- (2) Defense Army and the region to be guarded by the brigade attached to the defense army.
- (3) Headquarters and units shall decide their disposition and do their duty upon the receipt of this order.

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(4) How to make changes in the disposition and movements of the units.

Chang Hai-peng, the commander of the district of administration under the fifth army, SEKI, Genroku, the counsellor of the said district.

4. Important Chart of Disposition in the District of Administration under the Third Army - Dispatch Information No. 19 - From KATO, Katsumichi, the First Lieutenant of Infantry to the Chief of the Staff of the 7th Division - Date - 16 August 1934.

"The new 40th Corps of Manchurian cavalry gathered at LINGNAN at 8 a.m. on 12 August and were disposed."

5. Regulations concerning Reorganization of the Defense Forces in the JEHOL Province - April 1934 - Headquarters for Defense in the JEHOL Province.

- a. General Regulations
- b. Attached Charts (Lists organization of all branches of the Army.)

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Doc. No. 2627

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Magazine file, "JISNSHU BUNKO" Issues 56-71. Published by Social Education Cooperation Committee (SHAKAI KYOIKU KYOROKU KAI)

Date: 1932-1933 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial Library, TOKYO

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ARAKI, Sadao

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparing Public Opinion for War; Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Issue 60, of 15 Feb 1932, is devoted to an article "The Mission of Japan in the SHOWA Era", by ARAKI, Sadao, in which Japan's rule in the Far East is strongly advocated by the author, in jingoistic terms.

ARAKI charges that China was guilty not only of treaty-breaking, but also of contempt for Japan, as was the whole world, in justifying the MANCHURIAN Incident.

Russia is castigated for her Far Eastern Policy, and ARAKI asserts it is in conflict with the Japanese "sacred ideal and mission". (Chapter?)

Japan's mission then, he concludes, must not fail. "If any country should try to oppose our progress, we will counter-attack him without hesitation, whoever he may be." (p. 38)

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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Doc. No. 2628

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of Gerard SCHAEFER, on the capture, Processing, and Preservation of German Documents Used at the NURNBERG Trials

Date: 15 Apr 46 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Office, Chief of Counsel for the Prosecution of AXIS Criminality

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Certification of German Documents

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

SCHAEFER, who was Chief of the Screening Unit and later Chief of the Documentation Division, Office, U.S. Chief of Counsel for the Prosecution of AXIS Criminality, describes process by which documents captured were centralized at Marburg, Germany. Certain documents, notably prose from German Foreign Office files, were photostated, and the photostats used for translation and processing in the Trials, and the originals kept in a vault at Marburg, because they were in much demand by other government agencies.

United States documents were given certain numbers and code letters such as PS, to identify them and source.

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Originals of said documents or photostats of same are now either in the Document Room of the Documentation Division, except those presented in evidence, which were deposited with the General Secretary of the IMT, Nurnberg, Germany.

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Doc. No. 2629

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavit of KUROSAWA, Kotaro, on HIROTA-HARADA Conference of 1 July 1931

Date: 23 Aug 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: KUROSAWA, Kotaro

PERSONS IMPLICATED: HIROTA, Koki

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

KUROSAWA asserts that document be translated on 15 August 1946 concerned statement on state policy by HIROTA, then Ambassador, forwarded by MajGen HARADA to Chief of Army General Staff. In it, HIROTA advocates strong stand against Russia, and readiness to declare war at any moment. Purpose of this war would be to gain Far Eastern Soviet territory.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2629

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2630

5 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certificate from C. ARAO of First Demobilization Ministry on General MINAMI Address to Division Commanders, 4 Aug 1931

Date: 11 Jul 1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: First Demobilization Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: MINAMI, Jiro

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Manchurian Aggression

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Certifies that copy of address said to have been delivered by General MINAMI to Division Commanders is not in files of the First Demobilization Bureau.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2631

3 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified copy of Telegram from YOSHIKAWA, Kenkichi, to Foreign Minister MATSUOKA, Yosuke, on Japan-Netherlands East Indies Economic Conference and Status of Netherlands

Date: 6 Feb 1941 Original () Copy (x) Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Foreign Minister, IJG

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: IJG, Foreign Ministry, Archives Section

PERSONS IMPLICATED: MATSUOKA, Yosuke; YOSHIKAWA, Kenkichi

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Netherlands

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

YOSHIKAWA, who was chief Japanese delegate to the Japan-Netherlands East Indies Economic Conference early in 1941, warns MATSUOKA that his recent speeches and editorial and Diet comments have antagonized the Dutch Government. He asks that Government actions conform to the present policy of peaceful negotiation, unsatisfactory as that may be.

