

By RAYMOND S. UNO National President

The 1970 Chicago Conven-

of JACL for years to come. sight into the truncated delib- July 31. eration-packed events. There Aaron Campbell, the store

Afterthoughts

the lowlights.

Life is a rare gift. Its value more keenly now the richness of the lives of Evelynn Okubo, ing to take up for these com- enough to get by." Ranko Yamada and Patti Iwa- munists?" taki.

Their brief stop at my house mind's eye the depth of their just got back from fighting these boys were Japanese and versations with them and the and knocked both to the said. standable, in a day and age back. to find fault with those who thing to anybody." wish to share what is good in life with the less fortunate.

feeling like Evelynn, Ranko and Patti, we would have

The Chicago JACLers are a special breed of people. The delegates from the IDC love HONOLULU - The lone tions to the young AKA. them. We could not have been treated more hospitably had we had the convention in Salt

moto, and the rest of the Chi- fit as a brand new second "There was no friction. No mances. cago gang and juniors were lieutenant in 1943 at Camp differences. From then until incomparable.

world can you reciprocate? gart, Germany, where he was he had to get used to being conventions, but the delegates U.S. forces in Europe. to find out about their candi- Angeles, vividly recalls his dates. I spent more time giv- first meeting with the late ing talks, answering questions, Lt. Col. Farrant L. Turner, and being buttonholed by who was then the 100th's delegates than I ever thought commanding officer. possible at a JACL convention. I am glad to report the

JACLs future. back home that this candidate Orientals," Kim said. was exposed from top to bottom either publicly or pri- be reassigned, but I said, "Sir, vately by the time the dele- we're all Americans." gates voted on Saturday "I saw no point in a transafternoon.

Advertising Art Studio, Salt Lake City, was the invisible man who wasn't there but felt everywhere from the be- Kanko Yamada Out ginning of the campaign for the JACL presidency. Little need be said of his work or Of Chi hospital

results. Chapter president George Kimura and wife Harriet CHICAGO-Ranko Carol Ya- sergeant.

port. Ron Yokota, governor, Ken Nodzu, Mt. Olympus Chapter President, and especially Salt Lake, Boise, Idaho Falls, Snake River and Mt. Olymplus Chapters, I am indebted to for their moral, physical, and financial support. They all came through when needed them most. This really slashed her throat. was a team effort.

been possible. Support from key people in the other dis- red. trict councils clearly made the difference. It is hoped the force that was galvanized to a bathtub shortly before mid- time in the hospital." get me elected can be further night July 16. mobilized to keep JACL moving in the direction of Jerry ing in the direction of Jerry pect is found Miss Yamada lifelong friends, he gained a Asian American Studies Central Enomoto's hopes and aspira- will be flown back to Chica- healthy respect for the Nisei.

I was told that no one would go. be able to match Jerry for NC-DYC establishes his time, effort and achievements for JACL; it doesn't Evelynn Okubo Fund take much convincing to make me a believer. JACL owes SAN JOSE-A fund in memo-Jerry and his wife, Joyce, one ry of Evelynn Okubo has been whale of a lot. His momentum started by chapters of the Eastbay flower growers may carry me through the Northern California-Western next two years.

CL to be a multi-faceted, but lynn Okubo Fund. singularly effective force in whatever endeavor JACL un- than we have hitherto given dertakes.

opinions and philosophy to make the organizational chemistry constantly mixing and creating new and useful ideas, programs and plans. They have the effect of a shadow government to constantly point out the weaknesses in our approach. We are fortunate to have something to offer all have JACLers like Henry and

The youth and "movement 320 South 3rd East people" deserve more credit Salt Lake City 84111

2 hitchhikers in Georgia attacked

By PHIL GAILEY

just got back from fighting left, promising to return.

is little need to recapitulate owner, has charged Dan and no gain to reinforce the White, 25, and Wayne Jones, triumphs and tragedy of Chi- 21, with disturbing the peace turned later with a third percago. Therefore, I take leave and threatening bodily harm son just as deputy Crane aragainst him for intervening rived. Crane ordered them to ly a shopping center with a Henry Crane. Crane said asked to spend the night. to excuse myself from the White and Jones, both recent- They were identified as highlights and will dwell on ly returned Vietnam veterans, Masayoshi Sasaki, who gave are under \$600 bonds.

stopped at his store to ask in Japan. depends on how deeply you directions to Interstate 85 Crane said one of them live and not how long. I sense when White and Jones drove could not speak any English up and shouted: "Are you go- and the other spoke "barely publicity given to the center

No Resistance

as they passed through Salt The store owner said White that the youths were Oriental. Lake City etched into my then told the foreigners, "We "I tried to tell them that not find what they came for. then. Their awareness be- ing them.

Campbell said the two local youths called him a commu-HOMER, Ga.-Shouting "We nist for stopping them and

you Communists in Vietnam," "I hid the Japanese in the tion will influence the future two young Vietnam veterans back of my store until the attacked and beat two hitch- sheriff could get here," Camp-The highlights of the con- hiking Japanese students out- bell said. "They were bleedvention have been superbly side a country store here ing and shaking like little covered in painful detail by where they stopped to ask dogs. My wife cleaned the those who had the most in- directions, authorities said blood off them and some of it is still on the concrete."

A Boston Student

Campbell said the two re-

his address as Boston, Mass., Campbell said the two where he is a student, and panese firm. young Japanese hitchhikers Akira Sugitani, of an address

said the only apparent motive for the attack was the fact

for Andrews, N.C.

when belief and pursuit of "I had to pull my gun to The Deputy said they appar- He made his comments and unpopular causes has polariz- stop it," Campbell said. "I've ently suffered no serious in- the announcement of the ed our society as well as our never seen anything like it, juries and declined to press name change in a letter to ers.—Atlanta Constitution

in the 100th had any objec-

very proud of that."

the Nisei had no bearing on

their combat, discipline or

Nisei GI Attitude

mistake," Kim said.

pany's commander.

with their problems."

Anzio Beachhead

Kim reeled off a list of oth-

er names of Islanders who

have made their mark in Ha-

waii. They included Mitsuo

Fukuda, Richard Mizuta and

"Being with the 100th was

"They were probably the

-Honolulu Advertiser

service," Kim said.

damage.

Perhaps — perhaps, if we had more people with real 100th Infantry's Col. Kim assigned as peace; maybe, "absolute U.S. Army Hawaii information officer

Korean."

By CHARLES TURNER determine whether the AJAs

American of Korean ancestry There were none. Kim was to serve with the famed 100th assigned to Baker Company as Infantry Battalion in World a platoon leader. Lake City. Lovable Masako War II finally has made it to Inouye, gracious Ross and his adopted Islands.

Cheryl Harano, bubbling Chi-Col. Young O. Kim, who "The men accepted me rea ye Tomihiro and Jean Saka- was assigned to the Nisei out- dily and openly," he said. Shelby, Miss., has been nam- I left the outfit in February, Tats Misaka, my campaign ed information officer for the 1945, I never had any probmanager, and I were simply U.S. Army Hawaii at Scho- lems at all as far as being overwhelmed. We still haven't field Barracks.

gotten over it yet. How in the He came here from Stutt- Kim admits, however, that I don't know about past with the Plans & Policies for called a "Kotonk" (Mainland

War Dept. Didn't Know

questions posed were issue "He recognized immediateoriented and dealt with basic ly that I was of Korean desproblems and solutions about cent and realized that the War Department didn't know the I can assure the chapters difference between various

"He asked if I wanted to

fer and preferred to remain with the unit."

Kim said Turner agreed and Ted Nagata of Ted Nagata let him stay until he could

blocked all avenue of escape mada, 17, Stockton, who surand made me look only in one vived a throat-slashing at the direction, the presidency, Palmer House hotel last when crucial decisions had to month, was reported in "high" be made. I am grateful to spirits" last week by a pothem for their unstinting sup- lice spokesman, the United Press International said.

Miss Yamada, who was released from Henrotin Hospital Aug. 3, has agreed to remain in Chicago for a few days in order to give police more information about the get Miyake to a hospital." man who murdered her roommate, Evelynn Okubo, 18, and

The two young women were Without Tats Misaka, of attending a Japanese Amercourse, nothing would have ican Citizens League conven- Spark Matsunaga. tion when the slaying occur- "He probably doesn't even

Miss Okubo, also of Stock- terday. "He was wounded very

Homicide Division Chief fortunate for me," Kim said. John Carton said when a sus- In addition to making many will be flown back to Chica- healthy respect for the Nisei.

Nevada District Youth Coun- move to Watsonville cil, Jr. JACL. Contributions

manitarian people. They will carve a masterful place in JA-CL's history. I hope we can share their vitality, dedication and courage even though we have found the highly indus- gram. do not always agree with them or their methods. They do

San Francisco Japanese center shortens name

SAN FRANCISCO - Several years after its completion, the developers of the Japanese Cultural and Trade Center in the Western Addition have come to the conclusion that the name of the three-block project is "misleading."

Conceding visitors had good reason to say there's very little genuine Japanese culture to be found in the center, its builders have decided to drop that high ringing designation from its name altogeth-

For good measure, they'll also delete the word "trade." making it simply "Japanese

Banks County Deputy Sheriff eign youths to jail, where they unique Japanese flavor," said George Yamazaki Jr., spokesman for National Braemar that built the center and then sold the major part to a Ja-

Unfortunate Publicity

Yamasaki said it was "unfortunate" that most of the to date has stressed its cultur-Campbell and authorities al aspects.

This, he insisted, has been the cause of much disappointment to visitors when they did Said Yamasaki:

feelings as I recollect my con- you communists in Vietnam," not Vietnamese," Campbell "If a person will visit with the expectation of a shopping events that transpired since ground and then began kick- Crane said the Japanese center, he will be pleasantly youths were allowed to spend surprised. If, on the other comes all the more remark- Campbell said the Japanese the night in jail and caught a hand, he comes with the exable, their commitment under- youths did not attempt to fight bus in the morning (July 30) pectation of a museum, he will be solely disappointed."

"tourist trap."

Theater Flops

The center's Kabuki Theater, which was supposed to be one of the major cultural at- Nisei Week dinner

After having reportedly dropped \$1 million in the ven- to honor Sen, Inouve ture, operator Kunizo Matsuo,

for over a year now except co-chairman Tad Ikemoto. The for special parties and perfor- dinner is set for Saturday eve-

In contrast to this business geles Hilton Hotel. failure, the center's hotel, the Miyako, has done exceedingly announced that the 1970 Niwell and several shop owners sei Week Queen and the nine in the project also report do- Princesses; San Francisco ing a thriving business.

Space Available

to this convention took time Kim, who grew up in Los problem understanding pidgin. however, is still going begging will be present. "They all spoke pidgin," for tenants, mostly in the Here especially for the 30th Kim said. "I guess it was to West Building.

establish the fact that they The center's most dominant from Honolulu are Cherry were from Hawaii. They were feature is its lofty Peace Pa- Blossom Queen Kathy Horio; goda, which has become a Miss Popularity Karen Yama-Kim said he learned quick- land mark to motorists driv- naka; Princesses Evelyn Shily that the happy-go-lucky ing past the center on Geary geoka, Linda Murakami and attitude and friendliness of Blvd.

ability to engage the enemy. "Some people made that The Germans, who inflict- Slain in gang War ed heavy casualties among the

Nisei, were among those who learned what it was like to NEW YORK - The body of ENOMOTO ADVISER TO arouse the men of the 100th. William Wong, 14, was found Among the fighting men of at dusk last week (Aug. 3) the battalion whom Kim re- by customers leaving the 'GO FOR BROKE' YOUTH calls today are Sen. Sakae Bamboo Garden Restaurant Takahashi, "who came from in the Chinese district of Low- LOS ANGELES-Jerry Eno-Fox Company," and former er Manhattan.

