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TEN CENTS

to repeal the 1913 anti-miscegena-

tion statute and sent it to Gov.

Clifford Hansen (R) for signature.

The law prevented marriages of

'White persons and Negroes, mul-

attoes, Mongolians and Malays"

Suyematsu of Cheyenne.

His approval is expected.

and five years in jail.

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By Lily Okura, Mountain Plains District Chairman

Like many of you, this is a bad time of the year-file income tax returns, prepare annual report for the Medical Center, prepare budget for the coming year, wait and sweat to see if your contract is renewed for another year, meet with the Board of Trustees of the Center, etc. I could have died when I received a memo from the PC editor stating that I had been assigned an article for the end of January.

In a few weeks, the National Board will be meeting in Los Angelees for their interim meeting and many of you may be wondering if it is necessary—if anything is accomplished and if our money should be expended for such a meeting. I for one know that it is vitally important and definitely necessary to run a smooth operating organization such as the Japanese American Citizens League.

Having served on the Board several years ago, as Secretary to the National Board, I can from experience, make this positive statement. Being the only female member on the Board did not give me any special privileges. One meeting kept us going until 2:00 a.m. and I was determined not to falter and continued taking notes.

Believe you me, it was difficult to look bright-eyed the following morning, but I was reeady to continue the next day's program.

A preview of the 1965 agenda indicates that we will have two full days and mighty important items to discuss.

The Mountain Plains District will participate in the discussion of the Anti-Miscegenation Statutes. In our neighboring state of Wyoming, this ugly law still exists. Bill to repeal the Wyoming Anti-Miscegenation statute (Law of 1913) has now been introduced in the legislature by Sen. Richard Tobin of Natrona County (R-Casper, Wyo.) and by Rep. James Thompson of Niobrara County (R-Lusk, Wyo.). Min Yasui of the Mile Hi Chapter in Denver was recently appointed to represent our District in assisting our good friends in Wyoming in the passage of this bill.

Two of our fine JACL supporters, Mrs. Mary Ujifusa of Worland, Wyo., and Tosh Suyematsu of Cheyenne have been working very closely with Min in this regard.

(The Wyoming state legislature has passed a bill to repeal the 1913 anti-miscegenation statute and sent it to the Governor for signature last Tuesday. Gov. Hansen (R) has favored repeal in responding to a request from Susan Ujifusa, now a student at Wellesley. Miss Ujifusa became acquainted with the Governor on a personal basis when she served as Wyoming Girls State governor. Similar attempts to repeal the statute in the 1959-61 and 1961-63 sessions were beaten down. — Editor.)

During the National Bowling Tournament in Denver (March 8-13) an interim District Board meeting is being planned. Among the items to be discussed in addition to the anti-miscegenation statutes, will be the Japanese History Project (which has so much to offer in this area, but has not been explored), group insurance and the District Council meeting, which will be held in Omaha, Nebr. over the Thanksgiving weekend.

Well, my budget for the Center has been accepted and approved, my contract has been renewed and my annual report has been completed and thank heavens, this article will beat the deadline!

PRESIDENT'S PROFILE. . .

Mt. Olympus CLer Aids Attorney General

SALT LAKE CITY-Kenneth M. boys. His parents reside at Kane-Hisatake, 1965 Mt. Olympus JACL ohe. president, was appointed to the Hisatake received his early edustaff of Utah Attorney General cation in Hawaii, graduating from

tice of law for the past four years. A native of Paauhau, Hawaii, he is the youngest of a family of nine children: four girls and five



Phil L. Hansen on Jan. 4. He had Honokaa High in 1951. He enlisted been engaged in the private prac- in the U.S. Air Force that year Restaurant here by PSW regional and served until 1955, when he director Isaac Matsushige. came to Salt Lake for undergraduate studies at the Univ. of Utah dent, was handed the past presiand later his law degree from the Univ. of Utah College of Law.

> He lives at 6695 S. 1300 East former chapter president and now with his wife, the former Tomiko president of the Venice Community Tamura of Murray. They have one daughter Tamara, 15 months.

Nakagiri appointed PSWDC youth commissioner

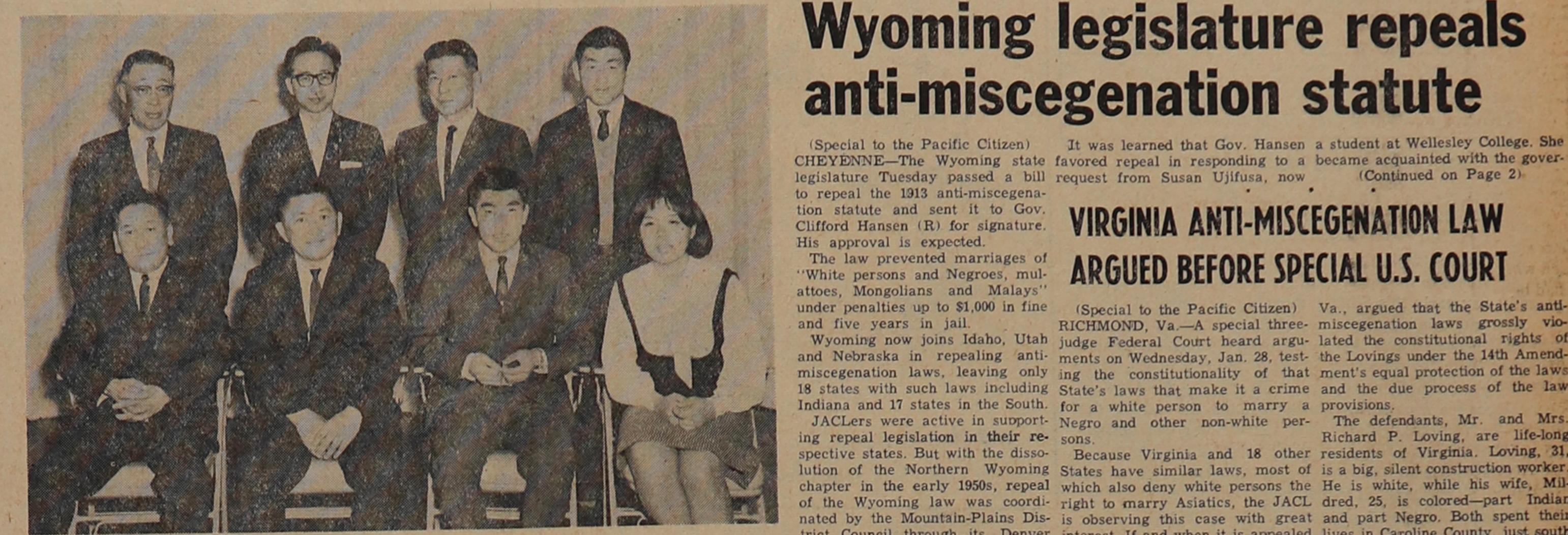
LOS ANGELES - Bolstering lead- the welfare of persons of Japanese ership and strength to the PSWDC ancestry in the community. youth program, DC chairman Kats Arimoto this week appointed Kay tress; George Inagaki presented Nakagiri of San Fernando Valley the special awards; and the Rev. JACL as district youth commis- Riyue Masuoka of the Venice Bud-

Active in scouting, Nakagiri was and benediction. Mrs. Betty Yumoonetime PSWDC chairman and is ri was dinner chairman. Hi-Co adviser and trustee of the Japanese American Community

KENNETH M. HISATAKE Service. PACIFIC CITIZEN CUT-OFF MAR. 31

Renew Membership Today!

Attention: Membership Chairmen URGENT. Send Membership Cards To National Headquarters Daily As You Receive Them.



ta of Idaho Falls JAYs, 1st v.c.; Chris Kikuchi,

1964 SAKAMOTO

WINNERS NAMED

Two Chapters Earn

Separate Honors in

LONG BEACH - Two JACL chap-

ters are each getting two Jimmie

Sakamoto Memorial Awards for

their outstanding examples of

chapter newsletters, Dr. David Mi-

ura, Pacific Citizen Board chair-

vealing the 1964 award winners.

masaki, respectively.

special category.

ter reporting.

Other Awardees

1-Idaho Falls JACL, local chap-

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Mike H. Shimizu, outgoing presi-

dent's pearl-studded pin, and his

wife Kay was presented a gift

from the chapter. Kaz Adachi, a

Center, was awarded the JACL

silver pin for his dedication to the

chapter for the past decade, espe-

cially with youth activities. Dr

Mitsuo Inouye was honored with

the Community Service Award, in

recognition of his professional

achievements, thereby promoting

Frances Kitagawa was toastmis-

dhist Church gave the invocation

Rep. Mink assigned to

House Education post

and Civil Service Committee.

committee.

WASHINGTON - Rep. Patsy T.

Other award winners are:

Two Categories

INTERMOUNTAIN District and District Youth Salt Lake Jrs., 2nd v.c.; standing - Bill Yama-Council officers serving through 1965 are (from uchi of Pocatello, 1000 Club; Leo Hosoda of Idaho left): seated - Ronnie Yokota of Pocatello, v.c.; Falls, treas.; Abe Saito of Snake River, 1st v.c.; Kiyoshi Sakota of Rexburg, chmn.; Ron Morishi- Dave Miyake, Mt. Olympus Jr. JACL, treas. - Terashima Photo

REP. MATSUNAGA NAMED TO STEERING COMMITTEE MEMORIAL AWARD WASHINGTON-Rep. Spark Ma-

tsunaga (D-Hawaii) was named this past week to the 21-member Democratic steering committee of the House. This is the first time Hawaii has had a member on the policy-forming body, which includes the majority leader and whip.

man, announced this week in re-DENVER-The JACL mourned the members, which seems probable death of Harry Ginjiro Matoba, 69, because of the well-planned cam- seas. In the short history of this award, which began with the 1961-62 commendations given at the and travel agent here in the post- tsumura and Mrs. Phil "T" Ajari, Seattle National JACL Convention, war years who campaigned vigor- membership chairman. The camno chapter has won more than one ously throughout the state for Kika paign was planned in November. Kisei Domei-the Issei bid for na-instigated in December and in high award per year. The D.C. News Note, published turalization privileges.

by the Washington, D.C., JACL When he applied for citizenship (The all-time national high was won awards for best editorial (Jan. in 1952, the Immigration and Na- scored by San Francisco in 1960 SACRAMENTO-More than two- Elsewhere in the state, foreign 1964) and best feature story (May turalization Service rejected him with a total of 1,226 members.) tor Carol Tamura (now Mrs. Sa. service during the first World War members and before that 1,008. buro Hasegawa) and Gladys Shi- on account of alienage. With JACL The chapter has continuously inassistance, the matter was settled creased its membership for the The Long Beach-Harbor District in the federal courts with Issei past nine years. JACL was cited for its youth sec. males allowed the naturalization tion and the 25th anniversary edi- privileges regardless of their nontion, published in late December military service during WW1.

