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## CHAIRMAN ASKING FOR CO-OPERATION WITH ARMY HEADS

Federal Authorities Kindly In Course; Promise Given To Soften Hardship

### COUNCIL NEEDING HELP

By JAMES Y. SAKAMOTO (Chairman, Emergency Defense Council, JACL Seattle)

We have been at war for three months. I am afraid many of us are not yet fully aware of war's implications.

We are on the verge of the most important period in the history of the Americans of Japanese descent. Yet many of us are sitting by complacently, with a pleasure-as-usual attitude.

It is good sense to be calm and sit tight, but that does not mean to be unaware of the problems that face all of us. Be prepared for anything. Anything is possible in war.

#### Do Not Realize Problems

Too many of us, I am afraid, do not realize the magnitude of the problems facing us in the issue of evacuation. At this writing nothing is definite except the outline of designated areas. But if reports of wholesale movement by sections are correct, it will be the greatest mass movement of populations in the United States since the end of the period of westward migration.

We have been in constant touch with the government officials on this problem. We have their assurances of every support. They have been kindly and understanding. They admit that a problem of this sort cannot be solved without a great deal of mental hardship, but they have pledged their best to avoid as much of the physical hardship as possible.

#### Must Help Ourselves

Yet, it is not right to throw the entire burden on the government. If we expect help, we must first help ourselves. We must wake up to the facts and extend aid to the less fortunate among ourselves. There are many of them. The second generation must guide and help their elders.

We have set up the machinery of the Emergency Defense Council of the Japanese American Citizens League. A mere handful of workers are putting in long hours to ease the shock of readjustment for the Japanese. They need assistance. You can serve your people and your nation by offering your assistance.

#### Must Cheerfully Obey Orders

If and when the orders come, they will be from the Army. They must be obeyed. Do so cheerfully and co-operatively, for

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## Japanese Get Help To Leave Terminal

LOS ANGELES.—One of the bright lights of the evacuation of Japanese in this area was in connection with the moving of a large number from Terminal Island. Local JACL officers assisted. Fred Tayama was in charge of affairs.

Trucks loaned by Three Star Produce, Star Produce, Joe Moody and others were used to remove the effects of the Japanese who were ordered out. Women of the Baptist Church and the Pasadena Union Church provided food and gave other assistance.

## AREAS EXCLUDING ALIENS OUTLINED

In a sweeping order this week Lieut.-Gen. J. L. DeWitt, commanding general of the Western Defense Command, designated areas from which all Japanese, and German and Italian aliens, will be excluded. The actual evacuation order will come later.

The order designated the western two-thirds of Washington, the western half of Oregon and California, and the southern portion of Arizona as Military Area No. 1, from which all must move. The remainder of the four states are Military Area No. 2 where enemy aliens and Japanese Americans are to be excluded from certain points.

After the evacuation of Japanese is completed, the general said, German and Italian aliens will be affected. German and Italian aliens more than 70 years old will not be required to move, except when individually suspected. And families, including parents, wives, children, sisters and brothers, of Germans and Italians in the armed forces would not be moved except for some specific reason.

Washington territory is divided into Zone A-1, and Zone B. From Zone A-1 all enemy aliens and Japanese Americans are to be excluded. In the other zone there will be some concessions.

#### Border Lines of Zones

Zone A-1 begins at the Coast on the Canadian border and extends east to Sumas. The eastern border begins at Sumas and extends south through Nooksack, Deming, Sedro Woolley, McMurray, Arlington, Hartford, Machias, Snohomish, Fall City, Issaquah, Walsh, Ravensdale, Black Diamond, Buckley, Kapowsin, McKenna, Yelm, Tenino. From Tenino the line follows U. S. Highway 99 to 13 miles north of

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## CONGRESS STARTS WAR CHEST DRIVE

Treasury Submits Plan For Raising 10 Billion Tax Revenue in One Year

WASHINGTON.—The Congress launched a mighty war chest drive this week when Secretary Morgenthau appeared before the House Ways and Means Committee to submit the Treasury plan. It would practically double the income tax, greatly increase corporation, excise and other forms of levy. It would affect every home, Morgenthau said.

#### Echoes of Pearl Harbor

Admiral Kimmel and General Short, in command at Pearl Harbor in the Japanese attack, have been retired and ordered to stand court-martial. This trial will not be until later.

The second war powers bill has passed the House, containing 13 special provisions, giving greater authority to the President and federal agencies.

Under demand from the President the War Production Board has ordered a speeding up of output.

#### National Debt Jumps

The National debt is now \$62,262,495,250, or within sight of the 65-billion dollar limit.

Under heavy pressure from union labor leaders the House defeated a bill to suspend for the duration the 40-hour week and extra pay.

Labor Secretary Perkins reported 155 new strikes in January, with a total of 390,000 man-days of idleness.

As the Tolan Committee met in Seattle, the Dies Committee here released a report purported to show activity of Japanese spies on the Pacific.

The War Production Board has prohibited the sale of new pistols, rifles or shotguns by anyone other than manufacturers.

The treasury has sold more than 100-million dollars worth of gold in recent months, mostly to Latin American countries.

