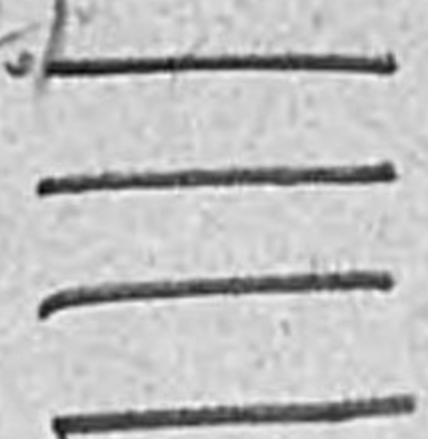


Suzuki ^{Foreign Office} (not P.F.) 

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Dec. 1942 to
July 1945

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Chief of Bureau in charge
of Japanese nationals
in Enemy Countries.

CB
War Ministry -
Naval Ministry -
Home " - (Civilian)
GEA - (China)

Chief POW - Inquiry Bureau
Essentially } Gen Honada (suicide)
" Tamura (suicide)

As long as Navy keeps these
people we can do
nothing.

Request them over
Navy wanted them for
work

~~OK~~
Impossible to give their names
POW Inquiry Bureau - people
Hama

7 Oct. 1943

Capt

Itagaki, Comdr. I JN.

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Head - Admiral
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Navy Prisoners of War Treatment Regulations.

Notification No. 33, February 17, 1904.

Navy Prisoners of War Treatment Regulations are hereby prescribed as follows.

Navy Prisoners of War Treatment Regulations.

Art. 1. When a combatant of a hostile country or an individual to be treated, in accordance with treaties or usages, as prisoner of war is captured, his belongings shall immediately be examined:

Art. 2. Arms, ammunition, and other objects liable to be used for hostile purposes in the belongings of prisoners of war shall be confiscated, while other belongings shall, according to circumstances, be specifically detained, or be left in their possession.

The naval commander may permit officers among the prisoners of war to wear side-arms of their own, provided that it is necessary to signalize admiration of their distinction.

In this case, the names of such officers and the reasons therefor shall be reported to the Minister of the Navy.

The side-arms permitted to wear as prescribed in the present Article shall be surrendered at the detention camp and detained.

Art. 3. After the procedure prescribed in the preceding two Articles is gone through, the prisoners of war shall be inquired about their respective name, age, personal status, rank, permanent domicile, the name of the vessel or office to which they have belonged, as well as the date and place where they were wounded, if they are, and a name-list of the prisoners of war shall be made, a diary of their detention be kept, and a list of the arms and belongings confiscated or detained shall be made.

Art. 4. Prisoners of war shall be divided into officers, ranking officers, and non-commissioned officers with men, and shall be accorded treatment appropriate to their personal status and ranks.

Those who do not honestly answer the questions about their names and ranks, or commit other offences are liable to a curtailment of such treatment.

Art. 5. Acts of insubordination on the part of prisoners of war warrant the adoption, as regards them, of such measures as stricter confinement, corporal restraint, and other disciplinary punishment. Prisoners of war who try to escape shall be prevented therefrom with armed forces; they may be shot or otherwise killed in case of necessity.

Art. 5a. When prisoners of war try to escape or commit other offences against discipline, they may be subjected to disciplinary punishment.

Such punishment is inflicted in accordance with Articles 10 to 14, 22 to 24, and 31 to 36 of the Disciplinary Punishment Regulations of the Navy.

Punishment will be inflicted to prisoners of war by the chief of the naval office which actually detains prisoners of war.

Art. 6. The naval commander shall deliver prisoners of war to an Admiralty Port or a naval station, together with the name-list of the prisoners of war, the diary of their detention, the detained belongings and their list, except that, in unavoidable circumstances, he may expediently deliver them to any other naval office. If a prisoner of war dies in the meantime, the said commander shall deliver the personal belongings left by him, together with the name-list of the prisoners of war and all other pertinent documents and objects.

Art. 6a. The naval office which has received prisoners of war, documents and objects in accordance with the preceding Article may, according to circumstances, transmit them to an Admiralty Port or a naval station.

The naval station which has received delivery or transmission of prisoners of war, documents and objects may, according to circumstances, transmit them to an Admiralty Port.

Art. 7. The naval commander may, when it is expedient, consult with an army force, communications depot, or transportation and communications office, and deliver to it captured prisoners of war, together with the name-list of such prisoners, the diary of their detention, the detained belongings and their list.

In this case, he shall immediately report to the Minister of the Navy the number of the prisoners of war delivered, dividing them into officers, ranking officers and non-commissioned officers with men.

Art. 8. The Commander-in-Chief of an Admiralty Port, the commander of a naval station, or the chief of any other naval office shall, upon receipt of delivery or transmission of prisoners of war, report to the Minister of the Navy the number of such prisoners, dividing them into officers, ranking officers and non-commissioned officers with men.

Upon receipt of such reports, the Minister of the Navy, appoints the time and place to deliver the prisoners of war to the Army officers in charge of their reception.

