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By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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ADMINISTRATOR, NAVAL SHIPPING CONTROL AUTHORITY  
FOR JAPANESE MERCHANT MARINE (SCAJAP)  
UNITED STATES PACIFIC FLEET  
(NAVY NO. 3923)

SCAJAP

OUTGOING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR

20 AUGUST 1946

CG-0 CJS/ejb

FROM: SCAJAP

TO : P D KURE . . . . . OPNL PRIORITY

INFO: SCAP . . . . .	ROUTINE
CG 8TH ARMY. . . . .	ROUTINE
COMNAVJAP. . . . .	ROUTINE
SRLUF. . . . .	PRIORITY
CG 24TH CORPS. . . . .	PRIORITY
CG 6TH DIV . . . . .	PRIORITY
USAMGIK. . . . .	PRIORITY
CG 24TH INF DIV. . . . .	PRIORITY

SAIL SCAJAP LIBERTY JAMES KING VICTOR ZERO ZERO NINE TO ARRIVE  
FUSAN TWO FIVE AUGUST TO MAKE ONE LIFT TO HAKATA WITH JAP  
REPATS X REFER CG TWO FOUR TH CORPS DIS ONE NINE ZERO ZERO  
THREE FIVE NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED

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SCAJAP (2 return)

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D.F.W.

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FROM: SCAJAP

TO : CG 25TH DIV . . . . . OPNL PRIORITY

INFO: SCAP. . . . .	ROUTINE
CG, 8TH ARMY. . . . .	ROUTINE
COMNAVJAP . . . . .	ROUTINE
SRLUF . . . . .	PRIORITY
CG 24TH CORPS . . . . .	PRIORITY
CG 6TH DIV. . . . .	PRIORITY
USAMGIK . . . . .	PRIORITY
CG 24TH INF DIV . . . . .	PRIORITY

SAIL SCAJAP LIBERTY PETER TARE BARNUM VICTOR ZERO ZERO THREE  
TO ARRIVE FUSAN TWO SIX AUGUST TO MAKE ONE LIFT TO HAKATA WITH  
JAP REPATS X REFER CG TWO FOUR TH CORPS DIS ONE NINE ZERO ZERO  
THREE FIVE NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED

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19 AUGUST 1946

CG-0 CJS/ejb

FROM: SCAJAP

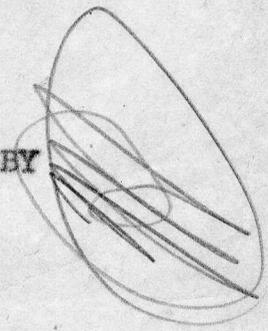
TO : CG 24TH CORPS. . . . . PRIORITY

INFO: SCAP . . . . . ROUTINE  
 CG 8TH ARMY. . . . . ROUTINE  
 COMNAVJAP. . . . . ROUTINE  
 SRLUF. . . . . ROUTINE  
 CG 6TH DIV . . . . . ROUTINE  
 USAMGIK. . . . . ROUTINE  
 CG HULUTAO REPAT TEAM. . . . . ROUTINE  
 P D KURE . . . . . ROUTINE

SCAJAP LIBERTY GEORGE VICTOR LOVE MEYER VICTOR ZERO ZERO FOUR  
ENROUTE KURE TO HULUTAO BEING DIVERTED TO ARRIVE FUSAN TWO THREE  
AUGUST TO MAKE ONE LIFT TO HAKATA WITH JAP REPATS X REFER CG TWO  
FOUR TH CORPS DIS ONE SIX ZERO ZERO TWO FIVE NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED

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TO : CG 25TH DIV . . . . . OPL PRIORITY

INFO: SCAP . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 8TH ARMY . . . . . ROUTINE  
COMNAVJAP . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 24TH DIV . . . . . ROUTINE  
SRLUF . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 6TH DIV. . . . . ROUTINE  
USAMGIK . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 24TH CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE

SAIL SCAJAP LIBERTY JEFFERSON DAVIS VICTOR ZERO ZERO ONE TO  
ARRIVE FUSAN TWO FOUR AUGUST TO MAKE ONE LIFT TO HAKATA WITH  
JAP REPATS X REFER CG TWO FOUR TH CORPS DIS ONE SIX ZERO ZERO  
TWO FIVE NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED

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*190558*

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*File*  
*Kover*

# INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

16 August 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAJAP ✓  
INFO : SCAP, SRLUF, CG 6TH DIV, USAMGIK  
NR : TFGCT 2466

Request shipping space at Pusan to lift Jap repats as follows 2,000 spaces on 23 Aug, 1,800 spaces on 24 Aug.

*V004*

NO SIG *V001*

INFORMATION: G-3, G-4

*Burgers*  
*Please check*  
*SCAJAP to see*  
*if set up*  
*BB*



80404

ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO : 160C25/Z  
MCN : TJC A 03/16

File Korea

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Brigades  
skew  
Bo

# INCOMING MESSAGE

Secret  
PRIORITY

13 August 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
NR : TFGCT 2460

- ① Action was transferred to P/S
- ② Gen R. DeLoe's:
  - A - Story of negotiations here should be given Cent
  - B - He should be permitted to publish as much as would serve his purpose
- ③ Action to come thru G-5

Subject is repatriation of Japanese from North Korea. This radio in four parts. ④ I have discussed with Bishop

Part 1: Despite repeated protests to General Chistiakov, Russian Commander in North Korea, influx of Japanese Repatriates illegally crossing the 38th parallel continues. The monthly flow of illegal Japanese since one January is as follows: January, 2,272; February, 1,444; March, 5,281; April, 23,863; May, 44,011; June, 33,413; July, 2,631; 1 August to date, 2,938. Of an estimated total of 263,797 Japanese in North Korea, we have repatriated 190,362 since 15 August 1945.

- Part 2: Efforts to stop this illegal movement are:
- A. Establishment of roadblocks and patrols South of 38th parallel along natural routes of travel.
  - B. Attempts to return illegal Japanese repatriates to Russian control. This has met with little success due to refusal of Russians to accept these persons.

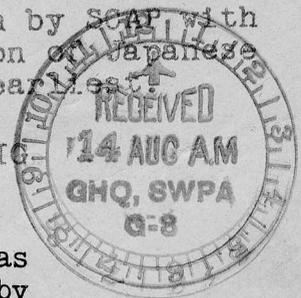
Part 3. Due danger of the spread of cholera makes it imperative that Japanese and other persons be accepted for processing on arrival South of 38th border and these persons be placed in quarantine compounds for a period of ten days. If entry of these persons is denied, they will enter by other routes and thereby avoid quarantine compounds.

Part 4. In an effort to stop this illegal movement, it is intended that wide publicity will be given this subject and problems to South Korea resulting therefrom. To what extent may reference be made to conferences held in Japan by SCAP with Russian Representatives on problems of repatriation of Japanese direct to Japan from North Korea? Request reply earliest.

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NO SIG



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# INCOMING MESSAGE

*Secret*

PRIORITY

FROM: CG XXIV CORPS TO: SCAP TFGCT 2460 (CON'T)

R-E-V-I-S-E-D

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-3, G-4,  
AG, C GOVT SECT



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*Secret*

T00: 120630  
MCN: TJC 58/12

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*KOREA*  
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# INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
 OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

15 August 1946

FROM : SCAJAP  
 TO : SRLUF  
 INFO : SCAP, CG 8TH ARMY, COMNAVJAP, CG 24TH DIV,  
 COMFLTACT SASEBO, CG 24TH CORPS, USAMGIK,  
 CG-S 6TH DIV  
 NR : 150500

Sail SCAJAP Liberty John A Campbell VZ 22T0 Sasebo  
 for illegal Koreans to Fusan. Remain Fusan until 21  
 Aug to lift 2500 Japanese repatriates to Sasebo. Refer  
 CG 24 Corps dis 120130 not to all or needed.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG

*Burgess*  
*Stew*

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY  
 IN THE CLEAR

TOO: 150500  
 MCN: NONE



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*Korea*

# INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

12 August 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS ✓  
TO : SCAJAP ✓  
INFO : SCAP, SHLUF, CG'S 6TH DIV, USAMGIK  
NR : TFGCT 2458

Reourad TFGCT 2445 6 August 1946. Request that shipping space to lift 600 Japanese repatriates to arrive Pusan 14 August be increased to 1000. Request additional shipping space to lift 1500 Japanese repatriates be sent to Pusan to arrive 20 August and space for 1000 to arrive 21 August.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG

*SHIPPING (1 LST) HAS  
BEEN ASSIGNED  
(SCAJAP - Comdr Duane)  
WUB*

*Stew please follow  
up to see shipping  
it assigned.  
It was the  
"direct" arrangements  
Oscar got fouled*

78418

*100*

ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO : 120130/Z  
MCN : TJC 14/12

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

AG 014.33 ( *8 Aug 46* )CC  
(SCAPIN- *1113*)

AFO 500

CC-O TNS/ra

MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT.

THROUGH : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Repatriation to and from Korea.

1. Reference is made to:

a. Memorandum from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, file AG 370.05 (7 May 46)CC, (SCAPIN-927), dated 7 May 1946, subject: "Repatriation", as amended.

b. Memorandum from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, file AG 014.33 (27 Jun 46)CC, (SCAPIN-1039), dated 27 June 1946, subject: "Repatriation to Korea."

c. Memorandum from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, file AG 014.33 (27 Jul 46)CC, (SCAPIN-1008), dated 27 July 1946, subject: "Repatriation to Korea."

2. All instructions contained in the memorandums referred to above, which are in conflict with this memorandum, are superseded herewith.

3. Effective 10 August 1946, the following plan governs the repatriation of Koreans in Japan, who desire to return to their homes in Korea south of 38° north latitude.

4. The repatriation of Koreans in Japan, who were formerly resident in Korea south of 38° north latitude, will be completed on or before 15 November 1946, except as noted in paragraph 1d, Annex III to reference paragraph 1a above.

5. a. Repatriation shipping is assigned to lift 4,000 Koreans per day from Hakata, Japan, to Pusan, Korea. These ships will be returned empty to Japan.

b. Shipping will be scheduled as necessary to lift Japanese from Korea to Sasebo.

6. The Imperial Japanese Government will:

a. Backlog sufficient Koreans in the Hakata Reception Center

BASIC: Memo for IJG, file AG 014.33 ( )GC, (SCAPIN- ),  
dated 1946, subject: "Repatriation to and from Korea."

to insure that repatriates are available at the rate prescribed in paragraph 5a above.

b. Receive and process Japanese repatriates arriving in Japan from Korea as prescribed in reference paragraph 1a above.

c. Process all ships, arriving in Sasebo from Korea, as prescribed in paragraph 3b (2), Annex V to reference paragraph 1a above.

d. Continue to comply with the provisions of paragraph 1c, Annex III to reference paragraph 1a above.

e. Submit a report to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers by 30 November 1946 showing:

- (1) Names of Koreans, listed by family, who were not repatriated on or before 15 November 1946, but who have not forfeited their privilege of repatriation, as outlined in paragraph 1d, Annex III to reference paragraph 1a above.
- (2) Approximate date each family, referred to in paragraph 6a (1) above, will be able to move to Hakata Reception Center. In any case, delay in repatriation is not authorized beyond 31 December 1946.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

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*Korea*

# INCOMING MESSAGE

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IN THE CLEAR  
 PRIORITY

29 July 1946

FROM : SCAJAP  
 TO : CG 24 TH CORPS  
 INFO : CINCPAC, CG 8TH ARMY, COMNAVJAP, SRLUF, COMFLTACT,  
 SASEBO , CG 6TH INF DIV, USMEIK,  
 NR : 290103Z

Urdis 270445. SCAJAP Liberty Gilbert Hitchcock V096  
 scheduled to lift 1500 illegal entry Koreans from Senzaki TP  
 Pusan on or about 1 August is designated to backload 1500 Jap  
 repats allocated in SCAP radio ZX 10227 25 July and the 800 Jap  
 repats ur 270445. Return Port Sasebo.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP



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T00: 290103Z  
 MGN: NJ 03/29

*StA (Stevens) called stating that there were now  
 a total of 2500 illegal Koreans now at Senzaki and asking  
 permission to load them all on the Hitchcock.  
 Permission was granted and SCAJAP (Capt Weirs)  
 was notified. *[Signature]* also Korea (May Smith)  
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INCOMING MESSAGE

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IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

27 July 46

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAJAP  
INFO : SCAP, SRLUF, CG 6TH DIV USAMGIK  
NR : TFGCT 2433

*Oscar*

Request sufficient shipping space to lift 800 Japanese Repatriates be sent to Fusan to arrive 4 Aug 46. This is in addition to 1500 spaces allocated in SCAP Radio ZX 10227 25 July.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP

69988

ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

T00: 270445 Z  
MCN: TJC 28/27

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*Korea*

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IN CLEAR  
 ROUTINE

25 July 1946

FROM : SCAJAP  
 TO : CINCPAC  
 INFO : CG 8TH ARMY, CG XXIV CORPS  
 NR : 250617 Z

CG 8 Army 241606 I (DX 84896) requests 2 LSTs proceed Yokohama for lifting vehicles for Korea. Text of message indicates ref to LSTs under operational control of CG XXIV CORPS which periodically are given upkeep period at Nagasaki. Action will be taken by SCAJAP to order LSTs to Yokohama upon designation of bow nbrs by CG 24th Corps and authorization for this employment by action adee.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-4

INFORMATION: G-3, G ORD

*PS*

68689

ROUTINE  
 IN CLEAR

TOO : 250617 Z

MCN : NJ 19/25



Lift of Japanese Repatriates from Pusan.

G-3

COMNAVJAP

25 July 1946

Attn : SGAJAP

1. Reference is made to the following:

a. G-3 C/S, 19 July 46, subject: "Korea Repatriation Shuttles."

b. Radio this date to CG USAFIK, copy herewith.

2. Confirming telephone conversation of 25 July, request assignment of repatriation shipping to lift 1500 Japanese repatriates from Pusan to Sasebo on or about 1 August 1946.

3. Upon arrival at Sasebo, shipping will undergo cholera inspection and quarantine as required by para 3b reference 1a above.

1 Incl - radio to CG USAFIK.

----- C. A. R. -----

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

OUTGOING MESSAGE

25 JULY 1946

FROM: SCAP

IN THE CLEAR

GC-0 RVS/1b

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . . ROUTINE

INFO: SRLUF. . . . . ROUTINE

251453

( Z x10227 ) SUBJECT IS LIFT JAPANESE FROM KOREA TO JAPAN AND  
REPATRIATION OF NON DASH JAPANESE NATIONALS VIA JAPAN PD URAD TARE FOX GEORGE  
CHARLIE TARE TWO FOUR TWO THREE OF TWO FOUR JULY REFERS PD PARA SCAJAP SHIPPING  
FOR LIFT ONE FIVE ZERO ZERO JAPANESE FROM PUSAN TO SASEBO ON OR ABOUT ONE  
AUGUST BEING ASSIGNED AS REQUESTED CITED RADIO PD SAILING DISPATCH WILL  
ISSUE PD DESIRED THAT FUTURE REQUESTS FOR REPATRIATION SHIPPING TO LIFT  
JAPANESE FROM KOREA BE ADDRESSED SCAJAP PAREN INFO SRLUF PAREN AS PRESCRIBED  
OURAD ZEBRA XRAY ZERO NINE ZERO SIX TWO OF ONE NINE JULY PD PARA REQUEST FOR  
REPATRIATION TWO ZERO CHINESE VIA JAPAN NOT RPT NOT FAVORABLY CONSIDERED AT  
THIS TIME PD DESIRE THIS REQUEST BE RESUBMITTED INCLUDING REQUIRED ADDITIONAL  
INFORMATION AS PRESCRIBED OURAD CHARLIE SIX THREE THREE TWO ONE OF TWO THREE  
JULY

OFFICIAL:

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

APPROVED:

*C. A. Russell*  
C. A. RUSSELL,  
Colonel, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

Copies to:

- G-1 (3)
- G-3 (3 Return)
- G-4 (3)
- COMNAV JAP
- PH & W

IN THE CLEAR

25 July 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2423 of 24 July requesting shipping to lift 1500 Japs from Pusan 1 Aug. Also requests permission to repatriate 20 Chinese via Japan.

2. a. Ourad ZX 09062 of 19 July to USAFIK info 8th Army states that Japs being repatriated from Korea will be lifted from Pusan or Chumanjin to Sasebo on shipping by direct request on SCAJAP (info SRLUF), with one weeks notice.

b. G-3 C/N, 19 July 46, subject: "Korea Repatriation Shuttles" to COMNAVJAP attn SCAJAP in para 2 b informs SCAJAP that Korea will request shipping directly with one week advance notice to lift Japs from certain Korean ports to Sasebo. Para 3b states all ships carrying repats from Korea will be considered cholera suspect and will proceed to Sasebo for inspection and quarantine.

c. Ourad C 63321 of 23 July requests Korea to consolidate requests for repatriation of non-Jap nationals via Japan and submit them by 15th of each month.

3. Recommend dispatch of attached radio and C/N.
4. Concurrence: SCAJAP (Comdr Duane).
5. This matter concerns Korea.
6. This completes action on this subject.

Strauss.

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IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

24 July 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
INFO : SRLUF CG 6TH INF DIV CG USAMGIK  
NR : TFGCT 2423

Request sufficient shipping space to lift 1500 Japanese  
repatriates be sent to Pusan to arrive 1 August 1946 request per-  
mission to repatriate 20 Chinese via Japan.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3

**OPNS**

INFORMATION: G-1, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP

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ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO: 241210I  
MCN: TJC 19-24



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# INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

5 July 1946

FROM: SCAJAP

TO : CG 24TH CORPS

INFO: SCAP, CG 6TH DIV, CG 7TH DIV, KOREA BASE COMMAND, USAMGIK  
COMPLTACT SASEBO

NR: : 050125

Reur 040315. When repatriation again opens to Korea ships assigned to Hakata Inchon shuttle will out load Koreans as they become assembled. It is expected that space available for returning Japanese will be in excess of your reduced requirements of 500 per week. If a backlog develops which shuttle ships cannot handle SCAJAP will assign special ships on one weeks notice. Desire SRLUF be made info addressee on such special requests for shipping.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-3, G-4

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ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO: 050125  
MON: NJ 30/05



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*Korea*

# INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

4 July 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAJAP LIAISON REPATRIATION GROUP, SCAP  
INFO : CG 6TH DIV, CG 7TH DIV, USAMGIK, KOREA BASE COMMAND  
NR : TFGCT 2388

Flow of Japanese repatriates from North Korea has decreased to approximate 500 per week. Subject to your approval this Headquarters will request shipping spaces for the port of Inchon 3 days in advance as required this cancels our request for 1500 shipping spaces per week for port of Inchon in ourad TFGCT 2366 26 June 1946.

