

N. W. Times Readers Come Through During Yule Toy Drive Collection

Rev. Oda, Our Santa, Needs More Help In His Shop

Northwest Times readers really came through last week as the collection phase of the Northwest Times-Jackson St. Council toy campaign came to a close. Phone calls came in from everywhere and kept Mrs. Henry Johnson, 347 24th Avenue, and Mrs. Mae Poletto, 613 1/2 Jackson Street, the two people who have done most on toy pick-up, very busy. The deadline for receiving used toys for distribution this Christmas was reached on December 8. Any contributors who neglected to turn in their used or broken toys before that date, however, may still call EL 4560 and toys will be picked up as a start toward next year's campaign.

The pressure this week is on Rev. B. H. Oda, minister of the Nichiren Buddhist Church, 1042 Weller, who almost singlehandedly, is acting as Santa Claus' helper in making the trains, wagons, tricycles, doll furniture and pull toys like new before December 18 when they must be ready for distribution.

Santa Claus' helper needs more help! And he needs it this week between now and December 18, when his workshop will be in operation every day at any hour of the day or night. Help is needed in sanding and painting, particularly, but there are jobs to fit almost any individual's skill or lack of it! Any one, man or woman, boy or girl, 14 years old or over, will be welcomed at the toy repair shop, 1042 Weller (Continued on Page 2)

American Group To Fete DP's

The Americanization Bureau of Seattle Organizations will celebrate with a Christmas party at 1 p.m., Monday, Dec. 18, in Room 13 of the YWCA. Special invitations are being sent to some Displaced Persons' families that have children. Mrs. Lawrence E. Powers is chairman of this affair.

The singing of Christmas carols will be led by Mrs. Woodbury Abbey, who is in charge of the Bureau's English conversation classes for prospective citizens.

Piano music will be provided by Mrs. A. K. Westland, whose husband is the head of the Canadian Customs at the border on the Pacific Highway.

Ex-Seattle Girl In College Play

NEW YORK, N. Y., Dec. 13—Eileen Yaeko Nakamura, Sansel ex-Seattleite, will play the title role in a forthcoming Hunter College production of an adaptation of the famous classical Greek tragedy, "Antigone," the school's Theater Workshop announced this week.

A senior majoring in speech and drama, Miss Nakamura last year won wide acclaim for producing and directing a student performance of a Kabuki play in English. Two extra performances were given at the request of Hunter College president George Shuster.

Miss Nakamura is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tura Nakamura. Following her graduation in February, Miss Nakamura plans to attend the Yale Graduate School of Drama.

The "Antigone" for which she is now rehearsing is a modern version written by Lewis Galentiere and based on Jean Anouilh's French adaptation of the original by Sophocles.

Retiring officers are president, Zenji Shibayama; vice president, Art Koura; secretary-treasurer, Michi Shibayama; and historian, Matsue Nishimori.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT
Dr. K. Harada, who has his dental offices at 306 12th Ave. So., wishes to thank his many friends for their kindness during his recent illness.

He will resume his practice sometime in mid-January.

MRS. UNO TELLS OFFICE SEEKERS FOR JACL UNIT

Others to be Named At Chapter Meet On Dec. 20

Mrs. Shigeko Uno, chairman of the nominating committee, today announced the list of candidates for offices in the Seattle chapter of the Japanese American Citizens' league as follows:

FOR PRESIDENT—Harry I. Takagi, Toru Sakahara and James Matsuo.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT—(three highest to be first, second and third respectively)—Kaz Kimura, Takako Yoda, Terrance Toda, Ken Nogaki, Min Tsubota, Kay Yamaguchi, Grant Beppu, Mae Natori, Art Susumi, Hiro Nishimura, Kiyoko Tada and Dr. Frank Kanemori.

FOR CORRESPONDING SECRETARY—Elizabeth Shoji and Yoshiko Nakatsu.

FOR RECORDING SECRETARY—Fudge Sakanashi, Betty Noji and May Tsutsumoto.

FOR TREASURER—Mits Kashiwagi, Bob Ikeda and Yosh Imanishi.

This list was settled at Mrs. Uno's committee meeting last Sunday in Mac Kaneko's residence. Attending, besides the chairman and Kaneko, were Jim Matsuo, Fudge Sakanashi, Min Tsubota, Kay Yamaguchi and Jason Sonoda.

The nominating body recommended that each of the three vice presidents be given specific duties at the beginning of the year by the new president. It was suggested that one should be in charge of the membership campaign and still another of social activities.

All candidates have been personally notified by letter of their nominations and are requested to appear at the chapter meeting at 8 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 20, in the Buddhist dining room at which time they will be introduced to the members. Candidates desiring to withdraw their candidacies are requested to present their reasons at this general assembly.

Additional nominees will be accepted from the floor at the Dec. 20 session.

The nominating group, it was understood, expressed its hope that the candidates would accept in the spirit in which their names were selected.

Harry I. Takagi, president, linked 1951 as a banner year for JACL and Seattle, especially since "we need a strong membership to put over the '51 Northwest district convention for which plans are already being formulated."

The membership drive, Takagi added, will commence immediately after the meeting on Dec. 20. Membership dues will be accepted then, he said.

