

# pacific citizen

National Publication of the Japanese American Citizens League

Newsstand: 25¢  
(60¢ Postpaid)

ISSN: 0030-8579 / Whole No. 2,371 / Vol. 102 No. 1

941 E. 3rd St. #200, Los Angeles, CA 90013

(213) 626-6936

Friday, January 3-10, 1986



Sen. Daniel Inouye

## Nikkei senators, reps to be honorees at LEC dinner

LOS ANGELES—Pacific Southwest District JACL will hold "Redress—An American Promise," a national kick-off dinner to raise funds for JACL Legislative Education Committee (LEC) Jan. 17 at the Bonaventure Hotel.

Sens. Daniel Inouye and Spark Matsunaga (both D-Hawaii) and Reps. Norman Mineta and Robert Matsui (both D-Calif.) will be honored for their leadership in and contributions to the redress effort. All four have confirmed

they will attend, according to dinner chair Toy Kanegai.

Mistress of ceremonies will be KCBS-TV news anchor Tritia Toyota.

Proceeds from the dinner will be used by LEC to finance and carry out the lobbying needed to secure passage of legislation, now pending in both houses of Congress, which would provide monetary compensation for Japanese Americans interned during WW2.

Tickets are \$100 per person or \$1,000 per table. Cocktail hour begins at 6 p.m., followed by dinner at 7. A special silent auction will be held during the program. JACL chapters are encouraged to support the event as table sponsors.

For reservations or information, contact Toy Kanegai at (213) 820-5250 or Leslie Furukawa at (213) 627-7727. Special room rates are available for attendees from out of town.



Sen. Spark Matsunaga

## Monument erected at WW2 camp site

HEART MOUNTAIN, Wyo.—A monument to Japanese Americans interned at this camp who fought for the U.S. during WW2 will be formally dedicated at ceremonies to be held this summer, according to former internee Bacon Sakatani of West Covina, Calif.

The monument consists of a boulder, set in cement, brought from mountains near Cody. A plaque attached to the boulder in August displays the names of 21 Nisei and a Caucasian teacher from Heart Mountain High School who were killed in action.

The plaque reads, in part: "Dedicated to the more than 600 internees who left Heart Mountain to serve in the U.S. armed forces during WW2, and to the memory of the 22 Heart Mountaineers who gave their lives for our country."

"May the injustices of the removal and incarceration of 120,000 persons of Japanese ancestry during WW2, two-thirds of whom were American citizens, never be repeated."

Near the new monument is another one, erected in 1977, that designates the area as Heart Mountain Relocation Camp Memorial Park and details the layout of the camp that was home for 10,700 JAs from 1942-45.

The Dept. of the Interior announced in August that the site is eligible to be placed in the National Register of Historic Places because it is "exceptionally significant for its historical association with the evacuation... The camp represents an important series of events in American social history, and it clearly illustrates both widespread war hysteria and racial prejudice..." The site thus became entitled to



Rep. Norman Mineta



Tritia Toyota



Rep. Robert Matsui

## Magazine's 'Japs' statement rebutted

WASHINGTON—The New Republic has printed one of the letters of protest it received after stating in its Nov. 18 issue that "Jap" is not a slur.

In response to a letter from JACL national director Ron Wakabayashi protesting the title of a Sept. 2 New Republic editorial, "How to Gyp the Japs," columnist TRB wrote, "Don't be so stuffy. 'Japs' is not an ethnic slur, like 'Niggers' or 'Kikes'... It is a national nickname, like 'Yanks' or 'Brits'..."

Lisa Parola Moore (née Tong) of Ann Arbor, Mich., rebutted TRB in a letter printed Dec. 23:

"Don't you be so arrogant! As an Asian American, I have never found the use of 'Jap' to be anything other than an ethnic slur. In case you do not have access to a dictionary, here is what a few say:

"Webster's Unabridged: An abbreviation 'often used disparagingly.'"

"American Heritage: 'Offensive slang for Japanese...'"

"Random House: 'Often disparaging, a Japanese.'"

"One could argue whether or not your title 'How to Gyp the Japs' reveals the intent of the article (I think not), but I am more concerned with the tone of your response to Mr. Wakabayashi's letter. It reveals an arrogance unbefitting of your offices. It is reminiscent of college newspaper editors overly taken with themselves and their intellect."

In the Jan. 20 edition, Rabbi Norman Cohen of Hopkins, Minn., pointed out that the word "gyp," derived from "gypsy" and used "in much the same way as the horrendous phrase 'to jew' someone," can also be offensive.

some federal protection as well as a plaque designating it as a historic site.

The new memorial was a joint project, directed by Chet and Mary Blackburn of Ralston, of the Heart Mountain High School Class of '47 and homesteaders of Heart Mountain.

The ceremony is tentatively

scheduled for June 21. A benefit to help defray expense of the monument and dedication and to honor former internee Estelle Ishigo will be held May 3 at the L.A. Mart in Los Angeles. For information on both events, contact Sakatani at 210 N. Shadydale Ave., West Covina, CA 91790; (818) 338-8310.

## Fujita gets negative ruling from county

LOS ANGELES—Pharmacist F. Carole Fujita's sex discrimination complaint against the county was dealt a blow Dec. 18 when the County Civil Service Commission unanimously agreed with a finding that women are not discriminated against in the County Health Services Dept.

During hearings held in October, Fujita, using county statistics, charged that women make up 38% of county pharmacists but have never been promoted above the level of Pharmacy Supervisor I.

She further alleged that when she sought the position of Pharmacy Supervisor III in 1983, she was denied the job on the basis of a subjective rating by an administrator unfit to evaluate her performance; and that the prerequisite of two years as a Supervisor I was lowered to one year for a man who applied for and got the job, Wes Kamikawa.

On the basis of hearing testimony and closing arguments presented by attorneys for both



Photo by Bacon Sakatani

Mary and Chester Blackburn with Heart Mountain memorial put up in August.

Continued on Back Page



## City adopts 'Official English' resolution

Efforts to make English the official language of two California cities have succeeded in one and failed in the other.

In Los Altos on Dec. 17, the city council passed by a 4-to-0 vote a resolution making English the city's official language in order to bring "official recognition to the principle that a common language is necessary to preserve the basic internal unity required for political stability and cohesion."

The measure was introduced by Dinesh Desai, a naturalized U.S. citizen from India and member of U.S. English, an organization founded by former senator and longtime bilingualism opponent S.I. Hayakawa.

Desai, who feels an official lan-

guage is as necessary as having everyone "drive on the right side of the road," said passage of the resolution will "help tremendously" in U.S. English's drive to put a similarly-worded initiative on the California ballot in November. The group's ultimate goal is to have English declared the nation's official language.

Mayor pro tem Roger Eng approved of the measure, which he called "a way to head off outside groups that might force us to print our agendas in other languages."

Allan Seid, president of Asian Pacific American Advocates of California (APAAC), speaking in opposition to the resolution, said, "No one questions that English is already the official language

of the United States... Asian Americans and Hispanics regularly fill waiting lists for English courses at community colleges and adult schools. There are simply not enough classes available.

"Resolutions or legislation making English official will not make it any more so. More resources to language training will. Asians and Hispanics don't need to be coerced, they need to be enabled."

Seid charged that some proponents of the measure would use it "to end bilingual education, interpreters in court for non-English speaking crime victims or defendants, bilingual 911 emergency operators and Asian, Spanish and other language radio and television broadcasting."

The measure will promote "ill will and divisiveness," he said, "the very opposite of its stated intent."

No. 2,371

allow 6 weeks advance notice to report  
your address change with label on front

## If you are moving,

New Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Effective date: \_\_\_\_\_

•Thank you for using this form. It saves PC 30 cents in fees.

**Pacific Citizen, 941 E. Third St., Room 200, Los Angeles, CA 90013**

EXPIRATION NOTICE—If the last four digits on the top row of your label reads 1285, the 60-day grace period ends with the last issue in February, 1986. Please renew your subscription or membership. If membership has been renewed and the paper stops, notify the PC office.

In Monterey Park, English initiative proponents suffered a setback when Los Angeles County Superior Court Judge Jack Ryburn ruled Dec. 24 that the city acted legally in refusing to place the measure on the April ballot.

Backers of the measure had filed suit after support petitions containing more than 3,000 signatures were rejected by City Atty. Richard Morillo on the grounds that they did not contain the full text of the proposal. Ryburn dismissed the suit, agreeing with the city that the petition did not comply with legal requirements.

