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CALENDAR FOR 1917.

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1917 Monday 1 January

In the morning my mother went to Mrs. Hatten's funeral, who lived in back of us in the next street. She passed away after a short illness. While my mother was away Mr. and Mrs. Nagashima with their children called to wish us a "Happy New Year," but went away soon.

After my mother came back many people came and stopped just long enough to wish us a "Happy New Year."

We had dinner with all kinds a Japanese eatables.

In the afternoon I read some stories, crocheted, and also played. Soon we had supper.

In the evening we played games and went to bed.

January Tuesday 2 1917

I did not want to go to school very badly because I had had a good vacation but of course I had to. The lessons were algebra, German, music, gym, English, and history.

At school Mrs. Sato's little girl gave me a pretty crepe tie.

When I came home I played a little while with the baby then helped get supper.

A man came and brought me a package from Mrs. Okuzumi. I opened it and there were a pair of pink bedroom slippers and a breakfast cap, also a pincushion.

In the evening I washed dishes, did my home work then crocheted. After reading the Bible I went to bed.

1917 Wednesday 3 January

To-day I went to school and our lessons were German, algebra, spelling, gymnasium, hygiene, English, and history (civics) We played captain ball in gym and it was fun.

I stopped in town after school to buy crochet thread.

When I came home Mr. and Mrs. Kuyama were there. They went home soon.

We had supper then in the evening I did my home work, read the Bible, crocheted then went to bed.

weather = fair.

January Thursday 4 1917

To-day in school our lessons were German, algebra, music, hygiene, English, and civics. After school I went to the 6th street station to see if my umbrella had been turned in because I left it on the car yesterday. ~~It~~ It was not there.

When I came home I took care of the baby a little then we soon had supper.

In the evening I studied my lessons, sewed my ruffle then went to bed.

At the library I got a book called, "Uncle David's Boys.

weather = fair.

1917 Friday 5 January

Our lessons at school were German, algebra, sewing, English, and civics.

In the algebra test I received 90%.

In our civics class we had so much fun. we laughed all the time. The teacher asked what detracted from the beauty of the city. Some children said the bill boards and also the telephone poles. One stupid girl didn't know what we were talking about and said the climbing roses. She didn't pay attention and said plant grass for the question, "How can we make this room beautiful. We all burst out laughing. We laughed at everything everybody said.

In the evening at home I read the Bible.

January Saturday 6 1917

The first Saturday of the new year I helped my mother with the housework. In the afternoon we washed our hair. I received a letter from Martha Hessler. Mr. Mori came and stayed to supper. My sister and I played hide-and-seek. I also read a book.

After supper I read the paper, studied Japanese, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather- fair.

1917 Sunday 7 January

At Sunday school the lesson was about Jesus the Life and Light of Men.

When I came home we soon had dinner then we all walked to Mr. and Mrs. Okuzumi's place. It was not far and soon we arrived there. Mr. and Mrs. Okuzumi were just as cheery and happy as usual. Mrs. Okuzumi in her wheel chair was pulling some crocheted baskets in shape.

My brother, sister and I climed some hills around there. We had lots of fun. We ate supper there and enjoyed it.

After supper we talked and Henry sang songs.

We ~~came~~ started walking home about eight o'clock. It seemed shorter but we were tired. But the day was so enjoyable

weather = fair.

January Monday 8 1917

To-day back to school again. Our lessons were cooking, German, algebra, English, and civics. We made lemon pie in cooking and it was good. In the test we had algebra I received 90 %.

When I came home from school my mother went to visit a sick lady. Henry, Chip, and I stayed at home. We played and I did my algebra home work.

Pretty soon my mother came home and we had supper. In the evening I studied my lessons, read the Bible, also a book and went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Tuesday 9 January

Our lesson for to-day were German, algebra, music, gym, and English, also civics. In gym we played captain ball and it was lots of fun.

When I came home I took care of the baby, then soon we had supper.

In the evening I did my homework, read the Bible, wrote letters to Margaret and Martha then went to bed.

weather[10] = fair.

January Wednesday 10 1917

To-day the second period Mrs Edwards came to talk to us. He told us about how Burbank and Mendel mixed two kinds of plants and how they experimented on peas, and four o'clocks. He said guinea pigs could be done this way also. At the end he read us a pathetic little story about a dog and a boy. It was very interesting.

We had a civics test to-day. When I came home. I cleaned up in the house. After a while we had supper.

In the evening I studied my lessons, did some sewing read the Bible then went to bed.

weather = fair. 11

1917 Thursday 11 January

To-day our lessons in school were German, algebra, music, hygiene, English, and civics. In civics test I received a -.

After school I stopped at the public library to get a book called, "Anne of the Island. It was in.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also did some other work then we had supper.

In the evening I studied my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather = raining.

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January Friday 12 1917

To-day at our school we had German, algebra, sewing, English, and civics. We had a test in German to-day. In sewing we helped get the articles of sewing ready for the exhibit to-night.

After school it was raining but I stopped at the public library and got two books for Chiyo and got, "A Popular Girl," for myself.

When I came home I played a while. Pretty soon I set the table.

After supper I did my home work, read the Bible and also the paper. I had a long intimate talk with my father about my education before I went to bed.

weather = fair.

13

1917 Saturday 13 January

This morning we did our housework.

After lunch I read a book. I made some button holes on a dress of mine.

I took care of the baby before supper.

In the evening after supper I read the newspaper then I read the Bible studied Japanese, read a story book then went to bed.

The Sunday school lesson was about, "John the Baptist and Jesus." The Golden Text was, "Behold the Lamb of God that taketh away the sin of the world.

After Sunday school I came home and ~~our~~ we had dinner. My father went to the Japanese mission. I read a book until time to go to Junior League. The topic was, "Thinking about God's Laws."

When I came home I played, read a book then we had supper. After supper we played a game and at last my father came home. He stayed at the mission all day.

I read a book then went to bed.

The lessons we had today in school were German, algebra, cooking, English, and civics. In classroom we made slips of papers out saying what we were going to take next year. In cooking we made doughnuts and I made some when I came home. They turned out very good.

We had supper then in the evening I did my homework, read the Bible, read the newspaper then went to bed.

January Tuesday 16 1917

At school to-day we had German, algebra, music, gym, English, and civics.

In my German test I received 90%.

When I came home from school I played then I washed the dishes.

Afterwards we had supper. In the evening I did my lessons, read a book, also the Bible and went to bed.

I finished reading "Anne of the Island" that is a fine book.

1917 Wednesday 17 January

Our school lessons to-day were Germans, algebra, gym, hygiene, English, and civics.

In gym we played baseball.

After school I went to the library and got a book called, "Lavendar and Old Lace."

After I came home I took care of the baby then played for a while.

We had supper then in the evening I studied my lessons, read a book, also the Bible then went to bed.

January Thursday 18 1917

In the German test I had we had yesterday I received 94%. We had an algebra test to-day in all factoring. We had a hygine test too.

After I came home I played, took care of the baby. I cooked some mustard greens for supper. After supper I did my home work, read a book, the Bible, also then went to bed.

1917 Friday 19 January

To day I went to schooland the lessons were algebra, German, sewing, English and civics. In the algebra test I received 99%.

After I came home I played until time for supper.

In the evening I read a book, colored some pictures, read the Bible and went to bed. I finished reading "~~Old~~ Lavendar and Old Lace," written by Myrtle Reed.

weather 20 ~~fair~~ rainy.

January Saturday 20 1917

This morning I helped with the house work and also took care of the baby. Then Chiyo, Henry and I played store and had fun.

Pretty soon we had lunch.

In the afternoon I played, read a book, and also took care of the baby.

I played hide and seek with the children in the house then we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper, read the Bible, took my bath and ~~read~~ a went to bed.

weather = fair. 21

1917 Sunday 21 January

This morning the Sunday school lesson was, "First Diciples of the Lord Jesus." It was about Jesus calling the men to follow him.

After Sunday school we had dinner. In the afternoon my father went to the Japanese mission and we stayed home. I read a book and played. Then I went to Junior League. The topic was, "Keeping God's Laws," and Eva Norberg was leader.

When I came home I read a book, sang some hymns, and played for a while.

After supper I read a book, also the Bible then went to bed.

January Monday 22 1917

At school to-day our lessons were German, algebra, cooking, English, and civics. In cooking two other girls and I gave a luncheon. We had lamb stew, banana salad, biscuits, cocoa, and ice-cream. The table was set with pink carnations in the center and painted place cards. It was very pretty. I made the biscuits and we had to stay in the seventh period to wash the dishes.

When I came home I played, then I helped get supper.

After supper I washed the dishes. I also studied my lessons, read the Bible, also a book then went to bed.

1917 Tuesday 23 January

To-day we had German, algebra, music, gym, English, and history. In the music test I received B & D. That is the lowest I ever received in any test.

The cook in the cafeteria was fired and a new one put in her place. She is so clean and nice, I like her better than the other one.

When I came home I put the rooms in order then I played with the baby.

After supper I did my lessons, read the Bible, read the book and went to bed.

weather 24 fair.

January Wednesday 24 1917

In school, to-day, our lessons were, German, algebra, gym, hygiene, English, and civics. Right after roll call we elected our Bg. student council members. Two girls were elected, one from classroom 117 and one from our classroom.

After school I went to the library and got another card because my old one had expired. I also got a book called, "Spinner of the Sun."

When I came home I took care of the baby then my sister got us each a penny balloon, they're awfully cute.

We had supper then in the evening I did my home work, read the paper and went to bed.

weather = fair. 25

1917 Thursday 25 January

To-day our lessons were as usual. The eigth period the dramatic club gave a played called, "a Box of Monkeys. There were five characters and all were fine. The girls we dressed so dainty and pretty. The boys who took mens parts were cute, specially a small boy who wore an evening suit. It was so interesting that I did not want it to end.

When I came home I took care of the baby then soon we had supper. In the evening I studied my lessons sewed some buttons then read the Bible and went to bed.

To-day we had German, algebra, sewing, English, and civics. In algebra we had a test. On sewing I finished my princess slip entirely.

After I came home from school I took care of the baby then I played a little while.

We had supper then I read a book, also wrote Japanese, and read the Bible then I went to bed.

To-day about nine thirty we went to visit our old friends where we used to live. We visited Mrs. Emoto, Mrs. Honda, Mrs. Watanabe, and Mrs. Yuzawa and Mrs. Yamaguch. She last two live to-gether. We went to Mrs. Honda's and Mrs. Yuzawa's the longest. We had dinner at Mrs. Honda and supper at Mrs. Yuzawa. We played with their little boys and girls who were so cute. We had an awfully good time and ~~came~~ started home about seven thirty. We certainly enjoyed the day. Everybody was so nice.

After we came home I read the paper, we took our bath and went to bed.

This morning we attended sunday school. The lesson was about Jesus' Reverence for his Father's House," when he drove the sellers of animal away from Gods Temple at the time of the Passover at Jerusalem.

When I came home we soon had dinner.

I went to Junior League in the afternoon and Mrs. Stevens took charge of the meeting. The topic was, The Fruits of the Alliance. After the Juniors we stayed to practice songs for the evening.

After supper I went to Y.P.A. and church. Five of us girls sang in Y.P.A. by ourselves. There was a very interesting man who preached to-night.

The lessons to-day were German, algebra, cooking, English, and Civics. We made cheese straws in cooking. Miss Mason gave just the girls an aud. call to-day. She said that in the basement was written some nasty things and she wondered who did them and she said no one should go in the labratory except for an emergency.

When I came home I played and also did some work. I took care of the baby then we soon had supper.

In the evening I did some school work then went to bed.

weather = fair.

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January Tuesday 30 1917

To-day we made out next terms ~~class rooms~~ programs. We went around in the morning getting our Tuesday subjects signed. I don't like my program very well because I haven't many good teachers for the different classes. In the afternoon we had this terms classes.

When I came home from school I took care of the baby. I also washed the dishes.

After supper I studied my lessons, read the paper the Bible, then went to bed.

weather = fair.

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1917 Wednesday 31 January

At school to-day our lessons were German, algebra, gym, hygiene, English, and civics. In gym we played ball and our side beat. During English ~~period~~ our teacher told us a few of Shakespear plays and they were very interesting.

After school I ~~stopped~~ in town and looked at some paterns then came home. I took care of the baby then set the table.

In the evening I did some lessons then read the Bible, also a book then went to bed.

February Thursday 1 1917

To-day school was as usual with a test in German. In civics each boy or girl asked a question and called on somebody to answer it.

When I came home I took care of the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I studied, then read the paper, also the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Friday 2 February

To-day was a day full of fun. After the second period we assembled in the auditorium to see the Ag. class play. It was pretty good. After that we went to our class rooms. There we got our report cards and our diplomas. I received all A's on my card except one B in music. We received our Brown & Gold's the annual book and went around signing them until noon. We had a fine time.

In our English class we played games and also had more fun. And too during and call the Ag president gave a speech and presented a beautiful picture to be hung in study hall to the school. The Ag's also sang their class song which was very pretty.

School let out about quarter of three and we all were surprised when com. in mem.

~~this~~ weather, fair.

February Saturday 3 1917

This morning my mother and I did our housework. We worked very hard. Soon we finished, and had lunch.

In the afternoon I made some pretty beads out of magazine covers by rolling them up after cutting them in shape of a dagger. Mrs. Nagashima came for a little visit. After that I took care of the baby and we had fun because he's so funny.

After supper I read the paper, read the Bible, and finished reading, "Betty Wales, Junior." I took a bath then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Sunday 4 February

To-day in the morning we attended Sunday school as we always do. The lesson was about Jesus Christ and Nicodemus, a Pharisee, who wanted to know the truth.

When I came home I read a book. Soon we had dinner. After that I went to Junior League. The topic was "praying with the whole heart," and I gave a blackboard talk.

After I came home I read a book, then took baby to some friends down the street where my mother was. They were making some mochi.

We came home and had supper. I finished reading, "A Spinner in the Sun." It was very interesting.

February Monday 5 1917

The new term started to-day. We went to our new classes, and I attended history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. We're going to make a dress for ourselves in sewing and mine is pink plaid trimmed in pink. They are all going to be Russian blouse patterns so I went down town after school to have my pattern exchanged.

When I came home I took care of the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I did my lessons, read the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Tuesday 6 February

To-day our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, gym, and journalism. Journalism is writing up news of school interest for the school paper. I had study twice in succession so my English teacher recommended me to Mr. Golay, the journalism teacher. Lillian and I are to work in it.

After I came home I took care of the baby and played in the lots near our house. We had lots of fun.

We had supper then I washed the dishes. I did my homework, read a the Bible, then went to bed.

February Wednesday 7 1917

To-day in school we had history, algebra, German, English, study and sewing. In sewing we cut out our dresses.

When I came home I took the baby and went to Mrs. Nagashima's and some Japanese people to invite them to the Bible meeting tonight.

We had supper then got ready for the meeting. Pretty soon the people arrived and it began. I went in the bed room and did my home work.

They read the Bible and gave little talks. After the refreshments they all went home.

1917 Thursday 8 February

On the way to school I went to the book store and bought Buhlig's Business English. Our lessons at school were history, algebra, German, and English. Also oral English and journalism.

When I came home I took care of the baby until supper time.

In the evening I studied my lessons, read the Bible, then went to bed.

February Friday 9 1917

As usual I went to school and our lessons were history, algebra, German, and English. Also sewing and gym.

After I came home I took care of the baby. I played with him and had fun.

Pretty soon we had supper. Then I read the newspaper, studied my lessons, read the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Saturday 10 February

This morning we did our house work. I also took care of the baby.

After dinner I read a book all afternoon. Later I took care of the baby and went into the next lots and played.

Soon we had supper. After that Chiyo and my mother went to a funeral service. I washed the dishes, read the newspaper read the Bible and went to bed.

weather = fair.

February Sunday 11 1917

We went to school to-day and came home earlier than usual. My mother, sister and brothers and I went to the Japanese mission where my father was.

After we came home we had dinner then I went to Junior League.

After that I read a book then we went to Mrs. Yamaoka's where we visited. When we came home we had supper. I washed the dishes, finished reading Betty Wales, Senior, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather = fair. cloudy & rain.

1917 Monday 12 February

I went to school to-day and our lessons were history, algebra, English, oral English, and sewing. The fourth period we had an aud. call for this was Lincoln's birthday. We sang patriotic songs and two boys gave some anecdotes of Lincoln and the Gettysburg speech. Mr. Golay read a poem.

When I came home I took care of the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I studied my lessons and went to bed.

February Tuesday 13 1917

In school our lessons were history, algebra, German, and English. Also gym and journalism. We made out news programs and went around to have them signed. I stopped in the library after school and got a report for history.

After I came home I took care of the baby. We had supper then I washed dishes, did my lessons and went to bed.

1917 Wednesday 14 February

Our lessons to-day in school were history, algebra, German, English, and sewing. In history I gave a report on the Sphinx. In sewing we started sewing on our dresses.

After school I went to the Pacific Electric to get a carbook.

After I came home I took care of the baby and also played.

After supper I washed dishes, did my studies, then went to bed.

February Thursday 15 1917

In oral English to-day I gave a speech on the subject, "To Reform New Jersey's Medieval Prisons." The teacher said it was good.

When I came home from school I put the parlor in order and, also took care of the baby. We played hide-and-go-seek, too.

After we had supper my father went to the Japanese mission. I washed dishes, did my studies, read the paper, also the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Friday 16 February

In algebra we had a test. In sewing we had to recite on the subject of cotton. We had a bad recitation and the teacher was so mean and unfair. It was all like a joke to us and we laughed right in her face.

After I came home I took care of the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I read a book, did my German, read the Bible, then went to bed.

This morning we did all our housework. After lunch I read a book, also took care of the baby.

My mother made us some candy like thing that was made from mochi. It was very good.

I read a book called, "Mother Carey's Chickens."

We played hide and go seek.

We had supper then in the evening I read a book, took my bath and went to bed.

To day we went to Sunday school. After we came home we made preparations for a big dinner for Mr. & Mrs. Yuzawa, Mr. & Mrs. Honda Mr. & Mrs. Yamaguchi with their children came to visit us. The Honda family arrived first then after a few hours the other familie came. We had dinner at once. We had all kinds of vegetables, also roast meat, cake and fruits. After it was over we played with the children. They are all from two to four and are so amusing we had lots of fun.

Then they all had to go home so we cleaned up and I read a book and went to bed.

weather ~~fair~~ rainy.

February Monday 19 1917

This morning I was late to school. It was on account of the cars.

The lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing.

On my Egyptian outline for history I received a.

When I came home I did a little work and we played hide and seek in the house.

We had supper then in the evening I did my lessons read the Gospel of John (2 chap) then made my lunch and went to bed.

weather = showers.

1917 Tuesday 20 February

To-day the new bell scedule was put in order. It was that school should begin at twenty minutes of nine making each period a little longer. I don't like it very well.

Our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, and journalism. In the algebra test that we had Friday I received 90% and another boy received 80%. We were the only ones that past. Because they failed the others have to stay after school every day this week.

When I came home I played, and also with the baby.

We had supper; in the evening ~~then~~ I did my home-work, read the papers, then went to bed.

February Wednesday 21 1917

To-day at school we ha
history, algebra, German, Englis
and sewing.

After I came home I did
some work and also played
I helped get supper too.

In the evening I did my
home work, read the Bible
then went to bed.

1917 Thursday 22 February

To-day in school we
had an aud. call. Judge
White spoke and he was
fine. He spoke on patriotism
and spoke very clearly. His
talk was enjoyed by all.
He said that as Washington
was patriotic so we should
be patriotic. We sang the
stars-spangled banner and
America.

