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# MARSHALL MAY SPEED JAPAN

TOKYO, April 25-As soon as United States Secretary of State George Marshall returns to Washington from Moscow, a drive for an immediate Japanese peace treaty may be started, it was reported this week y United Press.

General Douglas MacArthur, according to this information, "deplores the continuance of forced strangulation of Japan's economy and the exaction of forced reparasoners in slave labor."

his post are "malicious, fantastic terans Committee. and without foundation," this source added.

High Allied officials, however, bereaching an agreement will make lace said. the formation of a long range profamily of nations.

# Singer Linked In Ciro Brawl

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 25-Kay Kino, a night club singer, received nation-wide publicity recently for being with Lee Mortimer. 42-year-old motion picture editor of the New York Daily Mirror, when the radio crooner.

of the fracas:

"I was leaving Ciro's night club mocracy. with Miss Kay Kino, a band singer, thing I knew I saw a face Arthur's headquarters. that looked like Sinatra's above

appearance in a night club show lives at 2010 Tenth Ave. N. he wrote for the China Doll cafe

in Naw York. Sinatra claimed that Mortimer had called him a "dirty Dago" as he passed him on the way out of Ciro's.

MARRIAGE APPLICATIONS Jimmy Hata, 26, Chicago, Ill., and

Sachiko Fukuda, 21, 124 13th Ave. Ken Tainaka, 25, 1803 Weller St., 114th Place.

# Nisei Calendar

(Editor's note: Any organization wishing to reserve a date on the "Nisei Calendar" is asked to phone SEneca 5594 or write in to The Northwest Times as soon as its event is set.)

APRIL

26-Alkane club's sports dance Buddhist auditorium.

MAX 2-WWG skating party from 10:30 nese PW's.

p. m. in Ridge Rink. Buddhist auditorium.

only, in Chamber of Commerce prisoners back to Japan as soon as building.

JULY 4-Nisei Veterans Committee dance in Casa Italiana.

lief.-Lavater.

# Fears War III



HENRY A. WALLACE

PARIS, April 25-"There is a tremendous drive in the United States tions through retention of war pri- which might easily lead to World War III," Henry A. Wallace charg- cation, of the Buddhist temple, 12th custom. Reports that MacArthur fears the ed this week at a meeting under the collapse of Japan and plans to leave sponsorship of the American Vet-

Both Russia and the United States had taken steps which had "undermined the solemn cause for

The former vice president of the gram for Japan considerably more United States is en route home from difficult. Such a program will be Europe today (Friday). He plans to necessary before Japan can assume "report to the American people" on a responsible place in the world a coast-to-coast speaking tour start-

ing next week. His principal speaking engagements include Seattle where he will speak May 26, it was learned by the International News Service.

#### Accepts Bid From Mag rivill Mac

A well-known Seattle parlia- clear." mentarian and author this week Miss Kino, whom most newspaper in Tokyo to prepare a set of study in 536 B. C. Benymo said. He was verts, and, he admitted, rather sade teuse," supports Mortimer's version for use in teaching the woman of at his birth that, were he to rule, own people.

when Sinatra and three men assistance was requested by Lt jumped me. The first thing & knew, Ethel B. Weed, chief of the wo- ny variations of Buddhism, just as I was on the floor and the next men's Information Branch of Mac- there was of Christianity. He him-

Utter has taught the elements of ed unity in Japan. Mortimer said he had dined with parliamentary law to members of Miss Kino, interviewing her for an the Washington Legislature. She

# Rain Cools off Japanese Fire

fall this week extinguished a fire unlucky man. which brought an estimated 24-miland Kaoru Kondo, 17, 642 S.W. lion dollar damage in the small in- he couldn't believe that, either. He of Japanese totem. 19.000 homeless.

girls' boarding horse.

# Fears Russian Rule of PW's

TOKYO, April 25-Fear that many Japanese prisoners of war in Russian-controlled areas will be held indefinitely to work out Soviet reparations claims was expressed here, as supreme headquarters disclosed this week that the Russians hold more than a million Japa-

General Douglas MacArthur, it 3-Triangle club's band dance in was understood, will oppose any effort to include forced Japanese 16-Syncoa (U. W. Nisei Stu- labor in reparations payments, and dents) to hold sports dance, couples, will continue his efforts to get the possible to aid in rebuilding the

shattered Japanese economy. Exactly 681,612 of the Japanese prisoners are being held in Siberia, according to the latest supreme All belief that does not render us hearquarters figures, and 351,224 more happy, more free, more loving, are in the former Japanese islands more active, more calm, is, I fear, of Saghalien (Karafuto) and the an erroneous and superstitious be- Kuries, which Russia occupied after V-J ray.

