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REVEREND SEVERNS, YUASA TO LECTURE AT CHRISTIAN MISSION

The Rev. Charles Severns, pastor of the University Christian Church of San Diego, Calif., will conduct a series of lectures during the five day period beginning tomorrow on the Evangelism of the Federal Council of Churches of America with Dr. Yuasa of New York.

Rev. Mr. Severns, 34 years



REV. CHARLES SEVERNS

old, a native of Illinois, was educated in the Los Angeles City school system and trained for his ministry at Chapman College and the Transylvania University after spending two years at the University of California at Los Angeles.

He has served eight years with the United Christian Missionary Society as youth pastor at the Japanese Christian church in Los Angeles; three years with the Bellevue, Ky. Christian church; two and one half years with the State Street Christian church at Redlands, Calif., and as associated pastor at the Wilshire Blvd. Christian church in Los Angeles. He is a member of the Wilshire Rotary club.

He will speak on "Striking Out the Shackle" at 15-15, 10 a.m., October 15 and will be heard at the auditorium at 7 p.m. on October 15; at 15-15, 7 p.m. on October 16; at 15-15, 7 p.m. on October 17; at 15-15, 7 p.m. on October 18 and at 15-15, 7 p.m. on October 19. These series will be conducted in English.

Warn Dog Owners Of 'Heat' Period

Dog owners of the center are requested by Captain Thomas Takeyama of the Internal Security Police to have their canines tied down for their "heat" period.

INFORMATION GIVEN

Information regarding the care of such animals may be obtained at the Police Station. If a situation arises that is considered dangerous, the police should be called immediately.

CACA RELEASES POSTERS, ESSAYS CONTEST RESULTS

CACA and the Manzanar Fire Department sponsored as part of the observance of Fire Prevention Week, a poster and essay contest for High School students. CACA offered cash awards for best posters and the best essays on fire prevention.

The essays were judged on the basis of: grammar, organization, content, originality, diction and style.

The Grand Essay Prize was awarded according to the students ability within each grade, thereby making it possible for the seventh graders to compete with the 12th graders. Grand prize was presented to Lily Kakoi.

The following awards for essays were presented: Twelfth grade—Ken Yamamoto, first place; Florence Kimura, second place; Roy Muto, third place.

Eleventh grade—Edith Nishi, first place; Irene Matsumoto, second place; Clara Fukuda, third place.

Tenth grade—Susie Morishita, first place; Lily Kakoi, second place; Mary Hiram, third place.

Ninth grade—Dorothy Sakurai, first place; Harold Muraoka, second place; Jack Hayashi, third place.

Eighth grade—Naomi Inouye, first place; Lucy Uyeda, second place; Joy Kitayama, third place.

Seventh grade—Paul Hatago, first place; Herbert Tatsu, second place; Kazuko Sakuma, third place.

Nisei Soldiers Proud To Serve With Merrill's Marauders

Fourteen Nisei soldiers are now serving with Merrill's Marauders in Burma, according to a letter of Sgt. Henry Goshu of Seattle, Washington which was printed in the Wisconsin State Journal of Madison, Wis.

"I am very proud to say that 14 of us were one of the first elements of Merrill's Marauders to leave the states," Sgt. Goshu stated. He added, "We hold the recognition to be the first Nisei to be assigned to front line action with platoons—I was proud to be with the boys because we were so readily accepted and the importance of our work was recognized. Two hundred per cent cooperation was given us and they looked after us better than brothers."

"My baptism of fire came at Walauboun (Burma) when our platoon was flanked on all sides by Japanese. My knees were shaking but strangely enough I was calm and collected enough to translate enemy officer's orders—(which) enabled us to know their next move. Gee, but they (our men) are a bunch of swell pals and it brings a lump to my throat when I realize that each man in our outfit sort of secretly looks after my safety from capture by the Japanese. Being with these boys gives me complete confidence," the Sergeant said.

Participating in five consecutive Christian missions in this center beginning tomorrow, Oct. 15 to 19 will be Dr. Hachiro Yuasa of New York City, who, at the request of the Department of Evangelism of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, will conduct a series of lectures under the auspices of the Christian Church of Manzanar.

