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## NANKING REGIME FACED WITH NEW COUNTER REVOLT

### Independent Armies At Shan- tung May Join China Rebels

#### FEW OUTBREAKS OCCUR

PEI-PING. — With the possible adherence of the independent armies corps of Shantung to the cause of revolution against the nationalist administration, the Nanking government is faced with the problem of running against a counter revolution led by Gen. Chang Tsung Chang, former war lord of Shantung.

According to the latest developments, minor outbreaks of revolt happening in southern Kiangsu have been laid at the door of General Chang Tsung Chang who it is understood here, is proposing a revolution against the Chang Kai-Shek government.

In this move, the reports stated that the former Shantung war lord is being assisted by General Wu Peifu and Chen Ching-Ming, two Shantung generals formerly associated with the Peking regime.

In this move it is expected that the three eastern provinces, namely, Chai-hi, Kiangsu, and Shantung will organize a coup but, it is understood that Chang Tsung Chang is merely working for the military leadership and dictatorship of China and the motive is not being given much popularity.

The peculiar aspect of the cropping revolution is that each of the revolutionary generals has some bone to pick with the nationalist regime, and that each has his own objectives which he is seeking without a unified purpose behind the revolutionary move.

At the present moment, President Chang Kai-Shek of the nationalist government is completing details for the defense and attack of his armies and sectional military leaders who are loyal to the government have been given orders to throw up defense work to prepare for any revolutionary outbreak.

## TRADE TREATY MAY BE SIGNED

SHANGHAI. — In order that the resumption of the final negotiations for the Sino-Japanese trade treaty may result in a satisfactory completion of details, Foreign Minister C. T. Wang of the Nanking government will again meet Kenichi Yoshizawa, Japanese Minister to China, it is reported.

According to the advance reports, M. Yoshizawa has received fresh instructions from his government to proceed with the negotiations. Dr. Wang also has it in mind to consummate the treaty and according to one statement made by him in Nanking, after his return there from Shanghai, he wishes to see a resumption of trade negotiations which will culminate both amicably and satisfactorily to both nations concerned.

Observers here are almost unanimously confident from the statements of both diplomats that the trade conference, which was ended in the early part of last month, will again be resumed with a satisfactory ending.

## Students In Spain Boycott U. Classes

LONDON. — According to information received here from Madrid, Spain, university students in that city have gone on a boycott of classes, occasioned through the recent revolutionary tactics of army officers and the subsequent demands for the retirement of Premier Primo de Rivera, recently.

The university students, among whom are several hundred girl students have refused to return to the campus until police have been withdrawn. The university students feel that they are capable of handling their own situations in regard to the physical demonstrations occurring among their student body.

The trouble on the campus started with the demands made by certain university leaders in regard to the dismissal of Primo de Rivera as premier and dictator of Spain.

## Prince Seeks Rich Heiress -- In Vain

BUDAPEST, Hungary. — Wealth will not come with rich American heiresses especially if there are none who will take a prince for a husband.

Prince Abdul Kadir, who would have been the monarch of Turkey if it had not been for the republican tendencies of one Mustapha Kemal, searched for a rich American heiress, but fortune failed to smile upon him.

The Prince therefore has asked the Turkish minister of labor to allow him to become a violinist with a gypsy orchestra, so goes the life of bankrupt royalty.

## ATWOOD TO SPEAK TO BUSINESS CLUB

### Doctor Fukuda Chosen Treasurer At Wednesday Meeting

Gathered for an informal discussion of its business, the Young Men's Business club of this community met at luncheon to sponsor the club along more progressive lines in business administration in this district, at the Bush Hotel on Wednesday noon.

As the first business of the meeting, the Club unanimously elected Dr. K. Fukuda, dentist, to become the club's treasurer. A ruling to collect one dollar as initiation fee from all members was also adopted to finance the club's running expenses.

In an informal manner, the members discussed the possibilities of specialization in business in this community to curtail competition to the greatest extent possible, and the members have been requested to give some idea in regard to it at the next informal meeting to take place.

On next Wednesday, A. M. Atwood, manager of John Davis & Company, will be the speaker at the weekly luncheon. Mr. Atwood, whose connection with the John Davis & Company has been a long one, is well acquainted in this community with many of its leading Japanese business people. This really expert will expound to the Young Men's club, the property values in the south end, and to what extent the developments have been made here of late.

## Anti-Fascism Wave Breaks In Germany

BERLIN. — The wave against installations of a fascismo political party here has been growing of late, and the leading participants against this order of politics seems to be the Communist element.

Demonstrations in which 22 Communists were arrested happened recently when they endeavored to march through the streets of Berlin in close formation as their expression against fascism. Police, using their clubs freely finally succeeded in disbanding the Communists demonstration.

The wave against fascism was given forcefulness when Foreign Minister Stresemann went on record as being against the entrance of fascism into Germany, in a recent address.

## Race Equality Urged By League Director

GENEVA. — Declaring that the principle of international harmony lies in racial equality, Albert Thomas, director of the International Labor Bureau attached to the League, urged the League of Nations to take a longer step forward in propagating the equality between races.