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# Nisei Priest in Nichiren Church Gets Writeup in 'Seattle Scene'

dered into the Nichiren Buddhist temple at 12th and Weller and in the April 24 edition of the Seattle Post-Intelligencer).

By FRANK LYNCH

As in every great seaport, there are people of all races in Seattle and of all creeds. Our Russian churches, fat spires against the sky, attract the most attention, and few

with adult and child, and a plain back to audience, in front of structure of brick.

lieve that every day of delay in which their young men died," Wal- and tall sticks are placed carefully sticks. around the blooming azaleas.

he is known in the religion, is the Benymo is a Nisei, and the first panied by drum beats. priesthood.

graduation, all the new priests were ed. They were usual offerings. given religious names; his, Benymo, means, roughly, "to make all things

Japan the principles of western de- he would become a king of many; if he should turn to religion, he

She is Mrs. W. H. Utter whose would become a king of kings. Benymo said that there were ma- sters. self, and his congregation, were fol-

For the last sixteen years, Mrs. lowers of St. Nichiren, who preach-They, at least Benymo, did not think of St. Nichiren as being in

ter a great deal of thought, said the Nisei were becoming Christians. he did not know if there were a heaven, or a hell, either. punishment and rewad. Most believe scattered on the walk, one was car-

in reincarnation; some that the re- rying a huge and very realistic toy ward of goodness was rebirth to a pistol, one was readin a comic boow. higher life, that punishment was | Benymo walked to the gate with plication for naturalization and re-TOKYO, April 25—Heavy rain- rebirth as an animal or a poor and the reporter; he explained a large, ceive Canadian citizenship papers

was another thing.

Perhaps one life, many lives, struggle. One day, or in one life, of "bang, bang, bang." a man finds the key, the secret. Then he becomes a Buddha in himself.

THE PRIESTS ARE ROBED, Ranger."

It was hard to explain, Benymo

(Editor's note: Frank Lynch, bright and silken. Benymo's robe ace photographer turned ace col- was of pale green, full sleeves. Over umnist of "Seattle Scene," wan- the robe went the "kisa" flowered with the sunburst and lotus, the emblem of St. Nichiren, the whole penned the following observations | Benymo said, meaning "perserver-

Benymo accepted a compliment with show of pleasure, but modestly said the reporter might think the robes too elaborate.

The early priests were often called to the halls of the mighty, the dress had to be in keeping. Perhaps it was not middle know, perhaps, because of its lo- road, but it was custom. Old, old

THE chapel itself, upstairs wa The temple is sandwiched in be- neat and shining. Row of pews face tween an old frame building, teem- the altar; there is a table, a chair, golden templed shrine. At the left Still, the grass is neatly clopped, there is a drum, ancient design, and

There are some trees in bloom, or very poor; the rich indulged, the too, one a true Japanese cherry, poor suffered. Buddha forsook the added. long, lacy blossoms, hanging light- palace for the life of a beggar; ev-

Buddhist priest, small, thoughtful; the sutra, the Buddhist bible. He respect at all for the Japanese, ority of the War Measures Act. yet not without humor. All of the reads in a sort of chant, the con- even those who were sympathetic The powers contained in this short previous priests were Japanese, gregation chants with him, accom- to this country."

American to be admitted to the The altar was well decorated, cherry blossoms mostly, a few dish-He studied in Japan, not in a es of fresh apples. Those were the lonely monastary, but at a univer- offerings to Buddha, Benymo said, sity, quite similar to our own. Upon usually in memory of some depart-

> "Just fruits and flowers," Benymo said. "Nothing of greatness."

The older ones, the ones that came from Japan, they believed it was so hard with the young-

Benymo thought that it might be in the translations, and in

ways of thinking. Western people could read the sutra, he said, and read it and

Very often the more they read heaven nor with wings. Benymo, af- the less they understood. Many of Benymo has three children-Robert, 10; Janice, 5, and Will, 4. There Some Buddhists did preach of were papers colored with caryon

weatherbeaten timber standing in without securing permission from Benymo shook his head as though the yard. It was a "stupa," a sort their respective governments.

land city of Iida and left nearly believed that each of us had a soul, The writing on it told that the that it lived after the body. But congregation wished for peace among The fire had started in a geisha what happened after death, that men, for peace and enlightenment to the individual.

There was the clatter of chilgood and bad, were a sort of dren's feet on the walk and shouts

"Sometimes," Benymo said, smiling, "I do not feel that I am in a temple."

"I feel that I am on the plains, fighting injustice with the Lone



# FRENCH PAPER **SMEARS** ON JAPANESE

(From British United Press)

MONTREAL, French-language newspaper, Montreal Matin, this week said editorially that flagrant injustices have been committed against Japanese Canadians "whose loyalty to this country was never in doubt."