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and
"RANGE BEYOND THE BLUE"

Tuesday, Dec. 19
"CROSSED TRAILS"
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"HIS GIRL FRIDAY"

House Approves Walter Measure

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13 (ADC)—The House approved last Tuesday, Dec. 7, by unanimous voice the Walter Naturalization bill to eliminate race in naturalization. The bill now goes to the Senate.

The vote on the bill, whose chief effect will be to permit some 85,000 Japanese immigrants to seek citizenship, came nine years to the day after Pearl Harbor. This prompted Mike Masaoka, national JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee legislative director, to call attention to the "great change of sentiment in this nation towards its loyal Japanese and other Asian immigrants."

Action on the bill took perhaps less than five minutes. There was no debate. Rep. Francis E. Walter, (D., Penn.), arose to explain the bill. The Speaker then announced no opposition to the bill's passage. Thus, it won, for the fifth time, approval by the House of the 81st Congress.

War I Vet's Son Will Join Army

FRESNO, Calif., Dec. 13—Johnny Yama Yamaguchi who is due to be inducted in the army this week is the son of George Yamaguchi of Sanger, a Nisei World War I veteran. His brother Jimmy, now attending Fresno State college, served in the army during World War II.

The prospective GI has been a popular Sansel cashier at a local Bank of America office.

WAR CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13 (ADC)—The Department of Defense today announced the following:

Killed in Action—Private First Class Richard Mitsuo Watanabe, son of Albert S. Watanabe, 2871 A Kuhio Avenue, Honolulu, T. H.

Missing in Action—Sergeant Mitsuo Uemura, son of Mrs. Sawano Uemura, 195 East Kawilani St., Hilo, Hawaii.

Wounded—Private First Class Shizuo Motoyama, son of Ben T. Motoyama, Route 3, Box 67, Lodi, Calif.

Observation more than books, experience rather than persons, are the prime educators.—A. B. Alcott.

TIME DELAYS PASSAGE OF WALTER BILL

Congressmen Plan To Wind up Work About Dec. 22

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13 (ADC)—Time is the big problem facing the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee in its drive for passage of the Walter Naturalization bill during the "lame duck" session of Congress.

No date has yet been set for adjournment, but the consensus is the 81st Congress may attempt to clean up its work and go home around December 22, two weeks from today.

This raises the question: Is there time for the Senate to act on the Walter bill which passed the House unanimously last week?

Mike Masaoka, national JACL ADC legislative director, said today that prospects are none too good the Senate will complete action on the bill before adjournment.

The bill was referred by the Senate today to the Judiciary Committee. The committee is expected to endorse the bill when it meets, although no session of the Judiciary has yet been called for next week. If it does not meet next week, then Masaoka said chances of passage of the Walter Naturalization legislation will "really be slim."

The House approved the bill without a word of opposition, though earlier when sponsors of the measure attempted to get it through by unanimous consent, Rep. Rankin, (D. Miss.), objected. The House was prepared to vote on the bill, but a formal vote was not necessary.

Since there was no opposition, the speaker simply ruled the bill had passed.

Rep. John E. Lyle Jr., (D., Texas), called up the bill for the House Rules Committee, and explained briefly its purpose to "remove the racial restrictions on the naturalization of aliens who have legal right to permanent residence in the United States."

Rep. Adolph J. Sabath, (D., Ill.), commented that similar laws have been passed in the last two years, and added: "This is in line with legislation the House has adopted

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Civic Unity Body Presents Top Award To Gen. Stevens of State Guard

3 Nisei Attend D. C. Parley

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13 (ADC)—Three mainland Nisei delegates attended the Mid-Century White House Conference on Children and Youth, the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee said today.

They are: William Mimbu, Seattle, Wash.; Bill Muramatsu, San Francisco, and Henry Fuji, Nampa, Idaho.

Mimbu, an attorney and active JACLer from Seattle, has been a member of the Washington State Committee for Children and Youth for the past year. He was the second Nisei in America appointed to serve on such a State group. He was appointed by Gov. Arthur B. Langlie last year.

Fuji was appointed to the Idaho group by Gov. C. A. Robbins from the Boise Valley JACL.

Post Office Hires Monterey Nisei

MONTEREY, Calif., Dec. 13—William Tanaka, Monterey Nisei, is now employed in the local post office and is the first Japanese American to gain a local postal position, and the second on a civil service basis.

The other civil service Nisei is Mrs. Mike Higashi who is employed in the local offices of the state employment bureau.

The aim of education should be to teach us rather how to think, than what to think—rather to improve our minds, so as to enable us to think for ourselves, than to load the memory with the thoughts of other men.—Beattie.

JACL CALLS ATTENTION TO BIAS ON FHA HOMES FOR VETERANS

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Dec. 13—"Are Japanese American veterans ineligible to enjoy the benefits of FHA-financed homes for veterans?" was the query recently put to Tighe E. Woods, Housing Expediter in Washington, D. C., by the Los Angeles JACL Regional Office.

This question was followed by a summation of instances where applications by Nisei veterans, in response to newspaper ads of new "homes for GIs", had been politely and often curtly turned down, unquestionably on racial grounds.

In reply, Woods made no direct reference to the racial element involved in such discrimination, but pointed out that the problem would not fall within the jurisdiction of his agency unless "a builder disposes of the property to a non-veteran in preference to a veteran during construction and a thirty-

End of Racial Bias Cited by Helsell At Dinner

By IRENE B. MILLER
More than three hundred persons attended the Civic Unity sixth anniversary dinner at the Chamber of Commerce last Thursday evening to hear George H. Greenwood of Del Mar, California, pass president of the Pacific National Bank in Seattle and first chairman of the Civic Unity Committee, speak on "Civic Unity and the Individual".

