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# Two Models of Primary Source Collection

## 1. The CCD Collection

Japanese print publications submitted to the CCD for censorship review (e.g. The Prange Collection)

# 2. Military and Civilian Leaders' Personal Collection

Governmental and personal documents donated to U.S. academic institutions

# Three Cases of Collecting and Integrating SCAP Officers'/Civilians' Collections

## Case 1: The Prange as a Hub of Allied Occupation Resources

## **15 Gift Collections**

- 7 Papers
- 2 Photographs and Oral History
- 1 Photographs and Slides
- 1 Photographs and Report
- 1 Photo Album
- 1 Photographs
- 1 Slides
- 1 Oral Histories

# Features of SCAP/Civilian Leaders' Personal Collections

A variety of domains/fields

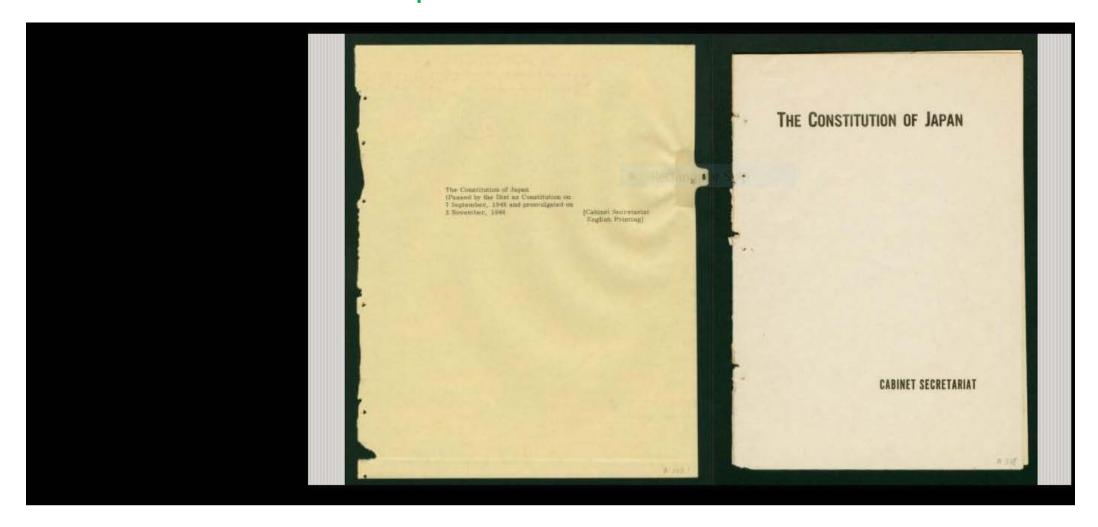
SCAP: Division of Legislation, Labor, Intelligence

Civilian: Journalist, Attorney, Professional Housewife

A variety of types of materials
 Governmental documents, personal correspondence, photographs

No copyright constraints for Open Access!

# Charles L. Kades Papers on the Internet Archive

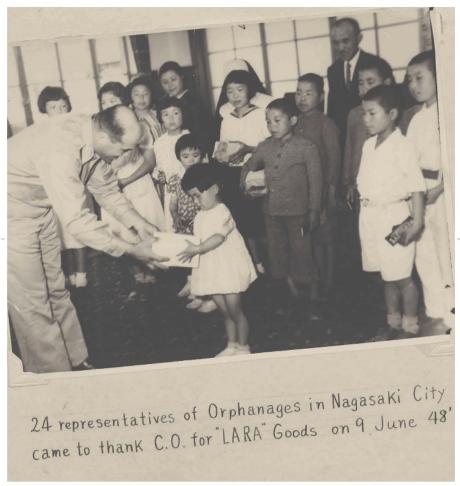


Charles L. Kades papers: Relating to the Writing of the Japanese Constitution (1947)

