

Memorial Day Rites Set at Lakeside Cemetery

4700 JAPANESE IN AREA

Tells Thoughts Of Nisei, Issei

There are 4,700 persons of Japanese ancestry in Seattle, according to a survey report disclosed today to The Northwest Times by Dr. Robert O'Brien and Frank Miyamoto of the University of Washington. Sixty-five per cent of them are American-born and thirty-five per cent, foreign-born.

In 1940, according to the United States Census, there were 6,975 persons of Japanese ancestry in Seattle. At that time, fifty-nine per cent were American-born and forty-one per cent, foreign-born.

This comparison indicates that the Issei are staying closer to "home" than the American-born. As far as the population goes, Mr. Miyamoto pointed out, it is surprising that 13 per cent of the Nisei are between the ages of 20 and 30 in that, due to War Relocation Authority action, it was thought that most of this age-bracket Nisei would settle in the East.

The O'Brien-Miyamoto study, prepared for the city government and the University of Washington, found that the largest percentage of workers was in the service group, that is, building service and other similar occupations. Proprietors, managers and officials, the report added, constitute one-fifth of the working population.

The survey also disclosed an increase of the laboring class which includes skilled and unskilled workers.

In reply to various social and economic questions posed to them, the Japanese interviewed in the survey answered as follows:

How does your present income compare with that of pre-evacuation?

Nisei—Less, 29 percent; same, 19 per cent; more, 52 per cent.

Issei—Less, 59 per cent; same, 13 per cent; more, 28 per cent.

In relation to cost of living, how does your present income compare with that of pre-evacuation?

Nisei—Less, 56 per cent; same, 28 per cent; better, 16 per cent.

Issei—Less, 69 per cent; same, 23 per cent; better, 8 per cent.

What do you think of your present position (job)?

Nisei—Satisfactory, 82 per cent; unsatisfactory, 18 per cent.

Issei—Satisfactory, 71 per cent; unsatisfactory, 29 per cent.

"When they said they were satisfied, many of them implied that they were satisfied only because they were unable to get a better position."

Do you believe there is more or less job discrimination than in 1939-41?

Nisei—Less, 28 per cent; same, 56 per cent; more, 16 per cent.

Issei—Less, 20 per cent; same, 68 per cent; more, 12 per cent.

Do you believe there is more or less social discrimination than in 1939-41?

Nisei—Less, 20 per cent; same, 76 per cent; more, 4 per cent.

Issei—Less, 25 per cent; same, 71 per cent; more, 4 per cent.

On the cramped housing situation, two-third of those interviewed said they were satisfied with present conditions. One-third expressed dissatisfaction. As to discrimination against obtaining homes, the majority were inclined to say the situation is the same or worse.

The survey which was started Feb. 22, lasted a month and its report was completed recently.

Times to Skip May 30 Issue

In observance of Memorial Day, the Northwest Times will suspend publication this Friday. The twice-weekly editions will be resumed in June, starting with the Tuesday, June 3, paper.

Cites Plight Of Stranded

TOKYO, May 27—The plight of more than 1500 Nisei renunciant from Tule Lake segregation center who expressed desire to return to the United States was reported by Roger Baldwin, national director of the American Civil Liberties Union and JACL special representative recently.

It was reported that the 1500 members were flatly told by the State Justice Department that their claims to American rights no longer existed, according to Baldwin.

Under the 1944 amendment to the Nationality Act of 1940, these Japanese, born in the United States who voluntarily dropped their U. S. citizenship, are not entitled to return.

There were approximately 6,000 aliens and Nisei deported to Japan during the war, majority of them voluntary.

Peace Pact

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 27—Meetings preparatory to a formal peace treaty with Japan may take place next month in San Francisco or Washington, it was learned this week.

Months ago the United States hoped to have the preparatory sessions held in May, but delay in decisions on European and other Pacific affairs rendered it impossible.

Since Secretary Marshall's return from the Moscow conference Japan and its peace with the Allies has received high priority rating with the state department chief.

May Be n June
Rumor and discussion continue as to how, when and where the Allies will give Japan formal peace, but the prospects point to June at either San Francisco or the capital as logical choices.

The United States is considering issuing invitations to the nations comprising the Far East commission to send representatives to the U. S. for the preparatory conference which would lay the groundwork for the treaty-making session itself.

Treaty to Follow
If the Far East commission nations are asked to participate in a preparatory conference next month they will be in on the ground floor on the Japanese settlement.

And if that meeting proves successful, it is held here to be reasonable to expect that the treaty-making session itself will follow a short time later.

Gentleman is a term that does not apply to any station, but to the mind and feelings in every station.

—Talfourd.

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Late News

HOSHINO DEFEATS SAMUELS

HONOLULU, T.H., May 27—Hal Hoshino, pride of Pendleton, Oreg., earned a ten-round decision over Adolph Samuels of Honolulu last Friday night here before a crowd of 4,715 paid admission, grossing \$8,563. Hoshino whose left arm was swollen had penicillin shots used the previous week which necessitated the postponement of the original fight.

The Nisei is now being groomed for a match with Manuel Ortiz, world's bantamweight titlist.

