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SOURCE Japanese with intelligence experience

KIDO Ryo (1004/2073/0081), Political Affairs Secretary to Deputy Premier OGATA Taketora, is engaged in information collection activities. His sources are:

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(268/1955/266/1816)

Graduate of Tokyo University; purged from Yomiuri Shinbun; meets KIDO in the first Conference Room at the House of Representatives.

KAGUCHI Takuro  
(252/0636/0362/6745)

Also purged from Yomiuri.

YAMAZAKI Tenro  
(078/6851/010/6745)

Reporter for Japan Communist Party newspaper Akehata.

KANEKO Tetsuro (nee)

Purged from Asahi Shinbun.

1. William Pitt stated that KIDO's motive in this work was unknown, that he was open to the question of whether it is in behalf of or independent of KIDO. The backgrounds of the sources raise the presumption that the information collected was for Communist and political activities in Japan.

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