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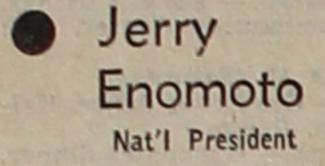
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# PERSPEC .



Language.

The beginning of summer (what happened to spring?) brought with it another crucial decision point in the unfolding human rights dilemma in Calihas taken under advisement a District Youth. Her predecessors are series of bills dealing with the State's open housing law.

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National Director at the executive committee meeting of was a session to determine retain the Rumford Act.

pressed.

based upon the findings of former Governor Brown's "Blue Ribbon Committee", is supported, with the qualification that the provision that injunctive action will not operate until a second offense occur, is unacceptable.

Needless to say, the Burns (Schmitz) bill SB 9, for repeal of the Rumford Act, is the JACL. major target for defeat.

Additionally, the Bagley bill (AB 729) is opposed because it is seen as a compromise, and thus a step backward

### HEARING

A brunch and program preceding the hearing was well attended by the various supporters of fair housing. Mas Satow served on the Committee working on this. Joyce, Nami and Zola (two JACLers and a friend) took in the program, participated in a demonstration (they walked around in front of the capitol trying to stay out of TV hearing.

Some JACLers seen at the United States. brunch and hearing included, Sacramento Chapter President Tom Fujimoto, NC-WNDC Governor Tad Hirota, Assistant National Director Yosh Hotta, Bill Matsumoto, Tad Masao'ra, Henry Taketa, Harry Kaneko, Kay Takemoto and Mas. Tad, was one of those giving brief testimony, in the best Masaoka tradition.

My feeling was that there was varied and effective testiing fair housing legislation, in- mate personal touches that cluding realtors. Unfortunately would make for a moving and the CREA is still flexing its authentic human document."

### CONDESCENDING

One of those testifying, a Negro gentleman and a real- gazine, and chairman of the tor, called the hearing a "dis- newspaper's internal task Cultura Sight legislative committee should range editorial planning. have to convene to discuss an issue of this kind, in 1967 in among Nisei as conductor of the "enlightened" State of the Frying Pan column, which California.

member, chose to "clarify" a free-lance writer, he has this remark, asking the wit- ghost-writter two books and ness if he did not defend the his articles have appeared in right in a democracy for all national magazines, including to come before such a com- Reader's Digest and the Saturmittee to discuss differences day Evening Post. (as I recall his interpreta- In April this year he was tion). Come now, Mr. Priolo, named "Outstanding Colorado you are aware of what the Journalist" by the faculty of witness meant, and it would the Univ. of Colorado Journalappear that more interest in ism School. That same month A policy statement by Centhe issue involved, and less he was also presented an ter developers as to the availgame playing, will help us award by the Cowboy Hall of ability of space by such groups progress. Incidentally, I agree Fame and Western History as Ikebana International, flowthat the need for the hearing Museum at Oklahoma City er arranging schools, bonsai, IS a disgrace.

open discussion and the dem- 1966" in Empire Magazine. ocratic way. In no way do I believe that this is incompatible with the equally firm conviction that the majority is not always right, a la Prop. 14. When that happens, the checks and balances that gives

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fornia. This time the Commit- REIGNING AS queen of the 1967 Nisei tee on Governmental Efficien- Relays this Sunday at Venice High is cy of the State Assembly finds Gayle Sasaki (center) of Pasadena, reitself in the spotlight, as it cently crowned Miss Pacific Southwest

Patti Ito (left) of Pasadena, Miss 1966 PSWDYC; and Connie Nakao (right) of San Fernando Valley, Miss 1966 Nisei Relays.

-Roy Hoshizaki Photo.

# On May 16, I joined our HOSOKAWA COMMISSIONED the California Committee for Fair Practices, of which JACL to write popular history' is a member. Essentially this

what strategy to pursue dur- CHICAGO - Veteran newspa- Feature Editors. cisco in 1951 and the Summit ing the following day's Com- perman Bill Hosokawa has Hosokawa began his journal- Conference in Paris in 1960. mittee hearings. The attitude been commissioned to write ism career in 1933 on James

The Elliott bill (AB 2559), The Hosokawa book will of an English language daily. Masaoka, administrator of the complement the scholarly his- From Singapore he moved to Japanese American Research tory now underway at the Ja- Shanghai to work on an Amer- Project,, and will draw liberalpanese American Research ican-owned magazine and re- ly on the Project's research. director of the joint UCLA- war in 1941.

would:

with a flowing, journalistic ister.

2-Provide the general public with the first complete range) and sat through the story of the important Japanese American minority in the

### Unanimous Choice

authors, Nisei and non-Nisei," Wakamatsu revealed, "but chose Hosokawa unanimously because of his experience as a writer and because we felt that as a Nisei, he could capture the feeling of the Nisei as no one else could.

Denver Post. In this capacity, he is editorial director of Empire, The Post's Sunday magrace" in the sense that a force concerned with long-

Hosokawa is well-known has appeared in the Pacific Mr. Priolo, a Committee Citizen weekly since 1942. As

for publishing "the outstand- tea ceremony, poetry-reciting I am a firm believer in ing Western magazine story of and folksong societies, art gal-

### Nisci of the Biennium

nence in the field of journal- activities to come to the Cenism." Two years earlier he ter without proper solicita-

of CCFP is that we need a the so-called "popular his- Y. Sakamoto's weekly Japastronger fair housing law and, tory" of the Japanese in the nese American Courier. He at the very least, we should United States to be published was graduated from the Univ. mission, Hosokawa is to deby the Japanese American Ci- of Washington in 1937. A year liver a book manuscript to the Complete support of the Mil- tizens League, it was an- later he and his wife, the for- History Project Committee by ler (AB 2249) and Sieroty (AB nounced this week by the JA- mer Alice Miyake of Portland, Dec. 31, 1968. He has been 2502, AB 2503) bills was ex- CL History Project Commit- Oregon, went to Singapore assured full cooperation by where he became news editor both Dr. Wilson and Joe Grant IIInerary revised Project anr being written by turned to Seattle just six The committee and the au-

> was launched by a \$100,000 were evacuated first to the addition to Wakamatsu, are grant from funds raised by WCCA assembly center at Frank Chuman, past national the Issei and Nisei through Puyallup, Wash., then to the JACL president and Los Andisband on Saturday morning, proper basis for stripping Conpolicies of the state". WRA camp at Heart Moun- geles attorney; Akiji Yoshi- Oct. 22, at Osaka but will gress of a power which has ment that Hosokawa's book relocated to Des Moines, Iowa, past national treasurer, San days starting Saturday, Oct. receded from that position and

Under the terms of his com-

### Manuscript by 1969

Dr. Robert A. Wilson, acting weeks before the outbreak of thor will arrange jointly for where he worked on the war Francisco; Yone Satoda, na- 21, with excursion to Nara on has reversed a number of sicisco; Mike Masaoka, JACL from Osaka on Oct. 25. account of how their parents In 1943 he moved to Denver representative in Washington, The excursion from Kyoto to been to leave the status of criminations.

gle to make a life for them- pondent, covering the fighting Hosokawa is a member of Registrations for the JACL has erased all doubt in ruling selves and their families in in Korea in 1950. In all, he the Mile-Hi Chapter of JACL Japan Tour were closed May "that the government is with-America, of the Nisei search has made five visits to the and of the 1000 Club. He and 25. Peace Treaty in San Fran- at Wheatridge High School. sought.

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# Supreme Court rules on citizenship, Calif. Prop. 14

### JACL president lauds Supreme Court stand

SACRAMENTO-National JA-CL President Jerry J. Enomoto lauded the U.S. Supreme Court decision confirming the in California.

ly needed," he declared. "It tional. comes on the heels of the persistent and misguided efforts Assn. to sell the 'forced housing' myth to Californians."

Enomoto, who served as JA-CL state chairman against Prop. 14 'n 1964, was grateful by the court's role of "protecting the constitutional rights of

al' Americans". While the 5-4 vote could have been wider, Enomoto said it was no less conclusive. "It also confirms that, although the majority rules in World War II were urged by a democracy, it is by no means always right. When such is the case, we owe much to a judiciary that does its duty by protecting the minority," Enomoto concluded.

October, hotel accommoda- who deserts to the chemic property in deciding to whom be will sell or rent.

Bank yen deposit he will sell or rent. publication of the manuscript. Japan Tour for the time sched- In the dissenting opinion, Justice Byron R. White, writ-JACL research project, which Hosokawa and his family Members of the committee, in uled and the itinerary was in- which Harlan wrote, it held ing the majority decision, said terchanged with Kyoto.

and grandparents came to the to join The Post. He was that D.C; and Masao Satow, na- the Hozu Rapids has been re- the 1940 expatriation statute in United States, of their strug- newspaper's first war corres- tional director, San Francisco. scheduled for Friday, Oct. 27. doubt. The decision Monday

for recognition, and a com- Far East for The Post, report- his wife have four children: Originally, JACL had re- his citizenship" under that plete report on the Evacua- ing on the anti-American stu- Mike, assistant professor of served 75 seats with Japan Air statute. tion, its causes, results and dent riots in Japan in 1960 health education at Lewis and Lines but 100 had been regisand visiting Vietnam in 1964. Clark College in Portland, tered before close of registra-His student riot dispatches Ore.; Susan, graduate student tion. Additional seats on the were syndicated in 17 leading at the Univ. of Colorado; flight departing from San dealt specifically with the case U.S. newspapers He also cov- Peter, student at Denver Uni- Francisco on Saturday, Oct. of Beys Afroyim, a Pole who ered the signing of the Japan versity; and Christie, a junior 14, 10:30 a.m., are being became a naturalized Ameri-

WASHINGTON - Two deci- power to strip people of their C. Clark and Potter Stewart zens League.

such vindication of the rights nia State Supreme Court in Amendment.

versed its position of nine bids Congress in all circum- to do." of the California Real Estate years ago when it upheld the stances to withdraw the citi-American citizenship for vot- zen," Harlan wrote.

ing in a Mexican election. The Nationality Act of 1940 tional shall lose his citizenship if he votes in a foreign elec- Congress by the Constitution ages under the Unruh Act, but tion. Many American-born Nithe Occupation authorities to elections.

Speaking for the majority, "In our country the people are sovereign and the govern-

ment cannot sever its relationship to the people by taking away their citizenship."

out power to rob a citizen of

### Afroyim Case

Monday's landmark decision can citizen in 1926. He lost his citizenship for voting in a 1951 election for Israel's parliof Appeals ruled against Afro-

the Supreme Court said:

than to give to this citizen that which is his own, a confree citizen in a free country unless he voluntarily relinquishes that citizenship."

clause" of the 14th Amend- of the laws, White said. turalized in the United States, case-to-case basis, he said. and subject to the jurisdiction The California court, armed thereof, are citizens of the with first-hand knowledge of United States . . . "

signed to, and does, protect this holding." every citizen against "forcible AB 2559 (Elliott): Incorporates destruction" of his citizenship

gasaki, former newspaper pub-

stallation in July, 1968.

sions of the U.S. Supreme citizenship, whether in the ex- joined Harlan's dissent. Court handed down May 29 ercise of the implied power to In addition to joining in the were of major importance to regulate foreign affairs or in court's majority opinion, the Japanese American Citi- the exercise of any specifical- Douglas filed a separate, conly granted power."

Both 5-4 decisions, the court Speaking for the dissenters, the dimensions of our probheld the government has no Harlan protested that the ma- lem." power to deprive an American jority had taken an inaccurate He said Prop. 14 was "a unconstitutionality of Prop. 14 (native-born or naturalized) of and misleading reading of the form of sophisticated discrimihis citizenship without his con- history and background of the nation whereby the people of "It comes at a time when sent and affirmed the Califor- citizenship clause of the 14th California harness the energies

of minority Americans is bad- declaring Prop. 14 unconstitu- ".. Nothing in the his- rectly what they cannot under tory, purpose or language of (the Supreme Court's) deci-The court specifically re- the clause suggest that it for- sions allow their government government's power to revoke zenship of an unwilling citi-

ing in a foreign election. "To the contrary," he said, to the Supreme Court in a American-born Clemente Per- "it was expected and should joint appeal by Neil Reitman ez was denationalized for vot- now be understood, to leave and Clarence Snyder. Congress at liberty to expatriate a citizen if the expiration a Santa Ana apartment to Linprovided that an American na- is an appropriate exercise coln W. Mulkey, a Negro postof power otherwise given to man. Mulkey sued for dam-

sei stranded in Japan during Joining Harlan in dissent Judge Raymond Thompson were Justices Tom C. Clark, dismissed the action, citing Potter Stewart and Byron R. Prop. 14. participate in the postwar White. Voting with Black in The California Supreme the majority were Chief Jus- Court reversed the judgment. tice Earl Warren and Justices In the Snyder case, Los An-Justice Hugo L. Black said: William O. Douglas, William geles Superior Court Judge J. Brennan Jr. and Abe For- Martin Katz ruled he could not

### Prop. 14 Ruling

ing that Prop. 14 violated the California high court affirmed Justice John M. Harlan, pro- federal constitution, at the Judge Katz' decision. testing the sweeping nature of very least it will forbid state the ruling, complained from or local governments from do-SAN FRANCISCO - Because the bench. It could mean that ing what California did-pass- V. I. of heavy tourist travel in late a member of the armed forces ing a law guaranteeing the YOKOhama Specie

which Harlan wrote, it held ing the majority decision, said the majority decision rested on Prop. 14 made the right to Claimants sought The JACL tourists were to "a wholly inadequate and im- discriminate "one of the basic

Shig Wakamatsu, history tain, Wyo., where he edited mura, national JACL public now disband at Kyoto, arriv- been recognized for years". preme court decision invali- locate several thousand Japasaid in making the announce- Mountain Sentinel. In 1943 he lusa, Calif.; Sim Togasaki, stay in Osaka will cover four sion, the court had gradually was presented with "no per- with the Office of Alien Propoverturn the judgment that the government. 1-Provide Nisei and Sansei desk of the Des Moines Reg- tional treasurer, San Fran- Oct. 22 and to the Takarazuka milar cases, largely on tech- Prop. 14 encouraged and innical grounds. The result had volved the state in private dis- of the value of yen certificates

White stressed that Prop. 14 peal the Unruh and Rumford

passed, he said, "the right to earlier by the Department on discriminate, including the the grounds that they either right to discriminate on racial had been cancelled or abangrounds, was embodied in the doned. state's basic charter, immune from legislative, executive or held in April that the claims judicial regulation at any level should be reconsidered, and of the state government.

