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CANADA CURBS ON JAPANESE TO CONTINUE

OTTAWA, Canada, April 3 (New Canadian Dispatch)—Federal restrictions of Japanese Canadians—which prohibit them from moving freely into the Pacific coast areas, or going into the fishing industry in British Columbia—will be continued until April 1, 1949, but they will be ended definitely at that time.

The government recently revealed in the House of Commons that it was seeking Parliament's permission to continue 27 wartime orders under another year's extension of the Transitional Measures Act. The two orders affecting the Japanese were included.

A CCF motion, on March 15, to force the ending of the Japanese controls on March 31 this year was defeated by a standing vote 75 to 23.

Labor Minister Humphrey Mitchell disclosed a slight easing in movement controls—those now in B. C. will be permitted to move about freely except into the 100-mile protected area (according to a Toronto newspaper).

Those living outside B. C. will still need permits to enter British Columbia; all Japanese will be required to have permits to enter the coastal strip. Movement restrictions outside B. C. were ended last spring.

Mr. Mitchell told the Commons that powers to control Japanese movement were necessary to assure the success of efforts to disperse them across the country. He emphasized repeatedly, however, that the movement control would not be carried on after April 1, 1949.

Sharp attacks against the control measures came from David Croll, Liberal member for Toronto, and CCF members Angus MacInnis (Vancouver East) and Ross Thatcher (Moose Jaw).

"Our treatment of Canadians of Japanese ancestry was wrong in principle and demeaning in application, not only to the Japanese but to ourselves," Croll declared. Speaking as a war veteran, he said: "I hang my head in shame before my comrades-in-arms of Japanese ancestry." As a member of the House, he could neither forgive nor justify the wrong that had been done to blameless people.

Speaking as a Jewish Canadian, he declared: "As a member of a minority race I say to the minority people, be ever on your guard. It is my sincere hope that Canada will never again be guilty of official discrimination against my race or creed because liberty is indivisible."

The only thing to be said for the bill, said Croll, was that it promised at long last to end the discrimination April 1, 1949.

Thatcher, who introduced the unsuccessful CCF amendment to end the movement control on April 1 of this year, said that "intolerance and racial discrimination" were the sole reasons for the continuation of the controls. The Japanese Canadians had not committed any crime, yet "they are denied the privileges of Canadian citizenship solely because their skins are yellow."

Thatcher referred to those still lodged at the air force building in Moose Jaw, and compared the government action there to that of a police state.

Mitchell defended the relocation policy as having been humanely (Continued on Page Four)

Recently the Signal Corps of the U. S. Army developed methods of making artificial snow in depths of three to four inches.

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House Gets Few More Measures To Aid 3 Japanese Aliens

Canada to Spend \$325,000 on Japanese Work

OTTAWA, Canada, April 3—The sum of \$325,000 will be spent in the next fiscal year for the relocation and resettlement of Japanese Canadians, according to the new government estimates revealed recently, The New Canadian reported last week-end.

The Labor department said in 1946-47 the sum provided was \$4,300,000. This was reduced to \$900,000 last year.

Two years ago, \$1,630,000 was required for the repatriation of Japanese in Canada to Japan.

Labor department officials declared the majority of those moved to the interior of British Columbia or scattered throughout Canada are now, for the most part, well established or self-supporting.

Nisei Appointed College Editor

HAMILTON, Ont., Canada, April 3—Margaret Inouye, managing editor of this year's Silhouette, McMaster university weekly, has been appointed editor-in-chief of the Board of Publication at McMaster for 1948-49. She will direct the publication of the four chief university publications, including the Silhouette, the annual, and the Muse.

Roy Ito was appointed managing editor of the Silhouette for 1948-49. Ito had been named for the position for the '46-'47 term, when enlistment in the army prevented him from accepting the position.

Auto Inspection Sites Told

Passenger vehicles bearing King County license plates A-11001 through A-15000 and trucks bearing license plate TKA-3001 through TKA-5000 should report now for inspection, Chief H. W. Algeo of the Washington State Patrol announced today.

The inspection lane in Seattle is at 4th Ave. S. and Spokane St. It will be open from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays and closed on Sundays, Mondays and holidays.

Testing facilities also are located in Tacoma, Olympia, Auburn, Renton, Yakima, Walla Walla and Spokane.

The Renton lane, at the south end of the Renton airport, will be open from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 1:30 to 6 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays. The Auburn lane will be open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and 1:30 to 4 p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays. The latter lanes also will be closed on Sundays, Mondays and holidays.

Because new license plates have not been issued for passenger cars and trucks this year, all calls will be made by 1947 license plate numbers, Chief Algeo said.

Those vehicles which have been inspected and issued a passing seal for 1947 need not be presented for inspection during 1948 unless cited to an inspection lane because of an obvious defect or if the vehicle has become damaged in such a manner as to be unsafe for operation, Algeo added.

More men are joining the Army every day. At least half of these men are veterans, who know a good deal when they see one. Can you qualify for enlistment?

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3—The Senate last March 29 passed and sent on to the House private bills designed to permit three Japanese aliens, against whom deportation warrants have been issued, to reside permanently in this country, the Washington JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee reported today. The Senate also voted in favor of a House-approved private measure which would grant the same privilege to the wife of an Issei resident worker of Boys Town, Nebraska. These four bills were among a batch of 17 private relief measures unanimously cleared by the Upper House.

Among those affected by the Senate's action are Gentaro Takahashi of Highland Park, Michigan, who has lived in this country for nearly 40 years; Mrs. Teruko Matsukawa, Canadian-born wife of a Los Angeles Nisei; Torachi Ambo, Los Angeles businessman, Mrs. Kazuo Oda Takahashi, wife of a resident worker of Boys Town.

Deportation proceedings against these four aliens were instituted by the immigration authorities months ago, but their deportation has been held up pending complete Congressional action on those bills which were introduced and moved along at the behest of the JACL. The JACL has pointed to the hardships which deportation and separation would force on the citizen children of deportees.

Takahashi, the Washington JACL ADC office said, first came to the United States in 1907 but in 1926 he returned to Japan and reentered the following year as a treaty merchant. During the war he lived at Minidoka relocation center. He is the father of six native-born children.

Ambo was two sons born in this country and has an interest in a cleaning and dyeing plant in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Matsukawa, 26-year-old wife of a Los Angeles Nisei, entered the U. S. from Canada with her parents when she was less than three years old. Until the evacuation she lived at San Francisco.

In the case of Mrs. Kazuo Takahashi, her right to remain permanently here has been virtually assured with Senate passage of a House measure. She was admitted as a temporary visitor in 1937 to become a Japanese language teacher with the Maryknoll School of Los Angeles. She has two children.

Ishikawa Named To D. C. Post

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3—Sam Ishikawa, eastern states director of the JACL ADC, has been assigned temporarily to the Washington office of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee, to assist national legislative director Mike Masaoka in furthering the legislative effort during the second quarter of this year. He will remain with the local JACL ADC office until the major work of the legislative program has been accomplished, the Washington office reports. Ishikawa's permanent station is in New York.

Nisei War Fund Up to \$9,379.65

Nisei War Memorial Committee, through co-treasurer Hisato Fujii, today announced that the fund to be used to honor Nisei GI dead of World War II amounts to \$9,379.65 as of Friday, April 2.

The contributions received from friends of the veterans will go towards building a permanent monument and holding memorial services for Japanese American GI's who died while in the service.

The U. S. Army organized the first weather bureau.

MRS. YAMASAKI SERVICES
A three-year memorial service for Mrs. Kuni Yamasaki will be held from 8 p.m. on Monday, April 5, in the Tacoma Buddhist temple with the Rev. Nishinaga officiating.
Surviving are Mrs. Yamasaki's daughters, Yoshiko and Tetsu.
All those who knew Mrs. Yamasaki are asked to attend the rites.

