

HEADQUARTERS
 SHIGA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
 APO 25, Unit 3, (Otsu, Honshu)

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 26 February 1949

SH-442

SUBJECT: Language Allowance Test

TO: Liaison Office
 Shiga Ken.

The following Japanese Nationals employed by Shiga Military Government Team are recommended for language allowance tests.

1. Yamamoto, Shigeo	Inspector	Translation	B
2. Muramatsu, Manichiro	Inspector	Translation	B
3. Hishikawa, Toshio	Inspector	Translation	B
4. Komatsu, Koichi	Inspector	Translation	B
5. Kusui, Saichi	Inspector	Translation	B
6. Tanimura, Hideo	Inspector	Translation	B
7. Hamatani, Toshio	Inspector	Translation	B
8. Eguchi, Sueto	Advisor	Translation	A
9. Iida, Wakako	Clk-Typist	Translation	A
10. Sakurai, Ryuzo	Clk-Typist	Translation	A
11. Mori, Tetsuji	Interpreter	Interpretation	A
12. Takada, Shigeru	Interpreter	Interpretation	A
13. Kuratani, Yoshiro	Advisor	Interpretation	A
14. Henery, Baba	Interpreter	Interpretation	A

JAMES R. BRAZZEL
 1st Lt, USAF
 Labor Officer

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SH-441

18 February 1949

SUBJECT: Conference

TO: Governor
Shiga Prefecture.

1. Reference conference with Governor, 1000 hours, Saturday 19 February 1949.
2. The following subjects are to be covered in the meeting with you on above date.
 - a. Report requested of Prefecture School board giving names of teachers teaching communism in school.
 - b. Who is to be the Agricultural Extension specialist.
 - c. Report on surplus rice delivery.
 - d. Manufacture award Efficiency program.
 - e. Labor relations committee.

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SH-440

14 February 1949

SUBJECT: Holiday

TO: Shiga Ken Liaison Office,
Shiga Ken.

Army Day, 6 April 1949

Tuesday, George Washington's birthday, 22 February 1949 will be
observed as a holiday by this Headquarters.

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SHIGA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 25 Unit 3 (Otsu, Honshu)

463.7 SH-439

8 February 1949

SUBJECT: Petroleum Allocation for February 1949

THRU: Liaison Office, Shiga Prefecture

TO: Government, Shiga Prefecture

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1. It is desired that you approve for issue, and notify the appropriate P.D.C. (or its successor agency) to issue petroleum products as shown on the inclosed list.

2. These issues of petroleum products are to be used only during the month of February 1949 and only for the purpose for which allotment is made.

3. It is requested that any unused petroleum products at the end of February 1949 be reported to this headquarters by the Shiga Ken Liaison Office.

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Shiga Prefecture
Petroleum Allocation for February 1949

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Officer Supervisor</u>	<u>Gasoline (gal)</u>	<u>Oil (gal)</u>	<u>Grease (gal)</u>
1. Nikka Kogyo	JPNO-521	3	Maj Halbert	710	19	6
2. Kenzaisha Contractor	JPNO-541	1	" "	240	6	2
3. Shiga Truck Co	none	4	" "	950	25	8
4. Sedan Mil Govt	Shiga	1	Lt Col Lucas	200	6	-
Total		9		2100	56	16

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SHIGA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 25 Unit 3 (Otsu, Honshu)

SH - 438

8 February 1949

SUBJECT: Copies of Model Law for Extension System

TO: Governor, Shiga Prefecture

Forwarded herewith 4 copies of the Model Law suggested as Basis of Extension System. (Drafted by Extension Division, Agriculture Improvement Bureau)

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APO 25 Unit 3 (Otsu, Honshu)

463.7 SH-437

21 January 1949

SUBJECT: Petroleum Allocation for January 1949

THRU: Liaison Office, Shiga Prefecture

TO: Government, Shiga Prefecture

1. It is desired that you approve for issue, and notify the appropriate P.D.C. (or its successor agency) to issue petroleum products as shown on the inclosed list.

2. These issues of petroleum products are to be used only during the month of January 1949 and only for the purpose for which allotment is made.

3. It is requested that any unused petroleum products at the end of January 1949 be reported to this headquarters by the Shiga Ken Liason Office.

