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Appointment of Five Members of the Reparations and
Institution Delegation

G-2

GDC/B

13 March 1947

1. The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded for your information.

2. Records in G-2 General Liaison indicate that:

a. Mr. Wu Bannong (Pan-nung), Chief, Third (Economic) Section of the Chinese Mission, graduated from Chin Hua University in China and Columbia University in the United States, majoring in Economics.

b. Maj. General Lee Dai-chen, assigned to Third Section of the Chinese Mission, is considered a technical expert in the Ordnance of the Chinese Army. He was graduated from Japanese Imperial University and Harvard University.

c. Mr. Chow Mao-ha, assigned to the Third Section of the Chinese Mission, is a shipping engineer, and was educated in Germany. He represented the Chinese Government in the United States in matters pertaining to shipping during the war. He is at the present time on temporary duty in China.

d. Mr. Wang Zu-fong, assigned to the Third Section of the Chinese Mission, was graduated from Nan-yang University in Shanghai and Glasgow University, Scotland. He is at the present time on temporary duty in China.

e. Mr. Hsueh Chi-ming is not assigned to the Chinese Mission as yet. He is now in China. He was educated in the United States in Chemical Engineering.

3. Information copies of this letter have been distributed to NSS, GPC and Dip. Sect.

1 Incl:
Ltr Chinese Mission
Ref. 274/ST, 11 Mar 47.

C.A.W.

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CHINESE MISSION IN JAPAN
TOKYO

March 11, 1947

Ref. No. 274/ST

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Appointment of Five Members of the Reparation and Restitution Delegation

TO: General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for Allied Powers
Attention: Brig.-Gen. W. K. Harrison, Jr.

1. Reference is made in the following:
 - a. Memorandum to Chinese Mission AG 387.6 (18 Oct 46) CPC, 18 October, 1946, subject "Reparation & Restitution Delegation" from General Headquarters, SCAP.
 - b. Letter to General MacArthur, Supreme Commander for Allied Powers, January 23, 1947 from Lt. General Chu Shih-ming, Chief of Chinese Mission, subject "Appointment of three members of the Delegation by Chinese Government."
2. Mr. Yun Chen, being unable to come to Tokyo, has resigned and three additional members have been recently appointed by the Chinese Government.
3. This Mission takes pleasure in informing you the names of the five members of the Chinese Delegation as follows:

Mr. Wu Bannong, Chief of the Delegation
Maj. General Lee Dai-chen
Mr. Chow Mao Ba
Mr. Wang Zu-fong
Mr. Hsueh Chi-ming

/s/ Yorkson C. T. Shen

Yorkson C. T. Shen
In Charge of
Chinese Mission in Japan

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 389

Date of
Correspondence 12 Mar 47

SUBJECT: Apprehension of Suspected War Criminal

Brief Summary of Document:

Apprehension & internment of Takahashi, Hideomi, Sgt., in Sugamo Prison has been completed; req Chinese Mission furnish disposition instructions covering this man.

Filed under: 000.5

File No. 000 - 040

Letter No. _____

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

CHECK SHEET

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File No.:

Subject: Location Of Two Ice Breakers

Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 7 March 1947

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 5 Mar 47.

2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 5 June 47.

3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to Chinese Mission.

EMS

E. C. M. Jr.

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Location of Two Ice Breakers

G-2

CFC

GB/GL
5 March 1947

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl

- 1. Ltr. Chinese Mission, #RC/066, 4 March 47.

C.A.W.

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March 4, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/066

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Location of 2 Ice Breakers

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian

1. 2 ice-breakers "Dairen Maru" and "Heton Maru" formerly located at Dairen Harbour were brought to Japan before the end of the war. Their whereabouts at present is unknown to us.

2. As Tangku-New Harbour is badly in need of them, you are requested to check their present position and favor us with all the informations available.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Koyee S. M. Ling
Acting Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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March 4, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/066

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

CHECK SHEET

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File No.:

Subject: Restitution of Books and Paintings on behalf of
Prof. Feng Chinan

Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 6 March 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 4 March 1947.
2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 4 June 1947.
3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to Chinese Mission.

SMPS
E. C. M. Jr. -----

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FAR EAST COMMAND

Restitution of Books and Paintings on Behalf of
Prof. Ferg Chin-nan

G-2

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CR/CL

4 March 1947

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded
as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl

- 1. Ltr. Chinese Mission,
#RC/661, 26 Feb 47 (with incl).

----- C.A.W. -----

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G-2 F/L

BTP/cs

February 26, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/061

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Books and Paintings On Behalf of
Prof. Feng Chin-nan

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian

1. Information has been received from Prof. Feng Chin-nan of Tsing Hua University, Peiping, that his books and paintings in Hongkong had been seized by the Japanese when military hostilities broke out in December 8, 1941.

2. Herewith attached please find one list of looted property belonging to Prof. Feng.

3. Kindly make investigation and effect restitution of same.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Koyee S. M. Ling
Acting Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

Enclosures

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1. Photographic Album Containing Pictures taken from Various Spots In The U.S.A., South Seas and China during His Travels in the Past Years.
4 large volumes
2. Famous Chinese Paintings (photographic copies printed by the Yu Tsen Printing Co. and other book stores)
over 20 volumes
3. American and European Famous Paintings
2 large volumes
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2 sets
8. Technical Books on Rocks and Economic Geology

Note: The above-mentioned articles were kept in a large American-made leather-iron trunk, the cover of which was of dark green colour painted with white paint 'K. L. Fong' and its Chinese translation. This trunk was covered with wooden planks when it was delivered to Hongkong from Peiping.

All books have been printed with the Chinese square seal in following characters:

Feng Hwai (冯淮)
Feng Ching-lan (冯景兰)

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

CHECK SHEET

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Request to stop sale of Products on Behalf of

Subject: Chinese Shareholders in Taiwan Sen-i Sehin
Tosei K K

File No.:

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Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 5 March 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 3 March.

2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 28 March.

3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to Chinese Mission.

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E. C. M. Jr.

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Request to Stop Sale of Products on Behalf of Chinese Shareholders of Taiwan San-i Sehin Tosei K.K.

G-2

GFC

3 March 1947

- 1. 1. The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.
- 2. Request Chinese Mission be notified through this section on any action taken.

1 Incl:
 Memo Chinese Mission
 Ref. RC/062, 27 Feb 47.

C.A.W.

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CHINESE MISSION IN JAPAN
TOKYO

February 27, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/062

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Request to Stop Sale of Products on Behalf of Chinese Shareholders of Taiwan Sen-i Sehin Tosei K.K.

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison Office, G-2

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian

1. Reference is made to our memorandum No. RC/054 of February 7, 1947, subject: Further Application of Taiwan Sen-i Sehin Tosei K.K. to dispose of its property.

2. The Chinese Mission has been told by Mr. Lin Ping Sun, representative of the Taiwanese shareholders of the said corporation, that SCAP, through its directive No. AG 095 (10 Jan 47) CFC FP, has instructed the Imperial Japanese Government to order sale of the commodities which have an estimated value of ¥8,354,464.18.

3. In his petition to the Chinese Mission, Mr. Ling Pin Sung stated that the Taiwanese shareholders represented 45% of the entire capital, the application for disposal of its products was made by the Japanese shareholders only, and no general meeting was ever held by the majority of shareholders. Therefore, it is in the interests of the Taiwanese shareholders that the stock should be kept as it is, and the sale of same be stopped at once.

4. In compliance with our previous memoranda and on account of the fact that Taiwan is now a Chinese territory and its inhabitants are within the Chinese jurisdiction, the said corporation in Taiwan has been controlled by the Chinese Government, whereby the assets of the Taiwanese either within Taiwan or outside of Taiwan are within Chinese jurisdiction. It is hereby requested that SCAP will give further consideration by suspending the sale of the said fibre products. At the same time this Mission will report the case to the Chinese Government for necessary measures, pending which we wish to make reservation both to the measures that would affect the financial assets of the Taiwanese and the possible claims against any loss on the side of the Taiwanese shareholders.

5. Your favorable considerations and reply will be greatly appreciated.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

/s/ Koyee S. M. Ling

Koyee S. M. Ling
Acting Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan45
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AG 095 (5 Mar 47) CPC/FP

APC 500
5 March 1947

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT: Restitution of Banking Deposits on Behalf of
Hanyang Iron and Coal Works.

1. Reference is made to memoranda, 16 January 1947, Ref. No. RC/044, and 15 February 1947, Ref. No. RC/056, subjects same as above, from the Chinese Mission in Japan.

2. In order to facilitate proper identification of the funds and clarification of records, it is requested that further information in regard to the status of subject deposits be submitted as follows:

a. Whether or not the Hanyang Iron and Coal Works is licensed to operate in Japan;

b. Location of the head office;

c. Total amount of deposits, dates made and source of funds;

d. Whether or not the operations in Japan of subject firm were restricted during the war;

e. If the Chinese government owns and operates subject firm, on what date the government acquired ownership.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

C O P Y

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FAR EAST COMMAND

Transmittal of Correspondence from Chinese Mission

C-2

DS

CB/GL
4 March 1947

- 1. The attached memorandum from the Chinese Mission regarding "Requests Regarding War Criminal Suspects and War Criminals under Chinese Jurisdiction" 27 February 1947, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.
- 2. Reference paragraph 2 of subject memorandum, the memorandum cited as inclosed was not forwarded.

- 1 Incl
 - 1. Memo to DS fr Chinese Mission, 27 Feb 47.

C.A.W. -----

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CHINESE MISSION IN JAPAN

TOKYO

The Chinese Mission presents its compliments to the Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers and has the honor to refer to the Diplomatic Section's note dated December 23, 1946, subject, "Requests Regarding War Criminal Suspects and War Criminals under Chinese Jurisdiction".

With reference to paragraphs (a) and (b) of the enclosed memorandum, the Diplomatic Section will be informed at a later date, as the matter is being referred to the Chinese Government.

With reference to paragraph (c) of the enclosed memorandum, the Mission wishes to inform the Diplomatic Section that Japanese criminals sentenced to imprisonment by the Chinese Military Courts may be made to serve their terms of servitude in prisons in Japan. The Japanese Government will have to make all necessary arrangements for the said purpose. The Diplomatic Section will further be provided with details as soon as instructions from the Chinese Government are received.

Tokyo, February 27, 1947.

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J Lee

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS
CHECK SHEET

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File No.: Subject: Return of Books removed from China

Note No.: From CPC To G-2, Foreign Liaison Date: 7 March 1947

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 5 Mar 47.
2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 20 Mar 47.
3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to Chinese Mission.

