

# Imperial Japanese Army Map Collection at University of Washington

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# Japanese Army Maps (*Gaihozu*) at University of Washington Libraries

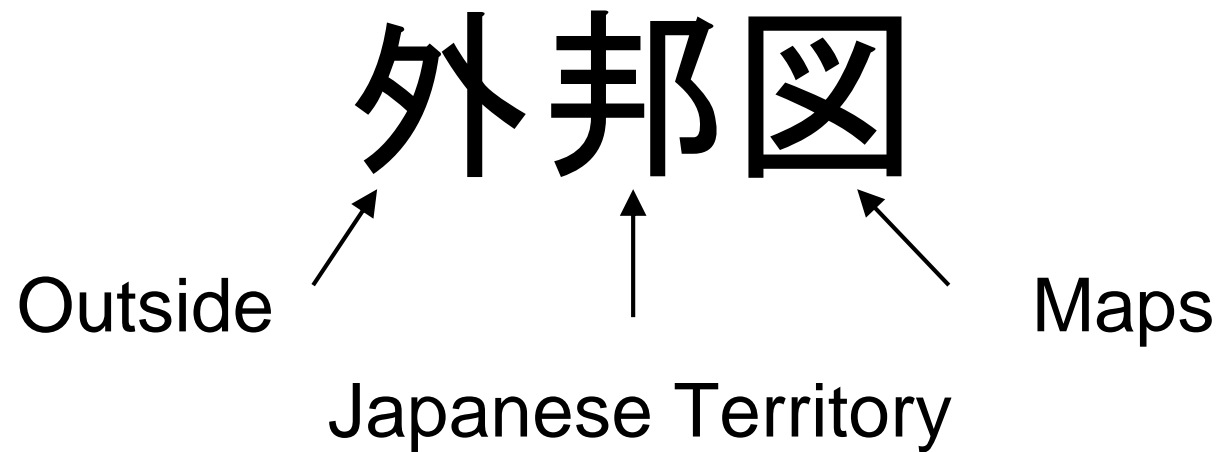
1. Definition of *Gaihozu*
2. Characteristics of the *Gaihozu* collection at UW
3. Other *Gaihozu* collections in the U.S.



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Japanese Territory



Prepared by the former Japanese Army (1880s - 1945)