Photographer Frank Arcuri, leader of the English drive, will himself be on the April ballot as a city council candidate. He is urging the ouster of Mayor Rudy Peralta and council members Lily Chen and David Almada, all of whom opposed the language ordinance, and says English will be his first priority if he is elected.

Because the measure was directed at the city's Asian immigrant residents, many of whom have business signs written in Chinese, Chen and others fear it could divide the community along racial lines.

### Asia's Escorted Tours, 1986

Dep LAX

Tour

- \* Jan 17 Tenrikyo Centennial Pilgrimage Tour, Group 1
- \* Jan 22 Tenrikyo Centennial Pilgrimage Tour, Group 2
- \* Feb 2 Tenrikyo Centennial Pilgrimage Tour, Group 3
- \* Feb 12 Tenrikyo Centennial Pilgrimage Tour, Group 4
- \* Mar 30 Spring Tour to Japan
- \* Apr 5 Spring Tour to Japan/Shikoku Extension
- \* May 11 Europe Tour
- \* Jun 22 Radio Li'l Tokyo Summer Vacation Tour
- \* Jul 5 Tohoku / Hokkaido Summer Festival Tour
- \* Aug 28 Asia's "Scandinavian & Leningrad Vistas"
- \* Sep 19 Mainland China - 8 Cities Tour
- \* Sep 28 Tohoku / Hokkaido Autumn Tour
- \* Oct 18 Doyo-Kai Japan Tour
- \* Nov 3 South America Tour (Spring)

#### DOMESTIC TOURS - 1986

- \* Feb 22 Las Vegas Fun Trip
- \* Apr 6 Niagara/East Coast & Washington D.C. Cherry Blossom Festival Tour
- \* Jun 10 Alaska Cruise & Land Tour
- \* Jul 3 Canadian Rockies Tour
- \* Aug 29 Lake Tahoe Fun Trip
- \* Sep 6 Niagara / Ontario & East Coast Autumn Tour

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT

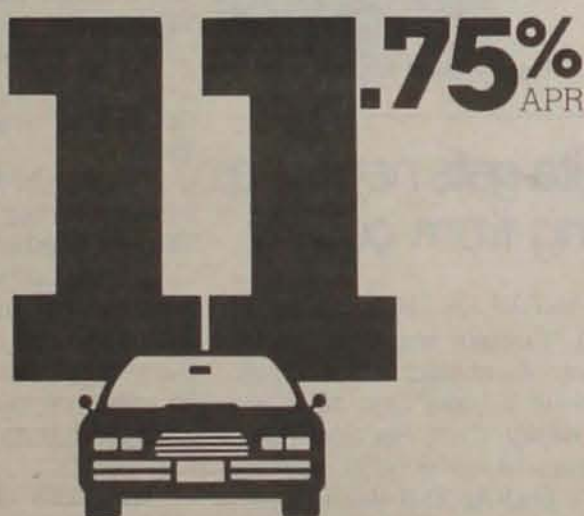
Established 1948 in Little Tokyo

### Asia Travel Bureau

102 S. San Pedro St., Los Angeles, CA 90012  
(213) 628-3232



### NEW CAR LOAN RATE



Used car loans 11.75% APR  
No prepayment penalty fee  
Free insurance on loans & savings  
IRA accounts available  
Now over \$6.5 million in assets

### NATIONAL JACL CREDIT UNION

Post Office Box 1721  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84110  
Telephone (801) 355-8040

## JOIN The Nat'l JACL Credit Union

JUST FILL OUT AND MAIL

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

PO Box 1721 Salt Lake City, Utah 84110 Tel (801) 355-8040

## Crystal City historical marker dedicated

CRYSTAL CITY, Texas—An unveiling ceremony for a historical marker was held Nov. 16 at the site of an internment camp where Nikkei were held during WW2.

Designed by Austin architect and former Rice Univ. School of Architecture director Alan Taniguchi, whose parents and brother were interned there, the marker reads:

"Due to circumstances beyond their control and consequences of

a war between the United States and Japan, peoples of Japanese ancestry, both nationals and U.S. citizens alike, were arbitrarily and without justification incarcerated in a concentration camp at this location during WW2.

"This marker is situated on an original foundation of a two-family cottage as a reminder that the injustices and humiliations suffered here as a result of hysteria, racism and discrimination never happen again.

"Dedicated by the sons, daughters, and friends of the families who were detained in this camp, with the cooperation of the City of Crystal City and the Crystal City Independent School District."

Taniguchi gave the opening remarks; his 89-year-old father Isamu, creator of Zilker Park Gardens in Austin, gave closing remarks. The elder Taniguchi, who was picked up by the FBI at his farm near Brentwood, Calif., in January 1942, was the first member of the family to be interned.

Other speakers included Mayor Elizeo Sanchez on behalf of the city; Supt. Rudy Espinosa, speaking for the school district; Zavalla County Judge Ron Carr; San Antonio Express News columnist Maury Maverick; and Tom Ike-miya of Crystal City Assn.

Crystal City was one of several internment camps operated by the Dept. of Justice. Others sites included Santa Fe, N.M., Bismarck, N.D., and Missoula, Mont. Aliens held at these camps were considered prisoners of war.

Crystal City was unique in that families could be reunited there and reside in separate housing units; inmates at other Justice Dept. camps were all males.

In addition to Japanese Americans, a number of Latin American Nikkei, most notably from Peru, ended up at Crystal City after they were rounded up and shipped to the U.S.

The camp site may eventually be developed into a park commemorating significant events in the history of Crystal City.

## Scholarships open to accounting majors

LOS ANGELES—The American Society of Women Accountants will award four scholarships (\$2,500, \$2,000, \$1,500 and \$1,000) to students who are majoring in accounting, have completed 60 semester or 90 quarter hours with a declared accounting major, and are attending an accredited college or university.

For an application, contact Karen Kotake, co-chair of student activities, at 559 Springbrook N., Irvine, CA 92714 or call (714) 733-8534 evenings. Deadline is Jan. 15.



### STORE FOR MR. SHORT

**Joseph's**

SINCE 1946

MEN'S WEAR

238 E. First Street., Los Angeles, CA 90012

Tel.: (213) 626-1830

Specialist in Short and Extra Short Sizes

STARS  
GREETINGS

Best wishes for a healthy and  
prosperous New Year in 1986



**Sumitomo Bank**

Sumitomo Bank of California

Member FDIC



## OCA angry over Chinese loyalty issue

NEW YORK — A Dec. 11 New York Times article with the headline "Chinese in U.S.: Question of Loyalties" has drawn a protest from Organization of Chinese Americans (OCA) president Andrew Chen, who said the title "appears to raise a cloud of doubt" about Chinese Americans.

The article, by Times staffer Fox Butterfield, was written in the wake of the arrest in Novem-

ber of former CIA analyst Larry Wu-Tai Chin on charges of spying for China. "The issue of whether Chinese Americans face a problem of divided loyalties is a deeply sensitive one," Butterfield notes.

Mass. Institute of Technology political scientist Lucian Pye is quoted as saying that Chinese Americans "are often under tremendous pressure by the govern-

ment in China, and Taiwan too. They can play on Chinese Americans' pride in China and make threats about their family members still in China. It's a dimension other Americans don't appreciate."

But Woo Chia-wei, head of National Assn. of Chinese Americans and president of San Francisco State University, says in the article that it is "totally unfair" to suggest that Chinese Americans are disloyal to the U.S. "It's like the attitude toward Japanese Americans in WW2. I've been to China many times, and I've never sensed any kind of pressure other than that they wanted me to be an American friendly to them."

The article points out that according to current and former State Dept. officials, "Chin is the first Chinese American they can recall who has been arrested as an agent for China."

Chen, in a Dec. 18 letter to the Times, said the headline was particularly inappropriate because the article's content "was just the opposite of its sensational title."

"What distressed me most is that when Chinese Americans have just emerged as important contributors to the social, economical and political structure of our society... the distortion and mistrust seem to be increasing in recent years. The headline... is a good example."

Chen voiced fears that doubts about loyalty may discourage the hiring of Chinese Americans in positions providing scientific or technical assistance to Taiwan or China.

communications industry.

Hayase died on May 14, 1985 in Palo Alto following a prolonged illness.

He is survived by wife Nancy Kikuchi Hayase of Palo Alto, parents M/M Charles Hayase of Gardena, and brother Paul and sister Helen, both of Los Angeles.

Contributions are tax-deductible and should be made out to "Yale University—Henry K. Hayase Prizes" and sent to: Mr. Valmore Langevin, Asst. Comptroller, Yale University, 370 Temple St., 1304-A Yale Station, New Haven, CT 06520. Info: Nakanishi, (213) 222-2543, or Belkin, (203) 773-1522.

