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MEMORANDUM:

TO : All Divisions, U.S.S.B.S.

1. Attached are data on the organization and key personnel of the ground forces in the Japanese Army at the termination of the war.

2. This material was provided by the G-2 section of Allied General Headquarters and consists of the following:

Sheets (1) - (3): System of Command and Organization of the Whole Army.
(Note: to form one chart, these three sheets should be arranged thus:

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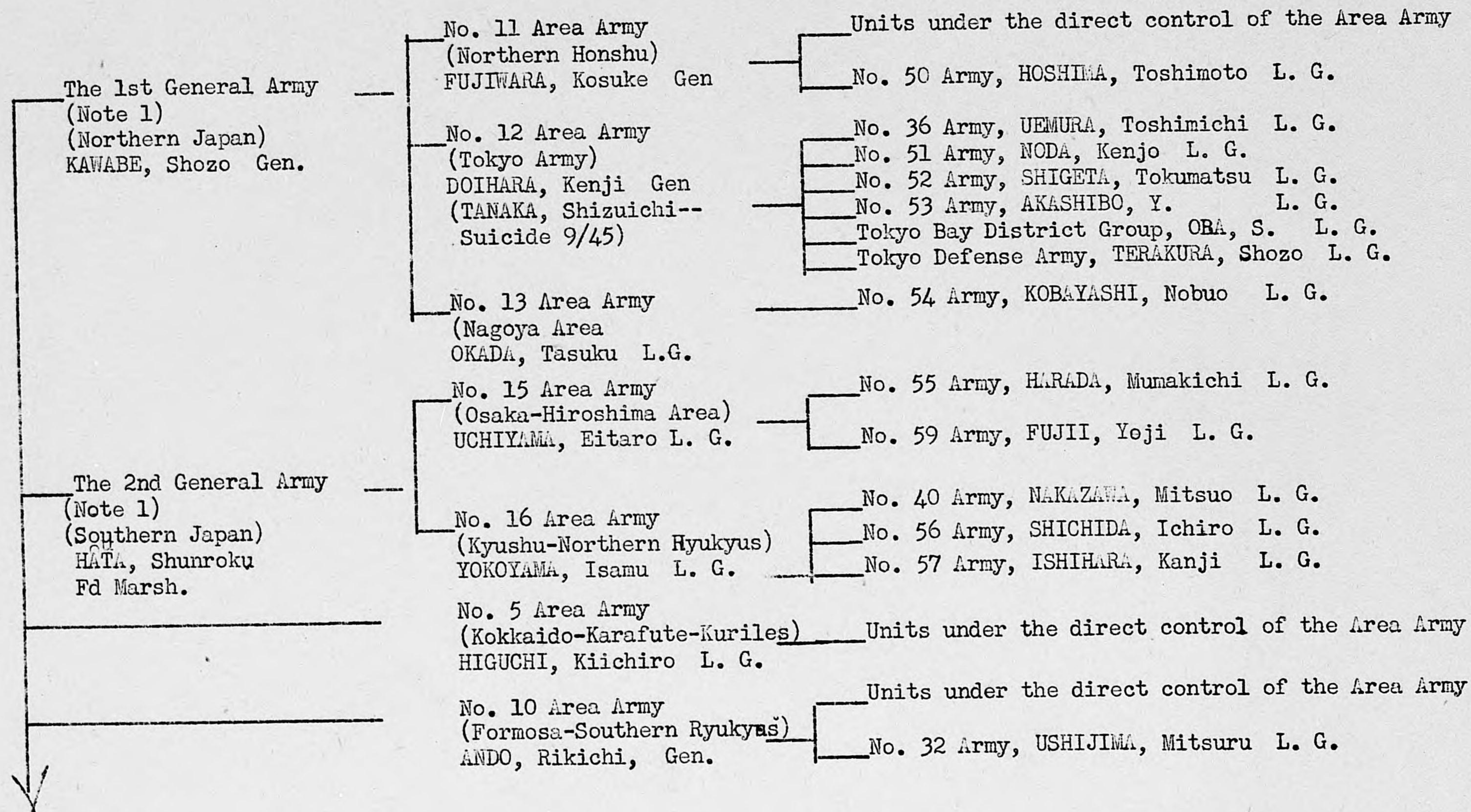
Sheets 1 - 4: List of key personnel

