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Enomoto Nat'l President

A STEP FORWARD

The first quarterly gathering of the NCWN-DC jointly hosted by the Berkeley and Contra Costa County Chapters, was well-attended and well-run. This District, which raises 40

harked the passage of a resolution placing the District on record opposing any tuition at the University of California or the state colleges. The resolution, presented by Norman Mineta of the San Jose Chapter, pointed out the hard won legBERKELEY — Opposition to say of education, given us by builting for students at any of acy of education given us by our Issei parents in an era when the existence of a tuition could very well have denied us that legacy. Because of lack of time for the usually careful ground work, the move took the delegates by surprise and resulted in an initially overwhelming vote to table. However subsequent discus-

one issue which seemed basic, and discussion of which cleared the air, was the question of did JACL belong in this particular arena? My contention, as National President, is that we do and I so ex-pressed it. It merely repre-sents my unchanging view that JACL has a responsibility as the only organization repre-senting Americans of Japa-nese ancestry to speak out on issues of the day.

To be sure we remain non-partisan, and we address ourselves to problems that directly affect Japanese Americans. It is true that our constitution leaves room for interpre tation which, it seems to me, is as it should be. In these times what issues do not directly affect us?

Ben Kuroki speaker Honor: Niset appointed State entitled for Medal at PSWDC quarterly ich Japanese at PSWDC quarterly

GARDENA — Ben Kuroki, of are among agenda items, activities for the interim board in the Pacific theater of operations, will address the Pacific Southwest JACL District Council luncheon this Sunday, 22:30 p.m., at the Alondra Club, 16411 S. Prairie.

Honored by the Japanese American, Citizens League at its 1984 national convention as among those Americans who did much to raise the dignity of Japanese Americans from the depths that put them in concentration camps in 1942, Kuroki is a staff writer on the Ventura County Star-Free Press. Prior to moving to the west coast early last year, he published several weeklies in Michigan and in his native state, Nebraska.

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Business Session

chapters will assemble from revenue and retention of men 9:30 a.m. to conduct its first bership from the previous ering quarterly session being hosted year, will be proposed at the osted by Gardena Valley JACL. Fred distress first quarterly meeting to be theid on Sunday, Feb. was and Buster Ota are meeting 26, here at Mecker's Landing.

Nevada JACL District Council,
Delegates to the first quarterly meeting at the Berkeley
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the enrollment performance record financially in 1966. The NC-WNDC went about \$12,000 over the annual quota, topping the required \$38,000 figure with

Membership Report

Eddie Moriguchi, district membership chairman, reported that to date 4,379 names had been turned in. Last year's One chapter, Eden Town-

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KENT, Wash, — A new chap-ter allocation of the Pacific Northwest JACL District Coun-Delegates from PSWDC's 21 cil quota, based upon potential

well-attended and well-run.

Matters to be discussed at percent of the national quota, has maintained a record over the vears of support of our national organization, of which it can be justly proud.

Last Sunday was particularly significant because it marked the passage of a resolution placing the District on the passage of a resolution placing the District on the proposal and civil rights issue of the discussion will be a JACL's motto: "For Better Americans in a Greater America", Phil Hayasaka, executive director of Seattle's Human Rights Commission, will be Highlight of the session host-Rights Commission, will be

Dr. Calvin Takagi, of the JACL Japan Tour cost set BERKELEY — Opposition to tuitions for students at any of the state colleges or Univ. of California campuses was expressed in a resolution adapt.

Dr. Calvin Takagi, of the Univ. of Washington School of Social Work; Masao Satow, national JACL director; and the state colleges or Univ. of California campuses was expressed in a resolution adapt.

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pressed in a resolution adopted Sunday, Feb. 5, by the Northern California - Western Nevada JACL District Council. 9:30 a.m. Reports are expect-

whereon the devoted to this resolution, was followed by a vote to recall the subject for action. The reaulting vote overwhelmingly adopted the resolution.

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san Francisco — Primary meetings at next DC sessions. concern of the National JACL Cultural Heritage Committee for the next few months, according to Haruo Ishimaru gal Japanese lalent or showing national chairman of this committee, is to focus attention on the JACL Japan Tour.

"There is no question that the best exposure for JACLers to the culture of Japan can groups with affiliations in Japan in Lines or Japan National Tourist Assn.

'On to Japan' emphasis urged by

JACL committee on cultural heritage

CHECKING THE RECORD - Norm Mineta (left), toastmaster at the San Jose JACL installation, and Bob Kubo,

who earned the Distinguished Service

Cross, the nation's second highest for

the best exposure for JACLers
to the culture of Japan can
be made by taking advantage
of this tour," Ishimaru pointed
out.

5. S. T. A. Tour delegates.

tional funds to the quota.

"If the 1966 membership—regular and 1000 Club—is met by each of the chapters, rebate will be forthcoming to each chapter." according to Dr. Kanda.

Suggested Programs

To—Enlist help of local persons or members with interests or skills in the areas of Japanese culture to assist the Chapter.

I—Appoint district and chapter. I—Appoint district and chapter committees on cultural day workshors on sister city.

The 1967 PNWDC quota to-ter committees on cultural telescope forwarding names of tals \$9,275. With all chapters chairman to Ishimaru, 1515 paying their \$10 annual chap-ter dues and submitting \$5 per Calif. 94402.

SAN FRANCISCO — Primary meetings at next DC sessions. concern of the National JACL 4—Incorporate a "Japan

with "Japan Night" program, exhibits of bonsai, Japanese arts and crafts, flower arrangement in cooperation with local groups when possible.

Secure Assistance

day workshops on sister city programs in areas where Ja-pan-America affiliations exist 9—Contact Japanese firms

SAN FRANCISCO—The 21-day JACL Japan Tour this fall will traveling (mostly day from the initial report carcost \$849 per person to include roundtrip fare via Japan Air Lines (San Francisco to Tokyo, all hotel and travel accommodations in Japan for the 14-day itinerary(through cisco on Saturday, Oct. 14

SAN FRANCISCO—The 21-day Osaka) and meals while accommost in tually traveling (mostly day from the initial report carried in the PC Feb. 3) and return to Honolulu together on Saturday, Nov. 4.

The tour is available to all JACL members, their immediate families and including parameters.

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JACL members, their immediate families and including parents residing with them. JACL membership should be paid six

Arrangements in Japan are being made by Japan Tourist Bureau International.

Memorable Trip

All the resources and contacts of the National JACL, as tacts of the National JACL, as sponsors of this tour, will be employed to give every tour member an unforgettable trip, National JACL Director Mas Satow assured. While there will be other trips in the future, since this is JACL's first goodwill tour, nothing will be spared to make it a memora-ble trip.

The 21-day tour is being di-vided into three sections:

Nikko, Lake Chuzenji, Kegon Waterfall, Kamakura, Hakone, Odawara, Nagoya, Ise, Toba, Kyoto, Hozu Rapids, Takarazuka, Osaka 2-Three-day Osaka-Califor-

nia Sister State celebration—a recommendation from the Na-tional JACL Cultural Heritage

Critical issues face Interim meet

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SAN FRANCISCO - Compre-SAN FRANCISCO — Comprehensive review of organiza-tional matters and policies confronting the Japanese American Citizens League a half year since the last Na-tional JACL Convention is on tap for national officers and staff next week at the Hilton Almort Inn

The interim National Board neeting will commence with uncheon next Friday, Feb. 17, with Jerry Enomoto, national president, presiding. It will ad-journ with luncheon Sunday.

