

Ex 3698

INTERNATIONAL MILITARY TRIBUNAL FOR THE FAR EAST

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, et al

-vs-

ARAKI Sadao, et al

- Defendants -

A F F I D A V I T

TAKEBE ROKUZŌ

Having first duly sworn an oath as on the attached sheet, in accordance with the procedure prevailing in my country, I hereby depose as follows:

- Q. Did General Umezu, Commander-in-Chief of the Kwantung Army, give to you as Chief of General Affairs of Manchoukuo instructions concerning the relations to be maintained between Manchoukuo and the U S S R, during his term?
- A. The Commander-in-Chief of the Kwantung Army, General Umezu, gave to me instructions upon my taking the position of Chief of General Affairs of Manchoukuo to the effect that now was the time that the Government of Manchoukuo should be most careful not to irritate the U S S R in matters of dissemination of information and propaganda.
- Q. On the basis of the above instructions, how did you guide and instruct your men?
- A. I conveyed the instructions to the vice-ministers of all the departments.

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極東國際軍事裁判所

亞米利加合衆國 其他

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荒木貞夫 其他

宣誓口供書

供述者 武部 六藏

自分儀我門ニ行ハルル方式ニ從ヒ先ツ別紙ノ通り宣誓ヲ爲シタル上次ノ如ク供述所シマス

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武部六藏口供書

問一 海津關東軍司令官ハ其ノ在職間總務長官タル貴下ニ對シ滿ソ關係
ハ如何ニアルヘキカニ付指示セラレタリヤ

答一 海津關東軍司令官ハ私ノ滿洲國政府總務長官就任後私ニ對シ滿洲
國政府ハ今コソ弘報宣傳ノ方面ニ於テソ聯ヲ刺戟セザル様細心ノ
注意ヲ拂ハキバナラヌト云フ趣旨ノ指示ヲ與ヘタ

問二 貴下ハ右指示ニ基キ如何ニ關係部下ヲ指導督勵セシヤ

答二 私ハ右ノ指示ヲ各次長ニ傳ヘタ

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昭和二十二年（一九四七年）十一月六日 於東京

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右ハ營立會人ノ面前ニテ宣誓シ且ツ署名捺印シタルコトヲ證明シマス

同日 於東京

立會人 池田 純久（署名捺印）

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