

2. Although a thorough search of files was made, the following were not located:

a. Letter of transmittal to War Department of SOP of November 5, 1941. The only written evidence that it *might* have been sent to the War Department was the interstaff routing slip which showed the date of publication as 8 November 1941. Apparently no record was kept because the SOP was classified only "Restricted." (Paragraph 1 j, basic.)

b. Colonel Berquist's report was not found. (Paragraph 1 k, basic.)

c. Memorandum of General Staff asking study of air situation in Hawaii was not found. However, what is believed to be a reply to this memorandum was found. (Paragraph 1 l, basic.)

d. Pattern of bombings by Japanese was not found. (Paragraph 1 m, basic.)

e. Navy's estimates based on presence of carriers in Marshalls was not found; at least none were found with any specific reference to these carriers. (Paragraph 1 r, basic.)

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(1) ARMY PEARL HARBOR BOARD FILE # 51

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UNITED STATES PACIFIC FLEET,
AND PACIFIC OCEAN AREA,
HEADQUARTERS OF THE COMMANDER IN CHIEF,
12 September 1944.

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MEMORANDUM

Subject: Japanese Task Force that attacked Pearl Harbor, Summary of information concerning, derived from Prisoners of War and Captured Documents.

References:

- (a) JICPOA Preliminary Interrogation Report #7 of 10 January 1944—FURUKAWA, Masayuki, served with SHOKAKU Air Group during attack on Pearl Harbor.
- (b) ATIS, Sovespac Area Serial Number 299, dated 10 August 1943 report of Interrogation #148: YOKOTA, Shigeki, served aboard KAGA during attack on Pearl Harbor.
- (c) Cincpac Conf. serial (2269 of 29 July 1942) composite interrogation of HIJYU prisoners: K. Aiso (Comdr), H. Nagayama (1st Reg. Off.), Y. Kajishima (2nd Reg. Off.), H. Masuda (Reg. PO), S. Terukawa, T. Koga, M. Hidaka, H. Iwasaki, T. Yoda, H. Ueda, N. Hirotsu, M. Nomura, H. Rochikami, M. Yememura, S. Urahawa, I. Okada, S. Furuta, T. Yamagi, Y. Ochiai, T. Daba, S. Yamada, S. Kameshima, T. Nagatani, T. Takano, U. Hidaka, J. Todorokihara, S. Nagai, A. Hara, M. Honda, S. Kuriyama, N. Takochi, M. Manaka, S. Haseguchi, K. Ikeda.
- (d) Preliminary interrogation of POW Noda, Mitsuharu—Interrogation not yet complete, report to be made in near future.
- (e) Document captured from Japanese plane raised from waters of Pearl Harbor on 9 December—Reference A(7) to Cincpac Conf. Serial 079, dated 10 January 1942.
- (f) Track Chart of Japanese Carriers—November 1941 to April 1942; reproduced from Japanese map of Pacific Area, captured at New Georgia early June 1943, Compass 8-1945, #643. (Copy attached herewith).

ALL TERMS AND DATES UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED ARE JAPANESE; TIMES AND DATES; OUR DECEMBER 7 IS JAPANESE DECEMBER 5; TIME DIFFERENCE BETWEEN TOKYO AND HAWAIIAN TIME WAS FOUR AND ONE HALF HOURS.

1. Prisoner reference (b) states SHOKAKU departed OITA (on HUNGO CHANNEL) 29 November arriving TANKAN BAY, ETOROBU ISLAND about 25