



VOLUME 31, NO. 4361 Entered at Post Office in Denver, Colo., as Second Class Matter PUBLISHED TRI-WEEKLY AT DENVER, COLORADO 6¢ copy; 75¢ mo.; \$3.75 6 mos.; \$7.00, year. Thursday, SEPT. 13, 1945

## Little Tokyo Showing Signs Of Old Activity

**LOS ANGELES.** — Little Tokyo is coming to life again in Los Angeles, where most of Japanese activity, but it probably will never again reach its pre-war Nipponese population, the WRA offices here disclosed last week.

More than 300 of the 40,000 evacuees from the segregated Nipponese colony in the shadow of the Civic Center are back home.

Ten business houses already have opened up in the Little Tokyo area among the 80,000 Japanese who began moving in recently, most of them from the Deep South and attracted by high wages in war plants. East First street is the business center for the returning Japanese.

When they arrive—and they are coming in every day from eight WRA Centers—they invariably go to the Koyasan Buddhist Center at 342 East First St. Until the city health authorities cracked down recently, more than 1,000 were crowded in the temple. Most of these were forced to find other quarters.

The No. 1 man of the new Japanese colony is Frank K. Toyama, wealthy, well-groomed and highly educated, a resident

of Los Angeles for 35 years. He was here last January to receive the men for returning evacuees. He was born in Japan.

Toya is trying to find housing for his people, to locate jobs for them and to help them start up in business. Store facilities are being established on East First street are a Japanese 5-and-10, fruit, vegetable and fish markets, a cosmetic shop, a barber shop and one dentist.

It is lack of housing that has kept the population down to 300,000, those who have returned hope to stay. They find they get along all right with the Negro population. One educated Nisei said he had sounded out temps here, finds the outcome favorable, will wait about, and will return to Chicago soon to bring his family back.

Over a stretch of two blocks on East First street one finds Japanese men, women and children, many of whom have returned from the West. At the Pilgrim House Community Center on San Pedro street slant-eyed little boys and girls and Negro children play together.

**Japanese Double Talk Stumps Nisei**

**TOKYO.** — A Japanese American in our Army, serving as an interpreter for the service, listened intently to the chatter of Japanese in response to our questions.

The Japanese finally stopped.

Sgt. Gilbert Harrison of Los Angeles asked eagerly:

"What did they say?"

The Nisei shrugged his shoulders and smiled:

"It beats hell out of me."

**Drop in Nisei Colony Seen for West Coast**

**SAN FRANCISCO.** — Approximately 45,000 Japanese Americans with families will settle on the Pacific Coast as compared with 110,000 before the war. R. B. Cozzens, Assistant Director of the WRA, said last week.

Completion of the relocation centers announced by the War Department will not affect WRA activities. Mr. Cozzens added, "WRA will assist in finding homes and employment for the 45,000 Japanese Americans still on the centers."

Nearly 12,000 Japanese Americans have already resettled on the West Coast, Mr. Cozzens said. Dates have been set for closing relocation centers, the

## SECOND THOUGHTS

by S. I HAYAKAWA

### Racism in All Directions

One of the queerest things about race prejudices is the way they are held by people who are themselves victims of race prejudice. At a meeting not long ago, I was told that there are many Japanese Americans who, although vigorously protesting race prejudice when it applied to them, had strong prejudices themselves against Negroes and minorities such as agnostics, Negroes and Jews.

The Japanese League is combating such prejudices among their own group with the very sensible argument, "How do you expect others to stop being prejudiced against you if you insist on having similar prejudices yourself?"

Unfortunately, the point is hard to get across to many members of minority groups. The reason is that each person's discrimination is simply consoling himself by finding someone else to discriminate against.

"Nothing doing," the women replied. "We don't want to work with any Japs."

The employer, however, was so short of help that he finally hired the Japanese American girl and had her work among the Negro employees.

After a few days the Negro discovered that the little Japanese girl wasn't so bad after all and began to speak to her. She replied politely, so that soon she had many friends among the Negro employees.

One evening, she said to her Jap II teacher,

"Now day, one of the Negro women who had become especially friendly with the Japanese girl took her aside and said to her, 'We have an apology to make to you. Before you came to work here, we used to work with a boy who was hiring a Japanese American girl. We all objected to your coming because we were prejudiced against Japanese.'

The Japanese girl was deeply touched by these words.

"I'm awfully glad you said that," she said, "because I like all of you and I like working with Negroes here, too."

"I especially like being here because before I came I was working for a bunch of Jews, and I hate Jews."

last one Dec. 15.

against, "I may be low down, a Japanese American may say to himself, "but at least I'm not as low down as those Mexicans." Or he may say, "I may be low down, but at least I'm not as bad as those Jews."