Dr. Yuasa received his academic training at Kansas State College, the University of Illinois, Cornell and the University of Chicago. Spending a year in



DR. HACHIRO YUASA

universities in Germany, France and Italy, Dr. Yuasa was called to the presidency of Doshisha University in Japan in 1934 and served until 1937 when he resigned.

He attended the World Missionary meeting at Madras, in December 1938 and came to America to participate in the post Madras conferences. At present, he is associated with the New York church committee for Japanese Americans.

Subjects of his talks will be as follows: "Why I am a Christian" at 16-16, 10 a.m., October 15; "Who Disturbs the Peace?" at the Auditorium, 7 p.m., October 15; "My Native Country" at 16-16, 7 p.m., October 16; "The Future of the Japanese in this Country" at 16-16, 7 p.m., October 17; "The Christian Japan" at 16-16, 7 p.m., October 18 and "The Christian America" at 16-16, 7 p.m., October 19.

These lectures will be conducted in Japanese.

Red Cross Messages Await Claimants

More messages from Japan are awaiting claimants at 16-24, according to Red Cross Supervisor or William J. Nitschke.

Keichi Kanagawa has a letter from Yukie Kanagawa of Hiroshima; Teikichi Toga from Teruo Toga of Okayama; Sakari Suzuki from Hanakao Hatanaka of Tokyo; Hisakichi Yamamoto from Kikuo Yamamoto of Tokyo; J. Yamaguchi from Toshie Yamaguchi of Aichi; Eiko Yoshiwara from Kuni Shin of Fukuoka and Heitaro Iwaki from Ito Iwaki of Wakayama.

Shelby Chaplain Voices Appeal For Aid By Manzanar Populace

In an attempt "to foster a greater understanding between our soldiers and people in the relocation centers," Chaplain George Aki of Camp Shelby, Miss., in a letter sent here recently, appealed for "a closer and finer fellowship since we are all in this thing together."

APPEALS TO EVACUEES

"I know the strain some of the soldiers are undergoing here just because they are away from their wives, their families, and their loved ones," the chaplain wrote. "I feel it my duty to see what channels there are to help both sides."

"It is easy for me to tell our men to write to their people in the centers. But I am looking forward to much more than this, for I wish to encourage them in more ways. I'm asking you people in the centers namely, to look above your own difficulties which are so numerous and think more of our men training as soldiers."

TELLS OF NEED

Pointing out a sore need for recreational equipment and that although the boys have "very little time" for recreation, it should be used wisely, he wrote:

"I am writing to all Buddhist and Christian groups in relocation centers, to ask if you think it wise and worth while to donate a good basketball or football for the constructive use of the little recreational time Japanese American soldiers have. A good basketball costs about 15 or 18 dollars. If you buy it, we are exempt from tax and so, would you please consult your board and let me know of your decision. I am sure that your consideration will do much to show your sons, brothers, and husbands a feeling that they are trying to build something stable for the whole Japanese population in America."

In reply to this letter, a donation box can now be found on the left entrance to the Buddhist church at 18-16 and is open to the entire Manzanar populace.

Former WFA Chief Appointed To WR A

Charles F. Miller, formerly chief of operations of the War Food Administration, has been appointed supervisor of the WRA office with headquarters in Denver, according to a WRA release.

Territories under the Denver office includes Colorado, New Mexico, and parts of Montana, Wyoming, North and South Dakota, Texas and Nebraska.

Miller was chief of the farm labor supply section of the Farm Security Administration in Denver for two years prior to his connection in 1943 with the WFA. He is a native of Flint, Mich., but has been a Denver resident for 21 years.

Plan Book Club For Wounded Nisei Boys

Plans for a book club drive for wounded Nisei GI's overseas are now underway by the National Headquarters of the Japanese American Citizens League, according to their announcement.

As an initial step, books were purchased by the JACL staff members. Book lists, including Carey McWilliams forthcoming book on Pacific Coast evacuation, are being compiled and contracts are being made with leading publishers in order to obtain special rates.

SEND OVERSEAS

The JACL office stated that it would be glad to accept money or latest books to be sent to the wounded soldiers overseas. Arrangements have been made with an officer of the 442nd to distribute the books.

The announcement added that a little message written inside the book by the individual or organization would be appropriate.

