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333.5 INVESTIGATIONS (Unit)

NO. DATE SYNOPSIS

1. 31 Mar 49 Letter of Transmittal - Sgt Hamilton's case

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KYOTO MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 301 (Kyoto, Japan)

31 March 1949

SUBJECT: Letter of Transmittal

TO: Commanding Officer
Kinki Military Government Region
APO 25

Transmitted herewith, is report of investigation, pertaining to the
line of duty status of Sgt 1/c James L. Hamilton.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

THOMAS R. HARBIN
1st Lt. Inf
Adjutant

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KYOTO MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 301 (Kyoto, Honshu)

OHH/es

25 February 1949

SUMMARY OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER

Sgt. 1/c James L. Hamilton, while using a government vehicle with proper authority, driven by a Japanese national, S. Ejima, was injured in a motor vehicle accident which occurred at approximately 2030 hours 25 December 1948.

There was no negligence or misconduct involved.

All material witnesses were interrogated and sworn testimonies obtained.

Exhibits: A Order of appointy 1/O.
B Certificate of Org. Comdr.
C Certificate of Medical Officer.
D Statement of Sgt. 1/c James L. Hamilton.
E Statement of M/Sgt. Russell L. Keech.
F Statement of M/Sgt. Paul S. Cox.
G Certificate of Capt. Joseph E. Armstrong.
H Statement of Sukesaburo Ejima.
I Statement of Hiroshi Chishima.
J Certificate of Medical Officer.

Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt FA

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KYOTO MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 301 (Kyoto, Honshu)

29 January 1949

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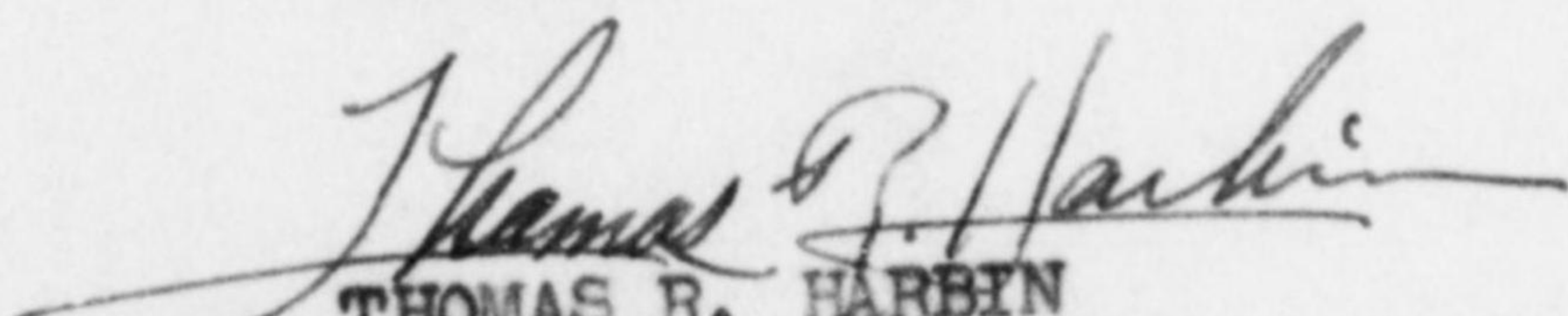
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Capt CARROLL H. HOAGLAND, 0414713, FA, this orgn, is in addition to his other duties detailed as investigating officer PAC Par 9c, AR 345-415, to investigate line of duty status of Sgt 1/class James L. Hamilton RA44043197, Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 301, for the period of 25 December 1948 to 4 January 1949.

BY ORDER OF COLONEL LIGON:

THOMAS R. HARBIN
1st Lt., INF
Adjutant

OFFICIAL:


THOMAS R. HARBIN
1st Lt., INF
Adjutant

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Exhibit "A"