"These accusations (against their loyalty) are very serious," the paper stated. "They are justified up to a point . . . but the people's representatives should see that the situation is cleared up, so that in- the War Measures Act repealed. justice may be rendered to the vic- The second is to secure a federal tims and those responsible should legislation defining be punished."

A complete report on the subject of Japanese Canadians should have Th people of India were very rich been presented to Parliament since the end of hostilities, the editorial

"In the absence of undeniable entually took the true, "the mid- proof to the contrary," it continu-HIROMU ODA, or Benymo, as dle path," preached moderation. ed, "the public will be under the Benymo sits in his chair, reading impression that we haven't any nadians were ruled under the auth-

# Cites Looting

OTTAWA, April 25-Quoting ex-The former priests were mission- tensively from reports of assistant it to the way in which the gov- was one of 244 students in Mon-Buddha, Guatama Buddha in In- aries. Benymo said that he, too, deputy custodian of enemy proper- ernment could interfere with indi- tana State University who earned he was socked by Frank Sinatra, accepted an offer from General dia, Shakyamuni, or "Most Enlight- hoped to spread the true word to ties, and of auditors for the cus- vidual rights. For example, section places in the winter honor roll, the Douglas MacArthur's headquarters ened Buddha," in Japan. was born the world. He did not have any con- todian. Donald Fleming (Progres- 21 of the Regulations permitted registrar's office announced yesaccounts refer to as "Chinese chan- courses in parliamentary procedures a prince, and a hermit prophesied by, that he had difficulty with his to Eglington) charged in the House any cause—thus setting aside the of Commons recently that the Cus- historic principle of habeas corpus.

> The reports read by Fleming contained accounts of widespread loot- expire at the end of 1945, can be ing and vandalism among proper- brought back to life whenever the

# 0. K. Asiatics

Chinese and Japanese aliens liv ing in Canada may now make ap-

A new order-in-council, the New Canadian of Winnipeg, Man., reported, P. C. 567 of February 13, 1947 states that new naturalization regulations made under the authori-Citizenship Act do not require Chinese and Japanese applicants to get permissions from former countries of allegiance.

# Scoffs at Need Of Controls

TORONTO, Ont., April 25-Continuation of controls over Japanese Canadians is not necessary for the success of their resettlement, declared the Co-operative Committee on Japanese Canadians in letters addressed to members of Parliament recently.

Order 270 restricts Japanese movements and Order 250 prohibits Japanese from engaging in fishing. Both orders are included of a creed. in the Omnibut bill now being debated in the Parliament.

The letters stated: "We wish to remind you that these orders passed in wartime and were designed to protect the state in tory has been tremendous. the event of an invasion by Japan. They have already been con-

tinued more than two years after

all danger of invasion has ceased

to exist." Beware of her fair locks, for when she winds them round a young

# Historian Cites Difficulties Of Civil Liberties in Canada

WINNIPEG, Man., April 25 (New Canadian Dispatch)—It is not practical politics to try to get a bill of rights written into the Canadian constitution (British April 25-The North America Act). This statement was made by Dr. A. R. M. Lower recently wnen he addressed the first 1947 meeting of the Manitoba Civil Liberties Association.

> Dr. Lower, who is a noted historian and author of "From Colony to Nation," said that two things could and should be done in order to further the cause of civil liber-

First of these steps is to have individual rights, the chief value of this legislation being educational rather than legal

Dr. Lower did not dwell on recent incidents in which civil rights had been pushed aside, but his talk made clear how these incidents were able to occur in Canada.

During the two world wars, Caact were sweeping, and went far beyond emergency measures adopted in other English-speaking nations.

A set of about sixty-six orders, known as the Defense of Canada Regulations, were built up under the authorization of the War Measures Act during the first world war. There was practically no lim- Lillian S. Onimura, a sophmore, dve-Conservative MP from Toron- any person to be detained without terday (Thurday),

todian had failed to report on its | When the second world war startactivities, and had neglected to take ed, the whole set of these regulaproper steps to safeguard Japanese tions were ready and put into immediate application.

The act, while it was allowed to it provides any Canadian government with the means for setting up a condition of virtual dictator-

No powers, like those who are given to the Canadian government increased payroll and paper costs by the War Measures Act, have are the publishers' principal probbeen known in any English-speak- lems, Chandler said. ing countries since the days of Henry VIII and the "reign by procla-

In Great Britain, a defense of the Realm Act was passed during the first World War, making it possible for the British government to wield a wide degree of control. But all orders passed under this law had to be made public in the House ty of section 39 of the Canadian of Commons, and members of par- men of the Alaska salmon industry clause by clause.

> The United States did not se aside its Bill of Rights throughout the war.

Canada too dould well do without the War Measures Act. If this Act were allowed to remain, the government would revive it at the next emergency. It would be better to repeal the act, and to adopt | a new and a more democratic method of control when the need arises than to fall back on the existing Act.

