Nov. 7, 1947

MEMCRANDUM FOR:

Mr. Sutton; Capt. Robinson; Mr. Lopez

FROM

: EDWARD P. MCNAGHAN, Chief,

Investigative Division, IPS

SUBJECT

: Defense Witness

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

DEEMDANT

WITNESS

LIST OF MATERIAL AVAILABLE

KUMEGAWA, Yoshiharu

Curriculum Vitae

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Incl (Described above)

EDWARD P. MONAGHAN

CURRICULUM VITAE

Name: KUMEGAWA, Yoshiharu Born: March 31, 1902 Prefecture: Tokushima Prefecture

1921	Mar	3	Graduated from the Tokushima Prefectural Wakin Middle School.	mehi
	Oct	13	Appointed Military cadet and assigned to the l Regiment.	9th Infantry Department of War
	Dec	1	Entered the 19th Infantry Regiment. Given the rank of the first class private, In	fantry. 19th Inf. Reg.
1922	Mar	26	Raised to the rank of the superior private, In	19th Inf. Reg.
	Jul	1	Raised to the rank of the corporal, Infantry.	
	Sep	1	Raised to the rank of the sergeant, Infantry.	
	Oct	1	Entered the regular course of the Military Ace	demy.
1924	Jul	18	Graduated from the regular course of the Milit	ary
	Jul	28	Raised to the rank of the sergeant-major, Info	ntry. 19th Inf. Reg.
	Sep	16	Passed by the Officers Selection Board in account with Art. 10 of the Army Replacement Ordinar	rdance
	Oct	25	Appointed Second Lieutenant, Infantry. Assigned to the 19th Infantry Regiment.	Cabinet the Dep. of War
	Dec	15	Conferred the senior grade of the 8th Court re	mlc .
1927	Oct	25	Promoted to Lieutenant, Infantry.	Cabinet
	Dec	28	Promoted to the junior grade of the 7th Court	rank.
1929	Dec	27	Assigned to the Student Unit of the Sendai Non Commissioned Officers School.	the Dep. of War

1930	Sep	5	Decorated with the 5th Order of Merit with the Order of the Golden Kite in recognition of his distinguished service in the China Incident.		
			Decorated with the 5th Order of Merit with the Or of the Single Rays of the Rising Sun in recogni- of his service in the China Incident.		
1931	Dec	12	Ordered to enter the Army General Staff College.	The Dep. of War	
	*	26	Assigned to the 19th Infantry Regiment.		
1933	Feb	1	Promoted to the senior grade of the 7th Court ran	k.	
	Aug	1	Promoted to Captain Infantry.	Cabinet	
1934	Nov	28	A company commander of the 19th Infantry Regiment	The Dep. of War	
1935	Dec	2	Appointed battalion adjutant of the 19th Infantry Regiment. Ordered to serve in the Bureau of Military Affair War Ministry. Ordered to serve in the Depot Unit of the 19th Infantry Regiment. (Remaining in his present post)/Not recorded in the official gazette/		
1936	Jan	16	Decorated with the Fifth Order of Merit with the Order of the Sacred Treasure.		
1936	Dec	1	Assigned to serve in the Army Ordnance Main Depot and appointed concurrently member of a section of the Bureau of Military Affairs, War Ministry Relieved of his assignment to the Depot Unit of the 19th Infantry Regiment. /Not recorded in the official Gazette/		
1938	Mar	1	Promoted to Major, Infantry. Promoted to the junior grade of the 6th Court rank.	Cabinet	
1936	Jul	10	Descrated with the 4th Order of Merit with the Oros of the Sacred Treasure, in recognition of his service in the 1931-34 Incident.	der	
1940	Aug	1	Promoted to Lieutenant-Colonel, Infantry.	Cabinet	
1940	Aug	15	Promoted to the senior grade of the 6th Court rank		
1941	Jan	13	Decorated with the 3rd Order of Merit with the Order of the Sacred Treasure.	ler	

1940 Apr 29

Descrated with the Minor Cordon of the Order of the Rising Sun, in recognition of his service in the China Incident.

1943 Aug 2

Promot ed to Colonel.

Cabinet