One of the highlights of the occasion was the annual presentation of awards to individuals and organizations who have had the courage to make a specific contribution towards making Seattle a more democratic city.

Frank P. Helsell, president of the Civic Unity Committee, made the presentation and the top award went to General Lilburn H. Stevens of the Washington State National Guard for his important contribution. In presenting the award, Helsell said:

"You will recall the report of the President's Committee on Civil Rights which was headed by Charles E. Wilson, President of General Electric. One of the important recommendations of the committee was that an immediate end be put to discrimination and segregation based on race, color or creed in all branches of the armed forces. The committee said in part:

"The injustice of calling men to fight for freedom while subjecting them to humiliating discrimination within the fighting forces is at once apparent. Furthermore, by preventing entire groups from making their maximum contribution to the national defense, we weaken our defense to that extent and impose heavier burdens on the remainder of the population."

"The report calls specific attention to the fact that the National (Continued on Page Two)

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FORT LINCOLN CEMETERY DECIDES TO ADOPT SEGREGATION POLICY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 13 (AP)—The Fort Lincoln cemetery, one of Washington's largest, today revealed it has adopted a segregation policy barring the burial of any more persons of Asian ancestry within its sacrosanct borders.

The cemetery, a private corporation, quietly made the change in its burial policies "about two, or maybe four years ago," but it only came to light with the death here of Kumio Nose, 77, formerly a dental technician in Los Angeles.

His son, Akira Nose, a government employee and army veteran, asked the funeral home handling burial arrangements to secure a plot for his father in Fort Lincoln cemetery, where two other Issei were buried in 1947.

Only when the cemetery refused to accept the body for burial was its new discriminatory policy revealed. The family hastily made arrangements to have the burial in Cedar Hill cemetery in nearby Suitland, Md.

The action of the cemetery prompted Mike Masaoka, national JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee legislative director, to send a protest to the cemetery corporation for its "brutal disregard of human feelings and anti-Christian attitude."

The Washington JACL chapter has organized a special committee to investigate the actions of the cemetery. On the committee are Jack Hirose, national JACL Arlington Cemetery Committee chairman, and Henry Goshio, chapter president.

Hirose said he understood the Fort Lincoln cemetery is "probably the only one" in the entire Washington area to discriminate against persons of Asian ancestry.

Asked about the cemetery's policies, L. O. Minear, president and treasurer of the Capitol Cemetery Co., which owns and operates Fort Lincoln, said the plan to bar persons of Oriental ancestry was adopted between two and four years ago. He was not sure of the date.

He said the exclusion ban was approved "by the board" because of "some objections about Chinese buried here."

Minear did not specify who proposed the ban, nor if plot owners in Fort Lincoln were ever polled to determine their wish in the matter.

Minear said until the new exclusion regulation, all persons except those of Negro ancestry could purchase burial sites in the cemetery, and added there were a number of Chinese, several American Indians and at least one Filipino, in addition to at least two Japanese, buried in the cemetery.

He said if a family of Asian ancestry owned a plot in the cemetery, it could use any remaining space for burials. But he emphasized no new plots would be sold to them.

Asked if this applied in case of a widow, for example, who wished to purchase a plot alongside her husband, he said "yes." He said he did not know if any families would

be separated after death because of the cemetery policy.

It was pointed out to Minear that as recently as three years ago several families of Japanese ancestry in Washington were approached by representatives of the cemetery and urged to purchase lots in Fort Lincoln. "That," he replied, "was before our new policy."

He admitted, however, no effort was made to announce publicly the change in burial policies at Fort Lincoln, thus saving families of Asian ancestry the embarrassment and shame, such as resulted to the Nose's, in suddenly discovering the bodies of their loved ones rejected for burial at a time of bereavement.

Meantime, the Consistory of the First Evangelical and Reformed Church of Washington, with which is affiliated a Japanese Fellowship group, unanimously approved a letter of protest to the Fort Lincoln cemetery.

The Consistory's letter to Fort Lincoln asked for an explanation of this policy of discrimination.

The Rev. F. Nelson Schlager, church minister, said he also has called the attention of the Social Welfare Section of the Washington Federation of Churches to the incident, and has asked the Washington Federation, itself, to investigate the cemetery's policies.

The Washington Ministerium, an organization of Protestant church clergymen, said it, too, will investigate the matter.

Ther Rev. C. C. Hung, of the Chinese Community Church, said at one time a special plot was owned by a group of Chinese in Fort Lincoln cemetery, but it was his understanding the burial sites were used up several years ago. Most Chinese dead now are buried in the Washington Memorial cemetery.

The Rev. Hung said his church hopes to have a meeting next week and discuss the Fort Lincoln cemetery incident. He added that he had not heard of the cemetery ban on persons of Asian ancestry until the Nose case was brought to his attention.

The Fort Lincoln cemetery adjoins the District of Columbia along its northeastern boundary. It is a physically beautiful cemetery, covering the long reaches of a rising hill.

Still visible within the cemetery are ancient breastworks hastily erected by U. S. Marines during the war of 1812 when the British were marching upon the capitol. The last defense stand of American troops before the Redcoats swept into the District was made at Fort Lincoln.