Supreme Court Justice Jack Detectives said the boy was JACL President and newly Mizuha, who was Dog Com- stabbed by two Chinese appointed deputy supervisor youths. It was reported the at Soledad Prison, has joined Former Circuit Judge Taka- victim had been harassed by the "Go For Broke" advisory shi Kitaoka was Kim's platoon a gang of teenagers earlier. board.

authority maintained by par- ganization dealing in the area And Dr. Katsumi Kometani. the well-known dentist, was ents and the traditional res- of drug abuse, fighting and "the one everyone turned to pect that Chinese children school dropouts in the East held for their parents and oth- Los Angeles area. er older persons had kept the Enomoto's professional castreets of Chinatown virtually reer in probation and in the

Kim remembers the fierce free of delinquency. battle at Anzio in which Ho- But this respect and autho- addition to his constant sup- reunion at White House with Nixons ward Miyake, now a veteran rity had been eroded recent- port of youth as an active vo- reunion at White House with Nixons legislator, was seriously ly by the large influx of root- lunteer in JACL, will mean wounded. Kim was in the less refugee youths from Chi- much to the young organizastretcher party which helped na who came to New York, tion,

Hong Kong and Taiwan.

est crime rates in the city. facing.

most courageous boys I ever to be established for L.A. colleges LOS ANGELES - Coordina- siasm exhibited by partici-

tion and development of Asian pants. American studies in the col- Most campuses reported onleges in Southern California ly a few classes in Asian stuthrough a Studies Central was dies could be offered. This led supported by participants at- many to conclude to a need may be sent to: Henry Kaku, UNION CITY-The Kitayama tending the Southland Inter- to establish a Studies Central Henry Kanegae and Tom DYC v.c., 3310 Louis Road, Bros., one of the state's larg- collegiate Conference of Asian so that campuses with small-Taketa have the desire, spirit Palo Alto, Calif. 4303. Checks est flower growing firms, will American Studies July 29-31 er programs, especially, could and sincerity that permits JA- should be payable to the Eve- move its entire growing oper- at Cal State Long Beach. draw needed strength from it. ation in the westside of Wat- The conference also served Studies Central is also expectsonville near Sunset Beach, to familiarize delegates with ed to coordinate investigation

JACL needs differences of them. I have found them to be dedicated, sincere and hu-Kee Kitayama, the young- to exchange ideas on direction Lecture at library est of four brothers, explained and potential as well as to they are moving because of share the woes and problems SAN FRANCISCO - Edison Following his remarks, the The Student Aid Program by December, 1972.

at the Western Addition picture taken with each couple ed to meet the financial needs trialized East Bay area not Alan Nishio of UCLA and branch library on "Concen- by the official White House of students for the past two suitably any longer for rais- Alan Nitake of Cal State Long tration Camps, USA-Can It photographer. The class pic- years. At this year's Nationing their blooms. Smog con- Beach, conference co-chair- Happen Again?" Camps al- ture was taken later in the al JACL Convention, the Na- Program application deadline. So. ditions have at times seriously men, and Prof. Isao Fujimoto ready exist in America in north portico. lowered the quality of the flo- of UC Davis, conference con- terms of social ghettos and According to Mrs. Tani, the program national in scope. Los Angeles.

Sept. 23 — NCWNDC executive wer crops and caused sizeable sultant and main speaker, economic restrictions. Uno ex- there were as many press re- The expanded program will go board nominations; Jim Kimoto, were pleased by the enthu- plained.

The packing and marketing various Asian American pro- of the Asian American com- served.

Many other flower growers dible and stimulating pro- ence of 150 persons July 29 greeted each guest and had a Southern California area, gear-

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WHICH ONE?-Ten aspirants for Miss Niorganization. I find it difficult Those boys hadn't done any- charges against their attack- Mrs. Helen Bauer, hostess of sei Week, who will be selected at the Coro-Welcome Wagon International, nation Ball Aug. 15 at Beverly Hilton, were who advised him many peo- formally introduced at the recent Queen's ple considered the center a Tea. Here, they are flanked by parade marshal John Saxon (left) and Festival general chairman Harry Yamamoto. The candidates are (from left): Claudia Kadota, Pasadena;

Joy Kodama, Hollywood; Charlotte Kiyan, San Gabriel Valley; Joanne Uyemura, Gardena Valley; Gail Kato, East Los Angeles; Gail Konishi, Orange County; Jean Kadonaga, San Fernando Valley; Candy Hiroto, Long Beach-Harbor; Sally Ann Okazaki, that the most important chang-Wilshire; and Joanie Nishikawa, West Los es included in the pending le-Angeles. —Toyo Miyatake Studio, gislation are:

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16

MONDAY, AUGUST 17

TUESDAY, AUGUST 18

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 19

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

FRIDAY, AUGUST 21

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, AUGUST 22-23

the Japanese Walt Disney, LOS ANGELES - Plans for closed the place and bought the dinner honoring U.S. Senhis Japanese dance troupe, ator Daniel K. Inouye, grand that never caught fire here, marshal for the 30th Annual a one-way ticket back home. Nisei Week Parade, are al-The theater has been closed most completed, according to ming, Aug. 22, at the Los An-

The dinner committee also Cherry Blossom Queen Marilyn Suzu Matsuno; Parade Marshal John Saxon; and the A major part of the space complete court of the Honolu-

Annual Nisei Week Festival

Vickie Iwamoto. Festival Chairman Harry Yamamoto stated that the testimonial dinner to Senator Inouye is a sports formal afpublic. Reservations at \$15 per

moto, immediate past National

Until recent years, the strict Go For Broke is a youth or-

general area of corrections in But this respect and autho- addition to his constant sup-

often without their parents, While visiting the So. Calif. home in Whittier, following as there were classmates. from the crowded slums of JACL office, Enomoto met a "once in a lifetime" exper- She recalls that as the Prewith the group which shares ience, are Mr. and Mrs. sident waved good-bye to the odyssey for peace One officer explained that an office across the hall in the George Tani, who attended the group, he said, "If you have many of the refugees have lit- Sun Bldg. The youth were im- Whittier College Class of 1934 any solution to any problems, SAN FRANCISCO - The 50tle education and speak only pressed with his concern for reunion at the White House leave them in the suggestion foot ketch, Phoenix, of Hiroa little English and therefore them and his encouraging re- in Washington, D.C., recently. box." unemployment is a problem. marks. They were apprecia-Police concede there has tive of his comments that reremember me," Kim said yes- been an increase of crime in inforced their attempts to deal Chinatown, but point out that with the problems that the ton, was found dead lying in seriously and spent a long it still has one of the low-current Sansei generation is

Whittier Nisei matron arranged class

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

kawa announced that the ap-

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LOS ANGELES - Back at ion cameras and microphones

were given a VIP tour of the Seal, pen and a golf ball. ond group ever to visit the Whittier after brief visits to back by the Chinese Commu-Blair House, went through the Philadelphia, New York City nists. Air Force One, State Depart- and Dayton. ment, National Archives, Congress in session, and other JACL student aid

In Ford Theatre, where President Abraham Lincoln was applications due assassinated, the group watched a Broadway show, the LOS ANGELES-As a final re-"Fantastiks." Later, with a minder to any student who string orchestra playing "Hail might be interested in applyto the Chief," the guests met ing for the Student Aid Prowith President and Mrs. Nix- gram of the Pacific Southwest on in the State Dining Room, District of the JACL, commitwhere refreshments were tee chairman Dr. Roy Nishi-

The President spoke to the plication deadline is Aug. 15. group, reminiscing of their Applications are available the college days during the Great JACL office, 125 Weller Street, Depression.

the ideal growing conditions. involved in establishing a cre- Uno addressed a mixed audi- President and Mrs. Nixon has been a pilot project in the

porters with cameras, televis- into effect in 1971.

changes sought

(Special to the Pacific Citizen) WASHINGTON-Rep. Spark Matsunaga (D-Hawaii) last week (Aug. 6) testified in support of far-reaching amendmends to the Immigration and Nationality Act before the Immigration Subcommittee of the House Judiciary Commit-

Matsunaga, as a co-sponsor of the bill pending before the subcommittee, told its members that "The major revisions carried out in our immigration laws in 1965 have proved successful. The proposed legislation would update and refine the laws to meet the problems that have surfaced since the enactment of

the 1965 revisions." The Hawaii lawmaker said

1-The establishment of world-wide preference system and a numerical ceiling of 800,000 visa numbers per year;

2-Extension of the annual ceiling of 20,000 per country now in effect in the Eastern

3-Elimination of the cu-9 a.m.-12—Baby Show...... Sho Tokyo Theater mulative backlog in certain 12 n.-9 p.m.—Goh Tournament......Sun Bldg., Room 306 preference categories;

6 p.m.-1 a.m.—Coronation Ball.......Beverly Hilton Hotel ern Hemisphere immigrants. "The establishment of world-wide preference system Golf Tournaments at Montebello and Alondra Country Club sourses 12 n.-9 p.m.—Goh Tournament......Sun Bldg., Room 306 tion system on an orderly, 12-6 p.m.-Judo......L.A. City College equitable and humane basis,

country of origin." 000 annual ceiling, which is presently applicable only to to countries in the Western

1-9 p.m.—Art Show...... Nishi Hongwanji (New) Hemisphere," he continued. The Hawaii lawmaker commended the retiring chairman mittee, Congressman Michael 1-9 p.m.—Bankei and Sunae...... Sun Bldg. (Rooms 302-303) sor of the legislation, for his of the United States "the most

Immigration to U.S. may 1-9 p.m.—Artistic Doll Crafts......Zenshuji

1-9 p.m.—BonsaiZenshuj nual immigration since the 5:30-8 p.m.-Nisei Week ParadeLittle Tokyo 90,000 Cuban refugees already in the U.S. were given per-

manent status. A total of 358,579 immigrants were admitted in FY 1969. Among the 11 countries sending over 10,000 were the Philippines and China. Among the nine others sending over 5,000 were Korea and Hong Kong.

Phoenix ends 12-year

shima, skippered by Earle Mrs. Tani (nee Satsu Bes- Each alumnus and spouse Reynolds, arrived Aug. 5. on sho) of 10702 Rosehedge Dr. left the White House with a final voyage. During its 12was one of 37 classmates re- gifts to remember their histo- years at sea, it had sailed to united with President Richard ric visit. All ladies received Eniwetok to protest the H-M. Nixon after 36 years. She gold pins with the Presidential bomb tests in 1958, turned was also responsible for ar- Seal and an autograph pen he back by the Russians in 1961 ranging the class reunion. uses to sign legeslative bills, to protest nuclear testing in The classmates, their spous- All the men received key Siberia, delivered medical supes, and college representatives rings with the Presidential plies to Haiphong in 1967 and attempted to visit Shanghai White House, became the sec- The Tanis returned home to last year only to be turned

> TOBA-Miyoshi Takeuchi, 23, completed a 96-day, 6,200 mile solo voyage from San Francisco aboard his 26-ft. sloop. Gametsuya II, which he had built here of Philippine mahogany plywood and fiberglass. He left the Golden Gate April 28 and stopped over in Maui enroute.

SEATTLE - A 38-foot ketch constructed of reinforced concrete, the Akitsushima, crossed the Pacific Ocean in 48 days, arriving here from Himeji in Hyogo-ken Aug. 4 with four men aboard. They plan to sail around the world

tional Council voted to make Calif. JACL Office, 125 Weller St.,

Title II Repeal Stalled



detention camp authorization, lina. continues to remain stalled.

of the House Internal Security we understand that there are Committee continues to insist JACL members of the Chithat a ranking official of the cago Chapter and of the Oma-Department of Justice, prefer- ha Chapter, respectively, who ably Attorney General John reside in those neighboring Mitchell or Deputy Attorney states. General Richard Kleindienst, In any event, while these the Administration's attitude in their own constituencies toward this legislation.