### Japanese Girl Among Negroes

The more dealings I have with minority problems the more am I convinced that it isn't possible to deal with them effectively at a time when divided forces are fighting anti-Negro prejudices, some fighting anti-Jewish prejudices, and so on. We must attack the whole lot at once.

A story that impressed the people on my part of the country is that a Japanese American girl who was about to be hired in a factory employing a large number of Negro women. The employer first asked the Negro girl if they would mind having her Japanese girl working with them.

"Nothing doing," the women replied. "We don't want to work with any Japs."

The employer, however, was so short of help that he finally hired the Japanese American girl and had her work among the Negro employees.

After a few days the Negro discovered that the little Japanese girl wasn't so bad after all and began to speak to her. She replied politely, so that soon she had many friends among the Negro employees.

One evening, she said to her Jap II teacher,

"Now day, one of the Negro women who had become especially friendly with the Japanese girl took her aside and said to her, 'We have an apology to make to you. Before you came to work here, we used to work with a boy who was hiring a Japanese American girl. We all objected to your coming because we were prejudiced against Japanese.'

The Japanese girl was deeply touched by these words.

"I'm awfully glad you said that," she said, "because I like all of you and I like working with Negroes here, too."

"I especially like being here because before I came I was working for a bunch of Jews, and I hate Jews."

last one Dec. 15.

## CHURCHES

### Church Bulletin

California Street  
Community Church  
2515 California Street

Sunday, September 15th

9:30 A.M. — Sunday School.  
11:15 A.M. — Morning Worship Service.

Sermon:

"He Who Has Ordained The Stars"

by Rev. K. Sasaki  
7:30 P.M. — Youth Fellowship.

Miss Peggy Yamato will be in charge of the Devotional Service, which will be followed by games, discussions and refreshments.

Attention to boys of 13 to 16 years old.

A Boy Scout meeting will be held at the home of Rev. Sasaki, 2538 California St., tomorrow, Friday, Sept. 14, at 7:30 p.m. under the leadership of Mr. Min Yasui, Scout Master. Everyone welcome.

last one Dec. 15.

### Convertible Tops

### Custom-Tailored Seat Covers

SAMMY KURATOMI

MINUTE AUTO SERVICE

Phone Tabor 2742

BROADWAY AUTO TOPS

Phone Tabor 7371

SEE AT  
21st & Curtis Sts.,  
BROADWAY AT Stout St.,

Phone Tabor 2742

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries

Tires & Biscaps

Open 7 A.M. — 11 P.M. Every Day

20th & Lawrence Sts.  
Denver 2, Colorado  
Phone: MAin 3173

Washing  
Greasing

last one Dec. 15.

FOR SALE — Complete Truck and Auto Repair

TEXACO PRODUCTS — AUTOMOTIVE REPAIRS

Operated by

Bob Oda and

George Kuramoto

Batteries



## アイムミニド力

協会主催で「婦人の夕」が催されることは既に、食事としての風習、音楽、歌謡、舞踊等の方面からして實行する事はなるべく

内閣教育委員会所不<sup>可</sup>能者の

思ひ

元々アーヴィングの

大政府出身小部僚徳川

氏

於、葬式が催された。

墓地

田

日本美術商店

新規開業道具

式

其、前記ハニカム板

支那製三種名種、骨子

上達手本、スコット

小形各種模倣及進呈

日本美術商店

新規開業道具

式

並用いはる新規開

八仙五仙漢

百十仙

新規開業道具

式

並用いはる新規開

百十仙

新規開業道具

式











THE COLORADO TIMES  
THE DAILY NEWSPAPER  
DENVER, Colorado  
Published Twice Daily  
Address: ALL MAIL TO  
DENVER, COLORADO  
F. L. Kahlke, M. S.  
Publisher  
Subscription Rates:  
By Mail, \$1.00 per Year  
By Air Mail, \$1.50 per Year  
Six Months, \$0.50 per Month  
Single Copy, 15¢

Price: 15¢

Volume 31 Number 4361

September 13, 1945

Copyright 1945 by The Colorado Times

All rights reserved

Printed in U.S.A.

Editorial Office: 1222 Larimer St., Denver, Colo.

Advertisement Office: 1222 Larimer St., Denver, Colo.

Subscription Office: 1222 Larimer St., Denver, Colo.

Delivery Office: 1222 Larimer St., Denver, Colo.

Post Office Box: 1222 Larimer St., Denver, Colo.

Telephone: Tabor 7991

Telex: 1113

Teletype: 1113

Telex: 1113