During the Civil War a fort, itself, was erected at the site as one of the strong points in a perimeter defense system about the capitol.

But the historic background of Fort Lincoln, so closely associated with the struggles of this nation to preserve democracy, somehow seems a little shabby today.

To possess money is very well; it may be a most valuable servant; to be possessed by it, is to be possessed by a devil, and one of the meanest and worst kind of devils. —Tryon

TIME DELAYS PASSAGE OF WALTER BILL

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heretofore for other nationals, mostly for the boys who have fought on the other side and for the parents of those who did not return."

Rep. E. E. Cox, (D., Ga.), asked Rep. Lyle if there was any "opposition on either side of the aisle to this bill?"

"No. I know of none," he replied. Rep. Francis E. Walter, (D., Penn.) spoke briefly for the bill pointing out its principal application is "to people born in Japan who have been lawfully admitted to the United States before the 1st of July, 1924. Many of them are parents of native-born United States citizens who served in the armed forces. We are all familiar with the magnificent record of the 442nd (regimental) combat team composed of the sons of the people who could become American citizens under this legislation."

"On three occasions the substance of this bill passed the House. The former measure, H.J. Res. 238 was vetoed because of a section relating to security measures. This section has become a part of the Internal Security Act of 1950.

"The basic principle of this bill has been unanimously regarded as sound public policy, and the present situation in Asia makes it truly imperative to have it enacted into law."

Rep. Gordon L. McDonough (R., Calif.), later said it was his "hope that the Senate will also speedily approve this bill without delay to provide the right to citizenship for the aliens who will come under its provisions and clear the way for the fathers and mothers of American-born Japanese and Koreans who fought valiantly for the United States in World War II."

A group of Representatives was prepared to speak in behalf of the bill in case of debate. None did because this was not necessary. But among those standing by to support the measure were: Ed Gossett, (D., Texas); Sidney R. Yates, (D., Ill.); George P. Miller, (D., Calif.); Sabath; Louis E. Graham, (R., Penn.); Herman P. Eberharter, (D., Penn.); John A. Carroll, (D., Colo.); Emanuel Celler, (D., N. Y.), chairman of the House Judiciary Committee; Frank Fellows, (R., Maine); and Del Joseph R. Farrington, (R., Hawaii).

NW Times Readers Push Toy Drive

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Street, CA. 9917. There is no pay since the entire program is on a voluntary basis, but there is a great deal of satisfaction in helping some child to have a Merry Christmas as well as having fun yourself in making something look like new!

Boy Scout Troop 247 has already assisted in the repair work, as well as a boys' group and a girls' group at Yesler Terrace Community Center. Cub Pack 9 and the University Heights Gray-Y club, which have had their own projects for the repair of toys, are adding their supply to those rejuvenated in this community's campaign and will be distributed to families who are generally within this area.

Next week's issue will carry a tabulation of the results of this drive and photos of some of the toys which were repaired.

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CHRISTMAS CANTATA SET AT JBC

Folklore Christmas Cantata, to be presented from 8:30 p.m. this Sunday, Dec. 17, will be the first in a series of activities which will be held by the Japanese Baptist church during the Christmas season.

Under the directorship of Mrs. Jean Herbert, the JBC choir will feature a tableaux depicting the field scenes of the Christmas story in the cantata. Soloists with the choir are Yoshia Doi, Violet Arase, Kaz Ishimitsu and Tsugio Anzai. The public is invited to attend. A free-will offering will be taken.

The Broadway nursery school will hold a Christmas party from 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday, Dec. 20, in the nursery building. Parents and friends are invited to attend.

Bellevue's annual Christmas party will be held on Thursday, Dec. 21, in the Yakubi residence, it was announced today.

JBC Sunday School Christmas program will be held during the regular 11:15 a.m. Nisei worship service on Sunday, Dec. 24, the Rev. Emery Andrews revealed.

JBC's annual Christmas play, "The Battle Before Christmas," will be presented on Christmas night, Dec. 25. Baptist WVG's will be in charge of the play.

Myojo WVG's are to hold a workshop meeting from 7:30 p.m. this Friday, Dec. 15, Lily Todo, president, announced. Refreshments will be served.

NISEI CALENDAR

DECEMBER

13—Puget Sound Golf Club bonenkai from 6:30 p.m. in Gyokko-Ken Cafe.

16—Lotus YBA bonenkai.

17—Christmas Cantata to be presented by the Japanese Baptist Church choir from 8:30 p.m. at the JBC. Mrs. Jean Herbert, director.

20—The Broadway nursery school Christmas party from 7:30 p.m. at the nursery building.

20—Regular JACL membership meeting.

22—Japanese Methodist Church Christmas party. Entire church.

24—Japanese Methodist Church Christmas program.

25—Christmas Dance, sponsored by the Nisei Veterans Committee.

25—Annual Christmas play at the Japanese Baptist Church.

28—Skating party to be sponsored by Methodist Duzzers.

JANUARY

12-13-14—5th annual Nisei Classic in Main Bowl.

14—Northwest Nisei Classic dance.

FEBRUARY

2—"Winter Serenade", instrumental and vocal program to be sponsored by the Japanese Methodist church for the organ fund.

'THE BUDDHIST DIGEST' IS READY

The first and second issues of "The Buddhist Digest", an all-English publication of the Seattle Buddhist Church, is now ready for distribution.

