

Re: MIAMI, Jiro

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STATUS: Pending

On 9 January 1946 the records of the Personnel Section, Cabinet Secretariat were examined at the Diet Building, Tokyo.

Complete personnel records of the subject were micro-filmed. Photostatic copies, together with translation, are on file as exhibit, o. 628.

Following is a transcript of the translation:

Minami
MIAMI, Jiro

DOMICILE: Oita Prefecture
 BORN: 10 Aug. 1874
 SOCIAL STATUS: Samurai

1890 Sep 1 Entered Military Preparatory School
 1895 Jun Graduated from Military Preparatory School;
 Appointed Cadet, attached to the 6th Cavalry Battalion
 1895 Jan 6 Detached to Military Academy
 1895 Feb 1 Completed the curriculum of Military Academy
 May 22 Appointed 2nd Lt. of Cavalry;
 Attached to the 6th Cavalry Battalion
 Nov 15 Received the 6th Court Rank, Senior Grade
 Dec 18 Granted ¥ 100 in recognition of the services in the war
 from 1894 to 1895 (Bureau of Decorations)

1895 Sep 25 Relieved of present
 post;
 Attached to the 3rd Cavalry Company of the Formosa
 Garrison (War Ministry)

1895 Nov 18 Granted War Medal authorized on the 6th October 1895,
 the War Minister's petition being sanctioned according
 to the War Medal Regulations of 1894-1895 (Bureau of
 Decorations)

1897 Oct 25 Appointed Lieutenant of Cavalry (Cabinet);
 Relieved of present post;
 Attached to the 6th Cavalry Regiment (War Ministry)

1897 Feb 15 Received the 7th Court Rank, Junior Grade

- 1898 Feb 8 Relieved of present post;
Attached to the Cavalry Cadet Unit of the Army .S.O.
Preparatory School (War Ministry)
- 1899 Mar 31 Decorated with the 6th Order of Merit with the Sacred
Treasure and granted ¥150 in recognition of the dis-
tinguished War Services in (Bureau of Decorations);
Decorated with the 6th Order of Merit with the
Sacred Treasure
- Nov 17 Relieved of present post;
Attached to the 1st Company of the 13th Cavalry Regiment
(War Ministry)
- Dec 25 Relieved of present post;
Attached to the Military Academy Cadet Unit with con-
current duties as Acting Master (War Ministry)
- 1900 Mar 14 Granted 1st Class Allowance
- Nov 19 Appointed Captain of Cavalry;
Appointed Company Commander in the 1st Cavalry Regiment
(War Ministry)
- 1900 Dec 10 Entered the Army's General Staff College (War Ministry)
- 1901 Feb 26 Received the 7th Court Rank, Senior Grade
- Nov 3 Relieved of present post;
Attached to the 1st Cavalry Regiment (War Ministry)
- 1903 Nov 28 Relieved of present post;
Appointed Company Commander in the 1st Cavalry Regiment
(War Ministry);
Graduated from the Army General Staff College
- 1904 Nov 2 Granted 1st Class Allowance
- Nov 29 Decorated with the Fifth Order of Merit with the Sacred
Treasure
- 1905 Mar 1 Promoted to Major of Cavalry
- Apr 7 Received the 6th Court Rank, Junior Grade
- Dec 20 Appointed Military Science Instructor at the Army General
Staff College (War Ministry)
- 1906 Sep 1 Appointed Staff Officer attached to Government-General
of Manchuria (War Ministry)

- 1906 Apr 1 Decorated with the Fourth Order of the Golden Kite;
Granted the War Medal of 1904 and 1905;
Decorated with the Fourth Order of Merit with the Small
Cordon of the Rising Sun.
- 1907 May 15 Relieved of present post;
Attached to the/General Staff College
Army
- Oct 21 Relieved of attachment to the Army General Staff College;
Appointed Military Science Instructor at the Army
General Staff College
- 1908 Feb 25 Granted and permitted to wear the Chinese 2nd Order
of the 3rd Double Dragon Treasure Star
- 1910 Feb 7 Appointed Lieutenant-Colonel of Cavalry (Cabinet)
- Apr 9 Appointed concurrently instructor of Cavalry Practice
School (War Ministry)
- Apr 11 Received the 6th Court Rank, Senior Grade
- 1911 Mar 27 Appointed officer in attendance to the 3rd Special Army
Inspector (War Ministry)
- Oct 9 Appointed concurrently instructor at the Cavalry War College
- 1912 Dec 15 Ordered to make an official tour of Europe (Cabinet)
- 1913 May 31 Decorated with the 3rd Order of Merit with the Sacred
Treasure
- 1914 Jan 20 Relieved of present post and concurrent post;
Appointed Commander of the 13th Cavalry Regiment;
Relieved of concurrent post as instructor at Cavalry
War College
- 1915 Apr 30 Received the 5th Court Rank, Junior Grade
- Aug 10 Appointed Colonel of Cavalry (Cabinet)
- 1917 Aug 6 Relieved of present post;
Appointed Chief of Cavalry Section of Military Affairs
Bureau, War Ministry
- Aug 30 Appointed concurrently member of Military Technical
Investigation Department

