

16 July 1947

MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Lopez; Capt. Robinson USN Att: Cmdr. Cole;
Mr. Edwards
FROM : EDWARD P. MONAGHAN, Chief,
Investigative Division, IPS
SUBJECT : Defense Witness

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

DEFENDANT

ITAGAKI

WITNESS

TAKAHASHI, Tan

LIST OF MATERIAL AVAILABLE

Curriculum Vitae
Info from subpoena
Report by Lt. Curtis
Doc. No. 3038

2. Please acknowledge receipt of this memorandum by initialling
and returning attached carbon copy to this office, Room 300.

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EPM
EDWARD P. MONAGHAN

REPORT BY: LT. JOHN A. CURTIS
20 January 1947

MEMORANDUM FOR THE FILE

SUBJECT: TAKAHASHI, Tan

Was the Chief of Staff of the North China Army.

No further information concerning the above is
contained in the files.

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TAKAHASHI, Tan (Lt Genl)

Request by: DOIHARA, Kenji

Chief of Staff of N China Army at end of war
and believed to be PW of Chinese.

Testimony relates to testimony of Puyi. Tan was
associate of DOIHARA during Puyi negotiations and is
familiar with facts and circumstances relating thereto.

Testimony re Counts 18 and 19.

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ANALYSIS OF DOCUMENTARY EVIDENCE

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Title and Nature: Loose, Handwritten Sheets, Corrected Decoration Data on Certain Defense Witnesses, and Additional Decoration Data on KOSHI, Saburo

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PERSONS IMPLICATED: See below

CRIMES OR PHASE TO WHICH DOCUMENT APPLICABLE:

SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Data on following personalities:

KOGA, Kiyoshi
ARIYOSHI, Chuichi
GODO, Takuo
HANEDA, Toru
IKAWA, Tadao
ISHIMARU, Shitowa
MURAKAWA, Kengo
ONODERA, Naosuke
BABA, Tsunego
FURUMI, Tadayuki
IKEZAKI, Tadatake
HATTA, Shiroji
IWAI, Takeo
INAHARA, Hatsuji
IWATA, Ainosuke
KANAT, Shozi
KANEKO, Kiyoto
KAWABE, Masakaza

KOMURA, Sakahiko
KOTANI, Etsuo
KUSUMOTO, Masataka
MANAKI, Yoshinobu
MATSUDA, Reikichi
MISHIMA, Yasuo
MIZUNO, Shinko
MURAMATSU, Tsuneko
NAKAMURA, Benko
NAKAYAMA, Hajime
NAKAYAMA, Yasuro
MISHIMURA, Susumu
SAITO, Masatoshi
SHIMOMURA, Nobusada
SHIRAI, Seishin
SHIZUKI, Ihei
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 TAKAKURA, Tadashi
 TAKEUCHI, Ryuji
 UNO, Masuko
 YAMADA, Tozo
 YOSHIDA, Zengo
 YOSHINAKA, Kazutaro
 YOSHITADA, Wagata
 NAKAJIMA, Hitakichi
 KUZUN, Yoshihisa

Analyst: WH WAGNER

Personal History of Akira Takahashi

Akira Takahashi

Born on January 29, 1893

Permanent domicile: No. 219 -1, Oaza-Nagahama, Shikai-Mura, Shodo-Gori,
Kagawa Prefecture.

Present domicile:

25 Dec 1915	Appointed to 2nd lieutenant artillery, and attached to the 11th Field Artillery Regiment on the same day.
15 Apr 1919	Appointed to 1st lieutenant, artillery.
17 Sep 1920	The organization was ordered, left Takuma Harbor on September 27, landed at Vladivostok on October 1.
16 Sep 1921	Appointed as adjutant of the 11th Field Artillery Regiment.
23 June 1922	Relieved of the present post and appointed as adjutant of the 11th Field Artillery Regiment.
15 Aug. 1922	Assigned to the 11th Mountain Artillery Regiment (reorganization). Left Vladivostok on May 26.
31 May 1922	Returned to Takuma Harbor.
27 Dec 1923	Ordered to enter the Army Staff College.
20 Aug. 1924	Promoted to Captain, artillery.
7 Dec 1926	Left the Military Staff College. Relieved of the present post on Dec. 22, and appointed as a company commander of the 11th Mountain Artillery Regiment.
1 Mar 1928	Attached to the 11th Mountain Artillery Regiment. Ordered to serve in the Army General Staff Headquarters on the same day.
16 Mar 1929	Appointed as a member of the Army General Staff Headquarters.
6 Mar 1930	Assigned to the Army General Staff Headquarters. Promoted to Major, Artillery, on August 1.
24 Feb 1932	Appointed as a staff officer of the 3rd Fleet concurrently. Appointed as staff officer of the 9th Division on the same day.

- 28 May 1932 Relieved of the concurrent post of staff officer of the 3rd fleet. After Feb. 20 entered combat at various places.
- 11 May 1932 Demobilization was ordered. Left Shanghai on May 31. Returned to Osaka on June 4. Appointed as a member of the Army General Staff Headquarters on August 8. During the period from January 28, 1932 until the 5th, served in the Manchurian Incident in China. During the period from November 26, 1931 until January 27, 1932, served in the Manchurian Incident in China.
- 20 Dec 1933 Attached to the Army General Staff Headquarters.
- 26 Dec 1934 Requested a post in China and was assigned as a Military Attache to the Legation. Relieved of the post in the Army General Staff Headquarters on the same day.
- 1 Aug 1935 Promoted to Lt. Colonel, Artillery. Relieved of the present position on Dec. 2, and appointed as a member of the Army General Staff Headquarters on the same day.
- 9 Apr 1936 Appointed as a military instructor of the staff college as a concurrent position.
- 24 Aug. 1937 Relieved of the concurrent position. Assigned to the Army General Staff Headquarters on November 1.
- 18 Feb 1938 Reorganization. Appointed as a staff officer of the Expeditionary Force in Central China on the same day. Army Orders, the Army No. 5, in 1938.
- 1 Mar 1938 Promoted to colonel, artillery.
- 1 Aug. 1940 Relieved as the staff officer of the 13th Army. Appointed as commander of the 22nd Field Artillery Regiment.
- 1 Mar 1941 Promoted to Major General. Appointed as the Chief of Staff of the Korean Army on the same day.
- 9 Jul 1942 Appointed as Chief of General Affairs Department of the Inspector General's Office of the Military Administration of the Southern Army, concurrently with the post of Vice Chief of Staff of the Southern Army. Organization was completed on July 20.
- 21 Jul 1942 Left Tokyo (by plane). Arrived at Singapore on July 29.
- 22 Mar 1944 Appointed as Vice Chief of Staff of the Southern Army.