This publication contains articles on Buddhism in English.

Re-elected as president of the Lotus Shoyukai recently was Teddy Tomita. His cabinet members are Terumitsu Kano, men's vice president; Mrs. Yoshito Fujii, women's vice president; Yoshikazu Furukawa, treasurer; Masako Shimada, recording secretary; Nobue Shimizu, English corresponding secretary; and Hideo Mori, Japanese corresponding secretary.

Proceeds from a Japanese movie to be sponsored by the Lotus Shoyukai on Saturday, Dec. 23, will go toward a loudspeaker for the Buddhist Church pulpit.

The movie will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the church auditorium.

Lotus Shoyukai and Sangha women and Senior Girls of the local Buddhist Church are all requested to be on hand this Friday evening and Saturday afternoon, Dec. 15 and 16, to help in the kitchen for Saturday evening's bonenkai.

Friday evening's work will begin at 8 p.m. and Saturday afternoon, 1 p.m.

At a special meeting of the Lotus

Bellamis Slate Sunday Rites

Bellamis will have a recognition service from 2 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 17, in the Japanese Methodist Church.

All parents and friends are invited to this affair, which will be followed by a fashion show and tea.

Eddie Shimomura and Bill Yorozu were unanimously elected trustees of the Seattle Japanese Methodist Church at last Sunday's Quarterly Conference. The two will fill the posts held during the war by Seth Morford and C. L. Blaine Jr.

William Mimbu is chairman of the trustees and Dr. S. Fukuda and Mako Yanagimachi are the others in the five-man board.

Director Carl Niwa of the Methodist Choir has changed the rehearsal date from Wednesday to 8 p.m. on Thursday, Dec. 14. Anthems for both the morning worship service and Christmas program will be practiced.

Any interested person is invited to join the group.

The evening of Dec. 17 has been set aside by the MYFers for play practice. Rehearsal will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the Nisei chapel.

Jeanette Unosawa is directing the play, "Christmas Trimmings," written by Marguerite Kreger Phillips. This will be presented at the Christmas program on Dec. 24.

Tak Kuriyama, chairman of the Dec. 24 Christmas program in the Methodist Church, has notified all organizations that a decorating session will be held on the evenings of Dec. 19 and 20.

MYF, Duzzers, MSG, and Nisei Dads groups will participate.

Candy to be used for the Methodist Christmas activities will be made by the Duzzers at a taffy pull from 7:30 p.m., Sunday, Dec. 17, in the church kitchen.

Jack Ichikawa, general chairman, will be assisted by Norma Tada, Emi Amabe, Dorothy Iwasaki, Ken Murakami, Tsuguo Ikeda, Calvin Machida, Willie Kawata and Tats Kumasaka.

President Ray Hikida of the Duzzers has called a cabinet meeting for this Monday, Dec. 18, at 7:30 p.m. in the church parlor. Present will be Sam Mitsui, Lloyd Omura, Amy Chikamura, adviser Tsuguo Ikeda, and past project chairmen Sumi Hara, Lloyd Hoshide and Art Yoshioka.

The meeting will be an evaluation of the past year's activities and also the planning for a better year ahead.

Senior Girls last Sunday, Mary Hanada was chosen to fill the position of treasurer of that group. This office was vacated by Amy Kuramoto's resignation.

Results of the Lotus Sangha election held last Sunday were released today as follows: president, Akio Hoshino; men's vice president, Seichi Deguchi; women's vice president, Chieko Tanemura; secretary, Masako Shimada; treasurer, Tak Katayama; and religious chairman, Tak Hori.

In appreciation of the work of the Sunday School teachers and co-workers of the Seattle Buddhist temple, a dinner will be given from 6:30 p.m. this Wednesday, Dec. 13, in Ivar's Acres of Clams.

The Rev. S. Masunaga will be m.c.

Boy Scout and Cub Scout leaders and committeemen of Troop and Pack 252 will be honored at a dinner from 6:30 p.m., Wednesday, Dec. 20, in Ivar's Acres of Clams.

A new minister, the Rev. Seiji Kobayashi, has arrived at the Seattle Buddhist temple from San Francisco, Calif. The Rev. Kobayashi will work with both the young people and Issei.

Obituary Notes in Seattle

MRS. ASAKO UYEDA

Funeral services for Mrs. Asako Uyeda, 49, of 1108 5th Ave. were held last night (Tuesday, Dec. 12) in Butterworth's Chapel of Memories with the Rev. M. Wada officiating.

Mrs. Uyeda, who died on Dec. 8, came to this country from Wakayama-ken, Japan, 28 years ago.

Surviving are her husband, Hideichi; a son, Yoneichi of Cambridge, Mass.; and two daughters, Mrs. Cora Kadota and Miss Terry Uyeda, both of Chicago.

Arrangements were made by Sumi-Butterworth.

REV. MATATORO HIRASHIMA

The Rev. Matatoro Hirashima, 77, of 1236 16th Ave. died in his residence on Saturday, Dec. 9. Born in Tokushima-ken, Japan, he had lived in this country for 45 years and was minister of the Maruyama

Church for 20 years.

Wake services are to be held from 7:30 p.m., Friday, Dec. 15, in the residence and funeral rites will be from 1 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 16, in Butterworth's Chapel of Memories. Burial will be in Lakeview Cemetery immediately after the funeral services. The Revs. Hashimoto and Nagasawa are to officiate.