AN ENDLESS STREAM



Thousands of garments, layettes, and hospital supplies flow from the sewing machines and nimble fingers of Red Cross volunteer workers in chapter production rooms across the nation.

Red Cross Pleads for Direct Aid; Home Nurse Course Begins April 5

In a plea to all persons in Seattle who have not yet been reached by Red Cross drive workers to send in their contributions directly to Red Cross headquarters, 905 Second Avenue Building, Donovan F. Moore, general drive chairman said that this was the only way the Seattle-King County Red Cross chapter's goal of \$500,000 could be reached without a lengthy continuation of the campaign.

The drive was scheduled for the month of March, but with the goal not achieved, Red Cross workers are planning to continue the campaign until each person in the districts assigned to them had been contacted.

"Our hard-working volunteers," Moore said, "have made a valiant attempt to thoroughly cover their districts, but in many instances the workers have not been able to find anyone at home, even with as many as three or four return calls."

"More calls will be made, for we must reach the goal set for us. Red Cross services mean too much to too many for us to fail."

"If those who have not yet donated would send in their contributions, bearing in mind that all Red Cross services—like everything else—cost twice as much to maintain now as before the war, we would go 'over the top' in a short while."

JACL Gets Bid to Send Three To D. C. Citizenship Parley

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3—The Japanese American Citizens League has been invited by the Department of Justice and the National Education Association to send three delegates to the Third National Conference on Citizenship to be held here for four days, May 16-19. The conference, sponsored jointly by the Justice Department and the NEA, will attempt to arrive at some general agreements on a program of joint action among the leading citizens and minority groups to put democracy's "creed into deed."

Mike Masaoka, national legislative director of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee, the Washington JACL ADC office disclosed, will head the three-man delegation representing the Japanese Americans in this country. The others are Sam Ishikawa, chairman of the JACL Americanization and Citizenship Committee, and Thomas T. Hayashi, New York attorney, who is chairman of the JACL Eastern District Council.

Army Recruiting Offices Moved

Sgt. Paul Kramer, local recruiting officer who is seeking Japanese Americans for Army duty, announced today that his new offices are at 1213 Third Ave.

Any Nisei interested in joining the armed forces is urged to see him in the offices of the U. S. Army & U. S. Air Force Recruiting Service, Sgt. Kramer's telephone number is SEneca 7686.

The recruiting offices are across from the telephone building.

IWASHITA, EX-PORTLAND JACL PREXY, NAMED ACADEMY AIDE; EX-GI WILL RETURN TO JAPAN

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3—Makoto "Mac" Iwashita, former president of the Portland, Ore., JACL chapter, is returning to Japan next month as an administrative and fiscal officer with the National Academy of Sciences which is engaged in a vital and long-term medical project in that country. He was a court interpreter with the War Crimes Commission in Yokohama prior to his Army discharge last year.

Rev. Suzuki Urges 'Goats for Japan'

Citing the lack of a Marshall Plan, an European Recovery Program, a Christmas Ship or a Friendship Ship for Japan, the Rev. Lester E. Suzuki, Nisei pastor of the Seattle Japanese Methodist church, today urged Japanese Americans to help their friends and kin to get behind the "Goats for Japan" project which is being sponsored by the Inter-faith Heifer Project Committee of the Brethren Service Committee whose headquarters are in Elgin, Illinois.

The Rev. Herbert Nicholson, a missionary in Japan for more than 25 years, took 200 goats to Okinawa last year. He returned last Dec. 17 to speak about his trip to Japan to the congregation in the Japanese Presbyterian church.

"The Army has now authorized the shipment of 2,000 goats to Japan, and I believe it would be a fine idea if we, as Japanese, could join our Caucasian friends in contributing toward this project," Rev. Suzuki said.

"We know that almost every Japanese family does something for the suffering Japanese over there," Rev. Suzuki added, "but goats for Japan will last forever, through reproduction, and will do more good and give more life to more children, mothers, sick and old, than any other thing."

"It will be a living gift, and that's the most sensible gift to send," he concluded.

Anyone interested in contributing towards the "Goats for Japan" is asked to contact the Rev. Suzuki at 318 11th Ave., Seattle. His phone number is PRospect 8751.

Red Cross Seeks Data on Y. Sato

Whereabouts of Yoshinosuke Sato, father of Shin Sato, a deceased veteran of World War II, is sought. Y. Sato formerly lived at 37-5-F Hunt WRA, Jerome, Idaho.

Anyone having any information as to his present address is asked to write The American Red Cross in the Beason Building, Salt Lake City, Utah.

West Virginia College Seeks Nisei Research Agriculturist

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 3—adding, "we would like for the worker in question to possess a Ph. D. degree in agricultural soils and crops." The position calls for a person to work on a cooperative agricultural project undertaken by West Virginia University and West Virginia State College. "This person will be associated in work with one of the research men of West Virginia University," President Davis said.

Persons interested are requested to write to the Washington JACL ADC office at 501 B. Street, N. E., Washington 2, D. C. Any inquiries will be forwarded to Davis.

Here in Washington to undergo special training for his position, Iwashita called at the Washington office of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee to express his gratitude for the services it has rendered to him and to a number of other Nisei in obtaining desired work in Japan. He recalled that it was through the JACL-ADC that he first learned of this job opportunity, noting that this office had given wide-spread publicity to the appeal by the National Science Academy for qualified Japanese Americans interested in the project.

Iwashita, a graduate of New York University, will have responsibility for the accounting function, payrolls, procurement of supplies and equipment, and other business matters relating to the scientific organization's operations in Japan. His position is one of the first to be filled by the Academy, which since last October has been scouting for Nisei physicians, chemists, and medical laboratory technicians. Applications are still being accepted by the organization for those applicants who have scientific or technical qualifications. Physicians trained in internal medicine, hematology, radiology and pediatrics, and chemists with advanced training in biochemistry are sought.

The Portland Nisei entered the Army following graduation from New York University. Besides serving with the U. S. 8th Army War Crimes Court, he was instructor of Japanese at a censorship school in Japan. Since his Army discharge, he has been with a public accounting office in Portland. He plans to fly overseas on April 15.

Escheat Cases Dead Issue

LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 3—With the signing of the judgment of dismissal in four escheat cases pending in San Luis Obispo County by Superior Court Judge Ray B. Lyon of San Luis Obispo, it is reported that "most of the escheat cases" in Southern California have now been dismissed.

The action was based upon the Oyama decision by the U. S. Supreme Court and the announcement by Fred N. Howser that all land suits based upon the Oyama decision would be dismissed.

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EDITORIALS:

A 21-Gun Salute for NWMC

Unsung heroes on the home front in Seattle and its vicinity are the men of the Nisei War Memorial Committee which raised almost \$9,500, all of it which will be used towards building a suitable monument and holding memorial services in honor of the Nisei GI dead from this area.

The NWMC army, which worked tirelessly from March 9 to March 16 in its official drive, without any

personal glory, to say nothing of no pay, deserves a 21-gun salute for its fine post-war effort.

A refreshing note is this: funds are still trickling in and some of the NWMC workers are still defending the fund fort.

Championing the move for a non-segregation provision in universal military training, Grant Reynolds, a World War II chaplain, last week told President Truman that "Negroes are in no mood to shoulder a gun for democracy abroad so long as they are denied democracy at home". Coming from a chaplain, those are "fighting words", huh.

In Brooklyn, 500 of "dem bums", marching in an endless chain around the hall where Henry A. Wallace spoke, shouted "Down with Russia! Down with Communism!" If the reception Wallace—now he is and now he isn't a presidential candidate—is any indication, we have nothing but profound sympathy for the Brooklyn Dodgers' opponents in the National League.

Something we didn't know until today: Fleet Adm. Chester W. Nimitz said in San Diego the other day that Russia doesn't want war but "there is less likelihood of it if the U. S. maintains its strength".