In this connection, it is to be recalled that early last December (1969) the Deputy Attorney General addressed a letter to the Chairman urging the repeal of itle II. The letter declared that "in the judgment of this department (which under the law is to urge them to vote for Title charged with the responsithe fears and suspicions-un-dorses the repeal of this confounded as they may be-of centration camp authorization many of our citizens (that statute. they might be detained arbitrarily in emergency detention camps). This benefit outweighs any potential advantage which the act may provide in a time of any internal security emergency."

sonal appearance by a ranking Justice Department ofon policy matters and questions involving internal security.

And, both the Attorney General and his Deputy are because of "administrative

To try to break this stalemate, Congressman Spark M. Matsunaga of Hawaii, who is spearheading the repeal campaign in the National House: of Representatives, has arranged that the Department make the Assistant Attorney tions. General in charge of the Inwho has been in charge of the since the Eisenhower Administration.

Congressman Matsunaga had long sessions. to persuade Speaker of the House John McCormack of Massachusetts to intervene before the arrangement could be worked out.

three week (August 14 to there is no indication to sug- Maeda, Shozo Maekawa, R. Matsucess, Chairman Ichord will be able to schedule Assistant Attorney General Yeagley as a witness before his Committee. lation. And, after the Justice Department has been heard, it is hoped that the Internal Security Committee will begin executive sessions and report a repeal bill before fall.

The membership of the House Internal Security Committee places an extraordinary mittee. burden of lobbying responsibility on the JACL chapters in the Midwest District Coun-

Democrat Ichord, the Chairman, is from Houston, Missouri. The other Democratic members are Claude Pepper LOS ANGELES-At least \$40,- ra; Penryn: Tom Matsuda; Richof Miami, Florida, Edwin 000 are needed to help pay Furuta, Dr. Theodore M. Iida; ana, Richardson Pryor of community center as dona- no, Masao Shizuka Matsumoto, Greensboro, North Carolina, tions continued to be acknow- guchi, Ping Oda, Joe Hozumi Taand Louis Stokes of Cleve- ledged by campaign co-chair- kaki, Dorothy M. Yamasaki; San land, Ohio.

are John Ashbrook of Johns- \$1,310 being received during Yazawa; San Jose: Karl Kinaga, town, Ohio, Richard Roude- the two weeks prior to Aug. 4. bush of Noblesville, Indiana, The fund stands at \$26,493.50. Scherle of Henderson, Iowa. Auxiliary, \$500; Central Ja- bata Brothers; Stockton: Henry T. the Republican nominee to Mrs. June C. Inouye, \$250; run for the Senate seat now and Shig Muranaka, \$100.

The congressional campaign held by Democrat Vance to secure repeal of Title II of Hartke, while Congressman the Internal Security Act of Watson is the GOP candidate 1950, the so-called emergency to be Governor of South Caro-

Although there are no JACL Chairman Richard Ichord chapters in Indiana and Iowa,

personally testify concerning Congressmen are back home during the current Labor Day recess, it might be worthwhile to organize delegations not only of Japanese Americans but also of other concerned Americans, such as churchmen, educators, businessmen, and political leaders to meet with their Congressmen and II repeal legislation.

enforcing Title II), the repeal cans should be reminded that ed to concede his basic arguof this legislation will allay the Nixon Administration en-

> is now becoming factor in the congressional

When the Congress reconvenes on September 8, it will probably remain in session In spite of this unequivocal until about mid-October, endorsement of repeal, the when it may either adjourn Chairman insists upon a per- sine die until the 92nd Congress convenes early in January or recess until after the ficial who is authorized to November 3 general election speak for the Administration when it may return for a session that could last through the rest of the year,

jority Leader Mike Mansfield Lawrence F. O'Brien, chairunable to personally testify had been predicting that it man of the Democratic Nawould be necessary for the tional Committee, at a strate-Senate at least to remain in gy meeting attended by othsession all year because of the er prominent Democrats. war in Southeast Asia. Last week, the Majority Leader suggested that it might be possible for the Senate to

ternal Security Division avail- has not yet indicated in pubable to the Committee. The lic any thoughts that he might official is J. Walter Yeagley, have concerning the time for adjournment. But it is known Internal Security Division that the Speaker, who has announced that he will retire after this term, dislikes year-

If the Congress is to ad- Hood River: Tome S. Akiyama, journ in October, unless the Harry Inukai, Mr. Otoichi Nishi-House Internal Security Com- moto, K. Tamura; Ontario: Ben mittee acts expeditionals the Hasegawa, Mrs. B. M. Tanaka; mittee acts expeditiously the Portland: George Azumano, Mrs. prospects for repeal legisla- Chiyo Endo, Y. Funatake, Mrs. Y It is now hoped that after tion this session become quite Horagami, Kaneo Ikeda, S. Kakithe House returns from its remote. And, as of this date, Michi Kishi, Teruo Kondo Mrs. Y. gest that the Committee, at da, Kamitaro Matsumoto, Harry least its Chairman, is eager to Okamoto, Mrs. Ako Saito, Kosaseek an early and definitive zo Sunamoto, Mrs. K. Takeoka,

> Moreover, if the Internal Satsuki Azumano; Security Committee decides Puyallup: Amy W. Brown, Yoagainst repeal, an October ad- shio Dogen, Hiroshi Fujita, Kenny journment would probably Yoshio Kosai, Frank Mizukami, mean that there would not be Robert Mizukami, S. John Sasaki, which to resort to other par Asaba, Megumi Dodobara, Fairwhich to resort to other parliamentary alternatives to a Kajimura, Mickey S. Kobata, Keifavorable report by the Com- ji Nikami, Harry S. Okazaki, S.

Aug. 4: \$26,493.50

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Rep. Spark M. Matsunaga decided July 30 not to challenge Sen. Hiram L. Fong for his Senate seat because of high campaign costs and does not have enough money to compete with a "multimillionaire." Matsunaga, instead, will House from the new 1st District (Aiea - Kokohead). He also noted many people are running for office this year, making it more difficult to raise enough money for a race \$62,000 in his last campaign and estimated he would need \$200,000 if he ran against the incumbent.

Baltimore, personal physician to former Vice President Hubert Humphrey, stepped down from the policy-making committee of the Democratic Party after stumbling into a "hornet's nest" of angry women including Hawaii Rep. Patsy Mink, who disputed his claim that women may be emotionbility for implementing and Incidentally, the Republi- ally erratic leaders. He refusment that a woman's ability to make decisions may be impaired during menopause or her menstrual periods. The key to the controversy was an April 30 meeting of the party's Committee on National Priorities at which Berman expressed his opinion on wo-Mrs. Mink. Two months later,

Berman recalled, Mrs. Mink demanded his resignation. Rep. Spark Matsunaga (D-Hawaii) and Sen. Walter F. Mondale (D-Minn.) have been named co-chairmen of the Speakers Bureau of the Democratic National Committee for the 1970 Congressional campaigns. The appointment Until last week. Senate Ma- was announced July 21 by firm, the other located in Chi- chapter president in 1949.

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-Fred Ikeguchi; Orange County -Hitoshi Nitta. Hasegawa; Chicago—Dr. Victor Izui, Albert Koga, Mike M. Kudo. 16th Year: Livingston-Merced—

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ra, George H. Yokoyama; French Camp-Hideo Morinaka: Seabrook Tanakatsubo.

go-Mrs. June Tamanaka.

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run for re-election to the to appear in Southern Califor- luncheon, July 30. Tsuchiya is planning to open another in 1948, was commercial atin Newport Beach at Fashion tache at the Japanese Embas-Island, Newport Center, by sy in Manila before being early 1971. An outdoor patio transferred to Japan Exteragainst Fong. He said he spent dining is an innovation, en- nal Trade Organization in Dr. Edgar F. Berman of ruma, by December this year. co-based investment firm. . . It will be operated by Mori As a reward for loyal service, Yokoyama, president of Daru- the Bank of Tokyo of Califorma Restaurant of Osaka. nia plans to send two emplo-

Matao Uwate, L.A. divisional manager for Financial Programs, Inc., has moved from Little Tokyo at 2600 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 227.

Japan of Taro Muramatsu. general manager of Mitsui & bori of New York's office will Aug. 2. Surviving are s Danassume the top position of Mi- ny, d Ets Uyeda (Mountain tsui in Los Angeles in August. Muramatsu will return in Sep- Setsu Shimada (Japan) and tember to be general manager Grace Chikami. men's leadership abilities to of Mitsui's nonferrous ores de- Ray T. Kaneko, 56, of Department. . . JVC America, troit died Aug. 2 in a Cleve-Inc., a subsidiary of Victor land hospital after suffering a coast office at the City of rance convention in New York. Commerce last month with He was stricken July 24. A Morio Sagaya as branch ma- prewar San Franciscan, he is nager. Takashi Masuda of survived by w Sumi, four New York, JVC America's children and br Ray (Los An-

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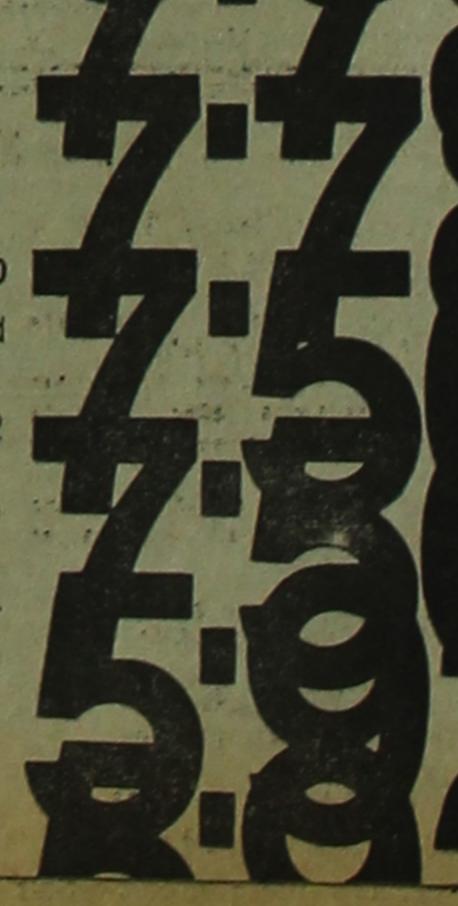
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REPORT ON A CONVERSATION-Dr. S. I. Hayakawa, president of San Francisco State College, is not exactly the darling of many Sansei and some Nisei. In their views, as we understand it, he epitomizes the yellow Uncle Tom who has sold out to the Establishment and has betrayed his culture and his people. As readers of The Pacific Citizen know, the suggestion ern United States imprisoned Topaz Relocation Center. that he might be named Nisei of the Biennium set off a storm of letter-writing and public breast-beating, pro and con.

Hayakawa was not unaware of the furor the very mention of his name created and, as was mentioned member of the Florin JACL Almost overnight it became "But, in retrospect, we feel ment, Mrs. Inoshita was not in this space last week, his inclination was not to attend the JACL convention in Chicago to accept whatever honor was to be bestowed upon him. But at the landed on the West Coast be- memory about Topaz was has been. And we have claim detention time for reurging of his wife, he did attend.