'DELIVER THE GOODS'

Citizens of the Jackson Street area "delivered the goods" in fine style and cooperated wholeheartedly in the second annual Clean-up campaign sponsored last Saturday by the Jackson Street Community Council, a Red Feather agency of the Community Chest.

PORTLAND VETS WIN, 7-4

PORTLAND, Oreg., May 27 (Special to N.W. Times)—Paced by Murakami's two hits, the Nisei Vets defeated Tony's Market, 7-4, last Sunday in a city league night game played at Westmoreland park.

The Vets meet the Chinese Vets at 6:45 p.m. Thursday, May 29, at Westmoreland. The Chinese downed Montville Kiwanis, 18-7, last Sunday.

Blue Lake will be the Nisei Vets' foe at 2:30 p.m. Sunday, June 1, at Blue Lake park. The same day, the Vets will picnic there. Everyone is invited.

TWO TEAMS BLANKED IN 'MIXED'

Four Aces blanked Rusty Four, 4-0; Kitten N Wolves decisioned Hi-Lo, 3-1 and Arrividerci took Kaputs, 4-0, in the mixed doubles league in Main Bowl last night (Monday).

Permit Naturalization of Kin Of War Heroes, Solon Asks

WASHINGTON, D.C., May 27—Senator Sheridan Downey, Democrat, of California, has introduced a bill to permit the naturalization of persons, irrespective of race, whose sons or daughters were killed while serving in the armed forces of the United States, the Washington Office of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee announces.

Designated S. 1300, the Downey bill not only provides for the naturalization of all persons now racially ineligible whose son or daughter was killed in the service of the United States during World War II but also waives the educational requirements.

In addition to the 1500, there were about 1000 children under 18 years of age who were "forced" to tag along with their parents.

The latter group Baldwin stated, will be processed just like those other Nisei stranded in Japan during the war who want to come home.

and filling intentions requirements of the naturalization laws. This measure, if passed, would permit the naturalization of all Japanese nationals, among others, whose son or daughter was killed while serving in our armed forces.

The bill referred to the Senate Judiciary Committee, declares that: "...any person not a citizen, who under existing law is racially ineligible to become a naturalized citizen, whose son or daughter shall have died as a result of injury sustained, or illness contracted, in line of duty, while serving during time of war as a member of the armed forces of the United States, may be naturalized upon compliance with the requirements of the naturalization laws, except that such person shall not be required to be able to speak the English language, sign a petition in his own handwriting, or meet other educational requirements, and no declaration of intention shall be required."

URGES TRUMAN TO HELP ISSEI ON CITIZENSHIP

WASHINGTON, May 27th—President Harry S. Truman was called upon by the Washington Office of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee to use his good offices to secure naturalization privileges for those now denied citizenship on Sunday, May 18th, "I Am An American Day".

In a letter addressed to the Chief Executive, Mike Masaoka, national legislative director, wrote: "On this day dedicated to our 'new' Americans, may we respectfully urge you to take the leadership in the legislative effort to correct a discriminatory feature of our naturalization laws that denies to a small yet loyal segment of our population the right to enjoy citizenship on the same basis as others."

Written in behalf of the more than fifty chapters of the JACL throughout the United States, the President was asked to "use your good offices to make reality the dream of the Japanese immigrant ever since he first came upon our shores—citizenship in the land of his adoption and of his children's birth."

"...These Japanese nationals have contributed much to the building up of the west. They have a history of demonstrated loyalty and allegiance that any group may well be proud of. During the late great war when they were called upon to suffer and to sacrifice uniquely they proved their real Americanism beyond all question of doubt. Most of them had sons who served with distinction in the American armies in both Europe and the Pacific. Some of them even served our victorious war effort in the most vital capacities, in counter-intelligence, in translating and interpreting, in map drawing, and in many other strategic services. Their devotion to duty contributed much to the successful conclusion of the war against Japan," the letter declared.

"We who are the American-born citizen children of these Japanese nationals know and respect them as exemplary Americans who desire the privilege of citizenship more than anything else in life."

Nisei GI Wins Defense Medal

BERLIN, May 27—In one of the most elaborate and impressive military ceremonies held in Berlin since the war ended, Susumu J. Kawasaki, 504½ D st., Sacramento, was presented an American Defense medal with 10 other present and former military personnel as a feature of Army week recently.

Brig. Gen. Cornelius E. Ryan, Berlin commandant made the presentation to the 11 persons selected to represent all those eligible to receive the awards in the area.

Only 11 victory, American defense and occupation medals were available for the area as only a limited number has been produced to date.

A former paratrooper, Kawasaki is now a civilian war department employee in the Berlin personnel office of the occupation military government. He plans to return to Sacramento in March, 1948.

Nisei Veterans, Chnrches to Join In Honoring Dead

As a tribute to Nisei soldiers who fought valiantly in World War II, the Nisei Veterans Committee of Seattle in conjunction with the Japanese churches here will hold a Memorial Day service at Lakeside cemetery Volunteer park, this Friday, May 30. The services will last from 10:30 a.m. until noon.

For their part of the program the vets will have Clay Nixon state commander of the Marine Corps League as the main speaker. R.J. Tinklenburg chaplain will officiate.

