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November 1950

The Gist of Collecting Money and Other Articles for the Comfort of the United Nations' Wounded Soldiers and for the Relief of the War Victims due to the Korean Disturbance

I. Aim: While we are eagerly waiting for the earliest settlement of the present Korean disturbance according to the good sense of the world, the number of wounded soldiers are gradually increasing among the United Nations' Army and the miserable conditions of the people on the spot who are wandering homeless reminds us of our long experience of war calamity and move us to deep sympathy.

Thus from the humanistic standpoint we have decided to collect money and articles far and wide with the cooperation of the whole nation in order to express our deep sympathy to the United Nations' wounded soldiers and to alleviate war suffering of the people on the spot.

II. Operation method:

Committees are to be established among various civil organizations and information concerns and performance of inquiry and collection of money and articles.

(1) Committee meeting:

The title, organization and management will be as follows:

A. Title: The Committee of Collecting Money and Articles for the Comfort of the United Nations' Wounded Soldiers and the Relief of the Korean War Victims (Abridged title: Korean Disturbance Relief Committee).

B. Organization:

Chairman	1
Vice-chairman	2
Secretary	some
Committee members	some

Chairman, vice-chairman and secretary are to be elected among themselves.

C. Management:

Chairman will call committee meeting when it is necessary.
Chairman will be the speaker of the committee meeting.
Vice-chairman is to assist chairman and also to act for chairman when he is away for some unavoidable circumstances.
The committee is to investigate or to decide various plans concerning consolation and collection of money and articles.

(2) Term of collection from 1 November to 31 December.

(3) Method of collection:

The amount to be collected from one person is one yen. Collection should be done voluntarily by the understanding of the people instead of any compulsory method.

(4) Publicity and propagation:

Make the aim of collecting money and articles for consolation and relief widely known through newspapers, radio or other methods.

(5) Consolation, collection and disposition of money and articles.

Money will be received by the city offices, branch-offices of the prefecture and local offices which will be collected by the prefectural branch offices of the Japan Red Cross Association. Articles of consolation and relief are mainly as follows:

A. Consolation articles:

Productions of home art, photographs, picture post-cards(Japanese scenery and beauty), English letters of consolation, paintings or drawings by primary school children, dolls and other articles fit for consolation.

B. Relief articles:

Clothing, food (unperishable goods, such as canned food) medicines, school articles and other daily commodities.

The disposition of consolation and relief articles is to be decided by the committee, especially the relief articles for the war victims will be sent to the spot through proper international organizations.

(6) Report of the result:

The result of the collection of consolation and relief funds and articles as well as the situation of their disposition is to be reported to the people by a proper method.

Fukuoka-ken District Committee Regulations for the Consolation of the United Nations' Wounded Soldiers and the Collection of Money and Articles for the Releif of the Korean War Victims.

1st Item
The committee is called in abridged title The Korean Disturbance Consolation and Relief District Committee and its office is to be set-up in the office of the Japan Red Cross Association, Fukuoka Branch at 25 banchi, Nagata-cho, Fukuoka-shi.

2nd Item
The committee aims at the consolation of the UN's wounded soldiers and the relief of the Korean war victims.

3rd Item
The committee takes charge of the collection and disposition of the money and the articles for the consolation and the relief to attain the objectives which are indicated in the previous items.

4th Item
The committee will be organized by the government officials concerned with the social work in the Fukuoka-ken as well as with the representatives of business organizations.

5th Item
The committee will establish the following office-bearers in it who will be elected by mutual vote:

Chairman	1
Vice-Chairman	2
Secretary	7

6th Item
The duties of the above office-bearers are as follows:

The chairman is to superintend the business of the association.
The vice-chairman is to assist the chairman and to act for the latter by his designation when the chairman is off duty.

7th Item
The term of office of the committee is to cover the period in which to perform the business prescribed in the 1st and 2nd Item.

8th Item
The chairman will call the committee when it is necessary.

9th Item
When a committee member cannot be present at the committee meeting, a proxy is allowed to take the place of the former.

Supplementary Rules

10th Item
This regulation is effective from 27 October 1950.

The Name List of the District Committee Board of Collecting Money and Articles for the Comfort of the UN's Wounded Soldiers and the Relief of the Korean War Victims (No particular order observed).

Chief of Japan UN Assoc., Fukuoka Branch	Chairman	Masaji Yamawaki
Chief of Fukuoka-ken Welfare Dept.	Vice-chairman	Toshio Kakudo
President of the Chiefs of Fukuoka-ken Town and Village	"	Sentaro Saito
Chief of Fukuoka-ken Social Section	Secretary	Jofu Ishibashi
Pres. of Fukuoka-ken Minsei-iin League	"	Mataka Kitagawa
The chairman of the Board of Directors of Fukuoka-ken Religious Associations	"	Masaki Hatakaka
President of Fukuoka-ken Women's Joint Council	"	Mieko Kimijima
Secretary of Japan Red Cross Assn., Fukuoka Br.	"	Shigenari Matono
Chairman of Fukuoka-ken Youth Liaison Council	"	Noboru Maruyama
Chairman of Fukuoka-ken Social Work Council	"	Shium Fajita
Governor of Fukuoka-ken	A member of committee	Katsuji Sugimoto
Vice-Governor of Fukuoka-ken	"	Ryozo Okuda
"	"	Koroku Tsuchiya
Head of Fukuoka-ken Cashiers	"	Kumiji Obana
Asst Chief of Japan Red Cross Assn, Fukuoka Br.	"	Toyojiro Maeda
Head of Fukuoka-ken General Affairs	"	Yoshimasa Yamamoto
Supt. of Fukuoka-ken Board of Education	"	Sobei Nakao
Chairman of Fukuoka-ken Assembly	"	Minoru Inakazu
Chairman of Fukuoka-ken Assembly Welfare Standing Committee	"	Kumio Fujita
Representative of Fukuoka-ken Mayors	"	Yoroku Miyoshi
Representative of the Branch Offices, Fukuoka-ken	"	Shunryo Ozaki
Head of Fukuoka Broadcasting Station	"	Ryutaro Kanagawa
Chief of Fukuoka-ken Compatriots' Relief Assn., Fukuoka Branch	"	Shunsaku Noda
Chairman of Fukuoka-ken Public Security Committee	"	Kanichiro Ono
Representative of the Nishi Nippon	"	Nariyuchi Tanaka
Representative of The Asahi	"	Tekkan Watanabe
Representative of The Mainichi	"	Nobukatsu Fujita
Representative of Fukuoka-ken Banks	"	Shigei Takahashi
Head of Foreign Ministry, Kyushu Liaison and Coordination Bureau	"	Shiroji Yuki
Commander of Fukuoka National Police Reserve	"	Toshio Eguchi
Representative of Kyushu Coal Mining Assn.	"	Ushinosake Tanaka

韓國動乱に伴う國連軍傷病将兵慰向並びに罹災者救恤義捐金品募集要綱

一　趣　旨

今回の韓国の動乱は、一日も早く、世界の良識に従って平和裡に解決されることを念願して止まないのでありますが、戦争がつづけられるにつれて国連軍前屈将兵中にも漸次傷病者の数を加え、又現地一般住民は戦禍に追われて路頭に迷い、その惨状は多年戦争の災厄を経験した我々国民にとって誠に同情に堪えないものがあります

私共は人道的立場から、これに國民の協力を得て国連軍傷病将兵に対して心からなる慰向をなし、又現地住民に対しては戦争による苦悩の軽減のために、広く義捐金品を募集することといたした次第であります。

二　実施方法

名種民向団体及び報道関係者からなる委員会を組織して、その委員会の決定に基いて慰向、義捐金品の募集を行う

(一)　委員会

委員会の名称、組織並に運営は左の通りとする

ノ名称

國連軍傷病将兵慰向、韓国罹災者救恤義捐金品募集委員会（略稱　韓国動乱慰向、救恤委員会）とし、県日赤支部におくものとする

2　組織

委員長　一名

委員　二名

若干名

幹事

委　員　　若干名

・委員及副委員は、委員の互選によって決定する

3　運　営

委員会は必要があるとき委員長が招集する

委員長は委員会の議長となる

副委員長は委員長事故あるときは之を代理する

委員会は　慰問、義捐金品の募集に関する諸計画を審議決定するものとする。

(二)　募集期間　十一月一日から十二月三十一日まで

(三)　募集方法

県民一人一円宛を目標とする。なるべく強制に亘るようなことはさけ、一般国民の理解による自発的醵出に求める　特に街頭募金、即売会、バザー等を開催し、その醵金を醵出するなどの方法も考慮すること

(四)　周知宣伝

新聞、ラヂオ等の利用、その他の方法によって、慰問、義捐金品募集の趣旨を周知せしめる

(五)　慰問、義捐金品の募集並に処分

醵出金は　市役所、地方事務所、町村等に於て之を受付け日赤県支部において取纏める

慰問品及び義捐品は　左のものとする。

1　慰問品

郷土芸術品、寫真、絵葉書（日本風景、美人等）　英文の慰問文、小学生等の図画、人形、その他慰向に適するもの

2　義捐品

衣料品、食料品、（雑誌類であつて衛敗の虞なきもの）医薬品、学用品、其の他日用品等、慰向義捐金品の処分は委員会において決定し、特に罹災者救恤用品については適当なる国際赤十字機関を通じて現地え送る

(六) 結果の報告

委員会は慰向、義捐金品の募集実績並びに処分状況を一般県民に適当な方法によつて報告する。

国連軍傷病将兵慰問、韓国罹災者救恤義捐金品募集地方委員会々則

第一條　この委員会は国連軍傷病将兵慰問、韓国罹災者救恤義捐金品募集地方委員会（略称　韓国罹災者救恤福岡県委員会）という、事務所を、福岡市永田町二十五番地、日本赤十字社福岡支部内に置く。