> Camp, then volunteered to leave be the installing officer. for Nyssa and later employed as an accountant for the Perry Can-

ning Co., Brigham City, Utah. His eldest son, Michiyasu, who was invalided back home from the Pacific in 1947, died that October Venice-Culver gave at Fitzsimons Army Hospital. Because of his death here, the Ma-HAWTHORNE-Before its largest toba family settled here.

crowd assembled for a Venice- He is survived by his wife Ma-Culver JACL installation affair, tsuno, two sons Frank and Isao close to 190 persons witnessed and two daughters, Mrs. Miye Ha-George T. Isoda, new president, namura and Teru Hara (Warsaw, and his cabinet members sworn Ind.).

Oxnard boast oldest

the oldest, continuously operated week, "I'd hate to be a wife in my transpositions and my gram-Issei grocery store in the United Japan, but I wouldn't mind being mar. My Japanese is really very States, the Japanese American Re- a pretty girl there." search Project reported this week

was originally established and issued incorporation papers in 1907 to operate a grocery store. Several Issei partners pooled their resources to start the business but sold out two years later to the present owner, S. Takasugi. His

son Nao is the manager today. The local newspaper featured a story on this oldest store in the county. It is generally believed that the Asahi is the oldest founded grocery in the U.S.

The elder Takasugi recalls in the don't have." Mink (D-Hawaii) was named to the House Education and Labor Committee this week, her first choice for assignment to a major Issei were single men living in committee. Former Rep. Gill (Dfarm labor camps. Hawaii) was a member of this

Rep. Spark Matsunaga (D- with Joe Grant Masaoka, project to it," Pat said. Hawaii), in addition to his assignadministrator. Present were: ment on the Agriculture Commitda, Mitzie Ogata, Yas and Ida Yasuta-

ke, and Nao Takasugi,

SAN JOSE JACL IN FRONT WITH 900 MEMBERS SIGNED

to Install '65 Cabinet Tomorrow Night

sure its "Ichiban Chapter" status as the largest JACL unit in the ful in exerting influences favoring hear questions on the constitutioncountry, San Jose JACL this week repeal. He is an attorney associat- ality of state and federal statutes. Of Denver succumps revealed it has already signed up ed with Miller, Suyematsu, Miller Appeals may be had directly to a buncan, served as municipal the U.S. Supreme Court.

who died on Jan. 17, an accountant paign under direction of Phil Ma-

Henry Uyeda, who was re-elect- last week. 1963. The PC board, which deter- Matoba was a Mile-Hi JACL ed chapter president, will be inmined the Sakamoto Memorial board member and assisting with stalled with members of his board counties, and a handful in eastern Award winners, regarded the 25th the Issei History Project at the Holiday Inn in Sunnyvale Riverside County, are Japanese naanniversary edition in a separate, time of his death. He was born at a dinner tomorrow, 6:30 p.m. tionals still working. Some are in Okayama, came to the U.S. in Bob Tachibana is dinner chairman. headed for Salinas Valley, it was 1914 and attended school in Port- Dr. Pete Zidnak of San Jose learned this week. land and later operated a grocery State College will be the guest store there until Evacuation. He speaker on the topic of "Humor". was evacuated to Minidoka WRA National Director Mas Satow will

bishop of North Dakota at Fargo. use of nationals.

'Ichiban Chapter'

Installation Fete

BISHOP IN NORTH DAKOTA

placed on 'stand-by order' in California

Farm Labor Associates.

ley Farmers Assn.

Labor Assn.

Act) on Dec. 31.

119 Japanese and 83 Filipinos in

66 Japanese in San Luis Obispo

No Mexican nationals have been

working in California since expira-

tion of Public Law 78 (the Bracero

ployment of foreign workers when

domestics are available to do the

qualified domestic farm workers in

now for the employment of any

Commenting on the date situa-

recruitment efforts of the state-

grower efforts in Coachella Valley.

cruited to meet the needs of the

date crop. If the domestic worker

supply for this activity continues

to be inadequate I will endorse the

use of foreign workers under P.L.

BANK OF TOKYO PICKS

SAN FRANCISCO - Robert Na-

gata of the San Francisco Head

Office of the Bank of Tokyo of

California was promoted to man-

ager of the Santa Ana branch,

the head office as auditor.

FIRST NISEI MANAGER

foreign workers there."

'In view of the availability of

County, with Arroyo Grande Farm

Imperial Valley, with Imperial Val-

thirds of the Japanese nationals farm labor on standby is as fol- leave Caroline County and the 1964). They were authored by edi- because he had refused military San Jose last year had 1,191 employed in California under Pub- lows: lic Law 414 have been removed 56 Japanese in the Oxnard area, not return together or at the same from the vegetable fields and with Growers Farm Labor Assn. placed on standby because domes- 81 Japanese in the San Diego tic farm labor is available to work area, with Southwest Growers ton and for several years obeyed the crops, Albert B. Tieburg, Di- Assn. rector of Employment, announced 43 Japanese in the National City for visits, but never at the same

Only in Santa Maria and Ventura

A total of 1,186 Japanese and 83 Filipino workers are in the state under contract to ten grower associations. Of these, all but 382 Japanese are now on standby. The 382 include 177 with the Ventura County Farm Labor Assn., 187 with Santa Maria Valley Farmers Assn.

Last Friday morning 322 Japa-DENVER - Colorado Episcopal nese were removed from Orange Bishop Joseph S. Minnis and and Los Angeles county vegetable work. Suffragan Bishop Edwin B. fields, joining 63 placed on stand-Thayer recently attended the by Jan. 18 by action of the Chico consecration of the Rev. George (Orange County) Vegetable Grow-Theodore Masuda as Episcopal ers in cancelling their request for

Pat Suzuki Hates to be a Wife in Japan

BY RICHARD GIMA

sei girl who's made good in show Pat said. OXNARD-Ventura County boasts business, said in Honolulu last

a tour of Japan in which she plugged travel to the United States sing.' for the United States Travel Service. She opened a 10-day engagement Jan. 21 at the Dunes, Honolulu night club.

"One thing I can say for the Japanese women," Pat said, "and in that is they possess the femininwhich the founder is still active. ity which the American women really think she's great. And the

were farm workers, mostly en- rather unpleasant picture of the this is. She's really got guts." gaged in stoop labor thinning, hoe- U.S. by their ill-mannered ways, ing and topping sugar beets. It was Miss Suzuki said. The worst of back-breaking work to which local these, she said, were the wives of white labor were not attracted. The American GI's stationed in Japan. "It's a woman who's supposed to SAN LORENZO - Christine Tana- a historic event denoting the first

the outbreak of World War II.) (Special to the Pacific Citizen) kind of roughed up some Japanese SSEI-OPETRIED STORE HONOLULU—Pat Suzuki, the Ni- by the way I spoke their language, "They'd fall down laughing at

The American wife has the free- Miss Suzuki said she was some- The Japanese and Filipino na-

in light of briefing sessions here dom which the Japanese counter- what irritated by the "irksome ha- tionals now on standby would be for Issei rural survey interviews. part doesn't have, she said. "And bit" of the Japanese talking and available for use in the Southern The Asahi Market of Oxnard that's something all of us American whispering during a performance. California date harvest if their women, whether we're single or "But I got that one solved," she use is recommended by the Desaid. "I'd stop at the middle of partment of Employment and if She arrived here Jan. 19 after a song and say, 'You're too loud this course of action is approved out there. I can't even hear myself by the Secretary of Labor, Tieburg

> Pat is a young woman of many As of Jan. 21, some 246 domestic moods. She can be happy, gay- workers had been recruited and, sometimes, sad. Her varied throughout the state for the Coachfacial expressions, aided and abet- ella Valley date harvest, Tieburg ted by gesturing fingers, play an said important part in making the successful singer that she is.

"I love America," Pat said. "I more you travel about, the more early 1900s that Issei hereabouts Some American women create a you realize what a great country

control a social situation, but some be, senior student at San Lorenzo appointment of a Nisel as man-The Japanese History Project of those American women I ob- High, was awarded the school's ager. briefing session was held Jan. 5 served in Japan just weren't up first Pro-Merito Award for out- Graduated from the Univ. of standing contributions to the school California, Nagata joined the She admitted that her Japanese and community. She is also active bank in 1953 and served in Los City Doaks Moriwaki, Tomio Yeto, Izu- isn't the best in the world, (She's with the Al-Co Jr. JACL and the Angeles, Gardena and San Jose tee, was named to the Post Office to Otani, Akira Kurihara, Toyo Ume- a native of Cressy, Calif., and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry branches before assignment at served a period of internment at Tanabe.

legislature Tuesday passed a bill request from Susan Ujifusa, now VIRGINIA ANTI-MISCEGENATION LAW ARGUED BEFORE SPECIAL U.S. COURT

(Special to the Pacific Citizen) Va., argued that the State's antiunder penalties up to \$1,000 in fine RICHMOND, Va.-A special three- miscegenation laws grossly vio-Wyoming now joins Idaho, Utah judge Federal Court heard argu- lated the constitutional rights of and Nebraska in repealing anti- ments on Wednesday, Jan. 28, test- the Lovings under the 14th Amendmiscegenation laws, leaving only ing the constitutionality of that ment's equal protection of the laws 18 states with such laws including State's laws that make it a crime and the due process of the law Indiana and 17 states in the South. for a white person to marry a provisions. JACLers were active in support- Negro and other non-white per- The defendants, Mr. and Mrs. ing repeal legislation in their re- sons.

