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Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.1

Name of Newspaper — The Akita Sakigake Shinbun

Number of circulation — 23.200 - 27.540

Article (one example) — Date - Sept. 7, 1941 Editorial

Title - The Pacific crisis and the Nation's determination.

Writer - Unknown

Gist - Looking back into the past two years of the world situation, it will take some time for the war to end. We must prepare to take things with ease in any circumstances.

The number of Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	7
1938	5
1939	3
1940	3
1941	6
TOTAL	24

AKITA SAKIGAKE SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No.1

Name of Newspaper — The Asahigawa Shinbun.

Number of Circulation — 40,000

Article (1 example) — Date - Dec,11, 1937. Short Comment

Title -

Writer - Watabe, Yoshinori.

Gist - To take decided action of punishment and to rescue war-torn Chinese people will be the true martial spirit.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	23
1938	11
1939	20
1940	4
1941	36
TOTAL	94

Remarks. In Nov. 1942, the Asahigawa Shinbun and other ten newspaper publishing companies were incorporated into "the Hokkaido Shinbun."

ASAHIGAWA SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.2-B

Name of Newspaper	The Asahi Shimbun, Central District
Number of circulation	113.200 - 234.240
Article (one example)	Date - June 18, 1938, Morning Edition, Editorial
	Name - Rumoured Loan to China by America
	Writer -
	Gist - The public opinion in America, taking the propaganda by China at it face value, criticizing Japan sentimentally.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	2
1938	35
1939	23
1940	41
1941	41
TOTAL	**140**

ASAHI SHIMBUN, CENTRAL DISTRICT

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.2-3

Name of Newspaper — The Asahi Shinbun, Osaka

Number of circulation — 920.400 - 1.363.300

Article (one example)

Date - January 18, 1939

Title - The Voice of Heaven and Talk of Men (short comment)

Writer -

Gist - The Anglo-American pressure against Japan is becoming ever so strong. However strong it may become, it will not make material differences any move from the standpoint of Japan. The actual power of Japan is such as to be able, should emergency happens, to utilize fully necessary resources and to fight successfully long and withdrawn War. Anglo-American pressure against Japan is, from whichever angle it may be viewed, like the sword which can hurt themselves more than it can hurt Japan.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	2
1938	35
1939	29
1940	45
1941	39
TOTAL	150

Remarks.

ASAHI SHINBUN, OSAKA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.2-A

Name of Newspaper — The Asahi Shinbun, Tokyo

Number of circulation — 883.900 - 1.383.200

Article (one example) — Date - November 12, 1938

Title - Positive Operation of the National Policy.

Writer - OKUMURA, Kiwao

Gist - The expedition of the Imperial army is to rectify wrong acts of people and the military operation of the Imperial army is undertaken in order to see that no battle shall be fought in the Far East for the coming hundred years. The objective of the China Incident became after passing previous two stages, to be interpreted to exist in constructing New China. It aims to purge the spirits of relying upon the Western countries, of anti-Japanese and of admitting Communism of the present China and to revert to the pro-Japanese and anti-communism policy. In order to achieve this objective, all races in Asia must cooperate and all the natural resources must be utilized totally and fully, thereby inviting real hope and peace in the Far East, so far oppressed by the heavy weight of white imperialism and red nightmare. This is the prelude to our theory of "World Restoration".

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	2
1938	32
1939	27
1940	36
1941	41
TOTAL	138

ASAHI SHINBUN, TOKYO

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.2

Name of Newspaper — The Asahi Shinbun, Western District

Number of circulation — 369.990 - 714.340

Article (one example) — Date - January 8, 1940 Editorial

Name - Settlement of Incident and Protracted Struggle

Writer -

Gist - The establishment of new Government in China does not mean the end of the China Incident. The Incident entered into the stage of protracted struggle. This means the war of exhaustion and does not anticipate any east end. The nation shall not be ignorant of this reality. The maintenance and expansion of the productive power enough to compensate the waste and expenditure must be kept by all means and the mental attitude of preparing for the protracted war shall become "positive" instead of "negative", so far has been.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	2
1938	35
1939	29
1940	44
1941	36
TOTAL	146

ASAHI SHINBUN, Western District

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.3

Name of Newspaper — The Bocho Shinbun

Number of circulation — 3.000

Article (one example) — Date - May 15, 1941 Editorial

Title- Demonstration of our strength

Writer - ISHIKAWA, Jokichi

Gist - The construction of new order in the East Asia has developed in the construction of the new order of the world. This is a presentation of the fundamental policy of the Empire, and also a will of Heaven. We are to achieve the 280 million-yen-savings for the purpose of the holy work.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN

1937	12
1938	21
1939	16
1940	17
1941	35
TOTAL	101

BOCHO SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.4

Name of Newspaper — The Chugoku Shinbun

Number of circulation — 92.790

Article (one example) — Date - September 10, 1936 "Comment"

Name - Abiding with the Imperial Wishes

Writer -

Gist - China may be supposed to think that may be damaged by constructing peace in the Far East. However, China can only enjoy eternal peace and happiness by cooperating with Japan. Those third powers which may interfere, are doing so only at their own benefit. Japan must stop such ambitious intervention by all means.

The number of Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	20
1938	15
1939	29
1940	52
1941	37
TOTAL	153

Remarks

CHUGOKU SHINBUN

The explanation of the reason why the Chuo Shimbun Sha (Gifu Prefecture) is not included in the List of Influential Newspaper Companies and News Agencies in and out of Japan, and Influential Nationalistic Newspaper Companies, submitted June 18, 1947.

The number of circulation of the Chuo Shimbun (Gifu Prefecture) is found to be small as a result of reinvestigation (20,000 should be read as 3,000) and the paper was merely a local newspaper, mainly engaged in reporting local news and its influence is considered very small: that is the reason why the paper is not included in the List above mentioned.

CHUO SHINBU (Gifu)

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.5

Name of Newspaper — The Ehime Shinbun

Number of circulation — 46.000

Article (one example) — Date - December 7, 1941 Editorial

Name - Situation in the South Seas Region

Writer - SEMBA, Rinsaburo (supposed)

Gist - The Japanese American negotiation has now come to the eighth talk. It is difficult at this stage to force its outcome. However, if one turns one's eye to the South Seas Region, one can't fail to notice the attack of encirclement policy, America being the mainstay thereof, becoming ever stronger and tighter day by day. This fact is making successful conclusion of Japanese-American negotiation.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	
1940	2
1941	2
TOTAL	2

Remarks. The Kainan Shimbunsha, Iyo Shimbunsha and Nanyo Jiji-shinbunsha was incorporated into one "the Ehime Godo Shinbun" on 1st December 1941. Its name was changed into the Ehime Shimbun on 1st March of the same year.

EHIME SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.2

Name of Newspaper — The Essa Shinpōsha

Number of circulation — 5.000

Article (one example)

Date - Februarl 12, 1939 "Contributed Article".

Title - The Great Spirit of the National Foundation

Writer - the late TANIMURA, Setsu

Gist - The present China Incident is nothing else than an expression of this Great Spirit of the National foundation on accorda ce with the lessons taught by our Imperial ancestors, the internal situations must be so arranged as to be able to make an external expansion. The inimical Communistic idea must be eradicated in order to make the spirt of the Oriental Culture elate, thereby contributing to the civilization of the world and the happiness of humanity.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	1
1940	
1941	
TOTAL	1

Remarks: The Essa Shinposha was being amalgamated with the Hokuetsu Shinbunsha on November 1, 1940, and became the Niitataken Chuoo Shinbunsha. The Niigataken Shuoo Shinbunsha, amalgamating, on November 1, 1942, the Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha and Jooetsu Shinbunsha, became the Niigata Nipposha. We lack materials, due to the war-damage, for the periods between July 7, 1937 to the end of October of the same year, and January 1, 1938 to the end of May of the same year, and from August 1 to the end of October and the whole months of March, April and September of 1939 and for the period starting March 1 of 1940 to the end of the same year.

