

By JERRY ENOMOTO National JACL President

Sacramento During over 15 years of JA-CL activity I have taken in three NCWN-DC confabs in tended and fun. A requisite is that one be philosophical enough to reconcile any fiscal GRADUATE WINS misfortune with the benefits of good fellowship. The recent

Keeping Nevada Green

true Japanese tradition, I can say that the weekend was "nigi yaka."

Adding to the festivity were several visiting firemen from PSW. We picked up Betty and Mary (you guessed the last names), at the Sacramento airport Friday night, Ellen by the Brown, no, Ground, Cow in the rustic environs of Penryn, and hit the "Biggest Little City in the World" a couple of hours later. We greeted PSWDC Governor Al Hatate at the airport, checked into the Sparks Nugget (a Reno suburb) and had a party with a generous repast of "bento" prepared by Ellen and some liquid refreshment provided by all. Joining us Diegans. were 1st VP Henry Kanegae and Aki, who had flown in earlier, on a two-engine Comanche.

The weekend was also of Henry's bird, one of these days maybe I'll work up enough courage to go up with

tive Board. The one item of his training in civil engineerbusiness was a policy state- ing, microbiology and biochement on Civil Rights activity mistry "that in some small for the District. The statement way I can help in the cleanwhich may be seen as the us- up and prevention of water ual JACL gobbledegook by pollution in this country and some, strikes me as a reason- in the world." able guideline for responsible Obayashi received a B.S. involvement by the District. in Engineering from San Die-It doesn't take much imagi- go State College in June '67 nation to recognize that no po- and M.S. in Civil Engineerlicy is worth any more than ing from Stanford in June '68. what responsible JACLers are He is now working towards a willing to do about imple- Ph. D. at Oklahoma State menting it.

The meeting was marked by a visibly large number of delegates and boosters, who forsook the green felt jungles and slot machines long enough to take care of business. A highlight was the election, which saw Dr. Kengo Terashita re-elected as Governor. We extend our best wishes to him, and his Board, for a term as successful as the last.

ter President, Bill Spahr, the dream - the M.D. degreebanquet marked the presentation of some membership awards by our National Director, an educational talk by Dr. University of Nevada on "Ja-panese Immigrants in Nevada," and the installation, which I was privileged to conduct. We were honored with here in 1867 rededicated at Reno the presence of Congressman Walter S. Baring who returned from Washington a day RENO - The tombstone of ic activities in Reno.

On Sunday morning a good- panese to Land in the U.S.A. dent participated in the pro- San Francisco. ly number were on hand at 1867" was re-dedicated Sun- gram which included the pre- The district delegates also Johnson's Motor Lodge Nov. adopted by voice vote, Oct. 21, 1969; and urg- merce, at its October meeting, the Mountain View Cemetery day, Oct. 26, at a new rest- sentation of Wakamatsu Cen- voted to instruct all district 22-23 for its fourth quarterly 1969. in Reno for the rededication ing place in Mountain View tennial Commemmora-committees to clear future re-session, will orient incoming of the restored grave of an cemetery. kahashi. Chaired by Dr. Eu- ed the memorial service at Mrs. Toyo Baba, Mrs. Moto Fu- to the public. gene Choy (an honorary Ja- the cemetery overlooking the kui, Masaichi Nishiguchi and Ikupanese), with Reverends Fu- city of Reno. It was conduct- taro Oshima. jimoto and Hada assisting, the ed by Rev. Akira Hata of the program was a very nice ac- Placer Buddhist church in knowledgment of Issei con- Penryn, Calif. tennial Coin to the four Is- abandoned graveyard near the died while the vessel was in Charles Boch of San Benito Counsei over 80: Mrs. Toyo Baba, Univ. of Nevada campus.

Mrs. Moto. Fukui. Massichi. Mrs. Moto Fukui, Masaichi Several years ago his grave- panese graves in the United Nishiguchi and Ikutaro Oshi- stone was taken to the JACL- States. Originally buried in Bob Morimoto of Livingston,

In the crowd was a group ect in Los Angeles. of some 50 JACLers from the Placer County Chapter including a number of Issei, who Effort to have Takahashi's Colma.) came up specifically for the grave moved to a more perdedication of the Takahashi manent site was initiated by

panese graves in the abandon- at Mountain View cemetery ed cemetery restored. The was chosen and original to be fully at home in America names of the interred will gravestone was recently re- to be fully at home in America soon appear on these pages, turned and imbedded flat in with the hope that informa- cement. tion about them might be obtained.

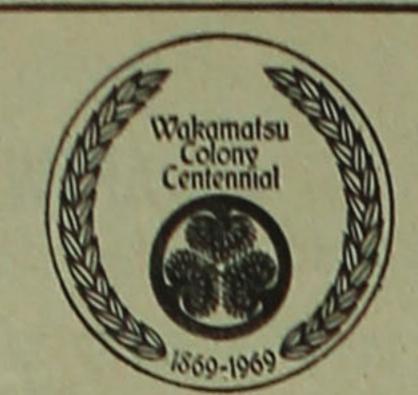
We thank and congratulate the Reno Chapter, through its President Kaz Fujimoto, past President Bill Spahr, and Convention Chairman Wilson Makabe for their part in hosting a most successful meeting. . GENERAL NEWS No doubt many JACLers co- Title II repeal efforts continue operated in the hosts requests for help in "keeping Nevada

the chance to share the festive weekend with our PSW friends, whom we hoped enjoyed it as much as we did. We also thank our home grown product, Ellen ("Fu- JACL-DISTRICT jin") for her hospitality.

1000 Club Honor Roll

Current 1000 Club members as of Nov. 30 will be listed in the annual Honor Roll to be published in the Pacific Citizen Holiday Issue.

To make sure, forward the 1000 Club con- Dohzen: Nat'l Youth Meeting. tribution (\$25 or more) to National JACL Headquarters, 1634 Post St., San Francisco, Calif. 94115 today.



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the "green" state of Nevada. All of them have been well atmeeting hosted by the Reno DR. NOBE AWARD

Scholarship Winner Alan Obayashi Named by San Diego JACL

By BERRY SUZUKIDA

CHICAGO - Alan Walter Obayashi, who lives at Unit 87, Apt. 10, South University Place, Stillwater, Oklahoma, is the 1969 winner of the \$500 Dr. Mutsumi Nobe JACL Graduate Scholarship Award. He was sponsored by the San Diego JACL Chapter.

The 23-year old Alan is married and the father of two boys, age 31/2 years and 7

Alan's major field of interest lies in bioengineering with marked by another "first" - he was always fascinated by I got to sit behind the wheel clean freshwater lakes, nation's water supply.

Invited both Henry and Al Alan, appalled by the utter

University.

Established in 1966

The annual Dr. Nobe Scholarship program was established in 1966 by Catherine Nobe in memory of her belov-

Dr. Nobe had a passionate interest in education. When he graduated University of Southern California in 1930 during the Depression, lack of finances prevented his entering medical school. He fi-Emceed by past Reno Chap- nally realized his lifelong

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upward: Episcopal Diocese of

plemental group insurance1

Sonoma County to honor Issei pio-

Enomoto: Keep Nevada Green.

Hosokawa: Time to Move.

Takashima: New Blood.

Henry: Strange Visitors.

Gima: Episcopal Bishop.

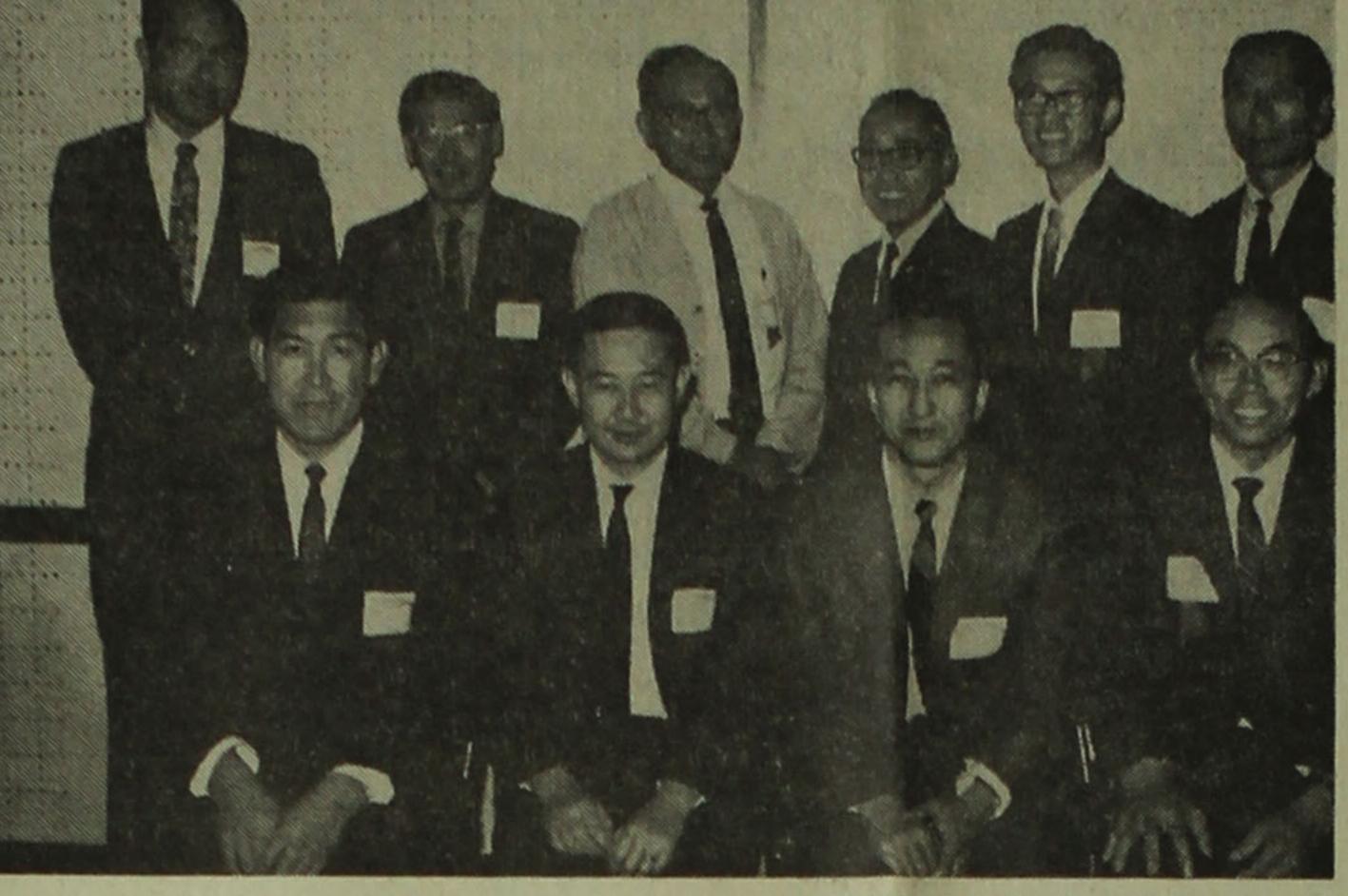
Beekman: Macabre Climax.

• JACL-NATIONAL

• JACL-CHAPTERS

• COLUMNISTS

Nearly 200 persons attend- no Issei. They were:



months. His parents, Walter NC-WNDC BOARD-Dr. Kengo Terashita and Michiko Obayashi, and of Stockton (seated, second from right) was two younger sisters are San re-elected governor of Northern California-Western Nevada District Council Oct. 25 at the meeting hosted by Reno JACL. With him specific emphasis on water are other board members (from left): seated pollution control. Because he -John Yasumoto of San Francisco; Ray grew up within an arid re- Okamura of Berkeley, sec.; Terashima; and gion (San Diego, California) Dr. Harry Hatasaka of Sequoia, v.g.; stand-

ing- Tony Boch of San Benito County 1000 Club; Ed Hoshino of San Jose; Bob Morimoto of Livingston-Merced; Tom Fujimoto of Sacramento; Shigeki Sugiyama of Alameda; and Grant Shimizu of San Jose, past dist. gov. Missing are Peter Yamamoto of Cortez, treas.; and James Kimoto of Contra

-PC Photo by Steve Doi.

streams and rivers. This early fascination led to his deep NC-WNDC reelects Gov. Kengo, concern for the purity of our to sit in on a luncheon meet- disregard and misuse of our adds DYC chairman to boarding with the District Execu- lakes and rivers, hopes with adds DYC chairman to board

Northern California-Western chapter. Nevada JACL district governor, Oct. 25 at the NCWN District Council's fourth and last quarterly meeting of the

He was installed along with be a major assignment. other new district officers and was held in the afternoon.

nor with Ray Okamura of previously reported deficit. Berkeley as secretary and Peter Yamamoto of Cortez as treasurer.

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policy was adopted by the dis- ded. trict at the business meeting It was presented by Ed Hoshi of San Jose, district civil rights committee chairman, Continued on Page 6 and incorporated parts of

SPARKS, Nev. - Dr. Kengo both his committee's earlier were elected by the new Terashita of Stockton was re- recommendation and those board and introduced at the elected to a second term as submitted by the Alameda dinner. All were present ex-

> urged the early retention of a regional director for the district and specially asked that civil rights activities

The report on the Wakaboard members at a dinner at matsu Centennial program the Sparks convention hall was presented by Masao Sawhere the district meeting tow, National JACL director, in which he stated that sales Dr. Harry Hatasaka of Pa- of the Wakamatsu commemolo Alto was named vice-gover- rative coins had covered the

Coins Still Available

The coins are still available for sale and to present to Issei over 70 as mementoes of competed for jobs. A seven-point civil rights this centennial year, he ad-

The district council took a step to give added recognition to the Junior JACL groups by making the district youth council chairman a regular member of the district board.

He will serve with the 10 directors (five elected annually for two-year terms), the Supplemental district 1000 Club chairman Supplemental and past governor, an ex-officio member.

sa, the district's youth comearlier to attend our banquet. Umekuchi Takahashi, carry- Jerry Enomoto of Sacra- missioner. The current DYC SHERMAN OAKS-The Paci-

Board of Governors

(Editor's note-The graves tion, following were elected: Alfred Hatate. of the three sailors who came Directors (two year term): Dr. tribution to the Reno area.

