Cincinnati Drive, Research on Vocational, Agricultural Problems Set for Convention

EXCEPT FIRST ATTENDANCE

V-A-P-A-T-O, Wash.—Greater activity in public and governmental opposition to the Northwest was promised by the Northwest Japanese-American Citizens Council board with a resumption of plans to forward the second-generation civic drive and vocational assistance program.

A general order of the plans was taken for discussion against the demonstration approach to civic drive and vocational assistance. To this end, JACL council, to be hold on May 13th, is expected to receive a successful presentation of the plans as well as to receive the general belief scheme needed the council to hold the civic drive yet to be meet next month at Seattle.

Providing for the two-day session, the board emphasized that the plans would be as well as the long-term plans would be included in to the final program.

The importance of the work was also emphasized at the meeting, with the board secretary, who declared the conventional plan of the plans, and the importance to the citizens community.

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Program Outlined

The JACL council meeting was outlined as follows:

1. Resolution of Disaffiliation by the Board of Directors.
2. Committee on Agriculture.
3. Committee on Labor and Industrial Relations.
4. Committee on Education.
5. Committee on Public Relations.
6. Committee on National Affairs.
7. Committee on Japanese-American Relations.
8. Committee on Legal Affairs.
9. Committee on Political Affairs.
10. Committee on Legislative Affairs.

SLOCUM FIGHTS FOR VET CITIZENSHIP BILL

House Committee Declares No Influx of Immigration Would Follow Passage

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Fighting the battle of his committee for citizenship, Senator William T. Solar is still on the job working for the Oklahoma veteran's citizenship bill, HR 1571 which was introduced by him and unanimously by the House and Senate committees.

The bill, which was recently testified before the committee in behalf of the Oklahoma veteran's citizenship bill, was under consideration with the majority and would be the most ambitious at

With several new wrinkles to the bill, it is expected that the bill, as now drafted, would provide for a national meet in Seattle, next year.

No Immigration Issues

In reporting the bill out favorably, Senator Solar said: ‘I am not in favor of immigration issues, but I am in favor of the bill being submitted to the House on the basis of the committee of the whole.'
EXPATRIATION—a Duty

The members of the second generation are today faced with the duty of expatriating themselves from Japan. Such is the attitude of J-A.C.L. leaders up and down the coast and—perhaps to a lesser extent—within.

The question of dual citizenship which confronts many members of the second generation is not entirely an issue of the second generation itself. When the children were born, the parents, not knowing how long they would be in this country, did not doubt the recognition by the Japanese government. This, in effect, made these children citizens of both the United States and Japan.

Expatriation for these should be speeded, for the members of the second generation should be citizens of only one country, America.

No man can be a citizen of two nations. His position would be even worse than that of the "man without a country." A man cannot be a citizen of two nations. He is born in one nation, in which he is living and in which he is earning his livelihood, and to which he is bound in the event of any sentiment or allegiance be it the home of his ancestors.

The members of the second generation cannot deny that they are citizens of two nations. It is a fact that they are citizens of both nations. It is important that it override all questions of sentiment, as close to the bone of principle it may be.

The problem cannot be ma by indifference, by letting it drift in the hopes that it will solve itself or with the belief that the issue of dual citizenship is not important.

Leaders in Japan as well as in this country realize fully that the time is ripe for their expatriation. It is not a question of whether the Japanese government will recognize the citizenship of the second generation, but the second generation must be ready to be recognized by it.

The members of the second generation owe it to themselves and to their home country, the country where their roots are, to empty their pockets and immediately to expatriate themselves from the land of their ancestors.

THE MOLDING PROCESS

The Japanese-American Citizens' League is today operating both in the present and in the future. Its program is carrying out the usual run of its business. But even more important than that it is working at the same time for the future—for what it will depend on how well it is carried within. No attempt should be made at present to overlook the program of the League. Judging from the record of the national convention at Seattle last year, the League is safely past the organization stage, but it is still in a position where failure will be a defeat for those in the position of a human being who has successfully passed through childhood. That is the League.

