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TERASHIMA, Ken

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SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

Former rear-admiral, commander of training Fleet served on naval general staff. Pres. of Uraga Dockyard Chairman of Kanagawa Conference of IRAA from Oct. 1941-Sept. 1943, Minister of Communications and adviser to IRAA, member of various service societies and Navy Righteous Salvation Society's which contributed 10,000 yen in bonds.

Large interests in shipbuilding and shipbuilders societies. Bound east and made speeches to spur efforts in ship construction and to arouse people to realization of the critical situation.

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SUMMARY OF RELEVANT POINTS

GOTO was Minister of State without portfolio 1930-1934. Member of House of Peers 1930-1945. Among various societies with which he was connected states that he was Director of NIPPON SEINEN DAN Japan Federated Youth Assn., member of general affairs committee of IRAA, Chairman of central cooperation council of IRAA, secretary general of IRAA and vice-president of the assn. Was also adviser of IRAA, Political Society.

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QUESTIONNAIRE

Questionnaire
number _____
(to be assigned by
Ministry or other
Appropriate agency)

(Instructions: This Questionnaire shall be filled out in both Japanese and English. The English version will prevail if discrepancies exist between it and the Japanese version. Answers must be typewritten or printed clearly in block letters. Every question must be answered precisely and conscientiously and no space is to be left blank. If the question is to be answered by either "yes" or "no", print the word "yes" or "no" in the appropriate space. If the question is inapplicable, so indicate by some appropriate word or phrase such as "none" or "not applicable". Add supplementary sheets if there is not enough space in the Questionnaire. Omissions or false or incomplete statements are criminal offenses and will result in prosecution and punishment.)

A. PERSONAL

1. List position which you held on 7 Dec. 41 and 2 Sept. 45 with Civil Service Grade: 7 Dec. 1941: Minister of Communications.
2 Sept. 1945: Member of the House of Peers.
2. Name: TERASHIMA Ken
(Surname) (First & Middle Name)
3. Other names which you have used or by which you have been known: None
4. Date of Birth: 29 September 1882 5. Place of birth: (See supplement for Item 5)
6. Height: 5' 2 1/2" 7. Weight: 118 lbs. 8. Scars, marks, or deformities: None.
9. Present address: Sugamo Prison, NISHI SUGAMO 1-CHOME, TOSHIMA Ward, Tokyo.
(in full)
10. Permanent Residence: 1224 UEHARA-MACHI, YOYOGI, SHIBUYA Ward, Tokyo.
(in full)
11. Identity card type & number: None.
12. List any instances when you have been arrested, together with the reasons therefor, and any crimes of which you have been convicted: None.
13. High official rank and grade formerly held Minister of Communications. Vice-Admiral.

B. CHRONOLOGICAL RECORD OF EMPLOYMENT AND MILITARY SERVICE

14. In the space below, give a chronological history of your employment, including all of the positions which you have held, since 1 January 1931. In reporting either governmental or military positions, be sure to give all of the ranks which you may, at any time, have held: 1 Jan. 1931: Chief of the Navy Bureau of Training as Rear Admiral. May 1932: Chief of the Bureau of Naval Affairs. 1 Dec. 1932: Appointed Vice-Admiral. Sept. 1933: Relieved as Chief of the Bureau of Naval Affairs and made Commander of the Training Fleet. Same date; Relieved as the Commander of the Training Fleet and ordered to serve in the Naval General Staff. 1 Dec. 1933: Placed on the waiting list. 31 Mar. 1934: Placed in the 1st Reserves. Nov. 1934: President and a Director of the URAGA Dockyard Co. Dec. 1934: Appointed a Director of the URAGA Gas Co. July 1938: Appointed President and a Director of the Greater Japan Ordnance Co. (See supplement for remainder of Item 14).

APPENDIX "B"

C. MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS

15. In the space below, report whether or not you are or were a member or a founder or organizer or an officer of the national office or of a prefectural or metropolitan sub-division of the Imperial Rule Assistance Association, the Imperial Rule Assistance Political Society, or the Political Association of Great Japan. Report also whether or not you acted as editor for any publication of any of these associations or organized any branches or special activities for any of them: Appointed Chairman of the KANAGAWA Prefectural Conference of the Imperial Rule Assistance Association in the spring of 1941 and was relieved in October of the same year. While Minister of Communications from October 1941 until September 1943 acted as an adviser to the Imperial Rule Assistance Association. Engaged in no special duties or editing.