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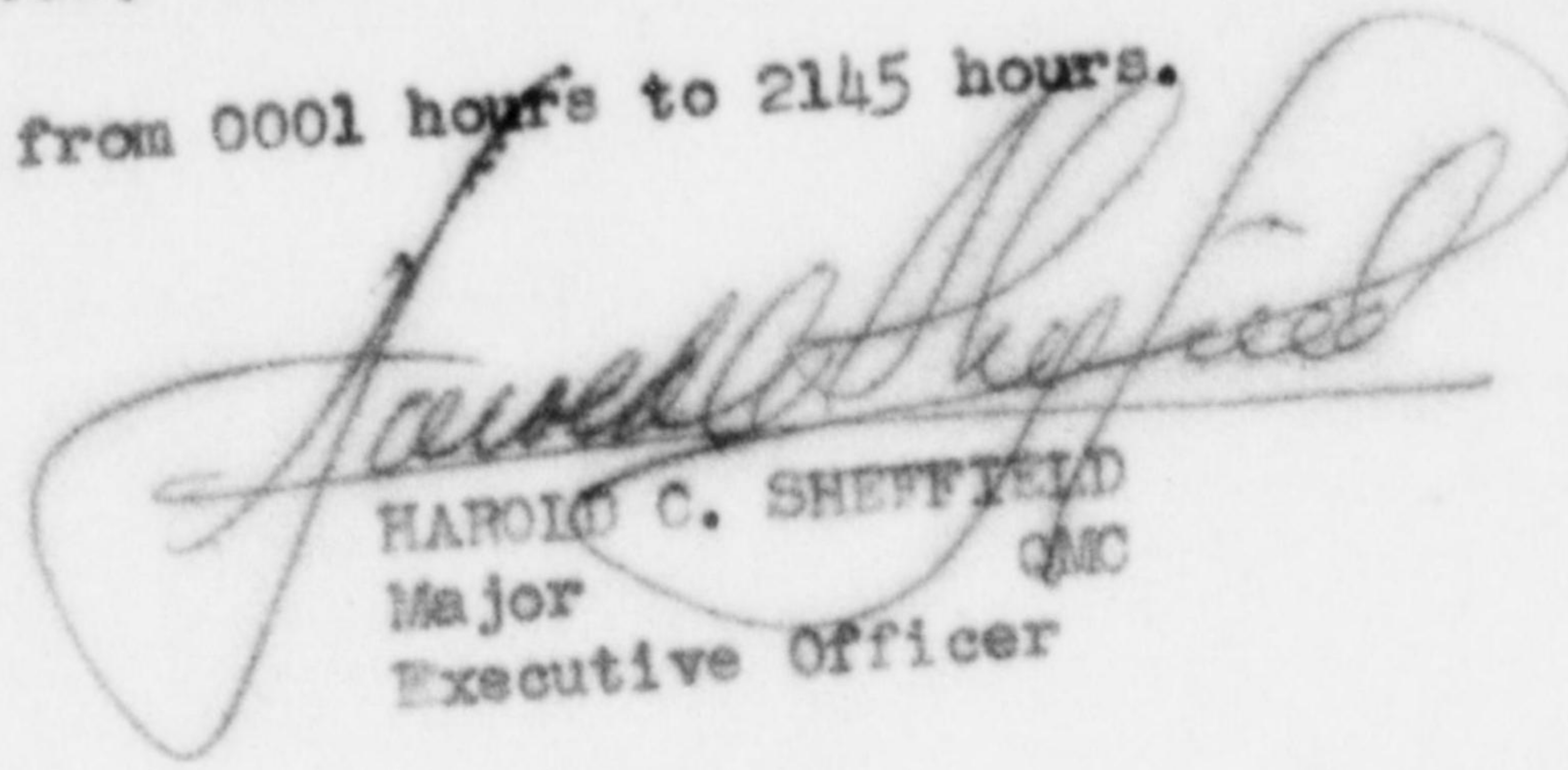
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KYOTO MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 301 (Kyoto, Honshu)

3 February 1949

C E R T I F I C A T E

I certify that Sgt 1/el Hamilton, James L. RA44043197 was on authorized pass on the 25th of December 1948, from 0001 hours to 2145 hours.



HAROLD C. SHEFFIELD
Major CMC
Executive Officer

Exhibit "B"

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OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR
35th Medical Station Hospital
APO 301

C-E-R-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-E

31 December 1948

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that according to official records, Sgt James P. Hamilton, RA 44 043 197, Kinki Military Government Team, Kyoto, Honshu, Japan, APO 301, was admitted to this hospital 25 December 1948.

There was no evidence that he was under the influence of narcotic drugs. Patient was apparently under the influence of alcohol; therefore his usual mental condition could not be determined.

That his diagnoses was:

1. Wound, lacerated, scalp, right occipital, accidentally incurred in jeep accident, 24 Dec 48, Kyoto, Honshu, Japan.
2. Concussion, cerebral, accidentally incurred as in Dg 1 above.
3. Fracture, skull, observation for, as above.

I further certify that in my opinion any physical disability from above injuries cannot be determined at this time.

Martin P. McGowan
MARTIN P. MCGOWAN
Captain, MC

Exhibit "C"

KYOTO MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 301 (Kyoto, Honshu)

Date: 18 February 1949

STATEMENT OF JAMES L. HAMILTON Sgt/First Class RA 44043197

Kinki Military Government Region, APO 301, Kyoto, Honshu, Japan.

I, JAMES L. HAMILTON, prior to making the following statement have had the 24th Article of War read and explained to me. I understand that I cannot be compelled to incriminate myself or to answer any question not material to the issue when such answer might tend to degrade me. With such understanding I make the following statement of my own free will and accord, under no threat or fear of punishment and without inducement or promise of immunity or reward.

Riding in vehicle approximately at 1930 hours, 25 December 1948, driven by a Japanese driver SUKESABURO EJIMA.

I left quarters A-10, Shimokamo Nishi Street, travelling in southerly direction on Shimokamo Nishi Street going to the NCO Club. Approaching an intersection, the driver either applied the brakes or shifted into a lower gear to stop. It was raining, the road was wet.

When the vehicle skidded and headed for a telephone pole, that is all I remember till 0400 hours 26 December 1948.

James L. Hamilton
JAMES L. HAMILTON
Sgt/First Class RA 44043197

Subscribed and sworn to before me, an officer authorized by law to administer oaths, this 19th day of February 1949.

Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt FA
Investigation Officer

Exhibit "D"

KYOTO MILITARY GOVERNMENT TEAM
APO 301 (Kyoto, Honshu)

Date: 18 February 1949

STATEMENT OF RUSSEL L. KEECH M/Sgt RA 6543298

Engineer Headquarters I Corps, APO 301.

I, RUSSEL L. KEECH, prior to making the following statement have had the 24th Article of War read and explained to me. I understand that I cannot be compelled to incriminate myself or to answer any question not material to the issue when such answer might tend to degrade me. With such understanding I make the following statement of my own free will and accord, under no threat or fear of punishment and without inducement or promise of immunity or reward.

Myself, Mrs. Keech, M/Sgt and Mrs. Cox were preparing to leave the residence of M/Sgt Edwards, A-8, and met Sgt/First Class James L. Hamilton in the foyer of A-8. After a round of seasonal greetings we stated we were on our way to the Senior NCO Club. It was approximately 2030 hours, but I am not certain as to the exact time. We all went to the street and the Cox's and my wife and I boarded my jeep, which was facing North on "Kawabata" Street. Kawabata being the name of the street A-8 and A-9, dependent houses are located on, and as spoken to me by a Japanese driver some time ago.

The Military jeep ridden in by Sgt. Hamilton was facing in the opposite or southerly direction. This fact was brought out because the Japanese driver pulled up alongside of us and Sgt. Hamilton said "Open your door, I want to talk to you people". Mrs. Cox, sitting on the far right-hand side, opened the door of my jeep and after a moment or so of small talk the Japanese driver drove off as Sgt. Hamilton was zipping the curtains on the right hand side of the military vehicle. It was raining hard so I drove North to the next main intersection, and turned left to get on the Kamo Highway and proceeded to the NCO Club.

Russel L. Keech

RUSSEL L. KEECH
M/Sgt Engr. Hq I Corps
RA 6543298

Subscribed and sworn to before me, an officer authorized by law to administer oaths, this 28th day of February 1949.

Carroll E. Hoagland

CARROLL E. HOAGLAND
Capt FA
Investigation Officer

Exhibit "B"

COMPANY "B"
58TH SIGNAL BATTALION
APO 301

28 December 1948

C E R T I F I C A T E

I certify the following statement to be true to the best of my knowledge and belief:

On 25 December 1948 at about 2035 hours, I was proceeding along the narrow street leading from Botanical Gardens (name of street is unknown) when I came upon a 1 ton government vehicle which had apparently hit a telephone pole, I also noticed an American soldier, laying in the street. Several Japanese had gathered around the soldier, and as I stopped my car the Japanese picked the soldier up and carried him to the car. The soldier was placed in the back seat of my car and I took him to the 35th Medical Station Hospital where he was admitted. The soldier was unconscious during the trip to the hospital so I could not interrogate him. Due to language difficulties, no Japanese at the scene of the accident were interrogated and no investigation was made by the undersigned because it was thought best to get the soldier to the hospital as soon as possible. Later I was told that the soldier was identified as a Sgt. Hamilton and that he was working for the Military Government.

I do not know whether or not the soldier was under the influence of alcohol or the rate of speed he was driving at the time of the accident.

/s/ JOSEPH E. ARMSTRONG
Captain, SigC
01633318
Co B, 58th Sig Bn.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt. FA
Investigation Officer

Exhibit "C"

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JAPANESE STATEMENT

I am a Japanese national EJIMA Sukesaburo, residing at Kyoto city, Shimokyo-ku, Sannomiya-dori, Rokken Sagaru, Yuwataki-cho. Having been advised that I need not make a reply about anything which may incriminate me, I make the following statement voluntarily, without any threats against me or promise of reward having been made.

On 25 December 1948, at about 8 p.m. sergeant Hamilton drove the jeep, and went out from the Botanical Garden and proceeded to Shochiku-dori for the southern direction.

On the way we stopped at A-6 house, for about 5 minutes and again we started for the southern direction. But this time I drove the jeep and took him to his A-9 house. However, he again requested me to take him to the suburb and for this reason I went to as far as the Botanical Garden.

Next Mr. Hamilton drove the jeep and again we proceeded to Shochiku-dori. Thus we passed by his house (A-9 house) and when we arrived at Shimogamo Miyazaki-cho (about 100 meters ahead) our jeep slipped at the side and collided against the telegraph pole and further collided against Mr. Nishimura's house of the West-side, which is 18 meters ahead, after one time revolution on account of inertia.

At that time, sergeant Hamilton was shaken off the car and became unconscious. It happened at that time that an American private motorcar passed by this place and so I asked the motorcar driver to have him taken to the hospital. It was about 8.30 p.m. Later I telephoned our motor pool to help me and waited for the help.

Next I went to Mr. Hamilton's house to report this accident. Just at that time, Mr. Hamilton's wife came back from the street and went to the hospital at once.

My left 8th rib was broken and I received 4 weeks medical treatment in the 2nd Red Cross Hospital.

SUKESABURO EJIMA
Sukesaburo Ejima

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of February 1949.

Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt
Investigation Officer

Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt
Investigation Officer

Exhibit "H"

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WITH THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES)
IN THE OCCUPIED TERRITORY OF JAPAN) SS;

PERSONALLY appeared before me one SUDARU Chuchu, who, being first
duly sworn, says that the foregoing statement is a true translation of
a Japanese-language statement made by the witness in response to question

put to him; that before the witness was questioned deponent explained to
him that under the 24th Article of War he (the witness) need not answer

any question if the answer would tend to incriminate him, not any question
not material to the matter under investigation if the answer would tend
to degrade him but that he must answer all other questions truthfully and

fully; that before the witness subscribed the foregoing statement, deponent
read the same to him in Japanese and explained to him the necessity for
telling the truth and that failure to tell the truth is a serious offense,

moral and legal; and that the witness stated that he understood such ex-
planation and solemnly affirmed, according to his conscience and his
religious beliefs, that the said statement is the full and complete truth,
without evasion or error.

Chuchu
(Signature of Interpreter)

Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 26th day of February 1949

Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt FA
Investigation Officer

Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 26th day of February 1949
Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt
Investigation Officer

Exhibit 18

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OATH OF WITNESS

Witness should read or repeat oath aloud sign it and affix his seal.

宣誓書

良心に従ひ眞實ヲ述ベ何

事ヲモ黙秘セス又何事ヲモ

附加セサルコトヲ折言ス

証人

高島 助三郎



(English translation: "I vow that I will make a full disclosure of all facts known to me, obeying the dictates of my conscience telling the truth and adding nothing to the truth")

Inclosure 1 to Exhibit "B"

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JAPANESE STATEMENT

I am a Japanese national CHISHIMA Hiroshi, residing at #186 Sakyo-ku, Miyazaki-cho, Kyoto city. Having been advised that I need not make a reply about anything which may incriminate me, I make the following statement voluntarily, without any threats against me or promise of reward having been made.

Carroll H. Hoagland
I am living at the above address and since June 11, 1946, I have been working as a Scenario-writer at the Scenario Section of the Sho-chiku Cinema House, Kyoto city, Sakyo-ku, Miyazaki-cho, #32.

On 25 December 1948, at about 2000 hours, on my way home, walking on the Miyazaki-cho-dori, I observed a jeep coming toward me from about 90 yards north along the said street at the rate of about 36 miles per hour.

When the jeep approached a place about 20 yards north from me, it ran against a telephone pole and broke the pole. The jeep, after turning around, hit Mr. NISHIMURA's house, on the west side of the road. At this moment, a soldier was thrown out from the jeep and was injured on the head.

I don't know who was driving the jeep: All I know is that a Japanese came out of the driver's seat.

I affirm the above statement to be true.

Hiroshi Chishima

Hiroshi Chishima

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25 day of February 1949.

Carroll H. Hoagland

CARROLL H. HOAGLAND
Capt FA
Investigation Officer

IN THE COURSE OF INVESTIGATION OF THE MATTER OF THE ABOVE NAMED SUBJECT }
WITH THE VIEWED RECORDS (Exhibit "I") } 23

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WITH THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES)
IN THE OCCUPIED TERRITORY OF JAPAN } SS:

PERSONALLY appeared before me one SUDARDY Chuchu, who, being first duly sworn, says that the foregoing statement is a true translation of a Japanese-language statement made by the witness in response to question put to him; that before the witness was questioned deponent explained to him that under the 24th Article of War he (the witness) need not answer any question if the answer would tend to incriminate him, nor any question not material to the matter under investigation if the answer would tend to degrade him but that he must answer all other questions truthfully and fully; that before the witness subscribed the foregoing statement, deponent read the same to him in Japanese and explained to him the necessity for telling the truth and that failure to tell the truth is a serious offense, moral and legal; and that the witness stated that he understood such explanation and solemnly affirmed, according to his conscience and his religious beliefs, that the said statement is the full and complete truth, without evasion or error.

Sudary Chuchu
(Signature of Interpreter)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of February 1949.

Carroll H. Hoagland
CARROLL H. HOAGLAND

Capt Investigation Officer

INVESTIGATION OFFICER

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OATH OF WITNESS

Witness should read or repeat oath aloud sign it and affix his seal.

宣誓書
良心に従ひ眞實に述べ
事に黙秘せし人何事
附加セザンコトヲ折言ス
証人 平島山

(English translation: "I vow that I will make a full disclosure of all facts known to me, obeying the dictates of my conscience telling the truth and adding nothing to the truth")

Inclosure 1 to Exhibit "I"

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35TH STATION HOSPITAL
APO 301

21 June 1949

C E R T I F I C A T E

I hereby certify that I am the official custodian of medical records at the 35th Station Hospital, APO 301.

Retained records show that Sgt James L. Hamilton was a patient at this installation from 25 December 1948 to 4 January 1949 when he was discharged to duty. His final diagnosis was wound, lacerated, scalp; right occipital cerebral concussion, observation for fractured skull; accidentally incurred in Jeep accident near Botanical Gardens in Kyoto, Honshu, Japan, 25 December 1948.