Further, he states, the Netherlands Government is not clear on the Japanese stand on its status, and he requests MATSUOKA or the Vice-Minister to verbally notify the Dutch Minister that Japan recognizes the Dutch Government in London as both de jure and de facto government, or take some similar public action that will satisfy the Dutch.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2631

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Doc. Nos. 2632 - 2633

5 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Stories in Issues of Chicago Daily Tribune, on Alleged Japanese Massacre of 2700 in MANCHURIA

Date: 25 Nov 1932 Original (x) Copy () Language: English
3 Dec 1932

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: W. I. McKenzie

PERSONS IMPLICATED: ARAKI, Sadao (only insofar as War Minister at time)

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Military aggression, MANCHURIA, atrocities

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Doc. 2632 - Art p. 1 of 25 Nov 32 issue, headed: "China Charges Japs Kill 2700 in Manchuria". Chinese government charged Japanese troops in FUSHUN area Machine-gunned entire village of men, women, and children.

Doc. 2633 - Art p. 17 of 3 Dec 32 issue, headed "Japanese Admit Killing 350, But Deny Massacre. Chicago Consulate Tells of 'FUSHUN Incident'". Consulate asserts only bandits and elements connected with them were shot.

Analyst: W. H. Wagner

Doc. Nos. 2632 and
2633

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2634

4 Sept. 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT: Proclamations issued in French Indo-China by the Japanese High Command, in March and April 1945, published in the "Journal Officiel de l'Indo-chine" - No. 1, June 2, 1945.

Date: 2 June 1945 Original (x) Language: French
Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL: Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: French Indo-China official archives.

PERSONS IMPLICATED: TERAUCHI, Hisaichi; TSUCHIHASHI, Yuitsu;
KAWAMURA, Saburo.

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Aggression and military seizure of the whole of Indo-China.

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS:

Contains the following proclamations, numbered as below:

1. To all the population of Indo-China, suspending the French authorities - 10 March 1945.
2. To the French population of Indo-China calling for collaboration with the Japanese Army.
3. Concerning the government officials agreeing to collaborate with the Japanese, they must state so, and will receive the same salary and treatment as before.
4. To all IndoChinese police officials, an appeal to collaborate with the Japanese against the French police.
6. Temporarily suspending the operations of the Bank of Indochina.
7. Penalties incurred for various actions, punishable according to martial law; treachery towards the Japanese Army; espionage; destruction of installations; illicit profit, etc.

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8. Conditions in which the Bank of Indochina is admitted to resume operations again on March 15th.
9. Restriction of all French nationals to 7 towns on the territory of Indochina: Hanoi, Vinh, Hue, Nha-Trang, Saigon, Phnom Penh, Vientiane.
10. Complaint for the lack of sincerity of the French authorities and statement of intentions:
 - (a) Defend Indochina
 - (b) Ensure the rights of the native population
 - (c) Maintain the administrative organization and the personnel ready to trust and collaborate with the Jap army.
 - (d) Ensure the total independence and help the national aspirations "in conformity with the fundamental principles of the Declaration of Greater East Asia"....
11. 11 Apr 1945 - The necessary reforms cannot be brought about at once; consequently, the administrative organization, the laws and regulations are maintained. The proclamation ends with a new appeal to collaboration.

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Doc. No. 2635

9 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: "File of documents concerning the North KURILE Island Fortresses". Held by ASAHIGAWA Division (7th Div) Staff

Date: Nov 1940 - Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese
Jun 1941

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: ASAHIGAWA

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Japanese-Russian Relations; Planning Aggressive Warfare against USSR

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Order to investigate from a military standpoint important geographical features of SAGHALIEN Peninsula given by the chief of staff of ASAHIGAWA Division, HOKKAIDO, to the commander of North Kurile Islands Fortresses, on November 6, 1940, (p.5, Dispatch 57)

(The report from the commander of North Kurile Islands Fortresses is not found in this file.) However the substance of the order issued was as follows: (An annexed paper)

A. Items to Investigate -- the Geography of SAGHALIEN Peninsula. That is Important for warfare against the Soviet Union.

I. Military conditions

Investigate the strength, arms, formation, equipment and posts of Soviet garrisons.

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II. Military plans

Investigate barracks, fortification, especially defensive plans, warehouses, airfields and communications.