Among the more pressing is-sues appear to be the role of out the National JACL officers during councils. political elections, a proposal for a separate civil rights arm in JACL, ultimate use of the JACL endowment fund and valor, in Saipan by talking desperate rendering, examine the records of the Nisei GIs in the Pacific; JACL responsibility for subor-dinate units.

The last gubernatorial cam-paign in California found Nisei in both camps expressing their The paign in California found Nisei pared.

In both camps expressing their choice more vocally than in the past—including JACL national officers. JACL's nonpartisan status in its constitution appears to have confused the membership when JACL leading the property of the part tisan status in its constitution appears to have confused the membership when JACL lead-ership becomes a participant in the elective processes, Guidelines for the 1968 presi-dential campaign are expect-

Proposal for a separate civil rights arm—patterned after JACL's successful Anti-Discrimination Committee which secured legislative goals during the immediate postwar years—to enable those JACLers to participate in the civil rights fight more vigorously is also under study. At issue is whether JACL's nonprofit tax status might be jeopardized if it engages in a civil rights campaign with more than substantial amounts of funds.

Endowment Fund

mission has questioned the ultimate use of the JACL En-dowment Fund, whose princi-pal remains in trust with in-terest used to sustain JACL

at for special purpose use to day?
On the question of JACL re-

On the question of JACD re-sponsibility for subordinate units, it stems from the recent U.S. Supreme Court ruling against the NAACP when one of its branches picketed an es-tablishment, which successfully sued for damages, National Board and Staff

members and some national committee chairmen expect 1 to attend have been apprised of the issues and have sounded out the chapters and district

Background reports on JACL program for elderly housing, planning commission, program and activities, JAL summer fellowships, cultural heritage, executive reorganization and others also have been pre-

On the agenda are reports covering administrative and personnel matters, History Project, legislative and legal issues, budget-finance, mem-bership brochure, scholarship programs, national convention, youth, Pacific Citizen and the

History Project

The National Planning Com-The JACL executive committee on the Japanese History Project is meeting in Los An-geles Feb. 15-16, prior to the

(Continued on Page 2) 1.—Basic 11-day sightseeing tour, including special attractions and visits with people and places not available to regular tourists to be arranged by National JACL. Stops in (Special to The Pacific Citizen)

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MADISON, Wis. — Uncommon talents and drive have taken wisconsin's new state architect, Shinji Yamamoto, 55, nalists. More than 20 architem the West Coast to a top tects throughout the nation post in his field via bleak relocation center in Utah during State Engineer Raiph Culbert-

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JAPAN'S ELECTION

Washington

Americans generally and Japanese Americans particularly should be gratified with the national Lower House election results in Japan last Jan. 29, for Prime Minister Eisaku Sato and his Liberal-Democratic (conservative) Party were retained in power. In Japan, under its parliamentary system, the Lower Land Land Country of the District Country House, or House of Representatives, of the Diet (Parliament) is the more important chamber, since the Prime Minister and practically all of his Ministers who administer the Government are elected from its membership and since all of the major legislation must origin-

The 18-year generally pro-United States foreign policy and pro-free enterprise economy that has characterized Japan will thus be continued for perhaps another four years, unless the Diet is dissolved prior to that deadline for one reason or another by the government party

It also now seems virtually certain that the United States Japan Mutual Security Pact will be continued beyond 1970, when either country may denounce it. Not quite so certain is that these years will also

bring the evolution, as former Ambassador Edwin Reischauer predicts, of "the kind of easy and full partnership" that the United States has enjoyed with Great Britain. This will depend upon the future actions of both Japan and the United States.

Before the elections, political observers in both countries were stressing the crucial nature of this particular campaign as being one that might well determine whether parliamentary, representative system of government could survive. Many estimated that it was the most important elections held in Japan since the end of World War II.

Despite resentment over the so-called Black Mist

Despite resentment over the so-called Black Mist scandals involving government ministers and other high officials and over a threatening run-away infla-tion, most of the voters seemed to be satisfied with Japan's overall prosperity. Despite misgivings about the war in Vietnam and China's turmoil, there was no groundswell against Japan's security and trade re-liance on the United States.

In the first national election in which Japan's post-war generation participated, 46,006,523 voters, or about 75 percent of all eligible voters, east ballots.

The Liberal-Democratic Party won 277 of the 486 seats at stake, only one less than it had before the last Diet was dissolved early last December.

The pro-Peking, anti-Vietnam war Socialists, who

were figured to gain the most new seats, won 140 seats, also one less than it had in previous Diet.

The Democratic Socialists won 30 seats, seven more than in the last election, while the Komeito

(Clean Government), the political arm of the militant Buddhist Sokagakkai (Value Creating Society), won 25 seats in its first bid for the Lower House. The nine independents who won election are expected to vote with the Liberal-Democrats. Although the Communists gained one seat for a total of five. Japan's Communist Party had disowned Red China leadership.

Even though the Liberal-Democratic Party was expected to retain the most seats, there was speculation regarding the number of constituencies it might lose. During the campaign. Prime Minister Sato declared that the election of 270 Liberal-Democrats would represent a vote of confidence in his party. His party won 277 seats, which with the nine independents extensively with him would represent a vote of the confidence of the party won 277 seats, which with the nine independents voting with him, would give the Liberal-Democrats an absolute majority of 286 in the Lower House. Although 244 constitutes a numerical majority, experience suggests that at least 270 seats are the minimum for actual

In the popular votes, the Liberal-Democrats re-ceived 49 percent of all the votes cast, which with the votes of the nine independents would also give them an absolute majority. When the last national elections were held in 1963, with the late Prime Minister Havato Ikeda as the head of the party, the Liberal-Democrats received 55 percent of the total vote.

Of interest to the Issei and the Nisei was the reelection of Foreign Minister Takeo Miki to his 12th consecutive term from Tokushima Prefecture, a postwar record. Often rumored as possibly the next Prime Minister of Japan, Minister Miki, who has held most of the ministial and political portfolios in his party, attended the Univ. of Southern California in the early 30s and numbers many Japanese Americans among his personal friends.

The record for consecutive service in the Lower House, however, is still held by the late Yukio Ozaki, who was elected 25 straight times from the first elec-

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Most Japanese Americans are delighted that an
avowed pro-United States government has been retained in power. As one of the smaller national minorities
in this country, the general accortance of Japana as a
nation to a large degree determines the degree of acceptance of Japanese Americans in the United States.

Medal of Honor—

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university in Tokyo, will sponsor a summer institute in Japan for elementary and high
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NEWS CAPSULES

Military

Cpl. Graydon S. Uyeda, USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. George K. Uyeda, Rt. 2, Alpine Rd., Stockton, was awarded the Air Medal for meritorious service in Vietnam. He is a member of a medium helicop-ter squadron at Phy Bai.

The 17th annual California Nisei VFW reunion will be held Feb. 17-19 at Gardena Nise War Memorial Hall with Fourth District Nisei Memorial Post 1961 as hosts . . The 442nd Veterans Assn. of Southern California elected Minoru Sumida as its president, He succeeds Tom Shimasu.