## Demos retake Honolulu council seats

HONOLULU — In a Dec. 28 special election, Democrats regained the three city council seats left vacant when councilmen Toraki Matsumoto, Rudy Pacarro and George Akahane were recalled from office Oct. 5.

The victors and their Republican rivals were: Randall Iwase over Peter Britos, 4,120 to 791, in the 1st District; Donna Kim over Jean Pacarro, 5,450 to 2,447, in the 7th District; and Arnold Morgado over Ron Kimura, 6,640 to 2,526, in the 8th District.

Iwase, a deputy state attorney general running for office for the first time, outdistanced 8 fellow Democrats vying for the seat. Kim and Morgado, both former state representatives, also ran against a slate of Democrats as well as Republicans.

Democrats now have a 7-to-2 voting majority on the council. The ratio was 4 to 2 following the recall, but 5 votes are needed to pass legislation.

Matsumoto, Pacarro and Akahane, elected as Democrats, became Republicans June 6, giving

the GOP a majority of 5 on the 9-member council. Democrats, including councilwoman Patsy Mink, who had been ousted as council chair, campaigned for a recall of the three, charging that they had violated the public trust by switching parties in mid-term.

Appealing a Hawaii Supreme Court ruling that the City Charter forbids recalled council members from running for the seats they lost, Matsumoto and Pacarro sought to be placed on the Dec. 28 ballot. Their request for emergency relief was turned down first by U.S. Supreme Court Justice William Rehnquist and then by Justice John Paul Stevens.

Matsumoto and Pacarro are now seeking a full Supreme Court ruling on their case. In an effort to run in this year's regularly scheduled council election, they are also engaged in a legal challenge of the City Charter's provision that recalled council members are barred from holding elected or appointive office for two years.

## Henry Hayase school fund established

NEW HAVEN, Conn.—Yale University has announced a campaign to establish the Henry Kazumi Hayase Prizes in American Studies, which will be given annually to the best undergraduate paper and senior thesis on the historical and contemporary experiences of Asian Americans.

The prizes will be administered by Yale's American Studies Dept. and will be the nation's first undergraduate prizes in Asian American studies.

According to campaign co-chairs Don Nakanishi and Jack Belkin, the prizes were founded "to recognize the enormous personal impact which Henry Hayase had as a pioneer in the development of Asian American studies and Asian American student affairs during his undergraduate years, 1969-73."

"The prizes will serve to inspire future generations of Yale students to engage in serious study about the Asian American experience during their undergraduate careers."

Hayase was born in 1951 in Tokyo. In 1969 he graduated from Gardena (Calif.) High School, where he was valedictorian, varsity gymnastics team captain, an Ephibian, and a leader in community and church activities. He matriculated at Yale with Belkin, a good friend of his.

At Yale, Hayase graduated magna cum laude with honors in sociology and was the first student to write a senior thesis on the Japanese American experience. He contributed to the development of Yale's first Asian American studies courses and

worked with other Asian American Students Assn. members to establish Amerasia Journal, now the leading scholarly publication in Asian American studies.

Hayase's research on the number of Asian Americans who had preceded him at Yale—about 100—is credited with changing admissions policies for Asian Americans at Yale, and eventually at all Ivy League institutions. Over 500 Asian Americans are now part of Yale's undergraduate student body of 5,000.

He also helped establish a special counseling program for entering minority freshmen and was one of the first counselors therein.

After Yale, Hayase pursued his long-standing goal of strengthening ties between the U.S. and Japan. He co-authored two books on Japanese scholarship while a student at Inter-University Center for Japanese Language Studies in Tokyo and at Univ. of Tokyo's Sociology Dept. After two years in Japan, he enrolled at UC Berkeley, where he received his master's degree in sociology and became a doctoral candidate in the Graduate School of Business Administration.

During the final three years of his life, he became administrative director of the U.S.-Japan Relations Program and a forum fellow for the Northeast Asia-U.S. Forum on International Policy, both at Stanford University. He played a role in shaping Stanford's pioneering project on U.S.-Japan high technology industries and was recognized as an outstanding scholar on the Japanese tele-

## New Velina Houston play to premiere

SAN FRANCISCO—Asian American Theater Company presents "Thirst," a new play by Velina Hasu Houston, Thur.-Sun., Jan. 17-March 2 at People's Theatre, Ft. Mason Center, Bldg. B.

Set in the farmlands of Central California, "Thirst" is a drama that examines the relationship between three daughters of a Japanese war bride who gather for a family reunion after the death of their mother.

The play is directed by Mitzie Abe and features Nadja Kennedy, Sharon Iwai, Emily Cachapero, John Shin, Kathryn Roszak and Michael O'Brien.

Houston's previous plays include "Asa Ga Kimashita" and "Tea," both of which deal with

experiences of Japanese women who marry U.S. servicemen.

Performances are at 8 p.m. Thur.-Sat. and 3 and 7 p.m. Sun. Tickets: \$8.50 Thur. and Sun., \$9.50 Fri. and Sat. Info: (415) 776-8999.

### FOR ALL OCCASION RECIPES TO SHARE

287 pages - 616 favorites and Asian recipes by popular demand 4th Printing

Calvary Presbyterian Church  
Stockton, California

Donation: \$6.50 + \$1.50 postage-handling

Send to: Calvary Presbyterian Church  
Cookbook Committee  
1239 S. Monroe, Stockton, CA 95206

Bred and Trained  
To Do Their Best  
WILLINGLY

### PASADOR FARM



### THIRD ANNUAL SILENT AUCTION JANUARY 15-FEBRUARY 15

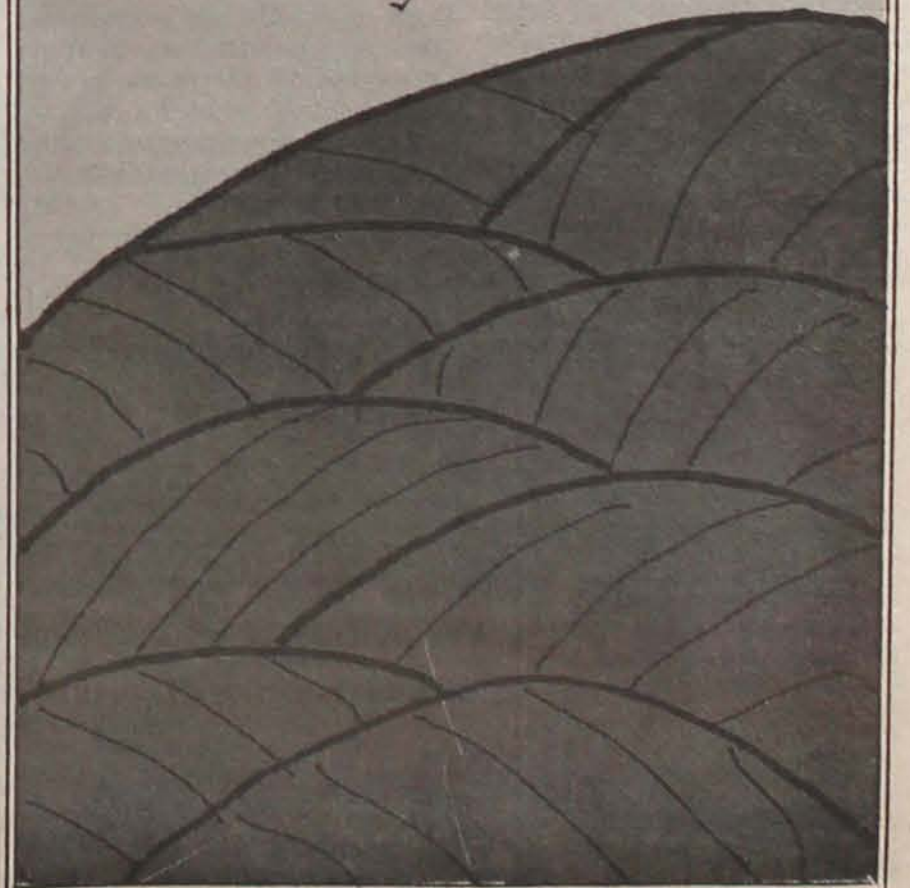
Robert S. and Mary Kay Huebner  
Route 20  
McCune, KS 66753  
(316) 457-8870 (316) 457-8888

### PASO FINO HORSES

Visitors Welcome  
Write for Sales List

*The only legacy  
one should leave  
their children  
is*

**Roots, Dignity, and Wings.**



Courtesy H. DICK YAMASHITA, Tokyo; JACL Ways and Means Chair



## Winning in Losing

EAST  
WIND

Bill  
Marutani



WE NISEI, PARTICULARLY, having been brought up with so much emphasis on "winning"—whether it be getting grades in school, competing in an athletic competition, or succeeding in business—that we tend to shy away from any venture that is not a "sure winner." The flip side of this ethical value (if it may be loosely called that) is that to attempt something, and then not win, is failure. Dismal failure. The concept of *haji* very much lurks heavily in this equation.