WASHINGTON.— President Roosevelt defeated the powerful farm bloc this week on the proposed increase in farm product levels. The President had estimates prepared, and it was shown the proposed boost to the farmers would increase the nation's annual food bill by a billion dollars. The farm bloc had threatened to fight the 32-billion war bill, but later agreed to drop the higher price demand.

## THE WEEK at a Glance

Feb. 26, WASHINGTON.—California congressman questions L. A. raid.

Feb. 27, WASHINGTON.—House upholds 40-hour week.

Feb. 28, WASHINGTON.—Kimmel and Short to stand trial.

March 1, SAN FRANCISCO.—Gen. DeWitt ired over evacuation gossip.

March 2, SEATTLE.—Tolan committee ends evacuation probe.

March 3, WASHINGTON.—Treasury submits big tax plan.

March 4, WASHINGTON.—MacArthur's men smash 4 enemy ships.

## League Board To Discuss Situation

SAN FRANCISCO.—A special meeting of the National JACL Board will be held here Sunday morning, March 8, at 9 o'clock. National Council meetings will start in the afternoon. The board will hear from Col. W. F. McGill, provost marshal, in charge of evacuation; Tom C. Clark alien co-ordinator, and Richard M. Neustadt, director of Social Securities, assisting in the evacuation program.

## LEAGUE WARNS ON SACRIFICE SALES

SAN FRANCISCO.—National JACL headquarters again this week warned Japanese people against sacrifice of property in a desire to liquidate before the evacuation order is published.

National officers have been advised that the Army officers are taking steps to handle evacuation without any more hardship than necessary.

#### Statement By General

General DeWitt's statement on this matter follows:

"The appropriate agencies of the Federal Government are engaged in far-reaching preparations to deal with the problem, and a study is in progress by those agencies regarding the protection of property, the resettlement and relocation of those who are affected.

"The completed preparations will include measures designed to safeguard as far as possible property and property rights, to avoid the depressing effect of forced sales, and generally to minimize resulting economic dislocations.

"As soon as these studies are concluded, definite designation of persons to be affected will be made."

#### Position of National JACL

The position of the National JACL organization on the problem of evacuation has been, and is, that:

1. We await the commands of the military as to their orders and designations.

2. We will co-operate with the Army in the evacuation of all Japanese from designated areas and regions deemed necessary for national defense.

3. We will do everything in our power to ask the government for humane and just treatment of our total problems.

4. We have volunteered to co-operate 100 per cent. We confidently expect all the Japanese to join with us in this co-operation.

The entire attitude of the National JACL may be expressed in the following sentence: "The greater our co-operation with the government, it can be expected that the greater will be their co-operation with us in the solution of our problem."

## CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY PROVOST PLEADS FOR JUSTICE FOR ALIENS

SAN FRANCISCO.—Pleading for justice and fair play for aliens forced to evacuate, Dr. Monroe E. Deutsch, vice president and Provost of the University of California, was a speaker at a Citizens For Victory Luncheon at the Union League Club.

Dr. Deutsch declared that aliens, many of whom undoubtedly are

## NATIONAL LEAGUE HURRIES HELP TO DISTRESSED FOLK

Headquarters Finds Itself Swamped With Calls For Aid From Hundreds

### FARMER VIEW SERIOUS

SAN FRANCISCO.—National JACL headquarters continued in high gear this week, following reaction to the hearing held by the Tolan committee. General League work is being carried on. At local chapter offices Certificates of Identification are being mailed out to those registering.

The local chapter has organized a welfare committee to aid destitute Japanese. Compilation of all data gathered in the recent farm survey is going ahead under the direction of Nobumitsu Takahashi, Northern California, co-ordinator.

It is announced that, with approval of the Army, the following enemy aliens will be permitted to remain inside prohibited areas: Those in hospitals or approved sanitariums; those with doctor's certificates to show their lives would be endangered by moving, and those more than 75 years old.

SAN JOSE, Calif.—A survey regarding the citizenship of all Santa Clara County farmers taken under the sponsorship of the local JACL. It was requested by the state authorities. County Commissioner Cody assisted. The chapter is helping in making income tax reports, and the Kibei survey.

MT. VIEW, Calif.—Charles Inouye has been appointed part-time secretary and is assisting in reports and making out Certificates of Identification.

LOS ANGELES.— Mayor Fletcher Bowron and Chief of Police C. B. Horrall have been invited by the grand jury in connection with "wire-tapping" investigations. The mayor's ouster is sought.

Sponsored by Supervisor William A. Smith, a measure proposing to prohibit the speaking of enemy alien languages in public places was defeated by the negative vote of Supervisor John Anson Ford. Ford said he thought the measure unconstitutional.

Individuals and families needing advice and financial assistance are asked to contact Miss Winifred Ryder at the Social Security Board office, where Japanese are being cared for.

HONOLULU.—A group of Japanese, including 121 students of the University of Hawaii, saying they had loyalty only to the Stars and Stripes, offered their services to General Emmons, military governor, and were formed into a labor battalion.

loyal to this country, must not be subjected to undue hardship in the event it is considered necessary to evacuate them.