NO SIG

INFORMATION : G-1, G-3, G-4, AG

*Action?*

*Strauss  
rec action  
PB*

56942

TOO : 040315 Z  
MCN : TJC 42/04

ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

*SCAJAP (Comdr Duane) is taking action. However is requesting XXIV Corps to notify 1 wk in advance where shipping excess to that on the Hakata-Inchon shuttle is necessary*



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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*Conroy*

# INCOMING MESSAGE

CORRECTED COPY

IN THE CLEAR  
PRIORITY

3 July 1946

FROM : CG KOREA BASE COMMAND  
TO : CG 24TH INF DIV  
INFO : CG USAFIK, CG USANGIK, SCAP, CG 8TH ARMY, HQ CG I CORPS,  
CONTACT SASEBO, PD FUKUOKA  
NR : 030300 I

Repts. 0-099 Jinsen 022010/I Hakata 050700/I. A 900  
D 900. Personnel completely processed except for exchange of  
Japanese currency.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP

NOTE: Corrected copy received in the AG Office, GHQ AFAPAC,  
at 0445 4 July 1946.

*ESS?*  
*ESS (Lt Deploant) states that Korea wanted SCAP to send Jap currency to them so that exchange of currency for outgoing Japts could be made in Korea. ESS said not to this and would be made in Japan. This is present policy.*  
*BB*

*Oscar  
What is  
this all about  
3 such msgs  
post week*

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PRIORITY  
IN THE CLEAR

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4 JUL 4 1946  
DNO. SWPA  
G-2

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By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

24 JUNE 1946

FROM: SCAP

**241137**

GC-0 WFG/lb

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . . ROUTINE

INFO: CG KOREA BASE CMD. . . . . ROUTINE

IN REPLY URAD TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE TWO THREE FIVE TWO OF  
TWO TWO JUNE SCAJAP IS DISPATCHING LOVE SUGAR TARES QUEEN OBOE  
THREE FOUR AND QUEEN OBOE THREE THREE TO MEET SHIPPING REQUIRE-  
MENTS CHUMUNJIN AS REQUESTED URAD TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE  
TWO THREE FOUR NINE OF TWO TWO JUNE PD ( **X04717** ) RE-  
QUEST SCAJAP LOVE SUGAR TARE . . . . . QUEEN OBOE SEVEN FIVE BE  
DIRECTED TO RETURN TO ITS HOME PORT IN JAPAN FOR FURTHER ORDERS

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY  
Colonel, AGD,  
Adjutant General.

*for* *C. A. Russell*  
C. A. RUSSELL,  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

Copies to:  
G-3 (3 Return)  
G-4 (3)  
COMNAVJAP

IN THE CLEAR

24 June 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. USAFIK radio TFGCT 2352, 22 June, is action.
2. a. USAFCHINA radio CFBX 03798, 21 June stated LST Q075 and LST Q005 diverted to Inchon Korea from Shanghai with Koreans. (This lift completed Korean repatriation from Shanghai). Informs that master of LST Q005 requests authority to proceed to Nagasaki from Inchon for engine repairs and general overhaul.  
b. Ourad ZX 04474, 22 June granted authority LST Q005 proceed Nagasaki.
3. a. USAFIK radio TFGCT 2349, 22 June to SCAJAP Ln Repat Gp requests 2 LSTs be sent to Chumunjin to arrive 27 June and 30 June, respectively.  
b. USAFIK radios TFGCT 2337, 17 June and TGCT 2342, 19 June both to SCAJAP Ln Repat Gp are requests for 2 LSTs to arrive Chumunjin 22 June and 25 June respectively.  
c. Above is in accordance with ourad CX 62068, 16 June authorizing CG USAFIK to request additional ships for Chumunjin directly from SCAJAP Repatriation Liaison Unit, Fukucka (SRLUF).
4. SCAJAP (Ensign Reese) states:
  - a. LSTs Q034 and Q033 are being dispatched in response to USAFIKs request, par 3a above. Request para 3b previously taken care of.
  - b. LST Q075 should return to its home port in Japan.
5. Recommend dispatch of attached radio.
6. SCAJAP (Ensign Reese) concurs.
7. This matter has been considered in relation to Korea.
8. This completes action on this subject.

Gallup.

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Authority *MM 775009*

By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

22 JUNE 1946

FROM : CG 24TH CORPS  
TO : SCAP, SCAJAP  
INFO : CG KOREA BASE COMMAND  
NR : TFGCT 2352

Rerad CG China CFBX 03798. This Command does not require LST Q-075 and LST Q-005 for Repatriation from Inchon. See ourad TFGCT 2349 for shipping requirements at Chumunjin.

*#9 of 22 June in info Book*  
NO SIG

**OPNS**

ACTION: G-3  
INFORMATION: G-4, C GOVT SEC, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, COMNAVJAP

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*Ans PM  
24 June*

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ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO : 220515/Z  
MCN : TJC 66/22

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

22 June 1946

FROM : CG 24TH CORPS  
TO : SOAJAF LIAISON REPAT GROUP  
INFO : SCAP, 7TH DIV, CG USAMGIK  
NR : TFGCT 2349

Request 2 LST's be sent to Chumunjin to arrive 27 June and 30 June respectively. 2957 repatriates are in Chumunjin compound as of 21 June 1946. This request is an addition to ourads TFGCT 2337 17 June and TGCT 2342.19 June 1946.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP

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ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO: 220500 Z  
MCN: TJC 72/22



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IN THE CLEAR  
 ROUTINE

21 June 1946 ✓

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
 TO : CINCAFPAC  
 INFO : SCAJAP, CG 6TH DIV, CG 7TH DIV, USAMGIK, KOREA BASE COMD  
 NR : TFGCT 2346

Reference urad Z 02598 DTD 15 June 46.

1. This command is taking following action to prevent spread of cholera;

A. Compliance with health instructions relative to cholera issued by your headquarters.

B. Cheju Island has been placed off limits to all military personnel except those on essential official business.

C. Ships arriving at Korean ports from Cheju Island carrying as member of crew or passenger a native of Asia or of adjacent Islands or of Japanese Tyukyuan or of Bonin Islands will be quarantined for ten days and until three negative stool cultures of all personnel aboard have been taken.

D. Increased ground patrolling at port areas in Korea to prevent embarking and debarking of passengers on or from illegal shipping.

E. All persons at Cheju Island being inoculated against cholera.

2. Illegal shipping in Korean waters cannot be adequately controlled due to lack of coast guard patrol craft.

3. Request water patrols in the vicinity of Cheju Island Mokpo (930-1300) and Yosu (1070-1300) to check illegal water movements.

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IN THE CLEAR  
 ROUTINE

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By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

IN THE CLEAR  
ROUTINE

CG XXIV CORPS RAD NR: TFGCT 2346 DTD 21 JUNE 46 CONTD.

ACTION: PUB HEALTH & WELFARE

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NOTE: Z 02598 (ESS) does not apply.

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ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO:200720/Z  
MCN:TJC 54/20



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Authority *MM 995009*  
By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE 16 JUNE 1946

FROM: SCAP GC-O RVS/lb

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . . ROUTINE  
CG EIGHTH ARMY . . . . . ROUTINE

INFO: GOC BCOF KURE . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 24TH INF DIV. . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 2D MAR DIV . . . . . ROUTINE  
SRLUF. . . . . ROUTINE

**160631**

REPATRIATION SHIPS FOR KOREA IS SUBJECT PD (~~EX~~**62068**) URAD TARE  
FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE TWO THREE THREE THREE OF ONE FOUR JUNE NOT TO  
ALL OR NEEDED REFERS PD CONCUR METHOD OF REQUEST FOR ADDITIONAL SHIPS  
TO MEET EXCEEDED ANTICIPATED LEVELS AND FOR CHUMUNJIN COMPOUND AS IN-  
DICATED CITED RADIO PD REQUESTS SO MADE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO SCAJAP  
REPATRIATION LIAISON UNIT FUKUOKA PAREN RADIO ADDRESS SRLUF PAREN PD  
PARA AS REQUESTED CMA PART FOUR OURAD ZEBRA XRAY NAUGHT NAUGHT SIX SIX  
NINE OF ONE JUNE NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED IS RESCINDED HEREWITH PD PARA  
SHUTTLES ARE RE DASH ESTABLISHED AS FOLLOWS CLN ABLE PD HAKATA DASH  
INCHON SEVEN FIVE NAUGHT SPACES PER DAY PD BAKER PD SENZAKI DASH INCHON  
TWO FIVE NAUGHT SPACES PER DAY PD PARA THESE SHUTTLES WILL OPERATE ONLY  
WHEN FULL LOADS OF KOREAN REPATRIATES ARE AVAILABLE IN JAPAN FOR SHIP-  
MENT TO KOREA

OFFICIAL:

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

APPROVED: *C. A. Russell*  
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(3) (Changes No. 3) of AR 300-5, 15 March 1944.

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*Korea*

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## Korean Repatriation Shuttles.

G-3

COMNAVJAP

16 June 1946

Attn: SCAJAP

1. Reference is made to the following:
  - a. G-3 C/N, dated 1 June 1946, subject as above.
  - b. CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2333 DTG 140600 z June.
2. a. Paragraph 2b (2) reference 1a above is rescinded.
- b. Paragraph 2c reference 1a above "Kunsan" is deleted.
- c. Effective 17 June paragraph 3 reference 1a above is rescinded and the following substituted therefore:
 

"Request that SCAJAP assign shipping to the following shuttles:

Hakata - Inchon	750 spaces per day
Senzaki - Inchon	250 spaces per day
Senzaki - Chumunjin	as requested by USAFIK thru SRLUF"
3. Request additional shipping required to meet unexpected need be made available on call direct to SRLUF.

----- C. A. R. -----

16 June 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2333 of 14 June.
2. a. Part 4, ourad ZX 00669 of 1 June set up Korea - Japan shuttles as follows:

Hakata - Inchon	2500 spaces per week
Senzaki - Kunsan	4500 spaces per week
Senzaki - Chumunjin*	3500 spaces per week
- \* The Chumunjin shuttle outloaded Japs from Korea only.
- b. C/N, G-3 to COMNAVJAP, 1 June, set up shipping for above.
3. In telephone conversation between Col Coolidge (G-3 XXIV Corps) and Lt Col Strauss (G-3 SCAP) on 14 June, Col Coolidge stated that the reason for this action was that the Russians had agreed to USAFIK's request and had closed the US - Soviet border to Japanese refugees coming south.
4. In view of action radio it is desirable to set up shuttle indicated in proposed radio and C/N.
5. Recommend dispatch of attached radio and C/N.
6. Concurrences: SCAJAP (Comdr Duane).
7. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.
8. This completes action on this subject.

Strauss.

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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

14 June 1946

FROM: CG XXIV CORPS

TO : SCAP

INFO: CG USAMGIK, 7TH DIV, CO 6TH DIV, KOREA BASE COMMAND

NR : TFGCT 2333

Sufficient repat ships are in ports in Korea or will arrive in 3 days to lift Jap repats now held in Seoul, Kaesong, Auinongbu, and Chumanjin compounds. Normal Korean repat shipping to Korea will lift anticipated flow of Jap repats from North Korea. Additional shipping is not required at this time. Request for ships will be made to SCAJAP Repat Liaison Grp at Fukuoka if flow of Jap repats exceeds anticipated levels. Desire, with your approval, to request shipping for Chumanjin compound as required.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3

INFORMATION: G-4, COMNAVJAP

*OPNS*

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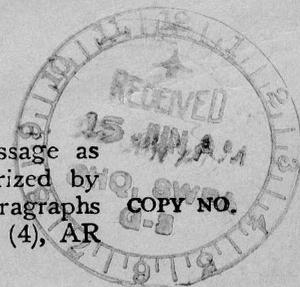
OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

TOO: 140600-Z

MCN: TJC 56-14

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

11 JUNE 1946

FROM: SCAP

*121137*

GC-O RVS/mta

TO : CG USAFIK . . . . . OPNL PRIORITY

*2 - 02535*

*OPERATIONAL PRIORITY*

SUBJECT IS REPATRIATION THROUGH PORT OF PUSAN PD ( TELEPHONE CONVERSATION BETWEEN GENERAL HODGE AND GENERAL CLARKSON ON TEN JUNE AND URAD TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE TWO THREE TWO SIX OF ONE NAUGHT JUNE REFER PD NOT REPEAT NOT DESIRED TO CONDUCT REPATRIATION THROUGH PUSAN UNTIL THAT PORT IS DECLARED CHOLERA FREE PD PROVISIONS OURAD ZEBRA XRAY THREE NINE FIVE ONE FIVE OF TWO EIGHT MAY REMAIN IN EFFECT PD TWO LIBERTIES BEING DISPATCHED TO INCHON EARLIEST TO LIFT REFUGEES REFERRED TO IN YOUR CITED RADIO PD SAILING DISPATCH WILL ISSUE PD ADDITIONAL SHIPPING AVAILABLE ON YOUR REQUEST

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

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

*for* *C. A. Russell*  
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- COMNAVJAP
- Govt Sect
- PH & W
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## Repatriation from Korea.

G-3

C/S

11 June 1946

1. Reference is made to the following:
  - a. C/N from the C/S, dated 10 June 1946 subject as above.
  - b. CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2326 of 10 June.
2. PH & W (Col Weaver) considers Fusan a cholera port and as such recommends that any repatriation ships from there pass through cholera inspection and quarantine at either Uraga or Sasebo. This restrictive procedure and its consequent waste of time and shipping is not feasible.
3. Recommend approval and dispatch of attached radio.

-----C. A. R.-----

*Korea*

11 June 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is C/N from C/S, 10 June 46, subj: "Repatriation from Korea" and CG XXIV Corps radio TFCCT 2326 of 10 June.

2. Ourad ZX 39515 of 28 May in part suspended all repat through Pusan because of cholera there.

3. PH & W (Col Weaver) recommends against repatriation through Pusan, unless ships are routed to Sasebo or Uraga and processed as ships from other cholera ports.

4. It is felt that handling as prescribed for ships from cholera ports would involve too much lost time. Therefore, it is believed expedient to deny Korea's request.

5. SCAJAP (Lt Comdr Shields) is dispatching 2 libs without delay to lift Japs from Inchon. Additional libs can be made available if necessary.

6. Recommend approval of attached C/N and radio.

7. Concurrences: PH & W (Col Weaver).

*SCAJAP (Lt Comdr Shields)*

8. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.

9. This completes action on this subject.

Strauss.

## Repatriation from Korea. ✓

C/S

G-3

10 June 1946

## 1. Telephone call from General Hodge, CG 24th Corps:

a. General Hodge states that Japanese repatriates piling up north of Seoul and are becoming a problem. No cholera present in this group.

b. He desires to repatriate these Japanese by moving them non-stop through Fusan to the boats.

c. Cholera situation in general Fusan much improved.

2. Please prepare reply to General Hodge clearing it through Public Health and Welfare. I am sure that the CinC will be guided by recommendations of Public Health and Welfare in this matter.

----- P. W. C. -----

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

F.2

IN THE CLEAR  
 OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

10 June 1946

FROM: CG XXIV CORPS

TO : SCAP

INFO: CG'S USAMGIK 7TH DIV, CO'S 6TH INF DIV, KOREA BASE COMMAND

NR : TFGCT 2326

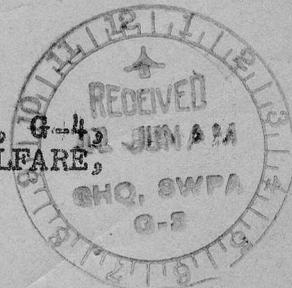
The cholera epidemic at Pusan is under control. Request that Pusan port be reopened for repatriation to relieve traffic through Incheon and remove danger of cholera epidemic starting in that city. Corps Surgeon and Director of Public Health Dept, Mil Govt, are in concurrence and feel that Pusan can be safely used. Mass immunization of city of Pusan has been completed. To date no case of cholera has developed among immunized persons. Repatriation to be handled as outlined below. Repatriation camps at Kaeson, Uijonfbu and Seoul will completely process Japanese repatriates including 6 day quarantine and move them by rail direct to nbr 1 pier at Pusan. Repatriates will be loaded direct on ships for ports in Japan. Incoming Korean repatriates will be debarked on nbr 1 pier at Pusan and can be moved by rail without contact with infected area of Pusan. Early consideration and approval of plan will speed up release of shipping urgently needed to lift heavy refugee movement from North Korea. Japanese refugee movement has greatly increased in the past 6 days and has heavily overcrowded all quarantine enclosures.

ACTION: G-3

**OPNS**

NO SIG

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-4, AG, C SURG, C GOVT SEC, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, COMNAVJAP



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TOO: 100830-Z  
 MCN: TJC 48-10

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*Korea*

**INCOMING MESSAGE**

IN THE CLEAR  
PRIORITY

10 JUNE 46

*Info Col 14 - Strauss - for plan of repat Korea to Japan*

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : CG 6TH DIV, CG 7TH DIV, USAMGIK, CO KOREA BASE COMMAND  
INFO : SCAP  
NR : TFGCT 2324 ✓

Reourad TFGCT 2300.

1. Effective immediately, this headquarters will determine and announce the movement of Jap Repatriates from Seoul, Kaesong, and Uijongbu to ships at the ports of Inchon and Kunsan.

2. CG 6th Inf Div and Co Korea Base Command will notify G-3, this headquarters, by telephone as early as practicable, of shipping space available for Jap Repatriation and dates on which ships will be prepared for loading.

3. CG 7th Inf Div will notify G-3, this headquarters, by 0900 daily by telephone of total number of Jap Repatriates in each of the Kaesong, Uijongbu and Chumunjin enclosures as of 1800 the preceding day. CG USAMGIK will give similar notice for the Seoul enclosure. In addition this headquarters will be informed at earliest of subsequent arrivals of large numbers of Jap Refugees.

4. This headquarters will notify that command charged with loading the available ship the number of repatriates from each enclosure who will be loaded. Port commanders at Inchon and Kunsan will coordinate with commands dispatching repatriates as to time of arrival at ports, stage of processing, ETC.