In journalism I copied
some answers from civics
test papers and they
were very funny.

After I came home I
took care of the baby and
also played.

We had supper then in
the evening I did my
homework, read the news-
papers, the Bible then
went to bed.

My mother and Chijo went
the the baby's celebration
at Mr. + Mrs. Uchida's home.

February Friday 23 1917

In school to-day we had history, algebra, German, English, and sewing. In German we had a test. I was supposed to take gym to-day but was excused to go to the library.

When I came home I took care of the baby. We played hide and seek in the house. After we had supper I read the newspaper, read a book and went to bed. I finished reading "Betty Wales B. A."

1917 Saturday 24 February

This morning we did our housework and finished early.

After lunch Mrs. Nagashima came and stayed quite a while. Chiyo, Henry, and I played paper doll. I also finished reading "Queen's Company." I took care of the baby before supper.

After we had our supper Mr. Honda came over.

I read the paper, also the Bible and took my bath then went to bed.

February Sunday 25 1917

This morning Chiyo and I went to Sunday school. The lesson was about Jesus healing a sick man who had been on his bed 38 years and was waiting to be healed at the spring in Bethesda.

After we came home I read a funny paper.

We had dinner then we got ready to go to Katsumi Fuzawa's birthday party. My father was fixing the faucet so he came later.

Little Katsumi was two years old on the twenty-second.

We had a regular feast then we played with Katsumi and Bobochan. We had so much fun and they were so amusing. About nine thirty we started home.

My father and Henry had gone to the missions.

I surely enjoyed the day.

1917 Monday 26 February

To-day I went to school as usual. Our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. Nothing very unusual happend.

I came home then we got some balloons. We played then pretty soon we had supper. I studied my lessons, read the Bible, also the newspaper then went to bed.

February Tuesday 27 1917

Our school lessons were histo
algebra, German, English, gym,
and journalism.

After school I stopped in
town and got a middie blouse
in the coat style trimmed
in pink stripes.

When I came home I took
care of the baby.

We had supper then I did
my home work and read the
Bible then went to bed.

1917 Wednesday 28 February

At school our lessons were
history, algebra, German, English,
and sewing. We had an aud.
call and a man spoke to us
about Benjamin Franklin,
what a great man he was and
what he accomplished for the
benefit of the world. It was
interesting.

After I came home I got
some meat ready to cook. My
mother had gone to a lady's house.

We had supper then in
the evening I did lots of home
work then went to bed.

weather = fair.

March Thursday 1 1917

In my German test I received 80%. We had an English test to-day. It was not so very hard. O the things were history, algebra, oral English, and journalism.

On my way home I stopped at a shoe store and got a pair of the cutest ballet slippers for gym. I like them very much. I had been wishing for them for so long. I saw some of the fashion show and it was beautiful. I saw them taking a scene in a moving picture but I couldn't see any sense to it.

When I came home I took care of the baby then we had supper soon.

In the evening I did my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Friday 2 March

At school to-day we had one algebra test. We had history, German, English, gym, and sewing also.

When I came home I took care of the baby, then we had supper soon.

After that I did my lessons, read the newspaper then went to bed.

March Saturday 3 1917

This morning we did our housework. We had lunch then my mother made some Japanese candy. This was very good. I played ball with the kids next door. I looked at magazines, also. I then took care of the baby for a while.

We had supper, then in the evening I washed dishes, read a magazine, took my bath then went to bed.

1917 Sunday 4 March

To-day our Sunday school lesson was about the feeding of the 5,000 people. It was very interesting and we learned that if we did everything to glorify Jesus we should be blessed.

After we came home I read my Sunday school paper. We had dinner then I went to Junior League. To-day was business meeting.

When I came home my father came home from the Japanese mission. The girls next door, Ella and Bonita, and Chiyo and I walked through the woods to Bimini. We watched them swim for awhile then came home. We had a good walk.

At home we had supper then my mother went to the Japanese mission. I studied my history, then played paper dolls, then went to bed.

To-day in school we had ancient history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and ~~study~~ sewing. We had a test in history and in my algebra test I received 90%.

After I came home I took care of the baby and also played ball.

We had supper then in the evening I read the Bible studied my home work then went to bed.

At school our lessons to-day were history, algebra, German, English, gym, and journalism.

Our history note books were handed back. They contained outlines and maps and I got "A" on every single one.

In English we had to answer many questions on what we are going to be when we leave school, and why we have chosen this work and other questions.

When I came home I mostly took care of the baby.

We had supper soon. In the evening I studied my lessons, read the Bible then I went to bed.

To-day we had history, algebra, English, German, and sewing. In my history test I received "A." We had an aud. call and a man who is at the head of the employment bureau of southern California spoke to us about the different jobs and people that apply for them. We gave the girls some awful slams. There was something interesting about it but it was too long.

After I came home I took care of the baby and soon we had supper. In the evening I studied my lessons, then went to bed.

In school we had history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and journalism. In oral English I gave a speech entitled, "An Awakened Russia."

After school Edna and I went to the library to get some books.

When I came home I took care of the baby, also played ball.

We had supper then afterwards I did my homework, read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

weather, rainy & fair

March Friday 9 1917

I went to school to-day and our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, gym and sewing. In sewing we had a review.

When I came home I ~~took~~ got supper for my mother because the baby was feverish and was sick.

After supper I read a book, also the newspaper, prepared my father's lunch then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Saturday 10 March

It took my mother all morning to do the house work. We had lunch when we finished. In the afternoon I made paper doll dresses, also read a book. I decided to make some candy so I did. It turned out sugary so I corked it over again and pulled it a little then it was just fine.

I took care of the baby a while. We had supper then in the evening I took my bath, read a book, read the Bible then went to bed.

To-day I finished reading: "Martha-by-the-day." It was very interesting.

This morning we went to Sunday school. The lesson was about Jesus telling the people that he was sent from the Father Almighty.

After coming home we had dinner. I read a book then went to Junior League. The topic was "How do we know that Jesus forgives us?" Mrs. Keerman took charge and she said, mainly through the Bible.

When I came home I read a book until supper time. My father came home then from the mission.

After supper I read a book, also the Bible then went to bed.

I went to school to-day and our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. In history I gave a report on the Greek God Appollo. The teacher said it was very good.

When I came home from school I played and also took care of the baby.

We had supper then I studied my lessons, read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

In school our lessons were history, algebra, spelling, German, English, gym and journalism. In German we had a trial test and I am ashamed at my mark.

After I came home I took care of the baby and also played.

When we finished supper I washed the dishes then I did my home work, read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

When I went to school we had history, algebra, spelling, English, German, and sewing.

After school Edna and I went to the exhibit in the Metropolitan building. It was very beautiful. It was mostly architecture. There were paintings and drawings of buildings. These were beautifully planned and colored. We also went to the library. I got a book called "Old Rose and Silver."

When I arrived home I played, took care of the baby then we had supper.

In the evening I did my home work, read a book, also the Bible then went to bed.

weather = fair.

March Thursday 15 191

To-day at school we had history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and journalism. To-day was my mother's and my birthday. The ballet slippers that I received the first of the month were really birthday presents and Nita gave me a sachet bag. After school Nita took Edna's and my picture together.

After I came home I took care of the baby and soon we had a Japanese birthday supper.

In the evening I did my home work, drew pictures, and read the Bible then went to bed.

repairs

weather = fair.

1917 Friday 16 March

In school we had history, algebra, German, English, gym and sewing. For sewing we had to stay after school because she said we laughed when one girl was impertinent to her. In algebra we had a test and I couldn't get some of the problems.

When I came home I did some housework and also played with the baby.

We had supper then after that I washed dishes, did some home work, read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

March Saturday 17 191

This morning we Sunday school class met at the church and started on a hike to Mt. Hollywood. We walked a long ways and at last came to the foot. This was where the climbing began. After going a-while we rested in a little summer house. There were twelve including the girls and two ladies and a little girl. Five of us wanted to goon so we did. We wanted to go to the flag pole. We went on the regular road and round and wound around. Still we couldn't get there. It was a joke to us to see the others already up there. They had taken a trail. We ate lunch by the flag pole then we went down all kinds of steep and rockey places. There were awfully pretty bluebirds flying about and growing along the paths were pretty wild flowers. Finally we came down to Griffith park. There

1917 Sunday 18 March

To-day I was very sore from yesterdays hike. But I went to Sunday school and put in my birthday pennies. I received a pretty card, also. My mother brought baby to Sunday school.

When we came home I played and read a book. Pretty soon we had dinner. Then I went to Junior League and we had a good meeting.

I read a book the rest of the afternoon. We had supper then I drew a map and read the Bible then went to bed.

I finished reading "Across the Campus."

weather fair.

March Monday 19 1917

To-day at school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. In our algebra test which we had Friday I received 10%. That was the lowest mark I ever received in a test.

When I was coming home I stopped in town and did some errands for my mother.

After I finally reached home I did some work and also helped get supper.

When we finished that I did my lessons then I made some cheese straws. Pretty soon I went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Tuesday 20 March

At school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, gym, and journalism.

After school I went to the department store and got some embroidery cotton for sewing.

When I came home Mr. and Mrs. Nakamura our new Japanese pastor was at our house. My mother took them to Mrs. Yamaoka's house and all the people down there. While she was gone I did lots of work.

In the evening I decorated Henry's birthday cake and also read the paper. I then went to bed.

weather = cloudy.

March Wednesday 21 1917

I went to school as usual and we had history, algebra, English, German, and sewing. When I came home I ate some things left over from Henry's birthday party. The whole kindergarten was invited this morning with the teachers to our back yard where we had a birthday picnic at eleven o'clock. My mother served lemonade, sandwiches, candy, cookies, and fruit. My mother said the children enjoyed it so much and everybody had a good time. Henry was happy also.

I took care of the baby then ~~I~~ we had supper. In the evening my mother went to a Bible meeting and I did my lessons and also read a book, and the Bible then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Thursday 22 March

Our lessons in school were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and journalism.

When I came home my mother was not home; she had gone to a friends house. I did some work then after my mother came back I helped get supper.

In the evening I washed dishes, did my home work, read a book then went to bed.

weather fair.

March Friday 23 1917

In school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, gym, and sewing. In gym our team beat the other side. After school Violet and I went to Mr. Golay to get help on our debate.

When I came home I took care of the baby and played. We had supper then I washed dishes. I did my home work, read a book then went to be

weather fair.

1917 Saturday 24 March

This morning I took care of baby for a long time. Then I did some house work. At last we finished and had lunch.

In the afternoon my mother made pop corn and other Japanese things then I finished my belt for the white coat. My mother made it over. It is serge with a cute collar, belt and big pockets. I like it real well. I took care of the baby then did some washing.

We had supper then my father went away. I read a book, also the newspaper then we took our bath and went to bed.

I finished reading "Old Rose and Silver.

This morning our Sunday school lesson was the review. After Sunday school we came ho and ~~was~~ we packed a lunch t go to the park this afternoon. W ate a light lunch then went Eastlake park. We walked arou then we found a shady pla and ate part of our lunch. W then bought some ice cream then we went on the Merry-go-round. That was lots of fun. On our way there, there was a lady lying on the grass she was very old an no one knew how it happened bu she died suddenly, as she was sitting under a tree, a few hours before. An ambulance then came and took her away in a casket. scared me quite a bit to see such a thing.

We went on a hill and ate the rest of our lunch. We rested f quite a while then we went t the car to the Japanese missio After we came home at night I w to bed after enjoying a good day.

In school to-day we had history algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. During history period a man who was very active in the country many years ago spoke to us about History's value. Right after that he spoke in and call. This was quite interesting. He spoke to ~~us~~ about America being a Dreamer and about peace. There were quite a bit of other things that I have forgotten.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also played.

We had supper then I did my lessons, read the newspaper then went to bed.

March Tuesday 27 1917

This morning I was fifteen minutes late to school. It was all on account of the old Temple street car. I had to stay after school for that.

In school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, gymnasium, and journalism. Our Comet staff and reporters had their pictures taken, I was one of them.

When I came home I took care of the baby, did some ironing then we had supper.

In the evening I did my lessons, read the Bible, also the newspaper, then went to bed.

1917 Wednesday 28 March

School lessons to-day were history, algebra, German, English and sewing.

After school Violet and I went to the library to get our debate. We didn't get very much material but we are going again.

When I came home I took care of the baby, then pretty soon we had supper.

In the evening I did my home work, read the Bible, also a book, then went to bed.

weather = cloudy.

March Thursday 29 1917

To day in school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and journalism.

After school I went to the library and got, "League of the Signet Ring." I tried to get a report for history on Clisthenes but I could not get anything about him.

When I came home my mother had gone to get water cress and I cleaned up the house a little. Pretty soon she came home. I took care of the baby then ~~I ate~~ we had supper.

In the evening I did my home work, read the Bible, also the newspaper then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Friday 30 March

In school to-day we had history, algebra, German, English, gymnasium, and sewing. In gym we played ball and the other side won.

After school was over we came home for a week's vacation.

When I came home I took care of the baby. I helped get supper then we ate it.

In the evening I read a book, read a newspaper

March Saturday 31 1917

This morning we did all our house work before noon. Just about the time we finished Mr. Mori came for a visit. He brought Chiyo and Henry each a Easter basket with chickens in it. They were very glad. We had dinner with us and went home about four o'clock.

Right after dinner I went to Mrs Leslies home for the quarter meeting. We did the business first then had election of officers. Then we adjourned for the social part. We had sandwiches cake, cocoa, fruit, and all day suckers. We played different games then we came home. We had a good time.

1917 Sunday 1 April

To-day we had the lesson of Jesus giving the blind man sight by anointing his eyes with clay and telling him to go wash in the pool of Siloam.

After Sunday school we came home and I read a book.

We had dinner then went to Junior League. It was business meeting and we also had a talk by Margaret Blunn.

When I came home I finished reading, "League of the Signet Ring."

We had supper then in the evening my mother went to the Japanese meeting at the mission. I read a book and went to bed.

weather - fair.

April Monday 2 1917

To-day we went down town to do some shopping. Henry Chiyo, and I got new slippers. Mine are the tennis slippers and the others are buckskin. Chiyo and I got new hats. They are both awfully pretty. Chiyo's is old rose straw and mine is a silk covered ~~straw~~ sport hat. We bought some Easter things and other articles. My mother then went home with baby and Henry. Chiyo and I went to the library and got books. We stayed a long time then came home.

At home I played, also took care of the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I read a book, read the Bible, also the newspaper then went to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 Tuesday 3 April

This morning I did lots of work. I swept two rooms, made all the beds then took care of the baby. My mother did a big washing to-day.

We ate dinner pretty soon then when the children went to Sunday school to practice for Easter my mother, baby, and I went to get some water cress. We went to Mrs. Nagashima's house first and she and her children went with us. We had a good time getting it and my shoes got soaking wet. Finally we started home and we stopped at Mrs. Nagashima's house.

When we came home I took care of the baby, watered the garden then we had supper.

In the evening, I read a book, read the Bible, also the newspaper then went to bed.

weather = fair

April Wednesday 4 1917

To-day we did some ironing. While my mother was doing it I took care of the baby. I did some ironing after lunch. My mother made some cookies for the Bible meeting in the evening. It was our turn to have it this week. I played with the baby then helped get supper.

After supper the people began to come. During the meeting I read the paper, then a read a book then went to bed.

weather - fair

1917 Thursday 5 April

This morning we were lazy because it was so hot and Mrs. Nagashima came over for a little while.

After lunch I played in the backyard with the baby. Then I took a nap because I had a headache. Then when I woke up I sewed on some buttons to a dress and fixed my under clothes by sewing buttons on.

I took care of the baby till supper time.

In the evening I read a book, read the Bible, also the news paper then went to bed.

This morning I swept one of the rooms and also took care of the baby.

After lunch I played and pretty soon we all went to get some water cress. Mrs. Nagashima went too. We got an awful lot. I went in barefooted and got the water cress. On the way home we stopped at Mrs. Nagashima house and drank tea, then after awhile started home.

At home I took care of the baby then we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper, prepared my history report then went to bed.

This morning we did all our house work very early. Then I washed my hair. I had promised to take Mr. & Mrs. Nagashima's girl (Kikuesan) down town and pretty soon she came. When ~~we~~ got ready we started off. We went to the fifthstreet store and she bought different kinds of goods down there. We finished the shopping early then came home. I went to her house with her then came home.

At home I played, took care of the baby, then had supper. After that we colored Easter eggs. Some of them turned out real pretty.

My father brought home a big box Mr. Hyland had given him and it had colored eggs in it with candy eggs, chocolate eggs and bunnies and chickies.

weather cloudy

April Sunday 8 191

At Sunday school they had a good Easter programme. The small children were so cute when they sang and said their recitations. I had to say a recitation about the lesson of Easter and I was the very first on the programme. I enjoyed it all and all the more because mine was over with at the beginning.

When we came home we had dinner.

After that I ate Easter and read a book most of the afternoon.

When we finished supper I went to Y. P. A. They had graduation exercises for Chrissie, Helen, and Twyla from the Junior League to the senior Y. P. A.

They recited the ten commandments, Beatitudes, 1st Psalm, 23rd Psalm, books of the Bible and first Corinthian 13th chapter. All the girls except Twyla new them perfectly.

weather = ~~fair~~ rainy.

1917 Monday 9 April

School starts again and in school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing.

In history I gave a report to-day. In the algebra test we had I received 90 %.

When we started home it poured terrible and I didn't have any umbella and wore tennis shoes. I was glad when I got home, but it cleared up.

At home I took a little care of the baby and played.

After supper, I studied, read the Bible, and went to bed.

To-day our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, gym, & journalism. In gym our team won the ball game with a score of 5-0. That was a good game.

After school I went to the library. I got a book there.

When I came home I took care of the baby. Mrs. Nagashima came over for a little while.

We had supper then in the evening I studied my lessons then I went to bed.

In history we had a hard test. In German our class was going to give a play so we took the parts to-day. I am one of the good fairies for we are going to give Sleeping Beauty.

After school I came home. I ironed some clothes, took care of the baby. There was a snake in the front and when one of the boys next door came to kill it, it disappeared under the house. My mother and I were scared.

After supper I studied, read the Bible, read the paper then went to bed.

weather, fair.

April Thursday 12 1917

Our lessons for to-day were history, algebra, German, oral English, and journalism. Our team in oral English gave a report debate to-day and Violet and I, who were the affimative won. After school Edna and I went to the library and looked up our things for sewing.

When I came home I cleaned house, got the supper.

In the evening I did my lessons, read the Bible, also the newspaper then went to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 Friday 13 April

To day in school we had history, algebra, German, English, gym, and sewing.

In gym we played ball and our side won. When the other side came up to bats they made only two runs. Our score was twelve runs without any outs.

During sewing the teacher asked each girl what she thought she deserved in her Friday recication for sewing. No one said "A." I said "B" and she said that was a pretty good guess.

After I came home I took care of the baby. We had supper then I washed dishes, read a book, read the newspaper, then the Bible and went to bed.

April Saturday 14 1917

Today we were late in doing our house work. It took us into the afternoon.

When we finished we had lunch then I did some sewing and also read a book. Before supper I took baby and went to Mrs. Yamooka's. She gave us some pretty roses.

In the evening I read a book, read the Bible, also the newspaper and went to bed.

1917 Sunday 15 April

In Sunday school our lesson was about "Jesus the Good Shepherd."

After Sunday school we had dinner. Then an auto came for us to take us to a beautiful place on West Adams where a Japanese club were holding Easter services. Mrs. Nagashima's girl went with us. The grounds were beautiful with lawn and flowers of all kinds and trees.