Thomas, who has just returned from a trip to Japan and China, says that the Japanese people are doubtful to some extent of the League's sincerity in pushing this principle of racial equality.

The labor leader is anxious to see the League take a stronger stand in helping along the cause of understanding between the nations of the East and the West, based upon the principle of equality and justice.

## TORAO KAWASAKI, LEARNED SCHOLAR, TO LECTURE HERE

### Japan Society To Sponsor Series Of Talks By Nipponese

#### NEW CULTURE PREDICTED

As one of the steps to bring Japanese and Oriental literature, politics, and culture closer to the American people on the Pacific coast, a learned scholar of Japan, Torao Kawasaki, who is a graduate of an American university, will arrive here on March 22 to give a series of lectures on these subjects, to be sponsored by the Japan Society.

Mr. Kawasaki, who was attached to the Japanese Consulate General at San Francisco, returned to this country after an extensive tour of Japan, Manchuria, and China, where he visited the important places to get first hand information of the progress made in these countries. Mr. Kawasaki is a scholar who predicts that the opening drama of the coming civilization will find its cultural and materialistic seat in the Pacific basin.

It is claimed by the lecturer that only upon a mutual understanding of the culture, literature, politics and religion of Japan and America can these two nations hope to take the leading role in raising the curtain upon the drama of a great civilization which is to take place in this hemisphere.

It is understood that Mr. Kawasaki, who will arrive here on March 22, will remain until April 10, and during the course of his visit, the Japan Society here will arrange his local itinerary which will include the Seattle Chamber of Commerce, the Rotary Club, the Japan Society and the Everett Chamber of Commerce.

## Mexico Decides Upon Liquidation Of Debts

MEXICO. — As a step to clear away the hindrances to Mexican progress, the government has decided to liquidate all its internal debt and pay off all purchases on the cash basis.

The internal debt of Mexico which amounts to some 4,500,000 dollars is to be liquidated at once. Creditors are to be made their payments in ten installments or receive a government certificate for the entire payment.

Claims made against Mexico by other nations are also to be settled immediately through conversations and negotiations.

## Japanese In Fresno Hear Noted Singer

FRESNO. — More than a thousand people jammed the Lincoln School auditorium Monday night, March 11, to hear Yoshie Fujiwara, premier Japanese tenor, whose singing received unprecedented applause and favor from the audience.

The gathering, which is believed to be the largest ever assembled in this city for a musical event, was thrilled by Fujiwara's rendering the "Song of the Volga Boatman," and eleven Japanese folk songs.

## THE WEEK At a Glance

March 8, EL PASO, Texas. — American child killed when stray bullets shower El Paso across river from Juarez.

March 9, BROWNSVILLE, Texas. — Lindberg inaugurates the Mexico City-Brownsville air mail and passenger lines.

March 10, WASHINGTON. — Mellon announces plan to keep post to finish treasury work.

March 11, DAYTONA BEACH, Florida. — New speed record set by Seagrave as auto goes 231 miles an hour.

March 12, GENEVA. — League of Nations announces agreement reached on protocol for adherence of U. S. to the World Court of Justice.

March 13, NOGALES, Arizona. — Mexican rebels win skirmish in attack on Tloreon.

March 14, SEATTLE. — First commercial aerial plane with passenger leave for Alaska.

## WILL LECTURE HERE



Torao Kawasaki

## CITIZENS' LEAGUE HEARS HILL TALK

### Clarence Arai To Represent Group At Convention

A special meeting at which the Citizens' League of this community presented various information as to the candidacies of Tindall, Lane, Campbell, Harlin, Hill and Dye for City Council, was held at the Bush hotel last Saturday evening.

After the business meeting of the League, George W. Hill, successful candidate of the election on Tuesday, was the principal speaker. Mr. Hill told the members of the League that he would endeavor to represent the entire city as the people's choice and that he was for tax reduction. He also declared himself against the municipal trolley company exacting money from the general fund.

Mr. Hill who was elected to the City Council with Phillip Tindall and Robert Harlin, is a strong supporter of the Greenlake development for the benefit of the city.

The League also decided to send a delegate to the San Francisco convention of Coast Citizens' Leagues. The matter was left up to the executive committee, which decided in informal session on Monday to send Clarence Arai, president of the League, to represent Seattle at the San Francisco conclave.

## WOMAN SUFFRAGE BILL DEFEATED

TOKIO. — Woman suffrage will not become a political fact as yet, it was decided by the Imperial Diet when a bill sponsored to give political rights to Japanese women by the Minseitō was defeated in the lower house.

Home Minister Mochizuki went on record as being against women suffrage at this time, saying that the time was not ripe as yet to allow the women of Japan to participate in politics.

The Minister, however, approved the principle of the women's suffrage bill. The peace maintenance bill to preserve law and order through the arrest of radicals engaging in demonstrations, passed the Diet by a large majority.

## Australia Expedition To Study Antarctic

SYDNEY. — It has been announced in the lower house of the government here by Premier S. M. Bruce, that an Antarctic expedition will soon be sent out for exploration of the region.