The other step which should be taken is to have the federal government pass a legislation defining individual rights. It may be difficult to enforce a bill of rights but it could act as a leash on those in authority, and it can assume enormous importance as an expression

The American constitution guarantees to her citizens a "right to life, liberty and pursuit of happiness." The influence which these words have shown on American his-

In a similar way the expression of fundamental principles in the Canadian law will go a long way toward impressing the importance of those principles on the Canadian

The final and ultimate safeguard man's neck, she will not set him of our liberties lies in eternal vig-

# 'Dokie' Strip

Starting with the Friday, May 2, edition, Eddie Sato, talented Nisei cartoonist, will have a comic strip depicting the "Adventures of Dokie."

This new feature, exclusive to The Northwest Times, will be printed every Friday.

# Montana Nisei

MISSOULA, Mont., April 25-

# Reports Woes Of Publishers

NEW YORK, April 25-The postwar period has brought more probties left behind by the Japanese government of the day decides that lems to publishers than they faced a state of emergency exists. Thus during the war, W. G. Chandler, president of the American News- which thus far have not been paper Publishers Association, told the 31st annual meeting of organization this week.

Newsprint shortage and greatly

# Resume Parley On Alaska Pay

CORDOVA, Alaska, April 25 Union and management spokesliament could debate any measure resumed their conferences yesterday (Thursday) to reach an agreement on wages and working conditions prior to the opening of the fishing season May 15.

> Eight cannery owners and managers and three executives of Alaska Salmon Industry. Inc., met with representatives of the Cordova district fisheries union and Copper River and Prince William Sound cannery workers.

> > BIRTH

General hospital.

# DROP LAID TO SALE OF JAPAN GOODS

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y., April 25-Sale of Japanese cotton goods by the United States Commercial Company to twenty-six countries throughout the world has brought marked reduction in demand for American cottons in such markets, The New York Times learned this week from exporters.

In the Philippines alone, exporters were quoted by the Times as saying, sales have dropped more than 75 per cent the first of the

The USCC competition against private traders here were described by some exporters as "vicious," because it depleted dollars excange in markets where it was doing business. Under the three-way contract which the USCC entered into last year with the Commodity Credit Corporation and the Supreme Allied Command in the Pacific, the agency has no alternative but to seil for dollars, part of which is turned over to the CCC for American

cotton. The time has long since passed when a change in the agreement should have been made, exporters said. In theih opinion there is no reason why Japanese goods should not be sold for sterling or other currency which could readily be used for payment of goods which the United States imports.

Exporters are seeking an explanation of the USCC policy in regard to Japanese goods and some clarification is expected in the next week or two. Very recently, it was stated, the USCC informed them that the sale of Japanese goods would cease of its own accord due to exhaustion of stocks on hand. It appears, however, exporters said, that there will be available each month approximately 50,000,009 yards of Japanese cottons for world markets. This is based on the current rate of production, which is steadily increasing.

In the South American markets, touched by the USCC, there is considerable reference to the cheaper Japanese product in price discussions, exporters said. They are told that continuation of the USCC sales will mean that the goods will eventually be offered to South America, -particularly in view of the 330,000,000 yard total that has been sold in a comparatively limiter time.

# Find Japanese Here Bigger

BOSTON, Mass., April 25-People born and reared in America are bigger than thos of the racial stock who have just come here, according to findings on measurements of American-born Japanese made by Dr. G. W. Lasker of the Wister Institute of Philadelphia.

"The typical Japanese youth born in the United States, compared with immigrants from the region from which his ancestors came, was found to be taller, with longer arms and legs, relatively more slender hands and feet, and flatter chest. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Osaki, 7935 Measurements of other racial groups Delridge Way, a daughter, Seattle on reactions on the part of Chinese or Mexican immigrants.

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## **Editorials:**

#### A Glare from the Sun

The Vancouver Sun is acting up again. In its April 14 editorial, the Vancouver paper cries that British Columbia still has onethird of the Japanese in Canada, and that if controls over them were abolished now, the "whole bunch of them," to borrow the Sun phraseology, would come marching back.

A few weeks ago, the Winnipeg Free Press published an editorial sharply criticizing the Canadian government's reluctance to recognize the principles of civil rights regardless of race, especially on the Japanese Canadian ques-

The Sun maintains that lifting the controls would interfere with the federal government's dispersal policy disclosed in 1944.

The fact, according to the Nisei in Canada, is the dispersal policy is practically completed.

The seemingly alarmed Sun pictures 13,000 Japanese streaming back to the coast once the controls are lifted.

And that calls for a slight rebuttal.

The Japanese who resettled east of the -Rockies are doing quite well, thank you, and they, if any, certainly wouldn't care to retreat to their old, familiar sights even if the disturbed Vancouver paper paid their way back.