### Constitutional Grounds

ament. Both a U.S. district criminations need no longer in 1964. court and the U.S. 2nd Court rely solely on their personal A preliminary survey by the Reversing those judgments ity, free from censure or in- reconsidered have moved with-

tried to formulate "an infalli- the Department stitutional right to remain a ble test" for determining Those with claims on filewhether a state "has become or heirs-were asked to write significantly involved in pri- to the Office of Alien Property, vate discriminations" in con- Dept. of Justice, Washington, The court majority based its flict with the Constitutional D.C. 20530, and include the decision on the "citizenship guarantee of equal protection name and address of claimant,

Instead, the court has The Department, in turn, the law and its potential im-Black said for the majority pact, made such a judgment," the 14th Amendment was de- White said, and "we accept

### Dissenting Opinion

Justice John M. Harlan, Black said the Constitution speaking for the dissenters, "grants Congress no express attacked the decision as constitutionally unsound and warned that in the long run handicap progress in the ex- MAY IMPORT SPECIAL it may "actually serve to tremely difficult field of ra- JAPANESE ORANGE NICE, France-George K. To- cial concerns".

courts."

Justices Hugo L. Black, Tom (see Mar. 3 PC).

curring opinion "to indicate

of private groups to do indi-

### Joint Appeal

The Prop 14 question came

Reitman had refused to rent Santa Ana's. Superior Court

order eviction of Wilfred J. Prendergast, a Negro and his wife, who is white, from a Of the Supreme Court's rul- Los Angeles apartment. The

WASHINGTON - The Dept. Upholding the California su- of Justice said it is trying to project committee chairman, the evacuees' weekly Heart relations chairman from Co- ing there on Thursday. The Since the 1958 Perez deci- dating Prop. 14, the U.S. court nese Americans whose claims suasive considerations" to erty are being reconsidered by

> of deposit issued by Yokohama Specie Bank Ltd., whose did far more than merely re- assets were seized by the United States at the outbreak

of World War II. After the proposition was These claims were denied

However, the Supreme Court indicated that payments should be comparable to those given another group of Japanese "Those practicing racial dis- Americans in a similar case

choice. They could now evoke Department showed that many express constitutional author- persons whose claims will be terference of any kind from out providing forwarding ad-"Our holding does no more official sources," White said. dresses. Others have died, and The high court has never their heirs are not known to

and claim number if known.

will send to all claimants it can locate, or their heirs, a notice giving details of the procedure to follow in processing the claim.

(The Japanese translation of the above report was distributed to Japanese vernaculars throughout the U.S. The translation was provided through the Washington JACL Office at request of the Justice De-

Deciding "delicate and trou- WASHINGTON - The Agricullisher and president of Fuji blesome problems of race rela- ture Department announced Tours International, was elect- tions", Harlan said, "requires May 29 Japanese unshu ed 1968-69 president of Rotary understanding, patience and oranges may be imported un-International, which opened its compromise and is best done der rigid safeguards into Orefive-day convention here May by legislatures rather than gon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and Alaska.

The San Francisco-born Ni- In addition to White the ma- Minoru Kimura, Seattle susei will succeed onetime North jority included Chief Justice permarket operator, conduct-Carolina governor Luther H. Earl Warren and Justices Wil. ed a 16-year campaign to have Hodges as president-elect for liam J. Brennan Jr., William the 1946 ban lifted. It was the coming year until his in- O. Douglas and Abe Fortas. practically a one-man project

3 Weeks to Go EDC - MDC Convention - Sept. 1-4

# "Our committee sifted Fair housing bills under study SACRAMENTO-As a result of bilization" at the State Capitol watering down Rumford Act.

hearings by the State Assem- was regarded as considerable "The book, as we vision it, committee is expected to re- of which the Japanese Amerimony delivered by a wide would contain both the broad port out a bill or bills repre- can Citizens League is a memcross section of citizens favor- sweep of history and the inti- senting a majority consensus. ber.

SAN FRANCISCO — The \$12 million Japanese Cultural and clearly into line with general self. Trade Center expected to open in early October was urged not to lose its "cultural" sight of FEPC to reflect its full ard Imazeki of the Hokubei commission.

Mainichi. He reported little preparation by groups assigned to manage various programs for opening day because of Japan Center's bent on making it a commercial success rather

than a cultural haven, leries, kendo, judo and karate clubs was sought in the edi-

torial In 1958 Hosokawa was "Developers should not exnamed the JACL's Nisei of the pect people and organizations Biennium for "attaining emi- engaged in Japanese cultural was president of the Ameri- tions. They will have to be can Association of Sunday and attracted", Imazeki said.

mental Efficiency and Eco- and civic leadership from nomy May 17, all bills per- throughout the state representtaining to fair housing were ed, according to the California taken under submission. The Committee for Fair Practices,

Impact of the May 17 "mo- The CCFP executive com-

Housing Act. dural changes designed to der supervision of a commissioner

administrative procedure. 3-Modification of the name

4—Authority for affirmative ders and injunctions to second of- TOGASAKI ELECTED action by the Commission to fenders. eliminate discrimination.

Disposition of individual bers on the committee are:

the Rumford Act. AB 1 (Badham): Author amend- Jose), James W. Dent (Concord), ed his bill so that it is no longer Leroy F. Greene (Sacramento). an outright repealer; contains AB John J. Miller (Oakland), Paul 729 features but going further in Priolo (L.A.).

AB 729 (Bagley): Waters down Rumford Act, reducing coverage bly Committee on Govern- with every level of grass roots to 5 or more units; defendant may take to court for hearing after FEPC had made finding of probable cause; provides for dismissal of complaint if not a bona fide purchaser and complainant to pay all costs but not to exceed \$500. AB 2249 (Miller): Eliminates ex-

emption of conventionally financed housing of 4 or fewer units in Rumford Act; substitutes coverage to include any dwelling "with respect to any public transmittee, in which JACL was action"; defines "public transacrepresented by its national di- tion" to mean any transaction muscles, albeit most of it A native of Seattle, Hosokaseems to be in their heads. wa is associate editor of The

S.F. Japan center

rector Mas Satow, agreed to dations in which a real estate says "all persons born or naweighed circumstances on a six principles by unanimous broker or salesman participates. Considered ideal bill of what fair housing proponents would like to 1-Retention of substantive have . . . Changes name of FEPC provisions of the Rumford Fair to Human Rights and Resource Commission; provides that after a verified complaint is entered, 2-No objections to proce- preliminary investigation is to be made by a Commission staff un-

> bring the Rumford Act more rather than by commissioner himrecommendations made by Gov. by Congress. brown blue ribbon commission to study Rumford Act and directed by Gov. Reagan to complete. Obin a May 22 editorial by How- functions—h u m a n relations jectionable portions of bill have been deleted by author, including use of temporary restraining or-

> > Letters and telegrams re- ROTARY PRES.-ELECT 5-Maintenance of Commis- garding fair housing legislation sion power to preserve its now under advisement of the jurisdiction by seeking re- State Assembly commitstraining orders or injunctions. tee (especially urging defeat 6-Coverage of all housing of SB 9) should be addressed where the sale or rental is to Lester McMillan, commitfacilitated by a licensee of the tee chairman, State Capitol, Sacramento 95814. Other mem-

Robert E. Badham (Newport Beach), Yvonne Brathwaite (Los SB 9 (Burns-Schmitz): Repeals Angeles), Willie Brown Jr. (San Francisco), Earle P. Crandall (San

# Newsletter



INOUYE'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY

This past week featured the usual Memorial Day ed to Candace E. Ino, 18, of tributes to America's heroic war dead, with the undeclared war in Vietnam no nearer settlement and a mounting crisis in the Middle East threatening to escalate into a greater confrontation of East-West powers than in Southeast Asia.

In times like these, Americans tend to look to its heroes for inspiration, for courage, and for the vision that will enable us to triumph over the difficulties and travails of the moment.

And, this past week, such inspiration came to the Washington JACL Office, when the first advance copies of Senator Daniel K. Inouye's autobiography, "Journey To Washington," were delivered.

Cookie Fukutome, conscientious president of the Jr. JACL in the nation's capital, personally attended to packing and mailing them to those JACL members who had ordered them.

According to Cookie, JACL members may still order copies at the special membership price of \$5 a rick, Dallas, Tex. Philip grad- dept., is now teaching at Bos- sition of board chairman. Fu- of Sen. Daniel K. Inouye, "Jourcopy by sending their check or money order to Senator Inouye's Book, Washington JACL Office, 919 18th St. NW, Washington, D.C. 20006. Regular retail price when the volume becomes available at the bookstores will be \$5.95.

Whatever profits are realized from the sale of these books will be used to further Jr. JACL activities for good citizenship and a better America, Cookie explained the project whereby her Juniors took over the sale and distribution of the life story of the first American of Japanese ancestry ever to be elected to the Congress of the United States.

Ordinarily, a book has a foreward by a distinguished official or individual. The Senator's autobiography cow, Prague, Vienna, Berlin has three, by the three highest elected officers in the and Munich. nation, attesting to its inspirational qualities not only for Japanese Americans but for all citizens who still est son of the Dave Tatsunos believe in the American dream.

Excerpts from the forewards by President Lyndon final round of the 1967 Bank anniversary gift from the Phi B. Johnson, Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey, and Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield may serve to describe the meaning of Senator Inouve's autobiography to their fellow citizens, as well as to all Americans of Japanese ancestry to whom it should bring pride and honor.

President Johnson begins by writing that "Daniel K. Inouye, my cherished and admired friend, is one of America's great egalitarians. His autobiography reflects his relentless struggle to achieve freedom of equality and opportunity for Americans of Japanese cil. ancestry, and for all racial and religious minorities.

"Born of Japanese parents in the Territory of Hawaii in 1924, he grew up in a climate of racial prejudice and discrimination . . .

"Dan Inouye has lived by the code of personal courage — on the battlefield, and in the political arena. He has faced the aggressor's bullets, and the bigot's contemptuous stare. He has gained the admiration and respect of his fellow men. Even more important, he has, by his example and witness, helped to make the hearts of his fellow men more tolerant, more free of the awful burden of racism.

"I believe that this story will become a part of the heritage of our nation, inspiring others to find within themselves the strength to say: 'There isn't a thing in the world I couldn't do-if I want to do it badly enough."

Vice President Humphrey wrote that ". . . Dan Inouye was a war hero who served in Italy and France as a member of the United States Army during World War II. But as a Congressman and now as a Senator he never once has fallen back on the uniqueness of his heritage or his distinguished war record. Instead, he relies on his native ability and calls on the lessons of politics he learned so well in the campaigns of bra; Nori Sumi, Sumi Nur-Hawaii. And he constantly maintains an inborn belief in the essential worth and dignity of his fellow man . . . "Dan Inouye and I fought side by side many times

on issues that came before the Congress ...

"This is an American story. Dan's boyhood in ing and beautifying the city's Honolulu really was not so different from mine in marina. South Dakota. He had the ocean and I had the prairie. Nurserymen raising ground But we both had the great gift of discovering that there is no limit to the aspirations of an American boy. His father worked in a jewelry store and my father was a druggist. We both learned that in this land of ours a man's beginnings are not nearly so important as his hopes for the future ...

"Dan Inouye has written as stirring and significant state. Prices have been a story as I have read in a long time. It is his story. slashed as much as 50 pct. It is a story that reveals the spirit and heart of Ameri- A group of 50 nurserymen met ca. It is the story of a man who has worked and studied and fought hard to make his dream come true. And because this dream was realized, we all have come to lish price standards for ground benefit."

Senate Majority Leader Mansfield, a former professor of Far Eastern history at the Univ. of Montana, began his foreward by contrasting the immigration from Europe and Asia.

"The story he tells is poignant in tracing the evolu- Kamakura Lions in Japan has Richard Yamasaki, won the tion of the Asian immigrant from the early, bewilder- initiated a nation-wide cam- battle of bands at the recent ing and painful years. It is especially revealing of the 'go for broke' courage which characterized the most decorated military unit in the American forces of World War II. In the Italian campaign Lieutenant Dan Inouye and other Americans of Japanese ancestry sacrificed much of themselves. In so doing, they gave expression to their respect for the heritage of their fathers and, at the same time, won for that heritage an incontestable place in the American heritage.

"The life of Dan Inouye has carried him from the streets of Honolulu into war, into law and political leadership in Hawaii and, now, into the Senate of the United States, the first American Senator of Japanese ancestry. Dan Inouye's life is a personal triumph, a triumph of a man's courage and determination. But his triumph is, in the end, the triumph of America. The recognition which has come to Dan Inouye, like others before him, reveals the resilient capacity of this nation for replenishment, with energy and wisdom drawn from the many well-springs of the human race. The story of Dan Inouve, American, is, in truth, an enduring chapter in the story of America."

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# NEWS

### Awards

The Creative and Performing Art Scholarship from Colorado State and Talent and Creativity Award from Colorado University were present-Ranum High, Westminster, Colo., and daughter of the Jimmy Inos. Her grandfather, M. Saito, is a bonsai expert . . . Hollywood High faculty selected 12th grader Mineko Sasaki as its citizen of the month for April in recognition of her lecture on Haiku at an honors class in college writing. Japanese Defense Agency

supported by prominent west- into book form. lected on the basis of aca- Kawarabayashi at the College week series of meetings and nese course in the fall. educators and government of Spanish from the Univ. of Kanficials in London, Paris, Mos- sas and joined Pacific last fall.

Sheridan M. Tatsuno, youngof San Jose, won \$1,000 in the of America Achievement Award liberal arts competition for the East Bay area. The San Jose High scholar was an exchange student in Germany last year and is a member of the noted Santa Clara Swim Club . . . Genji Mihara, 78. serving his 19th year as president of Seattle Japanese Community Service, was named as "man of the year" by the New York. Jackson St. Community Coun-

Noble Taziri, committeeman at Greeley Scout Troop 3, was conferred the Silver Beaver Award at the Longs Peak Council recognition . . . Eugene Yamamoto, son of the Masato Yamamotos, 1503 Fourth St., Sanger, won the \$500 ONC Motor Freight System scholarship, one of 34 given to high school graduates in Oregon, Nevada, California and Washington . . . Superior Cadet Award was presented to Robert Suyama, ROTC cadet at Univ. of Colorado, for his excellence in military science and academic courses. He is the son of the Masato Suyamas of

### Flowers-Garden

Nisei are continuing to as- cer recently. sert leadership in the 56-yearold California Assn. of Nurserymen, which held its President's Conference at Sacramento recently. Itsuo Uenaka, manager of Cupertino Nur sery Inc., and association state vice-president, was speaker of the day. Among the presidents of the 15 chapters in the group are Ken Takahashi, Pagoda Nursery of La Hasery of Hawthorne; and Les Yoshida, Les' Garden Center of Merced . . . John Yoshida, Redwood City Park Dept. foreman, was credited for design-

cover plants are up in arms indiscriminate price-cutting by newly arrived Japanese immigrant growers, according to Fred Hamamoto, owner of one of the largest ivy plant nurseries in the May 22 to form an association to petition the state to estabcover plants.