School Front

USC dental student Derick Tagawa will address the Inter-national Assn. for Dental Re-search, meeting Mar. 16-19 at Washington, D.C., on his re-search of "dentin formation", which he has been doing up. which he has been doing un-der grants from the San Gabriel Valley Dental Society danciel Valley Dential Society
and USC School of Dentistry.
He is the son of Mr. and
Mrs. Minoru Tagawa of Los
Angeles . . . James S. Sasaki,
Acampo rancher, recently
elected to the new Lodi Unified School District Board, was
honored with a life manufact. honored with a life member-ship in the Lodi Union Council PTA for his contributions to PTA for his contributions to youth and community. He is also active with the Lodi-Kofu Sister City committee, the Lodi chamber of commerce, the Grape Festival board and scouting. Courses in Japanese language and culture are being offered at Cabrillo College, Aptos, with Donald Tan-zawa as instructor. A Nisei, he has master's degree in lanne has master's degree in lan-guage in literature from Wa-seda University. Albert M. Craig, 39, authority on the Meiji period of Japan (1867-1912) will be professor of Ja-panese history at Harvard on July I. He substituted for Dr. Edwin O. Reischauer from 1961-1963 (when he was am-bassador to Japan for President Kennedy) teaching Japa-nese culture in Harvard's gen-eral education course on East Asian civilizations. Dr. Craig graduated from Northwestern, continued his studies at Stras-bours. Germany, and Kyoto bourg, Germany, and Kyoto and Tokyo Universities, Ja-pan, before joining the Har-vard faculty in 1960.

Press Row

First Hawaiian-born journalto be voted into the Sigma Delta Chi, honorary journal-istic fraternity, George Saka-maki, dled in Honolulu of cancer Jan. 27. He was 63. After studying at Wisconsin and Columbia, he founded and edited the magazine, New Japan, in the 1920s, joined the Hono-lulu Star-Bulletin in 1930 writing on Japanese and Japanese Americans, went to Dairen in 1933 to edit the Manchuria Daily News and also serve as a correspondent for Reuters and the London Daily Express. He scooped the world by cabiing a sensational exclusive about a group of European sailors who turned pirate and killed 10 Chinese Back in Ha-waii in 1937, he became active with the Republican party and worked for various insurance worked for various insurance

Sports Mrs. Helen Shima, Cleve-land's city queen of bowlers, has qualified for the National All-Star Tournament this May in St. Louis. To win the city match game title and the Cleveland Plain Dealer dia-House, however, is still held by the late Yukio Ozaki, who was elected 25 straight times from the first election ever held in Japan in 1890. It was he who as the Mayor of Tokyo gave the cherry trees to Washington more than 50 years ago that now provide the nation's capital with some of its finest hours every year.

The voungest successful candidate was Toshio Japanese Olympic Basketball Yamaguchi, aged 26, of Saitama's second district. The post-war record, though, is held by Masanobu Oda who was elected in 1947 at age 25. The oldest successful candiate was Kenzo Matsumura, 84, who was elected for the 13th, though not consecutive, time.

Seven women in all were elected. Two were elected for the 13th, though not consecutive, time.

Seven women in all were elected. Two were elected for the 10th consecutive time, a record. Both were on the Socialist ticket, Mrs. Satoko Togano of Tochigi's first district and Miss Shizue Yamaguchi of Tokyo's sixth district.

they are now in second spot in league play.

Business

Bill T. Yamashiro, Cal-West-Bill T. Yamashiro, Cal-West-ern Life Insurance agent at Los Angeles, attended his com-pany's President's Council sales meeting at Kahala Hil-ton, Honolulu, this week for placing more than \$1 million of new life insurance in force during 1966. He addressed the

Books

A new 1,100-page edition of the Official Guide: Japan (Japan Publications Trading Co., PO Box 469, Rutland, Vt., \$11) has been published after five years of intensive work by the Japan National Tourist Or-

Tetsumare Hayashi, direc-tor of the John Steinbeck Bibliographical Society and a faculty member of the Kent (Ohio) State University English department, is author of "John Steinbeck: A Bibliography (1939-1985)" to be published later this year by Scarecrow Press, New Jersey.

Beauties

West High in Torrance crowned Nancy Fukumoto, as Grid Queen for 1966 Cheryl Takahashi, 17, reigned as homecoming queen for Edi-son High, Stockton, at a re-cent basketball game. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Takahashi.

Churches

The Coast Region Young People's Christian Conference meets Mar. 4-5 at El Estero Presbyterian Church, Monterey, with a pre-confab rally at the Lincoln Ave. Presby-terian Church at Salinas, Feb. 18, 6 p.m. Theme is "Ethics Now" . . . Stands on the state abortion laws, alcoholic rehabilitation, narcotics and Kagetsu file Vietnam were adopted by the So. Calif. Japanese American which he cl Church Federation at its Jan, was worth.

Ronald Francavilla of Fitch burg, Mass., 28-year-old ex-Air Force enlisted man who em-braced Buddhism while in Japan, is returning to Japan to become a Nichiren monk. He became a convert, he said, when a fire in the city missed the house where he was living by three feet after he went before a Buddhist altar he had there and asked that the house

Awards The Japanese American Service Committee, Chicago, honored Masako Inouye as its Voluntee of the Year . . The Los Angeles Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, honored James Nakagawa with the Silwith youth. He is El Camino scout district chairman and served with Troop 636. An MIS instructor during WW2, he headed a civilian section with the Allied Far East Command the Allied Far East Command in Tokyo. He is married and has two sons (one an Eagle Scout) and a daughter Paul Okada, who raises vege Paul Okada, who raises vege-tables and a dairy herd on his 300-acre farm south of Brigh-ton, Colo., was named the Our-standing Farmer by the Brigh-ton Chamber of Commerce last mouth. Robert Sakata, past winner of the same award, made the presentation.

Youth

Serving on the newly formed L.A. County Youth Committee is 11th grader flene Kiyo Su-Tokyo offices in Southern Caligine, 16, who was appointed fornia have tickets . . . Isao by Supervisor Kenneth Hahn. Takahashi is instructor of the alkido class sponsored by the Torrance (Calif.) Recreation Dept.

65 schools in U.S. teaching Nihongo Most Americans are hanny about the results, for the elections demonstrated that the Japanese have a demonstrated that the Japanese have a

SOUTH ORANGE, N.J. - A guage, culture, social and edu-

for the apring semester. He is the son of Mrs. Evelyn Mi-taral and Tom Nishimura, re-siding with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tunney Shige-kuni . . Robert A. Yoshida is boys' v.p. at Hiram Johnson High. Sacramento. High, Sacramento.

pany's President's Council sales meeting at Kahala Hilton, Honoiulu, this week for placing more than \$1\$ million of new life insurance in force during 1966, He addressed the group on his personal sales procedures . . Japanes e Chamber of Commerce of Chicago elected Tomejiro Tanaka (Marubeni-lida) president for 1967.

Deals Deals SCIENCE

Meteorologist Tetauya Fujita at the Univ. of Chicago department of geophysical sciences received the Meisenger Award for his work in analyzing severe local storms. The Japan Meteorological Society in 1959 for his development of meteorological research.

Government

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by the delegates.

At the evening banquet, Dr Herbert Wong, principal of U.C. Berkeley's Laboratory Washington Elementary School

intrigued a capacity audience with his talk on the use of jazz in teaching. He augmented his talk with tape record-

Tad Hirota of Berkeley, now

Tad Hirota of Berkeley, now serving his second term as district governor after a lapse of 18 years was presented with a JACL sapphire pin. Outstanding active service to JACL beyond the confines of one's own chapter for at least 10 consecutive years is required for this award.

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The Berkeley JACL also hon-red Frank Yamasaki and No-

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banquet toastmaster.