A highlight was the presenta- Oct. 8, 1907 at the age of 61 first Japanese man of war, and Yamamoto, re-elect-ly appointed field director for meda, James Kiyoshi Kimoto of special projects, will be fortion of the Wakamatsu Cen- and was buried in a now the Kanrin Maru, in 1860 and Richmond and Hoshino, 1000 Club mally introduced to the dis-

> Holdover members are: UCLA Japanese history proj- the cemetery which is now Okamura, Tom Fujimoto of Sacra- being hosted by San Fernando 6-0 (one member absent) a gistering his violent objec-Lincoln Park golf course, the mento, John Yasumoto of San Valley JACL, will be held resolution expressing its options.
>
> Francisco and Dr. Terashita, Grant Sunday morning for 1970 position to Title II of the In-Berkeley JACL spokesman

panese cemetery in nearby as ex-officio past governor. -Nichibei Times The new district officers members. The Reno Chapter is interdhist Church and carried out by the Reno JACL. The site Malsunaga urges Buddhists in U.S.

Kanrin Maru Sailors

Dr. Nobe graduate scholarship said in the speech here Oct. 26 by hope and by patience.

'Artful Living in Japan'

Masaoka: School Desegregation ends, Feb. 20 - Mar. 14, 1970. and equal rights for all," he

By the Board: Dr. Frank Saka- vis, Calif.) Ye Ed: In Defense of Free Speech. Renew Your Membership

plots away from a huge tomb- tsunaga urged Americans of ways in which Buddhists can well as the district insurance mended the JACL for its stone for the Mapes family, the Buddhist faith to enter the contribute to American life. committee have recommended leadership in sponsoring the noted for their hotel and civ- American mainstream and The experience of Japanese- the proposal submitted by repeal bills. make their religion "a way of Americans can be an inspira- Golden State Life Insurance A similar resolution unani- ity emergencies," concluded life fully at home in the Am- tion for the other ethnic mi- Co., be presented to the coun- mously adopted (9-0; 2 mem- Okamura. erican scene and not merely norities who must contend cil for its action. Merits of bers absent) by the City of as an object of interest to with racial prejudice and in- the plan as a "supplemental" Hayward Human Relations maining seven councilmen exjustice, he said.

Buddhists can render a spe- Matsunaga recalled t he Calif., City of Hayward, City of cial service to America by im- "days of severe testing after Berkeley pass repeal resolu- parting those ideals of con- Pearl Harbor" and added, Joyce and I also welcomed Oriental workers at Sacramento templation and serenity "We cannot but be inspired air base by-passed, win appeal "which we so desperately and strengthened by the evifor job promotion need in this time of stress." dence of what can be accom-

promise of America.

Buddhist Church on Fridays growing pains of a nation officio, also is a voting mem- title II of the Internal Security President Harry Takahashi, and Special Eyeglass bill and Saturdays for four works moving toward fuller institute. and Saturdays for four week- moving toward fuller justice ber.

cept Kimoto and Yamamoto, The district council also who were unable to attend. Evening Speaker

Dr. Wilbur Shepperson, University of Nevada history professor, speaker at the dinner on the topic "Japanese mmigrants in Nevada History," pointed out that the whole history of the state was dominated by immigrants. Chinese, Irish, French, Ital- curity Emergency", of persons be- lieved likely to engage in or to conspire with others to engage in of Hayward that said City Council. numbered the native-borns acts of treason or of espionage, cil hereby expresses its opposiuntil quite recently. All and groups were targets of inti-

Sizeable numbers of Japanese worked on the railroads and in the mines of Nevada ericans in World War II produced soon after the turn of the cenresults that were less than desirabout repeal of the Emergency -Nichibei Times.

The move was recommend- Group insurance ed by Frank Oda of Santa Ro-

when it meets here at Howard ulations on Sept. 9, by Diocesan ing Title II of the Internal Se- Japanese Chamber of Comtive coins to four elderly Re- leases through the district officers during the chapter board before releasing them clinic, elect new officers for to the public. The coming biennium and consider a supplemental group health insurance plan, it was In the district council electron announced by District Gov. Commends JACL on, following were elected:

Alfred Hatate

Warren T. Furutani, recenttrict council and will be speaker at the district insta- HAYWARD - The Hayward nis refused to be gaveled Sacramento County lation luncheon Sunday.

Chapter Installation

CL installation dinner being tention Act. held in conjunction with the evening.

be cited.

chairman as voting members the presentation.

vation, we can offer counsel governor, vice-governor, secof unwavering belief in the promise of America.

will elect the four officers— Minami, Eden Township JACL; ratzka, McLaren, and Vice- the Issei guests, plaques will and Harold Moore, exec. sec., Mayor Wilmont Sweeney be given to the oldest widow, were responsible for prepar- widower and living counter with the six hoard members. as the six board members. neers of four North Bay area... 7 SACRAMENTO - UC Davis "Having suffered through Previously, it had elected the Extension course on "Artful change, we know that many board members who in turn Whereas, with knowledge of the Takagi: Notes on Quiet Amer- Living in Japan" will be of the tensions in our society chose their officers. The im-

those over age 65; \$7 per weekend addience they can play a visual be observed on the Whereas, the Emergency Deten-for general public. (Write to: Mrs. tal role as a bridge of under- fourth Monday in October in- tion Act provides that, during whereas the Emergency Deten-Renew Your Membership

To general public. (Write to: Mrs. tal Tole as a Dringe of united and communication stead of Nov. 11, formerly periods of "internal security emergency" any person who probably will engage in, or probably will engage in engage in, o

Title II repeal move

Episcopal Diocese of California gives by a Preliminary Hearing Officer will not be brought to trial unand a Detention Review Board, der law, but instead will be

By KO IJICHI

its convention here Oct. 24voice vote the resolution for the City of Hayward is to create repeal of Title II of the Inter- an environment which will ennal Security Act of 1950.

Diocese to write their legisla- order; and guaranteed equal rights tors in Congress to support and opportunities for all, regard-S. 1872 and HR 11825, the two bills specifically aimed at retion provisions.

dangers in the present law as entire community; and "the lack of definite criteria on the basis of which an in- Commission of the City of Haydividual may be detained" and ment the above-stated public the Japanese Americans in the limited review".

"dangers inherent in this type Commission has found that the in their triumph over wartime of procedure are much greater Emergency Detention Act has om- adversities. than any possible benefit that inous implications for the racial may arise . . . Given another and ethnic communities because period for hysteria, we might rather than individual terms, con- Gardena city council very well see a repeat of the trary to the best American tradicurred at the beginning of Commission has unanimously ap-World War II."

Resolution Supporting Repeal of Title II

1950 Internal Security Act Whereas the Internal Security Act of 1950 provides, in Title II, Council take appropriate steps to Internal Security Act. They came in waves-the President to be an "Internal Se- gency Detention Act; Whereas this type of detention without hearing is contrary to the

midation and attacks as they legal principles of constitutional Whereas the experience of this the internment of Japanese-Am- sional delegation from the Hay- SEATTLE-Urging a ringing

Whereas at the present time Detention Act. Senate and House bills supporting the Repeal of Title II (Emergency Detention Act of 1950) are pending in Congress, namely S 1872 and HR 11825, now, therefore, Be it resolved that the 12th Convention of the Episcopal Diocese of California support the re-peal of Title II (Emergency De-tention Act of 1950), of the Internal Security Act of 1950, and Be it further be resolved that this Convention urge the people of the Diocese to write their legislators in support of the House and Senate bills (S 1872 and HR 11825) to repeal the Emergency Deten- BERKELEY-The City Coun- Title II serious threat Note: This resolution was passed cil of Berkeley, by a vote of

City Council on Oct. 22, una- down by Mayor Wallace The annual chapter clinic, nimously passed by a vote of Johnson, and insisted on re- supervisors for repeal chapter officials and board ternal Security Act of 1950 Ray Okamura rose to answer and making its position known the questions raised by DeBoto the Congressional delega- nis by pointing out that Title tion from the Hayward area II covers persons who probab-Jerry Enomoto, national with a request that they exert ly will commit espionage or president, will be speaker at their influence to bring about sabotage, and not persons who the San Fernando Valley JA- repeal of the Emergency De probably did. "This law is a

Mayor John K. Smith and quarterly session on Saturday every member of the Coun- II," said Okamura. cil present warmly express-The district executive board ed their feelings of the Jap-The new site is only a few ANAHEIM-Rep. Spark Ma- Matsunaga outlined two at its October meeting, as anese Americans and com-

program for JACLers are to Commission at its Sept. 5, meeting was presented and The council will also con- read with a recommendation sider the proposal to have the for Council's adoption by the district youth commissioner Commission. Member Com-

Text of resolution:

Whereas, a person detained un- be incarcerated in detention der the Emergency Detention Act camps; and will not be brought to trial under Whereas, a person detained unlaw, but instead will be judged der the Emergency Detention Act

dence or produce witnesses to jus- prove his innocense but the govall constitutional guarantees and nesses to justify the detention; protections, and are unnecessary and as existing laws and procedures are available and are completely late all constitutional guarantees

City's Public Policy

courage and bring about mutual understanding and respect among It urged the people of the all groups of the City; eliminate prejudice, discrimination and disless of race, religion or national

Whereas, the City Council of pealing the emergency deten- the City of Hawyard finds that such invidious discrimination foments strife, disease, crime, and In the statement presented delinquency; imposes substantial Berkeley does hereby declare its to the convention, delegate C. financial burdens upon the City, opposition to the Emergency De-Thorne Case cited two basic morals, safety and welfare of the nal Security Act of 1950), and

Whereas, the Human Relations the "detention being by non- policy and among other things, judicial bodies with only very to foster mutual understanding, California, and in the United respect and good will among the varied racial, religious and na-He also suggested that tionality groups of the City; and

proved a motion opposing this GARDENA - The Gardena measure, and strongly recomcurity Act of 1950, and that said repeal of Title II of the 1950 for the Emergency Detention, un- exert their influence to bring der circumstances declared by the about the repeal of the Emer- Calif. JACL Committee to re-

> tion to Subtitle II of the Internal Security Act of 1950 (Emergency Seattle Times calls for Detention Act); and Be it further resolved that this

Council's position be made known to all members of the Congresward area, with a request that

day night, Oct. 28, also ex- all Americans." pressed the City's friendship Dr. Bob H. Suzuki of Pasaand goodwill for its Japanese dena, So. Calif. Ad Hoc Com-American citizens.

Councilman Tom McLaren II repeal camyaign, made a introduced the resolution and personal appeal with the Nistarted to make some opening sei businessmen's group remarks, but was immediate- founded in 1900 while on valy challenged by Councilman cation there last summre. John DeBonis, who is known for his outspokenness. DeBo-

chilling reminder of our own detention during World War Henry Taketa at a chapter dinner meeting Sept. 5 when

"With all the difficulties we have had in the past, this city especially should be well aware of all the laws available to protect us from actual internal secur-

Mayor Johnson and the re- Consul General Shima pressed their support of the to address Fresno Fete resolution, and when the vote was taken, only DeBonis re- FRESNO - Japanese Consul gistered a loud "no."

ing the resolution.

Act of 1950 (Emergency Detention Board Members Goro Endo, Act), to the civil rights of all George Kagawa, Tad Hirota, Roy WASHINGTON — All mem-

can be incarcerated in detention conspire with others to engage in. acts of espionage or sabotage can

wherein the detainee must prove judged by a Preliminary Hearing his innocence, but the government Officer and a Detention Review is not required to disclose evi- Board, wherein the detainee must ernment is not required to dis-Whereas, said procedures violate close evidence or produce wit-

Whereas, said procedures vio-SAN FRANCISCO—The Epis- adequate to safeguard internal se- and protections, principles of de-copal Diocese of California at curity; and curity; and since existing laws and procedures since existing laws and procedures are available and are completely adequate to safeguard internal

> Whereas, such a law has ominous implications for the racial and ethnic communities because of past history with particular relation to the World War II detention experience of American citizens of Japanese ancestry, and because of its approach to justice in group rather than individual terms, contrary to the best Amer-

Now, therefore be it resolved. that the Council of the City of

urges its repeal. does hereby express its sincere City of Berkeley, in the State of States of America, wishes them continuing prosperity and success

mended to this Council that they city council Oct. 14 adopted a also affirm their opposition to resolution in support of the

Ken Yoshikawa, of the So.

demand by citizens of all skin colors, religious beliefs and ethnic backgrounds, the Seattles Times in its Oct. 23 editorial called for repeal of detention camp section of the

1950 Internal Security Act. It "will impress Mr. Nixon and Congress that the obnoxious detention-camp legal authority is not to be longer tolerated even on a standby basis," the editorial declared.

Honolulu JCC calls

ing the inscription "First Ja- mento, National JACL presi- chairman is John Sugiyama of fic Southwest District Council by the Department of Social Reg- 8 to 1, took a position oppos- HONOLULU - The Honolulu ed Congress to repeal it. The urged repeal of Title II beresolution, passed at a regu- cause it presents "a serious lar council meeting on Tues- threat to the civil rights of

mittee chairman of the Title

SACRAMENTO - The Sacramento County Board of Supervisors passed a resolution advocating repeal of Title II, according to the Sacramento JACL Newsletter, which reported a copy of the resolution is now being prepared by the county counsel. The action was reported by

Rep. Moss spoke. The chapter is preparing to appeal the city council for passage of a similar resolution, according to Robert Matsui, chapter president.

General Seiichi Shima at San

The resolution supporting Francisco will address the and district youth council missioner James Boone made repeal of Title II was initiat- Central California JACL Dised by Jordan Hiratzka, a long trict Council's celebration of of the district executive Present at this Council ses- time Japanese American com- the Japanese immigration cen-

chairman Ben Nakamura an-Other Berkeley JACL mem- nounced.

Americans; and
Whereas, American citizens of kamura, Tom Saito, Takeo Shira-\$50 for credits; \$25 noncredit:

Matsunaga also told his Beginning in 1971, Veterans all nationalities regret that sad sawa, Frank Yamasaki, and eyeglasses would be issued audience they can play a vi- Day will be observed on the part of our recent history; and those over age 65; \$7 per weekend for students and those over age 65; \$7 per weekend to the part of our recent history; and the p by Mike Masaoka

Washington Newsletter

Public School Desegregation Test



In a decision which many are interpreting as a repudiation of the Nixon Administration's public can Republicans, at Coast & school desegregation schedule, the Supreme Court of the United States unanimously in an unsigned opinion October 29, 1969, directed that school districts chairman, said the course is must end segregation "at once" and operate integrated open to the public. systems "now and hereafter".

While the far-reaching ruling will unquestionably apply to southern states where dual educational systems still exist, there is a continuing question as to whether the decision will also affect de facto segregation in northern, midwestern, and western cities.

In this, the first major opinion handed down since Warren Burger replaced Earl Warren as Chief Justice, the nation's highest tribunal substituted "immediate County chapter of the Calif. compliance" for its "all deliberate speed" doctrine of Assn. of Nurserymen, being 15 years ago when a unanimous Warren Court held succeeded by Ronald Caird of that "separate but equal" school facilities were, in Santa Barbara. fact, "unequal" and that racial discrimination in public school attendance was unconstitutional.