In the airplane en route, he pulled a ruled, yellow, they were considered to be a pleted fifth, sixth, seventh and although he doubts that Japan trade center relatived pad out of his briefcase and began to jot danger to the internal secur- part of his eighth school year. Japanese Americans could legal-sized pad out of his briefcase and began to jot down some ideas for his syndicated newspaper column. It is not strange that some of these thoughts were about the activists among Sansei college students who of war in December 1941. had made him their particular target. Apparently they had not penetrated his hide, which has become very thick out of necessity, but he wondered about their ley, recalled that his family nese Americans serving in the actions and came up with two conclusions. These he was given less than six weeks' Army—fighting the Germans Yamashiro attends meet lion last year to lead all othshared with me in a thinking-out-loud manner, and with his consent I am reporting them here with neither approval nor disapproval, assent or dissent.

THE CONCLUSIONS—The first point Hayakawa the last minute to get good man was shot and killed by a cy of California- Western most of these agents to meet made was that while Sansei activists seem determined bargains," he recalls today guard as he walked toward States Life Insurance Co. is Hook, who only last week was to reject middle class American values, in reality they are thoroughly and aggressively middle class American when they emulate the Negroes. He explains this by pointing out that from the earliest days of this na- see them again." tion the Negroes have had a profound influence on American culture. Slaves wore their masters' castoff clothing and put on minstrel shows, and soon Whites were wearing blackface to stage the same kind of entertainment, Hayakawa says. Jazz and other forms of ample, some whites with Ja- trade, he was a civilian in- event. rhythmic music, mod fashions, many currently used figures of speech, all adopted by the middle class White community, can be traced back to Black influ- property during the war years idents attended his outdoor ences, he says, and Sansei activists are pursuing this for their confined tenants.

Ozawa's family—his parents same course with great vigor.

His second point was that Sansei college activists, who talk passionately about the need for retaining and keeping their ethnic heritage pure, are abandoning the very traits that were the hallmark of Issei behavior. The concept of "gaman," for instance, the ability to endure the unendurable. And "enryo," which Hayakawa defines as "unpresumptuousness." The Issei did not presume to impose their views on others. The quality, of patience. These are part of the Japanese behavioral heritage, Hayakawa points out; they stood the Issei in very good stead, but these behavioral patterns are being attacked today.

This, of course, is a highly simplified report on complex matters and perhaps will be subject to misunderstanding and misinterpretation. But this, in essence, is what the man said and I am playing the reporter's role because an articulate and thoughtful personality has expressed an interesting and provocative point of ivew

CHICAGO REACTION—In the several weeks since the Chicago convention the Pacific Citizen has made much of the admirable manner in which the young folks reacted to a shocking tragedy. On July 24, the lead headline told readers that "Youth maintain calm, order," and certainly this was true. But doesn't such prominent mention of this fact in reality denigrate the Sansei who were there? The implication inherent in such news treatment is that the youngsters were expected to fall apart emotionally, become hysterical and commit senseless and useless acts. But because they met the crisis like strong, sensible, stable young adults, which of course they are, the press reacted as though in astonishment and made overly much of it. After all, these young people are the product of a tough and hardy heritage, and they themselves have the self-assurance to tell even the President of the United States when they think he is wrong. Are such people likely to panic? It is unfair to imply that they

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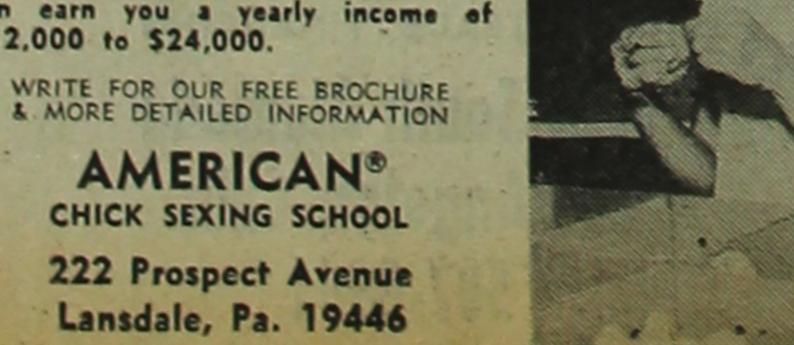
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Physician recalls wartime ordeal as youth, 'camps character-builder'

SACRAMENTO-Dr. Kenneth months while tar-paper bar-H. Ozawa, a Sacramento phy- racks were being constructed sician, returned this past at the Utah camp. They lived month to the scene of part of in horse stalls in which straw his childhood-the site of an and animal leavings had been American detention camp in overlooked when the facilities central Utah where he spent were hastily cleaned for them. World War II as a prisoner of his own government.

Ozawa was one of more They traveled by sealed than 110,000 Americans of Ja- railroad coach to the Utah panese descent from the west- camp, which was called the in 10 concentration camps in "Jewel of the desert," the California, Arizona, Idaho, prisoners dubbed it after see-

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notice to sell their property in Europe. within the Tanforan Race killed in action. Track in San Bruno.

"Most people knew we had

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tional Institute, 297 Lee St., up missing. seeks a part-time Japanese- Today, the camp is part of speaking social worker.

By GEORGE WILLIAMS and an older brother-had to wait at the race track for six

'Jewel of the Desert'

Wyoming, Colorado, Utah and ing the barbed wire-enclosed desert facility. It was to house (Dr. Ozawa is a 1000 Club more than 10,000 prisoners. and president of the Florin the fourth largest community we did the right thing. in the state.

off Plymouth Rock in 1620, ture." While there he com- were character-builders." Ozawa, a native of Berke- wives and parents of Japa-

Guards Kill Issel

to sell so they waited until In April 1943, a 60-year-old member of the Wilshire Agen- was the first opportunity for "We sold our expensive piano the outer fence to pick flo- here this week to attend the elected president. His predewers. After that, Ozawa said, firm's leading producer club cessor, H. Harold Leavey, was "Other families had to leave there was an uproar in the meeting at the Bayshore Inn. elevated to chairman of the possessions behind, never to camp and morale descended Thirty-six agents from the 12 board. for nearly a year.

But amid all the bitterness (James H. Wakasa, 62, was Sacramento-based firm ope- year Yamashiro has qualified about the Japanese in Cali- shot and killed April 11 by an rates qualified for the four- for the council. He is serving fornia early in 1942, there M.P. sentry after failing to day million dollar producers as vice chairman of the evwere outstanding examples of heed four warnings from sen- meeting, making it the largest ent and will be cited for perkindness, Ozawa says. For ex- tries in two towers. A chef by in the 11-year history of the sistency and sales as reflected panese tenant farmers on their structor in cooking at Camp Introduction of Cal West- banquet tonight. He joined land set aside the profits from Dodge, Iowa, during the 1st ern Life's new president, Har- Cal-Western Life in 1956. crops grown on the tenant world war. Two-thousand resfuneral.)

But as a result, the guards were removed from the towers, he remembers. Though it was against regulations the OAKLAND - Through a spe- prisoners began to come and cial grant from the United go as they pleased, and to his Bay Area Crusade, Interna- knowledge no one ever turned

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Trees Still Green

But Ozawa-who flew there in his own plane-was still still as dusty as ever, "like for civil service retirement. face powder.'

After the war, Ozawa completed medical school and then served with the U.S. Manow a commander in the Navy each year-this year at Travis Air Force Base treating soldiers returning from Vietnam.

Americans says that we should (see June 19 PC). not have accepted the wartime imprisonment," he says. status at the time of employ-

Though the Japanese had Ozawa says much of his now is integrated as it never American state employees to fore the Mayflower anchored pleasant—"a boyhood adven- stronger spirits. The camps tirement.

and prepare for confinement And gold stars for those for leading insurancemen er nations.

Yamashiro of Gardena, a light of opening session. It Western states in which the This is the 11th consecutive

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able to trace the outline of bly Ways & Means Commit- On Tape recorded his barracks. Trees planted by tee, on a voice vote, approvthe Californians where "trees ed last week for floor action had never grown before" were the bill permitting Japanese still green and growing, he Americans to claim "detention says. The alkaline soil was time" in a relocation center

The bill, already passed by the State Senate, was introduced by Sen. Alan Short (D-Stockton), allowing Alice rines as a Navy doctor. He is Inoshita of Lodi who is employed at the Stockton State Reserve and serves two weeks Hospital to claim her time in camp toward retirement from state employment. The bill is supported by former U.S. "Many younger Japanese Chief Justice Earl Warren

Because of her probationary covered by a later law that "The Japanese community enabled all other Japanese

ity of the U.S. after the Japa- But he has a vivid recollection ever again become victims of HOUSTON - Japan has fornese invasion of Pearl Harbor of looking through the barbed such imprisonment, Dr. Oza- mally opened a trade center and the resulting declaration wire - armed soldiers in wa points out that the law here June 25, one or the five towers-and seeing blue stars (Title II of the Internal Se- regional offices of the Japan hanging in the windows of curity Act of 1950) remains External Trade Organization, barracks that housed the the books. -Sacramento Bee a government-sponsored trade lion last year to lead all oth-

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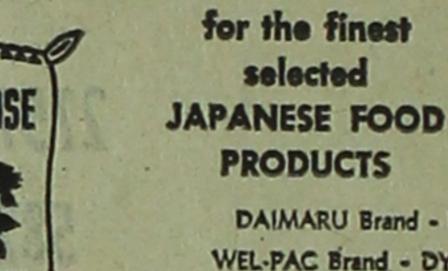


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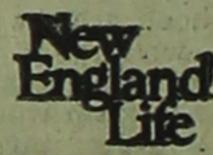


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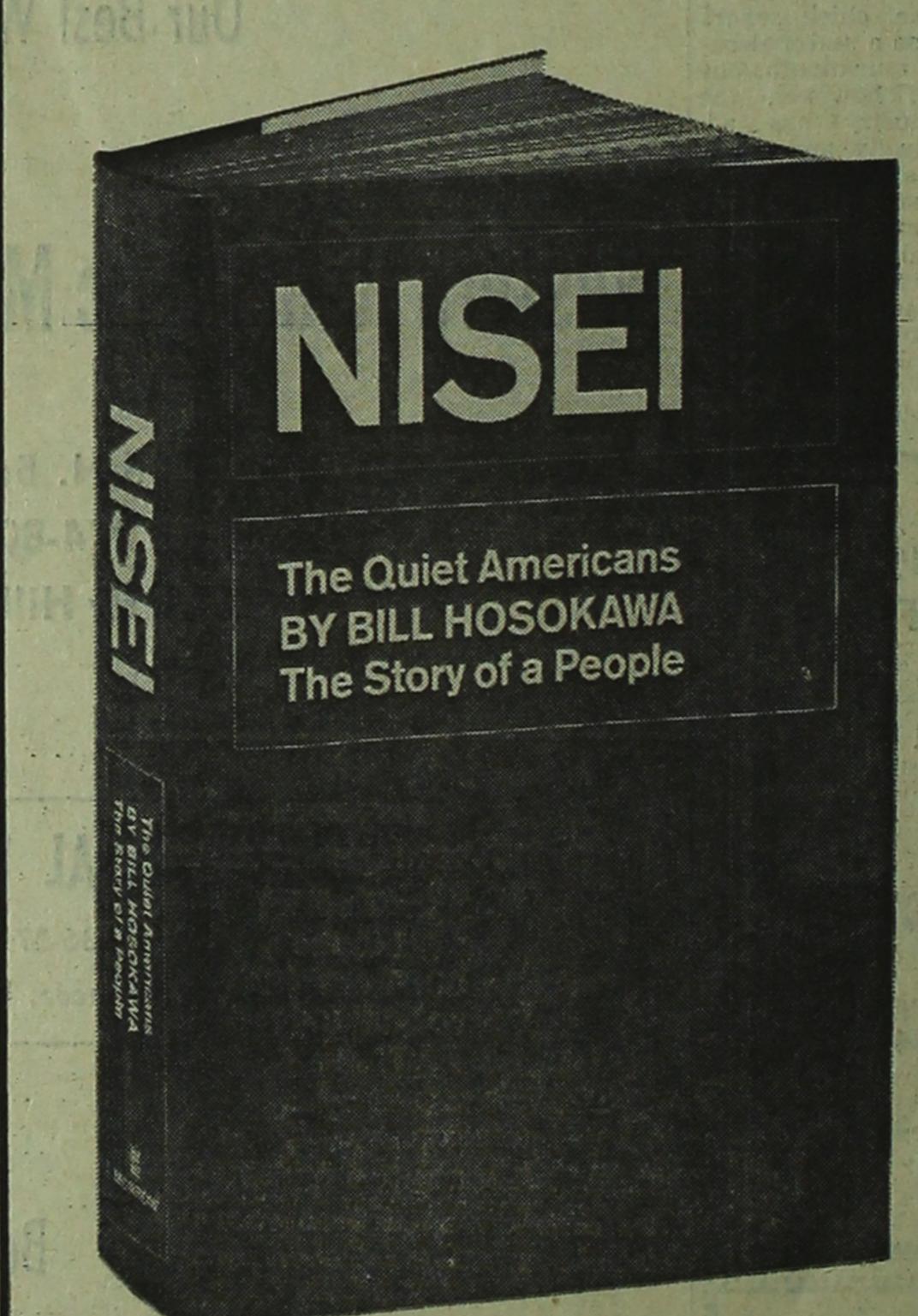
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Nippon or Nihon

other day, said the Japanese Japanese "Zippanguese", "Zip-Government hereafter would panguans", may be "Zip-use "Nippon." But he added pangs".