The expedition, it was said by the premier, would be led by Sir Douglas Mawson who explored a part of the region in the Antarctic in 1911. The explorers are to have the benefit of airplanes to explore the inland regions of the unknown Antarctic and the British Government is to fit a vessel for the expedition.

## Berkeley Japanese Enters Honor Group

BERKELEY. — Gaining recognition for his high scholastic standing, Sumio Miyamoto, a Japanese student, was elected and initiated into Beta Gamma Sigma, men's national commerce honor society, with eight other students recently.

Miyamoto is a prominent member of the Japanese Student club here. He is enrolled in the junior class of the College of Commerce.

## MARKED GROWTH OF SOCIAL LINES DECLARED WORRY

### Cooperation Among Second Gen- eration Called Prime Necessity

#### VANITY COMPLEX BAD

By JAY ESSE

The social boiling pot of Main Street and its convergent districts still brews. What will emerge from it when the approaching second generation day fully matures should not be difficult to fathom, but if the indications as they are today should give any guidance as to the future, there is no doubt but that the social classes of this community will become divided by distinct lines of class segregation.

As the indications are today, looking at the problem in a concrete form, it cannot help but be that the class distinctions which may arise in the future is something that the community must worry about.

#### Cooperation Needed

In the first place, the coming second generation day is evidence of establishment of the Japanese in America and no such thing as class distinction should become apparent when there should be a fundamental program of cooperation and coordination among the second generation. Cooperation and coordination in the activities of the second generation is the prime necessity, as things are today, in winning for themselves the proper recognition as full fledged Americans.

That in its essence is the general opinion to be gained from some of the conversations and discussions among the first generation fathers and the older second generation people. It seems that there is a superabundance of superiority complexes to contend with in this community whenever cooperation is required in the establishment and organization of some worthy institution.

In other words there are some it is felt, who feel they are equine thoroughbreds and that in order to make a distinction they would like to paint upon themselves the stripes of a zebra.

#### Perspective Lacking

However it may be, it is quite evident that among the second generation who are between the ages of 18 and 21, there is the opinion that he or she is too big for this organization or too elite for this class of people. This of course, could be accounted for because of the social inclinations which become manifest during those years in any person. Yet, as one well known first generation in this community puts it, there is a lack of perspective in the manner in which some second generation girls and boys of these years carry themselves.

It is not so much their ideas, this pioneer claims, but it is their high-faluting mannerisms which taxes his patience. For instance, he says, there is one girl whose father worked up to his present business ownership by working on the railroad and in the saw mills with him.

"I, too, am an owner of a business," he says, "although not as large as this girl's father's. But her actions, when she passes me or in front of my store, is something which cannot be tolerated by people who have a common sense and a common knowledge of what his or her father did to win for himself his present business status."

#### Job Seekers

Then again, he claims, there are some boys who during their school years feel that they are capable of becoming employed in larger stores or firms, but after their course at high school or at the university, they come looking for a job looking like a dog with his tail between his hind legs.

That is the way some first generation people have the impression of the second generation. It is understood, of course, that this class of second generation is a minority in this community. However, it seems that these are the kind of people who have the greatest influence with the younger of the second generation youths.

Viewing the entire second generation situation on the Pacific coast, as well as this community, it seems that there is a tendency to draw social lines of distinction between

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## ALL-STARS DEFEAT CHINA CLUB QUINT IN OVERTIME TILT

Japanese Casaba Artists Win Thriller,  
43-39 In Game Played  
Last Friday

### JUN OKAZAKI STARS

By Herb Ogawa

It took an overtime period for the Japanese All-Star quintet to win a thrilling contest from the China Club 43 to 39 last Friday at the Collins Fieldhouse, in a tilt which kept the crowd on their feet throughout the game.

The All-Star five started out in fast fashion and ran up a good sized score during the first quarter to the few points of the Chinese. The score at half time was 23 to 19 in favor of the All-Stars.

In the second half, it was a neck to neck affair, with both fives hitting the hoop at regular intervals but a last minute spurt by the China five brought the score up to a dead heat where the game ended.

#### Overtime Is Played

In the overtime period the All-Stars started right off when George Okada dropped one in after the China Club had made a point on a free throw. Immediately following, Watson Ihashi dropped in two more baskets to assure the All-Stars a victory.

Jun Okazaki was by far the individual star of the game for he not only excelled in his floor work but was high scorer, making a total of sixteen points. Sasaki and Ihashi also put up a good game.

Eng was the big threat for the Chinese five while Stan Louie showed plenty of art at dropping the ball in the hoop also. Mar Hing who went into the game during the second half proved a good shot and was largely responsible for the China Club tying the score.

The second All-Stars played a slow game with N. Y. K. to win by a lone point.

#### Lineups of Fives

China Club (39)	All-Stars (43)
Chinn (4)	F Okazaki (16)
Eng (10)	F Sasaki (11)
G. Louie (4)	C Ogawa (6)
S. Louie (10)	G Suzuki (8)
Kwan (4)	G Ihashi (8)

Substitutions--China Club: Mar Hing (7) for S. Louie, S. Louie for C. Louie. All-Stars: Beppu for Suzuki, Suzuki for Ogawa, Okada (2) for Sasaki.