The last half of the rites will be conducted by Christian and Buddhist church groups.

All Nisei vets are urged to wear their uniform.

Invitations have been sent to Gold Star parents and wives. Due to an incomplete list, "Lefty" Ichihara of the NVC said, but they also are cordially invited.

Those who died while serving in the U.S. Army in World War II follow:

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Masaru Tamura
Jimmy Takeda
Setsuro Yamashita
Goro Yamura
Hideo Yasui
Tom S. Yagi

Author Offers Prize for Best Study Of Japanese-Americans Relations

HAVERFORD, Pa., May 27—Christopher Morley, author, has offered a prize to students at Haverford college, his alma mater, for a study of Japanese-American relations, the United Press reported this week.

The study, Morley said, "may be written in verse, prose or drama, or pictorial, musical, sculptural, plastic, architectural, material or spiritual, scientific or aesthetic."

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Nisei Calendar

MAY

29—Synco (U. of W. Nisei Students) picnic at Shadow Lake.
 30—Memorial Day outing at Camp Comfort on south end of Cottage Lake.

JUNE

15—Nisei Veterans Committee picnic at Posa's Shadow Lake.

JULY

4—Nisei Veterans Committee dance in Casa Italiana.

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What Claims Board Bill Says

(Editor's note: Public hearings on H. R. 2768, the evacuation claims commission bill, will begin tomorrow morning (Wednesday) in the old House office building in Washington, D. C. H. R. 2768 is identical with H. R. 6780, the evacuation claims commission bill that almost passed the 79th Congress. To give our readers a better perspective of what H. R. 2768 proposes to do, the Northwest Times today prints H. R. 6780 since a copy of H. R. 2768 is unavailable at this time.)

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

June 13, 1946

Mr. Sumners of Texas introduced the following bill, which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

July 26, 1946

Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed.

To create an Evacuation Claims Commission under the general supervision of the Secretary of the Interior, and to provide for the powers, duties, and functions thereof, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby established in the Department of the Interior, under the general supervision of the Secretary of the Interior, the Evacuation Claims Commission, with authority as hereinafter defined to adjudicate claims arising out of the evacuation or exclusion of persons of Japanese ancestry from west coast military areas, Alaska and Hawaii subsequent to December 7, 1941. The Commission shall consist of a chairman and two other members who shall be appointed by the Secretary of the Interior. Two members shall constitute a quorum and the agreement of two members shall be sufficient for the transaction of any business of the Commission.

Jurisdiction
 Sec. 2 The Commission shall have jurisdiction to adjudicate any claim by a person of Japanese ancestry against the United States arising on or after December 7, 1941, when such claim is not compensated for by insurance or otherwise and is substantiated in such manner as the Commission may prescribe, for damage to or loss or destruction of real or personal property (including without limitation damage to or loss or destruction of personal property bailed to or in the custody of the Government or any agent thereof), or other impairment of assets, that fairly arises out of or is a reasonable and natural consequence of the evacuation or exclusion of such person by the appropriate military commander from a military area in Arizona, California, Oregon, or Washington, or from Alaska or Hawaii, under authority of Executive Order Number 9066, dated February 19, 1942 (3 CFR, Cum. Supp., 1092) section 67 of the Act of April 30, 1900 (48 U. S. C. 532), or Executive Order Number 9489, dated October 13, 1944 (3 CFR, 1944 Supp., 45). As used herein "evacuation" shall include voluntary departure from a military

area prior to but in anticipation of an order of exclusion therefrom. Existence or intervention of other causes affecting the damage or loss, including action or nonaction by the claimant or his representatives, shall be considered by the Commission in determining the amount of relief that will be fair and equitable according to the facts as they appear in each case.

Limitations; Claims Not to Be Considered

Sec. 3. (a) The Commission shall receive claims for a period of eighteen months from the date of approval of this Act. All claims not presented within that time shall be forever barred.

(b) The Commission shall not consider any claim—

(1) by or on behalf of any person who after December 7, 1941, was voluntarily or involuntarily deported from the United States to Japan or who is otherwise resident in a foreign country;

(2) for damage or loss arising out of action taken by any Federal agency pursuant to sections 4067, 4068, 4069, and 4070 (relating to alien enemies) of the Revised Statutes, as amended (50 U. S. C. 21-24), or pursuant to the Trading With the Enemy Act, as amended (50 U. S. C. App., and Supp., 1-31, 616);

(3) for damage or loss to any property, or interest therein, vested in the United States pursuant to said Trading With the Enemy Act, as amended; and

(4) for damage or loss on account of death or personal injury; personal inconvenience, physical hardship, or mental suffering.

Hearing; Evidence; Records

Sec. 4. (a) The Commission shall give reasonable notice to the interested parties and an opportunity for them to be heard and to present evidence before making a final determination upon any claim.

