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LETTERS FROM 8TH ARMY

BOOK III

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
Government Section

APO 500
9 April 1948

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director-General
Cabinet Secretariat

SUBJECT : Administration of SCAPIN 550
ONO, Toshio

1. The action taken by the government in declaring ONO, Toshio eligible for public service has been disapproved. ONO, Toshio, Chief of the General Affairs Bureau of the Kyodo News Service, is to be removed and excluded from public service as an undesirable person since he falls under the provisions of Category "G", Appendix "A", SCAPIN 550.

2. As Managing Editor of the MANSHUKOKU TSUSHIN SHA (Manchukuo News Agency) from June 1937 until November 1938 and as Executive Director of that agency from March 1938 until November 1938, ONO, Toshio necessarily shares responsibility for the formulation and execution of the policies of the Manchukuo News Agency which actively supported the war of aggression against China. The Manchukuo News Agency collaborated with the Kwantung Army, laid the ideological groundwork for the Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere and served as apologist for the aggression entailed therein.

3. Premier's Office and Home Ministry Order No. 3 of 1947 specifies as subject to the Memorandum "persons who occupied any of the following positions in newspaper companies***(which) between 7 July 1937 and 7 December 1941 in and outside of Japan engaged actively in activities as mentioned in (Category "G" of SCAPIN 550)*** or as prescribed in Paragraph 1, Article 1 of the Imperial Ordinance No. 101 of 1946***(and) which are specified in Paragraph 1 of the appended***'list of organizations of public information to be defined as falling under Category "G" under the provisions of the Imperial Ordinance No. 1 of 1947'**** (a) Newspaper Companies and News Agencies*** Managing Director***Managing Editor***Appended List:***59, THE MANSHUKOKU TSUSHIN SHA." Despite this positive requirement ONO, Toshio who was Managing Editor and Executive Director of the Manchukuo News Agency during this period has not yet been designated nor has he offered valid evidence to counter and refute the presumptions inherent in his activity.

4. ONO's entire journalistic career for a period of approximately twelve years, from early 1933 until early 1945, clearly reveals him as one who closely associated himself with Japanese aggression on the Asiatic continent. In November 1933 he joined the SHIMBUN RENGO SHA as Chief of its Hsinking Bureau in Manchuria in order to (in his own words): "look into the progress of events in Manchukuo after the outbreak of the Manchurian Incident." He held this position until June 1937. The nature of his services while in that post is amply revealed by the fact that in a country under the complete control of the Kwantung Army, where no civilian could have conducted any important enterprise without the permission of that Army, he was allowed to assume the key positions of Managing Editor and Executive Director of the Manchukuo TSUSHIN SHA in July 1937.

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BASIC: Ltr, Hqs Kyushu Mil Govt Region, APO 929, 8 June 1948
subj: Report of Surveillance of Election.

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Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343 17 JUN 1948

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500
Attn: Government Section

Report of surveillance of local elections in Kagoshima prefecture is forwarded for your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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1 Incl:
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R. SCHAFER
Lt Col, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

GHQ, CAP
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KYUSHU MILITARY GOVERNMENT REGION
HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS DETACHMENT
Fukuoka, Kyushu, Japan

APO 929

48

Date 8 June 1947

3473

SUBJECT: Report of Surveillance of Election
(Perfectural and City Assembly Kagoshima)

TO : Commanding General, Eigth Army APO 343
Attn: Mil Govt Section

THRU

1. Reference: Eigth Army OD 22, 1 March 1947
And OD 22/1 21 March 1947

2. Enclosed are the subject reports for the following period and area:

a. Period: Election 1 June 1948,

b. Area : Kagoshima Ken, Kagoshima City.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Charles L. Bachtel

CHARLES L. BACHTEL
1st Lt, Sig C
Adjutant

1 Incl: as Stated (2 copies)

Info Copy to: (1) Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
Attn: Mil Govt Section

(2) Commanding General 24 Inf Div APO 24
Attn: G-2

HEADQUARTERS
KAGOSHIMA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
KAGOSHIMA, KYUSHU, JAPAN

MJC/kn

APO 970
5 June 48

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SUBJECT: Election

THRU : Kyushu Military Government Region, APO 929

TO : Commanding General Headquarters Eighth Army APO 343
(Atten: Military Government Section)

1. In compliance with O.D. 22 dated 1 Mar. 47, Hq. 8th Army, the following report is submitted.

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3. The following candidates were elected prefectural Assembly:

Name	Age	No. of votes	Party
Sakuma, Iwao	48	12,236	Democratic Liberal Party

City Assembly

Name	Age	No. of votes	Party
Toyoji, Iryo	40	7,679	Indpendent
Keizo, Moto	37	4,496	Indpendent

4. There were 74,665 registered votes, only 46.9% voted as it wasn't a major election. 90 persons claimed registeration but were not registered. 6.5% of votes were invalid due to blank votes, names other than candidates, two or more names on one card, unnecessary matters written besides candidates name etc.

GEORGE L. McELMURRAY
Major CAV.
Commanding

1 Incl:
1. Report on Suveillance of Election

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1. Report on Suvsillance of Election

REGISTRATION UNDER PARA SEC. 3(2) AND 3(3) OR (2) AND 4

REPORT FORM ON SURVEILLANCE OF ELECTIONS

(Skeleton Outline Only)

1. Name of Prefecture.... Kagoshima .....
(Add separate reports for each city of 100,000, answering only applicable questions)

2. Number of Registered Voters
(Men ....34161.
(Women....40504.
(Total....74665.

3. Number Actually Voting
(Men ...18467.
(Women...16586.
(Total....35053.

4. Number persons claiming registration but not registered
(Men .....60.
(Women.....30.
(Total.....90.

5. Number of Surveillance Teams .....1.....

6. Number of Polling Places .....27.....

7. Number of Polling Places Visited .....23.....

8. Number of Ballot Counting Stations.....4.....

9. Number of Ballot Counting Stations visited...4.

10. Availability of Candidates purge questionnaires at Elections Administration Committee's Offices and at Screening Committee's Offices — available

11. Amount of publicity given to the fact that candidates purge questionnaires are available at Election Administration Committee's Offices and at Screening Committee's Offices

Press	Radio	Political Gathering
.....	.....	.....

12. Number of people examining candidates questionnaires:

At Election Administration Offices ...8...
At Screening Committees Offices ...0...

Enclosure 1 to Operational Directive No. 22 dtd 1 March 1947.

DESIGNATED BY PROV. SEC. 3(2) AND 3(3) OR (2) AND 4

13. Number of Seats in Prefectural Assembly .....
Number of Candidates by Parties .....5.....
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Number of Independents .....1.....
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Number of Actually elected Parties .....1.....
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Number of Independents elected .....0.....

14. Number Seats in City Assemblies .....
(For Tokyo give Ward Assemblies)
Number of Candidates by Parties .....4.....
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Number of Independents .....8.....
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Number Actually Elected by Parties .....0.....
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.....2.....
Number of Independents Elected .....
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15. Number of Seats in Town and Village Assemblies
Number of Candidates by Parties .....
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Number of Independents .....
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Number actually Elected by Parties .....
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Number of Independents elected .....
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16. Number of Candidates for Governor by parties
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Number of Independents .....
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Winning Candidate: Name.....Party.....

17. Number of Candidates for Mayor of Cities by..... .....
parties (For Tokyo give Chiefs of Wards) .....
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Number of Independents .....
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Number Actually Elected by Parties .....
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Number of Independents Elected .....

18. Number of Candidates for Chiefs of Towns and Villages by Parties

Number of Independents .....

Number Actually Elected by Parties .....

Number of Independents Elected .....

19. Any Women Elected:

	Yes	No	Number
Governors			
Mayors of Cities(In Tokyo, Wards)			
Chiefs of Towns & Villages			
Prefectural Assemblymen			
City or Tokyo Ward Assemblymen			
Town or Village Assemblymen			

20. Number of pre-election campaign meetings held throughout prefecture by each party:

	Party No. Meetings	Total
Independent Meetings	.....	.....
	.....	.....
	.....	.....
	.....	.....
	.....	.....

21. Were there an adequate number of polling places? (If not, explain) Yes ..X... No .....

22. Are four election bulletins enclosed? Four are required from each Prefecture. (If not, explain) Yes..... No ..X...

23. No. of pre-election meeting held by MG Team:

		Total Att.
With Election Administration Committee	..1..	....1....
With Officials	.....	.....
With Candidates	.....	.....