We recommend the Sun to send an expedition out East to find out that the relocatees are happy in their new homes.

One nice thing about the telephone strike is that one doesn't get so many wrong numbers. -Oregon Daily Journal.

#### Open Letter to Editor of Hawaii Times Dear Editor:

The other day we picked up an edition of the Hawaii Times and looked at an eyeful of "Some of Hawaii's Finest" pulchritudinous creatures.

The underline for the photo of the beauties stated:

"These five University of Hawaii coeds were among the 18 contestants for the title of 'Japanese queen' in the annual Ka Palapala beauty contest, which picks six queens representing different racial strains. From left to right, they are: Betty Ariyoshi, Jane Fujii (runner-up), Ruth Funai, Mildred Odan (winner), and Lily Takiguchi."

Maybe, it's a matter of taste but give us Ruth Funai and more of her. She has the features, the figure (ahem) and a wholesome, cleancut poise.

Why in the h-ll wasn't Ruth the winner? Or was it politics?

Respectfully yours, The Northwest Times Staff

One thing about the strike. It gives the veteran who lives in a telephone booth a chance for a little privacy.—Kansas City Star.

Sow an act, and you reap a habit; sow a habit, and you reap a character, and you reap a destiny. -G. D. Boardman.

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# **AUSSIES FIRM** AGAINST WOOL

of Australian anti-Japanese feeling to girls. is stifling attempts to obtain ad-Burton Crane of The New York hakujin girls. Times this week.

George Williams, Australian wool expert, who has been here for eight months, resigned his post and left for home, describing his job here as futile, Crane wrote in his dis-

Crane continued:

"With the end of this month Japanese industry will virtually exhaust old stocks and will have nothing to expect except 7,300 bales of the lowest grade Australian wool, now reported on the way here, the sole product of nine months of negotiations.

"Occupation offcials, although admitting that the Japanese wool industry is placed in a grave position by Australia's determination to cut off a market before the war was her second best, are not despairing. Japanese mills will be encouraged to continue operations, even on the smallest scale, to keep technical staffs together. Much staple fibre will be mixed with wool."

Supreme Command officials have begun inquiries concerning 460,000,000 pounds of American wool now held by the Commodity Credit Corporation, to see whether it suitable for worsted goods at prices for sales in Oriental markets.

New Zealand has offered 200, 000 bales of wool. Inquiries are going on in South Africa, Uraguay, Argentina and other countries that UNCLE . . . supplied wool to Japan before the

Australia's virtual boycott, Supreme Command officials admit, is a serious blow but the aides still cling to the hope that Japan's wool industry may provide substantial aid toward the country's economic rehabilitation. They had hope in two or three years to have virtually all imported wool manufactured and exported to provide foreign exchange for most essential raw materials. Australian will sell only wool that is of such low grades that the products are not exportable.

Supreme Command officials, Williams and virtually every Australian newspaper argued that Australia's view was shortsighted in destroying a good market without offsetting advantages.

Before the war Japan was great wool-consuming country not a great worsted goods exporter. She always consumed more than 80 per cent of the wool she imported. Officials expect such a condition will return after Japan has re-established herself commercially.

The reason for the Australian Government's stand are described as purely political, the Labor Government fearing it might lose a few votes if it does what every business interest demands. Australian groups have been conducting an intensive anti-Japanese campaign, with parades reminding voters of the fate of the Australian Eigth Division, which suffered some of the worst Japanese atrocities.

All who would win joy, must share it, happiness was born a twin.-

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# This Fellow Prefers Nisei Girls

with obejet matrimony. These

compliments were a novelty at

first, but lately I have come to

Niset girls are attractive in spite

of the cracks made by some New

Canadian columnists about fig-

jet-black hair, their dark eyes,

and a generally colorful apear-

ance. Even their brownish

complexion is a definite asset.

They don't look washed out like

Generally speaking, a Nisel girl

gives a good impression by her

live personality and sensitiveness.

An average Nisei girl is sup-

in the various parts of her torso,

Nothing was said about short or

We have only to stand on

set their ideals too high.

so many hakujin girls do.

Their chief assets are their

take them for granted.

By K. M. At some stage in our childhood adolescence, most of us rebel against the fact that we are Japanese. It may be that some of this TOKYO, April 25-A brick wall feeling is reflected in our attitude

Most Nisels I have known close- ure, legs and the rest of the upequate supplies of Australian wool ly hae confessed to me that at one holstery. for Japanese industry, reported time or another they have admired

> This usually happens in the later stage of adolescence, and I don't mind confessing that too have found myself in love with a couple of hakujin girls. In one case the somewhat silly and inconclusive attachment lasted well over a year.