A bunch of us young people had to wear long overflowing white garments and march to where the people were assembled singing as we went. We sang more hymns then we sat down. There were prayers and an address.

After that we came home. My mother and I went on different autos. We got home before the others. We had a good time. I met Miss Alford from the old church.

At school to-day our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English and sewing.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also washed dishes. We had supper pretty soon.

In the evening I did my studies, read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

We had history, algebra, German, English, gym, and journalism. After school I went to the public library. There was a wild flower show there and all the schools contributed flowers that the pupils brought. There were five prizes given away. The first sort of was a button with streamers of red white and blue, the second had red streamers, the third the white streamers, the fourth had blue streamers and the last prize ~~had~~ were green streamers. They were all very pretty. Our school brought in the most specimens (119) and received first prize.

When I came home I watched the baby, and did some sewing also.

After supper I did my studies, read the Bible, also the newspaper and went to bed.

Our school lessons were history, algebra, English, German and sewing.

After school Edna, Thelma, and I went to the library. We saw the wild flowers and I got a book.

When I came home I took care of the baby and did some work.

After supper I studied, read the Bible, also the newspaper and went to bed.

We had history, algebra, English, German, oral English and jounalism.

After school I went to the library and got some books.

When I came home I washed dishes. My mother, who was away, came home and I also watered the garden.

We had supper then I did my lessons, read the newspaper, the Bible and went to bed.

I forgot to record it above, but we had an aud. call today. The Ag class president told us of a bank that they are starting in Sentous. It is going to be just like any bank down town.

The professor from the library came and presented the wild flower show prizes. Everybody clapped.

Our school lessons were as usual with sewing and gym in the afternoon. In gym we played ball and the bell rang so we could not finish our game.

When I came home I sewed on my dress and also took care of the baby

After supper Mrs. Uchida, my mother, Chiyo and I went to a Benefit for the Inglewood Japanese Children's Home at Blanchard Hall. They had Japanese dances, piano solo, vocal solo, and also a whistling solo. At the last they showed moving pictures of the procession that took place at the crowning of the Japanese emperor. Best of all was a magician who did many tricks. First he would take a piece of paper and burn it, this he put in a frying pan. He then put on the cover then when

This morning we did all our house work.

When we finished we had lunch. In the afternoon my mother went to Mrs. Nagashima's house to visit her, leaving the baby. While he slept I read a book, but he woke soon. I took care of him until my mother came home. I did some washing then I set the table.

We had supper then after that I studied, read the Bible, read the newspaper, took my bath then went to bed.

weather = fair.

April Sunday 22 1917

To-day our lesson in Sunday school was about Jesus anointed by Mary with precious ointment. When she was critisized for doing this Jesus said "She hath done what she could."

After Sunday school, at home we had dinner. Then I read a book until time to go to Junior League. I was leader to-day and the topic was "The words of my mouth."

Twyla Suthill played the violin and Esther Peterson sang to her accompaniment.

When I came home I read a book.

Pretty soon we had supper. In the evening I read a book then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Monday 23 April

In school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing.

We received our report cards to-day and I received all "A's" but two "B's". These were in journalism and English. I think that I should receive "A" in English because I do just as good work as two of the children who got "A."

In sewing we all put on our dresses and showed them to Miss Mason. She thought they were pretty.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also played. I set the table then we had supper.

In the evening I did my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

When I went to school to-day we had history, algebra, German, English, gym, and journalism. In history we had to write the third Persian Invasion by memory. In algebra test I received 60%. During gym we re-elected new captains. We had our first game of the new ten weeks. The other team won with a score of 2-0.

When I came home I ironed my dress, and my mother went to Mrs. Nagashima's house. We had supper then afterwards I read the newspaper, studied my history, read the Bible and went to bed.

I went to school to-day and our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, and sewing.

When I came home I played and also took care of the baby.

Pretty soon we had supper then I washed the dishes.

I did my studies, read the Bible, read the newspaper then went to bed.

April Thursday 26 1917

At school to-day we had history, algebra, English, German, oral English, and journalism. After school I went to the library and got a book.

When I came home I played. I also took care of the baby then we had supper.

In the evening. I studied my history and drew a map. I read the Bible, also the newspaper and went to bed.

1917 Friday 27 April

To-day I went to school. Our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, gym, and sewing. I stopped at the public library again to-day.

When I came home I took care of the baby, and also played jump rope.

Soon we had supper. After we finished I washed the dishes. I read the Bible, the newspaper, and also made an attempt to do my home work. I then went to bed.

This morning we finished all our house work. We were hungry and had a good lunch. In the afternoon I put the finishing touches on the dress I made at school then I roasted some beans. The rest of the afternoon I read a book. A German lady that goes to our Sunday school class asked me to go to Mrs. Ozawa's house with her to translate what she said in English to Japanese.

I took care of the baby and soon we had supper. After that we took our baths, and I read the newspaper and Bible then went to bed.

Our Sunday school lesson was "Jesus welcomed as King." This was about Palm Sunday where Jesus rides into Jerusalem on an asses colt and the people come to meet him waving Palm branches.

When we came home we had dinner. In the afternoon my mother took baby and Chiyo and went to the meeting of the women's club at the Japanese mission. I went to the Juniors business meeting.

At home I read a book the rest of the afternoon. When my mother came home we had supper. I washed the dishes, read a book and went to bed.

April Monday 30 1917

At school we had history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. After school I went to the store down town to get some things for my mother and another lady.

When I came home I went to a lady's house then I came home. I took care of the baby and pretty soon we had supper.

In the evening I studied my lessons, read a newspaper then went to bed. I received an interesting letter from Miss Ewing, in Japan to-day. Her letters are very interesting because she writes as if she is talking to you.

To-day one of the boys next door helped us kill a lizard that looked just like a snake. We think there is a whole nest of them in the cellar.

1917 Tuesday 1 May

I went to school and the lessons for to-day were history, algebra, German, English, gym, and journalism.

After school I stopped down town and got some sewing things for myself, got a library book then came home.

At home I planted some flowers and also took care of the baby.

After supper I studied my lessons, then read the Bible and went to bed.

May Wednesday 2 1917

In school to-day's studies were history, algebra, English, German, and sewing. In German we had a test. In history I gave a report to-day.

After school I stayed to practice the wand drill, for a bunch of us girls are going to give a drill in an entertainment in the auditorium.

When I came home I took care of the baby. Pretty soon we had supper.

In the evening I studied my lessons then went to bed.

1917 Thursday 3 May

Our lessons to-day at school were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and journalism. In oral English some girls gave a debate and I was chosen one of the judges and I couldn't decide which side was best so I gave them both the same percent. It was a very good debate.

After school Violet and I went to the library to get material for our debate and stayed till half past four. When I reached home it was half past five.

I took care of the baby and pretty soon we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper, read the Bible, did my lessons and went to bed.

weather—fair.

May Friday 4 1917

. I went to school to-day and our lessons were histo algebra, German, English, gym, and sewing. In gym we ran races and I came in second for our group. Last time in sewing we drew the figures of ladies and my teacher said mine was very good.

When I came home, I played, took care of the baby, and we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper, read the book an went to bed.

weather—fair.

1917 Saturday 5 May

This morning the time was taken up by house cleaning. When we finished we had lunch then my mother took John and Henry and went to Mrs. Nagashima's. I made some paper doll dresses for # Chiyo then read the Saturday Evening Post.

When my mother came home I took care of the baby then we had supper.

After that I read the newspaper, also a book then went to bed.

weather fair.

I went to Sunday school today and our lesson was where Jesus washed his diciples feet and humbled himself. It taught us that the greatest people are the humblest.

When I came home we had dinner. My mother went to a mother's Day meeting at a Japanese place with Henry and Chijo. I went to Junior League and the topic was seeking Jesus.

At home I read a magazine, took care of the baby and also played.

When my mother came home we had supper. In the evening I read a book then went to bed.

weather = ∓ cloudy.

Our lessons in school today were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. In our algebra test I received 100 % and in the German test I received 66 % which was a downfall to my pride. In oral English our team gave a debate. When the judges added up their grades it became a tie so we have to debate again.

We had an aud. call to-day. A man by the name of Mr. Moorlocks spoke to us. He spoke on the world war and also read a poem with great feeling.

When I came home I took care of the baby.

After supper I studied my lessons, embroidered on my apron and went to bed.

weather = fair cloudy

May Tuesday 8 1917

At school to-day we had history, algebra, German, English gym, and journalism.

When I came home from school I took care of the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I studied hard then went to bed.

weather = cloudy.

1917 Wednesday 9 May

To-day in school we had an English test and also a one word history test. The history teacher gave us fifty questions and said whoever received 95% and 100% would be excused from the written test to-morrow. There was only one girl, Lillian who received 98% so she was excused. I received 92%, the second highest and the teacher said she would excuse me also as long as I got above ninety. I was so glad I nearly fainted.

After school I stopped at a store and got two yards of brown ribbon at a bargain.

When I came home I took care of the baby.

After supper I studied my lessons, read a ~~book~~ newspaper and went to bed.

In school to-day our lessons were history, algebra, English, German, oral English, and journalism. When I came home I took care of the baby then we had an early supper. After supper my mother Chips, and I went to the Presbiterian Immanuel church where they gave a party for the members of the our Japanese presbiterian mission. We played all kinds of games such as picking up peanuts with a spoon and putting them on a chair and seeing who could can beat. I was the winner in this. We played two deep and also a bunch of us went outside. One by one were called in and told to sit between two ladies. When we did we sat on the floor because only a carpet was placed across. This was enjoyed by all. The oldest people like acted the youngest. We had ice cream and cake. Then we had some solos. American Japanese national hymns were sung. Then a prayer was offered. Then most everybody went home after a delicious

When we went to school to-day we had history, algebra, German, English, gym, and sewing. After school Edna, Violet, and I went down town to the library to get our debate.

When I came home it was ten minutes to six. All I did was to take care of the baby then we had supper.

In the evening I washed the dishes, read the newspapers and also a book, then went to bed.

May Saturday 12 1917

This morning we did our house work. We had dinner then, and my mother went to Mrs. Ozawa's. I stayed home, finished reading "The Crisis," and also a history book.

When my mother came home I took care of the baby, and also played.

In the evening my mother and I went to the wedding ceremony of the oldest Kojima girl. We arrived toward the end but we saw when they marched back. They all ~~the~~ wore beautiful costumes, the bride all in white with a long veil and a huge boquet of roses.

1917 Sunday 13 May

To-day in Sunday school our lesson was about "Jesus, the true Vine." Mrs. Leslie was absent so Mrs. Johnson taught our class.

After that we had dinner. In the afternoon my father took Henry to the Japanese mission and my mother Chiyo and the rest of us went to the Angelus hospital to see Mrs. (Aisa) then went to Mrs. Yuzawa's house. We stayed to supper. We had lots of fun with the children. Mrs. Yamaguchi who's family lives with Mr. & Mrs Yuzawa had a baby girl.

We stayed until pretty late in the evening. We agreed to meet my father at the Japanese mission but it was so late that we decided to go right home. When we got there my father and Henry were on the porch and he was awfully angry because we broke our agreement. We had the key so they couldn't get in.

weather=fair.

May Monday 14 1917

Today in school we had history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. In oral English ~~we~~ four of us debated the question "Resolved, that disputes between nations should be settled by arbitration." Violet and I were the winners of this debate. In sewing we worked on the pajamas ~~for~~ the red cross hospital.

When I came home I took care of the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I ~~did~~ did my studies, then went to bed.

weather=fair.

1917 Tuesday 15 May

In school to day we had history, algebra, German, English, gymnasium, and journalism. In gym we practice for our wand drill.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also played.

We had supper then in the evening I did my history, read the newspaper then went to bed.

May Wednesday 16 1917

Our lessons in school were history, algebra, German, English and sewing. In sewing the girls who sewed on the pajamas Monday (I was one of them) had to stay and sew on them again, but the rest of the girls were excused to go to study. I don't think that was fair. After school I stayed to practice for the wand drill.

When I came home I washed dishes and put the room in order.

We had supper then in the evening I studied my lessons then went to bed.

1917 Thursday 17 May

In algebra we had a test and in English we read Ivanhoe. In history we had to write a detailed account of the Peloponessian War.

After school I went to the library and got a book called "The Eyes of the World."

When I came home a man was over to our house. He came to tell us that my mother's second cousin was very sick and nearly dying. I took care of the baby. My mother went to see ~~my~~ her cousin. We had supper then in the evening I read a newspaper, did my homework, read a book and went to bed.

weather = fair.

May Friday 18 1917

In school to-day we had history, algebra, German, English, gym, and sewing.

In the account of the Delopponnesian war we had to write yesterday I received "A."

After school Violet and I went to the public library and prepared our debate.

When I came home it was awfully late and my mother was worried about me.

We had supper then I washed the dishes. I also read a book then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Saturday 19 May

The morning was taken up in house cleaning. We finished by noon and we had lunch.

In the afternoon I put a new collar on my white dress. It looks much better now.

We had supper then in the evening I read Ivanhoe, read the newspaper, took my bath and went to bed.

May Sunday 20 1917

This morning in Sunday school our lesson was about self control.

After Sunday school we came home and Mr. Zaina was there. He went home pretty soon, then we had ~~supper~~ dinner. In the afternoon my mother went alone to see her sick cousin. I went to Junior League and when I came home read a book. After my mother came home we had supper.

We went to Y. P. A. in the evening. It was a union meeting with the Juniors. I was in a group of four who sang the verses of a song and the rest of the people joining in the chorus.

When we came home I prepared my debate read a book then went to bed.

1917 Monday 21 May

We received our algebra test papers to-day and I received "100+" because I did the extra problems as well as the others.

Our team had a debate today It was Violet and I against Lillian and Anna. The question was "Resolved that a Literacy Test is necessary for the Immigrant. The other two won as I knew they would.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also washed the dishes.

We had supper then in the evening I studied my lessons, read the newspaper and went to bed.

weather = fair.

May Tuesday 22 1917

To-day we had in school history, algebra, German, English, gym, and journalism. In gym we had home nursing.

After school Nita and I went down town. She got some earring and I got some crochet thread.

When I came home I crocheted, read a book, and also watched the baby.

After supper I did my home work, read a book then the Bible and went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Wednesday 23 May

In school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, and sewing.

After ~~I came~~ school we practiced in the gym for our wand drill.

When I came home I took care of the baby, and did some crocheting. We had supper next. My ~~moth~~ father went to the mission so he came home late.

I did my lessons, then went to bed.

weather - fair.

May Thursday 24 1917

To-day the ninth period we saw the play, "She Stoops to Conquer," given by the members of the Ag class. Oh it was just grand. Everyone acted so naturally and good. It was just fine. One boy who acted the part of a disobedient son was about the best one. The girls acted just fine. One girl, Juanita Norton, who stooped to conquer did her part well. This play was an English play and certainly dandy. It was humorous and some of the scenes were too funny for anything. I wouldn't have missed the show for anything.

I had such a good seat that I enjoyed it all the more.

After school I went to the public library and got a book.

At home I took care of the baby. We had supper then in the evening I studied, read the newspapers and went to bed.

weather - fair

1917 Friday 25 May

To-day our lessons in school were history, algebra, German, English, gym, and sewing. In algebra we had a contest between the boys and the girls. A boy and a girl would go to the board and do the same problem seeing who would win. Two boys were judges and the teacher said who ever talked would lose one point for their side. The judges made the girls talk by pulling their hair and teasing them. It was lots of fun, although the boys ~~won~~ won.

Six of us girls had to practice the wand drill during the eighth period so we got out of sewing for half a period.

When school let out I went to the Japanese mission and practiced the song I will sing next Sunday. At home I took care of the baby. After supper I read the newspaper then went to bed.

This morning we did our house work. After we finished we had lunch.

In the afternoon I crocheted a pretty coad to go around the collar of my pink middie. I also finished reading "Peg O' The Ring." It was very interesting. I took care of the baby too.

In the evening I drew a map and studied my history. I read the newspaper, took my bath then went to bed.

To-day none of us went to Sunday school. Instead we went to the Japanese mission. They had the Lord's supper there. I had to sing "Showers of Blessing," during the service. After the service we had a regular lunch. We had different kinds of sandwiches, salad, tea and ice cream. Everything tasted just fine.

In the afternoon we went directly to the Japanese branch mission down town where they had the woman's meeting. The children stayed outside and played. After this meeting just a few of us went to the Chinese resturant for supper. In the evening we went to the meeting at Temperance hall. This was a good meeting by I was too sleepy to enjoy it. We had a good time to day but oh! I was so tired from walking around and being out all day.

weather fair.

May Monday 28 1917

In school to-day we had history, German, English, oral English, and sewing. Two of us girls got out of algebra to-day to practice our wand drill. We all got out of school to-day at two o'clock. We were expected to go to see the train of food products at Exposition park but hardly no one went. The teachers didn't say we had to go so most of us went home.

My mother was surprised to see me home so early. I took care of the baby, and washed dishes also.

To day coming home on the car of I saw Mrs. Okazaki who told me of the new baby at Mrs. Honda's. I was surprised to see hear it.

After supper I ~~to~~ did my lessons then went to bed.

weather = fair.

1917 Tuesday 29 May

To day we had history, algebra, German, English, and gym. During gym we practised our wand drill. I got out of journalism because we practiced it eigth period also.

After school I went down town with Edna.

When I came home I ates something as usual then I helped get supper.

In the evening the I read a story book, also the newspaper, then went to bed.

May Wednesday 30 1917

To-day being memorial day we had no school. Our whole family went to the union picnic of our ~~Br~~ Japanese Presbeterian mission and the Congregational mission. ~~Then~~ It was at Echo park and there were a great many people from both churches. There were many small Sunday school children also. We ate lunch then played many games among them were races of different kinds and drop the handkerchief. But the thing I enjoyed most was rowing on the lake. Really we had more fun. Another girl and I each took one oar and sat in the middle. A man took the other pair and rowed in front of us. We had other children in with us also. We were out for an hour. It was lots of fun. When we came back I got some ice-cream. After staying a while longer most everyone started back after enjoying a good time

1917 Thursday 31 May

To-day at school we had history, algebra, German, oral English, and journalism. During the fourth and ninth periods we practiced for our wand drill. When school let out I went down town with Violet. She got some pictures and I got some white hair ribbon to wear to-morrow.

After I came home I ironed my gym bloomers, and also watched the baby. We had supper next. In the evening my mother went to see Mrs. Honda's new baby. I studied, read the newspaper and also the Bible then went to bed.

To-day at last we had our gym show. Us six girls who were in the wand drill were third on the program so we got it over with to enjoy the rest of the performances. The gym club boys did some stunts and also the pyramid club. The boys' gym teacher, Mr. Swarthout, did many wonderful Indian club swinging exercises. There was a minuet by the girls in colonial costumes. The flower dance was very pretty done by girls in middies, and baskets of flowers in their hands with flowers in their hair. Four girls did a Spanish dance which was very pretty. A group of boys did the Highland Fling and received much applause. At the end of the show was a play, "Six cups of chocolate." This was pretty interesting and the whole show put together was very good.

This morning I did most of the house work.

After we finished we had lunch. After washing the dishes I started to make a dress for Chiyo's doll for her birthday. I had to fool her to keep her from suspecting it was for her. I worked on it all afternoon and finished it. It is very pretty and cute. I then made a hat with the same materials to match the dress. This turned out very pretty.

We had supper then I took my bath and went to bed.

weather = fair.

June Sunday 3 1917

In Sunday school our lesson was "Jesus Betrayed." The teacher told us that in to-days lesson happened two of the world's greatest tragedies. First Jesus was betrayed by Judas and second, Peter denied Jesus thrice.

