

Stockton Union Suspended In Ban On Japanese

ILWU Panel To Hear Nisei Case

STOCKTON, — Stockton Local 4, International Longshoremen and Warehousemen's Union, (Congress of Industrial Organizations), was under indirect suspension from its parent organization, San Francisco Local 6.

The action followed the Stockton local's recently adopted resolution proclaiming its members refuse to work with Japanese Americans, in defiance of the International Union's policy against racial discrimination.

Richard Lyden, president of the San Francisco local who read the suspension notice to approximately 500 members of the Stockton unit, said the order would continue until the senior organization decides the Stockton group "can resume its functions."

Members refusing to sign a pledge to abide by the union constitution by 9 p.m. Wednesday were to be brought to trial for expulsion from ILWU.

The pledge card which members were asked to sign, completed with these words: "I, as a member of the International Longshoremen and Warehousemen's Union, will not refuse to work with any person on the basis of such person's race, color or creed, including Americans of Japanese origin."

Between 50 and 60 per cent had signed by Wednesday morning.

Harry Bridges, president of the International Union of which Local 4 is a part, issued a statement quoting what he told the meeting of the Stockton unit at which Lyden announced the suspension.

widely a telegram which Secretary of War, under which WRA functions, sent to the ILWU declaring that "your action in the Stockton case is a forthright and effective move in the interests of democracy."

S. F. Chronicle: The ILWU And Racism

The International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, in our opinion, is acting with courage and wisdom in openly fighting a number of its own members in Stockton charged with refusing to work with Americans of Japanese descent.

We are not speaking here of the proposed trial of members of the union. In any case, we believe that the Stockton issue, against the background of the whole Nisei situation, is such as to evoke a larger issue.

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Union Advertisement In Stockton Assails Race Discrimination

STOCKTON, — A full page advertisement appealing to the community to assist in a campaign to eliminate racial discrimination appeared recently in the Stockton Record.

The advertisement, sponsored by the International Longshoremen and Warehousemen's Union, Congress of Industrial Organizations, was headed by a quotation from the late President Roosevelt, saying "we must be particularly vigilant against racial discrimination in any of its forms."

Members of the union's policy committee recently voted not to work with returned Japanese Americans in the advertisement said the members thus "violated the Constitution of their country, the United States of America."

San Francisco Chronicle: "PUNISHMENT" IN SEATTLE

California is all too familiar with half-heartedness or worse on the part of peace officers regarding outrages against persons or property of Americans of Japanese descent. Now the State of Washington furnishes an example at the judicial level.

For the crime of burning four homes belonging to evacuated Japanese, Superior Judge James T. Lawler of Seattle has accepted a plea of second-degree arson from Harold S. Burton, and fined Burton \$1000.

Burton was allowed to plead in second degree because the houses were unoccupied when he fired them. This deal in itself, in view of the necessity to set up an example of West Coast hoodlums, was questionable enough. But, in addition, Judge Lawler meted something like the minimum possible punishment, even under the second-degree plea. He was empowered to impose a \$5000 fine and sentence up to 10 years in prison, or both.

Concurrently, fresh outrages are reported from Fresno and vicinity, with the same accompaniment of "punished" law-enforcement officers.

In the Seattle affair, it is not disclosed whether the owners included citizens; that is, American-born Japanese. If not, the chances are strong that at least one of the four houses was the home of a son or sons in American military service. It would make no difference anyway; the hoodlum probably would not have been stopped by a service star in the window.

There have been previous cases, and even if there were no American-born Japanese involved, decent persons cannot condone the foul and sneaking crime of arson against whomsoever directed.

Together with his complacent "punished" colleagues at the police level, Judge Lawler shares a heavy responsibility. He has praised the kind of out-lawry with faint praise.

Fresno Terrorism

Two Questioned in Nisei Shootings; Another Incident in Tulare County

FRESNO, — Two suspects were questioned here by county officials in an effort to link them with recent acts of terrorism against returning Japanese Americans.

Although the two were tracked down near the Charles Iwasaki home near Parlier, target of a fusillade of shots May 22, there was insufficient evidence for charges against the men, officials said.

The investigating officers reported they uncovered evidence that the shots were fired directly at the Iwasaki house, instead of into the air.

They said they traced the two men to their homes and obtained an admission they were nearby with guns.