Wyoming legislature repeals

(Special to the Pacific Citizen) It was learned that Gov. Hansen a student at Wellesley College. She

anti-miscegenation statute

Richard P. Loving, are life-long spective states. But with the disso- Because Virginia and 18 other residents of Virginia. Loving, 31, lution of the Northern Wyoming States have similar laws, most of is a big, silent construction worker. chapter in the early 1950s, repeal which also deny white persons the He is white, while his wife, Milof the Wyoming law was coordi- right to marry Asiatics, the JACL dred, 25, is colored-part Indian nated by the Mountain-Plains Dis- is observing this case with great and part Negro. Both spent their trict Council through its Denver interest. If and when it is appealed lives in Caroline County, just south JACL office in cooperation with to the United States Supreme of Fredericksburg, until they were Mary Ujifusa of Worland and Tosh Court, as it probably will, the banned from the State in January JACL may intervene as a friend 1959 by County Judge Leon M. Brazile. They moved to Washing-Mrs. Ujifusa called attention to of the court.

the Wyoming law when a Nisei In a unanimous opinion last De- ton with their three children. girl was denied a license to marry cember the U.S. Supreme Court Aware of the Virginia law, they a Caucasian. In previous years, struck down a Florida statute had been married in Washington county clerks in Wyoming widely punishing extra-marital cohabita- on June 2, 1958. ignored the law until recent years tion by whites and non-whites, in The charges brought against when with national interest focused that particular case a Negro. It them five weeks after their maron civil rights, the 1913 statute avoided, however, a ruling on state riage was violation of Title 20, against mixed marriages was laws against interracial marriage, Sections 58 and 59, of the Virginia but the decision raised new doubts Code, which reads: Attempts to repeal the law were concerning the validity of such dis- "If any white person and colored

person shall go out of this State unsuccessful in the past two legis- criminatory legislation. lative sessions: 1959-61 and 1961-63. Judge Albert V. Bryan of the U.S. for the purpose of being married But Mrs. Ujifusa rallied support Court of Appeals for the Fourth and with the intention of returning among church people, civic leaders Circuit and U.S. District Court . . . they shall be punished-by and Japanese Americans in the Judges Oren R. Lewis and John confinement in the penitentiary for SAN JOSE-Striving early to in- state to effect repeal this year. D. Butzner, Jr., comprised the not less than one or more than Suyematsu was extremely help- special three-judge bench that may five years". vide for the annulment of interra-

The chapter is shooting for 1,200 judge for a term six years ago American Civil Liberties Union cial marriages "without any deand served with the 442nd over- attorneys Bernard S. Cohen and · Philip J. Hirschkop of Alexandria,

cree of divorce" and for a fine of \$200 for performing an interracial marriage ceremony "of which the informer shall have one-half". 700 Japanese supplemental farm workers The Lovings pleaded guilty and,

in January 1959, Judge Brazile sentenced each to a year in prison. He suspended the sentences, however, "for a period of 25 years under provision that both accused State of Virginia at once and do time . . . for a period of 25 years".

Marriage Performance

Other sections of the Code pro-

The Lovings moved to Washingthe court's edict. They went home (San Diego County) area, with time. When they faced financial

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Third Nisei drawn for L.A. County grand jury

LOS ANGELES-Mrs. Toy Kanegai, active West L.A. JACLer, was among the 23 selected this week to serve on the 1965 Los Angeles County grand jury.

Tieburg explained that P.L. 414 She is the third Nisei to serve under which foreign labor is conon the committee in as many tracted to grower associations in California does not permit the em-

> SAN JOSE-The 1964 Santa Clara County grand jury was discharged last week amid glowing praise for its work from the Superior Court

Los Angeles and Orange counties," Judge Marshall S. Hall, who Tieburg said, "there is no reason headed the bench, commended its jury foreman, Glenn George, and secretary, Norman Mineta, for their leadership in welding the tion, Tieburg said: "Despite the group into an efficient body. Mineta, active JACLer, is a member federal recruitment teams and of the San Jose Human Relations not enough workers have been re-

> LOS ANGELES-Individual parchment scrolls commending Charles K. Kamayatsu and other members of the 1964 Los Angeles County grand jury were presented by the County Board of Supervisors last month for "dedicated service and unselfish efforts during the past year with the end result that their contributions to orderly governmental processes and their evident resolve to improve their community can leave them with justifiable pride in the civic duty they so ably performed".

Kamayatsu is an active Hollywood JACLer and advertising manager for the Pacific Citizen.

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- EDITORIAL OF THE PACIFIC CITIZEN -

Tribute to Sir Winston Churchill

We pause-with the rest of the free world-to pay humble tribute to the memory of Sir Winston Churchill, who passed away early this Sunday morning, January 24.

As radio and television sketch his incredible life that spanned 90 years and the great event of our times that stretches from the Victorian epoch to the age of the atom and of space, whether we realize it or not, the lives of every Japanese American have been touched—and for the better-by the inspired career of this bulldog personification of British democracy, this giant "Man of the Century." The eloquence of his words and the wisdom of his ac-

tions have all contributed to the age in which we live. Unfortunately, few Japanese Americans were privileged to have met him. But some veterans of the 100th Infantry Battalion and the 442nd Regimental Combat Team may remember when, near Rome, this courageous and articulate World War II leader visited them. At the time, the Nisei troops were operating on the flank of the British

8th Army. Whenever free men, or our nation, or our group, again face great tragedy, adversity, or travail, perhaps the living memory of Winston Churchill in his finest hours will serve to give us courage and hope.-M.M.

This week a number of us will be joining in the 20th Anniversary LOCAL RECOGNITIONS Dinner of the San Francisco Council for Civic Unity, an organization working aggressively toward improving human relations in the city. It should be noted that the CCU is an outgrowth of a group of prominent San Franciscans who came together for the specific purpose of facilitating the return of Japanese American evacuees to their homes in San Francisco. The purpose and the base of the group was broadened in the realization that there were other minorities in the city who needed understanding and assistance in finding homes and jobs commensurate with their skills. Ed Howden, now Chief of the California Fair Employment Practices Commission was CCU's first In. Executive Director. JACL pledges 1965 MEMBERSHIPS its continued support and coop-

CBS DOCUMENTARY

eration.

All of us are looking foward to the CBS documentary on the Nisei on "Twentieth Century" this Sunday, especially since some of us have been involved since last March in helping to assemble material and contact resources, CBS originally was planning a documentary on the postwar progress of the Nisei, but became especially that may have been lost. interested in the evacuation story FINANCES and felt that this should be told to all Americans. We hope CBS

communicate their appreciation to Thirty-eight chapters will be re- ture. In brief, it is the Japan in Specific sections of the Wyoming to rewrite the 76-year-old state Mas Satow and Chuman. The fact anti-miscegenation laws not only CBS "Twentieth Century", 524 W. bated \$3,847 for over-quota per- which our Issei generation was code repealed were: 57th St., New York 19; and to formances. Prudential Life Insurance Co., Box Thanks to Tad Hirota, Northern study for the serious student of 36, Newark, N.J. 07101. For our California-Western Nevada Dis- Japanese history. ters subsequently, Headquarters is we think we have the 1000 Club JACL Japanese History project, remaking arrangements to purchase Life Membership problem under searching the Issei contributions to a 16 mm. copy of this telecast. control so that Chapters may con- American agriculture.) We note Prudential Life has al- tinue to be credited for their Life ready listed this program among Members indefinitely.

ailty sketches.

tive year). 4-Pocatello JACL, local news. ley JACL, Monterey Peninsula JA.

CL, Downtown Los Angeles JACL, San Francisco JACL, Philadelphia JACL and Portland JACL.

The PC instituted the awards program in memory of Jimmie Sakamoto, former National JACL president and editor of the Japanese American Courier, of Seattle.

Chapters which have submitted at least 10 copies of each issue of their newsletter during the past year are only considered under the rules. For the 1965 awards program, chapters are being asked to send their copies to each member on the PC Board:

Dr. David Miura, 2148 Shipway Ave., Long Beach, Calif. 90815 Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. 90004. Angeles, Calif. 90012. Los Angeles, Calif. 90066.

forts to local Chapter programs western China. She is currently island in one book. over the years.

In response to periodic requests Island Jr. High School. from Chapters, we have made up a basic recognition certificate for presentation by local Chapters to friends who have been outstanding in their efforts and encouragement to the Chapter and to Japanese Iwata, Masakazu; Okubo Toshimichi—
Americans with name of Chapter the Bismarck of Japan, 376 pp, index, Americans, with name of Chapter, honoree, and his or her specific contributions to the Chapter and to Japanese Americans to be filled

San Jose Chapter has jumped into the lead toward retaining its feudalism to modernism. "Ichiban Chapter" rating of last year with its initial report of 842

year to surpass last year.

We hope the additional member- world history. ship cards being requested by a

National JACL's Endowment Japan was concerned".

We trust many JACLers will against the quota of \$115,000. early Meiji period helped to nur- terest and friendship.

Mike Shimizu, 125323 Gilmore Ave., Los Angeles, Calif. 90066. William "Mo" Marumoto, 231 Painter Ave., Whittier, Calif Roy H. Uno, 4405 Sunswept, Santa

(Continued from Front Page) 2-Salt Lake City JACL, person-

Kango Kunitsugu, 2917 S. Orange Dr., Los Angeles, Calif. 90016. Mike Suzuki, 1402 Sutherland St., 3-Orange County JACL, general Los Angeles, Calif. 90026. Tom T. Ito, 669 Del Monte St. appearance (for the third consecu- Pasadena, Calif. Fred Taomae, 2425 Edgewater Terr.,

Los Angeles, Calif. 90039. The awards are made in the fol-Honorable mention-Salinas Val lowing categories: 1-Local chapter reporting. 2—Editorial.

3-Personality Sketch 4-Youth Section. 5-Women's Section. 7-National Reporting. 8-General Appearance.

> 10-Feature Story. an outstanding example for a par- a cord from the obi.

not be made. The judges based their awards toms, history, legends and superon accuracy, writing skill, public stition. service, significance of event, sub-

and foster more and better chapter fascinating pastime. Along with the for 1965 and gave the principal ad- gest problem being the picking of Dr. Roy Nishikawa, 234 S. Oxford newsletters, since the PC feels the 16 objects created by Origami are dress at the annual dinner-dance delegates to the constitutional con-Saburo Kido, 345 E. 2nd St., Los chapter newsletters are one of the well-known stories of East and Jan. 16 at Mt. Blanca Inn here, vention. George Inagaki, 4568 Centinela Ave., ing to chapter strength. strongest factors toward contribut- West to add delight.