ESSA SHINPŌSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.6

Name of Newspaper — The Fukui Shinbun

Number of circulation — 3.500 - 6.000

Article (one example) — Date - Jan. 12, 1940 Editorial

Name - Randon Talk

Writer - TSCHIO, Akira

Gist - North China Incident has been expanded to the China Incident contrary to our wishes of the settlement in the actual place. This is not an idea of Chiang Kai Shek but he is backed by Britain, France, and America.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	17
1938	6
1939	3
1940	15
1941	25
TOTAL	66

Remarks: Cant collect the materials completely.

FUKUI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.3

Name of Newspaper — The Fukuoka Nichincihi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 183.200 - 280.600

Article (one example)

Date - September 17, 1937. Editorial

Title - The League of Nations and the China Incident.

Writer - unknown

Gist - "ithout having the powerful co-operation by Japan, the discussion on the ways and means of inviting the peace in the Far East is in vain. The Sino-Russo Non-Aggression Pact has made the Japanese determination ever harder.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	47
1938	106
1939	54
1940	57
1941	71
TOTAL	335

Remarks: The Fukuoka Nichinichi Shinbunsha became the Nishi Nippon Shinbunsha in August, 1942, being amalgamated with the Kyushu Nipposha and the Saga Nichinichi Shinbunsha.

FUKUOKA NICHINICHI SHINBUNSHA

No.7

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

Name of Newspaper — The FUKUSHIMA Mimpo

Number od circulation — 4.500 - 9.000

Article

Date - Sept. 4, 1941

Name - A current question.

Writer - Hoshino, Naoki

Gist - China Incident has been pending for four years, because enemy countries such as England and America are behind it. Japan should provide for emergencies.

The Number of Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	3
1938	5
1939	9
1940	8
1941	14
Total	39

Remarks:

FUKUSHIMA MIMPO

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.4

Name of Newspaper — The Fukushima Minyu Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 3.000 - 7.000

Article (one example)

Date - June 29, 1940

Title - The National Policy and the Mission of the Imperial Japan. Editorial

Writer - unknown

Gist - The source of the Spirit of Japan is to be sought in the Three Divine Rescripts. The Spirit of the Imperial way uniting all nations by friendly tie is the activities of the Imperial army. All Imperial subjects should act in accordance with this Spirit.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	30
1938	27
1939	40
1940	33
1941	
TOTAL	130

Remarks: The Fukushima Minyu Shinbunsha was being amalgamated into the Fukushima Minpoosha in May, 1941.

FUKUSHIMA MINYU SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.5

Name of Newspaper The Gifu Minyu Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 5.000

Article

Remarks: The Gifu Minyu Shinbunsha was incorporated with the Gifu Shinbunsha in 1940.
No investigations are possible as materials were lost, due to the war damage.

GIFU MINYU SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.6

Name of Newspaper	The Gifu Shinbunsha
Number of circulation	3.000 - 5.000
Article (one example)	Date - January 29, 1940 Title - The Foreign Policy of the Yonai Cabinet Writer - unknown Gist - Peoples in the Foreign Office responsible for the Japanese external policy are having a very serious time, facing the world-known Asamamaru Incident and the abrogation of the Japanese American Commercial Treaty. How will the Yonai Cabinet orientate Japan's external policy is the point which attract the most serious attention of the people.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	1
1938	1
1939	3
1940	1
1941	
TOTAL	6

Remarks: The Gifu Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Gifu Nichinichi Shinbunsha in December 1941 and changed its name into the Gifu Godo Shinbunsha (On February 11, 1946 renamed as the Gifu Times).

GIFU SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.9

Name of Newspaper	The Gifu Times
Number of circulation	3.000 - 5.000
Articles (one example)	Date - January 25, 1940 The Gifu Nichinichi Shinbun Contributed Article
	Title - Test for the new Cabinet
	Writer - OGISO, Kyokuko
	Gist - The Asamamaru Incident contributed so much to the excitement of our national sentiment to its breaking point, as it came at the time when anti-British feeling was so rampant. It is understood that the determination of our government is strong enough to cope with the situation. It is the big test case for the newly-born Yonai Cabinet.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	1
1940	3
1941	1
TOTAL	5

Remarks. In December 1941, the Gifu Nichinichi Shinbun, after incorporating the Gifu Shinbun, the Minotaisho Shinbun and the Hida Mainichi, established the Gifu Godoshinbun and in February 11 1946, altered its name to the Gifu Times. No materials are available after March 1941.

GIFU TIMES

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.8

Name of Newspaper — The Godo Shimbun

Number of circulation — 72.000

Article (one example) — Date - July 28, 1937 Editorial

Title - The statement of the Japanese Government

Writer - KANEKI, Hiroji

Gist - The statement of the Government concerning the North China was issued. The measures taken by the army in order to fulfil its duties and to see the articles agreed upon be carried out faithfully are inevitable and just and all responsibilities lies with China.

The number of Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	4
1938	9
1939	40
1940	7
1941	7
TOTAL	67

GODO SHIMBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.7

Name of Newspaper The Gumma Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 1.350

Article

Remarks: The Gumma Shinbunsha was incorporated, together with five other newspaper companies within the same prefecture, with the Joomoo Shinbunsha in October 1940.
All materials were lost, owing to the war damage.
Responsible persons say that no articles which may violage SCAPIN No.548 have appeared thereon.
No editorial column.

GUMMA SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

No.8

Name of Newspaper — The Hakodate Nichinichi Shinbun

Number of Circulation — 14,000

Article

Date - Oct. 10, 1941, Editorial

Title - Adjustment and Strengthening of National Structure.

Writer -

Gist - The present delay is the realization of new national structure is attributable to the old ideas of bureaucrats and to the people's lack of recognition of the present situation. It is high time for every branch of the nation to do utmost efforts for the stregthening of national structure, in order to attain the successful completion of t present war.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	10
1938	6
1939	4
1940	7
1941	6
TOTAL	33

Remarks. In Nov. 1942, the Hakodate Nichinichi and othe newspaper publishing companies were incorpore into "the Hokkaido Shinbun."

HAKODATE NICHINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

NO.9

Name of Newspaper	The Hakodate Shinbun
Number of Circulation	25,000
Article (one example)	Date - Sept. 15, 1937 Editorial
	Title - Russia should be struck down.
	Writer - Hasegawa, Toshio
	Gist - Soviet Russia is an uncivilized and unhuman animal, manoeuvering with radical ideas and attempting to disturb peace with force. Russia is a common enemy to the world of civilization and humanity. Japan should strike down Russia for the sake of peace.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	~~0~~ 25
1938	12
1939	5
1940	15
1941	~~2~~ 3
TOTAL	~~10~~ 60

Remarks In Nov. 1942, the Hakodate Shinbun and other ten newspaper publishing companies were incorporated into "the Hokkaido Shinbun."

HAKODATE SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

No. 10

Name of Newspaper — The Hakodate Times

Number of Circulation — 14,000

Article — Date - Aug. 13, 1940 — Short Comment

Title -

Writer -

Gist - Whether it be England, America, or Russia, we have only to demand their recession for the sake of establishing new order in East Asia.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	5
1938	1
1939	
1940	2
1941	1
TOTAL	9

Remarks. In Nov. 1942, the Hakodate Times and other ten newspaper publishing companies in Hokkaido were incorporated into "the Hokkaido Shinbun."

HAKODATE TIMES

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.11

Name of Newspaper The Hida Mainichi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 3.000 - 5.000

Articles

Remarks: The Hida Maicichi Shinbunsha, being amalgamated with the Gifu Nichinichi Shinbunsha in December 1941, became Gifu Godo Shinbunsha (It become the Gifu Times sha on February 11, 1946). No materials are available, due to the war damage.

HIDA MAINICHI SHINBUNSHA

No. 12

Articles Vialating SCAPIN No. 548

Name of Newspaper — The Hochi Shinbun

Number of circulation — 32.000 - 35.000

Article — Date - Nov 4, 1938 Editorial

Title - Inportant Statement of Premier Konoye

Writer - Komuro, Makato.