Speed Limit Signs To Be Erected Here

Thirty-four additional speed limit signs will make their initial appearance throughout the center. In all probability these signs will be up by the end of next week, according to Chief of Police J. W. Gilkey.

Eighteen of these signs will have a 10 m.p.h. speed limit on them. Eight of these will be placed around the secondary school, still another eight will be placed around the elementary school zone and two more near the hospital.

The other 18 are 20 m.p.h. signs and these will be placed in advantageous places within the camp.

A No Parking sign will appear around the Block 8 Canteen. This sign will prohibit the parking of trucks or other vehicles on the north side of Block 8 from building 13 to the kitchen.

First Nisei Lawyer Admitted In Illinois

Believed to be the first resettler to be admitted to practice law in Illinois, Thomas Masuda, has opened his own office in the Metropolitan Building in Chicago. He was admitted to the Illinois bar on September 18 without an examination on the basis of his excellent record on the West Coast, according to reports from the War Relocation Authority offices in Chicago.

Masuda is a graduate of the University of Washington Law School and practiced law in Seattle prior to evacuation. He is a member of the American Bar Association and of the Seattle, Wash., and Washington State Bar Associations. He went to Chicago from the Poston Relocation Center in June, 1944.

"I have been well received by both individual attorneys in Chicago and by the officials of the Chicago and State Bar Associations," said Masuda. "I look forward to a good practice in Chicago."

Annual Immigration Less Than Quota

Attorney General Francis Biddle announced this week that Immigration and Naturalization Service statistics for the fiscal year 1944 show that for the fourth consecutive year immigration into the United States was below the 100,000 mark and substantially less than the annual quota permitted by law.

Mr. Biddle said that a preliminary report by Acting Commissioner Joseph Savoretti disclosed a total of 28,551 alien immigrants admitted into the United States for permanent residence during the 1944 fiscal year. In 1943, the total was 23,725.

He also stated that most of the aliens admitted were natives of the Western Hemisphere countries, chiefly Mexico and Canada, and were therefore not subject to quota regulations. Aliens of Canadian birth led the list of immigrants with a total of 7023; Mexicans numbered 6399; aliens born in Great Britain were third with 1539.

Wives, husbands and children of American citizens admitted for permanent residence numbered 1302 in the past year. The report indicates that 391 of this number came from New Zealand and Australia and that most of them were probably wives of citizens in the American armed forces.

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School Report

The parents of Manzanar can feel that their children are receiving a good public school education.

They should be reminded, however, that although the high school here is offering a academic program that will compete with most schools outside, there are certain experiences outside that cannot be acquired here.

Facts received from the Education Department tell us that since the schools have opened, there have been 456 high school graduates. The high school was officially accredited at the close of the first school year and since then, Manzanar students have entered colleges and in almost all instances, they have met college requirements satisfactorily.

These statistics also reveal that three-fifths of the people in camp are attending some sort of a school. The number of students has gone down considerably from last semester when the total enrollment numbered 4300. Over 20 per cent of the enrollment was lost in the segregation movement to Tule Lake.

At present there are 17 teachers, four head teachers, one assistant principal, in the high school, and 16 similar personnel members employed in the Elementary school.

Above all these facts, students and parents should realize the unnatural environment which surrounds them here, and recognize that education must be continued outside the classroom.

Information necessary for attending school outside can be obtained at the Education Department.

CAPTAIN HAWKINS' DAUGHTER GETS LETTER FROM 100TH INFANTRYMEN

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY IN ITALY—Even before she has her first teeth, little Linda Ann Hawkins, baby daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Lee B. Hawkins, of Revenna, Ky., has received a greeting from nearly 200 admirers in far away Italy.

The greeting is a letter from the officers and men of the Japanese American 100th Infantry Battalion from Hawaii, a company which her father commands on the Fifth Army front, telling little Linda that they have just heard that she has been born and that they want her to know right away that her dad is "tops".

In addition, the men of the company, all Americans of Japanese descent, took up a collection and sent a money order to the wife of one of the soldiers, asking her to buy a war bond and "appropriate gifts" for little Linda. Captain Hawkins will be as surprised as Linda, for his men have not told him.

"You are too young to understand this now," their letter began, "but we hope that your mother will keep this little note until you can read it for yourself."