NWA President Cites U. S. Need For Strong National Air Policy

National defense in these critical times demands vigorous commercial airlines backed by a strong national air policy, Croil Hunter, president and general manager of Northwest Airlines, declared today in the company's annual report. This report is being distributed to approximately 6,500 stockholders and also to individuals and organizations throughout the United States, Alaska.

The need for immediate action, said Hunter, as this nation finds itself so largely dependent upon air power.

"The past year will probably be remembered as one during which the most formidable problems in the history of commercial aviation were presented to company management," he said. So serious was the situation, he pointed out, that both President Truman and Congress appointed groups to make studies and recommendations—the former naming an Air Policy Commission and the latter an Aviation Policy Board. Both bodies insisted on the need for healthy airlines to bolster the national defense.

The gravity of the world outlook, said Hunter, "makes it imperative that effectuation, now, of a strong national air policy be vigorously urged and supported."

For its part, he revealed, Northwest Airlines is making a major contribution to the cause of national defense. Among the developments he cited were these:

It has rounded out a strategic route pattern that makes it one of the strongest airlines, in this respect, anywhere in the world. It operates a direct, shortcut route to Alaska, one of the nation's most important bastions, and thence to Japan, China, Korea and the Philippines.

It has in service and on order the fastest, most modern available commercial aircraft.

It has specially trained its personnel for world-wide assignments.

It has entered into arrangements with other airlines for global travel and for speedy trips to Scandinavia, Europe, the Middle East and Africa.

It has put its own house in order by effecting numerous economies.

Most recently, it has extended its routes by way of Cleveland and Pittsburgh into Washington, D. C., the nation's capital and, in this period, the capital of the world.

Completion of this pattern and the start of scheduled service to the Orient were the outstanding achievements of the past year, Hunter said. During that period, the company put into service the Martin 2-0-2 airplanes, the first distinctively postwar plane to be adopted by any domestic airline; and it has on order a fleet of 75-passenger, double-deck Boeing Stratocruisers.

The future importance of Northwest Airlines' Orient operation, the report made known, is related to the development of the Far East. Japan is looking forward to an easing of travel restrictions,

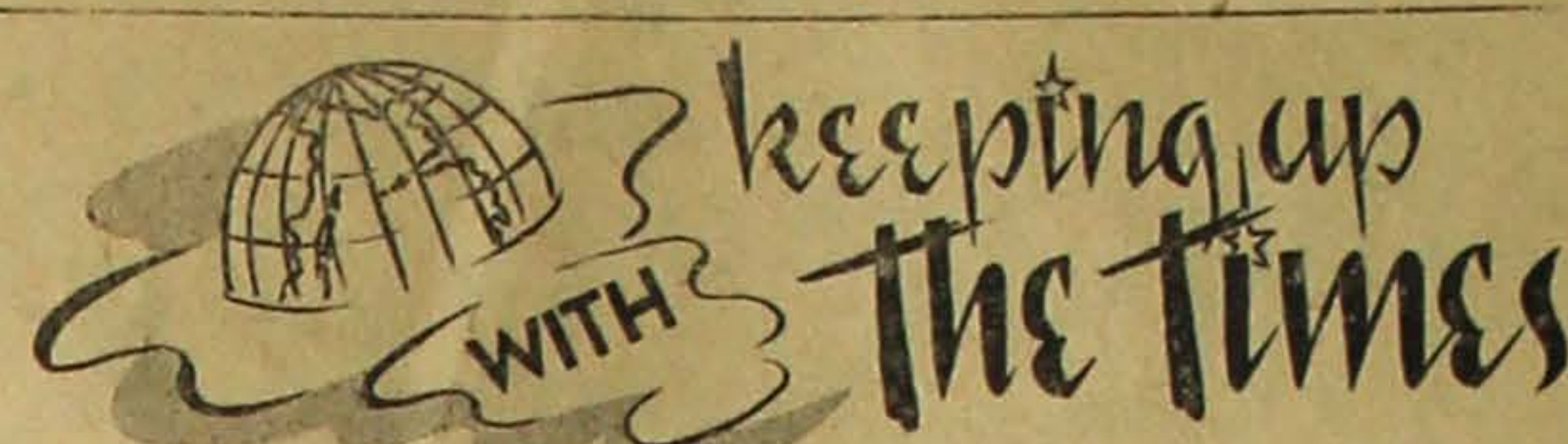
bringing many business men and tourists to that country. The Japanese Federation of Tourist Associations had adopted a five-year plan to rebuild the tourist industry. The Japanese estimate that during the first year of unrestricted travel, 36,000 persons will fly to Japan and another 100,000 will come by boat. Among the latter will be many voyaging by the American President Lines, with which Northwest Airlines has a round-the-world agreement under which passengers may travel by both air and sea at their option.

China is planning for the future when it will be visited by many sightseers and when it will recover its share of international trade.

"Many American firms are already assisting in the rehabilitation of China by re-establishing branches there," the report explained. "Thus, despite unsettled conditions and currency instability, many Chinese are flying via Northwest Airlines between China and the United States in order to carry out diplomatic missions, to take up government posts, to lecture, to attend meetings, to study in our schools. The flow of American commercial travel between the United States and China is steadily increasing.

"In the Philippines, economic recovery has progressed farther and at greater speed than is generally realized in the United States. One of the most ambitious projects in the Philippines is an \$88,000,000 electrification program which its sponsors believe will revolutionize its industry and attract substantial American investments. The plan is to divide the Republic into 18 power areas supplied from seven huge generating plants."

Northwest Airlines' annual report is illustrated by photographs taken along the airline's routes in the states, Alaska and the Orient. It consists of 24 pages and cover, with a fold-in map of the domestic and international routes, with a chart giving the populations and leading industries of all the cities served by the airline.



by hideo hoshide

A Letter from Tokyo

A LETTER

...from an old friend in Tokyo this week brought back many memories of that short but very interesting three months in Japan over two years ago with the United States Strategic Bombing Survey.

It was in October, 1945, shortly after Japan's surrender that our little group began the study of Japanese morale during the war. After leaving San Francisco, we stopped briefly in Hawaii, Johnston Island, Kwajalein, Guam and Okinawa before our C-54 landed in Aisugi airfield near Tokyo.

In Tokyo we were billeted in the new Kaiko building, just across the street from the Yusen building where Nisei army language graduates from the -Philippines, Australia and the United States were billeted.

ONE OF THE FIRST

...persons that we came across in Tokyo was Yoshiyuki Koitabashi, a '37 graduate of the University of Washington, who was working with radio division of the Tokyo Mainichi newspaper.

Through Koitabashi we were able to piece together many of the events in Japan during the war. His vivid description of the August, 1945, incendiary attack on Tokyo, in which our B-29's flew over the capital as will, will be hard to forget. Fortunately, Koitabashi's home area was not affected, but he had souvenirs of shrapnel and pieces of airplane parts which fell in his garden during the raid.

RECONSTRUCTION

...of Japan is especially slow, in view of the fact that shortage of materials and, mostly, inflation have played hand in hand in obstructing the rebuilding of homes, ships, communication system, and other public works.

"It's become, a little more pleasant place than two years ago in some respects," he writes. "When you were here, much of Tokyo was still in rubble, but now small buildings have sprung up all over, leaving only a few burnt out buildings here and there, especially in downtown Tokyo."

We remember very well the devastation which was brought to Tokyo because of the war. It was evident in the minds of the Japanese people that war only brought suffering and destruction to their homes and country. Visual evidences were everywhere.

Signs of reconstruction, especially in Tokyo and Yokohama area, were present only a month and a half after the signing of surrender terms. Large crowds stood watching, with their mouths agape and rounded eyes, as the huge United States steam shovels and bulldozers helped clear away the debris along Tokyo's once-proud Ginza Avenue.

