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GENERAL MACARTHUR ISSUES CHRISTMAS GREETINGS TO MEMBERS OF FEC

General MacArthur today issued the following statement:

"To all members of the Far East Command: I send each of you my cordial Christmas greetings, with the earnest hope that the New Year will bring you health, happiness and that personal satisfaction which alone springs from loyal and courageous service. I join with your loved ones at home in pride and gratitude for that exemplary manner in which you are advancing the cause of human freedom through devotion to those immutable concepts which underlie the Christian faith. Douglas MacArthur"

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My dear Dr. Evans:

Bill Sebald, who is our United States Political Adviser for Japan, has indicated to me in a recent letter that a complete file of the Mainichi Shimbun (Japanese edition) from June 17, 1917 to date is available for purchase in Tokyo. The collection is said to be in excellent condition except for very slightly singed edges caused by fire during the B-29 raids. The asking price is around 400 or 500 thousand yen which at the exchange rate of about 300 yen for one US dollar would make the collection cost about a thousand dollars to an American purchaser.

I am impressed with the importance and value of this collection and it occurred to me that the Library might be interested in acquiring it. As I know of several universities which are interested in the collection, would you be good enough to let me know at the earliest possible date whether the Library would like to purchase it.

Sincerely yours,

Frank A. Schuler, Jr.
Chief, Japan-Korea Branch
Public Affairs Overseas Program Staff

Dr. Luther H. Evans, Librarian,
The Library of Congress,
Washington, D. C.



UNITED STATES POLITICAL ADVISER FOR JAPAN

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Tokyo, November 18, 1948

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Dear Frank:

Mina Almond Hoover Library on War, Revolution, and Peace

A friend of mine has asked me whether I know anyone who might be interested in purchasing a complete file of the Mainichi Shimbun (Japanese edition) from June 17, 1917 to date. I am told that the collection is in excellent condition, except for very slight singed edges caused by a fire during the bombing of Tokyo. I am assured that the only copies which are missing are on press holidays, two days during the 1923 earthquake, and several issues during the war when the paper was unobtainable, but for these days issues of other papers were inserted. Apparently, the total number of days missing is about fifteen.

It has occurred to me that the Library of Congress or one of the major universities might be interested in purchasing this collection. The price asked is something around 400 or 500 thousand yen. I have no way of judging whether this is expensive or not, but at an exchange rate of approximately 300 yen for one US dollar, it doesn't seem too high, and of course there is always the possibility of bargaining, although quite naturally I would not like to be placed in the position of striking a hard bargain.

I hope that you will not consider me in the second-hand business but some of my Japanese friends appear to think that I am the only person in the world who can help them. My own reaction, of course, is to increase cultural acquisitions in appropriate institutions in the United States.

With best regards.

Sincerely yours,

Bill

W. J. Sebald

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TO : POS/J - Dr. D. C. Buchanan

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FROM : ILI - C. E. Walton

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SUBJECT: Attached Letter

Following our conversation of two days ago, I telephoned Mr. Keyes Metcalf, the director of the Harvard University Library at Cambridge, Massachusetts, and informed him of the offer contained in Mr. Sebald's letter from Tokyo of November 18.

In Mr. Metcalf's absence from his office, the actual conversation was held with Dr. Andrew Osborn, one of the bibliographic experts on the staff who is in charge of the ordering and cataloging of Harvard books. Dr. Osborn showed considerable interest in this offer; agreed that the price was reasonable; and stated that, in view of the building up of a study program in the Japanese area, Harvard wished to acquire as much original source material as possible.

The opinion of Mr. Fairbanks (formerly of our staff in China) was desired before giving us an answer to Mr. Sebald's letter. Dr. Osborn therefore requested that this matter be held in abeyance by the Department for a week or ten days at most and promised to advise me as soon as possible of developments at Cambridge.

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Your interest in offering this important file to the Library is deeply appreciated.

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My dear Mr. Babb:

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In case Yale University Library is interested in this collection, and you desire to pursue the matter further, arrangements could be made to put you in touch with the source in Tokyo through which the Department has been informally advised of its existence.