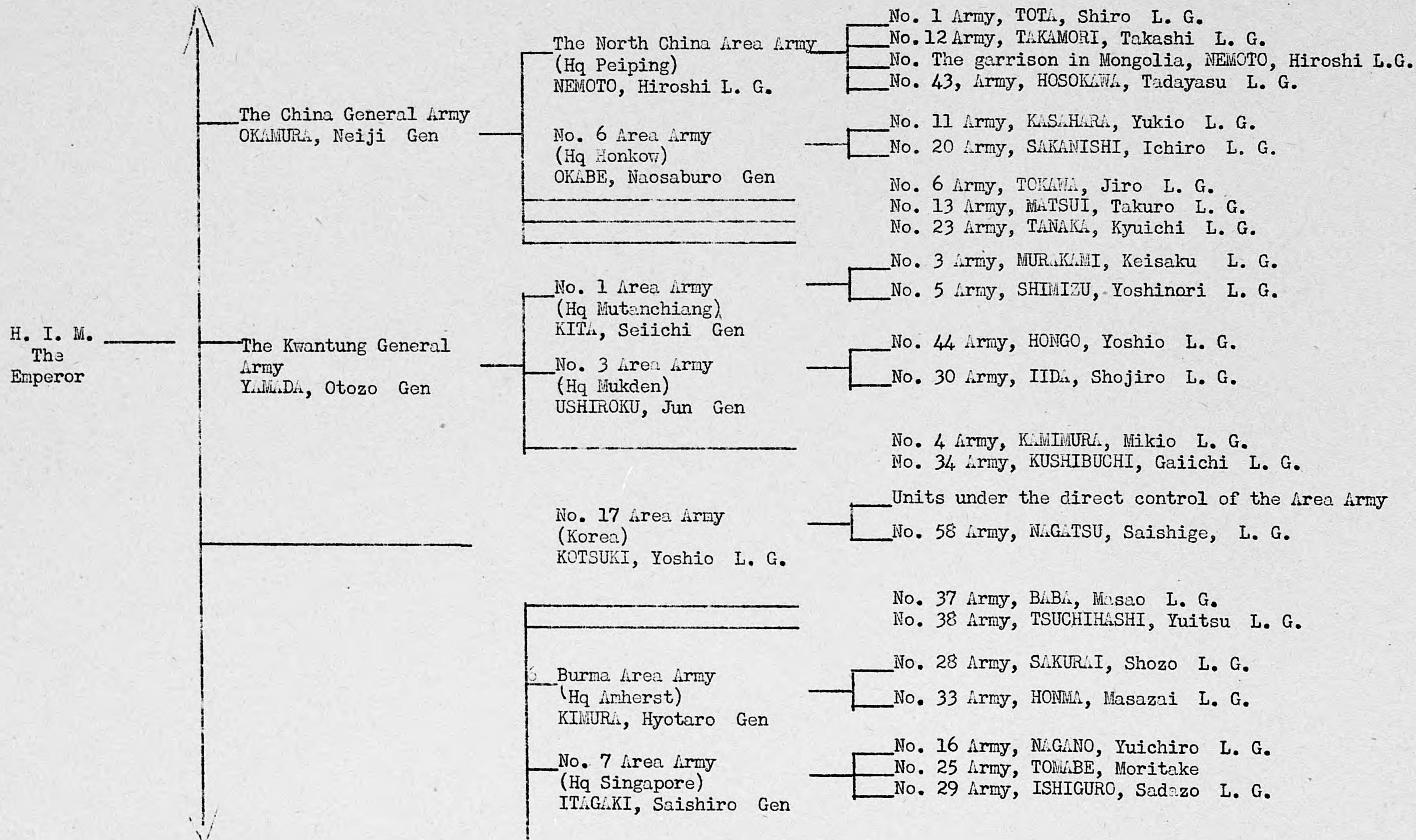
Sheet 5 : Command channels of Japanese Army Forces in Empire, showing strength and composition of units.