Art. 9. Prisoners of war, received by an Admiralty Port, naval station, or any other naval office, shall expediently be quartered in barracks or any other buildings sufficient to prevent them from escaping, before they shall be transmitted or delivered.

Art. 10. Detention camps of prisoners of war shall be controlled by keepers under the superintendence of naval officers.

Art. 11. If prisoners of war apply for permission to buy at their expenses table-luxuries or daily necessaries, they shall be afforded appropriate facilities, in so far as superintending officers see no objection thereto.

Art. 11a. In case prisoners of war are permitted to receive visits, the place, time, etc., for that purpose shall be subjected to necessary limitations, and an observer shall be present.

Art. 12. Telegrams and mail matters dispatched by or destined for prisoners of war shall be censored beforehand by superintending officers. When unobjectionable, such correspondence shall be permitted for prisoners of war to conduct. If use of cipher or other irregularities are suspected, such mail and telegraphic matters shall be prohibited to dispatch or confiscated.

Art. 13. As mail matters dispatched by or destined for prisoners of war are, in accordance with treaties, free of postal duties, the naval office which has received prisoners of war shall make necessary arrangements by consulting with the postmaster of the locality where prisoners of war are detained.

Art. 13a. The naval hospital or other infirmary which has treated prisoners of war, ill or wounded, shall make a list of such patients, in accordance with the formula appended to the present Regulations.

Art. 13b. Funeral services for a prisoner of war shall be held according to his personal status and rank.

Art. 14. Regarding the will of a prisoner of war, the same treatment shall be observed as that of a Japanese navy man.

Art. 14a. The belongings and will of a defunct prisoner of war shall be sent from the authorities who have received delivery or transmission of prisoners of war in accordance with Art. 6 and Art. 6a. of the present Regulations to the Information Bureau for prisoners of war. Any perishable article in such belongings shall be sold and the price shall be sent instead.

Such sending or remittance shall be reported to the Minister of the Navy.

Art. 15. The Commander-in-Chief of an Admiralty, the commander of a naval station, or the chief of any other naval office shall deliver prisoners of war at the appointed place to the Army officers in charge of their reception, together with the name-list of such prisoners, the diary of their detention, the detained belongings and their list, as well as all other pertinent documents.

(The appended formula is omitted.)

海軍俘虜取扱規則

明治三十七年二月一七日達第三三三号

俘虜取扱規則九ノ通り定ム

俘虜取扱規則

第一條 敵国交戦者及條約又ハ慣例ニ依リ俘虜ノ取扱ヲ受クハキ者ヲ
捕ヘタルトキハ直ニ其携帶品ヲ検査スヘシ

第二條 俘虜ノ携帶品中兵器彈藥其ノ他軍用ニ供セラルヘキ物件ハ之
ヲ没収シ其ノ他ノ物件ハ特ニ之ヲ領置スルカ又ハ便宜本人ヲ
シテ之ヲ携帶セシムヘシ

俘虜中將校ニシテ特ニ名譽ヲ表彰スルハ必要アル者ニ限リ海軍

指揮官ハ本人所有ノ刀劍ヲ佩用セシムルコトヲ得

此場合ニ於テハ其氏名及ニ事由ヲ海軍大臣ニ報告スヘシ

前項ニ依リ佩用ヲ許シタル刀劍ハ俘虜收容所ニ於テハ領置ス

ハキモノトス

第三條

前二條ノ手續ヲ終リタルトキハ停虜ノ氏名、年齢、身分、階級、本籍地、本国所屬ノ艦船官庁及負傷ノ年月日場所等、問シ停虜名簿、停虜日記ヲ調製シ且没収若ハ領置シタル物件ニ就テ物品目録ヲ調製スヘシ

第四條

停虜ハ之ニ將校同相當官及下士卒ニ區別シ其ノ身分階級ニ應ジ相當ノ待遇ヲ爲スヘキモノトス但シ其ノ氏名及階級ノ尋問ニ對シ誠實ニ答ヘサル者又ハ其ノ他ノ犯則アリタル者ニ對シテハ此ノ限ヲ在ラズ