III. General topographical sketch

Investigate the following points:

(1) Development conditions of shorelines of various areas.

(2) Conditions of ports, bays, seashore and surface from the viewpoint of landing operations and maritime transportation. (Especially the effect of seasons, weather and maritime phenomena upon voyage and landing operations.) Freezing conditions and the moving and changing conditions of icebergs at the times of freezing seasons and during the ice-free season.

(3) Quartering capacity in principal cities and towns, and winter confinement capacity in the coldest districts.

(4) Conditions of cities and towns as bombing targets.

(5) Railways, water transportation, automobiles and other traffic and communication.

(6) Characteristics of atmospheric phenomena, especially its effect upon ground and aerial battles.

IV. The condition of the people and their attitude toward the Japanese.

Note: Pictures and maps of harbor areas orders re study and use of Russian language, etc., are included in file in some quantity.

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Doc. No. 2636

9 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Handwritten "File of Source Documents Regarding Editing of Items and Articles Requiring Attention". Kept by Home Ministry, Police Bureau, Archives Section. Marked Secret (GOKUHI)

Date: 1938-1939 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Home Ministry

PERSONS IMPLICATED: YONAI, Mitsunasa; KONOYE, Fumimaro; ITAGAKI, Seishiro

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Preparing Public Opinion for War (Censorship); Military Aggression, CHINA; Trade in Opium

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

File of Items describing prohibition and measures taken. As an example, translation in full of one is given below:

Item #44

The Director of the Police Bureau (sealed)
The Head of the Archives Section (sealed)
Secretary (sealed)
Procurator (sealed)

25 August (1938)

Telephoned Secret Directions to Principal Daily Papers Published in The Prefectures of Tokyo (8 papers), Osaka, Aichi and Fukuoka.

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"You shall be careful not to publish, when you compile your paper, any articles in connection with the travels of the army, navy, foreign office officials or authorities of outlying posts to FUKUOKA Prefecture".

/Article of/ Reference:

"On the 26th and 27th of this month, joint meetings of the New Chinese Regime authorities and the (Japanese) army, navy, foreign office authorities and the (Japanese) special service officers in North and Central China will be held at FUKUOKA City, (FUKUOKA Prefecture)."

Record of the Arrangements

<u>Addressee</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Person who rec'd the Message</u>	<u>Person who Telephoned</u> <u>/Censorship officials/</u>
Metropolitan Police (Tokyo)	5:01 p.m. Aug 25	Sakamoto	Shiose
Osaka	4:07 p.m. Aug 25	Nejima	Miura
Aichi	5:08 p.m. Aug 25	Amano	Shiose
Fukuoka	5:00 p.m. Aug 25	Kobayashi	Oishi
MP Headquarters	5:06 p.m. Aug 25	Kudo	Hidaka
Dept of Communica- tion, Tokyo - To.	5:00 p.m. Aug 25	Bannai	"
Information Dept	5:13 p.m. Aug 25	Kunishio	"
The Cabinet	Aug 25		"
Dept for Coloniza- tion, Police Section	6:12 p.m. Aug 25	Akama	"

Two other items characteristic of censorship tactics are as follows:

Item #50

Inquiry from the YOMIURI Shinbun

The YOMIURI asked for our permission to publish the

following exclusive dispatch from London dated October 5, 1938. The Department of the Interior told them not to publish it.

"According to information received from a German official source, Fuhrer Hitler is said to be considering repercussions of the possibility of his mediation in the Chinese Incident, taking the opportunity of Japan's capture of Hangkow, and approaching Japan and China as well as Britain and the U.S."

10:00 a.m. 6 Oct 1938

Sealed by the Head of the Archives Section,
The Secretary and the Procurator.

Item #53

Inquiry from the ASAHI Shinbun

The ASAHI asked for our permission to publish the following article. The head of our Archives Section replied to them that they could do so on condition that such a sentence as suggested by him (written at the end of the article) be added to the article. The article follows:

"According to an exclusive dispatch from Hangkow to the New York Times dated 9 Oct 1938, it is believed in well-informed Chinese quarters that Britain, Germany, France and Italy, as the result of conclusion of the Quadrilateral Agreement at Munchen, are expected to propose to Japan and China to conclude peace at China's expense ultimately, as recently reported by a CHIANG KAI-SHEK'S representative in Europe. In the first place, Britain and France will close, in a gradual and quiet way, the transportation routes of munition supply through Hongkong, French Indo-China and Burma, so that China will find no way, of acquiring munitions, other than from Soviet Russia. This rumor, if it should come true, is regarded as the news that gives the feeling of uneasiness to China which is determined to continue anti-Japanese warfare."