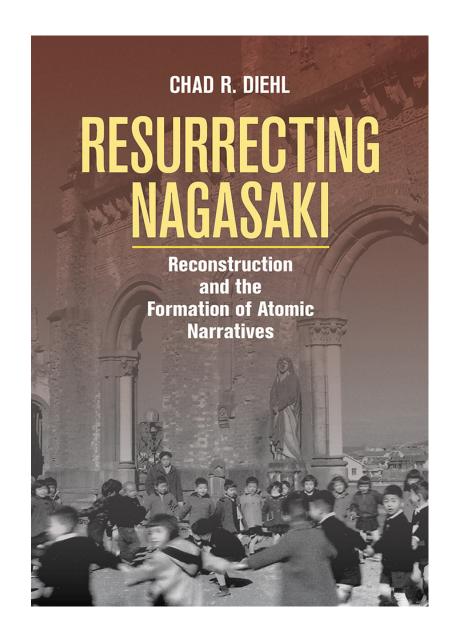
# Victor E. Delnore Papers on the UMD Digital Collection

VICTOR DELNORE Exhibition - Nagasaki Atomic Bomb Museum

# ビクター・デルノア展



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# Case 2: University of Michigan

**Hassey Paper Collection** 

Integrating scattered resources within one collection and beyond the institution

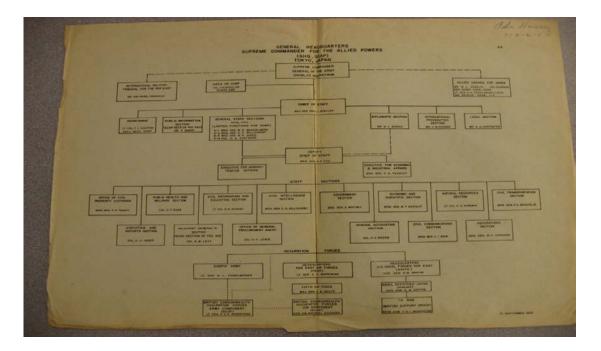
# SCAP Officials' collection at the University of Michigan

Alfred Rodman Hussey papers, (1945-1948)
the University of Michigan Library Special Collections

Donated by his will to the University of Michigan

3650 title documents (by index) Collected by Alfred Rodman Hussey (1902-1964) during his work with the Government Section, Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers (SCAP), in the period of the Allied occupation of Japan following World War II, and later in the Central Intelligence Agency.

"SCAP organization chart" (file 1-D-2-1)





Hussey's photo from the documentary "Nihonkoku kenpō tanjō (日本国憲法誕生)", NHK, 2007.

- 1. Documents on the formation of the Ministry of Labor
- 2. Constitution file
- 3. Documents and the slides of the Constitution Popularization Society (Kenpō Fukyukai, 憲法普及会)

## 1. Documents on the formation of the Ministry of Labor

# The Hussey paper is indexed in the Ohara Institute of Social Research Hosei University

#### No.1

【DB名】GHQ資料(社会・労働)資料インデックス(B1)

【分類1】1. GHQ関係

【分類2】G50

【内容】労働省設置関係(ハッシー文書)

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- G51 AFL PAPERS (ウィスコンシン大学所蔵)
- G52 文献リスト(英文)
- G53 FEC-318·合同労働委員会
- G54 日本共産党非合法化資料(含:団規令、破防法案)
- G 5 5 Education R eform Policy in Occupied Japan 2011



- 58 Judiciary
- 59 Labor Strife
- 60 Report of Advisory Committee on Labor
- 61 Labor Ministry
- 62 Labor Standards Bill
- 63 Labor Regulation Laws
- 64 Welfare Laws
- 65 Labor Security Laws
- 66 Relief



### 2. Constitution file

Constitution materials are also included in,

Milo E. Rowell papers

at the Hoover Institution Archives, the Stanford University and the University of Tokyo Library

Charles Kades collections

at the University of Maryland's Prange Collection Amherst College Archives & Special Collections

Beate Sirota Gordon Collection at the Mills

College Special Collection (in process)

- Justin Williams papers at the University of Maryland's Prange Collection
- RG-4 Records of General Headquarters,