The Provost also asked for just treatment of second generation, of Italian, German and Japanese ancestry. He asserted that discrimination against minority racial groups would react against the national safety.

## FARM LABOR AND EQUIPMENT BIG PROBLEM IN CALIFORNIA SECTORS

SACRAMENTO, Calif.—The problem of farm labor and farm equipment is becoming a serious one for the state authorities. W. J. Cecil, director of agriculture, has urged scrap iron dealers to refrain from buying farm equipment from evacuated Japanese farmers, to avoid with interfering with farm operation.

Cecil said that he had been informed dealers were buying up such equipment far below mar-

ket value, particularly in the Southern part of the state. He said that unless the warning is heeded, stern measures will have to be taken.

A state senate committee investigating farm labor conditions sat at Fresno, and heard testimony of a serious nature. It was said that the weather, the war, the Farm Security Administration and the Japanese situation had caused conditions worse than last year.

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THE PUBLISHER.

### LET'S OBEY ORDER LOYALLY

Now that the first step has been taken in the project for moving certain persons from areas on the Pacific Coast in the interest of national safety, it will not be long until the actual order for evacuation will be issued, we are informed.

When that order comes from our government it must be obeyed loyally and cheerfully.

A basic tenet of loyalty is to obey the orders of the government to which one owes his allegiance. In this case, for Japanese here of all classes, that government is the United States of America. Its will must prevail.

If the Japanese people had been permitted to remain, it would have given them an easier way of demonstrating their loyalty; but now it will have to be the difficult way of proving that loyalty which they have long proclaimed. Loyal and cheerful obedience is the best way.

When the final evacuation order comes, it will be for us to remember it was not Uncle Sam in the first place who brought that to pass. We must remember that we have to thank the military clique in Tokio. Japan caused it by arrogance and treachery, and wrecked the welfare of the Japanese people in this country.

Young Americans of Japanese ancestry would like to remain in this area and help to smash that Tokio military clique. It will be smashed! We only regret that we cannot contribute as much to that cause as we would have contributed if allowed to remain in our homes.

But, our government having been compelled to take the step of evacuation by the ruthless and treacherous course of the Tokio military clique, we can contribute to some extent by loyally and cheerfully obeying the order from those in authority.

Thus, we can both show our loyal attitude and assist our government. There will be hardships and sacrifices. But all Americans will be called on along that line. While others contribute in their way, we can assist by loyal and cheerful obedience as our contribution. Let's obey the order loyally.

### SYMPATHY AND HELP

Heartfelt sympathy is being expressed to Japanese people in Seattle and all along the Coast, to judge from reports reaching here. These people are assisting in a material way, also, which helps to lighten the burden somewhat.

There will be considerable hardship, as all realize, and it is with grateful hearts that the sympathy and aid is accepted. It would appear that in the past few days the magnitude of the problem is coming to be realized. The burden may be lightened to some degree.

The people of Seattle like to think the sympathy now extended is the result of the record they have made in the Community.

### GIVE 'EM THE GREEN LIGHT

Coincident with congressional approval this week of the 32-billion dollar military appropriation bill, came assurances from the heads of the Army and Navy that the time approaches for this country to take the offensive against the Axis powers. That is what the public has been waiting for, and it is to be hoped that the offensive will not be long delayed.

There is no question that the country

is getting restive under Axis attacks on both the Atlantic and Pacific Coasts, in the West Indies, and off the Canadian Coast.

And yet, we must not expect too much in the near future. As was pointed out by President Roosevelt in his latest address, we are fighting a cruelly long distance from home. The news is bad for the United Nations in nearly all quarters.

Admiral King declared that the Navy is building up vital air and sea communications preliminary to developing a general offensive against the Axis. That is cheering news. It comes at a time when reports almost every day tell of United Nations ships being sunk off the Atlantic Coast.

It is quite apparent from the remarks of General Marshall that the Army is getting reports from the country asking for more protection to guard the home front. The General said that the Army must disregard pleas for soldiers to guard continental installations because it could not permit "the greater portion of our armed forces and our valuable material to be immobilized within the United States." That is an illuminating statement.

General Marshall said that "The time has now come when we must proceed with the business of carrying the war to the enemy." That's exactly what the people want. If General Marshall can do that, and win, he will establish himself as a great military leader. The two officers speak as though they are in position to go ahead. If they are, the country will eagerly give them the green light.

### IT'S UP TO THE VOTERS

Some citizens of Seattle may be so absorbed in the war news that they will neglect a civic duty next Tuesday. They should not make that mistake. Citizenship, like charity, begins at home.

The voters of this city will be called on to express their preference for mayor, councilmen and two school directors.

Likewise, they will be given the opportunity to give their idea on some measures that have been submitted to them.

As regards the choice of candidates, we think the voters are in a happy position. We cannot remember a city election in which the leading candidate for office were so well known to the general public.

Mayor Millikin has served in the position he seeks. He has made his record, and is standing on it. His friends insist it is a constructive record, and has resulted in much benefit to the city. There is much evidence to support the contention. Probably no man in the city is so widely known to the public generally as is Mayor Millikin. He has been active in several lines.