/T.N. The sentence suggested to be added is given below:/

"Japan, however, is not concerned about such a rumor. As far as Japan is concerned, there is only one way to dash forward to the end in pursuance of the already-fixed course."

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10 October 1938

Sealed by the Head of the Archives Section,
The Secretary and the Procurator.

Other items on which censorship was exercised included:

Item #81

Publication of news indicating differences of opinion between the Ministers of War (ITAGAKI) and Navy (YONAI). YONAI in a speech had criticized radical economic and political "reform" movements, including reorganization of the Planning Board, and advocated reduction of military expenditures to a minimum to avoid "National Ruin due to excessive armaments". The Home Ministry suggested that "hereafter articles of this nature be withdrawn from publication".

Item #9

Discussion in certain magazines of public opinion on possible peace conditions in a treaty between Japan and China banned because of effect such discussion would have on people's war spirit. (12 Nov 1937)

Item #13

Banned 7 Feb 1938 was "The contents of Five Year Industrial Plan for Manchukuo" from explanation made in Diet by V. P. of Bureau of Manchurian Affairs.

Item #36

Publication of a public statement by CHIANG KAI-SHEK entitled "Message addressed to the Japanese Nation", in which he accused Japan of an unlawful war of aggression against China was prohibited, 7 Jul 1938.

Item #108

Publication banned of news from HONGKONG that CHIANG KAI-SHEK is desirous of peace between Japan and China through arbitration by a third power, and outline of fundamental principles he advocates to be followed in making such a peace. (1 Apr 1939)

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Item #115

Stories of Escape of WANG CHING-Wei from Indo-China prohibited. (2 May 1939)

Item 121

Statement made by CHIANG to gov't officials and the people of CHINA banned 17 May 1939.

Items 39 and 69

Papers warned to treat KONOYE's speech on China with care. To be omitted were stories that international complications in background caused speech to be made and any mention of movements of "intelligent men" (pro-Japanese) he mentioned in speech.

If any editorials written, the office was to be approached beforehand, and in general, no amplification of bare facts of speech to be made.

Item #130 - 30 May 1938

Publication prohibited of stories on Control of Production and distribution of opium in Inner Mongolia before release by local Army authorities. "This order given at express request made by Lt. Col. FUKUYAMA of the Information Bureau, War Department." Order repeated 12 June 1938.

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2637

9 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Printed Volume, "MANCHUKUO Government Gazette" July 1940 edition (Imperial Rescript on SHINTOISM)

Date: July 1940 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Chinese

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Imperial Library, (UENO)

PERSONS IMPLICATED: Henry PU-YI

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Aggression Manchuria

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Imperial Rescript handed down by Emperor of MANCHUKUO of 15 Jul 1940 which orders subjects to worship Amaterasu, Japanese divinity, and establishes "State Foundation Shrine".

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2637

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2638-2646

10 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Diaries of Marquis TOKUGAWA, Yoshichika

Date: 1925-1945 Original (x) Copy () Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Marquis TOKUGAWA, Yoshichika

PERSONS IMPLICATED: MATSUI, Iwane; TOJO, Hideki; OKAWA, Shumei; KIDO, Koichi; SHIRATORI, Toshio; HASHIMOTO, Kingoro; TATEKAWA, Mitsugu

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Conspiracy for aggressive warfare; Relations with US and Great Britain; YAMATO Assn.

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Notes are often brief and uninformative. Typical excerpts: Frequent mention of OKAWA, and shows frequent association among OKAWA, MATSUI, SHIRATORI, etc.

Doc. No. 2638 - Diary 1925 to 1936

18 Mar 1931: OKAWA, Shumei, and SHIMIZU resolved to carry out plot regardless of "betrayal" by General UGAKI. Finally dissuades them because failure inevitable.

Doc. No. 2639 - Diary 1938

10 Feb: Discussion with OKAWA and SHIRATORI on Chinese Affairs.

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Doc. Nos. 2638-2646 - Page 2 - SUMMARY Cont'd

11 Apr 1938: "SHIRATORI, OKAWA, AMANO, HOMMA and others.....gathered for a meeting. Named the association 'YAMOTO'."

11 Jun 38: ".....Invited by OKAWA to the HYOTEI..... LtGen ITAGAKI, SHIRATORI, Toshio.....were present.....We had a talk on the state of affairs in Japan".