NISEI IN JAPAN

...wherever we went, were assisting the occupation authorities in translating and interpreting duties. Their bi-lingual abilities were being put to practical use. Their opinions were universal in their desire to return to the "good old United States."

Koitabashi informs us that the University of Washington Alumni Association in Tokyo recently held a farewell reception for George Yamaoka, U. W. alumnus, who was chief American defense counsel at the International Military Tribunal for the Far East.

Among the 30-odd former University students present were such ex-Japanese Students Club members as Kaz Tsukumo, Vic Nakamura, Fred Ueyemami, and George Otsubo. Dr. Etsujiro Uehara, '07 graduate, and ex-Home Minister, is the president of the Alumni Association.

POSTWAR JAPAN

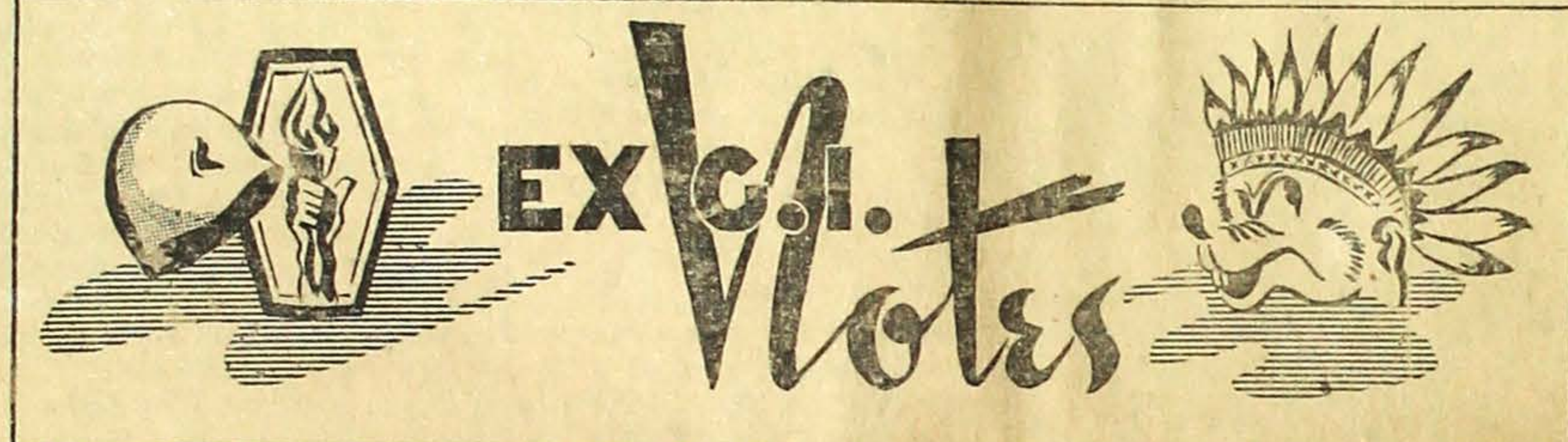
...becomes increasingly important in view of the grave international situation and much depends upon the way in which Japan can reconstruct herself, politically, economically and socially.

Much has been done by the occupation authorities in leading Japan back on the road to peace and normal living.

A young Nisei who is now back with the International Military Tribunal in Tokyo, told us when he was in Seattle recently, that many American billets "adopted" Japanese children during Christmas and held parties for them. They bought Christmas presents out of their own pockets and arranged parties and games for the Japanese children.

Here was "democracy in action" where the future citizens of new Japan saw new hope and understanding through the actions of a few Americans in Japan.

Reverie is when ideas float in our mind without reflection or regard of the understanding.—Locke.



SPEAKING OF THE FUTURE

We haven't any statistics to back up our statements, but we imagine that the average Nisei veteran is around 25 years of age, employed and making fifty or sixty bucks a week, and either married or about to be. Of course, there are many older vets who are doing better in a financial way, but to balance them up, there are the younger fellows who are still going to school; so we think our composite Nisei veteran comes pretty close to being a good average representative of whole class.

Taking our picture of the average Nisei veteran as being correct (at least for the sake of argument), we find that our ex-serviceman is still a young man with his best years ahead of him, but he's no longer a "kid". In some ways, he's actually older than his years would indicate, especially if he saw front-line duty during the war; if he was a little on the wild and carefree side before he went into the Army, he came out somewhat sobered by his war experiences. For a while, he had a bit of a tough time getting used to civilian life all over again, but by now he's pretty well adjusted and reasonably contented with life as a civilian.

Mr. Average Nisei Veteran now has a life expectancy of forty years or so, and can expect to be able to earn his living almost that long, depending upon the type of work he does. During his useful span of work, he should be able to earn anywhere from \$100,000 up. It sounds slightly fantastic, but add it up—a modest \$2500 a year for 40 years will make the hundred grand.

Now, the Sixty-Four Dollar Question that your correspondent wants to ask the average veteran is, "How much of that \$100,000 or over will

you have as a tangible asset in your old age?" It goes without saying that most of the money will have been spent for the necessities of life and the maintenance of a reasonable standard of living. But what you have left over and above all expenditures, will determine whether you will have a secure and independent old age, and a family which is financially free from worry.

Your correspondent is neither an insurance or investment man, but just the same, he hopes that Mr. Average Nisei Veteran will, in his more serious moments, keep asking himself the Sixty-Four Dollar Question until he does something about it. We guarantee that if he takes our advice, sometime in his old age he will be glad he did. In fact, it's so good that we'll take some of it ourselves!

Spring is really here, now that

HITHER AND YON

the dulcet tones of Seattle's favorite baseball announcer, the one and only Leo Lassen, can be heard on the radio waves describing the fortunes of the rollicking Rainiers. We pick Jo-Jo's men for fourth place, with an outside chance for third; check up on us in September, but don't say we didn't tell you... The Freedom Train is scheduled to appear in Seattle for two days, around the 18th of April. Mark this on your calendar as a "must"... Several Nisei vets we know are soon to become papas, but we won't mention any names until the news is official; we want to be sure about our cigars... And that's all, friends, until next time.

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Nisei Calendar

APRIL

3—Young people's fellowship group of St. Peter's church to sponsor a couples' dance.

17—Couples' only dance to be sponsored by Risho club in the Buddhist Auditorium.

18—Japanese Students Club and Yaladas to co-sponsor bazaar at Washington hall.

MAY

1—JSC to give Spring Informal dance.

JUNE

4—Annual JCS picnic.

JULY

4—Nisei Veterans' committee to sponsor Fourth of July sports dance at Palladium Ballroom with Jackie Souders and his orchestra.