Prior to departing this station Captain Martin F. McGowan, M.C., upon being questioned by me on the case, verbally stated that it was his professional opinion that subject soldier would have no permanent or partial disability from the accident which hospitalized him from 25 December 1948 to 4 January 1949.

C. H. Davis

C. H. DAVIS
Major MSC
Registrar

Exhibit "J"

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333.5 INVESTIGATION (Japanese)

NO.	DATE	SYNOPSIS
1.	3 Jan 49	Request for Investigation No. 1422
2.	18 Jan 49	Request for Investigation NO. 1450-4
3.	28 Mar 49	Request for Investigation No. 1504
4.	27 May 49	Request for Investigation No. 1641

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
 SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
 APO 500

AG 333.5(27 May 49)CPC/EX

27 May 1949

SUBJECT: Request for Investigation

THRU: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
 ATTENTION: Military Government Section

Forwarded is Investigation Request Number 1641 for action by
 Civil Property Custodian investigator in Kyoto.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

1 Incl
 Inv Req No. 1641, 14 May 49
 w/1 attachment

/s/ Donald McLeod
 /t/ DONALD McLEOD
 Captain, CAC
 Actg Asst Adj Gen

AGMGF 333.5

1st Ind

Jun 1 1949

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

/s/ J.A.C.B.
 /t/ J.A.C.B.

1 Incl
 w/1 attachement
 n/c

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BASIC: Ltr, GHQ SCAP, AG 333.5 (27 May 49)CPC/EX, subj: "Request for Investigation", Request #1641, dtd 27 May 49.

AG 386.3 - BA

2nd Ind

REC/af

Hq I Corps, APO 301,

TO: CO, Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25

Jun 8 1949

1. For compliance with Investigation Request Number 1641, GHQ, Tokyo, dated 14 May 1949.

2. Investigation and action taken requested by this Headquarters at earliest possible date.

BY COMMANDOF MAJOR GENERAL COULTER:

/s/ Charlie Ramsey
/t/ CHARLIE RAMSEY
C.W.O. USA
Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl:
n/c

AG 386.3

3rd Ind

EET/ms

Hq Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25, 13 June 1949

TO: CO, Hyogo Mil Govt Team, APO 317

1 Incl:
n/c

/s/ G.M.
/t/ G.M.

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4th Ind

NGT/1

Hq Hyogo Mil Govt Team, APO 317 (CPC Section) 15 June 1949

TO: Commanding Officer, Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25

Forwarded for action by the Civil Property Custodian representative in Kyoto.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER

/s/ Walter Kimball
/t/ WALTER KIMBALL
Major, Infantry
Adjutant

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BASIC: Ltr, GHQ SCAP, AG 333.5 (27 May 49)CPC/EX, subj: "Request for Investigation", Request #1641, dtd 27 May 49.

AG 386.3

5th Ind

HLM/ms

Hq. Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25, 16 June 1949

TO: CO, Kyoto Mil Govt Team, APO 301

/s/ G. M.
/t/ G. M.

1 Incl:
n/c

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6th Ind

GWE/yy

Kyoto Civil Affairs Team, APO 301,

TO: CO, Kinki Civil Affairs Region, APO 25

Attached is PSB Investigation Report No. 1641 as completed by the Civil Property Custodian Section attached to the Kyoto Civil Affairs Team.

THOMAS R. HARBIN
Capt, Infantry
Adjutant

2 Incls:
1. n/c
Added:
2. PSB 1641
w/1 Exhibit.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
APO 500

AG 333.5(28 Mar 49)CPC/EX

28 March 1949

SUBJECT: Request for Investigation

THRU: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
ATTENTION: Military Government Section

Forwarded is Investigation Request Number 1504 for
action by Civil Property Custodian investigator in Kyoto.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

/s/ J.W. Williams
/t/ J. W. WILLIAMS
Major, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

1 Incl
Inv Req No.1504

AGMGF 333.5 1st Ind

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

31 Mar 49

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

1 Incl
n/c

/s/ M. N. H.
/t/ M. N. H.

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FFA/af

Hq I Corps, APO 301,

Apr 5 49

TO: CO, Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25

/s/ A. S.
/t/ A. S.

1 Incl:
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BASIC: Ltr, GHQ SCAP, AG 333.5(28 Mar 49)CPC/EX, subj: "Request for Investigation", dtd 28 Mar 49

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Hq Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25,