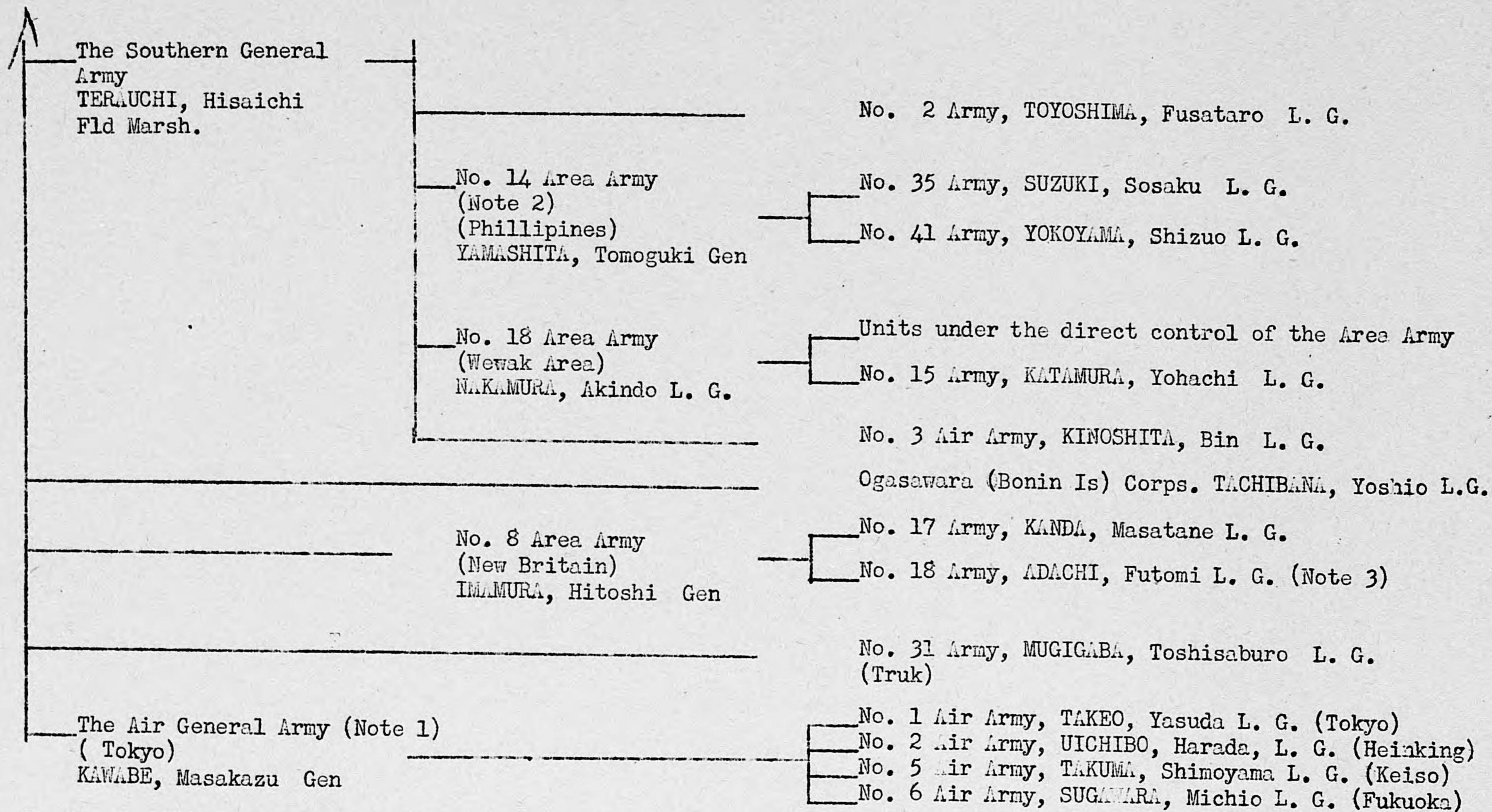
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THE SYSTEM OF COMMAND AND ORGANIZATION OF THE WHOLE ARMY
(Situations at the Termination of War)







- N. B. 1. The Headquarters of the No. 1, No 2 and the Air General Army have no more directing organs as the demobilization have been almost completed.
2. The No. 14 Area Army, were under the control of S. Com. of Southern Region General Army belongs to the direct control of H. I. M. the Emperor since the termination.
3. The No. 18 Army were under the control of the S. Com. of Southern Region General Army during war time, and at the termination of the war transferred to under the Com. of No. 8 Area Army.

