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THREE-POWER PACT LIKELY OUTCOME OF NAVAL PARLEY

Delegates Abandon Hopes For Great Five-Nations' Agreement, Many Critics Believe

COMPROMISE PLEASES

LONDON, — By the time this dispatch goes to press, it is likely that the three power treaty, in which the United States, Great Britain and Japan agree to scrap ships, will be drafted as the only outcome of the naval conference being held here.

The rumors of the past several days have not been inspiring of a five power naval pact and the differences involving France Italy and Great Britain have not been smoothed out to satisfy any of the three countries named. There has been some talk of a security pact with article sixteen of the league of Nations covenant and annex F of the Locarno treaty being incorporated in the pact for the assurance of French safety from naval agression, in lieu of sufficient reductions, but this has not matured in a draft form as yet.

Some Cry Failure

There are critics here who are wont to consider this parley a dismal failure in that its prime objective of consummating a five-power naval reductions pact has not been achieved but a few others feel that the three power agreement based on the Reed-Matsudaira compromise takes up the longest part of the yarn of naval scrapping. The failure or success of the conference was not dependent upon neither France nor Italy, and the agreement by the big three on a common basis of reductions is as much as any five power naval conference could have expected at this time, it seems.

The records of the Washington parley show that neither France nor Italy were satisfied with the tonnage of capital ships allotted them and it was inevitable probably that they should demand, especially in the case of France, a larger tonnage of auxiliary crafts. Around this attitude of French naval demands, Italy's position revolved on an adamant stand of parity with Frace.

England Key Power

Diplomatically speaking the French probably never dreamed of having the conference remain satisfied with her estimate proposed as a necessity for her national defense without a security pact, since her figure would constitute a threat to the U Kingdom. However, in order to effect superiority over Italy, her Mediteranean neighbor, or to have some security gurantee, England was placed in a key position.

The key has not been a fortunate one for the British. It is believed by some that the English could have capitalized on the situation by being forced to hold the magic wand dictating her own terms by consenting to give the French the demanded security pact. The fortune of the conference would, thereby, have been placed in their laps, but, the French demand took the positive as to place the British in a retreating position.

Compromise Approved

However, for all that, the Reed-Matsudaira compromise has come to the rescue of the conference and also Premier McDonald, who with President Hoover had held the highest hopes of achievement at Rapidan on the occasion of the British Premier's visit to America. The Japanese-American agreement to which Britain joins with the reservation that she may withdraw whenever a contingency arises necessitating her building to greater tonnage, has already been approved by the Japanese government and in every respect it seems to satisfy the American delegation as well.

Through this compromise measure Japan may not get her demanded seventy percent of America's and Great Britain's auxiliary tonnages but a tonnage nearly that percetage is to be hers until 1936. This was effected through the agreement that Japan will be allowed to retain an equal submarine ratio with the two greatest sea powers.

At last reports the conference seems to have abandoned all hopes of effecting a five power naval treaty but the three power pact will be drawn, it is reported, leaving France and Italy to join at a later date when the Franco-Italian differences and the British security negotiations are ironed out.

Former Seattleite Gives Talk on Japan

SYRACUSE, N. Y. — Japan, her culture, historic background and traditions, served as the subject of discourse by Mrs. K. Iyenaga former Seattle, Wash., high school student and Columbia graduate, before the Community Club of Sylvan Beach, recently.

This discourse on Japan was probably the first to be heard in these parts by a community organization, and which brought knowledge of Japan closer to the people of up-state New York .Mrs. Iyenaga is the daughter - in - law of Dr. T. Iyenaga, formerly professorial lecturer in political science at the Chicogo university.

Envoy Extends Appreciation Of Nippon For Aid

WASHINGTON, — With the reconstruction of the quake-devastated area of Tokio now completed, the Japanese Ambassador to this country, the Hon. Katsuji Debuchi, took the occasion last Friday to extend the official appreciation of his government to the State Department for the relief and aid given by the people of this country, at that time.

His note to the State Department read:

"I have been instructed to express the most sincere appreciation of my government to the government and the people of the United States for the sympathy and relief which they extended to the stricken people of Tokio at the time of the calamity and for the encouragement and cooperation which they have given to the Japanese people in the course of the reconstruction."

Amassador Debuchi spoke over a nation-wide hookup last Sunday on the traditional friendship between Japan and the United States.

INDICATIONS SHOW LAW CHANGE SOON

Altruistic As Well As Economic Motives Behind Sentiment

The one strong reason for the necessity of modifying the exclusion law restricting the entry of Japanese immigrants to this country, is now being portrayed through economic considerations, but underlying the structure of these arguments, it is possible to note that a certain altruistic thought to adjust an ill in the international body politic seems to have taken a trend on the Coast.

Economically the exclusion law has done more harm, of which there can be no doubt, but the question at hand seems to imply that the businessmen are not thinking in terms of trade relations as they are in altruistically believing that wrong must be righted.

Justice Keynote

Simple as this might sound, justice seems to be the keynote and not supplanting this foundation of their argument but developed on top of it are the more practical and cold arguments of economic considerations reaching into the traditional relations between the United States and Japan.

Just as it is apparent, Ashley E. Holden, executive secretary of the local Japan Society, remarked at the Associated Businessmen's Club luncheon Wednesday, justice now sustains the reasons advanced for modification of the exclusion law. Although the businessmen who incline toward altruism are as yet in the minority in comparison to the number of people who discuss the situation from an economic standpoint, the latter group are by no means disregarding a tenet for which the American people are not unmindful of at all times.

Conditions Change

To some there is a question, that if this were so, the exclusion statute would never have seen legislation in the first place, and it is not a very good argument to make in the present day, since conditions have changed and a greater knowledge of Japan and the Japanese people is now being possessed.

Actualities always make for strong reactions when the long end of the pole is cut down, but it is substantially sustained on this problem, by a principle of justice in adjusting any ill in a proper manner and the businessmen of the Coast are not negligent nor weak in their manifestation of it, it seems. The one thing that seems certain with indications growing stronger month by month, is that the Coast will, in the near future, take some step to modify the discriminatory measure as a truly American expression of justice.

Buddhism Will Be On Victrolas Soon

TOKIO — It has been learned here from high Buddhist authorities of the Jodo sect that phonographs will soon be used to propagate Buddhism, throughout the Empire. Abbot Kitano is soon to launch a record on religious lectures while Abbot Uyeno of the Jodo sect will record picturesque recitations.

Hoover Awarded Engineer's Medal

WASHINGTON — The Hoover medal of engineering was presented to President Hoover by the American Society of Engineers at their fiftieth anniversary banquet, on Tuesday evening, here. The medal is to be kept by the President for a year when it will be awarded to some prominent engineer the next year. The medal is a yearly award.

MANY BILLS DUE TO COME UP AT DIET CONVENTION

Seiyukai Opposition Will Stir Up Kobashi Case To Harrass Government, Believed

SESSION OPENS SOON

TOKIO — The post - election comments have now subsided, and the country is looking toward the convention of the fifty - eight Imperial Diet, when it opens, in extraordinary session, on April 21 for three weeks.

The real business of this extraordinary session will not begin until April 23, but it believed that during the first two days, the agenda will be scheduled to facilitate and time the deliberations on the bills needing urgent legislation. The number of bills which this Diet must face is no small one and it is likely that some of the measures will not have sufficient hearing to warrant their legislation.

Skeletons Rattle

The bills in themselves are important to assume the full time allowed for deliberation, but it is understood that the Kobashi case will undoubtedly be brought up by the Seiyukai opposition to harrass the government. The corruption case of the former Minister of Education, who resigned from his post prior to the general election, has been the political ghost and nightmare stalking on the trail and nightmare stalking on the trail of Premier Hamaguchi and his cabinet but the government forces do not fear the opposition on this point, in the lower house at least.

The argument of the government party is that the scandal did not merely involve former Minister Kobashi alone at a time previous to the present government's induction, but that it also corralled several of the Seiyukai members of the late Baron Tanaka's cabinet, chiefly Heikichi Ogawa, Minister of Railway's under the Tanaka government.