24. Reports generally on extent of local publicity given to election (e.g. newspaper stories, advertisements, radio time, placards, post cards, handbills). How did MG Teams contribute to publicizing elections?

25. Number of violations reported to you:

Coercion	...None...
Soliciting for votes	.....
Interference with free & secret voting	.....
Interference with access to polls	.....
Privilege granted favored candidates	.....
Dishonest tabulation in reporting of votes	.....
Buying of votes	.....
Excessive expenditures	.....
Police interference of any type	.....
Riots or other disorders	.....
Improper disqualification of voters	.....
Violations of purge directives	.....
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Number of Candidates by Parties .....
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Number of Independents 1
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Number of Actually elected Parties 1
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14. Number Seats in City Assemblies .....
(For Tokyo give Ward Assemblies)
Number of Candidates by Parties 4
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Number of Independents 8
.....
Number Actually Elected by Parties 0
.....
.....
Number of Independents Elected 2
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15. Number of Seats in Town and Village Assemblies .....
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Others	.....

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BASIC: Ltr, Hq Gifu Mil Govt Team, APO 25, dtd 31 May 48, Subj: "Report on Surveillance of Elections for Saba-mura, Inaba-gun, Gifu Prefecture.

1st Ind LWC/mi

Hq Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region, APO 710, 8 June 48

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

Report of election for town mayor of Saba-mura, Inaba-gun, Gifu Prefecture, is forwarded herewith for your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER

WALTER O. WADE
Capt, INF
Adjutant

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Hq I Corps, APO 301

JUN 12 1948

TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

W. V. H.

AGMGL 091(Japan) 3rd Ind.

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343 17 JUN 1948

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500
Attn: Government Section

Report of surveillance of a local election in Gifu Prefecture is forwarded for your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

for R SCHAFER
Lt Col, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

BASIC: Ltr, Hq Gifu Mil Govt Team, APO 25, dtd 31 May 48, subj: "Report on Surveillance of Elections for Saba-mura, Inaba-gun, Gifu Prefecture.

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/s/t/WALTER O. WADE
Captain, INF
Adjutant

AG 000.1 - BA 2nd Ind RFS/lha

Hq I Corps, APO 301, 12 June 1948

TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

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Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343 17 JUN 194

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Lt Col, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

GIFU MIL GOVT TEAM
APO 25, Unit 2 (Gifu, Honshu)

SUBJECT: Report on Surveillance of Elections for Saba-mura, Inaba-gun, Gifu Prefecture

TO: Commanding Officer, Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region
APO 710

1. Name of Prefecture: Gifu

2. Date of Election: 31 May 1948

3. Number of Registered Voters:

Men	790
Women	816
Total	1606

4. Number Actually Voting: None

5. Number of Surveillance Teams: None

6. Number of type of vacancies to be filled in Town and Village Assemblies: 1 Mayor

Number of Candidates by Parties: 1 Independent

Number actually elected by Parties: 1 Independent

7. No of women elected: None

8. No of violations reported: None

9. Comment: Election due to resignation of old mayor. No voting was held as there was only one candidate

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Edward J. Morgan
EDWARD J. MORGAN
1st Lt., FA
Legal & Govt Officer

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BASIC: Ltr, Kagoshima Mil Govt Team, APO 970, subj: Election, dated 28 May 1948

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Hq I Corps, APO 301

TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

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Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500
Attn: Government Section

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for
R. SCHAFER
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Hq I Corps, APO 301, 9 Jun 48

TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

/s/ W.V.H.
W.V.H.

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HEADQUARTERS
KAGOSHIMA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
KAGOSHIMA, KYUSHU, JAPAN

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APO 970
28 May 1948

SUBJECT: Election

THRU : Kyushu Military Government Region, APO 929

TO : Commanding General, Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343
(Attn: Mil Govt Section)

1. In compliance with O.D. 22, dated 1 Mar 47, Hq 8th Army, the following report is submitted.

2. An election was held on 25 May 1948 in Iriki-mura, Satsuma-gun, Kagoshima-ken for the 26 seats in Iriki-mura assembly.

3. The following candidates were elected:

Name	Age	No. of Votes	Party
Takemichi Yamashita	59	209	Independent
Toshio Kajiya	49	186	Independent
Afuru Idemitsu	52	178	Independent
Tatsumi Ishihara	45	177	Independent
Kunio Maruyama	48	169	Independent
Michimasa Onobuchi	57	175	Independent
Hikobee Matoka	54	140	Independent
Yoemon Sotobori	54	138	Independent
Michiyo Fujii	51	133	Independent
Yonekichi Kimura	57	124	Independent
Sainosuke Arima	74	113	Independent
Chitoshi Ota	42	196	Independent
Sumitaka Masuda	60	180	Independent
Taisuke Matsugano	54	164	Independent
Masaaki Nakamura	34	159	Independent
Tetsui Hamada	28	142	Independent
Toshimori Uto	40	119	Independent
Kiyonori Horikiri	45	118	Independent

Ltr, Kagoshima Mil Govt Team, APO 970, dtd 28 May 48, subj: "Election"

Name	Age	No. of Votes	Party
Minoru Miyata	56	115	Independent
Masayoshi Inone	47	194	Democratic Liberal Party
Inojo Nakamura	37	136	Socialist
Yoshitora Muraoka	30	133	Socialist
Satoru Ueyama	43	143	Socialist
Akimizu Taniguchi	34	136	Socialist
Hiroshi Ebihara	26	145	Communist
Morio Horikiri	28	129	Communist

4. There were 6267 registered voters. 80% voted. 70 persons claimed registration but were not registered. Only one point five (1.5%) percent of ballots disqualified in which the majority were names of non-candidate persons and blank ballots.

GEORGE L. McELMURRAY
Maj CAV
Commanding

1 Incls.
Report on Surveillance
of Elections

000.1 (L&G) 1st Ind VRV/ce

KYUSHU MIL GOVT REGION, HQ & HQ DETACHMENT, APO 929, 4 June 1948

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
ATTN: Mil Govt Section

C. L. B.

1 Incl
Rpt on Sur of Elec (in trip)

BA 8643

REPORT FORM ON SURVEILLANCE OF ELECTIONS

(Skeleton Outline Only)

1. Name of Prefecture..Kagoshima.....
(Add separate reports for each city of 100,000, answering only applicable questions)

2. Number of Registered Voters (Men 2846.....
(Women 3421.....
(Total 6267.....

3. Number Actually Voting (Men 2438.....
(Women 2581.....
(Total 5019.....

4. Number persons claiming registration but not registered (Men 50.....
(Women 20.....
(Total 70.....

5. Number of Surveillance Teams ....1.....

6. Number of Polling Places ....8.....

7. Number of Polling Places Visited ....8.....

8. Number of Ballot Counting Stations....1.....

9. Number of Ballot Counting Stations visited...1.

10. Availability of Candidates purge questionnaires at Elections Administration Committee's Offices and at Screening Committee's Offices Yes

11. Amount of publicity given to the fact that candidates purge questionnaires are available at Election Administration Committee's Offices and at Screening Committee's Offices

Press	Radio	Political Gathering
None	None	None

12. Number of people examining candidates questionnaires:

At Election Administration Offices ..5.....
At Screening Committees Offices ....20.....

Inclosure 1 to Operational Directive No. 22 dtd 1 March 1947.

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13. Number of Seats in Prefectural Assembly .....
Number of Candidates by Parties .....

Number of Independents .....

Number of Actually elected Parties .....

Number of Independents elected .....

14. Number Seats in City Assemblies .....
(For Tokyo give Ward Assemblies)
Number of Candidates by Parties .....

Number of Independents .....

Number Actually Elected by Parties .....

Number of Independents Elected .....

15. Number of Seats in Town and Village Assemblies
Number of Candidates by Parties 10

Number of Independents 26

Number actually Elected by Parties 7

Number of Independents elected 19

16. Number of Candidates for Governor by parties .....

Number of Independents .....

Winning Candidate: Name.....Party.....

17. Number of Candidates for Mayor of Cities by parties (For Tokyo give Chiefs of Wards) .....

Number of Independents .....

Number Actually Elected by Parties .....

Number of Independents Elected .....

18. Number of Candidates for Chiefs of Towns and Villages by Parties

Number of Independents .....

