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PERTINENT INFORMATION THE FOLLOWING EXCERPTS ARE QUOTED VERBATIM CIVIL INTELLIGENCE 4. <u>Rightist Election Prospects:</u> b. <u>East Asia League Members May Run: TSUJI Masanobu and TSUKUI</u> Tatsuo are expected to be candidates. TSUJI, an ex-Colonel and a highly publicized nationalist, is working with KIMURA Takeo in re-viving the East Asia League Comrades Society. TSUJUI is a well known nationalist and rightist critic. <u>Comment:</u> The candidacy of TSUJI will be the most interesting to watch. During recent years he has made money as an author and may be able to finance his campaign adequately. He has been outspoken in opposing continued presence of foreign troops in Japan. AKAO Bin was badly defeated in a Diet by-election in Mar 52 and seems unlikely to do much better in October. ASAHARA is wellknown in the Fukuoka and Yawata areas, and may have sufficient funds at his disposal. KIMURA earlier had been reported as affiliated with the Liberal Party (Jiyu To), but now is a top figure in the East Asia League Comrades Society. The latter group, having been reorganized only recently, may have difficulty in rallying support for KIMURA or TSUJI, but it was a large organization in the war years and has considerable potential strength.... THIS IS ALL THE INFORMATION PERTINENT TO THE SUBJECT IN THIS DOCUMENT. SECRET			
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