(b) Any relevant evidence having probative value shall be considered by the Commission in its inquiries. For the purpose of any hearing or investigation authorized under this Act, the provisions of sections 9 and 10 (relating to examination of documentary evidence, attendance of witnesses, and production of books and papers and documents) of the Federal Trade Commission Act of September 26, 1914, as amended (15 U. S. C. 49-50), are hereby made applicable to the jurisdiction, powers, and duties of the Commission. Any person appointed to examine witnesses may be authorized by the Commission to issue subpoenas to procure attendance of witnesses or production of documents and to appoint an officer to serve the same. Subpoenas may be served personally by registered mail, by telegraph, or by leaving a copy thereof at the residence or principal place of business of the person required to be served. A verified return by the individual so serving the same, setting forth the manner of service, shall be proof of service, as shall be the return receipt or telegraph receipt when service is by registered mail or telegraph respectively. On request the United States marshals or their deputies shall serve such process in their respective districts.

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(c) The Commission shall have a seal, which shall be judicially noticed.

(d) A written record shall be kept of all hearings and proceedings of the Commission and shall be open to public inspection.

Adjudication; Payment of Awards; Effect of Adjudications

Sec. 5. (a) The Commission shall dispose of all claims filed with it by award or order of dismissal as the case may be upon written findings of fact and reasons for the decision. A copy of each such adjudication shall be mailed to the claimant or his attorney.

(b) The Commission may make payment of any award not exceeding \$2,500 in amount out of such funds as may be made available for this purpose by Congress.

(c) On the first day of each regular session of Congress the Secretary of the Interior shall transmit to Congress a full and complete statement of all adjudications rendered by the Commission during the previous year, stating the name of each claimant, the amount claimed, the amount awarded, the amount paid, and brief synopsis of the facts in the case. All awards not paid by the Commission under subsection (b) hereof shall be paid in like manner as are final judgments of the Court of Claims.

(d) The payment of an award shall be final and conclusive for all purposes, notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, and shall be a full discharge of the United States and all of its officers, agents, servants, and employees with respect to all claims arising out of the same subject matter. An order of dismissal against a claimant, unless set aside by the Commission, shall thereafter bar any further claim against the United States or any officer, agent, servant, or employee thereof arising out of the same subject matter.

Attorneys' Fees

Sec. 6. The Commission, in rendering an award in favor of any claimant, may as a part of the award determine and allow reasonable attorneys' fees, which shall not exceed 20 per centum of the amount allowed, to be paid directly to the attorneys representing the claimant out of, but not in addition to, the amount of such award. Any attorney who charges, demands, receives, or collects for services rendered in connection with such claim any amount in excess of that allowed under this section, if recovery be had, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall upon conviction thereof be subject to a fine of not more than \$2,000, or imprisonment for not more than one year or both.

No Former Member or Employee to Practice before Commission

Sec. 7 No member of the Commission or employee thereof shall, after termination of his appointment to or services with Commission, be permitted directly or indirectly to represent any claimant before the commission.

Administration

Sec. 8. For the purposes of this

Act the Commission may—

(a) Appoint a clerk and such attorneys, examiners, interpreters, appraisers, and other employees as may be necessary to conduct the business of the Commission.

(b) Call upon any Federal department or agency for any information or records necessary in the prosecution of the Commission's business.

(c) Secure the cooperation of State and local agencies, governmental or otherwise, and reimburse such agencies for services rendered.

(d) Utilize such voluntary and uncompensated services as may from time to time be needed and available.

(e) Assist needy claimants in the preparation of claims for filing with the Commission.

(f) Make such investigations as may be necessary for the performance of its functions.

(g) Exercise any and all of its powers at any place within the continental United States, Alaska, and Hawaii.

(h) Make expenditures for personal services and rent in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, for the purchase of lawbooks and books of reference, for printing and binding, for the purchase, exchange, and maintenance of passenger-carrying vehicles, for supplies and equipment, for traveling expenses (including per diem in lieu of subsistence), for witness fees and mileage, for other administrative expenses, and for the payment of awards under section 5 (b) of this Act.

(i) Prescribe such rules and regulations, perform such acts not inconsistent with law, and delegate such authority as the Commission may deem proper in carrying out the provisions of this Act.

Termination

Sec. 9. The existence of the Commission shall terminate at the end of five years from the date of approval of this Act: Provided however, That if the Commission shall have earlier finished its existence shall be terminated forthwith by direction of the Secretary of the Interior.

Appropriations

Sec. 10. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated for the purposes of this Act such sums as Congress may from time to time determine to be necessary.

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First of Bills Aiding Japanese Pays Off for Camp Fire Losses

WASHINGTON, May 27th—The first bill beneficially affecting persons of Japanese ancestry has just been passed by Congress and signed by the President, the Washington Office of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee announces.

This bill provides for the payment of approximately \$30,000 to evacuees whose personal effects were destroyed or damaged as the result of the Christmas Day, 1943, fire in Camp Two, Poston, Arizona, and of the warehouse fire of July 28, 1944, at Manzanar, California, and whose claims were properly processed.

The claims of 82 former residents of Poston and 15 former residents of Manzanar were approved by the Appropriation Committee of both Houses, passed by the House and the Senate, and signed by the President as a part of the First Deficiency Appropriations Bill.

The Washington Office cooperated in processing these claims and repeatedly urged the passage of these claims by Congress.