Gist - We don't feel satisfactory about Premier Konoyes' statement which unstuly says much of Anti-Japanese China, Paying Little attention to the activsties of third Powers which are helping China .
The Premiss is hopes to issue, in same form, a statement regarding the polley and Anti-Japanese activirtivitie of these third Powers.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	15
1938	43
1939	85
1940	93
1941	150
Total	386

Remarks — On Aug.5, 1942, the Hochi and the Yomiuri were incorporated into "the Yomiuri-Hochi Shinbun."

HOCHI SHINBUN SHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.10

Name of Newspaper — The HOKKOKU MAINICHI Shimbun

Number of circulation — 21.000

Article

Date - February 9, 1941 Editorial

Name - America should be the mediator of war.

WRITER - Kasai, Keitaro

Gist - America found hereself in dilemma when she started supporting England. For this reason the world is about to break out into war. This is not the time for America to be at war with Japan. She should be the mediator of war.

The NUMBER OF ARTICLES
SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	
1940	6
1941	11
Total	17

REMARKS: Hokuriku Mainichi Shimbun Sha and Hokkoku Shimbun Sha were combined in July 1940.

HOKKOKU MAINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No.13

Name of Newspaper — The Hokkai Times

Number of circulation — 123,000 - 168,000

Article — Date - May 8, 1941. Editorial

Title - The Significance of the Japanese-French Indochina Treaty.

Writer -

Gist - The conclusion of the treaty in highly important not alone for the benefit of Japan and French-Indochina, but also as a stepping-stone towards the establishment of the Greater East Asia coprasperity Sphere. The authorities of the Dutch East Indies should consider how to cooperats for the establishment of this coprosperity Sphere before trying to carelessly resist Japan.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548		
	1937	~~3~~ 3
	1938	~~0~~ 1
	1939	~~7~~ 36
	1940	~~2~~ 38
	1941	~~26~~ 26
	Total	~~38~~ 103

Remarks — On Nov. 1, 1942, the Hokkai Times, incorporating ten other newspaper compainies, established the Hokkaido Shinbun.

HOKKAI TIMES

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.15

Name of Newspaper The Hokkoku Yukan Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 2.000

Article

Remarks: The Hokkoku Yukan (Evening Edition) Shinbunsha was incorporated with the Hokkoku Mainichi Shinbunsha in May, 1941. As no material are available, it is impossible to make any investigations.

HOKKOKU YUKAN SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

No.14

Name of Newspaper — The Hokkoku Shinbun.

Number of Circulation — 10,000

Article

Date - April 9, 1939. Editorial

Title - Enlargement of Fruits of War and Preservation of Peace.

Writer -

Gist - The Chiang Kai Shek Government is reported to move shortly their seat of government for the third time. On this occasion we ask that, in cooperation with the success of the Army, our Government should make further efforts for the maintenance of peace and the stabilization of finance in the occupied area, thereby removing the root of the evil for world peace.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

1937	11
1938	15
1939	10
1940	5
1941	
TOTAL	41

Remarks — In June, 1940, the Hokkoku Shinbun and the Hokuriku Mainichi Shinbun were incorporated into " the Hokkoku Mainichi Shinbun."

HOKOKU SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.16

Name of Newspaper — The Hokuetsu Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 18.000

Article (one example)

Date - September 15, 1940

Title - The Construction of the Greater East Asia and Enforcement Movement

Writer - the late KAWAKAMI, Horei

Gist - European and American Nations adopted seclusional commercial policy, disregarding the former Laissez Faire commercial policy. As the result, Japan, with heavy population and narrow territorial extent to breathe in, has to face the fate of ruin. Therefore, it is an inevitable necessity to construct the Greater East Asia, so as to be able to adopt the self-supporting policy within the extent of the Greater East Asia.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	5
1938	10
1939	3
1940	5
1941	
TOTAL	23

Remarks: The Hokuetsu Shinbunsha became the Niigataken Chuoo Shinbunsha, amalgamated with the Essa Shinposha November 11, 1940. The Niigataken Chuoo Shinbunsha became the Niigata Nipposha, being amalgamated with the Niigata Shinbunsha and the Jooetsu Shinbunsha on November 1, 1942. Materials are lacking, due to the war-damage, during the period starting from July 7, 1937 to the end of October of the same year.

HOKUETSU SHINPO SHA

No. 47.

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

Name of Newspaper	The Hokuriku Mainichi Shinbun.
Number of Circulation	9,000
Article (one example)	Date - Oct. 24, 1938. Editorial
	Title - The Niue Powers Conference is Approaching.
	Writer -
	Gist - Some French paper has said in its leading article that Japan should attend the Nine Powers Conference and state her case openly. However, the best way to bring about peace between Japan and China is not to attend the Conference, but that the Powers concerned should completely wash their hands from the problems of the Far East

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

1937	6
1938	8
1939	6
1940	1
1941	
TOTAL	21

Remarks , In June 1940, the Hokuriku Mainichi and the Hokkoku Shinbun were incorporated into " the Hokkoku Mainichi Shinbun."

HOKURIKU MAINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.11

Name of Newspaper — The Hyuga Nichinichi Shimbun

Number of circulation — 7.000

Article (one example) — Date - May 27 1941 Editorial

Name - On the Anniversary of the Naval Victory.

Writer - Yanagishima, Isao

Gist - To-day, the 27th of May is the thirty-sixth anniversary of Japan's Naval Victory at the Sea of Japan which shall never be forgotten by our nationals. The country of Hyuga where we live is the holy land of the Japanese navy where, the Emperor Jimmu, the first Emperor of Japan, first organized his naval force and from where he saled with hope and courage to build "Japan". The Imperial subjects who live in this land of Hyuga cannot bot feel special patriotic sentiments dn this day of naval anniversary under such an extraordinary time as at present when Japan is fighting in China.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548.

1937	0
1938	0
1939	0
1940	0
1941	2
TOTAL	2

HYUGA NICHINICHI SHIMBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.18

Name of Newspaper The Ibaragisha

Number of circulation 18.000

Article

Remarks: The Ibaragisha became the Ibaragi Shinbunsha in February 1942, being amalgamated with the Joosoo Shinbunsha.
No materials whatsoever are available.

IBARAGISHA

Article violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.19

Name of Newspaper — The Inpaku Jihosha

Number of circulation — 3.000

Article (one example)

Date - August 25, 1937

Title -

Writer - unknown

Gist - The China Incident is not only the mere battle against Anti-Japanese movement, but also the real war to eradicate the inimical influence of Red Communism. The significance of the Incident lies with the fact that it is the war of thought.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	23
1938	82
1939	42
1940	
1941	
TOTAL	147

Remarks: The Inpaku Jihosha, being amalgamated with the Tottori Shimposha and the Sanin Nichinichi Shinbunsha, became the Nipponkai Shinbunsha on October 10, 1939.

INPAKU JIHOSHA.

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.12

Name of Newspaper — The ISE Shimbun

Number of CIRCULATION — 13.000 - 17.500

Article — Date - March 16, 1941 Editorials

Name - The Imperial Rule Assistance association.

WRITER - Kobayashi, Junichiro

Gist - The Imperial Rule Assistance movement is well aware of the real Japanese subject and recognizes the present important situation, and also establishes the state whose national defence is completed by the actual practice of the loyal subjects.

The NUMBER OF ARTICLES violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	-
1938	-
1939	-
1940	27
1941	18
Total	45

REMARKS: No materials between 1937 and 1939.

ISE SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No. 20

Name of Newspaper — The Nippon Times

Number of circulation — 73.000 - 77.500

Article

Date - Jan. 25, 1941 Japan Times, editorial

Name - Existent line in the South.

Writer - Unknown.

Gist - Japan has no intention of conquering or exploiting but aims to establish a cooperative body which comforms to the natural law.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	3
1938	0
1939	2
1940	27
1941	30
TOTAL	62

Remarks

Investigation was made by a partial material.