United States Army Forces, Pacific (USAFPAC), 1942-1947

at the MacArthur Memorial

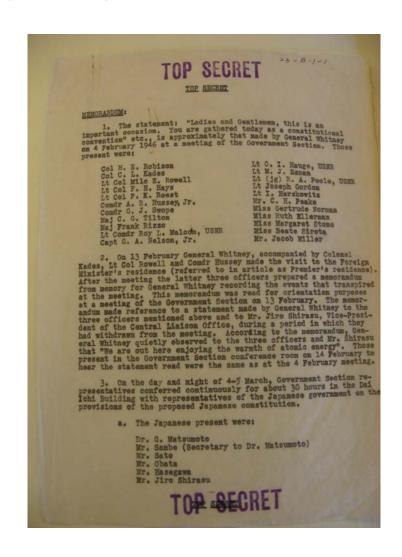
- "Framing the Constitution of Japan: Primary Sources in English, 1944-1949" (microfilm) published by the Congressional Information Service in 1989. 26 institutions hold by Worldcat
- National Diet Library of Japan

Comprehensive collection

憲政資料室 (Kensei shiryoshitsu)

Modern Japanese Political History Materials Room

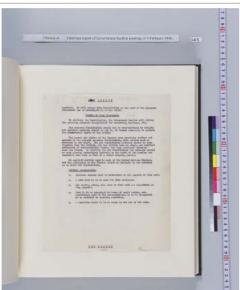
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The National DietLibrary's online exhibition "Birth of the Constitution of Japan" presents the major events and important documents involved in the framing and enactment of Japan's Constitution. The exhibition was updated on May 3, 2004 with the addition of 81 new documents and a new section of main issues.

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#### "the Birth of the Constitution of Japan"

National Diet Library of Japan Digital Exhibition

Documents with Commentaries

Part 1 Military Defeat and Efforts to Reform the Constitution

1-1 Cairo Communiqué, December 1, 1943

1-2 Joseph Grew, Address in Chicago, December 29, 1943

1-3 Fomulating the Postwar Policy on Japan in the U.S. Department o

1-4 A Message to the People of Japan from President of the United St May 8, 1945

1-5 U.S. Initial Post-Surrender Policy for Japan

1-6 Records of Negotiations Related to the Acceptance of the Potsdan

1-7 Imperial Rescript of the Termination of the War, August 14, 1945

1-8 Truman's Approval of "National Composition of Forces to Occupy August 18, 1945

Compiled the documents "concerning the formation of the Constitution of Japan" (revised and completed in May 2004)

3. Documents and the slides of the Constitution Popularization Society (Kenpō Fukyukai, 憲法普及会)

Photo album of the celebration of the new Constitution.

One slide set

(only one box of two, the second part)

The first part is not found anywhere else yet.

The narration pamphlet was found in the document files.







### === Preservation & Access ===

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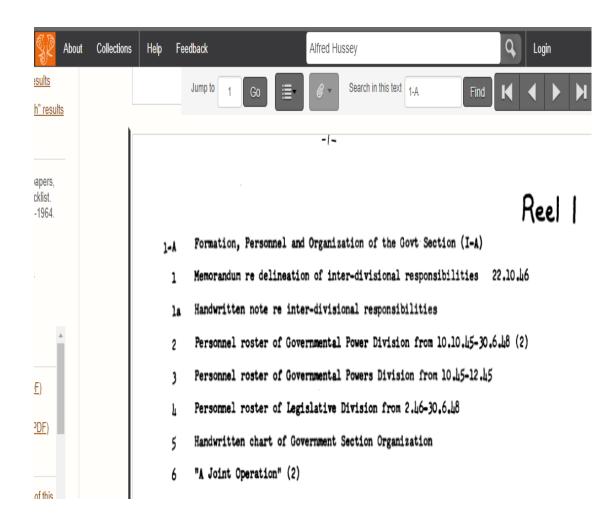
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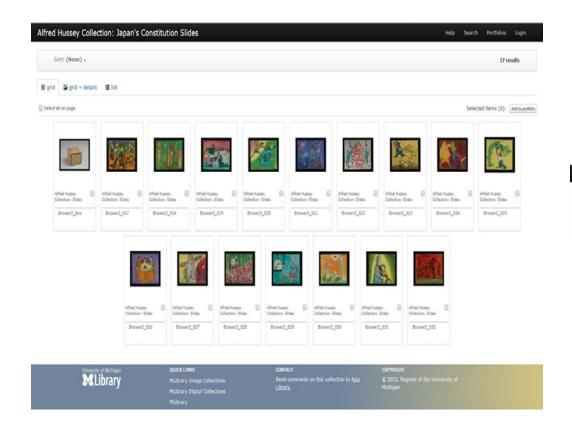
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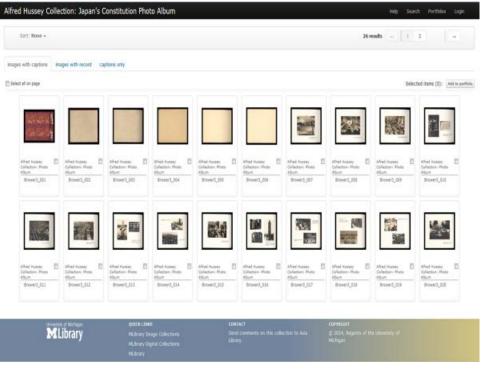
11 US University libraries2 Canadian University libraries