第二條　この委員会は韓国動乱に伴う国連軍傷病兵の慰問並びに、韓国罹災者の救恤を行うことを目的とする。

第三條　この委員会は前條の目的を達成するため慰問、義捐金品の募集並に処分にあたるものとする。

第四條　この委員会は福岡県下の社会事業に関係ある官公吏並に事業団体の代表者を以て組織する。

第五條　この委員会に左の役員を置き委員の互選とする。

委員長一名　副委員長二名　幹事七名

第六條　この役員の任務は左の通りとする。

委員長は会務を総理する。

副委員長は委員長を補佐し、委員長事故あるときは委員長の指名する副委員長がその職務を代理する。

幹事は会長の指示により会務を処理する。

第七條　この委員の任期は、第一條、第二條の事業を行う期間とする。

第八條　この委員会は必要あるとき委員長が招集する。

召集の遠のないときは幹事会を以て之に代え、次回の委員会に報告し承認を求める事とする。

第九條　委員で事故ある時は代理者を出席せしむることができる。

附　則

第十條　本則は昭和二十五年十月廿七日より施行する。

國連軍傷病將兵慰問 幷國罹災者救恤義捐金品募集地方委員会役員名芸 （順序不同）

日本国連協会福岡支部長	委員長	山脇正次
福岡県民生部長	副委員長	角銅利生
福岡県町村長会長	委員	斎藤仙太郎
福岡県社会課長	幹事	石橋丈夫
福岡県民生委員連盟会長	委員	北川真隆
福岡県宗教連盟理事長	委員	幡掛正木
福岡県婦人連合協議会長	委員	君島実生子
日本赤十字社福岡支部参事	委員	的野清成
福岡県青年団連絡協議会長	委員	丸山登
福岡県社会事業協議会長	委員	藤田紫雲
福岡県知事	委員	杉本勝次
福岡県出納長	委員	奥田良三
福岡県副知事	委員	土屋喜鹿
	委員	尾花国次
日本赤十字社福岡支部副長	委員	前田豊次郎
福岡県総務長	委員	山本善正
福岡県教育委員会教育長	委員	中尾壮兵衛

福岡県	毎	朝	西	福	福岡県	福	福岡	福	福岡県	福	福岡県	福	日本	福	全	福	福	福岡県	福岡県	日本赤十字	福岡県婦人	福岡県宗教	福岡県	福
岡県銀行代表	日新聞社代表	日新聞社代表	日本新聞社代表	岡県公安委員長	岡県局肥護会福岡県支部長	岡放送局長	岡県地方事務所長代表	岡県市長代表	岡県会民生常任委員長	岡県議会議長	岡県教育委員会教育長	岡県総務部長	赤十字社福岡支部副長	岡県出納長		岡県副知事	岡県知事	岡県社会事業協議会長	岡県青年団連絡協議会長	赤十字社福岡支部参事	岡県婦人連合協議会長	教連盟理事長		
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高橋重成	藤田信勝	渡辺鉄幹	田中喜之	大野寛一郎	野田俊作	神川柳太郎	尾崎俊亮	三好彌六	藤田国雄	稲員稔	中尾壮兵衛	山本善正	前田豊次郎	尾花国次	土屋香鹿	奥田良三	杉本勝次	藤田紫雲	丸山登	的野済成	君島実生子	柚柄正		

外務省九州連絡調整事務局長	委員	結城司郎次
福岡国警本部隊長	〃	江口俊男
九州石炭鉱業連盟代表	〃	田中五之助

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KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
2 February 1951

Mr. Isamu Otsuka
c/o NPR Kozuki Unit,
7th Company, 4th Platoon,
1st Section, Kozuki Postal Bureau District,
Yamaguchi Prefecture

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 31st of January in which you have enclosed a contribution for the United Nations soldiers.

In accordance with recent instructions received from higher headquarters we are returning herewith your money order in the amount of ¥500 with the suggestion that it be submitted to your Japanese Red Cross who is currently conducting a drive for collection of funds and "consolation" materials for the United Nations forces in Korea.

Yours truly.

JACOB GERRILD
Chief, Public Welfare Section

1 Incl:
Money Order

J Akine 2 Feb, 1951

客冬の候　朝鮮事変勃
発以来
日々の新聞紙面に来る如く
又公等の多くに一生懸命
勇気に対し警察予備隊の一員として
わずかの金五〇〇円ではなはだ済
訳ありませんが
ついては皆様方の一助として日本再建に
御進ーたいと存じます。

敬具

O Nishigori

DATE: 31 January 1951

FROM: Isamu Otsuka
c/o National Police Reserve Kozuki Unit,
the 7th Company, the 4th Platoon, the 1st Section,
Kozuki Postal Bureau District, Yamaguchi Prefecture

TO: KCAR, Hakata Postal Bureau District,
Fukuoka City

Dear Sir:

In this severe winter weather, the war is being fought fiercely in the Korean front. Daily papers report of the United Nations Army soldiers fighting with all their might for the peace of the world. As a member of the NPR I should like to make a small offering of ¥500 to be used for the consolation of those soldiers. As for myself, I'm firmly determined to make my best effort for the reconstruction of Japan.

Yours sincerely,

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
12 January 1951

Mr. Masao Wakiyama
NPR
Kanoya City
Kagoshima Ken

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 8th of January in which you have enclosed a contribution for the wounded United Nations soldiers.

In accordance with recent instructions received from higher headquarters we are returning herewith your money order in the amount of ¥500 with the suggestion that it be submitted to your Japanese Red Cross who is currently conducting a drive for collection of funds and "consolation" materials for the United Nations forces in Korea.

Yours truly,

1 Incl:
Money Order

JACOB GERRILD
Chief, Public Welfare Section

Jan. 12+1 '51

500 yen money order is
enclosed with this letter.

早く元気になられる様
に祈ります。
送金をお送りしますから
神の御加護を
祈ります。

9 Jan 51

鹿児島県
Kanoya city,
Kagoshima

From. Masao Wakuyama NPR,
To the wounded U.N. soldiers.

How are you getting along in
these cold days? I am enclosing
a little sum of money to be used
for your comforts as a token of
my deep sympathy for your wounded
soldiers of United Nations.
Wishing your speediest recovery
I am
Yours sincerely. Wakuyama

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
6 January 1951

Mr. Kumiyuki Yuki
2nd Section, 13th Company
NPR
Kumamoto City

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter in which you express sympathy for the sudden death of General Walker. We were all greatly shocked by his untimely death.

In accordance with recent instructions received from higher headquarters, we are returning herewith your money order in the amount of ¥1000 with the suggestion that it be submitted to your Japanese Red Cross.

Yours truly,

JACOB GERRILD
Chief, Public Welfare Section

DATE: 29 December 1950

FROM: Kuniyuki Yuki
2nd Section, 13th Company
NPR
Kumamoto, City

TO: Colonel Burgheim

The year 1950 is going to end in a few days and we are going to welcome a new year. I expect you are very busy at this time of the year.

I want to express my deep sympathy for the sudden death of General Walker. The enclosed ¥1000 is my year end bonus. Please spend one half of the amount for flowers for the late General and the rest for comforts for the wounded United Nations' soldiers.

No.＿＿＿＿＿＿

厳寒の候と相成りました。
九五〇年も弥増かして参りました。
皆様方には内外の事と推察致します。
此度、故ウォーカー中将戦死の報を聴き転達、日本人の一人として哀心より哀悼の意を表します。
つきましては私達多人数未嘗與を蒙りまして勤めて甚だ失礼とは存じますが、同封の金額中半分は故ウォーカー中将の御霊前に花一輪なりと御供へ下さい。又残額は連合軍傷兵の方々の慰問金に御受納下さいます様、伏して御願い申上げます。

民事部長
バーグハイム大佐殿。

結城那之

福岡局区内 福岡市

九州管区福岡民事部長殿

熊本局

O 8.16

熊本市坪井町三四
國營工務所熊本地方部
第十三聯隊第三分隊第一小隊
第一班

Jan. 11th 51.

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File with correspondence

Dear sir. Mr. Gerald

I received your letter today.

I thank for your past kindness and etc.

Now, I going to send the money of ¥1000 to our Red Cross in Tokyo.

I am very sorry, you have much trouble for me still now. Thank you very very much.

Please keep your good health.

Yours truly.

Kuniyuki. Yuki.

1st Sqd. 2nd Plat. 13th Co.

Camp Kumamoto. N. P. R. — Japan.