25 Jun 38: Meeting with KIDO, OKAWA, TOJO and SHIRATORI.

Doc. No. 2640 - Diary 1939

4 Sep: "HASHIMOTO, Kingoro, and FUJITA, Isamu, called at 1300 hours. Discussion about present situation. Nothing specifically settled, but it was said that the policy should be anti-British."

19 Sep 39: More discussion re above.

26 Sep: "Discussion on embodying the anti-British movement.....unsettled, left for next session." Present were MATSUI, Iwane, HASHIMOTO, Kingoro, TATEKAWA, Mitsugu, and ADACHI, Kenzo. KOISO, Kunichi mentioned as an "absentee".

5 and 11 Oct: Continuation of above. "In general,..... consensus of opinion as to anti-British feelings." HASHIMOTO present at both meetings.

Doc. No. 2641 - Diary 1940

(Entries only show association with MATSUI, SHIRATORI, et al.)

Doc. No. 2642 - Diary 1941

Non-committal reference to meeting with TOJO on KONOYE Cabinet shake-up, 7 Jun 1941.

Doc. No. 2643 - Diary 1942

TOKOGAWA makes tour of South Seas Area reporting to TOJO and SUGIYAMA, 30 May 42.

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Doc. No. 2644 - Diary 1943

Contains much important material on collaborationist movements among the Malayan and Indian natives, but only mentions meeting with MATSUI, few other personalities.

Doc. No. 2645 - Diary 1944

TOKUGAWA was in southern area during most of this year, and mentions meetings with SATO, Kenryo, and DOIHARA.

20 Aug: "Am leaving SINGAPORE for home today after two and a half years out here. Am leaving with regret because military government has been a failure here."

Doc. No. 2646 - Diary 1945. No pertinent entries.

(Analyst's Note: Other brief excerpts may be found in scanner's notes attached to document.)

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2647

12 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Documents relating to Massacre of CHINESE in Malaya in 1942, and Investigations Thereof

Date: 1942-1946 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Prisoner of War Investigation Division, Imperial Japanese Government

PERSONS IMPLICATED: YAMASHITA, Tomoyuki; SUZUKU, Sasaki, et al

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Atrocities, Class B offenses

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Items include excerpts from Imperial Headquarters Greater East Asia Operations' Diary, 1942 - 1945, and "Outline of Investigation concerning Cruelties Toward Chinese, Principally in the Malayan Operations (SINGAPORE)", conducted by the POW Investigation Central Committee of the POW Investigation Division, 6 and 22 November 1945.

In the former, testimony by officers in charge of various commands at the time in the Singapore area is included.

Analyst: W.H. Wagner

Doc. No. 2647

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2648, 2649, 2650

12 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Affidavits on Japanese Army Control and Encouragement of Opium Trade in CHINA, 1936-1941

Date: 1946 Original (x) Copy () Language: English

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Major John F. Hummel

PERSONS IMPLICATED: Col. CHO, Isamu; KUSUMOTO, Sanatake; FUJITA, Isamu

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Opium Conventions; KOA-IN (Asia Development Board)

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

NOTE: The affidavits listed below were originally listed as IPS Doc. Nos. 9563, 9564 and 9570, and were so reproduced. If they are used, therefore, it should be under the original numbers, so that the copies reproduced (and now in the vault) may be utilized.

Doc. No. 2648 - Affidavit of OHTA, Shizuo on operations of Col. KUSUMOTO, and Special Service Section in opium in November 1937. (Marked "9563")

Doc. No. 2649 - Affidavit of FUJITA, Isamu, on transaction in 200,000 pounds of Persian opium ordered by Col. KUSUMOTO, and procured from KITSUI and Company. (Marked "9564")

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

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SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Major John F. Hummel

PERSONS IMPLICATED: Col. CHO, Isamu; KUSUMOTO, Sanatake; FUJITA, Isamu

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Opium Conventions; KOA-IN (Asia Development Board)

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Doc. No. 2650 - Affidavit of SATOMI, Hajime, alias Lee Ming, on final stages in selling the 200,000 pounds of Persian Opium. Money kept in personal fund, profits went to Special Service Section, under direction of Lt. Col. KUSUMOTO. Later profits funneled through KDA-IN and MONGOLIAN Government. (Marked "9570")

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

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INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2651

13 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Proclamation No. 10-2, by Commander of Japanese Southern Garrison, Restricting French in SAIGON to a Certain Area

Date: 1 Apr 1945 Original () Copy (x) Language:

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: French Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with France and French-Indo-China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Proclamation restricts French citizens to a certain part of SAIGON, into which they were to be moved before 15 April. Movement outside the zone was forbidden, except with special permission of Japanese authorities.