Most of us get over this sort of (I am inclined to consider sensithing, along with skepticism in re- tiveness, if not carried to extreme, ligion and extreme radicalism in a strong asset). And she usually economic philosophy. And I think knows how to dress. that we should also acquire better appreciation of Nisei girls, that Nisei girls are supposed to illness which lasted about a month, and additional appointments in ents of schools alone, but also an if we have been prejudiced.

opinion of hakujin girls have been tinct surprise to me, but it comes Baptist church here. pretty idealized, with Hollywood from a reliable source.

But it was not until I came east posed to be better proportioned that I realized fully how well a Nisei girls stacks up against her; while on the whole hakujin girls speak are not as well proportioned. hakujin counterpart. I mostly of physical characteristics here, though I may be tempted to rather thick legs. But I have algive my views on other matters ways suspected that Niseis have in another column.

What struck me first on coming ease that a surprisingly large busy street corner and watch the number of hakujins consider the passer-by. Very few young females Nisei girls most attractive, and come anywhere near comparison have told me so. Some have with Hollywood showpieces. even asked for introductions,

Sam turned out warships, B-29's

tanks, "Big Berthas" and finally the

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"hotel de gink" in Youngstown and diamond symbol of love and romanone at 14th and Lane; do we have ce, is rated second among the another in town? . . . once again world's precious stones. Diamonds, grocery stores owned and operated with their sparkling depths and raby Japanese are increasing . . . where's the housing shortage? ho- tery. tels in the South End are beginning to display their "vacancy" signs . . President Truman's cut-price policy has been followed by many ci- of precious gems that it is clasties throughout the nation-when sified among its five most impor- a big lanky American mule which will we see this cooperation in our neighborhood? . . .

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# Y-Teen Aides To Confer

Seven Seattle staff members of the YWCA teen-agers department will attend a Northwest round table scheduled for next Tuesday and Wednesday in Portland, it was announced yesterday (Thursday) by Miss Fay Moeller, program director for central Y-Teen clubs and round table chairman.

Besides Miss Moeller, other Seattleites who are planning to be in Portland for the round table are the Misses Carolyn E. Blake Maryann Manaffery, Dorthy Dahlstrom, Peggy Anne Jacobsson, Imogene Gallaher and Juanita Valley. he agenda includes discussion of

the proposed Northwest area volunteer training conference, reports Satisfactorily recovered from an YWCA-YMCA teen-age conference, not the principals and superintendhave better figure on the whole the Rev. Emery Andrews has re- staff leadership to the Seabeck con- uniformed public," he said. ference for Y-Teen groups to be held in August. Music for teen-agers YWCA board.

# YW Unit Sets Formal Dance

Business Girls' club of Phyllis Wheatley YWCA will sponsor Collins fieldhouse.

# Gems Influence Men's Lives

Precious gems are among man's | bol of constancy, truth and virtue. Uncle Sam surely could use an- diamond, the pearl and the sapph- is caved into the figure of Conother "atom bomb"—the kind that ire, according to the standard clas- fucius, with the head colorless, the sification.

> First comes the emerald, which has given its name to a particularly lovely shade of green. This stone is glamorous and mysterious, and its name is sheer music in all

The ruby is considered the most desirable stone by jewel experts the world over. The ruby is the birth-. . . fifty-cent question: we had a stone for the month of July. The diant colors are truly gems of mys-

> Ranking fourth is the pearl. Although it is not strictly a mineral it is so closely related to the family tant members. This product of the had been specially groomed for mollusk, or shell fish, has formed the visit. the necklaces of royalty and famous beauties for countless ages. The what he thought of the mule's harhistory of pearls extends back ness, every inch of which was over-2,500 years and these gems adorned laid with mosaic of turquoise, lapis,

of Egypt. precious stones is the sapphire, blackened silver. birthstone of September, the sym-



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most cherished possessions. Most Sapphires are usually royal blue, valuable of these gems is the em- although they are often white and erald, followed by the ruby, the yellow. One famous tri-colored stone body pale blue and the legs yellow.

The influence that precious gems have had in men's lives and the almost legendary exploits undertaken for them may be illustrated by the following story of one of the world's most valuable

In 1920 the Russian nobility had fled across the Steppes and over the Siberian plain into China. Among those who jammed the city of Shanghai was a Russian prince. Badly in need of money, he visited an aged, wealthy Tea was served and the count-

less ancient formalities were observed. Then the prince invited the Chinese to visit his squalid quarters. The old man then shown

The prince asked the Chinese the jewel caskets of the Pharoahs malchite, amythest, aquamarine and garnet. The mass of semi-precious Last but not least of the five most stones was set in tarnished, time-

The prince points to the center of the gaudy piece, where an enormous, squash-shaped faceted Burma ruby was set. The stone was as bag as the end of one's thumb and a deep, rich red.