As to Police Judge Devin, he also is well known to the public.

All the leading candidates for the City Council are likewise well known, and they have stated their positions. It is for the voters to express their preference.

The firemen and policemen, and city councilmen are seeking an increase in their pay. The firemen and policemen base their claim on two points. They say it is a long time since they had an increase, and also it is contended the increase is necessary to keep good men in the service and to attract capable recruits.

The school board is asking a 3-mill levy to raise \$750,000 for additional buildings. They are needed. Seattle has always been liberal with the schools. Two incumbent members of the board are asking re-election. So far as the public can judge they have merited indorsement. Let us keep the home fires burning by turning out at the election next Tuesday.

### A GRACEFUL ACT

[The Seattle Star, February 27, 1942]

Resignation of Japanese young women clerks from the service of the Seattle Public school system came as a graceful and appropriate sequel to criticism of their presence in the schools by a group of Gate-wood women. The action of the Japanese clerks—all American citizens—banishes ill-will, and willy-nilly compels the respect of critical citizens; it was intelligent, well planned, and necessarily summary.

"We only hope the welfare of the schools will be served by our action," they said in a formal statement to the school board. One thing is certain: By their resignation the school board avoids a succession of headaches, and the community is spared a deal of acrimony at a trying time.

## Pink Tea

● **Daughter arrives on Doll Festival Day.** . . . Happy parents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Kubota, who welcomed into their family a daughter, their third child. She arrived on Tuesday morning at the Providence Hospital, and weighed six pounds and twelve ounces at birth. Both mother and child are reported doing well.

● **In and Out of the City.** . . . From Portland arrived Mrs. Hito Okada and her daughter Carolyn, to visit her mother, Mrs. Yone Arai, who was ill for some time. Assured of her mother's improved condition, she will return to her home this week-end. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Hiroshi Watanabe of Los Angeles are visiting their friends in this city. They are staying with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Watanabe.

● **Draftee's Send-Off Party.** . . . Recently inducted Mr. Hiro Nishimura was honored at a party on February 22 which his brother, Mr. Tosh Nishimura, was host.

An enjoyable evening was spent at the Nishimura's residence by the Messrs. Ben Sugawara, Tosh Taniguchi, Yukio Nakayama, Shizuo Tazuma, George Inouye, Shigetoshi Ishikawa, and Akira Kato.

● **Romantic tidings of betrothal** Miss Masuko Akagi daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Akagi of this city, formally announced her engagement to Mr. Satoshi Kusumi, recently.

Miss Akagi is a graduate of Broadway High School and attended Wilson's Business College. Mr. Kusumi is a Queen Anne High School graduate and at present is attending the University of Washington.

● **Introducing.** . . . Linda Mae is the name selected by Mr. and Mrs. Daichi Yoshioka of Tacoma for their fourth daughter.

● **Draftees.** . . . On last Wednesday morning, the Messrs. Shig Ozima, Hiro Nishimura and Akira ("Poison") Kato departed for Fort Lewis for their share of Army life.

● **Old Friendship renewed.** . . . At a delightful luncheon on Tuesday at the Salad Bowl, two chums, Miss Marion Farquharson and Mrs. James Y. Sakamoto renewed their school-day friendship and pleasant memories. Miss Augusta Anderson, head librarian of the Seattle Public Library's Children Department, and Mrs. Sakamoto were the luncheon guests of Miss Farquharson.

● **Bridal Shower.** . . . Miss Michi Yasumura, bride-elect of Mr. Taul Watanabe, was honored with a miscellaneous shower on Saturday evening at Mrs. Jun Watanabe's residence. The hostesses of the affair were Miss Ruth Kazama and the Mesdames Shizuo Yamada and Jun Watanabe.

Others present at the shower were the Misses Cora Uno, Kazuko Osawa, Marjorie Ota, Chiye Horiuchi, Sumiko Haji, May Ota, Hide Morimizu, Hannah Kinoshita, Mary Date, Esther Uchimura, and the Mesdames Jack Maki, Kiyoshi Matsuda, Zora Thompson, Yone Ota, Arthur Sasaki, Shizuo Yamada, and Min Masuda. Unable to be present, but sending a gift was Miss Alice Miyazawa.

● **Yasumura-Watanabe Nuptials.** . . . Impressive in its simplicity was the home wedding at which Miss Michi Yasumura and Mr. Taul Watanabe exchanged nuptial vows last Sunday night at the Catherine Blaine Home. Miss Yasumura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Yasumura of Auburn, and Mr. Watanabe, the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Watanabe of Salem were united in marriage by the Rev. E. W. Thompson, associate pastor of the Japanese Methodist Church.

For the ceremony, the bride wore a smartly-tailored tulle covert suit of brown. Deep-purple-centered orchids and stephanotis formed her corsage.

Maid of honor, Miss Ruth Kazama, wore a tailored green wool dress and a gardenia corsage. Attending the bridegroom was Mr. Shizuo Yamada, best man.

Mrs. Shizuo Yamada, sister of the bridegroom, played wedding music at the piano preceding the ceremony. She was dressed in a powder blue gabardine suit.