Hitoshi G. Sameshima, 45, of Pasadena was appointed deputy purchasing agent with the Los Angeles County by Supervisor Burton Chace. The Denver University graduate had been assistant deputy for the past 10 years. The purchasing department handles some \$3 million worth of goods annualdepartment handles some \$3 million worth of goods annual-

Music

Classes in Japanese music have been added to the sum-mer session starting June 20 at the Berkeley Center for the Performing Arts of Asia, 1654 University Ave. Keiji Ya-gi, foremost Japanese koto player, will head the program, with Kodo Araki of Tokyo teaching the shakuhachi.

Vital Statistics

Canada's outstanding Issel business tycoon, Eikichi Kasetsu, died at his Toronte home Jan. 27. He was 83. Pre-war, he reportedly owned some 7,000 acres of prime tim-ber land at Fanny Bay, Van-couver Island, plus railway and dock facilities. With WW2, the Canadian government took over his giant lumber business Feb. on condition that protective Cthics custody was to be exercised, state but like other Japanese Cana-cre-dian properties, it was sold, and Kagetsu filed for damages but never recovered the amount which he claimed his property

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A retired copper mine worker, Hiroff Okumura, 70, has joined his four sons, Denois, Ich, Huch and Yuji, on the Sunrise Foods team in the Pal-D-Major League meeting Friday nights at Salt Lake City's Pal-D-Mar Lanes. The elderly Issel totes a 132 average and combined with his sons, 187, 182, 176 and 478 averages—
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During the school term, young Yamabe attended Man-ual High School, and worked for his room and board in the home of a Caucasian family, then a familiar arrangement for young Issel. The bygone town of Haybro, Colorado, and historical Fort Lincoln, North Dakota, as well as the familiar communities like Brighton, Fort, Lupton and Longmont, recalled significant, youthful experiences to the Rev. Arthur Shigeo Yamabe of Guadalupe, Callf., Bukkyo Kal, who recently returned here briefly. He was a celebrant at the golden anniversary celebration of the Tri-State Buddhist Church.

Then for two summers he worked above ground at a coal mine in Haybro, a dozen miles southwest of Steamboat Springs. Many Isael worked in mines and on railway crews up there, near towns such as Haybro, and nearby Routt and Oak Creek. As a youth of 19, he arrived here from his native Yamagu-chi, to be met by his father, Jinnosuke Yamabe. At the time, September, 1919, Yama-

towns such as Haybro, and nearby Routt and Oak Creek. Young Yamabe graduated from Manual High in 1924. Japanese Drama Club flourished then at the school. And in his senior year, the club staged the Kabuki play, "Kanakura Sandai-ki." Kyoshiro Tokunaga enacted one of the leading roles, that of Lady Toki-hime. In Kabuki, men traditionally played male as well as female roles. Of others in the cast, Yamabe could only recall that Yuhei Ulifusa, now of Worland, Wyo., played the role of Takatsuna.

For a couple of years, after (Continued from Front Page) ship, has already surpassed its 1966 enrollment, 242 to 234. Moriguchi added. In a report on the Japanese History Project, Masao Satow, national director, said that the manuscript for the book to be issued by the JACL is now

Takatsuna,
For a couple of years, after graduation from DU in 1929, Yamabe taught at Nihongo gakko in Denver, Brighton, Fort Lupton and in Longmont. Also in that year he visited Japan and married the former Miss Kimiyo Sato, She American Research Project is being continued at UCLA as an ongoing program.

The Sonoma County JACL's bid for the second quarterly meeting in May was accepted

Interim-

(Continued from Front Page) Interim Board meeting, to assess the present status and discuss pending matters. A report will be presented to the Interim Board by Shig Wakamatsu, JHP chairmao.

Dr. Robert Wilson, project director, and Joe Grant Ma-saoka, administrator, are to report on current picture of the Japanese American Re-search Project. The interim board session may also see the formation of

a permanent tri-California dis-trict council body to consider statewide issues - especially legislation.

Dinner Saturday night will be hosted by San Francisco JACL board of governors. the chapter by presenting them with JACL silver pins. New officers of the Ber-keley chapter, led by Vernon Nishi, were installed at the banquet by Jerry Enomoto of Sacramento, National JACL

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Fort Lincoln

months.
One of many U.S. military outposts established in western North Dakota after the Civil War for campaigns against the Indians, Fort Lincoln guarded the east bank of the Missouri River, a few miles south of the state capitol of Bismarck.
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coal Except for the interruption during the war, the Rev. Vamabe has served pastorates at Isael Buddhist Churches in Califorrail: nia since 1930. In 1930, he near married the former Miss Shiand zue Honda,—Rocky Mto. Jiho

Perspectives-(Continued from Front Page)

that context, the Youth por-tion of the San Jose Conven-tion in 1968 should be excellent. Last Saturday afternoon, I joined Mas Satow, Alan Kuma-moto, Kay Nakagiri, Russ Obana and members of the San Jose Convention Board at a meeting to share some thinking on the youth confab.

Shirley Matsumura and San Jose Jr. JACL Prexy Sharon Uyeda and several of their colleagues also were present. The meeting was chaired by our busy National Secretary and Convention Chairman, Dr. Tom Taketa.

New consul general

CHICAGO-Umeo Kagei was named the new Japanese con-sul general for Chicago. He previously served as councillor

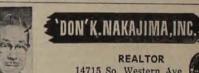


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From the **Frying Pan**

By Bill Hosokawa

QUOTES — When a large part of a man's working day is spent reading, he gets not only tried eyeballs but odd and interesting bits of information. Like the following, from the Wall Street Journal, which has application to the JACL-UCLA history project:

Tape recorders have proved to be a tremendous boon to scholars and writers trying to preserve the fascinating sidelights of history. By one count, there have been more than a hundred so-called oral history programs started since 1948 when Columbia University pioneered the technique.

The programs range from 980 reels of tape at Tulane University on the history of New Orleans jazz to interviews with 250 persons on the life of John Foster Dulles, conducted by Princeton University. The Ford Motor Co. has taped the recollections of 450 persons on the life of Henry Ford. The Wall Street Journal report adds.

persons on the life of Henry Ford. The Wall Street Journal report adds:

"The advantage of oral histories is obvious: The story is being told by the men who were there. Oral history is especially important, advocates say, in this age when few notables keep diaries and when written correspondence is being increasingly replaced by the telephone call. Allan Nevins, the historian, founded the Columbia program, and he says part of his invitation, came from reading objutations. spiration came from reading obituaries. Year after year, he says, he would read of notables dying, and 'I'd say to myself, What memories that man carried to oblivion and how absolutely they are lost'."

How true this is of the stories that Issei could have told. The recollections of many have been taken down on tape, but so many others died before their stories could be recorded for posterity.

CREDIT WHERE IT IS DUE: Or take this item from the Yawata News, published by Yawata Iron & Steel of Japan. President Yoshihiro Inayama is quoted

The very fact that the Japanese iron and steel Industry was able to get back on its feet after World War II was due to the assistance given us by the United States and other countries. We have not forgotten these many acts of generosity. And being now in a position to export our know-how, we look forward to a greater exchange of information with steel industries of other countries. ries of other countries in a manner that will be mutually beneficial. Peace is a word often used today. Economic cooperation surely is one of the best 'medicines' for peace — and in this we shall continue to fulfill our part."

QUALITY CONTROL — Dr. Joseph M. Juran of New York City, a management consultant, writes in the magazine Industrial Quality Control that "the Japanese are headed for world quality leadership, and will attain it in the next two decades, because no one else is moving there at the same pace

He writes that small groups of departmental work leaders and rank-and-file operators band together in a quality control circle which meets after work hours to identify problems and solve them, resulting in greater output of higher quality goods.