TO: CO, Kyoto Mil Govt Team, APO 301

1 Incl:
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/s/ G. M.
/t/ G. M.

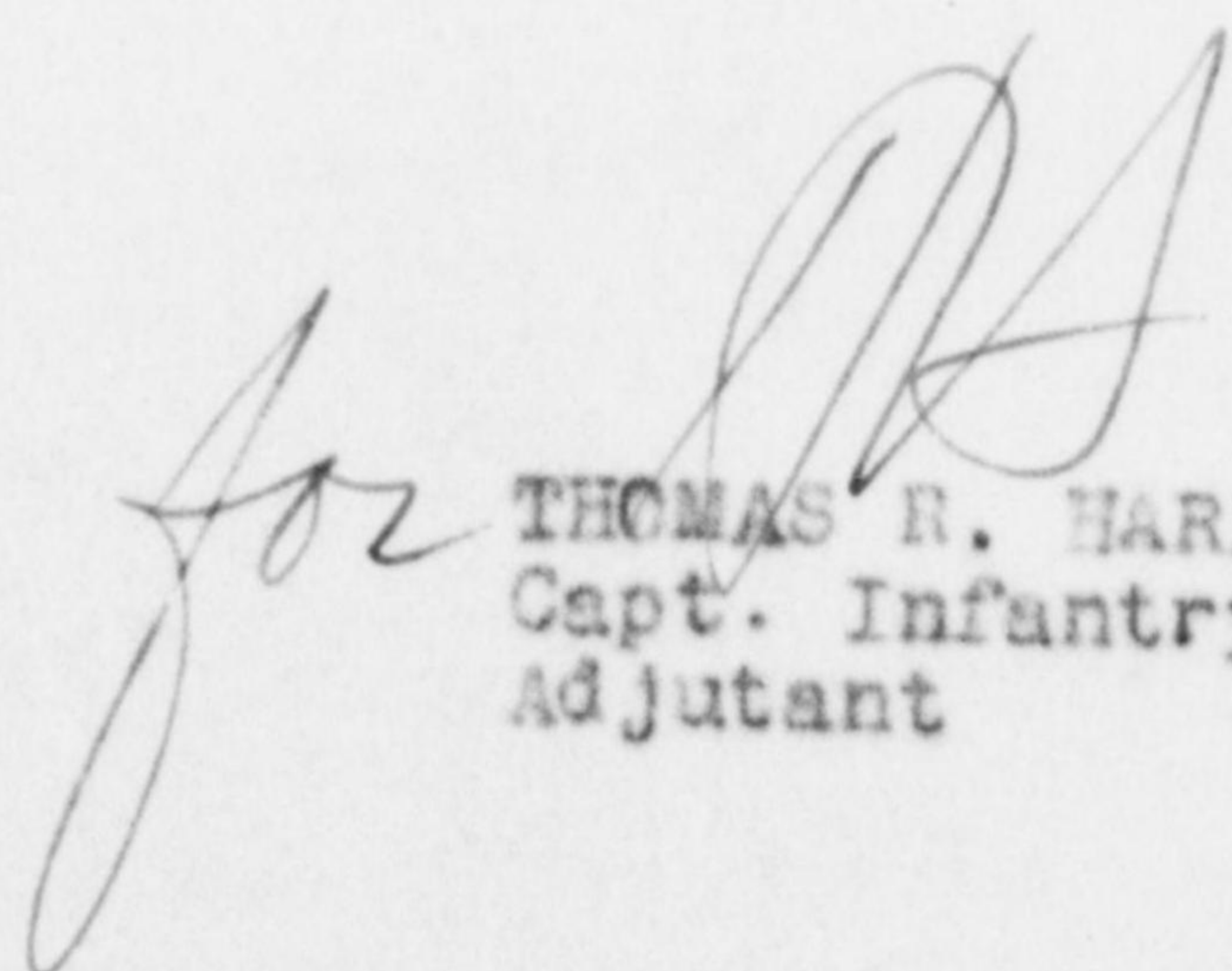
333.5 4th Ind AON/ko

Kyoto Mil Govt Team, APO 301

TO: CO, Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25

1. Action as requested in basic communication has been completed.

2. PSB Report No.1504 attached hereto in duplicate is the report on the investigation. Copy number 2 and 3 of 5 copies was forwarded direct to Civil Property Custodian, Tokyo.

for 

THOMAS R. HARBIN
Capt. Infantry
Adjutant

3 Incls:
1. n/c
Added:
2. Inventory List
3. PSB Rpt No.1504
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SOURCE Moore - Linki REMARKS:

Lt Col Johnson 8A MG
will visit KMGT sometime between
24 June + 12 Aug.
Special Investigation - Not inspection.
Requests notification of his arrival

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GENERAL HEADQUARTER
 SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
 APO 500

AG 333.5(18 Jan 49)CPC/EX

18 January 1949

SUBJECT: Request for Investigation

THRU: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
 ATTENTION: Military Government Section

Forwarded is Investigation Request Number 1450-4 for action by Civil Property Custodian investigator in Kyoto.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

1 Incl
 Inv Req No 1450-4

/s/ J. W. Williams
 /t/ J. W. WILLIAMS
 Major, AGD
 Asst Adj Gen

AGMGP 333.5 1st Ind

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

22 Jan 1949

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

1 Incl
 n/c

/s/ M. N. H.
 /t/ M. N. H.

AG 333.5 - BA

2nd Ind

FFA/af

Hq I Corps, APO 301

TO: CO, Kyoto Mil Govt Team, APO 310
 ATTN: Civil Property Custodian

Forwarded for compliance with basic communication.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL SWING:

/s/ William A. Franks
 /t/ WILLIAM A. FRANKS
 Major, AGD
 Asst Adj General

1 Incl:
 n/c

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BASIC: Ltr, GHQ SCAP, AG 333.5(18 Jan 49)CPC/EX, Subj: "Request for Investigation - Dissolved Organization Properties", dated 18 January 1949.