I GENERAL OFFICERS OF THE IMPERIAL GENERAL HEADQUARTERS

Chief of Staff	UEZU Joshijiro	General
Atchd Staff	ARIMATSU Seizo	Maj. Gen.
Asgi I.H.Q.	ISHIKAWA Kosaburo	Lt. Gen.
" "	ITO Noriharu ?	Maj Gen.
" "	NAKAMURA Hajime	Maj Gen.
" "	YOSHIOKA Zenshiro	Maj Gen.
INSP. GEN. (I.G.) OF LINES OF COMMUNICATION	KAWABE Torashire	Lt. Gen.
CHIEF SHPG. HQ	SAEKI Fumio	Lt. Gen.
C/ C/S Shpg Hq	ISOYA Goro	Maj Gen.
Atchd " "	YOSHIMURA Masayoshi	Lt. Gen.
" " "	IIJIMA Jusuke	Maj Gen.
" " "	KITAMURA Yoshifute	Maj Gen.
" " "	TANAKA Take i	Maj Gen.
CHIEF FD. AIR ORD DIRECTORATE	KAWASHIMA Toranosuke	Maj Gen.
CHIEF FD. MED DIRECTORATE	KAMIBAYASHI Hiroshi	Lt. Gen. (Med)
CHIEF FD. INTEND DIRECTORATE	MORITA Chikazo	Lt. Gen. (Intend)
WAR SUP. TPT. CONTROL DEPTS.		
HIROSHI A, Chief	HATA Yusaburo	Maj Gen.
FUKUOKA, Chief	MIZUHARA Yoshishige	Maj Gen.
FUSAN, Chief	ISHIKAWA Takuma	Maj Gen.
NAGOYA, Chief	TORITA Ryuichi	Lt Gen.
Vice Chief	SAKAGUCHI, Yoshitaro	Lt Gen.
OSAKA, Chief	OKAZAKI Seizaburo	Lt. Gen.
Vice Chief	KAWAGOE Moriji	Maj Gen.
I.-G. MARITIME TPT.	NOMURA Noakuni	Admiral
C of Staff	ISOYA Goro	Maj Gen.
EARLY SP. INTEL DEPT		
Chief	UEDA Masao	Maj Gen.
CENTRAL SP. INTEL DEPT		
Chief	NAKANO Ryoji	Maj Gen.
WAR MINISTER'S SUITE AT IMPERIAL GHQ		
Minister	ANAMI Korechika	Gen. (Dead)
Minister	SHIMOMURA Sadamu (Succeeded ANAMI)	General
Vice-Min	WAKAMATSU Tadakazu	Lt Gen.
Sec'y Gen	SANADA Joichiro	Maj Gen.

Atchd	NUKADA Joischiro	Maj Gen.
GENERAL STAFF HEADQUARTERS		
Chief	UNEZU Yoshijiro	General
Vice-Chief	KAWABE Torashiro	Lt Gen.
Atchd	YALAWAKI Masataka	General
"	KITA Seiichi	General
"	ISOGAI Rensuke	Lt Gen.
"	KUSABA Tatsumi	Lt Gen.
"	WACHIJIRI Kazumoto	Lt Gen.
"	NARUYAMA Masao	Lt Gen.
"	MUTAGUCHI Ronyu	Lt Gen.
"	OKAWA Genshichi	Lt. Gen.
"	YANAGIDA Genzo	Lt Gen.
"	OHCHIBU Prince Masuhito	Maj Gen.
"	IMARI Tatsuo	Maj Gen.
"	KAMATA Taketo	Maj Gen.
"	SHINODA Ryo	Maj Gen.
"	TERADA Hisashi	Maj Gen.
LAND SURVEY DEPT, Chief	OHYE Kensaburo	Maj Gen.
I-G MIL TNG, Chief	DOHARA Kenji	General
Deputy	HARA Mamoru	Lt Gen.
Atchd	YAZAKI Kenju	Lt Gen.
Chief Permanent Cadet Exam Bd.	HARA Mamoru	Lt Gen.
INSPECTORATE OF ARTILLERY		
Insp	YAMAMURO Sobu	Lt Gen.
Atchd	ITO Noriharu ?	Maj Gen.
INSP. OF A/A A TY		
Insp	NAKEDA Kaoru	Lt Gen.
INSP. OF ENGINEERS		
Insp	YOSHIOKA Zenjiro	Maj Gen.
INSP OF M/T		
Insp	NAKANURA Hajime	Maj Gen.
INSP OF SIGS		
Insp	KAWANAMI Mitsu	Lt Gen.
MECHZ H.Q.		
Chief	TERADA Masao	Lt. Gen.
AIR BASE CONST. TNG DEPT.		
Chief	INOUE Narumi	Maj Gen.