This practice, we might observe, is somewhat un-

THE PROBLEM OF BRIDES—Nisei farmers these days live as well as their city cousins, if not better, enjoying all the material comfort of these times. And usually they are not much farther from the city by paved highway than the fellow who lives in the suburbs. Not so in Japan, the New York Times says, reporting that only 8.4 per cent of farm girls want to

marry farmers.

The survey showed 46.5 per cent favored non-farmers and 45 per cent sought "respectable men of any profession." Of those opposing marriage to farmers, one-fourth cited the strain of relations with mothers-in-law, 20 per cent mentioned financial strigency, 17 per cent the lack of leisure time, and 26 per cent mentioned for the band work and foundalistic social practices.

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Japanese farm girls, obviously, are becoming more Americanized.



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HELPING HANDS — Norman Mineta (left) awards San Jose JACL's citation to (from left) Mrs. Claude N. Settles, Mrs. Nina Wolters and Mrs. Florence Bryant for their role in helping per-

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LONGTIME FRIEND

sons of Japanese ancestry in Santa Clara Valley during the Evacuation and Resettlement period. At right is Shig Masunaga

San Jose Mercury-News Photo.

(Morning after the San Jose JACL installation dinner Jan. 28, the San Jose Mercury-News staff writer Gli Bailey turned the pages of time back to the prim days of 1942 When persons of Japanese ancestry were being herded by the government into relocation centers in the interior for his Simday readers. For many former San Joseans living throughout the U.S., we reprint Mr. Bailey's chronicle.—Editor.)

BY GIL BAILEY
Mercury-News Staff Writer
San Jose
There were many days
which live in infamy.
There was Dec. 7, 1941.
There was also Feb. 19, 1942,
and the days which followed
25 years ago when 110,000 residents of the United States, fro,000 of them American citizens were forced out of their homes and placed in what can only be called concentration camps.
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The Japanese American Citizens were forced out of their homes and placed in what can only be called concentration camps.
The Japanese American Citizens were forced out of their property Keltner, a local businessman, was honored by the Salinas Valley JACL at its 22nd annual installation banquet Jan. 28 at Italian Villa.

A Hancock Oil distributor, Keltner was awarded the

A Hancock Oil distributor, Keltner was awarded the chapter scroll of appreciation and an engraved gold wristwatch "for his long time warm friendship with Japanese Americans, especially in wartime against overwhelming public sentiment, for his great helpfulness in sending evacues their personal belongings to relocation camps at his own expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who expense, and for facilitating giving thanks to those who exist.

The dinner was not held in bitterness, but in the spirit of expenses were given to five santa Clara County and and not unnaturally, the pacific Coast faced a food thank of the pacific Coast faced a food thank of

"Cottie was not only that,"
Miyanaga continued, "he helped us in every conceivable way. When he learned that some Japanese Americans were afraid to go to town to buy food, he bought it for them out of his pocket. When persons here were being evacuated to concentration camps—there is no other to describe them—Cottie was turned to for counsel. He gave it and more;

them—Cottie was turned to for counsel. He gave it and more; he helped in the storage of personal belongings and in locating, crating and shipping them to their owners in relocation centers—out of his own pocket and with no thought of remuneration.

"Cottie Keltner is the best friend the Japanese Americans in California ever had," he said. "We all owe him a debt which never can be repaid."

Somewhat surprised and overcome by the honor, Keltner replied:

and persuaded cannerjes to accept our produce."

25 Years Ago

The files of the Mercury and News tell a part of that story of 25 years ago:
Dec. 11, 1941: "One hundred and six Japanese students at San Jose State College left school yesterday afternoon bearing identification cards the surprised and overcome by the honor, Keltner of Mikado and Co., yesterday offered the verseld ever accept our produce."

Somewhat surprised and overcome by the honor, Keltner replied:
"You are a good, honorable people to which the wartine discrimination should not have applied. Your contributions to the community have been Street but much of it remain.

re-elected chapter president, heads the 1967 chapter board. Keynote speaker Dr. Tom Taketa of San Jose, national board member and associated

(Continued on Page 5) VENICE-CULVER CITES

CHARTER MEMBER

It was not that most of the Japanese were not loyal.

J.S. Hirano, secretary of the Japanese Assn., representing 2,700 Japanese in San Jose, told Pvt. Hideo Nakamura, a United States soldier, on Dec. 8, 1941

"Our race is loyal to the United States, our adopted homeland. We are anxious to show our loyalty to the United

States."
Pvt. Nakamura commented.
"I volunteered, I like the serv-

It made no difference.

ample most Americans would do well to follow."

County Counsel William Stoffers was in the installing officer. Bob Yamamoto, who was re-elected chapter president, heads the 1967 chapter board. Keynote speaker Dr. Tom Taketa of San Jose, national

on Dec. 7, 1941, he was a good old Santa Clara Valley, soldier stationed at Schofield for I was born, reared, eduBarracks in Hawaii and saw one of the first Japanese at tacking planes. As a soldier return.

still on Okinawa he saw one of of the last Japanese war planes in action.

Saipan Action

In between Kubo won the Distinguished Sarciae Grass

In between Kubo won the Distinguished Service Cross for persuading between 100 and 120 Japanese soldiers on Saipan to surrender.

"I had a big mouth," he remembered.

Kubo did not say, but a Mercury staff member who was there remembers. Kubo walked into Saipan caves, held by those desperate Japanese soldiers, to do his taiking.

Kubo was typical of thousands of Japanese Americans who fought for this country, fought well enough to become a legend in Italy and in the Pacific where they served as intelligence experts.

The first Japanese to return the servicemen, killed

The first Japanese to return to the Santa Clara Valley was one of those men. Pvt. Masao Kanemoto had a

week's leave before reporting for duty in June of 1943. A native of San Jose and a former student at San Jose State College and the Univer-sity of Santa Clara, Kanemoto had recently passed the Cali-fornia Bar. fornia Bar.

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There were acts of violence—a Japanese family home was burned in Milpitas and a Japanese veteran of the Italian campaign was murdered in Stockton.

Both the San Jose Mercury and News spoke up in those days of violence and threats of violence: Editorial Defends Nisei

Editorial Defends Nisei
On Nov. 45, 1944, the Mercury said:
"Loyal American citizens must be treated with justice, regardless of their color, their race or their creed. The loyal American citizen of Japanese ancestry must be defended in the rights inherent in his American citizenship. If we tolerate the persecution of this minority group, we may expect other minority groups to be the next victims . . ."

The News said on the same day:

day:
"Our decision is whether we genuinely believe in the Bill of Rights for others as well as for ourselves, and whether we

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COULVER CITY — The VeniceCulver JACL awarded a charter member of the chapter,
Kenichi Onishi, the Community Service Award for 1966 at the recent installation dinner.
The recognition was unique in that leadership was not the significant factor as has been the case with previous awards but dedication and loyalty in the cause for true community service, according to George Inagaki, who made the presentation.

Onishi, who helped reestablish the Venice Community Center after the war, is serving as its custodian, responsible for its care and main
There were other news wished to the county have been revoked ance man here since 1920, it was far more.

May 21, 1942: "Transfer to Kay Mineta, an insurMay 21, 1942: "Transfer to Kay Mineta volunteered to the teach American soldiers Japanese and did so in Chicago during most of the war, in the was in a strange position for he was not an American of the was not an American to the was not an American of the was not an American to the was not an American of the was not

The Japanese were swept up, men, women and children, and sent to far away camps in Colorado, Ulah, the Arizona desert, the desolate Owens Valley in Southern California and to Tule Lake in Northern California.