Many Bills Stated

At the present time the bills to be introduced by the government already selected for a hearing on the Diet floor by the cabinet but a number of them will undoubtedly be forced to be cut down due to the short duration of the special session. However, the chief one to be introduced is the rationalization of industries measure which will come up first for a hearing, it is believed,

Others are the transfer of expenditure for education by the local to the central government, to the amount of Ten million yen yearly; the distribution of fertilizer through a governmental agency; the revision of the criminal code on a wider scope to ensure immunities for persons as against those found guilty of burglary; to safeguard banks which finance trade firms in foreign countries, from losses; to give government power to regulate customs tariff to enable the financing of shipping trade.

Appropriation Asked

Besides these other bills will be a petition for the Diet to request the legislature to appropriate 11 million yen for public works development in Chosen to alleviate the unemployment situation in the homeland. stop the influx of Korean labor into Japan, on that account, and from hampering the present unemployment situation on the homeland.

One other bill which is expected to be introduced is the trades union measure, but on this much deliberation is necessary and it is believed that it will be sidetracked until the longer session later in the year.

LOCAL PIONEER PASSES AWAY

Another of Seattle's pioneer businessmen passed away on last Sunday morning when Leo S. Schwabacher died at his home here from acute indigestion.

Mr Schwabacher was president of the Schwabacher Hardware firm for the past twenty years where he had served in apprenticeship for thirteen years prior to his executive post. He was the son of Sigmund Schwabacher and a nephew of Bailey Gatzert, one of Seattle's foremost pioneers. He was 59 years old.

French Approval Of Young Plan Certain

PARIS — Premier Tardieu's earnest efforts to have France ratify the Young reparations plan seems to be rewarded from the apparent political sidewinds blowing in its favor.

The bill once ratified by France would undoubtedly pave the way for its ratification by the allied powers and Germany's reparations payments would begin anew. Once ratification is sealed, the evacuation of German territory will begin as well as the establishment of the international banking system at Basle, Switzerland to handle the payments to the allied powers.

Ratification of the Young plan will come by decrees from Japan and Italy while in Belgium it will be forced to go through the deliberations of legislative chamber.

CHAMPION SWIMMER

Helene Madison

(Courtesy of P. I.)

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HINDUS FEAR GANDHI ARREST

BOMBAY — The civil disobedience move instituted by Mahatma M. K. Gandhi, against British rule in India, is beginning to turn to outbreaks of violence, it is believed by observers, here.

At Mysore on Tuesday some 12,000 Hindu mineworkers struck with the purpose or taking over a British owned gold mine. Violence followed, it is reported. Due to this disorder 2,500 British troops were despatched to the scene to quell the disturbance.

On the same day the Mahatma's arrest was expected to take place but according to information, this step was not taken by the police who feared that such a move would incite the Indian people unnecessarily. Ram Das Gandhi, son of the Mahatma, was arrested on Monday and given a prison sentence of six months for breaking the salt law when he was caught evaporating sea water for salt. Other leaders of the silent revolt were, also, given sentences.

Kobe Sees Electric Progress Since '88

KOBE — New electrical enterprises are going up in this city and which brings back to mind the days when but 400 incandescent light globes paved the way to the progress of electrical mechanism of the day.

Starting out with four generators the Kobe Electrical Light Co., was established on Oct. 1888, which lighted four hundred light globes of 16 candle light units. This ompany was financed at a capital of 100,000 yen.

In time this was amalgamated with the Kobe electrical railway which operated a three mile tramway in 1910. The union brought about the birth of the Kobe Electrical Co. Ltd. which finally became municipaly ownde.

At the end of 1928, it was disclosed that 683,120 lights were being supplied with electricity by the city. New electrical enterprises are now springing up and soon Kobe is expected to take a premier position in Japan on enterprises in this field.

Mme. Miura Tamaki Will Star in Talkie

LOS ANGELES — Paramount Studio has announced that Madame Tamaki Miura, world famous Japanese prima donna, will be employed for its projected production, "The Golden Kimono," which will be filmed some time in June. This talkie film will capitalize the soprano's exceptional voice.

Mme. Miura is now on a concert tour of Italy. She recently completed a tour of the Pacific Coast.

Brownie Furutani Wins Poem Contest

HONOLULU, — One of the foremost Japanese student poets of Hawaii, Brownie Furutani, has won first prize in the Normal School poetry contest, sponsored by the Press Club of the school.

The young poet submitted three poems, each of them winning a prize-first, second and fourth places. The titles of these literary pieces were "The Way of Destiny," "Homesick," and "The Breakers."

Brownie, who is a graduate of Hilo High School, is one of the leading literary lights among the Japanese in Hawaii.

Takahashi Made Deputy Sheriff

The first American of Japanese ancestry ever to be honored with a shield of a deputy sheriff in this country, goes to the credit of a local second generation businessman. He is C. T. Takahashi, pres. of the China Import and Export Co., pres., of the C. T. Takahashi Co., and vice-pres. of the Oriental Trading Co.

Takahashi, who is probably, the first young American - born Japanese to enter the importing and exporting company on his own initiative, is a graduate of the University of Washington and served in the aviation corps during the world war, as a flyer-to - be, at Prisdio, Calif. Sheriff Bannick's honor came last week, when the deputy sheriff's shield was presented Takahashi.

CHINA UNPREPARED TO VOID EX-RIGHTS

U. of W. Team Wins Debate Over Harvard Chinese Students

The problem of relinquishing extra-territoriality in China, by the foreign powers, was given a thorough and intelligent discussion, when a Chinese debating team from Harvard University thrashed out the issue with the University of Washington team at Meany Hall, on Thursday evening.

The Chinese team taking the affirmative, declared the immediate necessity for the foreign powers to relinquish their ex-territorial priviliges in China, if the good-will and cooperation of their nation was expected to be had. Victor Kwong, captain for the Harvard debating team of 1927 and which won the United States championship that year, appealed to the intellectual reasoning of nations by asking whether this exterritorial privilige held by the powers, possessed any moral right.

Ex-Rights Unnecessary

This was further taken up by Peter Kiang the other member of the team, who stated that conditions proved that those foreigners whose nations did not possess ex-territorial rights in China, lived peacefuly and enjoyed profitable business in their equal association with the Chinese people. Foreigners who did not possess special priviliges, he stated, were the Germans, Russians and Austrians. The consular systems of juridical powers and the foreign courts in China for the special benefit of maintaining law and order in the foreign concessions, Mr. Kiang declared, was a duplication and wholly unnecessary. The Chinese government was fully capable, he implied, to handle all questions of justice.

The negative side of the discussion was taken up by Charles Strothers and Winfred Bird, that China was not yet ready to gain immediate relinquishment of the ex-territorial rights but that through a gradual process of modernizing the judicial system of her country and thereby proving to the world her capability in administrating her own laws, the foreign powers would be satisfied to give up their special rights.

Gradual Step Proposed

It was shown how the relinquishment of ex-territoriality took place in five years time in Siam, Japan and Turkey, and it was contended that under the present circumstances of China's political conditions no immediate step could be taken in abolishing the concession rights without fearing the loss of foreign life and property. It was, also, proven that ex-territorial rights had already been given up by the United States and Great Britain in principle and that this total abolishment would come as soon as there was assurance of China's capability in administrating her own laws under the modern codes of justice.

The debate was won by Washington when the three judges unanimously voted in favor of the negative.

The debate was presided over by W. E. Priestley, president of the China Club.

THE WEEK At a Glance

April 4, ROME, — Queen Victoria of Sweden died here today.

April 5, SHANGHAI, — Nanking government is ready to declare war on rebel group.

April 6, JALALPUR, India, — Gandhi manufactured salt in defying the British government.

April 7, WASHINGTON, D. C., — Senate agrees with House on higher tariff on pig iron and pottery.

April 8, WASHINGTON, D. C., — President Hoover pays tribute to medical profession on Dr. William Henry Welch's 80th birthday.

April 9, LONDON, — Committee's declaration relating to humanizing the use of submarines agreed.

April 10, LONDON, — Hopes for five-power pact revived.

