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LTEM		Partially	Fully Completed
1.	Information in the hands of the Investigation Division.		- X
2.	Statement in application for subpoena as to subject of witness's testimony.	S	X
3.	Examination of case file, if any.		
4.	Cross-reference file on case files in office of Investigation Division.		X
5.	Cross-reference card file by subject matter of evidentiary documents in Document Division.		
6.	Reference in evidence to witness or to the subject matter of his testimony.		
7.	Preparation of summary of testimony already given by witness.		
8.	Memorandum prepared by Mr. Lonez, dated March 11, 1947, relating to decorations awarded to defendants and their witnesse	es.	
9.	Statement of any other investigation conducted by you.	e. De	nigan).
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#### ANALYSIS OF DOCUMEN DARY EVIDENCE

#### DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

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Date: 6 May 1947 Original ( ) Copy (x) Language: Japanese, English

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Board of Decorations, Japanese Govt

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SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Data on following personalities:

KOGA, Kiyoshi ARIYOSHI, Chuichi GODO, Takuo HANEDA, Toru IKAWA, Tadao ISHIMARU, Shitowa MURAKAWA, Kengo CNCDERA, Naosuke BABA, Tsunego FURUMII, Tadayuki IKEZAKI, Tadatake HATTA, Shiroji IWAI, Takeo INAHARA, Hatsuji TWATA, Ainosuke KANAT, Shozi KANEKO, Kiyoto KAWABE, Masakaza

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NAME	SOCIETY	POSITION
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	AIKOKU RODO REMMEI (Patriotic Labour League)	Representative
	AIKOKU SEINEN REMMEI (Patrioti Youths' League)	cRepresentative
•	AIKOKUSHA (Patriotic Society)	Representative
	AIKOKUSHA IKUTAMURA JUKU (Patriotic Society Ikuta Village Academy)	Representative
	AIKOKU SHIMBUN SHA (Patriotic Newspaper Society)	Representative
	KOKUTAI YOGO RENGO KAI (National Constitution Protection League), Tokyo	Officer
	KOKUSAI HANKYO REMMEI (Inter- national Anti-Communist League), Tokyo	Officer
•	KOA MEKKYO REMMEI (Raise Asia and Anti-Communists' League)	Representative
	TAISHI DOSHI KAI (Anti-China Comrades Society)	Representative
	IWATA KOKAN (IWATA Public Hall), Shanghai	Representative

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