"I'll never forget the vast

"I'll never forget the vast loneliness I felt when I looked upon the hills of Granada, Colo., and detected rows and rows of barracks. The Issel (older Japanese, born in Ja-pan) wept openly, many of them wondering if they would live through this—and many did not," one Japanese wrote.

applied. Your contributions to the community have been same and your example in daily life is not only an asset to the community but an example most Americans would do well to follow."

There had been acts of individual kindness along the way.

In San Jose the Council of Church Women provided coffee, milk, sandwiches and coranges to the Japanese as they were herded onto the

He must evacuate land he farms off Trimble Road."

May 8, 1942: "Liquor sales licenses of eight Japanese license holders in Santa Clara father, Kay Mineta, an insur-County have been revoked ance man here since 1920, it

Partisan Politics

Lindsay, Calif.

Over the years the question has been asked frequently,
"What kind of an organization is the JACL?"

At times

At times we have gone to our Constitution and have explained that we are a non-partisan, nonpolitical organization. There are those who will argue that we are more of a fraternal organization and there is no doubt that many of our chapters carry on activities in this area.

It has been spoken that we

It has been spoken that we are classed in the category of educational, scientific, religious and cultural and there is no doubt that we enjoy the tax preferred status of such an association.

association.

We are also reminded that we are in error when say that we are a nonpolitical organization. We strive to be nonpartisan and over the years we have avoided a lot of involvement in this area, but we cannot say that we are non-political because of the veey nature of the goals we seek.

As members of a racial minority, we felt that we needed the JACL as a medium where by our welfare could be protected and enhanced. Therefore, through the JACL we have sought desirable legislation and court decisions to accomplish this. There were times when committees were organized independent of the JACL to avoid some of the problems that could confront us as the kind of an organization that we are, in the areas of legislative activity and fund raising connected thereto. As members of a racial miraising connected thereto

Now, with the passage of SJR 20 in the State of Wash-ington, there isn't much left of the alien land laws and similar statutes which have cir-cumscribed the lives of Amer-icans of Japanese ancestry and their alien parents. Ghastly horrors of the past such as the anti-alien fishing bills are now a part of history.

To all of this is added the security that we now enjoy in the fine acceptance in communities all over America, and many more are asking, "What kind of an organization is the

We Are Political

We are a political organiza-on. Our goals have been realized through the various political channels. Our great-est accomplishments were po-litically based. We have sought and supported legislation which was favorable to us and we have vigorously opposed and combatted those laws and proposals which were deteri-mental to our welfare.

course, we were not asking for any special favors as an Oriental minority, but we were spelling out the fact that were spelling out the fact that we were a part of the citizenry of this commonwealth and that the claims of the Federal Constitution and the ensuing Bill of Rights defined what we were to be and to have in the ultimate destiny of our national council.

Telations would be affected. Definite guidelines to be discussed at the interim board meeting will define how we as national officers will adhere to national policies as outlined in the Civil Rights Resolution of the ultimate destiny of our national council.

Japan Tour—

(Continued from Front Page) cial extra tours will also be available.

Detailed information and registration forms are being prepared. The trip may also

Coinciding at various times in our struggle for freedom has been the long and continual march of the American Negro up to the plane where he might enjoy the blessings of that of a free born American. In our having been along this road, we are not only sympathetic to their cause, but we know first hand and better than anyone else some of the

we know first hand and better than anyone else some of the problems and the hurt and the despairs of a second class citi-zenship in a land proclaimed for freedom and justice. In showing our concern for another minority, we have sought involvement into the equal opportunity causes of fair housing, fair employment practices and other areas of practices and other areas of service, areas in another time and place we were asking for the concern of other Americans.

Involvement

We have tried to justify our involvement to our critics by saying that we are a "Human Rights Organization."

There can be no doubt about this, but in this decade, no person or organization can crusade in this area without involvement in the partisan political philosophies. political philosophies

Civil and Human Rights are now inherent in the partisan political structure of our na-

National JACL Officers and Staff Members can often be led afoul on statements concerning civil rights and human rights because of the deep political involvement of almost any expression that can be made in this field. It might be argued that the

tuition subject at the Univer-sity of California is a human rights matter and we should show concern because some Nisel would not have been able to gain that education were it not for the non-tuition policy Also, it might be argued that any individual has a right to express himself on any subject consistent with the First Amendment, even to the extent of "picking" on the extent of "picking" on the extent standard that we have been hostille to U.C. and discrediting the present administration for using the State University as a political football and the first a political football and the firing of Clark Kerr.

CCDC Resolution

The Central California District Council resolution on po-litical activity stemmed from the thought that considerable misunderstanding could ema-nate by an expression of a national officer or staff member on such a seemingly nonpartisan subject

tion feel that such expression could be construed as being a part of the JACL national policy and thereby both our internal and external public relations would be affected. Definite guidelines to be dis-

Thousand Club Notes

Jan. 31 Report: The 1000 Tsumori; Chicago — Mrs. CatheClub month-end total of 1.728
for January is a new high, kechi.
according to Dr. Frank Sakamoto, national 1000 Chib chairman. There were 143 new and
There were 143 new and There were 143 new and Tsumoris Capital Roy Almoto, Tom
N. Ishida, Soilchi Nakatani,
Tenewing memberships accepted Gapi, Harry Y, Yanaman. There were 143 new and renewing memberships acknowledged by National Headquarters during the second half of the month as follows:
20th Year: D.C.—Mike Masaoka.
18th Year: Sall Lake City—Mrs.
Rae S. Fujimoto; Sacramento—
Joe Matsunami.
17th Year: San Francisco.—
Yasuo W. Abiko; San Diego.—
Tsutomu H. Remura: D.C.—Mrs.
Etsu Masaoka.
16th Year: Sacramento.—Henry.

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7th Year: D.C.—Frank S. Babs.
Mrs. Akiko Iwala; Sacramento—
Morris Daggett, Roy Himoto, Tom
N. Ishida, Soilehi Nakatani,
George Otani, Harry Y. Yamasaki; Seatle — Henry M. Miyake,
Dr. Ben T. Uyeno, Tatsumi Yasui;
San Francisco — Henry Obayashi, Mrs. Sumi Schloss, Harry Y.
Tono.

Salt Lake elects Toshiyuki Kano

SALT LAKE CITY — Toshiyuki Kano, a relative newcomer, was elected Salt Lake
JACL president for 1967. A design engineer with the State
Dept. of Highways for the past
five years, the Honoliul-born
Nisei attended schools in Japan and graduated from Nippon University.

Kano is married his on To-

Kano is married, his son To-shiharu attending the Univ. of Utah majoring in mechanical engineering, second son Toshio was a victim of the Hiroshima atomic bomb, and daughter Yorie is an accountant at Lit-ton Industries. He is currently writing a book, "I Survived the Atomic Blast",

Last year, Kano represented JACL on the International JACL on the International Peace Garden board. He is active in the Masons, a mem-ber of the El Kalah Shrine Temple with Hito Okada, and the Toastmasters Interna-

The 1967 chapter board was installed Feb. 8 at Pagoda Restaurant. IDC Governor Tats Misaka was installing officer.

Cincinnati JACLer starts 4th term

CINCINNATI — Kaye Watana-be was elected 1967 president of the Cincinnati JACL, suc-ceeding Ben Okura. Watanabe has served as chapter president during three previous

the chapter also announced the first not increasing its chapter dues this year, despite the \$1 a kimono modeling demonst increase of national dues. The additional assessments to National and Midwest District are to be met from the treasury.