As District Attorney James M. Thuesen prepared John Doe warrants for the persons who fired upon two other Japanese American homes here last Sunday, another act of vandalism was reported in another San Joaquin valley Nisei in that the shots were apparently fired from a moving automobile.

was reported in Orsi, Tulare county.

There, Sheriff S. B. Sherman revealed that two rifle shots were fired into the home of Kaury Mimura, 32, late Thursday evening. Mimura, his wife, and 6-year-old son were in the house at the time. The first shot barely missed the boy as he emerged from his bath, Sherman said.

Sherman said the assault was aimed to offend against San Joaquin valley Nisei in that the shots were apparently fired from a moving automobile.

Meanwhile, Fresno county and city police reported their "no news" formula on other "incidents" in the area.

The latter included assaults on the homes of Miyoko Masuda and Masaru Miyamoto at Selma within the past week.

Meanwhile, District Attorney James M. Thuesen held that persons who make an issue of sympathizing with returning Japanese are partially to blame for the series of attacks upon the homes of returned evacuees.

Supreme Court Case Winner Seeks Job In Windy City

CHICAGO, — A determined little Japanese American girl who won an important Supreme Court case for her people arrived here today—looking for a job.

Fresh from a relocation center at Topaz, Utah—her freedom sought about by the court's ruling last December—Mitsue Endo, 25, had words of praise for Chicago.

"I decided to live here," the stocky, dark-haired stenographer explained as she arrived at the North Western Station, "because I understand Chicago people hold no resentment against Americans of Japanese ancestry."

"From what I read and hear, that's not the situation on the West Coast, including my home town of Sacramento," she added.

Miss Endo, whose brother, Kunio, is with the Army intelligence service on Okinawa, will move in with her two sisters, Mrs. George Yamamoto and Rayko Endo.

Mrs. Yamamoto's husband is in the Army, at Camp Robinson, Ark.

In the near future Miss Endo plans to bring her parents here from the relocation center at Topaz. "Maybe after the war, well and come back to Sacramento," she said.

She was modest, but proud of her first case before the Supreme Court which held that an American citizen, she could not be confined against her wishes at Topaz.

Attacks Parley Held

FRESNO, — Means to protect Japanese evacuees who recently have returned to their homes from relocation centers are being sought by county, city, and military authorities, following a series of incidents in which the homes of a score of evacuees have been attacked.

Sheriff George J. Overholt, Dist. Atty. James M. Thuesen, Police Chief Daniel T. Wallace and military intelligence officers met here, seeking a coordinated plan for halting the attacks, which peace officers lay to hoodlums.

Nisei At Home In Iowa!

3 in Congress Hit 'Propaganda'

WASHINGTON, — Three California Congressmen have issued statements opposing use of funds by WRA officials to circulate "propaganda favoring the Japanese people."

The three Representatives—Chairman Democrat and LeRoy Johnson and Jack Z. Anderson, Republicans—protested to the House Appropriations Subcommittee that "tax dollars should not be used to propagate for any racial group." They included as exhibits brochures and publicity releases which they said were sent out in franked envelopes.

Engle declared that "the free American press can and is taking care of the controversy in regard to the merit or lack of merit of the Japanese as a racial group, and that is where the matter should be left."

The Representatives particularly objected to a WRA brochure entitled "Nisei in Uniform" depicting activities of a Japanese American combat unit in Italy.

Burning Nisei Home Draws \$1,000 Fine

SEATTLE, — Harold S. Burton, 22-year-old Vashon Island farm worker who admitted burning homes of evacuated Japanese, pleaded guilty to second degree arson and was fined \$1000 by Superior Judge James T. Lawler.

Burn, father of two children, said he thought burning the homes would prevent return of the Japanese to the Puget Sound Island.

Prosecutor's Deputy Duane T. Shinn said Burton and two youths set fire to four houses between January 27th and February 1st. The youths were turned over to juvenile court.

Judge Lawler remanded Burton to custody of the sheriff until he pays the fine or elects to serve in the county jail at rate of \$3 a day or about 11 months.

Petition Filed for Estate of Nisei Killed in Europe

SACRAMENTO, — The first Sacramento County action for letters of administration in the estate of a Japanese American killed in action has been filed in the probate court by Louise Hayashi of Perkins, sister of Pfc. Torao Hayashi.

The petition states Private Hayashi died October 28, 1944, while serving in the Vosges Mountains in France with a Japanese American combat unit. His estate consists of personal property valued at \$100.

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