be rash to think that this has However, there would be put an end to the controversy advantages. For one, it could over which should be employ- lead to a pretty good nick-

been traditionally used in Ja- be objectionable. For this pan to suit the taste, the pa- headline writers of newspapper says.

known as Nippon-bashi while Tokyo has Nihonbashi.

On the other hand, the pa- ters. per says, to use "Nippon ryori" in the reference to Japa- "Nipponese" is no improvenese cuisine is grating to the ment. ears.

The controversy over Japan's name is really old stuff. Before the Tokyo Olympics of 1964, it is recalled, there was a big debate over whether the name of this country should officially be "Nihon" or "Nippon" for the Games. tional teams have "Nippon" on When trimmed to a snappy their sweatshirts today, so "Zip," I would easily fit into you can see which version the headlines. was picked.)

came up with a suggestion for about such abbreviation. Acanother kind of change in the cording to Webster's, the country's name. It was com- word "zip" means "full of pletely ignored, but might be vim," making it downright worth repeating.

try's name the boot and re- just forget that.)

TOKYO—Is it preferable to vert to "Zippangu." "Zippan-call Japan "Nippon" in the gu" is what Marco Polo call-Japanese language? Or should ed this country and the word

it be "Nihon?" "Japan" was derived from it. Prime Minister Eisaku Sa- The return to "Zippangu" to, at a Cabinet meeting the for "Japan" would make the

that "Nihon" was not wrong. It would put the country at As the Yomiuri Shimbun the tailend of alphabetical points out, however, it would listings, behind Zambia.

name for the Japanese, a "Nippon" and "Nihon" have brand new one that wouldn't ers everywhere would be Osaka, it notes, has a bridge grateful.

In describing Mount Fuji, as Members of the Japanese It towers above the clouds, race, especially those abroad, "Nippon ichi" (best in Japan) have always been touchy sounds better than "Nihon about the word "Japanese" shortened to its first three let-

The shortened version of

Thus, over the years, the newspapers have been without a suitable space-saving handle for the Japanese, though there are plenty for the peoples of other nations, such as Yank, ROK, Thai, Kiwi, Canuck and Aussie, to name a few.

This is where "Zippangu-(The athletes of Japan's na- ese" would come in handy.

There should be few objec-At that time, this writer tions among the Japanese

flattering. What was suggested was (Of course, "zip" can also that while it was at it, the mean "a sudden hissing or si-Government should give the bilant noise as that made by English version of the coun- a flying bullet, "but we can

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Nihongo teacher revisits students after 30 years

By JOE HAMANAKA

Seattle Mrs. Yoriaki Nakagawa of Chicago was in town last week, and about 40 members of the Nisei Veterans, its Auxiliary and several Gold Star Parents got together with her for dinner at the Bush Garden to say "hello" and "thank you".

For many, the meeting was the first in nearly 30 years. Mrs. Nakagawa is the wi-

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dow of the pre-Evacuation Seattle Kokugo Gakko Japanese Language School principal-"Kocho Sensei".

And she and Mr. Nakagawa, for 24 years, have been sending a floral wreath on Memorial Day for the Seattlearea Nisei war dead-like Mrs. Nakagawa said, flowers for their "sons", as any "parent" would.

Each year they would send money to Genji Mihara, president of Nikkeijin Kai, who would arrange the purchase of a wreath for the community Memorial Day Services sponsored by the Nisei Vets. Kocho Sensei passed away

Oct. 10, 1968 in Chicago. And his widow was in Seattle to confer with a writer, Kazuo Ito of the Yomiuri Shimbun, Tokyo, on a book about her late husband.

Taken back a few years, we remembered Kocho Sensei as a tough, demanding man. His voice was scolding. To mere kids, he even looked mean. But we Nisei may be better adults now for having been in his care. He taught pride, discipline, courtesy, responsibility, honor.

The Nakagawas had daughter, Akiko. She was 11 years old when she died, in

And following the loss of their only child, they drew an even greater attachment to their "children".

It was an evening for reminiscing. The language school at 1414 Weller Street, where Mihara and Iwao Matsushita! now carry on. Much smaller now with classes on Saturdays. Only about 200 attend the 2-hour weekly sessions.

Seems the Sansei find little use for the Japanese language. Or, Nisei parents are not as pushy as our Issei on education. Or, perhaps we've become overly sensitive about being Japanesey.

We remembered the teachers-Kawafune, Kurose, Hata, Yoshitake, Tajitsu, Yoshida, Takakoshi, Uchimura, Ogasawara, Fujikado, Kimura, Kawano, Yokoyama, Kataoka, Mizuki, Kawako, Nakata, Uyeda, Takekawa, Koito, Yamada, Kano, Hibiya, Sato, Katayama, Hatanaka.

And Mr. Fukei, the custodian, would walk around the building ringing the bell, calling the kids to classes. At peak enrollment there were perhaps 1,400 pupils. Every day, five days, 11/2 hour starting at 4 p.m.

Remember the picnics at Jefferson Park, now partly occupied by a golf driving range. Barrels of free lemonade. The foot races.

And the cone fights, with rolled-up newspaper "swords" -a free-for-all cone-crusher, between the Red (Genji) and White (Heike). Like the historic battles of Taira no Kiyomori and Minamoto no Yoshitomo. Like the armies of General Yoshitsune charging across the Plains of Yashima (Shikoku).

And serving as schoolboy patrol. Stopping traffic by 3351/2 E. 1st St. MA 6-1724 swinging red kerosene lanterns on Rainier Avenue. And the school band that played "Kimigayo" and "Gunkan March". The "taiso" exercises at the playfield.

Remember Tenchosetsu ceremonies and the "banzai's" for the Emperor. Graduation exercises at the old Nippon Kan Hall (Astor Hotel). The building, though now empty, still stands alongside Interstate 5 Freeway that chopped its access street.

Seeing and hearing Mrs. Nakagawa took us back a few years. She remembered, and helped us remember. Listening to her. Softly, she would cry. Happy tears. Like coming home, she said.

Proud, she said, of their "sons and daughters" for our accomplishments. Our sacrifices in battle, our drive to get ahead-far beyond the expectations of the Issei. Yes, we've come a long way

since. Since Mrs. Kataoka first | 321 guided tiny hands (right hand, | remember) to write the "a-iu-e-o" and "ichi-nin-san." Proud of us? We're sort of . . . proud of our Issei, too, Sensei.

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Chicago I have been asked to relate any impressions I may have concerning the President's Recognitions Luncheon during the 21st Biennial Na- clude our congratulations to tional JACL Convention held Dr. Roy Nishikawa, the 1968here in Chicago.

Our basic endeavor in planning for this occasion was to which preceded the Presichange; break away from the dent's Recognitions Luncheon Education Fund. traditions of the past, if on- the night before, our plans ly a little.

The luncheon was primari- nothing else, the 198 JACLly a "family" affair, meaning ers who attended were able the majority in attendance to relax, if only for a brief were either delegates and/or 2-hour period before returnboosters, with less from the ing to the closing sessions of local areas. It was therefore the convention. With the supintended to be informal, thus port of so many, our comexcluding the formality of a mittee, in particular, was able head table. Miss Karen Suzu- to manage quite well, despite ki was our toastmistress—an- the confusion and sadness of other small diversion from the the day. past. Her poise and flexibility A hearty thank-you to all proved that females are quite of the JACLers for helping to able in handling this usual make the 1970 JACL Recog-"man's job."

Our theme, "Thanks and it was-and-for making it Thoughts by Jerry," enabled all worthwhile. out-going President Jerry Enomoto to extend his thanks and thoughts accumulated over the past two bienniums as Commander-in-Chief to fellow JA-CLers, as well as project into the future—the JACL of tomorrow.

National officers and staff personnel were recognized for their efforts over the past biennium by National Director Mas Satow.

Another highlight was the presentation of the JACLer of the Biennium-Dr. Randolph M. Sakada Memorial Award.

Scholarships, silver pins awarded by San Diego

Over 100 persons turned out to honor the San Diego JACL scholarship and silver pon recipients on Aug. 1. Don Estes, chapter president, served as Master of Ceremonies for the annual awards banquet dance at the Atlantis Restau-

Joe Owashi, Scholarship Committee chairman, awarded twelve \$100 scholarships to: Carol Iguchi, Norman B. Koba, Donna E. Yamaguchi, Craig Nakamura, Carol Ann Yamate, Leslie D. Owashi, Elizabeth Koba, Patricia Hasegawa, Shirley Omori. Scott Konishi, Shirley Ochi, and Melodie Fujino.

Recipients, who were chosen on the basis of academic achievements and service to the school, represented schools throughout San Diego County.

The JACL silver pin awards were made by PSWDC Governor Mas Hironaka. Citing their many years of service to the chapter, Hironaka presented pins to George Fujito, Robert Yamauchi, Ben Nakata, Walt Obayashi and Arthur Kaihatsu.

Dr. S. Rex Gorton was the keynote speaker for the evening. Dr. Gorton, who is President of San Diego City College, addressed his remarks to education of minorities on the college level.

CALENDAR

Aug. 14 (Friday) Alameda-Baseball night, Oriole Vs. Ayes.

Aug. 14-16 San Francisco-Scholarship benefit movies, Kinmon Hall. Aug. 15 (Saturday) West Valley-Bowling and Bridge Night, Saratoga Lanes, dinner 6 p.m.; activ., 7:30 p.m. Los Angeles-Nisei Week Festival coronation dinner-dance. Beverly Hilton Hotel, 6:30 p.m. (PSWDC JACL-sponsored.)

Aug. 16 (Sunday) NC-WNDC-3d Qtrly: Monterey Peninsula JACL hosts, Holiday Inn. 1 p.m.; Col. Kirby Horne, DLI commandant, bang, spkr. San Mateo-Comm picnic, Beresford Park, noon. Philadelphia-Chapter outing.

Aug. 20 (Thursday) Sacramento-JACL golf tournament, El Dorado Royal. Aug. 22-23 NC-WNDYC-Qtrly Session,

Monterey. Aug. 23 (Sunday) Detroit-Community picnic, Parr Knoll, Middle Rouge Park. Prog. Westside-Pancake breakfast, Crenshaw Square's

Food Giant Market parking lot, 8 a.m.-12n. Aug. 26 (Wednesday)

Monterey Peninsula-Gen Mtg. JACL Hall, 7:30 p.m. Aug. 30 (Sunday) West Los Angeles-Steak bake, Cheviot Hills Park. at State Fair. Sept. 5 (Saturday) Contra Costa-Family barbecue party, Alvarado Park.