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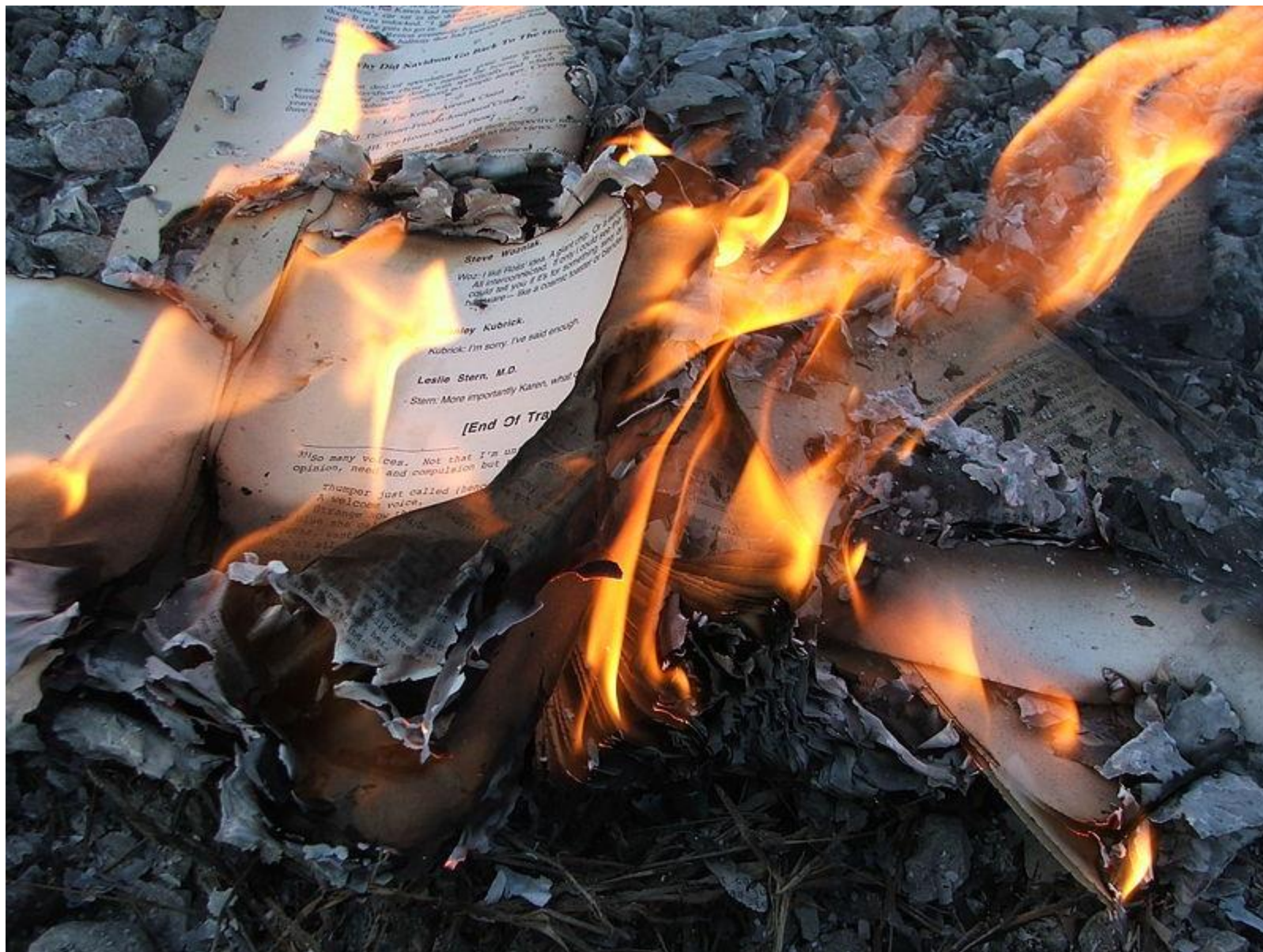