- Sep 7 Appointed member of Horse Administration Committee (Cabinet)
- 1917 Dec 17 Appointed officer in attendance to temporary inspector of the Bureau of Horse Administration and the Army Remount Department (War Ministry)
- 1918 Jun 4 Granted and permitted to wear the 3rd Order of Literature Tiger Decoration presented by the Government of the Republic of China
- Dec 7 Appointed Chairman of the Horse Judging Committee (War Ministry);
 Ordered to make an official tour of Siberia and China (War Ministry)
- 1919 May 2 Appointed member of the Military Technical Conference (Cabinet)
- May 12 Abolition of official system of organization of the Horse Administration Committee prescribed in Imperial Ordinance No. 127 of 1906;
 Appointed member of the Horse Administration Committee (Cabinet)
- Jul 26 Appointed Major-General (Cabinet);
 Appointed Commander of the China Garrison Army (Cabinet)
- 1919 Jul 26 Relieved of the post of member of the Horse Administration Committee (Cabinet)
- Jul 26 Relieved of the post of member of the Military Technical Conference (Cabinet);
 Received the Sun Court Rank, Senior Grade
- 1920 Nov 1 Decorated with the Middle Cordons of the Rising Sun;
 Received ¥2550 in recognition of services in the war from 1915 to 1920
- 1921 Jan 20 Relieved of present post;
 Appointed Commander of the 3rd Cavalry Brigade (Cabinet)
- 1922 Jan 21 Decorated with the 2nd Order of Merit with the Sacred Treasure
- Feb 8 Relieved of present post;
 Appointed Commandant of Cavalry School (Cabinet)
- May 9 Appointed member of the Military Technical Conference (Cabinet)
- 1923 Oct 10 Relieved of present post;
 Appointed Commandant of Military Academy (War Ministry)

- Sep 15 Received the 3rd Court Rank, Senior Grade
- Dec 17 Resigned from present post (Cabinet);
Appointed War Councillor (Cabinet)
- 1932 Apr 15 Appointed 1st Special Inspector (Navy Ministry)
- 1933 Apr 10 Appointed Commander of the Combined Forces at the
Emperor's Birthday Review (War Ministry)
- 1934 Feb 7 Decorated with the Grand Cordon of the Rising Sun
- Feb 9 Appointed Councillor ("Ziteikan") (Cabinet)
- Jun 1 Appointed Commander of the Combined Forces of Army and
Navy Guard of Honor at the funeral service of the late
Admiral of the Fleet, Marcus TOGO, Heihachiro (War
Ministry)
- 1934 Dec 10 Relieved of present post (War Ministry);
Appointed Commander of Kwantung Army and concurrently
Envoy Extraordinary and Ambassador Plenipotentiary
and the Kwantung Governor-General (Cabinet);
Ordered to be stationed in Manchukuo (Cabinet)
- Dec 26 The post of Kwantung Governor-General was abolished by
Imperial Ordinance No. 348 of 1934
- 1935 Dec 23 Decorated with the Grand Cordon of the Rising Sun with the
Paulownia Flower in recognition of services in the
affairs from 1931 to 1934;
Granted War Medal, according to the purport of the
Regulations for War Medals in the Affairs from 1931 to
1934
- 1936 Mar 6 Relieved of the concurrent posts (Cabinet);
Attached to the Army General Staff (War Ministry)
Headquarters
- Apr 18 Placed on the waiting list (War Ministry)
- Apr 22 Placed on the Reserve List (War Ministry)
- 1936 Aug 5 Appointed Governor-General of Chosen (Cabinet)
- 1937 Mar 1 Received the 2nd Court Rank, Junior Grade
- 1938 Sep 27 Despatched as Imperial Messenger to the annual festival
of the Chosen Shrine (Imperial Household Ministry)
- 1939 Apr 1 Placed on the 2nd Reserve List (Cabinet)

- 1939 Oct 8 Despatched as Imperial messenger to the annual festival of the Jordan Shrine, the 1st class Government Shrine (Imperial Household Ministry)
- 1942 May 29 Appointed Privy Councillor (Cabinet)
- 1944 Mar 15 Received the 2nd Court Rank, Senior Grade
- 1940 Apr 29 Granted a set of silver Cups in recognition of services in the China Affairs
- 1941 Sep 9 Appointed member of Council on Royal Families (Cabinet)
- 1945 Mar 29 Resigned from present post (Cabinet)
- Mar 31 Appointed member of House of Peers according to the House of Peers Regulations, Art. 1, No. 4 (Cabinet)

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