OTHER NATIONALS SHARE PROBLEMS FACING JAPANESE

History of Nearly Every Immigrant Group Shows Handicaps, Rebuffs, Disappointments

CHANGE WILL COME

By Kikuye Otani

The time for June graduation is fast approaching, and for the many seniors, with diplomas tucked away, it will mean the real beginning of life careers. The paramount issue then is usually the problem of employment.

The second generation Japanese, placed in the situation of belonging to a race residing in a country where in so many instances misunderstanding and racial prejudice are rife, is quite often dismayed, and not always without just cause, in his quest for a suitable position which will be the means by which he may achieve his self-expression. Such a situation is indeed disconcerting.

Better Perspective

Let us, however, look out beyond the confines of our own small group to view the larger social world of which we are but a part, and see what is happening there. We will then no doubt gain a better perspective of ourselves.

The history of nearly every immigrant group is the history of untold handicaps, disappointments, rebuffs and even humiliation. The Japanese are not the only group who have had to meet the problems arising out of race and culture adjustment. And the problems of the second generation Japanese, though in certain aspects probably more intensified because of greater differences of culture and physical characteristics, are essentially but a repetition of the problems of the second generation of other nationals who have come to these shores to make their homes and who are by degrees fitting themselves into the heterogeneous pattern of American life.

Race Prejudice,

Explanation of our individual troubles is facilitated by attributing the source to race prejudice. Though we do accept the fact that racial barrier is a significant factor, we must at the same time recognize that American students, as well as those of Japanese ancestry, have employment problems to face. Have they not frequently met with disappointment in finding positions commensurate with their training and ability? Have they not, also, discovered that true merit is not always instantly recognized?

That life is not founded altogether on a rational basis is a deduction not exclusive to the second generation Japanese but shared generally by humanity as a whole. Having once recognized that fact, we must make the best with what facilities and opportunities are at hand.

Some of the problems which existed twenty years ago in the Japanese community no longer exist today. Yet it was not the sweeping stroke of a genius that brought about the change. Rather, it is the result of a slow process of growth, the accumulation of the adjustments made by each individual as he met his various situations face to face. Likewise, I do not think it requires a prophet to foresee that twenty years hence many of the rankling problems of today will no longer be extant.

Necessarily Slow

The process of change will necessarily be slow, testing severely our patience, our vision and our faith. In the meantime, however, regardless of what positions we may hold, whether in the professional, business or industrial world, each one of us in our own small way, in our daily deeds and contacts, may by our high ideals, our friendliness and courtesy, contribute much in bringing about a more complete understanding and harmony between the Japanese and American peoples.

Let us avail ourselves of every opportunity for accomplishing that end. Is not that a worthy life motive?

Motoda Choice For Privy Councillorship

Veteran Defeated in Last General Election

TOKIO — A candidate for one of the two vacant privy council seats, now finding popularity is Hajime Motoda, veteran Seiyukai member, who was defeated for the first time in the general election of February for seat in the Imperial Diet.

Mr. Motoda has served for fo years in the Diet as well as a mi ister of state and on every ticket h has run for parliament he has ne failed of being returned a vict His defeat this year was the first be experienced.

His followers believe that the ve teran M. P. is the logical choice t fill one of the two vacancies. T selection is up to Premier Hamagu

COURIER HOOP LEAGUES' WINNERS TO RECEIVE AWARDS AT BANQUET SCHEDULED WEDNESDAY EVENING

Helene Madison Will Present Trophy To Winning World Wide Guilders; Consul Okamoto Will Give Medals To Bachelors

ROYAL BROUGHAM TO REWARD SPARKLERS' FIVE

Helene Madison, Seattle's sensational swimming star, will be the cynosure of all eyes next Wednesday evening, April 16, when she appears at The Courier Basketball League Banquet to present the Girls' League trophy to the winning World Wide Guild team.

A spotlight role will be no novelty for the 16-year-old possessor of ten world swimming records. But to the young participants in the first Japanese Girls' Hoop League sponsored in this city, a meeting with such an ideal American girl athlete as Helene Madison must surely be an inspiring one.

The Japanese Consul in Seattle, the Hon. Suemasa Okamoto, himself a golfing enthusiast and ardent supporter of sports for young people, will make the presentation of silver basketball medals to each of the Bachelors, the top-notchers in The Courier Boys' A League.

Trophy to Sparklers

Royal Brougham, one-time Franklinite who has been connected with the Post-Intelligencer for more than 15 years and is one of the greatest sports editors ever to be developed on the Pacific Coast, will present the Boys' Class B League trophy to the winning Sparklers.

Music will enliven the program with well-known and talented second generation artists scheduled to entertain the gathering with songs and musical solos. Tomeu Takayoshi will sing popular melodies in his inimitable style, accompanied by Kimi Takayoshi. Albert Fukushima, visiting harmonica expert, will display his skill on the mouth harp, while other feature entertainers are also now being lined up for the evening.

Tickets Limited

Due to the limited capacity of the Kin Ka Low banquet rooms, places will be limited to members of the teams registered in The Courier Basketball Leagues. Admission will be through tickets secured in advance only, no tickets being sold on the evening of the banquet, which will begin promptly at 6:30 p. m.

The banquet will climax a highly successful basketball season, in which The Courier sponsored three leagues. Six teams were registered in the Boys' A League, and eight teams in the Boys' B league, with a total membership of 140 players. The Girls' League included five teams with sixty girls enrolled.

The following are the personnels of the three winning hoop teams:

BACHELORS, Class A—Saki Arai, Joe Ariizumi, Harry Hotta, Yukio Kuniyuki, Jumbo Okamura, Sus Watanabe, T. Yamagiwa, T. Yoshijima, Husky Yoshimura.

SPARKLERS, Class B—Grant Beppu, Lincoln Beppu, Fred Chinn, John Chinn, Max Iki, Saburo Iwano, D. Nakamura, Taiji Takayoshi, H. Watanabe, H. Uyehara.

WORLD WIDE GUILD, Girls'—Ethel Ogawa, captain, Yuri Okazaki, Fumi Okada, Mary Tsukuno, Fumi Ariizumi, Mae Iki, Shigeko Sese, Setsuko Kashiwagi, Kazu Hoshide, Sono Hoshi, Masa Watanabe, Sakiko Aoki. Teiko Kashiwagi, manager.

League Champs To Be Awarded Saiki's Trophy

A handsome silver loving cup is soon to be presented to The Japanese - American Courier for presentation, for a year to the winner of the "A" baseball league championship, by Dr. K. Saiki, well known local physician and surgeon. The award is to be called the Saiki Trophy.

The race for the cup is to begin starting this year and every team will be required to win it three years, for permanent possession. Dr. Saiki who was a diamond athlete in his time, has taken a deep interest in The Courier Baseball League and this move by him to make the trophy presentation was promoted chiefly by his enthusiasm in good clean sports for young people and the subsequent cultivation of good sportsmanship.

The trophy will soon be placed on display at Kelly Yamada's sporting good's store.

TACS TURN IN FIRST VICTORY

Getting off on their first practice game of the season before the Inter-City league begins, the Taiyos turned in a victory over the Naval Reserves by a score of 8-2, at the Woodland Park, last Sunday.

Besides this contest, the Taiyos also engaged in a game with the University Independents with the whom the Japanese nine tied. The Taiyos used every available player in their workout.

This coming Sunday the Taiyos will play their opening game against the American Can Co. nine at Broadway at 2:30 p. m.

Umpire Job Landed By Kay Takayoshi

Kay Takayoshi has been given an umpire's job for the Northwest Community League games, the first Seattle Japanese to win such a position.

Out of more than 20 applicants for the jobs, only six were chosen.

Green Lake Squad Holds Practice Tilt

Drawing a bye yesterday, the Green Lake baseball squad entered in The Courier League, held a practice game with an American team, trouncing the latter 12-0. Leo Kashiwagi and Frank Ishida worked on the mound for the Japanese team.

Green Lake Baseball club, which is part of the Green Lake Seinenkai, is rehearsing for the coming baseball entertainment to be held at Green Lake Hall late in April or early in May. The purpose of this entertainment is to raise funds for the baseball team.