"Today, we are somewhere in Italy. We are fighting a terrible foe that you and millions of other children like you may live in peace, security, and dignity, enjoying the blessings of liberty, democracy, and humanity. When you can read this, you shall know the answer to that question which haunts us now: Whether we too shall have fought, and perhaps died, in vain or not. God willing, we shall have won that victory which is so vital to all."

Most of us are Americans of Japanese ancestry who volunteered to serve our country from the Islands of Hawaii and the Mainland of the United States.

"In the past year, during training and elsewhere, we have all grown to love, admire, and respect your father, our Captain Hawkins, because he is more than just a real officer and a

gentleman. He personifies to most of us by living example the best of Americanism and the things for which we fight. We are proud to serve under the finest captain in the United States Army.

"We hope that your father is with you today. If he is, you will know why we rate him as 'tops'. If he is not, you will know that he died a hero, for men such as he can only die that way. If he has passed on to a soldier's death, we know that he would want his little girl to grow up to be that kind of a lady your mother must be."

"Some day some of us may have the pleasure of meeting you. But, regardless of our fate, we wish you and yours well and trust that this little war bond which we have purchased for you will constantly remind you of your father and of the esteem in which we hold him."

"God bless you and keep you. 'And, in the beautiful language of the islands, may we wish you 'good luck' with the most expressive and tender thought in all the world—'Aloha!'"

Linda Ann was born on June 3, her father's birthday. Captain and Mrs. Hawkins have another daughter, Sandra Lee, two years old. Captain Hawkins formerly was stationed at Camp Bullis, Tex. His unit has fought with the 34th "Red Bull" Division in Italy.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—Wheel barrow, trimper, grader, handle for long trimmer, grass catchers for lawnmower, boxes small tail, Hudson spray pump complete, Penn lawn mower, Capital edge mower, 3/4" green hose 50 feet, 5/8" green hose 50 feet, step ladder, shovels, spades, rakes, pick axes, heavy mallet, all kinds of spring clippers, wrench and pliers. Call at 14-10-1.

LOST—Pair of rimmed bifocal glasses between block 8 and kitchen 28. Please return to Torashige Kiuchi, 8-10-1.

Town Hall Topics

by Frank Yasuda

One of the first WACS to volunteer from Manzanar was introduced to the block managers assembly on Friday. Corporal Katie Ogura, who is presently stationed at Camp Robinson, Ark. told about the training and living conditions of the WACS. Asked about her purpose in volunteering, she replied, "My main purpose in volunteering was to show America that people of Japanese ancestry fought and died for America. This will greatly aid our Issei parents, in getting re-adjusted to America after the war."

BROOMS AND MOPS

The much publicized and often ridiculed matter of the distribution of brooms and mops promises to reach a satisfactory solution. As some one said, "It is not the actual worth, but the principle of the thing," that this matter was persistently brought to the attention of the administration. With a satisfactory solution, I hope now that there will be a peace and quiet around Town Hall.

In cooperation with USO and Red Cross, the Block Managers have agreed to handle Christmas packages for soldiers overseas. Relatives and friends wishing to send gifts are asked to bring them to their block offices before October 14. They will be sent under the auspices of the Manzanar Red Cross.

DOLLARS and SENSE

By Chester Ito

I have tried to explain in previous columns the thought that lies behind the principles of consumer cooperation. We know that the original cooperative grew out of necessity and for many years no matter what the purpose of other business enterprises has been, the cooperative movement has tried to see to the needs of its members.

And so it was that the Manzanar cooperative was born. It was an idea that grew with our coming to this center some two and one half years ago, and in this short time it has grown from infancy to adulthood, even many errors as well as brilliant achievements. Of course we know that the Cooperative tries to help every resident but in doing so it must have the help of the residents.

Under the able leadership of Mr. Sokichi Sugimoto, general manager and his staff we have lived through the first years of with a very commendable record. Then October 8, 1944, we find that after these faithful years of service to the community we are to lose these leaders. The members of the congress express their appreciation to the outgoing management for the fine work they have done. At the same time the announcement was made of the newly appointed General Manager, Mr. Kakunosuke Arai, and the new treasurer Mr. Senkichi Shikami, who will take over the duties of Mr. Shigematsu Takeyasu who has held the position for the past two years. There has been no appointment made for the position of Assistant General Manager.