Only survivor is a son, Saburo Kondo, of Portland, Ore. Arrangements were made by Sumi-Butterworth.

Army Calls 3 More

Three Japanese Americans were among fifty-seven who were summoned by Seattle draft boards for induction into the army last Friday.

They were: Board No. 2—Teruo Sugahara; Board No. 4—M. M. Uyeda, Toshio Tamura.

CIVIC UNITY GROUP MAKES AWARD TO GEN. STEVENS OF STATE GUARD

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"Up until May of this year only 12 states had banned discrimination in the National Guard. They were California, Michigan, Oregon, Minnesota, New Jersey, Connecticut, New York, Wisconsin, Illinois, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, and Pennsylvania. We are proud of the fact that on May 15 the State of Washington became the 13th state to outlaw racial segregation in its National Guard. On that date Adjutant General Lilburn H. Stevens issued the following directive:

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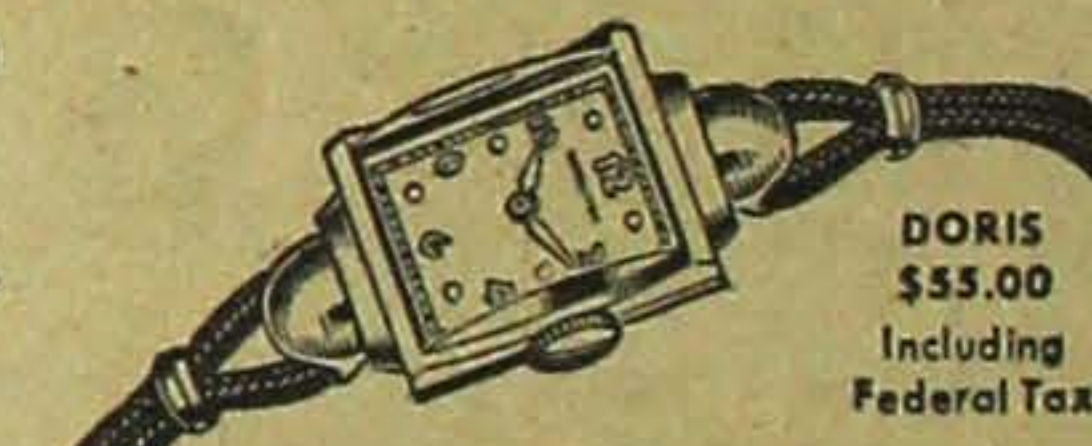
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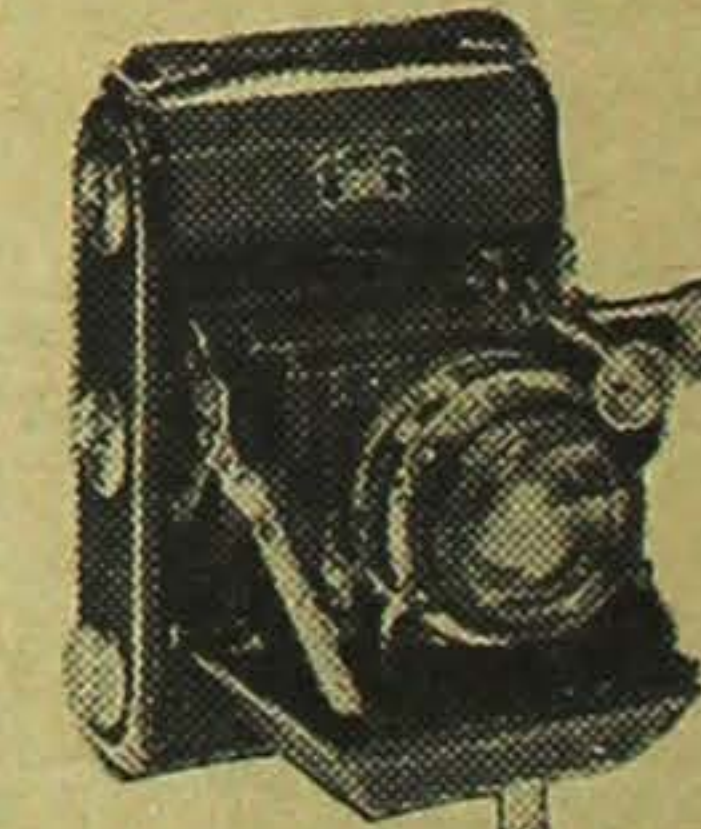
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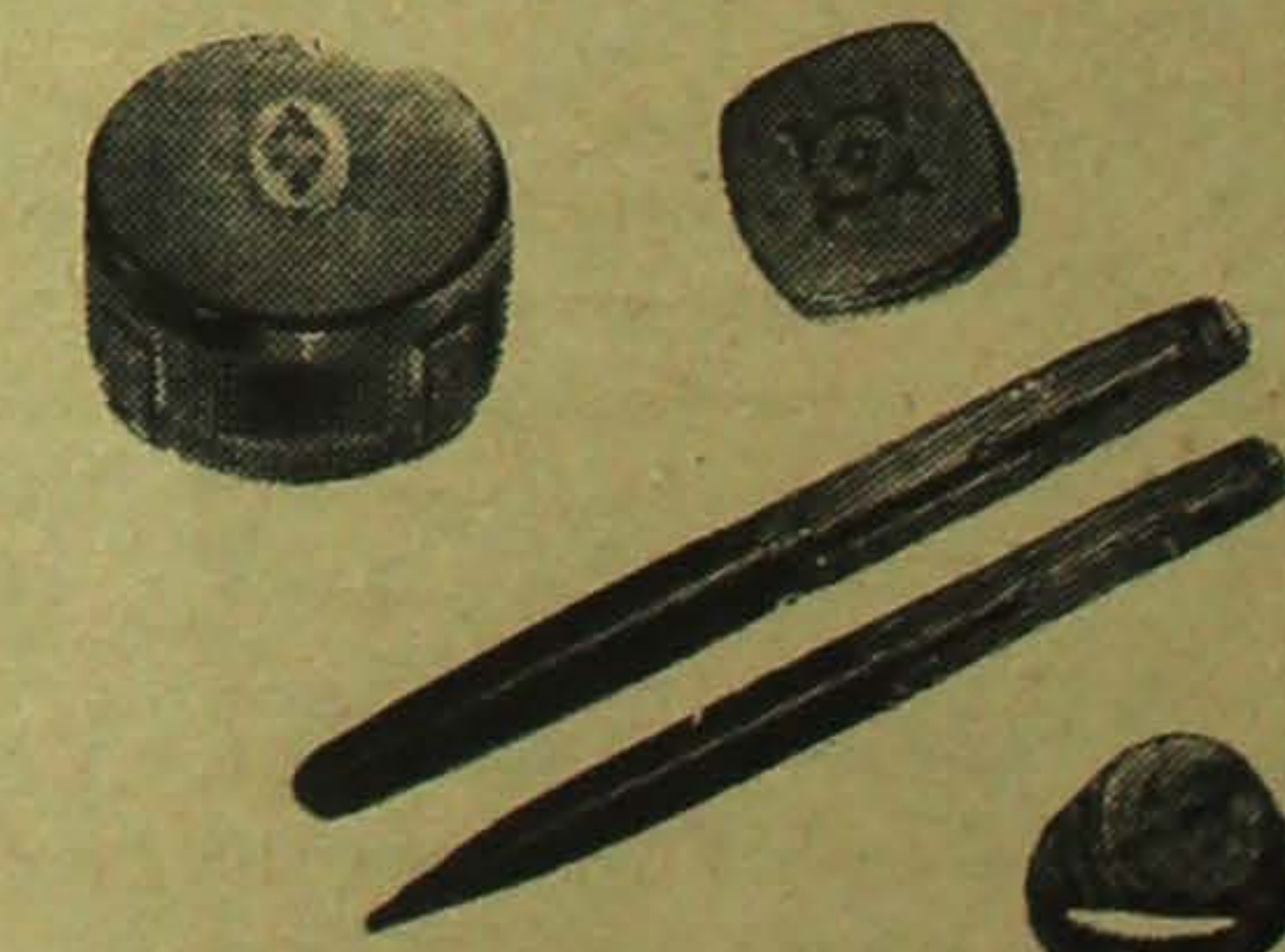
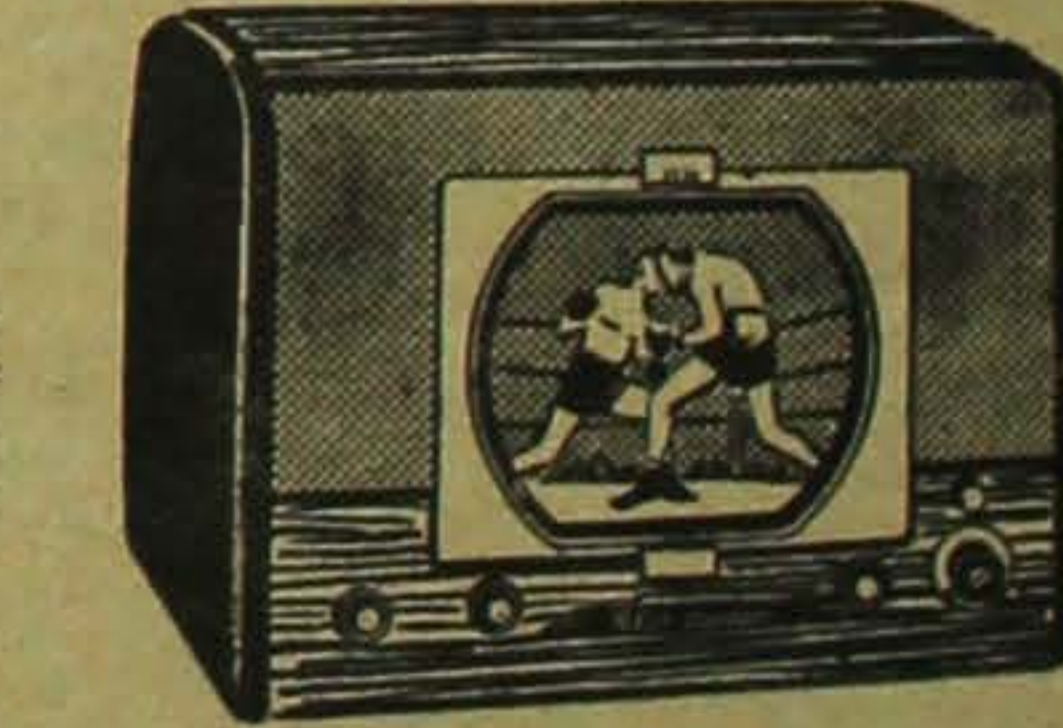
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Miss Margaret Baba, who will be Mrs. Ted Yasuda after Dec. 23 nuptials in the Japanese Methodist Church, was tendered a miscellaneous bridal shower last Saturday evening, Dec. 9, in Miss Lily Mukai's home. Hostesses were Misses Mukai, Elizabeth Shoji and Mrs. Sumio Sakaguchi.

