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FIRST TEST OF CLOSED PRIMARY IN HAWAII OCT. 3

Voters Required to
Ask for Ballot of
One Party or the Other

BY ALLAN BECKMAN
(Special to the Pacific Citizen)

HONOLULU — Hawaii faces its first "closed primary" Oct. 3. The law requires voters going to polls to declare the party in the ballot of one party or the other.

The deadline for the filing of nomination papers has passed. The names of candidates from which candidates they must

choose immediately appeared in the state's list of candidates, whether the Republicans, who dominate the legislature, or the Democrats, who have degenerated into a pale minority contend with different tactics. By not offering candidates the option of being listed on the ballot of the two-state House of Representatives and two of the State Senate.

On the other hand, for lack of alternative opportunity, the Republicans are assured of two seats in the State Senate.

Even though the general election will not take place until Nov. 3, it is clear that the Republicans have a chance of winning control of the State Legislature or Honolulu City Council.

The Republicans have strong candidates in the race, including Mayor Neal S. Blaisdell and Senator Hiram Fong.

Senate First

It is his bid to retain his U.S. Senate seat. Fong is opposed in the primary by Frank Troy. Troy is presumed to have no chance of nomination. Vying for the Democratic nomination are Tom Gill, also of Honolulu, and Joseph O'Donnell.

Politically, there appears to be no chance of nomination. Gill remains a favorite son, while O'Donnell is campaigning vigorously. Running for the Democratic nomination for Mayor of Honolulu, Antonio Delo is opposed by Roberta.

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Utility of foreign language command not confined to war, says Judge Also

(Special to the Pacific Citizen)
HONOLULU — Los Angeles Superior Court Judge John F. Also, who was the first director of the Japanese American Citizens League school in 1941, said his former students believe that the utility of foreign language command is not confined to war.

Judge Also spoke at the Sept. 6 reunion of MIS veterans in Hilltop Hawaiian Village, Done.

Over 400 Hawaii MIS veterans,

most of them accompanied by their wives, attended the reunion, which also drew Governor Benioff, Mayor Blaisdell, Sen. Hiram Fong, Congressmen Tom Gill and Spark Matsunaga, plus a host of other State and City officials.

Parallel Drives

Also drew a parallel between the use of foreign languages and business enterprise. Both can be used, either for better business or personal ends.

The judge said that Americans of Japanese ancestry entered World War II with a 25-year tradition of giving their best to the U.S. and of "unquestionable" service to the country.

Members of the MIS Veterans Club chipped in their funds to bring their old teacher to Hawaii to teach English to MIS veterans.

It was another opportunity for the Hawaiian press to relate the heroism and perils of MIS, called the "best kept secret of World War II".

Nisei interpreters lauded at 20th Anny. reunion of Merrill's Marauders

(Special to the Pacific Citizen)
DETROIT — Two Nisei veterans of the "Merrill's Marauders" attended the 10th anniversary of the famous WWII outfit in Detroit last weekend.

The occasion marked the 20th anniversary of the Marauders' historic march through northern Burma in "the spring of hell."

Among those gathered at the Detroit Inn for the 10th anniversary were Dr. Howard F. Price of Honolulu, and Akiji Yohimura of Cobana, Okinawa.

Also attending were Met. Levy Mizutani, president of the Sons of the late Maj. Gen. Francis D. Merrill, and Col. Charles N. Hunter, U.S. Army (retired) of Wyoming, until executive officer during the Marauders campaign against the Japanese.

Frank J. Saito, a special Saturday morning ceremony at the National Memorial Garden in Detroit, Governor George W. Romney, and Lt. Gov. George A. Smith, both of Michigan, turned in his first insertion order. Chicago JACL has been among the top three chapters in terms of advertising index for as many years.

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The PC has always relied upon the goodwill and generosity of its readers and advertisers at this particular time of year.

The difference of the Holiday issue from the "Black" and "red" ink in its indigo, Matsunaga noted.

"Our faith in them has yet to fail," he added.

