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1 in gray code - saves time - I don't mind if it gets
2 picked up.

"F.D.R."

3 Mr. President, at this time there are a
4 series of documents which will be introduced in
5 evidence by Brigadier Nolan.

6 THE PRESIDENT: Brigadier Nolan.

7 BRIGADIER NOLAN: May it please the Tri-
8 bunal, at this point the precise timing of events
9 becomes of such importance, and the confusion due to
10 the difference in nominal times at different places
11 so great that we have prepared a synchronized time
12 chart. This document has not in itself any evi-
13 dentiary value, except in so far as each item of it
14 is separately proved by the prosecution. It is a
15 convenient summary of the whole, is IPS document
16 No. 2665, which I now offer in evidence.

17 THE PRESIDENT: Mr. Logan.

18 MR. LOGAN: If the Tribunal please, this
19 document might more properly be used on a summation
20 of the case, but I do not think it should be intro-
21 duced as having any evidentiary value at this time.
22 It also contains some conclusions of events, for
23 example, No. 6, which I do not think is proper.

24 THE PRESIDENT: You said this would have no
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1 value unless every item was proved as to particulars.

2 BRIGADIER NOLAN: Yes.

3 THE PRESIDENT: There is no objection to it
4 in those circumstances.

5 Admitted on the usual terms.

6 CLERK OF THE COURT: Prosecution's document
7 No. 2665 will receive exhibit No. 1222.

8 (Whereupon, the document above re-
9 ferred to was marked prosecution's exhibit
10 No. 1222 and received in evidence.)

11 BRIGADIER NOLAN: I now read from exhibit
12 1222. It is entitled

13 "TIME CHART

14 "for December 6, 7, 8, 1941."

15 It is divided under headings:

16 "TOKYO TIME PLACE LOCAL TIME EVENTS

17 December

- 18 "1. 7th 0940 Washington 1940 - 6th American
19 Press told telegram going to Emperor.
20
21 "2. 7th 1000 Washington 2000 - 6th Mr. Hull
22 cables Mr. Grew that telegram on way.
23
24 "3. 7th 1100 Washington 2100 - 6th Mr. Hull
25 sends President's message to Emperor to Mr.
Grew; both Mr. Hull's cables marked 'Triple
Priority.' By President's order message sent

in easily decipherable code.

"4. 7th 1200 Tokyo 1200 - 7th President's
message received in Tokyo.

"5. 7th 1500 Tokyo 1500 - 7th U.S. Radio
announces a message on the way.

"6. 7th 1800 Tokyo 1800 - 7th By this time
at latest contents of message known in Japan-
ese Government offices.

"7. 7th 2230 Tokyo 2230 - 7th Mr. Grew
gets the message from Mr. Hull.

"8. 8th 0015 Tokyo 0015 - 8th Mr. Grew
sees Foreign Minister TOGO, reads message to
him, asks for appointment to deliver it
personally to the Emperor, and goes home.

"9. 8th 0045 Shanghai 2345 - 7th The Shang-
hai Bund (International Settlement) occupied
by Japanese troops.

"10. 8th 0140 Kota Bahru 2400 - 7th British
beach defenses shelled from the sea.

"11. 8th 0200 Washington 1200 - 7th Mr. NOMURA
asks to see Mr. Hull at 1300 hours.

"12. 8th 0205 Kota Bahru 0025 - 8th Japanese
landing at Kota Bahru in Northern Malaya."

THE PRESIDENT: Does that continue to be the
same local time? No. 12 -- read the line across.

1 There may be a mistake in the paper: The difference
2 between "0205" and "0025."

3 BRIGADIER NOLAN: There is a difference,
4 I think, of almost two hours between Tokyo and Kota
5 Bahru.

6 THE PRESIDENT: You said they were the same,
7 but I do not think you mean that, Brigadier. Look
8 at No. 10.

9 BRIGADIER NOLAN: I say they are not the
10 same because item No. 10 shows a difference in the
11 two times. I will have to have that translated, Mr.
12 President, in the correct time in Kota Bahru.

13 The difference, Mr. President, lies in the
14 difference in date. In the earlier item, No. 10, it
15 will be observed that "0140, Tokyo" was "2400" on
16 the 7th in Kota Bahru. In the result, Kota Bahru
17 is one hour and forty minutes ahead of Tokyo.

