

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS FAR FAST COMMAND Military Intelligence Section, General Staff Civil Intelligence Section

> General Activities APO 500 29 June 1947

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

SUBJECT: HANAWA, Yoshiyuki

Date of Birth:

Aug 1892.

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Permanent Domicile: Yamanashi Prefecture.

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Fducation:

Jul 1918:

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Dec 1921: Apr 1922:

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June 1927:

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Nov 1944:

Consul et Tientsin, China. Senior Secretary of Foreign Ministry, Chief of 3rd

December 1935.

Section, Fast Asia Bureau.

Section of Treaty Bureau until 1932.

Assigned to Japanese Embassy in China.

Appointed eleve-consul at Canton, China.

Consulate General, Ottawa, Canada until 1927.

Secretary of Foreign Ministry, assigned to 2nd

Second Secretary of Japanese in Manchukuo until

Consul General at Nanking, China. Assigned to Hong Kong, China.

Councillor of Japanese Embassy in Manchuria. Councillor of Japanese Embassy in Peking, China until

1946.

Relieved of post at own request. Jul 1946:

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Secretary, Foreign Office.

Apr 1922

Eleve-Consul, Canton, China.

Jun 1927

Vice-Consul, Seattle, Washington.

Apr 1929

Consul, Seattle, Washington.

Jul 1929

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Bureau of Treaties.

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Second Secretary, Embassy, Manchukuo.

Dec 1935

Assigned to Embassy, China.

Feb 1936

Consul, Tientsin, China.

Nov 1936

Senior Secretary, Foreign Office.

Chief, 3rd Section, Bureau of East Asia.

Feb 1938

Consul General, Wanking, China.

Oct 1938

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1918 July	Finished the political course at the Law College of Tokyo Imperial University.	Acres .
Nov 11	Appointed non-regular member of the Provisional Investigation Department, Foreign Ministry.	Foreign Ministry
1921 Aug 21	Assigned to the First Section, Treaty Bureau.	H
" Oct "	Passed the diplomatic service examination for the higher civil service.	
e Dec 1	Appointed clerk of the Foreign Ministry. Assigned to the First Section, Treaty Bureau.	
1922 Apr 10	Appointed eleve-consul. Grantedthe 7th Rank of the Higher Civil Service. Ordered to serve at Canton.	Cabinet Foreign Ministry
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" June 30	Ordered to serve at Ottawa.	Foreign
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a Sep 4	Arrived at post.	
1924 Dec 26	Promoted to the 6th Rank of the Higher Civil Ser	Cabinet
1925 Jan 31	Granted the Senior Grade of the 7th Court Rank.	Imperial Household Department
1927 Feb 14	Ordered to serve at Seattle.	Foreign Ministry
" Mar 16	Arrived at Seattle.	

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1927 June 30	Appointed vice-consul. Granted the Fifth Rank of the Higher Civil Service. Ordered to serve at Seattle.	Cabinet Foreign Ministry
2 July 15	Granted the Junior Grade of the 6th Court Rank.	Imperial Household Department
1929 Apr 6	Appointed consul. Granted the 5th Rank of the Higher Civil Se	
	Ordered to serve at Seattle.	Foreign Ministry.
o July 24	Appointed secretary of Foreign Affairs. Granted the 5th Rank of the Higher Civil Service. Assigned to the 2nd Section, Treaty Bureau	Cabinet . Foreign Ministry
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	Appointed member of the suite of the Envo Extraordinary and Ambassador Plenipotenti to Manchukuo.	ary o
" Nov 30	Ordered to serve in Menchukuo.	Foreign
1933 June 30	Appointed Second Secretary of Embassy. Granted the Fourth Rank of the Higher Cir. Service. Ordered to serve in Manchukuo.	Cabinet
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		Oct	19	Arrived at Tokyo.	
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				Appointed Chief of the Third Section, East Asi	Cabinet atic Foreign Ministry.
	9 8 2	00 ° 2	19	Appointed Secretary of the Manchurian Affairs Bureau.	Cabinet.
	1937	Jan		Concurrently appointed Chief of the Second Section East Asiatic Affairs Bureau.	foreign Ministry.
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	1938	Zeb :	12	Appointed Consul-General. Granted the Third Rank of the Higher Civil Ser	Control of the Contro
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1938		6	Arrived at Nanking, and opened the consulate- general.	
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	•	29	Decorated with the Fourth Order of Merit with the Small Cordon of the Rising Sun, and granted a sum of 1600 yen (in recognition of distinguished service during the China Affairs)	Bureau of Decorations
	Oct	23	Appointed Councillor of Embassy. Granted the Second Rank of the Higher Civil Service. Ordered to serve in Manchukuo.	Cabinet
	Nov	11	Arrived at Hainking.	
•		15	Granted the Senior Grade of the Fifth Court Rank.	Imperial Household Department.
1943	June	30	Promoted to the First Rank of the Higher Civil Ser	vice. Cabinet.
*******	Aug	16	Decorated with the Third Order of Merit with the Order of the Sacred Treasure.	Bureau of Decorations.
	Dec	1	Granted the Junior Grade of the Fourth Court Rank.	Imperial Household Department
1944	Nov	11	Ordered to serve in the Republic of China.	Cabinet
			Stationed at Peking.	