After I came home I read a book. Soon we had dinner then in the afternoon I read a book. I went to Juniors then ~~it~~ when I came home I read a book. My father set fire to the lot in back of our place and oh, how it did burn. It spread all over and started to the house in back of us. I went to call Mr. Yamaoka and all the Japanese men came and helped put it out. My mother was so frightened, we all were. We were all glad when it was put out.

weather = fair

1917 Monday 4 June

In the morning we had an aud. call in school. There were many speakers; all were the students of Sentous. Some talked of our school ~~paper~~ book and others gave orations. The orchestra played three numbers. The whole school sang "America" and "The Stars-Spangled Banner." All of the speeches were very good.

In the algebra test, we had Friday, I received 100 %.

After school Violet and I went down town and had our stamp pictures taken.

After I came home I took care of the baby then we had supper.

In the evening I read a book also the newspaper then went to bed.

June Tuesday 5 1917

We had a holiday to-day because it was Registeration Day. I took the children to Mrs. Yamaoka's house to play, this morning.

After lunch my mother and I took turns ironing. Mrs. Uchida came this afternoon for a little chat. I took care of the baby for a while.

We had supper then I washed the dishes, read the newspaper, studied, also read a chapter in the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Wednesday 6 June

At school to-day we had history, algebra, German, English, and sewing. In the history class we received our papers back which we wrote about the Campaigns of Alexander. I received A- on my paper.

After school Violet and I went to the studio to get our stamp pictures. ~~Mine~~ did not turn out so very good and neither did Violets.

After I came home I took care of the baby, then soon we had supper.

I washed the dishes, read a book, studied my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

June Thursday 7 1917

In school to-day we had history, algebra, German test, English, oral English, & journalism. In the afternoon we had an aud. call. A woman talked to us about the orphans of France. She made an appeal for them for us to send them money to help them. She said the children had only one meal a day and sometimes they didn't get that. She had tears in her eyes as she talked. It was very interesting.

When I came home I took care of the baby.

In the evening I went to Miss Birg's house to a Junior social. I had a pretty good time. There were thirty-six people there. We played different games and enjoyed ourselves.

1917 Friday 8 June

In German to-day we played games and had fun. We received our "Brown and Gold", today. This is the semi-annual school magazine which is twenty five cents. This terms was better than last terms because the 9 pictures were much better and also the other pictures we a little better. We had the fifth period to get them signed by the teachers and pupils.

After school I went to the library and got a book called "Blue Bonnet Keeps House."

When I came home I took care of the baby and also played.

We had supper then in the evening I read the newspaper, read the magazine then went to bed.

weather fair.

June Saturday 9 1917

To-day we worked hard on our housecleaning. We finished a little after twelve.

In the afternoon I made some underclothes for Chiyo's doll. I also took care of the baby.

In the evening my mother and I went out to dinner. Mr. Maruyama had a dinner in honor of his wife who arrived from Japan with her baby, at Shanghai Chinese cafe. We were very hungry so everything was good.

When we came home we took our bath and went to bed.

weather fair.

1917 Sunday 10 June

Today in Sunday school we had the lesson of Christ's Crucifiction. This showed God's great love for us letting his son be crucified for our sakes. It was a fine lesson.

When we came home we had ~~supper~~ dinner.

We went to Junior League and the topic was God's love. It emphagied what we learned this morning and was very interesting.

After I came home I studied, also read a book. We had supper then in the evening I read a book, studied, read the Bible then went to bed.

June Monday 11 1917

In school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. In history we had a tett to-day.

When I came home I put the house in order, washed the dishes, and took care of the baby. We had supper then after that we had a party just by ourselves in honor of Chiyo's birthday. We had nuts, cherries, raisins, and cake. It was very good. This morning Chiyo was very surprised and glad to get the dress and underclothes and hat for her doll. I made her a pair of socks and my mother made a pair of velvet slipper, so it was a regular outfit.

In the evening I studied, read the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Tuesday 12 June

In our history test that we had yesterday I received "B." That was the lowest mark I ever had this term in history. To-day we voted for two representatives for the A Student Council from the 9 girls to serve next term. Two fine girls were elected, one of them had served all ready.

After school I went to the library to get a book.

When I came home I took care of the baby. Pretty soon we had supper then in the evening I studied, read a book, then went to bed.

June Wednesday 13 1917

Our lessons to day were history, algebra, German, English, and sewing.

In town after school I did an errand for my mother.

At home I took care of the baby.

We had supper then we all worked in the garden. I studied my lessons, read a book, also the Bible, and went to bed.

1917 Thursday 14 June

To day it was very hot and in school we didn't feel like studing anything.

When I came home I went to the business meeting of the Juniors at the church. We also had the election of officers. I was elected secratary.

At home I helped my mother and also rested in the back yard. We had supper then in the evening we had a Bible meeting at our house. The other Japanese people in the next block came.

I did some studying, finished reading "Blue Bonnet Keeps House," then went to bed.

weather fair very hot

To-day it was very very hot also and many of our teachers sprinkled water on the floors to keep cooler. We had an algebra test today.

When I came home I just tried to keep cooler. I also watered the garden and soon we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspapers, read the Bible and went to bed.

weather - fair. very hot

This morning I helped my mother with the house work. At noon our Sunday school class met at the church and we all went on the car to Mrs. Harrison's house to have our ~~business~~ quarterly meeting. She invited our class to come and spend the afternoon with her and her daughter. We had our business meeting first then had our good time. I didn't like the atitude of some of the girls. They would group aff in bunches and didn't have a general bunch. Some of the girls played the piano very good. A sunday school teacher of Josephine's came and told us many things about Ecuador where she had gone as a missionary.

All together we had a good time. I came home on the same car that my father did.

weather - hot.

June Sunday 17 1917

None of us went to Sunday school to-day but we went down to the store where my father works. Mr. Hyland, the boss, had his machine and took us to the beach. He ~~had~~ owned two houses, one a great big one and the other a small cottage. He rented the big house for the summer because his wife went back east for a few months and he lived in the smaller cottage with his uncle. He went away and told us we could have the house for the day. He showed us where the bathing suits were, and the bath house, and provided everything for us. My father and I went in bathing. We didn't stay very long because I couldn't find any cap to wear and I got water in my ear. We took a shower afterwards. Then we con. in mem

weather - fair.

1917 Monday 18 June

To-day my mother was sick so she stayed in bed all day. In school we had history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and sewing. In the algebra test I received 93%.

When I came home I took care of the baby, and helped my mother.

After supper I studied my lessons, then went to bed.

weather = fair.

June Tuesday 19 1917

I had in school today German, and English. The others periods I went to ~~English~~ sewing to sew for the Red Cross.

When I came home I did afl kinds of work then we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper, studied, read the Bible and went to bed.

My mother is almost well to-day.

weather — fair.

1917 Wednesday 20 June

To-day in school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, and sewing.

After school I stopped at the public library.

When I came home I cleaned house, helped prepare supper and also watched the baby.

In the evening I read a book, studied my history, read the Bible then went to bed.

June Thursday 21 1917

At school our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, oral English, and journalism.

When I came home I watched the baby and also helped prepare supper.

In the evening I studied, read a book then went to bed.

1917 Friday 22 June

To-day in school we had history, algebra, German, English, gymnasium, and sewing. In gymnasium we played ball and in sewing we cut up rags real fine to put in pillows for the soldiers.

After school I went to the library and got a book.

When I came home I watched the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I played, read a book, read the Bible, and also went to bed.

weather fair.

To-day we didn't get all our housework until late in the morning so we didn't finish until in the afternoon.

While we were eating lunch Mrs. Tanaka came over and stayed for a while. I washed the dishes and read a book. She said that she had something to give us so she wanted me to go home with her. Her house wasn't very far on the car because it was only two blocks the other side of Echo Park. They rented a great big house of ten rooms for three people. It's an awfully pretty place though. Mrs. Tanaka gave me a pretty lace hat, and also an accordian.

After I came home I did some work, then we had supper.

weather - fair.

In Sunday school to-day we had the Children's Day exercises. Chiyo and Henry both took active parts in it. Some of the exercises were just fine. The smaller children were so comical and amused us very much.

In the afternoon our Junior League went on Mr. Bell's truck to Boyle Heights church where they had the union meeting of all the Evangelical Juniors. The program was not very good, although the musical part was fine. The lesson was just read by a girl so we didn't get much out of that.

Coming home we sang hymns on the truck.

June Monday 25 1917

In oral English to-day we had a banquet. Mr. Golay received permission to have it in the cafeteria with the tables fixed in real banquet style. We all got a dish of ice-cream; of course we had to buy it. There were many speeches given. Mr. Golay was the honored guest and was supposed to be a man from the French army. Lillian Turner was the toastmistress and called on the different speeches. There was a speech on the first woman president of the U.S. and Celia Forst was pretty good in originating a speech. A boy had to talk on "Girls are better than boys," and a girl on "Boys are better than ~~Girls~~ girls". These were good also and there were other speeches, also poems. And I had to give a speech on the American Red Cross. (con. in mem)

June Tuesday 26 1917

In school to-day our lessons were history, algebra, German, English, home nursing, and journalism. In home nursing we learned how to make a hospital bed without the patient in it.

After school I did an errand for my mother then came home.

I took care of the baby and did some ironing. Mr. Hijikata came for a short visit.

We had supper then in the evening I did my lessons read the paper and went to bed.

weather fair.

June Wednesday 27 1917

The lessons in school were as usual except sewing in the afternoon. In the ninth period the eigth and ninth graders went to the auditorium to see the play, "Sunset," given by the dramatic class. It was just fine and most of the characters were fine. This was a free play as it was just to show a sample of what the dramatic class could do.

When I came home my mother went to see how Mrs. Iso's sick boy was. I cleaned the house, and also began preparations for supper.

In the evening we played, I read the newspapers then went to bed.

weather=fair.

1917 Thursday 28 June

Today in school all our teachers were good and let us play games. In algebra we played "two deep." In our other classes we played "gossip", "truth," "continuous story telling" and other games. It was lots of fun.

After I came home I watched the baby and soon we had supper.

In the evening I went to the reception held for Mr. Stevens, the pastor, at the church. We Juniors sang an original song to Mr. and Mrs. Stevens. Little Bill Penn delivered a boquet of flowers with a pretty little poem. After the speeches and songs we had ice-cream and cake and I ate so much that it almost made me sick.

June Friday 29 1917

To-day the last day of school we received our report cards. I received all A's on my report card. We had an aud. call and we saw two plays, "Modesty" and "The Burglar." The first one was pretty good, but the last play was just fine. All the characters did their parts nicely.

After we were dismissed I ~~received~~ went to the library and got three books. I did an errand for my mother then came home. School let out at twelve o'clock and I was very hungry.

After eating dinner I played, did some sewing and also took care of the baby.

We had supper and in the evening I read a book then went to bed.

1917 Saturday 30 June

This morning my mother and I finished our house work early. I washed my hair after lunch, and also read a book.

In the afternoon I went to Mrs. Nagashima's house on an errand.

I took care of the baby, soon we had supper.

In the evening my mother went to town and I read a book. I finished reading "Miss Lockinvar."

I took my bath then went to bed.

weather- fair)

July Sunday 1 1917

In Sunday school our lesson was about Isaiah when he had a vision.

At home I read a book and we had dinner. Chiyo and I went to Junior League. I was the secretary and as this was business meeting I had to get up in front with the president and treasurer and call the roll.

After I came home I read a book the rest of the afternoon.

In the evening I went to Y. P. C. and also to church.

I read a book after I came home and went to bed.

weather- fair.

1917 Monday 2 July

This morning I cleaned the house. My mother took Henry and went down town so I stayed home with Chiyo and baby. The baby would watch for my mother on every car and he cried when he was disappointed. At last she came home about two o'clock. It was real late when we had lunch. I read a book and also played. I did some washing for my mother.

We had supper then in the evening I washed dishes, read a book, read the Bible then went to bed. I finished reading "Miss Lochinvar's Return." It was very good.

weather - fair.

This morning at 9:15 I set off for Westlake park. Miss Behrens and our class room girls were to meet at the boat house and have an all day outing. We played in the play-ground then we ate our lunch. After that we came to the boat house and Miss Behrens treated us all to ice-cream soda. That tasted just fine. We rested under the trees then pretty soon Miss Behren's sister came so we went in rowing. There were only ten of us, the two Misses Behrens and eight of us girls. We had three boats. Three of us girls went in one boat. We went ashore, got ice-cream and did all kinds of things. We enjoyed the time in the water.

When we all came (con. in Jan. case)

weather = fair.

To-day the fourth of July, we shot off the "torpedoes" and "sun-of-a-guns" that we had.

Mrs. Tanaka came over and asked us to go to her home in the afternoon and stay through the evening to see the fire works. Chiyo wanted to go with her in the morning so they went.

We had dinner then Henry and I went to Mrs. Tanaka's. We played a small musical instrument that she had and also played in the back yard. Dr Tanaka came home pretty soon and we had supper.

After that my mother came with the baby. We did the fireworks and the children of the neighborhood came and did them also.

Soon we started home and it was about 10:00 when we came home.

weather – fair

July Thursday 5 1917

In the morning I helped my mother by washing dishes and also taking care of the baby.

After lunch I did a little ironing. My mother went alone to Mrs. Ozawa's home. The baby woke up soon so I locked up and followed my mother. About five o'clock I ~~to~~ came home and prepared supper.

After supper we did our fireworks that were left then I read the newspaper, also the Bible and went to bed.

weather – fair.

1917 Friday 6 July

This morning after doing the little work I had I read a book. I also played with the baby.

We had lunch then I darned some stockings. I made paper doll dresses and played jacks with the children. We played in the back yard later and soon had supper.

In the evening I read a books, read the newspaper then went to bed.

The morning was taken up in house work. I also watched the baby.

We had lunch then in the afternoon I read a book then washed the dishes. Towards dusk I watched the baby and we played outside. We were then called in for supper.

After that I finished reading "Two College Girls" and also read the newspaper. I read the Bible and took my bath then went to bed.

This morning we went to Sunday school. The lesson was about "Ahaz, the faithless king."

When we came home I read the Sunday school paper then played jacks.

We had dinner then in the afternoon I played until time to go to Juniors.

Chip and I came right home to go to Mrs. Hendas where the two girls were to have a birthday party. They had a regular dinner with duck which was good. They had ice-cream afterwards. Soon Chip and I came home.

In the evening I read a book then went to bed.

July Monday 9 1917

I started in to summer school to-day. I went to the Los. Angeles High school It was so bewildering that I had to ask many questions before I at last came to the place where the subjects of studies were posted up. After choosing drawing and typewriting I went to the drawing room and registered. I sat down near the door and soon Chiye Okamoto came in. Oh I was so glad to see some one I knew. After that period I went to typewriting. There were only a few in the class and all were typewriting. The teacher didn't show me anything ~~so~~ after ~~shoto~~ sitting there a while I came home. When I got home it was only eleven o'clock. So ended my first day in summer school

1917 Tuesday 10 July

To-day I decided to take cooking ~~with~~ instead of typewriting so I went there the first period. We scrubbed the utensils and got ready for the beginning of work. The next period I went to drawing; Chiye was in this class so I was glad. We had to draw a hand looking at a model. It was pretty hard, but I think I got it all right.

After school Chiye walked to the public library with me then we separated. I got some books then went to the store where my father work's then came home.

weather = fair.

July Wednesday 11 1917

To-day I became more used to summer school. In cooking we unpacked our utensils and put them in order. In drawing we drew different pottery shapes in singles and in groups. The teacher rather praised my work.

After school I went to the store where my father works at. I ate my lunch there and soon my mother came with the children.

We went to a womans meeting at Mrs. Nakanishi's home. The children played in the pretty back yard all the time.

After the meeting we came home.

weather = fair.

1917 Thursday 12 July

In the cooking class our ninth grade section made peanut brittle and pinoche. They turned out good and fine. We used one cup of sugar althogether (both candies) for one girl. In drawing we did practically the same thing as we did yesterday only in different tones of black.

At home I helped my mother make a quilt and also read a book. I helped prepare supper.

In the evening I read a book finished the letter to Miss Ewing then went to bed.

We made pineapple ice cream in cooking to-day. It was frozen all together in the big freezer. It was not hard enough to eat during the period so we went back at twelve o'clock and had some. It was so creamy and just fine. We had cake with it and it surely was good.

When I came home I ate lunch. I read a book almost all of the afternoon and watched the baby a little.

Pretty soon we had supper then I washed the dishes. I read the newspaper, read a book, read the Bible then went to bed.

This morning we finished all our house work. At noon Chiyo, Henry, and I went to the store where my father works and left Henry with him. Chiyo and I went to the library and got some books. We went to my father's working place and stayed to watch the parade which was going to be in honor of the Belgian mission from that country. It was very short and nothing but automobiles decorated some with flowers and some with flags. It wasn't any good.

Pretty soon we started home. When we got back I read a book and also took care of the baby.

After supper I made some Pinoche candy. It was pretty good.

weather fair.

July Sunday 15 1917

Our Sunday school lesson to day was about Hezekiah the faithful king. Last Sunday's king was a faithless one but this Sunday's was a good one.

After Sunday school I came home and tried to make ice-cream. We didn't have all the necessary materials so ~~ice~~ it wasn't successful. It hardened a little but all melted.

We had dinner without my mother because she went to the mission. In the afternoon I read a book then went to Junior League.

When I came home I read a book until supper I had a solitary supper because I was in a hurry to go to Y. P. C. A. After that I stayed for church and we had good preaching

weather—fair.

1917 Monday 16 July

In cooking at summer school we took lectures on carbohydrates. We didn't cook anything but just took notes. In drawing we drew simple plaster cast objects.

After I came home I started to make over a middie. Chiyo was sick with the mumps and was in bed all day.

I also took care of the baby.

We had supper then I washed dishes. I read the newspaper, also the a book. After making my lunch then reading the Bible I went to bed.

weather fair.

July Tuesday 17 1917

At the church this morning all those that were going to the Sunday school picnic met. On account of Chiyo's sickness my mother couldn't go so I went. There were two trucks and one was a flat one. A bunch of us girls piled on the end of it with our feet hanging down. We had lots of fun yelling and waving to everyone we saw on the street. Some were in sympathy with our high spirits and some were so grouchy or stuck up that they didn't even smile. At last we arrived at Sycamore Park. We were sent off the play until lunch time. We went to the wading pond and watched the children and at last decided to go in ourselves. Pretty soon we Miss Bisig persuaded us to go to the big swimming hole. W Most of us big girls were barefooted and went in (con[illegible]

weather fair.

1917 Wednesday 18 July

Our cooking teacher didn't come to-day so we cooking girls didn't know what to do. Some of them went to the court house to hear a trial. A few of us decided to go to the library but it was locked so we came back to the cooking room. The janitor opened the door for us so we went in and made some candy. The principal said that we might. We made peanut brittle and fudge. The fudge was no good but the other turned out fine. Us girls had fun without a teacher.

In drawing we drew tea pots, cups, saucers and other things like that. I was sore all day. Chiyo is much better and was able to be up which made us very glad.

We had a substitute teacher for cooking to-day and we made apricot and pineapple marmalade. Mine turned out fine.

In drawing we had to draw the picture of two cats.

At home I had lunch. After that I spent the whole afternoon making apricot marmalade.

When we finished supper I read a book, also the newspaper, read the Bible then went to bed.

In cooking we made cherry roll. We also made cherry sauce to eat with it. The A10 girls made Roman punch and they served us a glass of that with walnut wafers so we divided our cherry roll with them. We had a regular little luncheon.