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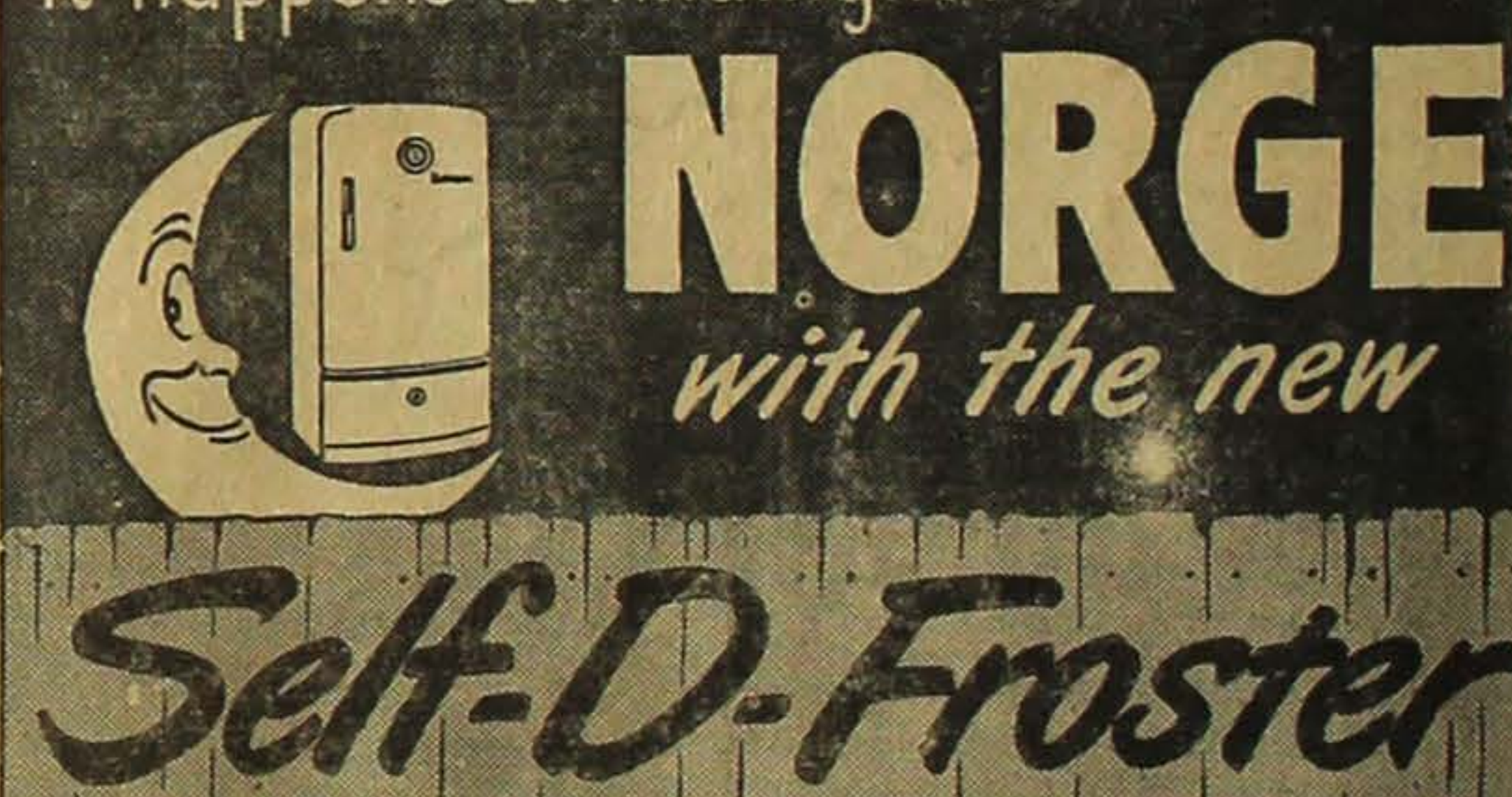
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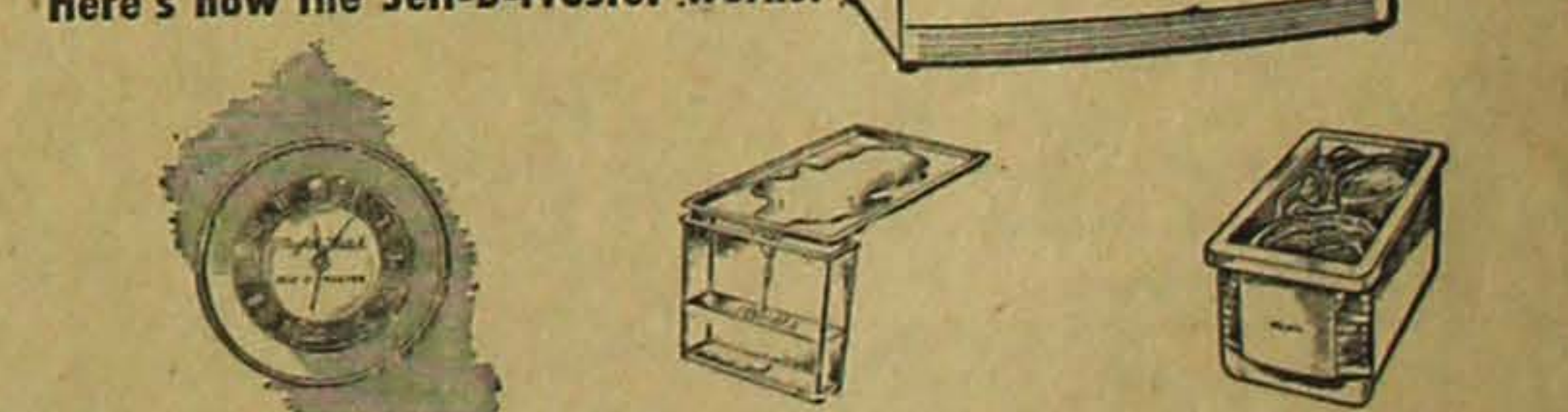
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THE Sporting Thing

Ladies First, Even in All-Star List

"The Sporting Thing" today announces the first of three all-star teams named by managers of various teams in the Nisei Veterans Committee-sponsored basketball leagues in Seattle.

As is the traditional custom in these United States, it's ladies first.

In the women's circuit, the following girls deserve a shiny star for their '47-'48 season effort:

GIRLS' ALL-STARS

Forward—Decko Iwasaki, High School
Forward—Ets Ichikawa, Lotus
Forward—Betty Jean Andrews, WWG's
Guard—Dorothy Tanabe, U. W. Coeds
Guard—Chiz Iwasaki, High School
Guard—Carol Dady, High School

Honorable Mention

Tacoma—Mid Tanabe, Kimi Fujimoto; High School—Keiko Kitayama, Tomo Iwasaki, Fumi Yoshida; Anna Kay's—Toshi Iwasaki, Kay Shigihara, Anna Nagai; Lotus—Chiye Kusakabe, Sue Tainaka; Chinese—Joyce Kwan, Pauline Yee; Seattle Chicks—Toyo Kitayama, Tomi Yoshioka; WWG's—Chickie Ishihara, Naoko Hasegawa; U. W. Coeds—Betty Kanda; Lotus Starlets—Marianne Otoshi, Helene Tsutsumoto.

And that's all.

The Class "A" all-stars are next.

Sideline Topics

...ex-Vancouver Asahi twirler Kaz Suga, who signed his '48 contract with the St. Jean Braves in Quebec, has turned down an offer to turn out for the Three Rivers nine in the Can-American loop; Three Rivers is a farm team of Montreal Royals who gave Jackie Robinson his first white pro start...the Nihiren Risho Table Tennis Tournament is producing some phenomenal scores; Chuck Kinoshita of cage fame beat Mas Kojima, 32 to 30, in their second match a few nights ago...just wait a few more years, and you'll find a team equivalent to the fielding hitting prowess possessed by White River A. C. and Fife of pre-war "AA" loop...smartest diamond general, old-timers tell us, was Frank Fukuda; Anky Arai, George Ishihara and Tura Nakamura were crafty "Joe McCarthy's" too...Jo-jo White's Rainiers' 17-2 loss to the Hollywood Stars in the Coast league opener, reminds us of some of the gridiron marks set in the NORTHWEST TIMES league last season...Art Somekawa of Portland has informed Ban Okada here that the Rose City would be unable to sponsor the Northwest Invitational Fourth of July Baseball Tournament; the Independence Day ball extravaganza will fall right back to Seattle

APRIL 8 SET OPENING DATE IN TIMES LOOP

Six teams—Lotus Mercury, Lotus Ashuras, South End Merchants, Savoy's, Fife A. C. and Horiuchi's—will comprise THE NORTHWEST TIMES Baseball League which is scheduled to open on Sunday, April 18, in Seattle.

Defending champion will be Lotus Mercury.

Once again, THE NORTHWEST TIMES will put up a trophy to the winning nine.

The '48 season, the managers, who will comprise the board of directors, decided, will be for two full rounds.

Departing from standard play, the board adopted a free-substitution ruling. The rule, however, asserts that a substitute must play one full inning to be eligible for further participation. A player may not leave the game more than twice, it was added.