I know. Like many of you, I've been nurtured since childhood on all of this. And it's a handicap.

TAKE, FOR EXAMPLE, the current drive for redress. Of

course, the chances of our realizing the goal are not anywhere near being a "sure winner." But then, as our Issei folks also taught us, what in life that is worthwhile is easy? Invariably, the more worthwhile, the more important the goal is, the tougher it is. And so, if any one of us backs off because there is no guarantee we'll attain our objective of restoration of our dignity and the dignity of our nation, then we will have lost—by default. Much to the glee of those who proclaim that what befell us and our parents in 1942 was justified.

Now, that is *haji*.

WE ARE LAUNCHED on a crusade to symbolically—and that's all it realistically is, considering the enormity of what befell us, both qualitatively and quantitatively—right a grievous wrong. A correction long, long overdue; but not too late. Restoration of dignity can never be "too late." And thus the question for some AJA's who remain on the sidelines, who shy away from joining the cause, is simple: Would you prefer that the cause fail and the record remain as it



is? Will you be better off, will you have greater peace of mind, will the nation's honor be preserved—if the present cause should fail?

If your answers are "yes" to each of these queries, then, most respectfully, I suggest a re-examination of your reasoning.

ROCKING THE BOAT. Yes, that's another thing which we AJA's, or a goodly number of us, are reluctant to do. With the comment *shikata ga nai* we endure, even as grave wrongs go unre-

solved. Affecting our very dignity in so many ways, including a matter of our own self-respect. Yes, it's painful to articulate these hidden restraints. But it's all too true. If we, as an ethnic group, are to be left to drift, then perhaps we'd better begin paddling our own boat. Even if it inevitably involves rocking the boat a bit. Paddle.

BUT THERE'S YET other positive concepts handed down to us from our parents. That's

summarized in the praise of "Yoku yatte kureta." "You gave it a good try." And hearing those re-assuring words, even in losing, we can walk with our heads held up high. In "losing," we won. Very much so. No *haji*. On the other hand, if one continues to quibble and find "fault" and therefrom excuses himself/herself from supporting the cause, we shall have lost by default.

WE CAN WIN, win or "lose." The choice is ours. Yours.

## Dress for Success

ONE THING  
LEADS  
TO ANOTHER

Bob  
Shimabukuro



A while back, I wrote about the phone calls and letters received here from disgruntled readers (Oct. 25 PC). A long-time JACler had some words of advice: "Try placing an imaginary gold shield around your self, with purple crystals and a dazzling white flame daily, and try blessing those —, even if it is hard."

When long-timers offer advice on how to maintain your sanity in this organization, I listen. But I wondered what effect this tactic could possibly have. I mean, a gold shield with purple crystals and a dazzling white flame (?). I could just see myself covering the next National Board meeting in such an outfit.

Executive director Wakabayashi would probably comment, "Bob, you look like a drag queen." EDC Gov. Mike Suzuki, who always has the good one-liners, would likely comment on the flame. "The heater in the office not working now, Bob?"

President Frank Sato, as we all know, has often commented on the importance of appearance in leadership. Pressed suit, shiny shoes, neatly groomed hair, etc. What would he think? Maybe as long as my shoes were shined it would be all right—if I wore shoes. Polished zoris, perhaps?

I realize that this advisor did say "imaginary," but I've tried imaginary shields before.

Being an experienced and accomplished daydreamer ever since I could remember, I've imagined myself in all sorts of situations, especially when what was going on around me was painful and/or boring. (Of course, as we all know, this is not the case at Nat'l Board meetings.) And with all my experience, I don't believe that imaginary shields would

work. But thanks for the suggestion anyway.

Others have commented, "Bob, you always want to be treated with respect. But you dress like a slob. How can you expect any respect?"

What can I say? My fashion consultant, Mira, is in Portland.

About this time last year I was in the process of selling my machinery and debating what to do with the few extra dollars that I had, trying to decide what I would need in L.A.

"Take all the cash you got and plunk it down on a complete custom tailored wardrobe," advised an L.A. expatriate friend. Another advised, "Get a sharp-looking automobile." But a friend Norio commented, "Bob, don't waste your money on clothes. All you need are 3 pairs of 501 Levis: a grubby pair for everyday wear, a seasoned pair for work and play, and a new pair for fancy affairs." (As you can tell, this guy would get along well with Sato.)

It all sounded reasonable to me. Until he added, "You can even wear a coat and tie with 501s. Really fashionable." A dubious proposition at best.

But the pay here being what it is, the Levis sounded like the best idea; went and bought a used car instead, got rid of my beat-up van and pickup (talk about stereotypically Oregon vehicles!). Decided to use my old suit instead.

Big problem, of course, is that I'm wearing out my suit. There seems to be a lot of fund raising dinners here. Honor some people, pay some hotel \$25 a head, and charge \$50-\$150/person for the dinner, make a few bucks. The meals are almost always terrible. The speeches are always boring. Day-dreaming time.

Some columnists around here write reviews of these fund-raisers. Which hotels have good food, which ones are bad, the table settings, the flower arrangements,

### Asians and GOP

I am delighted, along with many others, to see Asian Americans are more likely to accept a conservative view rather than liberal endeavors of the past and present ("Asians prefer GOP, survey suggests," Nov. 29 PC).

I personally cannot understand why the Nisei have been heavily leaning toward liberalism when we don't believe in hand-outs at the expense of the people, the overburdened taxpayers. Issei and Nisei are all hard workers and have been. Even through the tragic temporary adversity with time spent in camp, we came out as winners, economically and in terms of respect. This was a result of the traditional hard work and believing in personal achievements regardless of being rich, middle class or poor.

I can remember when Ronald Reagan was running for governor of California in the late '60s. He couldn't understand why a large percentage of the Nisei were liberals. Remember, we were all thrown into the detention camps by the liberal democratic party of the '40s. Franklin D. Roosevelt was instrumental in putting us in camp. He also started a socialistic platform placing

etc. But no one comments on the clothes. People really get dressed up around here. And those \$150 plate dinners—definitely shoe polishing time.

Coming up Jan. 17 is the big LEC dinner with Sens. Inouye and Matsunaga along with Reps. Mineta and Matsui. Hope to see you there. I'll be wearing my suit.

Afterwards I'll start my Bob Shimabukuro New Suit Fund. Give it tax-deductible status—501 (L)evi.

## Letters

this country into financial chaos, with huge deficits we all must pay, including our grandchildren and their children.

The ever-increasing Asian population, particularly Chinese, Korean and Vietnamese immigrants, have seen enough of communism back home, so they seem to have a strong tendency to lean toward conservatives, who are anti-communist. So with the Asian population of California predicted as the number two minority by the year 2000, it wouldn't be surprising that a conservative Asian may be sitting in the governor's seat.

The foregoing does not necessarily reflect the opinions of other members of my JACL chapter.

WILLIAM KASHIWAGI  
Sacramento

### Let's Go For Broke

Back in the '40s, the Nisei volunteered for the military to prove our loyalty to the United States. Although small in number, the 442nd RCT became the most decorated unit in the annals of military history, and hundreds of others went to the Pacific Theatre of Operations and saved untold lives with their skill in translating captured enemy documents. Now we are being asked to get behind the challenge of the redress program.

The bills in Congress for redress are asking for the sum of \$20,000 to each evacuee still living who was incarcerated in concentration camps, euphemistically called evacuation camps, by the unconstitutional Executive Order 9066. To pay for the external public relations program to bring this matter to the attention of our Caucasian friends, particularly in states like Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, etc., past

Continued on Next Page

ISSN: 0030-8579



**pacific citizen**

Natl JACL Headquarters, 1765 Sutter St., San Francisco, CA 94115.  
(415) 921-5225

Published by the Japanese American Citizens League every Friday except the first and last weeks of the year at 941 E. 3rd St., Los Angeles, CA 90013; (213) 626-6936. • 2nd Class postage paid at Los Angeles, Ca. • Annual Subscriptions—JACL members: \$10 of national dues provides one-year on a per-household basis. Nonmembers: \$20/yr., \$38 two years, payable in advance. • Foreign addresses: Add U.S.\$12.00; 1st class air—U.S./Canada addresses: \$25 extra; Japan/Europe: U.S.\$60 extra.