The couple were married in the presence of relatives and close friends. An informal reception followed the wedding at the Catherine Blaine Home.

The new home will be made in this city.

Mrs. Watanabe is a graduate of the University of Washington and Mr. Watanabe is an alumnus of Willamette University in Salem, Oregon.

"A woman is not completely dressed unless she is wearing a hat," is a refrain which is being heard from coast to coast. It's an indication of a trend—a trend for more women to wear hats.

### Hat for Glamour



For holiday sparkle put a glittering hat on your head. Fashion decrees hats for daytime, and evening, too. Black sequins and ostrich feathers, with filmy net snood and streamers, make a captivating picture.

### THE FAMILY QUIZ

(From January Cosmopolitan Magazine)

#### FATHER

1. Do peanuts grow above or below the ground? 2. What is the largest city in the U.S. named for an animal? 3. Who is speaker of the House of Representatives in our national government?

#### MOTHER

1. Who was the author of the old-time Elsie Dinsmore books? 2. What famous musician wrote his own requiem? 3. What is the only insect in the world that produces food for human beings?

#### BROTHER

1. What letter of the alphabet is used most often? 2. Who was the lame Scotchman who became a famous poet? 3. Where was the most famous battle above the clouds almost fifty years before airplanes were invented?

#### SISTER

1. Who drank the fatal cup of hemlock? 2. What is the largest city west of Chicago and east of Reno? 3. What is a Christie?

#### ANSWERS

FATHER—1. They grow underground. 2. Buffalo, N. Y. 3. Sam Rayburn of Texas.

MOTHER—1. Martha Finley. 2. Mozart. 3. Bees.

BROTHER—1. The letter e. 2. Sir Walter Scott. 3. The summit of Lookout Mountain near Chattanooga, Tenn.

SISTER—1. Socrates. 2. Los Angeles. 3. A skiing term.

# HANG-OVERS

By YOICHI MATSUDA  
(Pinch-hitting for the Ed.)

A few more sunny days like last Sunday would certainly make us want to get out and bat around a few. But with America and Japan batting each other around and with evacuation haunting us, I doubt if very many people are even thinking about baseball.

I don't know where we'll go from here. . . maybe up in the mountains. . . maybe out in the desert somewhere east of the Cascades. No matter where we go, I know we'll always have our games and sports.

You can lock a man up; you can pin him down with rules and restrictions, but he will find some way to play. Out in Fort Missoula I saw men confined within the limits of iron fences. Even these men were playing. I watched two elderly men, men who probably used to work 15 or 16 hours daily in their grocery stores or rooming houses, bring out baseball gloves and start to play catch in the snow. One of the guards told me how Kai (that what he called Mr. Kihara) is trying to keep the men physically fit. He is the one who coaxed the men to run around the barracks for their morning exercise.

You just can't take play away from us. Play is just as important as eating. It not only make our body healthy but it also relaxes the mind. Relaxed minds can think more clearly. All in all, playing put joy into living. If any man doesn't know how to play or doesn't want to play, he might just as well fold up and die. He is not enjoying life.

When we go somewhere east of the mountains it will be rough going. There'll be plenty of work to be done. Everybody will have to pitch in and sweat like the devil. But let's take time to bat around a few, too.

Maybe the field won't be as wide as the Garfield playfield. . . maybe the grass won't be trimmed as neatly as the Columbia field. Maybe it'll be on the hillside. . . maybe an old pasture, with bumps and holes. . . lumps of weeds here and there. . . and a tree or two to dodge. . . But we'll manage somehow—Like we used to do up on Old Dugdale. We'll find an old sack for first base. . . a piece of rock for second. . . an old discarded cap for third, and a piece of board for home plate. . . with a rusty old bed spring for back stop.

When we settle. . . wherever we're going. . . let's work till our hands are red and almost bleeding from strain and earn our right to live. At the same time let's not forget to play a little,

too. We're certainly going to need healthy body and clear head if we expect to win the coming fight with tough days ahead. Keep our body healthy, our head clear. We'll come out of this mess with new hopes and visions. We can fight our way back to normalcy with renewed vigor.

## Kashiwagi's Sport Slight Edge in "A"

Kashiwagi's reinforced team appeared to have the inside edge on the "A" division race this week by virtue of a week's rest before replaying. This time, also they will have Johnny Okamoto, late of Broadway's varsity squad. The playing off of the Bombers. Tacoma tie this Saturday has an important place in deciding who will play in the round robin.

**BOMBERS (51)**—Roy Tanagi 19, Suguro 1, G. Tanagi 4, Hiyama 9, Kumakura 2, Uchida 10, Ito, Miyake 2, Rik Tanagi 4. **ENUMCLAW (23)**—Sakagami 5, Tanemura, Imamura, Ohno, Fujinaga 7, Kurosaki 2, Kano 6, T. Yamaoka, Kanda 3, A. Yamaoka.

**BOMBERS (31)**—Roy Tanagi 4, G. Tanagi 4, Hiyama 12, Uchida 9, Miyake, Rik Tanagi, Suguro 2. **TACOMA (31)**—Ikeda 10, Kawai 5, Ishioka 9, Sumada 5, Yamada 2.