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3rd Ind

AON/ko

Kyoto Mil Govt Team, APC 301

TO: CO, Kinki Mil Govt Region, APO 25
ATTN: Finance & Civil Property

1. Action as requested in basic communication has been completed.

2. PSB Report No.1450-4 attached hereto in duplicate is a report on the investigation. Copy number 2 and 3 of 5 copies was forwarded direct to Civil Property Custodian, Tokyo.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:

THOMAS R. HARBIN
1st Lt. Infantry
Adjutant

2 Incls:

1. n/c

2. Added: PSB Rpt No.1450-4(of 6)
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CIVIL PROPERTY CUSTODIAN
EXECUTIVE DIVISION
PROPERTY SERVICE BRANCH

Date: 30 December 1948

SERVICE REQUEST

(Four copies to be forwarded to PSB, one of which will be returned with assigned PSB number and tentative suspense date to the requester for reference pending completion of action.)

1. Request: (Specific information or action desired) The attached copy of AGO No. 17 15 Dec 48, forwarded to CPC a list of properties, classified by prefecture, formerly belonging to DO and now in use by governmental agencies. It is requested that a check be made to determine if the properties listed are currently in use for necessary official governmental purposes as stated in AGO No. 176. As checks are completed it is requested that periodic report be submitted to DO Branch concerning current use of said properties.

Background: SCAPIN 1868, 1 Mar 48, transfers title of all assets of DO to the JG and directs the JG to dispose of these properties, with certain exceptions, by sale. Par 6e of SCAPIN 1868 exempts from sale properties being used for necessary official governmental purposes.

2. Background: (Additional information to aid PSB) Properties to continue in such use will not be sold. The list of properties attached hereto were approved by CPC for exemption in accordance with such provisions.

3. Attachments hereto: To be returned _____ Not returned ~~____~~

AGO No. 176, 15 Dec 48, with sub-inclosures

4. Priority of Action: Urgent _____ Routine xxx

5. Requested by: ELD DO Mr. Freedy
Division Branch Unit Individual

6. Approved: 1/FAN 31 Dec 48
Division Chief Date

FOR PROPERTY SERVICE BRANCH USE

Date received in PSB 6 Jan Released to Operations _____

Tentative Suspense Date 26 Feb Assigned to KYOTO

Full Investigation Report Required LV

Property Service Report Required _____

Remarks _____

For information relative to this request refer to PSB No. 1450-486

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KYOTO PREFECTURE

✓ Name of Organization Kyoto Branch, Dai Nippon Butokukai.

Name of Property Building: 1-storied, Wooden house with tile roofing.

Location No. 13, Shintate-cho, Onmaedori, Higashiru, Ichijo-dori, Kamikyo-ku, Kyoto-shi.

Area 224.35 tsubo

Present Use In used as the training hall of the fire-fighting officials in the police of KYOTO Prefecture.

✓ Name of Organization Kyoto Branch, Dai Nippon Butokukai.

Name of Property Building: 2-storied, Wooden house with tile roofing.

Location No. 13, Shintate-cho, Onmaedori, Higashiru, Ichijo-dori, Kamikyo-ku, Kyoto-shi.

Area 76.83 tsubo (54.80)

Present Use Same as in the preceding list.

✓ Name of Organization Kyoto Branch, Dai Nippon Butokukai.

Name of Property Building: 1-storied, Wooden house with tile roofing.

Location No. 13, Shintate-cho, Onmaedori, Higashiru, Ichijo-dori, Kamikyo-ku, Kyoto-shi.

Area 60.00 tsubo.

Present Use Same as in the preceding list.

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✓ Name of Organization Kyoto Branch, Dai Nippon Butokukai.
 Name of Property Building: 1-storied, Wooden house with tile roofing.
 Location No. 18, Koaza, Minamikaki-Soto, Kizu, Kizu-machi, Soraku-gun, Kyoto-fu.
 Area 58.00 tsubo
 Present Use In Use as the conference room of the ~~KISABAZU~~ Police Station.

✓ Name of Organization Kaijinkai, Maizuru Branch.
 Name of Property Building: 5 two-storied wooden buildings
 21 one-storied wooden buildings.
 Location Koaza, Hamada, Mizojiri, Maizuru-shi. ✓
 Area 1,668.238 tsubo
 Present Use In use as the Municipal hospital facilities of MAIZURU City.

✓ Name of Organization Kaijinkai Maizuru Branch.
 Name of Property Land
 Location Koaza-Hamada, Mizojiri, Maizuru-shi, Kyoto-fu. ✓
 Area 2552.22 tsubo.
 Present Use Same as in the preceding list.

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TRANSFERRED TO WELFARE MINISTRY

✓ Name of Organization	Kyoto Branch, Kyojo kai.
Name of Property	Building
Location	No. 9 Higashitsuka, Hon-machi , Sakyo-ku, Kyoto-fu.
Area	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ 1. 1-storied Wooden house with tile roofing: 44.47 <i>tauho</i> ✓ 2. 1-storied Wooden house with tile roofing: 11.67 " ✓ 3. 2-storied Wooden house with tile roofing: 35.86 " ✓ 4. 2-storied Wooden house with tile roofing: 7.22 " <p style="text-align: right;">Total 99.22 <i>tauho</i></p>
Present Use	In use as wood-work factory of KYOTO Prefecture.