### Organizations

ed by Kei Kitahara, president, mamoto, Glen Hoshizaki, Rusbeginning July 1. Other offi- sel Hoshizaki, Mark Watacers are non-Nisei . . The nabe, Michael Fukuda and

dent of the Evening Optimist Mar Vista. Club at Gardena, succeeding Minoru Ito.

al JACL vice-president, was named a member of the civic awards committee to select the outstanding public official and outstanding citizen for the Municipal League of Seattle and King County . . . Taiji Miyamoto of Minish-Webb & Associates, Seattle, is president of the Puget Sound chapter of the Land Surveyors Assn of Washington.

May Kitamata of Richmond was elected president of the West Contra Costa YWCA.

### School Front

Straight "A" students Glen pate in the 1967 Journey for cited with the Varsity Scholar Critics Award in 1965. dation, sponsors of the pro- York Times Magazine last July 12.

### Fine Arts

A bronze fountain by George north court of the Univ. of Washington campus library as a 50th Mu sorority . . . Paul Horiuchi Week. entitled "Sharp Division."

the American Flag depicted on foreign tour. Josef Krips is consuch diverse objects as advertis- ductor

### Entertainment

Appearing at Norm Bo-. brow's Colony Club in Seattle since mid-April is Jo Miya, the Los Angeles Sansei who has been dancing before the footlights including a long stint with the Flower Drum Song on Broadway. Daughter of the ship. He has a 3.6 grade point Mark Miyamotos, she is drawing rave notices for her singing of ballads and up-tempoing them. "When she sings 'Let's Fall in Love'-you sort of in Santa Monica the 4th of July want to," said Walter Evans in the Seattle Post-Intelligen-



Kansuma Fujima

season this weekend. Pageantry including a beauty contest. old fashioned bathing suit revue and dance groups from other nations starts in the afternoons.

Six Los Angeles teenagers known as the Buddhaheads Reedley Lions will be head- from Maryknoll, Jeffrey Yapaign to raise funds to help Crescent Bay Optimist Club

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ter for Issei in North and served some 2,300 early risers. Conference this month. South America . . . Tom Hi- Runners-up in the contest were rano, Merit Savings & Loan the Rising Suns from Culver Assn. vice-president, is presi- City and the Committee from

Hoki Tokuda has taken over the entertainment slot at Quon Bros. Grand Star Restaurant in Tak Kubota, former nation- new Chinatown L.A. The young songtress appears Tuesdays through Saturdays.

### Music

Tokyo-born soprano Yoshiko Ito, 27, who won the Town Hall Recital Award, made her Town Hall debut in New York May 15 with songs from Webern, Bach, Handel and Villa-Lobos. She has studied in New York since 195; with Manhattan School Opera Theater and Goldovsky Opera Institute.. Mariko Sanjo, modern dance picneer in Japan and founder of her own school in Tokyo, made her solo debut in New York at Kaufman Concert Hall Her father is director of the Fukushima of Gardena High May 6. She was a Fulbright Tokyo Central Hospital for the and Julie Inouve of Manual scholar this past year at the Arts paced a group of 48 stu- Martha Graham school and been cleared with the school ad-Among 15 graduate business dents from eight central Los was the first woman to win students selected to partici- Angeles high schools who were the Japan Music and Ballet allegedly made by the student

Perspective was Philip Shino- awards for outstanding schol- James Nagamatsu, outgoing da, UC Berkeley graduate astic achievements . . Dr. president of the Orange Counbusiness school, and son of William Petersen, formerly ty Symphony Assn., was elethe Peter Shinodas, 6456 Pat- with UC Berkeley's sociology vated to the newly created pouated in economics from UC ton College. He authored the ture concerts are going to be ney for Perspective Foun- nese Americans" for the New vention Center, the first on

terview, will leave June 16 the Language Laboratory and pen, Colo., and has a degree in Hawaii and the nation." sociology from Waseda . . . The from Washington, D.C., and presently teaching Spanish, Maple Leaf Cultural Assn., comtravel to Europe for a three- will add an elementary Japa- prised of former Canadian Japanese living in Japan, commissioned the recording of "Canada Onseminars with businessmen, holds a master's degree in do" in celebrating Canada's centennial, sung in Japanese, English and French - first time in Japanese history three languages were pressed into one record. Japanese lyrics composed Tadashi Tsuchiya are sung Chiyoko Shimakura, the English Tsutakawa was placed on the by Antonio Koga, the French by Jun Mitaka. It was arranged by Masao Koga, who composed the

> was one of four winning artists San Francisco Symphony will in the annual Seattle Art Museum highlight its 1967-68 season with watercolor exhibit. His piece was an April tour of Japan, starting at the Osaka International Music Among the unique exhibit of Festival. It is the orchestra's first

> ing matter, music covers, tobacco The L.A. Nisei Week Ondo comlabels and playing cards is an mittee, under chairmanship of 1861 Japanese woodcut from the Soichi Fukui, will have its first Library of Congress collection meeting of dance teachers July now being shown at the L.A. City 10 at the Japanese Chamber of-Hall Tower Gallery from June 2- fice to prepare the three dances 28. Items were first shown at the for the Festival: "Teppo Ise On-Pepsi Cola Exhibition gallery in do," "Seinen Sakura Ondo" and "Jyongara Sakura." Mme. Hanayagi Rokumive of East Los Angeles is leading the ondo this

### Sports

Yoshi Hayasaki, Univ. of Wash ington freshman from Japan who won the national AAU all-around gymnastic championship, was honored as UW's Athlete of the Year, based on athletic achievement, scholarship and sportsmanaverage . . . Taking first places in all three events, 16-year-old Arthur Nonomura, honor student at San Francisco's Washington High, qualified for the national fencing championships to be held compete in the western division finals at the San Francisco Presidio gym, scored in the foil, ence and sabres. His older brother, John, was national champion

last year. The official report of the 18th Olympiad (1964 Games at Tokyo) has been published in Japanese, English and French in two volumes. first accounting for preparations and administration, second the complete results and statistics. Copies are available at \$35 a set plus postage from the Japanese Olympic Committee, Kishi Memorial Hall, 25 Kannamicho, Shibuyaku, Tokyo.

### Churches

Rev. Robert K. Tsujimoto is the first of young Japanesespeaking ministers entering the OMS Holiness Conference. A recent Fuller Seminary and Pasadena College graduate, he was ordained May 21 . . The Rev. Dr Harry S. Komuro, executive secretary of missions and provisional conferences in the Methodist Japanese dances under di- Church, of New York recalled rection of Kansuma Fujima the early days of Methodism are part of the international at the final session of the fiesta June 2-4 at Catalina Is- Hawaiia 1 Mission May 19, land, which opens its summer which becomes a part of the ronaka.

establish an old people's cen- pancake breakfast, which Southern California - Arizona

The Pacific Seminar on Buddhism, sponsored annually by the Arizona - Scholarship Award Buddhist Churches of America, will be held at the Asilomar Conference Grounds, Pacific Grove, California on Aug. 4, 5 and 6, on "Is Buddhism Relevant be Dr. Minoru Kiyota, Univ. of Wisconsin, Dr. Steven Abe, Metropolitan State Hospital, Norwalk and Dr. Kikuo Taira, Fresno,

BCA past president. Rev. Koji Carl Omaye, of Jacksonville, Fla., a recent Trinity Evangelical Divinity School graduate, was installed as Nisei pas-tor at the Lakeside Japanese Christian Church, Chicago, (He was the first Nisei page to serve in the U.S. Congress in 1958.) ... Rev. Lloyd K. Wake, who has served as Pine Methodist Church pastor for the past 17 years, and his family will be honored by the congregation June 3. The Reedley-born minister is being re-

### Press Row

Principal Joseph Honnaka of Kaimuki High, Honolulu, talked to the student reporter who wrote a story for his school newspaper about LSD users on campus. "The story was a surprise to me," Honnaka said. "I think it should have ministration first." Honnaka doubted the validity of the survey reporter. "You have to remember that some kids might jokingly lie about having taken LSD."

On June 5 the Honolulu Star-Bulletin will begin a series of 12 articles which are selected passages from the just-published life ney to Washington." The book may become a national best sel-Santa Barbara last year, Jour- article, "Success Story: Japa- held at the new Anaheim Con- ler. "The book is much more than one man's life," Star-Bulletin editors report. "It is a history of modern Hawaii during bitter, gram, was founded in 1964 and year, which is being expanded Univ, of Hawaii student in crucial years. Dan Inouye was an ethnomusicology, Takefusa Sa- important part of that history. samori, 36, will have his com- His place in it is firmly establishern corporations. Students, se- Japan-born scholar Yusuke position for the koto premiered ed. We hope the stirring story he in Honolulu July 10 Festival of tells at this point in his life is the Arts. He previously studied in but a prelude to much greater demic record and personal in- of Pacific, Stockton, who heads the Darius Milhaud classes at As- things for himself, his family,

### Business

Dick Yamashita was executive administrative assistant San Francisco's international truck trailer and equipment show last week . . . Spreading of Japan Air Lines to New York and to Europe credit card business has made her a world carrier and means Japan will SAN FRANCISCO - The Bank "Nisei Ondo" for a prewar Nisel play an even more important of Tokyo of California has tor for the Sacramento chap- four major ones. ter of the Society of California The plan offered by this Accountants. He operates a Association is called "Master travel service and real estate Charge" and operates pretty office at 2411-15th St . . . Mi- much the way Bankamericard chio Katsura is treasurer of does. And with the network of the new East-Bay Oakland many banks with many chapter of the Construction branches it is expected to Specifications Institute, a bring in more than 2 million group concerned with all fa- cardholders. cets of construction work.

At luncheon meeting May 19 attended by city officials and Li'l Tokio businessmen on the redevelopment of the northside of E. 1st St. between San Pedro and Alameda, which the city would like to see cleared for a municipal parking lot, it was agreed in principle that both city and businessmen weekend. Arthur, youngest to would promote the Li'l Tokio master plan, which includes, meeting retention of Japanese business | I and cultural activities on the I

Toshio Sudo, with Gold Bond | Co., Minneapolis, is in Tokyo setting up company branch operations in Japan. He is comptroller and operation manager.

### Beauties

Kayoko Fujikawa, 18, will represent Japan in the 1967 Miss Universe contest at Miami Beach in July. She is 5 ft. 61/2, and measures 35-2312-35 . . . Candee Yoshikawa is the Twin Cities Jr. JA-CL candidate for Miss Midwest District youth queen . . . Karen Keiko Kameda, 18, Univ. of Hawaii freshman in the college of tropical agriculture, is 1967 Miss Nisei Veteran Reunion. Her uncle Fred Kameda was one of the first Hawaii Nisei to be killed in action when the 442nd battled German troops outside of Suvereto, Italy, on June 26, 1944.

### Politics

Death last May 26 of State Sen. J. Eugene McAteer, one of two Democrats running in the San Francisco nonpartisan mayoralty race May 31, was received with utter disbelief by Nisei campaigners Edison Uno and Mrs. Yo Hi-

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ture, North Park Hotel, 7:30

dance, Cosmopolitan Hotel, 6:30

Berkeley - Benefit movies, Gar-

June 15 (Thursday)

June 16 (Friday)

June 16-17

Lorenzo.

Hollister.

Pasadena-Bd Mtg.

San Diego-Bd Mtg.

Gardens, 2 p.m.

Dayton-Picnic.

mage sale.

ter picnic.

met Club, 9 p.m.

Chuck-a-Rama, 7 p.m.

Sequoia-Movie benefit.

luck, Memorial Hall.

Milwaukee-Graduates dinner.

Eden Township - Benefit bazaar,

June 17 (Saturday)

Berkeley - Graduates dance, Hel-

Mt. Olympus - Graduates dinner,

Sonoma County-Graduates pot-

June 18 (Sunday)

Twin Cities-Picnic, Phalen Park.

Salinas-Graduates barbecue and

June 20 (Tuesday)

June 23 (Friday)

June 23-25

June 24-25

Venice-Culver-Community carni-

June 25 (Sunday)

Hollywood-Ikebana, Flower View

Sonoma County-Community pie-

July 1 (Saturday)

Hollywood - Origami, Flower

Sonoma County - Jr JACL rum-

July 4 (Tuesday)

San Diego - Community picnie,

San Fernando - Community Cen-

'To Serve You'

Contra Costa - AFSC carnival.

View Gardens, 2-4 p.m.

Silver Strand State Park.

Chicago-Jr JACL car wash.

San Diego-Awards dinner.

Picnic, Bolado Park, Pit No. 8,

Eden Community Center, San

hosts), Venice High School.

nando Valley and Pasadena co-

June 3 (Saturday) banquet, Safari Hotel, Scotts-

June 4 (Sunday) Sequoia - Graduates picnic, Hancock Beach, Half Moon Bay. Sacramento - Community pic-

### p.m., Criminal Law. June 6 (Tuesday) Wilshire-Uptown - Bd Mtg. St. Mary's Episcopal Church hall, 8 p.m. Hollywood-Bd Mtg, JACL Reg. Office, 7:30 p.m. June 9 (Friday) Mt. Olympus - Teen party, Neighborhood House, 7:30 p.m. June 10 (Saturday) Mile-Hi - Scholarship banquet-

WASHINGTON - The Justice Department is not now planning to reactivate Tule Lake Center, which once housed Japanese evacuees, the Pacific Citizen learned.

J. Walter Yeagley, assistant attorney general, declared without equivocation there are no concentration camps in existence in the United States. This was in refutation to allegations contained in an article by Charles R. Allen, Jr., written at the request of the Citizens Committee for Constitutional Liberties.

The Justice Dept. found Allen's article, "Concentration Camps, USA", to be replete with inaccuracies. The allegation that one million "detention warrants" were printed for use by local police and FBI for an Operation Dragnet was declared "a complete fa-

Yeagley said the project

The Justice Dept. has also given up title to the Tule Lake NC-WNDYC: Squaw Valley conarea to the Interior Dept.

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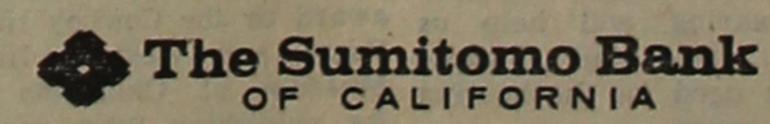
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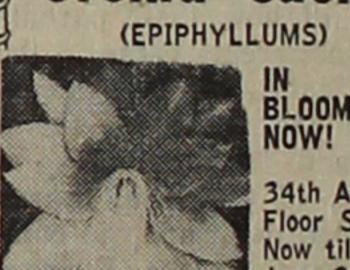
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field Jr. High, 7 p.m. Puyallup Valley-Graduation banquet, Poodle Dog, 6:30 p.m. Twin Cities-Jr JACL School-out June 11 (Sunday) Contra Costa-Scholarship award-Oratorical contest, Point Orient Restaurant, 5 p.m. Monterey Peninsula-Community picnic, County Fairgrounds, 11 a.m.; movies at JACL Hall, 7:30

Idaho Falls-Annual picnic. Portland-Jr JACL family pot-Downtown L.A.-Luncheon Mtg. San Kwo Low, 12n, Tug Tamaru, Hollywood - Ikebana, Flower View Gardens, 7 p.m.

maintaining camps in case of an internal security emergency was abandoned about 1957.