~~Nippo~~ Japan Times

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

Name of Newspaper	The Japan Times
Number of circulation	3,000 - 7,300
Article (one example)	Date - November 1, 1937
	Title - On the Necessity of the Unity of the Nation.
	Writer - TSUDA, Shingo
	Gist - Japan's role in North China, giving peace to the area and emancipating four hundred millions of Chinese, is comparable only with that of "the Crusade." In order to cope with the present grave national crisis, we must have a firm determination and the unity of the nation.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	19
1938	22
1939	18
1940	27
1941	30
TOTAL	116

Remarks: This report is the revised one of the first report, the researches having been made all the newspapers concerned during the period as prescribed. The number of circulation as being reported 73,000-77,500 in the first report should be corrected as 3,000-7,300.

JAPAN TIMES

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.20

Name of Newspaper — The Jooetsu Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 4.800

Article (one example) — Date - November 7, 1941

Title - We need not warry about "Encirclement"

Writer - HIRATA, Sanaye

Gist - We can't afford to neglect the A.B.C.D. Encirclement policy which stands in the way to the realization of the establishment of the Greater East Asiatic Co-Prosperity Shpere. The Whole Nation, the Government and the people together, has a firm determination and are watchfully waiting. In considering the way by which Japan achieved the great victory against China and Russia in 1895 and 1905 respectively, we are sure that the whole Japan will unite to fight through the difficulties successfully.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	
1940	
1941	28
TOTAL	28

Remarks: The Jooetsu Shinbunsha was the product of the amalgamation of two newspaper companies - the Takada Nipposha and the Takada Shinbunsha on November 1, 1940. The said company became, on November 1, 1942, the Niigata Nipposha, being amalgamated with the Niigataken Chuoo Shinbunsha and the Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha.

JOETSU SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.21

Name of Newspaper — The Joomoo Nichinichi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 1.500

Article

Remarks: The Joomoo Nichinichi Shinbunsha was incorporated, together with five other newspaper companies within the same prefecture, with the Joomoo Shinbunsha in October 1940.
No investigation is possible, as materials are lost, due to the war damage. Responsible persons says that there appeared on the said newspaper no articles violating SCAPIN No.548. No editorial column.

JOMO NICHINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.13

Name of Newspaper — The JOMO Shimbun

Number of circulation — 3.000 - 7.400

Article

Date - July 15, 1939

Name - The real meaning of anti-English movement.

WRITER - Unknown.

Gist - A mine of resources in Asia should be developed and served for promotion of the welfare of the eastern race under the new order or the East Asia. This is an economical meaning in China Incident.

The number of Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	-
1938	1
1939	3
1940	2
1941	4
Total	10

REMARKS:

JOMO SHIMBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.23

Name of Newspaper The Jooshu Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 680

Article

Remarks: The Jooshu Shinbunsha was incorporated, together with five other newspaper companies within the same prefecturai extent, with the Joomoo Shinbunsha in October, 1940.
The then Chief Editor was dead, although investigations are impossible, they think that no articles violating SCAPIN No.548 appeared thereon. No editorial column.

JOSHU SHINPOSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.22

Name of Newspaper The Joose Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 2.000

Article

Remarks: The Jomoo Shinbunsha became the Ibaragi Shinbunsha in February, 1942,, being amalgamated with the Ibaragisha.
No materials whatsoever are available.

JOSO SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No. 24

Name of Newspaper — The Kagawa Shinpō

Number of Circulation — 3,000

Article

Date - Sept. 11, 1938 Sunday Essay.

Title - Rebellions Professors of the Imperial Universities

Writer - Wada, Kaoru.

Gist - The autonomy of university is un-Japanese and unconstitutional. It is the nursery of admirers of democratic Europe and of communistic ideas. The Government must remove those rebellions professors.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	9
1938	6
1939	8
1940	8
1941	4
TOTAL	35

Remarks. In Feb. 1941, the Kagawa Shinpo and the Shikoku Minpo were incorporated into "the Kagawa Nichinichi Shinbun."
The name was changed to "the Shikoku Shinbun" in 1946.

KAGAWA SHINPO

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No. 25

Name of News paper — The Kagoshima Asahi Shinbun

Number of Circulation — 25,000

Article — Date - July 7, 1938. Editorial

Title - On the anniversary of the China Affair.

Writer -

Gist - The objective of the China Affair is to establish the lasting peace of the Far East.
We, renewing our resolution to accomplish our holy task, should rectify erroneous policies towards China of certain third Powers.

The numbers of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

1937	3
1938	16
1939	6
1940	14
1941	7
TOTAL	46

Remarks. In Feb. 1942, the Kagoshima Asahi and the Kagoshima Shinbun were incorporated into "the Kagoshima Nippo." The name was later changed to "the Minami Nihon Shinbun."

KAGOSHIMA ASAHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No. 26

Name of Newspaper — The Kagoshima Shinbun

Number of Circulation — 25,000

Article (one example) — Date - Jan 1, 1941 Editorial

Title - The World's New Order and Japan

Writer - Ōta, Masataka

Gist - Nothing is more desirable than to extend the present yen-bloc system towards the South Seas area. Japan should be strong enough to play a leading role in constructing such an international economic system. And to establish such a strong state, Japan should with her leadership combine with the South Seas area

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548		
	1937	18
	1938	21
	1939	15
	1940	28
	1941	27
	Total	109

Remarks — In Feb. 1942, the Kagoshima Shinbun and the Kagoshima Asahi Shinbun were incorporated into "the Kagoshima Nippo." The name was later changed to "the Minami Nippo Shinbun."

KAGOSHIMA SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.14

Name of Newspaper — The KAHOKU Shimpo

Number of circulation — 35,000 - 39,000

Article

Date - Nov. 7, 1940 Editorial

Name - Self-supporting economy and Japanese standing.

WRITER - Unknown.

Gist - Present aim of Japan, Germany and Italy is to establish a self-supporting economic system by throwing out economic slavery which had continued past many centries. Japan is standing as the leader of Asia and so with her original idea she should establish Asiatic economic system which combines Japan, Manchuria and China. We must all understand that the fate of Asia is the fate of Japan and should do our best.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	2
1938	4
1939	6
1940	5
1941	6
Total	23

REMARKS:

KAHOKU SHIMPO

NO.28

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

Name of newspaper: The Kanagawa Nichinichi Shinbun-sha

Number of circulation: 8000

Article

Remarks: The paper was called the Yokohama Boeki Shimpoo-sha until august 1941. The paper became the Kanagawa Shinbunsha in February 1942, being amalgamated with the Kanagawa Shinbunsha. Investigation is impossible as no materials are available.

KANAGAWA NICHINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.27

Name of Newspaper The Kanagawaken Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 10.000

Article

Remarks: The paper was called the Yokosuka Nichinichi Shinbunsha until August, 1941. The paper became the Kanagawa Shinbunsha in February, 1942, being incorporated with the Kanagawa Nichinichi Shinbunsha. Investigations are impossible, as no materials are available.

KANAGAWAKEN SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.29

Name of Newspaper The Kanazawa Shinpoosha

Number of circulation 1.000

Article

Reamrks: The Kanazawa Shinpoosha was incorporated with the Hokkoku Shinbunsha in May, 1939.
No materials are available. It is impossible to investigate.

KANAZAWA SHINPOSHA

No.30

Article violating SCAPIN No. 548

Name of Newspaper	The Kanmon Nichinichi Shinbun
Number of Circulation	12,000 - 16,500
Article (one example)	Date - June 5, 1940 Editorial
	Title - The U.S.A.'s Embargo Raw Materials.
	Writer - Kato, Shichigoro
	Gist - Although the U.S.A. is waging on economic warfare against Japan, we need not worry about it, because, as a result of our economic cooperation with Manchuria and China, we are sure to gradually get what we want. However, it is a matter of indiguation that America should adopt an appressive attitude towards us.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	29
1938	50
1939	55
1940	104
1941	63
Total	301

Remarks On Feb. 1, 1942, the Kanmon Nichinichi Shinbun was incorporated with the Bocho Shinbun.

KANMON NICHINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO. 31

Name of Newspaper The Kwansai Chuoo Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 150.000

Articles (one example)

Remarks: The Kwansai Chuoo Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Evening Edition Osaka Shinbunsha in March, 1940. The Evening Edition Osaka Shinbunsha became the Osaka Shinbunsha, incorporating with the Osaka Jiji Shinposha on June 1, 1942. There are no articles available. The then responsible publisher says from his memory that there is no article violating SCAPIN No.548.