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OAKLAND-A fund drive is ing donated to the Dept. of now being conducted by an Social Services for distribuprogram of summer activities dren in the area. for the Issei and the areatheir grandparents and others of the elder generation.

The East Bay Sansei Students Assn. held a picnic and sponsored a bay cruise thus far and, according to Linda Yamamoto, one of the officials of the group, at least five more projects have been scheduled for this summer. "Our purpose is to provide recreation for the Issei, to get

to know them better and to learn from their knowledge and experiences what we can tion letter.

tant to us. We feel that our washed each car. With the developing project has great help of Gardena Chief of Popotential and worth-we have lice Roy Tracey and the cothe enthusiasm, energy and operation of the Gardena pomanpower, but also need help

Miss Yamamoto said tax deductible contributions may be sent to the Issei Fund, c/o Oakland JACL, P.O. Box 1008, Alameda 4501.

The West Valley JACL is having a bowling and bridge toga Lanes in San Jose. Dinner will start at 6 p.m. and By CAROL NAKAGAWA To emphasize this portion of bowling and bridge at 7:30.

> cipients of the award were Ticket sales are up over present and introduced. Mrs. last year for the Progressive Shizu Sakada, widow of the Westside JACL pancake late Dr. Sakada was also in breakfast Aug. 23, 8 a.m.-12 attendance. I might also inn., at the Conshaw Square Food Giant market parking lot, according to ticket chair-70 JACLer of the Biennium. man Janice Yeto, who an-In view of the tragedy nounced a goal of \$3,000 this year for the Asian American

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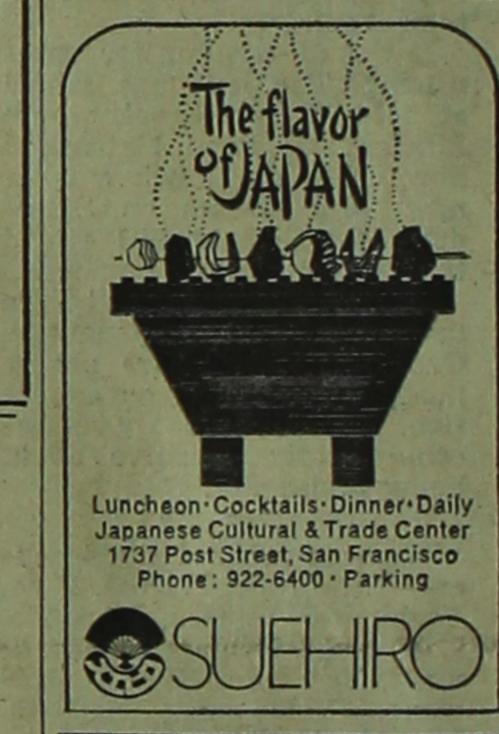
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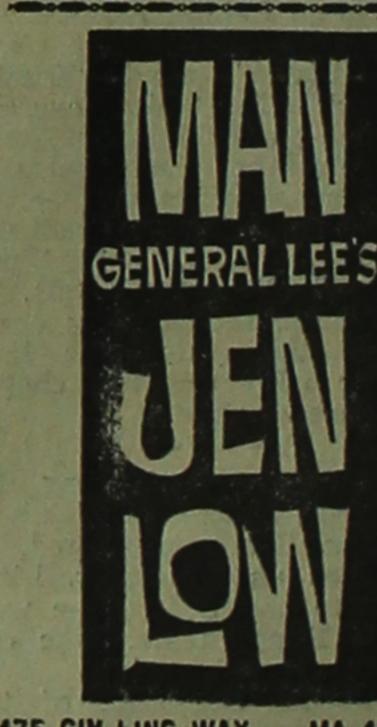


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On Japan Trade The state health dept. has lifted the quarantine on the Sen. Daniel K. Inouye, in a Banana Patch, Maui, hippie speech prepared for delivery colony after circuit Judge S. July 15 in Hilo, said the eco-George Fukuoka ruled it was nomic history of Hawaii is a illegal. The health dept. had testimonial to the benefits of placed the cluster of shacks a free trade now being enand the 30 residents of Badangered by the obstinacy of nana Patch under quarantine a booming Japanese economy. after six persons developed "The time has come." Inouye infectious hepatitis. Five said, "when Japan should be young men from the Banana made to deal with us as equal Patch challenged the quaraneconomic partners and not as tine, and Fukuoka ruled that one seeking further trade adthe health dept. had no authovantages." Inouye said he is rity for such an action. distressed over Japan's "un-Univ. of Hawaii compromising stance" in re-Enrollment for the first of two cent unsuccessful trade nego-

Univ. of Hawaii appears likely to show a drop for the second year in a row. Classes began with 11,-598 students enrolled on the Ma-Royce E. Higa, 49, a top de- noa campus. The enrollment during the first session last year and TV sets. partmental appointee in the was 13,871, compared with 14,152 Gov. John Burns administra- for the first summer session of tion, life his job July 31 to 1968. Last year was the first time work for the election-year ed a decline since 1952. Dr. Shuncampaign of Burns' opponent, zo Sakamaki is dean of the sum-Lt. Gov. Thomas P. Gill. Higa, mer session.

deputy director of the state At State Capitol dept. of social services, will

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Ron Kline, 38, a much traveled heated cooking oil on a kitchrighthanded pitcher since en stove gutted most of the broke into baseball in 1950, has Albert Ogasawara home at been signed as a free agent by the Hawaii Islanders. Kline has become the eighth player to be Woodlawn recently. It caused owned outright by the Islanders. an estimated \$16,000 damage. Kline has seen service with Pittsburgh, St. Louis, Detroit, Wash-The blaze scorched the kitchington and Atlanta, from which abetes. en, dining room and living he was released recently.

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A three-man court has rul- Yoshimi Takeda, 37, former ed that Kauai cannot have two associate conductor of the Hostate senators with a half vote nolulu Symphony Orchestra, each. The provision for such has accepted a one-year cona pair of senators was put in- tract with the Albuquerque; to the state constitution after N.M., symphony orchestra as it was advanced by the 1968 music director and conductor. constitutional convention and Pres. Nixon, while withapproved by voters. The court drawing troops from Vietnam also eliminated a constitution- during the next two years, al phrase which said that "no will maintain a force sufficient

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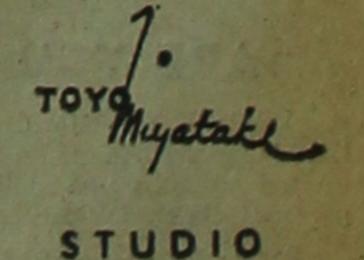
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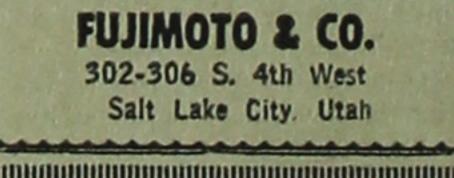
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Friday, August 14, 1970

PROBLEM OF FREE SPEECH

Free speech and spontaneous remarks are not that free as President Nixon learned this past week when he openly commented on the Manson trial. The more responsible a person is in his station in life, the less "free" his speech becomes, it seems. JACL presidents in the past have also weighed this question — for no matter, when he speaks it is inevitable that the weight How We've Brought Racism to 'Nam of his office is attached to it. A man who is president can't just speak in public as an ordinary individual as much as he insists. His is a superhuman task to speak with considered judgment and accuracy at all times.

It's not always easy to keep one's thoughts from which they're stationed is an distrust Vietnamese. He feels popping out in speech or to avoid technical mistakes ally, bound firmly in a com- culturally and physically suwhen engaged in an argument, but when a president makes such a mistake, he pays for it. For President Nixon, it becomes a political cost of national consequence. For a JACL president, it may affect organizational support for his effectiveness.

Yet a man in office need not fear free speech for it is the vehicle by which he is able to express what he thinks are "right" and "true" for himself, for his group and for society.

On the other hand, however, Mr. Nixon's "slip" still raises a legal question to which the answers are not the alliance is tenuous, the have made racist bullies out yet clear even though jurors in the Manson trial have asserted the incident would not affect their judgment in the case.

WHERE WERE YOU 25 YEARS AGO?

Twenty-five years ago this day (V-J Day) seems a little harder to recall than the day Pearl Harbor was bombed, but we were back at Fort Warren, Wyo., just north of Cheyenne, going through a 10-week refresher mese civilians and troops. But Vietnam, because they want- the Hokubei, PC readers are recourse and, of all things, teaching recruits grave registration, a function of the Army Quartermaster Corps. We were recruits four years earlier in Decem- ries Norman V. Nakamura, a same conclusion many othber, 1941, trying to stay warm in our parkas and learn- Japanese American soldier re- ers have—that we should be ing how to double-clutch a 34-ton Army truck. With V-J Day, aside from the celebration in town, it also meant a stop to our grave registration classes. If we in Los Angeles. were teaching how to double-clutch the trucks, the classes would have undoubtedly continued.

The WRA camps were in the process of closing nam is populated not by peo- it seems that the presence of ence. He didn't. with evacuees being returned to the west coast in spe- are "onl gooks", the careless petuating the war. It seems cial trains. Many were heading on their own to the big soldier is relieved of human ridiculous and hypocritical to cities of Denver and Chicago. Our release from the responsibility, and these are be antagonizing the very peomilitary didn't come until Christmas eve at Camp some of the things he's done: ple you are supposed to be Grant, Ill., after spending the fall months in Pennsylvania and South Carolina. That miserable winter in Chicago convinced us Southern California would be makes obscene remarks to cism to the Vietnamese peohome for the rest of our lives, in spite of the anti- young women, steals, runs ox ple." Japanese feelings still erupting on the west coast. But carts off roads, shoots at civiwe felt discrimination against the Nisei was gradually eyes don't match the pattern Rockma diminishing as well in view of the war record and good of his, sneers at their lack of Deekilldiwill of fair-minded people. They were also saying there sanitation and despises their would be no more Little Tokyos then-but the evacuees were trying to get re-established and what has followed our readers already know.

TEXTBOOK FUROR IN JAPAN

Does it make any difference if "cultural heritage" may not be "fact"? This issue is swirling in Japan today over the expansion of history and social studies texts to be used from next year on "divine origins" of the nation and the Emperior. While the Education Ministry says the "divine myth" is not taught as fact, it has prompted those in support that children need to be ed as we worked together untaught a sense of national identity and understand- der such adverse conditions. ing of the Emperor as "the symbol of the state" as Although the youth reacted to their connection with the stated in the Japanese Constitution. Teachers, on the other hand, feel it's a dangerous swing toward the ab- was reassuring to have the solutism of prewar days and "thought control" of the adults there to aid us in our

By order of the ministry, textbooks yet contain the barest mention of the nuclear havoc upon Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

Therefore, significant was the initial court victory of Prof. Saburo Ienaga, history professor at Tokyo Education University, whose textbook had been blished working relationship "screened" too far by the ministry to suit him. The between the juniors and sencourt ordered Ienaga's history be accepted as written. He regarded what was screened out of his text as playing down Japan's militarism of the past and trying to JACL a more viable organizarevive a new nationalism which the professor consider- tion. ed dangerous.