In drawing we drew Chinese shoes and hats and other objects. I went down town after school to go to the library and do a little shopping.

On the car coming home I met Mrs. Nakamura, Mrs. Nakanishi and her little girl who were coming to our house. They went to the other Japanese friends house on Virgil Avenue then came to our house. They stayed for a while then went home.

weather—fair.

July Saturday 21 1917

This morning we did our house work.

In the afternoon I did a little sewing then played.

We took our bath then all of us except my father went to the party they had for the new baby at Mr. & Mrs. Sugimoto's house. We had a Japanese supper and had fruit and also ~~some~~ watermelon.

It was twelve o'clock when we came home.

weather—fair.

1917 Sunday 22 July

We went to Sunday school this morning and the lesson was about the Invasion of Sennacherib into Isreal.

When I came home I read a book until dinner time.

In the afternoon we went to Junior League. We had a little temperance program and I was in a song and we also had a temperance alphabet.

When I came home I played, read a book all afternoon.

I went to church in the wening and before that I went to Y. P. C.

weather – fair.

July Monday 23 1917

In our cooking class at school to-day we cooked potatoes. We could cook them in any recipe that we wanted. My partner and I decided to make some funny French named recipe but it was very good. Our teacher announced to us that she was going to leave and that another teacher was going to take her place. During the period the new teacher came and lo! and behold! it was Miss Kinne who taught at Sentous a year ago and whom I liked none too well. Anyway she recognized me and talked to me. She looked so changed because she dyed her graying hair into a pretty brown in color and made her face up a little. I wish that the old teacher would stay.

Nothing eventful or out of the ordinary happened in drawing

weather – fair

1917 Tuesday 24 July

Miss Kinne began teaching to-day. She was so cranky to all of us and mean to the two little boys in our class that no one liked her from the start. We cooked tomatoes and turnips in any way that we liked. I didn't make my tomatoes right and she raved at me and I had to fix them over again. I don't like her any more than I used to. No one in our room likes her.

In drawing we drew books grouped with candlesticks. Our teacher told us to draw them and after they were finished he told us all our mistakes and told us how to draw them right. If he showed us at first there wouldn't have been all that waste of time.

July Wednesday 25 1917

In cooking to-day we had two groups and one group made cabbages and our group made fried summer squash.

In drawing we worked still on our books and our teacher critisized more and more.

After school I went to the library and also did some errands.

On my way home I stopped at Mrs. Tanaka's where my mother and the children were. We spent the whole afternoon there then came home about five thirty.

After we got to the car line we found out that we forgot something so I went back and my mother went on.

At home we had supper then in the evening I read the newspaper, started to make a bag, then read the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Thursday 26 July

In cooking to-day we made pineapple tapioca and also corn starch pudding. They were both very good. In drawing we drew small figures of gargoyles.

When I came home I had dinner, then I washed the dishes. I crocheted on my bag this afternoon and also played with the baby.

We had supper then I read a book, crocheted, read the Bible then went to bed.

Also when I came home from school Mrs. Tanaka's card was for me from Velma Craig in Iowa.

weather fair.

July Friday 27 1917

We made three things in cooking to-day which made us very busy. We made oatmeal mush, fried cornmeal mush, and also rice pudding. None of these things were good.

In drawing we drew a chinese head.

After school I went down town to do some errands.

When I came home I did some crocheting, also some ironing.

We had supper, after that I read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 Saturday 28 July

All morning we spent on our house work and finished it in good time. We had lunch then after that I read a book. I also took care of the baby but most of the afternoon I read a book.

We had supper then in the evening I read the newspaper, also a book. After reading the Bible then taking my bath I went to bed.

weather – fair.

July Sunday 29 1917

We went to Sunday school this morning. Our lesson was "God's Gracious Invitation" found in the 55th chapter of Isaiah.

After Sunday school at home we had dinner. I read the Sunday school paper and also played.

In Junior League we learned about 4 or 5 missionaries. One of them was David Livingston another Miss Miller, from Africa whom I represented.

After Juniors the two girls next door, Chips and I went to Bimini. We watched the swimming then came home.

After supper I went to ~~Jun~~ Y. P. A. and the topic was "Foreign Missionaries." I also stayed to church.

weather – hot.

1917 Monday 30 July

This morning when I woke up one side of my face below and behind my ear was swollen and I knew I had mumps. Of course I didn't go to school but stayed in bed all day. I rather enjoyed myself too when my mumps didn't hurt. I had a little fever and had my forehead kept cool. I couldn't eat very much today.

July Tuesday 31 1917

To-day I was still in bed and rather liked it for I sang hymns, read some magazines, and also slept a little now and then. I was hungry and couldn't keep from eating something but when I did my mouth hurt.

1917 Wednesday 1 August

I was still weak enough to be in bed one more day and now as I felt much better I enjoyed myself. I read almost everything that I got hold of such as magazines yesterday's paper, and also a book. I sang songs and the children played around me so the day didn't seem to drag at all. Mrs. Iso came to see me in the forenoon.

August Thursday 2 1917

I decided to get up and I felt a little weak but soon I got used to it. I didn't do hardly any work but played around and read a book most of the time. I finished lining my bag. I took care of the baby awhile before supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper and also a book then went to bed. "Georgina of the Rainbows" was a fine story I finished reading.

1917 Friday 3 August

This morning I did a little work and also played with the baby. I did some crocheting too.

After lunch I crocheted some more then played with the children for a long time in the back yard.

Pretty soon we had supper.

In the evening I finished my bag and it is awfully pretty made of pretty flowered ribbon with crochet on it and little round cotton filled tassels. It is pink. Pretty soon I went to bed.

Margaret Allen wrote me a card and I sent a letter to her because I owed her one.

After one week's absence I went back to school today. The teachers didn't reprove me but were awfully nice. In cooking we mdde apple dumplings and peach shortcake. They were just fine. In drawing we did lettering.

I went to the library after supper and got a book "Rose o' the River." When I came home I played and before supper I picked some dry beans.

After supper I read the newspaper, read a book, read the Bible and went to bed.

In cooking to-day we made gelatine and nut bread. The gelatine was pretty good although not quite stiff. My nutbread was just fine.

In drawing we made our initials into a monogon in a square.

After I came home I had lunch then I did some sewing, and cleaned up the back yard.

We had supper then after that I read a book, read the Bible, then the newspaper and went to bed.

weather fair.

August Wednesday 8 1917

Our cooking lesson was a good one to day. We made gingerbread & vanilla wafers. The teacher said on my gingerbread was just fine. My partner & I forgot to put vanilla in our wafers but they were good just the same.

When I came home I went to the library on Santa Monica with Chip and the kids next door. I got some good books.

When I came home my mother was away and I read a book. I took care of the baby then soon we had supper.

In the evening I made a big batch of vahilla wafers. I went to bed after that.

weather—fair.

1917 Thursday 9 August

We took notes in cooking for about fourty-five minutes then we madd chocolate fread pudding. Mine wasn't done but I took it out and ate it because there wasn't any more times

In drawing we drew a flower which resembled a lily.

When I started home a bunch of girls were waiting for the temple car but we waited and waited but it didn't come. Then about half an hour after the usual time four cars came one after the other.

After I came home I ate lunch then I wrote my notes for cooking in my note book. I was sdelpy and I took a nap for about one hour.

We had supper then I read the newspapers a book, the Bible then went to bed.

We made bread to-day in cooking. It was lots of fun to knead our dough. We fixed the dough and the next class baked it. We went back to get our bread after school.

We drew hollyhocks in drawing.

After school I went to the library and got two books.

When I came home I cut my bread and it was good. I had lunch then I made some bows for my white slippers and also wrote a letter to Velma Craig. Mrs. Nakamura came over a little while. I took care of the baby and played.

We had supper then in the evening I read a book also the Bible then went to bed.

This morning I helped my mother with the house work and we finished by noon.

After lunch Chijo and I went to the Cahuenga Library on Santa Monica Boulevard. We stayed for about one hour then came home.

At home I made some more vanilla wafers and as it was already after four it took all the time until supper to make them.

In the evening I read a book, read the Bible, also the newspaper.

After I took my bath I went to bed.

The lesson to-day in sunday school was about a boy king, Josiah, who did right and had a successful reign.

After we came home we had dinner then I read a book. My mother went to the Japanese mission.

In Juniors we had busines meeting.

When I came home I read a book until supper time.

I went to Y. P. C. in the evening and came home without staying to church because I was worried about my mother. At last about nine o'clock she came home.

In cooking to-day my partner and I had to give a luncheon for four people. We made potatoe salads, nut bread, and strawbery short cake. We were so flustered and got all mixed up. At last we served it then we were almost late getting to our next class on account of the pile of dishes we had to wash. Two girls very kindly helped us.

We drew iris flowers in drawing.

After school I went down town to do some shopping.

At home I helped my mother.

In the evening we made our lunch for the picnic to-morrow.

weather - fair.

August Tuesday 14 1917

I was dismissed a little earlier to-day from school so I could go to the Junior League picnic at Sycamore Grove. My mother took the children this morning with the whole bunch.

When I got there we ate lunch. After lunch some of us started to the museum. It was just awful going up the hill and the dirt was so loose we kept sliding down. At last we got up so we went in. There were cases of beautiful butterflies big and small. We saw relics of the early times of the U.S. We saw the first sewing machine made by Elias Howe, and also the second sewing machine. There were many things from other countries and the old-fashioned clothes & jewelry in the Colonial times were interesting. (con. in March ca

weather - fair.

1917 Wednesday 15 August

We made orange fritters in cooking to-day and I was also invited to a luncheon for which each one that went had to pay ten cents. We had tuna sandwiches served with a sauce and this was delicious. Then there was peach tapioca with cookies. Everything tasted just fine and I was full after I finished.

In drawing I painted the nasturshims I drew yesterday.

When I came home I had dinner then I did some sewing. I also took care of the baby.

We had supper then I read the newspaper, read the Bible, also a book then went to bed.

The salad we made in cooking to day was just fine. It was tuna salad with pickles, walnuts, pimento, and celery chopped into it. We had our choice of two dressings, boiled or maiyonnaise. I took boiled dressing and ~~to~~ I could have eaten more had there been more. Then we had cheese crackers to eat with the salad which made it much better.

In drawing I painted some pictures.

I went down town after school to get some things for my mother.

After I came home I ate lunch then I did some sewing after which I cleaned up.

In the ~~meting~~ evening the prayer meeting among the Japanese was held at our home. I stayed in the next room reading during the whole time

The last day of summer school came at last and every one seemed to be glad. We made some candy in our cooking class and it was good. We also had to clean our desks and each had some special duty assigned to her. The girls of our class put some money together and bought a fine box of candy for the teacher. She was very pleased and passed the candy around.

In our drawing class many seemed to be "taking it easy." I worked unusually well and did a pretty painting.

I received "a" in cooking and "a" in drawing. I was so surprised when I received "a" in drawing because I had expected "B" at the very highest. Anyway I was glad.

I went down town again to-day.

August Saturday 18 1917

This morning my mother did most of the housework although I helped a little. I had to get my mother's pocketbook and thinking it was in the ~~bureau~~ dresser I tried to open it but a chair was in the way so I couldn't, I got angry and having a hot temper I threw the chair on the bed which hit the window and broke the glass into many pieces. I got scared and began to cry but my mother forgave me.

In the afternoon I read a book. I also took some flowers to Marvin Johnson, for he was sick, for the Junior League.

When I came home I took the baby's bath.

We had supper then I read the newspaper, took my bath, read the Bible then went to bed.

1917 Sunday 19 August

To-day we went to Sunday school; the lesson was about how Josiah, the king found the book of the Law and shared it ~~to~~ with all his people and how he won their respect.

After we came home we had ~~supper~~ dinner then I read a book. We went to Juniors in the afternoon and we had a good meeting.

I read a book most of the afternoon then I made some pies but they didn't turn out very good.

After supper I went to Y.P.A. When that was over Eva, Chrissie, and I went to the Methodist church to get another girl. We came back to the preaching service after it had begun.

August Monday 20 1917

This morning I went over the house putting the rooms in order. After that I rested a while and then took care of the baby.

We had our lunch after which I finished reading a book.

About three o'clock my mother went down town to get the glass for the window which I broke. She took Henry and I had to watch the baby. He behaved very well and played nicely with me. Chiyo stayed home also.

My mother came home on the same car as my father.

We had supper then I read the newspaper, then the Bible and went to bed.

1917 Tuesday 21 August

I took care of the baby for a long time. Then I did my usual work after which I began to put the glass in the window. I finished about one o'clock. I ate my lunch then got ready to go to the sort of revival meeting held at Elks Hall of by Mr. Yamamura, the head of the Salvation army in Japan. I took care of the baby in the back part most of the time. I saw many people I knew there.

After it was over we came home.

We had supper then my mother and I made the lunch for to-morrow's picnic. I read a book, also the Bible then went to bed.

I received a card from Edna Kurle who went to Sulphur Mts. for her vacation.

weather fair.

August Wednesday 22 1917

To day was to be the Primary picnic at Echo park and our children with my mother were going. My father didn't want me to stay home alone so I went along with the primaries and the mothers. All we did was to eat lunch, sit around and talk. We watched the boys fishing and also we played in the playground for a while.

We started home about four o'clock. While we were standing on the corner Harold Bell came along on the big truck and we piled on and he took us home. That was the best part of it I think.

weather-fair.

1917 Thursday 23 August

I did my regular work by noon and soon we had lunch. I read a book a little while then all of us went down to the Japanese people's house down the street. My mother talked with the ladies and I went into Mrs. Yamaoka's backyard to pick peaches which she had offered us to can and preserve. It was lots of fun to climb in the tree and pick the fruit. I picked two pailfuls one for us and one for Mrs. Yamaoka. We came home pretty soon. At home I took care of the baby then soon we had supper.

In the evening I read a book, also the Bible then I went to bed.

We had a big ironing to do to-day so my mother and I took turns. It took us all day and between times I played with the children and took care of the baby. At last we finished then it was time to get supper. I took care of the baby, after that we had supper. Chips and I had to go to Caroline's house for Chips to practice a song for Sunday. Two other girls went also.

When Caroline was bringing us home we saw two men who looked like they were drunk in front of us and we were scared so we ran back. She came all the way home with us then went home on the car.

It was exactly twelve o'clock when we finished our housework. We had lunch then I washed the dishes. Chips and I went to the library and on the way over we stopped at the Feed & Fuel store where Caroline worked in the office. We stayed for a while then I got my books together and went to the library. I got 3 book, "Merryweathers," "Thankfuls Inheritance," & "Oakleigh."

At home I took care of the baby, read a book then we had supper.

I read a book, read the newspaper, took my bath then went to bed.

We went to Sunday school this morning as usual. The lesson was about the "Captivity of Judah."

After Sunday school when we came home we had dinner. Then I read a book until time to go to Junior League. Mrs. Peerman was the leader to-day and Chiyo was in a special song with two other Juniors.

We come home after the meeting and I resumed my reading.

After supper I went to Y. P. A. and Chiyo went too for she sang a Temperance song with other little girls.

I stayed to church then came home.

This morning while my mother was working in the garden I put in order the whole house, sweeping, making beds, and washing dishes. I finished pretty early then I read a book.

We had dinner then I continued reading my book while I fanned the flies away from sleeping baby John. After he woke up my played with him and the other children. Then I helped with supper.

In the evening I read a book, also the newspaper, then I read a the Bible and went to bed.

weather fair.

August Tuesday 28 1917

I got through very early with my work so I did some crocheting and also read a book.

We had lunch then I washed the dishes. I read a book for the next two or three hours. When the baby woke up from his nap I took care of him.

I set the table & then we had supper.

In the evening a man who was an agent for selling Bible charts came to our house; explaining and demonstrating he stayed a long time but we didn't buy.

I read a book also the Bible then went to bed.

weather:- fair.

1917 Wednesday 29 August.

I did my regular work then my mother asked me to do some ironing. There was a small ironing this week so I did it all by my self. Of course there were quite a few things but it took me only two or three hours before lunch.

In the afternoon I took it easy and read a book. Later all of us took a little walk taking a small lunch with us.

We had supper then I washed the dishes. My father did not come home to supper because he went to the Japanese mission. I read a book "Oakleigh" and I finished reading it. Then I read the Bible and went to bed.

August Thursday 30 1917

This morning as usual I did my regular work. I played with the children by dressing up like a lady and we had fun. I dressed my sister up too.

We had dinner then I helped my mother by darning stockings for about two hours or more. A little before supper I took the children out for a little walk. And we had a little picnic under a tree. We had lots of fun.

After supper I read the newspaper, read one of Chiyo's library books then to read the Bible before going to bed.

1917 Friday 31 August

I cleaned up a little this morning then I played for a while.

Soon we had dinner then Henry, Chiyo, ~~and~~ Susie and I got ready to go to the library.

We went there and I got "Samaritan Mary," "The Right Princess," and "Alan Ransford."

While we were away my mother did the Saturday housework. I did a little dusting and also went on an errand. I took care of the baby then we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper, read a book also the Bible then went to bed.

We started for town early to-day to do some shopping and see the parade. We bought many things and my mother bought me a lucky dog to put on my small chain. I was very glad. After we finished we went to the store where my father works to wait for the parade. It was the parade of the draft men. There were a good number of them but it was all marching and nothing much.

After it was over we came home. We ate a late lunch then I read a book.

We had supper then I read a book, read the newspaper, read the Bible, then went to bed.

In Sunday school our lesson was about the prophecy that the Jews would some day gather back to Palestine and have a happy time. The teacher said this would some time be fulfilled.

When we came home I studied about Joseph, then I read a book.

We had ~~supper~~ dinner then I wrote the minutes of the last Junior League business meeting. In Juniors we had business meeting and it was some meeting. We got so mixed up. Alice Peterson told the story of Moses and I was supposed to tell about Joseph. Alice took so much time that I didn't tell mine and I was so glad.

After League I read a book until supper time.

I went to Y. P. A. in the evening and we had a

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weather-fair.

September Monday 3 1917

As to-day was labor day my father had half day off so we all took a lunch and went to Elysian park. We walked to the top of the hill then we went to a pine grove and ate our lunch. We rested for a while then we went back by the way of the picnic ground and around the reservoir. We lay on the grass near the entrance of the park where it was sloping. We lay around and also played with a ball. Soon we started home. On the whole we had a good time.

When we come home we had supper then I read the newspaper also the Bible then went to bed.

weather-fair.

1917 Tuesday 4 September

This morning I did my regular work then I played awhile.

We had dinner then my mother got ready to go to town. We were all going but I didn't feel well so I stayed home with the children and my mother went alone.

After a few hours she came home. While she was away the children were pretty good.

My mother bought some goods for a sort of suit for me. It is white with sport figgers. I was very glad. She also bought some cloth for Chiyo's middy and some goods for a waist of mine.

We had supper then in the evening I read a book then also the Bible & went to bed.

I received a Postal card from Velma Craig in Iowa

weather – fair.

September Wednesday 5 1917

I did my work in a hurry then my mother and I started on my sport suit. I am sure it will be pretty. We worked almost all day on it.

Before supper I took care of the baby. We had our meal then in the evening I did more sewing, read a book, also the newspaper then read a the Bible then went to bed.

weather – fair.

1917 Thursday 6 September

This morning I swept the rooms then did a little washing of my own. After that I sewed on my sport suit. The sleeves wouldn't come out right but my mother fixed them. I did quite a bit on the jacket. We had lunch then I worked all afternoon on my suit.

I set the table then we had supper. In the evening I sewed some more, read the Bible then went to bed.