The effect of last week's historic decision, accord- the Profesional Gardeners Feing to Court observers, is to write a legal end to the period during which the courts have entertained while Ohki heads the insuvarious excuses for failure for early integration of rance committee. Both are respublic schools.

Although the decision is considered a stinging setback for the Nixon Administration's educational program, it may also well indicate that the new Chief Justice, nominated because of his general conservatism on legal issues, will be a liberal in the Earl Warren tradition in civil rights matters.

Only a week earlier, the Justice Department had argued that delays were permissible in requiring in- weeks. Miyoshi Shimonaga's tegration in some school districts and that providing five-color design was the continuing education should take precedence over enforcing social justice.

The Court of Last Resort vacated an order of the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals of August 28, in which University in Japan and had the lower court had granted delay in desegrating some previously done posters for 33 school districts in Mississippi at the request of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare. The Supreme Court declared that the Court of Appeals Puente, won the V.C. Walston "should have denied all motions for additional time because continued operation of segregated schools under a standard allowing 'all deliberate speed' for desegregation is no longer constitutionally permissible."

The cases at bar were remanded (returned) to the Fifth Circuit, which was directed "to issue its decree and order effective immediately, declaring that each of the school districts here involved may no longer operate a dual school system based on race or color, and directing that they begin immediately to operate as unitary school systems within which no person is to be effectively excluded from any school because of race or color."

The intent of the Supreme Court was underscored by a directive that the "Court of Appeals shall retain jurisdiction to insure prompt and faithful compliance" with its order.

At the same time, the High Court apparently accepted the arguments of Counsel for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP), which brought the appeal, for the establishment of a precedent that desegregation plans should remain in force even while moves to delay or upset them were pending in the courts. The Supreme Court empowered the lower court to hear and consider objections to its order, but only if "the Court of Appeals order shall be complied with while the District Court considers such objections or amendments, if any are made."

The case was argued for the Nixon Administration by Assistant Attorney General Jerris Leonard, who heads up the Department of Justice's Civil Rights Division. In this connection, it is recalled that the government's decision to seek a delay in ordering the desegregation of certain Mississippi school districts touched off an unprecedented internal rebellion by some staff attorneys of the division who charged that the Nixon Administration was not meeting its legal obligation to enforce the civil rights laws. In fact, the chief attorney for the division's staff was forced to resign because he questioned the attitude of Attorney General John Mitchell and HEW Secretary Robert Finch on school integration.

Regardless, at last weekend, President Nixon issued a statement that his Administration will do all it can to carry out the Supreme Court's new school desegregation decision.

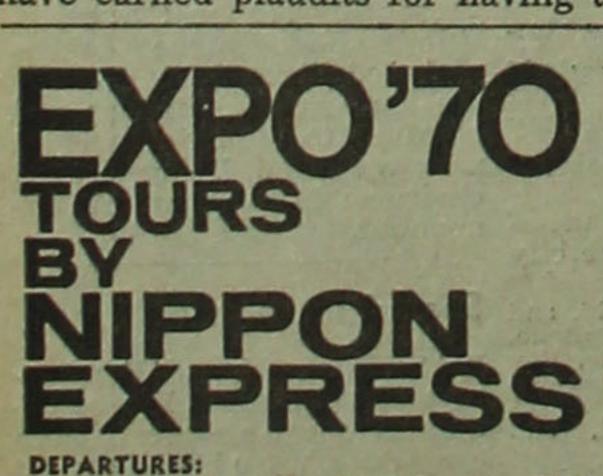
"The Supreme Court has spoken decisively on the timing of school desegregation," the Chief Executive said. "There are of course practical and human problems involved. With all of us working together in full respect for the law, I am confident that we can overcome these problems. I intend to use the leadership resources of the executive branch of government to assist in every possible way in doing this."

Both Attorney General Mitchell and HEW Secretary Finch issued similar statements of intent. The Attorney General noted that the Supreme Court "did not change the law with respect to what is required of a school district, but rather changed only the time within which the transition must be brought about."

When the case was first argued, some political pundits thought that the Nixon Administration was trying to redeem last fall's campaign pledge to "slow down" the drive to desegregate the public schools. By so doing, it was reasoned that the President was trying to maintain his so-called southern strategy under which conservative actions in the area of civil rights would assure the electoral votes for the presidency in 1972 to the incumbent. This strategy would count on western and midwestern support for the President in the next election, while writing off the populous eastern urban and industrial states.

To these political analysts, Richard Nixon would be the winner regardless of the Supreme Court's decision.

If the tribunal ruled in favor of delay, the south would be thankful and grateful. If the eight justices ruled against delay, as they did, the President would at least have earned plaudits for having tried.



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Politics

An eight-week course in practical politics for Republican volunteers will start Nov. 6, according to Ed Kakita, president of Japanese Ameri-Southern Federal Savings Bldg., 855 S. Hill St., Rm. 1224. Frances Ishii, program

Flowers-Garden Robert Goka of West Los Angeles was elected president of the Centinela chapter of the Calif. Assn. of Nurserymen's, succeeding Mrs. Ruth Yoshiki of Hawthorne . . . Richard

Matsui of Camarillo is the

outgoing president of the Tri-

Tom Koga and Edwin Ohki were elected for a 2 year term to the board of directors of deration for Northern California. Koga is vice president

idents of Sonoma County.

Awards Producer Henry Ushijima of Chicago won top prize at the 1969 Information Film Producers Festival held in San Francisco recently . . . Colorful posters heralding the Chicago Symphony's 79th season have been up for several prize-winning poster. A 23year-old senior student at Chicago Art Institute, she attended the Musashino Arts the Noh Theater.

Clifton S. Tanaka, 17, son of the Toshihara Tanakas, La Continued on Page 7

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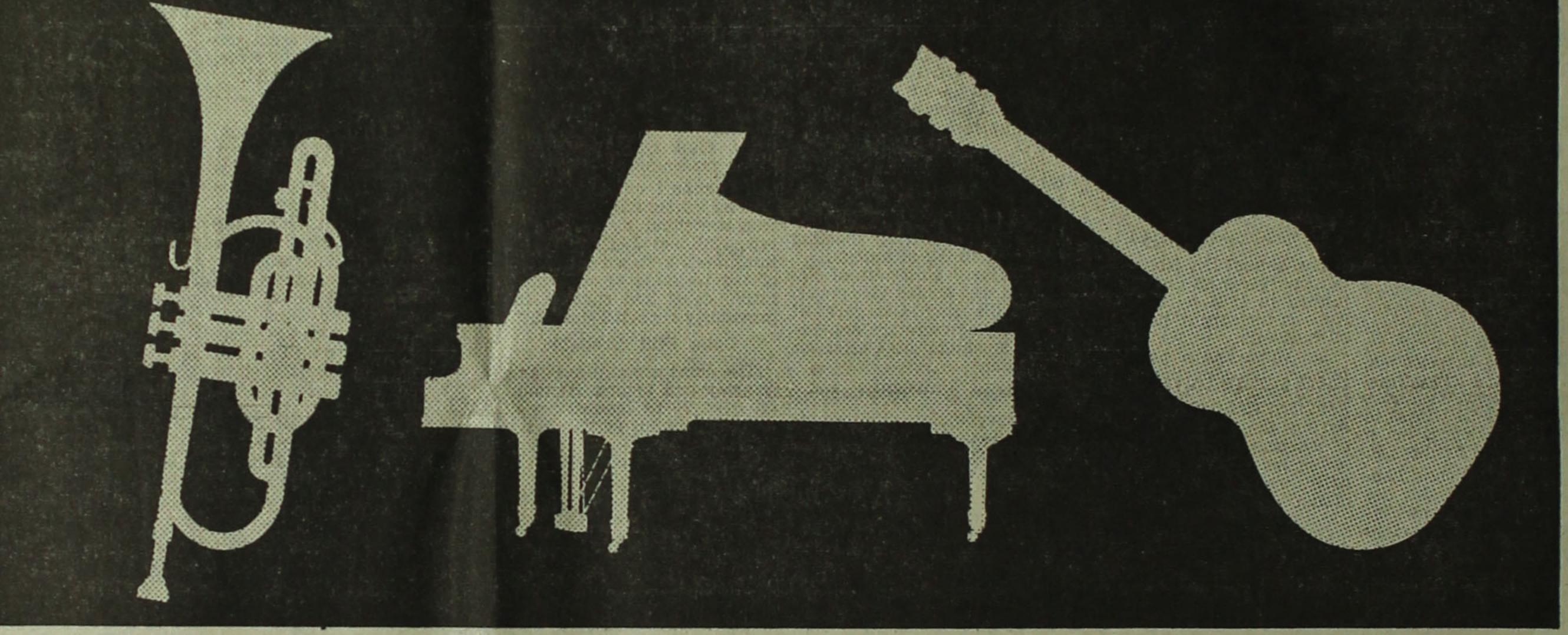
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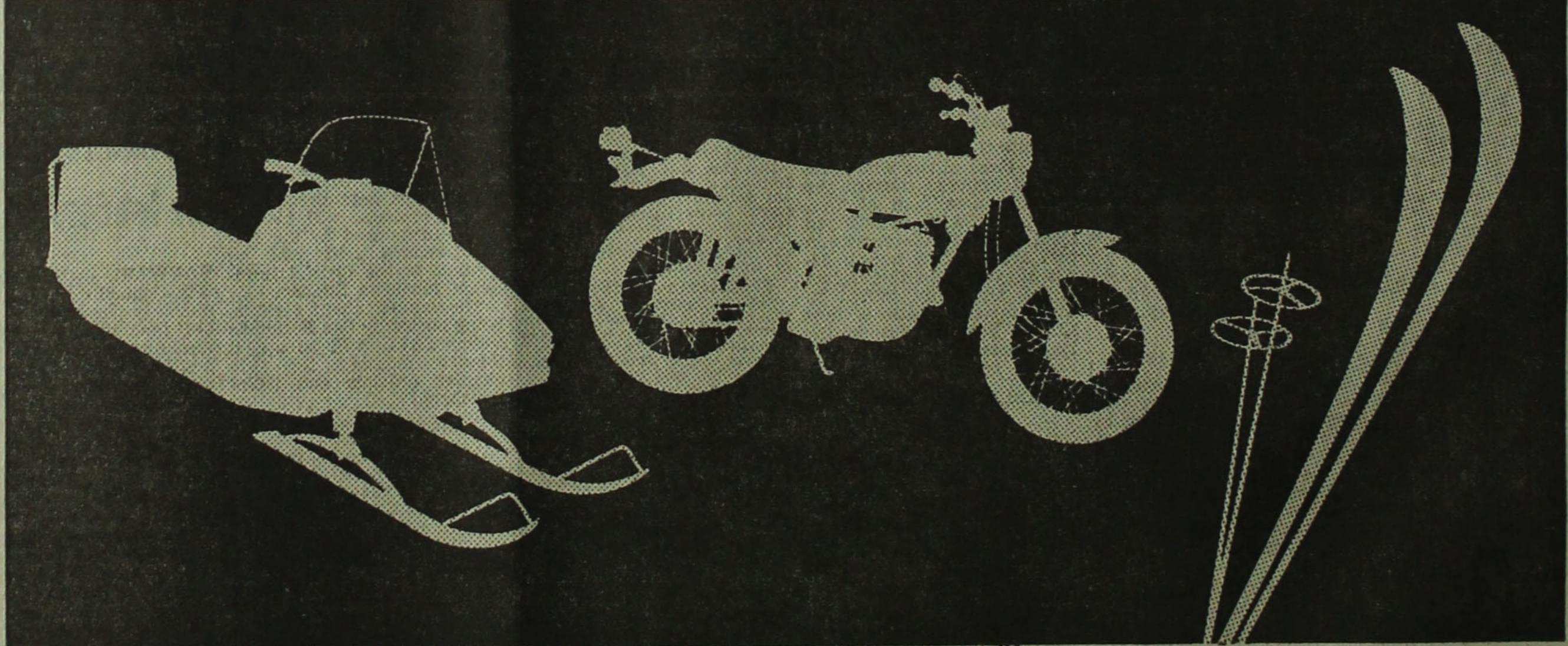
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Past things



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TIME TO MOVE ON—In this era of mobility and instability, ten years is a long time to live in the same house. We passed that milestone not many weeks ago. I suppose it is not a particularly profound observation to say that things have changed. Many of the empty lots around here have houses on them now. The fence just is not true. of lodgepole pine we put up so laboriously has begun to decay and topple in some areas. There's a fine blacktop road most of the way to our place whereas, in the beginning, there wasn't enough of a gravel base on the clay to keep the road passable when it snowed.

Our house was the second one to be built on the block. Even then construction costs were very high, although not nearly so high as now, and we tried to economize by undertaking some of the work. I learned then what many young people are learning today. If you don't have a skill, there isn't much you can do. The contractor let me do the things that required little but a strong back. I took off 18 pounds in the tool. course of that summer, moving dirt, carrying lumber after a day at the office and on weekends. (Most of that weight has come back, at an average rate of about 1.4 pounds per year.)

The labor invested in building the house, the red tape that had to be unraveled in financing the construction and later the mortgage, gave us a profound appreciation for it. I remember vowing that we would sian man who said he received of racial discrimination. She never move again, that I had helped build it and I would die in it.

Our Mike was attending college the year we built the house, but of course we had to provide a room that stigma of 1942 when more complaints must seek private would be his when he came home. There had to be a bedroom, too, for Susan, who made the shift from junior high school to high school that fall. Pete and ed up in detention camps be- hensive equal opportunity Christine were grade-schoolers, and they needed rooms cause their loyalty was ques- program with 34 counselors of their own, too. So we built a five-bedroom house. tioned when the United States whose job it is to resolve dis-

Well, Mike and his own family live now in Eugene, war. However, residents But Mrs. Bradford counter-Ore. The extra rooms are mighty handy when they whose ancestry was German ed that the equal opportunity come to visit us, but that's not often enough. Susan, or Italian, also U.S. enemies program has a virtually alltoo, is married, and she and her husband have their own apartment on the other side of town. Pete has his bachelor pad where he is free to come and go at will, and toss his dirty socks in the corner if that is what he wants to do. Christie is away at college and her trips home are limited to weekends and vacations.

And so the wide open spaces, the unsmogged air, the hills to climb and the path along the ditch that yields wild asparagus in spring, aren't quite as important as they once were. The sunrises that paint the hillside gold are as beautiful as ever, but there are fewer of us here to admire them. The magpies still sit on the fenceposts and screech raucously, but there is no one budget analyst at McClellan fact that we could afford the here to mock them. Yet, even the environment has changed. The pasture where once the kids rode is a golf course now, and overweight gentlemen there pursue the little white ball leisurely in electric carts.