The winning team must submit an official scoresheet to THE NORTHWEST TIMES office by 6 p.m. Monday following the game. Teams failing to do so will be fined five dollars.

Some of the other rules approved by the board follow:

Five innings will constitute a complete game. In an event, teams are waiting for the field, a two-hour time limit will be placed on the game. Otherwise, full nine innings shall be played.

The home team will furnish the first ball and the visiting team, the second, and alternately, if needed. The home team will have the choice of balls after each game.

Any additions to or changes in player lists must be approved by majority vote of managers of other teams.

Protest fee of fifteen dollars must accompany all protests. Protests will be judged by all managers, and protests must be filed within 24 hours after the game.

In case of rain, the home team must notify visiting team of its intention to cancel a game two hours before game time. Failure to do so will result in a forfeit loss to the home team.

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International Replaces Karikomi In CML; Tokuda Hangs on in SNGBO

CITY MERCHANTS LEAGUE STANDINGS

	W	L
International Realty	75	37
Karikomi Insurance	74	38
7th Ave. Service	64	48
Kashiwagi's	63	49
Jackson Grocery	56	56
Nisei Recreation	56	56
Main Drug	52	60
Tad's Gardening	48	64
N. W. Times Rookies	39	73
Main St. Service	33	79

Results in Brief

Jackson Grocery 4, Karikomi's 0
Tad's 4, Main St. Service 0
7th Ave. Service 3, Kashiwagi's 1
Nisei Rec. 4, Main Drug 0
International 4, N. W. Times 0

Battle for the championship in City Merchants League took on an enlivened outlook in Main Bowl last Thursday night as International Realty moved into the top position by trouncing the N. W. Times Rookies, 4 to 0, while once-leading Karikomi's dropped to second as they suffered a severe 4-0 beating from Jackson Grocery.

International had it easy trimming the Rookies, the winners' steadiness paying off much more than the one-man effort of the losers' Kaz Yamasaki. Brownie Nomura was International's 500-plus man.

Jackson Grocery posted a snappy 2593 series to walk over Karikomi's, and the two best grocerymen were George Fujimoto (558) and Yo Maekawa (535). I. Nakashima of Karikomi's had 534.

Nisei Recreation whitewashed Main Drug, 4-0, as Joe Tamura of the victors destroyed the pins for a 536, and 7th Ave. Service downed Kashiwagi's, 3-1, in the fight for third spot in the standings.

Tad's Gardening experienced no trouble whipping Main St. Service, 4-0.

The results follow:

JACKSON GROCERY (4)—Nagatsuta 447, Maekawa 535, T. Nakata 508, Fujimoto 558, Inashi 509; KARIKOMI'S (0)—I. Nakashima 534, Ikeda 418, Horiuchi 505, Hidaka 463, Tada 455.

TAD'S (4)—Sumlota 481, Aoki 462, Mizuhata 455, Katayama 422, M. Shibuya 451; MAIN ST. SERVICE (0)—Ishino 432, Osawa 487, H. Hirata 343, O. Hirata 369, Hamasaki 420.

7TH AVE. SERVICE (3)—Hirai 346, Mizuki 478, Shota 393, K. Tamura 406, Ikeda 444; KASHIWAGI'S (1)—Nagatsuta 407, H. Takagi 384, Hayashi 382, H. Nakashima 438, Kanemori 444.

NISEI REC (4)—Okubo 433, J. Uno 452, T. Uno 475, J. Tamura 536, Noritake 394; MAIN DRUG (0)—Suyama 385, Higashi 454, Sameshima 389, Shimizu 427, Asaba 424.

INTERNATIONAL (4)—Segimoto 485, Tsuchikawa 484, Yokoyama 488, F. Takagi 473, Nomura 520; N. W. TIMES (0)—Nishimoto 456, Terao 388, Gojima 414, Saiki 377, Yamasaki 516.

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JSC No. 2 vs. Independent No. 2.
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WEDNESDAY
Congregational 6, Lotus No. Two 0
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SET TWO
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Japanese Congregational church's hard-hitting team entered its bid

SNGBO STANDINGS

	W	L
Tokuda Drug	77	39
Frank's Jewelry	73	43
China Import & Export	67	49
Takano Studio	55	61
Martha's Beauty Shop	52	64
Toda's Optometrists	51	65
Hab's Sporting Goods	44	72
Mobile	44	72

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Tokuda Drug, leading squad in the SNGBO (Seattle Nisei Girls' Bowling Organization), was drubbed, 3-1, by Takano Studio last Thursday night in Main Bowl but the one-game triumph assured the drug store girls at least a tie for the championship of the circuit which ends play next Thursday.

The pharmaceutical outfit faces China Import & Export in the important April 8 tussle. Second-spot Frank's meet Takano Studio.

The C. I. E. trundlers Thursday spanked Frank's Jewelry, 3-1. Jean Numoto of C. I. E. pounded the 1-3 pocket for the only SNGBO 500-plus series of the night.

In other matches, Hab's blanked Martha's, 4-0, and Toda's did the same to Mobile.

The results follow:
TODA'S (4)—S. Kodama 371, M. Kodama 363, Kagayama 392, Doi 334, Sanico 399; MOBILE (0)—Miyamoto 334, Iga 308, P. Tanaka 330, M. Hirata 334, Maruhashi 407.

HAB'S (4)—Sims 487, Wong 360, Hideshima 454, R. Chinn 341, N. Chinn 478; MARTHA'S (0)—Miki Nagasawa 306, Ikeda 312, F. Ishikawa 436, M. Ishikawa 457, Mary Nagasawa 406.

CHINA IMPORT (3)—Tsuchikawa 378, Hirai 411, Yamaguchi 390, Hamano 402, Numoto 501; FRANK'S (1)—Lew 433, Ishihara 382, Sakanaishi 352, Young 458, Terao 451.

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P.S.G.A. MEMBERS ANTICIPATE SPRING TOURNAMENT APRIL 18; HANDICAP, PRIZES DISCLOSED

Members of the Puget Sound Golf Association are all keyed up for the April (Spring) 36-holes medal tournament which will be played on Sunday, April 18, in Seattle.

The "A" flighters (5 to 14 inclusive) and the "C" flighters (22 to 36 inclusive) will stroll around the greens at West Seattle, and the "B" flighters (15 to 21 inclusive) at Jefferson Park. The sites for the three flights, the officials said, were disclosed to acquaint the members with the course on which they will vie for honors.

Top three prizes will be the same for all flights.

First—Chrome - plated, four-piece, electric percolator coffee-serving set, suitably engraved.

Second—Electric clock with name plate engraved.

Third—Plate (silver - plated) engraved.

Golf balls will be awarded from fourth prize down, and the number of such prizes will be determined by the number of entries in each flight.

The entry fee, which includes the cost of dinner at a place yet to be designated, will be \$2.50. The green fee will be extra, and the closing date of entries will be 6 p.m. Monday, April 12. All entry fees should be paid before that date to W. Nakamura at his store on 664 Jackson St. and not on the course.

The starting times and foursomes will be announced in the April 14 edition of THE NORTHWEST TIMES, and the handicap list released by the PSGA below will apply in this meet.

Puget Sound Golf Association today announced its April handicap list as follows:

Nagatsuta 5
Hattori 8
Nagamine 8
Okimoto 10
Yamaguchi, M. 10
Yoshitake 11
Kashiwagi 12
Natori 12
Shimizu, Geo. 12
Nakamura, K. 12
Yamaguchi, K. 12
Louie, Art 12
Louie, Geo. 12
Harada 13
Shimizu, J. 13
Beppu 14
Kano 14
Lee 14
Kawaguchi 14
Umino 15
Nakagawa, N. 15
Okada, Geo. 15
Sakura 15
Iwana, Sab 15

*Indicates members not eligible for top three prizes, but eligible for fourth prize and down.