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Shiga Prefecture
Petroleum Allocation for January 1949

<u>Contractor</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Vehicles</u>	<u>Officer Supervisor</u>	<u>Gasoline (Gal)</u>	<u>Oil (Gal)</u>	<u>Grease (Gal)</u>
1. Nikka Mogyo	JPNO-521	3	Maj. Halbert	550	20	6
2. Kokusai Bus	JPNO-145 Biwako Hotel	3	Lt. Rauschenberg	500	25	20
3. Pierce Arrow Sedan	Mil Govt	1	Lt Col Lucas	200	6	-
Total		<u>7</u>		<u>1250</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>26</u>

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APO 25, Unit 3, (Otsu, Honshu)

SH-436

21 January 1949

SUBJECT: Conference

TO: Governor Shiga Prefecture.

1. Reference conference with Governor, 1030 hours, Saturday 22 January 1949.

2. The following subjects ^{and} is to be covered in the meeting with you on above date.

a. Supervision and Control of Welfare Institutions.

b. *Supervision of union democratization program.*

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APO 25, Unit 3, (Otsu, Honshu)

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SH -435

20 January 1949

SUBJECT: Change in Classification and Raise in Wages

TO : Governor, Shiga Prefecture

THRU : Liaison Office, Shiga Prefecture.

1. It is recommended that Mr. Tadao Kunitomo, presently employed by the Civil Education Office of this team as School Affairs Advisor, be given a change in classification to professional Advisor with the resulting wage increase from 6,403 yen to 7,500 yen on the basis of 3,791 yen per month. It is understood that the basic salary is to be increased to 6,307 yen per month and the salary increase should, therefore, be in accordance with the new basic wage.

2. This recommendation is made for the following reasons:

- a. Mr. Kunitomo has worked for the Education Division, SCAP, and Military Government for 27 months.
- b. He has been a professor at the University of Hawaii.
- c. He was formerly Chief of Education in Bangkok.
- d. He is a nationally known scholar and holds a Master of Arts degree from Oberlin College.

3. Mr. Kunitomo's background and education, together with the time and energy he devotes to his work, make his services invaluable. His present salary, however, does not equal the pay given to Prefectural Education School Inspectors.

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SH-434

7 January 1949

SUBJECT: Conference

TO: Governor Shiga Prefecture.

1. Reference conference with Governor, 1030 hours, Saturday 8 January 1949.
2. The following subject is to be covered in the meeting with you on above date.
 - a. Civil Information.

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SH-433

3 January 1949

SUBJECT: Tax Collection

TO: Governor Shiga Prefecture.

Attached is a list of Agricultural Co-op meetings scheduled between 7 and 17 January. It is requested that you have some member of the prefectural government present at these, and all succeeding meetings, to encourage tax payment.

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SH-432

3 January 1949

SUBJECT: Collection of Taxes

TO: Governor Shiga Prefecture.

1. At the present time the collection of taxes, national, prefectural and municipal, is of primary importance to Japan. I am sure that you are aware of the importance of tax collection because of the emphasis General MacArthur has given it in his letter to the Prime Minister on 20 December 1948, in which his second objective stated was: "To accelerate and strengthen the program of tax collection and insure prompt, widespread and vigorous criminal prosecution of tax evasion.

2. This policy has been reflected in our mission and is now our first objective for surveillance.

3. The people of Shiga Ken have always had the reputation of paying their taxes in full and on time. This reputation, however, does not cover all the people of this Ken for there still remains over 100 million yen of last years taxes outstanding.

4. While the collection of national taxes is not your direct responsibility, it is believed that since the Ken has received ¥492,330,098, or 31.1% of the Ken revenue, from the national government to date in this fiscal year to balance the prefectural budget, it becomes a strong responsibility of yours to encourage payment of national, as well as prefectural taxes.

5. The following suggested actions are offered for your consideration:

a. A series of public statements encouraging tax payment and also reporting to the citizens the prefectural status of delinquent tax payers. This information can be obtained from our tax officer.

b. Formation of teams from prefectural officials to go out and talk to groups of citizens and encourage payment of both prefectural and national taxes.

c. A letter using information on attached sheet, be prepared by you and sent to every mayor in the Ken.

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Suggested information to be included in a letter to mayors of towns

1. Importance of the program to Japan.
2. ¥100,000,000 outstanding from 1947 taxes which must be collected immediately so that all people will realize necessity for paying all taxes in full and on time.
3. Ken has received 31% of its revenue from national finances.
4. The three cities in Shiga have received an average of 12.5% of their revenue from national treasury.
5. Each municipality has received some disbursement from national treasury.
6. Encourage the mayor to contact his tax office to determine who the delinquent tax payers are and make personal visits to encourage payment in full.