• News or opinions expressed by columnists other than the National President or National Director do not necessarily reflect JACL policy.

#### OFFICERS

Frank Sato, Nat'l JACL President

Dr. Clifford Uyeda, PC Board Chair

#### EDITORIAL/BUSINESS STAFF

Acting Editor: Robert Shimabukuro

Asst. Editor: J.K. Yamamoto

Advertising Mgr: Jane M. Ozawa

Rick Morill

Circulation: Tomi Hoshizaki

Business/Mailing: Mark Saito

Production: Mary Imon

Harry K. Honda

General Mgr/Operations:

POSTMASTER: Send address changes to Pacific Citizen,  
941 E. 3rd St., #200, Los Angeles, CA 90013.



## Death of the Digest

FROM THE  
FRYING PAN:

Bill  
Hosokawa



For those of us in the writing business, the death of any publication is sad. Publications like magazines and newspapers are almost human in that they have birth, maturity and death, they talk to us, they serve a function, they come visiting regularly with news of the world about us.

But for even more reasons, the death of the Japanese edition of Reader's Digest is to be mourned. JRD, born June 1946, when the Japanese were still a confused, dazed, hungry people trying to recover from war. Laid to rest January, 1986.

As you may know, the familiar American Reader's Digest Association publishes a number of editions in various languages around the world—Spanish, German, French, Arabic, Dutch, Chinese, etc., etc., etc. They are all patterned, more or less, after the original American magazine, developing some stories locally, but also translating and reprinting the best of the U.S. edition.

I do not know how the Japanese edition compared with the others since I couldn't read it. But given the high literacy rate of the Japanese people, their enormous curiosity about the world, and the dedication of the staff headed by its astute, bilingual editor-in-chief Ko Shioya, it must have been one of the best.

The tragic part of JRD's death is that it was struck down in the full vigor of life. There was nothing seriously wrong with the magazine itself, but its parent, Reader's Digest of Japan, Ltd., which was involved in a number of endeavors, was in trouble because of intractable labor problems. Shioya explains:

"Various studies have been made to find a way to save the magazine, which is still viable. However, the conclusion was

that it would be extremely difficult to separate the magazine from other operations—primarily because the company's labor union would not cooperate.

"I believe strongly that the death of the magazine is a great loss for Japan, where faithful subscribers have regarded it as a genuinely international family magazine, steadfastly turning to us for information, healthy entertainment and enlightenment over these 40 long years."

The Japanese learned a great deal about America and Americans through JRD. They read some of what Americans were reading. They gained an insight into middle American values. They found out what was important to us. One of its best-read features was a monthly "Letter

from America," a frank look into current affairs.

JRD also published stories about Japanese Americans, their activities and their triumphs in American society, the inspiring stories of Japanese American successes despite numerous handicaps. There were also essays about U.S.-Japanese relations from the American point of view.

While relations between the two countries have had their ups and downs, we understand the Japanese people continue to hold the U.S. and Americans in high regard. I would guess the Japan Reader's Digest has more than a little to do with that.

It was a shame to let a good little magazine die when it was doing, and could continue to do, so much for understanding across the Pacific.

## PC Board's Views of PC

by Clifford Uyeda  
PC Board Chair

In December 1985 a survey was conducted among the PC Board members to see how they felt about the PC's performance. The present PC guidelines for operation were the product of many years of extensive discussions by the board.

### LETTERS

Continued from Previous Page

National JACL president Shig Wakamatsu has come up with a figure of 1% of \$20,000, or \$200 each.

Conservative congressman Henry Hyde (R-Ill.) and many others are starting to come to our aid. Congressman Hyde's staff, with whom I have met, would like to become more familiar with redress. We need the where-withal to clear the record.

I, for one, will do my share—HOW ABOUT IT?

FRANK F. SAKAMOTO  
Redress Coordinator  
Chicago

### Back of the Bus?

I noticed a curious segregation of the nonfiction pieces in the Holiday Issue. Articles dealing with Caucasian-Japanese American families were up front in Section A while those concerning Black-Japanese American families and an interracial gay partnership were way back in Section B.

Is there a hidden meaning in the layout? If Christine Iijima Hall, Velina Hasu Houston, and Sam Shimabukuro had been the editors, I wonder if they would have selected the same sequence for articles.

RAYMOND OKAMURA  
Berkeley, Calif.

Pullout Section B was just that, a pull-out. Velina Houston was given the preferred pages, B-1, B-2, B-3. The first page of text in Section A (A-4) carried an article written by another Black-Japanese American, Yuki Moore Laurenti. A brief summary of each article was included in the Table of Contents so that no article would be "buried." Contacted by phone, Sam Shimabukuro commented, "His [Okamura's] arguments seem a little skewed. I don't really understand the basis for the complaint." — Ed.

PC Board members' term of office is three years, and they may be reappointed. They are appointed by the National President on the recommendation of the district governors. Therefore, most members have years of experience on the board.

It was felt that the most frank opinions can be elicited with a promise that "replies will not be identified with any particular individual."

Not revealing the name(s) of the person(s) requesting the survey gave to one individual a "hint of surreptitious maneuverings which seem to taint much of the inner workings of JACL." It seemed, it was stated, "to call attention to the lack of frankness within the JACL hierarchy."

The idea of a survey is not a controversial one; therefore, I thought it mattered little who suggested it. Obviously, I was wrong. I do, however, appreciate the criticism because it is just such criticism which sharpens our awareness for sensitivity.

The idea of a survey was brought to my attention by Hank Sakai, immediate past PC board chair, who is being asked to over-

see the business and financial matters of the PC. Just prior to his PC post, Hank was JACL National Treasurer. Hank visits the PC office at least once a week.

There was a majority response, and I thank the board members for their cooperation. Below are the results:

(1) Are the major functions of the PC, as defined in the guidelines, being adequately met? The strong points? The weak points?

"Good in fulfilling its major function as a medium for Asian American news." Then the same individual added, "Neither the [Fumiko] Kimura story nor the Alhambra city council English-only hearing (which was a Rafu Shimpō reprint) should have taken precedence over the redress bill co-sponsorship gain."

"Disappointed that PC is covering news by picking up stories from other papers. This doesn't enhance PC status."

"On the whole OK."

Several stated the necessity for producing an enterprise story each week, "something that doesn't appear in other vernaculars," to make PC a distinctive publication.

"PC performance is inadequate" because "the actual number of stories published is astonishingly low."

"There is very little news in our newspaper."

(2) Subjects covered on the front page—satisfied? What improvements, if any, would you suggest?

"The front page stories have been satisfactory."

"The positive changes are the 'Chapter Pulse' and 'Community News.' These two areas should be expanded."

PC should carry "at least one major JACL news article" on the front page.

We "mustn't lose sight of the fact that PC is a weekly, not a daily newspaper, and should be edited as a weekly."

"The short news statements which refer the reader to articles inside the newspaper is a good one. It allows me to get an overview of what is in that particular edition and which article I would like to start reading."

"The co-sponsorship of 3 additional representatives onto HR 442 deserved headline space."

"The predominance given to

such stories as the Fumiko Kimura case seems questionable, particularly when the House co-sponsors news was buried at the bottom of the page."

"Concerned with the lack of coverage of chapter news."

"The choice and length of some stories are questionable."

(3) Is JACL adequately covered in the PC?

"Complaints from the general membership is about not knowing what is going on in JACL. Either Headquarters is not feeding newsworthy items to PC, or there is a failure of PC to use such material if made available."

"Perhaps, PC must aggressively seek out information from clues provided in the chapter newsletters."

Several wondered whether the lack of JACL news was due primarily to the paucity of news being forwarded to the PC from the chapters.

"JACL is adequately covered in terms of volume of material, but not in terms of prominence given JACL-related stories."

"When more than half of items in Headquarters Bulletin are not covered in PC, something is wrong."

"For those who do not receive the Headquarters Bulletin, it would appear that nothing is going on."

The criticism was also directed toward JACL leadership and JACL staff for the lack of news of activities, opinions, reflections, etc.

"It is of utmost importance that by reading the PC, any JACL member will have some idea of what exactly his/her dues are being used for."

(4) Please comment on columns: by regularly scheduled columnists. By elected officers. By staff personnel.

"Two full pages of an eight-page paper for columns and comments isn't too much."

"I wonder whether the editor's column exhibits the maturity we should expect from the editor of JACL's official organ."

"In previous years, there was a greater diversity of columnists."