The yard—the grass and trees and shrubs that once were such a pride-have become more of a burden than now we care to assume. There's more traveling to things that we'd rather do. There's more traveling to holds a master's degree in Relations Commission personbe undertaken for both business and pleasure, more time that has to be spent away from home.

And so after ten years the time has come to move to smaller, more manageable quarters that will be less a burden in terms of time and energy. A smaller place that will not be a maze of empty rooms waiting for children who have outgrown them. A smaller place that nied promotion in favor of a is more practical in terms of necessary space, cleaning and upkeep.

"I helped build this place and I expect to die here," I once said. Now I hope that doesn't happen. We've beaten out by the white man. changed our minds about that, because we weren't aware about the things time will do to a family.

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2 ORIENTAL WORKERS VICTIMS OF

Budget Analysts Passed Up by Caucasians with Lesser Credentials, Civil Service Board Finds

ed, focusing on discrimination against "black" and "brown" minorities, many Sacramentans of Oriental descent responded with specific instances of racism against them.

the word "JAP" had been im- have this mechanism to seek bedded in their front lawn by redress of our grievances." someone who had used a

Another Oriental family, faced with minor incidents of antagonism involving their ancestry, recently escaped a near tragedy when a fire was set outside their house near

ceived a report from a Cauca- nority employees in complaints These are recent events.

than 100,000 Japanese resi- attorneys or go without. dents of California, mostly Col. Rood however stated American citizens, were lock- that McClellan has a compreand Japan were involved in a crimination problems. in the war, were able to retain Caucasian staff and is unres-

tional rights. own property in California.

Air Force Case

racial discrimination which degree for example, than their came to light last month clear- white colleagues doing the ly defines the depth of in- same work. tolerance toward Orientals in Mrs. Moy's husband, Air

Air Force Base, had been services of a good lawyer, we passed over for promotion re- never would have won the appeatedly for 10 years. In each peal," he said. case, she was beaten out by a Col. Moy suggested there is Caucasian person with lesser a broader problem involving credentials.

try, is a graduate of George out the community. And he Washington University and has advocates among Human economics from Duke Univer- nel and others involved in eli-

commendations from her Air Force superiors during her career and has created efficiency techniques in her field which have been adopted by the Air Force worldwide.

But last year, she was de-Caucasian man with a high school diploma. A budget analyst of Japanese descent with higher qualifications was also

At this point Mrs. Moy retained noted civic rights attorney Nathaniel Colley, West Coast counsel for the National Association for the Advancement of Colored

People. finally got her dander up," tice is done." said Colley who called the Moy case "as raw a case of racial discrimination as I have ever seen."

Board's Decision

The U.S. Civil Service, Commission Board of Appeals and that Mrs. Moy was a victim of racial discrimination — but directed her appeal through without success.

Sept. 24 which is final with Muraoka (422-1224).

RACISM AT SAC'TO AIR FORCE BASE

SACRAMENTO - The often- Mrs. Moy, but her Japanese on Wednesday, Nov. 12. repeated statement that rela- colleague, were denied pro- The searching camera of tively little discrimination is motion because of their Ori- award-winning producer discrimination. tively little discrimination is motion because of their Ori- award-winning producer-dirdirected against Orientals in ental ancestry. It ruled that ector George Stoney probes American society in compari- Mrs. Moy be immediately pro- the impact of the Baha'i faith son with the intolerance a- moted and that her supervisor in the four vastly different gainst Negroes and citizens of be reprimanded. The board cultural settings of Japan, Is-Mexican descent apparently also ordered that all of the rael, India and the United supervisor's recommendations States. After The Bee's recently for appointment or promotion "The assignment to make ford and USC.

lan director of personnel, said the result of the Moy case is of a worldwide religious com- the film. There will be no ad- the Emperor was displayed. proof that "our system does munity that is growing at a mission charge. A Japanese family awoke work. Our system is objective tremendous rate, but to transone morning horrified to find and we are fortunate that we

But Mrs. Moy stated that strong detergent as a writing her supervisor was being used as a scapegoat, that she was not alone to blame. In fact, she said such discrimination is a common occurrence in the community:

Mrs. Georgia Bradford, president of Employees for Equalthe gas main—an obvious case ity at McClellan, agreed. Mrs. Bradford said her organization The police department re- was formed to represent mia threatening note in his mail- explained that supervisors box after he offered his home who are charged with discriin the William Land Park area mination are represented by for sale to an Oriental family. counsel at Air Force expense during formal hearings But there still remains the whereas those making the

their freedom and constitu- ponsive to the complaints of minorities.

Until recent years, Orient- She added that there exals were not even allowed to ists a definite pattern of civilian employment at McClellan: Members of minority groups must possess much But another explicit case of higher qualifications, a college

least a part of our local Force Lt. Col. (Ret.) Sam Moy, agrees with Mrs. Brad-Mrs. Ming H. N. Moy, a ford. "And if it wasn't for the

racial discrimination at Mc-Mrs. Moy, of Chinese ances- Clellan and elsewhere throughminating the harmful effects She has received numerous of racial intolerance.

> He says the community is "unwilling — or perhaps just unable — to handle such problems at home.

"We prefer to let someone else in Washington or elsewhere outside Sacramento solve these problems for us. Somehow we are too busy or too reluctant to get involved."

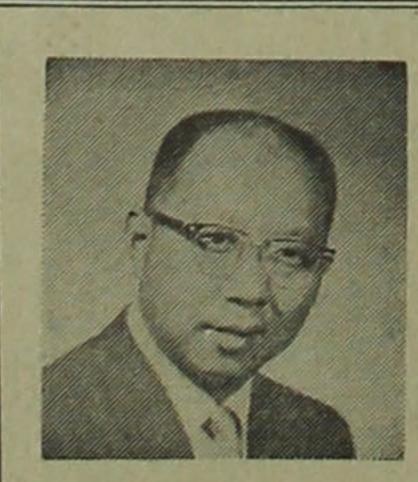
Said Col. Moy: "It just seems that we are only interested in doing the very least that we can do the very least that we can get by with - in our everyday responsibilities. We just don't seem to have the heart to work these problems 'After all those years, she through and assure that jus-

-Sacramento Bee

Spanish flea market

SAN DIEGO - Oriental articles are needed for the San Diego - Yokohoma Sister City Review agreed with Colley Society, which will have a booth at the UCSD Hospital Auxiliary's Spanish Flea Maronly after the attorney had ket Nov. 16 at the May Co parking lot in Mission Valley numerous Air Force channels Shopping Center. Contributors

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checked for the next year "to Wind'," explains Stoney, "was showing are the Schools of Tom Tao. make certain that the policy the most difficult I have ever Religion and Law at USC and Mrs. H. Higashi read in Jaof equal employment oppor- attempted. For it required me the Los Angeles Baha'i Com- panese her original Tanka tunity is being carried out." not only to concentrate into munity. Mrs. Dorothy Nelson, Col. Eric W. Rood, McClel- less than half an hour of dean of the Law Center will Prize from Tokyo in 1967, and screen time the feel and scope offer a brief introduction to the commendation from late into visual terms the spiritual experiences that unite peoples of such incredibly diverse cultures, standards of South Dakota have a populaliving and degrees of educa- tion of about 28,000, mostly barges.

ward for Documentary Films story of the Japanese commuand first awards at the Amer- nity in the Pajaro Valley. ican Film Festival and at in- A project of Friends of the Yoko Umeda traced the beginternational competitions at Library, this first tape was nings of the Japanese com-Edinburgh, Venice, Melbourne made October 22 in the read- munity to 1892 when Sakuzo and Tours. He has taught film ing room of the Library. Jap- Kimura and a group of Japa-

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published "Black Brown of subordinates be double- the Baha'i film, 'A New Co-sponsoring the film were displayed courtesy of graphy and bonsai fir tree on contract as wood cutters.

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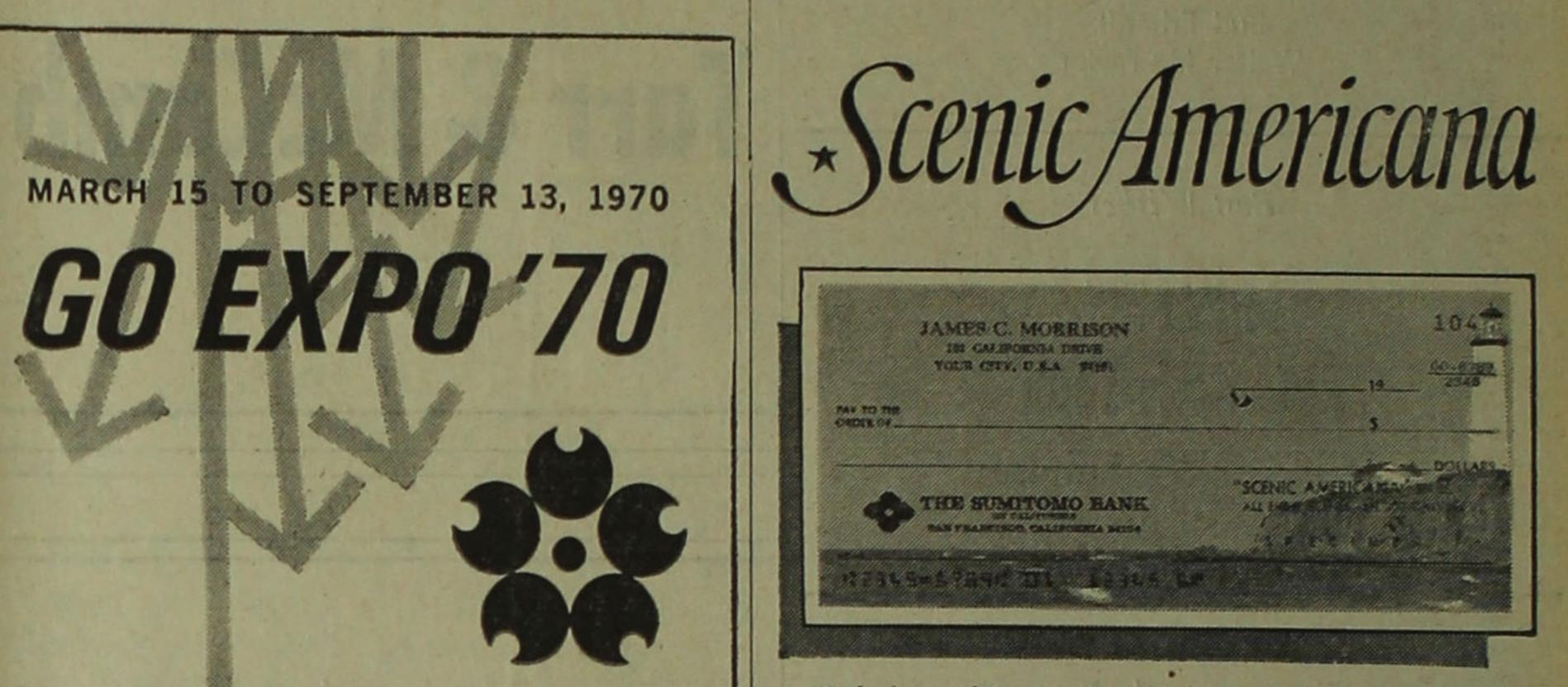
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They told of obstaclesprejudice and discrimination to foreign-born Japanese acquiring land, and the legal barriers to gaining citizenship, Their children were taught the Japanese language in classes held after school and on Saturdays, and at the same time were schooled in Japanese lore.

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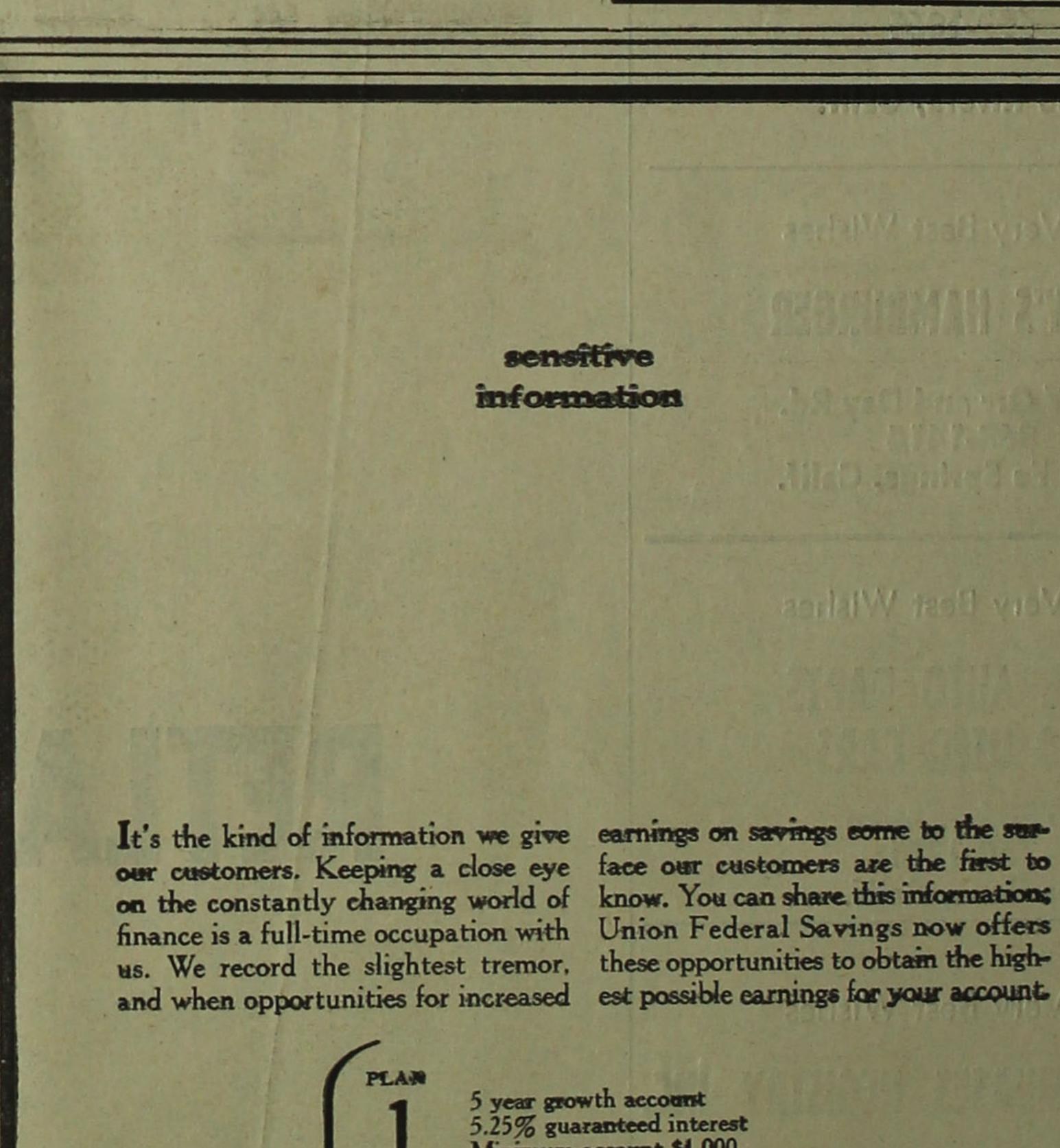
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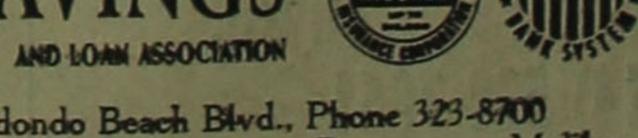
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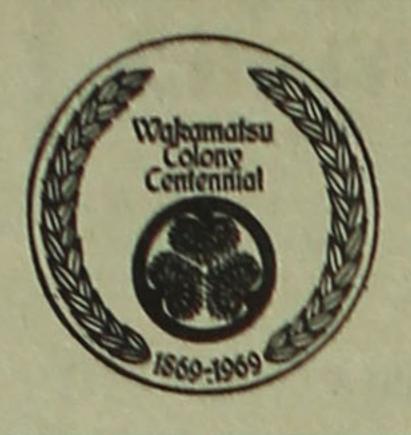
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"Pacific Northwest." "What is CC?" "Central California." "Oh."

each other for the youth meet- by them. ing October 11-13. Those who were on hand were David Tarep from Intermountain and not even ask Don Quixote to Bob Kawa, IDYC chairman; "try."

a weekend live-in. The bulk of the meeting session was focused on hashing out problems of Jr. JACL on the chapter and district level and gaining an understanding of activities on the national level.

