

APRIL 20/58 Kiki
#3 letter

It is getting late and I plan to leave Kobe for Nagoya tomorrow noon.

Met D NAGATA's representative at 1 PM (WATANABE) discussed a few things. ~~SATA~~ PICNIC SET maker can not produce enough so I told him to forget the item for if it is too hard to produce, then we are better off if we do not start at all.

at 3 PM I met the KOBE MATCH Co. represent. Did not have quotations. Said would phone in prices later which he did. ^{by phone.} Prices are quite high, I do not make for KESSLER. Price sheet will be sent me Monday - tomorrow - AM.

Then I went to KAWANAMI's for chat & saw his new samples, but since I made appointment with T. Yamada, I left in a few minutes for T. Yamada where I met Mr. Yamada & Miss Ikano. I told them of what kind of items I wanted & then we had a Indonesian dinner - and coffee later in FUSIYA and then I came home to nurse my leg.

April 19th, I had appointment with NAKAI, ~~OSAKA~~ who brought maker of grass mats. We discussed other designs + possibilities of goza size with our mat designs. Price should be mailed to me in Tokyo & to you soon, I hope. I also suggested the ~~W~~ design similar to Marthis rug at Belvedere in Blue/green, Brown/Black etc. We may be able to sell a few if prices are not too high.

Had no lunch since I had a slight stomach ache and then interviewed ~~KOBE~~ ^{DAITO} Match - after seeing some sample from D NAGATA which I rejected (aluminum baskets for dime stores). DAITO match make all sizes and prices are OK. Will work with them after I get more designs + particulars on my return trip. Later went back to KAWANAMI, I discussed price of furniture. I do believe that we must clear up a lot of things before we can do business together.

DE IN NAGAYA MAY 7-10.

3 Drippy part starts to work through my part. Rather an uncomfortable trip, this is turning out to be. I hope we are going to have a good reason this fall to make up for my present suffering.

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I hope the kids are fine & healthy. Glad to hear Norman is doing well in TRACK.

Well, how am I doing thus far? Sound OK? Will be in Nagoya for 3 nights - then to Shizuoka & Tokyo. I plan to return to Kyoto by MAY 11. ROBE at MAY 14. LOVE - 141.

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2 Today - Sunday - I woke up at noon & went to a movie to relax. I walked the streets afterwards & returned by 6 PM. Had a soak in the basement, a hair cut & shampoo & returned to my room for letter writing.

I shall now proceed to retire after doing my daily ablutions - including my sore leg which is still as drippy as ever. Sitting down on a chair or

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