2nd All-Stars (19)	N. Y. K. (18)
Okada (4)	F Sakai
Yamaka (6)	F Shinkai (2)
Hashiguchi (3)	C Kanazawa (8)
Yamasaki	G Osawa (2)
Matsuzaki (4)	G Nakayama (6)

## Japanese Will Meet Chief Evans On Mat

Next Monday night at the old President Theatre on Third and Madison, Taro Miyake, judo expert, will tangle with Chief Evans, a 240 pound Oklahoma Indian in three 20 minute periods.

Miyake is to defend himself with judo methods while Evans will resort to wrestling tactics.

The tickets for the bout may be obtained at Sherman and Clay, Third at Pine; Greens, 1333 Third Ave.

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## CHINA CLUB TO MEET HI-STARS

The China Club versus the Japanese Baptist Hi-Stars on Saturday, March 23rd at the Y. M. C. A. gym at 8 p. m. This is the dope in straight facts on a game that should draw much interest in this community for it will determine which is the superior of the two Oriental teams in Seattle.

Following are the statements of the manager of the two teams on their views of the game.

STANLEY LOUIE, "The Chinese Athletic club has not lost a game or series to an organized Oriental Basketball team in four years of competition or since the organization of the Chinese A. C. Victories over various Chinese and Japanese teams in the past four years entitle the Chinese A. C. to the mythical Oriental Basketball Championship of the Pacific Northwest."

CLARENCE ARAI, "Inasmuch as the Chinese A. C. has made a splendid showing in the Class "B" City League and boasts of a clean record against any organized Oriental basketball team in the Northwest for the past four years, we feel that it is a great honor to meet the Chinese boys even in victory or defeat. I feel that our record this year entitles us to meet them."

## YOSHINO TAKES TITLE CONTEST FROM KANAZAWA

Championship Stubbornly Contested;  
Ando Grateful For Co-  
operation Shown

#### CROWD APPLAUDS FINALISTS

Playing a cool game, Hiroshi Yoshino won the seventh annual handicap championship tourney at the Jackson Pool Parlor Sunday night. His opponent in the finals, Torao Kanazawa played with the fighting qualities of the "tora", the animal which he undoubtedly was named after. The title was stubbornly contested, one leading at times and then the other.

Time and time again the gallery applauded the finalists for pocketing thin cut shots and intricate banks. However, Yoshino was the steadier of the two, shooting deliberately, consistently sinking the balls for points.

The other finalists in the order of their rankings were: George Yoshijima, Kay Takayoshi, defending titleist, Jack Sakuma, Jeff Shimada, John Funai and Sankichi Kumagai. The high run total of the tournament was forty points tallied by Yamada.

"It was very gratifying to me that so many young men competed. Perhaps next year a young fellow will capture the crown," stated Ando, the manager of the tourney.

## YABUKI LOSES

Frank Yabuki, Kirkland Japanese boy, was defeated by Coll for the 115 wrestling berth on the varsity wrestling team at the University Pavilion last Tuesday.

Yabuki, wearing the colors of the Japanese Students Club, won the intramural for his class last year.

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# Sport Scope

By FRANK SUGIYAMA

## A WASHINGTON VICTORY AT LAST

Beginning with last Spring in the crew races, California beat Washington. On the gridiron, California beat Washington. The Bears' recent basketball victory over the Huskies is still fresh in everyone's minds. These things all happened in Seattle, in Washington's backyard.

However, last week the purple and gold boxing team defeated the blue and gold.

Incidentally, the boxing team also won the last victory from a California team.

## PRICE HELPS HAT MAKERS

Clarence Price, California coach, is usually noted for his quiet, unassuming ways.

One would naturally believe such a fellow to act the same way when his team is under fire.

However, in Price's case it is different.

Here's his record. Since the opening of the new year alone, he has ruined three perfectly good hats.

During the California Georgia football game, Price got a bit overly excited.

His hat looked like a hatpiece that went through all the battles of the World War.

In the Kansas-California basketball game, he did the same thing.

During the Stanford hoop contest, his hat came out of the game looking like it had been used for the basketball itself instead of the regular egg.

It is a good thing that Nibs received a new contract and a raise, with his hat tearing antics and an ordinary salary, he might go broke.

## Recognition Won By Billee Tashiro

Gaining recognition in University athletic circles, Billee Tashiro has been given honorable mention on the Women's Athletic Association's all-star basketball team selection.

Miss Tashiro, it will be recalled, has been a stellar athlete since her high school days at Franklin where she first achieved prominence in women's sports.

Not only is Miss Tashiro an ideal athlete at the University but she is also a brilliant scholar. Her grades compare very favorably with those of the other honor students.

## N. A. C. TO ENTER SEMI-PRO LOOP

At a baseball meeting held by the members of the Nippon Athletic Club last week, it was decided to enter the Seattle Semi-Pro League again this year. Although the season is yet too advanced to make predictions, the N. A. C. seems hard hit by the loss of their two heavy hitters, Anky Arai, center gardener, and Sam Takahashi, the power house of last year's nine.