#### Microfilm check list in Hathi Trust



# Preserve and Access, Utilize and Create ....





# Hidden "scattered materials" in the large collection





"hidden" in the collection







Create resource for Education and Research

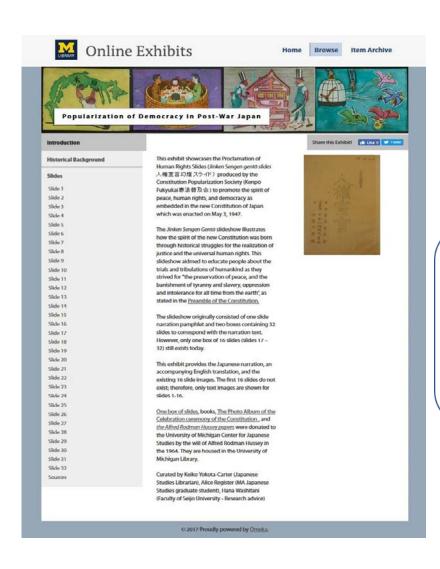


#### Collaboration

Researcher

Graduate Student (web design & translation)

Librarian (project manager)



**Data as Collection** 

# Integrate scattered materials into "a small collection" inside the large collection Slide + Narration pamphlet



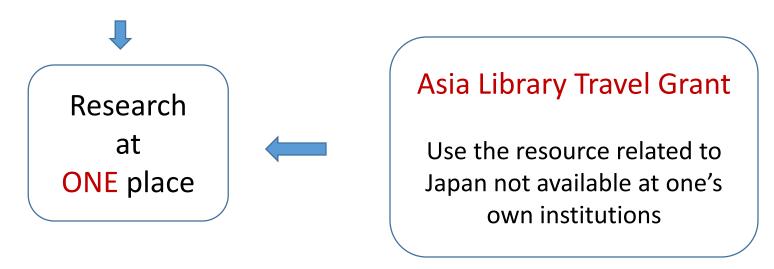
Outside Open Access resource related to the content

"Birth of the Constitution of Japan" at the
National Diet Library
Original digital documents at the National Archive
of Japan
United Nation Treaties
Others



"Digital Booklet" more useful than PDF style E-books

## Collection development in the Military Intelligence field



#### Examples

#### Microfilm:

Military intelligence in the Pacific, 1942-1946 bulletins of the Intelligence Center, Pacific Ocean area, Joint Intelligence Center, Pacific Ocean area, and the Commander-In-Chief, Pacific and Pacific Ocean area.

#### Commercial database:

Gale | Cengage Learning (in process)

Japan: Records of the U.S. Department of State 1910 - 1950

#### Adam Matthews – Archives direct online

the documents from The National Archives, United Kingdom
Foreign Office Files for Japan, 1919-1952 [Imperialism and the War in the Pacific, 1931-1945]

# Case 3: University of Hawaii at Manoa

The Stanley Kaizawa Kabuki Collection and Others

Integrating scattered resources within the institution

## Toward a Comprehensive Scope of Allied Occupation Resources

To create a survey aimed at developing a list of Allied Occupation Resources and ask for responses from overseas librarians

SCAP Officials' Gift Collections held by overseas institutions

Civilians' Gift Collections held by overseas institutions

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