Sakahara 16

Tanabe 16

Miyahara 16

Arai, K. 16

Mimbu 17

Nakamura, W. 17

Funai 17

Furuta, Y. 17

Egashira 18

Urakawa 18

Abe 18

Iwata 18

Kiyomizu 18

Okamoto 19

Furukawa 19

Kinomoto 19

Hirabayashi 19

Nakagawa, U. T. 19

Furuta, T. 19

Tachiyama 19

Miyake 19

Kuramoto 19

Iguchi 20

Teraoka 20

Yamada 20

Yoshino 20

Tsunelshi 21

Mizukami 21

Jitodal 22

Kasai 23

Ted Jue 23

Kaneko 23

Nakao 23

Nakamura, K. 23

Sasaki 24

Hirota 24

Momoda 24

Kashino 24

Iwana, Shiro 24

Hayashi 25

Eguchi 25

Yamaguchi 25

Tosaya 26

Uno 26

Terao 26

Nishimura 26

Takahashi, T. 26

Yamaguchi, T. 27

Salki 27

Hagimori 29

Kimura 29

Takagi 30

Sakoda 30

Tsujimoto 33

Toda 35

Okada 36

Wallgren Names April as Cancer Control Month

Governor Mon C. Wallgren this week proclaimed April as Cancer Control Month in the state of Washington.

The proclamation reads as follows:

"Because of cancer, bitter tragedy comes to thousands of American families. Last year it killed more than 188,000 Americans, 2,778 in the state of Washington. It menaces every individual and affects all plant and animal life.

"Nevertheless, in recent years medical authorities have developed several leads to the secrets of cancer. They have shown that a measure of control can be exercised over this cruel killer, and they give hope that some day cancer will be eradicated completely.

"Although many lives are being saved through the American Cancer Society's program of research, education and service, there is still a great need for the expansion of this program. The Field Army of the American Cancer Society is urging a whole-hearted attack on this dread disease and it is the duty of each citizen to render this aid and support to the mighty effort to conquer cancer.

"NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mon C. Wallgren, Governor of the State of Washington, by virtue of authority in me vested, do hereby proclaim the month of April, as CANCER CONTROL MONTH in the State of Washington, and I call upon the people of this state to support fully the American Cancer Society's campaign of research, education and service.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the State of Washington to be affixed at Olympia this 23rd day of March, A. D. nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

Mon C. Wallgren
Governor of Washington

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The Social Whirl

A surprise baby shower was given for Mrs. Kenji Ota last March 23 in the parsonage of the Japanese Congregational church. Gift packages were wheeled out on a doll-size baby carriage in the midst of sewing activities in preparing for the church bazaar held last Sunday.

Those who presented gifts were Mesdames Saibo Fujii, John Kawaguchi, Kaz Naito, Shiochi Suyama, Ai Chih Tsai, and Misses Kay Iga, Grace Nishioaka, Laura Nakamura, May Miyamoto, Mary Suzuki, Lily Mukai and Martha Ikeda. Miss Mary Saito, who was unable to attend, sent a gift.

Mr. and Mrs. Sansaku Sugiyama of Seattle became parents of a baby boy last Sunday. The newcomer was born in Providence hospital.

Canada Curbs on Japanese Stay

(Continued from Page One)

He pointed out how persons of Japanese origin had been redistributed, to their own as well as to the national advantage.

He quoted The New Canadian as declaring that, if a poll were taken, Japanese Canadians themselves might well vote in the majority in favor of the relocation which had taken place. Mitchell gave credit to Japanese Canadians for much of the success of the relocation plan.

In January, 1942, Mitchell explained, 96.2 per cent of Canada's 22,800 persons of Japanese race were resident in British Columbia. Today there are more Japanese Canadians in Ontario than in British Columbia.

According to Mitchell, there are only 6,291 persons of Japanese race in B. C. today, or 30.3 per cent of the total number.

There are 5,684 or 27.3 per cent of the total in the prairie provinces and 8,779 or 42.2 per cent in Eastern Canada. In addition 4,067 have been voluntarily repatriated to Japan.

Mitchell referred to a new agreement made with the Alber-

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MISS BUSSET OF '48
LOS ANGELES, Calif., April 3.—June Manji of Marysville, representing the Northern California YBA district reigned as "Miss Busset of 1948" at the coronation ball which closed the two-day Western Young Buddhist league conference here Sunday.

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ta government under which Alberta agrees, after March 31 this year, to accord to all persons of Japanese race "the same status and treatment by the province as other residents of the province."

The agreement to be effective for two years from March 31 of this year to March 31, 1950, makes the following financial arrangement:

1. The Dominion and Alberta will share equally the expenses of education and welfare assistance for Japanese evacuees.

2. The province will continue to be responsible for the administration of these matters and will appoint a provincial officer to work with representatives of the Labor Department and the commissioner of Japanese placement matters of joint Dominion-Provincial interest for the two-year period.

After March 31, 1949, the province will take complete responsibility.

Another clause stipulates that for purposes of old age pensions, the residential period of Japanese in Alberta will not be considered starting until April 1 of this year.

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Irons...Set of 6	\$39.00 to \$63.00
Golf Balls	50c to 95c
Bags	\$4.00 to \$60.00
Golf Rubber Shoe	
Golf Cover	
Golf Glove	



BASEBALL

Fielder's Glove	\$6.85 to \$15.45
Baseman's Mitt	\$10.85
Catcher's Mitt	\$11.75 to \$15.35
Base Ball	\$2.00 up



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Olympic	11.25
Domino	9.40
Interclub	7.50
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Kushida Finds Wisconsin Favors JACL's Goals

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—Tats Kushida, midwest regional director of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee, informed the Washington JACL ADC office this week the existence of a reservoir of sympathy and interest in the cities and communities of Wisconsin for the legislative objectives of the Japanese Americans. He has just completed a two-week's goodwill tour of the State, and reported finding no apparent opposition to the equalization of naturalization privileges for the Issei, although some had expressed sentiment against immigration. The Nisei and their good work is known generally throughout the State, he said, indicating their reputation bears testimony to the success of the relocation program.

Kushida also visited Minneapolis and St. Paul. His itinerary included stops at Milwaukee, Madison, the state capital; Portage, La Crosse, Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls, Neenah-Monasha, and Sheboygan.

The midwest regional director told of his friendly interview with Governor Oscar Renebohm of Wisconsin, and of his talks with George Skogmo, an outstanding Milwaukee attorney and a personal friend of Senator Alexander Wiley, Republican chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee; Benjamin Bull, chairman of the American Legion's Americanization Committee at Madison; Judge Fred M. Evans, chairman of the Governor's Commission on Human Rights; Dr. Ellis Dana, executive secretary of the State Council of Churches; Quincy H. Hale, former president of the Wisconsin Bar Association, and R. L. Bangsberg, managing editor of the La Crosse Tribune, which serves a trading territory of 200,000 people.

He also had a lengthy audience with the Most Reverend John P. Treacy, bishop of the La Crosse Diocese. During his stop in the "Twin Cities," Kushida conferred with Mrs. Ruth Abernethy, executive secretary of the St. Paul Council on Human Relations; J. S. Jones, director of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation; and a group of Nisei, including Father Dai Kitagawa.

At Chippewa Falls, he called on Marshall Wiley, son of Senator Wiley; Will E. Garrity, editor of the Herald Telegram, who told Kushida of his great respect for Nisei GIs, having served with them in the Pacific; and Kenneth W. Hones, executive secretary of the Wisconsin State Office of the Farmers' Union. At Neenah he conferred at length with Frank J. Sensenbrenner, chairman of the Board of Regents of the University of Wisconsin and an outstanding Roman Catholic layman.

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Anti-TB Group Donates \$61,000 For X-ray Survey

Voting to seriously curtail its program for the coming year by closing down certain projects temporarily, the Board of Directors of the Anti-Tuberculosis League of King County decided at a meeting at the Washington Athletic Club yesterday to contribute \$61,000 to a mass x-ray survey for Seattle to be conducted this fall.