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E. C. M. Jr.

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FAR EAST COMMAND

Return of Books Removed from China

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CFC

CB/GL
5 March 1947

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl

- 1. Ltr, Chinese Mission,
#RC/064, 3 March 47.

C.A.W. -----

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March 3, 1947.

Ref. No. RG/064

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Return of Books Removed from China
THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, OHQ
TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers
Attention: Civil Property Custodian

1. Reference is made to Memorandum AG 461 (28 Jan 47) CPC/FP, Subject: same as above. This Mission understands that the subject books of nine catalogues are at present ready to be restituted to China.
2. The Chinese Mission wishes to ship these books back to China by s.s. "Shin An", which will sail from Kobe in the nearest future.
3. It is requested that the Japanese Government be directed to start packing immediately of the said books and deliver them to warehouse at the port of Kobe ready to be shipped to China.
4. The Chinese Mission will delegate a member to go on board the ship and accompany the books to Shanghai. He will be authorized to sign receipt therefor. The name of officer will be made known to you in due course.
5. Kindly take action and notify us the exact date of sailing.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Keyee S. M. Ling
Acting Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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28 February 1947

AG 386.6(28 Feb 47)CPC/FP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT : Laboratory Equipment Removed from Yenching University,
Peiping, China.

1. Reference is made to the followings:

a. Memorandum to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, Ref. No. 0069/ST, 24 June 1946, subject: Property Plundered by Japanese from Yenching University, from the Chinese Mission in Japan;

b. Memorandum to Chinese Mission in Japan, AG 386(13 Jul 46)CPC/FP, 13 July 1946, subject: Laboratory Equipment Removed from Yenching University, Peiping, China, from General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

2. The Japanese Government was directed to make investigation as to the present location and condition of the property which reference memorandum la above reported was removed from Yenching University, but has been unable to furnish any information as to present whereabouts of the subject property.

3. Inclosed are copies of two reports received from the Japanese Government on the matter stating that part of the equipment removed from the University has been restored and that arrangements were made locally between the Japanese community and the University regarding indemnity for damages resulting from the occupation.

4. It is requested that the above information be verified with the University authorities and that General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, be informed as to the results of the investigation.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

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- 1. C.L.O. No. 4426(PM)
- 2. C.L.O. No. 852(RP)

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General

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- DS (2)
- G-2 (Foreign Liaison)

G-2 FOREIGN LIAISON

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 389

Date of Correspondence 24 Feb 47

SUBJECT: Ltr DS to Chinese Mission

Brief Summary of Document:

Re production of two witnesses, Neiji Okamura and Takuro Matsui for War Crimes Trials at request of IMTFE, and clearance for Major Huang to enter Japan as escort of prisoners.

Filed under: 680.2

File No. 680.- 700

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Diplomatic Section

DS RMB/WJS/lh

The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Chinese Mission in Japan and has the honor to enclose two summons to testify issued by the International Military Tribunal for the Far East and to be served on Eugen Ott, former German Ambassador to Japan, now believed to be residing in Peking, China, together with two certified true copies of the Tribunal order covering issuance of the summons.

It would be appreciated if the Mission would be good enough to forward the enclosed documents to the competent authorities in China for the purpose of effecting service. It is also requested that this Headquarters be advised whether Eugen Ott will accept service and is agreeable voluntarily to appear before the Tribunal as a witness.

Enclosures:

- 1. Summons to Testify (2).
- 2. Tribunal Orders (2).

- N/R: 1. Above request to Chinese Mission arises out of request from General Secretary, IMTFE, to DS by check sheet, 21 Feb 47.
- 2. G-2 by check sheet, 27 Feb 47, has no objection.

Tokyo, February 24, 1947.

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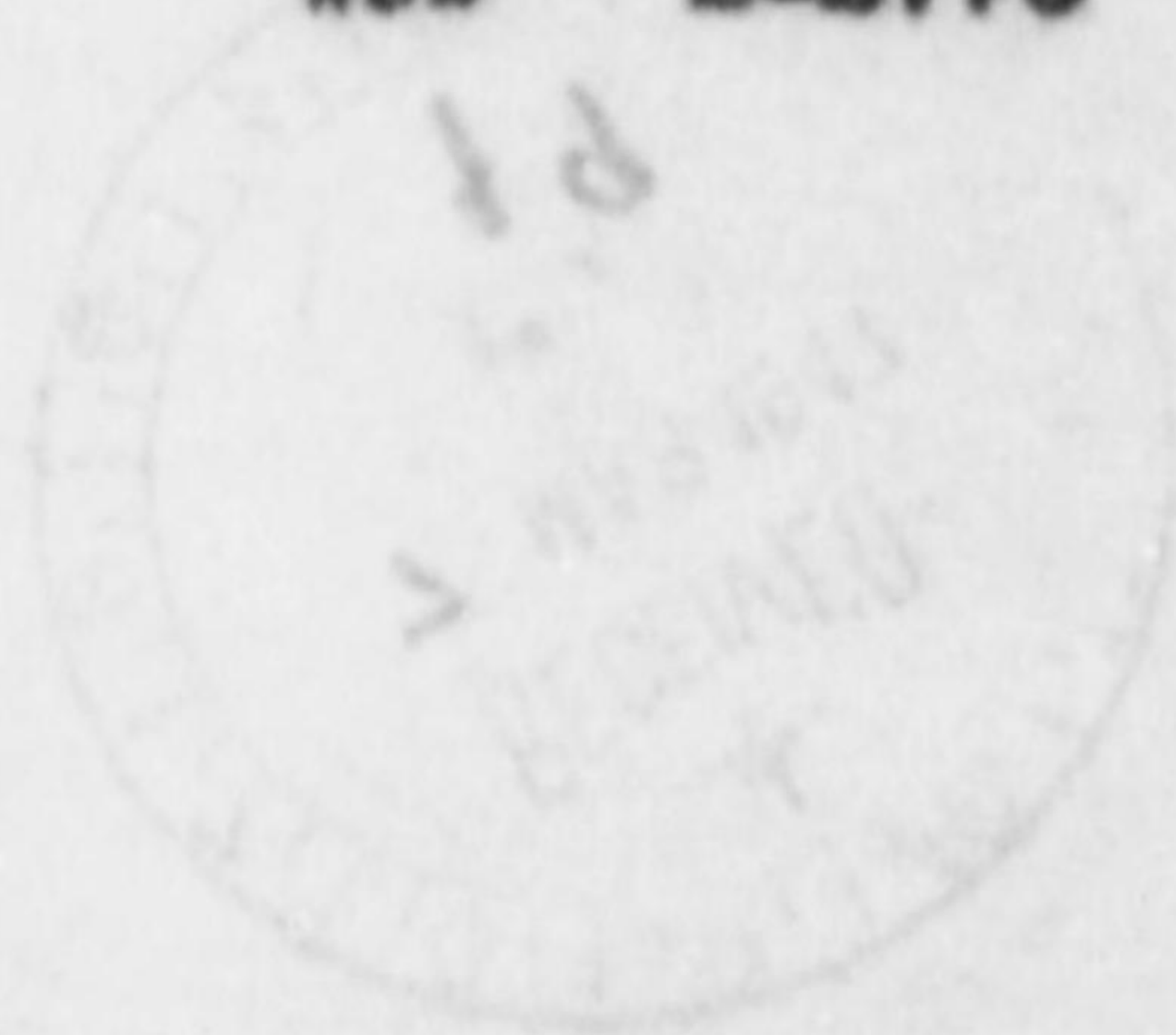
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Restitution of Calculating Machines for International Assurance Company, Shanghai

G-2

CFC

GB/UL

24 February 1947

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl
Ltr. Chinese Mission,
#HC/059, 21 Feb 47,
(with inclosures)

C.A.W.

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CHINESE MISSION IN JAPAN

TOKYO

February 21, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/059

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Calculating Machines for International Assurance Co., Shanghai.

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison Office, G-2, GHQ

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

ATTENTION: Civil Property Custodian

1. Information has been received from International Assurance Co., a British firm in Shanghai, stating to the following effect:

1 Victor adding machine, 1 Madas Calculating machine, 1 Monroe calculating machine were unlawfully removed to Tokyo by the then liquidator, Mitsui Life Insurance Co. (Mitsui Seimei Hoken K.K.). It has been learned that the same had been impounded by SCAP. As claims for restitution should be filed with the Government from whose territory the property was removed, we beg to file the claim through your Mission.

2. Kindly make investigation and retribute same to this Mission at your earliest convenience.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Koyee S. M. Ling
Deputy Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

Enclosures: 5 sheets of referential data.

(for address only)

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FAR EAST COMMAND

Restitution of Looted Books Belonging to Mr. C. M. Wang
of National Peiping Library.

G-2

CFC

21 February 1947

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded
as a matter pertaining to your section.

2 Incls

1. Ltr. Chinese Mission,
#RC/058, 20 Feb 47.
2. Lists of books (for
addressee only).

----- C.A.W. -----

G-2 F/L

FPP/cs

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February 20, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/058

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Looted Books Belonging to Mr. C. M. Wang of National Peiping Library.

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison Office, G-2, GHQ

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian

1. Information has been received from the National Peiping Library, Peiping, to the following effect:

Our staff member Mr. C. M. Wang had entrusted to the Feng Ping Shan Library, Hongkong, three cases of books in English, each volume was chopped with his own name C. M. Wang. These precious books, together with those belonging to the National Central Library and the Chung Hwa Librarians' Committee, were seized and brought to Japan by the Japanese Army shortly after the outbreak of the Pacific War. Please investigate the whereabouts of these books and return them to the rightful owner.

2. As the above-mentioned books were forcibly looted by the Japanese Army in Hongkong during the war, it is requested that you will kindly investigate their whereabouts and arrange restitution of same to the original owner for his use.