Mr. Arai asks the residents for their cooperation during the period of transition from the old management to the new, the varied duties that the manager must perform are all new to him at the present time.

As a step toward simplifying the bookkeeping in the accounting and rebate departments the members are asking that every one cash his refunds as soon as possible. Looking over the record we find that there are a great many people who still have their rebate cash orders of 1942. As long as these checks are outstanding we are forced to keep it on our books thus tying up a lot of cash which could be used to a much better advantage elsewhere.

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All-American Teamwork



IN APPRECIATION—

To friends for their kindness and grand send off given upon the departure of my son, Tom, into the armed forces.

Eisaku Sakakihara
30-13-1

IN APPRECIATION—

For the many kindnesses shown us during our recent visit to Manzanar.

Cpl. Takeo Sakuma
Sgt. Tokuo Yoshinaka
Cpl. Tatsuo Hamamoto

IN APPRECIATION—

To our friends and neighbors for the gifts and grand "send off" given our son, Yoichi, on his departure to Fort Douglas.

Eizo and Fukuko Hara
12-9-3

IN APPRECIATION—

To the doctors, nurses and friends for the kindness extended my wife, Kyoko, while she was in the hospital.

Ben Mitsuno
22-8-4

SO LONG and

Thanks for everything.

Margie Inaba
21-4-6

MY SINCERE THANKS—

To doctors, nurses and attendants for the kindness extended to me while I was in the hospital.

I also wish to thank my friends for visiting me during my illness.

Yuri Takeda

IN APPRECIATION—

I wish to take this means to thank friends and neighbors for their kindness to me and for the grand send-off given me at my departure to Fort Douglas.

Joe Shigeru Kato
25-14-1

AS I WAS Saying ...

By Bill Kitayama

In a classy Reno chop suey, a Manzanar seasonal worker, in true Manzanar mess hall style, was reported as standing up after concluding his meal and walking away from the table with silverware and dishes in hand!

Manzanar residents have recently hit upon a substitute to take the place of the once imported "hozuki." (The "hozuki" is a balloon-like object with a small hole in the center and is the size of a dime. Then placed in the mouth and pressure is applied it makes a peculiar sound when the air escapes from the small hole.)

Found growing within the center, the Mexican tomatoe, a small grape-sized, greenish fruit is now used to replace the "hozuki", which used to be produced with rubber in Japan.

FACTS—Although comic books tell about Superman and other mighty men, some of the cartoonists who contribute for it must be weak minded individuals. All of the filth and lies that are found within the pages of some comic books that are erroneously related about Japanese Americans does much to poison the minds of the coming generation. The next time we come across a book of that sort, let's not buy it—Manzanar evacuees aren't a bit superstitious. Indefinite and short term leaves continued as usual, the Relocation Offices reported. Yesterday, if you haven't forgotten, was Friday the thirteenth.

REMEMBER?—Do you recall when judo expert Jack Sarge's dismissal as a Police Sergeant was sought in a widely-publicized issue over the fact that he bowed at a "judo master" in a "temple" at 1422 West 36th place?

I have attended that gymnasium—not temple—and have bowed to my fellow American judo participants in the same spirit as does a boxer when he shakes hands with his opponents in the ring.

Judo is not "a religious ritual" as expressed "a deep rooted part of Japanese culture" and hasn't anything to do with "emperor worship."

And, too, contrary to reports, we in Manzanar have not heard of judo being "abandoned at the relocation centers" by the War Relocation Authority and as sufficient proof judo still goes on here today. All this is a bit late, but since this is my first opportunity to express myself after returning from my furlough, I am doing so through this medium.

Yes, although politics and red tape may prohibit Police Sergeant Sarge's return to Manzanar to engage in friendly contests as have been done in the past, the civilized world still accepts the arts and science of Allied nations because war draws no lines against progress.

'I LEARNED MY LESSON' SAYS GIRL IN GRAND PRIZE WINNING ESSAY

By Lily Kakoi

I was at my girl friend's house when all of a sudden, we heard a frightened voice shouting, "Help! Fire!" These words kept ringing in my ears as I looked out of the window and suddenly realized that it was my house on fire. I rushed out blindly into the street in the direction of the fire. When I got there the flames were sky high, appearing to be the devils destroying the place I had learned to love and cherish—my own home.