Guests were the Mesdames Seiji Baba, Harry Koba, Kaz Shitama, George Watanabe and Ronald Yoshida; the Misses Yaye Asaba, Alice Kawanishi and Rose Yatagai.

War Hikes Goal Of Red Cross

In announcing the 1951 fundraising goal of \$617,209 for the Seattle-King County Red Cross chapter, Clark Scott, overall drive chairman, said that under the impact of war in Korea and the mushrooming civil defense program at home, Red Cross today is embarked on what may be the greatest task in its 69-year-old history.

Scott added that the chapters goal was decided upon after long and careful scrutiny of needs which must be met, and in view of the current world situation, chapter officers felt this figure of \$617,209 was the absolute minimum necessary to insure adequate Red Cross services here.

Nationally, the goal for the 1951 fund campaign, is \$85,000,000 and the national fund drive leader is Brig. General David Sarnoff, board chairman of the Radio Corporation of America. The campaign will start March 1, and continue throughout the month.



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Christmas Ship To Sail Sunday

Seattle's 1950 Christmas Ship will sail on its first cruise of Lake Washington and Puget Sound shorelines Sunday, Dec. 17, to serenade Alki, Queen Anne, and Magnolia communities.

Musicians from the Seattle Symphony Orchestra, and a caroling group of members of the Park Department Summer Opera company will provide the music for this year's program. The 106-foot yacht will be gayly lighted and carry a tall shimmering tree on the upper deck as one of the many decorations.

Highlights of the program will be: an orchestral selection from "Hansel and Gretel;" organ and vocal solos including "O, Holy Night" and "Santa Claus is Coming to Town;" and the chorus singing "White Christmas," "Jingle Bells," and favorite Christmas carols.

Cruises are scheduled nightly through Friday, Dec. 22.

Xmas Seal Drive Lags Behind

Urging everyone to buy Christmas Seals now, Morrison Campbell, Christmas Seal Sale chairman, said that the first released returns for the 1950 Christmas Seal Sale show that on the 15th day of the Sale only \$65,705 had been received toward the goal of \$173,000.

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The tulips will be sold at the central building as well as business establishments in Seattle's various districts. Each pot will have two buds and one tulip in full bloom, according to Mrs. Willard Skeel, chairman of the project. The price will be just \$1.25 plus tax.

In the University district YW volunteers will sell tulips at the A & P, 45th and Brooklyn, and the University Book Store, 4326 University Way.

Cushing's Food Center, 5440 Sand Point Way, will also have tulips on sale.

Others cooperating are the A & P stores at 13th and Madison, the Broadway and the Queen Anne shopping districts and the Montlake Food Mart, 2223 24th North. In West Seattle, they will be on sale at the H. E. Beach Drapery Company, 4225 West Alaska.

Christmas vespers will be held at the East Side YWCA Branch, 102 21st Avenue North, from 5 until 6 p.m. Sunday.

The young adults clubs of the branch are taking charge. Carols will be sung and a Christmas play will be performed. Refreshments will follow.

Tomorrow night (Thursday), the Y-Teens will hang the Christmas greens in the branch. Four Y-Teen presidents are in charge of the affair. They are Jean Fujii, Dorothy Young, Lyda Mae Hancock and Pat Williams.

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Death Terminates East-West Love

CHICAGO, Ill., Dec. 13.—Death closed the books on an East-West romance when the Japanese sweetheart of an American seaman succumbed to the ravages of consumption. This was revealed upon the receipt of a telegram from Japan to Philip Banchik of this city that death recently claimed the life of Takako Kurooka of Nagoya.

It was disclosed that Ensign Irving Banchik, who is now living in Portland, Oregon, met Miss Kurooka while serving in Japan. The Japanese miss was serving as an interpreter in the war crime trials when she became ill of tuberculosis. A graduate of an American missionary college, Miss Kurooka taught school for a short period.

Although Ensign Banchik liked the Japanese girl very much, he explained that marriage was impossible. When she became ill, the seaman got his father to send her food packages and drugs. In December, 1948, Banchik sent a package containing \$600 worth of streptomycin, an anti-tuberculosis drug, but it was seized at the army post office in Nagoya because the customs regulations were violated. The father estimated that thousands of dollars had been spent in food and drugs.

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Do the red jackets of your apples burst and slip off during the baking period? Try one of these techniques for beauty's sake. Peel one-half inch of skin from the very top of the apple around the cored-out end, or, with a paring knife, pierce the skin in several places above and below the largest diameter of the apple. Be sure to check your oven temperature. This will help to prevent too rapid formation of steam and bursting of the apple jacket.

Apple pie with cheese, America's all-time favorite dessert, is at its best with Washington Winesap apples. Add one-half cup cheddar cheese to the dry ingredients as you prepare your pie crust, for a quick and different way of serving this dessert combination. Apples, pre-cooked three to five minutes, will, when added to the pastry shell, give a well-finished pie.

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