However, the club members feel that with a lot of hard practice, a couple youngsters may be developed to fill the gaps left in the lineup by the departure of the two stars. The Nippons realize that they have a hard row in hoe in the fast Semi-Pro loop and are out to make a good showing.

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## COURIER NINES HOLD WORKOUTS, SPITE PLUVIUS

Second Place Winner To Receive  
Trophy, Announces Courier  
Editor.

### BELLEVUE TO ENTER

Under a threatening sky, the various teams of the Courier league were busy practicing last Sunday for the opening of the flag race, April seventh. Being a day more suited for football, with the ground in soggy condition, many of the squads did not practice with their full strength but merely started their grind.

The new member of the circuit, Auburn, turned out. Coach John Funai was a bit pessimistic about his charges but he feels that Auburn will make a good showing.

#### New Suits Ordered

The White River Tigers, who are gunning for Auburn, have ordered new suits; Market plans to do the same. Tom Sakai of the Produce Men declared that it is a business policy for the salesmen to be neat and he could see no reason why the idea should not be carried out on the ball field.

Another squad has applied for a franchise in the loop. Bellevue has signified its intentions of being on the starting line when the league gets under way. The team has several ex-Bellevue High regulars on its roster. From the reports, it seems that the newest entry is a strong team.

#### Trophy Offered

With such great interest being shown in the league, James Y. Sakamoto, The Courier editor, has decided to award a cup or a suitable trophy, not only to the leading team at the close of the regular schedule, but also to the runner up. In other words, the first and second place nines are to be rewarded with trophies.

The attention of all managers is called to the meeting tomorrow night in The Courier office at 7 p. m. The matters of schedule and constitution are to be discussed and the managers are requested to attend.

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**EMULATED VANITY**

Once upon a time, where they all renewed their game in life on an equal footing, the same in station, same in wealth, and the same in poverty, this community has found itself awaking to a second generation day with social lines of classification. The human race all belong to the same human zoo. The second generation and the world in which they live, is no exception.

Yet the vain superiority complexes some of them parade with their distinctly clownish emulations of the elite or the society debutante or matron, would do no credit to the community and to its hopes of establishing a high faluting strata of society. Money? Yes, there is money, but the richest has not been successful in hoarding more of his pecuniary wealth than the frugal Italian laborer, say of New Orleans or of Brooklyn. There is supposed to be only one known Japanese who is a millionaire in this community, but it is doubtful if he has more than Fifty Thousand Dollars in available cash. How come, then, of this idea of a social elite class?

Of course, the elite society is not at all times made up of plain cash or people who parade their wealth with an exaggerated swagger. Still the elite society of this community, especially among the second generation, there is the obvious tendency to parade the puny wealth of a dirt farmer as though they were on Fifth Avenue, or Park Avenue of a great Metropolis. It cannot be but a crime to bloat the small toy balloon of wealth that their fathers compiled to the straining extent of a genuine gas balloon. Some day it will explode. Some day the cause behind the complex of wealth and superiority, will be discovered as the plain vanity of a monkey who lords the other monkeys without a peanut.

It is pitiful, this emulated conception of social vanity, based upon money.

**CHINA AWAKENING**

Instinctively, the herd follows the leader. That, in a few words, it might probably be said, has been the case with China. The constituted authorities of China, heretofore, have been the leading instigators in the development of the herd instinct among the Chinese people. And that again may sum up the situation of the antipathy which the Chinese people hold against the Japanese nation. It is well to understand, probably, that what element of power in China who have endeavored to win the reins of governmental authority have essentially been the instigators of propaganda, especially against the Japanese government.

Yet today, it should be happy to note that antipathy against Japan is passing away with the refreshing air of a new dawn of understanding. The present Chinese government at Nanking did not rise to power through any anti-Japanese propaganda. It rose to its present height through a revolution which caused the downfall of the Peking regime whose induction into administrative office had been based upon anti-Japanese propaganda.

The present Nationalist regime does not follow the old trend to put policies to unify China based upon propaganda against Japan or any other nation. Instead, their policy to unify and to unite a diversified Chinese nation is to give to China a sovereign character without any international entanglements of extra-territorial privileges and pressures.

The beneficial work of the new government to China is already becoming obvious. The United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, and Holland have already negotiated their trade treaties based upon the principles of sovereign integrity for China. The trade pact with Japan, also along similar lines, has today virtually been consummated. There is no doubt but that the Sino-Japanese commercial treaty will soon be a matter of international record between Japan and China. The anti-Japanese propaganda and boycott movements in China are now failing in strength to exist merely upon prejudice and antipathy, owing to the strong stand of the Nationalist government to do for China the best that the government's ability can afford.

Heretofore, the Chinese public has been the prey of political scandalmongers who through their anti-pathetic propaganda wormed their way into the nation's governmental seat. The herd instinct was developed through such instigators of anti-pathetic propaganda. The Chinese nation is now however gradually awakening to their individuality. The Nationalist Government has had no small part in this awakening. It is to be assumed that the assertion of the true Chinese individuality when it comes into full bloom will change the mien of the Chinese nation. It is no less true then, that this coming change will give a different aspect to Sino-Japanese relations and the two great nations of the Orient will clasp hands in greater friendship and harmony.