KANSAI CHUO SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.15

Name of Newspaper — The KITA NIHON Shimbun

Number of circulation — 34,000

Article — Date - March 9, 1941 Editorial

Name - Japan should march southward.

WRITER - Nagata, Ryu

Gist - The colonies of East Asia, especially those in the South Seas have been thrown into general conflagration. Taking opportunity by the forelock, America will grasp those colonies. There is no doubt that they will be taken over by America if Japan does not march southward.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	-
1938	-
1939	-
1940	5
1941	20
Total	25

REMARKS: Established in July 31, 1940

KITA NIHON SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.16

Name of Newspaper — The KOBE Shimbun

Number of circulation — 70.000

Article

Date - Aug. 26, 1941 Editoral

Name - Break through investing armies.

Gist - As America, British, China and Dutch East Indies have mobilized their armies against Japan, we must prepare to defeat them. Under such delicate international circumstances opportunities for development in the situation knock but only once.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	5
1938	10
1939	11
1940	13
1941	14
Total	53

REMARKS:

KOBE SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.17

Name of Newspaper — The KOCHI Shimbun

Number of circulation — 22.000 - 49.000

Article — Date - Sept. 26, 1940 Editorial

Name - The Nation's resolution.

WRITER - Tamura, Jensen

Gist - After the Capital was transferred to Chungking, Chiang Kai Shek Government continued the war against Japan, because America was giving aid from behind. America also is giving an impetus to Japanese people on the problems of Pacific Ocean.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	-
1938	-
1939	-
1940	3
1941	1
Total	4

REMARKS: As the materials were destroyed by the war, invertigation was made by a partial material.

KOCHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No. 32

Name of Newspaper — The Kokumin Shinbun

Number of circulation — 115,000

Article

Date - Nov. 11, 1941.

Title - On War.

Writer -

Gist - War is the mother of new order, and it is necessary to resort to war for the creative of new civilization. Since Hakko Ichiu, the guiding priciple of the Japanese race is the highest ideal, there will be no race that will not come under it. Every branch of Japanese life must be reorganized under totaliterian war.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	19
1938	17
1939	24
1940	17
1941	36
Total	113

Remarks — On Nov. 10, 1942, the Kokumin Shinbun and the Miyako Shinbun were incorporated into "the Tokyo Shinbun."

KOKUMIN SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.33

Name of Newspaper The Kozuke Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 880

Article

Remarks: The Kozuke Shinbunsha was incorporated, together with five other newspaper companies within the same prefecture, with the Joomoo Shinbunsha in October, 1940.
No materials are available. Responsible persons say that they did not remember any articles violating SCAPIN No.548 appeared thereon.
No edditorial column.

KOZUKE SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No. 34

Name of Newspaper	The Kyoto Hinode Shimbun.
Number of Circulation	17,000 - 18,000
One example	Date - Jan. 11, 1940. Editorial Title - Guiding principle for the Settlement of the China Affair. Writer - Tanaka, Naokichi Gist - No settlement shall be made that will destroy the significance of the China Affair. Our guiding policy with regard to East Asia is to establish cooperative relation among Japan, Manchuokuo, and China.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.508		
	1937	2
	1938	2
	1939	11
	1940	36
	1941	28
	Total	79

Remarks. On April 1, 1942, the Kyoto Hinode and the Kyoto Nichinichi were incorporated into "the Kyoto Shinbun".

KYOTO HINODE SHIMBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No. 35

Name of Newspaper — The Kyoto Nichinichi Shinbun

Number of circulation — 19,000

Article (one example) — Date - July 5, 1940. Editorial.

Title -

Writer -

Gist - The imperialism of England and France shall be ban[illegible] from East Asia. There colonies in East Asia shall be [illegible]free. Japan's ideal is to realize the ~~abo~~ above.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548		
	1937	4
	1938	6
	1939	12
	1940	29
	1941	60
	Total	111

Remarks — On April 1, 1942, the Kyoto Nichinichi and the Kyoto Hinode were incorporated into "the Kyoto Shinbun."

KYOTO NICHINICHI SHINBUN

No. 37

Article violating SCAPIN No 548

Name of Newspaper — The Kyushu Nichinichi Shinbun

Number of circulation — 9,000 - 14,000

Article (one example)

Date - May 11,1940. Editorial

Title - The National League for the Estiblishment of East Asia (Toa Kensetsu Kokumin Renmai) has been inaugurated.

Writer -

Gist - The aims of the National League for the Establishment of East Asia are to establish such state system as will enable the combination of powerful leadership and the nations's loyalty, and to help realize the purpose of the holy war, the constructionly new order of East Asia.
These objectives should never be a mere slogn, but must be materialized.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	22
1938	11
1939	7
1940	15
1941	15
Total	70

Remarks. On March 30, 1942, the Kyushu Nichinichi Shubun and the Kyushu Shinbun were incorporated into "the Kumamoto Nichinichi Shimbun."

KYUSHU NICHINICHI SHINBUN

No. 36

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

Name of Newspaper — The Kyūshu Nippo

Number of circulation — 34,600

Article — Date - July 28, 1940

Title - (Short Comment)

Writer -

Gist - It is a well known fact that America intends to prohibit the export of oil and scap iron to Japan. The only way left for Japan is to establish the East Asia economic bloc including the South Seas area, thereby obtaining new resonrees of oil and iron. Now we must act.

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The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	55
1938	21
1939	54
1940	96
1941	54
Total	280

Remarks. On Aug. 10, 1942, the Kyushu Nippo and the Fukuoka Nichinichi Shinbun were incorporated into "the Nishi Nihon Shinbun."

KYUSHU NIPPO

No.38

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

Name of Newspaper — The Kyushu Shinbun

Number of circulation — 9,000 - 14,000

Article (one example)

Date - Feb. 15, 1940. Editorial.

Title - What the political solution will be.

Writer-

Gist - Although the facts about the ease of U.S. Panama are not made public yet, it is generally assumed as a matter of common sense that the Japanese government has demanded the British Government Hisaome assurance for the future. The settlement of the matter is political. Wheither or not Great Britain will accede to the Japanese claim, we will watch through our Diet.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

1937	3
1938	3
1939	6
1940	4
1941	3
Total	19

Remarks — On March 30, 1942, the Kyushu Shinbun and the Kyushu Nichinichi were incorporated into "the Kumamoto Nichinichi Shinbun."

KYUSHU SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.18-A

Name of Newspaper — The MAINICHI Shimbun

Number of circulation — 1.273.790 - 1.805.450

Article — Date - Aug. 14, 1937 The Tokyo Nichinichi Shimbun, Editorial

Name - We demand the Government determination.

WRITER - Unknown.

Gist - Peace in the East will not be expected so long as Chiang Kai Shek Government does not abandon anti-Japanese policy. To ensure peace in the East the Japanese Government should have the firm determination to settle the question by real power.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	24
1938	32
1939	64
1940	77
1941	135
Total	332

REMARKS:

MAINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.18-D

Name of Newspaper — The MAINICHI Shimbun (English edition)

Number of circulation — 7.870 - 9.200

Article — Date - July 13, 1937 Editorial

Name - The Aim of Dispatching Troop to North China.

WRITER - Unknown.

Gist - So long as China does not correct her deliberate provocative atlitude against us, we must declare it is not only infortunate for China, but also for the peace of East Asia, because it will bring about a really deplorable situation.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	14
1938	7
1939	6
1940	8
1941	9
Total	44

REMARKS:

MAINICHI SHINBUN — English

Article violating SCAPIN No.548

No.18-B

Name of Newspaper — The Mainichi Shimbun, Osaka

Number of circulation — 846.490 - 1.101.800

Article (one example) — Date - August 10, 1937 Contribution

Name - To fight and bring her knees is the best way.