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Detailed information and registration forms are being prepared. The trip may also be financed through the Bank of Tokyo of California or the Sumitomo Bank of California.

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New York JACL

Installation: Capt. Allan R. osworth, author of "Ameria's Concentration Camps", will be the guest speaker at New York JACL's installation dinner Feb. 25 at the Park 100 Restaurant.

His comments on factors which led the decision to evacuate Japanese from the west coast is especially timely since 1967 is the 25th unniversary of the Evacuation, chapter board chairman Jack Ozawa said, as he urged members to attend with their children to hear the address. address.

Dinner will be \$7.50 per adult, \$5 for students through college age.

address.

Dinner will be \$7.50 per adult, \$\$ for students through yaki and shrimp tempura are college age.

Arizona JACL

Scholarships: Deadline for Arizona JACL's four scholarships: The amounts of \$50, \$400, \$500 and \$200 to qualified Sansei high school seniors in the state is Feb. 28, according to Harry Mannaes. niors in the state is Feb. 28, according to Harry Masunaga, chairman. Applications are available by writing to Mrs. Sat Tanita, 7610 N. 14th Ave.,

Cincinnati JACL

Potluck Supper: Cincinnati JACL has an array of Japa-nese and Chinese dishes set for its potluck supper Feb. 25, 6 p.m., at the First United Church on Walnut Hills, ac-cording to Katie Thornell, chairman.

Teriyaki chicken, mazego-Teriyaki chicken, mazego-han, sweet & sour pork, chow mein, dessert, tea and milk are on the menu for \$1.25 per adult serving, 75 cents for chil-dren 6 to 12. Local talent and a kimono modeling demonstra-tion are on the program.

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LOS ANGELES - The 125-bed all business agents. Keiro Home for Convalescents will be near the City View Hospital at 2221 Lincoln Park Dr. on a two-acre plot recently purchased for \$109,238, It was announced this past week by Fred I. Wada and George Ara-

Swally's restaurant celebrates 30th year

LOS ANGELES—Site of several JACL functions in the past, Swally's Restaurant, 2611 E. Olympic Blvd., is celebrating its 30th year and second anniversary in its new building under ownership of Mike Livingstop and the page 100 Mike Li Livingston and the management team of Jack and Mary Meyers. Its coffee shop open till 8 p.m. is popular with the PC staff.

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Chicago CL set for Unsecured credit union loan to \$1,500 proposed

WASHINGTON — Rep. Spark M. Matsunaga has re-intro-duced legislation which would benefit members of Federal Credit Unions throughout the CHICAGO — A dramatic pre-sentation of "In White Ameri-ca" directed by Laura War-ren, Frances Parker drama ren, Frances Parker drama coach, and program of Japa-nese folk dances comprise the Chicago JACL 10th annual Brotherhood Dinner on Sun-day, Feb. 19, 4 p.m., at Fran-ces Parker School, 330 W.

Nation.

The proposed legislation consists of two separate bills. The first measure includes an amendment to the Federal Credit Union Act which would authorize an increase of the unsecured loan that a member can borrow from the present limit of \$750 to \$1,500. This bill would also require each Federal credit union to establish an education committee to encourage maximum participation by members in all activities of the credit union.

The second bill would permit The annual Brotherhood Award will also be presented to persons who have contrib-uted to concept that all men are brothers under the Father-hood of Gqd. Cultural exhibits and r. I.

The second bill would permit Federal employees to purchase shares of Federal-chartered or State-chartered credit unions through voluntary payroll al-

Cultural exhibits and a Ja-

UNION DISCRIMINATION LOS ANGELES - Evidence in

consider his application as business agent.

a business agent,
A Negro, Harris has been
a member of Local 12 since
1942. Seymour testified that
Harris was denied the business

agent position, not because of his color, but because he had been on the wrong side in

been on the wrong side in internal union politics and be-cause he failed to support Sey-mour when he ran for union office in 1964. As business

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Junior Jottings

the case of a heavy equipment operator claiming racial dis-crimination in a union was heard this past week by the Calif. Fair Employment Prac-Some 40 Arizona Jr. JACL members and friends had "fun in snow" at Snow Bowl in Flagstaff Jan. 28. Dave Tanita tices Commission.

Joe Harris, 49, a member of the International Union of Opwas event chairman. erating Engineers, Hoisting and Portable Trades, claimed that Joseph Seymour, business manager for Local 12, refused

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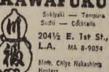
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(Continued from Front Page) other ideas that the chapters other ideas that the chapters can offer and we would appre-ciate hearing about them," Ishimaru said in conclusion. "It is important these ideas be translated in action. This program can open an area of great interest and usefulness to JACL."

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mittee are:
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ing Japanese Children's Arts and Literature, first of nine meetings on the arts of the Orient, Mar. 17-19, at H.M. De Young Memorial Museum. Single registrations of \$25 (checks payable to the Fred-erick Burk Foundation, SFSC, 1600 Holloway, San Francisco 94132) are being accepted until

94132) are being accepted until Mar. 16. Distinguished scholars in art Distinguished scholars in art and literature from Japan and the U.S. are participating in the symposium to stimulate interest in the deep heritage of Japan. Philosophy of Japanese landscaping and Japanese architecture are being planned for later this year.

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awards for 1967-68. They are
Shiro Saito, social science librarian, and Dr. Richard A.
Sanderson, communications dis Sanderson, communications di-rector. Saito will conduct bib-liographical research in ethnolat a university in the

Philippines.

Nearly four tons of clothing for Italian flood victims, donated by the people of Hawaii during a drive conducted by Club 100 and 442nd Veterans Club, was shipped out over the Jan. 28-29 weekend by Japan Air Lines. Aivin Planas and Katsugo Miho are presidents of Club 100 and 442nd, respectively. Mrs. Kay Tamimoto, 51, of 1848 10th Ave., Palolo, was found stabbed in the right side of her throat in the living room about 4:30 to the form of the second tensor. The base wage went to come known as "The base wage went to come known as the administrative judge from Okino as the administrative judge for the Judge from Okino as the administrative judge for Okino as the administrative judge for the Judge for th pan Air Lines. Alvin Planas and Katsugo Miho are presi-dents of Club 100 and 442nd, respectively... Mrs. Kay Ta-nimoto, 51, of 1848 10th Ave., Palolo, was found stabbed in the right side of her throat in the living recent should 420



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Viscious Joke . . .

Seven 40-foot royal palm trees circling the historic King Kamehameha statue were decapitated and almost chopped to the ground Feb. 3—the result of a vicious practical joke. Tree trimmers, following instructions of a man who posed as a state official, began cutting the trees down in front of the judiciary building at 6 a.m. By the time work was halted at 7:125 a.m., three of the towering royal palms were partially chopped down. All were decapitated of their lush palm leaves.

but in actuality we have been very fortunate that this or some other catastrophe hasn't occurred before, either on the ground or in outer space."

Taketa's presentation concluded with a full-color movie of the Gemini 11 filight.

City Councilman Jack Barnes gave the welcoming speech, in which he urged all Japanese Americans to take a more active part in local government.