I started on my sewing right away and finished the sash for my sport suit and de made the pockets. I finished the jacket and it is very pretty with the sport figger and trimmed with blue silk around the collar, cuffs, belt, and pockets. I like it very much. I have yet the skirt to make.

We had dinner then I sewed most of the afternoon, but first ~~th~~ I went to the library to return some books. I took care of the baby until supper time.

In the evening I ~~t~~ read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

We did our house work in the morning.

In the afternoon after lunch I went to a store way up ~~of~~ on Heliotrope to get the inside belt for my sport skirt.

After I came home I washed my hair and while it was drying I sewed on my skirt. It is gathered at the top with a frill extending a little above.

It was then about time for supper.

In the evening I finished my skirt then I took my bath. After that my mother and I stayed up till one o'clock, she finishing Chiyo's middie and skirt, and I putting snaps and hooks on my suit. I ironed them also so we could wear them to-morrow.

weather - fair.

September Sunday 9 1917

We went to Sunday school this morning. It was a lesson of temperance about Daniel's purpose which was that he would not drink the king's wine nore eat the food offered to idols. It was a fine lesson.

When we came home we had dinner. In the afternoon my father went to the Japanese mission. The rest of us went to visit a man, Mr. Mitsuse, who was going back to Japan. He lives right near our grandfather and grandmother so we went to give him messages for him to take back to them.

We stayed just a short time then we went to see Mrs. Honda, Mrs. Yuzawa and Mrs. Yamaguchi. We played with their chil

weather - fair.

1917 Monday 10 September

I did my regular work this morning and as I did it slowly, it took me almost until noon to finish it.

After lunch I lay down for a little while. The rest of the afternoon I took care of the baby and also played with the children.

We had supper then in the evening I read the newspaper and also the Bible then went to bed.

September Tuesday 11 1917

To-day was opening day for all the schools of the city.

After I got to school I got my locker key and while I was in line met many of my friends. We went to our last term's class room then as we were 9A's we went to our big 9A class room. It didn't seem a bit different to be an 9A. We make out our programs and the bunch of girls I go with tried to make ours all alike and they are except one or two. Then we went to every class ~~which~~ each period lasted only eight minutes. In sewing we had a new teacher, thank goodness, and although she looked rather stern every one of us ded ared we loved her after we had been in class for a while. She really was very nice and one really nice thing about her was

1917 Wednesday 12 September

The first thing we did today was to go to our class rooms. After the bell rang we were dismissed to our regular classes for the day. We had history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English.

After school, Lillian, Violet, and I went to the P.E. station to get our car tickets. After that I came home. It was pretty late and almost at once I helped my mother prepare supper.

In the evening I washed dishes, then drew the map for history. I read the Bible then went to school.

weather fair.

September Thursday 13 1917

The lessons in school for to-day were history, German, Geometry, English, and sewing. There was another teacher in sewing and in place of the other one and she was nicer still She was so motherly and helpful.

After school I stopped at the public library to get a history report.

At home I took care of the baby. We had supper soon then in the evening I did my home work. I read the newspaper then went to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 Friday 14 September

In school we had history, German, geometry, English, gym, and sewing. In history I gave a report and the teacher said it was very good.

After I came home from school I took care of the baby as usual.

We had supper then after that I read the newspaper, read a book, then the Bible then went to bed.

My mother and I did our house work in the morning. I also took care of the baby. In the afternoon I spent two hours or over making vanilla wafers.

Before supper I took care of the baby.

I took my bath in the evening and after that I read a book. My father ~~and~~ made a cake for baby's birthday, which is to-morrow, but it spoiled so I made another one and made white frosting with pink and green candies around the edge. I made some lettering on top with the words "John" Sept. 16, 1917 on it. The cake was very pretty when it was finished. I didn't get to bed until one o'clock.

The lesson in Sunday school was about the three captive boys who wouldn't worship an image and were thrown into the fiery furnace, and saved by God. It was such a fine lesson because it showed how faithful to God they were.

About noon time all the Japanese children on the next block came to our John's birthday party. Mrs. Yamaoka came with her two babies, but the other ladies didn't come because it was a children's party. We lit the two candles on the birthday cake and let baby blow it out. The children all enjoyed the luncheon for we had all kinds of good things.

In the afternoon I went to Junior league then stayed for choir practice. After I came home I read a book. Before and after supper we played hide and seek in the house and as we kept the rooms dark we had lots of fun

weather fair

September Monday 17 1917

School started for the second ~~term~~ week of the new term. My lessons to-day were history, German, geometry, English, gym and oral English. In geometry I had my whole lesson right. During the latter part of the gymnasium period we played ball and another girl and I stayed up to bats the whole time. It was so much fun.

After I came home from school I took care of the baby and played a little.

We had supper then I did my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather fair

1917 Tuesday 18 September

At school we had history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. We had a test in German to-day. In sewing I cut out my corset cover pattern and that was about all I did.

After school I stopped down town to do an errand for my mother.

When I came home I took care of the baby. I also did some ironing.

We had supper then in the evening I did my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

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Our lessons in school to-day were history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English. Now in oral English I gave my speech but I, myself don't think it was very good though the teacher said, "Good." During our study period a lady came to talk to us about gardening. She took up the whole period and we couldn't study one bit.

After I came home I took care of the baby most of the time. My father wasn't home to supper as he went to the Japanese mission.

In the evening I played hide and seek with Chiyo and Henry for a little while. I did my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

In school to-day we had history, German, geometry, English, gym and sewing. To-day we went to all our classes to have our permanent programs signed. We had a german test & I received 94% on it.

After school Violet and I went down town to see the fashion show. We walked from ninth to fourth. The windows were just beautiful.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also played.

We had supper then I read the newspaper, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather fair.

September Friday 21 1917

We had history, German, Geometry, English, gym, and sewing at school.

After school I went down to the public library to get some books.

When I came home I played and also took care of the baby.

We had supper then I read a book also the newspaper then went to bed.

weather fair.

1917 Saturday 22 September

My mother wasn't feeling well to-day so she stayed in bed all day. I did all the house work by myself. I finished about one o'clock then we had dinner. In the afternoon I read a book and rested.

Later I took care of the baby. I also played. Right after supper we took our bath. I read the newspaper, read a book, also the Bible then went to bed.

September Sunday 23 1917

The Sunday school lesson to-day was about Daniel in the lion's den and it showed Daniels courage and trust in God. Miss Leslie asked us to promise before the class and God that we would try to read a portion of the scripture and pray daily, also that we would stand true in any test. We all stood up and promised that.

After I came home we had dinner. After that was over I washed the dishes and soon it was time to go to Junior League. I gave a blackboard talk. The topic was "The Psalms that have helped us." We had choir practice after Juniors.

When I came home I read a book. I also played.

After supper I went to Y. P. U. I came home without staying for church. I did my homework then I went to bed.

1917 Monday 24 September

School again! and today our lessons were history, Germans, geometry, English, oral English, and gym.

After school I did some shopping down town. I bought my pattern for the dress I will make in sewing. It is a box plaited one piece dress with a large collar and a pretty sash. I bought the material of brown and blue plaid to trim it in plain brown. I had the hardest time choosing the pattern and colors of the material. I came home over an hour later than usual. I didn't do hardly anything before supper. My mother and I boiled the goods in salted water to make the ~~colors~~ colors stay.

After supper my mother ironed it for me. I studied my lessons, read the newspaper read the Bible then went to bed.

weather fair.

September Tuesday 25 1917

Our lessons in school were history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. In sewing I started to cut my dress out.

After I came home from school I put the rooms in order and also washed the dishes. Pretty soon my mother came home from a friends.

We had supper. In the evening I read a book, did my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 Wednesday 26 September

We had our first and call of the term to-day. Mr. Thompson and Miss Mason spoke on the situation of America and what we must do to make it easier for those who are suffering on account of the war. A little boy played two pieces on his violin and they were so pretty and it was just fine.

When I came home I cleaned house then I watched the baby just a little while.

Soon we had supper then I went next door to telephone to Edna. I did my lessons, read a book, read the Bible, read the newspaper then went to bed.

weather stormy windy, fair

September Thursday ~~27~~ Friday 28. 1917

It was fine weather this morning although the air was stifling. After lunch it clouded and soon it began to thunder and lightning and it began to rain. We were in our study period and we had so much fun watching and listening to the storm. It did not last long.

To-day in gym we played ball and the opposite side won. After I came home I washed the dishes then played ~~to~~ with the baby.

We had supper then I tried to study in the evening. It was so hot that I gave it up. I read the Bible and also the newspaper then went to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 ~~Friday 28~~ Thursday 27. September

In school to-day we had history, German, geometry, English and sewing.

A lady spoke in auditorium to-day and told us to contribute money or books to the soldiers in the camps who would like some kind of pastime in their leisure hours.

When I came home I took care of the baby and played. Soon we had supper.

In the evening I tried to study but I was so sleepy that I turned in early.

My mother and I finished our house work by noon.

Soon after dinner Chiyo got ready to go to town. We started about three thirty. We spent the afternoon at the library and I got "Old Fashioned Girl," "Miss Bagg's Secretary" and a history book. I met Chiye Tajima there.

About six o'clock Chiyo and I went to the store where my father works at. We went to "Walkers" to get some shoes for Chiyo. They were very pretty.

When we got home we had supper. We took our bath then I read the Bible, read the newspaper and went to bed.

Our Sunday school lesson was the review to-day. We reviewed all the lessons of the past quarter. Our choir sang a special song "For a Smile." My mother brought the baby to Sunday school to put his birthday pennies in the box.

When we came home we had dinner then I washed the dishes. I read a book and played. My mother went to a ladies meting and took Henry. Chiyo and I went to Junior Y. P. a. I stayed after that for choir practice.

At home I read a book. We were starting supper when my mother came home.

In the evening I studied for my history test then went to bed.

October Monday 1 1917

We had a history test to-day. The teacher gave us two questions. "1) Draw the map of Italy locating the states, rivers, & Rome. And tell the geographical advantages of Rome. 2) Trace the struggle between the plebeians and the patricians in detail from the beginning to the end." We had short periods to-day and no one hardly finished. During roll call we had an arithmetic test of twenty problems. I solved only thirteen.

When I came home from school I took care of the baby then I made supper.

In the evening I studied, read the paper, also the Bible then I went to bed.

1917 Tuesday 2 October

Our history teacher was very kind and allowed us to finish our test of yesterday's and gave us another question. We also had a German test. The other lessons were regular with sewing in the afternoon.

At home I played with the children and also read a book.

Soon we had supper. After that I took all evening to get my oral English speech, "Fearful Famines of the Past." When that was completed I went to bed.

weather—fair.

October Wednesday 3 1917

In the German test we had yesterday I received 84%. The highest mark was 88% so I was the next or third highest in the room. Instead of English to-day I went to agriculture where a lady spoke to us about our gardens.

I gave my oral English speech and it lasted twenty minutes. It was very long, but the teacher said it was good.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also played until time for supper. After the meal I washed the dishes, read a book, then studied lessons. Before going to bed I read the Bible.

weather—fair.

1917 Thursday 4 October

To-day in school we had history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. The German home work for to-day was to memorize two anecdotes by heart and recite them in class. After every one had finished the teacher was asked to give us our marks. She said that I received "B" and every one else received "C". I was very glad.

After I came home I read a book and also watched the baby. We had supper then I washed the dishes.

I read the Bible, studied my history also. I read the newspaper then went to bed.

October Friday 5 1917

At school today we had history, German, geometry, English, gym, and sewing.

In German the old~~e~~ teacher told me I was very rude because I spoke while she was speaking. She gave the class a lecture on good manners but I think she needs some lectures too. In gym we played ball but it wasn't any fun because one side was up to bats all the time and the other side won again.

After school I stopped in town to do an errand for my mother.

When I came home I cleaned the back yard then played with the baby. It was time for supper soon then after that I did some studying, read the Bible, read the newspaper then went to bed.

1917 Saturday 6 October

I wasn't feeling very well this morning so my mother did most of the housework although I helped her a little. We finished quite early and my mother got ready to go to Mr. Futami's funeral. He died 2 days ago during an operation. Just as my mother was going Mr. Mori came ~~to~~ over to spend the afternoon. He stayed while my mother went. We got us some candy and I ~~left~~ let him ~~to~~ take it easy. I read a book most of the time. Soon my mother came home.

Mr. Mori stayed to supper which we had early. Then he went home. I finished reading "An Old Fashioned Girl." It was very interesting. I took my bath then went to bed after reading the Bible.

October Sunday 7 1917

In Sunday school our lesson was about the Psalms of Deliverance. After I came home I read my Sunday school paper then soon we had dinner.

In the afternoon we went to Junior League. after that our choir stayed quite a while to practice our rally day song.

When I came home I tried to study and I got played around.

Directly after supper I went to Y. P. A. It was a fine meeting. Four of us girls had to sing a song. I came home without staying to church and ~~~~ I studied my history report.

1917 Monday 8 October

In history class to-day I gave a twenty-five minute report. At last the test papers of last week were handed back and I was so glad when I saw my "A". In the German test that we had Friday I received 79%. It was not such a good mark. I was excused from gym so another girl and I went to sewing during that period.

After school I stopped down town at the library and also went to some stores.

When I came home I just played with the children.

After supper I studied my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather – fair.

October Tuesday 9 1917

Our lessons in school to-day were history, German, geometry, English, and sewing.

I stopped at the library on the way home to get a book for English.

When I came home it was pretty late. I helped get supper and soon we had our meal. In the evening I worked a long time on the history outline and also did my other home work. At last when I finished I went to bed.

weather – fair.

1917 Wednesday 10 October

We had in school to-day history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English. Three of us girls were supposed to take agriculture during our English period but we decided to drop it because we didn't have any time to garden at home. The teacher didn't want to let us go at fist but she consented later. I was excused from gym to-day.

After I came home I washed and ironed some ribbons then I took care of the baby.

We had supper then I washed the dishes. After awhile I studied my history, darned some stocking, then I read the Bible. Pretty soon I went to bed.

During our history period we had a one word test. This was where the answer consisted of one or few more words. We had fifty questions and when we finished we exchanged papers to coruct each other's. A boy in the class received the highest mark which was 95% and I came next with 92%. I was so glad to beat Lillian and Violet the two bright ones of the class.

We had sewing in the afternoon.

When I came home I played with the baby and took him on an errand.

We had supper then as tonight was our turn to have the Japanese neighborhood prayer meeting we got ready. I went to the church to practice for rally day. At home I studied, read a book then went to bed.

At school to day we had history, German, glometry, English, gym, and sewing. In gym we played ball but the boys took the diamond away from us and held up the games so we didn't count our score.

After school I stopped in town to go to the library and go to the store where my father works.

When I came home while watching the baby I played jump rope.

Soon it was time for supper and when it was over I played a while with the children then I read a book. I also drew a map for history. Then I went to bed.

weather - clouded.

October Saturday 13 1917

This morning my mother fixed my lunch and I got ready for a picnic. Our Sunday school class decided to go on a picnic to Hollenbeck park. The teacher was at the church and I went too but none of the girls came so we couldn't go.

I home I played and at noon time we ate my lunch in the back yard.

Afterawhile Chrissie came along so I went with her to a lady's house to get jardineres to decorate the church with. I stayed and watched the church being decorated.

We had supper then. I took my bath, read the newspaper, also the Bible then went to bed.

weather - f cloudy.

1917 Sunday 14 October

This was Rally Day in Sunday school and there was a short program. I am in the choir and we had to sing a song. There were two other songs and a speaker. The pennants and banners of each class were hung all over the church and were very pretty.

When we came home we had dinner. In the afternoon we had a Junior Rally and the state superintendant of the Juniors was the speaker. We had a little program also. After Juniors we stayed to practice some songs.

This evening in Y. P. A. a bunch of us girls sang a song. I also stayed to church and the preaching was fine.

The lessons to day in school were history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English. In gym to-day we had our ball game and it was a very exciting one because the 2 sides were evenly matched and we couldn't tell who was going to win. Our side won with 9 runs against 6.

At the library after school I got a book "Miss Billy's Decision."

When I came home Mrs. Bently, our landlady, was on the same car and she was coming over to hear about the fixings we needed for our house.

I played before supper with the children.

In the evening I read a book, ~~took~~ read the newspaper and also studied my history. I read the Bible then went to bed.

We had in school to-day history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. Nothing unusual happened to-day in school.

When I came home I played jump rope. After the baby woke from his nap I took care of him.

We had supper soon then in the evening I read a book, did some studying, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather fair.

October Wednesday 17 1917

In school our lessons were history, German, geometry, English, gymnasium, and oral English. I received A- in the history outline I handed in on the "Punic Wars." In gymnasium we learned some funny dances.

After school I went to the library and got "Sylvia Experiment."

When I came home I did some ironing.

Soon we had supper then I washed the dishes. In the evening I studied my lessons, read the newspaper, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 Thursday. 18 October

We had a German test to-day and I received 96%. I only had two mistakes on my whole paper. The other subjects were as usual and in the afternoon we had sewing. During my study period I went to pose for a drawing class. I had to wear a Chinese costume with a head band around my hair and a fan in my hand held to shade half of my face. I also wore Chinese shoes. I wore them (the costume), over my dress so it was very hot and I nearly roasted. I stood on a chair and the class sketched me.

At home I swept some of the rooms, and soon we had supper.

I did my studying then read the Bible and went to bed. I received a letter from my cousin in Japan and my parents received some from relatives.

Our gym teacher to-day was absent so we stayed outside and played ball the whole period. We had sewing to-day and six girls had to take one sewing machine apiece and clean and oil it. I had one machine and it was fun to do it. We learned something new.

When I came home from school I washed the dishes and I also took care of the baby.

We had supper then I washed the dishes. I read the newspaper, read the Bible then went to bed.

Mother and I worked hard to finish our house work early. After we had lunch we rested for awhile. Then we got ready to go to town. It was awfully hot and my mother didn't feel like going but I wanted a new hat. We went to Hamburgers and there were some pretty plush tams. I got one of those and I was awfully glad. We got some stockings for my mother and me. At Bullocks I wanted some pretty stockings for Sunday and I got a pink pair. We went on a little further and I saw some pretty silk stockings which were slightly imperfect which made them almost the same price as the pink ones. These were white but of course I wanted silk stockings so I exchanged them. I was perfectly satisfied

We were excused early from Sunday school to-day so we could go to the Japanese church. Dr. Sturge had come from San Francisco and he was the speaker. He talked about "How to Get in Harmony with God. It was very interesting. After church we were going to eat our lunch then go to hear Billy Sunday. But baby and Henry behaved so restlessly in church that we thought we wouldn't go to-day, but would go next Friday. We went out to Exposition park and visited the museums. There certainly were some wonderful things, too numerous to describe. We rested on the grass then we walked to Mr. & Mrs Zaina's home. Their little boy had come back from Japan so we went, we stayed there for a while then we came home.

School began for the week again and our lessons were history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English. During class room period we were to elect a new chairman for two weeks. Nominations were in order and I was nominated as one candidate. There was also a boy nominated and to-morrow will be the election. During gym we played base ball and our side won with the score of 10 – 4. After school I went to the library and got "Anne's House of Dreams."

When I came home I played mostly with the children. We had supper then I did my home work, read the Bible and went to bed.

At school to-day we had history, German, geometry English, and sewing. In sewing our teachei gave us some "Prisilla" magazines and some "Vogues".

When I came home I took care of the baby, and played. We had supper then in the evening I did my stydying then went to bed.

In school our lessons for to-day were as usual with gym and oral English in the afternoon. In gym our teacher was absent so our man teacher gave us some excercises. We had an aud. call in the morning and we had a regular treat because a young lady sang for us. She sang many songs and some were so funny.