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, COMNAVJAP

NO SIG

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TOO: 100430 Z  
MCN: TJC 19/10

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Authority MM 795009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

8 JUNE 1946

FROM: SCAP

GC-O RVS/jh

TO : CG USAFIK . . . . . ROUTINE

URAD TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE TWO THREE ONE TWO OF SIX JUNE  
REQUESTING REPATRIATION SHIPPING REFERS PD ( **Z - 01883** )  
TO MEET REQUIREMENTS CLN CHOKO MARU AND CHOKI MARU WITH COMBINED  
CAPACITY ONE TWO NAUGHT NAUGHT HAVE EASY TARE ABLES INCHON EIGHT  
JUNE SEMICLN TWO LOVE SUGAR TARES CAPACITY TWO FOUR NAUGHT NAUGHT  
HAVE EASY TARE ABLE CHUMUNJIN ONE TWO JUNE SEMICLN LIBERTY VICTOR  
OBOE NINE FIVE HAS EASY TARE ABLE INCHON NINE JUNE PD SAILING  
DISPATCHES FOR BALANCE YOUR REQUEST WILL ISSUE

OFFICIAL:

JOHN B. COOLEY  
Colonel, AGD  
Adjutant General

APPROVED:

*C. A. Russell*  
for C. A. RUSSELL  
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Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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G-3 (3 return)  
COMNAVJAP

IN THE CLEAR

8 June 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2312 of 6 June.
2. a. Ourad ZX 00669 of 1 June establishes Korea - Japan shuttles as follows:

Chumunjin - Sensaki	3500	spaces	per	week
Inchon - Hakata	2500	"	"	"
Kunsan - Sensaki	4500	"	"	"
- b. SCAJAP radio 060534 Z to USAFIK states Choko Maru ETD Hakata 6 June; ETA Inchon 8 June.
- c. SCAJAP radio 060930 Z to USAFIK states Choki Maru ETD Hakata 6 June; ETA Inchon 8 June.
3. SCAJAP is implementing sailings indicated in radio not covered in paras 2b and 2c, above.
4. Recommend dispatch of attached radio.
5. Concurrence: SCAJAP (Comdr Duane, Lt Comdr Shields).
6. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.
7. This completes action on this subject.

Strauss.

Authority MM 995009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

Korea

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

IN THE CLEAR  
PRIORITY

6 June 1946

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FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP, SCAJAP  
INFO : CG 6th & 7th INF DIV, CG USAMGIK, CO KBC  
NR : TFGCT 2312

Subject is Japanese repatriation. SCAJAP liberties Clement Clay V-066 and Sara Bache V-018 with Korean repatriates aboard in quarantine at Inchon. Former is in quarantine for undetermined period due to suspected case of Cholera; latter is in quarantine until at least 13 June due to discovery of 2 cholera germ carriers among repatriates. Request shipping spaces as follows to return Jap repatriates who will have completed quarantine period of 6 days on dates indicated:

- X A. Chumunjin: 1500 on 8 June
- B. To Kunsan or Inchon: 2407 on 9 June 1882 on 10 June; 1420 on 11 June; 2991 on 12 June, request LSTS be sent to Kunsan and other ships to Inchon.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3

**OPNS**

INFORMATION: G-1, G-4, AG, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, COMNAVJAP

Note: Telephone conversation of 9 June 46 (Col Coolidge - Lt Col Strauss) disclosed that the suspected case of cholera aboard the V066, Clement Clay, had not been confirmed, and that the V066 was being released from quarantine.

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TOO: 060600 Z  
MCN: TJC 37/06



Return to G-3 Repat Files.

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 ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
 RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

Korea**INCOMING MESSAGE**

IN THE CLEAR  
 PRIORITY

31 May 1946

*Stauss*  
*OK*  
*Yes this is OK*  
*MSB*

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
 TO : CG 6TH DIV, CG 7TH DIV, USAMGIK, CO KOREA BASE COMMAND,  
 INFO : SCAP  
 NR : TFGCT 2300

Subject is Japanese repatriates. See our TFGCT 2298.

1. In view of the suspension of repatriation through the port of Pusan CG 7th Div will establish quarantine enclosures in the vicinity of Kaesong, Uijonbu and Chumunjin for isolating, for 6 days, Japanese refugees arriving from the North. Capacity of enclosures will be approximately as follows: at Kaesong 4000, at Uijonbu 5000 and at Chumunjin 4000. Repatriates will be completely processed at these enclosures in accordance with repatriation instructions issued by this headquarters.

2. Repatriates from Kaesong and Uijonbu enclosures will be moved by train to the port of Kinsan or Inchon and loaded directly on ships for Japan. CG 6th Div and CO Korea Base Command will notify CG 7th Div direct, with info to this headquarters, as early as practicable, of shipping spaces available for Jap repatriation and will hold ships until loaded with Jap repatriates. CG USAMGIK will provide trains as early as practicable to CG 7th Div for movement of refugees. CG 7th Div will be responsible for repatriates until they are turned over to tactical commands at ports of embarkation.

3. CG USAMGIK will assist 7th Div in establishing enclosures, providing food for refugees, and will furnish personnel for operation of enclosures to include police and persons to assist in the medical and financial processing of repatriates.

4. CG USAMGIK will maintain refugee enclosures in the Seoul area with a minimum accommodation for 2500 Jap refugees. The enclosures at Seoul will receive overflow from 7th Div camps at Kaesong and Uijongbu. CG USAMGIK, coordinated through this headquarters, will be responsible for moving refugees from Seoul enclosures to ports for shipment to Japan. Tactical commanders at ports will complete processing of those repatriates as required.

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Authority MM 995009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

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CG XXIV CORPS Radio # TFGCT 2300 dated 31 May 1946 continued:

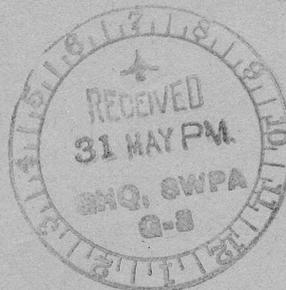
5. CO Korea Base Command will assist 7th Div, by providing necessary supplies and equipment, to establish enclosures.

6. Repatriates at Chumunjin will be processed completely by CG 7th Div, with assistance of Mil Govt, and will be loaded aboard shipping provided by Marine Division, Bureau of Transportation, Mil Govt, until SCAJAP shipping becomes available.

7. Direct communication between major commands is authorized to effect smooth operations.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP



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PRIORITY  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO: 310140 Z  
MCN: TJC 28/31

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*Korea*

## Repatriation from Korea.

G-3

COMNAVJAP (Attn: SCAJAP)

30 May 1946

1. Reference is made to G-3 C/N, dated 28 May 1946, subject: "Suspension of Repatriation Through Pusan."

2. In order to prevent the formation of a backlog of Japanese awaiting repatriation in Korea CG USAFIK has been authorized to place in effect the following measures:

a. SCAJAP Japanese ships Kosho Maru, Tokuju Maru and Teihoku Maru now at Pusan will be loaded with Japanese repatriates and held in quarantine in Pusan Harbor for six days. If no cholera develops among the repatriates aboard these ships they may be sailed to Hakata for discharge.

b. LST's Q032, Q067 and Q008 now at Pusan loaded with Korean repatriates will be sailed to Rumsan for discharge of Koreans. These ships will then be loaded with Japanese repatriates who have been released from the prescribed cholera quarantine and sailed to Hakata.

c. SCAJAP Liberties Clement Clay, VO66 and Sarah Bache, VO18 now at Pusan loaded with Korean repatriates, will be sailed to Inchon for discharge of Koreans. These ships will then be outloaded with Japanese repatriates who have been released from the prescribed cholera quarantine and sailed to Hakata.

d. Japanese stragglers now at GHUMUNJIN will be outloaded for Hakata initially in LST's operating under CG USAFIK. Additional lifts from this port to be by SCAJAP LST's made available as necessary on call by USAFIK to SCAJAP REPAT LN UNIT FUKUOKA.

3. It is requested that SCAJAP issue the necessary orders to implement the above plan. Reference paragraph 2d above it is expected that an average of two LST's per week will be necessary for this lift.

----- G. A. R. -----

Authority *MD 995009*  
By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

IN THE CLEAR

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

31 MAY 1946

FROM: SCAP

GC-0 RVS/mta

TO : CG USAFIK . . . . . PRIORITY

INFO: CG EIGHTH ARMY. . . . . ROUTINE

SCAJAP REPAT LN UNIT FUKUOKA. . . . . ROUTINE

GOC BCOF KURE . . . . . ROUTINE

*310417*

SUBJECT IS REPATRIATION FROM KOREA PD ( *ZX 39887* ) CONFIRMING TELEPHONE CONVERSATION OF TWO NINE MAY THE FOLLOWING INTERIM MEASURES FOR CONTINUING OUTGOING REPATRIATION FROM KOREA ARE PLACED IN EFFECT CLN PAREN ABLE PAREN JAPANESE NOW AWAITING REPATRIATION AT PUSAN MAY BE PLACED ABOARD KOSHO CMA TOKUJU AND TAIHOKU MARU CMA HELD IN QUARANTINE ABOARD SHIP IN PUSAN HARBOR FOR SIX DAYS AND THEN PROVIDING NO CHOLERA HAS DEVELOPED SAILED TO HAKATA FOR DEBARKATION SEMICLN PAREN BAKER PAREN LOVE SUGAR TARES QUEEN NAUGHT THREE TWO CMA QUEEN NAUGHT SIX SEVEN AND QUEEN NAUGHT NAUGHT EIGHT NOW AT PUSAN MAY BE SAILED TO KUNSAN FOR UNLOADING OF KOREAN REPATS NOW ABOARD CMA LOADED WITH JAP REPATS AND SAILED TO HAKATA FOR DISCHARGE SEMICLN PAREN CHARLIE PAREN SCAJAP LIBERTIES CLEMENT CLAY VICTOR NAUGHT SIX SIX AND SARAH BACHE VICTOR NAUGHT ONE EIGHT NOW AT PUSAN WITH KOREAN REPATS ABOARD MAY BE SAILED TO INCHON TO DISCHARGE KOREANS AND TO OUTLOAD FOR HAKATA JAPANESE REPATRIATES SEMICLN PAREN DOG PAREN JAPANESE STRAGGLERS NOW AT CHUMUNJIN MAY BE REPATRIATED TO HAKATA IN LOVE SUGAR TARES UNDER CONTROL OF CHARLIE GEORGE USAFIK PD SCAJAP LOVE SUGAR TARES WILL BE AVAILABLE ON CALL THROUGH SCAJAP

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REPAT LIAISON UNIT FUKUOKA FOR SUCH FURTHER LIFTS FROM CHUMUNJIN AS MAY BE NECESSARY SEMICLN PAREN EASY PAREN ALL JAPANESE REPATRIATES OUTLOADED FROM KUNSAN CMA INCHON OR CHUMUNJIN WILL HAVE COMPLIED WITH CHOLERA QUARANTINE RESTRICTIONS AS PRESCRIBED BY OURAD ZEBRA XRAY THREE NINE FIVE ONE FIVE OF TWO EIGHT MAY BEFORE EMBARKATION

## OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, A.G.D.,  
Adjutant General.

## APPROVED:

C. A. RUSSELL,  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

Copies to:

G-3 (3 return)

COMNAVJAP

Govt Sec

PH &amp; W

*RL*

31 May 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action results from a telephone conversation between USAFIK (Col Coolidge) and G-3 SCAP (Lt Col Strauss) on 29 May 46 in which the plan for repatriation from Korea was discussed.
2. a. M/R dated 28 May 46 to ourad ZX 39515 sets forth the background of this matter. See Tab A.  
b. Ourad ZX 34101 of 30 April prescribes additional cholera quarantine measures to be carried out in SACSEA and AMF ports. See para 2, Tab A.  
c. Ourad ZX 39515 of 28 May to USAFIK, info China, SACSEA, 8th Army, BCOF, PD Hakata and CG 25th Div suspended all repatriation through Pusan. Other Korean ports were allowed to operate subject to the restrictions of ZX 34101 (Para 2b above). USAFIK was requested to give ports and rates of flow desired.
3. USAFIK (Col Coolidge) states that Jap stragglers from N. Korea cross the 38° border and concentrate at the port of CHUMUNJIN which is south of 38° and just north of SAMCHOK. CHUMUNJIN is an isolated port without rail facilities and previously it has been the practice to lift these stragglers in USAFIK LST's to Pusan for repat to Japan. Harbor facilities make use of ships other than LST's impractical.
4. USAFIK's proposed plan to maintain outgoing repatriation appears sound and will aid in keeping the floating population at a minimum at a time when such a group is a health menace. A later call from USAFIK will take up the question of ports and rates of flow for both incoming and outgoing repat as requested in ourad ZX 39515 (par 2c above).
5. Recommend dispatch of atchd radio and C/N.
6. Concurrences: PH&W (Col Sams).  
SCAJAP (Comdr Duane).  
XXIV Corps (Col Coolidge).
7. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.
8. This completes action on this phone call but not on this subject.

Strauss.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FOR THE PACIFIC  
 ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
 RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

# INCOMING MESSAGE

**CONFIDENTIAL**  
**OPERATIONAL PRIORITY**

24 MAY 1946

*F-12*

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
 TO : SCAP  
 INFO : CG USAMGIK CG 7TH DIV  
 NR : TFGCT 2287

Illegal movement of Jap refugees from North Korea travelling south across 38 degree parallel continues to increase. Fol figures indicate extent of this movement during April and May: 1 to 6 April 463; 7 to 12 April, 1542; 13 to 20 April, 3679; 21 to 27 April, 4210; 28 April to 4 May, 5075; 5 to 11 May, 3814; 12 to 18 May, 8314, and in 3 day period from 19 to 21 May 7064. Acceleration of this movement has burdened our transportation facilities, aggravated already critical food and clothing shortage and constitutes a menace to health of this Command and native population. This Hq is preparing a 2nd letter of protest to Gen Chistiakov, 25 Army Soviet Forces in Korea, requesting that he institute measures to curtail this movement. Request info on status of negotiations with Soviet Union to repatriate Japanese directly from North Korea to Japan and request estimated date when we may expect implementation of these repatriation plans.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-

**OPNS**

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-4, AG, C GOVT SEC, DIPLOMATIC SEC

OPERATIONAL PRIORITY  
 CONFIDENTIAL

TOO: 240230 Z  
 MCN: TJC 44/24

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*Korea*

25 May 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2287 DTG 240230 Z May.

2. a. Document entitled "Agreements Reached at Conference Concerning Repatriation of Japanese Nationals from Korea North of 38° North Latitude to Japan and Korean Nationals from Japan to Korea North of 38° North Latitude" was prepared in draft form by G-3 (Repat). This draft was forwarded to Gen Derevyanko, Chief, Soviet Section, Allied Council for Japan through G-2 (Foreign Ln) by cover letter dated 23 April 1946. See Tab A.

b. Conference on this subject was to have been held on the afternoon of 26 April between SCAP representatives and General Derevyanko. At that time General Derevyanko stated that he would have to study proposed Agreements before he could act.

c. Letter from General Derevyanko dated 22 May, names Mr. Peter V. Anurova, Deputy Political Advisor for the Soviet Section of the Allied Council for Japan as the Soviet representative to discuss this matter and encloses suggested changes to our "Agreements". (Ref 2a above.). This document has been received *but* no copy is yet available for tabbing. G-2 has dispatched translated copy to Office of the Secretary to the General Staff this date.

3. Recommend dispatch of attached radio.
4. Concurrences: G-2 (Col Meyers, Col Pash).
5. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.
6. This completes action on this radio but not on this subject.

Strauss.

Authority MM 995009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

25 MAY 1946

FROM: SCAP

GC-0 RVS/ra

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . . PRIORITY

INFO: CG USAMGIK . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 7TH DIV . . . . . ROUTINE

270751

URAD TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE TWO TWO EIGHT SEVEN OF TWO  
FOUR MAY REFERS PD (CX 61404 ) NEGOTIATIONS WITH SOVIET  
REPRESENTATIVES BASED ON SCAP PROPOSED AGREEMENTS FOR DIRECT  
REPATRIATION OF JAPANESE NATIONALS FROM NORTH KOREA EXPECTED  
TO BEGIN SHORTLY PD NO ESTIMATED DATE TO INITIATE SUCH REPAT-  
RIATION CAN BE SET AT THIS TIME

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

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- G-2 (3)
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- Govt Sec
- Dip Sec

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Authority MM 995009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

*Korea*

# INCOMING MESSAGE

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ROUTINE

22 May 1946

FROM : CG 24 CORPS  
TO : SCAJAP  
INFO : REPAT LIAISON UNIT, FUKUOKA, PORT DIRECTOR, PUSAN KOREA  
NR : TFYMG 1891

Citing SCAJAP rad 160043 Z May 4212 Japs awaiting repatriation in Pusan. Request shipping repatriate them to Japan. Request immediate action.

NO SIG

ACTION : COMNAVJAP  
INFORMATION : G-3, G-4

*SCAJAP (Comdr Duane) states cited radio (SCAJAP 160043 Z) sets up policy concerning Japan-Pusan Shuttle. Korea authorities to notify In O, Fukuoka when ships are needed and they will be dispatched. This results in most economical use of ships in view of greater flow from Pusan. This radio has been passed to In O Fukuoka for action.*

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TOO : 211051 Z

MCN : TJCA 67/21

*Recommend no further action*

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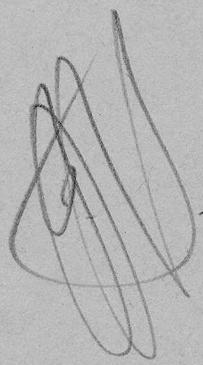
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ROUTINE

21 MAY 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
NR : TFYMG 1892

LST Q 11 Q 014 imperative ETA 24 May Pusan.

NO SIG



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INFORMATION: G-3, G-4

NOTE: This message has been passed to Signal Center for re-dispatch to COMNAVJAP for ACTION.

*Note*

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ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

TOO : 211052/Z  
MCN : TJCA/58/21

Authority MM 995009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**

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IN THE CLEAR  
PRIORITY

*Return + hold for  
Capt. Connelly*

16 May 1946

FROM: 24TH CORPS  
TO : CINCAFPAC  
NR : 160020

Military Government daily report number 131: Japanese: as of 14 May, only 848 Japanese nationals remain in South Korea according to census reports compiled by the Office of Foreign Affairs. The Japanese are distributed throughout the province as follows: Kyonggi-583; Kangwon-Do 7; Cholla Namdo 20; Chollapukto 56; and Kyongsand Namdo 1821. It is estimated that 200 Japanese nationals residing in Seoul have not registered.

Repatriation: due to the increase of Japanese refugees coming across the border by way of the Munsan area, processing unit is being set up at that place and is being operated by 3 members of The Japanese Relief Society.

Korean constabulary: on 11 May, a courtesy patrol was initiated in Seoul for the 1st time.

Public Information: work is continuing in assembling a comprehensive library of film on the development of the new Korea with special emphasis directed towards public health and industrial developments.

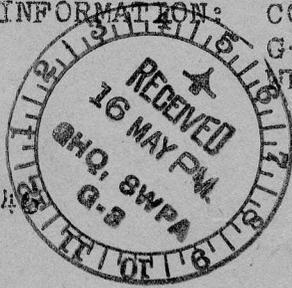
Cholera: strict quarantine measures have limited the incidence of cholera in Pusan area to a small number of Koreans aboard 1 repatriation ship from China. No cases exist among the civilian population of Pusan.