16. In the space below, report any other party, association, society, fraternity, club, union, institution, whether social, political, military, patriotic, professional, cultural, honorary, athletic or otherwise, of which you are or were a member. Make this report whether or not this society was secret. State whether or not you were a founder or organizer or leader, or occupied any post of authority in any such organization and whether you have been an editor of any of its publications: Member of the SUIKOSHA /TN: frequently translated for sake of convenience as "Navy Club"/, the Navy YUSHU /TN: composed of retired officers/ Society, Navy Righteous Salvation Society, the Navy KYUGO Society, the Naval Society Conference, the Lifeboat Association Conference; (see supplement for remainder of Item 16).

17. Has any member of your family held office, rank, or post of authority, or been otherwise influential, in any of the organizations listed above? If so give his name and address, his relationship to you and a description of the position which he held and of the organization: No.

18. With the exception of regular membership dues, list and give details of any contributions of money or property which you have made, directly or indirectly, to any of the organizations listed above, including any contributions made by any natural or juridical person or legal entity on your behalf or through your solicitation or influence: 10,000 yen (in bonds) to the Navy Righteous Salvation Society in the spring of 1942 upon solicitation from the said Society. To the Servicemen's Relief Association, the Japan Red Cross, the Society for the Preservation of the "MIKASA", and (see supplement for remainder of Item 18)

19. Have you ever been the recipient of any titles, ranks, medals, testimonials, or other honors from any of the above organizations? If so, state the nature of the honor, the date conferred, and the reason: No.

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D. RECORD OF OTHER SERVICE

20. With exception of those you have specifically mentioned in Sections B and C above, list:

(a) Any part time, unpaid or honorary position of authority or trust you have held since 1 January 1931 as a representative of the Army or Navy or of any National Ministry or other Central Government agency or as a representative of the Imperial Rule Assistance Association, the Imperial Rule Assistance Political Society, the Political Association of Great Japan, or their agencies, affiliates, or successor organizations.

(b) Any service of any kind you have rendered, since 1 January 1931, in any military, police, law-enforcement, peace protection, or intelligence organization or in any organization concerned with Protection and Surveillance and control of thought, speech, religion, or assembly.

From:	To:	Name and Type of Organization	Highest office or Rank you held or Type of your service	Date of Apmt to highest office or rank	Duties
None.					

E. WRITINGS AND SPEECHES

21. List on a separate sheet the titles and publishers of all publications from 1 January 1931 to the present which were written in whole or in part or compiled or edited by you, and all public addresses made by you, giving subject, date and approximate circulation and in the case of speeches, the number in audience. If such publications or speeches were sponsored by any organization give its name. If no speeches or publications write "None" in this space: No publications. Made the following public addresses: Radio broadcast (Tokyo) in the middle of December, 1941, re (see supplement for remainder of Item 21)

F. CORPORATE POSITIONS

22. With the exception of those you have specifically mentioned above, list any corporate directorships or executive positions held by you since 1 January 1931 and where you served whether in Japan proper or outside of Japan.

Corporation	Position Held	Dates
None.		

G. REMARKS

23.

The statements on this Questionnaire are true and I understand that any omissions or false or incomplete statements are criminal offenses and will subject me to prosecution and punishment.

Signed

Date

(Signature of individual to whom the Questionnaire relates)

