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1. ASADA has recruited TSUJI to engage in trade with Korea and Communist-held China as well as Formosa. ASADA seems to have his contact to POUNGCHAI through OKHITA, a relation of his, formerly a Colonel, JGS, who works in the Historical Research Section, G-2, GHQ, and who was formerly an attache of the Japanese Embassy in Washington.

2. The vehicle for this trade organization is the YAKUO BUSSEIN KK whose president is IMASAKI Seichi, an apres-guerre businessman. ASADA has set himself up as Chief of the Trade Section and the Assistant Chief of this Section is TSUJI, Toru, who is TSUJI Masanobu's son. TSUJI, Masanobu, together with KOSHIDA Hoshio, a notorious professional Rightist once suspected of major war crimes, will handle the POUNGCHAI and Formosa trade. ASADA is supposed to be the contact between Korea, Communist-held China and the USA.

3. This is indeed an unholy alliance. TSUJI is uncontrollable. ASADA is suspected to be working for the Soviet.

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