It is evident from the arguments of some people that the universe is bounded by the four corners of the community in which they live.

Two women when they get together can talk more about you than you know yourself.

**POST MORTEM**

Everything and Nothing  
 Everywhere and Nowhere

By TOM ARAI

TALK ABOUT A DUMB GOOF--- HE THOUGHT A "SECOND-STORY MAN" WAS A NOVELIST OF HIGH REPUTE.

Pete: "Pardon me stranger, I've got cigarettes but have forgotten to bring any matches. Can you spare me one, sir?"

Repeat: "Surely, its a pleasure, here you are." (Slips one over)

Pete: (Fumbling around pockets) "Thank you, but isn't it strange that I've forgotten my cigarettes too? What can you do for me, sir?"

Repeat: "I'll take the match back, guess you won't need it anyway!"

During my travels, a GENERAL sat directly opposite me in a Pullman car that really failed to Pull. Anyway, let us "proceed" with the story, using the expression so often used in the English Navy, he was a GENERAL all right because he wore a uniform, whether he represented Army, Navy or the Dry Squad I must confess I couldn't fathom, but anyway doubtless he was a GENERAL most assuredly and positively so because he was a GENERAL NUISANCE----- the blimey thing---- he took his shoes off! Can you GENERAL-EYES that!!!! It's a good thing he wasn't a Corporal, see? The scenery would have shifted.

Little girl: (Crying most tearfully) "Oh, the curse of liquor, I've lost my dog. Won't you please help me to find her?"

Police: (As dumb as they make them) "In case I do find her what shall I call her?"

Little girl: "Don't be so stupid, why, CALL HER HOME!"

"HER COMPLEXION WAS PERFECT, HER MOUTH TENDER, FAULTLESS AND SWEET."  
 "Ah ha, a connoisseur of rare vintage," I sayeth.

"I just adore dark men."  
 "You'll have a big time in Africa."

When fighting an uphill battle for love----and then your engagement breaks! You'll have to start all over again.

But when fighting an uphill battle for pleasure on a motor car----and then the brake breaks! You seldom start again. Page the Pallbearers!.

JUST BECAUSE A BIG FOOT FITS A BIG SHOE ---- IT'S NO SIGN THAT A BIG HEAD CONTAINS AN EQUAL AMOUNT OF GREY MATTER. IF ITS GREY, ITS MOSTLY PUTTY.

If a drink now and again is good for you --- what are you good for anyway?

With a lump on my head surrounded by myriads of pain I was somewhat bewildered as to what fell on my dome and I was equally surprised to learn that actually "I DID!"

Scientist: "It's remarkable how fast the light of the sun travels."

Students: "Nothing remarkable when you come to think of it---It's all DOWNHILL!"

**THRU THE COURIER**

Japan Society  
 Seattle, Wash.

March 1, 1929

Dear Sir:-  
 Wish to compliment you on your wonderful program over KOMO tonight. We hear much renowned talent over the radio but I enjoyed your music and singing better than any I have heard. We hope that we will have the opportunity to hear from you once more.

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I am an admirer of your people and with hope of hearing more of your talented people, I am,  
 Respectfully,  
 Mrs. C. J. Gilbert

**Pink Tea**

Dr. Robert E. Park of the Sociology Department, University of Chicago, and Dr. R. D. McKenzie of the Sociology Department of the University of Washington, will be guests of honor at the Japan Society luncheon which will be held in the Junior Ballroom of the Olympic Hotel on Monday noon.

The Japanese Girls' club meeting was held at the home of the Misses Kimiko and Yurino Takayoshi on Friday, March 15.

Members of Fuyokai, Japanese women's organization of the University of Washington, will spend their annual outing at the Y. W. C. A. camp, on March 28 and 29.

Members of the Oriental-Occidental Council will take a week-end trip to Longmire on March 23, 24 and 25.

The Intermediate B. Y. P. U. "Moment Musical" was given last Saturday at the Japanese Baptist church before a capacity audience. The Misses Iku Arizumi and Tomi Yoshimura were in charge.

A fellowship dinner will be given at the Japanese Methodist church this Sunday.

Miss May Miyamoto, who has been studying at Gordon College, Boston, Massachusetts, will return to Seattle on Friday of next week.

Friends will be glad to hear that Mr. T. Kaharu, assistant manager of the O. S. K. line here, who has been ill for several weeks past, has fully recovered.

Mr. Yoshio Furukawa, B. A. student at the University of Washington, left on Wednesday for Japan.

Miss Elizabeth Sasabe, rising second generation singer of this city who recently went to New York City to study under a famous teacher, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sessue Hayakawa in Great Neck, Long Island, on Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Mr. Elmer Katayama, former Seattleite, is reported to have returned to Okayama where his grandparents reside, after several weeks' sojourn in Tokyo.

The Jackson Street Super Station announces that their dinner dance is to take place sometime next month, and wishes the second generation to watch for the date, and support it.

**COMING EVENTS**

Saturday, March 16  
 7:30 p. m. — Epworth League business meeting at the Catherine P. Blaine Home.

Sunday, March 17  
 7 p. m. — Meeting of managers of Courier baseball league in The Courier office.

