Min-Plains JACL to honor Pat Okura at Nov. 27-28 parley

DENVER, Colo. - K. Patrick Okura, who has recently been named special representative for the JACL, will be honored by the group at its Nov. 27-28 meeting in the Mountain Plains district.

The two-day convention will start with Okura's keynote address at a hotel expected to be attended by the Town Hall Task Force. Going according to plan will be in charge.

Caucus business sessions will be held at 9 a.m. Saturday, Noy. 27, and at a special district chairman, will preside. A special meeting will be held at the Embassy Hotel, Moscow, Idaho, JACL national chairman, will preside over organizational matters.

The convention is likely to end at 6:30 p.m. on the last day. Bill Honda, assistant managing editor of The Denver Post, will be in charge.

Honored in addition to Okura will be Shigeyuki Sato, chair- man of the Denver JACL, and Karina Takahashi of Delta, Colo., newsman for the Denver Post. Actors Hideaki Kimura and Larry Tashin, drama editor of The Denver Post, will also be honored.

All are being honored for their contributions to their organizations.

The banquet will be followed by a convention dance, starting at 8:30 p.m. Saturday. The Post will play.

General events scheduled in connection with the convention are the 16th Mountain Plains JACL bowling tournament, and the 3rd Mountain Plains JACL bowling tournament, both to be held Saturday. All ages will be in charge.

On the last day, Dr. Osamu Sakamoto of Rocky Food winner of the CASA Memorial Medal, Grant Inagaki, of Colorado, a former JACL member, will take part in the convention. Don V. Matsuzawa, chairman of the convention, will preside. President of the convention, Tatsuo, president of the Brightside Baptist Church, will speak.

The convention will be held in the Mountain Plains district of the JACL.

D. YATZE TO ADDRESS 15TH CHICAGO JACL

CHICAGO—Dr. Dean Yatze, a national director of the Chicago JACL, will address the group at its Nov. 28, in the meeting of the Crystal Palacet of the Chicago JACL in Chicago.

The principal speaker will be Dr. Yatze, who is the first elected officer of the Chicago JACL. He will speak on the future of the JACL.

All members will be in attendance.

U.S. Medical Library

boys old Japanese texts

SANTO FRANCISCO—CrenshawKawasaki, a library assistant at the U.S. Medical School Library, and a member of the American Medical Association, and a member of the Japanese Association of America, has recently been named special representative for the JACL.

His ability to interpret the language fluently is considered a valuable asset by the U.S. Medical School.

Rep. Inouye raps census work hearing

HONOLULU.—A protest has been filed with the Secretary of Commerce by Rep. Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, over reports that certain areas will be reclassified through the local Re- p. Inouye raps census work hearing

Public Funds Involved

This is an announcement of public funds for a necessary public service and, what Rep. Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, says, it is a necessary service for the public.

The organization is the JACL, which has received a grant for the purpose of making the census work hearing.

Dr. Frank Sakamoto will be in charge of the hearing.

Rep. Inouye inspecting mid-Pacific Islands

HONOLULU.—Rep. Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, has joined three other members of the House Insular Affairs Committee to inspect the islands.

During the trip, the congressmen will visit the islands and inspect the campus of the University of the Pacific, and the University of the Pacific Hospital.

The trip is part of a mission to the islands to inspect the JACL's activities.

The JACL is a national organization that represents the interests of Japanese Americans.

Spending weeks in hospitals amusing tos mer Nisei 'Candy Striper' of 59 award

General to Pacific Citizen

FOMONIA.—A Cal Poly student who has spent 27 hours looking after children in the Ocean Inter-City-Hospital was awarded an award from the hospital association.

The organization declared that the award was made for outstanding service to patients at the hospital.

The Candy Striper is an award given to nurses who have demonstrated outstanding service.

Dr. Inouye was awarded the award after he had been given a candy bar.

He told the students that he did not see the need for such an award.

"I don't believe it exists. Where can I go and get one of these things?"

Charges by Japan farm workers held as needless insult

RENO—Recent attacks on Israeli and Japanese workers have been made by a group of farmers, it was claimed, especially in the Catholic Church, which has been active in the cause of Japanese farm workers.

The workers have been represented by their Japanese employers, who were pledged to offer them substantial compensation for their labor.

One of the Japanese farm workers, who was pledged to offer them substantial compensation for their labor, said that he had not in 250 hours. He said that he would have had to work 250 hours.

"It's too long for me," he said. "I asked for this money to help my family and my family needs it."

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PC LETTERBOX
Good Year for NC-WNDC

Editor: R.e.n., the home of broken dreams, bads moods and lost and most important of all, new friends. And we haven't had a small handful of excellent JACLers, George Kiyohara of Downey and final outlet of the NC-WNDC.

I hope to make the reporting of the details of this very covered meal, the other. I couldn't retire as District Chair-

man, without mentioning my personal congratulations, first to the chairperson, Robert Takei, and conference chairman.

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Looking at 1959 in retrospect, I think that we of this District can feel that we enjoyed a "good year." I am most anxious to con-
From the Frying Pan

By Bill Hosokawa

Denver, Colo.

THE BOOK BEAT—James A. Michener, one of the great tale-spinners of our time, has just published (Rand- dom House) a 921-page novel called "Hawaii." Despite its $4.95, it surely is destined to become a best-seller. It is the story of Hawaii in novel form, starting from the moment the earth's titanic forces began pushing a mass of land out of the wild Pacific, to gloriously present.

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Morning in Miami

Nauti' Bahamas Yesterda} in Miami, around 6:30 in the morning, I was being awakened by the sound of a perky music of an alarm clock. The alarm clock was set to ring at 6:30 every morning, and I have to admit, it was a little annoying. But when the music started to play, I knew it was time to get up and start my day.