All of the awards are for \$1,000 or less, since under the law claims over \$1,000 must be passed upon separately as private bills.

As a matter of information, the Washington Office states that the former government office responsible for processing such claims has been liquidated because of drastic cuts in appropriations and that the ADC lacks the necessary facilities and personnel to assume these additional services. Whatever can be done, however, the Washington ADC Office will do, it was explained.

Successful claimants are urged to write General Accounting Office, Claims Division, Washington, D. C., immediately. They must identify themselves and amounts due them as a result of the passage of House Document No. 124, "Estimates of appropriations submitted by several executive departments and independent offices to pay damage claims," before the United States Treasury will issue checks in full settlement of their respective claims.

Former residents of Poston Camp No. Two who were awarded claims varying from \$33 to \$1,000 are Kenshiro Takayama, Sadao Tamura, Frank Tanaka, Leo R. Tanaka, K. Taniguchi, Toshio Tanaka, Mary Tashiro, Hiroshi Togioaka, Ouchi Torozo, Tokichi Toyosaki, Albert Umino, Shigeo Uota, Hatashita Wakayo, Jitaro Waki, Shin Umino, Kaye Watanabe.

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The largest of the Manzanar claims is for \$642.06 and the smallest \$2.50.

Lotus to Honor Dead at Rites

Lotus Seinenkai will hold its Memorial Day services at 7:30 p.m. this Thursday, May 29, in the Buddhist temple. The rites will be in tribute to deceased members of the group, including four war veterans: Matt Tansaka, George Tansumi, Yoshio Kato and Pete Fujino.

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The Sporting Thing

by bf

Our front page today carries a list of Nisei who died in service during World War II.

Among them were fellows whom we would like to mention at random as our small part in remembering their athletic feats.

Eugene T. (Beefo) Amabe was a scrappy player for the Marmot football team... a great end for Broadway high school and an expert judoist was Pete Fujino... who can forget Akira Kanzaki the sturdy lad who played his "heart out" in every sport he undertook? Masao "Horse" Ikeda was a sleek thoroughbred on the gridiron field and his swift playing was a remarkable thing to watch... we bet Francis Kinoshita would have got a bang out of seeing his brother, Chuck, who is quite the athlete; Francis himself performed well for the Maryknollers... William (Bill) Nakamura was a rugged, stand-out football player hereabouts... Takaaki (Taka) Okazaki threw a lot of fast ones past the hitters when he was twirling for the ol' Taiyo team... and the fastest Nisei in the water was George Sawada who made his letter at U. of W. ... Matsuburo (Matt) Tanaka, one of our boyhood pals, was a likeable fellow, who loved his sports, participating in every competition we could think of and doing well in all... Masaru Tamura was a strong football star from Fife way.

There were others, to be sure, but for the present, this is it.

Sideline Topics

...if the Nisei Vets are interested in a good second sacker, there's a young man (Muraoka's the name) from Whitefish, Mont., available; he's a corking fielder-batter with semi-pro experience, they say... Hank Matsuburo, we are told, of Portland, Oreg., was one of the most promising Nisei sluggers around the Pacific Northwest in camp days, but he had a weak ankle which hampered his style of play; he was (or is he yet?) stationed at Fort Lewis... the story that one "good" pitcher is enough to win a title in a Nisei league does not hold much throws in our circuit: starting slab artists rarely finish a game... present weather conditions—boy, is it hot!—bring us cool, refreshing thoughts of swimming in lakes, picnicking under shady trees, and drinking pop and eating hot dogs at Sick's Seattle Baseball Stadium...

The record speaks for itself.

"bf" is a ridiculously poor synonym for prognosticator.

Last Sunday, two teams—Eastern Fuel and Travelers—came to boost bf's mark 56 points. The record to date follows:

	Right Wrong Pct.
bf	5 4 .556

For the next two games, bf speaks:
Memorial Day

Clippers-Lotus Ashuras—Clippers are improving, but Ashuras should take 'em.

Valley-Eastern Fuel—Eastern Fuel by a slide and a steal.

Lotus M.-Travelers—Lotus M.'s are tough but the Travelers are tougher. The M's to lose their first game.

Sunday, June 1

Eastern Fuel-Merchants—It'll be close, but we'll stick with the fuelers.

Lotus Ashuras-Lotus M.'s—Lotus M.'s, of course.

Travelers-Valley—Travelers aren't going out for nothing. They'll win, alright.

Old Woodenface, the mute Seattle Times-Park Board umpire, is making his annual rounds at various playfields in town, but no Nisei has as yet qualified for the finals.

The only one who came close to being a winner was George Nakagawa at Collins. He fanned Woody six times.

After the sixth whiffing, he began to experiment with a fork ball.

The tale ends thus "Strike three and yer out!"

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Detectives	5 2
Hi-Line	4 3
Sand Point	3 4
Naval Station	2 5
Eagles	1 6

Sunday, June 8
At Rainier
12 noon—Nisei Vets vs. Sand Point

Dame Fortune finally snubbed the undefeated Nisei Vets in the blue section of the Puget Sound league last Sunday at Hi-Line. Hi-Line penetrated the Vet defense for two big innings, the second and the fifth, to score a 14-9 victory over the Nisei.

