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**Second Thoughts:** by Jack Mayeda  
What Is JACL Contributing?

**San Francisco:** Why does JACL exist? What is its ultimate achievement? In view of interpretations and assumptions many have regarding the contributions of JACL, it is ask: What, if anything, is it contributing?

**Truth:** If JACL were to limit itself to certain considerations, many does not have to look beyond the many existing scholarly programs, oratorical contests in progress, and the many activities being carried in the local newsletters.

Though man has steadily improved his conquest of space and time, it is the contributions of these scientists and engineers achievements JACL has not made in taking an active role in supplementing our own studies of their most valuable yet sometimes forgotten heritage.

On Friday, I was highly inspired by some inspiring definition of "Truth" by Civil Rights in San Francisco. San Francisco oratorical contest. "Like as others in life, everyone can be a winner as deep within us, as in our three contestants were certainly commendable.

Ina was recognized as the best, representing the chapter the NC-WNDC regional contest last Sunday at Mountain View. Taka, a Stanford sophomore, and outstanding speaker, Taka, a Stanford sophomore, who related with his experience touring Minnesota, was the third with a group of Stanfied rights the need of civil rights.

**Stanford:** Parker Park, who was the first to join JACL and was freshman president at Stanford last

was a treat last Saturday to

Thank You for Waiting original musical production of San Francisco Jr. JACL productive products Marie Kurita, Nellie Kondo, and Dr. S. F. Jr. JACL adviser and Medical Center Instructor, assisted by director Wil Marusawa, and his work with ED-TV stage. Still, San Francisco, an architect; sound effects by Koji Otsuka, an engineer; animation of scenes by Roy Oomi, a medical student; and assistance, Nan Hata and Dennis Sasaki.

"My Friend," the production the soap, was written by Mike Mayeda, Jr. JACL adviser with in the cast. Other scores

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**100th Infantry regains old name**

**HONOLULU:** — The 100th Infantry Battalion has regained its old wartime designation as result of Army reorganization of the unit.

Established in 1945, reorganized in 1947 and renamed in 1959 as a "battle group."

Its commander today is Major Roy T. Nakamura, who in five areas, with "other" units, will develop educational programs both in Japanese and English in support of the Rumford Fair Housing Act and an effort to end discrimination.

Existing Japanese community groups, chapter newsletters and the local verteran newspaper will be asked to assist.

The NC-WNDC is asking the two other JACL administrative councils in California as well as

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