The ruby was a family heirloom and once belonged to Peter the Great. The prince had given it to his bride as a wedding gift. She died two years later, and he locked it in his strong box. Until the Russian Revolution he never looked at it again, and then he decided to conceal it among the worthless stones of the mule's harness and bring it safely out of Russia.

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# WOLFFE URGES ELIMINATION OF RACE BAN

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Delegates to the health group's convention here were told by Dr. Wolffe that they can help build a well adjusted and strong people by viewing their work as a "common denominator of all people and clas-

"The chief obstacles in impleon religious and inter-racial pro- menting a physical and health programs, outline of the first national gram in the early school years are

Social conflicts, he added, are on the increase, and the leaders in will be discussed by Miss Marie health and physical education have Oliver, secretary of the national an unusual opportunity for rendering a public service.

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# Takahashi Cops All-Events in NCBL Meet

# The Sporting Thing

Here's a bright stunt for a young, aggresive Nisei promoter who has an extra wad of "moola" to spare.

What about an Oriental version of the Harlem Globe Trotters? Phil Mar Hing, T. Tsutsui, Chi Akizuki and Tak Hiyama to work as a unit. Then you have something-well, a basketball team with a lot of color, fire, speed and finesse.

Mar and Okamoto on the forward posts would be an unbeatable scoring pair. The Chinese lad was a whiz on the Whitman college and University of Washington teams. Okamoto of the Seattle Huskies (national Nisei tourney champs in Chicago) is reputed to be the most dangerous star on the Nisei basketball front today. For reserves on the front line, put in Tsutsui, hailed as the best Nisei player in the U. S. A. by Californians, and Akizuki, San Jose Zebras' number one point-getter.

At the center post, Saito of Ontario, Oreg., is a unanimous choice. A regular on the Third Army All-Star team which toured the European theatre of operations during World War II, Saito is a slick man to have around the pivot area. Mar Hing, rugged Chinese ball handler for Collins "A" fieldhouse championship team, would fill in well as an alternate.

Misaka of University of Utah fame is a natural in the back court. His mate should be Murao, ex-Seattleite who sparked for Springfield college of Springfield, Mass., 442nd Infantry Combat Team and the Seattle Huskies, to name a few. If the guards suffer from lack of height, rush in Hiyama, huge defensive stalwart, also of the Huskies.

It's a coach's dream team, we think.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PERSON OF T Sideline Topics

... Lt. Johnny Kusakabe won't be back for quite a spell, we are informed; Kusakabe is the pre-war Lotus Troy hoop star who went wild on the maple court whenever he got his sticky mitts on the ball . . . if the Nisei Vets finish on top of the blue section in the Puget Sound Baseball League, you can bet your shirt that they won't gallop to Spokane when the city playoffs are held here . . . a Nisei girls' bowling team monicker which calls for a meow: Alley Kittens . . . two Chinese nines may be entered in the baseball league which will be sponsored by our paper . . . this gal, Jean Terao, according to Shewo Kawrye and other "men," can really throw the Brunswick accurately in the tenpin pocket.,.

"Something like a minor Jackie Robinson case except that there isn't the pressure or the barrier."

That's what the 'Bleacher-ite" of the New Canadian wrote on his comment on our paper's April 8 report that "Heat" Heyamoto was back on Art McLarney's U. of W. varsity baseball team.

If that was so, it would have been nice, indeed.

'.Heat' is not in the lineup. Take it over from here, Mabel.

Americans came through with a smashing home run when they set aside this Sunday as Babe Ruth Day.

But the Sultan of Swat, once the idol of millions of young baseball fans, almost struck out with death to earn it.

It is good, however, to know that the fans will applaud the Bambino's contribution to our natinal pastime but it is better to know that he will be very much alive to see America doff its hat to him.

Niseiville, in its small way, also salutes Mr. baseball.

## This Week's \$64 Question

Is that Nisei singer from California still warbling "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" in the Cleveland Indians' home stamping ground?

# Lists Handicap For Tourney

today released its May tournament

handicaps as follows: Hattori Nagamatsu Nagamine Yositake Louie Yamaguci M. Kashiwagi Okimoto Beppu Natori Yamaguchi K. Shimizu Yoshijima Kano Fukano

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# Golfers Await May Joust

The old saying, "It's all over but the shouting," does not apply to sure to enter the Northwest Times games, will go after its third vic- Puget Sound Golf Association mem- Baseball League which is now in tory in the Puget Sound Baseball bers who, after finishing their the process of being formed, it was League when it faces Sand Point Spring meet last Sunday, today are learned today. on the latter's Naval Station field practicing their swings to particiat 2 p. m. this Sunday, April 27. pate in the group's May tourna-After the Sand Point tilt, the ment Sunday, May 18, at Lake

PSGA members. Golfers will tee off at 10 a.m., new office, 217 Fifth Ave. S. according to tourney officials headed by chairman Johnson Shimizu. Reservations for the picnic-golf meet must be made as soon as possible with W. Nakamura. Others who are helping in the arrangements are William Mimbu, Frank Hattori, Johnny Funai, Toru Sakahara, Dick Momoda and Ed Natori.