"Perhaps an alternation of [Bill] Hosokawa and [Bill] Marutani each week would give them [readers] a welcome break, and

provide opportunities for new columnists to be brought in."

"Consider cutting back on the regular contributors to every other week."

"There are too many columns, and to the exclusion of the JACL news."

"Simply not enough officers' columns. There is a responsibility they have to the membership to let them know what they are doing in the organization."

One of the former columnists, Sachi Seko, was sorely missed by a board member.

(5) Any other comments?

"Major stories are allowed to run too long."

More prominent headlines were requested by several.

"I don't recall having seen any editorials."

"Type we now use, while legible, takes up a lot of space... We should continue our search for a typeface that is legible but still will let us print more words per line and more lines per column."

□ □ □

Hank Sakai and I are in close touch with each other over all aspects of the PC. Between us, we have been PC Board Chair for three consecutive bienniums (1980-86). We have been immersed in PC problems and their possible solutions. We identify with the board's goal of making PC an outstanding Japanese American weekly which functions as a broad Japanese American newspaper as well as a publication devoted to reporting JACL affairs.

PC board members are those with special interest in PC, and their many years of experience on the board have given them special insights into PC problems. As PC district representatives, they give us the necessary perspectives from all sections of the country.

Our inadequate budget still does not make it possible for more frequent meetings. We are doing the next best thing, communicating via memos and by phone. The board must be able to meet more often if it is to play the role intended under our by-laws.

The survey first discussed was a general membership survey. Such a survey, if it is to be meaningful, must be done with exten-

Continued on Page 7





## Status Report

by Grayce Uyehara

The first session of the 99th Congress ended on Dec. 20. It is time to look at the status of H.R. 442 and S. 1053, the two bills which will implement the recommendations of the Commission on Wartime Relocation and Internment of Civilians to redress the Japanese Americans who lost their freedom and constitutional guarantees during WW2.

A year after being introduced by House Majority Leader Jim Wright and 99 co-sponsors on Jan. 3, 1985, H.R. 442 presently has 120 co-sponsors. The bill rests with the Judiciary subcommittee on Administrative Law and Governmental Relations. Of the ten members of this subcommittee, we have four co-sponsors. The chairman of this subcommittee, Rep. Dan Glickman (D-Kan.), has expressed support for this bill, so one more vote is needed to move the bill out of this subcommittee.

S. 1053 was introduced May 2, 1985 by Sen. Spark Matsunaga with 25 co-sponsors. Today there

are 27. This bill is assigned to the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee and is presently in the subcommittee, Civil Service, Post Office and General Services. It is chaired by Sen. Ted Stevens (R-Alaska) who is a strong supporter of S. 1053.

There is a strong possibility that the Senate bill will be able to move to the full committee through the efforts of those who are supportive of the bill. When the bill does get to the full Governmental Affairs committee, it will meet some strong opposition from the leadership of that committee.

The accompanying lists are published as part of the end of the 99th Congress, first session report. The first list is the status profile for S. 1053 and H.R. 442. The second lists the committee members for the House Judiciary Committee and the subcommittee on Governmental Affairs and the subcommittee. These are the people who hold the votes necessary to move the bill forward.

## Redress Co-Sponsors

Following is a list of co-sponsors of redress bills HR 442 in the House of Representatives and S 1053 in the Senate. Those listed without dates were co-sponsors when bills were introduced Jan. 3 by Rep. Jim Wright and May 2 by Sen. Spark Matsunaga, respectively. A date after a name shows when subsequent co-sponsor signed on.

### Senate

**Alabama:** Jeremiah Denton (R)  
**Alaska:** Frank Murkowski (R)  
 Ted Stevens (R)  
**California:** Alan Cranston (D)  
**Colorado:** Gary Hart (D)  
**Connecticut:** Lowell Weicker (R)  
 (June 1985)  
**Hawaii:** Spark Matsunaga (D)  
 Daniel Inouye (D)  
**Illinois:** Paul Simon (D)  
**Iowa:** Tom Harkin (D)  
**Maryland:** Paul Sarbanes (D)  
**Massachusetts:** Edward Kennedy (D)  
 John Kerry (D)  
**Michigan:** Donald Riegle (D)  
 Carl Levin (D)  
**Minnesota:** Rudy Boschwitz (R)  
 (October 1985)  
**Montana:** John Melcher (D)  
**Nebraska:** James Exon (D)  
**New Jersey:** Bill Bradley (D)  
 Frank Lautenberg (D)  
**New York:** Daniel Moynihan (D)  
 Alfonse D'Amato (R)  
**North Dakota:** Quentin Burdick (D)  
**Ohio:** Howard Metzenbaum (D)  
**Oregon:** Mark Hatfield (R)  
**Washington:** Slade Gorton (R)  
 Daniel Evans (R)  
**Wisconsin:** William Proxmire (D)

Total: 28 (19 D, 9 R)

### House

**Alaska:** Don Young (R)  
**American Samoa:** Fofu Sunia (D)  
**Arkansas:** Tommy Robinson (D-2nd)  
 (July 31, 1985)  
**Arizona:** Morris Udall (D-2nd)

**California:** Douglas Bosco (D-1st)  
 Robert Matsui (D-3rd)  
 Vic Fazio (D-4th)  
 Sala Burton (D-5th)  
 Barbara Boxer (D-6th)  
 George Miller (D-7th)  
 Ronald Dellums (D-8th)  
 Pete Stark (D-9th)  
 Don Edwards (D-10th)  
 Tom Lantos (D-11th)  
 Norman Mineta (D-13th)  
 Tony Coelho (D-15th)  
 Leon Panetta (D-16th)  
 Charles Pashayan (R-17th)  
 (Oct. 29, 1985)  
 Richard Lehman (D-18th)  
 Anthony Beilenson (D-23rd)  
 (Apr. 2, 1985)  
 Henry Waxman (D-24th)  
 Edward Roybal (D-25th)  
 Howard Berman (D-26th)  
 Mel Levine (D-27th)  
 Julian Dixon (D-28th)  
 Augustus Hawkins (D-29th)  
 Matthew Martinez (D-30th)  
 Mervyn Dymally (D-31st)  
 Esteban Torres (D-34th)  
 George Brown (D-36th)  
 (Apr. 2, 1985)  
 Jim Bates (D-44th)

**Colorado:** Timothy Wirth (D-2nd)  
**Connecticut:** Samuel Gejdenson (D-2nd)  
 Bruce Morrison (D-3rd)  
**Dist. of Columbia:** Walter Fauntroy (D)  
**Florida:** Lawrence Smith (D-16th)  
 William Lehman (D-17th)  
**Guam:** Ben Blaz (R)  
 (Apr. 30, 1985)  
**Hawaii:** Cecil Heftel (D-1st)  
 (Feb. 27, 1985)  
 Daniel Akaka (D-2nd)

**Illinois:** Charles Hayes (D-1st)  
 Gus Savage (D-2nd)  
 Henry Hyde (R-6th)  
 (Sept. 20, 1985)  
 Cardiss Collins (D-7th)  
 Sidney Yates (D-9th)  
 Edward Madigan (R-15th)  
 Lane Evans (D-17th)  
 (Oct. 29, 1985)  
**Indiana:** Andrew Jacobs (D-10th)  
 (Nov. 13, 1985)

**Maryland:** Barbara Mikulski (D-3rd)  
 Steny Hoyer (D-5th)  
 (Sept. 20, 1985)  
 Parren Mitchell (D-7th)  
 Michael Barnes (D-8th)  
**Massachusetts:** Barney Frank (D-4th)  
 Nicholas Mavroules (D-6th)  
 Edward Markey (D-7th)  
 Joe Moakley (D-9th)  
 Gerry Studds (D-10th)  
**Michigan:** John Conyers (D-1st)  
 Howard Wolpe (D-3rd)  
 Mark Siljander (R-4th)  
 M. Robert Carr (D-6th)  
 Dale Kildee (D-7th)  
 David Bonior (D-12th)  
 George Crockett (D-13th)  
**Minnesota:** Bruce Vento (D-4th)  
 Gerry Sikorski (D-6th)  
 (Feb. 27, 1985)  
**Missouri:** William Clay (D-1st)  
 (Feb. 27, 1985)  
 Richard Gephardt (D-3rd)  
 Alan Wheat (D-5th)  
**Nevada:** Harry Reid (D-1st)  
**New Jersey:** William Hughes (D-2nd)  
 James Howard (D-3rd)  
 Robert Roe (D-8th)  
 Robert Torricelli (D-9th)  
 Peter Rodino (D-10th)  
**New York:** Thomas Downey (D-2nd)  
 Joseph Addabbo (D-6th)  
 (Apr. 2, 1985)  
 Raymond McGrath (R-5th)  
 (Sept. 20, 1985)  
 Gary Ackerman (D-7th)  
 James Scheuer (D-8th)  
 Thomas Manton (D-9th)  
 (Apr. 30, 1985)  
 Charles Schumer (D-10th)  
 Edolphus Towns (D-11th)  
 Major Owens (D-12th)  
 Charles Rangel (D-16th)  
 Ted Weiss (D-17th)  
 Robert Garcia (D-18th)  
 Mario Biaggi (D-19th)  
 Hamilton Fish (R-21st)  
 Benjamin Gilman (R-22nd)  
 Frank Horton (R-29th)  
**Ohio:** Thomas Luken (D-1st)  
 Tony Hall (D-3rd)  
 Edward Feighan (D-19th)  
 Louis Stokes (D-21st)

Continued on Next Page

## Key Committee Members

In the Senate, redress bill S 1053 currently resides in the Governmental Affairs Subcommittee on Civil Service, Post Office and General Services, as did S 2116 during the last session of Congress.