"It's too late," I heard the firemen say. Too late! Too late to save my "little white cottage with the green shutters" where I had spent most of my childhood? It just couldn't be!

What a guilty feeling I had as I saw my home dwindle down to ashes! Guilty, because it was I who had caused the destruction! I remembered that I had carelessly thrown a lighted match into a waste paper basket. How thoughtless, stupid and ignorant I had been!

I am now turning over a new leaf. I have over my bed a rhyme which goes like this:

"Through carelessness is spread

A fire demon red;

Through precaution we may prevent

A most horrible event."

It is there to remind me of the fire I had started by my own carelessness. From now on I am going to be careful in everything I do because—I learned my lesson.

Receive Information On Ordnance Depot Employment Here

Information on jobs opened by the Army for both Issei and Nisei at the Sioux and Tooele Ordnance Depots has now been deposited, announced Walter A. Heath, relocation program officer. Only family heads and others who will move to the depot with their whole families are being recruited. Any number of members of one family may obtain employment.

All recruitment will be for ammunition handlers, Heath explained. The rate of pay for one starting on this job is 72 cents an hour at the Sioux Depot. The work is not dangerous, according to information received, since the ammunition without fuses cannot explode even with rough handling. Mechanical equipment is used in practically all moving and lifting. The work is not particularly heavy. Jobs at higher rates will be open for those who show skills and ability on the job. Women members of families may work as clerks or as stenographers.

The Sioux Ordnance Depot is 145 miles northeast of Denver, Colo., only 7 miles from Sidney, Neb. Housing is furnished just outside the Depot on a Federal Housing Authority project of 450 units. A two-bedroom furnished, cinder block apartment rents for \$37.50 with electricity and water supplied. For families without linens, kitchen and table equipment, these essentials are available at \$1 a month extra. Schools and stores are hand-

Halloween Eve Dance Slated In Auditorium

Manzanar's young set will have the opportunity to celebrate Halloween Eve in the new community auditorium by dancing to the latest recorded hit tunes, states Community Activities Supervisor A. G. Nielsen.

He said that although the party is free, admission will be by tickets only. Tickets may be secured in advance at the CA office, 1-3-2.

Arrangements are being made by the Social Department under the direction of Shig Ishii and dy. Hospital and recreational facilities such as playgrounds and a movie are a part of the total project.

The Tooele Ordnance Depot, one of the largest in the United States, is only 38 miles from Salt Lake City and overlooks the Great Salt Lake. The information on hand is similar to that received on the Sioux Depot. Starting pay is 77 cents but rental rates are not given. An attractive additional item is the notice that a day nursery is operated from 7 a.m. till 6 p.m. for children of mothers employed.

Persons interested may obtain more detailed information by asking at the Relocation office, 1-4-2, Heath stated.

Going Out?

KEEP IN
TOUCH WITH YOUR
FRIENDS
IN MANZANAR THROUGH
THE

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1-1-2

Come in and ask for rates

Oldest Nisei In America Also First Nisei Soldier

Nobuteru Harry Sumida, 72, who two years ago claimed to be the "oldest Nisei in the United States," can now give himself another distinguished title, that of being the "first Nisei soldier," it was revealed after his transfer from the Manzanar Hospital to the Manzanar Community Hostel recently.

The white-haired Nisei—he's much older than most Issei—served as gunner's mate on the battleship Indiana during the Spanish American war in 1898, he declared.

Sumida was released from the hospital and transferred to the hostel after receiving care for rheumatism which has set in his left leg. His leg, he explained, was struck by a cannon shot. He now receives a monthly compensation from the United States government.

Besides a noticeable limp, the Nisei, who will be 73 years old this coming Christmas, was in good health and in a happy state of mind.

He has a grandson, Monroe Fukuoka, now serving in the United States army and a granddaughter, Margaret Fukuoka, in the Women's Army Corps. Both formerly resided at 26-10-1 while in Manzanar.

Death Rate Small

WASHINGTON — Deaths of Japanese internees during the period of January 1 to October 1 totaled 431, the WRA disclosed, stated the Los Angeles Times. It added that 99 1/2% of the deaths were from "natural causes."