BOOK REVIEW:

PC Writer Has Novel Published

The Westminster Press Fukei, Arlene: East to Freedom, 189 animals. pp. \$3.50 (Recommended for children ages 12-15).

tension before she makes up her Since the American reoccupation having some Negro personnel. We are pleased to see Chapters tle Post-Intelligencer, has also in meeting this challenge. While and warmth extended not only to Petite and charming, although women, etc. librarian at the South Mercer

Japanese Statesman

Published by Univ. of California Press Berkeley-Los Angeles

Until now no Western scholar has made a detailed study of the shrewd, realistic statesman, Toshimichi Okubo (1830-1878) who was regarded as "the man behind the Emperor" during the mid-19th century when Japan leaped from

Dr. Iwata fills a long-standing gap for the Western historian, seeking the answers to key ques-To San Benito goes the distinc- tions about Okubo's motivations, tion of being the first Chapter this his impact on Japan's foreign and domestic policies and his place in

Dr. Iwata, a Los Angeles-born number of the Chapters is a good Nisei now an associate professor sign rather than to replace cards of history at Biola College, La Mirada, Calif., regards Okubo as the "right man in the right position at the right time as far as

East-West culture

Published by Charles T. Tuttle Co. Rutland, Vt., and Tokyo Bushell, Raymond: The Wonderfu World of Netsuke, 71 pp, colored Sakade, Florence and Sono, Kazuhiko: Fold-and-Paste Origami Storybook, try the case. 32 pp, Origami supply included, \$1.95. Garano, Paul and Sanchez, Pedro C.

A Complete History of Guam, 452 pp, index, \$10. Sasamori Junzo and Warner, Gordon: This is Kendo-the Art of Japanese Fencing, 159 pp, index, \$5.25.

Bushell introduces the Wonderfu World of Netsuke-the miniature carvings in ivory, wood, porcelain. metal and other material that every well-dressed Japanese wore at the sash of kimono for some 300 years—as it should be—in color. They were pendants to tobacco If, in the opinion of the judges, pouches or purses suspended by

ticular category is not submitted, Bushell describes a 100 pieces the award for that category will and adds an absorbing commentary on Japanese manners, cus-

Objects for Origami include the dent,

turtle, fish, crab, water bird, swal- mony, and Negro songsters Todd This pleasant custom was begun was the first of her ancestry too low, flowers, and various popular Duncan and Theresa Coleman, ac- in 1960 when now Senator Daniel to be a representative at the

A contemporary story of what prehensive history of Guam-the and Van Cliburn, the pianist, as Hawaii became a State. Then, when 100 outstanding Americans to tour it is like to live through the vio- westernmost bastion of the United well as the National Symphony Congressman Spark M. Matsuna- West Germany on an invitation lent disruption of Communist con- States. Paul Carano, co-author, Orchestra, at the Inaugural Con- ga was elected two years ago to originally intended for Presiden quest, Mrs. Arlene Fukei's first teaches at the College of Guam cert. novel, "East of Freedom", tells of and did much of the research in At the Inaugural Balls, President he was elected to the Senate two a teen-ager, Mei-lin, betrothed to preparation of this study. Dr. Pedro Johnson was seen dancing with at years ago, he also was the chaptelevision when she spoke out for Ling-wen, who seems to approve Sanchez, a native Guamanian, and least one Negro lady, probably the ter's guest speaker. of the people who finally took over former president of the college, is first time that this has happened.

own mind about the new regime. of Guam in 1944, there was an Mrs. Fukei is not a newcomer urgent and growing need for a to PC readers for she has con- book concerned with the historical Surely, a great goal of the Great We are looking forward to hear earned a reputation for fighting tributed to our Holiday Issue. Her development of the Guamanians Society of the President was very this Congresswoman tomorrow eve- for liberal causes, such as educahusband, Budd, now with the Seat- and the co-authors have done well much in evidence in the politeness ning.

"This Is Kendo" is a fully illustrated introduction to a traditional art of Japan-fencing, its essential nature and its basic techniques. Over 100 photographs and drawings have been included by coculty, and Dr. Sasamori, holder of the "hanshi" rank, the highest hon-

orary title in kendo. It is regarded as the first book ever written on kendo in a language other than Japanese on an aca- now national chairman of JACL's snafu. demic level. The kendo tradition, equipment and basic rules are described. Fundamental procedures and techniques in kendo, offensive and receiving techniques, and practice round out the masterful presentation.

The glossary is presented in both Japanese and English texts.

"chambara", this book is basic,

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original plan as a practical demon- quarter and \$6,106.03 for the year. Okubo symbolized the concept of served as governor of Wyoming 11/2-hour social. stration of how democracy works. A preliminary check indicates Japanese nationalism more than Girls State. The governor has fol- The PC (see Jan. 15) reported Spokane, were instructed to vote The Washington JACL Office exthat Chapters remitted \$109,962.14 any other single leader in the lowed her career with personal in- Washington's new Gov. Dan Evans "no" at the Dec. 20 meeting in plains that JACL has a special

born—and therefore, a valuable Tit's 20, Sec. 18: Intermarriages of ownership provision as one of the Jan. 24 seems to indicate that Na. stake but also because many memof white persons with Negroes, mulatown records and for loan to Chap- trict Council 1000 Club Chairman, (Dr. Iwata is also assisting the contracted in the State of Wyoming toes, Mongolians or Malays hereafter On the surface, it sounds fine; per- From that last Dec. 20 Seattle cestry, are personally involved. are and shall be illegal and void. (First

adopted as Laws of 1913) tion of preceding section. Whoever shall knowingly contract marriage in of Damocles. fact contrary to the prohibitions of the preceding section (Sec. 20-18), and whoever shall knowingly solemnize any such marriage shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon being convicted thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$100.00 nor more than \$1,000.00, or imprisonment of not less than one year nor more than five year, or both, at the discretion of the court which shall

MT. OLYMPUS TO HOST IDC QUARTERLY MEET

SALT LAKE CITY - The Mt. Olympus JACL will host the first quarterly session of the Intermountain District Council scheduled for the Jan. 30-31 weekend, according to DC chairman Kiyo-

The sessions begin Saturday, 3 p.m., at the Buddhist Church and continue Sunday, 9 a.m., at the Ramada Inn.

County judge administers oath of office to CLers

Den Ono is the new chapter presi-

Washington Newsletter: by Mike Masaoka

Inaugural Observations

where more than a quarter of a Tabernacle Choir that sang after Majority Leader. century earlier Lyndon Johnson the Inaugural Address. place cold and sore throat.

ity on the part of the Nisei in the Arts. Invited by the President America. And, throughout the himself, Nobel and Pulitzer prize week, at all of the major and most winners were among the Medal of of the minor activities, we saw Freedom awardees present. to attend several of the State So- Medal of Honor dinner. ciety dinners and get-togethers. Not only were more Japanese Americans in attendance than ever CONGRESSWOMAN MINK before, but so too were other mithis past Inaugural.

attainment of political acceptabil- President's Special Assistant on in the Congress.

what looked like Nisel faces, from Unfortunately, we understand State, is in her mid-thirties. She the huge Democratic Gala on Mon- that Hiroshi Miyamura of Gallup, has so many "firsts" to her credit Larry A Kobayashi, Pharm. Free Dly Service day evening to the five Inaugural New Mexico, Niseidom's only liv- that it's difficult to list them all. Balls on Wednesday night. Many ing Congressional Medal of Honor stayed over too until the weekend winner, was unable to attend the

nority Americans, and especially dents established by the Washing- tion to the Hawaiian Legislature, Negro Americans. Negroes have ton, D.C. JACL Chapter is to in- as well as being the first woman been seen at Republican and Dem- vite Japanese Americans elected of her ancestry practice law in ocratic functions before, but never to the United States Congress to her State. She was the first presiin the numbers that they were at speak at our annual installation dent of the Young Democrats in dinner-dances. In the past, these Hawaii, and she was the first Miss Leontyne Price, Mississippi- have been the first opportunities Democrat from Hawaii to win born Negro operatic star, sang the for these newly elected Congress- election to a national party post, inspiring "America, The Beauti- men to address the Nisei of the being elected National Vice Presiful" on the official Inaugural Cere- Mainland. dent of the Young Democrats. She

cording to some columnists, stole K. Inouye was elected to the Na. Young Political Leaders Conferthe show from such world-famous tional House of Representatives ence in Paris, and the first of her Here for the first time is a com- artists as Isaac Stern, the violinist, after the deserving Territory of ancestry to be selected among the succeed Congressman Inouye when

Next Saturday evening, Jan. 30, cratic National Convention in Los mainland China in the late 1940s. presently serving as associate di- Also, the Inaugural Parade seemed Congresswoman Patsy Takemoto Angeles that nominated the late The novel tells of Mei-lin's strug- rector of the Peace Corps in the to be completely integrated, with Mink, also of Hawaii, will speak John F. Kennedy for the presidency gles through the many crises and Philippines.

every military unit, for instance, at the chapter installation dinner in 1960, which, this year, will be held at the Cameron Station Restaurant in of the Territorial Legislature and historic Alexandria, Va.

are taking advantage of their In- written for the PC. Mrs. Fukei it is not a definitive history, the Negro Americans but all other she has just been sworn in this stallations to publicly recognize served as a teacher and medical volume has been recommended for Americans, including those of Ja- past Jan. 4, she has already won gist-hydrologist, while in Chicago generously of their time and ef- Communists' coming to power in no readable account of the tiny watched participants move on to leagues as an able, articulate, and Gwendolyn. their places for the Inaugural Cere- experienced lawmaker. She has al-

Northwest Picture: by Elmer Ogawa Alien Land Law Campaign in 1966 Sighted authors Dr. Warner, a member of SEATTLE-A Pacific Northwest 1962 efforts to repeal the land law, another American". With such ob-District Council quarterly session estimates that 1971 would be the jectives, the only woman to be

1966 Referendum

Frank Chuman, representing Na-

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legal-legislative committee, was Foregoing is mentioned to show again our honored guest in helping that there is no easy solution to to thrash out the problems con- the problem of elimination of the nected with repeal of Washington's last remaining discriminatory land alien land law. law. There won't be an Issei left