As the problems of Jr. JACL were slowly unraveled, the last two meeting sessions cre- professional staff. ated the most tension when the members of the group tried to arrive at a working ington, D.C., to attend the solution for the structure on National Conference on Citithe national level.

the formation of the DYCC- Boy Scouts, YMCA and other be concerned for each other's decision-making processes ramid. This confederation does est echelons. not have a figurehead which allows each district to be completely equal. In order to maintain the functional aspects of the confederation, the council has made proposals for youth interns or field aides to assume the responsibilities.

The meeting provided a means for some to renew past friendships and get to know others.

able to have breakfast which Well, here we are! He has now arrived at the age ganization for good or ill. of adulthood, but don't ever ride with him while he's driving, particularly on an empty about those San Jose people Kathy Uda heads who just don't understand L.A. streets.

now beginning to establish a tion to the parent organiza- SANTA ROSA — Kathy Oda, Richard Tsujimoto, Salt Lake

At least, something unusual was created from some girls in car accidents, that preside over the dinner pro- scholarship program. names or that Alan is still un- is in charge of the affair. der thirty, that Janet receives Immediately following the gifts from Spain, or that Win- dinner the youth will adjourn ston received a bottle of to the Tajii residence to dis-Scope and a can of Ban by cuss a number of activities the Green Phantom.

- CALENDAR OF JACL EVENTS -

Nov. 7 (Friday) San Jose-Jr JACL election. Nov. 7-10

Nat'l JACL-Exec Comm Mtg. International Hotel, Los Angeles. Nov. 8 (Saturday) San Gabriel Valley-Jr JACL or-

ganizational mtg, East San Gabriel Valley Community Center, Monterey Peninsula-Auxy Rum- San Fernando Valley-Installation yashi! mage Sale, JACL Hall, 10 a.m.-

Sonoma County-Jr. JACL instal-

lation, Black Forest Inn, 5:30 NC-WNDYC-Qtrly Session p.m.; Peter Leveque, spkr.,

Contra Costa - Ladies Night, El Cerrito Community Center, Selanoco - Installation dinner

dance, Los Coyotes Country Club, 7 p.m.; Atty. Godfrey Chicago-Jr JACL Workshop, Isaac, spkr. Contra Costa - Fishing derby, weigh-in Sat., 6-7:30 p.m. Roy Milwaukee-Gen Mtg, Internation-

Sakai's home, 4606 Florida Ave.; Sun., 5:30-7:30 p.m., Joe Oishi's Chicago - 25th Anny Inaugural, packing shed, 130 S. 47th St. Nov. 9 (Sunday)

Rep. Spark Matsunaga, spkr.

Alameda—Fishing derby, Mit Ike- Watsonville — Installation dinnerda's garage weigh-in, 7 p.m. Cortez-Striped bass derby, Franks

Nov. 12 (Wednesday) Pasadena-Bd Mtg, Grace Morikawa res., 8 p.m. Fresno-Issei dinner, Selland Con-

vention Center. Nov. 15 (Saturday) Sonoma County-Issei Centennial Kennedy High School. dinner, Enmanji Hall, 6 p.m. Cincinnati-Dayton-Joint installa- dinner-dance, Surf Riders.

Evendale, 6:30 p.m.: Dr. Hankyo tournament. Kim, spkr., "The Far East To-San Gabriel Valley - Installation party for Mentally Retarded dinner, Montebello Country Club. 7 p.m.: Dr. Roy Nishikawa, spkr. pital. Nov. 21-23 Milwaukee-Folk Fair

Youth represent new blood' that JACL long sought

By DAVID TAKASHIMA

JACL youth intern focused any one thing for me-it was the need for JACL to get more involved with the Youth Program-a commitment it launched 10 years ago.

JACL is the only national organization made up of Or- Some critics have noted that dition of Japan. iental Americans and it is one activism a mong Sansei stuto which our government in dents and radicalism among distinction in the way Japan Washington listens. There- the handful of Nisei is a rela-

TACO'S SHOP

It is a crime to have such an organization as JACL - with all its prestige-not use its potential to its fullest. For example: JACL can step into the

Kathi Kadowaki, Midwest a Nisei organization. Sansei DYC Chairman; Patti Iwataki, adults and youths are trying outgoing PSWDYC Chairman; to fit themselves in this struc-Ron Masumoto, incoming ture-which appears an imchairman; Doug Sakota, NYC possible task. Why, I would

Stan Kiyokawa from PNW; JACL must change its prespro-tem; Dennis Imaizumi people can help direct our or- An interesting question is Okumo, who won in his dis- OC JAYs install two Northern Cal DYC, vice-chair- ganization through its active why do Asian students who pute with Saigo, has fallen man; and Marian Okamura decision-making bodies, such seemingly have everything— into relative obscurity. from CCDYC. We all stayed as the National Board, the social acceptance, educational arts. at Alan Kumamoto's house for District Council and the local achievement, occupational op-

While on my trip to Washzenship, it became apparent The outcome has resulted in that organizations such as the District Youth Coordinating "establishment" youth bodies Council. This concept obli- were being made aware of the gates the DYC chairmen to necessity to have youth in the district. The structure is now these longtime organizations. a confederation of districts Their youths were demanding rather than a hierarchical py- full voting rights in the high-

> The same is now occurring in JACL. The youth not only Continued from Front Page want a voice on the National Board of JACL but an equal at the University of Illinois vote. To deny these basic de- in 1949. mands might mean a greater "generation gap" between JA- with Veterans Administration, CL and its Youth.

We are saying that JACL is important to us. Therefore, we are just as concerned as to its commitments and objec-

Thanks to the guys, parti- We have heard for the past cularly Winston and Dennis 10 years - a decade - that who acted as chefs, we were JACL wants "new blood".

helped to pep up morning If JACL reneges on this meetings. Speaking of Win- promise, JACL will remain a 1970 chairman. ston, we celebrated his birth- Nisei organization for good or day with a three-day-old cake. ill and it will die a Nisei or-

All in all, the meeting proved on Juniors and profitable. Jr. JACL is

at the Oct. 18 meeting of the JACL. Sonoma County Jr. JACL, was National JACL Headquar-elected to head the 1969 - 70 ters has occasionally asked Liberal Philosophy

planned for the next year.

Motor Lodge, Sherman Oaks; highest potentialities. Warren Furutani, Sunday lunch-CCDC-District convention, Fres- the spirit of the Dr. Nobe yakawa, Sunday banquet spkr. Nov. 22 (Saturday)

dinner, Howard Johnson's Motor Lodge, Sherman Oaks, 7 p.m. Nov. 23 (Sunday) Nov. 24 (Monday) Seattle-Isssei appreciation dinner,

Washington Plaza Hotel, 7 p.m. Nov. 28-30 IDC-District convention, Snake

River Valley JACL hosts: On-"Cultural Awareness", Sheraton Blackstone Hotel.

Nov. 29 (Saturday) Marriott Motor Hotel, 5:30 p.m.; dance, Elks Club, 6 p.m.

Nov. 30 (Sunday) Chicago-YJA Bd Mtg, JACL Office, 7:30 p.m. Dec. 2 (Tuesday) Oakland-Gen Mtg, Sumitomo Bank Bldg., 7:30 p.m. Dec. 6 (Saturday)

Contra Costa - Christmas party, West Los Angeles - Installation tion dinner. Imperial House, San Francisco-Annual bridge

Dec. 7 (Sunday) Progressive Westside - Christmas Children, Camarillo State Hos-Cincinnati-Christmas party. Clifton 1st Nat'l Bank, 2 p.m.

SEQUOIA INSTALLATION SPEECH

Notes on the Quiet American

of the speech Dr. Paul Takagi gave before the Sequoia JACL chapter on Oct. 14, in Palo Alto. He is presently Associate Prof-If this past summer as a essor of Criminology and Associate Dean of the School of Criminology, and Chairman of the Asian Studies Program, Univ. of California, Berkley.)

> Speech by PAUL TAKAGI, Ph.D.

impetus for involvement in so- or against the moral order.

THE TEXT

American studies in the col- Today, however, the Asian norms. leges and high schools, espe- students have moved far be- As far as the Japanese are cially on the West Coast. youd this. For example, they concerned, the 47 ronins are JACL can help universities are leading the way in devel- heroes, and as such, honordevelop these programs to ed- oping a new concept in educa- oble criminals.

amples set by the Asians.

portunities, and in some in- Moral Principles velop ways in which youth volved in activism and in fact may serve on its paid staff, provide leadership in bringing such as has been proposed about institutional change? with youth field aides and What is the source of, and the field directors. It is important nature of, the morality which for JACL's future. The chap- justifies acts of disobedience ters should further realize the and rebellion? Is it possible importance for expanding its that some Issei have taught this morality to the Nisei and the latter, in some cases, are unwittingly transmitting it to the Sansei?

The period of Japan the Is- etc. sei knew about, specifically, These moral codes were tious JAY member.

Dr. Nobe practiced medicine in Chicago until his untime-

Other Applicants

The judges had high praise for the remaining contestants. In alphabetical order they are: Kenichi Bunden, sponsored by San Francisco JACL; Mark Ishiharu, Detroit JACL; Chris Kaneko, San Fernando Valley JACL; Gary Kono, San Francisco JACL; Ralph Nishitani, Boise Valley JACL; Gary Otsuji, Detroit JACL; and

made good his determination millions of Japanese.

for all people and a deep de- political parties, and the folsire to serve them. He also lowing proposal for the sug-PSWDC-4th Qtrly Session, Chap- strnogly believed that every- gested constitution for Japan: ter Clinic, Howard Johnson's one should try to reach his Article 72. If the govern-

no Hacienda Inn; Dr. S. I. Ha- Memorial Scholarship Award. Carry on, Alan Walter Oba-

Following is an abridged text the case of the United States, foundation of the state, the in contrast to a government as Japanese people may overprotector or custodian of the throw it and set up a new social institutions of the socie- government.

ty-the case of Japan. emperor and the organs of lustrate rather dramatically government is that the emper- the philosophy of liberalism or was the state, he was be- that existed during the Meiji yond political change, and he Period, and lends support to represented not only the na- the thesis that the Issei were Palo Alto tion but also the historical tra- exposed to and perhaps even

We see the effect of this punishes criminals dependfore, JACL must accept the tively new phenomenon; and, ing upon whether the crime some people believe that the was against the social order

cial movements stemmed from Although a simplification, responsibilities of what this black power movement, draft- Chushingura, the 47 ronins resistance and the related an- deliberately set out to disobey fiance of the shogun's orders was in obedience to a set of moral obligations, in effect, an spotlight in developing Asian ti-Vietnam war sentiments. obedience to a higher set of

Such were some of the com- ucate the white society on tional institutions where the The history of Japan is a ments made by Jr. JACLers the so-called "accepted" mi- rhetoric of yesterday, such as history of rebellion and revolt, as they got acquainted with nority which has been "used" "self - determination" and albeit in some instances blood- president, revealed special in- of the tickets has been set for "power to the people," have less revolutions. The Meiji vitations have been extended Tuesday, Nov. 11. All Issei to been translated into student restoration was led by radical- to 87 Issei in the four North be honored will be guests of designed, student taught, and ized young samurais against Bay County area. Fifteen of the senior chapter, Committee tional Youth Commissioner; JACL is most evident—it is student controlled programs. the shogun and restored Em- them are over age 80 and will men making arrangements for The issue of student con- peror Meiji as the supreme ti- be presented the JACL Wa- this affair include: trol will undoubtedly be- tular head of the state. And as kamatsu medallion while the Frank Oda and James Muracome a major issue on col- late as 1877, Saigo Takamori Sonoma County Jr. JACL will kami, co-chr.; George and Lilly come a major issue on col- late as 1877, Saigo Takamori extend recognition to the un- Okamoto, Dr. Okamoto, Martin lege campuses in the months in leading the Satsuma rebel- extend recognition to the un- Shimizu and Rev. G. Nagafuji, to come, and the Asian stu- lion, rebelled against the state der-80 Issei group. dents are leading the way. in honorable fulfillment of his Nisei and Sansei are being Shimizu, table arr.; Hitoshi Ko-On one college campus, the duties under the moral code, urged to attend the Issei tes- bayashi, entertainment and Jim blacks are following the ex- Saigo died in his abortive effort, but he is a hero, whereas

codes, or the set of moral principles that have justified acts of different individuals to violate the laws of the to, national youth director state? Historians trace it to was installing officer. priests in Satsuma, by court going president Richard Hiro- offramp. scholars in Kyoto, Yamaguchi, shima won the Blue & White

the Meiji Period, the state, adopted by Iyeyasu in 1607, meaning the government of the beginning of the Tokuga-Japan, never demanded the wa period, and he viewed that SAN GABRIEL VALLEY undivided loyalty of its peo- successful government requirple. They made a distinction ed equal attention to Bun, TO FORM JR. JACL between a government as a which included civil studies, representative of the people- learning, culture, intellectual WEST COVINA - Youth 14 will be guests. arts.