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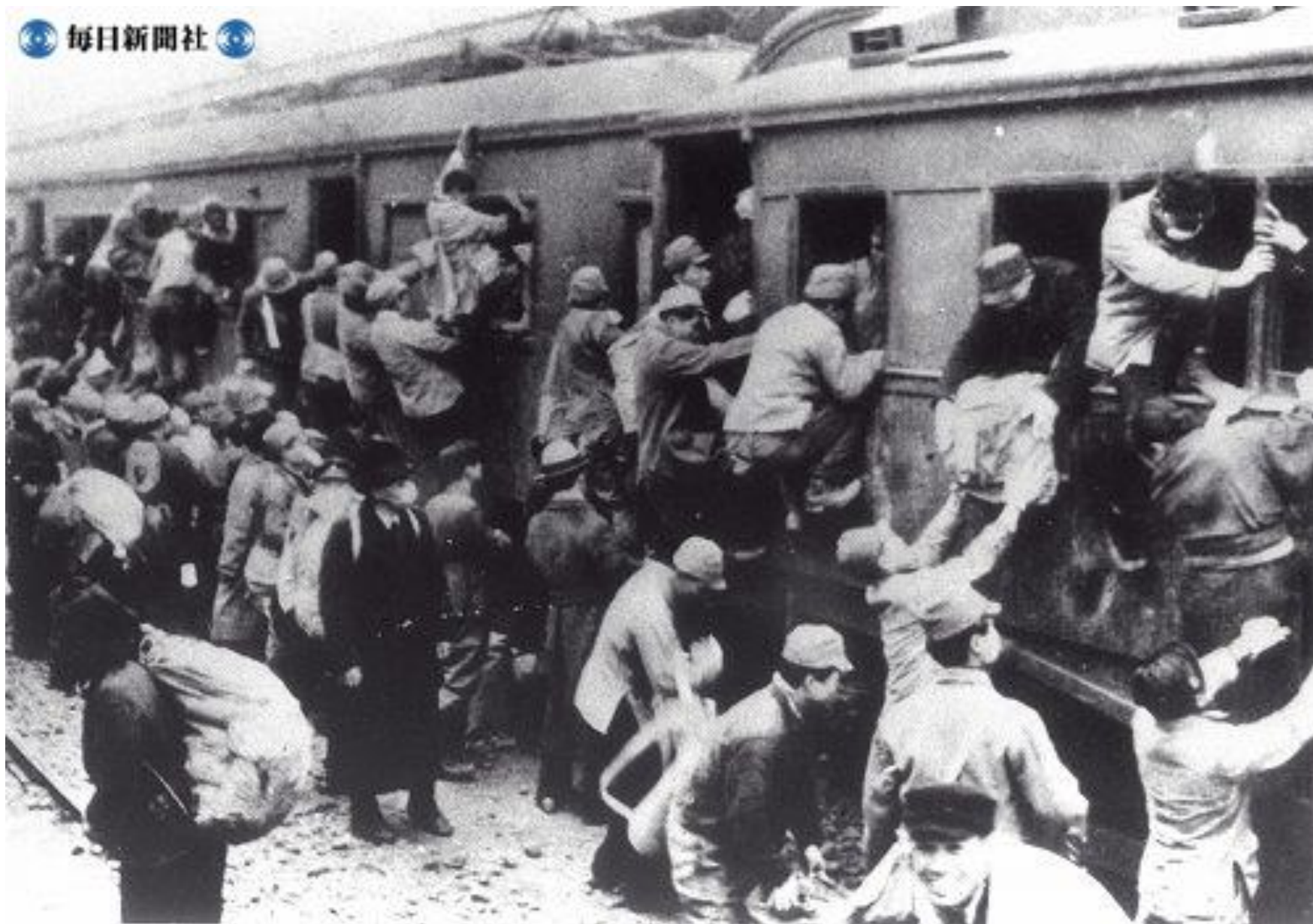