Equally significant is the court's position on screening, which the professor regards as unconstitutional. operation during those most The court only said screening by the ministry should trying times. be limited to checking facts, typography and relevance to the subject. The case is expected to be appealed

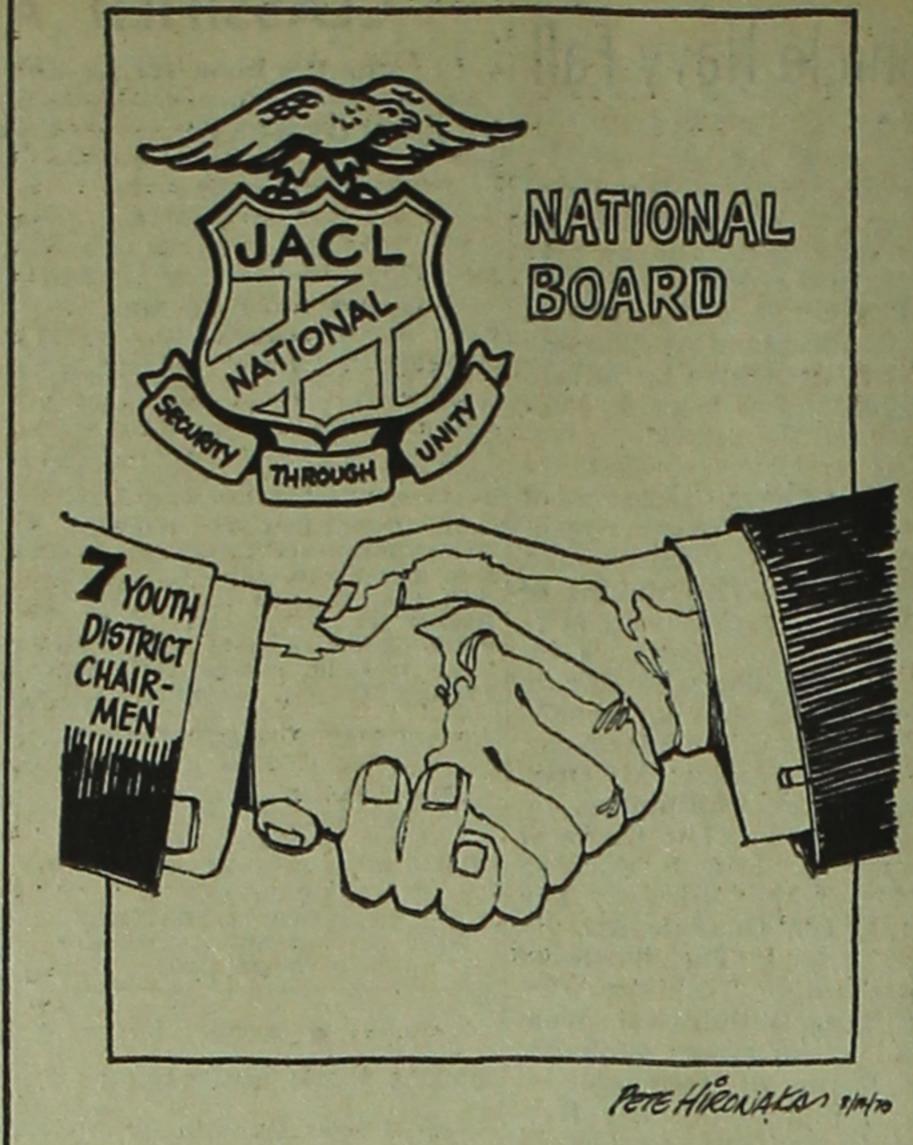
While the Japan press hailed the victory for the people against undue "state influence" on education, Ienaga saw it as his way for making up on his in- Reparations ability to resist "the reckless course of the govern- Sir: ment during World War II."

How much should school children be taught? And who should say what is taught—the state or private scholars? While these answers depend on one's educational philosophy, we believe parents should determine how much their children should be taught and we hold that the matter of what is being taught is neither a monopoly of the state nor the private scholar.

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Welcomed Consolidation

EDITORIAL: Register-Pajaronian (Aug. 4)

Watsonville mon cause, and with a com- perior. He's frustrated by mimon history and language. litary discipline, by being far Americans stationed in Great from home, by separation Britain during World War II from his family, by an inhoswere resented because they pitable climate, by taking part were "overpaid; oversexed, in a war he despises. cans to be leant against this which can come to mean oth-

do the work of the great ma- with "slanted eyes." jority; and that's what wor- Mr. Nakamura comes to the concepts on applying this test, name used as a participant in going to happen and you know cently returned from Vietnam, out of Vietnam - but for a writing in a publication of the specific reason: Asian American Community "Since guerrilla warfare de-

ple but hy "gooks." Since they such GIs in Vietnam is per-

children along the roadside, ing civilization to Vietnam the Buddhists were sitting on one fires tear gas into villages, American GI has brought ralians, distrusts everyone whose

LETTERS

National Convention

Editor:

During those tragic moments of the National Conven- tle of Leyte Gulf, translators tion, a "oneness" was created are not specifically listed. But among the junior and senior JACLers present. The so-call- the names of Masaru Chikuaed generation gap was lessensensibly and were able to deal book, they may have assisted with immediate problems, it endeavors. In addition, without the presence of the experienced seniors, who dealt with the more technical problems that come with such a tragic event, things would have been impossible.

It is hoped that this estaiors will continue on the chapter, district, and national levels as we attempt to make

With much appreciation, I With reference to the Tithank all juniors and seniors the II Repeal campaign, is alike for their help and co-

KATHY KADOWAKI MDYC Chairman 7651 Koch Dr.

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I read with interest about PC) for reparations for all the draft violators). if such actions are wise? For, facility for those waiting tri- tism which smacks of racism, diswhen we consider the Japa- al). minority, we see another mi- state prison). nority, the Negro, who will 4-El Reno, Okla. (Once never ever, really, be repaid housed German POWs during -at least, from my point of WW2, now pasture land). view. Compound that with the 5-Wickenburg, Ariz. (Leas- mittee for Responsible Educafalling value of the dollar, and ed to private party). it would seem wise to me, to 6-Tule Lake, Calif. (Brok- Morality Guidelines but I de-

Harbor) be bygones. As I recall those days, too, The Muslim paper, "Mu- the JACL due to their history ly so sweet. as others do too, we couldn't hammad Speaks" (Sept. 19, of compromising, accommoeven choose our Branch of 1969) adds: (7) Safford, Ariz.; dation and lack of courage and Steamboat Race Service, such as Navy, or Air (8) Tuscon, Ariz.; (9) Mont- initiative in challenging the Force. I am glad it's all over, gomery, Ala.; (10) Greenville, status quo. and a thing of the past. And S.C.; (11) Mill Point, W. Va.; The other reason was be- and night upriver from New sei soldiers "outrageous," says Italy . . . Three German main keeping with Christian doc- and (12) Elmendorf, Alaska. cause of the composition of Orleans to St. Louis, the pad- Ast. See. of War McCloy. . . . chine guns silenced by Frestrine (as per Mark 11:25), I In an emergency (as during the group. It was loaded with dle-wheeler Robert E. Lee Fifth Army commander Gen. no Nisei GI, breaking up would much rather forgive Evacuation 1942), racetracks, active and vocal Protestants beat the Natchez a 100 years Truscott hails Nisei war re- three- day stalemate in Italy;

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The presence of foreign sol- this, writes Mr. Nakamura. diers is always an irritant- Since the enemy is seldom even when the country in seen, the soldier is taught to fellow man.

and over here," and we have a These frustrations all come picture of a sign affixed in the to a focus, the former soldier "Neither bicycles nor Ameri- tation of "gooks," a term

er Asians as well: It's far worse, then, when "Frustration and racism cause not universally accept- of many GIs in Vietnam, but ed, when residents and fo- will it end in Vietnam or will reign soldiers on the whole it color a negative stereotype know nothing of each other's toward all Asians? For some history or language - and GIs this is the first contact when they are of different with Asian peoples, so it is highly unlikely that this ex- Mr. Fukuda was invited by the Most American troops in perience would not affect Vietnam mind their own bu- them. Some GIs would go onsiness, of course, and are de- ly to Australia on their rest Shinto sect founded in 1859. In to, Rhonda Iyoya and Rev. Hogen cent and helpful to Vietna- and recuperation leave from reprinting his recent pieces from Fujimoto. only a few bad apples can un- ed to get away from people

pends upon the support of the couple of years ago and he people and since many GIs For some Americans, Viet- are antagonizing the people, He throws empty cans at aiding . . . Rather than bring-

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text is in ten point type, three got the various religious immigrants found on the west columns to the 91/4 by 91/4 groups together for the com- coast do not base their morality inch page, there is far more mon cause by not showing reading material between the any official partiality toward covers than indicated by the religions and their organiza- Klotz draft would bar these citnumber of pages.

Except for Capt. Toshikazu Ohmae, mentioned in the text as the translator of The Batthe Biographical Notes include mi, Roger Pineau, and Clark Kawakami, all American-born. Since there is no other clue with the translating.

This is a fascinating book, seemingly essential to full understanding of the campaigns

Questions of general interest asked of the Pacific Citizen will be replied as best as possible under this column head. We have found many asking similar questions, hence this new feature.-Ed.

Concentration Camps

there a list of American concentration camps for future use?

San Diego JACL

Look Magazine (May 28, 1969) in a detailed story on detention camps lists the ori- clude the interests, beliefs, and ginal six camps maintained contributions of all segments of ber was all for the teaching at one time by the Justice Dept. at: 1-Allentown, Pa. (Now a was founded, we believe that all

Edison Uno's efforts (July 17 minimum security prison for Japanese Americans in California be taught, the important reli-Japanese, but really wonder 2-Florence, Ariz. (Federal reaction of right wing conserva-

nese as merely another ethnic 3-Avon Park, Fla. (Now a Americans . . ."

tion to look into the proposed let bygones (erupted by Pearl en up for residences, open clined because of two reasons. country).

fairgrounds, military bases but the Buddhists on it were ago (June 30, 1870), complet- cord. . . No special hate killed later in France . . . Ja-ROBERT H. IWANABE and other federal properties not known especially for their ing the race in 3 days, 18 shown against Nisei GIs in panese balloon bomb fell near can be readily converted to militant religious views. detention facilities.

Understanding: Basis for Change

By JOHN M. FUJIMORI

San Jose, Calif. generation has seen more mass of humanity? generation before them.

so rapid man has not stopped toms; or do I want to abanto evaluate his achievements. don the ideas of my Japanese This, perhaps, is the reason background and concentrate for so many of today's maj- on adapting to the ways of

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pons' threat.

and conquer the problems before they conquer man.

er and polarization of the pany the changing times. world powers, one small mistal to the entire world. This exhibits the great inportance

of understanding among men. The motto of the JACL is, sei. "Better Americans for a Greater America." To assure the continuance of JACL and to try to accomplish this goal. understanding is one necessary ingredient. It is evident in order to make better Ameri-Many things contribute to cans for a greater America. All Americans must listen to and strive to understand their

> More specifically, the members of JACL must not only try to promote understanding between and within themselves, but also promote understanding among all Americans.

(A social worker by profession,

Hokubei Mainichi to conduct a

column. He was introduced as a

minded that JACL is a nonsecta-

A sociologist went to speak

before a JACL group in the

PEPPER POT

side of the room and the

ning and work is needed.

Religion and its organiza-

It's my belief that the JACL

becoming "better Americans"

carried with it the effort of

becoming successful middle

First Article

first Hokubei article on the

issue of separation of church

and state in the public school

On Jan. 31, 1969 I wrote my

On April 7, 1969 I confront-

ed the San Francisco JACL

with this issue and they said

a committee would be formed

article on my opposition to

the proposed morality guide-

ported that the San Francisco

JACL Civil Rights Committee

"Whereas the State Board of

to establish morality guidelines

the fundamental Protestantism

and, Whereas the fundamentalist

row-minded and distinctly right

state in part:

The resolution goes on to

"That as citizens of Japanese

ancestry we are deeply concerned

that any morality guidelines in-

oppose the type of hysteria and

traditional foes of non-white

No Faith in JACL

vited to join the JACL Com-

In October 1969 I was in-

all California public schools and,

On May 10, 1969 I wrote an

On May 22 the Hokubei re-

to look into this matter.

