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LIST OF DOCUMENTS REGARDING RICE AND FLOUR ASSIGNED
TO THE INTERNATIONAL COMMITTEE BY THE
MAYOR OF NANKING BUT HELD BY THE
JAPANESE MILITARY AUTHORITIES IN DECEMBER, 1937.

Document Number	Date	Addressed to:	Signed by:
Z1.	Dec. 14.	Japanese Commander	John H. D. Rabe
This letter was for establishing contact with the Japanese authorities but included a request that we be allowed to haul in the rice not yet secured.			
Z6.	Dec. 15.	Memo of Interview with Chief of Special Service Organ	Smythe.
In this interview the Chief of the Special Service Organ answer our letter of the 14th including the matter of rice: granting right to use rice already secured and promising to inspect and guard rice not secured.			
Z21.	Dec. 27.	Japanese Embassy	John H. D. Rabe
A letter which was presented to Mr. Fukui asking permission to secure the rice and flour held by the Army.			
Z40.	Jan. 19.	Messrs Allison, Prideaux-Bruhne, and Rosen.	John H. D. Rabe
A letter outlining the negotiations to date regarding rice and flour and asking support of these men in pushing our claim.			
Z44.	Jan. 27.	Japanese Embassy	John H. D. Rabe
A letter outlining the negotiations to date regarding rice and flour and asking the Japanese Embassy to press the case with the Japanese Army.			
Z54.	Feb. 6.	Mr. Allison.	John H. D. Rabe
An offer to use the rice and flour in cooperation with the Nanking Self-Government Committee.			
Z61.	Mar. 2.	Lieutenant-Colonel Hirota.	W. P. Mills
An attempt to renew negotiations.			

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Z66.	Mar. 18.	Mr. Yoshiyuki Hanawa.	Lewis S. C. Smythe
		Another summary of negotiations to this later date for a new man and enclosing documents: Z1, 6, 44, 54, 61.	
Z67.	Mar. 18.	Mr. Yoshiyuki Hanawa.	W. P. Mills
		A brief covering letter for Z66 and a "Memorandum Regarding Rice and Flour" by Mr. Hubert L. Sone who on December 13th was Associate Food Commissioner for the International Committee, and a list of places where we were assigned by the Chinese authorities to secure the rice and flour.	
Z69.	April 13.	Mr. Yoshiyuki Hanawa.	W. P. Mills
		An offer to accept rice seed for farmers near Nanking in lieu of the 10,000 bags of flour and asking that the rice be delivered during the months of May to August for relief work.	