The concept of BUN meant the learning of eight virtues -filial piety, respect for elders, loyalty, trust, courage, justice, straightforwardness Following several years and a sense of honor, and a boldness of spirit without

losing self-discipline. The moral values were built ly death in 1963. The Chica- into the curriculum for mass go judges of the Dr. Nobe public education instituted in Scholarship are his old Japan in 1873, and many Issei friends and associates: Chair- were undoubtedly exposed to man Dr. Victor Izui, Pershing Bun, which was developed and Nakada, Nelson Kitsuse, Dr. articulated during the prev-Jack Kashihara and Berry Su- ious Tokugawa Period. The zukida. Since the chairman- Imperial Rescript on educaship rotates annually, Dr. tion issued by Emperor Meiji Jack Kashihara will be the in 1890 indicates that it is the duty of the Japanese people to learn these virtues.

The majority of the Nisei are familiar with such concepts as filial piety, respect for elders, a boldness of spirit without losing self-discipline, and courage, which were expressed by the Issei in various ways as yashinau, oyakoko, ichininmae, and gaman. A few Nisei were also exposed to the ideas of justice, straightforwardness and a sense of

for publicity features on the Along with these moral would guess that Doug Sa- The new officers will be in- Dr. Nobe Scholarship Award principles, some Issei brought kota found a bluish-green stalled at the Black Forest judges. These judges feel that with them a political philosgirdle in the park, or that Inn, Santa Rosa, Nov. 8, 5:30 public attention should center ophy of liberalism. It would Stan wears red night shirts p.m. Frank Oda, DC Youth not on themselves, but on the be a mistake to assume that to bed or that Mike had two Commissioner, will install recipient of the Nobe award Japan was busily engaged in flats or that Ron gets hit by while James Murakami will and the spirit behind this establishing an absolutist na-Dr. Nobe was a hearty the principle of the supremacy questions, that Pattie orders invited to attend, according to gung-ho type of individual, of the Emperor. As a matter halibut steaks rare or that Ken Hayashi, retiring chapter full of joie de vivre, who ne- of fact when the Issei were David helped to read 46,000 president. Donna Furuzawa ver allowed unfavorable cir- youngsters between 1874 and way. Poverty did not deter al movement in Japan known him. Nineteen years after he as the Freedom and People's graduated college, Doc finally Rights movement involving

to become a doctor of medi- T he movement culminated in the establishment of a na-He had a tremendous love tional diet, the development of

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The effects of the moral training and liberal philos-

flected in Karl Yoneda's remarkable collection of notes entitled "100 Years of Japanese Labor in U.S.A."

1884 with the arrival to the United States of Sen Katayama, a history of rebellion and Issei participation in radical movements. The first 50 years of the 100 years of the Japanese in the United States is

ophy on Issei behavior is re-

Continued on Page 8

identification with the early an instructional illustration is Sonoma County to honor Issei of civil rights movements, the the story of the 47 ronins. In the shogun's orders to main-tain law and order. The de- four North Bay Counties Nov. 15

rin and Mendocino counties youth, and may be purchased will be guests of honor at the from:

as co-chairmen

SANTA ANA - Ed Yohimutheir Sept. 7 dinner held at Kono Hawaii. Alan Kumamo-

briel Valley Japanese Com- 338-1648. munity Center to organize a Jr. JACL chapter. Those in charge of the meeting are Mrs. Roy Iketani, Tom Yama-

Sonoma County JACL timonial. Tickets are \$4 per Issei of Sonoma, Napa, Ma- person, \$3 for children and

chapter Japanese Immigration Bill Shimizu, Hitoshi Kobayashi, George Shimizu, Harry Sugiyama, Martin Shimizu, Jim Yokoyama, p.m., at the Enmanji Memo- Pat Shimizu, George Okamoto, George Yokoyama, George Hama-

moto or Dr. Okamoto. Dr. Roy Okamoto, chapter Deadline for the purchase

> inv.; Kathy Oda and the Jr. JACL, Yokoyama, finance.

Installation

Sacramento JACL To be held in conjunction with the first NC-WNDC quarterly session in 1970, the chapra and Steve Kobashi were ter installation dinner will be JACL must continue to de- stances, affluence, become in- What is this set of moral installed as co - chairmen of held on Feb. 8 with Tom Okuthe Orange County JAYs at bo and Bill Matsumoto as co-

> San Gabriel Valley JACL Reservations are due Nov. 8 the Confucian doctrines of the Main speaker was Ken Mat- for the third annual chapter Sung period that were studied suda, asst. track coach at USC, installation dinner Nov. 15 at by monks of the Zen monas- discussed social and racial dis- the Montebello Country Club, teries as early as the 13th cen- crimination as it affects the just south of the Pomona tury, and in later centuries by youth and his society. Out- Freeway at the Garfield Ave.

Dr. Roy Nishikawa, past Award as the most conscien- national JACL president, will be guest speaker. Jeffrey Ma- | tsui, associate national director, will install the new officers. Jeanne Okura, Chapman College freshmen, will present vocal numbers. Prominent 2 members of the community

which matters, the literary and up are to meet Nov. 8, Reservations should be arts, and to Bu, the military 8 p.m., at the East San Ga- made with Mrs. Fumi Kiyan,

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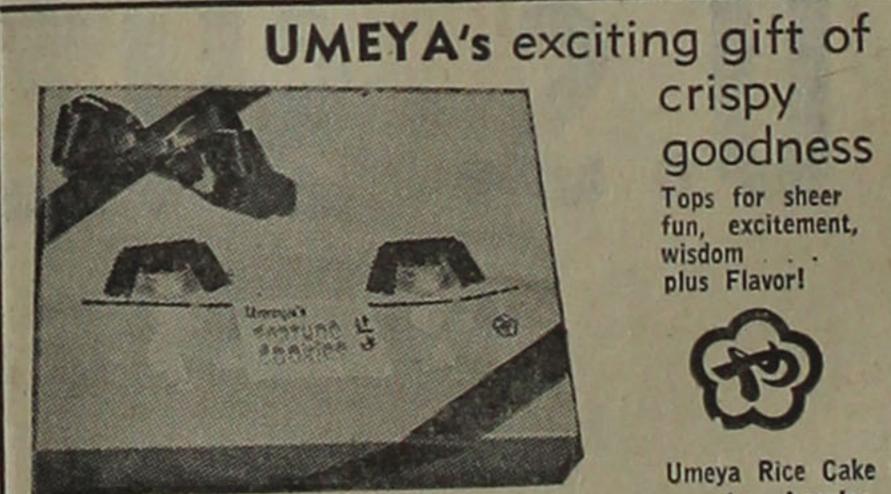


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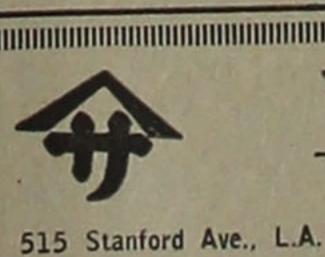
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Sports

Sacramento JACL Ben Sunahara won the first annual chapter golf tournament Aug. 23 at Haggin Oaks and the first leg of the Sumi-In it, we see beginning in tomo Bank perpetual trophy. Chewey Ito was tournament

Holiday Events

Sacramento JACL Under sponsorship of the not a history of "quiet" Amer- 1000 Club, the annual New Year's Eve dance will be chaired by Alan Oshima. Paul Wylie's band has been booked to play at the Woodlake Hotel, formerly known as El Dorado, Early reservations are being urged.

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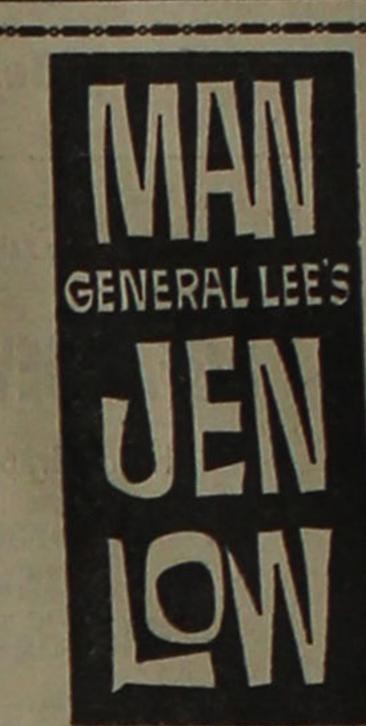
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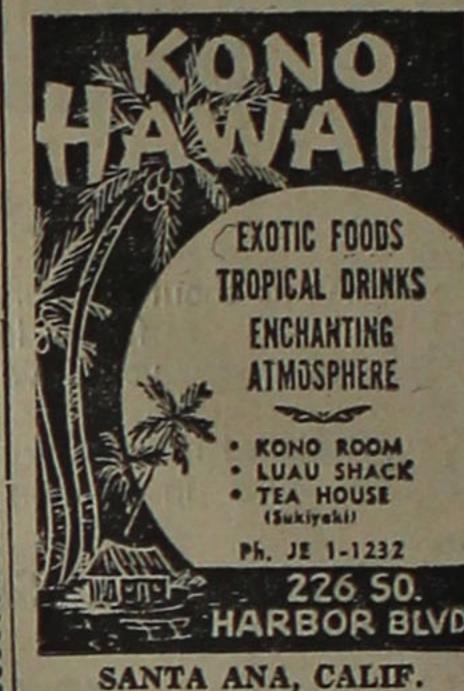
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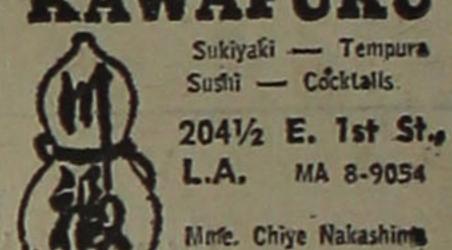
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Business Ticker

According to Ted Smiley of City. . . the Advertiser, a Japanese- Hawaii's accident rate leapcottages in 1973.

Aloha Airlines has announced that it would increase inter-island School Front fares on Nov. 1. It will be the second such increase this year. per ticket is the result of inflacompany president. The cost of raised from \$12 to \$13. All are meeting. subject to 5 per cent federal tax. Rising tide of Asian and Pa-

The increase in Hawai's over- public schools. all life protection was 4.2 per cent higher than the national Appointments average.

able total a year earlier.

Welcome to Hawaii

Norm Kono, former Chicagoan and active JACL member, and his wife are buying The Univ. of Hawaii board is the No. 2 middle linebacker and the Exile of the Japanese Princess Suga. "She is my a new home in the Milo Hale of regents has adopted rules for Cincinnati. In addition, Rock- Americans" (Strickland Press, wife," he said. "I've got to ber, and his wife are buying Development, between Mari- and regulations for out-of- ne Freitas from Kam is a starting ners Cove and Mariners Val. state tuition at the university offensive tackle for Detroit. ley in Hawaii Kai. The Konos' and the community college new address after Dec. 15 will system. An out-of-state tuifather, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond nature. stay ... Emily Matsumoto, ac- Amfac, Inc. board chairman, also pass away. tive Chicago JACLer, will be in has been elected chairman of Tom T. Dote, 68, owner of Honolulu during Aloha Week. of the Univ. of Hawaii board Dot Super Market in Kaneohe, She will be at the Moana Ho- of regents. Charles S. Ota of died Sept. 30 at Kaukini Hostel. Emily will be welcomed Maui has been elected vice pital. He is survived by two



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.Police charged three women from Kalihi, all 20 years old, for the robbery and stabbing of Mrs. Haruko Agena, 52, at her 1441 Leilani St. store. Those charged Costales and Frances N. Davis . Joseph Hampel, 50, manager of

crosswalk at Puu Poni St., in Pearl City. The car was driven by Emmet Higa, Jr., 16 of 812 Wahinani St., Pearl

style hotel in Makaha Valley ed 37 per cent between 1966 is being planned for comple- and 1968, and that represents tion by spring of 1971 by Ja- only one set of grim statistics panese financier Noboru Go- presented recently to the toh, head man of the Tokyo Traffic Safety Council. Alco-Electric Express Railway, hol figured in 23 per cent of First phase is for 88 cottages Hawaii's fatal accidents in (3 bedrooms, living room, di- 1968-a number which is exning room and kitchen) rent- pected to increase more ing at \$45 a day, Gotoh said. sharply this year because of Q. F. Thom, Ronald P. Tongg, Second phase calls for 48 more the new "implied consent" provision for the breath tests.

Public school enrollment The price increase of \$1 or \$2 increased 12.5 per cent in six Egseth, Jr., Roy L. Farrow, Ian Scholarship carries a \$1,000 years while the number of struck the aviation industry, ac- 50 per cent and the state's cording to Kenneth F. C. Char, teachers increased by nearly library expenditure doubled. Hilo will go from \$22 to \$24, be- These are some of the facts tween Honolulu and Maui from in a report on educational pro-\$15 to \$17, and between Honolulu gress since 1962, presented re-Honolulu-Molokai fare will be cently at a board of education

Hawaii's overall life insu- cific immigration has thrust rance protection rose 13.8 per a critical problem upon Hocent last year to a record \$6 .- nolulu's public schools: About 18 billion, the Institute of Life 700 children who cannot speak Insurance has reported. There English. The problem is at its was an increase of \$752 mil- worst in the Kalihi-Palama lion in the amount of life in- area, where hundreds of pusurance in force during the pils speaking various Filipino past year, the institute said. dialects have swamped the

Roy S. Matsuura has been Personal income in Hawaii named state milk commissionrose to \$254 million in June, er, replacing Andrew S. Ono 13.9 per cent above the \$223 who resigned July 1 to return million total for June, 1968. to private law practice. The Hawaii's total personal income 41-year-old Matsuura is the for the first six months was third milk commissioner since \$1.5 billion, marking an 11.8 the post was created by the per cent rise from the compar- Milk Control Act of 1967. The first, now state Rep. Robert Y. Kimura, resigned in Sept. of last year.

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John Shupe has been named at Kona Hospital.