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福岡

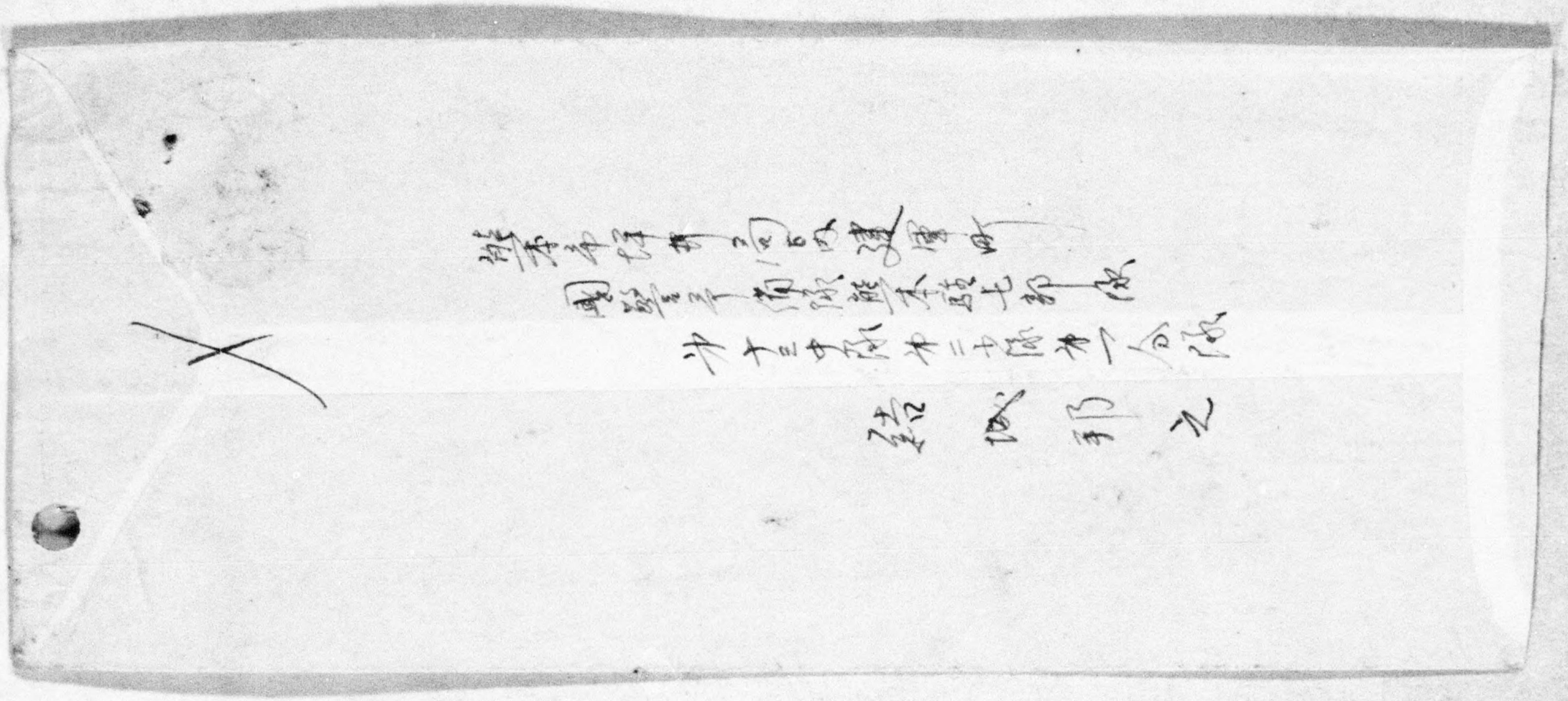
地方代事部倉

ジヤコブ

ごエラルド

課長

殿



KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
APO 1105

28 December 1950

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the Japanese Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region, Money Order No. 30 KE 7025 in the amount of five hundred yen (¥500), contributed by a member of N.P.R. Mr. Santaro Okamoto, Nagasaki-ken, to be used to buy comforts for United Nations' Wounded soldiers.

Takao Ueta

Japanese Red Cross
No. 25, Nagata-cho,
Fukuoka City

From: Mr.OKAMOTO, Santaro
NPR Kyushu Region

To : Chief KCAR

Subject : Christmas present to wounded GI at Korean front.

I hope you are all well and doing your job successfully.

I am executing my duty as a member of JNPR under the guidance of U.S. Teachers.

By the help and kindness of U.S. peoples Jananese reconstruction is proceeding favorably, for which I appreciate deeply.

Enclosed money order is small amount, but I wish you add this amount to buy some Christmas present to wounded AI at Korean front.

I hope all wounded GI recover their health again and execute their duty.

/s/ OKAMOTO Santaro

Incl: Money order No.SOKE-7025 amounting yen 500.--

DONATIONS FOR COMFORTS TO U.N. SOLDIERS
As of Dec. 20, 1950

National Police Reserve	¥14,182.00	¥5,000.00 thrya KCAR
Nogata City	50,000.00	
Omuta City	18,130.00	
Tagawa City	18,000.00	
Fukuoka Local Office	5,893.00	
Children in Onga-gun	1,000.00	
Nagasaki Citizens	1,026.00	
Kasuga AIO Japanese Employees	2,000.00	
2 Jap. Red Cross Clinic	438.80	
Kagoshima South Japan News. Co.	300.00	
	¥110,969.80	

as of Dec. 20, 1950.

Donation for comforts to U.N. soldiers.

	国連軍慰問義捐金 25.12.20 現在		
警察隊備隊員	NPR	14,182,00	内民事部分由 ¥5,000,00 through KCSR
直方市	Hogata City	5,000,00	
大牟田市	Omuta "	18,130,00	
田川市	Tagawa "	18,000,00	
Fukuoka Local office	福岡地方事務所	5,893,00	
Children in Chiga-gun	遠賀郡水巻町児童	1,000,00	
Nagasaki citizens	長崎市在住者	1,026,00	民事部分由 through KCAR
Kasuga AIO	春日原AIO進駐部	2,000,00	〃 〃 〃
2 JRC clinics	日赤診療所職員二ヶ所	¥38,80	
a Kagoshima Newspaper co.	鹿児島南日本新聞社取次	300,00	民事部分由 through KCAR
Total	合計	110,569,80	

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
19 December 1950

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the Japanese Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region, a Transfer Account Check KA 19923in the amount of three hundred yen (¥300), contributed by the children of Tsuruda Primary School, Satsuma-gun, Kagoshima Ken and sent thru the Minami Nippon Newspaper Company, No. 2, Yasui-cho, Kagoshima City, to be used to buy comforts for United Nations' wounded soldiers.

Takao Ueta
Japanese Red Cross
Np. 25, Nagata-cho,
Fukuoka City

Maki
12/19/50

DATE: 11 November 1950

FROM: THE MINAMI NIPPON NEWSPAPER COMPANY,
No. 2 Yasui-cho, Kagoshima City

TO: Kyushu Civil Affairs Region

SUBJECT: Contribution to the Wounded United Nations' Soldiers

We are sending a transfer account check of three hundred yen (¥300) which the children in Tsuruda Primary School in Satsuma-gun, Kagoshima Ken have collected among themselves for the comforts of wounded United Nations' soldiers.

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
8 December 1950

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the Japanese Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region, Money Order No. NO HO E 6570 in the amount of one thousand yen (¥1,000), contributed by a member of N.P.R., Ozuki Camp, Asa-gun, Yamaguchi Ken, to be used to buy comforts for United Nations' wounded soldiers.

Takao Ueta
Japanese Red Cross
No. 25, Nagata-cho,
Fukuoka City

From a Member of J. N. P. R.
(A seal "Ohta" is used)
Camp Ozuki

No Date

To Col. Burgheim, Chief
Kyushu Civil Affairs Region

Sir:

I suppose you are busy as ever. Please listen, however, to what I am going to say. There are only ten and several days are left before the end of this year when everybody of United Nations Forces are exerting desperate efforts at the Korean Front to retrieve the fortunes of the war. Christmas is also drawing near. How your officers and soldiers are looking forward to the day! I can understand that as I myself has got an experience of the army life.

Herewith enclosed is a check for a small amount of money out of my own salary, which I like to be used in sending comforts to the front. Please be good enough to take the kind trouble in this connection.

Encl: A Check (1,000 yen)

(Translated by S. Tsue, Civil Info)

KYUSHŪ CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
6 December 1950

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the Japanese Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region, an amount of one thousand yen, contributed by Yoshinori Kurata, 8th Company, 8th Battalion, Kurume Unit, N.P.R., to be used to buy comforts for United Nations' wounded soldiers.

Takao Ueta
Japanese Red Cross
No. 25, Nagata-cho,
Fukuoka City

DATE: 3 December 1950

FROM: Yoshinori Kurata
8th Company, 8th Battalion,
Kurume Unit, N.P.R.

TO: Chief of Kyushu Civil Affairs Region

Dear sir:

I am grateful to you because you are keeping yourself so busy for civil affairs and I am grateful to United Nations' military men who are fighting for the peace of the world in Korea. I am just one insignificant person, but I want to do something to express my thanks. The money I am enclosing with this letter is little but please spend it for proper use.

May God help you and bring victory for United Nations soon.

謹啓 弟儀隊 久留米
第二大隊 本仁中隊 東部
倉田利德 部隊

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
6 December 1950

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the Japanese Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region, Money Orders No. NO HO E 6209, and 6210 in the amounts of two thousand yen (¥2,000) and one thousand yen (¥1,000), contributed by Kokichi Okayase, 2nd Detachment, 4th Section, 8th Battalion, Kozuki Camp, Oki-mura, Asa-gun, Yamaguchi-ken, to be used to buy comforts for United Nations' wounded soldiers.

Takao Ueta
Japanese Red Cross
No. 25, Nagata-cho,
Fukuoka City

DATE: 1 December 1950

FROM: Kokichi Okayase
2nd Detachment, 4th Section, 8th Battalion, Kozuki Camp

TO: Chief of Kyushu Civil Affairs Region

Dear sir:

I am a member of N.P.R. Our radio and newspapers tell us how hard United Nations' wounded soldiers have fought over in Korea. I want to thank them sincerely. The other day I read an article in a newspaper telling about contribution of blodd for the wounded soldiers, and as I have always wanted to do something to express my gratitude, I want to volunteer for it, but I am very busy in my training and I can not do so at this moment. I am sending a little sum of money so please buy some comforts for the wounded soldiers. The enclosed three thousand yen (3,000) is the money I have saved because I do not smoke.

I am studying very hard to be just half as good as your United Nations Soldiers.

It is getting colder everyday. Please take good care of yourself and I pray God that you will recover soon.

Please give my best regards to the wounded soldiers, and before I put down my pen I want to wish you the very best health. Please give your special consideration so that my wish to contribute blood will be granted.