Henry Hibino was toastmaster. The invocation and benediction was given by the Rev. S. Sakow of the Salinas Buddhist Church.

claim as the best rugby team in the U.S. with its three victories over Mainland universities recently. Coach Rene Rureku said on his return from Los Angeles Jan. 29. His team days of Cocidents 11.8. Lo downed Occidental, 11-6; Lo-yola, 39-3; and UCLA, 17-8. Paul Scodeller, one of Ha-

waii's best golfers, resigned as head pro at the Navy-Marine course Feb. 1 to accept a similar position at the El Miguel Country Club near La-guna Beach, Calif. Jesse Kuhaulua of Maul has

been promoted to the "juryo" class for the Osaka tourna-ment of the Japan Sumo Assn. and is now a full-fledged ment of the Japan Sumo Assn. and is now a full-fledged wrestler. He wrestles under the name of Takamiyama... Hawail has a "real good chance" to get a National Football League franchise by 1972 after the new stadium is completed, Max Winter predicted here Feb. 3. He is president of the Minnesota Vikings. Winter confessed he has changed his thinking on Honolulu's chances to get a progrid franchise. "Two years ago I laughed at the idea of a football franchise in Honolulu. Now I'm a believer," Winter said.

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Society Pad . . .

The engagement of Amy Miya-moto, daughter of Takaichi Miya-moto and the late Mrs. Miyamoto, to Richard Misuo Ilda, son oi Koichi Ilda and the late Mrs. Ilda, was announced Jan. 28. The

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Ye Editor's Desk

LOOKING AHEAD

Some of the problems facing JACL internally are being mentioned here to inform the general membership that the current leadership still need support and understanding. On the agenda for the forth-coming Interim National JA-CL Board meeting is National Planning, which is thoughtfully situated as the final segment support and understanding.

A major problem is communications, especially "feedback", and a special study has been made by a communications specialist. Its findings will be reviewed by the board. But the Planning Commission also recommends that a committee or a task force to pinpoint problems and to seek the answers is needed.

In the same area, it asks of a three-day dialogue among the JACL leadership. It will have had the benefit of dis-cussions on the many questions and issues facing the or-

An almost forgotten commit-tee until 4964, the National Planning Commission in the remaining half of this decade may well be the loftlest of national committees in JACL. A step in this direction was taken by the National Council last year when a sum of \$1,500 ported in writing to the dele-was authorized for its use to gates. Some are but not all, hold a plenary session of its On internal public relations,

was authorized for its use to sales. Some are the many hold a plenary session of its own.

The Planning Commission was established during the tenure of national president Shig Wakamatsu as a blue ribson committee to recommend newsletters ow than at the time of the San Diese convent. bon committee to recommend newsletters ow than at the time of the San Diego convention.

Hagiwara of Chicago was the commission director. Dr. Roy a question was asked regard-nishikawa of Los Angeles took command as chairman in 1964 with the Negro community.

How do not recommend to the same provided in the same possible of and gave it the impetus and prestige the commission en-joys today. Kaz Horita of Philadelphia is its present

Along with studies of special groups, such as the 21-30 group As a source of ideas for and women's auxiliaries, the developing JACL in the years Planning Commission wants to ahead, as well as laboratory know the prospects of established the second planning commission carries the unique chapter and district dues) responsibility of hewing the from the Membership Commissionals, seasoning current tee. guideposts, seasoning current tee

How do we revitalize "dy-ing" chapters? How do we re-tain "old-time" JACLers?

held a nucleus session during the Eastern District Council

The need for JACL was con-firmed by the group, inas-much as the Japanese Ameri-

As a prelude to the Interim meeting, the Planning Commission has issued its report, which is presented in three parts:

1—Follow-up of the previous the Eastern District Council the Eastern Distr future action.

Evacuation ---

(Continued from Page 3)

are prepared to accord to these men and women who were born in the United States, have been educated States, have been educated here, and who have never deviated for an instant from complete loyalty to the country of their birth, the same protection of the Constitution and the Bill of Rights, which we demand for ouselves...

To do anything else would be to make a mockery of the things for which our men are fighting around the world." fighting around the world. The Japanese returned

10,000 Today

In 1940 there were 4,000 Jathere are 10,000.

The Santa Clara Valley earned a reputation for toler-ance and fairness," Mineta said, "Many who were afraid bution by geography and com-parisons with the Japanese American community has been return elsewhere came

"I chose this area because it was known for its tolerance," said Kubo.

"Today, except for housing, we face far fewer problems of prejudice than we did before the war," commented Mineta.
"Job opportunities, for example of the control of the contr "Making the 1000 Club mem"Job opportunities, for example, are far better."

The Japanese had more than
are their rights.

The Japanese American Citizens League had urged coop-

The Japanese American Citizens League had urged cooperation with the Evacuation or-The Planning Commission its also feels the talents of past



East Wind: Bill Marutani

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mittee or a task force to pinpoint problems and to seek
the answers is needed.

In the same area, it asks
why minutes of all national
committee meetings at National Conventions aren't reported in writing to the delegates. Some are but not all.
On internal public relations, you. What are your reactions?

Philadelphia
The other evening while groping about for Chinatown in Washington, D.C. (I knew it was somewhere
along "H" Street) a number of observations about
chinese foods and restaurants recurred to me: For
an Oriental, hands me the special menu, the one in
solid "kanji" characters. I'm sure it's happened to

solid "kanji" characters. I'm sure it's happened to you. What are your reactions?

Well, I've had mixed feelings of flattery (he thinks I can actually read all that), then suspicion (he's playing an inscrutable joke on me and I can almost detect a hidden smile on his face as he walks away) and when the time to order approaches, panic and dilemma (do I bluff it out and take a chance, or do I break down and admit I really can't read the blasted thing although I recognize characters such as "fowl", "beef" and "pork" — but then what comes with it?)

But when the waiter thoughtfully asks me two questions,—Chopsticks? Big bowl of rice?—then I relax in the comforting thought that he's looking out after a brother and that he was not, after all, having a bit of oriental fun at my expense with that "kanji"

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I've been in some good Chinese restaurants and some not-so-good ones in places such as Sioux Falls. South Dakota or Waterloo, Iowa. Particularly in the latter class of restaurants, did you ever notice the wildly garish decor? Green and red (or sometimes pink) with neon lights in the same colors, alternating? Gads! But I've seen this color scheme too often in places too far apart for it to be mere coincidence. I'll have to ask some of my Chinese acquaintances whether there is some common genesis for this wild pattern.

CHINESE "METRECAL"

As a college student on a tight budget, I used to welcome a Chinese dinner particularly because they gave such generous portions. But lately I've wondered whether or not they actually expect me to polish off three patties of shrimp foo young when just one fills me up. It can't be that the Chinese eat as much since I've yet to meet a fat Chinese waiter or waitress; they're all slim and trim and whatever it is, they ought to bottle the stuff and push "Metrecal" into children.

PIECE DE RESISTANCE

much as the Japanese American is distinct in appearance, and having high visibility is subject to possible persecuton. As it was yesterday, looking after the well-being of its people, JACL's objective to continue in this role is still valid today. "In a sense, (JACL) is a society for self-preservation." according to Kaz Horita. Much as I relish a Chinese dinner, it's the piece-

Much as I relish a Chinese dinner, it's the piece-de-resistance, the dessert that's anti-climetic. After a sumptuous and appetizing spread of moo goo gai pan, egg rolls, barbecued spare ribs, lobster Cantonese thought of as the continuation of JACL. Not too many years ago, the Issel probably looked to the Nisei for continuation of their Japanese Associations and not towards organizing a JACL. This is an issue for the youth to ponder.

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Tokyo Topics: Tamotsu Murayama

Elections in Japan

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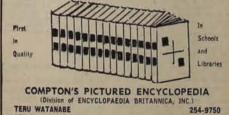
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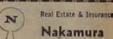


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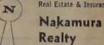




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