LEAGUE STARS TO PLAY GIRLS' CLUB HOOPERS

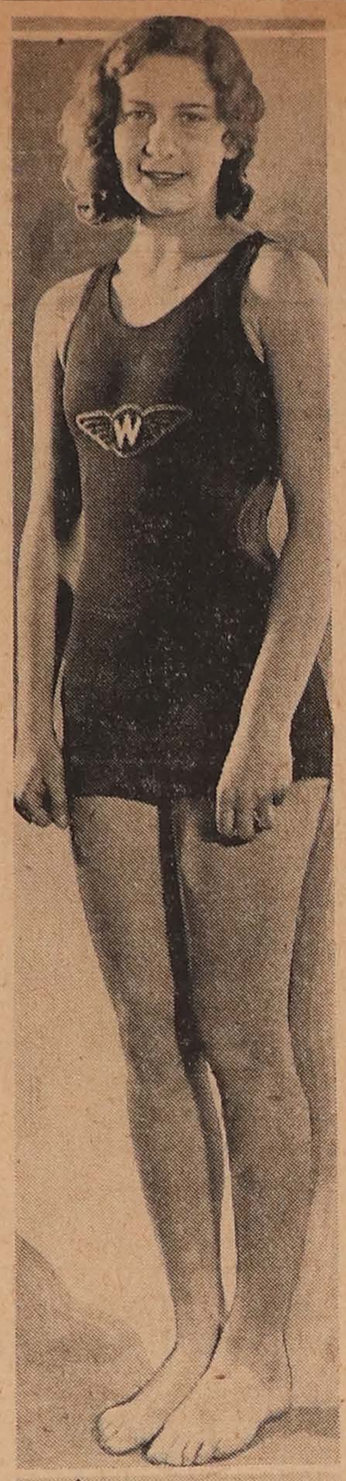
As a climax to a successful season The Courier Girls' All Star team picked by the League officials will meet the Seattle Japanese Girls' Club basketball aggregation in a title match at the Baptist Gym on Tuesday evening at 8 p. m.

The Girls' Club team represented the Japanese Community in the City League this year, having a formidable outfit with such stars as Tashiro, Seki, and Takayoshi.

The All Stars starting lineup will be chosen from the following players: Hirotaka, Ogawa, Okazaki, Arai, S, forwards; Shiraishi, Ariizumi, Kashiwagi, centers; and Aoki, Matsuzawa, Hamada, guards.

HOOP LETTER GIVEN

PORTLAND — Toshio Kumura, local basketball center, was awarded a basketball letter last week at the Oregon Institute of Technology.



Helene Madison
(Courtesy of P. I.)

Standings

	W	L	Pct
White River	2	0	1.000
Ginsei	1	0	1.000
Taiyo Reds	1	1	.500
Lotus	1	1	.500
Market	1	1	.500
Green Lake	0	1	.000
Waseda	0	2	.000

CLASS "B"

	W	L	Pct.
W. R. Tigers	2	0	1.000
Lotus Jrs.	2	0	1.000
Bellevue	1	0	1.000
Y. M. B. A.	1	1	.500
Ginsei Jrs.	0	1	.000
Furuya	0	2	.000
Taiyo Cubs	0	2	.000

SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE

Taiyo Reds vs. Market at the South Park Playfield either at 12 or 2; Lotus vs. Waseda at Columbia 12 o'clock; Ginsei vs. Green Lake at Green Lake Playfield 11 o'clock. White River Tigers vs. Lotus Jrs. 2 o'clock Columbia; Furuya vs. Taiyo Cubs 2 o'clock at Garfield; Bellevue vs Ginsei 10 o'clock Jefferson. White River A's and Auburn have bye dates.

PITCHERS SEIZE LIMELIGHT THRU EFFECTIVE WORK

Kuramoto Strikes Out 15 Cubs As Lotus Juniors Win Tilt, 5-3 Sunday

VETERAN HISAMUNE STARS

Last Sunday's Courier games found more of the pitchers in the limelight than the batters Kuramoto, hurling for the Lotus Jrs, against the Cubs struck out 8 men in a row for a total of 15 in seven innings.

The veteran, Hisamune, was too much for the Wasedas, who were held to two hits and went down to defeat in an upset game with Market 4-5. K. Nishimura of Ginsei did a nice bit of relief work to hold the Reds down to 2 hits in 5 innings with 7 strike-outs.

The fans had an opportunity to size the Ginsei team, which defeated the Taiyo Reds in a hard hitting rally in the fifth inning, putting across 7 runs to cinch the game. Nishimura stowed away the game with a home-run with two men on in the fatal fifth. Niimi socked the ball for two hits in four attempts.

Pikers No Pikers

The Pike-Place team proved that it was no league's door mat by upsetting all the dope by defeating Waseda 5-4 in a close game. Hisamune hurled stellar two-hit ball to lead the victory. Mochizuki and Yokoyama hit three-baggers for the Pikes.

White River kept up their wins by defeating Lotus at Broadway. Although the Lotus team out-hit the White River team, loose fielding spelled their doom. Koda was the hitting star of the game with three hits out of four. S. Niimi shared triple-bagger honors with Miyagawa. For White River J. Okimoto and Doodbara got two hits apiece.

	R	H	E
Taiyo Reds	2	4	7
Ginsei	13	10	4

Batteries: Nitta, Nakao, Yoshijima and Sao, Nishimura; Kitaro, K. Nishimura and Masaru Tanaka, Kitaro.

	R.	H	E
Market	5	5	7
Waseda	4	2	2

Batteries: Hisamune and Chihara; Yanagimachi, Sasaki, Nakamura, and Uyehara, Kiga.

	R	H	E
White River	8	8	3
Lotus	2	10	7

Batteries: J. Okimoto & Tsukamoto; Arakawa & S. Mayagawa.

Furuya lost a tough game to the Auburn nine. Masugi, hurled superb ball for Furuya to blank the Auburnites for the first five innings. The Merchants couldn't come through with support in the field for the final stand and Auburn pushed over seven runs in the seventh and eighth innings to finally nose out a 7-6 victory.

Tigers On Spree

White River Tigers went on another hitting spree to knock out a 26-5 victory over the Ginsei Jrs. at Jefferson Park. Matsuoka led the damage with three home runs. Nakanishi hit one for a circuit. Marutani, Tiger lead-off man, got four hits in six attempts. Hasegawa for the Stars got three hits in three trips to the plate to lead in the stick-work for them.

The Lotus Jrs. defeated the Taiyo Cubs 5-3 after getting a four run lead in the first four innings to stave off the last inning rally of the Cubs, who netted three runs in the last ning to fail to tie the game.

This game was featured by the number of strike-outs, the Cubs reiving 15 and the Lotus Jrs. 12. Masuda, Ogishima, and Abe got two hits apiece for the Cubs while the Lotus hits were scattered among the players.

	R	H	E
Auburn	7	4	1
Furuya	6	8	10

Batteries: Sakagami and G. Hirai; Masugi and E. Takeuchi.

	R	H	E
White River Tigers	26	14	7
Ginsei Jrs.	5	5	12

Batteries: Mikami and Tomosada; Nishimoto and Ogata

	R	H	E
Lotus Jrs.	5	6	0
Taiyo Cubs	3	7	7

Diamond Hits

By TANGE

We must admit Matsuoka, fourth-batter and first baseman for the Tigers, to the hall of fame with his three home - runs made last Sunday against the Ginsei Jrs. He is the answer to a manager's prayer for a good clean - up man.

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The Ginsei team loomed up strong in their victory over the Taiyo Reds. There is much exultation in the Ginsei camp. After three years of persistency they finally downed the Taiyo nine, who were victorious for two consecutive years.

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The Mystery Team, Waseda! The fans are wondering where those big-scoring rallies, that Waseda made famous, to come from behind and defeat many teams last year, has disappeared. Some fans suggest less arguing and more concentration on ball - playing.

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Katsu Nakayama is now trying out for the position of catcher on the Nippons. Good arm, fight, pep, a good head, and a willingness to learn make things look bright for him in his new position.

