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[[translation]]January 7th, comfort entertainment show at the factory,
[[Harada shoukou?]]

[[translation]]7 days has passed this month again. Looking up at the
moon, gazing at the all day biting cold sky of Northern Manchuria from
the factory window.

[[translation]]The nostalgic comfort entertainment show that everyone
was waiting for started at 2 PM at the factory.

[[?]]
[[translation]]Beautiful women sang from their hearts, belly-shaking
laughter of comedy, yet still within the fun there are the thoughts for us
and our country, displaying the fierce passion of those at home. I was hit
with the generosity of sending them from Japan to this boring
Manchuria. Oh how Japan has reached its zenith. I am so grateful that I
am here in this time under his(emperor's) rule. For the fierce
determination and expectations of those at home, I will do my very
best.

[[translation]]These wings, planes and planes are the single path of my
life and loyalty.

[[top left]] [[translation]]music focused kindergarten[[translation]]



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