Sincerely yours,

Lawrence S. Morris
Acting Chief
Division of Libraries and Institutes

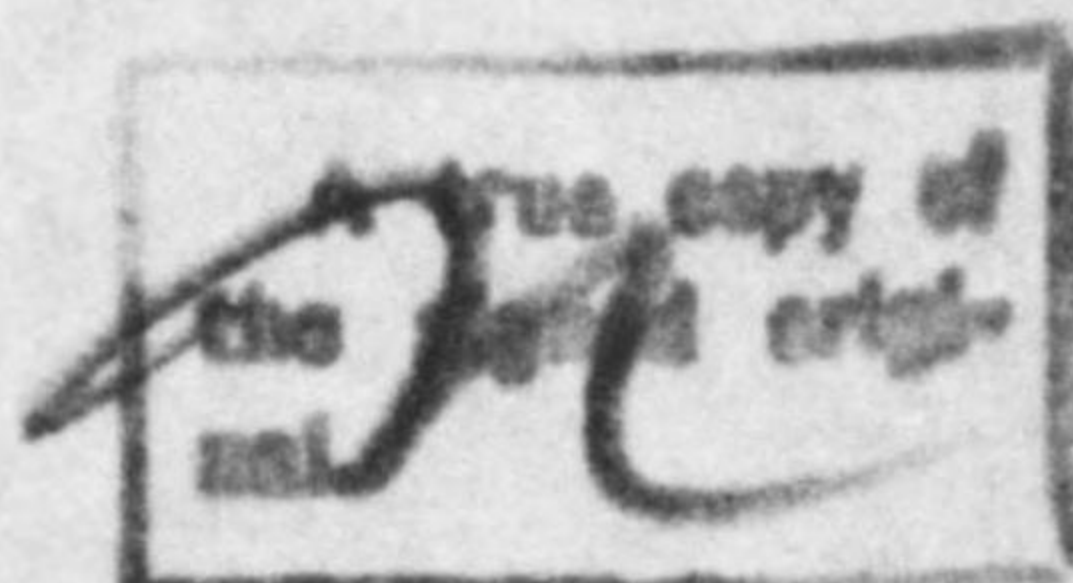
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Dr. Buchanan
is still on
sick leave 4/26/49

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Should ask
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interested, then
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revolution. EW

Hold and needle
Walton Jan. 10, 1949

1/10/49 Called Walton who said that
he had not yet heard from Harvard
but expected a reply in a few days.
Mr. W. said he would call me the
minute he heard." DCB.

Mr. Irwin X 3198
R. 523 taking Mr.
Walton's place

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Acting Chief
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Miss Nina Almond,
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Harvard does not want the papers but suggest that Yale or Hoover Memorial Library may. Will sound them out. 1/31/49.

2/7/49 Talked again to Walton who repeated above info & said he would let me know when replies rec.



THE FOREIGN SERVICE
OF THE
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

No. 137

AMERICAN CONSULATE GENERAL

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São Paulo, Brazil, April 28, 1949

Subject: Japanese Newspapers

DIVISION OF
NORTHEAST ASIAN AFFAIRS

MAY 10 1949

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

*Instruction drafted
to USPOARD
May 10, 1949
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The Honorable

The Secretary of State,

Washington.

Sir:

I have the honor to refer to the efficient and most effective assistance that the Department has given in furnishing copies of Japanese newspapers for distribution among the Japanese colony in São Paulo.

Communications with Japan have improved to such an extent that the local Japanese papers are now able to secure material to a degree that renders it no longer necessary for papers to be distributed through other than normal communication channels. It is therefore suggested that the supplying of papers to this Consulate General be discontinued when convenient.

Respectfully yours,

Cecil M. P. Cross
American Consul General

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To the
Office of the
/ Acting United States Political Adviser
for Japan,
Tokyo.

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The Secretary of State transmits herewith a copy of a despatch recently received from the American Consul General at Sao Paulo, stating that there is no longer any need to supply Japanese newspapers to the Japanese colony in Sao Paulo through official U.S. channels.

Political Adviser

In view of the Consul General's statement, the Office of the Acting/ ~~XXXXXX~~ is requested to take appropriate steps to discontinue the forwarding of these newspapers to the Department. The opportunity is taken to thank the Mission for its effective cooperation in this project.

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Mr. Lawrence S. Morris, Acting Chief
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Department of State
Washington, D. C.

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Japan-Korea Section
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DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Dear Mr. Morris:

Mr. Philip McLean, Librarian of the Hoover Library,
has referred to me your letter of April 14th addressed to
Miss Nina Almond.

We are interested in the file of the Mainichi Shimbun
which is available in Tokyo, and we should be grateful to
you for putting us in touch with the source so that we may
explore the matter further.

Sincerely yours,

Mary C. Wright
Mary C. Wright (Mrs. A. F.)
Curator, Far Eastern and
Indian Collections

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