Listed below are the subcommittee members, who will determine whether the bill goes on to the full Governmental Affairs Committee. Also listed are the other Governmental Affairs Committee members. If the bill clears the subcommittee, all of these senators will decide whether the bill goes to a vote by the full Senate.

Names of S 1053 co-sponsors are in italics.

### Subcommittee Members

#### Republicans

*Ted Stevens, chair (Alaska)*  
 Charles Mathias (Md.)  
 David Durenberger (Minn.)

#### Democrats

Albert Gore (Tenn.)  
*Carl Levin (Mich.)*

### Other Govt. Affairs Committee Members

#### Republicans

William Roth, chair (Del.)  
 William Cohen (Maine)  
 Warren Rudman (N.H.)

#### Democrats

Thomas Eagleton, ranking minority member (Mo.)  
 Lawton Chiles (Fla.)  
 Sam Nunn (Ga.)  
 John Glenn (Ohio)

□ □ □

In the House of Representatives, redress bill HR 442 currently resides in the Judiciary Subcommittee on Administrative Law and Government Relations, as did HR 4110 during the last session of Congress.

Listed below are the subcommittee members, who will determine whether the bill goes on to the full Judiciary Committee. Also listed are the other Judiciary Committee members. If the bill clears the subcommittee, all of these representatives will decide whether the bill goes to a vote by the entire House.

Names of HR 442 co-sponsors are in italics.

### Subcommittee Members

#### Democrats

Dan Glickman, chair (Kan.)  
*Barney Frank (Mass.)*  
*George Crockett (Mich.)*  
*Howard Berman (Calif.)*  
*Frederick Boucher (Va.)*  
*Harley Staggers (W.Va.)*

#### Republicans

Thomas Kindness, ranking minority member (Ohio)  
 Hank Brown (Colo.)  
 Patrick Swindall (Ga.)  
 Howard Coble (N.C.)

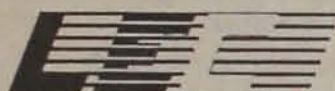
### Other Judiciary Committee Members

#### Democrats

*Peter Rodino, chair (N.J.)*  
 Jack Brooks (Texas)  
*Robert Kastenmeier (Wis.)*  
*Don Edwards (Calif.)*  
*John Conyers (Mich.)*  
 John Seiberling (Ohio)  
 Romano Mazzoli (Ky.)  
*William Hughes (N.J.)*  
 Mike Synar (Okla.)  
 Patricia Schroeder (Colo.)  
*Charles Schumer (N.Y.)*  
*Bruce Morrison (Conn.)*  
*Edward Feighan (Ohio)*  
*Lawrence Smith (Fla.)*  
 John Bryant (Texas)

#### Republicans

*Hamilton Fish, ranking minority member (N.Y.)*  
 Carlos Moorhead (Calif.)  
*Henry Hyde (Ill.)*  
 Dan Lungren (Calif.)  
 F. James Sensenbrenner (Wis.)  
 Bill McCollum (Fla.)  
 George Gekas (Pa.)  
 Michael De Wine (Ohio)  
 William Dannenmeyer (Calif.)



### JACL Legislative Education Committee Fund Drive Report

No. 5—Dec. 7, 1985

Targeted Donation by Dec. 7, 1985 ..... \$176,000.00  
 Donations Received:

.....\$82,306.11  
 Pac Northwest ..\$17,597.34  
 No. Cal-WN-P ..... 7,681.00  
 Central Cal ..... 8,707.40  
 Pac Southwest\* ..15,388.37  
 Intermountain ..... 1,000.00  
 Mtn-Plain ..... 2,000.00  
 Midwest ..... 16,185.00  
 Eastern \*\* .....13,747.00

\* \$4,500 in Nat'l Hq LEC acct.  
 \*\* \$500 in Nat'l Hq LEC acct.

Prev. Bal.: \$71,314.11

Donors (Nov 7-Dec 7, 1985)

**\$1,000 and over**  
 George Asakawa, Barry Saiki.

**\$500—\$999**  
 Greater LA Singles Chap, Mary Oda, Nami Shio, Rose Tani.

**\$100—\$499**  
 Patti Adachi, Minkie Akagi, George & Mitsuye Baba, Carson JACL, Dwight Fujimoto, Tazue Fujita, Yasumori & Nancy Gohata, Kay & Shizue Hada, Debra Hatanaka, Hisashi & Jean Hirasaki, Ernest and Chizu Iiyama, Dale & Debra Ikeda, Robert & Yukie Kanagawa, Helen Kaneko, Allen Kato, Tetsuya Kato, Eichi Koiki, George Matsumoto, Allen Meyer, S. Mikami, T. & Miye Miura, Art Morimitsu, Katie Muto, Mako & Ben Nakagawa, T. & Sakae Nakamura, Keith & Masako Nishimoto, Sunny Nishimoto, NCWNPDC Meeting (Cash), Gary & Toshi Okino, Pat Rubin, Bo Sakaguchi, Phillip & Marion Shigekuni, Sumi Shimizu, George Suzuki, Toshi Tanoue, Isamu & Teruko Uyehara, Mamoru Yamasaki, Lloyd & Hida Yonaga, Miye & Ron Yoshida.

**Up to \$99**  
 Harry & Mae Adachi, Yo & Florence Ando, Masami Arita, Henry & Anne Asakawa, Robert & Bridget Baynes, Edwin & Patricia Bungo, Shig & Yoshie Domoto, Sue and George Ehana, Sumiko Fujiki, Susumu & Fusayo Fujimura, Harry Fujino, Mollie Fujioka, Mitsuko Fukuyama, Katsumi Higa, George & Chiyo Ikeda, Margaret Ikeda, Oswald & Mary Imai, Susumu & Chiye Inouye, Maude & Ralph Ishida, Sam Ishihara, Stanley &

Kimiye Ishimoto, George Izuno, Dallas Kanagawa, Marie & John Kanegae, Bob & Nobie Kawahara, Henry Kebo, Bill & Jennie Kobayashi, Barry & Kazuyo Kondo, Sono Kondo, Donald & Kathy Koshi, Helen Krogh, Frederick Kubota, John Kubota, Aikiko & Jun Kurose, Wilmer & Edwina Leon, Kazuo Maruyama, Teruko Maruyama, Hiroshi & Shizuko Matoba, Joseph & Marion Matsuo, Mary Mihara, Minority Exec Directors (Larry Goss), James & Mary Morishita, Haruko & Yoshio Mukai, Kazuno Mukai, Percy & Chrissie Nagata, Stanley & Haruye Nagata, Janice Nakagawa, Ben & Hisako Nakamoto, Mark Nakamura, Mildred Nishimoto, George & Mary Nishimura, H. Nishioki, Tets & Yo Nobuko, Sam Nonsada, Shiro Odaka, Hugo & Lilly Ogawa, Jonathan & Kyoko Ogawa, Danny & Jane Okada, Pat & Van Omine, Jerry & Irene Omoni, Ted & Teruyo Omoni, Norio & Teruko Ozaki, Hide Ozawa, Randy Pauley, Hideyo Saiki, Mitzi & George Saiki, Kim Sakada, Carolyn Sakauye, Kincaid Saks, Mas & Emi Jane Shiozaki, Timothy & June Taira, Alice Takahashi, M. Takayama, George & Nobuko Takeda, Anthony Taketa, Miyoko & John Tanaka, Sataro & Mary Tonai, Robert & Chizuko Tsubota, William & Reiko Ueki, Yo Umami-zuka, Jim & Mary Lou Uyemura, Norio & Nobu Wakamatsu, James West, Asako & Yukimi Yamamoto, Ben & Iysue Yamamoto, Masaru & Toshiko Yamamoto, Frank & Louise Yamamura, R. Yamamura, Mitsuzo & Mary Yamane, Hideaki & Ryuko Yokota, Teruko Yukawa.