Analyst: W.H.Wagner

Doc. No. 2651

INTERNATIONAL PROSECUTION SECTION

Doc. No. 2652

13 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certified Statement of Japanese Govt
on Measures toward French Indo-China

Date: Undated Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: French

Has it been translated? Yes ☒ No ☐

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: French: Commission of Justice (War Crimes
Section) SAIGON, FIC. Japanese: Archives Section Japanese
Foreign Ministry.

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with France
and Indo-China

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Announcement by Japanese warns that due to non-cooperation
of French, the Japanese Army is forced to defend Indo-China
single-handed, and will take all measures to overcome obstacles
which stand in its way.

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16 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Letter to Adolf HITLER, signed by Former Japanese Cabinet Ministers and Military Leaders (in Foreign Affairs Assn)

Date: 1 Aug 38 Original ☒ Copy ☐ Language: Japanese

Has it been translated? Yes ☐ No ☒

Has it been photostated? Yes ☐ No ☒

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Document Division

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Russian Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED: YOSHIKAWA, Kenkichi; ABE, Nobuyuki; ARITA, Hachiro; HONJO, Shigeru; ARITA, Ryokitsu; FUJIWARA, Ginjiro

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Germany

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Praises Hitler and plumps for closer Japanese-German cooperation.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Certification and Authenticity of
Photostats of 19 Telegrams from Files of German Foreign Ministry

Date: 1937-1941 Original () Copy (x) Language: German

Has it been translated? Yes (x) No ()

Has it been photostated? Yes (x) No ()

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

Marburg, Germany

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: Captured by Allied Troops, Germany

PERSONS IMPLICATED: OTT, Weizsacker, et al

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with Germany

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

The below telegrams are already listed as individual IPS
Document numbers, and the certificate, with duplicates, covers the
following telegrams:

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| (1) | Telegram dated 11 Jan 1938 signed Troutman, | 145804 |
| (2) | Memo dated 10 Jan, signed Von Neurath | 145807/145807/1 |
| (3) | Telegram dated 5 Jan 1937, Von Neurath to
the Reichsminister, | 145819-20 |
| (4) | Telegram dated 11 Jan 1938 from Dirksen to
the Reichsminister, | 145805 |
| (5) | Telegram dated 5 Dec 1941 from att to the
Foreign Minister | 15041-4 |
| (6) | Telegram dated 28 July 1937 from Weizsacker
and a memorandum of the same date by
Weizsacker | 82119-82122 |
| (7) | Telegram from Troutman dated 13 January, | 145791-2 |
| (8) | Telegram from Dirksen for the Reichsminister
dated 14 January 1938, | 145789 |

- (9) Telegram from Dirksen for the Foreign Minister
dated 10 Jan 1938, 145803
- (10) Telegram from Mackensen dated 12 Jan 1938, 145800-1
- (11) Telegram from Foreign Minister of the German
Reich dated 15 May 1939 to the Ambassador
in Tokyo, 135931-35
- (12) Telegram from Ott dated 25 Aug 1939 to the
Foreign Ministry for the attention of the
State Secretary, 136054
- (13) Memorandum by Von Neurath dated 25 Jul 1938, 81244-5
- (14) Memorandum by Weizsacker dated 28 Jan 1938, 81243
- (15) Telegram from Dirksen dated 29 Jan 1938, 181242
- (16) Unsigned telegram dated 13 Jan 1938 from
Nankow, 145786-7
- (17) Telegram from Dirksen dated 16 Jan 1938
for the Reichsminister personally, 145780-1
- (18) Telegram from Dirksen dated 17 Jan 1938
for the Reichsminister personally, 145777-8
- (19) Report of Dirksen, Ambassador, to the German
Foreign Minister dated 26 Jan 1938, 130870
130880

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Doc. No. 2655

17 September 1946

ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: "Warning to the Japanese Government", an Announcement by the French Government on Japanese Policy Toward French and Indo-Chinese Nationals

Date: 11 Apr 1945 Original () Copy (x) Language: French

Has it been translated? Yes () No (x)

Has it been photostated? Yes () No (x)

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL: French Division

PERSONS IMPLICATED:

CRIMES TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE: Relations with France

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Document is warning addressed to Japanese authorities, that violence or reprisals visited on French or Indo-Chinese Nationals would be severely punished.

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