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Introducing Kay Maekawa, former Whatcom High School star, to the fans who saw him in action with the Nippons in their game against the Royal Colored Giants. He played a smooth game at second base.

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The Cubs score - book is a lesson in psychology. You should see the way that they embellish the sign. The strike-outs stand out like a sore thumb.

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Sunday's most colorful event in The Courier Leagues was the appearance of the Taiyo Reds in their eye-striking uniforms. The team looked their name with flaming red caps, flaming red socks, and flaming red letters. This may have accounted for the hot game that Iwana played at third base, or for the way that Ginsei hit the ball in the fifth inning. Anyway, Ginsei saw too much red in that inning.

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They should have named The Courier League, The Okimoto League. Look at them, Jimmy Okimoto, Fred Okimoto, Frank Okimoto, John Okimoto, and I believe there was a Kay Okimoto someplace, too.

PORTLAND SQUADS HOLD FIRST TILTS

Rose City Fans See Triple Header Played At Gresham

PORTLAND, — A triple header was played at Gresham last Sunday afternoon, with hundreds of Japanese fans out to cheer their own favorites.

In the first game Gresham-Troutdale Juniors defeated Montavilla, 10-4. The previous week the former team won by a 7-6 score.

The second game was played between the Fuji and the Gresham High all-stars. Fuji won 4-0, through the brilliant hurling of George Okuda.

Night cap was played by Portland Juniors and the Gresham-Troutdale nine. The game ended in a tie with a score of 7-7. This game was called at the seventh on an agreement. Portland's team was ahead 7-3, bu the latter team scored four runs on four successive errors.

N. A. C. WINS TILT 9-0 OVER ROYAL COLORED GIANTS

Nippons Look Strong With Many New Faces To Bolster Up Regular Line-up

MAEKAWA LOOKS GOOD

The Nippons opened up their preseason game with the Royal Colored Giants of the Inter-City League by defeating them 9-0 at the Garfield play-ground. Mixing hits with squeeze plays proved too much for the colored boys.

The Nippons looked strong with so many new faces in the line-up to bolster the regulars. New-comers were Kay Maekawa, second baseman; Nishimura, a second baseman from Japan, Choppie Umemoto, and Kats Nakayama. Kay Maekawa looked pretty good around the keystone bag and at the plate.

Fleet-footed Umemoto looks like a good bet for the centerfield position. George Okada, playing left-field rushed over two runs by hitting a double with two men on the bases.

Sam Aoki at first base pulled some sensational fielding for this early in the season. The pitchers were H. Okada, K. Arai, and Tom Sakai with Nakayama behind the plate.

SEATTLE BOY ON OHIO MAT TEAM

"Mouse" Hoshida, of Seattle, now attending Dennison University at Granville, Ohio, has placed on the University wrestling team.

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A TRI-POWER TREATY

The final curtain seems about to drop on the London drama, which some are wont to tag as an expensive fiasco, but even out of that maelstrom of indecisive deliberations, a happy omen for the future seems to have been made significant by the tri-partite naval reductions agreement, ready to ensue.

Consitent with their prime motives the three great naval and maritime nations of the world, the United States, Great Britain and Japan, have come to an arrangement agreeable to all concerned to effect a treaty whereby the reduction of armaments is to be assured. If the success of the conference is qualified to the measure of these three nations, alone, it has yet been successful in taking a stride toward morally influencing the world toward the path of permanent peace through their singular action. Both France and Italy should feel the moral force of this action which was taken from the underlying faith that it will not be taken advantage of by any of these two countries.

The Reed-Matsudaira compromise as the agreement, involving Great Britain, also, is termed, brings Japan and the United States primarily, to a closer understanding of the naval situation. Neither nation harbored fears of any sort in regard to their positions. The measure which was approved by Tokio, signified that. The United States has been unselfish in its understanding of the Island Empire's motive of defense. Japan, on the other hand, in conceding to the compromise has been understanding of the necessity which has forced this country to request the compromise. It was a mutual arrangement, the result of which seeks to look for a greater reduction of naval tonnages, which this parley sought for the five powers in conference.

Whatever, may happen after 1936, one thing is certain and that is, these three powers will join hands in convening another naval conference for further naval reductions What will be France and Italy's attitude, then, cannot be predicted nor fathomed, now, but it is quite certain that both nations will come to think that they might just as well have joined in on the present pact about to ensue.

The potent reason holding any of the two smaller powers from building to greater advantage, as against England, remains in the fact that Great Britain has reserved the right to withdraw from the convention at any time her position is menaced by a greater naval tonnage, say by France or Italy. Great Britain, undoubtedly, possesses resources to enhance her navy to a greater armada than that of France. That is the threat which will lie for France and Italy if the step is taken to take advantage of the tri-partite arrangement.

The tri-power naval reductions sounds a clear note for world peace and paves the foundation and way for French and Italian adhesion to the program.

AROUSING JUSTICE

The stern reproval of Japan's protest which pushed the enactment of the exclusion law, in 1924, has now calmed down to a cool temper of judgment which is making it possible for the American people to visualize the unnecessity of the statute.

In 1907, the Gentleman's Agreement came into force to regulate the qualified restriction of Japanese immigration to this country and which was a mutual gesture of friendly diplomacy, not lost upon either government. The benefits reaped through that Agreement had its effect upon the trade relations between the two countries, as it only became clear when it was abrogated by this country in 1924.

Not only did this have its detrimental effect upon trade, but in Japan, it helped to provoke a certain element of the Japanese people to cast suspicious eyes toward the United States. The legislation did not better the Japanese mood nor encourage the greater development of an amiable feeling toward this country. That is a certainty.

Six years are about to pass since the law went into effect, all of which time could have been a period well spent in sowing the seeds of mutual good-will and friendship which would have accrued the natural resutls of good trade relations and a happy intercourse.

All this is, probably, what Mr. Hanihara, might have meant by his usage of the term "grave consequences" in his memorendum to the State Department just prior to the legislation of the discriminatory statute. Certainly from the context of the note, it was not conceivable where it was a "veiled threat", as it was termed by an infuriated Senatorial member, at that time.

It is likely that some of our leading American businessmen on the Coast have realized the meaning between the lines of the Hanihara note and they will, undoubtedly give expression to their sense of justice. Originally, the anti-Japanese wave began on the Coast. It was by virtue of this antipathetic feeling against the Japanese people which finally resulted in the exclusion law. But, now the Coast, with conditions changed from what they were prior to 1907, is growing to realize the un-Americanism of the principle involved in the exclusion statute and many prominent businessmen are strongly of the intent to right a wrong.

The Pacific Coast is the nearest American shore to the Orient and the most neighborly contact is necessary. The inspired businessmen of the Coast, who intend to keep human justice and equality as sacred principles of American government, are awakening to the necessity of modifying the discriminatory statute by applying virtual exclusion of Japanese immigrants without placing a stigma of inferiority upon the Japanese nation. If the entire American population of the Coast could see it this way, the wrong will be righted and American Justice will not be placed before the stake of doubt. No one should question American Justice. It is a fundamental principle. It should be allowed proper expression.

A HIGH IDEALISM

The sparkling adventures of life are few and far between and which are often dulled and erased by the trials and hardships of existence, but to the second generation or the Americans of Japanese ancestry the one sustaining spirit to sweep across the difficult experiences dwells in the retention of a high idealism.

No doubt, Miss Kikuye Otani, an American of Japanese ancestry and who contributed a column to this week's issue, reveals a psychology peculiar to the second generation, but more important is her expression of a high idealism which, again, is peculiar to the thinking of the younger generation.

The Americans of Japanese ancestry have a thorny road to tread. What with the differences of racial characteristics besetting their path in American life, the handicaps they must overcome, through greater effort and industry than average Americans, is at once apparent. Owing to this feature of second generation life, it is not unfathomable especially, among those who are of an age to seek their fortunes in the world that the trials are aplenty which may discourage them from cutting out their proper niche in life. Here the question arises, of an introduction of second generation ability to smooth the way toward adapting and fitting themselves into the various channels of professions, industry and trade, but all this is dependent upon the contacts to be made.