18 THE PRESIDENT: The difference between mid-
19 night and 1:40.

20 BRIGADIER NOLAN: (Continuing to read)

21 "TOKYO TIME PLACE LOCAL TIME EVENTS

22 December

23 "13. 8th 0300 Washington 1300 - 7th Mr. NOMURA
24 asks for postponement of meeting with Mr.
25 Hull to 1345 hours."

1 "14. 8th 0305 Singora 0125-8th About this time
2 at Singora and Patani in Southern Siam, Japan-
3 ese landed and advanced towards Malayan border.

4 "15. 8th 0320-25 Pearl 0750-55 7th Attack at
5 Harbor Pearl Harbor.

6 "16. 8th 0405 Washington 1405 - 7th Mr. NOMURA
7 arrives at Mr. Hull's office.

8 "17. 8th 0420 Washington 1420 - 7th Mr. NOMURA
9 hands Mr. Hull document No. 2215 N, the docu-
10 ment terminating negotiations.

11 "18. 8th 0520 Shanghai 0420 - 8th H.M.S. Peterel
12 sunk with casualties.

13 "19." is withdrawn, My Lord, from this chart.

14 "20. 8th 0610 Singapore 0430 - 8th Air Raid on
15 Singapore.

16 "21. 8th 0700 Tokyo 0700 - 8th Tokyo Radio
17 gives first announcement that hostilities
18 have begun.

19 "22. 8th 0730 Tokyo 0730 - 8th Mr. Grew
20 calls on Foreign Minister TOGO at his re-
21 quest and TOGO hands him copy of document
22 handed by Mr. NOMURA to Mr. Hull, describing
23 it as Emperor's answer to President's mes-
24 sage.

25 "23. 8th 0800 Tokyo 0800 - 8th Sir Robert

1 Craigie calls on Foreign Minister TOGO at
2 his request and is handed a copy of the same
3 document.

4 "24. 8th 0805 Guam 0805 - 8th Guam
5 attacked.

6 "25. 8th 0900 Hong Kong 0800 - 8th Hong Kong
7 attacked.

8 Between Between
9 "26. 1140 and 1200 Tokyo 1140 & 1200 Imperial
10 Rescript issued."

11 The first stage in the proof of this chart
12 is to show how the times are synchronized, for which
13 I offer in evidence IPS document No. 2581. This not
14 only shows how the times on the chart are converted
15 from local time to Tokyo time, but will enable the
16 Tribunal to convert for themselves any timed event
17 at any one of the material places into the time at
18 any other. Items, 1, 2, 3, 11, 13, 16 and 17 on the
19 chart will be proved by Mr. Ballantine.

20 THE PRESIDENT: This last document is ad-
21 mitted on the usual terms.

22 CLERK OF THE COURT: Prosecution's document
23 No. 2581 will receive exhibit No. 1223.

24 (Whereupon, the document above re-
25 ferred to was marked prosecution's exhibit

Place	Local Time	Greenwich Time	Washington Time
Pearl Harbor.....	7:55 am—7th.....	6:25 pm—7th.....	1:25 pm—7th.
Singapore.....	3:00 am—8th.....	8:00 pm—7th.....	3:00 pm—7th.
Khota Baru.....	3:40 pm—8th.....	8:40 pm—7th.....	3:40 pm—7th.
Davao Gulf, P. I.....	7:10 am—8th.....	11:10 pm—7th.....	6:10 pm—7th.
Guam.....	9:10 am—8th.....	11:10 pm—7th.....	6:10 pm—7th.
Hong Kong.....	8:00 am—8th.....	Midnight—7-8th.....	7:00 pm—7th.
Wake.....	12:00 noon—8th.....	1:00 am—8th.....	8:00 pm—7th.
Clark Field, P. I.....	9:27 am—8th.....	1:27 am—8th.....	8:27 pm—7th.
Midway.....	9:30 pm—7th.....	9:30 am—8th.....	4:30 am—8th.
Nichols Field (Manila).....	3:00 am—9th.....	7:00 pm—8th.....	2:00 pm—8th.

Notes: (1) The above times are compiled from existing records. Minor inaccuracies are possible. (2) There were other attacks on Army and foreign installations of which the Navy has no records.