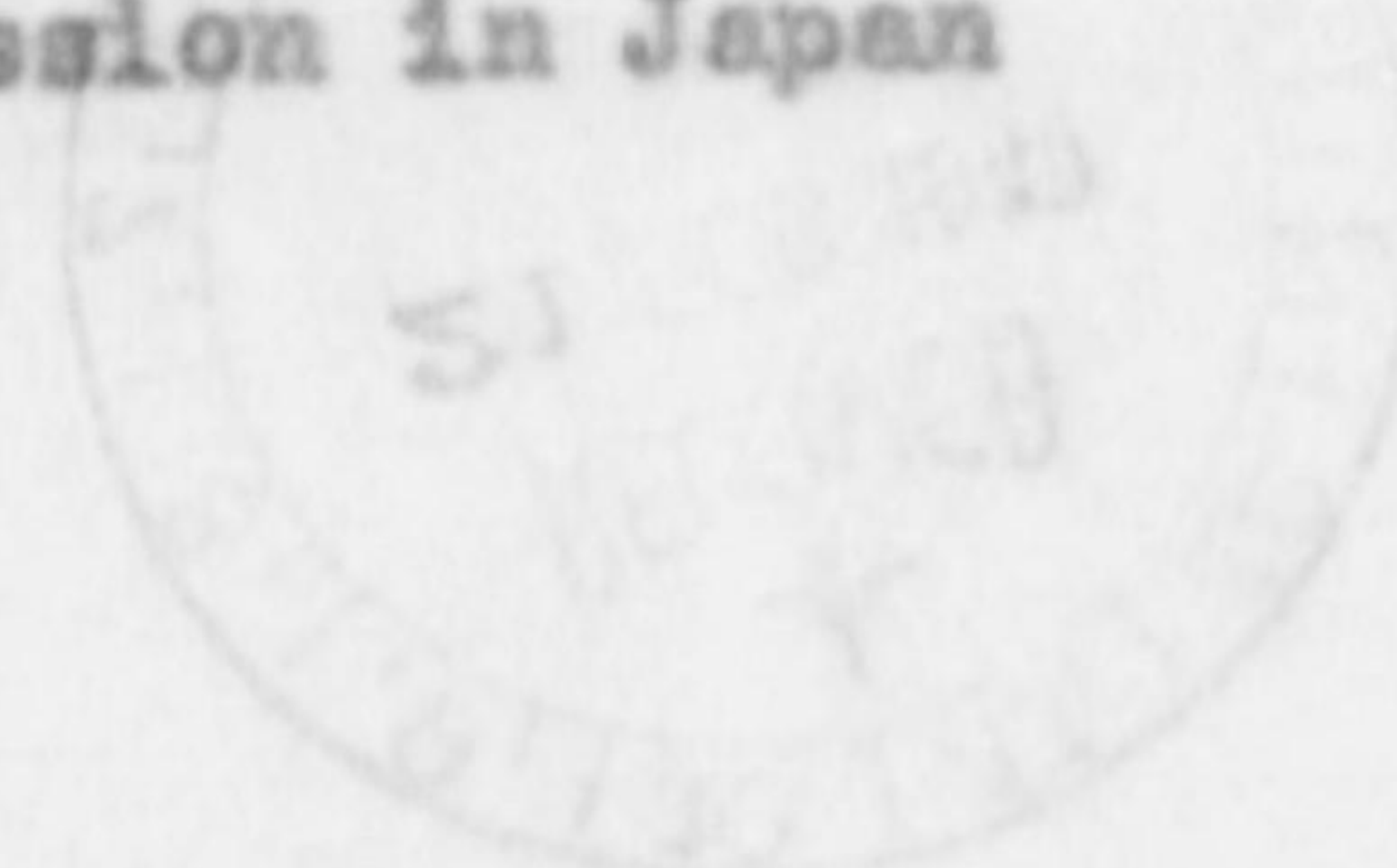
3. Enclosed herewith please find complete lists of books belonging to Mr. C. M. Wang. Your co-operation in this matter will be highly appreciated.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Koyee S. M. Ling
Deputy Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

Enclosure

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FAR EAST COMMAND

Request for Witness

G-2

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CE/GL

20 February 1947

1 Reference your Check Sheet 27 December 1946 on the above subject, the attached letter from the Chinese Mission is forwarded for your information.

1 Incl

- 1. Ltr Chinese Mission,
#CMF/2022, 13 Feb 47.

C.A.W.

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CHINESE MISSION IN JAPAN

TOKYO

CMF/2022

13 February 1947.

SUBJECT: Request for Witness.

TO : Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ.

1. Reference is made to Memorandum to Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan AG 095 (6 Jan 47) GB, subject, "Request for Witness".

2. Before Capt. Gun, Chung's return to China deposition of him in the matter of United States vs. Kingoro Fukuda case was taken on 9 Oct 1946 with Maj. Martin L. Gross, Legal Section, GHQ, SCAP as presiding officer. After a long and unnecessary delay by Legal Section in the trial of above case and after above performance as a witness by Capt. Gun, he returned to China to meet his family. Attached is the copy of a letter signed by Col. Leo G. Blackstock, given to Capt. Gun which shows the concurrence of Prosecution Division, Legal Section in this matter.

3. The Mission regrets to inform that Capt. Gun is unable to come back to Japan again because of his ill health.

FOR THE CHIEF OF MISSION:

1 Incl.

Tang , Chi-kung
Colonel, Infantry,
Deputy Chief, First Section

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Handwritten signature: H. Johnson

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

CHECK SHEET ECM/JGP/bmh

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Further Application of Taiwan Sen-I Sehin

File No.:

Subject: Tosei K.K. for permission to Dispose of Its Properties

Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 14 Feb 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 13 February 1947.

2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 14 April 1947.

3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to Chinese Mission in Japan.

Handwritten signature: E. C. M. Jr.

E. C. M. Jr.

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FAR EAST COMMAND

Restitution of Banking Deposits on Behalf of
Hanyang Iron and Coal Works

OB/OL
17 February 1947

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CFC

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded
as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl

- 1. Ltr, Chinese Mission,
Ref #FC/056, 15 Feb 47.

C.A.W.

C-2 F/L

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CHINESE MISSION IN JAPAN

TOKYO

February 15, 1947

Ref. No. RC/056

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Banking Deposits on Behalf of Hanyang Iron and Coal Works

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison Office, G-2

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian,

1. Reference is made to our Memorandum No. RC/044 of January 16, 1947, subject: same as above.

2. Recently we are in receipt of information from Hanyang Iron and Coal Works, entrusting us to be their proxy in effecting restitution of their banking deposits at the Yokohama Specie Bank, Tokyo, amounting to ¥1,696,609.13 as shown by the latest monthly statements.

3. The photoprints of these monthly statements are enclosed herewith for your reference.

4. Kindly instruct the said bank for immediate restitution of same to this Mission.

5. Your early reply will be appreciated.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Koyee S. M. Ling
Deputy Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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(for address only)
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C O P Y

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 386.31

Date of Correspondence 7 Feb 47

SUBJECT: Steam Turbo-Generator from Hankow

Brief Summary of Document:

The Jap Govt has investigated and is unable to find subject steam turbo-generator .

Filed under: 412.41

File No. 400 - 500

Letter No. _____

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 386.31

Date of Correspondence 7 Feb 47

SUBJECT: Steam Turbo-Generator from Hankow

Brief Summary of Document:

The Jap Govt has investigated and is unable to find subject steam turbo-generator .

Filed under: 412.41

File No. 400 - 500

Letter No. _____

NO. 33

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Further Application of Taiwan Sen-I Shih Tosei K. K.
for Permission to Dispose of Its Property

GR/GL

11 February 1947

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CPC

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl

- 1. Ltr, Chinese Mission,
Ref #MC/054, 7 Feb 47.

----- C.A.W. -----

G-2 F/L

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February 7, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/054

MEMORANDUM:

SUBJECT: Further Application of Taiwan Sen-I Sehin Tosei K.K.
for Permission to Dispose of Its Property

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian

1. Reference is made to your memorandum AG 095 (3 Dec 46) CFC/FP; subject; Application of Taiwan Sen-I Sehin Tosei K.K. for permission to dispose of its property.

2. In compliance with your requirements, we enclose hereby (a) list of shareholders as of 1941, and (b) translated copy of the latest financial statements as reported by Taiwan Provincial Trade Bureau, 1946. More referential data of this kind may be forthcoming.

3. About 42% of shares at that time are owned by Taiwanese whose representatives are here in Japan, it is requested that they should be entitled to the participation in liquidation and custody of their stocks consisting of cotton and silk cloth and yarn, now stored in Kobe and Osaka warehouses.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Bannong Wu
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

Enclosures (FAO)

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C O P Y

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 986.31

Date of Correspondence 11 Feb 47

SUBJECT: Restitution of SS Feihsing

Brief Summary of Document:

Re restitution of subject ship and request for sailing date.

Filed under: 045.10

File No. 040 - 100

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DHB Ref
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5 February 1947

AG 0045 Feb 47)OTC/TP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan.

SUBJECT: Paper Making Equipment in Kwantung.

1. Reference is made to memoranda Ref. No. 148-46-Tech, August 6, 1946, Ref. No. 163-46-Tech, 12 September 1946 and Ref. No. 176-46-Tech, 23 September 1946, to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, subject: Restitution of Kwantung Provincial Government Paper Manufacturing Plant, from the Chinese Mission in Japan.

2. The Japanese Government has been directed to make an investigation of the Yufutsu factory of the Kokusaku Pulp Industry Co. Ltd., and has submitted an inventory of the looted equipment from Kwantung, a copy of which is inclosed herewith. The subject property has been placed in the protective custody of the Japanese Government pending instructions on restitution.

3. Present procedure regarding the restitution of looted property requires the claimant government to take delivery of the property at a point in Japan. Expenses incurred after delivery are to be borne by the claimant government but relevant transportation expenses within Japan and any dismantling, packing and repairs necessary to proper transportation, including the necessary manpower, materials and organization are to be borne by Japan and included in restitution.

4. It is requested that General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, be informed as to when and where the Chinese Government desires to accept delivery in restitution of the subject property as soon as practicable.