TRANSFERRED TO WELFARE MINISTRY

Name of Organization	Kyoto Branch, Kyojokai.
Name of Property	Movable Property.
Location	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a ... No. 9, Higashitsuka, Shimogamo, Hon-machi, Sakyo-ku, Kyot-fu. b ... " " " "
Quantity	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a ... Mitsubishi Flat Sewing machine and 83 articles. b ... Desk and 50 articles.
Present Use	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a ... Same as in the preceding list. b ... Manufacture and repair of Artificial limbs.

SHIGA PREFECTURE

TRANSFERRED TO WELFARE MINISTRY

Name of Organization	Shiga-ken Branch, Kyojokai.
Name of Property	Movable Property
Location	662-Bancho, Hikone-shi, Shiga-ken.
Quantity	Leather box and 20 articles.
Present Use	Consultation for repair of artificial limbs and simple repair of Such.

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PSB Form 7 (Rev)

FSB CASE NO. 1450-486
CD NO. _____

PROPERTY SERVICE BRANCH

INVESTIGATION AND REPORT PROCEDURE FORM

This form will accompany each Service Request and related papers through all stages of action and preparation of report and is not to be detached. Under "Procedure" each individual concerned will initial and date that particular phase of the investigation which has been processed. The reverse side will be filled out by those individuals who perform over one hour of work on the investigation. Times will be totalled and recorded below under "Procedure-Investigative-Hours Record", items 9 and/or 14, by each worker when finished with the case.

SUBJECT: Dissolved Organizations

REQUESTED OR INITIATED BY: PH/PA Date: 30 Dec
Suspense Date: _____ Interim Report Date: _____
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P R O C E D U R E					
REQUEST:	Initial	Date	REPORT ANALYZED BY:	Initial	Date
1. Chief, PSB	<u>[Signature]</u>	<u>7 Jan 49</u>	(Final Draft)		
2. Registrar			10. Reports Analyst		
3. Local Service			Edited		
a. Rec'd by Chief			Proof-read		
b. Rec'd by			Assembled		
(Investigator)			Indexed		
4. Regional Service			(Interim Report)		
a. Rec'd by Chief			(Distr to:)		
b. Mailing date to:			Approved		
(Region)					
c. Received by:			FINAL APPROVAL BY:		
(Investigator)		<u>18 Jan 49</u>	11. Chief, PSB		
REPORT SUBMITTED BY:			DISTRIBUTION:		
(First Draft)			12. Copies to:		
5. Investigator		<u>17 Feb 49</u>	1.		
6. Chief, Local Service			2.		
7. Chief, Regional "			3.		
8. Technical Expert			4.		
or Analyst			5.		
(when required)			6.		
(name)			13. Registrar		
9. INVESTIGATIVE-HOURS RECORD:			14. INVESTIGATIVE-HOURS RECORD:		
<u>[Signature]</u> (Investigator) (CAF) <u>9</u> (Hours) <u>32</u>			(Analyst) (CAF) (Hours)		
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15. TOTAL INVESTIGATIVE-HOURS..... 32

16. DOLLAR ESTIMATE OF PROPERTY INVOLVED..... _____

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
APO 500

AG 333.5(3 Jan 49)CPC/EX

3 January 1949

SUBJECT: Request for Investigation

THRU: Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301
ATTENTION: Military Government Section
(CPC Liaison Representative)

Forwarded for action is Investigation Request Number 1422.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

1 Incl
Inv Req No.1422
w/5 Incls/s/ J. W. Williams
/t/ J. W. WILLIAMS
Major, AGD
Asst Adj Gen

AGMGF 333.5

1st Ind

8 Jan 49

Headquarters Eighth Army, APO 343

TO: Commanding General, I Corps, APO 301

1 Incl
n/c/s/ M. N. H.
/t/ M. N. H

AG 333.5 - BA

2nd Ind

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Hq I Corps, APO 301

TO: CO, Kyoto Mil Govt Team, APO 301
ATTN: Civil Property Custodian

Forwarded for necessary action.

BY COMMAND OF MAJOR GENERAL SWING:

1 Incl
n/c/s/ Charlie Ramsey
/t/ CHARLIE RAMSEY
C.W.O. U.S.A.
Asst. Adj Gen

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BASIC: Ltr, GHQ SCAP, AG 333.5(3 Jan 49)CPC/EX, subj: "Request for Investigation - Tin" PSB No.1422, dtd 3 January 1949

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Kyoto Mil Govt Team, APO 301

TO: CG, Hq I Corps, APO 301
ATTN: Military Government Section
Finance & Civil Property

1. Action as requested in basic communication has been completed.
2. PSB Report No.1422 attached hereto in duplicate is a report on the investigation. Copy number 3 and 4 of 5 copies was forwarded direct to CPC, GHQ, SCAP.

THOMAS R. HARBIN
1st Lt. Infantry
Adjutant

- 2 Incls:
1. a/c
 2. Added: PSB Rpt No.1422 (dupl)

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