On this point, the task is a difficult one. On every side the average second generation is bound to meet with rebuffs and discouragement. Yet, there is assurance enough that if the ideal of a better and closer understanding and friendship between the Japanese and American peoples is bright enough and strong enough, the proper contacts with American life can be made to sweeten and to alleviate some of the trials and pains they are forced to overcome.

In whatever they do or accomplish the second generation will be contributing in some degree, to effecting those lines of a better understanding and friendship between the race of their parents and the American people. The difficult experiences they must face, must be looked upon by them as a passing phase in their existence and march persistently toward the ideal for which they are in a position to attain. As Miss Otani has suggested, the Americans of Japanese ancestry must carry on.

THE NEW MECCA

America has always been the immigrant's Utopia.

The early Spanish explorers, dreaming fantastic dreams, came to the New World with hopes of finding diamonds and rubies growing on every bush.

Even today there are foreigners who picture America as a land of gold-paved streets, a land where everyone is a millionaire. There is basis for such a supposition, and a statement issued by Ogden L. Mills, assistant secretary of the United States, contains interesting statistics:

"One-half of the transporation facilities of the world and one-third of the gold supply of the world and out of 32,000,000 automobiles in operation, January 1, something more than 24,000,000 are owned in the United States.

"The United States produces one-third of all the coal, one-half of the lumber and two-thirds of all the oil in the world."

With her wealth and abundance of material resources, America is today the richest nation on the globe, the cynosure of the world's eyes, the Mecca of immigrants. Because countless numbers seek entry each year, America's immigrant legislation is a highly important problem.

Above all, would-be immigrants should be made to understand one thing. That to those who will work industriously and be good citizens, the United States extends a welcome and an opportunity to share its wealth.

But that to those who come with dreams of easy riches, America is apt to prove a rude awakening. The Bread Line also exists.

They may pave the road to peace, but it is another question whether some nations will use the highway.

For some students the real beginning of "life" is after their graduation. For others who graduate by a narrow margin it is the beginning of "the end".

Some people have manners. Others have vanity. And still others have nothing but to "put on the dog".

POST MORTEMS

Everything and Nothing
Everywhere and Nowhere

By TOM ARAI

(Contd. from Last Week)

These women are the home-makers of the earth, and having once overcome their inborn desire to roam, (which is unusual), they become ideal wives and mothers even if they do snore. Their gentle observance of order, their fine appreciation of art, and their excellent taste in all things, combine to make of their abode a place that the weary traveller is loath to leave behind him for they show emaculate care for their sinks and cuspidors.

These scions possess a positive genius for bringing to happy fruition the half - formed plans and badly executed conceits of their friends and relatives; the relatives the most. But the sad part of life like the scorched toast on one side, they are not original. The greatest achievements of their lives are generally accomplished in partnership with some more original, but less executive, fellow-man, regardless whether it be a hot dog stand; the dog can suggest an idea, you just turn it over on the fire and toss it over the counter for the coin of the realm. Don't worry, the dogs will bark and scare away the intruders.

Great mutual benefit should arise from the association of the heirs of this sign with the proteges of Capricornus, whether the connection be marital or merely friendly. "I'll bite," comes a voice from gallery.

They are advised to conduct their business affairs with as little worriment and agitation as possible, selecting May and June as the months most favorable for the accomplishment of their more important undertakings, for May has its May Pole Dance and in June oysters are prohibited.

The flower emblematic of this sign is the daffodil, glistening with the glory of Nature's concentrated sunshine, and smiling a modest recognition to faltering humanity. Guess I'll buy some and send them to my creditors . . . . it may help the situation.

(Apologies to M. Mayo)

STATEMENT

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Before me, a notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Misao Sakamoto, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that she is the Business Manager of The Japanese - American Courier and that the following is, to the best of her knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the dates shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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MISAO SAKAMOTO
Business Manager

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of March, 1930.

CLARENCE T. ARAI
(Seal) My commission expires October 10, 1931.

Pink Tea

VISITORS FETED AT OKUNO HOME

Mr. Albert Fukushima, popular harmonica artist, and Mr. Edward Terada, both of San Francisco, were the guests of Mr. Toshio Okuno, vice-manager of the N. Y. K. Line, at his home last Saturday evening. Mr. T. Ito of the Oriental Rug Co., and brother of Mr. Okuno, was also host.

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World Wide Guilders will attend a house party this Saturday and Sunday at the Y.W.C.A. camp, it has been reported. The campus located at Yeomalt on Bainbridge Island.

All World Wide Guilders in the city will go on the outing.

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Mr. K. Wakamatsu, proprietor of the Kin Ka Low, left for Japan abroad the N. Y. K. Liner Shizuoka Maru, last Saturday. He will remain in Japan for about two months before returning here.

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On a month's tour of the East, Mr. H. I. Saiki, well known local businessman, returned here, last Friday. Mr. Saiki spent most of his time in New York City visiting old friends who formerly lived in Seattle.

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A passenger, last Saturday, on the Shizuoka Maru of the N. Y. K. Line, was Miss Fusa Matsumoto of this city. She returned to Japan on a short visit with her sisters, intending to return here in six months.

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Miss Frances Scearce will spend her Easter vacation at her home in Tacoma.

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EASTER PARTY

The Christian Endeavor of the Japanese Presbyterian Church has invited the Christian Endeavor members of the Japanese Congregational to an Easter Party at the former's church on Thursday, April 17.

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Leaving this city last week for San Francisco on a short business trip, Mr. T. Sakurauchi, manager of the Yokohama Specie Bank, returned here late Tuesday evening. He will remain here for the next three or four months when he will take up his duties as manager of the San Francisco office of the Yokohama Specie Bank.

COMING EVENTS

Sunday, April 13

Taiyo Reds vs. Market at South Park playfield.

10 a. m.—Bellevue vs. Ginsei at Jefferson.

11 a. m.—Ginsei vs. Green Lake at Green Lake playfield.

12 M—Lotus vs. Waseda at Columbia.

2 p. m.—White River Tigers vs. Lotus Jrs. at Columbia.

2 p. m.—Furuya vs. Taiyo Cubs at Garfield.

2:30 p. m., — Taiyo vs. American Can Co. at Broadway.

6:30 p. m., — N. A. C. Vodvil at Nippon Kan.

6:30 p. m., — Satomi Kozu leads Epworth League on "The Quest for God."

7:15 p. m., — Esther McCollough speaks at Japanese Baptist Church.

Wednesday, April 16

6,30 p. m., — Courier Basketball Banquet at Kin Ka Low.

Thursday, April 17

8:00 p. m., — Taiyo Club meeting at Nichiren Kyo-kai.

Friday, April 18

7:30 p. m., — Kokko Club Entertainment at Nippon Kan.

Sunday, April 20

6. a. m., — Epworth League Sunrise Service at Catherine Blaine.

9:45 a. m., — Easter Program at Japanese Baptist Church.

Sunday, April 27

J. S. C. Open House.

Saturday, April 26

Japanese Presbyterian Church bazaar.

Friday, May 9

"Waseda Night" at

Saturday, May 10

"Waseda Night" at

EASTER VACATION

Books and studies will be shelved next week by city grade and high school pupils as they enjoy a Easter vacation recess from school.

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At the coming good fellowship banquet to be sponsored by The Courier for The Courier Basketball Leagues, Miss Mary Takayoshi and Mr. Taiji Takayoshi are slated to entertain. The Lotus Buds chorus group is also to furnish a number. Other entertainments will be on the program as well.

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Mr. I. Ito, who was a member of the local firm of Mitsubishi Shoji Kaisha, left last Saturday for San Francisco on his way to Japan. Mr. M. Tanaka arrived here last week from the home office of the Mitsubishi Co. to take up Mr. Ito's position.

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Mr. James Tanigawa 1929 graduated of the University, returned to Seattle last week from a lengthy journey to Japan.

"Three Pegs"

By SATOSHI HOSHI

The W. W. G. girls gave a play at the Japanese Baptist Church last Saturday night. The play was called "Three Pegs". The Three Pegs were three girls. Many people were there and many children were there, too.