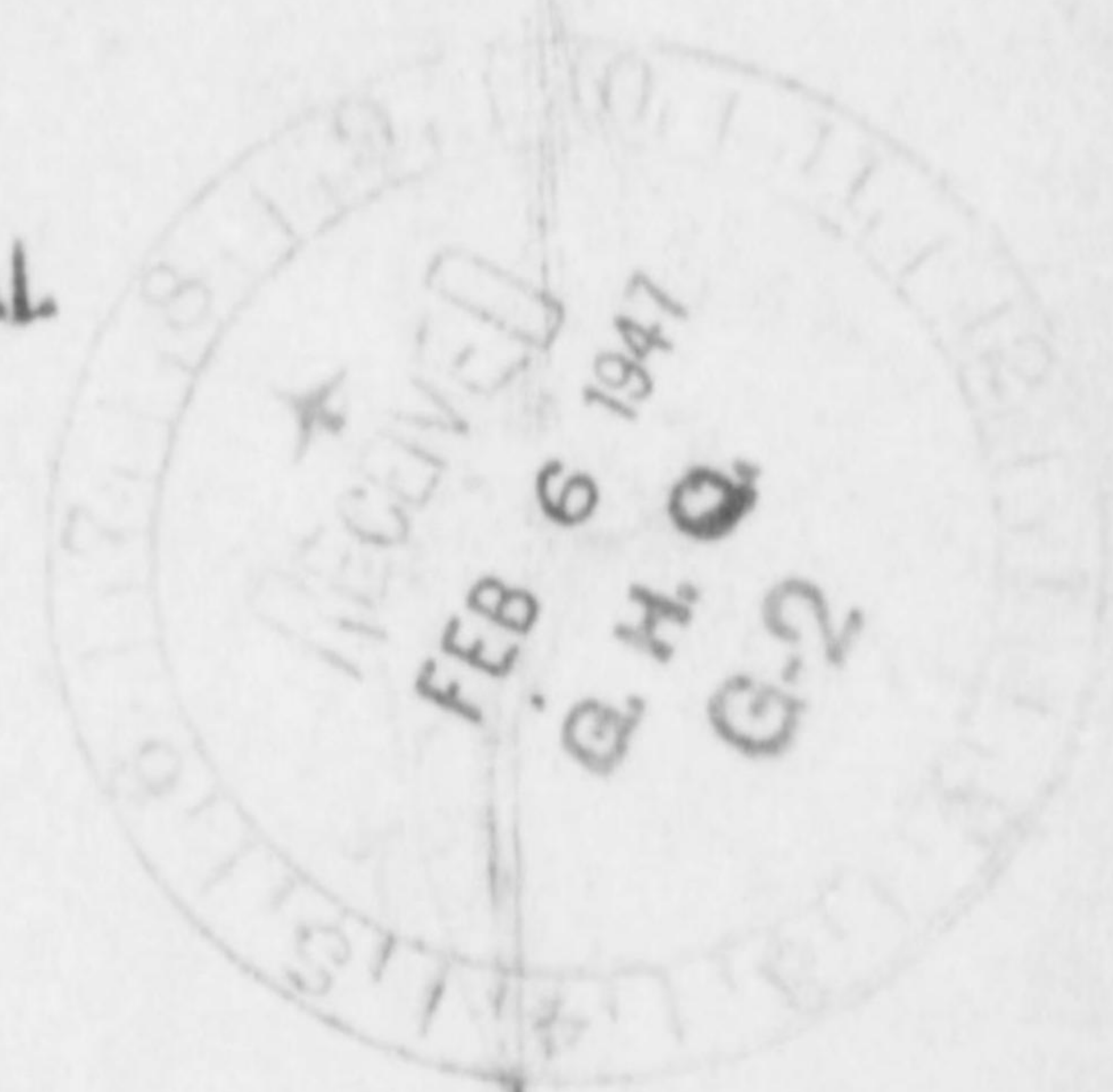
FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

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JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General



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50-Cycle Thermal Power Plants for Reparation

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6 February 1947

- 1. The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl:
 Ltr Chinese Mission
 Ref. 002-47-Tech. 5 Feb 47.

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February 5, 1947.

Ref. No. 002-47-Tech

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: 50-Cycle Thermal Power Plants for Reparation
THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ
TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers
Attention: Chief, Economic & Scientific Section

1. A review of the 20 thermal power plants for reparation reveals that, only three plants are of 50 cycles, aggregating an authorized capacity of 348,500 kilowatts.
2. As Japan has decided to adopt 60 cycles as her national electric standard, it would not seem advantageous to her to be allowed to retain plants of 50 cycles. It is also to be noted that China and most of the claimant nations are employing electric equipment of 50 cycles. It is suggested, therefore, that, whenever possible, more 50-cycle plants be included for reparation under the thermal power plant category. For instance, the Ushioda Plant which was once suggested, should be included.
3. China's thermal power plants are mostly of 50 cycles, and from both the economical and technical viewpoints it is not permissible for her to convert to 60 cycles. China's requirements of 50-cycle plants are considerable and urgent, greatly exceeding even the total authorized capacity of 348,500 K.W.
4. The Chinese Government is also interested in knowing the possibility of converting the 60-cycle reparation plant to those of 50 cycles. It is requested that this Mission be advised of the particular 60-cycle plants which are suitable for such conversion, consideration being given to the critical speed of the machine and to the possibility of obtaining necessary parts for such a change.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Bannong Wu
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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APC 500
5 February 1947

AG 004(5 Feb 47)CFC/FP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT: Paper Making Equipment in Kwantung

1. Reference is made to memoranda Ref. No. 148-46-Tech, August 6, 1946, Ref. No. 163-46-Tech, 12 September 1946 and Ref. No. 176-46-Tech, 23 September 1946, to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, subject: Restitution of Kwantung Provincial Government Paper Manufacturing Plant, from the Chinese Mission in Japan.

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4. It is requested that General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, be informed as to when and where the Chinese Government desires to accept delivery in restitution of the subject property as soon as practicable.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

/s/ A. J. Rehe

1 Incl
Inventory

for JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

CHECK SHEET ECM/MRS/bmh

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File No.:

Restitution of Remaining Chinese Classics Stored
Subject: in Imperial Library at Uneo Park, Tokyo

Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 4 Feb 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 30 January 1947.

2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 3 April 1947.

3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to Chinese Mission in Japan.

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Restitution of Remaining Chinese Classics Stored in
Imperial Library at Ueno Park, Tokyo

G-2

CFC

CB/BTP/ccs
30 January 1947

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded
as a matter pertaining to your office.

1 Incl
Ltr, Chinese Mission,
Ref #RC/049, 30 Jan 47.

----- C.A.W. -----

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BTP/ccs

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January 29, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/O49

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Remaining Chinese Classics Stored in Imperial Library at Ueno Park, Tokyo.

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison Office, G-2

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian, GHQ

1. Your attention is invited to 107 cases of Chinese classics, stored at the Imperial Library at Ueno Park, Tokyo. This is the large remaining portion of books belonging to National Central Library of China, Nanking.
2. We have arranged with U.S. Maritime Commission, Yokohama, to have these books shipped to Shanghai by s.s. "Iran Victory" which is scheduled to sail around February 5, 1947. If this vessel is not available then we expect to ship these books by next steamer.
3. You are requested to notify the Japanese authorities concerned to transport these books on board the said ship at Yokohama. Definite place of delivery and exact date of transportation will be made known to you after further consultation with U.S. Maritime Commission.
4. In the meantime we wish to inform you that our Government has been negotiating with FEC, regarding the destination of delivery of looted property. Since the Japanese Government removed these books from China, it is deemed logical that the Japanese Government should be held responsible to have these books shipped back to China. In case FEC favors our Government's proposal the Japanese Government should refund the said expenses. The present modus operandi is just a matter of expediency.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Bannong Wu
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

CHECK SHEET *ECM/MRS/tmh*

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File No.:

Subject: **Restitution of SS "Hsen-An"**

Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 4 Feb 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated ~~20 January 1947~~.

2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by ~~5 April 1947~~.

3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to ~~Chinese Mission in Japan~~.

MRS

E. C. M. Jr.

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 386.31

Date of
Correspondence 30 Jan 47

SUBJECT: Restitution of SS "Hsin-An"

Brief Summary of Document:

S.S. Hsin-An will be taken delivery of at Shanghai by the China Merchants Steamship Navigation Company, Shanghai; req sailing date of ship.

Filed under: 045.10

File No. 040 - 100

Letter No. _____

NO. 26

CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

FILE NO. 386.31

DATE OF
CORRESPONDENCE 4 Feb 47

SUBJECT: Req Restitution of publication

BRIEF SUMMARY OF DOCUMENT:

Ltr fr Philippine Delegation on Reparations & Restitution requesting restitution of five sets of Philippine Journal of Science, removed by Japanese and taken to Formosa.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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3 February 1947

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AG 095(3 Feb 47)CPC/GP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT: Request of Information on Asano Cement
Company

1. Reference is made to memorandum to Supreme Commander for Allied Powers, file 210-46-Tech., 19 November 1946, subject "Request of Information on Asano Cement Company".

2. The requested information is attached. The furnishing of this requested information should not be construed as expressing approval for liquidation of assets of the Asano Cement Company prior to formulation by the Allied Powers of a policy for disposition of Japanese external assets.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

Incl:

Book (in triplicate)
"List of Shareholders of
Asano Cement Company, Ltd."

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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1 February 1947

AG 413.8 (1 Feb 47)CPC/VP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan.

SUBJECT: Crane and Accessories Belonging to Tsingtao Municipality.

1. Reference is made to memorandum to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, Ref. No. RC/013, 28 November 1946, subject: Restitution of Crane and Accessories on Behalf of Tsingtao Municipality, from the Chinese Mission in Japan.

2. The Japanese Government was directed to make an investigation of the subject property and has reported that the crane and accessories were sunk on the spot by the Chinese Forces when they were driven from Tsingtao in 1938. As the sunken equipment was a menace to navigation, it was scrapped by the Japanese Navy in the latter part of 1939.

3. Inclosed is a copy of the report received from the Japanese Government on this matter.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

MAILED 0930 Feb 2 '47 AG-GHQ

1 Incl
G.L.O. No. 214(RP), 17 Jan 47
and sketch attached.

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT
CENTRAL LIAISON OFFICE

TO: GENERAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE SUPREME COMMANDER
FOR THE ALLIED POWERS.

FROM: Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT: Information Concerning Crane and Accessories
Removed from Tsingtao, China.

C.L.O. No. 214(RP)

17 January 1947

1. Reference: Memorandum of Civil Property Custodian, file
413.8(16 Dec 1946)CPC/FP, subject as above.

2. The Second Demobilization Bureau reports on the subject
matter as follows:

a. The crane and accessories in question were destroyed
by the Chinese Forces at the time of their withdrawal
from Tsingtao in winter of 1938, and sunk on the spot
(A) as indicated on the attached sketch of Tsingtao Wharf.

b. As the spot was important in loading and unloading
and the sunken crane and accessories were impeding the
passage of ships, they were removed and scrapped by the
Japanese Navy during the period from summer to autumn of
1939, to make the Fifth wharf (B) as indicated on the
above sketch, clear of the obstacle.

