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From: Legal Section

To: AG Casualty Branch

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1. Death of the following personnel will be brought out in the trial of Kenzi HIRANO, at Yokohama, Japan, in the near future:

Cpl. Jack D. Krone, ASN 33 844 641 Sgt. William H. Osborne, ASN 31 241 003

2. Both victims were badly wounded by burns when captured by the Japanese, and were murdered by the accused by hypodermic injections of poison, approximately ten days later.

