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Jap POW Camp Officer Hanged

YOKOHAMA, April 26.—(LP)— Japanese Lieut. Kei Yuri, ex-commandant of the Omuta prisoner of war camp, was hanged on the gallows of Sugamo prison at 5:15 a. m. today. He was the first Japanese war criminal to be executed in Japan proper.

Yuri was found guilty by an Eighth army military tribunal of ordering Pvt. Moah C. Heard, Salinas, Cal., bayonetted to death, and of permitting Marine Corp. James C. Pavlokos, Chicago, to starve to death in prison.