RAILROAD TNG DEPT.		
Chief	KATO Sadamu	Maj Gen
SHIPPING TNG DEPT.		
Chief	BABA Hideo	Maj Gen
I-G of AVIATION		
I-G	TERAMOTO Kumaichi	Lt Gen
Atchd	KAWASHIMA Toranosuke	Maj Gen
Chief Gen Aff Dpt	TAZOE Noboru	Lt Gen
Chief Med Dept	ABE Hakuhiko	Maj Gen (Med)
GEN. DEFENSE HEADQUARTERS		
C-G		
C-S	SUDO Einosuke	Lt Gen
AC-S	GOTO Mitsuzo	Maj Gen
Chief Gen Aff Dept	GOTO Mitsuzo	Maj Gen
II GENERAL ARMIES		
1st GENERAL ARMY		
C/G	SUGIYAMA Gen	Fd Marsh (now dead) General
	KAWABE Shozo	
2nd GENERAL ARMY		
C/G	HATA Shunroku	Fd Marsh
III AREA ARMIES IN JAPAN		
5 AREA ARMY C/G	HIGUCHI Kiichiro	Lt Gen
11 AREA ARMY C/G	FUJIE Yoshisuke (Fjuiwara, Kosuke)	General
12 AREA ARMY C/G	TANAKA Shizuichi (DOIHARA Kenji)	General General
13 AREA ARMY C/G	OKADA Tsukuru	Lt Gen
15 AREA ARMY C/G	UCHIYAMA Eitaro	Lt Gen
16 AREA ARMY C/G	YOKOYAMA Isamu	Lt Gen
TOKYO DEFENSE ARMY C/G	IIMURA Jo	Lt Gen
IV. CORPS COMMANDERS IN JAPAN		
50 CORPS C/G	HOSHINA Toshimoto	Lt Gen
54 CORPS C/G	KOBAYASHI S.	Lt Gen
TOKYO BAY FORT C/G	OBA S.	Lt Gen
TOKYO Def HQ	TERAKURA S.	Lt Gen
36 CORPS C/G	UEMURA (KAMIMURA) Toshimichi	Lt Gen
51 CORPS C/G	NODA Kengo	Lt Gen
52 CORPS C/G	SHIGETA Tokumatsu	Lt Gen

IV. CORPS COMMANDERS IN JAPAN (continued)

53 CORPS	C/G	AKASHIBO Y.	Lt Gen
55 CORPS	C/G	HARADA Kumakichi (TANI Hisa)	Lt Gen
59 CORPS	C/G	FUJII Yoji	Lt Gen
40 CORPS	C/ G	NAKAZAWA	Lt Gen
56 CORPS	C/G	SHICHIDA Ichiro	Lt Gen
57 CORPS	C/G	NISHIHARA Kanji	Lt Gen

V. MILITARY SCIENCE SCHOOL

Comdt	SHICHITA Ichiro	Lt Gen
Ass't	IMAI Hifumi	Maj Gen

Command Channels of Japanese Army Forces in Empire
(Situations at the Termination of War)

		: IMP GHQ :		
: XXXX	XXXXX	:	XXXXX	:
:No. 5 Area :	:1st General Army	:	:2nd General	:
: Army :	:	:	: Army :	:
125,300	851,900:	:	680,500 :	:
5 Inf Divs	:	:	:	:
2 IIB	:	:	:	:
XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	XXXX	XXXX
:No.11 Area:	:No.12 Area:	: No.13 Area:	:No.15 Area:	:No.16Area:
: Army :	: Army :	: Army :	: Army :	:Army :
114,500 :	573,300 :	163,700:	220,800:	2 Inf Div:459,700
: 4 Inf Divs	: 2 Inf Div	: 3 Inf Div	:1A/A Div	:6 Inf
: 1 IIB (Indep.	: 1A/A Div	: 1 A/A Div	:1 IIB	: Div
: : Mixed	: 2 IIB	: 1 Tk Bde	:	:1A/ADiv
: : Bde)	:	:	:	:1 IIB
: XXX :	:	XXX :	XXX :	XXX : XXX
:No. 50 Army:	:	:No.54 Army:	:No.59 Army:	:No.40:No.56:
:	:	:	:	:Army :Army :
2 Inf Divs	: 3 Inf Div:	4 Inf Div	2 Inf Div:	3Inf
1 IIB	: 3 IIB	: 1 IIB :	1 IIB	:Div
:	:	XXX :	:	:1 Tk
:	:	:No.59	:	:Bde
:	:	: Army :	XXX :	:
:	:	2 Inf Div	: No.57 :	:
:	:	1 IIB	: Army :	:
:	:	:	3 Inf Div	:
:	:	:	2 IIB	:
:	:	:	2 Tk Bde	:
XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX	XXX
Tokyo:	:Tokyo :	: No 36:	:No.51 :	:No.52 :: No.53 :
Bay F:	:Def Hq:	: Army :	:Army :	:Army :: Army :
L inf Div	3 Gar Bde	6 Inf Div	3 Inf Div	4 Div 4 Divs
2 IIB		2 Arm Div	2 IIB	1 Tk Bde 1 IIB
		1 Amph Bde	1 Tk Bde	

Equivalent Commands

<u>Japanese</u>		<u>U.S.</u>
General Army	-	Army Group
Area Army	-	Army
Army	-	Corps