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5. NAKAYASHIKI-MACHI, TANABE, NISHIMURO-GUN, WAKAYAMA Prefecture.
14. Spring 1939: Appointed comptroller of the TOHOKU Precision Machinery Co. Spring 1940: Appointed a director of the NAGOYA Dockyard Co. 18 October 1941: Appointed Minister of Communications and, concurrently, Minister of Railways, resigning all positions with the foregoing concerns. 2 December 1941: Released from concurrent post as Minister of Railways. 19 Sept. 1943: Resigned as Minister of Communications. 19 Sept. 1943: Appointed a member of the House of Peers. October 1945: Resigned membership in the House of Peers.
16. Director of the Imperial Maritime Association, the Federation of Shipbuilding Associations, the Shipbuilding Consultation Society; Member of the Japan Red Cross Merit Society (Medal of Honor) and of the Japan Industrial Club; Vice-President of the KANAGAWA Prefectural Industrial Patriotic Society; President of the Communications Society; Member of the Japanese-French Society and of the 1931 Comrades Association; Director of the SHOFUKAI /TN, lit. SHO River Breeze Society/; Member of the Geneva Club (later changed its name to SHOWA Club), the 15th Day Club (composed of those in the shipping business), The TOGO Society Conference, and of the Society For the Preservation of the "MIKASA".
18. the TOGO society an amount less than 1000 yen, although I do not clearly remember. I do not recall the date.
21. the Navy and the War Situation. Radio broadcast in May 1942 and May 1943 (Tokyo) re Ocean Memorial Day. Radio broadcast (Tokyo) in July 1942 and July 1943 re Air Memorial Day. From the spring of 1942 until the summer of 1943 at various shipyards in OSAKA, KOBE, NAGASAKI, TOKYO, and YOKOHAMA (audiences ranged from 1000 to 10,000 and at YOKOHAMA a broadcast was made to the entire nation) re the importance of shipbuilding and a plea for strenuous efforts on the part of workers. From January 1943 until autumn of the same year at many shipyards engaged in the construction of wooden vessels in MIYAGI, IWATE, IBARAGI, MIE, WAKAYAMA, OSAKA, SHIZUOKA, and KANAGAWA Prefectures (audiences ranged from 100 to 500) re the importance of building wooden vessels to cope with the current situation and a plea for strenuous efforts on the part of workers. In August 1942 at the KANAZAWA public Auditorium (under the auspices of the government and the Imperial Rule Assistance Association with an audience of about 1000) re a plea for the people to arouse themselves in the critical current situation.

尋問答書

寺島健

TERASHIMA, KEN.