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長崎縣伊吉郡八中隊四小隊二分隊

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 1105
1 December 1950

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the Japanese Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region, Money Order No. SO HO HO 9754 in the amount of one thousand twenty six yen, contributed by Yoshibumi Shimada, % Mr. Hirakawa, No. 63, Fufugawa-machi, Nagasaki City, Nagasaki Ken, to used to buy comforts for United Nations' wounded soldiers.

Tsuguo Kita
喜多次男

Japanese Red Cross
No. 25, Nagata-cho
Fukuoka City

Maki

DATE: 24 November 1950

FROM: Yoshibumi Shimada
c/o Mr. Hirakawa, No.63
Fufugawa-machi, Nagadaki City, Nagasaki Ken

TO: Chief of Kyushu Civil Affairs Region

SUBJECT: Contribution to the United Nations' Soldiers

Dear sir:

Please excuse me for my poor handwriting. I fought and was wounded by a fragment of a shell in Okinawa.

I am thankful to God that I have recovered and have come back home.

Five months agothe thoughtless North Koreans invaded into South Korea and changed the land of Korea into a battle ground. So many of the United Nations soldiers who were fighting for the peace of the world, died and were wounded in the war. I want to express my sincere thanks for them.

I also feel so sorry for the innocent Korean people who are suffering so much by the war.

The money I am enclosing with this letter is very small amount, but please add this to the fund to buy comforts for the wounded soldiers and Korean people's relief. I meant to write a letter earlier but my salary is small and is just enough to pay my board. The amount of 1,026 yen which is enclosed with the letter is the 5 months' accumulation of small change under one yen which I started to save on June 25 for the purpose and all of my over time pays.

I am very sorry to trouble you with this small sum of money when you are very busy, but I shall be very grateful if you would be kind enough to see to it that the money is used to buy comforts for wounded soldiers.

Thache Nakano

DATE: 13 November 1950

TO: Mr. Jacob Gerrild

FROM: Masahiro Ii, Otomiya, Ubuyama, Ubuyama-mura,
Aso-gun. Kumamoto Ken

SUBJECT: letter of Thanks for Forwarding Contribution to Wounded United Nations' Soldiers

Dear Mr. Gerrild:

I was very glad to receive your letter dated 4 November 1950. It was very kind of you, in spite of your being busy, to forward the money at once to the officer at the American Red Cross in the 118th Hospital in Fukuoka City. I am very happy to have my wish fulfilled. I want to thank you again and again and at the same time apologize for troubling you.

I am happy to believe that I have done something for the wounded United Nations' soldiers. Nothing could make me happier if this will help them in any way to recover.

In Japan today a movement of blood transfusion of the Japanese people to the wounded U.N. soldiers is being voiced and I deeply regret that I can not take any part in it. I myself am leading a scanty living and am not very healthy. But, I believe that they will understand how I really feel.

As I said before in my previous letter, I am crippled in my right hand so I use my left also in writing letters. It does not bother me anymore as I have become used to it. What embarrasses me is that I do not know any other foreign languages besides Japanese, but there is nothing I can do now.

It is getting colder each day so I pray that you will take good care of your health.

Yours truly.

Masahiro Ii

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ジャコブ・ジェラルド様、十一月四日付の御書翰ありがたく拝見いたしました。先日は不躾な書面を差上げまして、心から恐縮に存じております。御多忙の折にもかゝはりませず、早速お取次ぎ賜はり、福岡市内の第百十八陸軍病院内米國赤十字担当官殿の御許に届けられましたことは、私のこの上なき喜びとするところであります。初志を貫徹したことを光栄とするものであります。　ここに書中を以て厚くお礼の言葉を申上げると共に、

國連軍将兵の皆様に捧げる私のねがいが、わづかでも叶いましたことを確信し、これにより、傷病兵の皆様の再起へ、万分の一の力添へともなりますれば無上の喜びでございます。

現在日本においても國連軍負傷兵の方に、私たち日本人の輸血

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運動が提唱されてゐりますが、私にはそれが出来ないことを本当に残念に思っています。久しい生活とあまり健康でない私ではありますが、この気持は十二分に御了解していただきますこと、信じております。私は先はお知せしましたように右半が不自由ですから、たよりを書くのも左半ばかりです。しかもう馴れてしまいましたので別に不自由なこともありません。たゞ困りますことは無学のため國語の外は話すことも書くこともできないことであります。今更致し方のないことです。

大へん失礼なことばかり申上げましたが、寒さはげしくなりますからいよ〳〵御身御自愛におしのき遊ばされんことを。阿蘇の一隅よりはるかにお祈り申上げます。乱筆にてお許し下さい

十一月十三日　敬具

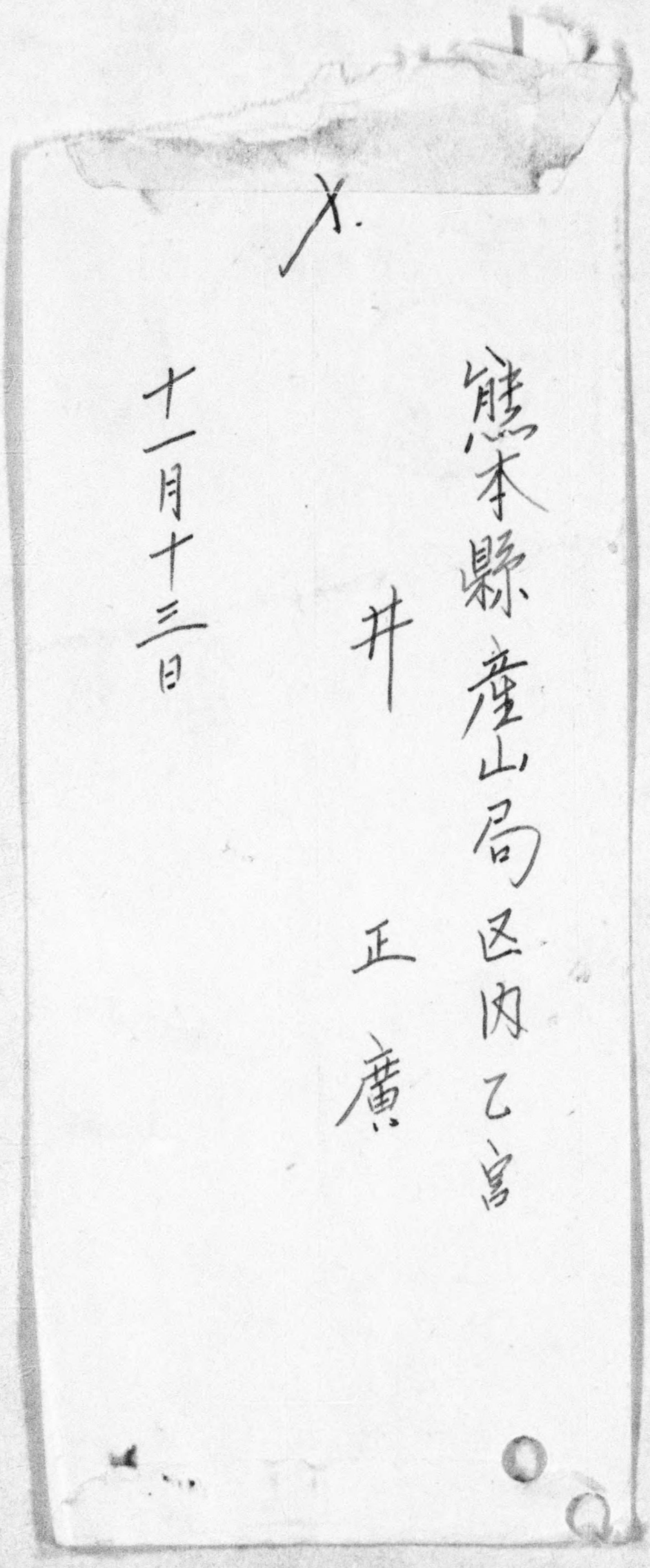
ジャコブ・ジェラルド様

熊本縣阿蘇郡産山村大字産山乙宮（うぶやま　おとみや）

井（いの）正廣（まさひろ）

てしまひません

福岡局区内
天神町一
九州地方民事部厚生課長
ジャコブ、ジェラルド 様



熊本縣産山局区内乙宮

井　正　廣

十一月十三日

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 24 Unit 5
7 Novmeber 1950

S T A T E M E N T

Money Order Number HI-HA-KA 4990 in the amount of two thousand yen (¥2000) received by this headquarters from Kyushu Gojo Kai (Kyushu "Help Each Other" Association). Above money order was cashed by Mrs. Maki Wakabayashi, Indigenous Employee of this office.

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the American Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region two thousand yen (¥2000.00) in cash, contributed by the Kyushu Gojo Kai (Kyushu "Help Each Other"Association), 765, Kasuga-machi, Kumamoto-shi, to be used to add to the comfort of United Nation's wounded soldiers.

Ursula M. Gerty

URSULA M. GERTY
American Red Cross
118th Station Hospital

Letter of thanks written by Japs Office - see Central Files.