The War Relocation Authority revealed that many of the deaths were among the elderly Japanese. The figures were released following a Tokyo broadcast which said that "memorial services" will be held in Tokyo on October 18 for "more than 1000 Japanese internees in America, Canada, Australia and India" who have died since January.

Joe Sakai. Dates are not necessary, but everyone planning to attend is urged to get tickets right away as the number is limited in accordance with the regulations for the use of the auditorium. Hors d'oeuvres will be served to all participants free while punch will be furnished through the courtesy of the CA-CA.

Kelley Convinced By Dillon Myer Talk

One-man committee George L. Kelley, who some weeks ago loudly protested to President Roosevelt, Governor Dewey, and General Bonesteel about Esther Takei's enrollment to the Pasadena Junior College, admitted recently that he was "just an unpredictable Irishman" after quitting his self-appointed post as head of the "No Japs in California" movement.

"When I'm wrong I'll admit it, and I was wrong," Kelley remarked. "That Dillon Myer convinced me. Why, I have always felt just like they do only I didn't know it. They practice civil rights. At that meeting, the people I'd been bucking invited me to sit on the platform with them."

Meanwhile, Pasadena Fair Play Chapter Chairman Maynard Force Thayer made public the fact that Kelley's application for membership to the organization will be accepted on condition that the applicant follow its principles.

—Dollars and Sense

where. The rebate department also ask that you who have relatives now living outside of the center to clarify the membership status of these members. There are many cases where the sons and daughters have relocated but have not signed over their memberships to the residents who remain. Check your membership record and make sure that you will get the rebates that you are entitled to before you complain.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1944

LONE PINE, CALIF.

TRANSLATION

Japanese Section, The Mankamar Free Press

October 14, 1944

1. Title of Newspaper

Mankamar Free Press, October 14, 1944, Vol. 6, No. 31, 1-1-2

2. Slogan

"Spirit, Harmony, Stamina, Total Effort"

3. Series of Attacks Near Japan Hinted

From L. A. Times, Oct. 12, Part I, page 5, col. 1

4. Christian Civilization Periled By Rising Sun Of Communist Russia
by Karl H. Von Wiegand

From L. A. Examiner, October 3, Part I, page 7, col. 1

5. Appreciation

Naomi Ogimachi

6. Goh News

The results of the recent Goh Tournament were announced. The following persons advanced in rank: Tomiyama, Nakaya, Watanabe, and Maouye.

7. Contributions From Readers Welcome

8. Whirlwind

From Time Magazine, October 9, 1944, page 36 - 38

9. Detroit Strike Threatens Aircraft Maintenance

From L. A. Times, October 5, page 1, col. 1

10. Appreciation Letter to Mankamar Red Cross

The following is an excerpt from a letter written by Munosaburo Watanabe of Hillcrest Sanatorium to the Mankamar Red Cross in appreciation for the gifts recently sent to Hillcrest, in the care of Rev. Nicholson.

"Autumn has come, and we trust you all in Munsan are in the best of health.

"Your kindness in always remembering us really makes us happy, and we appreciate it very much, more than words can describe.

"We wish to acknowledge your gifts which were brought to us through the courtesy of Rev. Nielsen.

"...Briefly, and with a prayer on our lips we thank you all.

Munesaburo Watanabe
Hillcrest Sanatorium

11. Art Exhibit

There will be an art exhibit at 8-15 beginning next Monday the 11th, and ending on the 26th.

The hours are daily from 1 P.M. to 9 P.M., including Sundays.

Everyone is welcome.

12. Obituary Notice of the late Hanaye Arita

13. Tsurutani To Return

From the Munsan Free Press, Oct. 1, page 1, col. 3

14. Police Judge Expert May Aid Pictures

From L. A. Times, October 11, Part II, page 2, col. 7

15. No Mustaches

From L. A. Times, October 11, Part II, page 2, col. 4

16. Appreciation

Cpl. Sakuma, Sgt. Yoshinaka, Cpl. Hamamoto

17. Appreciation

Tom Sakakihara

18. In the October 7 issue of this paper, we erroneously translated the Chiang, Seong, Kung combination. The reader who corrected us deserves our thanks.

In these fast moving times it is the duty of our paper to report the news accurately.

So we really appreciate the thoughtfulness and effort of the reader who corrected us.