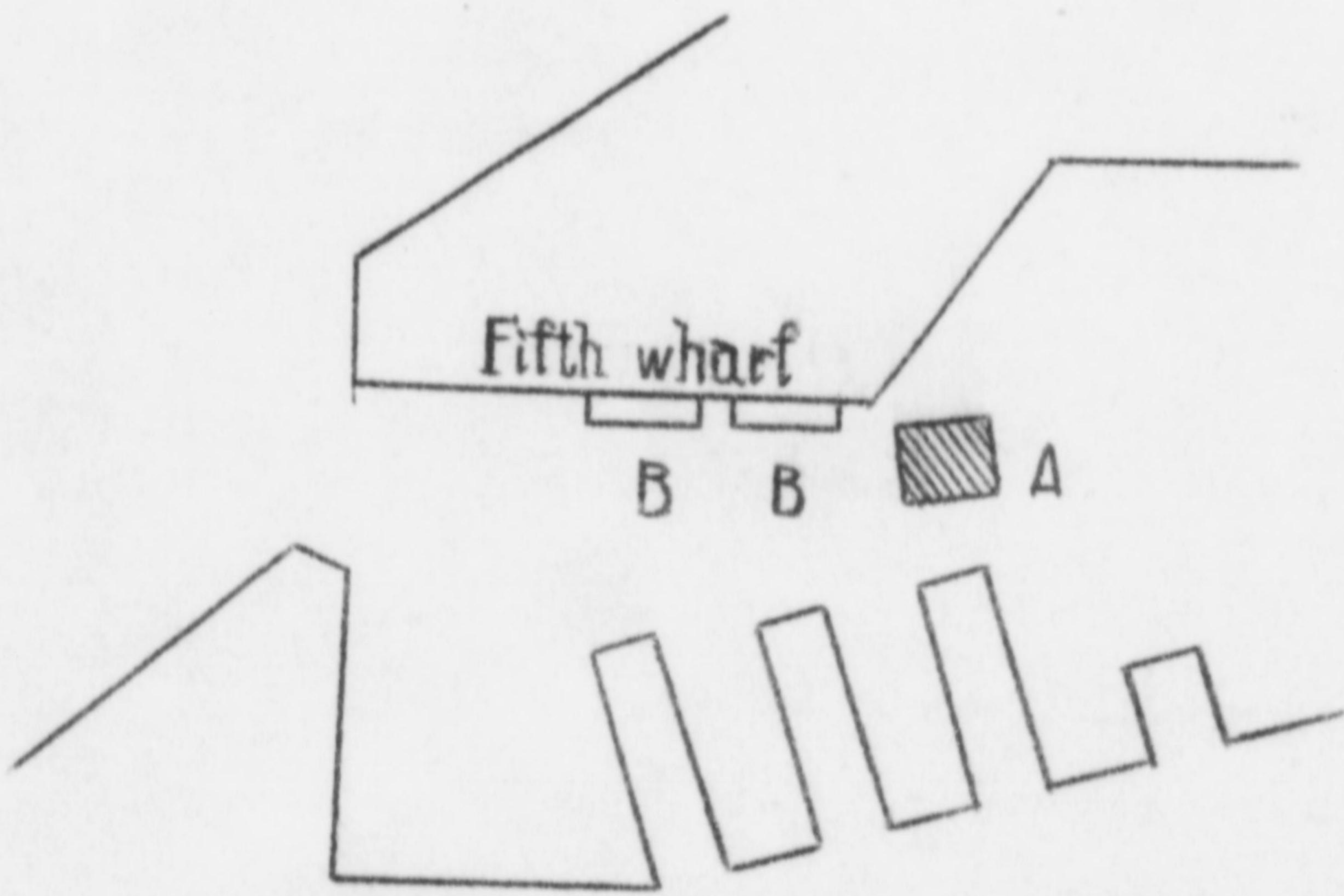
FOR THE PRESIDENT:

(K. Asakai)
Director of General Affairs,
Central Liaison Office.

Enclosure: A sketch of the wharf.

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31 January 1947

AG 386.685(31 Jan 47)GPG/FP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan
SUBJECT: Claim for Restitution of Looted Property.

1. Inclosed for your guidance and possible use are copies of an approved claim form for restitution of property, which is found in Japan which was located in an Allied country at the time of occupation of that country, and which was removed by fraud or duress by the Japanese or their agents.
2. In order that a claim for the restitution of looted property be complete, it will be necessary to submit the detailed information requested in paragraph 1 a,b,c, of the inclosed form. Any correspondence used in connection with claims for looted property must likewise include the information required in the approved claim form.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

MAILED 09 30 Feb 2 '47 AG - GHQ

1 Incl
Form, Claim for Restitution
of Looted Property (In trip.)

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

DISTR:
DS-2
G-2

23 January 1947

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. 1st Ind of WD, JAGO, Washington, 14 Oct 46, to SCAP'S letter, 6 Sep 46, subject: Restitution of Looted Property; Suggestions regarding a desired form for use by Claimant Governments, approved claim form to be used by claimants for restitution of looted property.
2. Basic memoranda forward copies of the claim form to the Allied diplomatic missions in Japan.
3. This is an administrative matter and surveillance by the Eighth Army is not required.
4. The interests of USAFIK are not concerned.
5. Concurrences: DS
(Mr. W. J. Seabald)

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G-2 Information Copy

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREMACY COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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31 January 1947

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AG 013.2 (31 Jan 47) LS-R

SUBJECT: Transfer of Chinese Ex-PW's.

TO: Chief Chinese Mission in Japan.

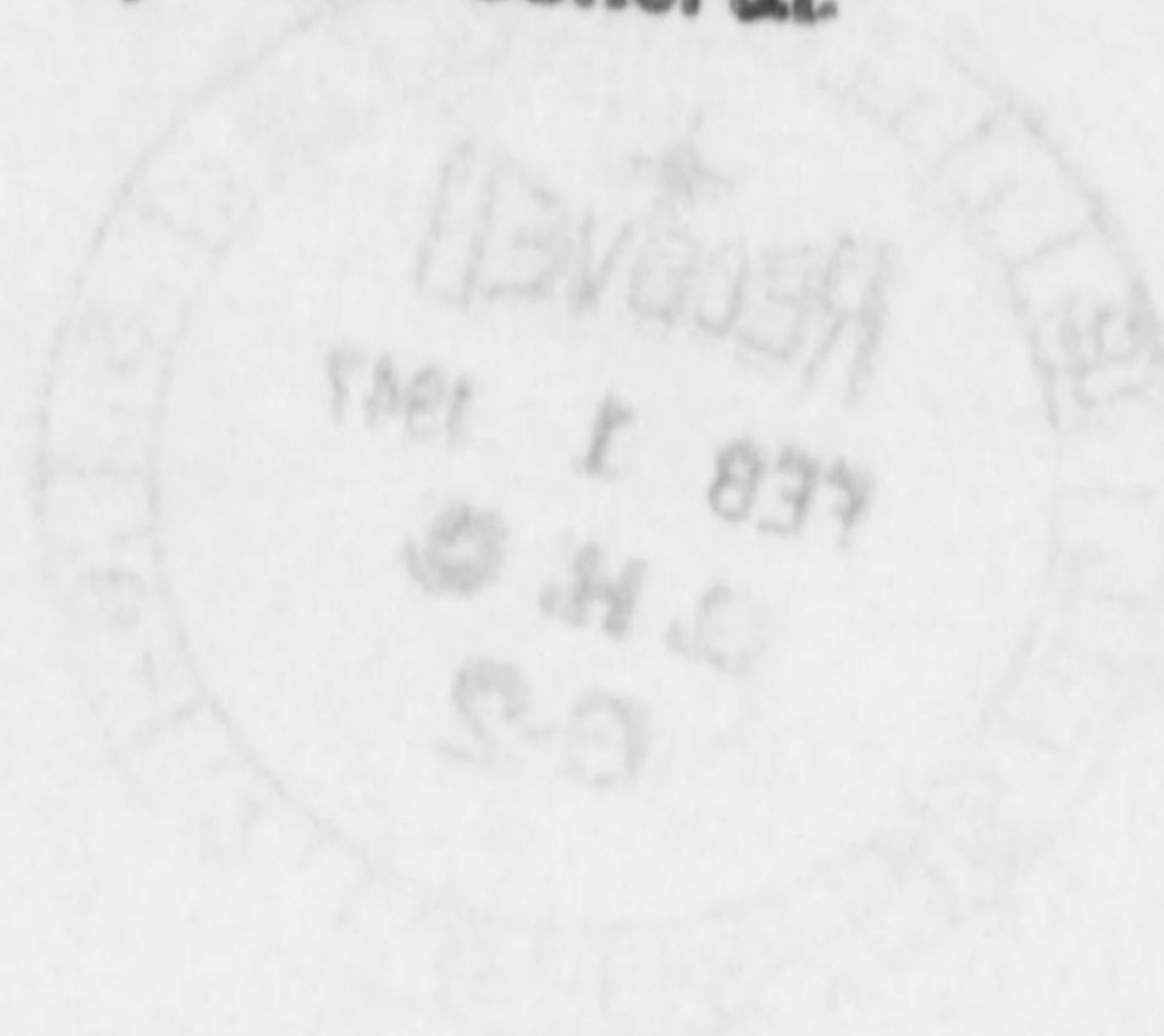
1. Reference your letter 054/YWS, dated 10 July 1946, subject: "Transfer of Eleven Chinese Ex-PW's Billeted in Eighth Army Stockade", and letter AG 013.2 (16 July 1946) LS, subject: "Transfer of Eleven Chinese Ex-PW's."

2. Instructions are requested concerning the eight (8) ex-Prisoners of War who remain in protective custody at EIGHTH Army Stockade. It is understood that one of the original eleven is in the 361st Station Hospital, that Captain GUN and Civilian LIU have been returned to China, and that Corporal GUNG has been released to the Mission, leaving a total of eight (8) persons in the stockade. It is desired that the Chinese remaining in protective custody at the stockade be released to the custody of the Chinese Mission in Japan in a manner similar to the release of the previous eleven.

FOR THE SUPREMACY COMMANDER:

MAILED 13 2 0 1947

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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31 January 1947

AG 386.6 (31 Jan 47)CFC/FP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT: Claim for Restitution of Looted Property.

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FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

1 Incl
Form, Claim for Restitution
of Looted Property (In trip.)

/s/ R. G. Hersey
for John B. Cooley
Colonel, AGD
Adjutant General

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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File No.:

Subject: Restitution of Taiwan Map Plates

Note No.:

From CPC

To G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 29 Jan 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 28 January 1947.

2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 28 March 1946.

3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to The Chinese Mission.

[Signature]

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Restitution of Taiwan Map Plates

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GB/BTP/ccs
28 January 1947

- 1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl
Ltr, Chinese Mission,
Ref #RC/048, 25 Jan 47.