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 24 Unit 5
7 November 1950

STATEMENT

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URSULA M. GERTY
American Red Cross
118th Station Hospital

米熊本局(熊本城内)
軍々政部御中

¥2000

書留

日春本熊
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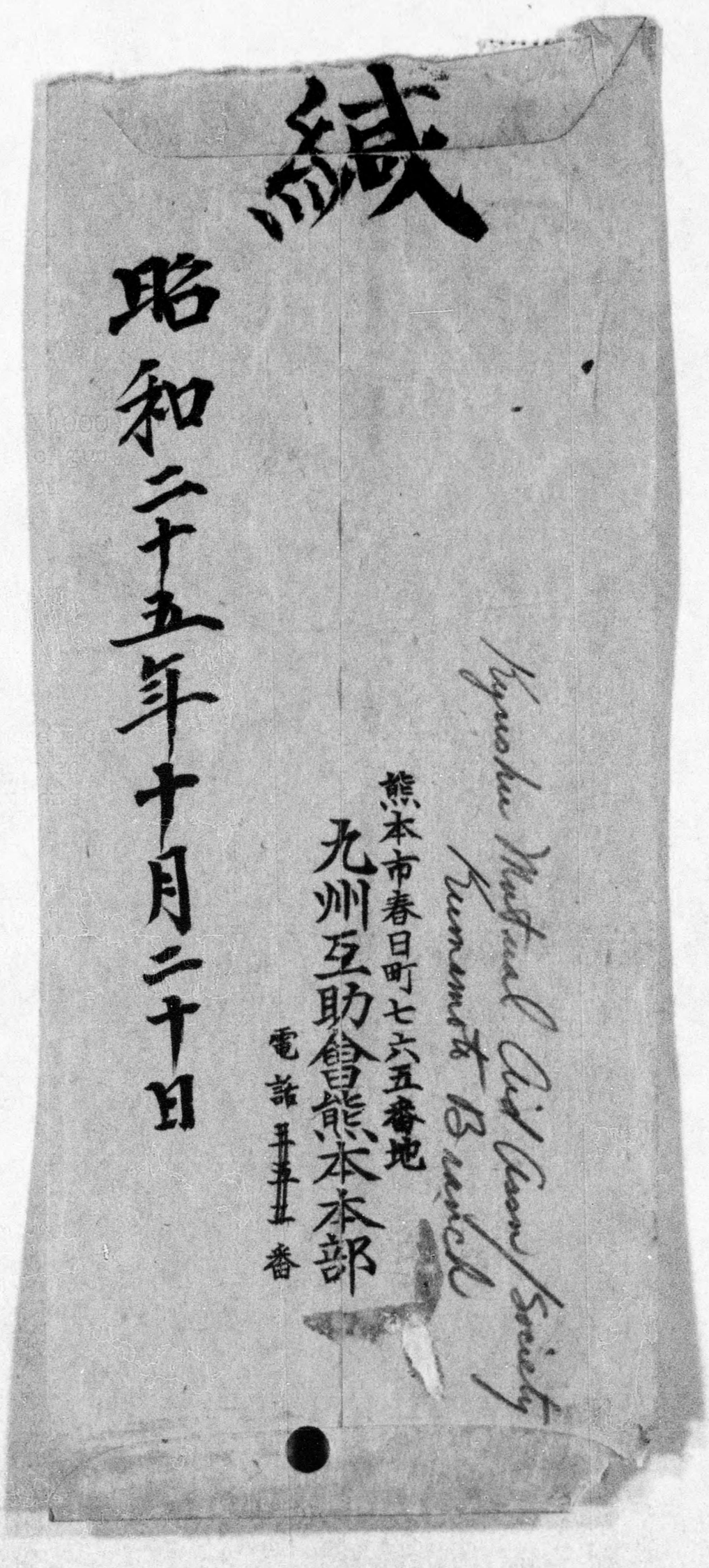
絨
昭和二十五年十月二十日
Kyushu Mutual Aid Association
Kumamoto Branch
熊本市春日町七六五番地
九州互助會熊本本部
電話 五五二番

PROSPECTUS

Our association is conducting a part of social welfare work, the aim of which is promotion of rehabilitation of our members, war widows, repatriates, physically handicapped persons, unemployed, etc.

In this post-war dark days, when morality has gone to the dogs and so much social unrest prevails, we members of this association, always retaining a fair and just mind, and full of hope for tomorrow, have been endeavoring for our own rehabilitation thru mutual help. Though the income of our members is meagre, our members are willing to share their small earnings with whoever is in want, especially those who have lost the means of livelihood owing to the Greater East Asia War. We have been giving assistance money to those poor, unfortunate people out of the result of our honest labor, our endeavors will have been more than repaid if, thru our work, the people in general are awakened to the need for helping those in want. We sincerely hope and implore that you will be kind enough to approve the aim of our association and extend your warm assistance and cooperation to us.

Kyushu Gojo Kai, Kumamoto Headquarters
(Kyushu 'Help Each Other' Association)

DATE: 20 October 1950

TO: American Military Government Headquarters

FROM: Members of Kyushu Gojo Kai, 765, Kasuga-machi, Kumamoto-shi
(Kumamoto 'Help Each Other' Association)

It almost seems like a dream when we look back upon the days immediately after the war when every Japanese was leading a hopeless, melancholy life. Thanks to you, we have gradually restored laughter to our homes after the American Forces have come to save us. In an effort to help each other, our association has been working for the rehabilitation of those of our country-men who are still underprivileged and panting with hard living such as war widows, repatriates, war sufferes, orphans who have lost parents and bretherens in the war, the unemployed and so on. We have been contributing part of the results of our honest labor to those unfortunate people who have lost means of livelihood in the Greater Asia War to help them out in any way. We have also contributed funds, though small in amount, to the ex-Japanese soldiers and sailors who have become physically handicapped due to injuries received in the war, hoping they will help them get up on their feet. Though our work is on a small scale, we are sure it is kindling a light of love in the hearts of this desperate world. We have been deeply grateful to the American Forces and General MacArthur for giving us this peaceful life of every day. Now, the American warriors are staking their lives to preserve peace in the world by fighting North Koreans, the disturber of the world peace, and many have been wounded and are now in hospitals. Now is the time for us all to express our thanks to them in an active way, the whole nation being united as one man. Feeling thus, we hereby wish to donate a small contribution, hoping the money will be used to add to the comfort, in any way, of your wounded soldiers.

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REMARKS

Came addressed to our offici
I am forwarding to you for
your action.

FROM NAME OR TITLE Lt Arndt	DATE 21 Oct
ORGANIZATION AND LOCATION Kumamoto C.C Area	TELEPHONE 382

NME FORM NO 95 1 OCT 48 Replaces DA AGO Form 895, 1 Apr 48, which may be used.

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敗戦直後我が國土國民一人〳〵が毎日〳〵生きる
望みを失ひ夢の様であります幸福を送つて居りましたが、かへつてみじめな憂慮の日々
すなはち國民は救はれ、お互に笑ふ日が續く様になつて参りました
民は本國民の中にも、まだ〳〵深刻なる敗戦後生活に悩み泣く戦争未亡人、引揚
者、戦災者、戦病者、戦禍に親兄弟を奪はれた不憫な孤児
働く職なき失業者の群等々余りにも不幸の大きな
幸福に恵まれない方達が仕事を譲り合ひお互に助け
合ふと云ふ趣旨の元に出来た社會事業の一部門の當
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幸にして生活の道を失ひ又は失ふ人々に對し援護資金を

贈りまして聖戦
に不幸にも
援護れし
附ら石の様な
荒み行く
斯様にして
主力米軍、マッカーサー元帥始め各勇士の御蔭を
尚今日に至るも感謝を續けて居るのであります、扨て
再び平和の攪乱、朝鮮戦乱に
未年帝
士は尊い一命を賭して前
も目標に傷付き病院に送られる
信じます

米軍々政部御中

昭和二十五年十月二十日

九州五助悦會一同

熊本市春日町七六

九州五助悦會熊本本部

米軍検閲

あるべき時だと思ひます。柳が同志の生活貴の内より醸出し合ひ益に傷付いた米軍勇士の慰安の一部に捧げたいと思ひまして此の私達同志の何かを御取上げ、下さる事を切に懇願致す次第であります、

趣旨書

本會は互助會社會事業の一部門にして戰爭未亡人、海外引揚者、傷夷者、失業者等にして生活の途を失える人々を會員となし當會の業務に從事せしめ自力甦生せしめるを以て目的としています。

敗戰後道義地に墜ち人心すさび世相ために暗し、私共會員は常に中正なる思想を堅持し共に相援け勤勞を愛し自立甦生の途を開き乏しき中にも明日の希望を抱きて努力し貧者の一燈なるも會員は勤勞に依り得たる收益の一部を醵出し合い大東亞戰に不幸にして生活の途を失なへる人々に對し援護の費を贈つて居ます。私共のこのさゝやかな眞心が世の人々の心の灯となり生活困窮者救濟心喚起の一端となれば幸いであります。

何卒本會の趣旨に贊同せられ温き御援助と御協力を賜らん事衷心より伏願申上ます。

九州互助會熊本本部

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KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 24 Unit 5
8 November 1950

Mr. Mitsuzo Murai and Members of the National Police Reserve
Kaeda Training Corps
Camp No. 51
Kaeda City, Aki-gun
Hiroshima Prefecture

Dear Sirs:

Your generous contribution in the amount of seven thousand three hundred fifty yen (¥7,350.00) to the United Nations' wounded soldiers has been turned over to the American Red Cross. Copy of receipt attached.

Your self-sacrificing motives will no doubt be appreciated by those who receive benefits from your thoughtful gestures.

On behalf of the United Nations' soldiers, it is my pleasure to convey their thanks for your contribution.

Your main duty is to become good Police Reserves and contribute to the welfare of your people. May you be successful in your efforts.

Sincerely yours,

JACOB GERRILD
Chief, Public Welfare Section

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 24 Unit 5
7 November 1950

S T A T E M E N T

Money Orders No. KU A 2736, 2737, 2738 and 2739 in the amounts of two thousand yen (¥2000.00), two thousand yen (¥2000.00), two thousand yen (¥2000.00)and one thousand three hundred fifty yen (¥1350) respectively was received by this office from members of the National Police Reserve, Kaeda Training Corps, Camp No. 51, Kaeda City, Aki-gun, Hiroshima Prefecture. Above money orders were cashed by Mrs. Maki Wakabayashi, indigenous employee of this office.