# Japan's Defeat in August 1945













**Why are these maps at  
University of Washington then?**



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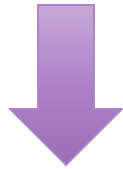
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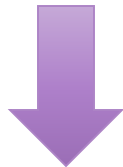
# Army Map Services (AMS) or ?



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# Route #1 AMS – LC - UW

## Geography & Map Division Summer Sorting Project (1951-)





1000 maps or atlas /  
week of labor



438 participants from 135 colleges by 2001

2 mill duplicate maps were given!



# Route #2 AMS - UW

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ARMY MAP SERVICE  
CORPS OF ENGINEERS  
6500 BROOKS LANE  
WASHINGTON 16, D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
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SUBJECT: Foreign Maps

TO: All AMS Depositories

1. Forwarded herewith is a list of all public and university libraries in the Army Map Service Depository Program receiving captured maps as mentioned on page six (6) of the Map Depository Manual.

2. It should be noted that, due to limited stocks, it has not been possible to distribute copies of all captured maps to each library on the attached list.

FOR THE COMMANDING OFFICER:



ARMY MAP SERVICE DEPOSITORY LIST  
(Captured Maps)

Acquisitions Department  
Main Library  
Alabama Polytechnic Institute  
Auburn, Alabama

The Librarian  
University of Arizona Library  
Tucson, Arizona

Acquisitions Department  
General Library  
University of Arkansas  
Fayetteville, Arkansas

Social Sciences Reference Service  
University of California Library  
Berkeley 4, California  
Attn: Mr. Richard V. Teggart

The Librarian  
Claremont Colleges Library  
Claremont, California

Librarian  
Hoover Library  
Stanford University  
Stanford, California

San Diego Public Library  
8th Avenue and E Street  
San Diego 1, California  
Attn: Miss Clara E. Breed, Librarian

California Academy of Sciences Library

University of Georgia Libraries  
Acquisitions Division  
Athens, Georgia

Librarian  
University of Hawaii  
Honolulu, Hawaii

Map Library  
Rosenwald Hall  
University of Chicago  
Chicago 37, Illinois

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Northwestern University  
Evanston, Illinois

