

believe and are awaiting SATONJI-HARADA MEMOIRS offered by General
to be used to print out Chapter 249 (20 August 1937) which -- -- --
of Harada over a period of time or about -- -- --
and to eliminate when I met the Lord Keeper of the Privy Seal at his residence,
he said: "Lt. (jg) Oyama was killed. Thus, at Shanghai no settlement was
made and there is grave concern because the issue has come to be of
considerable magnitude. I think the settlement of this issue is very
difficult. -- -- -- On the night of the 13th, an extraordinary session of
the Cabinet was held and it lasted until about 1:50 in the morning. Later
Premier Konoye said: "The Navy Minister was highly excited and he shouted
at Minister of Finance Kaya without listening to Kaya's financial explana-
tion. Finally, it was decided to issue a proclamation, and as the Foreign
Minister revised the wording and phrasing of the proclamation, the session
finally ended about 1:50 of the following morning."
When I met the Foreign Minister that afternoon, he said: "The
fact is that Kao Tsung-ku visited Ambassador Kawago and calling attention
to the dilemma of the Chinese, said: "It is unsatisfactory to leave
matters as they are. I would like to have something done about it in
the near future."
However, the previously mentioned Shanghai Incident broke out.
There are individuals in China and Japan who are saying "The assassination
of Lt. (jg) Oyama and the rousing of considerable excitement in Shanghai
were caused by the increased number of Japanese warships and the increasing
of the number of Japanese marines to 3,000. However, under such circum-
stances, the increase of personnel is only natural, and I believe it was
actually inevitable. -- -- From Consul Gen. Okamoto a message came saying:
"Somehow I would like to see Shanghai kept free of the devastation of war."
It would not be right for Japan to increase the number of warships, as I
mentioned before, but that cannot be helped. Thus, instructions were

the first time I have ever seen him. He is a tall, thin man with a very pale face and dark hair. He is wearing a light-colored suit jacket and a white shirt. He is looking directly at me with a serious expression. I am not sure what he wants to say to me.

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第二四九回

十三日朝内大臣と松井で會つた處、天山中尉が殺された。それで上海では話かつかなくなつて結局元つ相富に大仕掛なものになりかけて非常に心配はして居るが元來此終局か平常に無いと思ふ。

十三日夜臨時閣議がめつて夜中の一時五十分頃までかいつた。で近衛總理の話によると「非常に毎單大臣が嘗して賀屋大臣が怒鳴りつけた。明書を出すことにななり外分大臣が多少字句を左遷したりして漸く一時五十分頃済んだ」と。

側江の苦境を訴へて相向、「此には困る。將來何とかして貰い度い」と言ふ。

話でめつた。大山中尉が殺されたり。上海を相富に刺殺したのは直轄か増派されて。

十七日「此間十三日の晩の閣議は大分海軍大臣が興奮して、賀屋を怒鳴り付けて居つた」といふ証をして「あれ以來海軍が非常に強くなつた」と首相は語つてゐた。昭和十二年八月十七日有田大使と桑名で食事をして色々話を聞いたが有田大使は廣田外務大臣に頬張られて個人の資格で元づ最初北平に行つて北平天手に行くなり歩いてゐる中に上海に行くので司令官達の一種の外交の相談相手に有田も尹常に一王懸命に御奉公する心算で行く決心らしい。

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表

釋 護價文書 三〇一四 正
第二頁第七行 「てある」から「尙第三證添――」との間に「――」
を挿入の事
釋 護價文書 三〇三五
第五行 「四大臣等」は「内大臣等」の誤り