Bus transportation: all bus companies operating in south Korea have been refranchised according to routes actually traveled.

Street railway transportation: 85 street cars are now operating in Seoul.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-1, G-2, G-3, G-4, AG, C CIV COMM SEC, C GOVT SEC, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, CIV I&E OFF



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PRIORITY  
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TOO: 160020  
MCN: TJCA 15/16

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Authority *MM 995009*  
By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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*Korea*

INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
PRIORITY

16 May 1946

FROM : SCAJAP  
TO : RDO SASEBO, PD KURE  
INFO : CG EIGHTH ARMY, XXIV CORPS, CG 2ND MAR DIV, 6TH INF DIV  
SCAP  
NR : 160043 Z

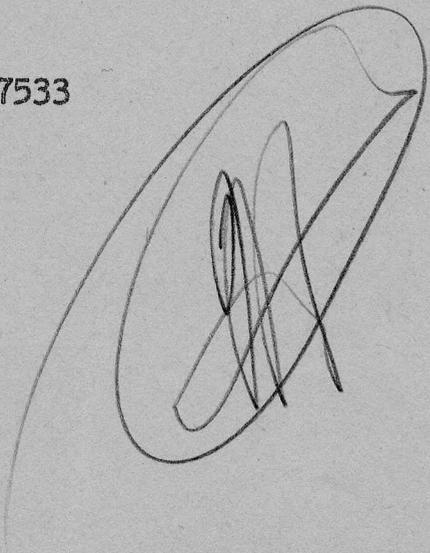
In view present heavier movement Japanese from Korea than Koreans from Japan PD Fusan is requested to keep SCAJAP Repatriation Liason Unit Fukuoka closely informed of shipping requirements. Liason Unit Fukuoka is authorized to sail ships light loaded to Fusan when congestion threatens at latter port. Policy is to avoid congestion at both terminals using shuttle ships assigned and to avoid using occasional long range ships that call at Fusan unless emergency exists.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-3, G-4

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no action indicated  
By*

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IN THE CLEAR

TOO : 160043 Z  
MCN : Y 16/16



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HEADQUARTERS  
UNITED STATES ARMY MILITARY GOVERNMENT IN KOREA  
Office of the Military Governor  
Seoul, Korea

8 March 1946

014.33 (MGIMG)

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Japanese.

TO : See Distribution.

1. All Japanese other than those deemed essential by Hq USAMGIK will leave Korea for Japan as soon as possible.

2. Japanese deemed essential must be reported to the Foreign Affairs Section, Hq USAMGIK, not later than 1 April 1946. The Foreign Affairs Section will determine, in accordance with directives of higher authority, which Japanese are in fact essential. Reports of such allegedly essential Japanese will include the following information:

- a. Name, address, age, and sex of Japanese.\*
- b. Name and address of employing unit or of employer.
- c. Name, rank and organization of Military Government officer in charge of employing unit; or name, address, and official title or position of other employer.
- d. Detailed description of present work and duties, including salary.
- e. Statement of reason (s) why he is deemed essential.
- f. Estimated date when his presence in Korea will no longer be required by USAMGIK.
- g. Number of persons in his household in Korea, including names, ages, sexes, and addresses\*, and description of homes (s) or habitations being occupied by them.

3. Japanese will depart Korea after a reasonable time in which to arrange their personal affairs. A "reasonable time" will not exceed three weeks from the date hereof, and will in no case exceed six weeks from the date hereof except by prior written authorization of the Foreign Affairs Section, Hq USAMGIK.

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\* Names and address of all Japanese will be stated in both Kanji (Japanese writing) and Romaji (English writing)

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Directive Hq USAMGIK, Ofc of the Mil Govnr, dtd 23 Feb 46, Subj:  
Repatriation of Japanese (014.33 MGTMG) (Contd)

4. The port of Pusan is the only authorized port of exit from Korea to Japan for Japanese. At present, vessels leave Pusan for Japan daily. It is preferable to move Japanese to Pusan in groups by rail.

5. Advise the Displaced Persons Office, Foreign Affairs Section, Hq USAMGIK (telephone Whitehorse 223) regarding the movement of Japanese to Pusan.

6. "Japanese", as used in this directive, means all nationals of Japan other than persons who became subject to the sovereignty of Japan by virtue of the annexation of Korea.

7. Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this directive, at his election any person need not leave Korea for Japan provided he is within one of the following categories:

- a. Females who are parties to a valid existing marriage consummated prior to the date hereof with another person not a Japanese or other enemy alien.\*
- b. Persons having at least one non-Japanese or other non-enemy alien\* natural parent, provided such persons formally renounce any allegiance to Japan or other enemy nation.
- c. Persons granted asylum or permitted to remain by the Military Governor in Korea.

BY DIRECTION OF MILITARY GOVERNOR

Distr : C

J. R. SHEETZ  
Brigadier General, USA  
Deputy Military Governor

\* "Enemy alien" as used herein means a national of Japan, Germany, Bulgaria, Rumania, or Hungary. It does not include Formosan-Chinese and "stateless" persons.

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**SECRET**

31 January 1946

**MEMO FOR RECORD:**

1. Comdr Duane SCAJAP accepted a telephone call from XXIV Corps (Col Coolidge) 31st January. Subject of conversation was return of Japanese repatriates from Jinsen and Chinmampo (north 38 ). Desired to take out 2,000 per day from each port commencing 15 February. States Japs were in bad shape suffering from cold exposure and starvation.
2. Comdr Duane passed info this headquarters and was requested to make no commitments until plan could be studied by SCAP.
3. Plan has obvious disadvantages:
  - a. Both <sup>ports</sup> on east coast of Korea lengthening shipping haul.
  - b. To comply will necessitate major reallocation of shipping.
4. Fusan would present no problem for such an operation.
5. Recommend dispatch of attached radio.
6. This completes action on this subject.
7. The list of agencies which might desire copies of G-3 correspondence has been checked prior to submitting this action for approval.

Howell.

**SECRET**

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Authority MM 995009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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# INCOMING MESSAGE

ROUTINE  
IN THE CLEAR

25 December 1945

TO : CINCPAC ADV INFO; CINCPAC  
FROM : 24 CORPS  
NR : TFGCT 1874

Reurad ZAX 11527dtg 231035 Z no allied vessels are now being used  
for repatriation of Japanese from Korea.

NO SIG

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MCN : ZUE 54

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

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 ROUTINE

8 November 1945

TO : CINCPAC ADV

FROM : XXIV CORPS

NR : TFGCT 1527

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Japanese Army and Navy personnel in Korea other than War Criminals, have not been treated as Prisoners of War but as disarmed military personnel and have been retained in former organizations for administration, supply and medical care.

After about 20 November all Japanese Military and Naval personnel will be cleared of Korea except for approximately 2650 Army personnel retained in Pusan to assist in evacuation of Japanese civilians.

No sanitary and auxiliary personnel remain in Korea other than 200 members of Pusan Fortress Hospital assisting in serving Japanese civilians being evacuated through Pusan.

NO SIG

TOO: 070552 Z

TCN: ZUG A 51

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Authority *MM 995009*

By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

OPNL PRIORITY

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

5 NOVEMBER 1945

GC-0 TNS/dg

FROM: SCAP  
TO : COM SEVENTH FLEET  
INFO: CTF 78  
CG USAFIK  
CG OBASCOM  
CINCPAC



*060347*

YOUR NAUGHT ONE NAUGHT EIGHT TWO NAUGHT ZEBRA NOVEMBER TO COMGEN  
USAFIK REFERENCE USE OF AMPHIBIOUS SHIPPING PD (*ZAX 8352*)  
USAFIK HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT DIRECT ARRANGEMENTS WITH SEVENTH FLEET  
FOR THE USE OF AMPHIBIOUS SHIPPING IS LIMITED TO THE FORWARD  
MOVEMENT OF TROOPS AND SUPPLIES TO KOREA CMA AND FOR THE RETURN TO  
OKINAWA AND JAPAN ON RETURN SHIPPING OF EVACUEES FROM KOREA PD  
FURTHER THAT BECAUSE OF MANY OTHER TASKS FOR AMPHIBIOUS SHIPPING  
CMA REQUESTS FOR UTILIZATION OF AMPHIBIOUS SHIPPING BEYOND THAT  
STATED ABOVE SHOULD BE SUBMITTED TO THIS HEADQUARTERS FOR  
COORDINATION PD UNDERSTANDING OF COM SEVENTH FLEET THAT REPATRIATION  
OF JAPANESE FROM KOREA WILL BE HANDLED BY JAPANESE SHIPPING AND  
TSUSHIMA FERRY SERVICE IS CONFIRMED CMA WITH THE QUALIFICATION THAT  
LOVE SUGAR TARES RETURNING TO OKINAWA FROM KOREA WILL ASSIST IN THE  
EVACUATION OF OKINAWANS TO OKINAWA AND JAPANESE TO JAPAN

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH.  
Brigadier General, US Army.  
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

*W. E. Chambers*  
W. E. CHAMBERS.  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.  
Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3.

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G-3 (2 return), G-4 (3), SCAJAP, FLTLOSCAP.

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*060345*GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

OPNL PRIORITY

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

5 NOVEMBER 1945

GC-0 TNS/ws

FROM: SCAP

TO : CG USAFIK



THIS RADIO IN TWO PARTS PD (*248351*) PART ONE PD YOUR TARE  
 FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE ONE FOUR NAUGHT ONE AND RADIO COM SEVENTH  
 FLEET NAUGHT ONE NAUGHT EIGHT TWO NAUGHT ZEBRA NOVEMBER RELATIVE  
 USE OF LOVE SUGAR TARES PD OPERATIONS INSTRUCTIONS NUMBER FOUR  
 CONTEMPLATED DIRECT ARRANGEMENTS BETWEEN THE TWO FOUR CORPS AND  
 THE SEVENTH FLEET ONLY FOR THE TRANSPORTATION INTO THE OBJECTIVE  
 AREAS OF TROOPS AND THEIR SUPPLIES CMA AND WHEN COMPLETED THE  
 RELEASE OF THE SEVENTH FLEET FROM FURTHER DUTIES PD MAINTENANCE  
 SUPPLY AND THE TRANSPORTATION THEREFOR WAS TO BE ARRANGED WITH  
 AFWESPAC PD Y UR PLAN FOR THE UTILIZATION OF AMPHIBIOUS FORCES OF  
 THE SEVENTH FLEET SHOULD CONTEMPLATE ONLY THE MOVEMENT OF YOUR  
 FORCES WITH THEIR SUPPLIES INTO KOREA AND THE BACKLOADING OF  
 REPATRIATES TO OKINAWA AND JAPAN ON THE RETURN TRIP TO OKINAWA  
 PD THE MOVEMENT OF THE FORCES FORWARD WILL BE COMPLETED AT THE  
 EARLIEST PRACTICABLE DATE PD PART TWO PD UTILIZATION OF AMPHIBIOUS  
 EQUIPMENT OF VARIOUS TYPES UPON THE COMPLETION OF THE DUTIES  
 SPECIFIED IN PART ONE ABOVE IS BEING ARRANGED BY HIGHER HEADQUARTERS

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PD FOR THIS REASON THE GENERAL UTILIZATION OF AMPHIBIOUS EQUIPMENT AFTER THE COMPLETION OF TASKS INDICATED IN PART ONE MUST BE ARRANGED BY THIS HEADQUARTERS PD ACCORDINGLY PRESENT PLANS MUST BE REVISED AND REQUESTS FOR THE USE OF AMPHIBIOUS EQUIPMENT OTHER THAN FOR THE TASKS LISTED IN PART ONE WILL BE SUBMITTED TO THIS HEADQUARTERS INSTEAD OF TO SEVENTH FLEET AND SUCH ARRANGEMENTS AS ARE PRACTICABLE WILL BE EFFECTED HERE

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Brigadier General, US Army.  
Adjutant General.

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Assistant Chief of Staff, G-3.

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

IN THE CLEAR  
 PRIORITY

2 November 1945

TO : CG USAFIK INFO: SCAP, CINCPAC, COMSEVENTHFLIBFOR  
 FROM : SEVENTH FLEET  
 NR : TF GCT 1401

Your 310457/Z. Amphibious shipping going released to me on conclusion occupation lifts to Korea has been assigned to meet requirements in my area other than support of 24th Corps. However COM7THFLIBFOR is authorized to complete evacuation of Jap troops from Saishu although this operation was not referred to me for approval.

My understanding from conference on Jap repatriation held Shanghai was that continued repatriation of Japanese from Korea could be handled by Japanese shipping and Tsushima Ferry service. SCAP is requested to confirm this.

Shipping for movement of coal for Korea should be requested of SCAP. LSTs are considered most unsuitable for this type cargo particularly in consideration of their present importance as personnel carriers.

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TO : ACTION: SCAP, INFO TO SCAJAP, CINCPAC ADV, CG 6TH ARMY,  
CG 8TH ARMY, COM FIFTH FLT, COM FIFTH PHIB CORPS

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS

NR : TFGCT 1373

All Japanese army personnel in Southern Korea, less 3000 assisting in evacuation of Japanese military and civilian personnel, will be evacuated to Japan by about 7 November 45. Japanese military, naval and civilian personnel on Cheju Island and COM GEN 17TH Jap Army in Korea will be evacuated about 15 Nov 45.

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

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23 October 1945

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FROM: SCAP

230633

TO : USAFIK

INFO: CINCAFPAC MANILA

REURAD COM SEVENTH PHIB TWO NAUGHT ONE SEVEN NAUGHT NINE <sup>SL</sup> DASH

ZEBRA INFO TO YOU PD ( CAV 53724 ) THIS HEADQUARTERS HAS  
NO REPEAT NO INFORMATION OF ANY PLAN CONCERNING ASSIGNMENT OF  
LOVE SUGAR TARES TO REPATRIATE FIFTY LOADS OF JAPS FROM SAISHU  
PD PLEASE ADVISE

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

*for* *W. E. Chambers*  
W. E. CHAMBERS,  
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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

23 OCTOBER 1945

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AW/dg

FROM: CINCAFPAC ADV

TO : CG AFWESPAC

*231231*

INFO: CG USAFIK

USAFIK MSG NUMBER TARE FOX GEORGE ABLE PETER SEVEN ONE THREE IS  
PARAPHRASED FOR YOUR INFO PD (*CAX 53749*) START PD THERE ARE  
APPROXIMATELY ONE NAUGHT NAUGHT OKINAWANS NEAR SEOUL AND AN  
UNDETERMINED NUMBER ELSEWHERE IN KOREA PD AUTHORITY IS REQUESTED  
TO REPATRIATE THEM BY LOVE SUGAR TARE OPERATING ON SCHEDULE BETWEEN  
JINSEN AND OKINAWA PD END PD YOUR COMMENT OR CONCURRENCE IS  
REQUESTED DIRECT TO CG USAFIK WITH INFO TO THIS HEADQUARTERS

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH.  
Brigadier General, US Army.  
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

*W. E. Chambers*  
W. E. CHAMBERS.  
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
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G-3 SECTION

19 October 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Chief of Staff For Operations.

SUBJECT : Repatriation of Japanese Civilians in Korea.

1. Action taken on Radio TFCCT 1209, dated 17 Oct 45 requesting additional shipping to expedite repatriation of some 470,000 Japanese civilians in Korea follows:

a. Assignment of six (6) Army Transports with an official carrying capacity of 2400 to operate until further notice as shuttles between Fusan - Hakata every three days.

2. Action has been suspended to o/a 1 Nov 45, on requirements for shipping to Kunsan and Mokpo at which time it is expected sufficient data will be available on which to base a decision.

W. E. C.

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

GC-0 / JEH/lb

18 October 1945

OPNL PRIORITY

FROM: SCAP  
TO : CG XXIV CORPS  
INFO: CINCAFPAC MANILA  
ASCOM 24  
CG 40TH DIV

*181121*

REFER YOUR TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE ONE TWO NAUGHT NINE  
REGARDING REPATRIATION SHIPPING PD (*CAV53515*) UNITED STATES  
CARGO VESSELS USED FOR REPATRIATING JAPANESE FROM KOREA WILL BE  
EMPLOYED TO THE MAXIMUM AND WILL EVACUATE MILITARY AND NAVAL  
PERSONNEL IN FIRST PRIORITY AND CIVILIANS IN SECOND PRIORITY PD  
ADDITIONAL SHIPPING WILL BE ALLOCATED TO YOU AS AVAILABLE

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

*W. E. Chambers*  
W. E. CHAMBERS,  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,  
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17 OCTOBER 1945

TO : CINCPAC ADV SCA JAP (TOKYO) INFO: CINCPAC MANILA CG ASCOM 24  
CG 40 INF DIV  
FROM : CG 24TH CORPS  
NR : TFGCT 1209

See your ZX 25097 dtg 132117/I. Use of US cargo ships to return Japanese POW's not required. POW's will be cleared from Korea by approximately 23 Oct AFD with current arrangements POW's will be cleared from Quepart Island by approximately 15 Nov. Approximately 470, 000 Japanese civilians still to be repatriated from Korea. Request additional shipping (either US cargo ships as proposed in reference or Japanese) to increase daily flow through Fusan by 2000. Expect to open ports of Kunsan and Mokpo before 1 Nov for processing Japanese civilians and receiving Korean repatriates. Further requirements for shipping to these ports will be forwarded when daily capacities have been determined.

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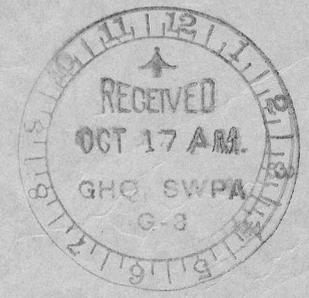
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16 October 1945

TO : CG 24TH CORPS KOREA PASSED INFO CINCAFPAC ADV, CG AFWESPAC  
PASSED  
FROM : CINCAFPAC  
NR : CX 17985

Authorization granted to use empty cargo vessels for the return  
of Japanese prisoners of war from Korea to Japanese home islands.  
EC-2 type vessels only should be used. Our ZX 25097 this refers.

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7 October 1945

TO : CG 5TH AMPHIB CORPS INFO CG 24TH CORPS SCAP  
FROM : CG 6TH ARMY  
NR : KX-10435

Contemplated LST plan for Jap repatriation received from CG XXIV Corps as follows: "1 convoy of 10 LST's from Inchon ETA Sasebo 12 Oct. 2nd convoy 10 LST's from Inchon ETA Sasebo 16 Oct. Each ship carries approximately 1000 Jap troops. 1 US Army officer or NCO and 14 EM as guard attachment aboard each ship. 1 APD will pick up guard detachment at Sasebo for return to Korea. Complete report and info will be forwarded when available."