**KASHIWAGI'S (57)**—Kanda 14, Takekawa 7, Taguchi 14, Hasegawa 5, Okamoto 13, Sato 4, Tanagi, Sasaki. **BELLEVUE (27)**—Hayashida, T. Funai 6, Sarakubo, Mano 6, Kitahara, Aramaki 2, A. Funai 10.

**CLIPPERS (36)**—H. Matsui, Takasugi, G. Hayashi 4, Seto 9, G. Yamamoto 4, J. Yamamoto 6, Toki, E. Matsui 13. **12TH AVE. (29)**—Kashino, Ozima 2, Tachiyama 2, Fujino, Tsuchikawa 3, Furuta 14, Matsuzaki 6, Kurose 2.

12th Ave. Foods 39, Tacoma Bussei 31. Clippers 46, J. S. C. 38.

## Fife Shifts Game Night to Friday

The Yellowjackets Class "B" and Bellevue Girls' games at Fife scheduled for this Saturday has been shifted to Friday at Fife at the same time, it was announced this week.

## PLAYOFFS LOOM IN 4 CAGE LEAGUES

With only a few games on tap to clean up the hectic schedule, basketball was ready to lower the curtain on a shortened season.

The championship of the "AA" loop will be decided this Saturday evening at Collins when Fife tries to stem the Celtic rejuvenated five. A win for the Irish gives them the championship.

The "A" playoffs were held pending the playing off of the Johnson Drug-Tacoma Bussei tie last week. The tussle is slated for a neutral floor at Auburn this Saturday. The result of this play will decide who will join Kashiwagi and Maryknoll in the playoffs.

The same situation exists in the "C" division and the teams will not be known until next week. The playoffs will take two weeks.

The teams will play two games the first week and one in the second week.

In the girls division, Fife, Kwashuettes, Bellevue and W. W. G. will play in the championship bracket.

The schedule follows:  
**Sunday, March 8**  
**KENDO HALL**

1—Kwashuettes vs. Bellevue (Girls).

2—Fife vs. W. W. G. (Girls).

3—Lotus vs. Tacoma (Girls).

4—Sumner vs. Auburn (Girls).

**Wednesday, March 11**  
**CLEVELAND**

7—Satellites vs. Teutons (C).

8—Polka Dots vs. Gaels (A).

9—Tacoma vs. Teutons (C).

**ST. PETER'S**

7—Kwashuettes vs. W. W. G. (Girls).

**Saturday, March 14**  
**All 8 p. m. Games**

Bellevue at Fife (Girls).

Lotus at Sumner (Girls).

Tacoma at Auburn (Girls).

## Fife, Celtics Pit Power in Title Go

The championship of the senior division was at stake Saturday night when the Fife and Celtic teams tangle in their classic at Collins.

Last week, Fife took an unexpected licking at the hands of the Cadets hence the tense situation.

## Four "C" Teams in Fight for 3 Berths

Four teams vieing for three berths in the "C" playoffs this week with the Satellites, Lions, Teutons and Tacoma having a chance to play with Maryknoll. The week-end will reveal who gets to play.

**MARYKNOLL (17)**—Matsudaira 3, Kono 6, Shimizu 4, Kawahara 4, Nakagawa, Oyabe. **SATELLITES (16)**—Kikuchi 5, Sasaki, Shiyama, Yoshida 2, Okamoto 2, Tanabe 6, Minato 1, Tanaka, Fujikado.

**LYNX (65)**—Shimada 6, Aoyama 22, Ozaki 10, Saito 6, Shimizu 8, Nishimura 11, Higashi 4. **RAIDERS (13)**—Kameda 3, Uomoto, Ohno, Nishimoto 4, Okiyama 2, Imai.

**TEUTONS (16)**—Miyagawa 2, Hayakawa 10, Komorita, Tanabe, Hata 2, Fukuma, Hidaka, Suyama, Karikomi, Nagamatsu. **LOTUS (14)**—Sugino 2, Todo, Sonoda 11, Deguchi 1, Kokita, Miyauchi, Ariyasu, Nosi, Obata, Matsuoka.

## MAIN BOWL TEAM WALLOPS JOHNSON

With Henry Yasuda and George Nakagawa rolling up the points to 13 and 10 respectively, the powerful Main Bowl five crushed the Johnson Drug Steamrollers, 35 to 21, and annex the undisputed championship of the Courier "B" division Wednesday night at Cleveland.

**MAIN BOWL (35)**—Nakagawa 10, Matsui, Fujii 2 Yasuda 13, Koza 2, Yoshida 2, Katsuyama 2, Fujimoto 2, T. Isefuku, F. Isefuku 2. **JOHNSON DRUG (19)**—Y. Yamauchi 3, Tanabe 2, M. Yamauchi, Suyama 10, Kimura 2, Sumimoto 4, Koza, Okada, Tsuchikawa.