Number Actually Elected by Parties .....

Number of Independents Elected .....

19. Any Women Elected:

	Yes	No	Number
Governors	...	..	.....
Mayors of Cities(In Tokyo Wards)	...	..	.....
Chiefs of Towns & Villages	...	..	.....
Prefectural Assemblymen	...	...	.....
City or Tokyo Ward Assemblymen	...	..	.....
Town or Village Assemblymen	...	..	.....

20. Number of pre-election campaign meetings held throughout prefecture by each party:

Party	No. Meetings	Total
.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....
	.....	.....
	.....	.....
	.....	.....

Independent Meetings

21. Were there an adequate number of polling places? (If not, explain)
Yes. X...
No .....

22. Are four election bulletins enclosed? Four are required from each Prefecture.(If not, explain)
Yes.....
No .X...

No election bullections were used in this election

23. No. of pre-election meeting held by MG Team:

		Total Att.
With Election Administration Committee	1	1
With Officials	.....	.....
With Candidates	.....	.....

24. Reports generally on extent of local publicity given to election (e.g. newspaper stories, advertisements, radio time, placards, post cards, handbills). How did MG Teams contribute to publicizing elections? **None**

25. Number of violations reported to you:

Coercion	**None**
Soliciting for votes	.....
Interference with free & secret voting	.....
Interference with access to polls	.....
Privilege granted favored candidates	.....
Dishonest tabulation in reporting of votes	.....
Buying of votes	.....
Excessive expenditures	.....
Police interference of any type	.....
Riots or other disorders	.....
Improper disqualification of voters	.....
Violations of purge directives	.....
others	.....

REPORT FORM ON SURVEILLANCE OF ELECTIONS

(Skeleton Outline Only)

1. Name of Prefecture. [redacted] .....
(Add separate reports for each city of 100,000, answering only applicable questions)

2. Number of Registered Voters (Men [redacted] .....
(Women [redacted] .....
(Total [redacted] .....

3. Number Actually Voting (Men [redacted] .....
(Women [redacted] .....
(Total [redacted] .....

4. Number persons claiming registration but not registered (Men [redacted] .....
(Women [redacted] .....
(Total [redacted] .....

5. Number of Surveillance Teams .....1.....

6. Number of Polling Places .....0.....

7. Number of Polling Places Visited .....0.....

8. Number of Ballot Counting Stations.....1.....

9. Number of Ballot Counting Stations visited...1.

10. Availability of Candidates purge questionnaires at Elections Administration Committee's Offices and at Screening Committee's Offices [redacted]

11. Amount of publicity given to the fact that candidates purge questionnaires are available at Election Administration Committee's Offices and at Screening Committee's Offices

Press	Radio	Politica Gathering
[redacted]	[redacted]	[redacted]

12. Number of people examining candidates questionnaires:

At Election Administration Offices .....5.....
At Screening Committees Offices .....20.....

Enclosure 1 to Operational Directive No. 22 dtd 1 March 1947.

Encl 1

13. Number of Seats in Prefectural Assembly .....
Number of Candidates by Parties .....
.....
Number of Independents .....
.....
Number of Actually elected Parties .....
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.....
Number of Independents elected .....

14. Number Seats in City Assemblies .....
(For Tokyo give Ward Assemblies)
Number of Candidates by Parties .....
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Number of Independents .....
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Number Actually Elected by Parties .....
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(If not, explain) No .....

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[redacted]

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subj: Japanese Foodstuffs Company

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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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Lt Col AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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BASIC: Ltr, Oita Mil Govt Team, APO 24 Unit 2, subj: Japanese Foodstuffs Company, dated 7 May 1948.

AG 430 - BA 2nd Ind RFS/lha

Hq I Corps, APO 301

MAY 22 1948

TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

1. Attention is invited to preceding correspondence and Inclosure #1.

2. Two copies of letter referred to in par 1 of basic communication were forwarded to your headquarters, ATTENTION: Military Government Section.

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3. Inasmuch as the Japanese procurator has referred the question to authorities in Tokyo (par 4a, basic letter) for an opinion, it is recommended that this correspondence be forwarded to GHQ SCAP for consideration.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Walter V. Hickey

WALTER V. HICKEY
C.W.O. U.S.A.
Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl:
n/c

AGMGL 091(Japan) 3rd Ind.

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

-9 JUN 1948

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500

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Lt Col, AGD
Asst AG

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OITA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 24 UNIT 2

ETR/tk

7 May 1948

SUBJECT: Japanese Foodstuffs Company

THRU : Commanding Officer, Kyushu Mil Govt Region, APO 929

TO : Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
Attn: Military Government Section

1. Reference: Letter, Headquarters I Corps, file AG 430 - BA, subject: "Information on Japanese Foodstuffs Company," dated 3 March 1948.

2. Investigations made by this headquarters and by Procurator Goto, Oita Procurator's office, in accordance with paragraph 6, reference letter, reveals that certain officials and employees of the Shokuryo Kodan, Oita Branch, are also officials and stockholders of the Ryohai Setsubi K.K., a private company.

3. According to report by Procurator Goto, Inclosure 1, prosecution of the persons involved cannot be made for the following reasons:

a. No violation of the Criminal Code exists in that there is no evidence of fraud or usurpation. All of the funds used by the stockholders in forming the private company were supplied by the individuals.

b. The private company is not engaged in any of the acts prohibited by Article 26 of the Food Control Law and SCAPIN 1394, namely production or distribution of goods and materials under the control of the corporation. The private company owns machines, land and buildings which it rents to the foodstuffs corporation. This is not considered by the Procurator to be a violation of the directive. The establishment of the private company was done with the knowledge of and on the advice of the Agriculture and Forestry Ministry.

4. a. The Procurator has written a letter to the Supreme Judicial Affairs Bureau requesting their interpretation of the above. He plans to take no further action pending receipt of an answer to his letter.

Ltr, Oita Mil Govt Team, APO 24 Unit 2, subject: Japanese Foodstuffs Company, dated 7 May 1948, cont'd.

b. This headquarters has taken no further action.

5. Request that this headquarters be informed as to whether or not a violation of Japanese law or a SCAP directive has been committed by the officials of the Foodstuffs Corporation (Shokuryo Kodan).

Guinn B. Goodrich

GUINN B. GOODRICH
Lt. Col., INF
Commanding

1 Incl:
Report fr Procurator
with translation

L&G 1st Ind VRV/ce

KYUSHU MIL GOVT REGION, HQ & HQ DETACHMENT, APO 929, 11 May 1948

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
ATTN: Mil Govt Section

Forwarded in accordance with paragraph 6, I Corps Letter, file AG 430-BA, Subject: "Information on Japanese Foodstuffs Company", dated 3 March 1948.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Charles L Bachtel

CHARLES L. BACHTEL
1st Lt SIG C
Adjutant

BA 84432

TRANSLATION

REPORT

29 April 1948

FROM: Procurator Goto.

TO: Oita Military Government Team

SUBJECT: Results of Investigation on Oita Ryohai Setsubi KK and Shokuryo Kodan Oita Branch.

1. Relation between share-holders of Oita Ryohai Setsubi KK (simply called Ryohai Co. below) and employees of Shokuryo Kodan Oita Branch (simply called Kodan below).

All the directors and shareholders of Ryohai Co. are employees of Kodan. Their relation is stated in the roster of Shareholders in separate paper.

2. Development of Ryohai Co.'s establishment and its relation with Ryoho Sangyo KK (simply called Ryoho Co. below).

The former name of Ryohai Co. was Ryoho Sangyo which was established March 1947 with fund of 180,000 yen. The aim of its establishment was welfare and profits of the employees of Shokuryo Eidan, accordingly its shareholders were all of their employees of Shokuryo Eidan. They have changed the regulations of this Ryoho Co. into Ryohai Co. (Its name and aim, etc. were changed too.) The situation of this change is as follows:

Last year there was announced by Japanese Government a program to shift the Eidan system into the Kodan system and it was decided at the same time that Kodan couldn't have fixed property. Thus Kodan was obliged to borrow land, building and machinery, etc. from others in order to execute its business. In Food Management Bureau, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry announced at a meeting of those concerned that it was necessary to establish so-called 2nd Co. so as to make the business going smoothly. Oita Ken Food Corp. decided to establish a Co. as a counter-measure for it but as it would take a lot of money to establish a new Co, it decided to change the regulation to accomplish this aim. Early January 1948, the first general meeting of share-holders was held and made a resolution of the change of the regulation. Thus the present Ryohai Co. was born, under such a situation as stated above.