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Investigative Division, IPS

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: Defense Witness

1. Please find attached hereto list of material available on the following witness and/or witnesses.

DEFENDANT

Witness General

WITNESS

LIST OF MATERIAL AVAILABLE

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Memo for the file

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1922 Apr 10	Appointed eleve-consul.	
	Grantedthe 7th Rank of the Higher Civil Service. Ordered to serve at Canton.	Cabinet Foreign Ministry
" 29	Granted the Junior Grade of the 7th Court Rank.	Imperial Household
" June 30	Ordered to serve at Ottawa.	Department
" Aug 10	Left Tokyo.	Foreign Ministry
" Sep 4	Arrived at post.	
1924 Dec 26	Promoted to the 6th Rank of the Higher Civil Seri	vee.
100F Ton 01		Cabinet
1925 Jan 31	Granted the Senior Grade of the 7th Court Rank.	Imperial Household Department
927 Feb 14	Ordered to serve at Seattle.	Foreign
" Mar 16	A	Ministry
	Arrived at Seattle.	

1927 June 30		
7-1 cans 30	THE THURSDEN TO BE A SECOND	
	Tauted the Fifth Danie	
	Service. Service. Service.	il
	Ordered to serve at Seattle.	Cabinet
2 July 15		Foreston
	Granted the Junior Grade of the 6th Cour	Ministry
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		Household
1929 Apr 6	Annatus	Department
The state of the s	Appointed consul.	
	Granted the 5th Rank of the Higher Civil	
	Ordoned 1	Service.
	Ordered to serve at Seattle.	Cabinet
		Foreign
July 24	Annoism	Ministry.
	Appointed secretary of Foreign Affairs.	
	Granted the 5th Rank of the Higher Civil	
	Assigned to 1	200
	Assigned to the 2nd Section, Treaty Buneau	Cabinet
222.00	buneau	. Foreign
1932 Aug 1	Granted the	Ministry
	Granted the Senior Grade of the 6th Court	
	Julio don contra	
		Imperial
		Household
" 20	Appointed my	Department
	Appointed Third Secretary of Embassy.	
	Granted the 5th Rank of the Higher Civil Se	
	Appointed momb a	TV1Ce.
	Appointed member of the suite of the Envoy.	Cabinet
	Extraordinary and Ambassador Plenipotentiar to Manchukuo.	
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" Nov 30	Ordered to serve in Manchukuo.	
	Berve in Manchukuo.	Form
1022 T		Foreign
1933 June 30	PPUILLED Second e	Ministry
	Granted the Fourth Rank of the Higher Civil	
	Service. Service. Civil	
	Ordered to serve in Manchukuo.	Cohinet
921 4 00	man chukuo.	Cabinet
934 Apr 29	Decorated with the 6th Order of Merit with	
	the Order of the Same oth Order of Merit with	
	a sum of 350 ven /	
	a sum of 350 yen. (in recognition of distinguiservice during 1931-34 Incident.)	ich od
	Incident.)	Runos
		Bureau of
July 21	Ordered home.	Decorations
		Format
		Foreign Ministry.