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the American Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region seven thousand three hundred fifty yen (¥7350.00) in cash, contributed by members of the National Police Reserve, to be used to add to the comfort of United Nations' wounded soldiers.

Ursula M. Gerty

URSULA M. GERTY
American Red Cross
118th Station Hospital

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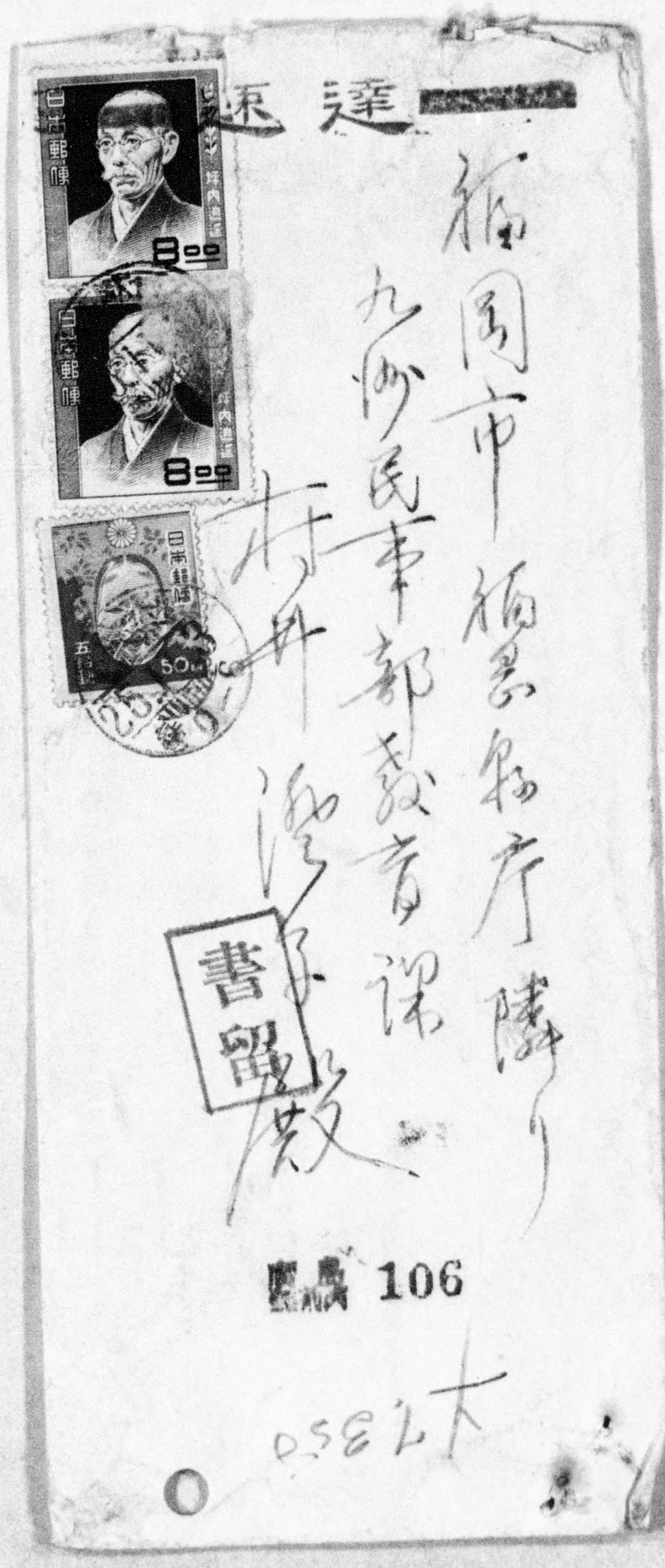

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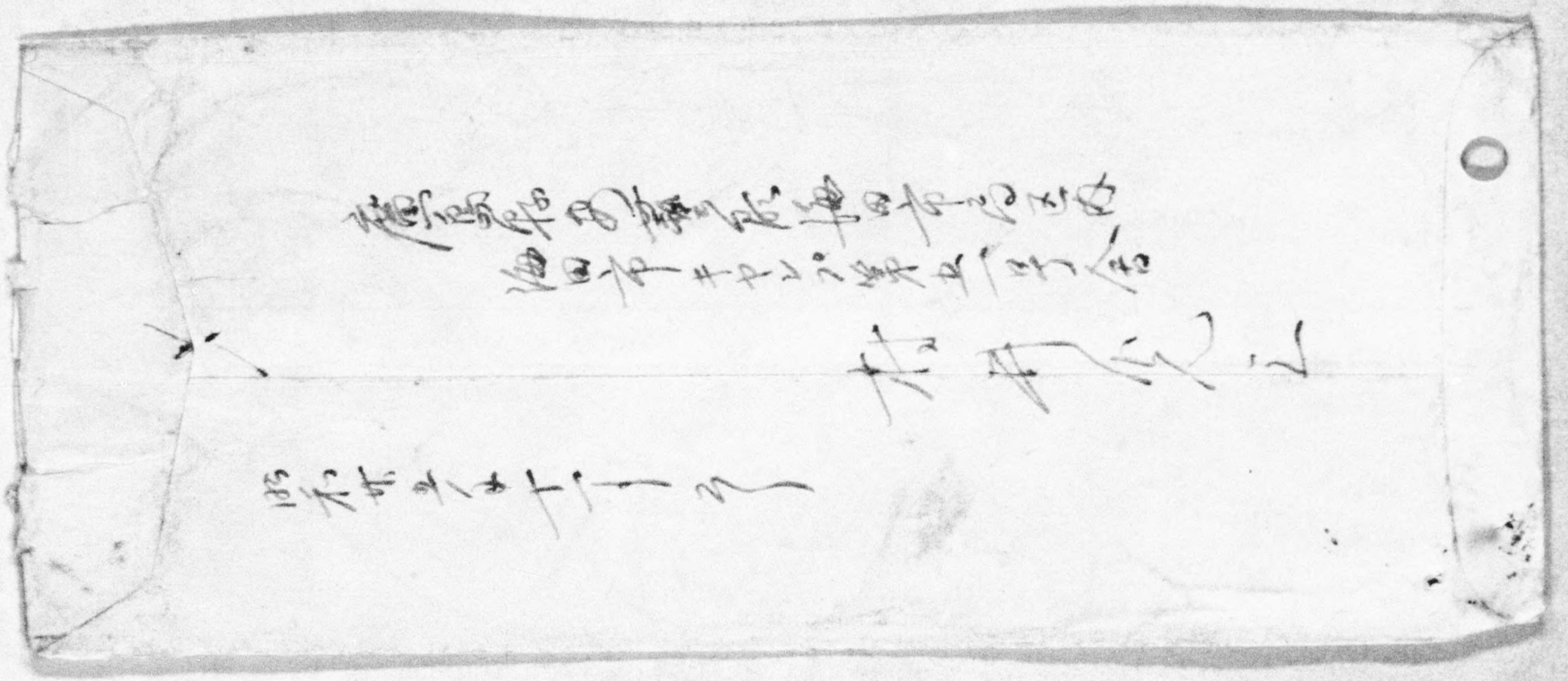

TO: Mr. Lucchi, Civil Education Officer, KCAR

FROM: Mitsuzo Murai and members of National Police Reserves, Kaeda Training Corps, Camp No. 51, Kaeda City, Aki-gun, HiroshimaPref.

SUBJECT: Donation to the United Nation Soldier wounded in Korean War

I have the honour of requesting you to take the trouble of handing over the money-order enclosed to Mr. Burgheim for the sake of consolating United Nation Soldier wounded in Korean War.

47,350

No.