The League should not attempt to win recognition purely on a basis of work accomplished. Of equal importance is the character building that has been accomplished. The program of real character building that has been accomplished is the foundation of its work ever since it has been founded. The members are being molded and the leaders of the League work along these lines. They are working at the present time to develop the leaders of the second generation.

The League itself is today molding its own future in a very real sense. It is training its own future leaders and is including its members with ideas and ideals of true Americanism that will make the best of its citizens.

If the League helps to build a strong character in all its members' future will take care of itself and should be the least of its worries.

THE NORTHWEST CONVENTION

It will be at Kent on Labor Day and fully 500 are expected to attend it.

"It is the third biennial Northwest district council convention, the third biennial convention of the J-A.C.L. in the Northwest. It was held in 1911 that the first convention was held with 129 delegates attending and over 2,000 people were present. Judging from the addition of new chapters and the general growth of enthusiasm among the members of the council, and leaders of the League work along these lines, they will continue to grow and develop the leaders of the League.

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The convention to which the White River valley chapter will act as host, will give ample demonstration that the convention is safe from the standpoint of security.

The convention will be held at Seattle next year. The whole Northwest chapter will act as host, district council to the district meet to demonstrate its utility of action in bringing about the convention.

"Security through unity" was the keynote of the San Francisco national convention. Those words have never been forgotten, and the Northwest chapter will make their district convention the greatest gathering in their history and will argue on to make the national convention in 1929, as should be.
**TERUO YOSHICANE IS NAMED TO JUDICIAL POSITION IN HAWAII**

1 - Justice of Circuit Court of Maui; 2 - Former Court Commissioner to be Named to Judge Post

**OTHERS HAVE POSITIONS**

HONOLULU, T.H. - Teruo Yoshicane, who is a representative of Japanese ancestry to be appointed to an important judicial post in the state of Hawaii. The appointment was made by the governor of the state. The nomination was made by Justice James G. Reasoner.

Judge Yoshicane is a former court commissioner who was conferred a judgeship last year at a proceeding.

**First Woman**
The first generation was man to hold an important judicial position in the Territory of Tahiti. Miss M. R. W. Miller is clerk under Judge Daniel I. Mettry of the territorial circuit court.

Among the important judicial positions held by Japanese women, the position of judge is perhaps the most respected. Several members of the House of Representatives in Hawaii have been appointed to this position during the last two years. One of them is the late Dr. John S. Y. Inouye, who was the first woman to serve on the bench.

**Activities Show Progress**
The large number of community activities of the Americans of Japanese descent in Hawaii is a sign of the progress made by the community in overcoming discrimination and prejudice.

\[ \text{Japanese American Citizens League in Hawaii} \]

**Hawaii Youth Wins Championship Oratory**

HONOLULU, T.H. - Twenty-three high school students at McKinley High School were named as the winners of the oratorical division of the Continental Oratorical Competition last week. The students are Honolulu Star-Bulletin. He was awarded the gold medal for his effort in the oratorical division of the American Legion Auxiliary.

Tetsu Okazaki, Mid-Pacific Institute, was named as the best speaker for the Japanese youth participating in the competition.

**SALINAS**

Salinas, Calif. — The Salinas Valley Japanese American Citizens League was named as the San Francisco chapter of the Japanese American Citizens League.

**SUPPORT THE CITIZEN**

"It is resolved that the Pacific Citizen be continued.

That was the resolution passed by the delegates to the third biennial convention of the Japanese American Citizens League of America. Passed upon by the representatives of all the chapters, it pledged every league to support the official newspaper of the national organization.