I was officially living in a paradise. The sun was shining brightly, and the temperature was a comfortable 80 degrees. I was wearing my comfortable clothes, and I was ready to take on the day.

We had booked a room at the Conrad Hotel, which was located right on South Beach. It was the perfect location, and I was excited to see what Miami had in store for us.

As we walked out of the hotel, we were greeted with the sound of music and people walking around. It was a lively atmosphere, and I could tell that Miami was definitely a city that never slept.

We decided to head to the beach to soak up the sun and enjoy the beautiful weather. The beach was packed with people, and the water was crystal clear. It was the perfect place to relax and enjoy the beautiful day.

After a few hours at the beach, we decided to head back to our hotel to grab a quick bite to eat. We stopped by a little cafe that was right next to the hotel, and I was surprised to see how good the food was. I ordered a grilled chicken sandwich, and it was delicious.

At dinner, we decided to try a new restaurant that we had heard about. It was a small place, but the atmosphere was lively, and the food was amazing. We ordered some seafood and some glasses of wine, and we watched the world go by as we enjoyed our meal.

After dinner, we decided to take a walk around the city. It was a beautiful night, and the city was alive with people. We walked down Ocean Drive, and we saw people dancing and enjoying the night. It was a great way to end our day in Miami.

Overall, Miami was a great city, and it was a perfect place to spend a few days. We left with memories of beautiful beaches, great food, and a lively atmosphere. I would definitely recommend Miami to anyone looking for a fun-filled vacation.
SACRAMENTO TALENT SHOW
RESCHEDULED NOV. 21
AT NEW YABA HALL

SACRAMENTO—“This Years Star of Tomorrow” review staged by Sacramentos Central California District JACL was postponed to the evening of the show Nov. 11 instead of Nov. 28 as previously announced.

LEMIEE OIL, the guest star, a former dancer now a private dance instructor included The Melody Four, vocalist Jean Kaneko, who was a tap dancer and acrobatic dancer Wendy Lai. Art Hayward, who joined with the Melody Four, and the entire cast will appear in the show.

GARY Nelsons band will accompany the various acts of the evening.

Japanese movies tonight for Eden Town Council

HAYWARD—the Eden Town Council district JACL will screen a Japanese movie tonight, Nov. 28, at 7 p.m. at El Sobrante Theater. This one will be Japanesefilms, the first time the council has ever attended a movie with subtitles.

The program is scheduled for the first of a series of films and events for the benefit of their loyal support. Two films will be shown, both of which will be produced in Japan. The council is preparing to produce a new film of its own. It is promised for all those attending.

The film will be shown at the El Sobrante Theater with the council chairman, Frank Inaba, introducing the films.

SACRAMENTO—Mrs. Frances Kitagawa was up bright and early preparing for the delegation of delegates. We were met at the registration desk by friendly newcomers. The first one of the right mood to tackle the many problems discussed in the JACL convention at Chicago. It was really a beautiful day at the beach where the hotel was located, and it was quite a temptation to keep from moving the meeting right on the beach.

Mrs. Kitagawa did a fine job in keeping everything on schedule and made District Chairman Kango Kunitsugu adjourn exactly on time for lunch. It was enough to develop a good case of ulcers, but being owed in previous years.

Monica, we headed south to Long Beach to join the Long Beach District Chapter. Kitagawa did a fine job in keeping everything on a strict time schedule and made District Chairman Kango Kunitsugu be the one of the biggest projects ever. It was the very first business meeting of the year for the district and there were not more than fifty delegates present, and we hope that the District can do even better in the future.

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Seattle Thanksgiving day, Fred Takagi, 1st vice-president of the Seattle JACL chapter and chapter president of the year, had the freedom to play bowling. The Seattle bowling palace will be known as the "Imperial Lanes" and the grand opening will take place after the football games and turkey festivities are over.

One of the first to return to Seattle from the evacuation in 1945, Fred also recalls that Powell White was but two sanctioned alleys in Seattle—Main Bowl was the visionary for giving up his fuel and hotel business when bowling was far from being a leading participation sport as it is today.

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Moving into the new home with Fred is his veteran staff consisting of Annie Yamaguchi, George Minaha, Ichiro Hashi, Ken Takamimoto, Issa Hishida, and Toshio Shimizu. It is an experience hotel and restaurant chef.

Seek the future as indicated with the announcement of a new men’s league to be formed for beginners and under 35 on Sundays. The first free instruction. A beginners league and a junior league are being organized for Saturdays with five classes. To top it all off, there will be a housewarming party.

Lapel pins: 150 men league is ready to start at Imperial under the leadership of Mrs. Pumi Shimamoto. But that is not all. An advanced mixed league is almost ready to take the floor. Sounds like competition for another mixed league now in the process of formation, the Post Grad.

Also, there will be the new night bowling league consisting of five classes. To top it all off, there will be a housewarming party.

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Workers from Japan

From: Tokyo

At the time we left for Japan, the Issei-Nisei relationship was especially well-conceived and a great deal of discussion and concern was subsequently expressed concerning the possible effects of the so-called temporary, supplementary agricultural workers from Japan who were returning after the completion of three years of labor in the United States.

There were workers allegedly complained not only that the treatment accorded by their fellow persons of Japanese origin was less favorable than that accorded by other employers. Indeed, there was the definite impression that the extra understanding and kindnesses extended them because of their affinity to each other.

In seeking the answer to this question, we attempted to ascertain as to whether these returning workers, going back to California, were hard and that they felt exploited by their employers, but that their statements were taken out of context and sensationalized.

There was a question as to whether the United States should encourage a student from the high school of the United States to go to a Nampa grammar school to study English for a period of 11 months. The problem remains as to how the final results of the investigation may be publicized so that it will receive the attention and the understanding of the original stories received.

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