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# From the Frying Pan

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LOOKING AHEAD - The Scripps-Howard newspapers this week published an editorial asking whether the United States were not overcommitted abroad. The editorial pointed out that we have 40 treaties binding us to military commitments on five continents. Now, suddenly, while we are deeply preoccupied in Vietnam, we find an American destroyer being bumped by two Soviet warships in the Sea of Japan, infiltration attacks have broken out in the Korean demilitarized zone, Communist guerrillas have stepped up activity in Venezuela, Colombia, Guatemala and Bolivia, and Egypt is threatening Israel. The editorial goes on to

"Now is not the time to renege on any of our commitments, obviously. But when and where possible, we should seek to thin out our obligations. There is no reason for the automatic renewal of a treaty, without modification, as it expires. (We are thinking of the U.S.-Japan treaty that expires in 1970.)"

The U.S.-Japan mutual assistance pact, signed in 1960, commits the United States to go to Japan's aid if she is attacked. It is this treaty in large part that enables Japan to support only a minimum defense force, and divert the largest part of her national budget to other projects which help to account for the swifty rising standard of living.

If the Scripps-Howard editorial finds a friendly response in Congress, or if it reflects some of the thinking in government circles, Japan is going to have to do some reassessing of her position between now and 1970. While the U.S.-Japan treaty was vigorously opposed in 1960 by Socialist and other leftwing elements, ers. and no doubt will be criticized violently again as 1970 approaches, it is of paramount importance to Japan's domestic and foreign policies.

NISEI ANGLE—While strained relations between the United States and Japan today, or in 1970 for that Nisei executive being asked by matter, will not reflect on Nisei lives nearly to the the Downtown L.A. JACL to same extent it did a quarter century ago, they still are of concern to this American minority, particularly those involved in trade between the two countries.

The extent to which Nisei have become involved, The Mile-Hi JACL Chapter's if that is the world, in national and international affairs was underscored again this week in a Supreme Court decision. The high court, reversing a decision in which JACL chapter underwrites the citizenship of American-born Clemente Perez was revoked because he had voted in a Mexican election, ruled that an American's citizenship cannot be taken SACRAMENTO - Preparaaway without his consent. Justice Hugo L. Black, speak- tions are underway for the ing for the majority in a 5-4 decision, said: "In our country the people are sovereign and the government cannot sever its relationship to the people by taking away their citizenship."

The Nisei angle here is that a number of Nisei, stranded in Japan in World War II, voted in the first postwar Japanese election. Many were urged to do so by U.S. Occupation personnel to set an example of democracy in action. Later, they were told that by having voted in a foreign election they had forfeited their American citizenship. It took many years, and much heartbreak, for some of these persons to win the right to return to their American homeland. And now the issue is clear.

PREJUDICE IN JAPAN — While were talking about Japan, a recent New York Times Magazine carries a moving article by Robert Trumbull about the plight of the illegitimate children of Japanese mothers and G.I. fathers, particularly Negroes. Trumbull says officials estimate there are between 10,000 and 20,000 of these children, but perhaps as many as 50,000. Many are now young adults, and while there is no stigma attached to the offspring of mixed races as such, the G.I. babies are facing a rough time partly because they are illegitimate, partly because of the low social status from which their parentage came. And who are the Japanese to indulge in racial prejudice?

Footnotes to History: Joe Grant Masaoka

# Black Death Aftermath

In 1900 Japanese arrivals to the U.S. jumped to 12,628, up 10,000 from 1899 when 2,844 landed. This spurt in migration was caused by Issei bound for Honolulu being diverted to San Francisco because of an outbreak of bubonic plague (Black Death).

Appearance of the plague in December, 1899 led to strict port and land quarantine in Honolulu. On Jan. 19, 1900 the Honolulu Chamber of Commerce resolved that Oriental foodstuffs be burned with compensation to owners for two-thirds value.

Intended for the flames were: "Cuttle fish and other dried fish, lily flower, oranges, dates, lichees, nuts, fungus, duck, pork sausage, dried meats, dried vegetables, cabbages, olives, bird's nests, eggs, miso, seaweed, mush-rooms."

Fire was then considered the only sure disinfectant and the Board of Health decreed part of Honolulu's Chinatown be burned on Jan. 20, 1900. Fanned by a sudden strong wind the flames leaped from block to block until all of Chinatown from Beretania Street to the harbor became a mass of flames.

Allege Excuse for Discrimination — 7,000 refugees of whom more than half were Japanese fled the flames. Soldiers kept the panic-striken victims from fleeing from the infected district to the clean localities of the city. Rumors were rife among Orientals that white business men had attempted to eliminate their Asian competitors. Eventually claims of almost 1½ million dollars

were paid. The Black Death, so-called from the dying victim's color or its sinister symbol, devastated Asia, Europe and Africa in the 14th century, killing some 25

OVER 100 ATHLETES TO COMPETE IN PSW NISEI RELAYS AT VENICE

registered in the four divisions Beach with seven. of competition.

fending open class champions, lows: figures to retain its title with a team of eight led by sprinter 10s. 100 dash mark last year.

Long Beach-Harbor JACL's team of 11 youngsters should clean-sweep the Midget competition and Progressive Westside JACL's entry of five hopes to capture the Cub division

Biggest scramble appears in unattached 1. the Junior division with a total of 49 (or nearly half of all participating athletes) registered by nine chapters. San Diego JACL, defending champions in this division, is hurting with only two on its team

LOS ANGELES-The 16th an- as six other teams have more nual Pacific Southwest JACL manpower. Progressive West-Nisei Relays this Sunday side leads with nine members, (June 4) at Venice High School closely followed by Orange will attract over 100 athletes County with eight and Long

Diego 4, Pasadena 2, San Fernando Valley 3, North San Diego 1, Junior Division: (49) - Gardena 6, Progressive Westside 9, San Fernando Valley 5, San Diego 2, Pasadena 6, North San Diego 4, West Los Angeles 2, Long Beach

Cub Division: (13) - Long

Beach 4, Progressive Westside 5, Gardena 1, San Fernando Valley 1, Pasadena 1, West Los Angeles 1. Gayle Sasaki of Pasadena will preside as Nisei Relays

(Continued on Page 4)

## Chapter Call Board

Downtown L.A. JACL

Data Service: Tug Tamaru, top Nisei civil service employee in the city of Los Angeles as manager of the city's data service bureau, will address the Downtown L.A. JACL luncheon meeting on Thursday, June 15, noon at San Kwo Low. The year-old bureau employs about 200 work-

Reservations are being handled by luncheon chairman Takito Yamaguma (628-2381) and chapter president Ed Matsuda (629-3141).

Tamaru is another leading address its monthly luncheons.

### Mile-Hi JACL

Scholarship Dinner-Dance: annual scholarship awards

annual Sacramento community picnic to be held at the spacious Elk Grove Park on host the picnic in honor of Sunday, June 4. Tom Sato, area graduates this Sunday at general chairman for the Hancock Beach, Half Moon event, stated that preparations Bay. are being made for a turnout of some 5,000 people. Expenses for the picnic are underwritten by the local JACL chapter.

Games for all ages will be in store for those that attend as well as the annual Holein-One golf tournament at the park. Other adult games are also planned by Special Events Chairman Dr. James Kubo. For the teen-agers, a dance will be held in the hall on the grounds starting at 2 p.m. Baseball Nights: Sequoia JAwith a very popular dance CL has reserved tickets for band furnishing music. For two Giant games at Candlethe baseball fans, four teams stick Park on July 7 (Dodgers) from the Church Little and Sept. 22 (Pirates) at \$4.25 Leagues will put on an exhi- including bus fare, according bition with Rye Keikoan as to Shozo Mayeda (967-8297). coordinator-chairman.

Participating organizations

Boy Scouts Troop 50, Nichiren of activities is programmed Church, Japanese Baptist Church, Senator Lions, Gardeners Associaation, VFW Post 8985, Parkview Church, Nisei Golf Club, Kagero Golf Club, Gedatsu Church, Seventh Day Adventist, Boy Scout Troop 250, Sacramento Betsuin, YABA, JACL.

million Europeans and decimating third, even half, of England's people. These horrors of the Middle Ages were compounded by anti-Semitic persecution arising from the belief Jews poisoned the public wells. In the 16th century this plague crippled China.

Recurring in Hong Kong in 1894, it and Don Matsubara, Contra again spread and in its eastward march struck the Philippines, Japan, Hawaii chairmen, are planning a new and finally the Pacific Coast of both membership directory this North and South America.

been signed for an all-time Japanese Linked to Plague - On high. Advertising space is be-May 7, 1900 San Francisco called a ing sold to defray publication mass meeting to discuss the bubonic plague and strengthen Chinese exclusion. The meeting concluded with the resolution calling upon Congress to exclude all Japanese except diplomats. JACL's nominee for the 1967

San Francisco seemed reluctant to admit its bubonic epidemic until the scare Japanese advent impelled it into action. Tardy recognition of the plague resulted in its spread to ground squirrels whose contamination carried across the Rocky Mountains.

Historian Robert A. Wilson, direcroku" (Three Gents in the tor of the Japanese American Research Snow Country) and "Makinji-Project at UCLA, notes that infected goku" (Spell of the Hidden ground squirrels and chipmunks have been found in a number of western states. He warns to beware of wild both nights. First showing animals which act strangely because starts at 7:30 p.m. danger to humans is ever present from this latent source—occasionally some deaths are reported.

Shibasaburo Kitazato and Alexandre Martin W. Akimoto, Granite High; Sharen M. Aoki, Skyline; Yersin researching independently dis- Linda Fujiki, Joyce Miya, Clearcovered and isolated the bacillus in Hong Kong in 1894. The Pasteurella zumi, Davis; Kent Kano, Connie (Bacillus) pestis is spread by rodents and transmitted by fleas to man. Until sulfa drugs and other anti-biotics were discovered, the mortality rate was over 90%, now it is under 25%.

Breakdown of entrants by

Orange County JACL, de- chapters in each division fol-

Open Division: (23 total) - San Richard Yukihiro, who tied the Orange County 8, Long Beach 5.

7. Orange County 8 Midget Division: (24) - Orange County 3, Long Beach 11, San Diego 2, Pasadena 2, West Los Angeles 2, Gardena 1, North San Diego 1, San Fernando Valley 1,

queen. She was recently

banquet will be held June 10

at the Century Room, Cosmo-

politan Hotel. The banquet

commences at 6:30 p.m. and

a dance follows at 9:30. Schol-

arships at this community af-

fair will also be awarded by

American Legion Cathay Post

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mitted without charge.

will be free to all who wish

Berkeley JACL

June 10 at the Garfield Jr

High School, will feature two

Sequoia JACL

event chairman Al Nakai.

Contra Costa JACL

by Contra Costa JACL for its

family picnic July 23 at Wild-

wood Acres. The Jr. JACL will

Picnic also serves as the

Japanese Class: Mrs. Toshi

Shaw, teaching Japanese at

the Contra Costa JACL-spon-

noons at the Richmond Free

Methodist Church, is scheduled

to teach the summer session

Registration informa-

tion may be secured from Mrs.

Hide Oshima (237-0323) or

Directory: Newt Leveskis

Costa JACL membership co-

year. Over 450 members have

Salt Lake JACL

Movie Benefit: Salt Lake

National JACL scholarhips

will be announced at the in-

termission of the first night of

the Japanese movie benefit at

Richy Theater June 6-7. Show

chairman John Tomita re-

vealed the titles of the twin

bill as "Zoku-Shacho Shinshi-

Local area graduates will be

honored and admitted free

Nob Mori, scholarship chair-

man, revealed the scholarship

field; Gloria Fukui, Fred S. Sa-

yama, Bear River; Julie A. Imai-

Nomura, Roy; Pauleen Kasai, East; Jane Komatsu, Susan Mori-

shita, West; Les Matsumura, Cy-

prus; Cheryl Miya, Wayne Sugi-

moto, Weber County; Patricia-Ni-

wa, Carbon; Nancy Ryujin. Og-

den: Philip Sakashita, Karen

candidates are:

Tsujimoto, South.

Mrs. Kiyo Kato (528-8989).

beginning in July.

actively assist in the plans

event for the chapter fund.

Family Picnic: A full day

Graduates Picnic: Sequoia

Benefit Movies: The Ber-

per person and \$4 for escorts their families.

dhist Church.

to dance.

time is 7 p.m.

### Hollywood JACL at its Wilshire Ebell afternoon concert. At her side are two previous Hollywood JACL candidates:

Episodes of Evacuation:

FIRST NOMINEE in the 1967 Nisei

Week queen contest, Cathy Midori Oka-

mura (center), was introduced by the

# Internment on Rainbow Island

BY ALF PRATTE

Honolulu Of all the thousands of per-Reservations for the ban- sons touched by martial law quet can be obtained from in Hawaii in World War II, Mrs Haruko Kobayashi at 455 none were hurt more than Ha-Forest St., Denver, at \$5.25 waii's Japanese aliens and

of graduates. All high school For a few, the after-affects and college graduates will be still remain-both emotionally honored guests and will be ad- and financially-even though congressional laws have of-The "Kicques" have been fered compensation for some

But for most of the rest of Hawaii's Japanese, the injustice of military law was only an unfortunate incident and they have gone on to become keley JACL benefit movie on successful in government, business and other professions. This is especially remark-Japanese movies. Starting able in view of the fact that with the imposition of military Hogan was asked to set up a controls, alien Japanese fish- special hearing board to adermen, photographers, print- vise the military governor in ers, bank employees and sake the handling of the internees. JACL and Nichibei Kyokai co- dealers 'ost their jobs.

According to Gwenfread Al-War Years," aliens were also Youth Fund Movie: Two Ja- required to turn over to the panese films, "Yawara Sem- nearest police station "all imbenefit movies June 17, 7:30 items."

Church. Proceeds are ear- ceived receipts for the possesletic program, according to the objects were never re-

As Miss Allen notes: "Many charge, he told me to mind of the articles deteriorated as my own business." a result of incorrect handling or from natural causes.

scarce as the war progressed, uation was cleared up." or which had souvenir value, disappeared.

able to special services offi- the mainland, while others cers; binoculars and tele- called it "strict but fair." scopes were given to the

chapter's main fund-raising property taken by the mili- or the other. tary, the Foreign Funds Control Office froze the assets of all enemy aliens and even some Americans of Japanese sored class on Saturday after- ancestry.