Monday, March 18  
 12 M. — Japan Society luncheon at Junior Ballroom of the Olympic hotel.

Miyake vs. Chief Evans, judo-wrestling match, at Third Avenue theatre, Third and Madison.

Wednesday, March 20  
 12:15 p. m. — Young Men's business club meets at Bush hotel. A. M. Atwood will talk.

Friday, March 22  
 7 p. m. — Lotus Club Vodvil at Nipponkan.

Saturday, March 23  
 8 p. m. — China Club hoop squad vs. Japanese Baptist All-Stars, at Y. M. C. A. gym.

Sunday, April 7  
 7 p. m. — Taiyo club entertainment at Nipponkan.

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## LOTUS ANNOUNCES PROGRAM OF ACTS IN ANNUAL VODVIL

Buddhist Organization Will Give Program At Nipponkan Next Friday

Offering a program of diverse and entertaining acts, members of the Lotus club, Buddhist church organization, will give a Vodvil at Nipponkan next Friday evening, March 22, beginning at 7 p. m. sharp.

With Ishi Hamada and Jiro Sakano in charge, the group has been rehearsing for months to present a tip-top entertainment. The following is the program announced:

- A. Dance of Wooden Soldiers ..... Lotus Buds
- B. Japanese Dance ..... Hatsumi Tachiyama
- C. Impersonations
  - a. Al Jolson d. Charlie Chaplin
  - b. Ju Fong e. One Ring Circus
  - c. Ramona f. Railroad Bum
- D. "Yoshino Yama no Usagi" ..... Lotus Buds
- Musical play in two acts
- E. "Nonsense" ..... Hachy & Kitty
- F. Hahmonica Band
- G. Japanese Dance ..... Mitsuko Hirata
- H. "I Faw Down Go Boom" ..... Lotus Buds

- Chorus
- I. ??????
- J. "Sai Sei"
- K. "Onna Modori Kago" Japanese dance drama
- L. "Ten Sai" Comedy in 3 acts

- M. Tales from Hoffman Barcarolle ..... Chorus with Dance Interpretations

Between curtains, vocal solos will be given by Shizuyo Fukutani, Hideyoshi Mukai, and Jiro Sakano. A saxophone solo will be played by T. Saito.

Tickets are now selling for the vodvil at 50 cents for adults, 25 cents for children.

## Tacoma Methodists Organize Male Choir

TACOMA. — Through the efforts of Miss N. Whitney, a choir, consisting of Japanese male voices, is being organized at the Tacoma Japanese M. E. church.

Two practices have already been taken under the instruction of Mr. Cook, well-known local musician. It is hoped that the choir will increase to about thirty members.

## Japanese In Mexico Form Organization

LOS ANGELES. — The first Japanese young men's club ever formed in Mexico, was recently founded under the name of Maniadero Young Men's Association, near Ensenada.

Headed by Kaku Yamagoshi as president, the newly formed club is planning to hold many activities.

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Not "Fresh Fish Today!" .....but rather, "Eikora, Eikora"..... Tome Takayoshi, John Funai, Tatsu Aoki, Kiyori Hashimoto, Kenji Yoshino, Roy Sakamoto, and Frank Sugiyama, some of the huskiest if not the best looking athletes of the Taiyo club, are to take the roles of yodeling fishermen in the coming Taiyo entertainment.

As one of the feature of the program, these young men will sing in Japanese to the tune of "Eikora, Eikora," as they pull in their nets.

The Taiyo show is scheduled to be given on Sunday, April 7 at Nipponkan hall, at 7 p. m. The price will be 50 cents.

## Japanese Are Active At Bainbridge School

WINSLOW. — Isami Nakao has been elected president of the Junior Hi Boys' club, an organization with about 100 members, at Bainbridge Junior Hi School. Nakao is also secretary and treasurer of the freshman class.

George Oyama is eighth-grade reporter for the high school paper, the "Hi Lights."

Mary Fukuyama is assistant art editor of the Bainbridge Hi annual, "The Spartan Life."

## Problems Discussed By Tacoma Students

TACOMA. — Tacoma Japanese Students' association held its monthly meeting on March 11 at the home of Haru Semba.

An interesting discussion on second generation problems was led by George Teraoka, president of the club. Refreshments and games followed, after which the meeting was adjourned.

## CHURCH NOTES

SUNDAY, MARCH 17

### BAPTIST

6:30 p. m., — Intermediate B. Y. P. U., — Miss Jeter will lead.

7:15 p. m., — Evening Worship, — Knowing Him by His Tears, by Rev. Steadman.

8:15 p. m., — Senior B. Y. P. U., — Group III leading.

### BUDDHIST

5 p. m., — Lotus Seinenkai, — Miss Yamasaki and Murao Tokita will speak.

### CATHOLIC

9:30 a. m., — Mass and Sermon.

### CONGREGATIONAL

11 a. m., — Christian Endeavor, — Hiroji Miyagawa leading.

### METHODIST

6:30 p. m., — Epworth League, — Masayoshi Hara will lead.

Special music by Mary Oishi.

### PRESBYTERIAN

11 a. m., — Christian Endeavor, — Billee Tashiro leading.