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE 25 SEP 1945

GC-0 TNS/ws

FROM: SCAP

TO : IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT. *IMP. J.* URGENT

*251313*

INFO: CG USAFIK.....URGENT  
CG SIXTH ARMY.....URGENT  
CG EIGHTH ARMY.....URGENT

COMMANDING GENERAL UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN KOREA PLANS TO  
START MOVEMENT OF DISARMED JAPANESE ARMED FORCES FROM FUSAN TO  
JAPAN AT RATE OF FOUR THOUSAND DAILY COMMENCING TWO SEVEN  
SEPTEMBER USING PART OF AVAILABLE JAPANESE FERRIES NOW REGULARLY  
RUNNING CMA WITH NORMAL PORTS OF REFUGEES TRAFFIC AS DESTINATION  
PD (*29X6055*) DESIRE YOU RECEIVE CMA PROCESS AND CONSUMMATE  
REPATRIATION OF THIS PERSONNEL

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

*for* *Esler C. Buckhart*  
W. E. CHAMBERS,  
Brig. General, G.S.C.,  
Acting Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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GC-O ADV ECB/fm

18 SEPTEMBER 1945

FROM: SCAP  
TO : COMGEN USAFIK  
INFO: CINCAFAC MANILA

REFERENCE YOUR TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE GEORGE SEVEN ONE PD  
( *CAX-52073* ) APPRECIATE THE NECESSITY FOR PROMPT  
EVACUATION OF JAPANESE FORCES FROM KOREA PD AUTHORITY GRANTED  
TO CONCENTRATE THEM AT SEAPORTS FOR EVACUATION AND TO UTILIZE  
TO FULLEST THE EXISTING FERRY SERVICE BETWEEN SOUTHERN KOREA  
AND JAPANESE PORTS PD AVAILABILITY OF ADDITIONAL SHIPPING NOW  
UNDER STUDY AND SOME WILL BE ALLOCATED TO YOU AT EARLIEST  
PRACTICABLE DATE PD APPROVE YOUR PROPOSAL TO MOVE REPATRIATES  
WITH ONLY PERSONAL EQUIPMENT AND SUCH EMERGENCY RATIONS AND  
MEDICAL SUPPLIES AS ARE NECESSARY PD REPORT BY RADIO AS SOON  
AS POSSIBLE APPROXIMATE DATE MOVEMENT STARTS AND APPROXIMATE  
NUMBERS TO BE SHIPPED PER DAY AND PORTS OF DESTINATION

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

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APPROVED:

*S. J. Chamberlin*  
S. J. CHAMBERLIN  
Major General, G.S.C.  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3



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## OUTGOING MESSAGE

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GC#0 ADV ECB/WEC/fm

18 SEPTEMBER 1945.

FROM: SCAP

TO : CINCPAC

INFO: XXIV CORPS  
COMBATTING SIXTH ARMY  
COM SEVENTH AMPHIB FORCE  
COM SEVENTH FLEET  
COM FIFTH AMPHIB FORCE  
CINCPAC MANILA

PRESENCE OF JAPANESE TROOPS IN KOREA IS OBSTACLE TO RESTORATION  
OF PEACE AND TRANQUILITY PD (CAX 52055) IN ORDER THAT  
SITUATION MAY BE ALLEVIATED QUICKLY AND PROBLEM OF REPATRIATING  
JAPANESE NATIONALS BE FACILITATED SUGGEST LOVE SUGAR TARES AND OTHER  
SUITABLE AMPHIBIOUS SHIPPING RETURNING FROM DELIVERY OF FORTIETH DIVISION  
BE USED TO LIFT ~~HEARMED~~ JAPANESE TROOPS TO NAGASAKI PD FURTHER SUGGEST  
DECK LOADING ONLY AND COLD RATIONS IN ORDER TO AVOID NECESSITY FOR  
CLEAN UP OF TROOP ACCOMODATIONS BEFORE NEXT VOYAGE PD REQUEST YOU  
REPLY INFORMATION ALL ADDEES

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
FAR EAST COMMAND

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OUTGOING MESSAGE

Date: 24 January 1947

FROM: CINCFE

TO: CG, XXIV CORPS. . . . . ROUTINE 251235  
 CG, EIGHTH ARMY . . . . . ROUTINE  
 CO, I CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE  
 CG, 24th INFANTRY DIVISION . . . . . ROUTINE

PAREN CX 69485 PAREN Part 1 for CG XXIV Corps. Reurad ZMGFYF 32 of 22 January 47 not to all or needed. Authority granted to ship 12 Formosan refugees to Japan aboard SCAJAP cargo vessels selected by you on a space available basis. Request selection of vessels bound for Sasebo when practicable and appropriate sailing dispatch be issued.

Part 2 for CG 8th Army. Upon arrival non Japanese in Japan, request they be assembled at Sasebo or other appropriate reception center pending arrangements for onward shipping.

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED BY:

/s/ JFC

JOHN B. COOLEY  
Colonel, A.G.D.  
Adjutant General

WILLIAM A. BEIDERLINDEN  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.  
Asst Chief of Staff, G-1

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- M/R: 1. Cited rad requests permission to repatriate 12 Formosans now at Seoul.  
 2. In absence repat shipping between Korea and Japan, necessary to utilize SCAJAP cargo vessels on space available basis. Selection of vessels can best be made by port authorities in Korea.  
 3. SCAJAP (Comdr Malone) and XXIV Corps Ln 0 (Maj Lively) concur.

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20 Jan 47

FROM : CG 24TH INF DIV  
TO : CG I CORPS  
INFO : SCAP, CG 8TH ARMY, CO KYUSHU MIL GOVT REGION,  
CO 34TH INF  
NR : KVC 4422

Subject is SCAPIN 1442 dtd 7 Jan 1947. Japanese criminals from Korea were processed and turned over to police on 20 Jan.

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16 Jan 47

FROM : RDO SASEBO  
TO : CG USAMGIK (PASS INFO FA SEC MG SEOUL)  
INFO : CINCPAC, SCAJAP, COM7THFLT, CTG 96.5, CTU 96.5.22  
NR : 160001 Z

Tachibana Maru Sasebo 150900 Z ETA Fusan 160000 Z  
A none. D none. This ship request 80 tons fresh water.

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TOO: 160001 Z  
MCN: TNC 4/16



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AG 014.33 (13 Jan 47)GC

Dispatch of Correspondence.

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13 January 1947

For signature and dispatch.

1 Incl:

Memo to IJG, file AG 014.33  
(15 Jan 47)GC, (SCAPIN-1470)  
subj: "Repatriation of Japanese  
Criminals from Korea," dated  
15 January 1947.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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15 January 1947

AG 014.33 (15 Jan 47)GC  
(SCAPIN 1470)

MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT

THROUGH: Central Liaison Office, Tokyo

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea

1. Reference is made to Memorandum from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, file AG 014.33 (7 Jan 47)GC, (SCAPIN 1442), dated 7 January 1947, subject as above.

2. The Tachibana Maru is designated to repatriate the fifteen (15) Japanese criminals, now imprisoned in Korea. The ship will depart from Hakata on or about 15 January 1947. The return port in Japan is Sasebo.

3. The Imperial Japanese Government will comply with the provisions of reference paragraph 1 above.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

*R. H. Hervey*  
for JOHN B. COOLTY,  
Colonel, AGD,  
Adjutant General.

Authority MM 775009  
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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS  
SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

CC-0 TNS/bjb *TNS*  
13 JANUARY 1947

FROM: SCAP  
TO : CG EIGHTH ARMY . . . . . VIA COURIER  
INFO: CG I CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG XXIV CORPS. . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 24 INF DIV. . . . . OPNL PRIORITY  
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PAREN ZX 30972 PAREN SUBJECT IS REPATRIATION FROM KOREA PD OURAD ZEBRA  
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PD JAPANESE GOVERNMENT DIRECTED TO PLACE POLICE GUARDS ABOARD TACHIBANA MARU CMA  
EASY TARE DOG HAKATA ONE FIVE JANUARY CMA TO INSURE DELIVERY OF FIFTEEN PRI-  
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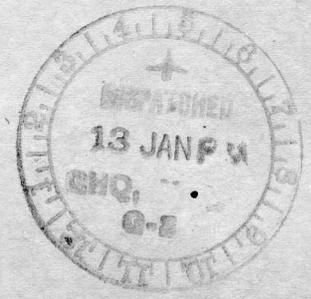
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CONCURRENCE: SCAJAP (Comdr Reinhardt)

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

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13 JANUARY 1947

FROM: SCAF  
TO : CG EIGHTH ARMY . . . . . VIA COURIER  
INFO: CG I CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG XXIV CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 24 INF DIV. . . . . OPNL PRIORITY  
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13 January 1947

MEMO for RECORD:

8 1. BASIC ACTION: XXIV Corps radio 100045 Z Jan 47, which requests sufficient space to lift 150 Japanese repats to arrive Pusan 16 Jan. This includes 15 Jap prisoners referred to in ourad ZX 30313 of 7 Jan 47 (para 3 a below).

2. CG USAFIK radio MGJUS 4 of 4 Jan 47 requested authority to repatriate 15 Japanese, presently serving sentences in national prisons in Korea, on or about 15 Jan 47.

3. a. Ourad ZX 30313, 7 Jan 47, (info Eighth Army, I Corps and 24 Div), grants authority to repatriate prisoners, and states that due to small number involved, it is desired they be repatriated on a ship to be dispatched for final clean-up of Japanese nationals from S. Korea. It further stated Japanese police guards will be furnished to obviate necessity of returning Korean guards to Pusan.

b. SCAPIN-1442, 7 Jan, informs IJG concerning prisoners and directs the following:

- (1) Police guards be placed aboard the ship to be designated to insure delivery of Japanese prisoners to Japan.
- (2) Expeditious processing at the reception center.
- (3) Incarceration of prisoners in Japan.
- (4) Monthly reports to SCAP as to status of prisoners.

c. SCAJAP radio 122306 Jan 47 directs COMFLTACT Sasebo to sail Tachibana Maru from Hakata to arrive Pusan 16 Jan 47. Return port is Sasebo.

4. RECOMMENDED ACTION: Directing IJG place guards aboard Tachibana Maru.

5. CONCURRENCE: SCAJAP (Comdr Reinhardt).

6. RECOMMENDATION: Approval and dispatch of attached radio to Eighth Army and Memo to IJG (Mr. Suzuki, C.L.O. informed orally this date).

7. COMPLETION: This completes action on radios referred to in paragraphs 1 and 2 above.

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By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, ~~U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC~~  
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# INCOMING MESSAGE

UNCLASSIFIED  
ROUTINE

10 Jan 47

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
INFO : SCAJAP, SRLUF, CG USAMGIK, CG YMT DIV, CO 98TH  
MG GP  
NR : 100045 Z

Request sufficient space to lift 150 Japanese repatriates to arrive Pusan 16 Jan. This includes 15 Japanese prisoners referred to in ured ZX 30313 DTG 070839 Z Jan.

OPNS

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3

INFORMATION: G-1, G-2, AG, PROVOST MARSHAL, GOVT SECT,  
LEGAL SECT, COMNAVFE



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ROUTINE  
UNCLASSIFIED

TOO : 100045 Z  
MCN : TJC 11/10

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Authority MM 795009

By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

FAR EAST COMMAND  
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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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# INCOMING MESSAGE

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13 Jan 47

FROM : SCAJAP  
TO : COMFLTACT, SASEBO  
INFO : SCAP, CONNAVFE,, SRLUF, CG USAMGIK, CG 24TH DIV,  
CTG 96.5.2  
NR : 122306 Z

Sail repat ship Tachibana Maru from Hakata to arrive Fusan 16 Jan. Vessel to lift about 150 Jap repats. Return port Japan is Sasebo.

NO SIG

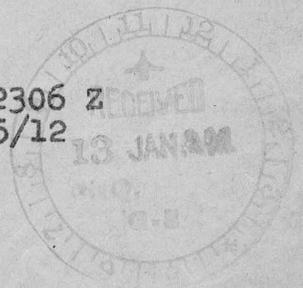
INFORMATION: G-1, G-2, G-3, AG

NOTE: Duty Officer Signal Message Center states this message received from SCAJAP via courier.

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TOO : 122306 Z  
MCN : 575/12



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Authority *MM 795009*

By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

*Korea*

TNS/mta *TNS*

AG 014.33 (6 Jan 47)CC

Dispatch of Correspondence

G-3

AG

6 January 1947

For signature and dispatch.

2 Incls:

Incl 1 - Ltr to CG 8th Army, file  
AG 014.33 (7 Jan 47)CC,  
dated 7 January 1947, subject:  
"Repatriation of Japanese Criminals  
from Korea."

Incl 2 - Memo for IJG, file AG 014.33  
(7 Jan 47)CC, (SCAPIN-1442),  
dated 7 January 1947, subject:  
"Repatriation of Japanese Criminals  
from Korea."

----- C.A.R. -----

Return to G-3 Opns (R) Division



Authority MM 795009  
By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

GC-0 TNS/fp *TNS*

6 JANUARY 1947

*g-3*  
*7th*

FROM: SCAP  
TO : CG USAFIK . . . . . ROUTINE  
INFO: CG EIGHTH ARMY . . . . . VIA COURIER  
CG XXIV CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG I CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE  
CG 24 INF DIV . . . . . ROUTINE

070839

PAREN *7X* 30313 PAREN SUBJECT IS REPATRIATION OF JAPANESE NATIONALS SERVING SENTENCES IN KOREA PD URAD MGJUS FOUR DATED FOUR JANUARY NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED REFERS PD AUTHORITY GRANTED TO REPATRIATE ONE FIVE JAPANESE PRISONERS TO JAPAN AS REQUESTED PD IN VIEW SMALL NUMBER INVOLVED DESIRE THEY BE REPATRIATED ON SHIP TO BE DISPATCHED FOR FINAL CLEAN DASH UP OF JAPANESE NATIONALS FROM SOUTHERN KOREA PD JAPANESE POLICE GUARDS WILL BE FURNISHED TO OBTAIN NECESSITY OF RETURNING KOREAN GUARDS TO PUSAN PD FURTHER ACTION BEING HELD IN ABRAYANCE PENDING RECEIPT OF REQUEST FOR SHIPPING TO REPATRIATE REMAINING ONE TWO SEVEN JAPANESE FROM SOUTH KOREA PAREN URAD MGADM ONE ONE OF FIVE JANUARY NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED REFERS PAREN

Return to G-3 Opns (R) Div

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED BY:

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

C. A. RUSSELL,  
Colonel, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3



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- G-2 (3) CPM
- G-3 (4 return) SCAJAP

CONCURRENCES:

- SCAJAP (Comdr Reinhardt)
- G-2 (CID-Public Safety-  
CONCUR Mr. Kimberling (Police)  
Dr. Lewis (Prison)
- Legal Section (Maj King)
- Gov't Sect (Mr. Burness)
- CPM (Col Atkinson)

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

GC-0 *TAS*  
TNS/eak

APO 500

AG 014.33 ( 7 Jan 47)GC

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea.

TO : Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343.

1. Reference is made to memorandum for the Imperial Japanese Government, file AG 014.33 ( 7 Jan 47)GC, (SCAPIN-1442), dated January 1947, subject as above, attached as inclosure hereto.

## 2. Request:

a. Special supervision to insure that necessary Japanese policemen are placed aboard ship that will be designated for delivery of Japanese criminals to Japan.

b. Routine supervision of compliance with the other provisions of reference memorandum.

3. The Commanding Generals, I Corps and 24th Infantry Division have been furnished copies of this letter and inclosure hereto.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

1 Incl: as indicated above

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CG I Corps (5)  
CG 24th Inf Div (20)

CONCURRENCES - SCAJAP (Comdr Reinhardt)  
G-2 (CID-Public Safety-  
Mr. Kimberling (Police)  
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CPM (Col. Atkinson)



Return to G-3 Opns (R) Div

TNS/mta  
6 January 1947

MEMO for RECORD:

1. BASIC ACTION: CG USAFIK radio MGJUS 4, dated 4 January 1947 which:

a. Requests authority to repatriated 15 Japanese serving sentences in Korea. Court and prison records will accompany each prisoner.

b. Requests, if par 1 a above is granted, shipping to repatriate them from Pusan on or about 15 January 1947.

c. States Korean prison guards are available to accompany movement, and if they are used, requests their return to Pusan.

2. CG XXIV Corps radio ZGCT 11, 4 January 1947, states a survey of the number of Japanese remaining in S. Korea not completed, and a report will be forwarded upon completion of survey. However, CG USAFIK radio MGADM 11, 5 Jan 46, states 127 Japanese nationals remain in South Korea.

3. SCAP 1407-A of 5 June 46 provides a precedent for repatriating Japanese prisoners from Korea and placing them in Japanese prisons. In this action 107 were brought to Japan aboard a repatriation ship.

4. Due to the fact there are only 15 persons and a few guards involved, it is not economical use of shipping to dispatch a ship for this sole purpose. On or about 15 Jan 47, it is believed that a request will be made by XXIV Corps to repatriate Japanese stragglers from S. Korea. The prisoners can be repatriated at that time. In order to obviate the necessity of returning Korean guards to Pusan, Japanese police guards can be sent to Pusan to take criminals into custody.

5. RECOMMENDED ACTION - Granting authority to repatriate Japanese criminals at same time as final clean-up from S. Korea.

6. CONCURRENCES - SCAJAP (Comdr Reinhardt)  
G-2 (CID - Public Safety - Mr Kimberling (Police)  
Dr Lewis (Prison)  
Legal Section (Maj King)  
Govt Sect (Mr Burness)  
CPM (Col Atkinson)

7. RECOMMENDATION - Approval and dispatch of attached radio, memo to IJG and letter to Eighth Army.

8. COMPLETION: This does not complete action on radio mentioned in paragraph 1 above.

*on action radio.*

*this subject but does*  
Stewart 2-5624

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Authority MM 795009

By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

FAR EAST COMMUNICATIONS AND  
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, ~~U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC~~  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

UNCLASSIFIED  
ROUTINE

4 Jan 47

FROM : CG USAFIK

TO : SCAP

NR : MGJUS 4

Request authority to repatriate the following named Japanese Nationals to Japan. They are presently serving sentences in National Prisons in Korea. Names and offenses follow; Bunichi Tominaga, embezzlement and forgery of public papers; Norihito Atsuchi, bribery; Yuzo Nogaski, embezzlement and destruction of public papers; Jiro Saito, embezzlement and destruction of public papers; Hishachi Harata, homicide; Yamata Suyeaki, theft; Nobura Yossaka, theft; Hishihara Katsuyoshi, theft; Nakayama Ichoro, theft; Kokechi Hiyashi, swindling; Kutsu Yubala, forgery and fraud; Tsutsumi Fusachi, embezzlement; Yamamoto Kozo, embezzlement; Araka Sijeo, violation of proclamation; Narita Yoshi, stealing. If permission granted request assignment of shipping to lift prisoners at Pusan on or about 15 Jan 47. Korean prison guards available to accompany movement. If Korean guard used request return transportation to Pusan be made available. Court and prison records will accompany each prisoner.