1935	Dec	21	Ordered to serve in the Republic of China.	Foreign Ministry.
1006	Tob	15	Concurrently appointed consul.	
1936	reo	13	Granted the Fourth Rank of the Higher Civil Se	rvice.
			Granted the rout on reality or	Cabinet
		ETA	The state of the s	Foreign
			Ordered to serve at Tientsin.	Ministry.
				MIHIS CIY.
	Mar	8	Arrived at Peking.	
11	May	28	Appointed First Secretary of Embassy.	
			Granted the Fourth Rank of the Higher Civil	and the state of
			Service.	Cab inet
			Ordered to serve in the Republic of China.	Foreign
			Ordered to serve in one hepasies	Ministry
	Sep	4	Ordered home	
	1			
**	Oct	19	Arrived at Tokyo.	
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	Mon		Appointed Secretary of Foreign Affairs.	
	MOA	2	Granted the Fourth Rank of the Higher Civil	
				Cabinet
			Service.	
			Appointed Chief of the Third Section, East As	18010
			Affairs Bureau.	Foreign
				Ministry.
	11	19	Appointed Secretary of the Manchurian Affairs	
		-/	Bureau.	Cabinet.
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		,	Concurrently appointed Chief of the Second Se	ction.
193	7 Jan	n b	Conductionally appointed only of the Best of	Foreign
			the East Asiatic Affairs Bureau.	The state of the s
				Ministry.
				Second
	. #	20	Relieved of concurrent post of Chief of the S	econd
			Section, East Asiatic Affairs Bureau.	
	Se	n 1	Granted the Junior Grade of the 5th Bourt Ran	ık.
	. 20	p _		Imperial
				Household
		11		Department
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11	De	c 27	Promoted to the Third Rank of the Higher Civ:	Cab data
			Service.	Cabinet
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100	8 Te	b 12	Appointed Consul-General.	
173	0 16	12	Granted the Third Rank of the Higher Civil So	ervice
			aranoa ono maran	Cabinet
				Foreign
			Ordered to serve at Nanking.	The second secon
				Ministry

1938	Mar	6	Arrived at Nanking, and opened the consulate- general.	
	May	9	Decorated with the Fifth Order of Merit with the	1
		.'	Order of the Sacred Treasure.	Bureau of Decorations
"	Oct	22	Ordered to serve at Hankow.	Foreign Ministry
	"	27	Arrived at Hankow.	
1940	Apr	8	Concurrently appointed First Secretary of Embassy Granted the Third Rank of the Higher Civil Service Ordered to serve at Nanking (principal post)	Cabinet Foreign Ministry.
			Ordered to serve in the Republic of China. Stationed at Nanking.	#
"	Apr	18	Arrived at Nanking.	
. "	**	29	Decorated with the Fourth Order of Merit with the Small Cordon of the Rising Sun, and granted a sum of 1600 yen (in recognition of distinguished service during the China Affairs)	
				Bureau of Decorations
	Oct	23	Appointed Councillor of Embassy. Granted the Second Rank of the Higher Civil Service. Ordered to serve in Manchukuo.	Cabinet
п	Nov	11	Arrived at Hsinking.	
	"	15	Granted the Senior Grade of the Fifth Court Rank.	Imperial Household Department.
1943	June	30	Promoted to the First Rank of the Higher Civil Ser	
•	Aug	16	Decorated with the Third Order of Merit with the Order of the Sacred Treasure.	Bureau of Decorations
*	Dec	1	Granted the Junior Grade of the Fourth Court Rank.	Imperial Household Department
1944	Nov	11	Ordered to serve in the Republic of China. Stationed at Peking.	Cabinet

1944 Nov 11 Relieved of service in Manchukuo. Cabinet 1946 May 13 Left Peking. June 13 Arrived at Tokyo. July 3 Relieved of principal post at own request. Cabinet Aug Appointed non-regular member of the Foreign Ministry. Foreign Ministry. Assigned to the Continental Section, Department of Japanese Nationals Abroad, Superintendent's Bureau.

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DIRECT EXAMINATION OF HANAWA, Yoshiyuki by Mr. Blakeney

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The witness stated * that he lived in Tokyo. He identified Exhibit 2678 as his affidavit and verified it. * The affidavit stated that during the four years from November 12, 1940 when the witness arrived at Hsinking as counsellor of the Embassy in Manchukuo, until UMEZU left for Tokyo at the end of August 1944, the witness worked under UMEZU and knew his character and political ideas.

UMEZU's first principle was maintenance of peace and order and adopted the policy of having no trouble with the Soviet for the sake of healthy progress of Manchukuo. He instructed Chief of General Affairs TAKEBE, Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs SHIMOMURA and the witness, who was in charge of the Diplomatic Mission. This principle was strengthened after the outbreak of the Pacific War and all questions were decided according to it.

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In December 1942 UMEZU went to Tokyo to report on general conditions and he reported to the Emperor he was devoting his utmost efforts to keeping peace with the Soviet. On his return he told the witness that the report satisfied the Emperor since the latter was worried about Soviet relations and the Emperor instructed him to see that all instructions on these matters reached his subordinates.