A song was sung by two W.W.G. girls. Then a piano solo was played by Sachiko Amano. The play came next after the song and solo. The play was very interesting and funny. Aunt Euphelia, which was Ethel Ogawa, was very fine in her part. She had a part where she was cranky and funny. Every one in the play supposed to dislike her and tried to do mean tricks and tried to get rid of her. Then the first act ended.

Before the second act started a piano solo was played by Mrs. Baker. Then she was asked to play a solo with a table cloth over the keys. Everybody was astonished to see her play with the table cloth over the keys. I think it took a lot of practice to do that.

The second act started and two girls were in a room telling stories about a witch and a princess. One girl said who could the witch be and who could the princess be and the other girl answered that the witch was Aunt Euphelia and the princess was Miss Emily Weston who was Teiko Kashiwagi. Vincent Nelson whistled a song after the second act.

The third act was very good. The play ended when Miss Emily Weston was married. Marguerite, which was Umeko Sasaki, was married and everyone was happy.

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CURTAIN TO RISE ON 'N.A.C. VODVIL' THIS SUNDAY NIGHT

Nippons To Appear In Elaborate Program at Nippon Kan from 6:30 p. m.

JAZZ ACT TO BE FEATURE

The Nippon Kan curtain will rise this Sunday evening, April 13, at 6:30 p. m. on the N. A. C. Entertainment, climaxing weeks of preparation on the part of the Nippons for their first venture into vaudevilledom.

"Toshi no Kure", a hilarious Japanese one-act comedy of the trials and tribulations of a couple who find themselves on New Year's Eve unable to pay their debts, will be one of th high spots of the program. The following cast will limn this laugh-producing drama:

Shizu, the wife . . . T. Nakamura
Husband . . . . . K. Kaneda
House Owner . . . . Ichiro Sakano
Grocer's Boy . . . K. Nakamura
Brewer's Boy . . Sentaro Kamei
Policeman . . . . Fumi Matsuzawa

Sharing the spot-light of attention, Sheenie Miyagawa will lead his audience into a land of peppy dances and tuneful melodies when he appears as the master of ceremonies in an elaborate Jazz Act. Some of the high spots in this lengthy feature will be the chorus number, Tama Koriyama's dancing, Kay Hamada's Hawaiian string ensemble, a Sus Watanabe-Mollie Fukutani duet, and "Kengeki".

Heralded as an idyl of grace and beauty, capturing the very spirit of Nature at her loveliest, a "Spring Dance" will prove an eye-filling interlude on the program, in which fauns and satyrs will sport gracefully in a sylvan setting.

Two Japanese dance dramas by young Mimasukai exponents of grace will be included as well as other skits. Vocal solos are also scheduled to be given between acts.

Birthday of Buddha Celebrated Tuesday

Celebrating Buddha's Birthday, colorful rites and programs were held at the local Japanese Buddhist Church on Tuesday evening, April 8.

With huge crowds packing the upstair's and downstair's auditoriums, many acts were presented by talented entertainers, both the young and the old.

Bits from "Club Lotus", a "Singing in the Rain" chorus, vocal solos by Sheenie Miyagawa, Japanese sword dances by young Tacomaites, magic by Welly Shibata, Hawaiian instrumentalists, and Japanese comedies were among the numbers presented.

Pan Xenia Elects Japanese As Head

Fred Maikawa, B. A. graduate student at the university, was elected president of Pan Xenia, foreign trade honorary, at a noon meeting held Thursday on the campus.

Maikawa is a graduate of the University of British Columbia and is now studying for his master's degree at Washington.

Ariizumis Install Fountain Service

A fountain service has been installed at the Ariizumi Drug Store, Maynard and Jackson, in preparation for the warm spring and summer months when thirsty throats will seek cooling drinks.

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Church Group Plans Bazaar

A bazaar wil be held at the Japanese Presbyterian Church, 9th and Weller, on Saturday, April 26, sponsored by the Ladies' Aid and with all the young girls of the church assisting.

All sorts of novelties as well as useful articles will be vended. In addition, sushi, shiruko, and many kinds of tasty refreshments will be on sale.

The young people of the Japanese Presbyterian Church are also planning to give an entertainment at Nippon Kan on Friday, May 23.

KOKKO CLUB WILL PRESENT PROGRAM

Interesting Numbers Scheduled By Japanese School Pupils

With Sumio Ishihara, Noboru Nishisaka, and Sansaku Sugiyama featured in the important roles, "Eisei Ryori", a Japanese comedy in two scenes, will be one of the features of the Kokko Club Entertainment to be presented at Nippon Kan next Friday, April 18 from 6:30 p. m.

"Gakko Kirai" a two-act play, will be another amusing comedy to be presented by the Kokko Girls. Mary Yoshijima, Kiyo Ishikawa, Shigeko Sesc, Tamiye Tanabe, Lillian Ozaki, and Chiyeko Uyeki are in the cast.

A Girls' Chorus, directed by Mary Yoshijima in a pretty waltz number, "Kinkajou", will be another attraction.

"Jujiro," a short play, will also be offered, while Japanese dances, vocal solos, and other numbers are included on the program.

Sansaku Sugiyama is in charge of this program which is given each year by the students of the Japanese language school. The tickets are selling at 35 cents.

WORLD WIDE GUILD PLAY BIG SUCCESS

Setsuko Kashiwagi and Ethel Ogawa Star In Comedy

Under the able direction of Miss Schweitzer, the W. W. G. girls successfully staged their first dramatic production, "Three Pegs", last Saturday night at the Japanese Baptist Church auditorium.

The stellar acting of Setsuko Kashiwagi as "Peg" and Ethel Ogawa as "Aunt Euphelia," the ever-scheming aunt, stamped the play as one of the most outstanding ones ever attempted by second generation groups.

One significant feature was that all the characters were girls, and although a male character was hinted at, not a one showed up.

Umeko Sasaki as Marguerite and Mary Tsukuno as Madge, the typical hard-working girls, portrayed their roles with artistic finesse.

The charming manners and graces of Emily Weston, played by Teiko Kashiwagi, completely won the audience's sympathy and applause. The acting of Waka Kimura as the waitress, Casey Hoshide as the cook, Masa Watanabe as Mme. Conti and Mae Iki as the aged Mrs. Barclay considerably helped to make the play a success.

The scenery was a perfect replica of a living-room of a modern house. Two interludes, one by Mrs. Baker who played a novelty piano solo with a piece of cloth covering the keyboard and Vincent Nelson's whistling numbers were received with exclamations of surprise.

The proceeds of the entertainment will go to help the missionary work.

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TOMI TSUKUNO TO BE PRESIDENT OF UNIVERSITY COEDS

Teru Watanabe Elected Vice-president Of Fuyokai At Annual Club Election

SADA SEKI TREASURER

Tomi Tsukuno, fine arts junior at the university, was chosen president of the Fuyokai for 1930-31 at a meeting held last Friday evening at the home of Nobuko Yanagimachi.

Teru Watanabe was elected vice-president at this time and following are the other officers selected:

Secretary ..... Yuki Watanabe
Corr. Sec'y ..... Rae Ota
Treasurer ..... Sada Seki
Historian ..... N. Yanagimachi

JAPANESE 'ODORI' DELIGHTS CROWD

Eleven Dance Dramas Presented on Colorful Stage Sunday

With the resources of Nippon Kan taxed to the utmost, to make the stage a veritable fairyland of color and beauty, the Mimasukai presented its annual lavish spectacle of Japanese dances at the Japanese Hall last Sunday.

A lengthy program, lasting from three in the afternoon until late at night, was enjoyed by a big audience who came, in true Nipponese fashion, with loads of children and lots of lunch.

Eleven big numbers were included on the program. A solo dance was given by Minnie Hirata, while Naoko Yamamoto starred in many pleasing numbers, assisted by a large group of young dancers.

KANAZAWA EDITS "J.S.C. ANNUAL"

Tooru Kanazawa, university journalism student, was elected editor of the "J. S. C. Annual" at a meeting held last Friday noon at the university clubhouse. He will replace Welly Shibata, last year's editor, who has resigned from the position this year.