昭和廿五年十一月二日

村井淑子殿

村井兵三郎

拝啓　晩秋之候と乍申相変らず御勉学の事と存じ
候扨て此度は御丁寧なるお手紙を頂き有難く
拝読仕候　私も無事相変らず寧ろ元気に御座
候間御安心下さる様　扨て御尋ねの件は
中隊の者一同相談の上別紙の通り取纏めて
参りました　一同は皆健康にて将兵慰問の意味で
献金を募りましたが軍傷病将兵方面へ献金は
出来ない事になって居ります　一同は
出来れば沖縄の遺族の為めに献金したいと
申して居ります　尚此の事は内密に願ひます
献金方法は如何様にでも御指図下さい
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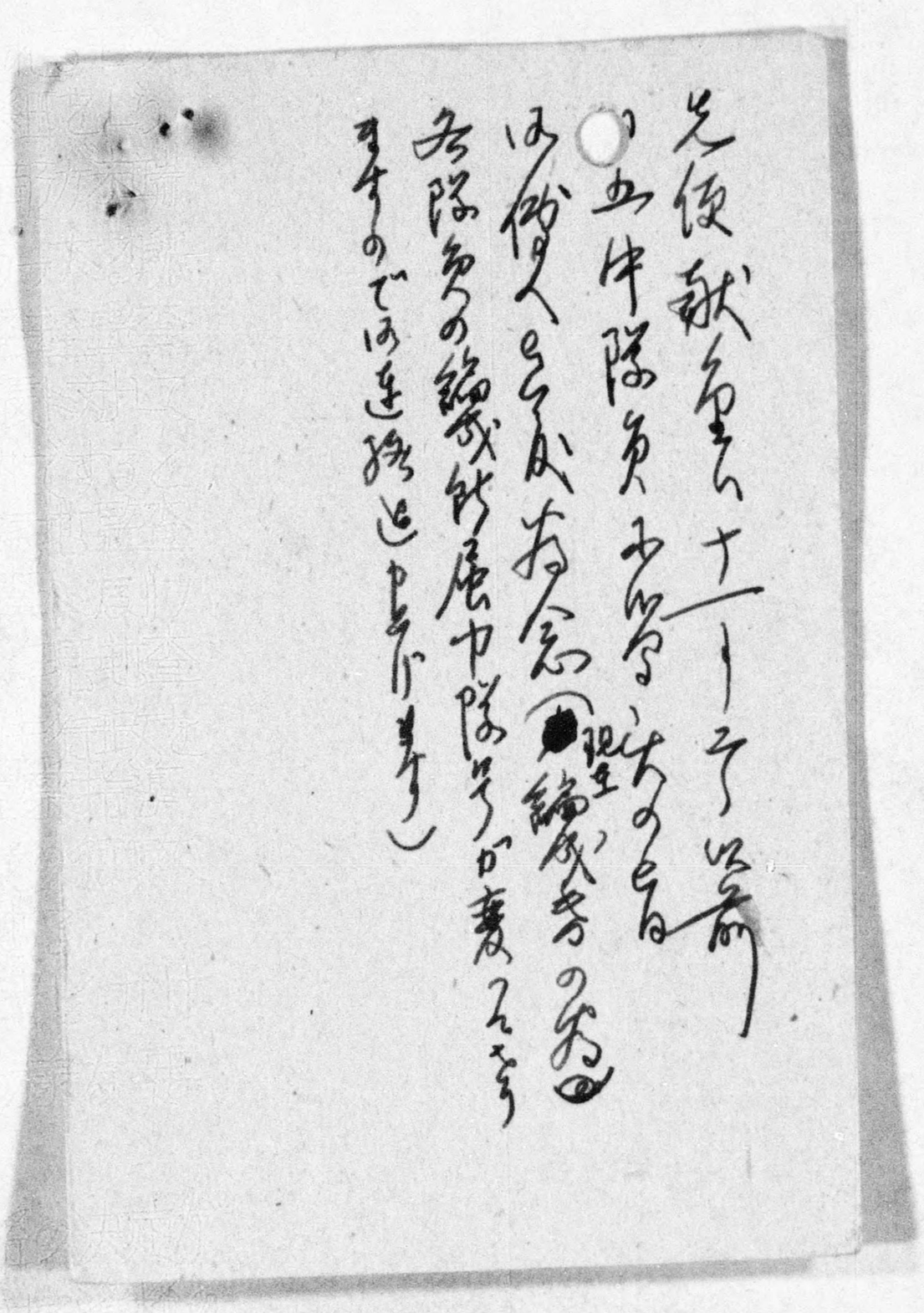
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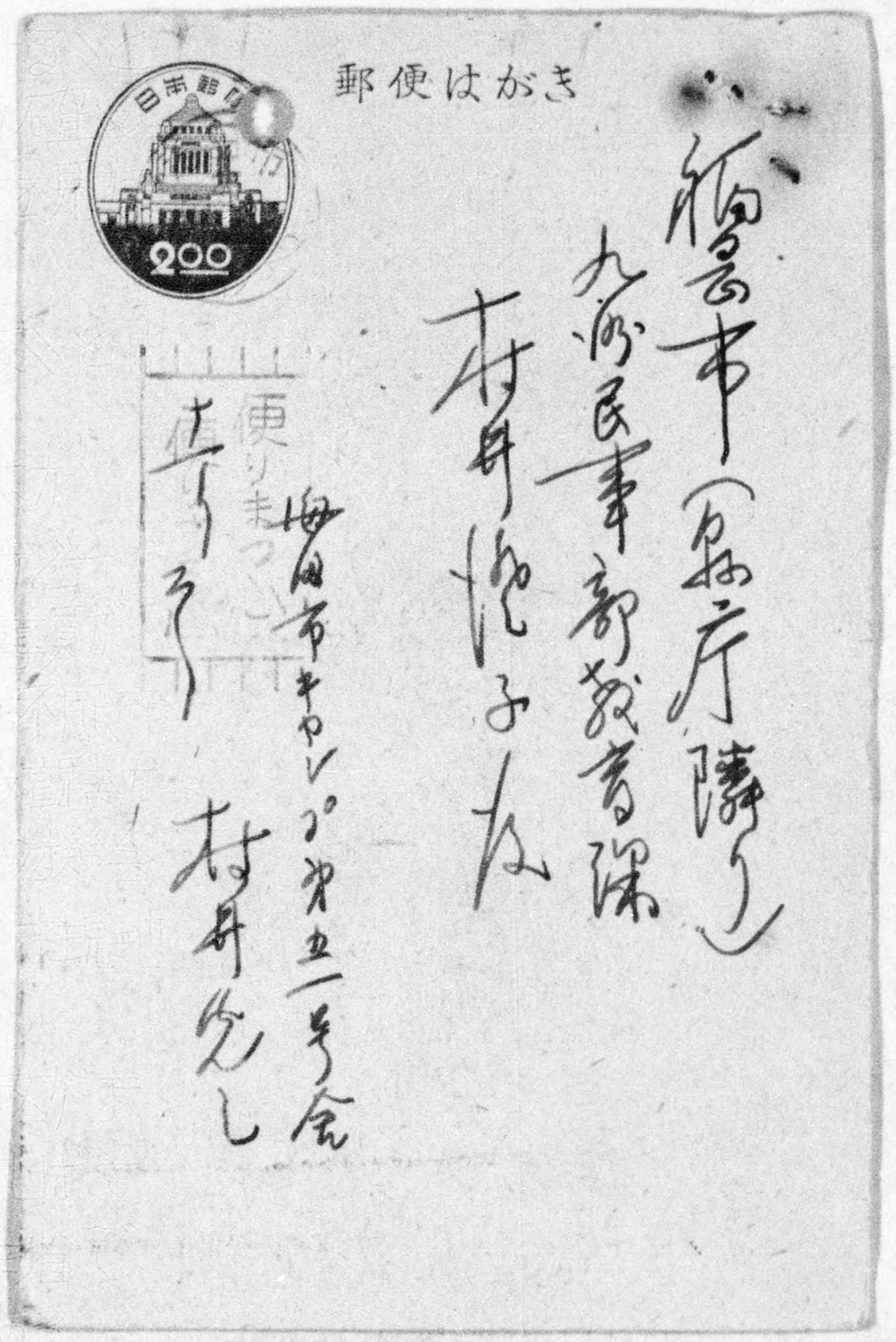

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KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 24 Unit 5
8 November 1950

Mr. Shigeo Fuchigami
Cita-mura, Kaho-gun
Fukuoka-ken

Dear Sir:

Your generous contribution in the amount of one thousand yen (¥1,000.00) to the United Nations' soldiers has been turned over to the American Red Cross by this office, as evidenced by the attached receipt.

Your self-sacrificing motives will be greatly appreciated, I am sure, by those who receive benefits from your thoughtful gesture.

On behalf of the United Nations' soldiers, it is my pleasure to convey their thanks to you for your contribution.

With best wishes for your health and happiness, I remain,

Sincerely yours,

JACOB GERRILD
Chief, Public Welfare Section

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 24 Unit 5
7 November 1950

S T A T E M E N T

Money order No. TE NU I 1534 in the amount of one thousand yen (¥1000) was received by this office from Mr. Shigeo Fuchigami, Oita-mura, Kaho-gun, Fukuoka-ken. Above money order was cashed by Mrs. Maki Wakabayashi, an indigenous employee of this office.

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the American Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region one thousand yen (¥1000) in cash, contributed by Mr. Shigeo Fuchigami, for United Nations' soldiers.

Ursula M. Gerty

URSULA M. GERTY
American Red Cross
118th Station Hospital

KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

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右 煩 軍
福岡民事部長 バークハイム中佐殿

嘉穂郡大分村
藤上繁雄

Name: Shigeo Fujigami

Address

Oita-mura, Kaho-gun,
Fukuoka-ken

Mrs. Nishizori

DATE: 27 October 1950

TO: Colonel Burgheim

FROM: Shigeo Fuchigami, Oita-mura, Kaho-gun, Fukuoka Ken

SUBJECT: Contribution to United Nations' Soldiers

Dear sir:

I beg your forgiveness in addressing you thus and express my thoughts. I'm a nameless farmer, 40 years of age and devoted my life for the welfare of the village.

Once I was one of the tenant-farmers who had to struggle with their living and the feudalistic landowners who exploited us relentlessly. On the other hand, the undemocratic militarists drove us the helpless people to the reckless warfare never allowing us any freedom only to meet the misery and destitution by the defeat. We all know too well what to expect as the rightful penalty of the worst crime against humanity which we had committed.

However, contrary to our darkest anticipation, the United Nations whom we had regarded as our foes established democracy based on freedom and equality for us, breaking off the old feudalism and giving freedom and human rights to the farmers by the execution of land reform.

Now, when your country is leading the United Nations in making the utmost efforts for the peace and the progress of the whole humanity, the international circumstances are dreaded to be taking to the most critical direction. The graveness of the situation makes us realize all the more how securely we are protected by the unusual effort and the sacrifice offered by the United Nations' soldiers. I don't know how to pay back all the kindness given to us by these people.

I have been saving some money by abstaining from smoking and drinking by way of thanking them. It's quite a small sum, but it carries all my gratitude with it and I shall be glad if you could take the trouble to forward it to the soldiers. Lastly, I wish good luck for every soldiers of the United Nations as well as happiness and good health to you.