Miss Mary B. Hemphrey, Superintendent  
Government Documents Department  
State University of Iowa Libraries  
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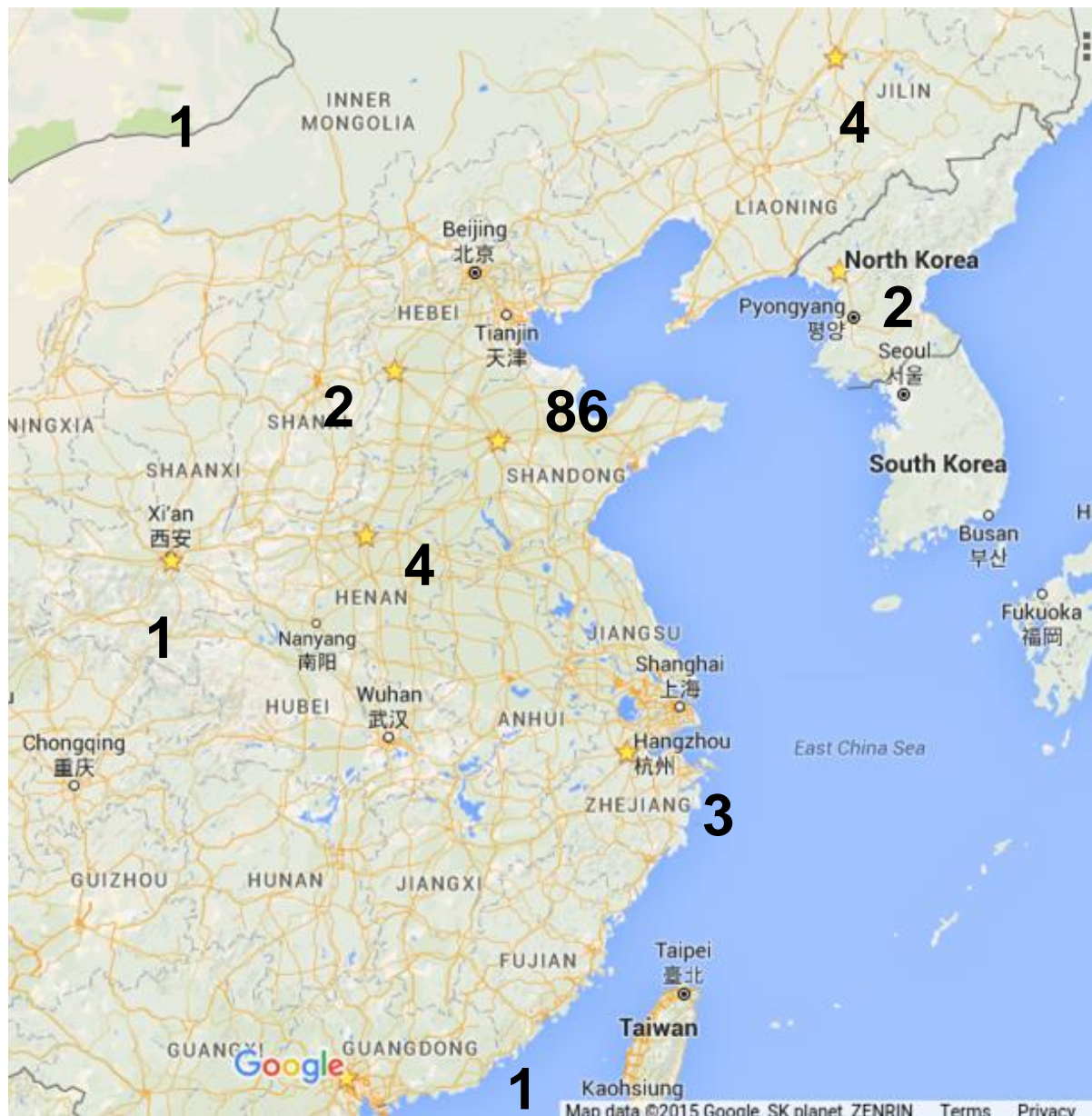
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# What do we have at Washington?