3. Outlines of aims and contents of enterprises by Ryoho Sangyo KK and the property of the same Co.

Incl 1

a. Aims:

(1) Transaction of necessary goods for farming and fishing villages except for controlled goods.

(2) Transaction of necessary goods and foodstuff and other living necessities except for controlled goods.

(3) Giving help to employees of Food Corp for welfare and equipments.

(4) Growing and transaction of seeds and seedlings.

(5) All the enterprise pertaining to the articles above.

b. Contents of enterprises:

Ryoho Co. is like an "opened shop and closed business". Its only business was to have bought 2,300 grinding machines and mill-machines sold 1,600 of them.

c. Property:

Land: 185 'tsubo' (Nakashima 6-jo, Oita City)
Buildings: 1 ridge of building about 30 'tsubo' wide. (Wasada-mura, Oita-gun)
Truck 1
Furnitures and Fixtures: some
These are now property of Ryohai Co.

4. Outline of aims and contents of Ryohai Co.'s enterprise and its property:

a. Aim:

(1) Enterprise to own land, building, machinery. etc. and lend them to Food Kodan.

(2) All the enterprises pertaining to the above-stated enterprises.

b. Contents of business.

(1) *It lent the measures (meters and scales) to Kodan and gave help for Kodan to borrow them.

(2) It sold some grinding, mill-machines and gave help to their transaction.

*Actually nothing was done but Ryohai Co. must have got profit thereof --- interpreter.

c. Property:

Besides the property mentioned above,

Land: 54 'tsubo' newly bought
Bicycle: 1
Auto-tricycle: 1
Furnitures newly bought

The building is new tenanted by Uruma, Akita at 300 yen a month, while two plots of land was by Food Corporation but Food Corporation has been abolished. The buildings on them must be put to auction. Now the aim of Ryohai Co. is to lend them to Kodan, so after all said and done, Ryohai Co. will be the sole bidder.

5. Apportionment of profits:

There has been so such things.

6. Crimes:

a. Crime under a Criminal Code.

There is no suspicion of any crimes (such as defraud or usurpation) by employees of Kodan.

b. Crime relating to Food Control Law.

Article 26 of the same law prescribes that any staff or employees are prohibited to have a share of a company engaging in taking charge, processing or transportation of main foodstuff or engage in the business of that company or other enterprises or have any interest to the business. And Ryohai Co. has a quite different character from that of the company above mentioned, so I can't help thinking that there is no crime relating to the same law.

c. Crime relating to Imperial Ordinance No. 311 dated 1946.

The most important point is whether Supreme Commander of Allied Forces has ever issued any directive to Japanese Government, and relating to it December 11, 1946, a directive was issued but to my knowledge, the same directive is the same with that of Food Control Law Article 26 above mentioned. Accordingly to have any relation with such Co.

as not related to taking charge, processing and transportation of main foodstuff is not valuable to the directive. But as this needs the interpretation of the authority, I'm now preparing to take some proceeding to refer to the Supreme Judicial Affairs Bureau. Till any notification from it comes to this office, I can't help withdrawing to take my action. If the notificate from it makes it clear that it is a violation of the directive, I'll take an action without hesitation.

d. Crime relating to Public Servant Law.

Food Control Law Article 27 prescribes that the staff and employees of Kodan shall abide by Public Servant Law. So that the staff and employees of Kodan will be regulated by Public Servant Law.

Now Public Servant Law Article 7 prescribes that public servants can't assume the post of president and official of any business company. Thus this particular case is valuable to this article which means those concerned will be administratively disposed.

Still the following points should be taken into consideration relating to this:

(1) The date when Food Control Law was enforced was December 30, 1947. By this law the employees of Kodan were decided to abide by Public Servant Law, while Kodan was established on February 20, 1948. Accordingly the employees of Kodan had *not* enough time to understand this fully.

(2) The whole will of the employees is to be ready to put it into practice to cut the relation, if it should be any violation. Already Yano, Taneki resigned his post as director on 5 April 1948.

(3) Also that Food Management Bureau of Agricultural Ministry admitted informally for this kind of Co. to be established must be considered.

ROSTER OF SHARE-HOLDERS

Oita Ryohai Setsubi KK

		(shares)	Employee of Food Kodan
Director	Shudo, Shizuo	80	No
"	Taguchi, Seiki	70	"
"	Eto, Matagoro	6	Yes
"	Takemiya, Matataro	12	"
Inspector	Tsudaka, Takara	20	"
"	Oyamada, Minoru	30	"
"	Yano, Taneki	80	" Resigned 5 Apr 48
"	Ono, Masaichi	59	" Resigned 17 Oct 47
"	Ohara, Yoshinaka	30	"
"	Okura, Hachiji	51	"
"	Hayase, Shintaro	23	" Resigned 17 Oct 47
Employee	Kudo, Sanae	5	No
"	Kai, Yoshimi	25	Yes
"	Yamada, Kazuaki	5	"
"	Takayama, Katsuya	5	No
"	Watanabe, Sumio	5	Yes
"	Hayase, Wataru	5	"
"	Sato, Koichi	5	No
"	Mieno, Toshimitsu	5	Yes
"	Shite, Takio	5	"
"	Jitsuzaki, Atsuo	20	"
"	Wakai, Misao	20	"
"	Koishi, Sugahiko	5	"
"	Handa, Takahita	5	No
"	Matsuki, Tamejiro	5	Yes
"	Kumanomido, Iwao	5	"
"	Asano, Ko	5	No
"	Obata, Yoshizumi	5	"
"	Abe, Yasumi	2	Yes
"	Kudo, Kiyoshi	5	"
"	Narazaki, Harunobu	50	"
"	Itayama, Kenichi	50	"
"	Sasaki, Tsuneyoshi	10	"
"	Komera, Watahachi	5	"
"	Yano, Ichisaburo	5	"
"	Oda, Toraichi	5	"
"	Goto, Kameo	5	"
"	Soma, Tokuichi	5	"
"	Abe, Shinshi	5	"
"	Kikuya, Tamatsu	5	"
"	Inoue, Goro	5	"

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Róster of Share-holders, cont'd.

		(shares)	Employee of Food Kodan
Employee	Yamakawa, Morio	5	Yes
"	Nagano, Sukezo	5	"
"	Abe, Kiyoshi	5	"
"	Sueda, Sukehachi	5	"
"	Sato, Taneo	5	"
"	Kizu, Matsuo	5	"
"	Mizobe, Mitsue	5	"
"	Miyazaki, Toshi	8	"
"	Suematsu, Nagashi	5	"
"	Kai, Kimpei	5	"
"	Ikebe, Tomoya	5	"
"	Furunaga, Takeo	5	No
"	Nagaoka, Tsutomu	5	Yes
"	Kajiwara, Otojiro	5	"
"	Abe, Takeo	5	"
"	Honma, Fukuhichi	5	"
"	Mukono, Nobuo	3	"
"	Yasueda, Teruo	5	"
"	Nakano, Kisaku	5	"
"	Takakura, Kuraji	5	"
"	Hisatsune, Masajiro	3	"
"	Kato, Tatsuo	5	"
"	Murakami, Genji	3	"
"	Suemune, Shigeo	5	"
"	Sato, Tetsuzo	5	"
"	Nishino, Ichiro	3	"
"	Kishiro, Masao	1	"
"	Marufuku, Takeo	3	"
"	Seki, Yonezo	1	"
"	Tahara, Fujie	3	"
"	Yoshioka, Sunae	1	"
"	Hata, Mitsue	1	"
"	Miyagaki, Noriko	3	"
"	Sotozono, Tomi	3	"
"	Wakata, Makio	1	"
"	Furue, Shigeo	5	"
"	Hisatsune, Shigetomo	5	"
"	Kawabata, Tetsuzo	5	"
"	Yonezawa, Kikuo	1	"
"	Tsunega, Masao	5	"
"	Kishiro, Kajie	5	"
"	Nishina, Kanematsu	6	"
"	Izawa, Suehiko	6	"
"	Yamamoto, Toshiyuki	6	"
"	Watanabe, Hideo	6	"
"	Tamaoki, Masakusu	6	"
"	Kawano, Sadamu	5	"
"	Nishioka, Makita	5	"
"	Shigezato, Tsutomu	5	"

Roster of Share-holders, cont'd.