"Our hope is that, in the end, we'll be through, we'd like to see all 88 chapters listed," Matsunaga said.

Hawaii preferred to Japan for hotels

(Special to the Pacific Citizen)

HONOLULU — Japanese businessmen Kenji Onoto will build a 10-story 400-room hotel in Oahu.

Onoto, a native of Japan, responded in behalf of the inter-

national chain of luxury

hotels.

Nisei interpreters 114 in all among the original volunteers were later honored at the recent banquet.

Both Furukawa and Yoshimura responded in behalf of the inter-

national chain of luxury

hotels.

It will be disclosed this week by Ichiro E. Horikoshi, president of the Marauders Association.

Marshall, the division team, which was the junior division team, introduced as members the champion track team were:

George Yamada, John

Yamamoto, and

George T. Yamada, and

and snatched member Greg

Yamada.

The National JACL 300 Game award was to have been presented

to Mrs. Byron Sugiyama, 10, and Mrs. Y. Sugiyama of San Die-

go, but the award was made the following week at the JACL Bowling League at Palm Bowl.

Maruyama appointed to county efficiency group

(Special to the Pacific Citizen)

HONOLULU — Kenneth Hahn, said

former JACL's background, will

now be the county's efficiency

coordinator, which will advise

the Board of Supervisors on how

to streamline operations and cut

down costs.

Maruyama is a member of the Los Angeles County Economic and

Efficiency Committee.

Supervisor Kenneth Hahn, said

Maruyama's appointment is

the result of his work in

the county's office of

county efficiency group.

Maruyama is a member of the Los Angeles Hospital Board of Directors.

Veterans and the Optimists

Club.

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By Elmer Ogawa

Northwest Picture

Matsuoka Report: 1964

WAIL — When those thousands of more than 400 Japanese delegates to the Nisei Veterans' Reunion landed at the airport here yesterday, they were met by 20 Coast Guard Wing Leader, their mayor in the absence of Mayor Braman, was there to welcome them. Among the other guests were the Japanese Consul General and his wife. The welcoming speech was not that of like this: "We greatly appreciate the friendship and the fraternal bonds of lots of us who have been separated by living out long periods of time." The foregoing describes just what all the Japanese have done. Cool moist of the limited shower. Which brings us to point: It is a watershed report.

During the year a little over a year partly because the Oregon delegation to a PONDCAC AFL-CIO meeting frequently give our weary reporters the same old story: "That's the last one, no mattoos report last couple of years," just when we try to explain the crop has been poor, and there hasn't been any rain, they say. "Well, come down to us, we get plenty." Well, glad to see our own rain gauge and rainfall books, steady on plane facts.

Harvest on the Decline

Everyone knows that a shower will plump the fruit for the recipient of a good mushroom harvest, now at the end of the first in September, we can see that the number of those of us who have been out in the fields to sit up the prospects for the future will be very in view of the weather. This part "summer" is apparently, there are other considerations, we found out, when we began to inquire about the recent boll, as to why the

55-year-old grandmother hikes 50 miles with young scouts

SEATTLE — A 55-year-old grandmother, Mrs. George Kashiwagi, of 2116-42nd, South, has completed her third 50-mile hike with a Boy Scout troupe over the rocky hills of Rainier National Park to Longmire, much of it above timberline.

This story was recently featured on the front page of the Seattle Times.

The former Lida Sakaue of Seattle commented her shoulders were sore from the 25-1/2 pack trips she had been making between the two peaks.

"I have taken these seven-day hikes every year in a row with the group for 10 years."

"A lot of people ask me how I hike so far at my age," she said.

Elementary Japanese

LOS ANGELES — Takashi Matsuda, a elementary Japanese class instructor at the Holland Adult School, meeting on Wednesday, 7-8-30 p.m., on the week.

DEATHS

LOS ANGELES — Toshiaki Nagasawa, 85, of Gardena, died Aug. 26. He was born in Tokyo, Japan, in 1879, and came to the United States in 1903.

Mr. Nagasawa was a carpenter.

He was a member of the Buddhist Church of America.