Iwao Hara and Joe Hirakawa were chosen as assistants to the new editor.

With Joe Hirakawa appointed in charge of the arrangements, the annual J. S. C. Open House will be held on Sunday, April 27, it was decided.

Sato Elected J.S.C. Spring House Head

Makoto Sato was elected house president of the J.S.C. for the Spring Quarter at a house election held last week.

Hirami Okubo was voted as house secretary, while Fred Ogura will be editor of the "Erunts from the Graveyard," the house scandal - sheet.

CONSUL GIVES TALK

Speaking on "The Actual Accomplishments of the Disarmament Conference," Consul Suemasa Okamoto addressed a group of university students at Eagleson Hall last Sunday afternoon.

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WHAT'S WHAT At Portland

By ARCHIE KUBO

Rev. Ishida from Honolulu, Hawaii, gave a talk at the discussion meeting Saturday night. His topic was "What's Wrong with the Second Generation."

Rev. Ishida also gave a talk at the Buddhist church on Sunday night.

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Funeral services were held at the M. E. Church last Monday for Margaret Takami, 14. She was one of the most active members of the local girls' club.

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Albert Fukushima will give a harmonica concert at the new Kokugo school hall April 11th.

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Portland Y.M.B.A. was organized last Friday night at the Buddhist church. Thirty boys were on hand at the first meeting and the following were elected:

President ..... George Ochikubo
Vice - Pres. ..... Tsugio Niguma
Secretary ..... S. Yamamoto
Treasurer ..... Toshio Kumura
Advisor ..... Rev. Katayama

Special Representatives — George Sumida, Toshio Shimizu and Daizo Saito.

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The crowd at the triple header at Gresham last Sunday reminded me of "Tango's" article about Little Japan in the last issue of the Courier. I have never seen so many Nipponese kids in one bunch before.

METHODISTS SET SUNRISE SERVICE

The Epworth League will hold their annual Sunrise Service and Breakfast at the Catherine Blaine Kindergarten on Easter Sunday morning at 6 a. m.

Dr. J. R. Sasnett of the Wesley House will be the speaker. There will be special music. Frances Scearce, James Hara, and Henry Kiga are in charge.

Satomi Kozu will be the leader at the Epworth League on Sunday, April 13 at 6:30 p. m. Her topic will be "The Quest for God."

Miss McCollough To Speak Sunday

Esther McCollough, of the Japanese Baptist Fujin Home, who has just returned from a four week's trip in eastern Washington and Idaho, will speak at the regular Sunday evening church service at the Japanese Baptist Church at 7:15 p. m. on April 13 at 7:15 p. m.

On Sunday, April 20, the Sunday school will give its Easter program at 9:45 a. m. Everyone is welcome

Harvard

By GEORGE NAKASHIMA

CAMBRIDGE, Harvard — It has an atmosphere of deep intellectuality, scholarship retains a real meaning, although athletics are prominent. There is hardly the atmosphere of "a group of buildings surrounding a football stadium."

There is little, of the somewhat immature exuberance usually connected with college life. In fact, Harvard has two yells for athletics, one is a series of rah, rah, rahs followed by a series of Harvards and the other is the same with the addition of an athlete's name. And no one yells much expecting at the Yale game.

Fraternies are rather inconsequential. Most of the undergraduates live in the dormitories. There is about to be installed the "House Plan" system where students of each school will live together in one dormitory with perhaps certain professors. It is similar to the English system of the housing of students.

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LOTUS TO MAKE TRIP TO TACOMA

With more than sixty or seventy young people slated to go, the annual excursion of the Lotus groups to Tacoma will take place on Sunday, April 20.

This is a traditional event in the Lotus' spring program and each year a gala time is held together by the young Buddhists of the two cities.

An important business meeting of the Lotus groups will be held at the Buddhist Church this Sunday at 10:30 a. m. All members are urged to be present.

U. JAPAN SOCIETY TO HOLD BANQUET

New Organization Seeks To Promote Better Friendship

With the list of charter members drawn up and final steps in the organization completed, the new University Japan Society will hold its first annual banquet at the Wilsonian on Tuesday, April 22, it has been announced.

The purpose of the organization is to promote better feelings between American and Japanese people.

Honorary members of the society are Dr. M. Lyle Spenser, president of the University; J. W. Spangler, president of the Seattle Japan society; S. Okamoto, Japanese consul; A. E. Holden, executive secretary of the Seattle Japan Society; Dr. Herbert H. Gowen of the Oriental Studies department, and Prof. Edmond S. Meany of the history department.

Japanese students named in the list of charter members include Kimi Furuya, Jean Kurosaka, Tomi Tsukuno, Joe Hirakawa, Ichiro Motosaka, Shigeaki Ninomiya, and Welly Shibata.

Twelve faculty members and nearly thirty American students complete the roster of the organization at the preesnt time.

Shimizu Graduates P. G. at Green Lake

At the Green Lake Japanese School annual graduation program held recently, Henry Shimizu was the sole graduate. He graduated from "hoshuka."

After the graduation program, the following players received their prizes which were offered by Mr. Kumasaka, president of the Green Lake Japanese Association:

Herbert Ogawa for making a homer.

"Nish" Kumagai for his splendid pitching.

"Caesar" Abe for first double.

Frank Ishida for the first hit.

Hideo Adachi, for making first fly catch.

Sumio Mochizuki for first sacrifice hit.

Kaneko Is Chairman Of "Waseda Night"

A meeting of Waseda Club was held Wednesday night at the home of Art Sasaki.

Mac Kaneko was nominated chairman of "Waseda Night," a carnival to be held at the Japanese Methodist Church on May 9 and 10.

INTERMEDIATE B.Y.P.U.

Katsume Takahashi will lead the Intermediate B.Y.P.U. this Sunday at the Japanese Baptist Church from 6:30 p.m. His topic will be "How Can I Help World - Wide Evangelism?"

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FUKUSHIMA WINS ADMIRATION WITH SUPERB PLAYING

Visiting Harmonica Expert Charms Music Lovers With Many Difficult Selections

PROGRAM VARIED ONE

Charming his way into the hearts of music lovers, Albert Fukushima, greatest second generation harmonica artist, rendered a recital sponsored by the Youth League, at the Japanese Chamber of Commerce, last Friday evening.

The audience which attended seemed to portray a certain curiosity as to what might develop at a harmonica concert, but it was evident from the requests, which followed after the regular recital, to play special pieces, that Fukushima's harmonica tuned to their hearts' satisfaction. Nothing seemed impossible to the young musician in the way of expressing music, which was a revelation.

Difficult Selections

From Echigo Jishi to the Overture to William Tell, the harmonica artist expressed a soul of music, little believed possible in a harmonica. Besides these difficult selections, with a number of others of the same classification, a revealing mastery was demonstrated in renditions of The Old Folks at Home, The American Patrol, The Japanese Naval March, Oriental and others.

The American Patrol, especially, was given in masterful style. Les Fifers, by J. F. Dandrieu, was another piece given inspiring expression.

Own Arrangements

The young artist, who is a student at the Arillaga Music College in San Francisco, specialized in composition work and it was noticeable in his rendition of certain pieces that he allowed his individuality to be expressed by musical arrangement made by himself.

Another local appearance was scheduled at the Nippon Kan Hall here when the Educational department of the Japanese Association presented him before a large audience of children and parents on April 11 from 7 p.m.

Supporting the artist, Tomeu Takayoshi, popular local singer, rendered a vocal solo, accompanied by Kimiko Takayoshi and Fukushima with his harmonica. Hannah Kosaka, on the violin, charmed her audience with the Chant of the Jungle, accompanied by Yurino Takayoshi, while Yuri Watanabe, 10, rendered a piano solo.

Harmonica Expert Plays For League

Albert Fukushima, noted harmonica expert of San Francisco now visiting Seattle, gave a harmonica solo at the Epworth League meeting at the Japanese Methodist church last Suday evening. Art Sasaki was in charge of the service.

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