Bank Dissolved

tions dissolved was the Pacific

da had been connected with owner of the Motoshige Trading Co. in Honolulu and major A former vice-president and stockholder in the Pacific Hollywood says that "My

later president of the Japa- Bank. nese Chamber of Commerce Both firms were liquidated perfect wife and mother. Howwith the outbreak of war. enemy spy, taken to the Immi- Oriental entertainer, dancer,

attorney, recently recalled the from the Alien Property Custreatment of some of Hawaii's todian Office came to my Japanese during the early house. He was the nastiest months of military rule 25 man I ever came across," Yayears ago.

lieutenant '1 the U.S. Army,

internees and not as prisoners of war," Hogan said. "As far as I was able to observe, they

### **Building Camp**

Hogan said the only abuse nees to help build their own p.m., at Palo Alto Buddhist Although the Japanese re- camp on Rainbow Island.

marked for the chapter youth sions taken over by the Alien about 70 years old doing confund used to finance the ath- Property Custodian, many of struction work," Hogan said. "When I brought this to the attention of the officer in

> Hogan says he later reported the incident to a senior "Some items which became officer and presumes "the sit-

Some internees have testified to similar harsh treat-

"Radios were made avail- ment in the camps and on

A sad side of military law Navy; and some fireworks that is often forgotten, howwere used at jungle training ever, concerns the handful of centers to simulate war condi- Japanese who were not interned, but who were still un-In addition to the personal der suspicion for one reason

### Uninterned Suspect

One of these men who was virtually kept a prisoner within his own country was George Shoji Yamamoto, who was interviewed by Star-Bulletin reporter Tomi Knaefler in Tokyo last November.

Yamamoto was the son of

land businessman Daizo Sumi- the late Seizo Yamamoto, the

Barbara Endo (left), who was chosen

1966 Miss Tomodachi, and Mari Hattori,

daughter of the George Okamotos,

mamoto said.

Although Yamamoto was la-

every minor purchase, even

and I couldn't go to work

throughout the war," he re-

prominent farmers in Cortez.

obtained for the dance, which losses.

### Hawaii's War Years

len in her book on "Hawaii's were treated that way." po" about judo and "Danryu" plement: of war, fireworks, he was able to recall conin a modern day setting, will cameras, shortwave receiving cerned one zealous Army offibe shown at the Sequoia JACL sets and numerous other cer who tried to get the inter-

One of the financial institu-

Bank, which well-known Is-

for three years, Sumida was under the Alien Property Act, ever since this is years ahead one of more than 300 Japa- and although the younger Ya- of me and I've studied in the nese held at the Immigration mamoto was born in Honolulu, entertainment field so long; I Station and at Rainbow Island he was accused of being an want to be known as a great

tenths of one percent of the six weeks.

As part of his job as a

less under house arrest for the rest of the war.

"They were to be treated as

Role of Dillingham do with his being released by area. the military.

called.

"I saw an old Japanese man as a youngster playing with the Dillingham boys."

that hung over him.

that he learned of the death of his mother, who had gone Jim Higashi. to Japan with his father in willing

After the war, one of the officials in Honolulu advised mimi Yamamoto that it would be relatively easy to get his family's property and assets returned, once he explained that a visit he made to Japan had been for the purpose of seeing his family.

But when Yamamoto tried (Continued on Page 5)

# Hollywood opens bid for queen

PACIFIC CITIZEN-3

Friday, June 2, 1967

LOS ANGELES - First of 1967 Nisei Week queen candidates was introduced by Hollywood JACL at their Wilshire Ebell Afternoon Concert last Sunday. She is Cathy Midori Okamura, 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs George Okamura of Cortez, who is currently residing in Hollywood as a professional dancer and actress.

Miss Okamura was crowned Miss Hollywood 1967 by Barbara Endo, chapter nominee last year who was chosen Miss Tomodachi. Cathy is 5 ft. 31/2.

110 lbs. and measures 35-24-35. The 1965 graduate of Turlock Miss Hollywood 1965. Cathy is the High School attended Modesto Jr. College, the Musical Theatrical Workshop at USC, and has studied dancing for over 17 years. Her professional interests lie in dancing, singing and acting. Personal hobbies includes reading mysteries: loves animals; horseback riding and working with children. Cathy has taught ondo dancing to toddlers in the Turlock-Modesto area during summer

The "down to earth" Miss greatest ambition is to be the About 1,450 Japanese-nine- gration station and held for singer and actress". Miss Okamura has danced at the Aladtotal in Hawaii-were taken "I understand that the Army din in Las Vegas and has apinto custody during the war. Intelligence had some ridicu- peared in a recent TV segment Robert Hogan, a Honolulu lous report about me. A flunky of the "Man from U.N.C.L.E."

Her parents George and Ardis Okamura are prominent farmers in the Cortez area in Northern California. Prior to "He asked me: 'How come entering the agricultural field, a Jap like you owns a house Okamura ran the family owned Benkyodo, one of the ter released, he was more or oldest in San Francisco. He was the 1965 president of the Cortez JACL Chapter. Grandfather Okamura was one of "I had to get a receipt for the top lay members of the San Francisco Buddhist for a five-cent cake of tofu,

Hollywood JACL President Mrs. Muriel L. Merrell and Mrs. Mary Saito are acting in the capacity of sponsor and Yamamoto said that the late adviser to the new queen can-Walter Dillingham had a lot to didate from the Hollywood

The 27th Annual Nisei Week "We used to be neighbors, Festival queen contest is now and I spent most of my time officially opened with the introduction of Candidate No. 1. Deadline is June 25 when the Yamamoto was even turned names of last of the area down wher he tried to volun- queen candidates are expectteer for one of the Nisei Army ed to be submitted to the Nibattalions because of the cloud sei Week Queen Committee, according to Festival General And it was not until 1945 Chairman Tad Ikemoto and Queen Committee Chairman

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# World's Against Me



Starting today, this will be a weekly column, track meet. exactly 240 words long. Editor Harry kept saying, "it's easier to write a column each week than to do one every three weeks." So I agreed to do it-and maybe he's right, but I somehow can't shake the feeling that I've been out maneuvered by a more experienced, older person.

I appreciate Dixie Hunt's letter bringing to attention my extremely sloppy column on the Issei. It reminded me that writing a column entailed more responsibility than merely putting together a story on of WLA with three first and Tuesday morning and typing it in time to meet the a second place medals. noon deadline.

Although the most grievous error was made in my stating the author of the poem was unknown, in- Fred Sakamoto and Gary Tsuchistead of giving credit to the late, famous Negro author | yama and newspaperman, Langston Hughes, another more Handa and Russell Honnaka. noticeable mistake was made when I said the late Dorothy Dandridge starred with Sidney Poitier in "A Raisin in the Sun." I turned that article in on Tuesday and found out later in the week that the movie was shown on TV on Thursday night without Miss Dandridge.

Three weeks later, I wrote my next column, without any poems this time, and I found the type setter had taken three sentences from the fourth paragraph and shoved it into the second paragraph. This made Real Nishiguchi and Robert me sound the way I talk.

My psychiatrist was wrong, the whole (damned) world is against me!



Yosh Hotta K.I.S.S.

# Thoughts About Dads

From an old nursery rhyme: "Leave them alone, and they'll come home, dragging their tails behind

Some Dads may feel that way about their young ones, but sociologists now say: Leave them alone, and they'll do fine. After all Dad, better than paying their nerves. traffic fines.

Last winter I heard a speaker say: "I'm looking terning" goes on four times Jr. JACL has elected its new around the room for the crazy kids I used to know, a day, seven days a week in officers with Sam Toya as and all I see are waddling, bald, middle-aged men and their young wives."

There was one crazy kid there who received a citation for the Distinguished Service Cross, the nation's second highest medal for valor in action. His citation reads: "He remained in the cave with a number of armed Japanese soldiers for two hours and taneously, four people are rejoined them in the noonday meal." Some dads did quired for each exercise peranything for a free bowl of rice.

Attending a JACL installation dinner at a bowling alley, I was overwhelmed not by the dinner but by the hundreds of Nisei and Sansei who were bowling at the allevs adjoining the dining room. It wasn't forward to their twice a week too long ago that this would have been an impossible visits. sight. It's happening only because some old dads in JACL helped in opening up membership of the American Bowling Congress to every one regardless of race.

Hey dad, you didn't realize that in trying to get away from the family for a night out, you helped the cause of human relations!

Alan Kumamoto Accent on Youth





Have you heard of TRIVIA? It's popular and for the uninformed it's built around remembering minute details of class "B" movies as well as virtually any tiny meaningless statistic. Mike Izuno, Hi-Co board of Avantes; Susan Narita, Long director's president, was seen with a metal box full of "trivia" at last year's San Diego National Conven-

Growing interest lies in the area of "pop" culture. Some youthful intellectuals have made fad and fancy from their own high and low mass media: e.g., late TV viewing, all night movies, song interpretation of folk and rock and roll music, etc. . . . These may be some of the pastime of youth of today. And as third generation Japanese Americans fall into every day Americana they have been labeled by various names, among them Sansei. Yet other descriptions may exist, like the "keep moving" generation or the "choosing" generation.

The movement afoot by youth may appear as a restless search. Their inquiry may seem more as selfinquiry. Youth look at their own self-image as "open," "receptive," "mobile." And in many instances as they turn to their elders they see them as the "stopped" generations. Sansei are in the arena of choosing "the deed issues lie close to the core struggle between the generations. Sansei are in th arna of choosing "th right to choose." This may be then the essence of the much spouted "youth revolt."

The "natural" look is in among youth and also of being honest to them. When you have reached 30 or 32 years old, in their eyes, you have either "arrived" or have "had it," since that is their dividing line between those who "keep moving" and those who have "stopped."

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# WEST L.A., VENICE-CULVER CO-HOST TRACK MEET FOR YOUNGSTERS 8 - 15

gene Inagaki of WLA garand anchoring the relay team to star in the annual West Los ya. Angeles Venice-Culver Junior

Close on the heel of Inagaki was Steve Soda of WLA with three gold medals and a silver medal. In the Class B, Rod Nishimura of Gardena took high honors with three gold medals and a bronze S. Haruki medal while Steve Haruki of Venice was the big winner in the Class C division with three gold medals. Mighty Midget of the Class D was Kirk Ishizuka

Meet results: CLASS A 50 yd.: Eugene Inagaki, 6.1s,

100 yd.: E. Inagaki, 11.0s, Steve High Jump: E. Inagaki, 5' 22', Long Jump: S. Soda, 17' 11", Dennis Tachiki and G. Tsuchi-

Handa and Randy Wada. Football throw: Rick Fukai, 108' and F. Sakamoto. 440 Relay: West LA, 50.5s (new record), E. Inagaki, S. Soda, D. Tachiki and F. Sakamoto. CLASS B

50 yd.: Rodney Tanaka, 6.3s, 100 yd.: Rod Nishimura, 12s, Robert Kakehashi and D. Nishi-

High jump: R. Nishimura, 4' 914". R. Tanaka and Arthur Ishi-Long jump: D. Nishiguchi, 15' 7", A. Ishiwata and R. Nishimura. Shot Put: Jim Nakaki, 36' 1",

VENICE - Fleet-footed Eu- Mark Shimizu and Bruce Yoshi-Football throw: M. Shimizu, nered four gold medals in the 122' 6" (new record), J. Nakaki Class A Division by taking 50 and R. Tanaka.

440 Relay: Gardena, 55.9s (new record), R. Nishimura, R. Tanaka, Allen Matsushita and Scott Koji-

> CLASS C 50 yd.: Steve Haruki, 7.1s (new record), Chris Kato and Cary 100 yd.: S. Haruki, 10.3s, C. Ka-Long jump: Nick Susuki, 12' 816", Tom Kawada and C. Kato. Softball throw: Mike Namba. 154' 4", L. Lee and James Shiraki.

220 Relay: Venice, 32.6s, C. To-kirio, Ray Ikiri, Ron Miyake and CLASS D 50 yd.: Kirk Ishizuka, 8.6s, Jeff Sumida and Daryl Suzuki. 100 yd.: K. Ishizuka, 12.4s, J. Sumida and Jon Nitta. Long Jump: J. Sumida, 10', Jon

220 Relay: West LA, 42s, K. Ishizuka, J. Nitta, Mark Suzuki Many JACLers, Y advisers to challenge and adversity. pass on of this culture is and coaches of the Venice But then I have grown up an independent consideration Youth Council programs were in America, been educated in from the woman I marry. on hand to assist Chairman American schools, trained ear-Frank Kishi and his commit- ly in Christianity. On the side

Softball throw: D. Suzuki, 94'

Tom Ichien, track; Tom Wata- hamburgers, steaks, played nabe, field events; Ken Yamamoto, Ron Yoshida, regis.; Shiro Maruyama, awards; Jack Nomura, announcer; Yo Tsuruda, starter; Steve Yagi, pub.

Obento for the committee members were provided by: Toy Kanegai and Stella Kishi, WLA JACL Aux'y.

On hand to add beauty and son, Hemingway, Maugham, to present medals to all the Steinbeck, Kierkegaard, Plato, winners were co-Queens for Goethe, Sartre, Schiller; of the Junior Track meet, Julie Japanese literature I know Wachi of West L.A. and Nao- that Chikamatsu is an immi Hojo of Venice-Culver portant figure, but don't ask

LOS ANGELES - The newly

Playground.

zuka, adviser.

# Sacramento youth help 6-year-old regain use of underdeveloped muscles

SACRAMENTO-Three young ter president Tom Fujimoto high school girls, Sharon Ta- (428-7877) is hoping there are teishi, Susan Yoshimura and other youngsters who might Jennifer Fujimoto volunteered help once or twice a week. two afternoons each week, since early in the year, to help exercise a young 6-year- WEST L.A. JR. JACL old girl to develop and strengthen her muscles and

The exercise called "pat- organized West Los Angeles the hopes that long unused board chairman and planned nerves and muscles can be for the summer. There were taught to respond and func- 29 members as of early May. tion normally. It is similar to performing swimming strokes a summer volleyball league at brought up—Seikaku (charac- be screened out almost before and kicking of the feet. As each limb is motivated simul-

The efforts of these young girls are certainly a blessing to the concerned family, and the child also eagerly looks

The JACL chapter is certainly proud to have such unselfish girls in the community and commended them for their wonderful contribution.

As the three girls are graduating from high school and will continue onto college summer sessions or a job, chap-

INCOME FROM National JACL's Endowment Fund shall be used for financing or assisting national projects and pro-

# Nisei Relays —

(Continued from Page 3) crowned Miss PSWDYC. On

her court are:

Denise Asakura, Santa Barbara; Naomi Hojo, Charmes; Christine Iwasaki, Chanels; Dorie Iwata, Orange County; Akemi Mukai, Beach; Pat Okumoto, San Diego; Julie Susumoto, San Fernando Valley; and Julie Wachi, West Los Angeles.