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> lamea Lane has become a for- nouchi station. Some 15 per- ors goes something like this eign affairs intern with the sons a month are taken into with maximum politeness: U.S. Information Agency. Ho- protective custody at the dai, who speaks Thai, has had station and two or three ing in front of the palace for Trim, Attractive and have good service in the U.S. Army. He of these are stopped in at- hours was asked by the police- personality. attended Farrington High tempting to enter the palace man who impatiently patted School and the Univ. of Ha- compounds. waii, where he majored in Asian studies . . . Thirty men In prewar days anyone who ther." have successfully passed the dared approach the palace was bar examinations to practice hauled into jail and subjected law in Hawaii. They are:

Simeon R. Acoba Jr., Gerald Ah Mai, Burton C. K. Chang, Russell L. Ching, Lawrence S. Grean, Douglas L. Halstead, Walton D. Y. Frank K. H. Kim, George M. Masuoka, Christian P. McKenzie, Michael J. Mederos, Robert M. Oshima, James M. Seff, Roland Continued from Page 2 Donald K. O. Wong, Vernon Y. Memorial Scholarship, a four-T. Woo, Richard D. Wurdeman, Leonard, Edward Luton, David C. Schutter, Edwin K. W. Ching. Anthony P. David, Andrew O. L. Mattoch, Philip A. McDonald,

Edward T. Robinson and Carrol The engagement of Robin Ruth Engel, the 1967 Miss Hawaii, to Capt. Palmer Swift, a Marine jet pilot, has been announced by her parents, Rear Adm. and Mrs. B. F. Engel. The young couple are planning a Dec. Wedding.

Sports Scene

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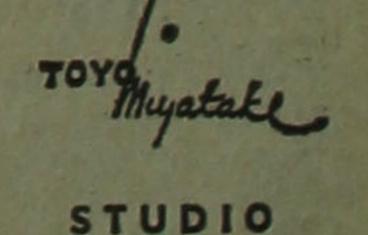
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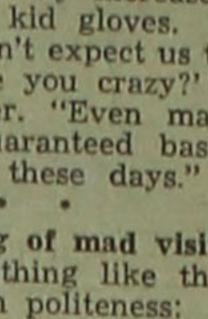


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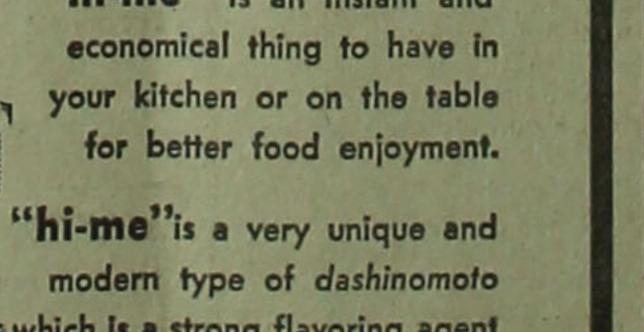
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Je Editor's Desk

IN DEFENSE OF FREE SPEECH

Curtailment of the PC Letterbox has been alleged 'Nisei-Quiet Americans' as a "much greater abuse against freedom of speech" than the threat of a possible boycott as "censorshop Editor: and a blow against freedom of speech or press". It also contended that the PC letterbox is "one place that adoption of the title "Nisei: is accessible to all members" and that "if editorial the Quiet Americans" for the and deep concerns of its memjudgment is used to curtail its use, it must be an impartial decision—not based on whether the editor fav- we would like to touch on ors a position or not or because he is afraid of what those things that seem signi-

others might think". It is true that PC accepts the responsibility of providing space for divergent views-but "to help guide ways promoted beneficial ste- stated by others, censorship public opinion".

It is also true that the editor has sole discretion and those that tend to be deroga- in power.

How would JACL and its responsibility of the editorial contents of the Pacific but in the case of the word supporters have reacted if the Citizen-and this includes the Letterbox. It does not "quiet" are we promoting a tables were reversed, and carry what is properly matter for the advertising dept. good or bad image? It does not wilfully allow misinformation. It is not a haven for persons who demean or ridicule others. It favors concise comments on issues, whether critical or commendable. It asks that all letters be signed (though it may be withheld upon request).

As for the matter of curtailing the Letterbox to a specific issue, it is our belief the Letterbox is not the proper vehicle to mistreat basic individual rights nder the guise of "public opinion".

With reference to the specific issue—the Hosokawa group. For this reason, in a book title, it is well to restate what has been cited broader sense, JACL has in- tle that we may be compelled in this column previously.

We hold than an author and his publisher have right of each individual to be ers in a general effort to boythe right to name a book as they deem proper. Any "prior restraint" initiated against that freedom embodies the essence of censorship and almost always violates the First Amendment to the U.S. Constitution. Furthermore, the relationship between JACL and Bill Hosokawa, who was commissioned to write the history and possibly incorporate data JACL was able to muster, honored this principle of his freedom to write Sequoid—

without prior restraint. What confuses this controvery, as we see it, is that Continued from Page 6 those who see unfavorable consequences in the title, "Quiet Americans" are questioning the judgment of the author in titling the book whereas others see a greater danger if the author's basic freedom to write is not maintained. After the author's rights are ex- scabs, they instead joined the ercised, then his judgment of the title can become an

We do recognize the issues that have been cited liberal philosophy and moral cisions on the title? The au- talent.

Some Nisei obtained this don't: Who made the key de- out the requisite structural and self-analysis. In moments favor! cries out a spectator next tall husky fellow with a barrel. honest question for debate. over the title, "Quiet Americans", in the light of social conditions today. Cautions as expressed by the Ethnic Concern Committee have redeeming qualities for changing a litle-but why that added cudgel of a "general effort to boycott"? How good or effective is an is "quiet" Americans. And yet, felt that it was not a sale begins in the middle. The argument if it's bolstered by that kind of support?

At the time the Letterbox was closed (July 4) to Nisei students joined the the Hosokawa book title issue, he was seriously con- Young Democrats and engaged sidering change. The prospect of a possible boycott in demonstrations against the had not been raised publicly. It was an unexpected de- ther Coughlins. In the '30's, a velopment that somehow and subsequently crossed the efforts of others who had nearly succeeded in having Karl Yoneda moved up and the title changed to "Nisei: the Valiant Odyssey". In fact, a public announcement had been made in the Nisei vernacular press, and Morrow & Co. advertised Hosokawa's book as such in the trade publications announcing fall selections. By the time, the PC was about to run the story in the early week of September, reaction to the threat of a boycott had begun to crystallize sufficiently to "kill" the story that the title was

going to be changed. We reiterate: the PC accepts the responsibility of providing space for divergent views to help guide public opinion. But it was outside the realm of public opinion to question Hosokawa's right to name his book at that time.

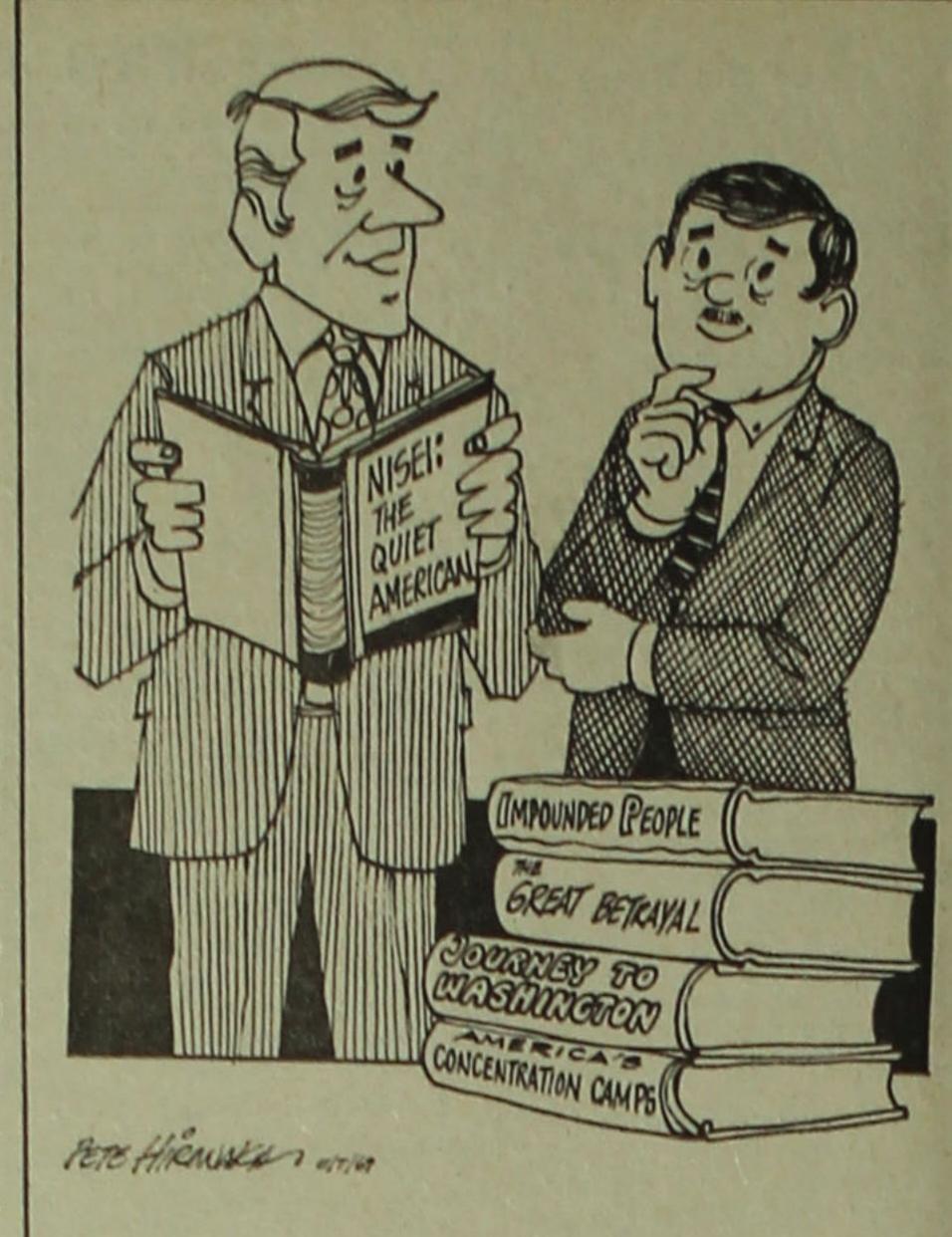
### TOYO MIYATAKE-ARCHIVIST

Already dubbed Little Tokyo's "national treasure", Toyo Miyatake is in semi-retirement though he spends his waking hours at his studio midst pictures that overflow with nostalgia. Many of them are faded, chipped around the edges and some are fine-screened halftones from old books. The other afternoon, he even pro- come as a complete surprise. Nisei vs. Issei: This quesduced a map of Los Angeles as it was some 60 years

Toyo-san to the legion of friends and acquaintances, "Maestro" to the few who've sat and listened to his philosophy and anecdotes, he is now on the threshold of becoming Little Tokyo's photographic archivist.

The Japanese papers carried a little item about his collection of photographs of Japan as the Issei knew it—circa 1890-1910. And some of the pictures have been on exhibit in the studio window since Nisei derstand because as they re- mised to all who contributed Week. Since then, Issei have turned in old photographs call from their experiences, \$100 or more. for his archives and this was also duly noted in the the Issei did not view educa- The committee and JACL is Japanese papers. We now invite Nisei who have old cial mobility. It will be recall- ing the project through conphotographs they care to have Toyo-san copy for his ed that during the '30s, al- tributions from foundations archives to loan them to him. In view of the mounting though Nisei college graduates and the like, but the original number of requests from the medias, publishers and worked in fruit stands and in contributions were solicited writers for photographs of Japanese history in America, the Miyatake archives will truly become a "nation- of education. al treasure".

It seems the grade of film for copy work has im- for the Nisei to achieve the this doesn't bother him in the proved so much that it's like an original. Toyo was development of those qualities waiting 10 years feel when working over the negative of the statue of Saigo Taka- associated with manhood. In he receives a copy of "Nisei" mori and he was about to "clean up" its huge base. the above case, the activist But he found out in time that the little black specks college-aged son was learning "If you're so smart go write 72, a Nisei who served as gun- nancing Test Cases" (on At on the negative were actually white paper wads that what the parents understand. had been plastered when wet by the people who passed by. Ask him why the people did it-it's one way to start Toyo-san on the route for anecdotes.



## of the New York Mets." - Letters from Our Readers -

'Say-your history reads like the history

Considerable debate arose from the selection and final popular version of what was bers? to be a History of the Issei.

its use promoted a good ste- cans," or "Racist-Americans," reotype. Those who oppose or "Hypocritic Racist"? Histhe title feel otherwise and torically accurate? therefore feel its use promotes a bad stereotype. This self (not that he would) had plot a plotless novel has great- members of the household and their breath. is the real issue. Positions on selected such a title? Would er realism. The argument is the rivalry of the maid, Miyo, Here we are in the "Arena each other and slide smoothly boycott, censorships, etc., just the time honored tradition specious. fall in line.

No stereotype fits all of any The sentence, "whereas, we in those instincts of mankind sisted on and fought for the judged on his own merits.

icans. The Issei had very much a sense of what constituted justice, and when they were brought into work as strikers and refused to be co-

At UCLA during the 1930s, Gerald K. Smiths and the Fahandful of Nisei lucluding down California's central val-

ley to organize farm laborers. During World War II, in places like Cleveland, Ohio, many Nisei joined other groups to fight actively the discrimination toward Negroes in public skating rinks and amusement parks, and following World War II, Nisei joined the American Veterans Committee, labeled a communist front organiza-

But these are activities that not considered newsworthy.

### Sansei Ichininmae

now being transmitted to the finds a defendant innocent, Sansei, and in some cases, un- find him guilty because somewittingly. The activation of one threatened him if he made to permit evacuees to mento forum evacuees "dealt this legacy does not, however, found otherwise?

that they (the parents) were some suggest. This question receiving an education from was raised in the spring when their activist college-aged son, the title first came under fire. and in order not to become The Japanese American Realienated from him, they are search Project Committee was struggling to see his point of originally called the Issei Hisview. The parent, however, tory Project Committee. They admits that it isn't too much solicited funds to write the of a struggle because they Issei Story, "before they all sort of understand.

tion only as a means for so- to be commended for expandcontinued to stress the value we shrug off this commit-

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author does his own research. In this case, where JACL was instrumental for the basic research, shouldn't the author lend an understanding ear to legitimate complaints

Boycott - Censorship: The threat of boycott is a legitimate method of protest, and to claim that it is censorship Stereotype: JACL has al- is irresponsible. As has been reotypes and fought against can only be imposed by those

someone other than a Japa-Those who like the title nese had independently writthink that it is compliment- ten a book and proposed the ary, and therefore feel that title, "Nisei: Yellow Ameri-

still apply? I wonder!

feel so strongly about the ti- to which the writer must apto initiate or join with othbook," evoked the irrational Time-Honored Tradition: comparison to censorship by The selection of the title of a fascists and Nazis by the aubook is claimed to be a time- thor. Those supporting the tihonored tradition between the tle including the JACL "Es-Author and the publisher, tablishment" never bothered This may be true when the to comment on this blatantly I wonder why? Joe Dahn of return to Ithaca and put his one of his stories. Kashu Mainichi is an except house in order.

liberal philosophy and moral cisions on the title? The au- talent. principles from their parents. thor submitted the first title, Therefore, one can turn logue what the reader has al-Unfortunately, the complete "Nisei: Americans with Japa- with pleasure to "Thirst for ready ascertained from her history of the Nisei has not nese Faces, The Story of a Love," which hews to the been recorded and the domi- People." This was rejected by story line throughout. As a nant impression of the group the publisher, because they good story should, the novel this impression is not entirely able title and that it might first line reads, "That day Etoffend our liberal friends. suko went to the Hankyu de-

> Hosokawa presented several two pairs of socks." other titles of which the pub- The widowed Etsuko, the lishers liked. "Nisei: the Qui- protagonist, has moved into et Americans". Guess what ti- the farmhouse of her fathertle was selected.