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3: 浙江省

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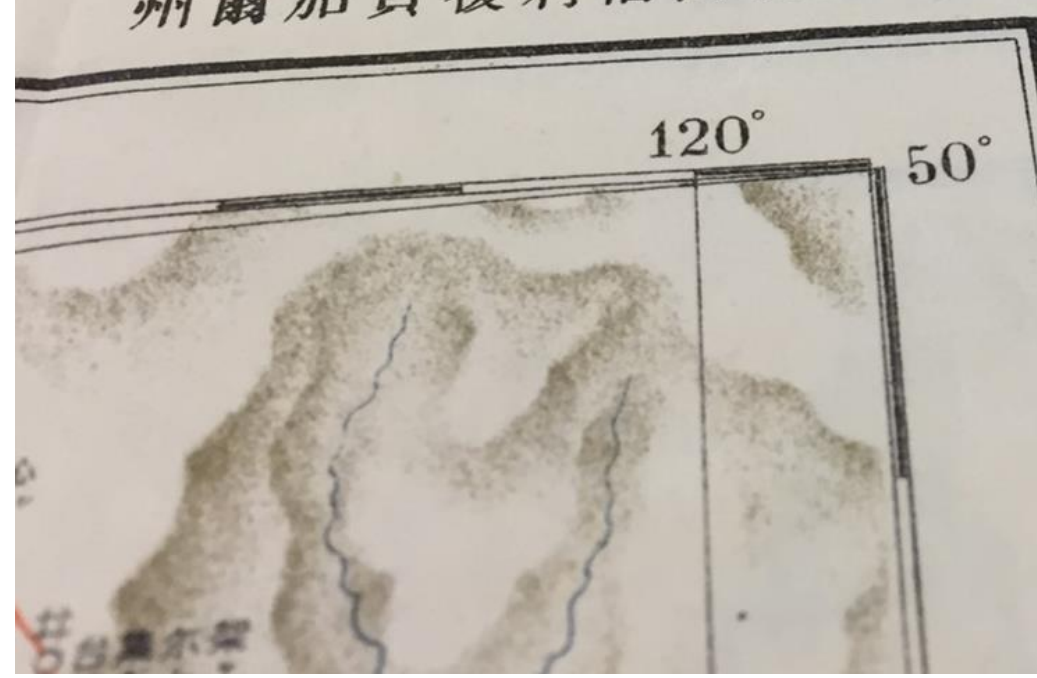
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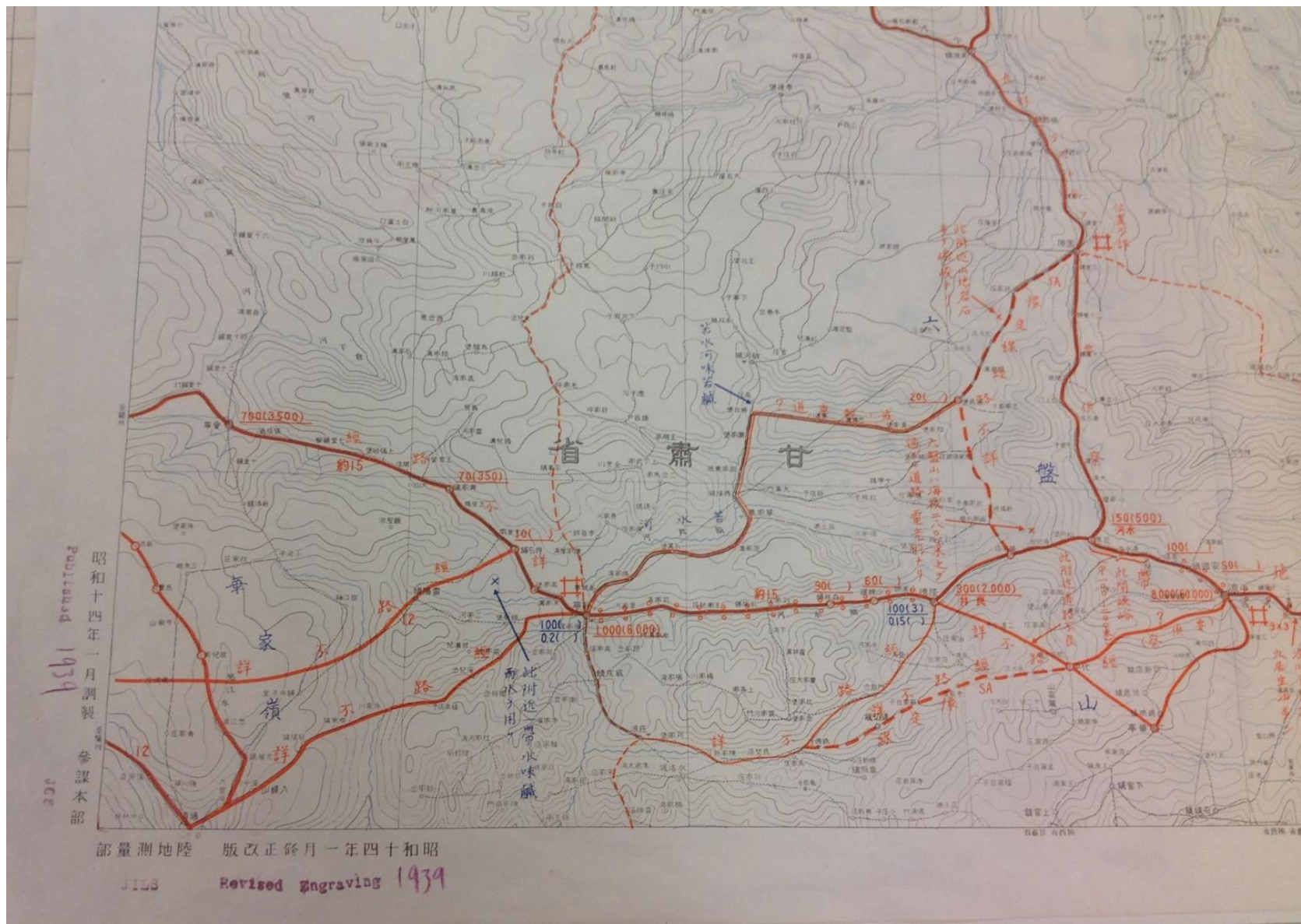