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NO SIG

ACTION : G-3

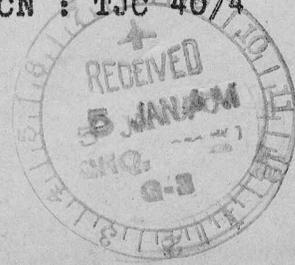
**OPNS**

INFORMATION : G-1, G-2, AG, COMNAVFE

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ROUTINE  
UNCLASSIFIED

TOO : 040445 Z  
MCN : TJC 40/4



*Kuro*

27 August 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is 3rd Ind, Hq XXIV Corps, APO 235, 18 Aug 46, to letter, GHQ, SCAP, AG O14.33 (13 Jul 46)GC, dated 13 July 1946, subject: "Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea."
2. SCAPIN-1407-A, 5 June 46, listed 107 Japanese POWs being repatriated from Korea to Japan to serve their sentences. This was in furtherance of policy to return Japanese criminals to serve their sentences in Japan.
3. CG XXIV Corps will initiate request to return remaining prisoners (~~REFYMG~~ 1950, 29 May). XXIV Corps (G-3 - Maj Smith) informed 26 August to continue this procedure.
4. C.L.O. No. 3394 (RF), 11 July 46, submitted a list of 22 additional prisoners whom IJG desired to be returned to Japan. This list was transmitted to USAFIK by letter, (see para 1 above), which requested comment and information on which to base a decision. Action paper transmitted requested information from USAFIK.
5. USAMGIK states in 2nd Indorsement, action paper (para 1) that "all Japanese prisoners confined in prisons under the jurisdiction of this head quarters will be returned to Japan upon completion of their trials and pending appeals."
6. Recommend approval of attached Memo to IJG.
7. No concurrences deemed necessary.
8. This action concerns USAFIK.
9. This completes action on action paper but not on this subject.

Holland.

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Authority MM 795009

By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

Transmittal of Correspondence

G-3

AG

27 Aug 46

Forwarded herewith for dispatch is Memorandum for the Imperial Japanese Government file AG 014.33 dated August 1946, subject: "Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea," with 3 Inclosures.

1 Incl - as indicated above

-----C. A. R.-----

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Authority *MD 795009*

By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

*Korea*

Transmittal of Correspondence

G-3

AG

13 July 1946

Forwarded herewith for dispatch letter to Commanding General, USAFIK, subject: "Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea", with inclosure C.L.O. 3394 (RJ), 11 July 46, same subject, with inclosure: "List of Japanese Criminals Desired to be Repatriated."

1 Incl - Ltr to CG USAFIK with inclosures as noted above.

-----C. A. R.-----

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file*

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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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RVS/lb

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

AG 014.33 (13 July 46)GC

APO 500  
13 July 1946

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea.

TO : Commanding General, United States Army Forces in Korea, APO 235.

1. Enclosed herewith is letter to the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers, G.L.O. Number 3394 (RJ), 11 July 1946, subject as above with inclosure: "List of Japanese Criminals Desired to be Repatriated."

2. Request comment and information on which to base a decision.

BY COMMAND OF GENERAL MacARTHUR:

1 Incl - as indicated above.

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C/S  
G-1 (3)  
G-2 (3)  
G-3 (3 Return)  
Govt Sec  
Legal Sec

13 July 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is C.L.O. #3394 (RJ) subject: "Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea" dated 11 July 1946. Paper incloses list of 22 Jap prisoners presently held in Korean jails which IJG desires sent back to serve terms in Japan. In addition IJG asks info on other Japs imprisoned in Korea.

2. a. SCAPIN 1407-A, 5 June 46 subject as above listed 107 Japanese prisoners being repatriated aboard the VO18. The IJG was directed to comply with SCAPIN-1378-A. (See Tab A and Tab B.)

b. SCAPIN 1378-A, 1 June 46, subject as above, directs IJG to:

- (1) Take criminals into custody on arrival in Japan.
- (2) Expedite processing and removal from reception center.
- (3) Place those convicted of serious offences in prison to serve the remainder of their sentence.
- (4) Require those convicted of minor offenses to serve their sentences or pardon them. See Tab B.

3. This matter lies within USAFIKs sphere and should be referred to them for information on which to base a reply. IJG(C.L.O.-Mr. Kakagi) has been informed that reply to action paper will be delayed pending results of investigation.

4. Recommend dispatch of atchd G/N and ltr.

5. Concurrences: Govt Sec (Maj Stalheim) ✓  
Legal Sec (Lt Col Meek) ✓

6. This matter concerns Korea.

7. This completes action on this C.L.O. but not on this matter.

Strauss.

*Korea*

10 June 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2322 of 9 June.
2. a. M/R to ourad CX 61574 sets forth the background of this matter. See Tab A.
  - b. Ourad CX 61574 DTG 311141 Z May to USAFIK cites ourad CX 60427 (para 2, Tab A) and authorizes Korea shipment to Japan of 41 Jap prisoners in addition to 66 already authorized and under same conditions. Requests use port other than Pusan for embarkation and strict compliance with cholera quarantine procedures.
  - c. SCAPIN 1378/A, 1 June 46, subject: "Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea" informed the IJG of the impending arrival of these criminals, ordered arrangements for their reception and stated info re time and place of arrival would be furnished.
  - d. Ltr of 8th Army, AG 370.05 (1 June 46)GC, subject as 2c above requests routine supervision of IJG in execution of instructions contained in SCAPIN 1378/A (ref 2 c above).
  - e. CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2313 of 6 June states in part that 107 Jap prisoners will be outloaded on Sarah Bache for return to Hakata about 13 June. Specific date to be furnished. (No action taken by this section.)
3. Action paper is sailing dispatch showing the entire 107 prisoners arriving Hakata aboard Cheko Maru 15 June.
4. a. C.L.O. (Mr. Ushiba) notified this date.
  - b. Eighth Army (Capt Rigby) notified this date by phone.
5. Recommend no further action.
6. No concurrences necessary.
7. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.
8. This completes action on this subject.

Strauss.

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Authority *MD 795009*

By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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*IN THE CLEAR*  
**INCOMING MESSAGE**

9 June 1946

*1-2*  
*10*

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
INFO : CG USAMGIK CO'S 6TH INF DIV KOREA BASE COMD  
NR : TFGCT 2322

Reourad TFGCT 2313 dtd 6 June 1946. 107 Japanese prisoners will be outloaded on the Choko Maru. ETD Inchon 13 June; ETA Hakata 15 June.

NO SIG

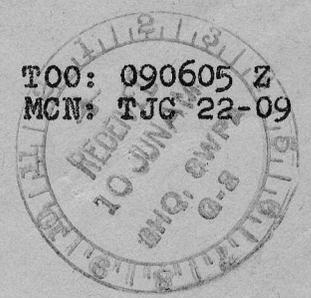
**OPNS**

ACTION: G-3

INFORMATION: G-1, G-4, AG, C PM, C GOVT SEC, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, COMNAVJAP

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*Korea*

**INCOMING MESSAGE**

IN THE CLEAR  
PRIORITY

6 June 1946

*F-1*

FROM : CG 24 CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
INFO : CG USAMGIK, CO'S 6TH DIV AND KOREA BASE COMMAND  
NR : TFGCT 2313

Reourad TFGCT 2307. Sara Bache with Korean repatriates aboard placed in 6 day quarantine 6 June at Inchon due to discovery of 2 Cholera germ carriers among repatriates. 107 Jap prisoners will be outloaded on Sara Bache for return to Hakata about 13 June. Specific date of departure of Sara Bache for Japan with Jap prisoners will be forwarded earliest.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3 **OPNS**

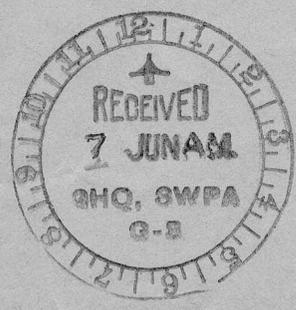
INFORMATION: G-1, G-4, AG, C PM, C GOVT SEC, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, COMNAVJAP

*Info only -  
Quarantine requires  
action taken prior to  
unloading*

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POO: 060605/Z  
MCN: TJC 44



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE 31 MAY 1946

FROM: SCAP **311141** GC-o WFG/jh  
TO : CG USAFIK . . . . . ROUTINE  
INFO: CG EIGHTH ARMY. . . . . ROUTINE

SUBJECT IS SHIPMENT OF PRISONERS PD ( **EX 61574** )  
REURAD TARE FOX YOKE MIKE GEORGE ONE NINE FIVE NAUGHT OF TWO NINE  
MAY NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED AND OURAD CHARLIE XRAY SIX NAUGHT FOUR  
TWO SEVEN OF THREE NAUGHT APRIL PD AUTHORITY GRANTED TO RETURN  
FOUR ONE JAPANESE NOW IMPRISONED IN KOREA ABOARD SCAJAP SHIP IN  
ADDITION TO SIX SIX NOW AUTHORIZED AND UNDER SAME CONDITIONS OUT-  
LINED OURAD CITED ABOVE PD IN THIS CONNECTION REQUEST CLN PAREN  
ABLE PAREN USE OF FORT OTHER THAN PUSAN FOR THEIR EMBARKATION  
PAREN BAKER PAREN STRICT COMPLIANCE WITH EXISTING QUARANTINE  
PROCEDURES FOR CHOLERA PD OURAD ZEBRA XRAY THREE FOUR ONE NAUGHT  
ONE OF THREE NAUGHT APRIL REFERS

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, A.G.D.,  
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

*C. A. Russell*  
for C. A. RUSSELL,  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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- C Govt Sec
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- Legal Sec
- COMNAVJAP

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERSAPO 500  
1946 GC-O WFG/mta

AG 370.05 ( )GC

SUBJECT: Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Korea.

TO : Commanding General, Eighth Army, APO 343.

## 1. Reference is made to the following:

- a. Radios this headquarters CX 60427, dated 30 April 1946 and CX , dated 31 May 1946.
- b. Memorandum for the Imperial Japanese Government, file AG 370.05 ( 46)GC, (SCAPIN- ), dated 1946, subject as above, copy herewith.

## 2. Request:

- a. Routine supervision by Eighth Army of the execution by the Imperial Japanese Government of the instructions contained in reference memorandum.
- b. US guards be cared for while in Japan, and placed aboard first suitable ship destined for Korea.
- c. That the Commanding General, USAFIK, be notified of ETA, and port of debarkation of ship transporting the guards to Korea.

3. This modifies letter this headquarters, file AG 370.05 (1 May 46)GC, subject as above.

By command of General MacARTHUR:

1 Incl: As indicated above.

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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
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# INCOMING MESSAGE

RESTRICTED  
ROUTINE

*1-a*  
*30*

29 May 1946

FROM : CG USAFIK  
TO : SCAP  
NR : TFYMG 1950

Reurad CX 60427 subject: authority to return 66 prisoners now imprisoned in Korea, request authority to ship 41 Japanese prisoners in addition to the 66 now authorized by cited radio. Total 107 to be repatriated. 6 prisoners suffering from scabies. Request prisoners be landed at Hakata, Japan. Directions of cited radio will be followed. Request for transfer of other Japanese prisoners will be made later upon final adjudication of appeals now pending and cases not yet tried.

NO SIG

ACTION : G-3

INFORMATION : G-1, G-2, G-4, AG, C PROVOST MARSHAL, C GOVT SEC, PUB HEALTH & WELFARE, LEGAL SEC, COMNAVJAP

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T00 : 290650 Z  
MCN : TJC 76/29

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*J. Jones*  
31 May 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. CG USAFIK TFYMG 1950 of 29 May is action radio.
2. Ourad CX 60427 of 30 Apr:
  - a. Grants authority to return 66 Japs now imprisoned in Korea provided:
    - (1) Arrangements for guarding them are satisfactory to ships master.
    - (2) Court records of each prisoner accompanies him.
    - (3) Notification as to name of ship, ETA Japan, and names of criminals is made to SCAP by radio 5 days prior to departure of ship.
  - b. Grants authority to hold small SCAJAP ships at Pusan in order to comply with above.
  - c. States that Jap Govt being instructed to take criminals into custody upon their arrival in Japan.
  - d. States guards will be returned to Pusan on first suitable shipping.
3. SCAPIN 1121-A gives instructions to IJG in regard to handling of 66 Japs Prisoners on arrival in Japan, ltr to 8th Army AG 370.05 (1 May 46) contained instructions to CG 8th Army in regard supervision of SCAPIN 1121-A.
4. Ourad ZX 39515 of 28 May: Suspends all repatriation to or from the port of Pusan because of cholera reported at that port. Applies additional quarantine procedures to all repatriates returning Japan from other Korean ports. (Ourad ZX 34101, 30 Apr refers). Queries Korea as to other ports which may be used for repatriation.
5. G-3 USAFIK (Col Coolidge) in telephone conversation 30 May with this section (Lt Col Strauss) designated Kunsan and Inchon as Korean ports to be used in lieu of Pusan for repatriation.
6. Scabies is not a quarantinable disease.
7. Provided provisions ourad CX 60427, par 2, are met and a departure port other than Pusan is used, believe no objection here to the return of these additional 41 Jap prisoners.
8. Recommend dispatch of attached radio, memo to IJG, and letter to 8th Army.

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Authority MM 795009

By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

9. SCAJAP (Comdr Duane), Govt Sec (Maj Stalheim), Legal Sec (Maj Holsinger), G-2 (CI - Col Hoover) and Pub H & W (Lt Col Hargat) concur.

10. This matter directly concerns Korea.

11. This completes action on this radio but not on this subject.

Gallup.

Authority *MM 795009*  
By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

*Korea  
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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE 30 APRIL 1946

FROM: SCAP

GC-0 TNS/ra

TO : CG XXIV CORPS. . . . . .ROUTINE

INFO: CG EIGHTH ARMY . . . . . .ROUTINE

**301353**

REURAD TARE FOX YOKE NAN GEORGE ONE SIX FOUR FOUR DATED TWO SIX APRIL NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED PD (CX 60427) AUTHORITY GRANTED TO RETURN SIX SIX JAPANESE NOW IMPRISONED IN KOREA ABOARD SCAJAP SHIP PROVIDED CLN PAREN ABLE PAREN ARRANGEMENTS FOR GUARDING THEM ARE SATISFACTORY TO SHIPS MASTER PD PAREN BAKER PAREN COURT RECORDS OF EACH PRISONER ACCOMPANIES HIM PD PAREN CHARLIE PAREN NOTIFICATION AS TO NAME OF SHIP CMA EASY TARE ABLE AT PORT IN JAPAN AND NAMES OF CRIMINALS IS MADE TO SCAP BY RADIO FIVE DAYS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE OF SHIP PD AUTHORITY GRANTED TO HOLD SMALL SCAJAP SHIP AT PUSAN IN ORDER TO COMPLY WITH ABOVE PD JAPANESE GOVERNMENT BEING INSTRUCTED TO TAKE CRIMINALS INTO CUSTODY UPON THEIR ARRIVAL IN JAPAN PD GUARDS WILL BE RETURNED TO PUSAN ON FIRST SUITABLE SHIPPING.

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, AGD,  
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

*C. A. Russell*  
C. A. RUSSELL,  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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- G-3 (2 return)
- C Provost Marshall
- Legal Section
- OCCIO
- Govt Sect
- COMNAVJAP



RESTRICTED

30 April 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action radio is XXIV Corps' radio TFYNG 1644.
2. Action is parallel to that taken with regard to repatriation of Japanese criminals from Formosa (ourad ZX 30839, 13 April; memo for IJG, AG 370.05 (13 Apr 46)GC, (SCAPIN-991-A), 13 April 1946, subject: "Repatriation of Japanese Criminals from Formosa").
3. Recommend approval of attached radio, memo to IJG, and letter to 8th Army.
4. Concurrences:
  - SCAJAP (Comdr Duane)
  - Govt Sec (Maj Stalheim)
  - Legal Section (Maj Holsinger)
  - OCCIO (Col Hoover)
5. This completes action on the radio mentioned in paragraph 1 above, but does not complete action on this subject.

Stewart.

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Authority *MM 795009*

By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

*File w/action*

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCE PACIFIC  
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RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

# INCOMING MESSAGE

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ROUTINE

26 April 1946

*F-13*

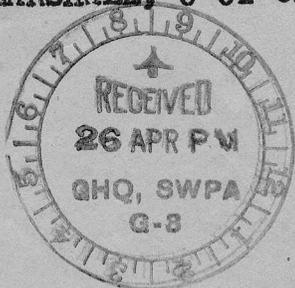
FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
NR : TFYNG 1644

Request authorization to deliver into your custody 51 Japanese now imprisoned in Korea for offenses involving serious crime or moral turpitude, under guard for incarceration in Japanese prisons for balance of their terms. Request authorization to repatriate to Japan 15 Japanese now imprisoned in Korea for minor offenses to your custody to be paroled in Japan during good behavior. If authorizations are granted by you we will wire you names and brief particulars. Request you advise us as to arrangements to relieve our guards who will accompany prisoners in first category. Records of prisoners and our report and recommendations will accompany prisoners returned to Japan.

NO SIG

ACTION : G-3 *[Signature]*

INFORMATION : G-1, G-2, AG, C PROVOST MARSHALL, C CI OFF



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ROUTINE  
RESTRICTED

T00 : 260158 Z  
MCN : TJC 33/26

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Authority MM 795009

By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

RE PAT NON-JAPS  
FROM KOREA

FAR EAST COMMAND  
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, ~~U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC~~  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
RADIO AND CABLE CENTER

*Korea file  
Report from  
Japan (Command)  
from Korea*  
RLJ  
rrr

# INCOMING MESSAGE

*Restricted*  
ROUTINE

22 Jan 47

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP (GOVT SECT FOR INFO)  
NR : ZMGFYF 32

Request permission to repatriate the following named 12 Formosan refugees who arrived in the US Zone of Korea on 17 Jan from the Russian Zone of Korea. These people are now being cared for by Korean Relief Society in Seoul: Lin Chi Jul, age 30, Huang Chan Hsiang, age 24, Chiu Hsiecbchen age 23, Fung Hing Shui, age 23, Ru Han Chen, age 22, Huang Chin Hui, age 23, Hsu Yi Yang, age 21, Fung Chin Hi, age 23, Chiu Yun Chang, age 27, Tku Jen Lin, age 22, Wu Chin Chuan, age 25, Hsieh Yi Chin, age 25. There are no women or children in the group.