Vernon Neihl's homer with the bases loaded in the second, started the fireworks. "Duffy" Kiyohara was the hardest Vet slugger, smashing out three sharp singles in four trips to the batter's box.

Tomita, a Nisei, played second base for Hi-Line, and hit safely twice.

The running score follows:

	R	H
Nisei Vets	420 002 010—	9 12
Hi-Line	160 061 00x—	14 10
Batteries:	Takayoshi,	Shimizu,
Sasaki and Funai,	Kato;	Render,
Empens and Johnston.		

Batteries: Takayoshi, Shimizu, Sasaki and Funai, Kato; Render, Empens and Johnston.

HI-LINE

V. Niehl, ss	4	1	1
Buhl, rf	5	1	1
Stanborski, lf	5	1	0
T. Niehl, 3b	5	1	1
Johnston, c	3	3	1
Peterson, cf	2	2	1
Tomita, 2b	5	2	2
Aries, 1b	3	2	3
Render, p	1	1	0
Emuens, p	1	0	0

Total 34 14 10

NISEI VETS

	AB	R	H
Sakai, lf	4	2	2
Kiyohara, 3b	4	4	3
Kataoka, ss	4	0	2
Matsushita, 1b	5	0	1
Yamaguchi, 2b	4	1	1
Fujiwara, cf	4	1	2
Sakagami, rf	2	0	1
Mamiya, rf	3	0	0
Funai, c	2	0	0
Kato, c	1	1	0
Takayoshi, p	1	0	0
Shimizu, p	1	0	0
Sasaki, p	3	0	0

Total 38 9 12

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Virginia Hirai	135
Edna Hirabayashi	135
Pat Hidaka	134
Rose Young	134
Kay Yokoyama	133
Sue Lew	131

High Scores (Scratch)

HIGH FOR WEEK:

Individual Game	Jean Numoto 177
Individual Series	Jean Terao 174
Team Game	Aki Fujino 454
Team Series	Sluggie Fujino 454
	Bowlerettes 753
	Bowlerettes 726
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HIGH FOR SEASON

Individual Game	Miya Fukuyama 193
Individual Series	Miya Ishikawa 183
Team Game	Miya Fukuyama 483
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Valley Crushes Ashuras, 11-8

Speedballer Joe Asahara hurtled Valley to its first victory in the Northwest Times Baseball League last Sunday by defeating the Lotus Ashuras, 11 to 8, at Garfield playfield.

The boys from the valley took advantage of four walks in the sixth to clinch the battle. Pitcher Joe was given good hitting support from brother John who smacked the apple for two triples and a single.

Kiyo Okada walloped a four-bagger in the third when Valley racked up three runs.

Isao Nishimura and Tak Yagi both with a triple and a single apiece led the Ashura batsmen. Yosh Shinoda of Ashuras also came through with two hits.

The running score follows:

	R	H
Valley	203 303—11	11
Lotus Ashuras	20J 402—8	9

Batteries: Joe Asahara and Yaguchi; N. Shimizu. Uchida, N. Shimizu and Shinoda.

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Eastern Fuel Wins One, 9-3

After two tough losses, Eastern Fuel finally posted a victory in the Northwest Times Baseball League last Sunday. The fuelers blitzed an improving Clippers, 9 to 3, at Jefferson park.

George Iwasaki with a circuit blow and a single, and George Hori with three one-basers led the winners at the plate. Left fielder Calvin Chinn of Clippers slammed out a double and a single.

The running score follows:

	R	H
Eastern Fuel	107 001 x—9	10
Clippers	110 100 0—3	6
Batteries: D. Mar and R. Wong.		
R. Soo; Fujimoto and Mano, Tsu- bahara.		

Batteries: D. Mar and R. Wong, R. Soo; Fujimoto and Mano, Tsubahara.

To rule self and subdue our passions is the more praiseworthy because so few know how to do it.
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Lotus Ashuras	2	0	1.000
Valley	1	1	.500
Eastern Fuel	1	1	.500
Merchants	1	2	.333
Clippers	0	3	.000

(Memorial Day)

FRIDAY, MAY 30

At Garfield No. 1

2 p.m.—Lotus M.'s vs. Travelers.

At Jefferson

2 p.m.—Clippers vs. Lotus Ashuras

At Washington Park

2 p.m.—Valley vs. Eastern Fuel

SUNDAY, JUNE 1

At Brighton

2 p.m.—Eastern Fuel vs. Merchants

At South Park

2 p.m.—Lotus Ashuras vs. Lotus Mercury

No field set as yet for Traveler Valley game which will be played on a Valley field.

Kajikawa Coaches Girl Softballers

PHOENIX, Ariz., May 27—Bill Kajikawa, manager of the Park-N-Shop girls' team, helped make local softball history when he took his team by plane to Guaymas, Mexico, for two exhibition games recently with another Arizona girls' team, the A-1 Queens.

Kajikawa, backfield football coach at Arizona State college at Tempe, also has been varsity baseball coach. He is considered one of the top softball players in the state.

The manner of giving shows the character of the giver, more than the gift itself.—Lavater.