東亞輿地圖西

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Heilungkiang province in Manchuria  
Jap. survey.

古蒙外 省江龍黑州滿那交  
州縣加員後利伯西領部

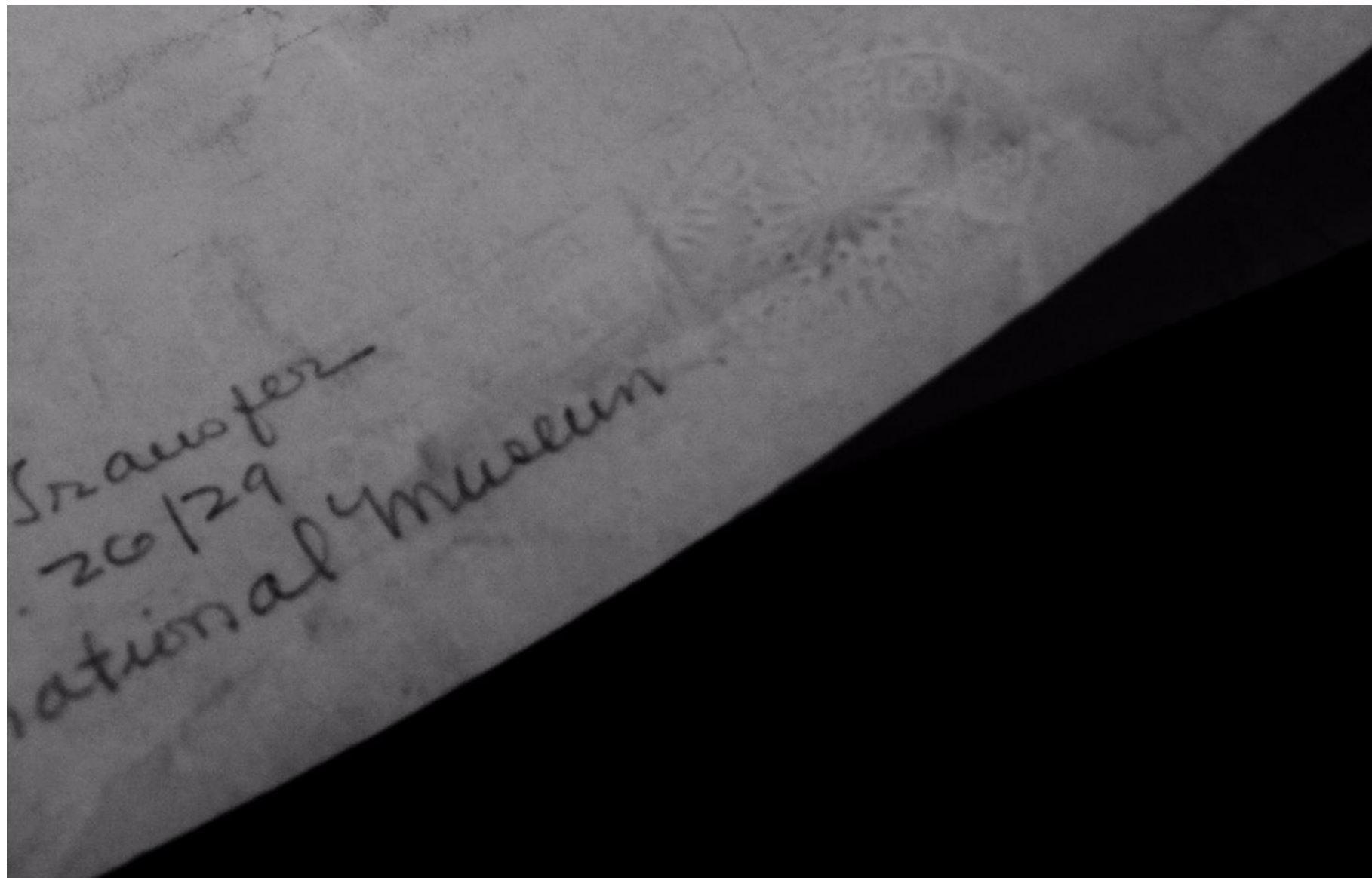


東亞地圖 西第四行北第三段北部

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## 判決

港灣ノ自然の條件ハ具備セルモ上陸後ノ行動不便ナリ揚陸効程 $\frac{1}{3}$ 師團トス

### 一、海面情況

警船能力  
港内水深

大型船八隻中型(三、四千噸級)十隻  
劉公島西南側九、三、五米其他ノ  
大部六、九米一部四、五米以下  
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### 二、陸上情況

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集會場或ハ集積場ニ利用シ得

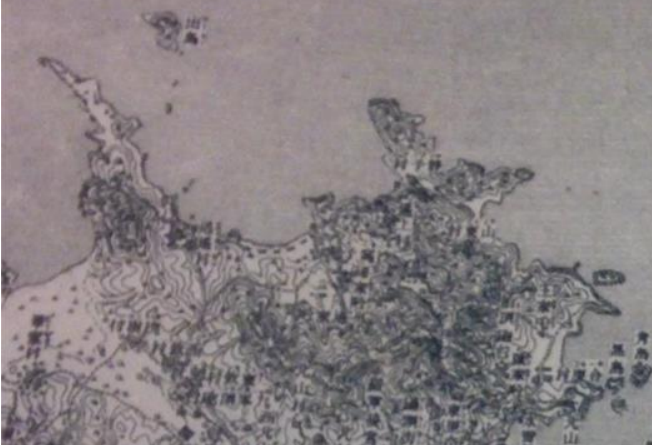
### 三、氣象

恒風春南、夏東南、秋冬北、東風ノ時ハ港内波高  
シ冬季特種ノ場合水深〇、六、一、一、六ヲ減スル  
コトアリ平年ニ於テハ殆ント結氷セス

### 四、海運資料

曳船五 舢舨三十噸、五〇 苦力二〇〇人  
五、炭水

石炭ノ貯藏量三〇〇噸一日一五〇噸ノ  
運炭能力アリ水船二、三〇噸(三)







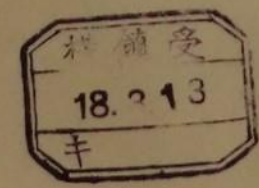
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# ***Gaihozu*** in the U.S.

- Library of Congress
- University of Auburn
- Clark University
- Harvard University
- Louisiana State University
- Northwestern University
- Oregon State University
- Stanford University
- University of Georgia
- U.California, Berkeley
- University of Chicago
- University of Colorado
- University of Hawaii
- University of Illinois
- University of Michigan
- Princeton University
- University of Texas
- University of Washington
- Washington State University
- .....etc



Provenance of the maps at  
Washington  
Which institutions have what  
Consider how to process them



# Thank You!

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