----- C.A.W. -----

G-2 F/L BTP/ccs

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January 25, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/048

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Taiwan Map Plates

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian, GHW

1. Information has been received from Taiwan Provincial Administration to the following effect: As the Administration has taken over the maps of Taiwan from the Japanese military authorities, it was found that the original plates for same were missing and still kept in the former Japanese Army Staff's Office, Tokyo. As these plates are urgently needed, restitution of same is hereby solicited.

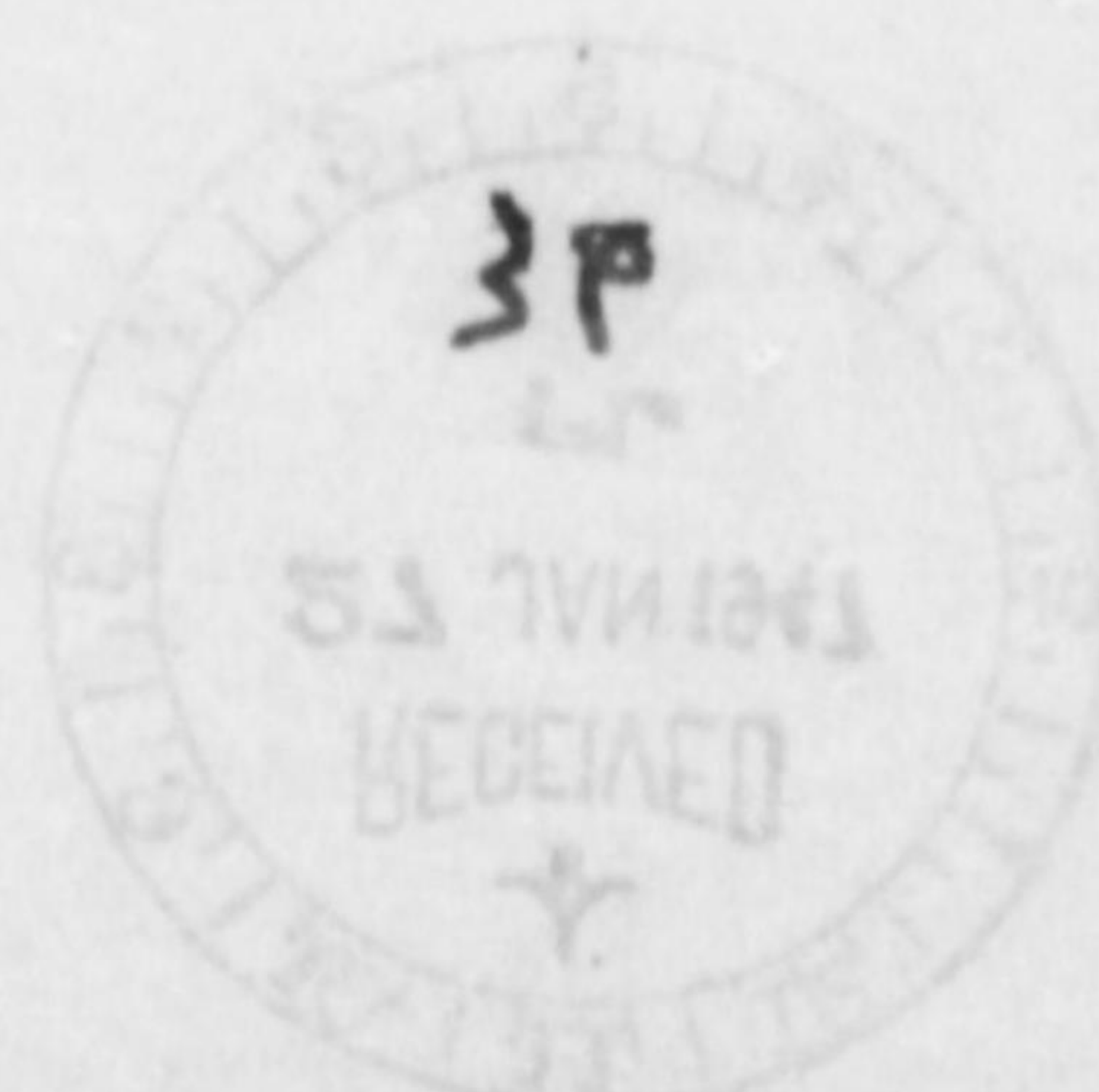
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3. It is requested that SCAP will make an investigation and retribute same to China in due course.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Bannong Su
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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January 25, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/048

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Taiwan Map Plates
THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2
TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers
Attention: Civil Property Custodian, GHQ

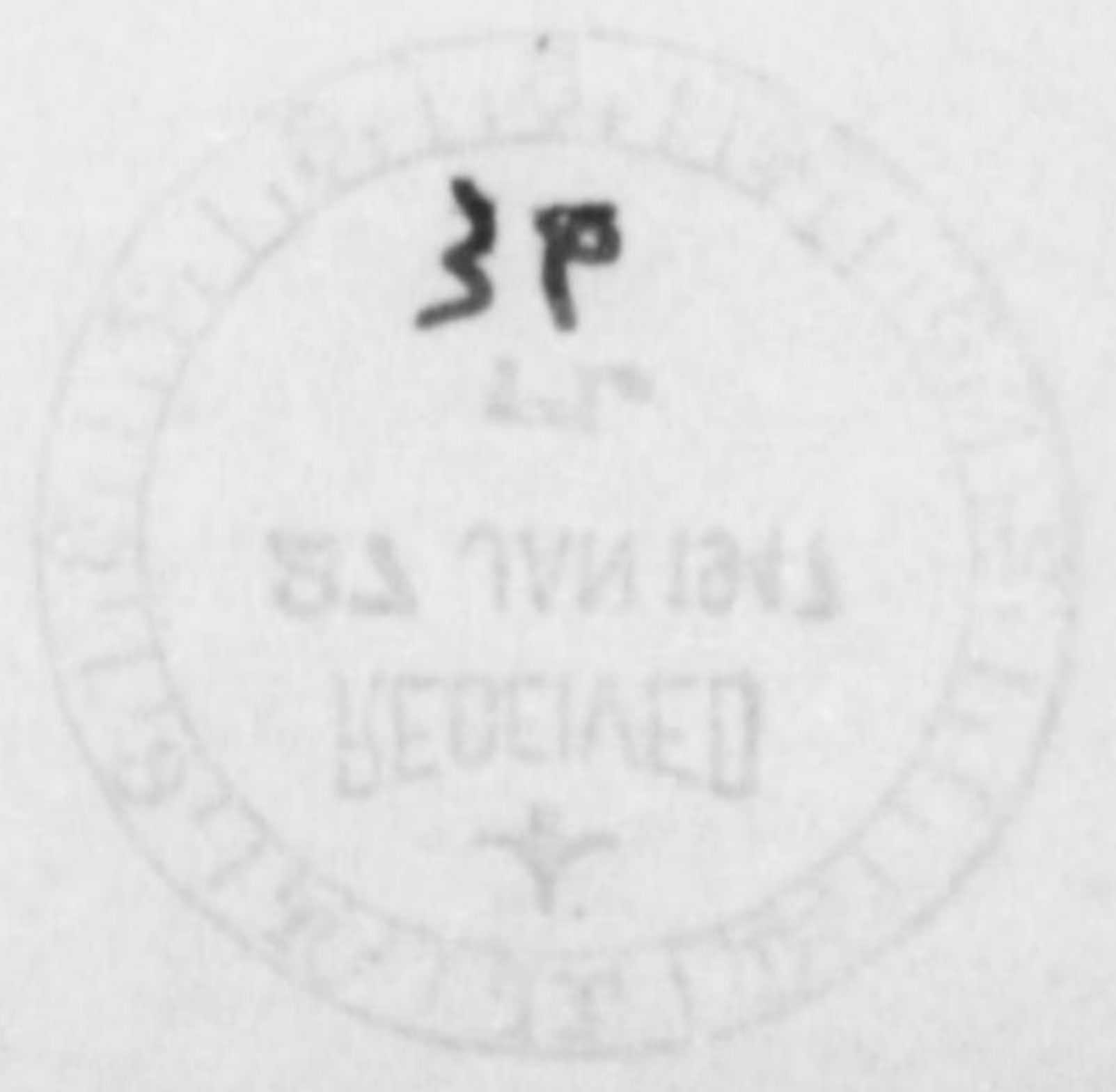
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FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

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Chinese Mission in Japan

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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File No.:

Subject: Restitution of Yung-Li Chemical Works Equipment

Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 29 Jan 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 28 January 1947.
2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 28 March 1947.
3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to The Chinese Mission.

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E. C. M. Jr.

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Restitution of Yung-Li Chemical Works Equipment

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CPC

GB/BTP/ccs
28 January 1947

- 1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl
Ltr, Chinese Mission,
Ref #RC/047, 25 Jan 47.

----- G.A.W. -----

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BTP/ccs

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January 25, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/047

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Yung Li Chemical Works Equipment
THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2
TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers
Attention: Civil Property Custodian, GHQ

1. References are made to our Memoranda No. 0092/TS of July 15, 1946; subject: Restitution of Ammonia Oxidation Equipment to Yung Li Chemical Works, Nanking, China; and No. 0/28/ST of September 6, 1946; subject: Same.
2. The two representatives of Yung Li Chemical Works, Dr. W. C. Hsieh and Mr. J. Y. Chao have now come to Tokyo to negotiate with you for restitution.
3. Please effect restitution and favor us with an early reply.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Bannong Su
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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Restitution of Biological Specimens for

Subject: National Tsinghua University

File No.:

Note No.:

From: CPC

To: G-2, Foreign Liaison

Date: 29 Jan 47

1. Reference is made to Check Sheet from G-2 to CPC, subject above, dated 28 January 1947.

2. The IJG has been directed to investigate and report on the subject property. This report is due by 31 March 1947.

3. A copy of the memorandum concerning the action on the subject property will be forwarded to G-2 simultaneously with the forwarding of the original to Chinese Mission.

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----- E. C. M. Jr. -----

Restitution of Biological Specimens for National
Tsinghua University

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GB/BTF/ccs
28 January 1947

1 The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded
as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl.
Ltr, Chinese Mission,
Ref #RC/046, 24 Jan 47.