		(shares)	Employee of Food Kodan
Employee	Muratani, Hajime	5	Yes
"	Kanda, Yoshiichi	5	"
"	Ono, Yoshio	5	"
"	Okawa, Masatsura	5	"
"	Imaizumi, Naoji	5	"
"	Yokoyama, Shigeki	5	"
"	Todaka, Kanichi	5	"
"	Funakoshi, Eiichi	5	"
"	Otsuru, Tsunetaro	5	"
"	Goto, Tetsuo	5	"
"	Osaki, Kesayoshi	5	"
"	Yawata, Naozo	10	"
"	Iwazawa, Shigero	10	"
"	Saitsu, Takaji	10	"
"	Takase, Suejiro	10	"
"	Nagano, Tamotsu	10	"
"	Sugahara, Masao	4	"
"	Adachi, Jiro	4	"
"	Nagano, Takeo	4	"
"	Matsumoto, Tomoichi	4	"
"	Nagano, Tomio	4	"
"	Tobita, Hideo	4	"
"	Ono, Fukutaro	4	"
"	Sasaki, Kojiro	4	"
"	Goto, Tomoichi	4	"
"	Onishi, Yoshikatsu	4	"
"	Fujii, Seijiro	4	"
"	Endo, Mitsuyoshi	4	"
"	Miura, Ryoichi	4	"
"	Yoshida, Katsujiro	4	"
"	Kai, Takeshi	4	"
"	Ashisuke, Isoichi	15	"
"	Shin, Hajime	10	"
"	Shiroto, Yuko	5	"
"	Aihara, Sakuichi	5	"
"	Shibata, Kenji	5	No
"	Kudo, Minoru	8	Yes
"	Himeno, Nagaki	8	"
"	Himeno, Tomoyuki	8	"
"	Okuda, Shunji	5	"
"	Kawatani, Rokuro	5	"
"	Sotozono, Kikuro	5	"
"	Jo, Takeo	5	"
"	Karashima, Motomi	5	"
"	Oda, Isamu	5	"
"	Watanabe, Munetaro	5	"
"	Mutsukado, Motoyoshi	5	"
"	Yamada, Taro	5	"

Roster of Share-holders, cont'd.

		(shares)	Employee of Food Kodan
Employee	Inagaki, Masuo	5	Yes
"	Fukuda, Hiroji	6	"
"	Oda, Hiroshi	5	"
"	Kashima, Toshio	5	"
"	Himeno, Toshinosuke	23	"
"	Hara, Masao	15	"
"	Watanabe, Rinzo	15	"
"	Hanada, Enjiro	6	"
"	Hashimoto, Takuro	6	"
"	Hanada, Koretsune	5	"
"	Yoshinari, Hitoshi	5	"
"	Miyoda, Tetsunosuke	5	"
"	Hayashi, Taiji	5	"
"	Uchida, Masajiro	20	"
"	Mitarai, Kanichi	5	"
"	Abe, Kiyotake	5	"
"	Kita, Denichi	4	"
"	Kobayashi, Shinichi	10	"
"	Ishii, Hajime	5	"
"	Kinba, Tsunetaro	5	No
"	Sakamoto, Sugima	5	Yes
"	Kurono, Shigeru	5	"
"	Yamada, Hiroshi	5	"
"	Anan, Hisashi	5	"
"	Kosaka, Jinichi	5	"
"	Futamura, Fumio	5	"
"	Mineda, Takao	5	"
"	Goto, Shigeko	5	No
"	Tanaka, Keiichi	3	Yes
"	Nishio, Mitsuru	3	"
"	Ishii, Shigemaru	3	"
"	Okamoto, Meiji	3	"
"	Eto, Sadao	3	"
"	Kiyoie, Minoru	3	"
"	Iwasaki, Mitsuji	3	"
"	Shirase, Hisakichi	3	"
"	Sato, Hideo	3	"
"	Yoshido, Genji	3	"
"	Uesugi, Kenkichi	3	"
"	Fukae, Kensuke	2	"
"	Hayama, Kimi	2	"
"	Kotegawa, Yasuto	2	"
"	Akashi, Kintaro	2	"
"	Iwao, Masatoshi	2	"
"	Togawa, Kazuko	2	"
"	Iwasaki, Shigeo	2	"
"	Izawa, Hatsue	2	"
"	Fukuoka, Akiko	2	No

Roster of Share-holders, cont'd.

		(shares)	Employee of Food Kodan
Employee	Fujita, Moki	2	Yes
"	Izawa, Toshiko	2	No
"	Kamo, Sumi	2	Yes
"	Hoshino, Kazuo	10	"
"	Shigeishi, Hideyoshi	10	"
"	Tsubone, Tsunaji	10	"
"	Sasaki, Noboru	8	"
"	Sato, Kichiro	7	"
"	Iwao, Mitsutoshi	6	"
"	Nonoshita, Kiyoshi	5	"
"	Nomura, Isaburo	5	"
"	Yamazaki, Harutaka	5	"
"	Abe, Makitaro	5	"
"	Sonoda, Tokuro	5	"
"	Shiihara, Tadaichi	5	"
"	Suyama, Kinjiro	5	"
"	Hinako, Nobumasa	5	"
"	Sato, Yoshio	5	"
"	Kawamoto, Shojiro	4	"
"	Kamegawa, Hidejiro	5	"
"	Nonoshita, Toru	5	"
"	Zaizen, Nobumichi	8	"
"	Nishino, Shosaburo	5	"
"	Ozawa, Hisanori	5	"
"	Ikuta, Einjiro	5	"
"	Sueda, Hideo	5	"
"	Suemitsu, Kiyoshi	5	"
"	Aizawa, Nobuo	5	"
"	Sanada, Sumie	5	"
"	Kamogawa, Shigeichi	5	"
"	Sugisaki, Hyoma	5	"
"	Aramaki, Satsuki	5	"
"	Murayama, Iwao	4	"
"	Sato, Fukuichi	4	"
"	Abe, Sanji	4	"
"	Kato, Sueshiro	5	"
"	Goto, Saketaro	4	"
"	Sato, Monsaku	4	"
"	Teshima, Masao	4	"
"	Saitsu, Nakayoshi	3	"
"	Ishikawa, Genhichi	3	"
"	Hirose, Shizuka	3	"
"	Yano, Tetsunen	3	"
"	Tauchi, Hajime	3	"
"	Nakaoka, Tamaichi	3	"
"	Anan, Kaname	3	"
"	Hamazaki, Hikaru	3	"

Roster of Share-holders, cont'd.

		(shares)	Employee of Food Kodan
Employee	Tsuruda, Iwao	3	Yes
"	Kosho, Kazuhiko	3	"
"	Ono, Yoshihisa	3	"
"	Tomonaga, Masaru	3	"
"	Ito, Kenjiro	3	"
"	Honda, Yoshio	3	"
"	Sato, Hiroshi	10	"
"	Nishimoto, Hisao	10	No
"	Hodari, Takeo	6	Yes
"	Takagi, Nobuji	13	"
"	Iwamoto, Akira	5	"
"	Fukumura, Fukuzo	5	"
"	Abe, Keiichi	5	"
"	Kiyohara, Yoshiji	5	"
"	Fujii, Tamakichi	5	"
"	Ohata, Susumu	0	No

TOTAL 1,800 shares 248 persons.

TRANSLATION

19 April 1948

FROM : Chief of General Affairs Bureau
Chief of Distribution Business Bureau
Food Distribution Kodan

TO : Chief of Ken Branch

SUBJECT: Additional Post by the Staff of Local Food Corp.

Relating to the subject above mentioned, trouble happened at Ehime Ken Food Corporation last November at that time as GHQ and government notified to us/ relating to it as stated in copy in separate letter.

Would you please take the trouble to touch with Ken Office in your prefecture to let them understand it?

Chief 2 to Chief 1

C O P Y

TRANSLATION

21 November 1947

FROM : Chief of Food Management Bureau
Chief of General Affairs Bureau, Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry.

TO : Governor of Ehime Ken

SUBJECT: Additional Post by Employees of Local Food Corp.