Immediately after the witness arrived in Hsinking at the end of 1940 he heard that ISOMURA, in charge of information, Kwantung Army, told an Embassy staff member that UMEZU in settling the Nomonhan Incident instructed his men that any border incident be settled by consultation with Tokyo. Following the Pacific War his ideal found expression in many ways. In 1943 a Fublic Administration Order was issued to frontier officials that when floating timber on border rivers reached Manchukuo, it should not be dealt with directly, * but they should wait for instructions from Hsinking.

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In 1943 he advised the Dairen police chief to be careful about activities against Soviet Consulate personnel by way of prevention of espionage because of their status as foreign diplomats. As a result there was no trouble in Dairen with the Soviet.

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He visited Harbin and gave the same advice to General DOI, Chief of the Special Services. In Harbin there was minor trouble as revenge for Soviet pressure on Japanese Consulate personnel in Chita and Blagoveshichensk, but it was all settled by Manchukuo's compliance.

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In July 1942 when the German Minister Wagner visited UMEZU to find out the Kwantung Army's views on Japan's joining the Russian-German war, UMEZU stated it would be most advantageous for Japan to concentrate on the Pacific War, even though the matter of joining the German war * was for Tokyo to decide. He indirectly gave the impression he was against it.

THERE WAS NO CROSS-EXAMINATION, but reference was made to Exhibits 670, 723, 731, 736, 737, 738 and 740.

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SERVED 08:55 28 may Per. Doc. 1146 INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRIBUNAL FOR THE FAR EAST THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al ARAKI, Sadao, et al Sworn Deposition Deponent: HANAWA, Gikei The state of the s Having first duly sworn an oath as on attached sheet and in accordance with the procedure followed in my country I hereby depose as follows: During the four years from the time I arrived at Hsinking as counsellor of the Japanese Embassy in Manchoukuo, on 12 November 1940, until the time when General UMEZU, appointed Chief of the General Staff, left for Tokyo at the end of August 1944. I worked under him. I believe that I am one of those who best know his character and his political ideas. Ambassador UMEZU's first principle was maintenance of peace and order in Manchoukuo; he adopted the policy of having no trouble with the Soviet for the sake of the healthy progress of Menchoukuo; he instructed the Chief of General Affairs Board TATEBE, Vice Minister of Foreign Affairs SHIMDMURA, and myself who was in charge of the Japanese Diplomatic Mission. This principle of his was strengthened after the outbreak of the Panific Wer. The fact that he decided all questions according to this principle is clearly demonstrated by the following oxamples: In the middle of December 1942, as Japanese Ambassador and Commander-in-Chief of the Kwantung Army, ULECU went to Tokyo to report on Manchoukuo's general condition and at this occasion he reported to the Emperor that he was devoting his utmost efforts to keeping peace with the Soviet. After he came back to Hsinking he told me that his report satisfied the Emperor, as His Majesty was also worried about Soviet relations, and that the Empuror instructed him to see that all instructions regarding this matter reach thoroughly to his subordinates. Immediately after I arrived at Hainking at the end of 1940, I heard the report that ISOMURA, who was in charge of information (Kwentung Army) told a member of the Embassy staff that UMEZY, in settling the Nomenian Incident, strictly instructed his men that any border incident be settled by consultation with Tokyo. Following the outbreak of the Pecific War, his ideal, as he become more careful, found expression in many ways in Menchoukuese politics; for example, in 1943 a Public Administration Order was issued to frontier officials to the effect that when floating timber on border rivers reached Munchoukuo territory, it should not be dealt with directly but instructions from the central government in Hsinking must be waited. In Dairen, in 1943, he invited the Pairen police chief to visit him and advised him to be careful as to activities against personnel of the Soviet Consulate by way of prevention of espionage, due to the complicated international relations and such people's status as foreign diplomats. As a result, if I remember correctly there was no trouble concerning relations with the Soviet in Dairen.

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In accordance with my conscience I swear to tell the whole truth withholding nothing and adding nothing.

/s/ Hanawa, Gikei (seal)

On this 25th day of April, 1947 At TONYO

DEPONENT HANAWA, Girei (seal)

I, 0NO, Kisaku hereby certify that the above statement was sworn by the Deponent, who affixed his signature and seal thereto in the presence of this witness.

On the same date

Witness: (signed) ONO, Kisaku (seal)