Writer - General SUGIYAMA, Army Minister

Gist - There is no room of improving the present situation by negotiation. China, reinforcing her strength day by day, is now taking provocative attitude and anti-Japan policy firmly taking ground all over China. It is beyond our control. It seems that the best way to solve the situation is to fight and bring her to her knees.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	34
1938	45
1939	65
1940	72
1941	78
TOTAL	294

Remarks

MAINICHI SHINBUN, OSAKA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.18-E.

Name of Newspaper — The Mainichi Shinbun, Western District

Number of circulation — 290.670 - 644.170

Article (one example)

Date - September 3, 1937

Title - Is protracted fighting against Japan possible?

Writer - AKISADA, Kakuzo

Gist - The protracted fighting against Japan means the destruction of China herself. It is inevitable that Soviet Russia, pursuing her policy of agression will succeed in converting Chinese soldiers.into Communist-blended bandits in the near future.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	17
1938	30
1939	11
1940	8
1941	0
TOTAL	66

Remarks

MAINICHI SHINBUN - Western District

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.39

Name of Newspaper	The Mino Taisho Shinbunsha
Number of circulation	3.000 - 5.000
Article	

Remarks: The Mino Taisho Shinbunsha became the Gifu Godo Shinbunsha, amalgamating with the Gifu Nichinichi Shinbunsha in January 1942. (On February 11, 1946 the name is changed to the Gifu Times sha) Owing to the war damage, there are no materials available.

MINO TAISHO SHINBUNSHA

No. 40

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

Name of Newspaper — The Miyako Shinbun

Number of circulation — 100,000

Article — Date - Nov. 28, 1939

Title - The new relation of Japan and America.

Writer -

Gist - America's oppressive attitude will only be furthered if we submit to her pressure. The adjustment of relations between the two countries is desired, but not at the cost of fundamental principles for the establishment of the new order of East Asia. Asia for Asiatics. Japan should try every defensive means in order to break through America's economic blockade. Japan should establish a large military, political, and economic bloc, which will be self-sufficient in raw materials.

The numbe of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	7
1938	14
1939	8
1940	9
1941	10
Total	48

Remarks — The Miyako Shinbun and the Kokumin Shinbun were incorporated into "the Tokyo Shinbun" on Nov. 10, 1942.

MIYAKO SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.41

Name of Newspaper	The Miyako Shinbunsha
Number of circulation	1.000
Article (one example)	Date - July 19, 1939
	Title - We Expect to drive out unpardonable notorious Britain. Sacrifice of Imperial soldiers shall not be in vain.
	Writer - unknown
	Gist - The reason why Chiang Kai Shek can manage still to eke out his existence is the fact that he has China-helping Great Britain, Soviet Russia and France as her Background. It is also the cause of prolongation of the Incident, thereby causing so many sacrifices.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	3
1940	6
1941	18
TOTAL	**27**

Remarks: The Miyako Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Shiniwatesha in November 1941.

MIYAKO SHINBUNSHA

No.42

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

Name of Newspaper — The Muroran Mainichi Shinbun.

Number of Circulation — 13,000

Article

Date - Aug. 12, 1940. Editorial

Title - The Mission to Establish the Greater East Asia Coprosperity Sphere is to be interpreted as to include not only Manchukuo China, French-Indochina, Thailand, Burma, British India, Dutch East Indies, but also Australia, New Zealand etc. The realization of this Sphere is a holy mission, though very difficult, to be fulfilled by the Japanese.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	
1938	
1999	
1940	12
1941	
TOTAL	12

Remarks. In Nov. 1942, the Muroran Mainichi and other ten newspaper publishing companies in Hokkaido were incorporated into "the Hokkaido Shinbun."

MURORAN MAINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

No.43

Name of Newspaper — The Muroran Nippō

Number of Circulation — 17,000

Article

Date - Oct. 20, 1941, Review of Current Events

Title - Expectation towards the Present Government

Writer - Tanimura, Kiijiro

Gist - It is most enviable that Fascists of Italy and Nazists of Germany have been waging war with consistent policy. He must also follow them. The time has come to deal a Blow to any country who may interfere with our great mission of establishing East Asia Corprosperity Sphere.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	
1938	
1939	
1940	
1941	14
TOTAL	14

Remarks. In Nov. 1942, the Muroran Nippō and other ten newspaper publishing companies were incorporated into "the Hokkaido Shinbun."

MURORAN NIPPO

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.22

Name of Newspaper	The Nagasaki Minyushinbun
Number of circulation	15.260
Article (one example)	Date - January 1, 1941 "Contribution"
	Title - To serve country with total effort and sincerity is the only way to save the difficult situation.
	Writer - OKADA, Jukichi
	Gist - The year 1941 is the year, pregnant with imprecedented difficulties and consequences. In greeting New Year, all Japanese must know thoroughly the international situations and real Japan

The number of Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	
1940	2
1941	23
TOTAL	25

Remarks. Only material available are those from December of 1940 to December of 1941 inclusive (except five days' materials which are lacking)

NAGASAKI MINYU SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.23

Name of Newspaper The Nagasaki Nichinichi Shinbun

Number of circulation 15.000

Article (one example) Date - April 2 1940 Editorial

Name - One situation in New Order

Writer -

Gist - From the standpoint of our country, the most important objective is to make China really peaceful nation, thereby realizing the Renaissance of All Asia. It is not only the Japanese and Chinese subjects who will be benefited by the realization of such a state, but also all races of the world will share the blesssing resulting therefrom.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	8
1938	1
1939	19
1940	18
1941	17
TOTAL	63

Remarks: The Nagasaki Nichinichi Shinbun Co., Ltd. became a separate entity from the Nagasaki Shinbun as from December 9, 1946, the first issue of the newspaper appeared in that day. The present report concerned with the old Nagasaki Shinbun which was united with the Nagasaki Shinbun on April 5, 1942.

NAGASAKI NICHINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No.44

Name of Newspaper	The Nagoya Shinbun.
Number of Circulation	260,000
Article (one example)	Date - July 19, 1937. Editorial
	Title- Our People's Ideas about the Continent.
	Writer -
	Gist - It can't be overlooked that since the Manchurian Incident our continental policy has been admitted in foreign countries as well as in this country. Our actibities in North China has now become more than a common sence among our people. It can be said that the insular ideas of our people are now being transformed.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548		
	1937	7
	1938	21
	1939	23
	1940	25
	1941	24
	TOTAL	100

Remarks In 1942, the Nagoya Shinbun and the Shin Aichi Shinbun were incorporated into "the Chubu Nihon Shinbun."

NAGOYA SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No.45

Name of Newspaper	The Nara Nichinichi Shinbun	
Number of circulation	7,000	
Article (one example)	Date - July 29, 1941 Editorial	
	Title - Our Determination	
	Writer - _____	
	Gist - The world situation is such than we can hardly expect the successful settlement of the China Affair without considering the possibility of world war. The Japanese diplomacy should manifest itself most positively and independently.	
The number of articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.	1937	
	1938	
	1939	
	1940	
	1941	22
	Total	22
Remarks	On Jan. 1st, 1941, the Nara Shinbun, the Yamato Nippo, and the Chuwa Shinbun were incorporated into "the Nara Nichinichi Shinbun".	

NARA NICHINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.46

Name of Newspaper — The Niigataken Chuoo Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 20.000

Article (one example) — Date - Octob er 22, 1941, Editorial

Title - Address to the New Tojo Cabinet

Writer - NISHIGATA, Inakichi

Gist - The formation of Tojo Cabinet gave the people fresh impetus. The New Premier, in his first broadcast address, made clear that the immutable policy of our Empire is to achieve the successful solution of the China Incident and the establishment of the Greater East Asia Co-Prosperity Sphere, thereby contributing to the World peace. We faced the critical situations successfully at the times of the Sino-Japan and Russo-Japanese War by the harmonious unity of purpose and determination. In order to go through the present difficulties, we need not only the united nation in her determination and effort, but also the Government, able enough to lead the people with iron will to the hopeful prospect.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	
1940	
1941	5
TOTAL	5

Remarks: The Niigataken Chuoo Shinbunsha is the product of amalgamation of the Hokuetsu Shinposha and the Essa Shinposha dated December 1940. The said company afterwards became the Niigata Nipposha, November 1, 1942, being amalgamated with the Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha and the Joetsu Shinbunsha.