As for the directive of GHQ dated on 11 December 1946, Japanese Government, while on one hand it has decided to take some measure for the additional post by the staff and employees of an organ to be established based on the above-mentioned memorandum (that is Kodan) by making up a prohibition in the ordinance relating to the same organ's establishment, has not done any concrete designation of hitherto monopolizingly transacting organ (Food Corp?) which will temporarily exist till the establishment of Kodan be completed later, even after it got to need the designation of E. S. B.

Incidentally relating to his, after the liaison with GHQ through ESB the following answers arrived:

"The bodies designated under ESB Instruction Article 3. will be admitted valuable to the memorandum but Japanese Government did not negotiate with GHQ as to how it is applicable to Article 5.

As to this case, as the result of consultation at Control Committee of GHQ, GHQ admitted that it was difficult for Japanese Government to apply strictly the memorandum Article 5 to industrial bodies and as to its counter-measures, it was decided to submit the program by Japanese Government to GHQ. Accordingly till this measures will be finally decided by GHQ the responsibility is exempted for Japanese Government for a time being. Accordingly that Government did not notify and Ken Governors are not responsible for Government and Ken Governors should not be responsible for this matter."

The above answer was given by Mr. Capron, Anti-Trust Section, GHQ on 21 November morning by phone.

C O P Y

OITA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 24 UNIT 2

ETR/tk

7 May 1948

SUBJECT: Japanese Foodstuffs Company

THRU : Commanding Officer, Kyushu Mil Govt Region, APO 929

TO : Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
Attn: Military Government Section

1. Reference: Letter, Headquarters I Corps, file AG 430 - B A. subject: "Information on Japanese Foodstuffs Company", dated 3 March 1948.

2. Investigations made by this headquarters and by procurator Goto, Oita Procurator's office, in accordance with paragraph 6, reference letter, reveals that certain officials and employees of the Shokuryo Kodan, Oita Branch, are also officials and stockholders of the Ryohai Setsubi K.K., a private company.

3. According to report by Procurator Goto, Inclosure 1, presecution of the persons involved cannot be made for the following reasons:

a. No violation of the Criminal Code exists in that there is no evidence of fraud or usurpation. All of the funds used by the stockholders in forming the private company were supplied by the individuals.

b. The private company is not engaged in any of the acts prohibited by Article 26 of the Food Control Law and SCAPIN 1394, namely production or distribution ofgoods and materials under the control of the corporation. The private company owns machines, land and buildings which it rents to the foodstuffs corporation. This is not considered by the procurator to be a violation of the directive. The establishment of the private company was done with the knowledge of and on the advice of the Agriculture and Forestry Ministry.

4. a. The Procurator has written a letter to the Supreme Judicial Affairs Bureau requesting their interpretation of the above. He plans to take no further action pending receipt of an answer to his letter.

b. This headquarters has taken no further action.

5. Request that this headquarters be informed as to whether or not a violation of Japanese law or a SCAP directive has been committed by the officials of the Foodstuffs Corporation (Shokuryo Kodan).

1 Incl:
Report fr Procurator
with translation

GUINN B. GOODRICH
Lt. Col,, INF
Commanding

L&G 1st Ind VRV/ce

KYUSHU MIL GOVT REGION, HQ & HQ DETACHMENT, APO 929, 11 May 1948

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CHARLES L. BACHTEL
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AG 430 - BA 2nd Ind RFS/lha

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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl:
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APO 317

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Kure, Honshu
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CMGR 014.35 (C-Mi)

SUBJECT: Transmittal of Report on Surveillance of Election

TO : Commanding General
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Forwarded in compliance with paragraph 9, Operational Directive No.22, 1947, subject: "Local Government Elections."

RUSSELL C. SNYDER
Colonel, FA
Commanding

1 Incl:
Election Report-
Okayama prefecture

AGMGL 091(Japan) 1st Ind.

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

3 - JUN 1948

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500
ATTN: Government Section.

Report of surveillance of a local election in Okayama Prefecture is forwarded for your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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1 Incl:
n/c

R SCHAFER
Lt Col, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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REPORT FORM OF SURVEILLANCE OF ELECTION

ELECTION IN KOJIMA CITY, OKAYAMA KEN

5 MAY 1948

THIRTY SEATS IN KOJIMA CITY ASSEMBLY

ONE CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

1. Kojima City

2. Registered voters

Men	8,588
Women	9,899
Total	18,487

3. Number actually voting

Men	7,592
Women	9,006
Total	16,598

4. Number claiming registration but not registered

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13. 30 seats in city assembly

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Socialist	1
Democrat	1
Independent	40

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14. Inapplicable

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BASIC: Ltr, Hq Gifu Mil Govt Team, APO 25, dtd 12 May 48, Subj: "Report on Surveillance of Elections for Saigo-Mura, Motosu-Gun, Gifu Prefecture"

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Hq Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region, APO 710, 19 May 48

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

Report of election for town mayor of Saigo-Mura, Motosu-Gun, Gifu Prefecture, is forwarded herewith for your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Walter O Wade

WALTER O. WADE
Capt, INF
Adjutant

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Hq I Corps, APO 301 MAY 24 1948

TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

Forwarded in compliance with OD 22 (1947).

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Wilder A. Johnson.

WILDER A. JOHNSON
Capt., A.G.D.
Asst. Adj. Gen.

AGMGL 091(Japan)

3rd Ind.

2 - JUN 1948

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500
Attn: Government Section.

1. Report of surveillance of a local election in Gifu Prefecture is forwarded for your information.

2. Since there was only one candidate, there was no voting.

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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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R SCHAFER
Lt Col, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

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BASIC: Ltr, Gifu MGT, APO 25, dtd 12 May 48, subj: Report on Surveillance of Elections for Saigo-mura, Motosu-gun, Gifu Pref.

1st Ind. WJD/ai

Hq Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region, APO 710, 19 May 48

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

Report of election for town mayor of Asigo-mura, Motosu-gun, Gifu Prefecture, is forwarded herewith for your information.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

/s/ Walter O. Wade
WALTER O. WADE
CAPT., INF
ADJ

AG 000.1 - BA 2nd Ind. RFS/lha

Hq I Corps, APO 301, 24 May 48

TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

Forwarded in compliance with OD 22 (1947).

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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GIFU MIL GOVT TEAM
APO 25, Unit 2 (Gifu, Honshu)

SUBJECT: Report on Surveillance of Elections for Saigo-mura, Motosu-gun, Gifu Prefecture

TO: Commanding Officer, Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region
APO 710

1. Name of Prefecture: Gifu

2. Date of Election: 12 May 1948

3. Number of Registered Voters: Men 574
Women 839
Total 1413

4. Number Actually Voting: None

5. Number of Surveillance Teams: None

6. Number of type of vacancies to be filled in Town and Village Assemblies: 1 Mayor

Number of Candidates by Parties: 1 Independent

Number actually elected by Parties: 1 Independent

7. No of women elected: None

8. No of violations reported: None

9. Comment: Election due to resignation of Mayor.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Edward J. Morgan
EDWARD J. MORGAN
1st Lt., FA
Legal & Govt Officer

~~Inclosure #1~~

BASIC: Ltr Hqs Miyagi Mil Govt Team, subject: "Report on Surveillance of By-Election for House of Representatives, 2d Electoral District, Miyagi Prefecture", dtd 25 May 1948

319.1 1st Ind RAB/ehb

HEADQUARTERS TOHOKU MIL GOVT REGION, APO 309, 27 May 1948

TO: Commanding General, IX Corps, APO 309

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1 Incl:
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AG 319.1 (D) 2d Ind RAB/ehb

HEADQUARTERS IX CORPS, APO 309 27 MAY 1948

TO: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343

Forwarded in compliance with Operational Directive Number 22, Headquarters Eighth Army, dated 1 March 1947.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

Francis C. Park
FRANCIS C. PARK
CWO, USA
ASST. ADJ. GEN.

1 Incl:
n/c

AG 091(Japan)(MG-L) 3rd Ind. 1- JUN 1948

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500
Attn: Government Section

Report of surveillance of a local election in Miyagi Prefecture is forwarded for your information.

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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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R SCHAFER
Lt Col, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl:
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TO: Commanding General, IX Corps, APO 309

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1 Incl:
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FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

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AG 091(Japan)(MG-L) 3rd Ind. 1- JUN 19

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

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Attn: Government Section

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H-E-A-D-Q-U-A-R-T-E-R-S
Miyagi Military Government Team
APO 547

25 May 1948

SUBJECT: Report on Surveillance of By-Election for House of Representatives, 2d Electoral District, Miyagi Prefecture.