**Yuki Yamamoto on Dance Tourne**

Girls taking dance lessons in the Pacific Northwest between Oct. 30 and Nov. 4 can see the performance of one of the leading girls of Japanese ancestry who have been dancing in the United States. The group consists of 18 students who recently signed a contract with the Pacific Coast Dance Company for special dance features and will entertain audiences on their tour of the Pacific Northwest. The company has been in the business of entertainment for several years. The Pacific Northwest is one of the most important areas for special dance features, and the company is planning to give performances in Seattle.

**TWO NEW chapters may be ORGANIZED?**

Hamad and Roseland Planning JACL groups; to be discussed at Fresno Meet

FRESNO, Calif. - Under the leadership of the American Legion, the new group will be formed at the Fresno Planning JACL group. Further plans will be made at the Fresno planning JACL group to be held May 12.

**Frank Sakamoto is Head of L.A. Drive**

LOS ANGELES - Under the leadership of Frank Sakamoto, the head of the local JACL chapter, the American Legion is planning to organize several new chapters in the city. The organization will be made up of local Japanese American citizens.

The move was the result of the resolutions coming from the Committee on the formation of the new chapter. The committee is made up of several Japanese American citizens.

**EXPATRIATION WILL WIN CONFIDENCE IN SECOND GENERATION**

JACL Program: Misunderstanding May Hurt; Leaders in Japanese Approve of Plan

**DEAL STATUS IS MENACE**

(Courtesy of B. K. Col.)

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ENTHUSIASM GROWS FOR N.W. MEETING AT KENT LABOR DAY

Will be Third Biennial Confab; Will Be Held in Seattle; Henry F. Holtz Host; Program for Unity Is to Be Announced

OFFICIALS BEHIND MEET

KENT Wash.—According to the foundation, is now being made for the “Third Biennial Meeting of the National Citizens’ League convention on Labor Day at Kent.”

The coming meet will be the third biennial gathering of the citizens’ league council and is expected to bring together citizens of the city and county for the coming convention. The Kent unit of the league is working for the meet and is making all arrangements for the meet.

Mr. Holtz, president of the league council, is putting the finishing touches on the program for the meet.

The program will include a number of prominent speakers and will be made up of a number of interesting and educational sessions.

SEATTLE JACL HELPS Legion Poppy Drive

SEATTLE Wash.—Taking part in the American Legion drive for the benefit of disabled veterans and their families is the JACL, which has opened its fall drive for the benefit of the veterans.

On May 31 the JACL will hold its annual poppy drive and all members are urged to participate. The drive will be held at 9 a.m. and will continue until 5 p.m.

PORTLAND CHAPTER MAKING PLANS FOR MEET ATTENDANCE

Tani Watanabe, Salem, Will Make Trip to Portland for Junior Citizens’ League Perfecting Plans for Rose City’s Delegation

MEMBERSHIPS SHOW GAIN

PORTLAND Wash.—On May 1 one of the three representatives of the Portland chapter of the JACL was elected to the national council of the league. Mr. Mayhew and his wife were on hand at the convention.

The Portland chapter has a large membership and is one of the strongest in the state.

SEATTLE’S CHAPLAIN CHANGES DISTRICTS

Revision Will Bring Closer Contact, Cooperation; New Five City Districts

SEATTLE Wash.—A revised system was put into effect by the Seattle chapter of the JACL, bringing about an increased contact and cooperation between the various districts of the city.

The new system has been revised and will be put into effect as the project executive committee made a new and revised system for the various districts.

district executive, who in turn has the power to appoint and remove district secretaries, will be in charge of the district.

South Park in District 2 is the only district that has a local chapter.

The new districts are:

1. North Seattle
2. South Seattle
3. Central
4. District 2

Memos to the chapter members will be sent out in the near future.

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TACOMA MEMBERS SELECTED TO SERVE ON CONFAB GROUPS

Big Delegation Planned for District Meeting; Dr. A. K. Kawai, President of the Japanese Language League; Mr. H. K. Arakawa, President of the Japanese Citizens’ League at Kent; Mr. H. Takata, Tawau, Washington

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