After I got home I did some ironing. It was soon time for supper. After that I washed the dishes then in the evening I studied my lessons. I read the Bible ~~a book~~ then went to bed.

weather fair.

In history we had a test and it was pretty hard because the first question was limited to only three hundred words.

In the afternoon we had sewing. After school I went to the library then to get my car tickets.

When I came home I helped my mother get supper. We had supper then I studied my lessons, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather - fair.

We had our regular lessons to-day with gym and sewing in the afternoon.

When I came home we had supper early because my mother, and Chips, and I were going to hear Billy Sunday. To-night was the evening of the Japanese delegation. We had reserved seats and there was a large crowd of us. The whole tabernacle was full. My mother bought me a hymn book which had all the tabernacle songs in it. The singing of the choir was just fine and Rhodeheaver, the leader was grand. Billy Sunday himself was so interesting and his sermon was fine. After the service many of us marched up to shake hand with him and he was so nice. The whole service was interesting and I enjoyed it thoroughly.

In the morning I took baby to Mrs. Yamaoka's house to play with her little girl and stayed all forenoon. In the meantime my mother did all of the housework and when I came home we didn't have a thing to do.

We had dinner then my mother and the children went to a Hallowe'en party at the Dayton Heights school. I didn't want to go so I stayed home and washed my hair and read a book.

When they came home they said they didn't enjoy themselves.

Soon we had supper then I took my bath, studied German, read the Bible then went to bed.

We went to Sunday school this morning. The lesson was about, "Ezra's Return from Captivity."

When we came home we had dinner. Mr. Honda came in the afternoon bringing us some "mochi", and staying for a visit. I went to Junior League and afterwards stayed to practice for the choir. My mother, Chijo, and the baby went to a women's meeting at the mission.

We had an early supper and my father, Henry and I went to hear Billy Sunday. We had seats about the eighth or ninth from the back so we couldn't see very good. The singing was just fine and Billy Sunday was too but we couldn't understand him so well as we did Friday because we were too far back.

weather – fair.

October Monday 29 1917

Our lessons in school to-day were history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English. In gym to-day was ball day and we played base ball. This time our team was the loxer. Our score was 2 – 7.

After school I stopped at the public library on my way home.

At home I helped my mother and I also played with the baby.

We had supper then I did my home work. I read the Bible and I read a book then went to bed.

In the history test we had before Thursday I received "A" and I was so surprised.

weather – fair.

1917 Tuesday 30 October

In school today we had history, German, geometry, English, and sewing.

When I came home I just helped my mother a little and played with the baby.

We ate supper then I studied my geometry, and also my history report. Then I went to bed.

weather - fair.

October Wednesday 31 1917

At school everything was about as usual. There wan't anything in particular but an and. call in which a man spoke to us about book, how book made a success of his life. It was very interesting.

When I came home I did my home work.

We had supper as soon as possible then we went to the church where we celebrated the Japanese emperor's birthday which is to-day. There were many stunts and everyone was so funny that many of the people almost were crying. Three big girls dressed so they looked like just small girls with a great big paper head on and they gave a dance. The play which came last was the most funniest thing. It was appropriate to Hallowe'en because a ghost appeared in the last scene. Everything was funny and we thoroughly enjoyed ourselves. We had refreshments also. sure

weather - fair.

1917 Thursday 1 November

In school to-day we had history, German, Geometry, English, and sewing. There was nothing unusual that happened to-day.

When I came home I did a little ironing then I helped mother make supper.

Then we ate it. In the evening I did my home work, did some knitting, read the Bible then went to bed.

I went to school to-day and the lessons were history, German, geometry, English, gym, and sewing. In gym we played ball and had fun. Miss Mason gave me some yarn and I started to make some vermin strings which kill the lice that gather on the bodies of the men in the trenches. I bought some wooden knitting needles to knit for the soldiers.

On the way home from school I stopped at a store and got ~~some~~ a pretty pink hair ribbon.

When I came home I helped my mother prepare supper. It was father's birthday to-day and he brought home some ducks a man had given him yesterday so they came in handy for the birthday supper. We had a good cake also and everything was fine.

This morning my mother and I did our house work. This took until afternoon. We then ate lunch and while I was washing the dishes Pauline Barnes who was visiting her sister who lived near us came over with her little niece to tell us that she was coming over to-morrow morning to go to Sunday school with us.

In the afternoon I finished reading "Anne's House of Dreams", and it was the best book ever. I also did some knitting. Then I took care of the baby. We had supper then I washed the dishes. I did some of my home work, wrote some "minutes" for Junior Y. P. a. then read the Bible. I took my bath then went to bed.

weather- fair.

November Sunday 4 1917

This morning we went to Sunday school and Pauline Barnes came too as a visitor. The lesson was about defeat through drunkeness and it was a temperance topic. Four of us girls in the choir sang a song, it was awfully cute and fitted right in with the topic.

When we came home we had ~~dipper~~ supper then I read a book.

In Junior Y. P. A. to-day was business meeting. Most all afternoon I read a book.

After supper I went to Y. P. A. There I had to make a few remarks on perseverance in school. I also stayed to church and it was an interesting service with preaching by a presiding elder Hussar. There were testimonies during the latter part.

weather- fair.

1917 Monday 5 November

In school to-day our lessons were history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English. In gym to-day was our base ball day and it was an awfully good game although our side didn't win.

After school I went to the library and got a book called "Laddie." I also did some shopping then I came home.

At home I took care of the baby then I went to the store many times. We had supper then I washed the dishes.

In the evening I studied my lessons, read the newspaper then I read the Bible and went to bed.

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November Tuesday 6 1917

I was late to school this morning on account of the old Temple cars. They weren't running regular at all. I was late about fifteen minutes. It was because on account of the rain I think that the car was delayed. All my lessons were regular as usual with sewing in the afternoon.

After I came home I played, I also watched the baby.

Soon we had supper then afterwards I studied my lessons and got a report for Oral English then went to bed.

~~weather~~ = fair. 311

1917 Wednesday 7 November

The lessons were to-day in school, history, Germans, geometry, English, gym, and oral English.

During oral English period Lillian called me into her office because she is the Editor of the Brown and Gold and I am class editor to dicuss about the book. We had to think up something to write about the class and Lawrence McGonigle, the assistant editor, was in there too. All we did was joke and laugh and had all kinds of fun. He was so funny he kept us laughing all the time.

When I came home I washed the dishes and played with the baby. Then I did lots of knitting.

We had supper then in the evening I did my home work. I read the Bible then went to bed.

The last period to-day there was a Yuletide Benefit for the Soldiers at our school. A lady whom Miss Mason knew came and gave us many pieces which she recited with such a natural expression it was very interesting. There were many funny pieces too and she even represented a boy who was crying because his brother gave him all his old clothes. She was just wonderful. A small boy played the violin wonderfully accompanied on the piano by his sister. The music was just beautiful and they both seemed to be born musicians. These were the only things there were but they were very good.

After school I went to the store where my father works and got some purchases for my mother.

In geometry when the teacher asked the class who had all five problems for to-day I was the only one that stood up, I had all of them. During our history period we had to write about the personal appearance of Julius Caesar and make his character sketch of him.

When I came home I took care of the baby and also I helped my mother prepare supper.

We had supper then I read the newspapers of a week or so back then I read the Bible and went to bed.

weather fair.

November Saturday 10 1917

I helped my mother with the house work to-day and we didn't finish until after lunch.

In the afternoon I did some knitting then I did some washing of my own.

While my mother was preparing supper I took care of the baby then I set the table.

Soon we had supper then I washed the dishes. I read the newspapers then I took my bath.

weather fair.

1917 Sunday 11 November

This morning we went to Sunday school and our lesson was about Nehemiah's Prayers. It taught how he prayed to God for help and how he confessed his own sins.

When we came home from Sunday school I read a Sunday school paper then I read a story book.

We had dinner then I went to Junior League.

After that we all went for a walk with Mr. Yamaoka and his family to the homes he took care of for he is a gardener. We walked all over. We stopped at one home then we saw some of his other places. It was dark when we came home and we were tired.

We had supper, afterwards I did my studying then went to bed.

weather—fair.

November Monday 12 1917

To-day at school in German we had a test. It wasn't so hard as I thought it would be. During gym period we played base ball and it was a great victory for us because the score was 14—2. In oral English I gave a speech on "Norway." We had an aud. call this morning and the speaker was a man from the Los Angeles Red Cross. He told us many of the things that children could do to help the Red Cross.

When I came home I played with the children then soon we had supper. Then I washed the dishes.

In the evening I read the newspapers, did some studying, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather—fair.

1917 Tuesday 13 November

In school we had history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. In German to-day we had ~~a hard~~ our test papers and ~~German test~~. I received 88% or B.

After school when I came home I just played with the baby until about supper time.

When that was over I washed the dishes. I did lots of studying then I read the newspaper and went to bed.

In the German test which we had day before yesterday I received 88% or "B" so as the ones that got "D" were going to take it over I did so also. Of course the teacher gave us different sentences and all but I got them all. At noon I went in to see the result and I had 95½% which was "A." My but I was happy.

After I came home I did a little washing of my own then I did some knitting.

We had supper then I read a book, read the newspaper, studied my history, then read the Bible. Soon I went to bed.

Our lessons in school today were history, German, gometry, English, and sewing. In English we took parts to-day playing Midsummer Night's Dream and we acted a few scenes.

After school I went to the public library to get some books.

When I came home I found out that Mrs. Nakamura, and Mrs. Tanaka, and another lady had been to our house.

I helped my mother then I played for a while.

We had supper then I read a book, studied my lessons, read the Bible, then went to bed.

In English to-day we had an easy test. Our other lessons were German, history, geometry, gym, and sewing.

Pauline Barnes came home on the same car with me for she was going out to see her sister. On the way home I stopped at a shoe-makers to get my shoes.

When I came home I played, watched the baby until supper time.

In the evening I read the newspapers, read the Bible, and did a little studying then went to bed.

This morning I helped my mother with the house work. This took us until after twelve. We had lunch then I got ready to wait for Edna because she said she might come over. This was the first time she was going to come so I watched the cars. Then Eva and Elizabeth came over to remind me that we were to go to Mrs. Leslie's house. I had forgotten all about and explained that I was expecting a friend. I waited a few more cars and by that time it was about three o'clock so I decided to go to Mrs. Leslie's. This was our quarterly meeting and when I got there the business part was over and they were having the social part. We all had a ride in an aeroplane. Each one was (con in July Cosh)

In Sunday school our lesson was about "Nehemiah's Prayer answered." It showed that we have to work for answers to our prayers because Nehemiah worked for his answer before he got it.

When I came home I read a book. Pretty soon we went to Juniors after dinner.

After I came home I did a little school work then I read a book. We had supper then I went to Y. P. A. This was missionary Sunday for the society. I also stayed to the preaching service.

At school to-day we received our report cards. I was very much disappointed with mine because I received C in geometry. I really think I deserved at least B so I told the teacher but he didn't think so and let it stand. I received B in sewing and English. All the rest were A. I wasn't expecting C in anything and it made me awfully mad.

When I came home I took care of the baby and I also played.

Soon we had supper then I studied my lessons, read a the Bible then went to bed.

At school to-day we had history, German, geometry, English, ~~g~~ and sewing. There was nothing speicle that happend at school.

When I came home I ironed some of my ribbons. then I played with the children for a while.

Then we had supper. After that I stayed up till eleven o'clock doing my homework.

In classroom to-day we voted for president. There were two candidates and Lawrence McGonigle received the office by two more votes than the other boy who was running.

We played baseball in gym to-day and the score was a tie.

After school I went to the library with Lillian. I got two books, "The Blossom Shop," and "The Proof of the Pudding."

When I came home I did a little bit of sewing until supper time.

After our meal I studied, read the Bible and went to bed.

At school our lessons to-day were history, German, geometry, English, and sewing.
In English we had to have descriptions of nature and the teachers praised mine which was about the moonlight on the ocean.
After I came home, my mother was making some Japanese sweets (botamochi). and I helped her. To-day was the day my grandfather died four yrs. ago so we had the family prayer meeting at our house to celebrate the occasion.
Just before supper I went on the car to Mrs. Tanaka's house to take some of the things my mother made. I came right home then we had supper.
There weren't as many people in the evening as were expected.

In history to-day we had a one word test at the board. I was the only one that got 100% in the class.
After school Celia, Edna, Lillian, and I went down together to Witzel's to have our pictures taken for the Brown and Gold. It was lots of fun and after we had them taken we all walked to fifth street. and three of us went to the library.
When I got home it was half past five.
We had supper then I washed the dishes. I read the newspaper, then I read the Bible and went to bed.

To-day the baby had a cold and he was feeling so bad that he wouldn't leave my mother at all and I did most of the house work although mother helped considerably.

After lunch I had to do the dusting and later I read a book. My mother couldn't leave the baby so I got supper all by myself. I boiled potatoes and made corn meal bread. When my father came home with the weiners I broiled them in the oven while the corn meal bread was baking. Then we had supper and it was pretty good.

In the evening I did some studying then I took my bath. I read the Bible then went to bed.

In Sunday school we had our Thanksgiving lesson which was the 103rd Psalm of praising the Lord for all His benefits towards us.

When we came home I read the Sunday school paper and also read a book.

After dinner we went to Junior League. Each member of our league brought something to give to the poor folks and we had quite a collection. After Junior a bunch of us went to a lady's house to get some things she had promised us for the poor folks. It turned out to be a long walk and we went also to Chrissie's house and to Elizabeth's, then to Miss Bisig's.

In the evening after supper I went to Y. P. C. U. then I came home early. I studied my lessons then went to bed.

At school we had history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English.

During gym we played ball and it wasn't a good game at all for our sides were unequally matched and our side didn't get put out ~~by~~ but kept gaining run after run. There was no excitement for only a few players were really playing on the other side.

When I came home I dug up some potatoes for my mother. We didn't have any left so although my mother thought they were too young to dig I did it anyhow. There was plenty of little ones for supper.

In the evening I did my homework. Then I went to bed.

In school we had our usual lessons with sewing in the afternoon.

After school a few of us girls Lillian, Edna, and I went to Witzel's to get our pictures. We were very anxious to get them. I was very glad when I got mine because they turned out pretty good. Everybody said they were fine.

After I came home I did some work then I wrapped rice cakes for our Junior Y. P. A. continuous party. Thel Chips and I went to Miss Bisig. From there we went to Elizabeth Hickey's where we were served with sandwiches and crackers. Then we came back to Miss Bisig's where we had supper of salmon, potato salad and a bun. It was very good. We heard the phonograph. Con. on Aug. card then afterwards started

weather-fair.

In history to-day we lined up in a row and answered questions. This was fun. In our German class we played German games.

We had an aud. call to-day where a man spoke on "Thanksgiving." The orchestra played some pretty numbers. The aud. call was so long that we didn't have any fifth period, therefore no geometry. In the afternoon we played base ball in gym and also our Brown and Gold staff had our pictures taken.

Just before going home we found out that Miss. Pratt, our dear history teacher, was going to teach at Lincoln high and would leave on Monday. This was her last day and we all were so sorry. We all hated to have her go and we went (con. in dug cash)

weather-fair.

Of course we celebrated Thanksgiving day to-day and in the morning I went to Mrs. Yamaoka's house on an errand.

When I came home I read a book then helped a little with the dinner preparations. We had a good big Thanksgiving dinner when my father came home. We had turkey, a nice big one, peas, mashed potatoes, a big layer cake, pies, and raisins and nuts. Everything tasted so good we ate a whole lot yet there was lots of the turkey left.

After the dinner I just read a book, cut some magazines and enjoyed myself quietly. My mother, father, and Chiyo took naps. Altogether we spent a very good Thanksgiving day.

In the morning as we didn't have any school to-day also I played for a little while after doing a little usual work. I also worked on my dress that I am making at school. I put the hem in it.

After lunch I made a crocheted string to wear around the collar of a waist or a dress. It was awfully cute. I crocheted a pretty pink and white edge around an embroidered handkerchief. These were starters in getting ready for Christmas.

Pretty soon we had supper. After supper I read a book, also read the newspaper, then I read the Bible and went to bed.

Chiyo had a cold and didn't feel well so she stayed in bed all day. There was no one to watch the baby so I took care of him while my mother did the house work. She did most of it. I took the baby to Mrs. Yamaoka's and played there for a while.

When we came home we had dinner. In the afternoon I did the dusting then I crocheted a blue and white edge around a handkerchief and it was awfully pretty. I also finished reading "Seventeen". This was one of the best books I had ever read. I played with the baby for a while then we had supper.

In the evening I read the newspaper then I read a book. I took my bath then I went to bed. I also read the Bible.

weather - fair, rained then cleared

December Sunday 2 1917

I went to sunday school this morning although it rained. The lesson was about Nehemiah rebuilding the walls of Jerusalem. It told about Nehemiah's courage.

When I came home I read the sunday school paper and looked over some old ones which I had. We had dinner then we went to Juniors. This was business Sunday and we did pure regular business.

After we got home I helped my father make some cakes.

We had supper. After that I went to Y. P. S. A. where Chrissie was the leader. I came home without staying for church.

I made my scrap book with stories from the sunday school paper until time to go to bed.

weather - fair.

1917 Monday 3 December

We had school again to-day and the lessons which we had were as usual with gym, and oral English in the afternoon. As Miss Pratt, our history teacher was transferred to Lincoln high school we had Mr. Clark for our teacher. He was a joke and I'm sure that if we keep on just as we've started we won't have much hard work.

In English my teacher read my description of a person and praised it. During gym we played ball and it wasn't any fun because our side kept winning and our score was 14 - 1.

After school I went to town and got something which I needed.

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December Tuesday 4 1917

This morning at school we had a most interesting and call. A brother of a teacher in the school who is a first lieutenant in the U.S. Army was on parole and told us many things about army life. He spoke well and also told us of the day's routine naming each thing which they did and the exact time. There were many other things which he told us one about hand grenades and oh it was so interesting that the applause was deafening at the end.

When I came home I just washed the dishes. We had supper soon after and afterwards I studied my lessons, read the newspaper, read the Bible then went to bed.

weather fair.

1917 Wednesday 5 December

We had in school to-day history, geometry, German, English, gym, and oral English. Nothing unusual happened in any of the classes.

After school I went to the library with Lillian and Violet. I got the books called "Saturday's Child," and "Street of Seven Stars." When I came home I played with the baby.

We had supper then I did my lessons, read the newspapers, also read the Bible then went to bed.

weather-fair.

December Thursday 6 1917

To-day in school I had history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. In German yesterday I made a bad recitation but to-day I made it up.

After school I stopped in town and got four different kinds of crochet thread. There were two big balls of blue and lavendar and three little balls of one purple and two purple and whites.

When I came home I played with the baby and as I felt sick I lay around.

We had supper soon then after that I stayed up awfully long studying my lessons and writing my English story.

weather-fair.

1917 Friday 7 December

We were all glad to-day as this was Friday which meant the last day of school for the week.

We had our usual recitations in the morning with sewing and gym in the afternoon.

After I came home from school I just played a little with the baby a wiped the dishes. It seems like there's nothing to do nor any time to work after I get home from school especially these short days.

Of course supper came next. After that I read the newspaper, studied my German, read the Bible and went to bed.

weather - fair.

December Saturday 8 1917

This morning we were about to begin our house work when Mrs. Okazaki came over. And of all the great surprises she brought Mr. Yamato along. He was an old friend of ours and had been out of the city. This was the first time we had seen him in six years. He brought us five different kinds of Japanese sweets and a lot of each. He gave each one of the children a glass toy with candy in it. Mrs. Okagaki brought my mother a Japanese candy dish with candy in it and also two yards of corn colored silk to make a waist. It was awfully pretty. They stayed for about an hour.