THRU : Commanding Officer, Tohoku Military Government Region, APO 309

TO : Commanding General, IX Corps, APO 309.

1. In compliance with par. 3, Operational Memorandum Number 42, Headquarters IX Corps, dated 27 March 1947, report is submitted on By-Election for House of Representatives held in 2d Electoral District, Miyagi Prefecture, on 21 May 1948.

J.H.BOLING
Lt. Col.,FA
Commanding

1 Incl:
Surveillance Election
report (Quadruplicate).

REPORT OF SURVEILLANCE OVER BY-ELECTION FOR HOUSE
OF REPRESENTATIVES, MIYAGI PREFECTURE, ON 21 MAY 1948.

Report Control Symbol QGS-E

1. Miyagi-ken (2d Electoral District)

2. Number of registered voters: (Men 144,169
(Women 159,017
(Total 303,186

3. Persons actually voting: (Men 98,981
(Women 78,654
(Total 177,635

4. Number of persons claiming franchise but not permitted to vote: 0

5. Number of surveillance teams: 3

6. Number of polling places: 295

7. Number of polling places visited: 24

8. Number of ballot counting stations: 97

9. Number of ballot counting stations visited: 9

10. Candidates examination certificates were available for public inspection at the local office of each city, town, and village.

11. Publicity given the general public as to these certificates was in form of news releases, radio announcements, and display at political rallies.

12. Number of persons inspecting certificates: 20

13. Number of seats in House of Representatives from 2d Electoral district: 4

Incl #1

Number of candidates, by parties:

Democratic	1
Liberal Democratic	1
National Cooperative	1
Socialist	1
Japan Peoples	1
Japan New Government	1
Constitutional Labor	1
Communist	1
Independent	3

Number actually elected, by parties:

Liberal Democratic	1
Democratic	1

Number of votes cast for each party:

Liberal Democratic	59,059
Democratic	42,902
National Cooperative	19,959
Socialist	16,225
Japan New Government	11,069
Communist	4,584
Japan Peoples	3,336
Constitutional Labor	1,608

Number of votes cast for Independents: 16,211

Number of invalid votes: 2,719

14. Number of women candidates: 0

15. Number of pre-election campaign meetings held throughout 2d Electoral District (approx) 278
Total attendance all parties (approx) 61,000

16. Number of polling places was adequate.

17. Personal history bulletins are enclosed.

18. Number of pre-election meetings held by MG team: 2
Total attendance at these meetings: 20

19. Posters were prominently displayed, handbills were distributed, and loud speakers were used to publicize the campaign. Candidates names were posted at every polling place.

20. There were no violations of the elction laws reported.

21. No known criticism was made toward surveillance conducted by MG teams.

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22. Local Election Administration Committee officials were cognizant of Ministry orders and handled their work efficiently. The Prefecture Election Commission held periodic meetings with the election committees of each gun. A meeting was held in the prefecture whereby members of the Election Administration Committee and candidates were given the latest information concerning Ministry orders. The election laws seemed adequate and are considered satisfactory.

23. A lack of interest was shown due to the rice planting season, as indicated by absentee rate of 41.4%.

昭和二十三年五月二十一日執行

衆議院議員選擧經歷公報（第二選擧區）

宮城縣選擧管理委員會

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本籍　宮城縣玉造郡鳴子町字末澤十七番地
現住所　右ニ同ジ

高橋清治郎（タカハシセイジロウ）

明治二十七年二月八日生

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（四一歳）

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住所　栗原郡大岡村字福岡小谷町二十三、
生年月日　明治三十五年三月三十日

吉城千代治（ヨシキ チヨジ）

經歴
東北製鋼原料株式會社、廻收課長
富國徴兵保險仙臺支社、次長
衆議院議員立候補　二回
宮城縣知事立候補　一回、
學歴、
獨學、

大正八年頃原敬氏の勸めにより、
現に宮城縣會議員なり。

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現在　日本社會黨本吉支部長並同黨宮城縣連執行委員　日本農民組合宮城縣連合會副會長　宮城縣農業復興會議副議長本吉郡地區食糧調整委員、津谷町農地委員　宮城縣知事より勤勞表彰を受く　日本社會黨公認として立候補致した次第であります。

大石武一（オオイシ ブイチ）

（四十才）　民主自由黨公認　醫學博士　明治四十二年六月十九日大石倫治の長男として仙臺市に生る。仙臺二中、二高を經て昭和十年東北大學醫學部卒業、加藤内科助手として研究に從事、昭和十五年醫學博士、昭和十九年東北大學助教授となる。昭和二十二年より國立仙臺病院内科醫長、東北大學講師となる。尚日本内科學會評議員、宮城縣醫師會理事を兼ねてゐる。今回　父の弔合戰にあたり總てを辭して立候補を決意した。

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○注意　一、この經歴公報にのらない候補者もあることがありますからかめて下さい。
二、投票は五月二十一日の午前七時より午后六時迄ですから御忘れなく投票して下さい。
三、投票所の入口等にはり出される氏名掲示によつてよくたし

REPORT OF SURVEILLANCE OVER BY-ELECTION FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, MIYAGI PREFECTURE, ON 21 MAY 1948.

Report Control Symbol QGS-E

1. Miyagi-ken (2d Electoral District)

2. Number of registered voters: (Men 144,169 (Women 159,017 (Total 303,186

3. Persons actually voting: (Men 98,981 (Women 78,654 (Total 177,635

4. Number of persons claiming franchise but not permitted to vote: 0

5. Number of surveillance teams: 3

6. Number of polling places: 295

7. Number of polling places visited: 24

8. Number of ballot counting stations: 97

9. Number of ballot counting stations visited: 9

10. Candidates examination certificates were available for public inspection at the local office of each city, town, and village.

11. Publicity given the general public as to these certificates was in form of news releases, radio announcements, and display at political rallies.

12. Number of persons inspecting certificates: 20

13. Number of seats in House of Representatives from 2d Electoral district: 4

14.

Incl #1/2

Number of candidates, by parties:

Democratic	1
Liberal Democratic	1
National Cooperative	1
Socialist	1
Japan Peoples	1
Japan New Government	1
Constitutional Labor	1
Communist	1
Independent	3

Number actually elected, by parties:

Liberal Democratic	1
Democratic	1

Number of votes cast for each party:

Liberal Democratic	59,059
Democratic	42,902
National Cooperative	19,959
Socialist	16,225
Japan New Government	11,069
Communist	4,584
Japan Peoples	3,336
Constitutional Labor	1,608

Number of votes cast for Independents: 16,211

Number of invalid votes: 2,719

14. Number of women candidates: 0

15. Number of pre-election campaign meetings held throughout 2d Electoral District (approx) 278
Total attendance all parties (approx) 61,000

16. Number of polling places was adequate.

17. Personal history bulletins are enclosed.

18. Number of pre-election meetings held by MG team: 2
Total attendance at these meetings: 20

19. Posters were prominently displayed, handbills were distributed, and loud speakers were used to publicize the campaign. Candidates names were posted at every polling place.

20. There were no violations of the eletion laws reported.

21. No known criticism was made toward surveillance conducted by MG teams.

22. Local Election Administration Committee officials were cognizant of Ministry orders and handled their work efficiently. The Prefecture Election Commission held periodic meetings with the election committees of each gun. A meeting was held in the prefecture whereby members of the Election Administration Committee and candidates were given the latest information concerning Ministry orders. The election laws seemed adequate and are considered satisfactory.

23. A lack of interest was shown due to the rice planting season, as indicated by absentee rate of 41.4%.

昭和二十三年五月二十一日執行

衆議院議員選擧經歷公報（第二選擧區）

宮城縣選擧管理委員會

略歷

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現住所　右ニ同ジ

高橋清治郎（タカハシセイジロウ）

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學歷
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生年月日　明治三十五年三月三十日

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日本社會黨公認
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宮東學行

REPORT OF SURVEILLANCE OVER BY-ELECTION FOR HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, MIYAGI PREFECTURE, ON 22 MAY 1948.