NO SIG

*OPNS*

ACTION: G-3

INFORMATION: G-1, G-2, AG, GOVT SECT, COMNAVFE

*H. Col. Hodgins (G-1) has agreed to accept action*

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ROUTINE  
*Restricted*

TOO : 220258 Z  
MCN : TJC 36/22

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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

FAR EAST COMMAND  
GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, ~~U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC~~  
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*Korea file*  
RLJ  
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NO SIG

R E V I S E D

ACTION: G-1

INFORMATION: G-3, G-2, AG, GOVT SECT, COMNAVFE

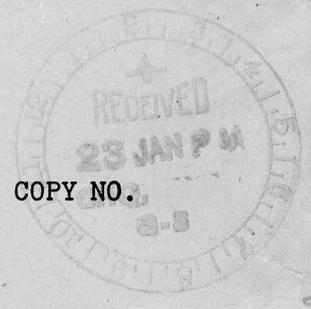
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*Korea*WFG/cfm  
20 December 1946MEMO for RECORD:

1. BASIC ACTION: 24 Corps radio TFGCT 2752, 19 December to SCAJAP info SCAP and Peiping which requests shipping space to lift 250 Chinese repats from Pusan to Tsingtao on 23 December. Further requests Shanghai as alternate port if no space available to Tsingtao.

2. Basis is in accord with policy here to repatriate groups of stragglers from Korea until 31 December 1946 completion date for mass repatriation.

3. a. SCAJAP radio 200215 Z to PD Sasebo informs USAFIK, Peiping and Tsingtao that the SCAJAP repat vessel Escort 118 will sail from Sasebo to arrive Pusan 23 Dec for lift of 250 Chinese Pusan to Tsingtao.

b. When this ship actually sails PD Sasebo will send all concerned a sailing dispatch.

4. RECOMMENDED ACTION - None in view of SCAJAP radio 200215 Z above.

5. CONCURRENCES - SCAJAP (Cmdr Reinhardt)

6. RECOMMENDATION - Filing of basis without further action.

7. COMPLETION - This completes action on this subject.

Gallup  
2-5622

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Authority *MD 795009*

By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCES PACIFIC  
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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# INCOMING MESSAGE

UNCLASSIFIED  
PRIORITY

19 Dec 46

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAJAP  
INFO : SCAP, CG USAMGIK, CG 6TH DIV, CO 98TH MG GP,  
CO PEIPING HQ GP  
NR : TFGCT 2752

Request sufficient shipping space to lift  
250 Chinese repatriates from Pusan to Tsingtao. Space  
to be available 23 December. If shipping space not  
available Tsingtao, request Shanghai as alternate port.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-3

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PRIORITY  
UNCLASSIFIED

T00: 190738 Z  
MCN: TJC 64/19



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*Korea*

# INCOMING MESSAGE

*Confidential*  
ROUTINE

24 OCT 46

FROM : CG 24 CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
INFO : CG USAMGIK SCAJAP  
NR : TFGCT 2642

Reurad CX 66190 15 Oct, 137 Chinese Repatriates referred to in part 2 reference radio will be returned aboard shipping requested by our TFGCT 2641, 23 Oct. Appropriate sailing dispatch will contain necessary information.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3 **OPNS**

*Killed GEW*

INFORMATION: G-1, G-2, G-4, AG, GOVT SECT, COMNAVJAP

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ROUTINE  
*Confidential*

TOO : 230636 242  
MCN : TJC 67042



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Korea

TNS/tn  
30 September 1946  
*Oct. 4*MEMO for RECORD:

SUBJECT : Chinese Puppet Consular Official in Korea.

1. At the request of Mr. Sebald, Dip Section, I called Captain Dalton, 24th Corps, reference USAFIK radio TFYMG 2920 of 22 Oct and asked the status of subject individuals and if 24th Corps had any objections to their being repatriated as normal repatriates.

2. Captain Dalton called back and gave me the following information:

a. There are 80 individuals involved; they have been held in protective custody since Oct 1945; in this status they are merely welfare cases since they cannot earn their own living.

b. 24th Corps had been negotiating with the Chinese Government to find out what the Chinese Government wanted done with these individuals. The Chinese were supposed to send a representative to Seoul in May 1946, however, none arrived.

c. Approximately one half of these individuals desire to remain in Korea. 24th Corps has no objections if all or a portion of them remain in Korea or if all are repatriated to China. They have no objection to repatriating these individuals as normal repatriates.

d. CINCPAC radio DTG 171233 Oct 45, directed 24th Corps to hold these individuals in protective custody pending further instructions. No instructions were ever issued. 24th Corps wants to get them off their hands.

3. I called Mr. Sebald and gave him the above information.

*TNS*  
Stewart 2-5624 *Rob*

GENERAL HEADQUARTERS, U. S. ARMY FORCES, PACIFIC  
 ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
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# INCOMING MESSAGE

*Confidential*  
 ROUTINE

23 Oct 46

FROM : CG USAFIK  
 TO : SCAP  
 NR : TFYMG 2921

Subject is clarification of status and disposition of Chinese Puppet Consular Officials in Korea. In the absence of official Chinese representation to this HQ, and since no instructions regarding disposition of Chinese Consular Puppet Officials and their families held in protective custody since Oct 1945 has been received (ref DTG 17/1233/I CINCAFPAC to CG 24th Corps,) and since this group has been a serious welfare problem for many months, request that a special Chinese Representative be assigned at once from the China Liaison group, Tokyo specifically for this problem with full authority from Chinese Government to clarify status and make decision on disposition of Puppet Consular group in Korea.

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

NO SIG

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, AG,  
 GOVT SECT

ADDED DIST: G-3

*21661*

ROUTINE  
*Confidential*



TOO: 220650  
 MEN: TJC 13/23

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*Korea*  
*TWS*

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

*Secret*  
ROUTINE

15 September 46

*BS*

FROM : STATE DEPT WASHINGTON  
TO : CINCPAC (PASS TO 24TH CORPS)  
NR : STATE SERIAL 121, Sept 13, 4 PM (WAR SVC-5765),  
(091402Z)

Seoul reports 120 Puppet Chinese Consular Officials including dependents in South Korea maintained under protective custody since US occupation constituting relief problem for Mil Authorities and Chinese Community. USAMGIK Liaison Office Shanghai told informally Chinese Representative to be assigned Seoul would handle matter. Seoul feels question new Chinese Consular representation not related to repatriation and Financial Relief this group and recommends Emb press Foreign Office to provide vessel for repatriation and Interim Relief. Although matter might appropriately be taken up in Seoul with Chinese Consular Officer, in view uncertainty his arrival date, lack of assurance that approach to him would be promptly effective, and urgency problem, you should approach Fon Off on matter emphasizing urgent necessity for prompt effective action by Chinese Govt to relieve USAFIK of further responsibility for group.

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ROUTINE  
*Secret*



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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

FROM: STATE DEPT WASH NR: STATE SERIAL 121 DTD: 15 Sept 46

ACTION: DIPLOMATIC SECT

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3, AG

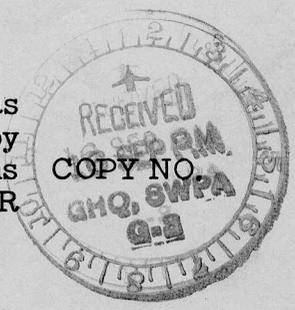
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*Secret*  
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TOO: 141905 Z  
MCN: SA 112/14

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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

OUTGOING MESSAGE

15 AUGUST 1946

FROM: SCAP

GC-O WWB/ra

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . .OPNL PRIORITY

INFO: SCAJAP . . . . .OPNL PRIORITY  
USAMGIK. . . . .OPNL PRIORITY

*161231* ↓

( *2 X13440* ) URAD TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE TWO FOUR SIX FOUR  
OF ONE THREE AUGUST CONCERNING REPATRIATION OF CHINESE REFERS PD PARA AUTHORITY  
GRANTED TO RETURN SIX TWO CHINESE ABOARD REPATRIATION SHIPPING EVACUATING  
JAPANESE FROM KOREA PD REQUEST NOTIFICATION OF NAME OF SHIP ON WHICH THEY ARE  
OUTLOADED PD PARA REQUEST REPORT FOR SEPTEMBER INCLUDE ALL CHINESE CMA FORMOSANS  
SOUTHERN  
AND RYUKYUANS NOW IN/KOREA WHO ARE SUBJECT TO REPATRIATION SO THAT ARRANGEMENTS  
FOR THEIR RETURN CAN BE CONSUMMATED AND THIS PHASE OF THE REPATRIATION PROGRAM  
COMPLETED

OFFICIAL:

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

APPROVED:

*for* *Ch. Buckart*  
C. A. RUSSELL,  
Colonel, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

Copies to:

- G-1 (3)
- G-3 (3 retrun)
- DS
- Govt Sect
- COMNAVJAP

IN THE CLEAR



15 August 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action radio is CG XXIV Corps TFGCT 2464 which lists 62 Chinese nationals to be repatriated to China. Represented are Northern, Central and Southern areas.
2. Ourad C 63321 of 23 July to USAFIK directs consolidated list of non-Japanese nationals be furnished monthly in order to avoid piecemeal action. Action radio is result.
4. Basic authority for return of Chinese is SWNCC 176-8.
5. It is desirable that return of Chinese, Formosans, Ryukyans be completed earliest to discharge SCAP's obligation. This action grants authority to repatriate the 62 Chinese and directs report of all Chinese, Formosan and Ryukuan nationals be furnished on 15 of next month.
6. When notification as to what ship the Chinese have been embarked necessary action with respect to SCAJAP, IJG and China will be taken.
7. Concurrences: G-1 ( Col Cullen )  
D/S (Mr. Burnett)  
G/S (Capt Fielding)
8. Action concerns Korea.
9. Proposed radio completes action on action radio but not on subject.

Burgess.

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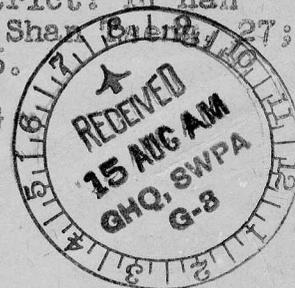
IN THE CLEAR  
 OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

13 August 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
 TO : SCAP  
 INFO : SCAJAP, SRLUF, CG USAMGIK  
 NR : TFGCT 2464

In compliance with urad C-63321, 23 July request that 62 Chinese Nationals be repatriated via Japan; destination, name and age as follows, for Canton: Chin Shang Chun, 49; Lo Mei Chen, 24; Chin T'ien Yung rpt 5. For Nanking: Li Ling Had, 35; Ch'eng Yu Lien, 26; Li Chun Chih, 6; Liching Chih, 3; Yang Ch'un Shen, 36; Sung Tao Lung, 10; Chang Chi Dh'en, 44; Hsu Ching Hua, 34; Ya Ming, 10; Hsiang Ming 18; Kuei Ming, 6; Chung Ming 4; Yu Pao Hu, 43; Shen Chi Yen, 38; Ching Chi Yung, 34; Hsin Shou Hsien, 39; for Ching Chiang, Kiangsee Province: Li Chein Yung, 29; Wang Chi Chih, 21; Hwang Hsiao Ying, 4. For Shanghai: Ts'ui Jui Fang, 26; Song Ching Chieh, 26; Ch'u Ch'ing Chih, 2; Lu Po Wen, 23; O Hsui Ling 36; Lu Cheng Heng, 26; Chen Ming Tao, 24; Cate Yun Ching, 28; Chiang Ming Ming 22; Chang Mein Shan, 23; Yu Chin Hung, 25; Ch'eng Hao, 28; Chien Hsial Lin, 29. For Anhui Province/ He Fei District C: Wang Ai Hua, 22; Wang Chin Tzu, 25. For Huei Province/ Liu An District: Yang He Ch'un, 30; Yu Li Jen, 27; Wang Chung Ching, 7; Wang Chung Erh, 3. For Ningp'o: Ts'ao Ch'ining, 25. For Hankow/ Kupeh Province: Chao Shih Feng, 22; Liu Ying, 21; Chang Yi Hsien, 25. For Chia Haiang, Chikiang Province/ Ch'eng Chuving, 25. For Wenchow, Csekiang Province: Ch'en Ming Hao, 30; Wu Ying, 26. For Iawan: En Chi Ying, 37; Yang Hsing Tang, 35; Yang Yi Hui, 34; Yang Mei Hui, 6; Ang Mei Chih, 2; Kao Hson Chih, 27; Takashima Yosheko, 27 (Jap wife of Kao Hsun Chih). For Hupeh Province. Kyang District: Cho Hsin Ti, 26. For Hupeh Province, Wuchang City: Li Chien Yo, 35. For Chiang Hsi Province, Anyi District: Li Han Hsiang, 28. For Tientsin: Chi Yueh Yuan, 39; Wang Shan, 27; Wuyueh T'ing, 37. For Shantung: Chin Ting Ying, 36.

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By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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C-O-R-R-E-C-T-E-D C-O-P-Y  
IN THE CLEAR  
OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

FROM CG XXIV CORPS NR TFGCT DTD 13 AUGUST 1946 CONTD:

## OPNS

ACTION: G-3

INFORMATION: G-1, G-2, G-4, AG,

NOTE: Corrected copy received in AG Office 141720 I.

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IN THE CLEAR

T00: 130745Z  
MCN: TJC 76/13



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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

OUTGOING MESSAGE

25 JULY 1946

FROM: SCAP

IN THE CLEAR

GC-0 RVS/lb

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . . ROUTINE

*251453*

INFO: SRLUF. . . . . ROUTINE

( *ZX 10227* ) SUBJECT IS LIFT JAPANESE FROM KOREA TO JAPAN AND  
REPATRIATION OF NON DASH JAPANESE NATIONALS VIA JAPAN PD URAD TARE FOX GEORGE  
CHARLIE TARE TWO FOUR TWO THREE OF TWO FOUR JULY REFERS PD PARA SCAJAP SHIPPING  
FOR LIFT ONE FIVE ZERO ZERO JAPANESE FROM PUSAN TO SASEBO ON OR ABOUT ONE  
AUGUST BEING ASSIGNED AS REQUESTED CITED RADIO PD SAILING DISPATCH WILL  
ISSUE PD DESIRED THAT FUTURE REQUESTS FOR REPATRIATION SHIPPING TO LIFT  
JAPANESE FROM KOREA BE ADDRESSED SCAJAP PAREN INFO SRLUF PAREN AS PRESCRIBED  
OURAD ZEBRA XRAY ZERO NINE ZERO SIX TWO OF ONE NINE JULY PD PARA REQUEST FOR  
REPATRIATION TWO ZERO CHINESE VIA JAPAN NOT RPT NOT FAVORABLY CONSIDERED AT  
THIS TIME PD DESIRE THIS REQUEST BE RESUBMITTED INCLUDING REQUIRED ADDITIONAL  
INFORMATION AS PRESCRIBED OURAD CHARLIE SIX THREE THREE TWO ONE OF TWO THREE  
JULY

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

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

C. A. RUSSELL,  
Colonel, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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- G-4 (3)
- COMNAV JAP
- PH & W

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

OUTGOING MESSAGE

GC-0 RVS/tn

FROM: SCAP

~~RESTRICTED~~

23 July 1946

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . . ROUTINE

*230531*

(*6332*) SUBJECT IS REPATRIATION OF FORMOSANS AND OTHER NON DASH JAPANESE FROM KOREA TO THEIR HOMELANDS BY TRANS DASH SHIPMENT VIA JAPAN PD URAD TARE FOX YOKE MIKE GEORGE-TWO THREE THREE SIX OF TWO ZERO JULY REFERS PD CONCUR IN SHIPMENT OF TWO FORMOSANS CITED IN REFERENCE RADIO PD PARA IT IS DESIRED IN FUTURE REPATRIATION OF NON DASH JAPANESE TO THEIR HOMELAND VIA JAPAN CMA PRIOR CLEARANCE BE OBTAINED IN EACH INSTANCE. PD THESE REQUESTS SHOULD BE CONSOLIDATED MONTHLY AND BE SUBMITTED BY THE FIFTEENTH OF EACH MONTH PD THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS DESIRED FOR EACH REPATRIATE CONCERNED CLN FULL NAME AND AGE CMA NATIONALITY AND DESTINATION PD THIS AMENDS OURAD ZEBRA THREE ZERO ONE FOUR SIX OF ONE ZERO APRIL

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

JOHN B. COOLEY,  
Colonel, ..GD  
..djutant General.

*for* *C. A. Russell*  
C. A. RUSSELL,  
Colonel, GSC,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3

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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

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# INCOMING MESSAGE

*8-6*

*Restricted*  
PRIORITY

20 July 1946

FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
INFO : CINCAFPAC  
NR : TFYMG 2336

Reurad Z30146. 101333/Z April 2 Formosans departing Seoul  
18 July for shipment to Formosa via Hakata, Japan. ETD Inchon 18  
July for Hakata. ETA will follow on sailing dispatch.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3

**OPNS**

INFORMATION: G-1, AG, C GOVT SECT, COMNAVJAP



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PRIORITY

TOO: 200020 Z  
MCN: TJC A 05-20

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380-5, 6 March 1946.

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23 July 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is CG XXIV Corps radio TFYMG 2336 of 20 July informing SCAP that 2 Formosans depart Seoul 18 July for shipment to Formosa via Hakata.

2. a. CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2170 of 9 April states that USAFIK understanding was that Formosans could be shipped to Japan for trans-shipment to Japan.

b. Ourad Z 30146 of 10 April states USAFIKs understanding (expressed in TFGCT 2170 - ref 2a above) regarding repatriation of Formosans from Korea via Japan is correct. Requests early info of projected shipments.

3. Due to the clearance of Formosa no repatriation shipping now regularly services that area. In order to repatriate Formosans from Japan it is necessary to divert ships on SACSEA runs. This is not an economical procedure for the few individuals involved. It is therefore advisable to withdraw blanket authority for trans-shipment of Formosans granted in Z 30146 (ref 2b) and to require consolidation of all remnants once a month to include all non-Japanese nationals.

4. Recommend dispatch of attached radio.

5. a. CLO (Mr Takagi) has been informed 22 July of the arrival of these Formosans and instructed to care for them while in Japan and to transport them to Kure Reception Center for shipment on the first available shipping for Formosa.

b. Eighth Army ( *Lt Stevens* ) notified by phone this date.

7. *No concurrence necessary*

8. This matter concerns Korea.

9. This completes action on this matter.

Strauss.