Principal business of the day here in the State of Washington centered around reports and com- to see "the Day" if we wait for ments of Washington's four chap- constitutional revision. To movie goers who like the ters although the PNWDC includes three Oregon chapters, which were in attendance. A sizeable repre- The JACL machinery to have sentation from the active Portland another "go" at immediate 1966 chapter should be mentioned. Pres- referendum to repeal the land law will follow up some day with its Fund returned \$1,796.24 in the final In essence, the author believes nor on a personal basis when she clously lent their presence to the from three Washington chapters,

constitution and mentioned the land that Chuman was here again on because of the basic principles at archaic provisions that must go. tional is vitally interested. haps an easy way out for weary meeting, the delegates were sent States with laws against interra-Washington JACLers who have home to effect a reconsideration cial marriages are the 12 States Title 20, Sec. 19: Penalty for viola- labored for removal of that sword in regard to starting another re- of the Old Confederacy and border

Political Situation Assessed

Republican Governor Evans has the two valley chapters was the Delaware. preponderantly Democratic embarrassment of making a third At recent National JACL Con-House and Senate and even a house-to-house canvass for funds, ventions, resolutions have been Democratic lieutenant governor. So today, Puyallup Valley agreed adopted that JACL attempt to have At the present time, the entire to go along. White River Valley, these laws declared unconstitustate legislature is in a hassle for though a bit cooler, said essential- tional and, where possible, reredistricting and only a freak split ly the same thing with the elimiin the ranks of the Demos pre- nation of the door-to-door canvass, concerned. vented a Demo version of reap. Spokane's new president, Mason Scottos Contractor portionment from passing at the Fukui, was delegated to give a lame duck session. The Republi- flat "no". But Fukui allowed that cans also have a redistricting plan, there were dissenters in the Spobut you can expect some Demo kane chapter. (Including himself? gerrymandering to come up at this Can we say, then, that all is not time and Gov. Evans says that he hopeless, even in Spokane?)

We mention this to ask the JACL tional, said that he could underreader what can be expected to stand the reluctance of the locals result from Mr. R's plan to change the constitution when opposed so violently by the D group. It will require a two-thirds vote of both the House and Senate in this current session to even start the wheels turning. Then an approval of such a convention by the voters at the next election. And calling ject matter difficulty, enterprise For parents with pre-school chil- FORT GARLAND, Colo.—County such a convention will be like opendren, the "Fold-and-Paste Origami Judge Henry Blickhahn swore in ing a Pandora's box, says Lt. Gov. | The program aims to promote Storybook" will help make for a the San Luis Valley JACL officers John Cherberg (D), with the big-

Seattle JACLer Tak Kubota, nat'l 2nd v.p. who steered the 1960 and Sunning the state of the 1960 and Sunning the Sunning the

Washington monies, we saw at least one Nisei ready been given an honor seldom Inaugural Week began in a holi- in the Marine Corps Band that granted to freshman legislators so day atmosphere, reached a solemn played for that occasion and at soon after their election, the priand fitting climax at the Capitol least one Nisei girl in the Mormon vilege of serving as temporary

Our long-time friends on the Large type (10 pt.) counts as two lines. had began his career of public Probably the most honored Japa- Hill, including Majority Leader service, witnessed the President nese American at the festivities Carl Albert of Oklahoma, see in begin his own Administration as was Detroit architect Minoru Ya- this young Japanese American who the architect of the Great Society, masaki, who was acclaimed as the was featured in "Life" magazine and ended on a note of concern Nisei of the Biennium at the Na- last week a worthy teammate to when he was taken to the Bethesda tional JACL Convention in Seattle the other Japanese Americans in Flower View Gardens Florists Naval Hospital with a common in 1962. He was among the few the Congress-Senator Inouye and distinguished Americans who were Congressman Matsunaga. This is In last week's Newsletter, we invited to attend the special dinner praise indeed, for few have in such observed that many hundreds of for Medal of Freedom winners and a short time won the admiration Japanese Americans had received other leaders in the world of the and esteem of their colleagues as invitations to attend the Inaugural arts and the letters at the George- have the two Hawaiian Nisei war activities, thereby attesting to the town home of Roger Stevens, the heroes who now serve their State

> Congresswoman Mink, a thirdgeneration daughter of the newest In addition to being the first woman to be elected to the Congress from Hawaii, she is also the first woman of Japanese ancestry to win this great honor in this country. She was the first woman One of the more pleasant prece- of Japanese ancestry to win elec-Kennedy in 1963.

> > the civil rights plank of the Demo-

She was elected to both Houses tion, public housing, equality for

those members who have given worker during the years of the the students of Guam for there is panese ancestry. Indeed, as we a reputation among her 434 col- in 1951, she has a teen-age daughter

Because of her background, she should be a champion for President Johnson's Great Society programs. And, as she is quoted in the "Life" magazine article, she looks forward to the day when she will be considered not as a Japanese American but simply as "just was held at Auburn's Town and very earliest date to bring about elected to the Congress last No-Country restaurant last Sunday, a constitutional revision if all the vember for the first time, Patsy Jan. 24, with White River Valley gears mesh perfectly. But what's Takemoto Mink should be a most Civic League as hosts. Frank Chu- going to mesh perfectly? The legis- impressive and effective member man, past national president and lative situation here is strictly of the National House of Repre-

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difficulties in 1963, they wrote then Attorney General Robert Kennedy, asking his help in returning t their native State. Mr. Kennedy ask the ACLU to help the Lovings. According to their attorneys, the Lovings are not "civil rights ent for the dinner were some 32 from the state constitution has They have avoided public comments and newspaper publicity.

JACL's Concern

bers and others of Japanese anpeal effort. As reported in this States of Maryland, West Virginia, column four weeks ago, the biggest Kentucky, Missouri, and Oklahogripe of rank & file members in ma, and Indiana, Wyoming, and

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From the Frying Pan

Denver, Colo.

CHANCE MEETING-The four of us had just finished lunch—during which we had done more talking than eating and were on our way out of the restaurant when we ran into Harry. It was a chance meeeting that turned out to be poignantly timely. "We" were Shig Wakamatsu, who stopped in Denver en route from Chicago to an Issei Story executive committee meeting in Los Angeles; Min Yasui and Tak Terasaki of Denver, and I. There were some details of the history project, a matter that has filled most of Wakamatsu's waking hours, that he wanted to discuss. And so we had done that, with only minor attention being paid to the food.

Harry was Harry G. Matoba, uncommonly voluble for an Issei, a thoroughly likable man of many parts who had been named by the local JACL chapter to work on the history. So Harry shook hands with Wakamatsu, smiled his broad happy smile, and allowed as he'd do what he could.

Two days later, (Jan. 17) Harry Matoba was dead of a heart attack.

The work that Matoba had intended to do for the project, such as raising funds and getting people stirred up about it so they'd pitch in and help, can be done by others. But what was lost forever when Harry died was his own story-the trials and triumphs, the frustrations and pleasures, the times of laughter and the times of tears, of this articulate Issei.

I have no way to knowing whether Harry had a place in the scientific cross-section of Issei to be chosen by the scholars for intensive interviewing in their search for facts. But Harry had a story only he could tell, and inevitably the History will be the poorer for its absence.

Harry Matoba was young as Issei go, only 69, but his passing from the scene underscores once more the necessity of recording the story the Issei have to tell before it is too late. As a matter of fact, it is already too late by a good ten or twenty years, and it behooves us to cherish and utilize quickly the resources that remain.

AT THE OTHER END — Another Harry, Dr. Harry Kitano of UCLA, was a visitor here last week. His concern is with the other end of the Japanese American spectrum—the Sansei in the Los Angeles area who by some misfortune have become entangled with the law. He has made intensive studies of 30 such delinquents and their families, and compared them with 30 other Sansei in similar social and economic circumstances who were not in trouble.

His immediate findings may not startle many knowledgeable people (his mother asked why it was necessary to spend \$100,000 to find out what she thought everyone knew), but there is a great deal he picked up which may help Nisei and Sansei understand why they act the way they do. If these findings apply to me and my youngsters, and I'm sure they do at least in part, I want to know the details.

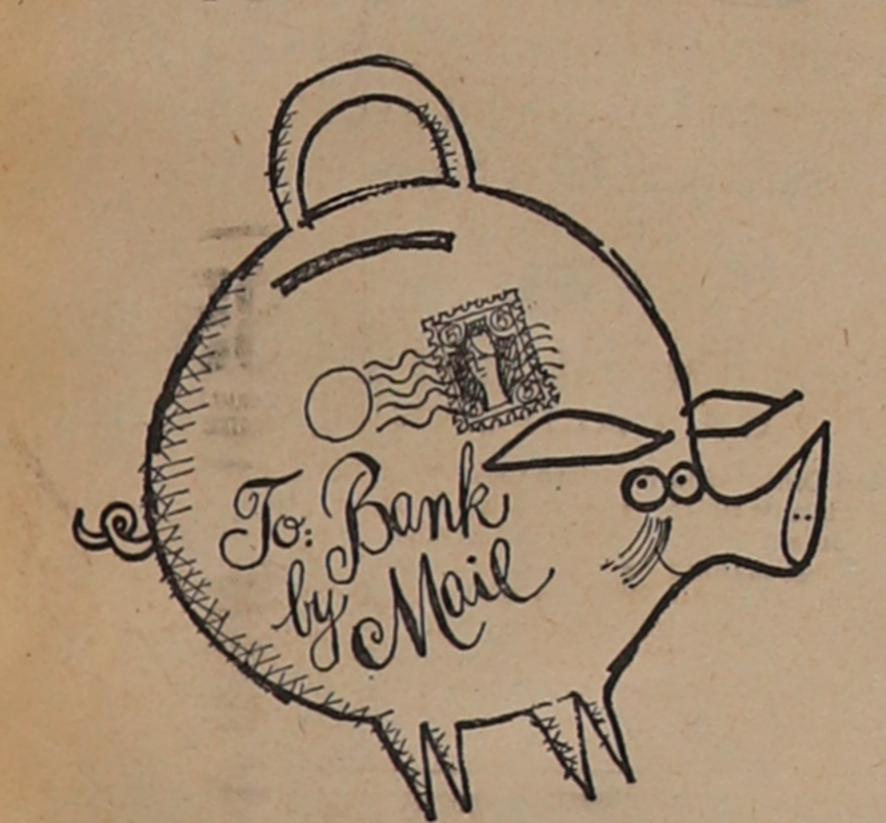
Dr. Kitano is in the process of writing a book about his study. It is, he fears, going to be well loaded with the jargon that sociologists use, for sociology has a language of its own just like the other sciences. But he promised to make it as easy to read as possible, and I'm looking forward to seeing it. The interesting thing about us as an American minority is that for a variety of reasons we don't fall into the conventional molds that fit so many groups immediately descended from immigrants. And so it will be fascinating to find out how we differ, and why, and how it is that we do the things we do and don't do the things we don't do.

