

DATE 2 April 1947

PROGRESS REPORT OF: Iwata, Ainosuke

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>Partially Completed</u>	<u>Fully Completed</u>
1. Information in the hands of the Investigation Division.	_____	<u>X</u>
2. Statement in application for subpoena as to subject of witness's testimony.	_____	<u>X</u>
3. Examination of case file, if any.	_____	<u>X</u>
4. Cross-reference file on case files in office of Investigation Division.	_____	<u>X</u>
5. Cross-reference card file by subject matter of evidentiary documents in Document Division.	<u>X</u>	_____
6. Reference in evidence to witness or to the subject matter of his testimony.	<u>X</u>	_____
7. Preparation of summary of testimony already given by witness.	<u>X</u>	_____
8. Memorandum prepared by Mr. Lopez, dated March 11, 1947, relating to decorations awarded to defendants and their witnesses.	_____	<u>X</u>
9. Statement of any other investigation conducted by you.	_____	_____

Lester C. Durnigan
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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

DESCRIPTION OF ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Title and Nature: Loose, Handwritten Sheets, Corrected Decoration Data on Certain Defense Witnesses, and Additional Decoration Data on KOSHI, Saburo

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

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

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

LOCATION OF ORIGINAL)

SOURCE OF ORIGINAL:) Board of Decorations, Japanese Govt

PERSONS IMPLICATED: See below

CRIMES OR PHASE TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE:

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Data on following personalities:

KOGA, Kiyoshi	KOMURA, Sakahiko
ARIYOSHI, Chuichi	KO TANI, Etsuo
GODO, Takuo	KUSUMOTO, Masataka
HANEDA, Toru	MANAKI, Yoshinobu
IKAWA, Tadao	MATSUDA, Reikichi
ISHIMARU, Shitowa	MISHIMA, Yasuo
MURAKAWA, Kengo	MIZUNO, Shinko
ONODERA, Naosuke	MURAMATSU, Tsuneco
BABA, Tsunego	NAKAMURA, Benko
FURUMI, Tadayuki	NAKAYAMA, Hajime
IKEZAKI, Tadatake	NAKAYAMA, Yasuro
HATTA, Shiroji	MISHIMURA, Susumu
IWAI, Takeo	SAITO, Masatoshi
INAHARA, Hatsuji	SHIMOMURA, Nobusada
IWATA, Ainosuke	SHIRAI, Seishin
KANAT, Shoji	SHIZUKI, Ihei
KANEKO, Kiyoto	SHIRAI, Masatoki
KAWABE, Masakaza	SUETAKE, Kamezo

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SUZUKI, Kunji
 SUZUKI, Tadakatsu
 TAKAGI, Rikuro
 TAKAHASHI, Tan
 TAKAHASHI, Tatsuhiko
 TAKEUCHI, Kakuji
 TAKAKURA, Tadashi
 TAKEUCHI, Ryuji
 UNO, Masuko
 YAMADA, Tozo
 YOSHIDA, Zengo
 YOSHINAKA, Kazutaro
 YOSHITADA, Wagata
 NAKAJIMA, Hitakichi
 KUZUN, Yoshihisa

19 Feb 47

IWATA, Ainosuke

Gave copy of Curriculum Vitae to Mr. Dunigan; to be returned to us.

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SOCIETY</u>	<u>POSITION</u>
IWATA Ainosuke	AIKOKU GAKUSEI REMMEI (Patriotic Students' League)	Representative
	AIKOKU RODO REMMEI (Patriotic Labour League)	Representative
	AIKOKU SEINEN REMMEI (Patriotic Youths' League)	Representative
	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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Request by Tojo, Hideki

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Present Address: #81 of 1-chome, Shirogane-dai-cho, Shiba Ward, Tokyo.

Occupation: Formerly writer (at present no occupation)

Date of Birth: Jan. 3rd, 1890

Past career: After graduation from the Himeji Middle School
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Mongoria. On returning home to Japan, partici-
pated in activities in the problem of foreign
relations between Japan and China. Was the
president of "Aikoku-sha" (patriotic Society), an
organization of nationalistic tint.

His thought and
present movements: According to him, he is at present engaged in the
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Household conditions: Wife; Hatsue 41
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KOKUTAI YOGO RENGO KAI was organized in December 1932 as a league of 80 societies to form a united front against communism, with IRIE Tanenori, IWATA, Ainosuke, IKEDA, Hiromu and lesser lights on the Central Committee.

After the SHIMPETAI affair there was a continuation of incidents which kept the police aware that the nationalists were not sleeping and caused stricter surveillance:

Attempted murder of FUJIWARA, Ginjiro, IWASAKI, Koyata and MITSUI Hachiroemon by KANNEADA Kinnosuke, a member of the AIKOKU SEININ REMMEI (Patriotic Youth League) of IWATA AINOSUKE. KANEDA was arrested on 30 July 1933 and sentenced to six months hard labor with a three-year suspension.

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SOURCES: "The Brocade Banner"

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