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問、十二月八日ニ眞珠灣攻撃ト同時ニ別ノ攻撃ガ爲

サレ様トシテイルノヲ知リマセンデシタカ

答、眞珠灣攻撃ハ海軍ノ作戦デアリ私ハ唯ソノ攻撃
ガ原動ニ進ムトシタナラバコレコレノ時間ニ開
始サレルデアフウトイフコトヲ知ツテ居ッタ丈
デス。馬來、香港、及比律賓攻撃ハ共同作戦デ
アリソレ故陸軍大臣トシテソレ等ニ就イテハ知
ツテ居リマシタ。

問、貴方ハドノ位早クカラソノ攻撃ノ各々ニ付イテ
知ツテ居リマシタカ、即チ眞珠灣及ソノ他ノ陸
攻撃ニ就イテデス。

答、私ハ眞珠灣攻撃ニ就イテハ昭和十六年十二月一
日ノ御前會議ノ直前ノ連絡會議ノ時カラ知ツテ
居リマシタ。他ノ諸攻撃ニ就イテハソノ連絡會
議が開カレル五、六日前頃カラ知ツテ居リマシ
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