We finished our house work about two o'clock in the afternoon.

weather - fair.

1917 Sunday 9 December

In Sunday school this morning the lesson was about Ezra and Nehemiah teaching the Law.

After I came home, I looked at a magazine my father brought home.

We had dinner then I did some school work. I stayed home from Junior because I wasn't feeling well on account of my cold. I did some work for the Brown and Gold then I studied my German

weather- fair.

In school to-day we had history, German, geometry, English, gym, and oral English. In oral English class Lillian, as the editor got me excused from it to work on the Brown and Gold work.

There was an aud. call this morning, but I wasn't feeling well and was excused from it.

When I came home I played with the baby then I fixed the hamburger for supper.

In the evening I studied then I went to bed.

weather- fair.

Our lessons in school were history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. In sewing we had much fun as all the girls had to sit at two tables because the mothers of the P. T. A. were sorting out clothes for the Christmas donations to Amelia street school at the other tables. We laughed and talked and did most everything. It was so much fun.

After I came home I didn't do anything but I just sat around and made a few vermin strings.

Soon we had supper. Right after I had washed the dishes I began to study. When I finished I went to bed.

weather - fair.

December Wednesday 12 1917

This morning we had an aud. call and Mr. Francis, former superintendent of schools came to speak to us. His speech was fine, but it was very short.

In our study period Celia and I went down to the office and helped Miss Mason put some Christmas cards in envelopes. It was lots of fun. In oral English the teacher read some funny answers from some history papers and they kept us laughing all the time.

After I got home I took care of the baby a little. Now I think of it I didn't hardly at all, but I washed the dishes. Just before supper I went to telephone Lillian and when I came home we had supper. I stayed up very late to do some work.

weather fair.

1917 Thursday 13 December

At school we had history, German, geometry, English, and sewing. In sewing we put some fancy stitches on the little felt booties for the French orphan babies. This was lots of fun.

When I came home I just took care of the baby a little bit.

In the evening we had the prayer meeting of the Japanese people at our house. I went in another room and worked on my Brown and Gold work until half past twelve for this was my last evening.

weather - fair.

Most of the teachers in school were very pleasant to-day because it was the last day ~~of~~ before vacation. In some of the classes we played games and told stories. During the last period of the day Dr. Albert Shields, superintendent of schools, spoke to us in aud. call. We also sang in there a few of the patriotic popular songs: "Stars Spangled Banner," "Battle Hymn of the Republic," "Keep the Home Fires Burning" and "Over there." Dr. Shields presented us with a charter from the Red Cross to our school meaning that every one in the school was a member of the Red Cross for the school had raised over five hundred dollars for the Red Cross and the amount only necessary (Sep. cos. con. in

weather - fair.

We slept very late this ~~of~~ morning so our house work wasn't finished until away after lunch.

Then I went right away to the church to practice a flag drill for Christmas.

After I came home I played steps with Chirp and I also played with the baby. We had supper pretty soon.

In the evening I read a book then I took my bath. I read the newspaper then I went to bed.

Our subject in Sunday school to-day was about keeping the Sabbath day holy. It was about how Nehemiah enforced the law about the Sabbath day to keep it holy.

In Juniors Miss Bisig lead and we had a praise service. After Juniors we practiced our flag drill for over an hour.

After we came home I took the baby over to a lady's house where my mother was.

After supper I went to Y. P. A. They had the union meting of the four Y. P. A.'s of the Evangelical churches of the city at our church. There was a fine program which was very interesting. They had no church because of the union meting.

This morning while my mother did the washing I cleaned up the rooms and Chirp and I made the beds.

After lunch I went to church to practice for our flag drill. We did that for one hour then we had our Junior Y. P. A. business meeting. This was our election of officers and I was again elected secretary All the offices were just the same except for two, vice-president, and missionary secretary.

When I came home no one was there for my mother had gone to Mrs. Iro's house. I went over there.

At home we had supper then I crocheted for a while then I read the Bible and went to bed.

weather — fair.

December Tuesday 18 1917

In the morning I made the beds with Chips help then I did a little bit of washing for myself. I finished the crocheted tie I started making for Miss Ewing. It is a lavender color and very pretty. While my mother went with the children to Mrs. Iso's to practice their song with them I finished the ironing. There was quite a bit too.

After lunch I went to the church to practice our flag drill and afterwards watched the primaries practice.

When I came home I played a while with the baby.

We had supper then in the evening I wrote a letter to Velma read a book, also the Bible then went to bed.

weather — fair.

1917 Wednesday 19 December

About eleven o'clock in the forenoon we went down town to do our shopping for Christmas. We went to many of the toy shops in the department stores. At Hamburger's they had the mechanical gnomes work shops which were very cute. Everywhere there were toys galore. The children just enjoyed everything and the baby had to try nearly every bicycle and auto in the stores. He was so sweet. We bought something for a little girl friend and bought Henry's and Baby's shoes. I bought guns for baby and brother but kept it a secret. I bought for myself a pair of needles We didn't do so much shopping, but

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weather – fair.

December Thursday 20 1917

This morning I made all the beds then I put a room in order then I washed all the dishes what were was left over from yesterday. Then I rested for a while.

We had our lunch then. After that I got myself ready and went to the church to practice our drill. I stayed to watch the primaries practice and they were so cute.

When I came home I read a book. Then I put a stand on a Christmas tree that my mother got from Mrs. Yamaoka's.

Soon it was time for supper. In the evening I read the newspaper, and also put the baby to sleep. I read the Bible then went to bed.

weather – fair.

1917 Friday 21 December

During the forenoon I didn't do any especial work, but I had to mail a package to Miss Ewing so I went to the post office on Santa Monica boulevard. On the way I stopped at Beatty's hay barn where Caroline was working in the office. I stayed and talked with her. I had baby in the carriage along with me. Then I went on to the post office. Coming back I stayed a while longer with Caroline.

In the afternoon I went to practice our flag drill for Christmas exercises. Later I played with baby then we had supper.

After that I wrote many Christmas cards then I went to bed.

weather — fair.

I helped my mother with the house work this morning. By noon I was almost through.

We had dinner then right after that I went to practice for our drill in Sunday school.

When I came home a man came over with many presents from Mrs. Tanaka. There were hats for all of us children. Mine was awfully cute with black velvet and a turned up brim with wide gros grain ribbon around it. We didn't show the children theirs.

Then I went down town to meet my father later to buy my shoes. I went to the stores then I went to the library. I saw Celia down up there and talked to her awhile. Then I

weather — fair.

In Sunday school to-day we had the Christmas lesson of the birth of Christ.

When we came home we had dinner then a little while after that we went to the Japanese mission to their Christmas entertainment. The children on the next block and Chiyo and Henry were to sing two songs one a Japanese song and one an American song. There were five of them and they sang just fine, great deal better then the Japanese Sunday school children did. I had to say a piece and one part of it I just bluffed at it. At the end we received candy in "Cornucopia's" and we also received a few presents. I received a box of hand

In the morning I went to the church for a last practice of our drill.

In the afternoon Henry and I went on the cars to Mrs. Honda's to take some presents to her children. They were so pleased with them.

After we came home we had supper then got ready for our entertainment at our Sunday school. Everything came off just splendid. My mother said our flag drill was fine. All the girls wore white middies and skirts with red ties and red hair ribbons. We didn't make one mistake. At the end we received candies in boxes.

We just had a fine Christmas to-day. We received so many presents. I got a beautiful peacock blue moire hair ribbon from Mrs. Honda, two yards of it, also my new gray top shoes, a velvet hat from Mrs. Tanaka, two boxes of handkerchiefs and from Mrs. Hyland, the wife of my father's boss at the store we received oh! so many presents. I got a new white middie with dark blue collar and cuffs, a pencil box, two games, a paint box, and a beautiful, paint book. From Margaret Allen I received two pictures of cupid in a oval frame and Martha Kessler in Arizona sent me a pretty crocheted lavender yoke. I was very pleased with my presents and we

(con. in Dec. 26th)

We had a day after Christmas feeling and we were very tired and slept late. My mother went to some Japanese people's house and I cleaned up a little and I made up some games for us all to play this afternoon. When my mother came home we ate lunch. Then we played putting the tail on a donkey and drawing pictures blind-folded and I gave out prizes to the winners. I played a flag game also with my mother, Chips and Henry. We had fun.

I took care of the baby a little. We had supper then I washed the dishes. I read a magazine then I wrote a letter to Mrs. Hyland. Then I went to bed.

I played with the children a little while then I did just a little bit of ironing.

We had dinner then I washed the dishes. The rest of the afternoon I read a book and painted a little.

Soon we had supper then I read the newspaper, read the magazine then I wrote a letter to Miss Ewing. Then I went to bed.

weather-fair.

In the morning I did a little work and right after dinner, Chips and I went down town to the public library. I went to get my oration for oral English. My subject will be "The Red Cross. I got some magazine articles on it and I also got some books for reading. Chips got some books while I was boking up my speech.

After a few hours we came home. There was a letter waiting for me from Margaret Allen.

After supper I read the book, read the newspaper, and I also wrote a letter to Margaret. Then I went to bed.

weather-fair.

My mother went to some friends house this morning and I stayed home and did my house work.

When my mother came home I helped get lunch then we ate it.

In the afternoon I read a book then I helped my mother a little. I also played with the children.

It was soon time for supper. After that I washed the dishes. I read the newspaper, read a book then went to bed.

weather—fair.

December Sunday 30 1917

At Sunday school we had a review of the last quarter's lessons.

After Sunday school I went to the Japanese people's houses where my mother was. They were making pounded rice cakes called mochi for new years and they were making oni's too for the men pound them. I helped to shape them a little bit then I went to Junior league. The topic was, "What we have learned from the Psalms we have studied."

When I came home I played with the baby then soon we had supper. After supper I went to Y. P. A. I came home without staying to church.

weather—fair.

1917 Monday 31 December

My mother this morning went to the Japanese people's houses on the next street to get our mochi. The baby was crying for her so I took all the children down.

When we came home we had lunch then I cleaned house for New Year.

My mother made Japanese new Year edibles. I helped her a little.

I played with the baby a little while then we had supper.

In the evening I read the ~~ma~~ newspaper then I stayed up to usher in the new Year. I worked on my oral English oration.

Notes for 1918

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Memoranda

con. from p. 33.
the bell rang at that time.
I met my mother down town
and we bought ~~our~~ my dress
goods and paterns for sewing.
We bought other things
then came home with my
father.
We had supper then in
the evening I read the
Bible, the paper, the
Brown & Gold then went to bed.
con. from page 76.
we saw the animals and the other
girls became separated from
Mrs. Leslie, Chrissie, Jessie, and
I, so Mrs. Leslie was very much
worried. Finally they came
back and they wanted to see
the Zoo again so Mrs. Leslie
went with them. Chrissie, Jessie,
and I said we would wait
for them. A little ways off
we saw a crowd so we went
to see what it was. They
were taking moving pictures

and it was very interesting.
A man was supposed to be lying down after a long journy and a little girl about three years old came up and kissed his eyes and forehead. It was very sweet and the little girl was so pretty. Soon Mrs. Leslie and the girls came back and we started for home. Only Mrs. Leslie and us girls went a-head. The others came lagging behind. Mrs. Leslie had to hurry home so Chrissie, Jessie, and I bought some ice cream and candy. At Virgil St. we met the other bunch. We were all tired and my feet were awfully sore but I finally got home. When I got home I just rested my-self. But everything put together I sure had a good time.

con from p. 110.

he took it off there was a rabbit in it.
He took two handkerchiefs and rolled them up in his hand and they would disappear. There were two empty tubes near by and when he openend them they each held a handkerchief. He placed an empty tubd on the floor and when he had said some words he opened it. Flags of all nations were pulled out of it and small flowers came popping out. He rolled the flags together then a large American flag appeared. Everyone clapped and as the band played the "Stars Spangled Banner", all the people stood up. That was the Best thing on the program. I enjoyed the whole thing

only we had such back seats and it was so long we got tired. We reached home about twelve o'clock.

con. from p. 168.

had lunch on the porch. We ~~had~~ sat for in the afternoon on the porch where it was shady. We then went on the pier and went on the merry-go-round, bought, ice-cream, and candy. We came back because we were tired and sat on the porch a while longer. Later we went near the water and played in the sand. Mr. Hyland came back and my father went ~~to~~ with him to get something for supper. We had a regular little supper and we had hot things. In the evening I played more in the sand and also enjoyed the coolness of the evening. About nine

o'clock we started back home in Mr. Hyland's auto. He was very kind to us. We had an awfully good time for it had been such a long time since we came to the beach last. We enjoyed the whole day because we had such a good place to stay at and a kind host. The ride to the beach was very pleasant.

When we arrived home it was about 10 o'clock.

con. from page 176.

Mr. Golay at the end gave a speech stating that he had enjoyed the speeches and then said as the teacher of our class that he had enjoyed our class. Then the bell rang and the banquet was over.

January—Cash	Rec'd	Paid
Ancient History		1.50.
Buhlig's Business English		1.

con. from page 184

ashore we all went to Miss Behren's home which was right near the park. We had punch, cookies and candy. We danced for a while then we played "musical chairs, and also passing the ring on a string. We had lots of fun and soon we started home wishing that we could have another suchouting.

con from p. 198.

wading. Miss Bisig went in too. We kept going deeper and deiper and everyone was in way above our knees. Our underwears were wit so we let them dragg in the water and took off our middie skits. We had so much

February—Cash	Rec'd	Paid
Ancient History		1.50.
Dress goods		1.40
Folder & tablet		.50

fun and stayed in the water ove an hour. We then took off our underwear and wring them out then spread them on the grass to dry.

After that we went to lunch. I ate with Chrissie and her family. We had a good lunch with chicken, olives, sandwiches, and all kinds of good stuff. When we finished eating we went to where they would have races. I won two red ribbons which were first prizes. We played "keep away" and also "teacher" with a volley ball. We went in wading some more in the little pond and followed the brook along its course. After that we went back to

the tables where we got ice-cream. The children got two helpings and it was awfully good. When we had enjoyed that we had a strenuous game of "keep away" which was great fun. Then we all came back to get ready for our return journey. We got on the same truck and yelled and waved at people along the way as we did on our way over.

When I got home I was so tired that I could hardly ~~so~~ stand up but I didn't care because I had a perfectly grand time.

con. from p. 226.

There were so many things I couldn't remember them all. We went up some winding stairway which made you dizzy and we

came out on the roof. The view was grand from there and it was very nice.

After we came ~~down~~ we went ~~to~~ in bathing. I brought my gym bloomers and went in about up to my waist. It was awfully nice. Chrissie got her middie wet too but she got brought another one. After being in for a while we had to come out. We dressed then & we waded a while. We got some ice-cream and some candy then we played with a volley ball. We played prisioners base also. Soon it was time to go home and we started back after having a fine time.

con. from 245.

song service. There were three special songs and

May—Cash	Rec'd	Paid

many of the members named their ~~Special~~ favorite song and told the reason why they liked it best.

Mr. Steven's preaching was very good.

Con. from p. 252.

and we had a good time. We ate supper with Mrs. Yamaguchi and Mrs. Yuzawa and their families, because they live together.

After supper we all went to the Japanese mission. We heard the preaching then went stopped at Mrs. Okazaki's just a short time after service. She gave Chiyo a big Japanese doll that came from Japan. She gave me a pretty basket and soon we started home. We got home about eleven o'clock.

June—Cash	Date	Rec'd	Paid
stamp pictures	4.		.25
Pencils.	4.		.05
Ice-cream	1.		.10
candy.	11.		.05.
ice-cream.	14.		.05.
car tickets.	16.		.05.

Con. from p. 254.

that she is going to let us sew without basting. We were all glad that, Miss Evans, the old teacher left.

We were dismissed at twelve o'clock and I went to the public library. I got some books then came home.

Con from p. 293.

We went straight down Broadway stopping at some of the shops. At th store where my father works we stopped. Then we went to Albert Cohn's for some groceries. We came home with my father. We were pretty tired.

July—Cash	Rec'd	Paid
Portfolio		.05
Eraser		.06
Pencils		.06
Ribbon		.15
Baby ribbon		.5
Crochet Thread		.10

con from p. 321.
blindfolded and made to step on a raised board. Then the person took hold of the shoulders of two people in front of her and it felt just as if ~~she was~~ ~~we were~~ going up in the air. ~~Of~~ The people in front only stooped lower and lower and of course the person on the board couldn't see them and it felt as if on an aeroplane. I thought it was lots of fun. We played all kinds of other games guessing games and others. Then Mrs. Leslie served us with fine refreshments three different kinds of

August—Cash	Rec'd	Paid

cookies, hot chocolate, good sandwiches, and apples. We had all we could eat.
Soon after that we came home. We just had a fine time.
Edna didn't come after all.

con. from p. 331.
for our house where we passed the wrapped rice cakes to everyone then we went to Caroline's where we spent the rest of the evening playing games and we had tea with the rice cakes, also apples. We sang for a while then after a prayer we started for home.
We had a very good time and it was very foggy when we went home.

con. from p. 332.
in to tell her good-bye. But we were heartened up when we found out that maybe

one of the easiest teachers would teach us instead of a hard teacher whom we had expected.

I went to take my pictures back to Witzels with Edna then we went to the library where I got "K", and "Seventeen."

When I came home it was pretty late and I didn't have any work to do.

After supper I read some newspapers then I helped my father in preparations for our Thanksgiving dinner. I frosted the cake, helped make stuffing, and sewed up the turkey. My mother went to the family meeting at Mrs. Yamaoka's.

con. from p. 348.

to receive a charter was over $100. This five hundred dollars was not only in

cash. They also counted the miscellaneous articles which we brought such as rubber, tin foil, newspapers, rags, bottles, sacks and many other things.

con. from p. 353.

enjoyed everything we saw in the stores. One great misfortune that happened to my mother was losing over a dollar in one of the stores. She had her purse open and didn't know it and her coin purse fell out. It was a good thing she didn't lose the large amount she had inside of the inside compartment of her purse. This incident sort of dampened our spirits.

We got home about six o'clock.

con. from p. 356.
went to meet my father. We went to the shoe stores and the first pair of shoes I saw I wanted. They were too high so we went all over to other places, but in the end came back to the first place. The shoes were dull leather bottoms and grey cloth tops. They had the medium high heels and pointed toes with some fancy design on it. I liked them awfully well. They cost $4.85. I got some grey stockings to match and I was just so happy.

con. from p. 357
kerchiefs from the mission and a friend who was there gave Chiyo and I each a cute ring. The program wasn't a good one at all. I received another

box of handkerchief.
At home we had supper then I went to the Japanese mission Church for Y. P. A. After that I came home without staying for church.

con from p. 359.
were all so happy. Henry and Chiyo both got many things that they wanted. My mother got pretty purple and black beads from Mrs. Hyland and my father got a necktie.

After our dinner we rested awhile then I put on my new things and we all went to the Japanese people's house in the next block for the Christmas celebration. The children received candy and peanuts and they drew lots and received

Summary—Cash	Rec'd	Paid
Cash on hand Jan. 1st		
January		
February		
March		
April		
May		
June		
July		
August		
September		
October		
November		
December		
Total		
Balance to new Acct.		

their presents. For the older folks they had games and gave out prizes. I won 2s first prize in one contest which was to see who could draw a most human like figure with her eyes closed. Mine was the best of all. One game was to put a tail on the cow and it was lots of fun. We had songs and all kinds of doing then we had good refreshments and when we came home it was almost ten o'clock.

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