Maybe it will be like group psychoanalysis. Not that I'm implying that we need it, but it will be an interesting if not altogether pleasant experience.

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WRA community management head, J. Provinse, dies

WASHINGTON-John H. Provinse, 68, director of community management programs for the War Relocation Authority (WRA) in World War II, died of a coronary thrombosis Jan. 22.

A native of Red Lodge, Mont., he was among the dedicated men of the WRA who, under the directorship of Dillon S. Myer, administered the ten relocation camps in World War II to which some 110,000 evacuees of Japanese ancestry were sent from their West Coast homes and associations by the Army in the spring of 1942.

An anthropologist, he received his bachelor's, master's, and Ph.D. degrees from the Univ. of Chicago. He began his career in 1929 with research among the Saing Dyaks of Central Borneo and later joined the faculty of the Univ. of Arizona. He served as a specialist in rural ment to WRA.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs in from his bed at the Univ. of Cali- the area JACL. charge of community services. In fornia Hospital a contract with of- The committee's report and rec- ly settled in San Francisco in 1917 dependency studies which were into operation a group plan for its unanimously adopted by the Dis- Japan with his family. the basis for legislation passed in members in northern California trict Council at its final quarterly His son Yoshio is now with the 1950 for the rehabilitation of Na- and western Nevada. Uno has been meeting of the year, Nov. 1 at Hawaiian Sugar Planters Assn. divajo and Hopi Indians.

Between 1950 and 1953, he was with a spinal dislocation. the deputy administrator for South Asia of the Point Four foreign aid program and later became director of the social research center of the American University in Cairo, Egypt. During the past several years, he directed the International Voluntary Services, Inc., an interdenominational church group.

SAO PAULO MINISTER OF LABOR-A 30 YEAR OLD NISEI-VISITING JAPAN

HONOLULU-Accepting the invitation of the Japanese government, Sao Paulo State Labor Minister Antonio Morimoto, 30, Brazil-born Nisei, stopped here last week enroute to Tokyo.

Morimoto said that there are are quite a few Brazilian Nisei who are holding government positions—deputies in the Brazilian legislature and legislators in the Sao Paulo State government. His Nara-born parents emigrated to Brazil 33 years ago.

JCC elects Gardenan

LOS ANGELES-Shigetoshi Fujii 68, of Gardena was unanimously elected 1965 president of the So. Calif. Japanese Chamber of Commerce at a recent director's meeting, it was announced by Frank Hirata, executive secretary. He succeeds Katsuma Mukaeda.

The new officers will be honored Feb. 2, 6:30 p.m., at the Kawafuku Restaurant.

Fujii, an active supporter of JACL and Gardena Sister City program, operates the Gardena Nursery. He has lived in the Southland since 1925, and was an assistant to rice grower Rikizo Takata in Northern California before coming here. He came to the U.S. in 1914.

Fun Tour reunion

LOS ANGELES-Third annual reunion of Mitsuiline Travel Service's Nisei Fun Tours will be held at Castaways Hotel, Las Vegas, Nev., Feb. 12-13, it was announced by Fred Takata.

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OH, MY ACHIN' BACK!-Harold Samuels (left) and G. Giron, representing CPS-Blue Shield, and Masao Satow, National JACL director, witness Edison Uno (in bed with spinal dislocation), Cal-Neva JACL group insurance committee chairman, sign health plan contract,

NC-WNDC Blue Shield enrollment push on

Representing CPS-Blue Shield tee. ager, and G. Giron, assistant di- Group Health Administration Com- them on from time to time. rector of sales. Also witnessing the mittee, are: ceremony was Masao W. Satow, John Yasumoto, Eddie Moriguchi CPA, Wilson Makabe, Haruo Ishimaserving as JACL regional director. ru; Dr. William Kiyasu, medical adv.;

As a special service for JACL members, a Group Insurance Study

development with the Dept. of SAN FRANCISCO - Edison Uno, plan. After almost a year of study After the war, he went to Shang-Agriculture prior to his assign- chairman of the Group Insurance and comparison, the Committee hai to engage in foreign trade. He

> in traction for the last three weeks San Jose. Wilson Makabe of San recting public relations. Mateo chaired the study commit- Our Issei pioneers in Japan

Uno quipped, "I hope our JACL Jack Kusaba, legal counsel; Masao WEST LOS ANGELES-A 14-week

ously he added, "This is an ex- chapters to enroll JACLers and all levels of advancement starts cellent plan and our JACL mem- put the plan into effect. Informa- Feb. 11 at the Japanese Institute. bers should take full advantage of tion about the plan may be ob- 1913 Purdue Ave. (GR 9-1379). this opportunity to participate in tained through any of the above a comprehensive group health officers or local chapter officers.

Committee was created last year SAN FRANCISCO-National JACL upon the order of John Yasumoto, Headquarters acknowledged \$20 then NC-WNDC chairman, to study for the Japanese History Project and recommend a group Kealth from Paul Maruyama, St. Louis,

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Committee for the area Japanese unanimously recommended the came to Seattle in 1908, opened Provinse was named Assistant American Citizens League, signed basic plan of CPS-Blue Shield for an art good store at the San Diego Fair in 1915-16 and then permanent per. that post, he headed the Navajo ficials of CPS-Blue Shield, putting ommendation were subsequently retiring in 1940 and returning to

usually tell the most interesting were Harold Samuels, group man- Besides Uno, chairman of the experiences-and we hope to pass

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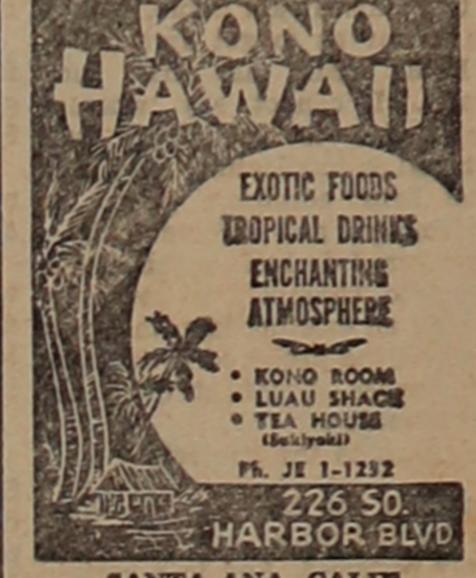
Philadelphia JACL's Christmas party hailed

PHILADELPHIA-Close to 140 Ishim as an early-day newspaper- sei, Nisei and Sansei met at the to University Settlement House for the annual Philadelphia JACL LOS ANGELES-The 442nd Assn. Christmas party recently, despite of Southern California will install a dense fog that enveloped most Jim Yamashita (Co. I) as 1965

> trayed by Harry Beleieff, a co- Restaurant. Glenn Sunby, execuworker of party emcee Eugene tive director of the American Phy-Goda) delighted the children as he sical Fitness Research Institute. distributed the toys. Many adults will speak on the Olympic Games supervised in the children's games in Japan. Dance with the Latineers and the ladies served potluck sup- will follow.

Entertainment included the Sansei lasses performing the Olympic Odori, quartette singing carols and everyone caroling. On the commit-

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when faced with an arduous third effort. But, he added, if we make want to see a reluctant performance. With three of Washington's four chapters ready to go (with provisos), it looks like green lights once a couple of financial and or-

ganizational problems are solved. We look with interest to the news when the National Board meets in February in Los Angeles as to the extent of National Organization can assist us financially and other-

wise. In the meantime, we have to get our bill in the hopper at once.

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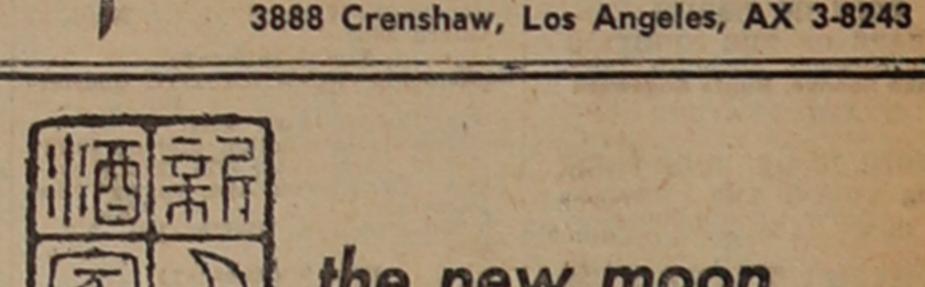
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The Free Speech Movement

Berkeley campus of the Univ. of Negro writer, commented on the announced as principal speaker at California has been making na- Berkeley crisis: that (your) minds the first quarterly session banquet tional headlines as a result of the must be free to think of anything of the Northern California-Western Free Speech Movement controver- and everything under Heaven. Be- Nevada District Council meeting sy. Other than the main issues at yond, if necessary, I might add. Feb. 7 at El Rancho Motel, 1029 stake, it has also brought to the Then there were those who were W. Capitol Ave. surface many things which normal- so ignorant as to vent their spleens ly would have remained in the on the "beatniks" and the borderline population. depths of our minds.

Gratifying is the observation "Why," I heard one person say that a large number of students on a radio program, "can't they are concerned in areas of political dress nicely in white shirts and and social justice and importance, ties and be clean-shaven to present I would not venture to say that a nice public image of the Univerthey were necessarily aware, for sity?" This is the basic attitude undoubtedly many of them fell to that underlies the whole mess. the sway of the multitudes and Reader, can't imagine nice, facebecame victims of emotional ap- less little men in white shirts, ties,

Yet, as the idea of one sympa- safely creative? I'll give you a thetic editorial from another col- 100-1 that you would find a key lege said, "That sort of thing would in their backs too. This is what never happen at our campus . . . the students were fighting against: as freedom of speech and of the The idea of conformity and unrespectable. The only thing we with too little concern for that would demonstrate over is the which is the essence of thinking. DC Treasurers Report, Tad Ono; Pu- Judge Wayne Kanemoto, 1000. Club; abolition of fraternity row or the de-emphasis of football."