*Korea*

2 July 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is CG XXIV Corps radio TFYMG 2206 of 1 July. 1 Formosan, 2 Okinawans being repatriated to homelands via Japan ETD Seoul for Hakata 29 June.

2. a. Ourad ZAX 11301 of 20 Dec 45 directed 24th Corps to ship 31 Formosans, 5 Ryukyans to Japan for trans-shipment to homelands, and established the precedent for repatriation of these nationals from Korea via Japan.

b. Ourad Z 30146 (cited as Z 30148 in action paper) of 10 April requests early info as to projected shipments of Formosans to include number, Japan port, name and ETA of ship.

3. C.D.O. (Mr. Ushiba) notified this date and instructed to transport these non-Jap nationals from Hakata to the appropriate repat port for shipment to their homelands.

4. 8th Army, (*Maj Duff*) notified by telephone on 3 July, requested to supervise Japanese execution of SCAP instructions.

5. Recommend action paper be filed without further action.

6. No concurrence necessary.

7. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.

8. This completes action on this subject.

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By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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ROUTINE

1 July 1946

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FROM : CG XXIV CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
NR : TFYMG 2206

Reurad Z-30148 101333/Z 1 Formosan departing Seoul 29 June for shipment to Formosa via Hakata, Japan. ETD Inchon 29 June for Hakata. 22 Okinawans departing Seoul 29 June for shipment to Okinawa. ETD Inchon 29 June for Hakata. ETA will follow on sailing dispatch.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3

INFORMATION: G-4, C GOVT SECT, COMNAVJAP

NOTE: Corrected copy received in the AG Office at 041110 I.

NOTE: Ref Z 30148 does not apply. Ref 101333 Z is Z 30146 (G-3) believed to be correct reference.

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TOO : 010110 Z  
MCN : TJC 14/01



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By *BT* NARA Date *10-14-08*

*Korea*

11 May 1946

MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is XXIV Corps radio TFYMG 1781 DTG 100505 2 May.
2. Previous cases of trans-shipment have been handled by a memo to the IJG or a phone call to the CLO.
3. Recommend that CLO be notified by phone.
4. No concurrence necessary.
5. CLO (Mr. Ushiba) notified by phone this date.
6. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.
7. This completes action on the subject.

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X. 2 Formosans departing Korea for shipment to Formosa via Japan.  
ETD Pusan 11 May for Senzaki.

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ROUTINE

10 May 1946

FROM : CG 24 CORPS  
TO : SCAP  
INFO : CINCAFPAC  
NR : TFYMG 1781

Reurad Z-30146 DTG 101333/Z 2 Formosans departing  
Seoul 10 May for shipment to Formosa via Kure, Japan. ETD  
Pusan 11 May for Senzaki. ETA will follow on sailing dis-  
patch.

NO SIG

ACTION: G-3 *Open*

INFORMATION: G-4, C GOVT SEC, COMNAVJAP

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ROUTINE  
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TOO: 100505 Z  
MCN: TJC 42/10

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280-5, 6 March 1946.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

10 APRIL 1946

FROM: SCAP

GC-0 RVS/dr

TO : CG XXIV CORPS . . . . . ROUTINE

*101333*

URAD TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE TWO ONE SEVEN NAUGHT OF NINE  
APRIL REFERS PD ( *Z 30146* ) REFERENCE PARA ONE YOUR  
UNDERSTANDING CONCERNING RE-TRITATION FORMOSANS FROM KOREA VIA  
JAPAN IS CORRECT PD IN FUTURE REQUEST EARLY INFORMATION TO SCAP  
OF PROJECTED SHIPMENTS OF FORMOSANS TO INCLUDE NUMBER CMA PORT  
IN JAPAN CMA NAME AND EASY TARE ABLE OF VESSEL

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

B. H. FITCH;  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

*[Signature]*  
C. A. RUSSELL,  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERSAG 370.05 (11 Apr 46)GC  
(SCAFIN-957-A)APO 500  
11 April 1946

MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT.

THROUGH : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Trans-shipment of Formosan Repatriates.

1. Reference is made to the following Memorandum from the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers.

a. File AG 370.05 (16 Mar 46)GC (SCAFIN-822), subject: "Repatriation" dated 16 March 1946.

b. File AG 720.4 (9 Mar 46)PH (SCAFIN-806), subject: "Quarantine and Screening of Formosan Repatriates," dated 9 March 1946.

2. Thirteen Formosans disembarked from a repatriation ship at Sensaki on about 28 March 1946. These Formosans proceeded to Kobe stating that they were reporting to a Chinese Association in that city.

3. The Imperial Japanese Government will:

a. Locate these 13 Formosans.

b. Transport them to the Kure Reception Center for shipment to their homeland in accordance with the provisions of references cited in paragraph 1 above.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

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G-3 (2 Return)

Govt Sec

10 April 1946.

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action paper is CG XXIV Corps radio TFGCT 2170 TDG 090925 I Apr.
2. a. Ourad ZAX 11301 TDG 201141 Z Dec directed CG XXIV Corps to ship 31 Formosans and 5 Ryukyans to Japan for trans-shipment to homelands.
  - b. M/R of 19 Dec/45/<sup>to</sup>ZAX 11301 in para 2 states Formosans and Ryukyans should be shipping to Japan for trans-shipment because of economy of shipping.
  - c. BCOF Kure radio GO 1392 TDG 031530 I Apr states Sensaki center reports 13 Chinese civilians who disembarked proceeded to Kobe stating they were reporting to Chinese Assn. The one Korean returned to Pusan on Kosho Maru.
  - d. Ourad ZX 29111 TDG 051221 Z Apr to USAFIK refers 6th Div radio SD 1588 reporting departure Kosho Maru with 523 Jap civilians. Info from Sensaki Reception Center that Kosho arrived with 515 Japs, 13 Chinese, 1 Korean. Request info and circumstances under which Chinese and Korean aboard.
3. Recommend dispatch of attached radio and memo.
4. Concurrences: none required.
5. This matter has been considered in its relation to Korea.
6. This completes action on this subject.

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x. 13 Chinese mentioned ourad ZX 29111 were Formosans. Understanding AT HQ XXIV Corps was that Formosans could be shipped to Japan for trans-shipment to Formosa. Sailing dispatch 6th Inf Div failed include Formosans. Passenger list reads 523 Jap civilians, 13 Formosans. No record here of the 1 Korean.

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE 5 APRIL 1946

FROM: SCAP GC-0 CLH/lb

TO : CG USAFIK. . . . . ROUTINE

INFO: CG EIGHTH ARMY . . . . . ROUTINE

051221

SAILING DISPATCH SUGAR DOG ONE FIVE EIGHT EIGHT FROM CHARLIE  
GEORGE SIXTH INF DIV NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED REPORTS KOSHO MARU  
DEPARTED PUSAN TWO EIGHT MARCH WITH FIVE TWO THREE JAPANESE  
CIVILIANS PD ( **ZX29111** ) INFORMATION FROM RECEPTION  
CENTER SENZAKI INDICATES KOSHO MARU ARRIVED SENZAKI TWO EIGHT  
MARCH WITH FIVE ONE FIVE JAPANESE CIVILIANS CMA ONE THREE  
CHINESE AND ONE KOREAN ABOARD PD REQUEST INFORMATION AND  
CIRCUMSTANCES EARLIEST UNDER WHICH THESE ONE THREE CHINESE  
AND ONE KOREAN WERE EMBARKED FOR JAPAN

OFFICIAL:

APPROVED:

B. M. FITCH,  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

*for C. A. Russell*  
C. A. RUSSELL,  
Brigadier General, G.S.C.,  
Asst. Chief of Staff, G-3.

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- Govt Sec



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5 April 1946

## MEMO FOR RECORD:

1. Action initiated in G-3 Repatriation on direction Gen Dumas.
2. Sailing dispatch SD 1588 from CG 6th Inf Div, 29 Mar, indicated 523 Japanese civilians repatriated on Kosho Maru from Pusan, Korea.
3. BCOF Kure radio GI 1191, 291600 Mar, stated Kosho Maru arrived Sensaki 28 Mar from Pusan, Korea with 215 army repatriates and 13 Chinese.
4. Our ZX 28605, 1 Apr, to 8th Army info BCOF Kure requested clarification including circumstances under which 13 Chinese arrived Sensaki. (See memo for record 1 April 1946).
5. BCOF Kure GO 1392, 3 April, states Sensaki Center now reports 529 disembarked Kosho Maru, of which 515 were Japanese civilians, and 13 Chinese (who proceeded Kobe stating they were reporting to Chinese Association), and 1 Korean who was returned Pusan on Kosho Maru. BCOF had no explanation of presence on board of Chinese.
6. It is deemed advisable to query CG USAFIK to clarify the shipment of Chinese to Japan.
7. Recommend dispatch of attached radio.
8. No concurrence deemed necessary.
9. This problem has been considered in its relation to Korea.
10. This does not complete action on this subject.

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Authority MM 795009

By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

KOREA

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**INCOMING MESSAGE**  
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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

3 APRIL 1946

FROM : BCOP KURE  
TO : SCAP (ATTN G-3)  
INFO : 8TH ARMY (ATTN MG)  
NR : GO 1392

Ref our radio GI 1191. Sensaki centre now reports total of 529 disembarked Kosho Maru which total included 515 Japanese civilians, 13 Chinese civilians who proceeded Kobe stating they were reporting to chinese association. 1 Korean who was returned Jusan on Kosho Maru. Cannot explain presence on board of 13 Chinese.

NO SIG

INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP

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OPERATIONAL PRIORITY

31 March 1946

FROM : BC OF KURE  
TO : SCAP, 8TH ARMY MG  
NR : 291600 I

Repat shipping report for period 280001 I March to 282400 I March. Otake, negative report. Ujina, negative report. Senzaki, Kosho Maru arrived Senzaki 28 March from Fusan with 215 Army repats and 13 Chinese. Repats awaiting shipment 524 Formosans 499 Koreans.

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INFORMATION: G-1, G-3, G-4, AG, COMNAVJAP



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TOO : 291600 I  
MCN : Y 60

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23 March 46

FROM : CG USAFIK  
 TO : SCAP  
 NR : TTYMG 2190

Military Government daily report number 85:

Irrigation projects in South Korea have all been inspected and it is planned to complete those partially constructed and build such additional ones as are necessary; an order for 400 ton of steel has just been placed with the Chosen Steel Trading Company to this end.

Paper, The paper and printing Division of the Bureau of Commerce reports that there are now 10 paper mills in operation in South Korea; 4 more could be opened, if equipment, parts and raw materials were available; 2 other mills are partially under construction; it is estimated that if all the factories considered could operate at capacity, then about 35% of the paper needs of Korea could be supplied; thus, the needs are obvious.

Food porcessing, The industry section of the Bureau of Commerce has made most marked sucess in supplementing the rice supply by the stimulation of the manufacture of noodles in both Seoul and Inchon; It is expected that the Hippon flour mill at the last named city will be in operation in about 10-days with production of about 5000 pounds of noodles per day.

Spinning, In view of the fact that Korea has insufficient spinning machinery, plans are being made to distribute raw mohair to home spinning industries for the production of yarn which in turn can be woven into cloth by plant installations

Civil Service, In order to prepare candidates for government service, the Civil Service Training Academy will begin operation on 1 April; middle school graduates who choose to make public service their career are thus afforded an oppurtunity of studying Administrative and Civil Law,

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23 March 46

FROM: CG USAFIK, NR : TFYMG 2190 CONTINUED:

Government Structure, Ethics, Accounting and English; during the 1st term. 102 students will be chosen from the 8 Provinces.

Representative Democratic Council of South Korea, under date of 18, Doctor Syngman Rhee forwarded his resignation as chairman to the Council, stating that his ill health necessitated the action; The Council however, voted not to accept the resignation, rather it resolved to offer him a leave of absence which he has accepted; Doctor Kim Ki-sic will be the Chairman of the Council during the absence of Doctor Rhee.

Justice, Efforts are being made to obtain a suitable site for the establishment of a juvenile rehabilitation center, a project which is in direct line with efforts to establish Western ideas and policies in all welfare projects; furthermore, plans to utilize prison labor in certain industrial productions are being formulated.

Kyunggi-Do, policemen and firemen thruout the Province are showing marked signs of progress in efficiency and cleanliness; weapons are being issued to the policemen and they are being instructed in their use and maintenance; police are attempting to break up the black market; generally, communication service throughout the Province are insufficient because of antiquated equipment; Postal and electric service is fairly adequate; transportation continues to be overloaded, overcrowded, inadequate and insufficient.

Chinese refugees, there are present in Seoul, some 200 odd Chinese and it is expected that 300 more will be received from Inchon; all are to be concentrated for repatriation to China.

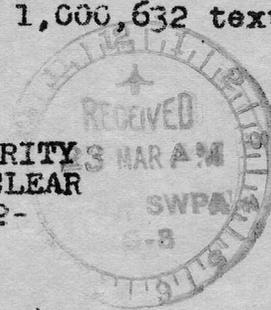
Education, to date, 1,000,632 text books have been distributed to the schools.

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FM CG USAFIK NR TFYMG 2190 DTD 23 MARCH 1946 (CONT'D):

INFORMATION: COMMANDER-in-CHIEF, CHIEF OF STAFF, G-2, G-3, G-4,  
AG, C CI O, C GOVT SECTION, STATISTICAL & REPORTS SECTION,  
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23 December 1945

TO : CINCPAC ADV CG CHINA INFO COMGEM 7TH FLT CG 5TH AMPHIB CORPS  
FROM : CG 24 CORPS  
NR : 200330/Z

Enoshima Maru departed Fusan 20 Dec for Shanghai. No Chinese repatriates aboard.

Total number of Chinese in Korea desiring repatriation 800. 265  
of this number destined Takuhbar north China departing from Kusan. Remainder  
depart Fusan for Shanghai about 24 December.

NO SIG

TOO : 200330/Z  
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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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AG 370.05 (21 Dec 45)GC

21 December 1945

MEMORANDUM FOR: IMPERIAL JAPANESE GOVERNMENT.

THROUGH : Central Liaison Office, Tokyo.

SUBJECT : Repatriation Formosans and Ryukyans from  
Korea via Japan.

1. This headquarters has directed that approximately 31 Formosans and 5 Ryukyans now in Korea and desiring repatriation be shipped to Japan.

2. Commanding General Sixth Army will inform the local Japanese official the name of vessel on which subject personnel is transported, number aboard, estimated time of arrival, and port of discharge in Japan.

3. The Imperial Japanese Government will:

a. Move subject personnel from port of discharge in Japan to Kagoshima.

b. At Kagoshima, load said personnel less Okinawans aboard repatriation vessels sailing to appropriate destinations.

c. Care for any Okinawans among the group until such time as Okinawa is opened for repatriation.

FOR THE SUPREME COMMANDER:

*H. W. Allen*  
H. W. ALLEN,  
Colonel, A. G. D.,  
Asst Adjutant General.

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GENERAL HEADQUARTERS  
SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

10 DECEMBER 1945

FROM: SCAP

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JEH/dg

TO : CG XXIV CORPS

INFO: CG SIXTH ARMY  
CG FIFTH PHIB CORPS  
COM GEN CHINA  
COM SEVENTH FLEET  
PD FUSAN  
CHARLIE



*201141*

REFER PARA / YOUR TARE FOX GEORGE CHARLIE TARE ONE EIGHT THREE  
TWO CONCERNING THREE ONE FORMOSANS CMA TWO TWO FIVE NAUGHT CHINESE  
AND FIVE RYUKYUANS DESIRING REPATRIATION NOT TO ALL OR NEEDED PD  
(*ZAX 11301*) SHIP FORMOSANS AND RYUKYUANS TO JAPAN ON  
REPATRIATION VESSELS FOR FURTHER MOVEMENT PD INFORM THIS HEADQUARTERS  
CMA CHARLIE GEORGE SIXTH ARMY CMA AND CHARLIE GEORGE FIFTH PHIB  
CORPS NAME OF VESSEL ON WHICH SUBJECT PERSONNEL IS MOVED CMA ETA  
CMA PORT IN JAPAN CMA AND NUMB R OF EACH ON BOARD PD PARA EXPECT  
EIHO MARU TO SAIL FROM JAPAN FOR FUSAN ONE EIGHT DECEMBER AND  
ENOSHIMA MARU TO SAIL FROM JAPAN FOR FUSAN ONE NINE DECEMBER PD  
TATSUHI MARU NOT YET SCHEDULED BUT EXPECTED TO SAIL FROM JAPAN FOR  
FUSAN END OF DECEMBER PD ALL THREE VESSELS WILL DISCHARGE KOREANS  
FROM JAPAN AT FUSAN AND WILL SAIL FOR SHANGHAI PD EMBARK CHINESE  
DESTINED FOR CENTRAL CHINA ON THESE VESSELS PD PORT DIRECTOR FUSAN  
INFORM COM GEN CHINA NUMBER OF CHINESE EMBARKED PD PARA REPORT

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By BT NARA Date 10-14-08

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NUMBER CHINESE REMAINING IN KOREA DESTINED FOR NORTH CMA CENTRAL  
AND SOUTH CHINA CMA LISTED SEPARATELY CMA AS OF TWO ONE DECEMBER

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH.  
Brigadier General, US Army.  
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

*C. A. Russell*  
C. A. RUSSELL.  
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SUPREME COMMANDER FOR THE ALLIED POWERS

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SIGNAL CORPS MESSAGE

19 DECEMBER 1945

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JEH/jh

FROM: SCAP

TO : CG SIXTH ARMY

INFO: CG FIFTH PHIB CORPS

*201247*

REFER MY ZEBRA ~~ABLE~~ XRAY ONE ONE THREE NAUGHT ONE  
CONCERNING REPATRIATION OF APPROXIMATELY THREE ONE FORMOSANS AND FIVE RYUKYUANS  
FROM KOREA BY WAY OF JAPAN TO DESTINATION PD (*ZAX 11321*) UPON  
RECEIPT OF INFORMATION FROM TWO FOUR CORPS INFORM LOCAL JAPANESE OFFICIALS CLN  
NAME OF VESSEL ON WHICH SUBJECT PERSONNEL IS TRANSPORTED CMA NUMBER ABOARD CMA  
ETA CMA AND PORT OF DISCHARGE IN JAPAN PD JAPANESE GOVERNMENT HAS BEEN DIRECTED  
TO MOVE SUBJECT PERSONNEL FROM PORT OF DISCHARGE IN JAPAN TO KAGOSHIMA THEN  
EMBARK THEM ON REPATRIATION SHIPPING FOR DESTINATION

OFFICIAL:

B. M. FITCH.  
Brigadier General, US Army,  
Adjutant General.

APPROVED:

*J. W. Bidwell*  
for C. A. RUSSELL.  
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