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尋問

一、會見者ハ昭和十六年十二月七日及昭和二十年九月二日ニハ如何ナル
職務ヲニ擔ツテ居タカ

答、昭和十六年十二月七日ニハ逋信大臣
昭和二十年九月二日ニハ貴族院議員

二、會見者ノ氏名

答、寺島 健

三、會見者ガ本名ノ使用シタル氏名又省名ナル氏名ヲ記入セヨ
答、無シ

四、生年月日

答、明治十五年九月二十三日

五、出生地

答、和歌山縣西牟婁郡田邊市^{ムロ}中屋敷町^{チヤウヤク}

六、身長

答、五尺二寸五分

七、体重

答、百十八磅

八、傷痕、目印、不具ノ有無

答、無シ

九、現住所

答、東京都豊島區西巢鴨二丁目巢鴨拘置所

十、住居地

答、東京都澁谷區代々木上原町一二三四番地

UNITED STATES ARMY RECORDS PROGRAM

十一、身分証明ノ様式ト番号

答、無シ

十二、會見者が捕ハレタル時ノ例其レト同時ニ其ノ理由 犯罪ヲ
犯シタルコトアルカ

答、無シ

十三、會見者ノ現在迄ノ最高階級

答、逋信大臣、海軍中将

十四、會見者ノ業務ノ年代記録

會見者が昭和六年一月一日ヨリ現在迄ノ職務ヲ記入セヨ
前記記入ノ時政府ヲ軍閥ノ役名、其レヲ記入ノ時ノ會見者
ノ地位モ忘レズニ記入セヨ

答、昭和六年一月一日ニ海軍少將ニシテ海軍省教育局長タリ

昭和七年五月軍務局長ヲ兼務シ次ニ軍務局長專任トナル

昭和七年十二月一日任海軍中将

昭和八年九月免軍務局長、補練習艦隊司令官

同年同月免練習艦隊司令官、海軍々令部出仕トナル

同年十二月一日待命仰付

昭和九年三月三十一日豫備役仰付

昭和九年十一月浦賀船渠株式會社取締役社長ニ就職

昭和九年十二月浦賀瓦斯製造株式會社取締役ヲ兼又

昭和十三年七月大日本兵器株式會社取締役社長ヲ兼又

昭和十四年春東北振興精密機械株式會社監査役ヲ兼又

昭和十五年春名古屋船渠株式會社取締役ヲ兼又

昭和十六年十月十八日任逋信大臣兼鐵道大臣
前記諸會社役員ヲ一切辭職ス

昭和十六年十二月二日免兼鐵道大臣

昭和十六年九月十九日逋信大臣ヲ辭任ス

昭和十八年九月十九日貴族院議員ニ任セラル

昭和二十年十月貴族院議員ヲ辭任ス

十五、會見者が翼賛會ノ公會及地方會東京支部會及大日本政治會ノ會員、創立者組織者ヲアツタラ記入セヨ其他各團體支部組合及特別ノ事務及編纂ニ從事シタル事ヲ記入セヨ

答、昭和十六年春翼賛會神奈川縣協力會議長

ニ指名セラレ 企年十月解任ス

昭和十六年十月ヨリ昭和十八年九月迄逋信大臣タリシ

期間翼賛會顧問トナレリ

特別ノ事務及編纂ニ從事シタルコト無シ

十六、黨組合、協會、兄弟商會、會、學會、協會、政治ノ學會、軍ノ學會、愛國ノ學會、博士ノ學會、教養ノ學會、名譽ノ學會、運動ノ學會、等ノ會員ヲアツタカラ記入セヨ何事モ前記ノ事ガ秘密ヲモ明記セヨ

答、水交社々員、海軍有終會々員、海軍義濟會々員

海軍及後會々員、海軍協會評議員、水難救濟會評議員

帝國海軍協會理事、造船聯合會理事、造船懇話會理事

日本赤十字社有功(名譽)章社員 日本工業俱樂部會員

神奈川縣產業報國會副會長 庭信協會總裁

日佛協會會員 辛未同志會會員 湘風會理事

ゼネバクラブ(後昭和俱樂部)改名)會員 十五日會會員 (船舶海軍
東郷會 詳議員、三笠保存會會員) (編輯者、會)

十七、會見者ノ家族中前記ノ所及ヒ其ニ関連シタル職務ニ携及

ツタリ又其ノ直接權利者又ハ間接權利者ガ居タカ 居タラ

ハ其ノ氏名住所地位勤務先名役柄ヲ記入セヨ

答、該當者無シ

十八、會費ノ外寄附(金錢土地)ヲ自発的ニカ又ハ内所ニ關係組

合ニ渡シタコトヲ記入セヨ、其他國民カラカ上長カラカ自発的或

ハ強制的ニ寄附シタカ

答 海軍義濟會へ一萬円(公債ニ充)昭和十七年春全會ノ勸奨ニヨル

軍人援護會

日本赤十字社

三笠保存會

東郷會

金額ハ一千元以下

ナルモ明カニ記憶セス

時日モ記憶セス

十九、會見者ノ前記關係組合カラ階級、位、勳章、賞狀又ハ

名譽ヲ與ヘラレタルコトアリヤ若シアラハ名譽ヲ與ヘラレ名

理由年月日ヲ記入セヨ

答 無し

二十、會見者ガB、C、ノ答ヲ例外トシテ會見者ガ昭和六年一月一日カラ軍關係、警察(巡査)法安、公安、刑事會ニ關係シタコトアルカ
前記ノ年月日ト關係會ノ名又關係中ノ最高階級受ク夕役目ト年月

答 無し

二十一、昭和六年一月一日カラ會見者ガ編輯(題名ト編輯者名)演説(聴取者人負)關係會ヲ頼マレテ演説及編輯シタナラ其ノ題名ヲ記入セヨ 若シ演説及編輯セヌトキハ其ノ通記入セヨ

答 編輯事項無し

演説

昭和十六年十二月中旬ラジオ放送(東京)

題目 戦局ト海運

昭和十七年五月ト昭和十八年五月トラジオ放送(東京)

題目 海ノ紀念日ニ當リテ

昭和十七年七月ト昭和十八年七月トラジオ放送(東京)

題目 空ノ紀念日ニ當リテ

逓信大臣在職中

昭和十七年春ヨリ十八年夏迄ノ間大阪、神戸、長崎、東京、横浜各地ノ造船所ニ於テ(聴取者一ノ所千名乃至一万人但横浜ニテハ全国へ中継放送セリ)

題目 造船ノ重要性ト從業者ノ奮勵ヲ望ム

昭和十八年一月ヨリ同年秋迄ニ

宮城縣磐手縣、茨城縣三重縣和歌山縣靜岡縣
神奈川縣ノ多數木造船工場ニ於テ(聽取者一、所
百名乃至五百名)

題目 時局ニ應スル木造船ノ必要ト從事員ノ

奮鬥ヲ望ム

昭和十七年八月 金澤市公會堂ニテ(政府、習氣、贊會主催)

聽取者約一千名)

題目 重大時局ニ際シ國民奮起ヲ望ム

二十二、會見者ハEノ答ヲ例外トシテ昭和六年一月一日ヨリ職務

トシテ其レガ日本國內又ハ國外テ團結、管理者及支那人
組合者、役目、連絡者タリシカ記入セヨ

答 該當事項無シ