**FIFE (73)**—Sakahara 2, Kasai 12, Mello 12, S. Uchida 6, Takeuchi 28, Yamamoto 2, M. Uchida 5, Hamanishi 6. **W. R. BUSSEI (16)**—Hattori 1, Hamada, B. Murata 6, Yamada 2, Kuranishi 2, Nakamura 3, Iseri 2, N. Murata.

## Marmots Donate

Last football season, the Marmots football team sponsored a dance at Spanish Castle where a neat sum of over \$60 was raised for the squad equipment.

This week, the managers and leaders of the informal athletic group decided that in view of the present hue and cry, there was little possibility for football next year. They announced through Andy Shiga that the money will be turned over to the Emergency Defense Council to be used—if possible—for the relief fund.

Andy Shiga asked all members of the grid team to contact him if they had a better plan for the spending of the money.

## Girl Cages Launch 2 Round-Robin Plays

Finishing their season with a clean mark, Fife served its notice to stay clean in the round robin which opens this Sunday at Kendo Hall.

**W. W. G. (36)**—Kumasaka 15, B. Suyama, F. Inouye 14, Kinoshita 4, L. Inouye 1, Watanabe 2, Yasui, Imayanagita, Hayashi, T. Suyama, Miyoshi. **AUBURN (12)**—Tsuji 2, Kano 10, Honda, Kondo, Norikane, Natsuhara, Asayama, Nakagawa, Kawakubo, Tsurui, Kayano.

**FIFE (25)**—T. Kasai 7, Fujita 12, Tamura 4, Yoshida 2, Dogen, M. Kasai, Itami, Sakahara. **TACOMA (9)**—Fujimoto 4, Kubo 2, Fukui 3, Fujimoto, S. Munekata, Kikuchi, M. Munekata.

**FIFE (46)**—T. Kasai 23, Yamamoto 10, Tamura 5, Itami 2, Yoshida 4, Dogen, M. Kasai 2, Yoshida, Sakahara. **SUMNER (10)**—M. Nakaso 7, Kubota, Semba 2, Naito, S. Nakaso, Inouye, Sugihara, Yonemura 1.

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## CONTRIBUTION TO STATE LIFE TOLD

Compilation of Data Found Valuable In Hearing Before Tolan Group

A 57-page mimeographed report on the position of the Japanese in the state of Washington was prepared in 3-days by the Emergency Defense Council of the JACL and submitted to the Tolan Congressional Committee on National Defense Migration which sat here Saturday and Monday.

The report was compiled by Bill Hosokawa, assisted by George Ishihara who took charge of the agricultural section and the tables of statistics.

### Many Others Contribute

Others who assisted in the production of the report were Julius Fujihira, Junko Hamada and Rose Serizawa on the mechanical side, and Richard Setsuda, George Minato, Dyke Miyagawa, G. T. Watanabe, Toraiichi Sao, George Yanagimachi, H. T. Kubota and others in research.

Also assisting were leaders from various Washington JACL chapters and farm districts, who compiled figures for their respective territories.

Copies of the report have been distributed to various government agencies, newspapers and prominent individuals. A few may be had at the JACL office.

### Economic Scope Given

Among other items the booklet reveals that there are 130,000 Japanese in the Coast states, with 14,000 in Washington and 6,000 in Seattle. About 63 per cent of Washington Japanese are American-born.

About two-thirds of Seattle hotels, or 206 of the 325 are operated by Japanese; also 56 apartment houses. There are 53 Japanese restaurants and 140 grocery stores, and 90 dye works and cleaning shops.

The lumber industry employs 483 Japanese. Salmon canneries 500, and the oyster industry 185.

In western Washington 2,281 persons farm 9,025 acres, while in the Yakima Valley 925 Japanese farm 9,000 acres.

## Warm Battle Raging For City Positions

At the city election next Tuesday the voters will elect a mayor, several councilmen, pass on measures, and elect two school board directors and pass on a 3-mill levy for the schools.

Principal interest in the campaign has centered around the contest between Mayor Earl Millikin and Police Judge William F. Devin for the office of mayor. Devin has attacked the Mayor's administration, and he is standing on his record.

Most interest in the councilmanic contests has been in that between Councilman Paul Revelle, who seeks re-election, and Frank McCaffrey, who opposed him. McCaffrey charges Revelle is controlled by the Teamster's Union. The Central Labor Council has indorsed all the incumbents except M. M. (Mike) Mitchell.

Firemen and policemen are backing a measure seeking to increase their salaries \$20 a month. Councilmen are asking a raise.

Deitrich, Schmitz and John H. Reid are seeking re-election to the school board. The board is asking a 3-mill tax levy for building.

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## CHAIRMAN ASKING FOR CO-OPERATION

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that is in the best interests of the United States.

This is a time when tempers may run short and nerves are on edge. Try to be kindly and neighborly, especially to the older generation. We are all in the same difficulties, and our burdens will be that much easier to bear if we can help lighten each others' loads.

The Japanese American Citizens League office is open to serve you. Take your questions there. But remember, too, that their resources are limited, and they need your help to take care of a mountain of work to be done.

### General Rules To Follow

Let these be your guides for the uncertain future:

1. Be prepared for anything.
2. Be neighborly.
3. Co-operate with the government and your leaders.
4. Don't sell out at a sacrifice. The government is making plans to help you take care of your property.
5. Anticipate your problems and prepare yourselves accordingly.
6. Volunteer your assistance to the JACL.