Bob Miyamoto of Pasadena and Bob Moriguchi of San Fernando are relays co-chairmen. Assisting are:

Frank Kishihama (LB), track director; Henry Aihara (OC), field events director; Sam Uyehara (SFV), Tom Ichien (V-C), regi-strars; Yo Tsuruda (WLA), clerk the course; Gen Mizutani (SFV), fin.; Dr. Robert Watanabe (WLA), meet physician; Mack Yamaguchi (P), ann.; James Kasahara (H), program; Gram Nori-yuki (V-C), awards; Aaron Alfonso, starter; Long Beach-Harbor, finish judges; Nisei Relays Committee, meet judges; Steve Yagi (WLA), scorer; Prog. West- group sought to replace the "We are the legitimate govside, typists; Venice-Culver, equipment; Prog. Westside, weigh-in and track maintenance: East Los Angeles, broad jump judges; Venice-Culver, high jump judges; Orange County, pole vault judges; Hollywood, shot put

Venice-Culver JACL and Orange County JACL each have had possession of the Capitol Life Insurance perpetual trophy, given to the chapter scoring the most points in all divisions.

The Charmes will operate a snack bar during the meet.

Student movement led by Monterey Jr. installs new constitution at college

Well finals have started and GRATULATE all of the grad-

ther year except for those ment they have attained and

school is almost over for an- uating students on the achieve-

planning to attend summer to wish each and every stu-

school. It has yet to begin. dent great success in the fu-

around and I would like to Enjoy the summer months

Graduation time has come ture to come.

take this opportunity to CON- everyone.

Summer classes in Japanese of mind and "spirit."

according to Mrs. George Ishi- into the sphere of this series

conversation are also planned, To bring the discussion back uncool.

Ye Junior

Ed's Desk

is one of the two leaders has form of student government. tions and run for office.

dent of the group in 1965.

liamentarians, Miss Gota's current constitution void. classic student senate and stu- ernment in exile," they said dent body president with a in numerous manifestos, which parliamentarian form of gov- they issued almost daily. ernment calling for two houses Seems they objected because

proved the change, and trus- bought a student body card. tees of the college district are expected to rule on the validity of the new government

Junior Jottings

Raising funds to send

The Arizona Jr. JACL re-Chapter: ..... Zip ..... help-the-community project.

College of which Janis Go'a ment over student body cards. Heretofore only holders of

found itself the winner in a these cards, which costs \$12 student election after advo- a copy, could participate in cating a major change in the student affairs, vote in elec-Janis has been active in the Then, two weeks ago, a

tee of 200" and the "Flower Calling themselves the Par- Power Party" declared the

-lords and commons-with a student activities were not

prime minister as the leader, open to everyone regardless of The student body has ap- whether or not they had

Last Minute Switch

John Woodie, one of the leaders of the group, drafted new constitution with suffrage for everyone and the Flower Power Party forced held between the Flower Pow-

At stake was the FPP draft tarians. of a constitution, the existing At the last minute, however, one, and a third based on the the Flower Power Party pulled parliamentary form of govern- its support from Woodie and

voted down and a runoff was

altho highly emotional, not altogether unjustified. Presently and concurrently

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Material for This Page Must Reach the Youth Page Editor

by the Third Friday of the Month

Open Generation

What is my culture or herit- essarily preserve Japanese

age as a Japanese American? culture and heritage by mar-

Many parts of it are of course rying within our "own kind"?

structure, to some extent lan- nese culture, but I often find

guage and foods; attitudes to- that it is many times more

ward education, development than a good number of Sansei.

of character, positive response What I intend to preserve and

Berkeley nent to ask here: do we nec-

Now I do not want it to

be charged at any time dur-

ing this discussion, that I am

urging all Sansei males to go

to their nearest white neighbor

and say, "I want to marry

your (blonde) daughter." My

or mate or date on the basis

of his or her experience, pref-

erence, attraction, and ability

to relate meaningfully with

that person. Whether that date

or mate is Chinese, Caucasian,

Jewish, Negro, Japanese, Eta,

me, if it counts at all. (Hang

If the relationship is one of

happiness, love, communica-

tion and understanding, and

whom you will marry: a per-

eause of what? This is highly

The important notions to re-

tain-character, perseverance,

respect, the family-and

others-should indeed be rein-

forced. But I fail to see how

such notions are restrictable

to a certain genetic constitu-

tion. Granted, it would be

much easier to perpetuate

them in the community that

already has them, and that to

bounds would be much more

difficult, but THERE is where

the challenge lies. This can

ences can be retained and

Japanese world, then we have

the growth and enrichment of

the Self and the collective self,

hardly contamination or de-

Racial and ethnic identities

are arbitrary designations ap-

plied to incidental situations

in the long course of history.

have experienced a literal ex-

plosion of my world; it is

My horizons of interest

in all fields, academic, social,

cultural, have expanded ten-

fold, and, like the universe, is

constantly expanding. It also

has anxiety-filled situations

and challenges, but by re-

sponding to them I am grow-

ing, becoming more aware of

myself and those around me;

these have been some of the

most satisfying and stimulat-

ing experiences of my young

To restrict the diversity of

experience, interpersonal and

otherwise, is to promote an

almost incestuous situation. It

is this blind restriction which

has led some of "our kind"

and into the "other" system,

instead of making a meaning-

ful and vital hybridization of

the two. (Gardeners take note)

of the values of hybridization,

er Party and the Parliamen-

to opt out of "our" system

blowing my mind.

In coming into intimate con-

tact with the "other kind" I

gradation.

be our positive contribution.

carry them on outside these

on Sloopy!)

My ancestors might be smil- stimulus for mutual growth,

ing down upon me in pride I'm for it. If it is interracial,

tellectually I am a half-breed, without prejudice and bigotry

to say the least. In this sense on my part-or on the part

it is almost inconceivable that of any of "my kind," let

half-breeds, if not the fusion Under present conditions

of a Japanese body but a what a good many of us have

Western mind. In this sense is a modified version of the

Nisei are also mixed, and even arranged marriage: it is al-

But then what is the real son of Japanese ancestry; that

skin, and bones that distin- The ethnic community will

Self? Is it the body, the blood, narrows it down considerably.

guish us as persons? Even act as Baishakunin to check

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important as their effect on

my thinking, and I think al-

most wholly as a Westerner.

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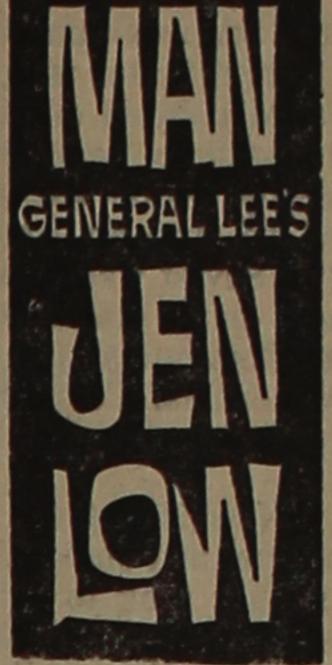
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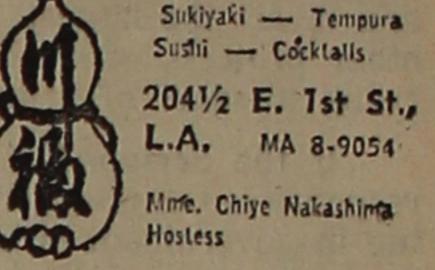
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### Commencement . . .

Rep. Patsy T. Mink will speak at Castle High School commencement exercises June 10 at the school's athletic field. State Rep. Ralph Ajifu will present diplomas to about 400 graduates . . . Sen Daniel K. Inouye is scheduled to speak at two local high school commencement exercises-University High School on June 3 and Kauai High School on June 9. Forty-six seniors were graduated from Chaminade College May baters. 21 in McCabe Memorial Gym on Backed by a petition with 2,455 the campus. Mayor Neal S. Blais- signatures, the Kapaa (Kauai) dell was commencement speaker. Business and Professional Men's president of Maunaolu College, waii to approve the Wailua site

high school teacher, has been named dean of women at Chaminade College. Miss Madden has succeeded Mrs. Greta Won, who is on leave of absence to take studies leading to a doctorate at the Univ. of Oregon . . . Burnham O. Campbell of UCLA has been named chairman of the dept. of economics at the Univ. of Hawaii. The appointment is effective on July 1 . . . Willie Funakoshi, the L.A. insurance executive, and his daughter Kay were in town. May 10-Takazo Frank, s Masao They saw Joanne perform as an

Ice Capades star at Honolulu International Center. Shunichi Kimura, the Big Island county chairman, is expected to Halpern, Mary Fujii, 54: Cam- appoint Stanley Nakamai, execubridge, May 20 - m Mrs. Kat- tive secretary of the Big Island suo Fujii, br Kenji (Hayward, Liquor Commission, as his man-Calif.), sis Katsuyo Domoto, agement assistant. The appointment is expected to be effective with the departure of Fred Koehnen July 15. Nakamai was graduated from the Univ. of Hawaii in

1952 with a degree in business adbeen named assistant maanger of at Beretania and Pensacola Sts. the Kaimuki branch of the First Police said William Mizurashi of National Bank. Mrs. Fukushima, 723 Kamoku St. crashed into the

### Political Notes . . .

missions of office to persons and commissions. They included Drs. George Suzuki, Honolulu Commission on Aging; Cesar B. De Jesus, Honolulu pier at the Kekaha harbor. Board of Health; H.W. Lum, Board of Chiropractic Examiners: H. Uyeno, Board of Dental Examiners; and Donald H. Wong, Board of Veterinary Examiners. Also, Garret S. Hokada, Board of Accountants; Tadashi Murakami, Boxing Commission; Thomas K. Uyetake, Contractors License Board and Harold J. Silva, Real Estate Commission . . Newly appointed May 26 were: Mrs. Harlan F. Benner, Alfred Dang Aki, L. Rockwell Smith and Dr. Janes Z. Kanashiro, reappointed to the commission on aging; Stanley Y. Mukai, library advisory commission; Dr. Arthur F. Mann, civil defense advisory council; and Mrs. Hartwell Doane, Ka-

mehameha Day celebration commission. Farrington High School student Christine Nagasawa represented Hawaii at the National Council of State Committees on Children and Youth May 8-11 in Washington, D.C. Christine, a junior, was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Misao Nagasawa, of 1336 Ala Hoku Place . . . Ernest K. Kai, former secretary of Hawaii and attorney general of the Territory of Hawaii during WW II, is the new chairman of the board of Hawaii Loa College . . . State Sen. James K. Clark, Windward Oahu Repub-



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represented the group at the Na-

tional Community Development

Seminar at Norman, Okla., in 1965;

attended the Jaycees' Internation-

al Convention in Kyoto, Japan, in

1966 and has won a number of

Takeji Masuda has been re-

elected for another term as pres-

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lican, may be elevated soon to the position of Hawaiian Government Employees Asss. Daniel K. Ainoa, director of the HGEA, said he will appoint Clark to succeed David K. Trask, whose probationary appointment to the position was cancelled in Apr.

The Coast Guard on May 5 called off its search for the four Maul fishermen who had been missing Stephen A. May, Robert J. since Apr. 30. An air - and - sea Love, Asa A. Clark, IV, Horeach had been conducted by the Coast Guard. Missing men are bart B. Pillsbury, Jr., and Vernon S. Rosa, 26, of Wailuku, Robert K. Williams. Nii is the owner of the beat; Kenneth Souza, 22, of Kokomo, his brother-inson of Mr. and Mrs. Tsumoru law: Thomas D. Ferguson, 20, of Nii of Lihue, Kauai. Nii is a Haiku; and Archie Aveiro, 27, of 1963 graduate of Kauai High Kokomo, all of Maui . . . Brennen Tom of 2012 Oswald St. on School . . . State Supreme May 6 won the 16th annual Safe Court Chief Justice William S. Driving Rodeo at the 1st Insurance Co., 1100 Ward Ave. Tom is Richardson will be awarded a Kaimuki High School student. the honorary degree of doctor

Mrs. Aki Mato, 84, of Honowin nomination I would not be lulu address died May 23 after available for appointment to she was struck by a car drithe Touse of Representatives ven by Jackie Durante, 27, of to fill the vacancy created by 1625 Dole St. near Honolulu Stadium. Mrs. Mato was the 40th traffic fatality of the year. to fill any other vacancy which Last year at this time 38 peow Sadako, s Seichiro, Shoji, d might develop in either the ple had been killed on Oahu's or what he thought. But he didn't

Linda May Katsuki, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Sanford S. Katsuki of Honolulu, has been recognized degree of doctor of laws degree for outstanding academic achievement at the Univ. of Redlands. w Shizu, s Elmer M., Daniel Y., indicated May 21. Also in the dents to join Delta Alpha, a scholastic honorary society at the university . . . The new Bank of Hawaii - BankAmericard national credit card to be issued by the Bank of Hawaii will be a distinctive blue, gold and white, it has been announced by president Clifton D. Terry of the Honolulu institution. Hawaii residents traveling to the Mainland may use the card in all major West Coast cities and as far east as Boston, the bank said. It is not intended for local use . . . Eight senior citizens were honored May 8 for their volunteer service in planting and caring for the flowers in Kapiolani Flower Garden. They were Alfred C. Ching, Kaneichi Matsuda, Sogoro Hiraoka, Misao Hirai, George Iwanaga, Mrs. Mine Miyaki, Kazuo Hanada and Soichi Sugita . . . Herman Larsgaard, who retires this year after 40 years with the Dept. of Education-the last 21 of them as principal of Waialua High School-was honored May 12 at a dinner. Larsgaard first came to Hawaii in 1927 to teach English at Konawaena High

> Dr. Karl C. Leebrick, retiring Assn. is asking the Univ. of Ha-Paia, Maui, was awarded an hon- for the Kauai Community College. The appeal was made in a letter Gerri Madden, a retired public by Wallace Otsuka, chairman of the association's civic improve-

School. Later, at McKinley, he

coached champion orators and de-

A Kailua High School teacher and a Kaneohe school girl drowned in separate accidents May 20. They were John A. MacCosham, 50, of 1421 Kehaulani Drive, Lanikai, and Marjorie Kaukini, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kaukini of 45-353 Makuluai St., Kaneohe. MacCosham drowned while skindiving in Kailua Bay, and Marjorie drowned in Kawa stream makai of Kaneohe Bay Drive . . . Gorgonio Ramos, 17, of 1740 Kamohoalii St. drowned while swimming May 24 at Kuhio Beach,

A 62 - year - old Honolulu man died May 17 five hours after be-Mrs. Leatrice Fukushima has ing involved in a traffic accident who has been a loan representa- back of a car driven by Henry tive, joined the bank as a book- Furtado of 2921 Booth Rd. as he drove ewa on Beretania. He apparently died of internal injuries,

police said. A 4-year-old Waimea, Kauai, Gov. Burns presented com- boy apparently drowned May 12 at Kikiaola Harbor while his father was fishing in a skiff close reappointed to state boards by Steven Ueno, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gareth Ueno, was pronounced dead on arrival at Kauai Veterans Hospital after his body was found floating near the loading

M. Silva, Bruce Toshiyuki Honda and Paul H. Thurston . . . James Nakao, Kauai branch administrator for the Dept. of Social Services, has been elected chairman of the Kauai chapter of the National Foundation - March of Dimes. He succeeds Kenneth Yamamoto . . . The City Planning Commission on May 11 voted 4-2 to recommend that the strip of Eight island boys will gradland on the lower slopes of Diauate and receive army com- mond Head between Coconut Ave. and the lighthouse be kept in missions at the U.S. Military single-family residential use. This Academy June 7. They are is the area that the Diamond Head Michael W.L. Yap, Robert S. Improvement Assn., headed by Chinn Ho, wants to develop into McEldowney, Michael N. Nii, a high-rise hotel complex.