Legislators Retaliate

posed retaliatory measures which few Orientals at all. Some, though Cultural Heritage, James Murakami, to, James Ono, Byron Honda, Dr. I call naked displays of power and went so far as to get arrested in Registration starts at noon with Tom Taketa, Bill Matsumoto, Richard intellectual tyranny. It was proposed that all student dentally. I cannot say whether gates; \$6 booster delegates and \$5 Kinaga, bd. membs. participants be expelled and all their choice to participate was for youth delegates. professors who supported student emotional or intellectual, but I also The district youth council will

These legislators threaten us

with the axe if we do not toe the total amnesty. "party line." There are many much more deserving students, they tell us, who would like to get in. De- nese (or Orientals) are by nature serving, yes-perhaps in the sense politely reserved. And to a certain that they will hold to the "party line." And the professors will stay as long as they teach and express tain respectability hinders intelstate-approved ideas.

free tuition. I would hope that we tern of conformity which ostracourage not to be intimidated by us who participate in such a typi- ident. Big Brother's hands on the purse cally non-Japanese activity. There strings. Then it is that we are is a fear of involvement. being duped. If so, then why en- Moreover, there exists a great danger the entire futures of those apathy among us on matters of "Innocent pawns" by expelling the mind-things, beyond our daily them for a teen-age lark?

Intellectual Freedom

Apparently there are those who (Contributor of "Third Generawould praise the University as long tion" has submitted his picture as it produces neat, safe ideas in and a new name for the monthly accordance with what the public column, "Mampitsu" in Japaconsiders nice and respectable. nese means "stray notes, fugi-But true intellectual freedom does tive essays, random jottings, not produce ideas according to a miscellany"-which is unique as pre-determined mold. It is as column heads go .- Editor.)

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Salt Lake City-IDC quarterly session; Sat. at Salt Lake Buddhist Church 3 p.m.; Sun. at Ramada Inn, 1000 S Main St., 9 a.m. Jan 31 (Sunday)

Egen Township - Installation dinner, Los Angeles-PSWDC executive board meeting, New Moon Restaurant, 12n Square, Oakland, 6:30 p.m.; Jerry Downtown L.A - Installation dinner, Imperial Gardens, 7 p.m. (Extra TV sets will be available to view CBS iion dinner. Indo-China Restaurant, Twentieth Century program on Japanese Americans at 6 p.m.) Stockton-Auxiliary election, home of Snake River Valley - Bazaar, Airport Mrs. Richard Yoshikawa, 1225 N. Community Hall.

Hunter St., 7:30 p m.
San Jose—Installation dinner, Holiday Seattle—Installation dinner, Bush Gar-Inn. Sunnyvale, 6:30 p.m.; Dr. Pete dens, /7 p.m.; Dr. Dale E. Turner. *********

Feb. 5 (Friday) Chicago-Jr. JACL meeting. Feb. 6 (Saturday)

Sacramento-1000 Club whing ding, El Orange County — Installation dinner, Saddleback Inn, Santa Ana; Keith Murdock, Anaheim city manager, Idaho Falls-Winter Carnival, National Guard Bldg.

Sacramento—NC-WNDC/DYC quarter-ly session, El Rancho Motel; State Sen. Rodda, banq. spkr. Hollywood-Installation dinner, Rudi's Italian Restaurant, 3773 Crenshaw, 7 p.m.; Dr. Steven Abe, spkr., "Nisei Personality."

Dayton-Meeting. YWCA, Rm. 218, 2 Feb. 9 (Tuesday)
Pasadena—Board meeting, Cecilia Wa-

Feb. 12 (Friday) Philadelphia - General meeting-elec-

Feb. 14 (Sunday) Pasadena-PSWDC quarterly session Pasadena Athletic Club, 425 Green St. DaleiScope In Color - English Subtitles

San Francisco — JACL Bridge Club, Christ Episcopal Church social hall, (TOUGH GUY AND THE DRUM)
Shintaro Katsu, Jiro Tamiya,

Feb. 19-22 Los Angeles-Interim National JACL Board meeting, Hayward Hotel Feb. 27 (Saturday) Detroit - Installation dinner dance, Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel, 7 p.m.; Kumeo Yoshinari, spkr. Portland - Get-together, Nichiren

Church, 7:30 p.m.; TV Film "Behind" the Gothic Line." Feb. 28 (Sunday) Chicago-Brotherhood Dinner. Sequoia - Installation dinner, Brave Bull Restaurant, Los Altos, 8 p.m.

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SACRAMENTO-State Sen. Alfred For the last few months the James Baldwin, the brilliant young Rodda of Sacramento County was James Tsurumoto, Tony Yokomizo,

stallation of Sacramento JACL, wamoto, pub.; Tak Naito, Henry Ho-JACL Auxiliary and Jr. JACL officers and presentation of recognitions awards.

presidents and committee chairmen for program and activities, 1000 Club and del.; Jack Oshita, membership and group health insurance are the three workshops from 3:30 p.m.:

1-Leadership; Mas Satow, chmn. and suits running around, being Jerry Enomoto and Akiji Yoshimura. 2-What Shall We Do for Program; Mas Yokogawa, Frank Oda, co-chmn. 3-How Do We Recruit Members; Phil Matsumura, George Matsumoto;

Dr. Tom Taketa of San Jose, to demonstrate over issues such factory mass-produced degrees. DC chairman, announced an 18point agenda for the regular busi- 2nd v.p. (memb.); Phil Matsumura, intellect would be both foolish and "image" is all too prevalent now, ness session starting at 1 p.m. The 3rd v.p. (p.r.); Elichi Ed Sakauye. agenda includes:

blic Relations, John Enomoto; Pacific Grant Shimizu, del.; Mrs. Sue Citizen, William Matsumoto; Member- Matsumura, welfare; Dr. Tokio Ishi- SANTA ANA-Local businessman ship Progress Report, George Matsu- kawa, Blue Cross; Dr. Robert S. Okamoto; 1000 Club, Tad Hirota; Recog- moto, Blue Cross adm.; Dave Salto, Mas Uyesugi was elected presi-One notices that very few young nitions, John Yasumoto; Japanese His- Perry Dobashi, Grace Hane, Helen dent of the Orange County JACL Japanese Americans participate in tory Project, Frank Oda; Group Mineta, Kaz Inouye, Mrs. Eureka Health Insurance, Edison Uno; Cal- Shiroma, Jack Nakamura, Norman and will head a 20-man board of Some of our state legislators pro- such demonstrations—indeed, very Neva JACL Credit Union, Tad Ono; Mineta, Masumi Onishi, Paul Sakamo- directors for the coming year. the FSM crisis. All girls, inci- fees set at \$7.50 for official dele- Ernest Torigoe, Edward Morioka, Karl

actions be fired—as if we had an cannot help admiring them for meet concurrently with the seniors excess of brilliant educators. The their concern and involvement. at El Rancho Motel from 9 a.m. significant effect of such a meas- However, I do believe that if one The DC 1000 Club whing-ding ure; however, would be to hang a chooses to champion a cause by will precede the session on Satur- HAYWARD - Preparations are

sword of Damocles over the heads breaking an existing law, that per- day, Feb. 6, 9 p.m., at El Rancho completed for the Eden Township of students and instructors alike, son should be prepared to face the Motel. A social for youth delegates JACL installation dinner, accord- DAYTON - Darryl Sakada, who consequences. I cannot quite see is also being planned.

Sacramento Officers

SACRAMENTO-As one of the few Certainly one can say that Japaduties still left for a 1964 chapter president, Sacramento JACL president Tom Sato this week anextent this is undeniably true. But nounced the election of 1965 offi- also be installed. I suspect that the desire to maincers. (Complete listing will appear Special guests include the Fre-

1965 Officers

Oakland JACL

Yukio Kawamura, 3rd, v.p.; Shizuo koichi Tajima, Nobuta Akahoshi, Is-Frank Ogawa, Yoshio Oto, letic Club, 425 E. Green St. Margaret Utsumi, bd. of dir.

Reedley JACL

moto, 1st v.p.; Ben Nakagawa, 2nd Nishida, women's activ.; Tom Aoki, underway. treas.; Alice Kitahara, cor. sec.; Michi Ikeda, rec. sec.; Bill Yamada, 1000 The banquet will also include in- Club; George Katsuki, hist.; Sue Ka-

Salinas Valley JACL

Ted Ikemoto, pres.; Harry Sakase-Of special interest to chapter gawa, v.p.; Ken Sato, treas.; Mazie Kondo, rec. sec.; Bob Yamamoto, Oscar Itani, cor. sec.; Tom Miyanaga, memb. and alt: del.; Harry Iiida, Jack Masuda, Isao Ogawa, exec. bd. Committees -- O. Itani, May movie;

H. Sakasegawa, June picnic; M. Kondo, pioneer night; T. Ikemoto, memorial service; H. Sakasegawa, T. Miyanaga, recog ; J. Masuda, blood bank; K. Sato, PC corr.; John Terakawa, Jim Tanda, PC holiday ads; Sakasegawa, Kondo, visitations.