Report Control Symbol CCS-F

1.	Miyagi-ken (2d Electoral District)	
2.	Number of registered voters:	(Men 144,169 (Women 159,017 (Total 303,186
3.	Persons actually voting:	(Men 98,981 (Women 78,654 (Total 177,635
4.	Number of persons claiming franchise but not permitted to vote:	0
5.	Number of surveillance teams:	3
6.	Number of polling places:	295
7.	Number of polling places visited:	24
8.	Number of ballot counting stations:	97
9.	Number of ballot counting stations visited:	9
10.	Candidates examination certificates were available for public inspection at the local office of each city, town, and village.	
11.	Publicity given the general public as to these certificates was in form of news releases, radio announcements, and display at political rallies.	
12.	Number of persons inspecting certificates:	20
13.	Number of seats in House of Representatives from 2d Electoral district:	4

14.

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Number of candidates, by parties:

Democratic	1
Liberal Democratic	1
National Cooperative	1
Socialist	1
Japan Peoples	1
Japan New Government	1
Constitutional Labor	1
Communist	1
Independent	3

Number actually elected, by parties:

Liberal Democratic	1
Democratic	1

Number of votes cast for each party:

Liberal Democratic	59.059
Democratic	42.902
National Cooperative	19.959
Socialist	16.225
Japan New Government	11.069
Communist	4.584
Japan Peoples	3.336
Constitutional Labor	1,608

Number of votes cast for Independents: 16,211

Number of invalid votes: 2,719

14. Number of women candidates: 0

15. Number of pre-election campaign meetings held throughout 2d Electoral District (approx) 278
Total attendance all parties (approx) 61,000

16. Number of polling places was adequate.

17. Personal history bulletins are enclosed.

18. Number of pre-election meetings held by MG team: 2
Total attendance at these meetings: 20

19. Posters were prominently displayed, handbills were distributed, and loud speakers were used to publicize the campaign. Candidates names were posted at every polling place.

20. There were no violations of the elction laws reported.

21. No known criticism was made toward surveillance conducted by MG teams.

22. Local Election Administration Committee officials were cognizant of Ministry orders and handled their work efficiently. The Prefecture Election Commission held periodic meetings with the election committees of each gun. A meeting was held in the prefecture whereby members of the Election Administration Committee and candidates were given the latest information concerning Ministry orders. The election laws seemed adequate and are considered satisfactory.

23. A lack of interest was shown due to the rice planting season, as indicated by absentee rate of 41.4%.

昭和二十三年五月二十一日執行

衆議院議員選擧經歷公報（第二選擧區）

宮城縣選擧管理委員會

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衆議院議員候補者

只野直助

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生年月日　明治二十九年三月五日生

經歷
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昭和二十二年　月食糧調正委員

本籍地　宮城縣登米郡石越村字長根一八
現住所　東京都文京區駕籠町一六四

宮東孝行（ミヤトウタカユキ）
明治四十年五月三日生

昭和十七年より同二十年迄學校經營に從事
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學歷、

獨學、

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昭和二十三年五月二十一日執行

衆議院議員選擧經歷公報（第二選擧區）

宮城縣選擧管理委員會

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日本共產黨

佐藤武雄（サトウタケヲ）

衆議院議員候補者無所屬

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高橋清治郎（タカハシセイジロウ）
明治二十七年二月八日生

學歷
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職歷
一、昭和七年四月ヨリ同十一年三月迄明治大學出版部社長
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日本共產黨

仙臺市に生れ仙臺明善中學に苦學し、上智大學在學中社會運動に參加し二學年で退校。昭和九年、反戰運動で檢擧終戰まで保護看察に附さる。
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Hq Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region, APO 710, 24 May 48

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

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FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

WALTER O. WADE
Capt. INF
Adjutant

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GIFU MIL GOVT TEAM
APO 25, Unit 2 (Gifu, Honshu)

SUBJECT: Report on Surveillance of Elections for Kami-Haguri-mura, Inaba-gun, Giru Prefecture

TO: Commanding Officer, Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region
APO 710

1. Name of Prefecture: Giru

2. Date of Election: 15 May 1946

3. Number of Registered Voters:

Men	574
Women	837
Total	1413

4. Number Actually Voting: None

5. Number of Surveillance Teams: None

6. Number of type of vacancies to be filled in Town and Village Assemblies: 1 Mayor
1 Village Assembly

Number of Candidates by Parties: 2 Independent

Number actually elected by Parties: 2 Independent

7. No of women elected: None

8. No of violations reported: None

9. Comment: Inasmuch as there was only one candidate running for each vacancy, no voting took place.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Edward J. Morgan
EDWARD J. MORGAN
1st Lt., FA
Legal & Govt Officer

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BASIC: Ltr, Hqs Osaka Mil Govt Team, APO 25, dtd 18 May 48,
subj: Election of Mayor of Yao-shi

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APO 25

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18 May 1948
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SUBJECT: Election of Mayor of Yao-shi

TO: Commanding Officer
Kinki Mil Govt Region
APO 301
ATTN: Legal and Govt Sect.

1. On 10 May 1948, an election was held to select a Mayor for Yao-shi.

2. At a previous election no candidate received a large enough vote to be declared elected.

3. Mr. Wakita Ikumatsu, an independent, received 13,984 of the 25,029 votes cast and was declared elected. His opponent, Sugawa Eiichi, received 11,045 votes.

Malcolm E. Craig
MALCOLM E. CRAIG
Colonel, Infantry
Commanding

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b. Number of Independent candidates: 4

c. Number of candidates actually elected by parties:

Independent 1

15. Surveillance teams reported that there were an adequate number of polling places in Suginami Ward.

16. Number of pre-election meetings held by surveillance teams:

With Election Administration Committee 1
With Officials 1

17. Number of election violations reported by surveillance teams:

None

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

JACOB LEUCINGER
1st Lt, AGD
Adjutant

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HEADQUARTERS
TOKYO MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 181

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26 May 1948

AG-LG 000.1

SUBJECT: Local Government Elections

TO: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343

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1. Reference: Operational Directive Number 22, above subject, Headquarters Eighth Army, dated 1 March 1947 (compliance with paragraph 9).

2. The following report covers Suginami Ward in Tokyo-To.

3. Number of registered voters:
(Men 79,629
(Women 77,668
(Total 157,297

4. Number actually voting for Suginami Ward Head:
(Men 19,673
(Women 13,790
(Total 33,463

5. Number of persons claiming registration but not registered: None

6. Number of Surveillance Teams: 4

7. Number of Polling Places: 26

8. Number of Polling Places visited: 26

9. Number of Ballot Counting Stations: 1

10. Number of Ballot Counting Stations visited: 1

11. Surveillance teams reported that candidates purge questionnaires were available at the Suginami Ward office.

12. Adequate publicity was given through announcements in the official ward newspaper, on strategically located bulletin boards and over loud-speakers to the fact that candidate's purge questionnaire forms were available at the local ward offices.

13. The number of people examining candidate's purge questionaires: 25

14. a. Number of candidates by parties:
Social 1
Neutral 1

BASIC: Ltr, Hqs Osaka Mil Govt Team, APO 25, dtd 18 May 48,
subj: Election of Headman.

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TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, APO 500
ATTN: Government Section

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OSAKA MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 25

18 May 1948
48/LG/G/7

SUBJECT: Election of Headman

TO: Commanding Officer
Kinki Mil Govt Region
APO 301
ATTN: Legal and Govt Sect.

1. On Saturday, 15 May 1948, an election was held for Headman of Oe-mura. In Oe-mura there are 3,535 registered voters. In the election 2,907 votes were cast. There are two candidates for elections, Komatsu Shigeichi and Onichi Nobuo, Independents. The votes were counted on Sunday, 16 May and showed that Komatsu Shigeichi received 1,565 votes and was elected. Onishi Nobuo received 1,323 votes. 19 of the votes cast were declared to be invalid.

2. No violations of the election laws were observed or reported.

3. The newly elected Headman, Komatsu Shigeichi, took office on Monday, 17 May 1948.

Malcolm E. Craig
MALCOLM E. CRAIG
Colonel, Infantry
Commanding

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TO: CG, Eighth Army, APO 343

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BASIC: Ltr, Hq Gifu Mil Govt Team, APO 25, Subj: "Report on Surveillance of Elections for Horado-Mura, Mugi Gun, Gifu Ken"

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Hq Tokai-Hokuriku Mil Govt Region, APO 710, 29 Apr 48

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

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FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

Walter O Wade

WALTER O. WADE
Capt, INF
Adjutant

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