### Cockfight raid . . .

More than 450 men and

women were arrested at Waianae May 21 in Oahu's biggest cockfight raid. Some of the 80 raiding policemen said they never saw so many persons at an island cockfight before. The previous cockfight raid record was set last Aug. 27 of laws June 15 by the Univ. at Sandy Beach when 83 perof Cincinnati, Richardson resons were arrested. Those arceived his law degree from rested included many women. Police permitted mothers with State Sen. George Fukuoka conchildren to leave, but about firmed in Wailuku May 10 that he 50 other women were kept for has been asked to consider running in the special election for booking . . . A Makiki man was in fair condition May 23 after being slashed with I've given it some thought." He didn't say who approached him knife by a hitchhiker early that day. Police said Masao rule out the possibility he might run . . . Dr. K. C. Leebrick, pres-Koga of 1430 Lusitana St. picked up an Air Force man Maui, will receive an honorary near Hickam. When the man May 26 from Arizona State Univ. ordered Koga to hand over Leebrick graduated from Arizona his money, Koga reached for State in 1906 which at that time was known as Tempe Normal his wallet in his hip pocket. School . . . Wahiawa Jaycees have Koga suffered multiple cuts on elected Harold Matsumoto president fo the 1967-68 fiscal year. his left hand and two cuts on Matsumoto of 1178 Hoihoi Ave., his back.

Thirteen of 81 on the staff of Univ. of Hawaii have been promoted to new ranks. They are George Akita, prof. of history; Mitsuo Aoki, prof. of religion; Herbert Hamai, assistant prof. of health and physical education; Ralph Miwa, prof. of political science; Agnes Niyekawa, associate prof. of education; Shigeru Nakata, associate plant physiologist; Jack Tanaka, assistant horticulturist: Dennis Ikehara and Tom Yamamoto, associate county agent; Yuriko Prentice and Margaret Ushijima, assistant specialists in student personnel; and George Arakaki, associate geneti-

the Hilo campus of the Univ. of cist in research. Bank of Hawaii's new Kaneohe by the university and two already branch was dedicated May 12. It head the schools they will conis located at Kamehameha Hightinue to serve. Kaoru Noda will way and William Henry Rd., continue to serve the Hilo campus where a pineapple cannery stood until the bank opened its first Other provosts are Dr. Donald C. Kaneohe branch there on May 1, 1948 . . . Hilo will get its fourth radio station if an application by Southwestern Broadcasting Co. is C. Won, Kapiolani Community approved by the Federal Commu-College: Arthur R. Oswald, Hononications Commission. The prolulu Community College; and Dr. posed station would have its stu-Leonard D. Tuthill, Leeward Oahu dio at 355 Kinoole St., the same location as the Hawaii Tribune A swearing-in ceremony for applicants who successfully passed

their Hawaii bar examination was State Sen. James K. Clark will held May 12 in the State Supreme become managing director of the Court courtroom. Eleven persons Hawaiian Government Employees applied to take the April exam. Assn. He succeeds David K. Trask, Nine of them showed up for the whose letter of resignation turned

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test. Those who passed the exam- down the HGEA's offer of the ination and who were sworn in position of executive secretary on

were James P. Brumbaugh, Paul Maui. Appointment of Charles T. Ushijima as an assistant vice president has been announced by the First Legal fellowship . . . National Bank. He is the current president of the Honolulu Japa- A 25-year-old Drake Univ. law nese Junior Chamber of Com- school senior from Honolulu has merce and an unopposed candi- been awarded a \$13,900 two-year date for president of the Hawaii Legal Advisor Fellowship at the State Jaycees. Ushijima has been Northwestern Univ. school of law. with First National since 1960, He is James E. T. Koshiba, born formerly with the agricultural in Wailuku, Maui, and a graduate loan department and recently of Univ. of Hawaii in 1963. The partment. He has been a bank grant from the Ford Foundation,

officer since 1962. Dr. Robert Miyamoto of Hilo on May 18 was named president-elect of the Hawaii Medical Assn. at the group's 111th annual meeting at the Princess Kaiulani Hotel Miyamoto will take over the office of president a year from now, succeeding Dr. B. Allen Richardson, who became president May 20. Richardson succeeded Dr. Theodore T. Tomita.

For tourists . . . A "must" for visitors to Hawaii is Sea Life Park near Waimanalo. In many ways it's superior to Marineland of the Pacific, we're told. Denizens of the deep at Sea Life Park have even gone Hawaiianthey do the hula for the benefit of the guests . . . E.K. Fernandez, 84-year-old show promoter since 1905, suffered a stroke May 19. He was in guarded condition at Queen's Hospital . . . More than 1,100 Big Islanders welcomed the inaugural of a series of direct flights from the Mainland at Hilo Airport May 19. It was the first of 49 chartered World Airways-Berry Tours scheduled between Mainland cities and the Islands this ummer. County Chairman Shunichi Kimura hailed it as "establishing the Big Island as the second gatewa" to Hawaii".

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with the business development de- fellowship, financed through a leads to a master of laws degree Hugh Y. Okuda, Kailua High School senior, has been named winner of the 19th annual Peter Fukunaga Scholarship Foundation award. He will use the \$1,000 grant to study business administration at the Univ. of Hawaii. Okuda, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Y. Okuda of 1743 Maluniu Ave., is outgoing president of the Hawaii

Assn. of Student Councils, a statewide group of 51 high schools. Two Honolulu firms have been ordered to stop the sale of Hawaii land in California, and another is under a federal court order re-

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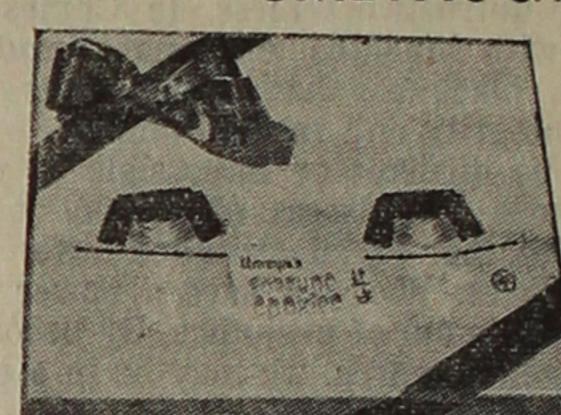
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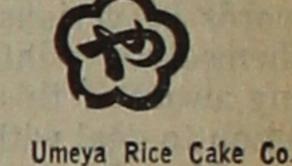
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# Ye Editor's Desk

ENVIRONMENT OF LANGUAGE

An imaginative study underway at Pro Deo University in Rome has to do with conveying precise meaning of words from one language to another. Norman Cousins in the Saturday Review, however, points to something more fundamental about language as an instrument: the prejudices and misconceptions of words that undermine human values.

He points to a special study by Ossie Davis, Negro author and actor studying at Pro Deo, who counted 120 synonyms for "blackness" with all sorts of unfavorable connotations and 134 synonyms for "whiteness" -almost all of them with favorable connotations. In Roget's Thesaurus, blot, blotch, blight, smut, obscure, dingy, murky, sinister, evil, wicked, unclean, unwashed, foul, black-hearted, etc., are listed for "blackness"; purity, cleanness, bright, fair, stainless, chaste, unblemished, innocent, honorable, just, trustworthy, honesty, etc., are listed for "white".

And some of the words associated with the color yellow include: coward, conniver, fear, effiminacy, funk, soft, spiritless, timidity, sneak, lilylivered, etc.

Such are the definitions in Western culture. But connotations that affect judgment differ in other cultures. Whiteness in Chinese means cleanliness, but it demic Freedom Committee can also mean bloodlessness, frigidity, weakness, pointed out at a recent ses-Whiteness in many African tongues is associated with anemic, deviousness, untrustworthiness. In Chinese, yellow is associated with sunshine, openness, beauty, flowering. In Africa, blackness has connotations of strength, certainty, integrity and recognizability.

Though it may be difficult or impossible to remove color designations for classes of people, it is ly be distorted according to important to recognize that racial attitudes differ in words of various cultures. Words have a power in power. It is for the scholars themselves to infect the mind of prejudice. By becom- to give a fair judgment on ing aware of this power in words, we may be in a po- the nation's past. sition to deal with the effects.

If we're to continue describing people by color TV programs are full of peraccurately, perhaps a stamp collector can be a better judge for he knows a slightly different shade of color on a particular stamp can mean he may have a rarity. The so-called white race ranges in color from pale olive to mottled pink. The so-called colored ranges from light beige to dark mahogany.

DIFFERENT KIND OF SUNDAY

As awards banquet go, the one Holiday Nisei Bowling Assn. staged last Sunday had two unique features. When the dinner was just about over, the emcee (that droll humorist Harley Kusumoto, who did such a capable job at the National JACL Bowling Tournament awards banquet earlier this year) said it was time to start giving away the door prizes and he called out the first number. And up popped Sam Miyadi's voice. And he was just recognized for having fired a 300 game earlier in the month in a mixed league. His friends joshed him as he headed toward the rostrum to collect his prize. He was handed an envelope. "Maybe it's a merchandise order from a beauty salon," a voice in front maintained. "Fix!" another suggested. Urged to inspect its contents, Sam flipped open the flap and found a slip of paper listing the officers of the new 1967-68 bowling season with him as president —a most deserving leader who has been in the association since its start in 1959.

(The HNBA election of president is on a preferential system. Each team captain makes six choices from a slate of nominees, which is usually in excess of 25 names. Person having the most "first choice" tallies is president, and if there is a tie, then "second choice" tallies break the tie. Person with the most "second choice" then is first vice-president and so on. A bowler is now ineligible to be HNBA president for a second term. Selections are kept secret till the award banquet.)

We're sure Sam will figure another cabalistic way of revealing his successor at the next award banquet. He has a whole year in which to conjure a scheme.

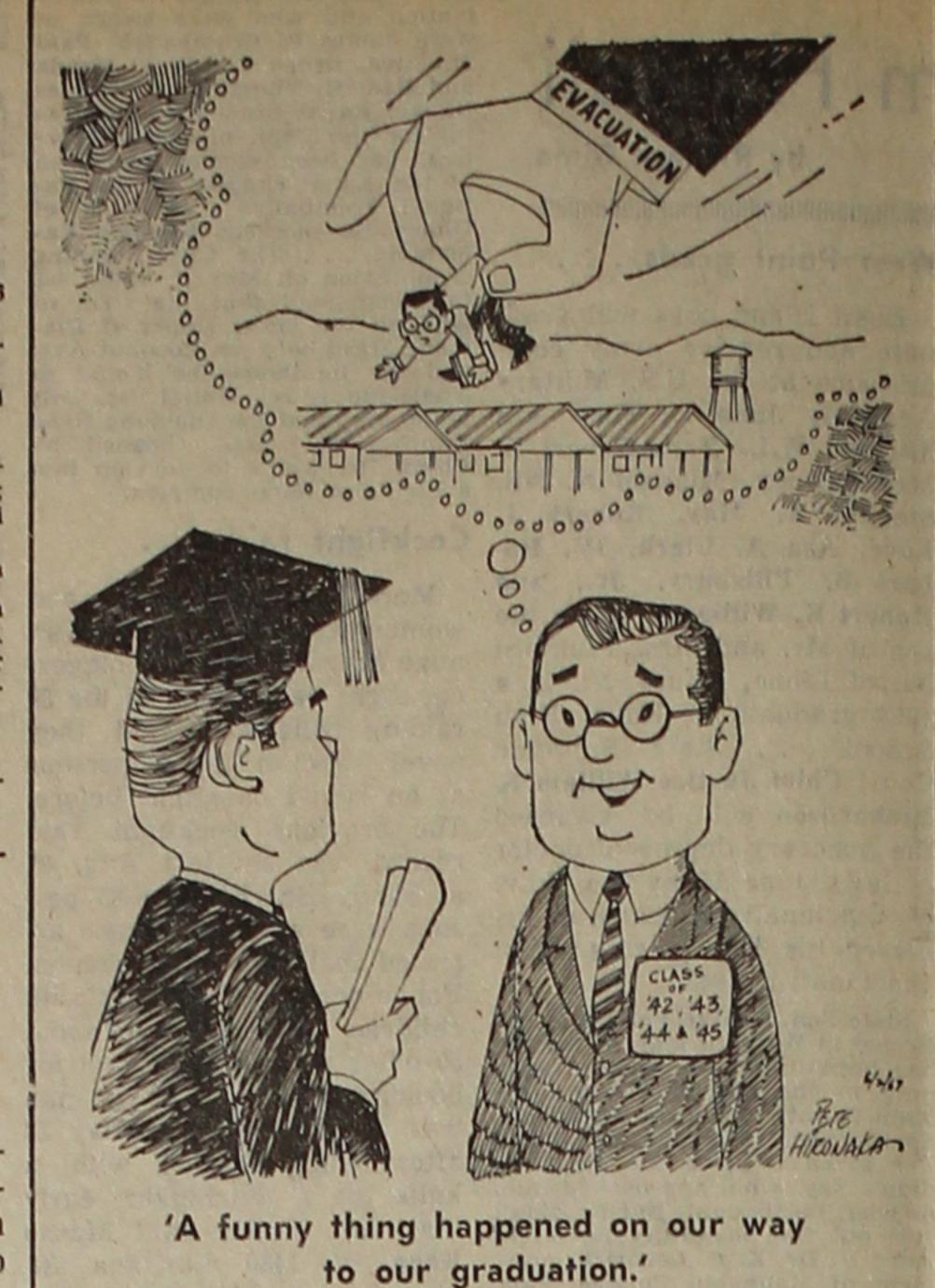
as door prizes and with a turnout of about 225—the Gima -About \$300 worth of merchandise was given away A portable TV reserved for bowlers only was the chief attraction and only about 150 bowlers were present. Funds for these prizes come from interest accruing Real Estate Commissioner has from prize funds of the seven leagues banked at a local savings and loan institution.