第五條

停虜不從順ノ行爲アルトキハ監禁刑縛其ノ他必要ナル手段ヲ施スコトヲ得
停虜逃走ヲ阻リタル場合ニ於テハ必要ニ應ジ兵カヲ用キテ之ヲ防止スルコトヲ得

第五條ノ二

停虜逃走ヲ阻リ其ノ他規律ヲ紊ル行爲アリタルトキハ之ヲ懲

第六條

罰スルコトヲ得

前項ノ懲罰ハ海軍懲罰令第十條 ~~ハ~~ 至第十四條、第二十二條 ~~ハ~~ 至第二

十四條及第三十一條 ~~ハ~~ 至第三十六條ノ規定ニ準シ之ヲ行フ

俘虜ニ對スル懲罰ハ現ニ俘虜ヲ収容スル海軍軍衙ノ長之ヲ行フ

海軍指揮官ハ ~~海軍軍衙~~ 海軍軍衙ニ引渡スヘシ但シ已ムコトヲ得ナルトキハ便

ヲ鎮守府又ハ ~~海軍軍衙~~ 海軍軍衙ニ引渡スヘシトヲ得 其ノ引渡ヲ終ルマテノ間

宣其ノ他ノ海軍軍衙ニ引渡スヘシトキハ其ノ遺留品俘虜名簿其ノ他一切ノ書類物

ニ俘虜死亡シタルトキハ其ノ遺留品俘虜名簿其ノ他一切ノ書類物

件ヲ引渡スヘシ

前條ニ依リ俘虜又ハ書類物件ノ引渡ヲ受ケタル軍衙ハ時宜ニ依リ

之ヲ鎮守府又ハ ~~海軍軍衙~~ 海軍軍衙ニ移送スルコトヲ得

俘虜又ハ書類物件ノ引渡又ハ移送ニ受ケタル要港部ハ時宜ニ依リ

之ヲ鎮守府ニ移送スルコトヲ得

海軍指揮官ハ便宜ト認ムルトキハ陸軍軍隊又ハ兵站若ハ運輸通信

第七條

第八條

官衙ニ協議シ之ニ伴虜名誌、伴虜日記、領置物件及物品目錄ヲ添ヘ其ノ押ヘタル伴虜ノ引渡ヲ爲スコトヲ得此ノ場合ニ於テハ將校同相當官及下士卒ニ區別シ其ノ引渡シタル伴虜ノ員數ヲ直ニ海軍大臣ニ報告スヘシ

鎮守府司令長官、~~警備府~~司令官又ハ其ノ他ノ海軍軍衙ノ長、伴虜ノ引渡又ハ移送ヲ受ケタルトキハ將校同相當官及下士卒ニ區別シ其ノ員數ヲ速ニ海軍大臣ニ報告スヘシ

海軍大臣前項ノ報告ヲ受ケタルトキハ伴虜ヲ~~陸~~軍ノ伴虜受領員ニ引渡スヘキ場所及日時ヲ指定ス

第九條

鎮守府、~~警備府~~又ハ其ノ他ノ海軍軍衙ニ於テ伴虜ノ引渡ヲ受ケタルトキハ之ヲ輸送又ハ引渡ヲ爲ス迄ノ間便宜兵舎其ノ他伴虜ノ逃走ヲ防止スルニ足ルヘキ建物内ニ收容スヘシ

第十條

伴虜ヲ收容シタル場所ハ海軍將校監督ノ下ニ監守者ヲシテ之ヲ取締ラシムヘシ

第十一條

俘虜自費ヲ以テ嗜好品其ノ他日回ノ物ヲ購置セシムル事出
ルトキハ監督者ニ於テ差支ナシト認めル場合ニ限リ又ニ相當ノ

便宜ヲ與フヘシ

第十二條

俘虜ニ面会ヲ許ス場合ニ於テハ其ノ面会ノ場所、時間等ニ関シ
取締上相當ノ制限ヲ爲シ且監視者ヨシテ之ニ差支ハシムヘシ

第十三條

俘虜ノ收受スル電信及郵便物ハ監督將校ニ於テ豫メ之ニ檢閲シ
差支ナキモノハ之ヲ許可シ暗号ノ使用其ノ他嫌疑アルモノハ其

ノ差支ヲ禁ミ又ハ之ニ没収スヘシ

第十四條

俘虜ノ收受スル郵便物ハ條約ニ依リ郵税免除ノ特典ヲ以テ
俘虜ノ自費ヲ受ケタル海軍軍街ハ其ノ地所在ノ郵便局ニ協議シ

之ニ關シ相當ノ手續ヲ爲スヘシ

第十五條

海軍病院又ハ其ノ他ノ治療所ニ於テ傷病俘虜ニ治療シタルトキ
別表様式ニ從ヒ俘虜患者表ヲ作成スヘシ

第十六條

俘虜ノ葬送ハ身分證明書ニ應シ相當ノ儀式ヲ用フヘシ

第十四條

俘虜ノ遺言書ハ帝國海軍軍人ノ遺言書ト同一ノ取扱ヲ為スヘシ

第十五條

俘虜ノ遺留品及遺言書ハ第六條及第六條ノニ依リ引渡若ハ

移送ラ受ケタル諸官ヨリ之ヲ俘虜情報局ニ送付スヘシ但シ遺

留品中保存ニ堪ヘサル物アルトキハ之ヲ賣却シテ其ノ代金ヲ

送付スヘシ

前項ノ送付ヲ為シタルトキハ海軍大臣ニ報告スヘシ

第十六條

鎮守府司令長官ハ警備司令官其ノ他海軍軍衙ノ長ハ指定セ

ラルタル場所ニ於テ俘虜名簿及俘虜日誌願置物件及物品目錄其

ノ他一切ノ書類ヲ添ヘ俘虜ニ陸軍ノ俘虜受領員ニ引渡スヘシ

(別表) 略ス