### ST. PETER

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## Scanning the Lines

"LOG OF THE RYOEI MARU"--- Translated from the original by Jin-ichiro Morimoto.

On the 7th of December, 1926, a fishing boat named "Ryoei Maru" set out from the port of Choshi, Japan, with a crew of eleven men. Nothing more was heard of her until on October 31, 1927, it was found drifting at the entrance to Puget Sound, with the entire crew missing, and was towed by an American steamer to Seattle.

A certain section of the American press then circulated a rumor that the men in the boat had committed the barbaric act of cannibalism.

To prove to the world that in the midst of grave peril, the men remained calm, even cheerful, and helped one another until the very last, Suzuki Morimoto, a public-spirited and wealthy resident of Suma in Kobe, through his English-speaking son, has now published at his own expense a pamphlet containing the translation of the Japanese log found on the Ryoei Maru.

Tho, written in simple, terse style, the Log is a moving document of the last days of these little-educated yet faithful fishermen of the Ryoei Maru who went through "death in life."

Morimoto's enterprise has received the warm support of many of his prominent fellow-countrymen, some of whom have contributed interesting articles to the pamphlet. The author intends to have copies of his pamphlet distributed in various countries, especially America.

Those who wish to have a copy of the pamphlet may write to Mr. Morimoto, Nishi-Nonaka, Nishi-Suma, Kobe, enclosing price of postage. -- DRACHE.

## Motosaka Selected Secretary Of J. S. C.

Ichiro Motosaka was elected secretary of the Japanese Students' club for the Spring quarter, at a meeting of the group held Wednesday, March 15, at the clubhouse.

Joe Hirakawa, present secretary, will not be in school during the coming quarter, it was learned.

Susumu Umemoto was announced as social chairman for the Spring quarter by Thomas Masuda, president.

Further business of the club dealt with the creation of a special membership in the organization, by which non-members will be given the privileges of the house on payment of a special fee.

## RECITAL PLANNED

A violin recital will be given by Kenshu Wanifuchi, talented second-generation violinist, at the Seattle Chamber of Commerce on Monday March 25, at 8 p. m. Admission will be fifty cents.

## Shadows

SPRING

By G. Y. Nomura

When winter turns to spring,  
The dews of morn in pearly radiance lie,  
The mists of eve rise circling to the sky,  
And Kiyomidzudera's thickets ring  
With the sweet notes the nightingale doth sing.

(Keisetsu)

## Japan Impressions

By SATO KAWAGUCHI

Miyako Hotel  
Kyoto, Japan

(Contd. from Last Week)

There are those of the opinion that the present Japanese teachers should be replaced by the 2nd. generation young people and among those who are strongly advocating this plan are Mr. Kaju Nakamura, former member of the Parliament; Mr. I. Takino, professor at Doshisha; and Baron Fujimura, president of the Miyako hotel.

During a recent visit to the hotel, Mr. Nakamura told me that he will devote his time in encouraging the absolute replacement by the 2nd. generation boys and girls in such positions. I am fully convinced that the 2nd generation young people should realize the necessity of learning the mother tongue for there will be numerous opportunities for someone who can speak and understand both languages in the future.

The daily life and problems of 2nd. generation are attracting a great deal

of interest among the people here and it is really astonishing to see how much they do not know about us young people. Prior to my arrival at the hotel, the hotel people were more than anxious to see "Nikkei Beijin," another name for a 2nd. generation.

Some of the question they ask me are simply ridiculous. Do we eat rice? Do the parents go about in Japanese kimonos? Have we any intention of marrying people of Japanese blood, as if it were taken for granted that we all marry those of the white race.

And as their attention is being drawn to the problems of the 2nd. Generation in Hawaii and the Pacific Coast, another group of 2nd. generation will soon be clamoring for attention from South America.

(The End)

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## MARKED GROWTH OF SOCIAL LINES DECLARED WORRY

(Contd. from P. 1, Col. 5)

groups and classes. This, of course, may be natural in the social organization of any community; yet, just as the existence of the first generation has been more less a life of segregation from the rest of the city, and an unnatural one, therefore one would feel the second generation at least would cooperate among themselves through coordinate action in business, politics, and social activities to establish themselves as an inseparable part of the city.

But with stronger social lines of distinction between groups and classes, the necessary cooperation in these activities cannot be forthcoming.

### Process Of Growth

As things are today, the impossibility of arousing strong social lines of class distinction should become at once apparent. The second generation is still in the process of growth. It is therefore, in its most susceptible years as yet. Although there is no doubt about their assimilation, it would be a foolhardy attempt to install the ideas of American class distinction in this community, as conditions are today.

The second generation is fully established in this country. But they are not established with any certain class of this great country. They are a class in themselves. When their class becomes more numerous, the lines of social distinction will have natural establishment. Until that time, the foolish vanity of certain group and classes among the second generation should not be looked upon as the post marks of a truly human and conventional society.

As it is today, there is no such thing as the elite. There is the well-to-do, but not the wealthy. The endeavor to arouse through vain ideas the lines of social distinction is, as said before, a foolhardy attempt.

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