Protestants.

Livingston - Merced area

San Francisco

thing unusual about the audi- January 1970:

complish today with projects the individuals are things no to the problems of other ethsuch as Asian Identities. "Am one can judge. Individuals un- nic groups, our problems are The American society has I a Japanese, a Japanese in derstanding one another is the minor. The plight of minoricome a long way since 1900. America, a Japanese Ameri- only hope for the continuance ties such as the Blacks and In just 70 years, the adult can, or just a being in the of JACL. The Nisei and the the American Indian are hun-

nomic changes than any other and the background of my goals of JACL. ancestors, and do I wish to This advancement has been perpetuate some of the custhe white American?"

Only when the struggle within the individual is settled can he adequately deal with or problems such as the socio- the problems of understand- there are those who do not ready enjoy. Their cry for

To assure the survival of life. This is, indeed, a critical JACL, the members must But, there are also those period in man's history, and show understanding among who wish to change America man must try to understand the diferent generations of Ja- for the better by working panese Americans and they within the framework of the by making others understand must try to understand the government. In the time of nuclear pow- contrasting beliefs that accom-

understanding could prove fa- had to try to understand their children, the Nisei. Now, the Nisei must make a special effort to understand the San-

> The future existence of JACL depends on this understanding between the Nisei and the Sansei, for when the Nisei leaders are no longer able to run the JACL, the Sansei must have some basis for respecting the organization founded by their parents to assume the responsibilities of it.

The Nisei and the Sansei the two generations should not rights of others. First of all, the JACL mem- respect each other as human In the 1940s and the 1950s,

university town of Cambridge: writes, in his resulting detes- the meanings and objectives of The two generations may with the rights of their mem- a handsome book with a capitheir own lives. This is what seem appallingly different, but bers. Now is the beginning of

JACL vs. Religion

Miyo Kirita, Rev. Lloyd Wake,

Shirley Tanaka, Marlene Tanioka,

that kind of deal.

Phil Nakamura, Ray Okamura,

Rev. Sano Quoted

tion, the Klotz and the Moomaw

Bel Air minister that has Gov.

Ronald Reagan in his congrega-

tion) now under consideration. As

usefulness of the California Edu-

ages narrowness at several points.

upon western nations of natural

tant points with our heritage. The

Views on Genesis

the JACL position at that time

because I had been invited to

I thought they had failed to

really confront the issue of

Separation of Church and

State and instead they cop-

ped-out saying that they will

accept the lesser of two evils.

courage to refuse to accept

either proposals. I am saying

this now as I recently spoke

to a member of this JACL

committee on the teaching of

Genesis, the Biblical theory of

His views astounded me and

could see a similar JACL

The Fundamentalist Protes-

what one of the world's fore-

the State Board of Education's

books to teaching children

they were brought by the

Start of Japan

This JACL committee mem-

position on Genesis as hap-

Guideline fiasco.

creation in the school system.

They should have had the

take part in the committee.

I didn't say anything about

law and God. Many non-European

cation Code, Section 13556.5

By NOBUSUKE FUKUDA chairman and the other mem-

It was pointed out that the (two versions under considera-

Protestants were on the other. CL sell-out) if the issue before

tions in the Japanese Commu- Moomaw draft of Dec. 11, 1969,

tors to be considered when draft . . . The document encour-

tions. But the JACL party izens from their right of full par-

passed the following resolu- pened with the Morality

Education has voted unanimously tants are red-hot for teaching

Whereas the morality guidelines most physiologists, Dr. Ralph

reflect only one kind of religious Gerard, Dean of the graduate

Protestant attitudes and preju- including the Biblical theory

dices are anti-intellectual, nar- of creation in scientific text-

our community and, That in the of Genesis in the public school

have a duty and responsibility to gions of the world.

Katherine Reyes is the ord never equalled.

crimination, and prejudices, the Strawberries

est interest of the rights and system. Of course only certain

political philosophy, that of division, UC Davis, likens as

line of assimilation, that of ticipation in our communities."

technological, social, and eco- "Am I proud of the culture as one to achieve the central ca.

However, there are many different ideas of how to achieve the JACL's goal to make "Better Americans for a II). Greater America." There are those who advocate a violent overthrow of the capitalistic a helping hand to other minoway of life for a more socialistic, classless society; and logical problems, the urban ing those around him such as advocate anything and just help is loud and clear. JACL want to continue their secure

These differing viewpoints In the past, the Issei have ments. By trying to under- mony. stand and to objectively evaluate the arguments, we in JACL will be able to find ourselves and our country.

> Only chaos and trouble can occur when people close American life and will be Greater America." able to last as an effective organization for many years to come.

The main reason it is nemay sport different styles of cessary for the JACL to acclothing, and they may not tively participate in important be in exact agreement on cer- issues is to assure an effec- Australian Birds tain issues, but there are no tive working government and reasons why the members of to protect our rights and the

bers must try to understand beings and as individuals. JACL was mainly concerned

Who is to judge which re-

Rev. Roy I. Sano, Edison Uno, for what student population?

. . . the JACL Committee ques- asked that she send me

California area.

Genesis issue.

munity.

on to others.

cept a sectarian point of view

pressionable young children in

Next Step Set

the public school system?

many Sansei are trying to ac- the ideas and the feelings of a new decade, and compared Sansei must unite and work dreds of years old in Ameri-

However, with the help of the JACL, the Japanese have made tremendous advancements socially and economically in America in a matter of 40 years (since World War

It is now time for us to lend rities so they might enjoy the must answer the calls for help by actually the minorities and by making other Americans

see the problem. Only by understanding and can the JACL and America survive. Understanding is the all have substantial argu- key to unity, peace, and har-

Unfortunately, though, the lack of understanding exists everywhere. It exists between the best methods of bettering individuals, generations, races and countries.

JACL must advance with the times, and the only way their minds to opposing this is going to take place is sides of issues and refuse to through understanding. It is try to understand. By un- the only way JACL is going derstanding and acting on to be able to come together important issues, JACL will as one united body to work be contributing to the for "Better Americans for a

A PORTFOLIO OF AUS-TRALIAN BIRDS by William Cooper with text by Keith Hindwood (Tuttle: \$17.50) is tal "H". Though 25 of Australia's more interesting and beautiful birds are presented with imaginative precision that no photograph could emulate (Cooper's drawings pay meticulous attention to detail), equally intriguing are the informative texts by one of Australia's leading ornitho-

ligions are to be taught and The "Kookaburra", which early colonists to Australia For the Japanese American called the "Laughing Jackpopulation, if we are going to ass" because of its call and have any mythology taught, plain look, is a majestic-lookwe should learn the Japanese ing bird perched on a twig. It was like playing a fixed version on how Japan was The most exotic (to us) is the rian organization, though we are poker game and I'm not that formed and how the Japanese Gouldian Finch with as many curious to hear from others their much of a sucker to get my nation started. But that's not as six colors.—H.H.

On May 18, 1970 I talked of Trees & Shrubs to Kathy Reyes, chairman of This committee, through its this committee, regarding my

One of the most beautiful a spokesman, Rev. Roy Sano, thoughts on this matter and books in the Tuttle list is stated at a hearing before the she said she would arrange a TREES AND SHRUBS by was asked if he noticed any- State Board of Education in meeting of the committee for Harrison & Harrison (\$12.50) all of this to be discussed. with notes on cultivation, identions the need of both Guidelines statement on the committee's tification and characteristics. The 582 plates in natural colviewpoint on the issue of sepadraft. Moomaw is the Protestant tion of church and state prior ors (and you have to see it to believe it) will make the casual gardener an avid one I've also asked that the reand the professional gardena matter of fact, we question the cently appointed JACL Norther a richer one. The collecern California District team of tion features subjects from "However, (here comes the JA- Kaz Maniwa, Shoshana Arai, both northern and southern Arty Kameda, Glenn Wata- hemispheres, though every nabe and Dennis Yotsuya be photograph was taken in New present. They were employed Zealand where the authors nity are very important fac- we would choose the Moomaw to implement the National Richmond Harrison and one program on fulfilling commu- of his three sons, Charles, recommunity cooperation, plan- It rejects all ethical systems nity needs and better relations side. How they set out to which do not base their morality among people in the Northern photograph the plants is related in detail. Historic notes I want to see how they reon some plants add depth to act to the Morality Guideline/ the book.

The book speaks well also Will the five-man team ac- for the high degree of excellence in color printing in Jawhich foists a certain set of pan, where the book was values and beliefs on to im- printed.-H.H.

Santa Anita WCCA Center

These five JACLers are all Story of Santa Anita race young, mainly student activ- track during the summer of ists and the indigenous lead-1942 when it was converted ers in the local Sansei comby the Army to house some 19,000 Japanese evacuees has Being students they will been unlocked from the pages have first hand knowledge of the camp newspaper, Santa and experience on matters of Anita "Pacemaker," by Anthis kind where the state im- thony L. Lehman in BIRTHposes their brand of morality RIGHT OF BARBED WIRE (Los Angeles: Westernlore It is a common practice for Press, 1970, \$6.95). A compact, the establishment to recruit four-chapter volume of 100 into their ranks the leaders pages with photos, the resof the masses, and in this idents of Santa Anita Assemcase the five Sansei indigenbly Center who remember the problems, stress and heart-The masses lose their lead- aches imposed by internment ers as they tend to get swal- will easily recall them again. lowed up in the system, get Others will read with disbecompromised and obligated to lief, what wartime hysteria a different set of values and can generate in the U.S. in a rules and eventually lose their matter of weeks.

ability to be sensitive and re- The author, chairman of the spond to problems of the English department at Chaffey High School, is a regional We will now see how this official of the California His-JACL Committee on Respons- torical Societies Conference ible Education and these five and a graduate of Pomona and Claremont Colleges .- H.H.

25 Years Ago

In the Pacific Citizen, Aug. 18, 1945

religious points of view would National VFW sends apolo- ra of Santa Cruz) killed urgto) of Spokane over rejection lawan, Philippines. LONDON — Fruit growers from Kent just back from Ja- Naito. . . Believe V-J. Day duct of controversy over right pan are confident none of the will not affect WRA closing of Nisei to live in area . . . Japanese-grown strawberries program, WRA to arrange California Preservation Assn., will reach Britain already temporary housing on West opposed to return of evacuees stocked with with Japan- Coast. . Nisei in U.S. hail to state, organizes units in made cameras, binoculars, raend of war. . . News of Ja- Northern California. dios, giant ships. Reason: the panese surrender received Japanese Canadians carry I just don't have faith in Japanese variety is not near-

react.—Hokubei Mainichi.

Running at full steam day Nisei (Sgt. George I. Nakamu- Lake businessman.

gy to Nisei (Pfc. Richard Nai- ing enemy to surrender on Paof application to local VFW ACLU charges five youth

post; Naito opposes Spokane held illegally at Tule Lake se-VFW proposal for separate gregation center . . . Ameripost; Veteran groups in Mi- can Veterans Committee unit chigan offer membership to formed in Pittsburgh, by-pro-

calmly at Tule Lake, inmates on fight against repatriation, more concerned over atomic false representations charged bomb destruction of Hiroshi- by evacuees in Canada test case . . . Thousand Germans Discrimination against Ni- surrender during final drive in hours and 13 minutes, a rec- Pacific by enemy troops. . . Topaz WRA Center, says Salt