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The produce star posted a 170-206-185 for a 561 series and added 1275 for a total 1836 pins to win the all-events trophy and an extra five dollars in the Nisei Commercial Bowling League's handicap tournament concluded last night (Thursday) in Main Bowl.

The previous week-end, Takahashi paired with Tak Shibuya to win the doubles. In this event, Takahashi fired three sharp 200 games-220, 266 and 200-for a 686 series.

Ray Kiyohara of West Coast Printing won the "Bozo, the Bowler" trophy as a booby prize. Kiyohara had a total of 1446 pins.

Teams in last night's meet finished in this order: Crown Furniture (937-939-955), 2831; Richard's Jewelry (923-962-891), 2776, and Commercial Service Bureau (981-912-866),

Hero Nishimoto of Star Food Products came "awfully close" to a perfect game when his team was exchanging strikes and spares with Crown Furniture. Nishimoto's spare in the third frame of the third game marred a "300." The produce boys' lead-off kegler chalked up a 279 mark.

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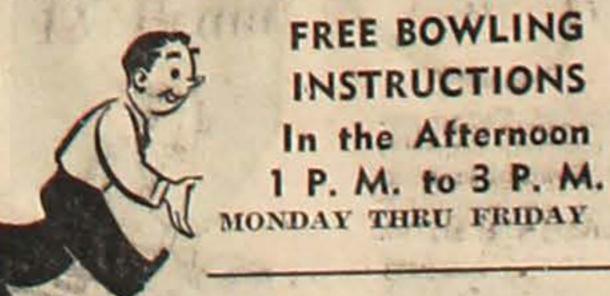
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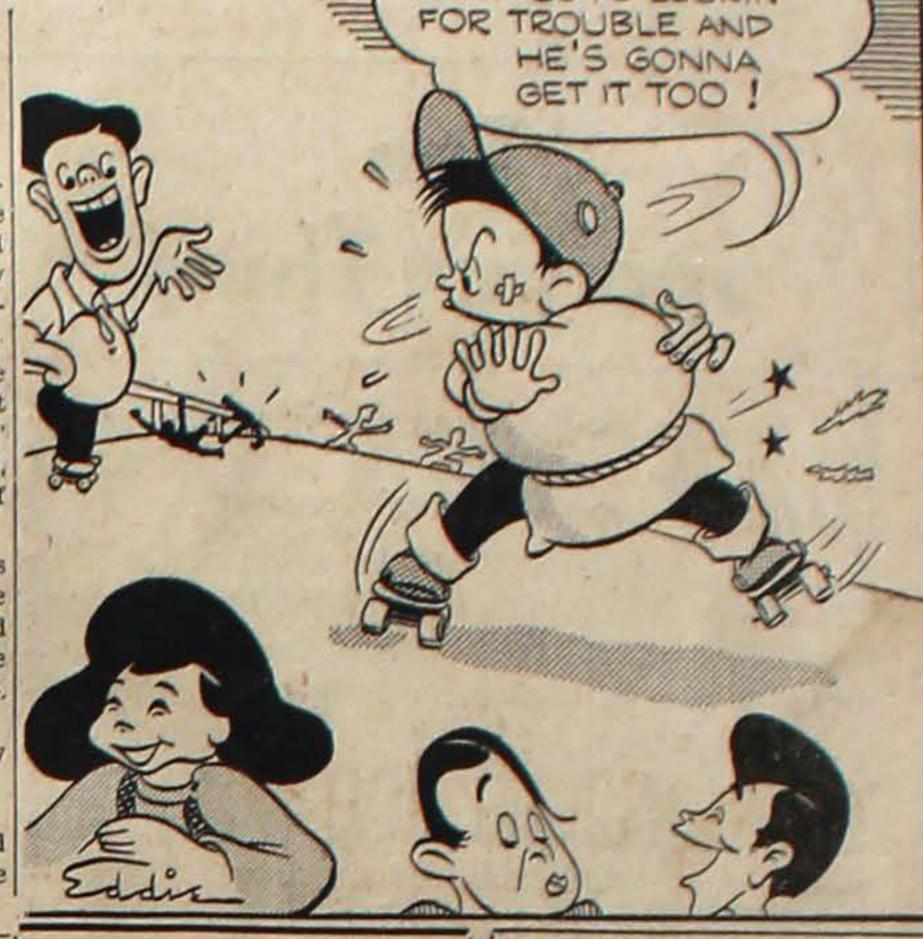
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