Yours sincerely,

Shigeo Fuchigami

¥1000

拝啓
菲賤の身を顧りみず謹んで感謝の意を捧げ所懐の一端を申上げます
私は学識養教ともしい一農民でありまして国下村に奉仕している四十才になる者であります顧りみますと私は過去において物質に恵まれない一小作農民であります故にて当って封建性も甚しい部落に於ける地主地頭のさく取搾取の常習にもれず実に悲惨なる境遇に悲哀とたゝかつて来たのであります偶々軍閥による非民主的な政治が開こしてゆく末は益々私等納民は無謀な驅使に自由は全くうばわれ れいぞくのうきめにあきらめなければならなかつたのであります、しかして遂にはいまわしい敗戦の結果は唯失望あるのみでありました。　戦争が人類の最大の罪悪をあえてした野獣国民の末路は言語何物をもてしても之れを補ふ事の不可能の事を自覚して、正義による如何なる制裁も覚悟していたのでありました。
然ら私等の予期していました事は意外にも。それ迄敵国として恐れおのいていた国連諸国が人類の自由平等による民主々義政策をそのまゝ我が国の封建性を打破されて一般細民の開放 又は私等農民も農地開放等 劃期的な大改革の指針を与えられました事を私等は言語に尽すことの出来ない程の歓喜と恩恵を満きつして、真の自由と立脚した民主々義の有難さに感激したのであります

斯の如く国連を主導せられる貴国が 世界人類平和
と発展に寄与すべく最大の協力が続けられている秋に
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次大戦の端緒ともなるべき憂慮すべき危険な情勢に
あると傍観致しているのであります。
私等はこの重大時局に遭面しつゝも曾つて大東亜戦
当時寸刻も安心を得る事を出来なかつた事を思ひ出し
今日不安もなく幸福に浸っていられる、かん様とひたすら
感謝感激の念で一杯であります
然ら今日私等が最大の幸福を授受している陰に国連
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ある私の念願を御聞取り下されば此のともなき幸となずる
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最後に国連将兵の御健勝と併せて貴官の御幸福を御祈り
申上げ御願ひ致します

敬具

福岡市
福岡局区内
名鉄運輸株式会社
バーク・八イム本位殿
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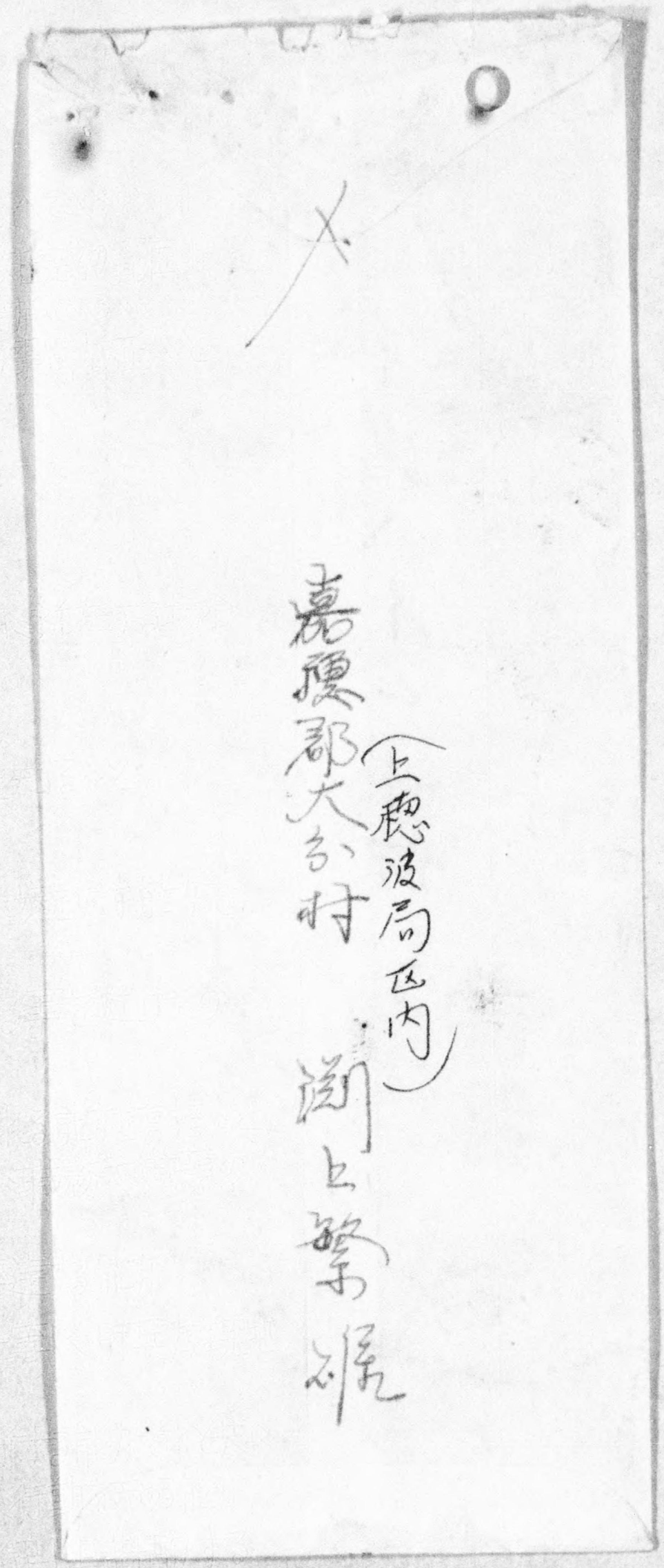
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KYUSHU CIVIL AFFAIRS REGION
GHQ SCAP
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 24 Unit 5
4 November 1950

Mr. Masahiro Ii
Hikoyama, Hikoyama-mura,
Aso-gun, Kumamoto Ken

Dear Mr. Ii:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter, dated October 24, 1950 containing a money order in the amount of ¥500, which you requested be used for the comfort of wounded United Nations' soldiers.

As indicated by the enclosed receipt, this money order was turned over to the American Red Cross at the 118th Station Hospital, here in Fukuoka, to be used as you requested.

I wish to thank you for your contribution and am sure the United Nations' soldiers will appreciate your kindness.

Yours truly,

JACOB GERRILD
Chief, Public Welfare Section

FILE COPY

October 24, 1950

My dear soldier,

You fought for sacred flag of United Nations and was wounded. I admire your courage and am very grateful to you.

I am a disabled ex-soldier who fought in the last Pacific War and was wounded at my right wrist by one of your navy planes and I could not forget this for some time, but now I cannot help from writing this letter to you after seeing what wonderful things you have done and are doing in Japan and in Korea.

Japan, our country, is making daily progress in her rehabilitation. This is all owing to generous orders of General Mac Arthur and your soldiers' ceaseless efforts and we cannot express our feeling of thankfulness enough for it.

Please accept small sum of money which I am enclosing with this letter. I will be very happy if you will spend it for some flowers to comfort wounded soldiers.

May God bless you and help you recover and rehabilitate soon, and thank you for reading this poor letter of mine.

Masahiro Ii
Hikoyama, Hikoyama-mura,
Aso-gun, Kumamoto Ken

(Ex Japanese Navy 2nd Warrant Officer)

熊本県 阿蘇郡
産山村 下宇
井 産山
廣

FILE COPY

Date: 26 October 1950

From: Kumamoto Chapter Japan Red Cross

TO : Mr. Gerrild, Chief of Public Welfare, KCAR

Subject: Contribution of 500 yen from Masahiro I

Enclosed is the money order for ¥500 which Mr. Masahiro I wishes to send to the wounded UN soldiers.

Mr. I was wounded at his right wrist in the last war and his letter which is enclosed with the money order was written with his left hand. He is working in the post office at Hakoyama.

He is a good boy and is a very hard worker, so please accept the money and pass it on to be used as contribution for their comforts.

R E C E I P T

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the American Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region ¥500 money order, contributed by Mr. Masahiro Ii for the comfort of wounded United Nations soldiers.

31 Oct 1950
Date

Ursula M. Gerty
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American Red Cross
118th Station Hospital
Fukuoka, Japan

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Fukuoka, Japan

RECEIPT

This is to certify that the undersigned representative of the American Red Cross has received from Kyushu Civil Affairs Region ¥500 money order, contributed by Mr. Masahiro Ii for the comfort of wounded United Nations soldiers.

3/ Oct 1950
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Shimogo Jr. High School
Shimogo-mura, Shimoge-gun,
Oita Ken, Japan
October 25, 1950

Dear sir,

I am very glad to write you. I am a teacher of Shimogo Jr. High School. And my name is Masanori Kubo. I suppose you are working very hard in your business. I have no words to express my gratitude to it.

Now, war in Corea, as you know, is becoming profitable for our democratic nations day by day by brave soldiers in Corea. I believe that truth is always right and so victory in Corea is a matter of course. I do hope that peace of world come hourly.

Then, I have a wish to you. It is that. One day, some girls and boys who are pupils of this school came and said, "We all know many difficulties of brave American troops in Corea by news and radio. We have no words to express our gratitude. By their great work we can study very happily every day. So we want to requite our kindness in some way. As means of it we wrote some letters for our brave American soldiers in there. So please send them our letters if possible." Their passion was so strong that I took up my pen. So I am writing you now. I know you are very busy everyday. But I entreat you to send their letters to brave American soldiers in Corea.

I have no American acquaintance in Japan. So I wrote you. Please forgive my discourtesy. I and pupils cannot write English very well. But I think that their passion will be understood by brave soldiers. I do hope that. Winter is coming nearer and nearer. So please take care of yourself. I do hope your happiness and health.

Good bye.

A teacher of some school

Masanori Kubo

31 October 1950

Letters mentioned above were given to the Japanese Red Cross, Fukuoka. They are going to submit them to their headquarters for appropriate action. Mr. Lucchi will reply to Mr. Kubo's letter.