Among the door prizes were nine specially wrap- dise Park Subdivision Corp, headped in green foil — its content were generally boobish by comparison. Clock radios, picnicware, bathroom firm was a mistake. He added, scale, towel sets, bowling balls, and other valuable prizes made up the general run of presentations. Those but some salesman got too eager.' in green foil included a bottle of pop, toys for kiddies and other items which probably didn't cost more than a half dollar. But included was a \$2-win ticket on a race run the previous day at Hollywood Park. One of the tickets was bound to be a winner as a ticket was bought for each entry. And after all the green foil wrapped prizes were given away, a tape recording of the race for which the tickets had been purchased was played over the sound system for the entire banquet to hear. Some lady had the winning ticket—a \$5.40 payoff-which she can cash when visiting Hollywood Park. The committee credited Haj Fukumoto, longtime 1000 Clubber from Long Beach-Harbor JACL, for this unique series of door prizes.

We said it was a different kind of Sunday-but it wasn't really that different. We've been attending these award banquets for many years and we have yet to hear our number called for a prize. So far as the table where we were is concerned, two out of seven did win which was above par for the course. So it was a happy table, if not a happy tale for us.

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# Dangerous Trend

has been particularly accentu- their vital energy. Popularity cific Northwest District Countion of the anniversary, how- trend burns itself out fast and confusion and even a danger- the limelight. ous trend.

sion that there was the danger of reemergence of a militaristic trend in the commemoration, in that it inspired people with an admiration for the feudalistic order of the Meiji Era. History could quite easithe will of the regime in

advent of historical works this country has no compulwhich can really convey the sory universal military train- view with Pat Suzuki (PC May meaning of Japanese history ing for young men. this idea causing a militaristic trend, far too many young punks

Is Baseball Striking Out?-Like the Americans, Japanese are avid baseball fans. In the drab Japan of the immediate postwar era, baseball was like an oasis to the leisure hungry Japanese. At the same time, it served as a springboard for the development of sports in to press his father to recover postwar Japan.

However, popularity of base- saying: ball is said to be declining. "Son, I went to Hawaii with The appearance of many other \$1,000 in my pocket. I led a forms of amusement and the wonderful life there, and growing desire of many Japa- everything was from Uncle Dear Sir: nese to take part in sports Sam. If Uncle Sam wants it themselves rather than re- now, it's his." main mere spectators could be a few of the reasons.

But a more basic cause States. seems to be the lack of sportsmanship and the lack of im- and fair people who helpedprovement of the players' and after all, we were at war. techniques. It is claimed also, that the spectators could im- and I guess I was on the prove their manners in the line." stadium for their part.

From an observer's point of view, however, this situation

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straining further sales. The Calif. the University of Hawaii. issued a "desist and refrain" order against Great Hawaiian Realty ally hopes to come back to Corp., headed by Norman N. Inaba, and against Hawaiian Paraed by David Watumull. Inaba said on May 18 the order against his "We don't sell land in California. We've been selling it in Arizona, On April 20 the Watumull Investment Co., Hawaiian Paradise Park Corp. and David Watumull were ordered to stop sales to Califor-

Direct air service between Okinawa and Hawaii has won the support of an important Okinawan political leader. Hajime Takara, chairman of the City Assembly in Naha, urges the service in an article for the Ryukyus Today magazine. Naha has a sister-city relationship with Honolulu. Takara's article notes the development of supersonic planes Area 1 and jumbo jets and comments: "We must ride the wave of such an era by opening a direct air route between Okinawa and Hawaii" . . . It will be four or five years before Pan American Airways decides when to cut the California-Hawaii flying time to 21/2 hours, Najeeb Halaby said in Las Vegas May 18. Halaby is Pan Am's senior vice president and former Federal Aviation Agency administrator. He explained that his carrier almost certainly would put its first 1,450-mph Concorde supersonics to work over the Atlantic.

Sports Scene . . .

Kailua High School's Surfriders beat Hilo High School Vikings. 5-1, at Honolulu Stadium May 13 to win the Hawaii High School Baseball championship. In other games, St. Louis whipped Baldwin, growers in eastern Oregon, The Privilege of Self-Denial. Guidelines" type brochure or 7-2, to gain third place and Waimea of Kauai blanked Lanai, 10-0, to win consolation honors.

Yokohama follows a typical Japanese pat- tle Human Rights Commis- the work which Phil and Don MA 4-2821 • New Openings Daily The "history boom" of re- tern. The Japanese people do sion when it was first origi- and their committee have done cent years in Japan, symbo- everything fast. They are nated in the early '60s. Phil is towards promoting the Human Plumber, exp ......4.00/5.00hr lized by an abundance of his- quick to take up a new trend, chairman for the Human Rights program. orical literature and dramas, style or personality with all Rights Committee for the Paated because of the Meiji Re- comes fast. But the people go cil. storation. In the interpreta- at it so eagerly, the style or ever, there seem to be some the personality fades out of Committee for the Seattle JA-

ular pastime.

Spring Training-Every year in spring, a batch of approximately 1,400,000 newly graduated youths start out in new jobs. As a first step, many companies now send their new employees out for training with the Self Defense Force, to learn responsibility, disci-On the other hand, current pline and group spirit through army life. The experiment has iod plays, which seem to be proved so satisfactory that this designed for providing the au- year, three times the number dience with the means for of companies as last year put needed relaxation in this age in applications for SFD trai-

It is hoped there will be an In view of the fact that Editor: contemporaries without was well founded. There are

# tvacuation ---

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his assets, the latter refused,

Yamamoto says he feels no bitterness toward the United

"There are a lot of honest "They had to draw the line.

### Left Hawaii in 1953

In 1953, Yamamoto left Hawaii with his wife and three children Today he has his own real estate business with vast development project in Hayama.

His daughter Ann attends Yamamoto says he eventu-

Hawaii for a visit. Despite his unjust treatment here during the war he says,

"My heart is in Hawaii." -Honolulu Star Bulletin

comeback.

Idaho and Montana.

Human Relations

areas must take place. The society is now made up and social justice. of so many complex problems that it requires study groups such as the human rights at our previous District Counprivate sectors with specialists The Pacific Northwest District Council and the Seattle JACL Chapter are fortunate in having men such as Philip Hayasaka and Donald Kazama, who have contributed so much of their time and effort to this cause.

Phil is a native of Seattle, graduate of the Univ. of Washington, and a father of two boys. He served several years as director of the Jackson

Don Kazama is serving as chairman of the Human Rights CL. He also is a native of In this country where half Scattle, has his master's de-The Japan Academy's Aca- the population is said to be gree from Graduate School of baseball fans, it will be inter- Social Work of Univ. of Washesting to note which way the ington, and father of four chilball goes. It will take quite dren. He is employed by the a fad to replace such a pop- Veterans Administration as a supervisor of out-patient clinic, and also serves as supervisor of the mental health clinic of the Veterans Hospital.

The Pacific Northwest District Council has included in their agenda for the last two meetings a forum on human rights, which proved to be very successful. The purpose of these forums is to stimu-

PC Letterbox

ing for their new employees. That Pat personality

The Karen Hanamoto inter-

had a superlative one.

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### 75c on a dollar

American bombing raids perhaps disgraceful. against enemy held territory. The final total payment is said to probably surpass \$250 mil-

This 75c on the dollar is more than most corporate claimants had expected, and is in shart contrast to the less than 10c on the dollar paid to Japanese Americans on evacuation claims. We also recall how the payment of \$36.9 million on more than \$400 million in claims was threatened with taxation

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# 25 Years Ago

in the Pacific Citizen, June 4, 1942

Army to order evacuation of mapped by Clarence Pickett Military Area 2; 94,330 Japa- of American Friends Service nese removed from Military Committee. ACLU will underwrite all ex-

Native Sons of Golden West; penses to test constitutionality American Legion and Joint of wholesale evacuation, based Immigration Committee file on detention of Gordon K. Hisuits to disenfranchise Nisei rabayashi, 24, of Seattle, selfvoters of San Francisco and styled "conscientious objector Alameda counties; ACLU to to evacuation". join JACL in opposition. For- National JACL Headquarters The San Jose visit enabled mer state attorney general at San Francisco closes May Dr. Tom Taketa, Convention Webb proposed stripping 20; JACLers assist administra- Chairman, and I to discuss citizenship of all Japanese, tion at various assembly cen- Convention problems over

whether foreign or American-ters. born, as step for political Production of camouflage District Court that he was an bets in hosting an efficient netting at Manzanar one of agent of a foreign power. and hospitable affair. We will first WRA work projects;

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Puyallup, Wash. late wider interest in this WANTED What is more important than field. The exchange of opinions people who make up the fam- and ideas proves that people ily, society and the world? are thinking about this con-Through careful guidance of cern, and as conversations and parents, children are taught discussions take place, we are love, discipline, justice, and to better informed on how we, be individuals, thus harmony as individuals, can improve takes place in the home. But and be of help to others who sooner or later, they need to are less fortunate. If each of be exposed to the outside us will be more aware of the world and the society where significance of human relaindifferences occur. All of us tions, then we can hope to MAINTENANCE COUPLE for a are entitled to our own opi- join as a group to work out nions, but in order to get some of the problems conalong compromising in many fronting the minorities in areas of housing, employment

As Mas Satow informed us commission in the public and cil meeting that JACL had gone on record to support Civil in this very specialized area. Rights movement many years ago, but actually what have we done to promote it? Too many people are too complacent with themselves, saying it, we didn't do it alone, and we still have a long ways to NEEDED AT ONCE go. We are now accepted in many areas but not all areas, so we must continue to work and study, gain respect, and also help others who need to reach our level.

In conclusion, I would like Street Community Council, to express in behalf of the then was appointed by Mayor Pacific Northwest District Clinton as director of the Seat- Council our appreciation for

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minority, is indeed a blessing. All California chapters and JACLers are urged to contact Food Processing, dntn.....1.40hr their legislators and the Committee to (1) throw out the Burns Bill SB 9 and (2) to bring out a bill strengthening FOR SALE the Rumford Act.

SAN JOSE JUNIORS

The San Jose Jr. JACL last week honored three Japanese Americans for outstanding community service. The contributions of the three, Mrs. Kei Ishikawa; Paul Sakamoto, principal of Sunnyvale High School; and Yosh Uchida, "Mr. Judo", to their community are varied, but impressive. A beautiful and symbolic cup accompanied several very nicely said tributes by the youth. The toastmastering duties vere adroitly handled by Ben Matsuura.

National Jr. JACL Youth 19) is great. Her gifted re- Chairman Russ Obana's adporting allows the reader to dress was timely and provograsp some of the Pat per- cative. Russ spoke of the con-This is one field that needs making life difficult for decent sonality and character. Pat's cerns of today's youth in matexpert and capable handling. citizens here these days, but "all heart" as some of us say ters which traditionally were alas, those that need this about her around here. "Hon- reserved for "grown ups". Intraining the most are still free est, impulsive and direct," the volvement in questions about to molest girls, extort money interviewer Karen said, and I the draft, Vietnam, academic and intimidate the public. might add, discerning in her freedom, civil rights, etc , sugevaluations and a star who gest that traditional concepts NISEI truly never forgets a friend. of patriotism and morality are Maybe I should have done being questioned. Symptoms a piece on Pat, but then you like unconventional dress, draft card burning, demonstra-ELMER OGAWA tions, reflect a kind of rebellion which may be difficult to accept, but necessary to try and understand, if any kind of dialogue is to be initiated with some of our youth.

I felt that this kind of a It is of interest to the Japa- message demonstrates a renese Americans that the For- sponsible attempt to begin sayeign Claims Settlement Com- ing to the Nisei that the Sanmission has quietly awarded sei are more involved in the \$213 million, tax free, to U.S. happening of the day than companies for property dam- we were. Further, that their aged abroad during World interests and the manner of War II. Some of the damage, their expression will be emit is stated, was inflicted by barrassing and, to some of us,

This annual Recognitions Banquet, planned and run strictly by the Juniors, is an excellent program idea.

### OTHER SIDE OF COIN

We enjoyed the hospitality of Grant and Amy Shimizu after the dinner, together with the Ishikawas, Taketas, and Kanemotos. During the discussion the feeling was expressed that Nisei parents, being human, are the products of their times and upbringing, much of which was good.

What I felt was being said

was that maybe understanding and communication is a two way street. If youth want | Kenny Yoshimura to be accepted as mature partners in planning of their destiny, maybe some willingness to listen and understand the limitations or motivation of their parents is called for. know that many adults are bugged by apparent indications of the "we want freedom but not responsibility" syndrome among young people, although I certainly don't feel this is an exclusive youth shortcoming.

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breakfast. Although cramped a Seattle attorney Tom Masu- bit by limited facilities, San da acquitted of charges in U.S. Jose is trving to overlook no Editorial Titles: U.S. Nisei be getting a long overdue, and evacuer labor sought by beet 1942; Loyalty Demonstrated; badly needed, "Convention Nisei USA (by Larry Ta- booklet out of this one, thanks

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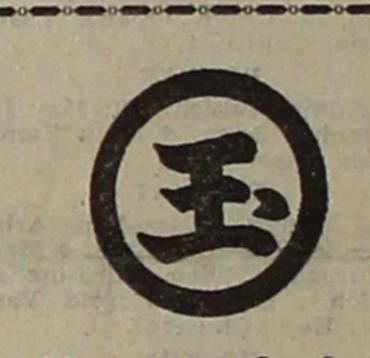
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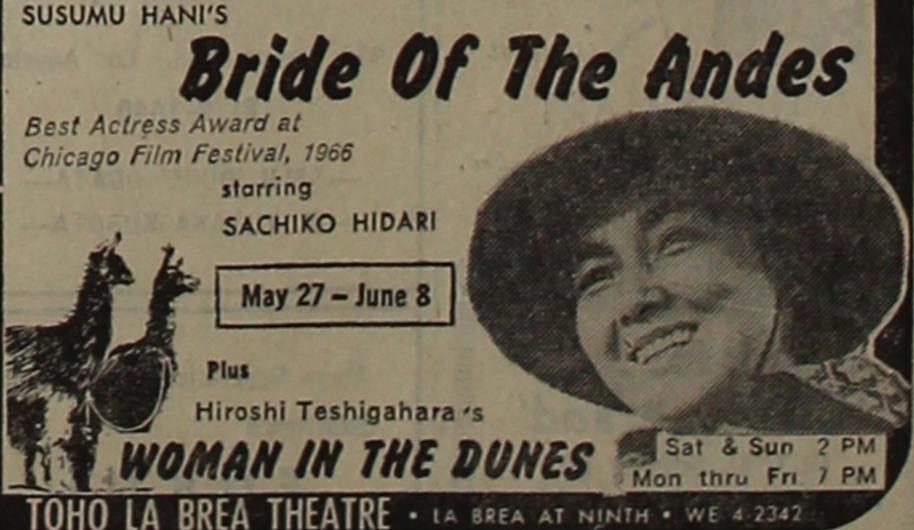
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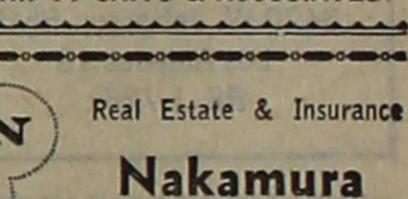
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