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Travelers Trounce Merchants, 19-8

Overcoming a 8-1 lead the undefeated Travelers walloped South End Merchants 19-8 last Sunday in a Northwest Times Baseball League game at Columbia.

Third sacker Kenny Kawaguchi of Travelers displayed some of his pre-war hitting power by powdering the ball for a double and three singles. "Pancheo" Nakashima, the portlander, replaced Saibo Fuji on the mound to stop the Merchants cold after the third inning.

Mas Watanabe led the Merchant sluggers with three hits. Bill Yanagimachi of Merchants poked out a four-ply hit in the second inning.

The running score follows:

Real glory springs from the silent conquest of ourselves.—Without that, the conqueror is nothing but the foolish slave.

Batteries: S. Fujii, Nakashima and J. Kawaguchi; Yanagimachi, Ogishima, and J. Fujii, Yanagimachi.

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Mr. Tosh Nishimura left for Chicago last week.

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Hawaiian Cops GI Ring Crown

TOKYO, May 27—Arthur Ogata of Honolulu won the 112-pound division championship in the All-Japan GI boxing tournament held recently in Yokohama by outpointing James Cooper of Philadelphia, Pa. in the final round.

Church Notices

BAPTIST
9:30 a. m. Sunday School.
11 a. m.—Nisel worship service.
7:30 p. m.—BYF.

MARYKNOLL
9 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.—Low Mass.
Benediction will be held following 10:30 Mass.

NICHIREN
11 a. m.—Young People.
2 p. m.—Japanese Service.

BUDDHIST
10:00 a. m.—Kindergarten Classes.
11:00 a. m.—Young People's Service.

ST. PETER'S
11 a. m.—Sunday School.
11 a. m.—Morning worship service.

METHODIST
9:45 a. m.—Church service.
10:00 a. m.—Issei service.

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Nisei Pugilists Score Hit With Aloha Garb in Scotland

GLASGOW, Scotland, May 27—Four young fighters, managed by a Nisei from Honolulu, Sad Sam Ichinose, have made a big hit with Scottish sports fans since their arrival here two weeks ago.

Star of the Ichinose fight stable is Dado Marino, who will meet Scotland's Jackie Paterson at Hampden park, Glasgow, on June 1, in a bout at which Paterson's world flyweight championship will be at stake. A crowd of from 40,000 to 60,000 is expected to witness the fight.

Also in the Ichinose entourage are three of Hawaii's brightest fight prospects, Robert Takeshita, Baldwin Okamoto and Tommy Blodin.

Takeshita, winner of 15 straight fights as a professional since he won the National AAU welterweight championship at Boston in 1946, will be fighting his first pro bout outside of Hawaii when he appears on the Marino-Paterson card. He is considered a possible contender for Ray Robinson's world welterweight title when he gets more seasoning.

Okamoto was runner-up in the National AAU tournament in 1946 in the bantamweight division and recently turned professional under Ichinose's guidance.

Marino and his stablemates have set up headquarters at the Bull Inn at Renton a village which is within sight of "bonny, bonny banks of Loch Lomond," and about 17 miles from the center of Glasgow.

The local kids have taken the fighters to their hearts and boys and girls follow Marino and the

Lotus Notices

Lotus basketball players who still have their uniforms are asked to turn them in immediately to the Buddhist church.

Money derived from the sale of the carnival-bazaar tickets must be given to Aiko Kusakabe.

Men of courage, men of sense, men of letters are frequently; but a true gentleman is what one seldom sees.—Steale.

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Additional information may be obtained from the Northwest Times.

other fighters everywhere.

The bright-colored aloha shirts worn by Marino, Takeshita, Okamoto and Blodin have started a fashion craze which is sweeping the lowlands and highlands.

Ichinose is worried about the change in climate for his fighters who have been shivering in the cool Scottish weather, which is a considerable change from the warm sun of Hawaii.

'From Scorebook'

For a League-of-Nations team that did pretty well for itself, we give you the Immaculate School team, winner of the South Section title in the Parochial (Grade School) Baseball League:

Charlie Chihara, Johnny Boise, Mike O'Brien, Jerry Laigo, Jimmy Matsudaira, Jim Rushberg, Bill Michaud, Clifford Kays, Jerry Allen, Dave Dorgan, Tommy Roselli and Jerry Kane.

—From The Scorebook, Seattle Times

4 Nisei Invited To Boxing Meet

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., May 27—Four of Hawaii's top Nisei amateur boxers will be among the seven members of the "49th State Athletic Association" team which will meet the Bay Area All-Stars in San Francisco on May 29.

Among the visiting Hawaiian boxers will be flyweight Mokey Hanagami, runner-up in the 1947 National AAU tournament; featherweight Mamoru Hiroya, welterweight Ken Ogittani and bantamweight Robert Morisato.

Baptist Schedules May 30 Outing

Japanese Baptist church is sponsoring a Memorial Day outing at Camp Comfort on the southern shores of Cottage Lake.

The route to Camp Comfort: take the Bothell highway through Bothell, through Woodinville, then take the Duval road out of Woodinville and follow signs along the way.