San Jose JACL

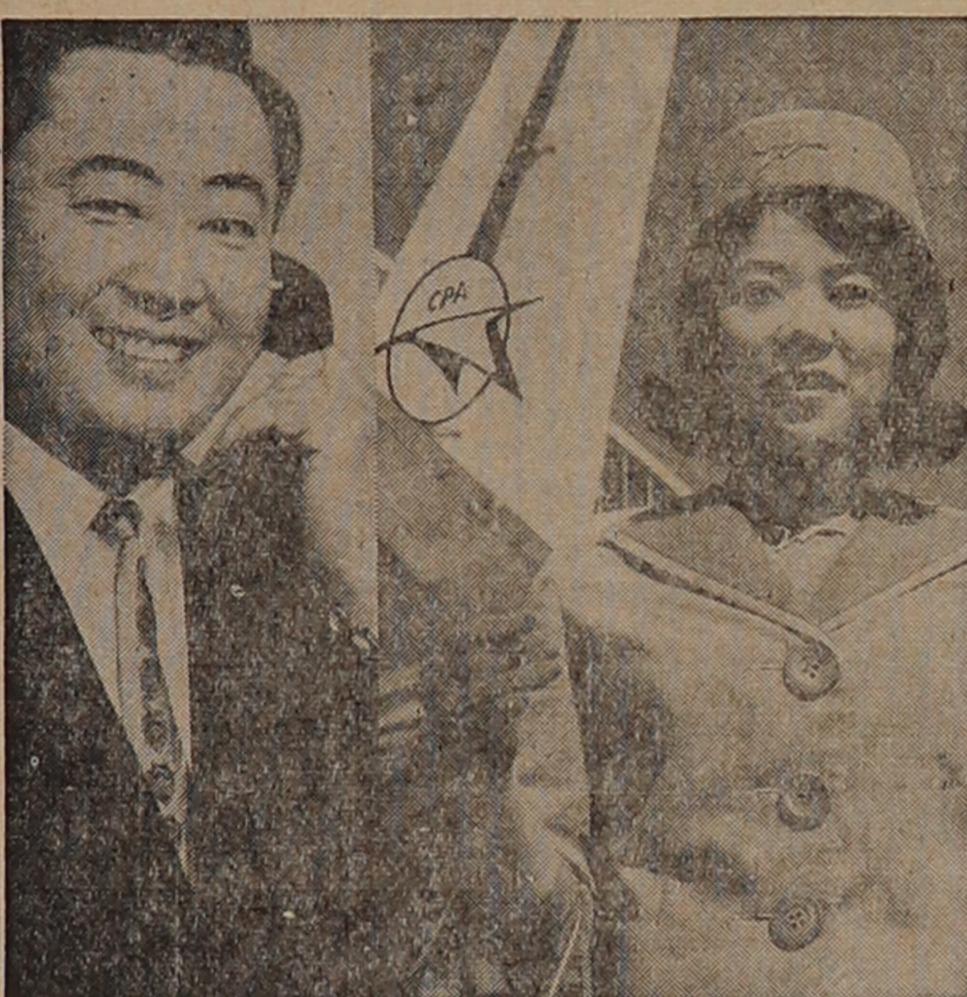
Henry Uyeda, pres.; Robert Tachibana, 1st v.p. (prog.); Mrs. T. Ajari, reas.: Grayson Taketa, rec. sec. Mrs. Shizu Hirabayashi, cor. (sec.,

Eden Township chapter officers to be sworn in

Restaurant at Jack London Square, several years ago, has received Oakland, tomorrow from 6:30 p.m. his B.S. degree in business from

The Al-Co Jr. JACL officers' will

in the "1965 Officers" column.) mont JACL president-elect and Now they even threaten to end There is also a very binding pat- guchi, Grace Morimoto will head Tracy. Enomoto will be installing Sato will be succeeded Kinya No- Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Enomoto of have the moral and intellectual cizes, in varying degrees, those of Kubochi is the new Jr. JACL pres- Steve Neishi will be master of the Women's Auxiliary and Stan officer and principal speaker. Dr. ceremonies.

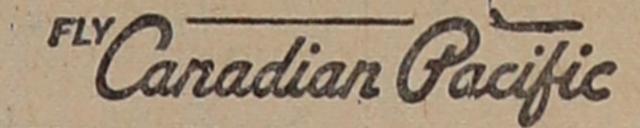


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PSWDC chairman Kats Arimoto, PSW regional director Isaac Matsushige and JACL youth director William Wake, pres.; George Kiyo- Alan Kumamoto were also present v.p.; George Hosaka, 3rd v.p.; Midori to assist in the preparations now

The chapter also introduced its calendar for the year following the monthly board meeting at the Presbyterian Church as follows:

Board Meetings - Feb. 9. Cecilia Wakiji's home; Mar. 9-Kimi Fukutaki's; Apr. 13-Harris Ozawa's; May tend the gala affair. 11-Sue Yusa's; June 8-Bob Miyamoto's; July 10-Tom Ito's; Aug. 10-Mack Yamaguchi's; Sept. 14-Mary Yusa's; Oct. 12-Ken Dyo's; Nov. 9 and Dec. 14-(place to be annuonced). Activities - Feb: 14-PSWDC meet-4-Hana Matsuri booth, Buddhist Long Beach; June 6-Presbyterian Church picnic; June 20-Community 11-Steak bake; Aug. 8-PSWDC session; Sept. 5-1000 Club luau; Sept Dec. 11-Christmas potluck.

Orange County JACL installation fete set

The installation banquet will be Tanaka Jr., Mrs. Tetsuko Zaima, Dr. held at the Saddleback Inn, Santa Ana on Saturday, Feb. 6, with Keith Murdock, City Manager of Anaheim, as guest speaker. Kats Arimoto, PSWDC chairman, will install the officers.

ing to Tok Hironaka, dinner chair- represented the Dayton JACL and man. It will be held at the Mikado won the MDC oratorical contest Aki Hasegawa is the incoming Ohio State University at the December commencement.

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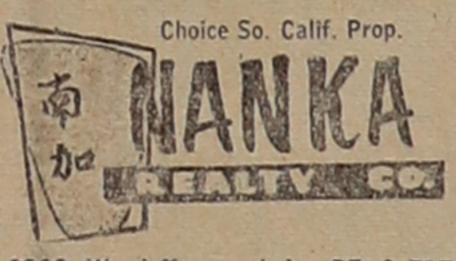




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Since it will be same evening tional facilities, including swimas that of the CBS telecast of ming pool, weight racks, sauna "The Nisei: the Pride and the and steam rooms, snack bar, con-Shame" at 6 p.m., extra TV sets ference rooms, golf range and maswill be set up for early comers. sage comprise the \$250,000 project, Dinner will be served from 7 p.m. according to Kiyo Yamato, club Frank Suzukida will emcee and president. Frank Chuman will install the new Initiation fees are \$100 plus \$15 board headed by Frank Tsuchiya, per month dues to be paid by Shpg Clk-Typist, w'side80wk 1965 president. Nisei Week Queen members and shareholders. The Cabin Boy, New Port Bch .. 350-400mo Sandy Saito of Hollywood will be Imperial Athletic Club has been special guest.

Dayton JACL

1964 Review: Slides and pictures of past Dayton JACL chapter acing, Pasadena Athletic Club; Apr. 3- tivities will be shown by Michael Church; Apr. 24-Benefit Japanese Richards at the first general meetmovies; May 2-PSWDC convention, ing, Feb. 7, 2 p.m., at the Dayton YWCA, Room 215, according to picnic; July 4-Board swimfest; July chapter president Mas Yamasaki. Program chairman Fred Fisk TURLOCK-The Cortez JACL will 18-Presbyterian Church bazaar booth; will present the slate of activities install Donald Toyoda as 1965 presfor the coming year. Meeting will ident with other members of his conclude with a potluck supper. Memberships will also be soli- Divine Gardens. cited by Evelyn Bassett, chairman.

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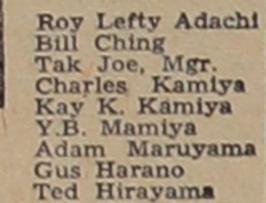
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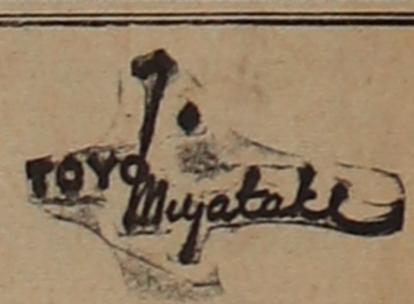
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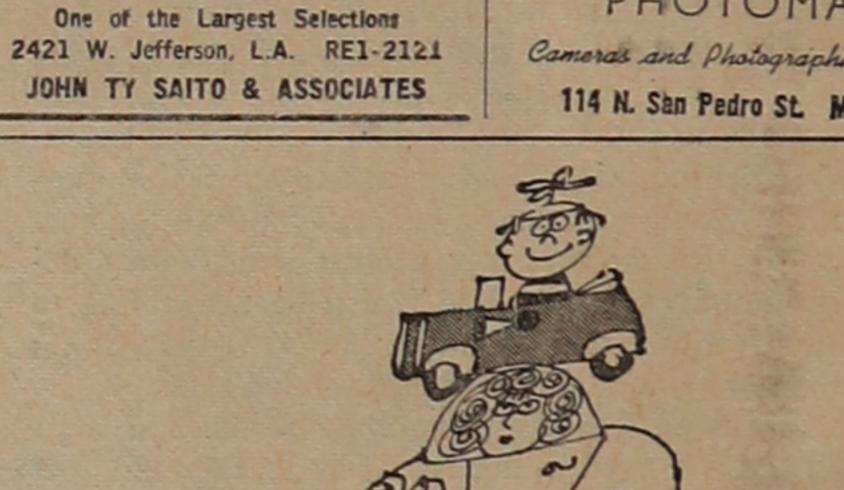


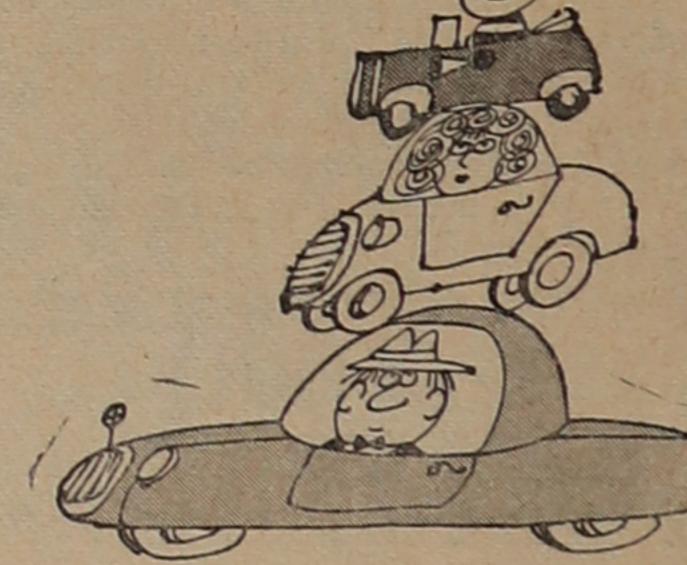


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