----- G.A.W. -----

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January 24, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/046

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Biological Specimens for National Tsinghua University

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers
Attention: Civil Property Custodian, GHQ

1. Information has been received from Dr. Y. C. Mei, President of National Tsinghua University, Peiping, to the following effect:

The biology department has the following specimens lost and seized by Japanese during the war: (a) 4,000 specimens of fungus; (b) specimen of encyphacene, exchange with Mr. G. M. Read, U.S.A.; (c) various biological specimens exchanged with Mr. Herbarium, University of Michigan; (d) specimens exchanged with State Department of Agriculture, U.S.A.

2. It was reported that all these specimens had been shipped to Japan after 1937, a part of which has been kept in the Scientific Museum, Ueno Park, Tokyo. Mr. R. Emaseki has written a report known as "A Brief Sketch on the Growth of Fungus in North-China", which was published in the 13th volume of Botanical Geography (Japanese language), pp. 247-255. This conclusively proves that these specimens were the looted property of Tsinghua University.

3. As these specimens are badly needed by the Biology Department of Tsinghua University, it is requested that SCAP will make the investigation and retribute same to China as cultural objects.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Bannong Wu
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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28 January 1947

AG 461(28 Jan 47) CFC/FP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan.

SUBJECT: Return of Books Removed from China.

1. Reference is made to memorandum to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, Ref. No. 0104/FS, 2 August 1946, subject: Return of Books, Looted from China, from the Chinese Mission in Japan.

2. Inclosed are copies of the nine catalogues of subject books and a copy of a report from the Japanese Government explaining the system of cataloguing used.

3. The Japanese Government is being directed to maintain and preserve the books in question at their present location.

4. Present procedure with regard to the restitution of looted property requires the claimant government to take delivery at a point in Japan. It is requested that General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, be notified as to the date and place at which the Chinese Government desires delivery in restitution of the books in question.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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CHINESE MISSION IN JAPAN
TOKYO

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January 23, 1947.

General of the Army Douglas MacArthur,
Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers,
Tokyo, Japan.

Dear General MacArthur:

As I reported to you verbally a few days ago,
the Chinese Government, in response to the invitation
from General Headquarters, has taken steps to appoint a
five-man group to be attached to the Civil Property
Custodian's Office for duties connected with the re-
parations program. Three members of the group have
already been appointed, namely, Messrs. Yun Chen, Chow
Mai-bei and Hsueh Chi-ming. The choice of the remaining
two is expected to be made shortly. Mr. Yun is on his
way to China from Washington. Mr. Chow, a member of this
Mission, is back in Nanking for consultation, while Mr.
Hsueh is in Shanghai. They will be in Tokyo before long.

With the assurance of my highest regard,

Very sincerely yours,

/s/ Chu Shih-Ming
CHU SHIH-MING
Chief of Chinese Mission

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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AG 560 (22 Jan 47)CFC/FP

APC 500
22 January 1947

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT: Information Concerning Chinese Naval Vessels

1. Reference is made to the following:

a. Memorandum to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, No. CMF/0049, 4 September 1946, subject: Information Concerning Former Chinese Naval Vessels, from the Chinese Mission in Japan:

b. Memorandum to Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan, file AG 560 22 November 1946, CFC/FP, subject: Information Concerning Former Chinese Naval Vessels, from General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

2. With reference to lb above, inclosed is an additional report on two of the eight vessels concerning which the Japanese Government has been directed to make further investigation.

3. The Japanese Government is continuing its investigation and as soon as further information is received on the disposition of the six other vessels, it will be forwarded.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

1 Incl
Additional report

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 389

Date of
Correspondence 21 Jan 47

SUBJECT: Apprehension of Suspected War Criminal

Brief Summary of Document:

Apprehension and internment of Shimakawa, Kazuo, civilian, in Sugamo Prison was completed on 16 Jan 47; req Chinese Mission furnish disposition covering transfer of Shirakawa, Kazuo.

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 386.31

Date of
Correspondence 15 Jan 47

SUBJECT: Info on 6 Vessels Seized by the Japanese

Brief Summary of Document:

Re Memos "6 Chinese Vessels in Japanese Waters," "Restit of Chin Govt Vessel ss Li Liang", "Restit of Chinese Messel SS Hsi Chang," "Restit of SS Shun Foong", "Restit of Chinese Vessel SS Hsi Shun", "Restit of SS Cran ex Hingshan", inclosed report stating all vessels in question were sunk during the hostilities.

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 386.31

Date of
Correspondence 13 Jan 47

SUBJECT: Information on the SS Yung Yuan

Brief Summary of Document:

Info re restitution of SS Yung Yuan

Filed under: 045.10

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Diplomatic Section

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The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Chinese Mission in Japan and has the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Mission's note of January 8, 1947 concerning the appointment of an assistant prosecutor and an official Chinese observer at the trial of Japanese police by an Occupation court.

It is noted that the Chinese Government does not consider it practicable to appoint an assistant prosecutor from China, and that the Mission desires to nominate an American lawyer for appointment as assistant prosecutor. As the Mission is aware, the prosecutors in the trial of the Japanese defendants are Mr. John L. Murphey and Mr. Paul F. Faison who were advisers for the defense in the recently completed trial of the Formosan defendants involved in the "Shibuya Incident". It is understood that Mr. Herbert Berman is at present under orders to return to the United States but that he is actively assisting the prosecution in an unofficial capacity. Mr. Berman has expressed his personal desire not to become officially associated with the case.

The suggestion made by the Mission in its note under reply to the effect that the Chinese Government would be ready to nominate a representative to serve as a member of the military commission presently trying the accused persons is noted, but in the light of current directives can not be accorded favorable consideration. The Occupation court has been duly established in accordance with existing directives which provide only for regular Occupation courts to try non-United Nations nationals.

No objection is perceived to the presence of Dr. Y. Koung as an official Chinese observer at the trial of the Japanese defendants and Dr. Koung will be furnished with such appropriate documents and transcripts as may be available during the course of the trial.

Tokyo, January 10, 1947.

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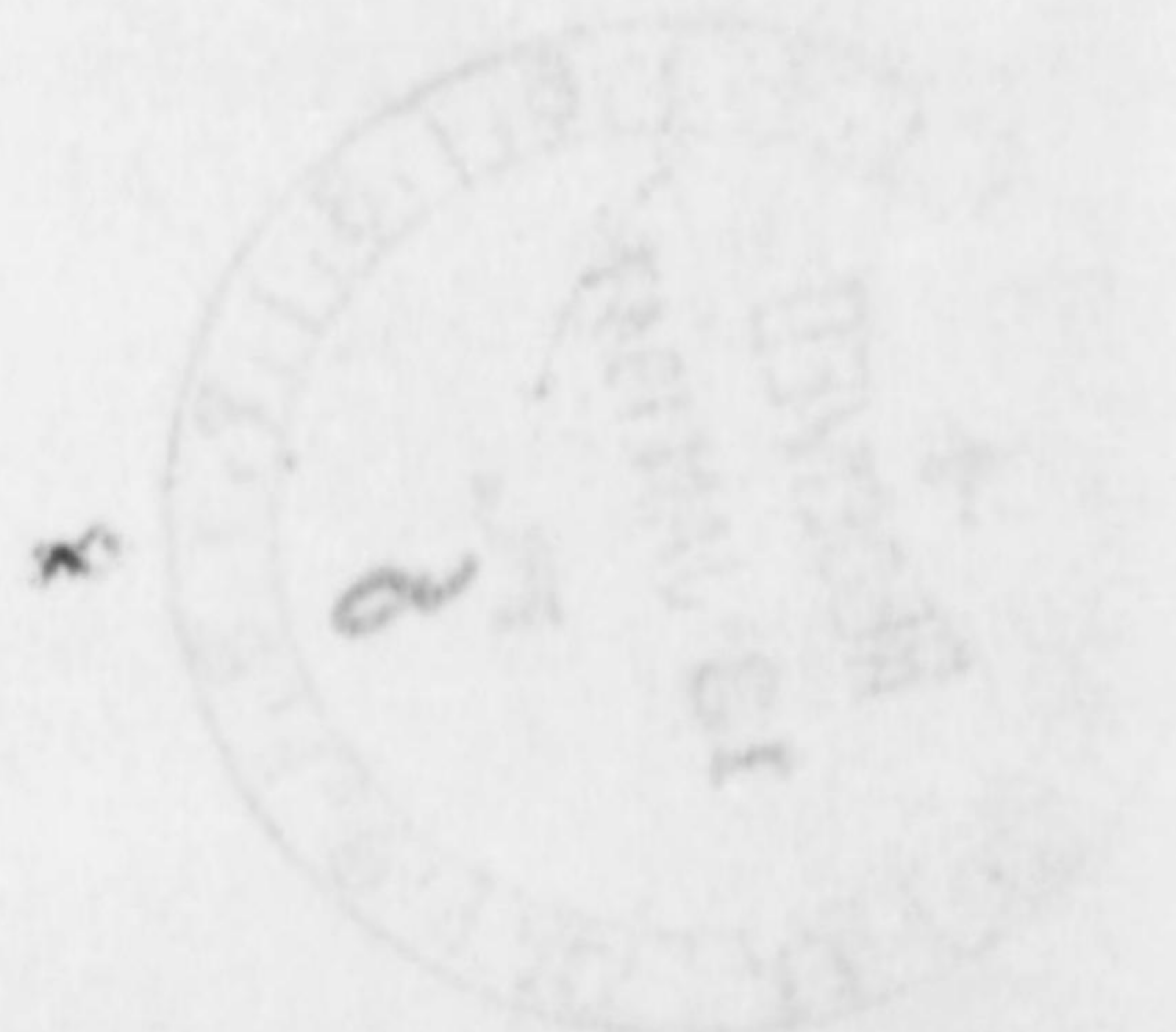
MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Above note is in reply to a note from the Chinese Mission, 8 Jan 47. Chinese Mission requests authorization to appoint Dr. Y. Koung as an official Chinese observer at the trial and also intimated its desire to have an American lawyer appointed to the position of assistant prosecutor. Mr. Herbert Berman is suggested as a Chinese nominee.
2. Chinese Mission also states that because of the time element involved the Chinese Government does not consider it feasible to appoint an assistant prosecutor.
3. Information concerning Mr. Berman was obtained from LS (Mr. Bassin).
4. It is not considered desirable to establish a precedent by allowing the Chinese to nominate a representative to serve as a member of the military commission trying the Japanese accused, as suggested in the note under reply.
5. LS (Mr. Canney) orally concurs.

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 386.31

Date of Correspondence 10 Jan 47

SUBJECT: Salvage & Restitution of Chinese SS "Mao Lee"

Brief Summary of Document:

Re salvage & restitution of SS Mao Lee.