Everyone is asked to bring his own lunch. Refreshments will be served.

Swimming, hiking, games, boating, loafing and Christian fellowship will be highlights of the day. Adults will be charged thirty cents and children, fifteen cents. Tickets can be obtained from any Baptist member. Everyone must buy a ticket ahead of time or phone in his reservation to the Rev. E. Andrews (EAst 5256) or Tak Yokoyama (EAst 7713).

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Amputee Drives To California

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27—Wilson Makabe became the first Nisei in Washington, D. C. area to own an automobile under the federal plan making specially-equipped cars available for amputee veterans. His car is a 1947 Ford.

Makabe, who lost his right leg in Italy, left last week with a friend for the cross-continent trip to his home in Loomis, Calif. He plans to enter Placer Junior college, and expects to return East to complete his last two years of study.

Passes Measure Banning Bias

HONOLULU, T. H., May 27—The Hawaii House of representatives unanimously approved, expressing unanimous approval, to remove all racial barriers for aliens seeking naturalization as United States citizens.

The House joint resolution 3 which memorializes Congress to enact a law which removes race restrictions from naturalization was adopted, 28 to 0.

The Senate joint resolution 6 which extends the right of naturalization to loyal persons whose sons and daughters served in World War II was approved by a vote of 29 to 0.

Sets May 24 'Flanagan Day'

TOKYO, May 27—Nippon Professional Baseball League has decided to name May 24 "Father Flanagan Day" and will annually stage a baseball game to promote juvenile welfare.

The decision was announced by Sotaro Suzuki, vice president of the league, after Father Edward J. Flanagan of Boys Town, Neb., attended the ball game here Saturday. He addressed the audience and said baseball is destined to serve as a powerful medium for the promotion of democracy in Japan.

The ball game was attended by 15,000 spectators, two-thirds of whom were children who had been admitted free because Father Flanagan was attending.

Shadows of Profanity Hill

HERE'S...

an incident, told by a Nisei girl, which calls for a chuckle.

A gray-haired—and rather on the fat side—woman chased after a middle-aged man for a fourth of a block in downtown Seattle the other afternoon.

Just as he was ready to hop aboard the bus, she presented him with a flower—a poppy.

The man turned patriot. He rose to the occasion and handed her a buz token. Then quickly realizing his faux pas he fished out a few cents out of his pocket.

The deal completed, the woman smiled victoriously, leaving the man intoxicated with a patriotic sensation.

All the patriot said was: "Boy, the Vets certainly must want their poppy sale to go over."

For those who tuned in late, here is a brief summary of "The Mad Dash to Sell Poppy" or "Who Said Grandma Can't Run?"

Woman: One run, one sale, no error.

Man: one run, one purchase, one error (the token!).

A token of victory, we'd say.

PURELY... big-town talk: the producers of our daily bread (and they will be done) are plotting a strike here; they want more "dough," our informer says...

Chinese and Japanese Americans turned out in great numbers on the beaches over the week-end when the sun put the heat on the town... colored vets, back from the Pacific, usually try their knowledge of the Japanese language on local cafe waitresses, but some of their efforts are stuttering, indeed...

this column's "Wall Street" journalist comes in with the data that Lotus "broke even" in its carnival-bazaar; this column's "Walter Winchell," on the other hand, flashes us that Lotus gained good-will at the festivities...

THIS... week's question: Where were you this time of the year five years ago?

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National DAR Reaffirms Policy Of 'White Artists Only' in Hall

Washington, D.C., May 27—The National Society, Daughters of the American Revolution, last week endorsed a resolution supporting the United Nations and reaffirmed its policy of renting Constitution Hall to white artists only.

In her annual report to some 4,500 delegates to the society's conclave, Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, revealed the society's official decision to continue its policy of renting Constitution Hall to white artists only.

"By a vote of the society's national board of management," she said, "the administration of Constitution Hall, cultural center of the district, remains unchanged." The hall has been a storm center of national controversy since Marian Anderson was barred from giving a performance there in 1939.

Mrs. Talmadge refused to define the policy at the hall but pointed out that "everybody knows what it is."

'The Best Sellers'

A best-seller list compiled from reports by leading book stores throughout the nation follows:

FICTION

1. Gentleman's Agreement, By Laura Z. Hobson. (Simon & Schuster).

2. The Wayward Bus, By John Steinbeck. (Viking).

3. The Chequer Board, By Nevil Shute. (Morrow).

4. The Miracle of the Bells, By Russell Janney. (Prentice-Hall).

5. Lydia Bailey, By Kenneth Roberts. (Doubleday).

6. B. F.'s Daughter, By John P. Marquand. (Little Brown).

NON-FICTION

1. Peace of Mind, By Joshua Loth Liebman. (Simon & Schuster).

2. Human Destiny, (By LeComte du Nouy. (Longmans Green).

3. A Study of History, By Arnold J. Toynbee. (Oxford).

4. Behind the Silken Curtain, By Bartley C. Crum. (Simon & Schuster).

5. Christ Stopped at Eboli, By Carlo Levi. (Farrar, Straus).

6. An Essay on Morals, By Philip Wylie. (Rinehart).

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