If we do these things we will be able to ride out a difficult storm. We will be scoring a triumph for the American way of life.

## Deadline Moved To March 14 For Forms

The deadline for filing Form TFR-300, Series J, by Japanese on property holdings has been advanced to March 14, it was announced by George Ishihara at JACL headquarters this week. It was assumed the ruling applies to the other form, although no definite word has been received.

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## COUNCIL AIDS IN NATIONAL SAFETY

Japanese Purchase Bonds To Extent of \$35,000; Also Give Red Cross \$1,500

The Emergency Defense Council of the Seattle JACL chapter this week climaxed a period of activity that began the day after Pearl Harbor was attacked, when it provided the Tolan Committee with perhaps the most complete picture of Japanese life in the state of Washington ever compiled. It was a 57-page booklet, dealing with the social, civic and economic status of the Japanese.

Rallying from the blow at Pearl Harbor, the local chapter formed the Defense Council, and has been busy ever since. James Y. Sakamoto is general chairman. He represented the Council before the Tolan Committee.

### Few Activities Mentioned

A few of the activities of the Council may be mentioned:

At the JACL headquarters, Defense Bonds to the amount of \$35,000 have been bought. Other purchases in the city will make the total of at least, \$50,000.

The Community raised \$1,500 for the Red Cross. Women contributed their services in sewing and other activities.

Substantial sums were raised for relief and for operation of the Council.

### Assistance To Aliens

Under direction of the Council, aliens were assisted in registration, and in filling out forms TFR-300, Series J, and TFBE-1.

The Council assisted alien Japanese to turn in contraband articles called for.

All this was in Seattle. League chapters in Tacoma, the Puyallup Valley and White River Valley have been active, likewise. The committees of Eatonville, Rainbridge and Bellevue have done their part, as has the group on Vashon Island.

### BAPTIST SERVICES

9:30 a.m.—Teachers meeting;  
9:45 a.m.—Church school;  
11:00 a.m.—Okazaki class;  
11:00 a.m.—B.Y.P.U.;  
7:30 p.m.—Evening worship;  
8:30 p.m.—Last session of School of World Friendship.

## Classified Ads

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## Inland Governors Protest Japanese

SAN FRANCISCO.—One factor that threatens to complicate the effective and orderly evacuation of enemy aliens from the coastal area is that governors of at least nine western inland states have objected to Japanese in their borders.

State on record are Arizona, Wyoming, New Mexico, Idaho, South Dakota, Oklahoma, Montana and Arkansas. Gov. Ralph Carr of Colorado said his state would accept Japanese evacuees as a contribution to the war effort.

## DEFENSE COUNCIL TO REGISTER ALL

A drive to register every man, woman and child in the local Japanese Community will be launched today by the Emergency Defense Council of the JACL. Complete information regarding every individual here will be compiled in the most comprehensive survey of its kind to facilitate the work of evacuation and re-settlement.

Speeded by urgency of the times, the campaign will be concluded in four days—Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday. Registration will be held at 513 Main Street, two doors west of the JACL office, and will be conducted by a large staff of typists and assistants.

Persons living in the north end of the city may be registered at the Japanese Students Club, 4115 15th N. E. on Saturday and Sunday only.

Julius Fujihira, personnel chief of the Emergency Defense Council, will supervise the drive.

"We have no authority to compel members of the Community to be registered," he said.

"But it will be to the advantage of every individual to have this vital information listed on our records. We do not want to miss a single individual. We want both citizens and aliens, no matter how young or how old. It is suggested that families compile the information on forms to be provided and have one person bring down the information for the whole family."

## Last Rites Held for Young Idaho Woman

CALDWELL, Idaho.—Funeral services were held here February 26 for Alice Sachiko Nishioka, 23, of Middleton. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nishioka. She graduated from the Middleton school, the southern branch of the University of Idaho, and was a member of the JACL.

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## AREAS EXCLUDING ALIENS OUTLINED

Safeguard Of Property One Main Point Of Program, Says General DeWitt

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Vancouver, then cuts east through Battleground to Camas and across the Columbia River.

The eastern boundary of Zone B begins on the Canadian border at Oroville and runs south to Brewster on the Columbia River, then follows the river through Wenatchee and down to the Oregon line.

Zone A-1 includes all the state's larger cities, shipyards and many war production plants.

Eleven other zones in Washington, as important as Zone A-1, were listed in the general's order. They include areas around electric power plants, and are as follows: Grand Coulee Dam, Long Lake hydroelectric plant, Gorge project, Diablo Dam, Ruby Dam, Baker River Dam, Electron Hydro plant, Cedar Falls, Rock Island hydroelectric plant, Chelan hydroelectric plant, and Bonneville Dam.

General DeWitt estimated the evacuation order when given will affect 200,000 persons in the four states, the larger part Japanese, who will be first affected.

All those who left their Kendo equipment at the Kendo Hall are requested to claim them on Thursday and Friday between 8 and 9 p. m.

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