Filed under: 045.10

File No. 040 - 100

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CROSS-REFERENCE SHEET

File No. 386.31

Date of
Correspondence 3 Jan 47

SUBJECT: // Restitution of the SS "Hsin-An"

Brief Summary of Document:

Re restitution of SS Hsin-An.

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AG 413.5 (30 Dec 46) CRO/VP

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan
SUBJECT: Restitution of Blast Furnace

1. Reference is made to memorandum to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, Ref. No. HQ/018, 2 December 1946, subject "Restitution of Blast Furnace", from the Chinese Mission in Japan.
2. It is requested that the Chinese Government furnish complete identifying information regarding the blast furnace along with a statement of facts covering the circumstances under which the blast furnace was removed, in order that an investigation may be made as to whether the property is now in Japan.

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Restitution of Banking Deposits on Behalf
of Hanyang Iron and Coal Works.

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CPC

20 Jan 1947

1. The attached letter from the Chinese Mission is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl:
 Ltr Chinese Mission,
 Ref. No. RC/044,
 dtd. 16 Jan 47.

-----C. A. W.-----

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January 16, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/044

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Restitution of Banking Deposits on Behalf of Hanyang Iron and Coal Works

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian, GHQ

1. Information has been received from Hanyang Iron & Coal Works to the following effect:

Ever since the 2nd year of the Chinese Republic (1913), this mining administration had opened accounts with Yokohama Specie Bank at Tokyo, whereby a total amount of ¥2,411,826.35 are now overdue. In view of our financial needs, it is requested that the Chinese Mission will exert effort in restituting the above sum of money to our office at early convenience.

2. By the way, we wish to invite your attention to the fact that Hanyang Iron & Coal Works is a governmental organization, which had established financial relations with Yokohama Specie Bank, Tokyo, long before the outbreak of the war. This deposits should be made unfrozen and restituted to same for meeting their immediate needs.

3. Your investigation and instruction to the said Bank is hereby requested.

4. Please favor us with an early reply.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Bannong Wu
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

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Ref. No. 0205/ST

8 January 1947

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Steel Rolling Mill for Manchuria.

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ

FOR PERSONAL ATTENTION OF: General of the Army Douglas MacArthur,
Supreme Commander for the Allied
Powers.

1. Telegraphic instructions have been received from the Executive Yuan of the Chinese Government to the effect that the steel rails in China are in a bad state of disrepair and in urgent need of replacement. The Anshan Iron & Steel Works in Manchuria has in stock a big quantity of steel ingots. According to past records, this foundry has an annual steel production capacity of 1,600,000 tons and a rolling capacity of 600,000 tons. However, during the occupation of Manchuria, the Soviet Union removed from this plant the steel rolling equipment. Seeing that other necessary machinery and raw materials are already on the spot with the exception of a rolling mill in the Anshan Works, it is distinctly desirable to instal the missing equipment to complete its producing capacity so as to enable China to produce part of her steel requirements. At the same time, the Chinese Government is also working on the barter scheme of exchanging Chinese coking coal and pig iron for Japanese steel products.

2. The difficulties surrounding reparations removal are being fully appreciated. However, in view of China's critical and urgent need of steel products for transportation and industrial rehabilitation, the undersigned appeals to you for assistance in this matter. It is sincerely hoped that you would approve arrangements for the advance removal of a Japanese steel rolling mill to be allotted to China under the interim reparations removal. This mill is to be offset against China's share when actual removal takes place at a later date. This application would not be made were it not for the urgency of the situation, and your consideration and cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

Lt. Gen. Chu Shih-Ming
Ambassador
Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

Original forwarded to Secretary
General staff. 9 Jan. 47

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Missing Armament & Equipment on Chinese Naval Ship
"Yat-Sen"

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6 January 1947

1. The attached letter from the Chinese Mission, subject as above, is forwarded as a matter pertaining to your section.

1 Incl:
 Ltr, Chinese Mission,
 Ref # RC/042, 4 Jan 47.

C. A. W.

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January 4, 1947.

Ref. No. RC/042

MEMORANDUM

SUBJECT: Missing Armament & Equipment on Chinese Naval Ship
"Yat-Sen".

THROUGH: Foreign Liaison, G-2, GHQ

TO: Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

Attention: Civil Property Custodian, GHQ

1. Reference is made to memorandum AG 563.9 (25 Aug 46) ESS/IN from Adjutant General to this Mission, subject as above.

2. Following is a tabulation showing details of gun equipment on Chinese Light Cruiser "Yat-Sen" when captured by the Japanese Navy. All the under-mentioned equipment was missing when this cruiser was restored to the Chinese Government.

- (a) One 15 cm gun (Dutch made Krupp type)
- (b) Four 7.5 cm anti-aircraft guns.
- (c) One 14 cm gun (Japanese made of Armstrong type)
- (d) Two 4.7 cm breech automatic quick-firing guns
(Vickers type)
- (e) Various ammunitions accompanying above guns.

3. It is requested that the Japanese Imperial Government be directed to effect early restitution of the above missing equipment and ammunition to China through your good office.

FOR THE CHIEF OF THE CHINESE MISSION:

Banneng Wu
Chief, Third Section
Chinese Mission in Japan

Encl: AG 563.9 (25 Aug 46)

LSL/lc

G O P Y

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

AG 563.9 (25 Aug 46) ESS/IN

AFO 500
25 August 1946

SUBJECT: Missing Armament and Equipment of Chinese Naval Ship "Yat-Sen".

TO: Chinese Mission in Japan, Tokyo.

1. Reference is Chinese Mission in Japan, Tokyo, Ltr file No. 0100/FS, dated 27 July 1946, subject: "Missing Armament and Equipment of Chinese Naval Ship Yat-Sen."

2. The "Yat-Sen" was restored to the Chinese Government by General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers Memorandum to the Imperial Japanese Government file AG 560 (7 Aug 46) GPG/FP (SCAPIN 1917-A) dated 7 August 1946, subject: "Restitution of the Light Cruiser "Yat-Sen" to the Chinese Government."

3. The "Yat-Sen" sailed for China from the port of Kure on 11 August 1946.

4. In view of the fact that the "Yat-Sen" has been returned to the Chinese Government, the restoration of the armament and ammunition should be submitted for consideration and action as a war damage claim.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

(R. Y. Hersey)

for JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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3 January 1947

AG 387.6 (3 Jan 47)CFC/FL

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT: Reparations and Restitution Delegation

1. Reference is made to the following:

a. Letter to General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, 19 November 1946, subject "Reparations and Restitution Delegation", from the Chinese Mission in Japan.

b. Memorandum to Chinese Mission, AG 387.6(18 Oct 46) CFC, 18 October 1946, subject same as above, from General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

2. It is apparent from the contents of letter referenced in paragraph 1a that the situation is not fully understood by the Chinese Mission. It may be noted, therefore, that during the Reparations Committee Meeting held in Washington, D. C. on 23 September 1946, it was pointed out that the five-man delegation from each of the member nations of the Far Eastern Commission, were to be vested with the responsibility of acting on all routine matters pertaining to reparations, restitution, removals and any other relevant matters within such categories. There is no provision for the appointment of any representation in excess of one five-man delegation from each of the member nations. The five individuals comprising a permanent official delegation should be capable of advising and acting on all technical and other matters falling within the above mentioned categories and additional advisors or technical assistants are not, therefore, desired at this time.

3. With regard to paragraphs 4a, b, c, and d, reference letter 1a, such points raised therein are matters which are yet to be determined at an intergovernmental level and, therefore, no final interpretations and conclusions on reparation and restitution policies can be reached at this time.

4. It is assumed that the Chinese Mission has already, or will receive shortly, from the Chinese Government, a full report of the Far Eastern Commission's discussions, conclusions and agreements relative to these matters.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

JOHN B. COOLEY
Colonel, AGD,
Adjutant General.

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Diplomatic Section

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The Diplomatic Section of General Headquarters, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, presents its compliments to the Chinese Mission in Japan and has the honor to refer to the latter's notes No. 0176/ST of November 19, 1946, and No. 0181/ST of November 26, 1946, concerning physical examinations given crew members of Chinese repatriation ships and to Japanese repatriates arriving in Japan aboard such vessels.

Chinese crew members on ships putting in at Japanese ports cannot be exempt from physical examination. However, it is provided that port examinations of Allied nationals shall be conducted by United States Army Medical personnel rather than by Japanese Medical officials. It is sincerely regretted that in the past, instances have occurred in which these provisions have not been fulfilled. Every effort will be made to prevent their recurrence in the future.

Physical examinations given at the port of arrival in Japan to Japanese repatriates who have previously been examined at the port of departure cannot be waived. Furthermore, operational difficulties at the various repatriation stations in Japan prohibit a discontinuation of the existing practice of conducting examinations of repatriates aboard incoming vessels. However, an effort is being made to expedite these examinations in order to release shipping as quickly as possible.

Tokyo, January 2, 1947.

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Info copies to: G-1
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AG Records

M/R: 1. Above reply based on G-1 note 2, 2 Dec 46, and PH&W note 3, 10 Dec 46, to DS check sheet, 27 Nov 46, subj: "Chinese Mission's Note re Processing of Repatriation Vessels," forwarding Chinese Mission's first note (No. 0176/ST, 19 Nov 46), and on subsequent conversations with Lt. Merkle of PH&W.

2. Chinese Mission's second note (No. 0181/ST, 26 Nov 46) was sent on routing slip by DS to G-1 and PH&W, and was answered directly by PH&W according to Lt. Merkle.

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6 Jan 47

AG 095(6 Jan 47)CB

MEMORANDUM TO: Chief, The Chinese Mission in Japan

SUBJECT : Request for Witness

1. It is requested that Captain GUN CHUNG be returned to Tokyo at an early date, as his presence is required as a witness in the "Kigoro Fukuda" case, which is scheduled for trial in the near future. Captain Gun Chung was in Japan recently and returned to China the early part of November, 1946.

2. It will be appreciated if the Legal Section of General Headquarters is notified as soon as possible as to the approximate date when Captain Gun Chung may be expected to return.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

cc: LS

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General Headquarters
Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers

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File No.: 4567 LS-Z

Subject: Request for Witness.

File No.:

From: CRD (App) To: Foreign Liaison: G-2

Date: 27 December 1946

1.

1. Request that the Chinese Mission be requested to return to Tokyo, the following Chinese National:

GUN CHUNG

Captain

2. The presence of Capt. GUN is required as a witness in the Kingoro FUKUDA case.

C.W.W.

[Signature]
C.A.R., Major, FA.
Chief, CRD.