

SEVENTY-SIXTH--MEETING
VALLEY CIVIC LEAGUE

February 3, 1939

The meeting was called to order by the president, Charles Toshi.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Due to the lack of sufficient number of members the matter pertaining to the delinquency of members was left at later date.

James Matsuoka was appointed by the president to see whether the Kent library carried the following books: "Why Meddle in the Orient" by Boake Carter and Thos. Healy, and "Asia Answers" by Ralph Townsend.

A motion was made and carried to hold an installation of newly-elected officers in the latter part of February with Mr. Tamotsu Murayama, leading Nisei journalist, being contacted to address the organization. The isseis are to be invited. Geo. Terada was named to arrange for this affair.

Those members desiring pins were asked by the president to see him at the end of the meeting.

A motion was made and passed that we have an attendance contest with the vice-presidents to be the head chairmen of their districts. A chart is to be made, and the progress of each district will be recorded at each monthly meeting. At the end of the year the winning district will be determined on a percentage basis and that the winner would be the reciprocant of a reward.

recipient (?)

With the aid of their committees, the district chairmen duties is to obtain the support of their members in any activity that league may undertake.

Discussion was held on our annual picnic and "On to Tacoma" plan. The matter is to be taken into consideration at a later date.

A motion was made and carried that the league create a Social Welfare and a Vocational Welfare committee. The president appointed the following: Mrs. Geo. Yasumura, Social Welfare; James Matusoka, Vocational; Mineral Okura, registration of voters.

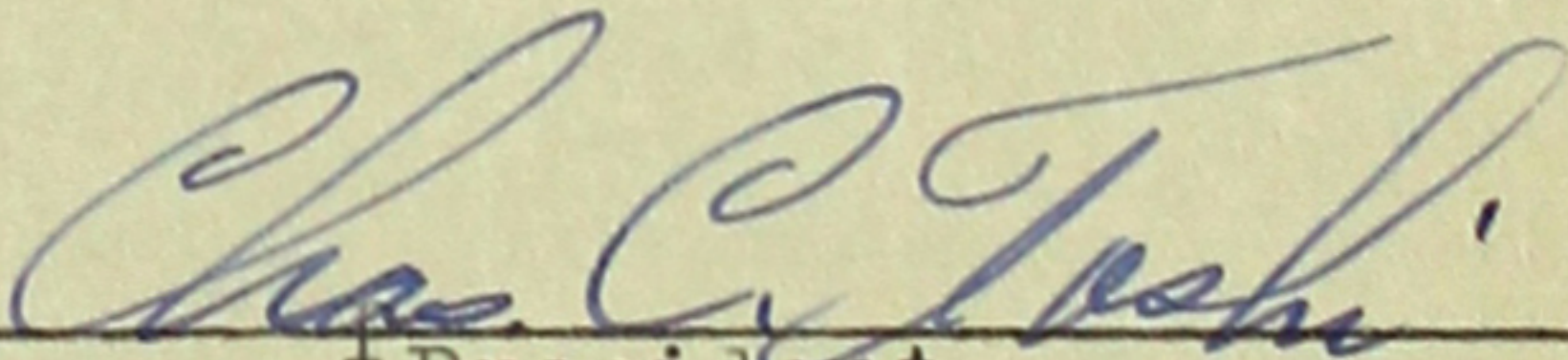
A motion was made and passed that the oratorical contest will be held in May. The following chairmen were appointed:

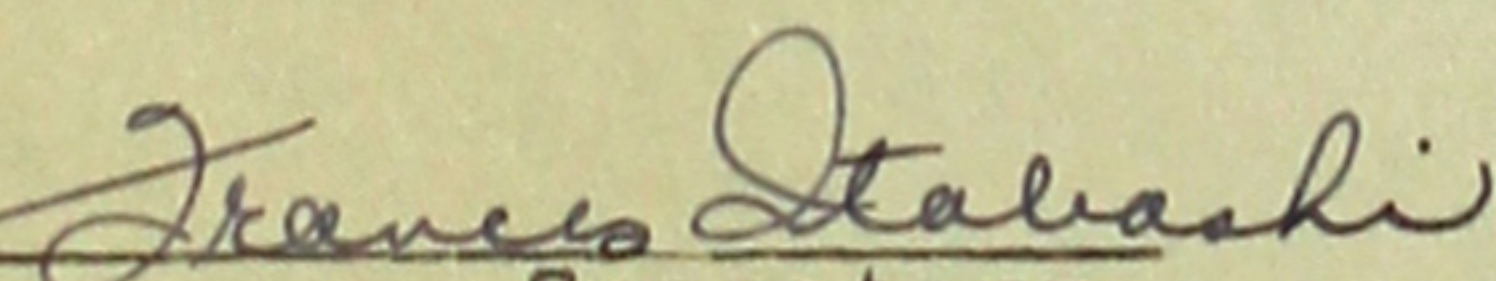
Keo Murakami-----Auburn
Maki Yamada-----Thomas
Miki Dodobara -----Kent

A motion was made and passed that the new members of the membership drive will be the honored guest at the dinner and dance. The losing side in the drive to be hosts, and the winners to be given reduction on the dinner. Date and place will be set at the coming meeting. Dance to be open to the public.

Mr. James Matsuoka, former member, was introduced with his wife to the members.

After the adjournment of the meeting a moving picture, showing scenes of the national convention, was shown by Tom Iseri.


President

Attest: 
Secretary

ATTENDANCE--FEBRUARY 3, 1939

HARUCO OKURA

AMY MATSUOKA

JAMES MATSUOKA

MIN OKURA

ROSE YAMADA

MAXIE SHIMOSHIMA

T. OKURA

KEO MURAKAMI

GEO. KADOYAMA

MIKI DODOBARA

TOMMY HIRANAKA

GEO. ISERI

TOMIO ITABASHI

MICHIO OKUTA

H. NAMBA

JOHN DODOBARA

GEO YASUMURA

WILLIE MAEBORI

TAEKO YASUMURA

ITSUKO TSUJIKAWA

TOSHIKO TSUJIKAWA

FRANK NAMBA

KANEYASU SHIMOSHIMA

M. YAMADA

M? HAMADA

ETHEL MAEBORI

FRANCES ITABASHI

GERTRUDE KATO

TOM ISERI

YOSHIO NATSUHARA