When the title came under comes his mistress, and falls the author to submit addition- Saburo. sey." JACL went along.

When the boycott threat a general planning the dis- word. changing the title and asked position of his troops for a He speaks to "Tokyo yamawas received, the publishers critical battle, she ponders on te" speech, of kaeda and kashi called Hosokawa and suggest- where and how to bestow trees-words that mean nothed reverting to the "quiet" this symbol of her love. title. Bill agreed.

made all the decisions?

supporting the title are right But the greatest peril is the town Tokyo" speech, "maple" in saying that the threat of wound that will be inflicted and "oak" trees. received virtually no publi- a boycott is not valid reason city because, similar to events for changing the title one way involving black people, it was or the other, and yet this is the only reason given for reverting to the controversial title. Was this done in our interest or because of ruffled This remarkable legacy is ego? Should a judge who

Recently, a Nisei parent said tion is not an after-thought as WRA interested in survey of sal on ballot "prejudicial to tizens League works for the ionship tournament is over! The passed on." The popular ver-The parents probably un- sion of this history was pro-

ment? Our national president Education to the Issei meant writes it off by saying that

> Go Write Your Own Book: quitted. . . Nobuteru Sumida, rado Amendment" (No. 3, your own book" is not worthy ner's mate aboard USS Indi- ien land law proposal); "I of comment, except to say ana in Spanish-American war, LU appeal) "Note to I that the sources surprise me. has two grandchildren in ser- Carr" (a challenge of DAVE MIURA vice: Monroe and Margaret statement California still

Long Beach, Calif.

## Repeal This Obnoxious Law

The rising tide of demands The American system of for repeal of the "detention government, we are confident, camp" section of the McCar- can and will manage its interran Act is by no means con- nal strains and tensions withfined to the ethnic groups out resorting to the "concenthat are importuning Presi- tration camp" tactics of totalident Nixon's administration tarianism.

hustled into detention camps. without further delay.

and Congress for prompt ac- A ringing demand by citizens of all skin colors, reli-The demands are shared by gious beliefs and ethnic backthe outbreak of the Second tolerated even on a standby building, that we spend mil- from there? World War, when they were basis. It must be obliterated lions for Metrecal and other

EDITORIAL: Washington Post

### A Slur on America

WASHINGTON — Editorial never be put into effect, it should concerned but seems to be up a good public image of urging speedy passage of bills be repealed; but the Department dragging its feet. Then there panese Americans.

of Justice, Columnists Evans and is the disruptive element Some young activists are

A SLUR ON AMERICA nal Security Act of 1950 more tration camp.

ment authority, in a period of fail to repudiate so strange a bel. national emergency, to put into statute. Several bills have been concentration camps, call "de- introduced to repeal Title II tention centers", persons deemed of the McCarran Act. They ought likely to commit espionage or to be passed by acclamation, resabotage. That evil law remains gardless of the Department of on the statute books today, a Justice. It will not diminish the legacy of the panic that prompted security of this country to re-It is idle to say the law will cans that cannot be imprisoned never be put into effect by an save in accordance with due pro-

on her pride if this rustic so

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situation is weakened.

25 Years Ago

In the Pacific Citizen, Nov. 4, 1944

War Dept. denies decision thor Mark Gayn tells Sacra-

return to West Coast after unfairly". . . Author Carey

Nov. 15. . . California State McWilliams tells Denver au-

do race-baiters bar Nisei (Joe es return of Nisei dentist (Dr.

Lupton fined \$100 for striking Anzio beachhead, says wound-

Colorado Nisei (Mike Shige- ed Nisei on hospital leave in

First Buddhist services held of Nisei published in WRA

(Oct. 22) at Ft. Snelling MIS- pamphlet. . . Nisei troops re- I

LS. . . Lt. Spark Matsunaga, ported with 7th Army under

twice-wounded veteran of Gen. Patch in southern

mand of Ft. Snelling Co. I, Nisei USA: Nisei and the

jury in Wyoming convicts Editorials: "Racism in Po-

Fukuoka of Manzanar. . . Au- danger of sabotage).

100th Infantry, assumes com- France action.

School Battalion. . . Federal Elections.

New York. . . Battle exploits

to talks by Dr. John Lech- botage.

to repeal Title II of the Inter- Novak report, flatly opposes re-nal Security Act of 1950 ap- peal of it. It is idle to say that that protests — sometimes now appearing on the JACL peared in the Oct. 19 issue of Negroes are absurd to be fearful peacefully but oftentimes vi- scene. They will, I am sure, the Washington Post as folthe Washington Post as fol- period of crisis, to confine any of and righteous because they at gram. They have the awaretoo militant from a white point least are doing something. ness and the motivation to of view. Negroes cannot forget However, we must be cog- provide leadership in achiev-Most Americans, if told by some that they were once treated as nizant of the dangers of what ing needed changes in the Jaforeigner that the Government chattels in this free country sim-

of the United States was contem- ply because their skin was black; they are doing. As their law- panese American community plating the construction of con- and they remember that native- less acts create growing dis- and in the community-atcentration camps, would respond born American citizens were pen- order, they are building up a large. either with derision or with in- ned into detention centers during dignation. Concentration camps World War II simply because their silent resentment among the Let us hope they also have are the ugliest symbol of total- skin was yellow. It is idle to public and setting the stage enough maturity of judgitarianism; they are as "un-Amer- say that political nonconformists for a take-over by the ex- ment and a sufficient sense of ican" as gas chambers. Yet the need have no fear these camps sad truth is that in the hysteria will be employed to silence them. of 20 years ago over communism, Silencing opposition is the very distinguished from their pur- our good public image, which Congress passed a law—the Inter- point and purpose of a concen- poses, may lead to a far more is important in itself but also commonly referred to as the Mc- It is a reproach to the United Carran Act-giving the govern- States that its Congress should one against which they re- lic support for the goals we

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THIRST FOR LOVE, by Yu-

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is being held. It is the final day growls the German. and the final hour . . . 25th of October, 1969, 8:30 p.m. Parti- man is thrown clean on his back Born in Tokyo in 1925, de- cipants from 35 countries around by a Seoinage (Over the shoulscribed as "the best writer the world and spectators packed der throw). All is over in a blitz working in Japan today," full to the ceiling.

the author has won the Shin- Basically, Judo tournaments ing Sun has won. Shobu Ari! chosa and Yomiuri Literary are solemn, serious and ritualistic order. The principle that the Prizes and the Mainichi Art but here in Mexico there is a difprotagonist must strive and Prize. American periodicals ferent taste. It is like a fiesta, attain to a resolution of a have given him publicity, boxing match and football game night. The individual heavy: problem is coeval with the Japanese movie fans may re- all mixed together. People are weight world championship is itl dawn of literature. Odysseus member him as the lead in eating, busily eating (even Shinomaki vs. Ruska. (Japan vs. false and abusive comparison, contended with the gods to a gangster movie based on tacos), drinking beer and Pepsi-

Above all they are talking and Though "Thirst for Love" tion when he wrote "I can't Plotless novels sometimes is the seventh of his books to hollering their heads off. Plus the agree with Bill Hosokawa ei- win acclaim and even the No- appear in English translation, vendors (about 100 in all) are ther, when he compares the bel Prize - as witness Sin- it is an early work, published going back and forth, up and tactics of the critics to Hit- clair Lewis's "Arrowsmith" in Japanese in 1950. The au- down the aisles peddling their ler's book burning. I have and Yasunari Kawabata's thor had not learned that rep- food and drinks with a blasting some notion of his feelings "Thousand Cranes." But etition is to be avoided and voice that can be heard easily but I still feel a boycott is an knowledgeable novelists fail that revelation of character and above all this noise. Right at the honest and non-violent means to plot their novels not from motive are better revealed in most critical moment when one choice, but from lack of abil- speech and conduct. Etsuko is of the champions is about to be Holland. Now you see it, now you ity; nature has sparingly doled overly given to introspection thrown over . . . Dos Pepsis por

After three and half hours of talking, eating and hustling, finally there is a tranquil atmosphere mental self-examination; thus prevailing throughout the arena. the dramatic impact of the No wonder. Time is approaching midnight and it is the moment The translator, Alfred H to decide the world champion-Marks, professor of English at ships for the heavy and light

### the State University of New York at New Paltz, also translated Mishima's "Forbidden Watsonville good, but would be better had the translator stuck less close- Continued from Page 3 in-law, Yakichi Sugimoto, be- ly to the original work.

He uses the name Etsuko Shikuma, one of the founders fire the publisher suggested in love with the hired hand, many times when a simple of Central California Berry "she" would fall more agree- Growers Association, known al titles which the publishers She plans to present the ably on ears attuned to Eng- today as Naturipe, an organiliked, "Nisei: a Valiant Odys- youth with the socks. With lish. In a few instances he zation that sends over two all the care and anxiety of fails to translate a Japanese million crates of strawberries all over the world.

### Cultural Patterns

Rev. Koga said that the tening to a non-Japanese speak- acity and achievement of the In giving the socks she will ing reader. The passages in Japanese community lay in Who, in the final analysis risk the gossip of the other which these terms are used their cultural pattern which members of the household would be improved if given emphasizes respect to elders, Boycott-No Reason: Those and the jealousy of Yakichi. an English rendering of "up- solidarity of home and family, belief in acquiring education, seats up near the ceiling but to and adherence to church trad- my surprise everybody utters

> Japanese people was proven No movements, no noise, nothbeyond doubt when Japanese ing! Except the heavy breathing soldiers fought for the United of the two could be readily heard States in World War II.

in vocational and profes- come to themselves. sional areas.

social welfare director reports dience alien land law propopublic attitude on return of all minorities". . U.S. Attorrights of all minority groups, results: (1) Japan (2) Holland Japanese to state. . . Colora- ney Carr, Los Angeles, opposhe mentioned. Grant Masaoka) from public George Ochikubo) to Califor-

### SHERMAN'S MARCH

meetings, refused admittance nia, claims state danger of sa-Gen. Sherman's march ner at Grand Junction and Canadian students of Japa- through Georgia during the Denver. . . Colorado Commit- nese ancestry barred from Civil War (Sept. - Dec. 1864) tee for Fair Play organized to studying at McGill Univ. . . . so lifted Northern morale that campaign against anti-alien Seven Topaz residents charg- it contributed to re - electing proposal on state ballot Brig- ed with draft law violation. . President Lincoln to his secton Mayor leads proponents. . Nazis rigged booby traps on ond but tragically brief term. Deputy U.S. marshal at Ft. bodies of Nisei war dead on

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On Methods of Achieving Goals

diet foods while children are JACL has brought about dying of starvation every day, some major changes, in the that the might of the Nation- law and in public attitudes, al Guard must be used to stop through legitimate channels. riots in a land of freedom. It has used persuasion instead Some members of our so- of force-with great success. ciety are copping out with It has won wide respect by LSD to escape from reality. its methods as well as by its The establishment may be accomplishments. It has built

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> Judo Campeonato Mundial

far beneath her intelligence, ALKA-SELTZER, DATSUN, "Mein Kampf" vs. "Yamatoeducation, and social status PHILCO, GILLETTE, BACAR- damashii" (Germany vs. Japan) should rebuff her overture. DI, PEPSI-COLA, RON CAS- are fighting it out for second Laid against the country- TILLO . . . all such sign boards place in the heavyweight group. side near Osaka and the day are smiling down and enjoying A blond, steel bodied German Critics sometimes defend the to day life of an upper-class the view below. Below the confronts a crew-cut oval emolack of plot in a novel on the farm family, revealing the la- champions are glaring at each tionless faced Japanese. One And what if Hosokawa him- ground that since life has no tent hostility of the other other and the spectators holding false step and you lose. Back, the story leads straight to a Mexico" where the 6th World over the tatami floor. EII! YAAA! Judo Championship tournament booms out Sato. ACH! JAAAAI

> But the next moment, the Gersecond. The man from the Ris-

But the big event precisely came at 10 minutes after mid-Holland). The giant Greesink of Holland had held the world championship for the past two tournament years until he retired. Not a pleasant thing for Japan where Judo actually originated and is a national sport. Naturally, Shinomaki was here for revenge while the towering Ruska with full confidence in his face was here to maintain the prestige of

For a Japanese, an abnormally was Shinomaki. But Ruska was a towering giant bulging with muscles and weight, Easily 6 feet 8 and 300 lbs. wearing a Judogi which could neatly fit anyone for an overcoat. Two big lumps of meat clashing together really

Overshadowing his opponent, Ruska tries to pull him in for a Koshinage (Hip throw) but the smaller just does not roll so

On the contrary, Shinomaki adroitly uses the pulling power of his rival to change it into his own pushing power, making Ruska sprawl on the tatami, face

Embarrassed and with a surprised look, Ruska now comes back charging red faced with a bellowing YOOOOOO!! always tempting the same Koshinage technique which appears to be his favorite. Yet each time he finds himself on the floor viselocked by Shinomaki.

Yells start coming out from the SHHH . . . !The quietest moment He said the loyalty of the in the entire 41/2-hour tournament. throughout the place.

Through "non-verbal" ac- The bell rings. Time is up! Up tivity, diligence and pa- goes the hands of the three tience, he pointed out, the judges unanimously in favor of Japanese have become a Shinomaki. A big applause breaks vital of the community, both out as if everyone had suddenly

The Japanese American Ci- The 6th World Judo Champ-(3) Japan (4) Holland in heavy-

weight; (1) Japan (2) Japan (3) Korea (4) USSR in the There was a Sansei from USA called Mura, who bravely displayed his strength but missed

third place by losing to Korea. After this big international affair, I hope Mexico will acknowledge real judo because the clubs here give out a compact deal . . . Judo, Karate, Aikido and Yoga

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