NIIGATA CHUO SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No. 47

Name of Newspaper — The Niigata Mainichi Shinbun

Number of circulation — 29,000

Article

Date - Sept. 5, 1937. Editorial

Title - For the sake of International Justice

Writer - Asakai, Kinichi (the deceased)

Gist - The peace-lovingness of our nation shall never be inferior to that of any other people. The chinese anti-foreign activities for the last many years disturb the peace of the world. Great Britain considers unjust and improper what may be inconsistent with her interests. However, we shall no longer accept a justice made in England.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	11
1938	3
1939	3
1940	7
1941	
Total	24

Remarks — On Aug. 1, 1941, the Niigata Mainichi Shinbun, after incorporating the Niigata Shinbun, established the Niigata Nichinichi Shinbun, In Nov. 1942, the Niigata Nichinichi Shinbun, the Niigataken Chuo Shinbun, and the Joetsu Joyetsu Shinbun were incorporated into "the Niigata Nippo."

NIIGATA MAINICHI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.48

Name of Newspaper — The Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 55.000

Article (one example)

Date - August 19, 1941 Editorial

Title - Equal opportunity and the co-prosperity sphere.

Writer - HOSHINO, Ryohei

Gist - Nations of the World adopted the self-Supporting economic policy. The said policy did not start with the War, but the nations concerned made studious planning long before the war actually started. The adopted such semi-wartime system as high tariff policy and barter system. It is only nature such system was being strengthened since the opening of the War. Whatever fate the War may bring, it is expected that the peace movement will be advocated quite strongly as in the post-war time and it is clear that the said movement will have the establishment of higher national defence state as the means of the realization of the objective of the said peace movement.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	
1940	
1941	21
TOTAL	21

Remarks: The Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha was established by the amalgamation of the Niigata Mainichi Shinbunsha and the Niigata Shinbunsha, on August 1, 1941. The Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha amalgamated with the Niigataken Chuoo Shinbunsha and Jooetsu Shinbunsha, into the Niigata Nipposha on November 1, 1942.

NIIGATA NICHINICHI SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.49

Name of Newspaper — The Niigata Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 12.000

Article (one example)

Date - January 9, 1938 Editorial

Title - Wartime Japan

Writer - HOSHINO, Ryohei

Gist - Chiang Kai Shek is preparing for the protracted warfare, relying upon the help from Anglo-American countries. Consequently the Incident will not end in the near future and the amount of expenditure, necessary for carrying out a long warfare would be great. It is urgently necessary, therefore, to establish the firm wartime system in every sphere of administration. The increase of military expenditure will invite the increase of taxes and the burden of the mass will increase. It is also necessacy to put the control of consumption into practice, owing to the necessity of acquiring the necessary War materials.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	10
1939	4
1940	2
1941	
TOTAL	16

Remarks: The Niigata Shinbunsha, amalgamating with the Niigata Mainichi Shinbunsha, became the Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha on August 1, 1941. (The Niigata Nichinichi Shinbunsha afterward became the Niigata Nippoaha on November 1, 1942, being amalgamated with the Niigatsken Chuoo Shinbunsha and the Jocetsu Shinbunsha.)

NIIGATA SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.50

Name of Newspaper The Nikkan Iwatesha

Number of circulation 1.000

Article (one exampale)

Remarks: The Nikkan (Daily) Iwatesha was incorporated into the Shiniwatesha in November 1941. It is impossible to make any investigations, as all materials were burnt, owing to the War.

NIKKAN IWATESHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.51

Name of Newspaper — The Nikkan Yamagata

Number of circulation — 5.200

Article (one example)

Date - June 29, 1938

Title - East, West, South and North

Writer - SUGANO, Yaichi

Gist - By making Japan the leader of the East Asia, Germany can firmly establish her East Asiatic policy. This is the real main road for the peace of the East. Anglo-American nations should reconsider their attitude of helping the dying patient.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	11
1938	10
1939	
1940	
1941	
TOTAL	21

Remarks: The Nikkan Yamagatasha was incorporated into the Yamagata Shinbunsha in December 1939.

NIKKAN YAMAGATA

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No.21

Name of Newspaper — The Nipponkai Shinbun

Number of circulation — 6.000

Article

Date - May 29, 1941

Name - Japan's policy for China Incident

Writer - Unknown

Gist -- Japan should give assistance to stabilize the Wang Ching-wei Government. The stabilization of Wang Ching-wei Government is sure means of settling the China Incident. We must endeavor to let the powerful countries recognize it.

The number of violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	
1938	
1939	23
1940	166
1941	227
TOTAL	466

Remarks: Jiho Sha, the Tottori Shimpo Sha and the Sanin Nichi-nichi Sha were incorporated into one newspaper called "the Nipponkai Shinbun Sha".

NIPPONKAI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.19

Name of Newspaper — The NIPPON KEIZAI Shimbun

Number of circulation — 110,000 - 144,600

Article — Date - Feb. 5, 1941 Chugai Shogyo Shimpo, Editorial

'Name - The East Asia Cooperation Body and the Dutch East Indies government.

WRITER - Matsuda, Reisuke

Gist - East Asia Cooperation Body aims not only to emanipate the nations under the pressure in the East, but aims to live and let live. We must go through fire and water to carry out this work. We can not understand the intentions of the Dutch East Indies Government, which stands against our ideas.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	-
1938	3
1939	3
1940	4
1941	4
Total	14

REMARKS: "The Nippon Keizai Shimbun" was called as "The Chugai Shogyo Shimbun "in the period of investigation required.

NIPPON KEIZAI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.52

Name of Newspaper The Omi Nichinichi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 2.000 - 2.500

Article

Remarks: This newspaper was called the Goshu Nichinichi Shinbunsha until November 1940. In August, 1942, the Omi Nichinichi Shinbunsha became the Shiga Shimbunsh, being amalgamated with the Omi Shinpoosha.
No materials whatsoever are available. It is impossible to investigate into the matter.

OMI NICHINICHI SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.53

Name of Newspaper The Omi Shinpoosha

Number of circulation 2.000 - 2.500

Article

Remarks: The Omi Shimpoosha became the Shiga Shinbunsha in August 1942, being amalgamated with the Omi Nichinichi Shinbunsha.
No investigations are possible, as no materials are available.

OMI SHINPOSHA

Articles violat ng SCAPIN No.548

No.54

Name of Newspaper — The Osaka Jiji Shimpoo

Number of circulation

Article (one example)

Date - June 25, 1940

Title - What does the American enter into the War mean?

Writer - MUTO, Teiichi

Gist - We can't be any more so optimistic as to predicate no war between Japan and America, because the positive expansive intentions of the American Government would, as far as the Pacific Ocean is concerned, regard Japan as the Greatest obstacle. In order to achieve her intentions, America is making her efforts for the enforcement of the naval and air force. It does not necessarily mean the inevitability of the war. However, we must now face courageously the worst situation to come.

The Number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	1
1940	12
1941	12
TOTAL	25

Remarks: The Osaka Jijishimpooshal became the Osaka Shinbunsha, being amalgamated with the Yukan (Evening Edition) Osaka Shinbunsha, on June 1, 1942.

OSAKA JIJI SHIMPO

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.18-C

Name of Newspaper — The Semi-monthly "Osaka-Mainichi in Chinese".

Number of circulation — 40.000 - 93.000

Article (one example)

Date - February 15, 1939

Name - The only way by which Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek may save the critical situation

Writer - TAKEGOSHI, Yosaburo

Gist - Mr. Wang Ching Wei who appeared in Hanoi in French-Indo China, after having escaped Chungking is a real patriot, new-born China comparable only with Mr. Ito Hakubun, Inouye Kaoru at the time of Meiji Restoration in Japan. By the fact of Mr. Wang's leaving Chungking camp, it is hopely and inevitably expected that the Shino-Japanese relations will be improved. Generalissimo Chiang Kai Shek, anticipating the intrigue and manoeuvre of the Communist party, should, without taking the policy of cooperating with the Soviet Russia, listen carefully to the opinion of Mr. Wang Chin Wei, and appoint him at Hanoi at present, as Ambassador Plenipotentiary to let him go to Hongkong to improve the situation.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548.