At a considerable sacrifice to the present established program, the Board approved this grant in the public interest conditioned on the maintenance of the highest medical and public health standards, Wayne Dick, president of the League, explained.

Of the \$61,000 pledged for the survey, Dick said the majority will be in cash and the remainder in personnel services for the survey.

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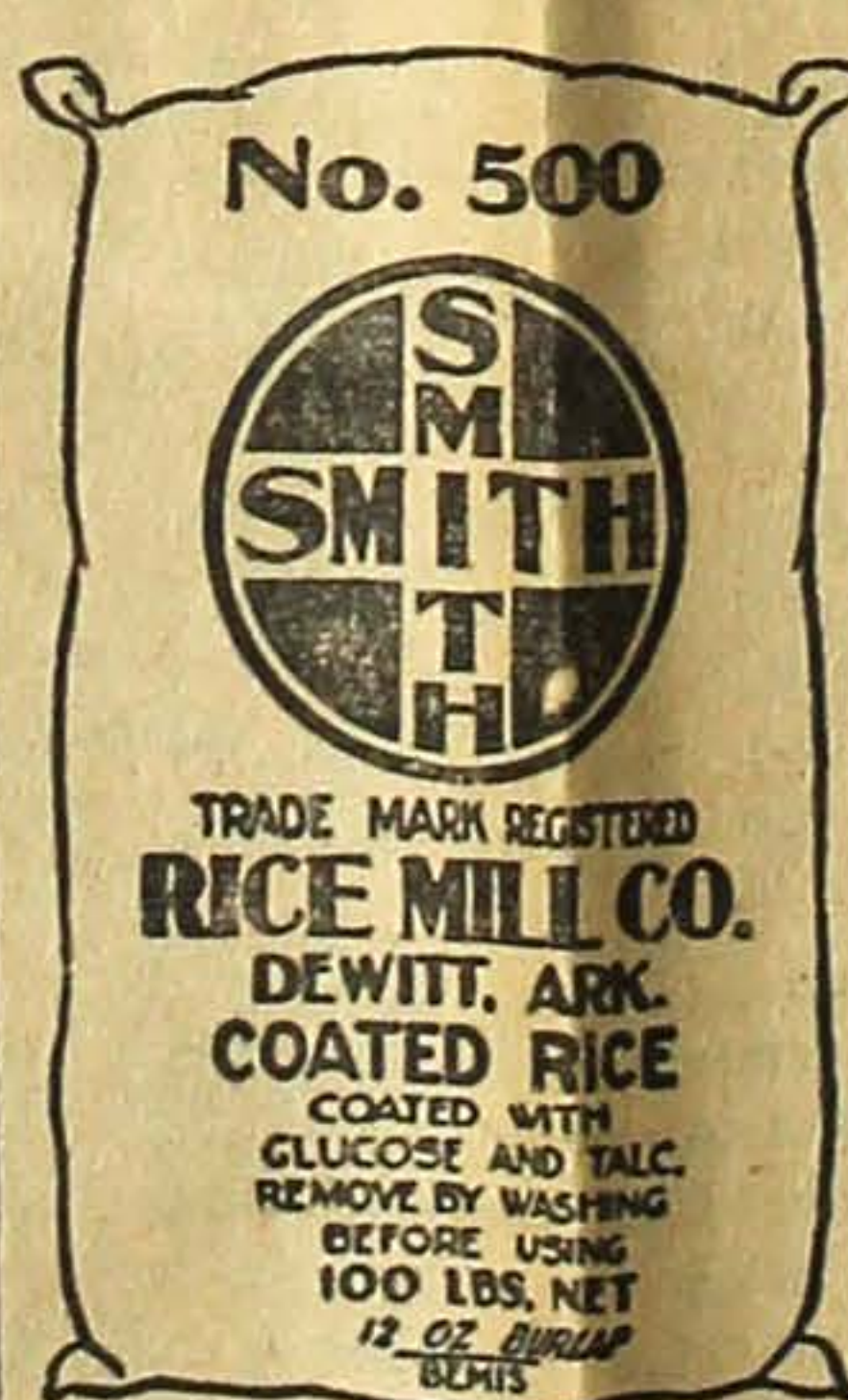
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Judd Urges Quick Amendment On Naturalization Bills

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 31.—Prompt revision of U. S. naturalization and immigration laws so that qualified Japanese may become citizens on the same basis as alien Chinese, natives of India, and Filipinos was urged today by Representative Walter H. Judd, Minnesota Republican, the Washington office of the JACL Anti-Discrimination Committee learns.

Extension of citizenship privileges to the Japanese, he declared in an address in the Lower House, will bring "long-overdue justice to men and women who have lived honorably among us," and "it can make a substantial contribution to the building of support for American policy in the Far East." He asserted it was "high time" the United States eliminated from its immigration and naturalization laws "these elements which fatten Communist propaganda and weaken American leadership of world democracy."

Congressman Judd's remarks were inspired by an editorial tribute to Private Sadao Munemori appearing on March 19 in the New York Herald Tribune. In commenting on the Army's renaming of a transport for the Nisei hero, the Herald Tribune, said Mr. Judd, "had pointed out the travesty upon America's sense of justice, that the mother of the winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor is unable to become a citizen of the United States under present law."

"H. R. 5004, which I introduced earlier in this session will correct this condition," he emphasized, pointing out that any new immigration that might result from his bill would be "surely a small price to pay for the removal of a long-standing inequity and the increased good will which will result." China Today.

He said that the House subcommittee on immigration expects to hold hearings soon on this bill.

Representative Judd then asked to have the Herald Tribune editorial printed in the Congressional Record. The editorial urged that Mrs. Nawa Munemori, mother of the Nisei hero, be made citizen by a special act of Congress, asserting it would be a "fitting final testimony to an American family whose loyalty has met the supreme test."

Fellowship Plans Sukiyaki Dinner

Reservations for the sukiyaki dinner given by the Sunday Evening Fellowship of the Japanese Congregational church on Wednesday, April 28, in the church hall, must be made by calling Minor 4566 or contacting the Rev. Ai Chi Tsai.

The fellowship dinner, which starts at 6 p.m., will feature George Kerr of the University of Washington, Kerr, former American vice consul in Taipei, Formosa, will speak on "Conflicting Interests in China Today."

Church Notices

BAPTIST

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School.
10 a.m.—Issei worship service.
11:15 a.m.—Nisei worship service.
7:30 p.m.—BYF.
Okazaki classes from 8 to 9 p.m. on Mondays.

BUDDHIST

10:00 a.m.—Kindergarten Class.
11:00 a.m.—Young People Service.

CONGREGATIONAL

9:45 a.m.—Sunday school for nursery, beginners, primaries, juniors and intermediates.
10:30 a.m.—Issei worship services.
11:30 a.m.—Nisei worship service. There will be no Sunday Evening Fellowship this Sunday, April 4.

MARYKNOLL

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

METHODIST

9:45 a.m.—Church service.
10:00 a.m.—Issei service.
11:00 a.m.—Nisei Morning Worship Service.

NICHIREN

10 a.m.—Sunday School for kindergarten children.
11 a.m.—Young People.
2 p.m.—Japanese Service.

PRESBYTERIAN

9:15 to 9:30 a.m.—Teacher's prayer service.
9:30 to 10:45 a.m.—Sunday school for beginners, primaries, juniors and intermediates.
11 a.m.—George Uomoto to speak on "Christ Temptation" at Sunday service (April 4).

ST. PETER'S

9 a.m.—Issei Holy Communion.
Rev. G. Shoji.
11 a.m.—Sunday School, Miss Gladys Gray.
11 a.m.—Nisei Worship Service.
7:30 p.m.—Fri-night YPF Meeting.

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