1937	0
1938	6
1939	22
1940	27
1941	23
TOTAL	28

OSAKA MAINICHI SHINBUN - Tokyo

Article violating SCAPIN No.548

NO. 56/ 55

Name of Newspaper The Osaka Nichinichi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 20.000

Article (one example)

Remarks: The Osaka Nichinichi Shinbunsha is amalgamated to the Eveining Edition Osaka Shinbunsha in March, 1940. The Evening Edition Osaka Shinbunsha became the Osaka Shinbunsha, incorporating the Osaka Jiji Shimposha on June 1, 1942. There are materials available. The then responsible publisher says from his memory that there is no article violating SCAPIN No.548.

OSAKA NICHINICHI SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

No.56

Name of Newspaper — The Otaru Shinbun

Number of Circulation — 55,000 - 70,000

Article (one example) — Date - Nov. 20, 1941. Short Comment

Title -

Writer - Kigawa, Hokushu

Gist - The result of Japanese American negotiation depends upon America's attitude. America should recognize Japan's position in East Asia. Should America come to recognize this, either assistance of Chungking or encirclement policy against Japan would become meaningless.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548.

1937	7
1938	10
1939	6
1940	32
1941	21
TOTAL	76

Remarks. In Nov. 1942, the Otaru Shinbun and other ten newspaper publishing companies in Hokkaido were incorporated into "the Hokkaido Shinbun".

OTARU SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.57

Name of Newspaper The Ryomoo Orimono Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 1.000

Article

Remarks: The Ryomoo Orimono Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Joomoo Shinbunsha with five other newspaper companies within the same prefecture in October, 1940.
No materials are available. Responsible persons say that they did not remember any articles violating SCAPIN No.548 appearing thereon. No editorial column.

RYOMO ORIMONO SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.58

Name of Newspaper — The Ryou Asahi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 2.000

Article

Reamrks: The newspaper was incorporated into the Sakata Mainichi Shinbunsha in January, 1941 and the Sakata Mainichi Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Yamagata Shinbunsha in February, 1942.
Mere local paper - no editorial and no comment.

RYOU ASAHI SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO.59

Name of Newspaper	**The Saga Mainichi Shinbunsha**
Number of circulation	**1.000**
Article (one example)	Date - July 24, 1937 Editorial
	Title - The Claims of To-day
	Writer - SHIMIZU, Yoshitaro
	Gist - England is the power which disturbs, more than any other nation, the peace in the East Asia inflaming the Anti-Japanese movement and obstracts the advancement of Japan.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	56
1938	22
1939	53
1940	103
1941	54
TOTAL	**288**

Remarks: The Saga Mainichi Shinbunsha is the same Newspaper company with the Kyushu Nipposha and became the Nishinippon Shinbunsha, being amalgamated with the Fukuoka Nichinichi Shinbunsha on August 10, 1942.

SAGA MAINICHI SHINBUNSHA

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Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548

No 27

Name of Newspaper The Saga Shinbun

Number of Circulation 2.700 - 5.700

Article

Date - May 15, 1940 Editorial

Name - Liberal ideas of the statesman.

Writer - Unknown.

Gist - Japanese nation keenly feels the necessity of an absolute dictatorship and the present situation would not be settled unless liberalism is cleared up. Most important things in politics of Japan are the strong control power and the wise dictatorial power. One wise arbitary decision is better than the brains of 460 members of the House of Representatives.

The number of violating SCAPIN No. 548

1937	2
1938	11
1939	6
1940	7
1941	38
TOTAL	64

Remarks: In November 1938 the Saga Maiyu Shinbun, after incorporating the Saga Shinbun, altered its name to the Saga Shinbun. In May 1941 the Saga Shinbun and the Saga Nichinichi Shinbun were combined and the name of the newspaper was changed into the Saga Godo Shinbun, and in May 1944 altered its name to the Saga Shinbun.

SAGA SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.60

Name of Newspaper The Sakata Mainichi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 3.000

Article

Remarks: The Sakata Mainichi Shinbusnsha was incorporated into the Yamagata Shinbunsha in February 1942. Only local news - no editorial and no comment.

SAKATA MAINICHI SHINBUN SHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.61

Name of Newspaper — The Sakata Shinbunsha

Number of circulation — 1.000 - 1.200

Article (one example) — Date - April 27, 1939

Title - The Truth of the New order of the Rising Asia.

Writer - TAKEMURA, Tsuneji

Gist - The reason why we have resorted to the military power is not to annihilate the enemy, as it was at the time of the First European War, but to make the leading personage of the enemy to reconsider their attitude, and to unite Japan and China cordially by the Imperial way. Any nations obstructing this holy aim should be punished by all means. It is the war of righteousness.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	1
1939	1
1940	
1941	
TOTAL	2

Remarks: The Sakata Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Sakata Mainichi Shinbunsha in January 1941 and the Sakata Mainichi Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Yamagata Shinbun in February 1942.

SAKATA SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.62

Name of Newspaper — The Sakata Shinpoosha

Number of circulation — 100

Article (one example) — Date - March 9, 1939 "One Topic One Day"

Title - Anglo-America policy of helping Chiang Kai Shek became more explicit.

Writer - Kandosei

Gist - The real object in the China Incident is not China, but England, America and France and the real enemy is the Jewish financial circles behind those countries which are responsible for the movement of stopping war materials from being sent to Japan and of excluding Japanese goods from the world market and also for anti-Japanese movement.

The number of articles violating SCAPIN No.548

1937	
1938	
1939	4
1940	
1941	
TOTAL	4

Remarks: The Sakata Nipposha was in corporated into the Sakata Mainichi Shinbunsha in January, 1941 and the Sakata Mainichi Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Yamagata Shinbunsha in February, 1942.

SAKATA SHINPOSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.28

Name of Newspaper	The Saitama Shinbun
Number of circulation	4.000
Articles violating SCAPIN No.548	None

Remarks. Only a few papers are available. Although it is difficult to investigate, there is no article violating SCAPIN No.548, as far as the materials available are concerned. This newspaper company started in October, 1940 after incorporating the Saitama Nipposha, the Bushu Shinposha and the Omiya Yukansha.

SAITAMA SHIN BUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

No.24

Name of Newspaper	The Sangyokeizai Shinbun
Number of circulation	11.000

Article violating SCAPIN No.548 — None

Remarks. Formerly this newspaper company was called the Nippon Kogyo Shinbunsha and in October, 1942 incorporated the Osakakeizai Shinbunsha etc. and November 1 of the same year, its name is altered the present one.

As all the materials were burnt out, it is impossible to make my investigations whatsoever.

SANGYO KEIZAI SHINBUN

Articles violating SCAPIN No.548

NO. 64

Name of Newspaper The Sariku Nichinichi Shinbunsha

Number of circulation 1.000

Article (one example)

Remarks: The Sanriku Nichinichi Shinbunsha was incorporated into the Shiniwatesha in November 1941. No materials are available, owing to the war-damage.

SANRIKU NICHINICHI SHINBUNSHA

Articles violating SCAPIN No. 548.

No.63

Name of Newspaper — The Sanyin Shinbun

Number of Circulatien — 4,000

Article — Date - Sept. 29 1940 — Editorial.

Title - The Conclusion of the Triple Alliance Treaty.

Writer -

'ist - Germany and Italy who are fighting for the construction of new order of Europe, and Japan who is striving for the establishment of new order of East Asia, have entirely the same mission and art look respectively.
It is the solemn duty of the three powers to share the common destiny and responsibility for the creation of the new ideal of the world.

The number of article violating SCAPIN No. 548		
	1937	
	1938	
	1939	
	1940	9
	1941	
	TOTAL	9

Remarks — In Jan. 1942, the Sanyin Shinbun and the Shoyo Shinpo were incorporated into the Shimane Shinbun. No other materials than for 1940 are available.

SANYIN SHINBUN