**Central Cal (8):** Peggy Sasashima Liggett (KP), Hiro Mayeda \$683, Ben Nagatani \$376.40, Tom Shimasaki \$1,639, Clovis Chap JACL \$2,145, Fresno Chapter JACL \$3,065, Sanger Chap JACL \$649, Tulare County Chap JACL \$150.

**Pac Southwest (14):** Mas Hironaka \$4,500, Harry Kajihara \$1,848.37, Junji Kumamoto \$630, Rose Ochi \$1,000, Mary Ogawa \$455, Willie Takano \$965, Frank Watake \$1,250, Marina JACL \$100, Greater LA Singles \$720, San Fernando Valley JACL \$2,530, Pasadena JACL \$40, Carson JACL \$250.

**Intermountain (3):** Hid Hasegawa (KP), Mitsugu Kasai \$1,000, Mas Tsukamoto.

**Mtn-Plain (1):** Paul Shin-kawa (KP), Min Yasui \$1,000.

**Midwest (19):** Roy Ebihara \$100, Tom Hara (KP), Alan Hida \$2,901, Kay Honda, Paul Igarashi, Tom Kaihara, Hiro Mayeda, Kaz Mayeda \$1050, Art Morimitsu \$665, Jack Nakagawa \$1,100, Tom Nakao \$300, Frank Sakamoto, George Sakaguchi, Dr. James Taguchi \$3,800, Tom Tajiri, Henry Tanabe, Henry Tanaka \$2,605, Thomas To-kuhisa \$275, Tak Tomiyama, Shig Wakamatsu \$3,239, Kaz Mayeda \$1,000, Charles Waller, St. Louis JACL \$150.

**Eastern (14):** Tom Kometani \$1,075.00, Tak Monuchi \$1,000, Scott Nagao, Lily Okura \$3,425, Jack Ozawa \$1,000, Sarah Sogi, Mike Suzuki (KP) \$3,000, Cherry Tsutsumida, Grant Ujifusa, Grayce Uyehara \$3,750, Charles Nagao \$1,000, B.J. Watanabe/Ron Osajima \$25.

**Staff (1):** Ron Wakabayashi, \$100.

**Period Total: .....\$10,992.00**

**New Balance: ..... 82,306.11**

**Donations Raised by PRIME SOLICITORS**

Target: 250

Volunteers to Date: 100

KP: Key Person

**Pac Northwest (16):** Lloyd Hara \$100, Ed Honma, Cherry Kinoshita \$2,800, Kaz Kinoshita, Marsha Tadano Long \$495, Michi Maeboori, Tomio Moriguchi \$550, Sam Nakagawa \$2,307.34, Bob Sato \$2,025, Jim Tsujimura \$625, Terry Yamada, Denny Yasuhara (KP) \$2,440, Homer Yasui \$3,425, Seattle Chap



## CO-SPONSORS

Continued from page 6

**Pennsylvania:** Thomas Foglietta (D-1st)  
William Gray (D-2nd)  
Robert Borski (D-3rd)  
Joseph Kolter (D-4th)  
Robert Edgar (D-7th)  
Peter Kostmayer (D-8th)  
George Gekas (R-17th)  
(Nov. 18, 1985)  
Austin Murphy (D-22nd)

**South Dakota:** Thomas Daschle (D-1st)

**Tennessee:** Harold Ford (D-9th)

**Texas:** Charles Wilson (D-2nd)  
Jim Wright (D-12th)  
Mickey Leland (D-18th)  
Albert Bustamante (D-23rd)  
(March 26, 1985)  
Solomon Ortiz (D-27th)

**Vermont:** James Jeffords (R-1st)

**Virginia:** Frederick Boucher (D-9th)  
(Oct. 29, 1985)

**Washington:** John Miller (R-1st)  
Sid Morrison (R-4th)  
(Apr. 30, 1985)  
Thomas Foley (D-5th)  
Mike Lowry (D-7th)

**Wisconsin:** Robert Kastenmeier (D-2nd)  
Gerald Kleczka (D-4th)  
(June 11, 1985)  
James Moody (D-5th)

**Wyoming:** Richard Cheney (R)  
(Dec. 2, 1985)

Total: 120 (105 D, 15 R)

(Note: Representatives from American Samoa, District of Columbia and Guam do not have a vote in the House.)



SPOKANE LEC TEAM—Seated (from left): Ada Honda, Thelma Yasuhara, Yoshiko Nakagawa, Laura Watanabe, Aiko Kadoya. Standing (from left): Jim Watanabe, Roy Soejima, Sam Nakagawa, Harry Honda, Dean Nakagawa, Satoshi Terao, Denny Yasuhara, Ed Tsutakawa, Harry Kadoya.

## Spokane JAs donate to LEC fund

SPOKANE, Wash. — On Nov. 19, with nearly 30% of Nikkei families in Spokane participating, the goal of \$5,000 from the Spokane area for the JACL-LEC fund drive was achieved. The fund drive team of Fred Munekiyo, Harry Kadoya, Harry Honda, Roy Soejima, Dean Nakagawa, Satoshi Terao, Dr. Jim Watanabe, Ed Tsutakawa, Sam Nakagawa and Denny Yasu-

hara announced that a total of \$5,057 had been contributed. A "victory" get-together was held Nov. 26 at the Suki Yaki Inn with team members and their wives.

The community appears to be deeply committed to the cause of redress, despite the fact that many in Spokane were not interned; Spokane was not located within the Pacific Command Defense Zone. Since only 900 Nikkei reside in the city and 1,500 in the entire county, the fund drive was an outstanding effort, said Yasuhara. Added president-elect Sharon Saito, Spokane-area Nikkei "are a very remarkable, supportive people and the redress fund-raising effort simply reflects that."

Other past community and chapter projects have included: construction of a \$1.5 million housing project for the elderly, the Hifumi En, completed in 1973; implementation of the Washington State Univ. Asian American Studies Program in 1979; construction, in 1980, of a \$30,000 food booth at the Spokane Interstate Fairgrounds which provides nearly \$10,000 annually for chapter and community activities.

## Redress: A Patriotic Act

The President of the United States, in his speech on Nov. 14 given at the White House before his trip to Geneva for the first meeting between an American President and a Soviet Premier in six years, said, in part:

"This, then, is why I go to Geneva: to build a foundation for lasting peace.

"True peace rests on the pillars of individual freedom, human rights, national self-determination, and respect for the rule of law.

"... Americans detest war, we love freedom and stand ready to sacrifice for it. We love freedom not only because it's practical and beneficial, but because it is morally right and just.

"The rights of the individual and the rule of law are as fundamental to peace as arms control. A government which does not respect its citizens' rights is not likely to respect its other international undertakings." [emphasis added]

These words most precisely describe the JACL-LEC's continuing struggle to petition our government to redress the loss of freedoms resulting from the issuance of Executive Order 9066 during WW2.

Redress is not a Japanese American issue; it is an American issue. Like President Reagan, LEC believes that the pillars of this great nation rest "on individual freedom, human rights, national self-determination, and respect for the rule of law." Therefore, the redress fight is both just and moral.

JACL is meeting its responsibility of citizenship by rectifying the grievous mistake committed by our government. Unless we take this step, the removal of a group of people on the basis of their ancestry lies around like a "loaded weapon" for use at another time.

Because it is the American way, LEC will continue the struggle

## LEC UPDATE:

Grayce Ueyehara



gle to seek passage of the two bills, S. 1053 and H.R. 442. It is morally right to continue with our fight to correct an injustice which happened over 40 years ago because it is immoral to fail to take responsibility.

It is immoral to turn our faces away from protecting the foundations of our great democracy so that no other group of men will ever take our laws lightly and make decisions for government action based on ancestry. By supporting this particular fight we who "love freedom and stand ready to sacrifice for it" are true patriots, just as those who go out on the battlefields to fight for free people everywhere.

Join the JACL-LEC as we press on to seek redress through passage of the two legislative bills in Congress this year. By this act we petition our government for redress of grievances. More than ever, LEC today needs your commitment and active participation to lobby the bills. This is the American way. What have you done before the window of opportunity closes for the Japanese American community to complete this major task?

Sen. Spark Matsunaga, sponsor of S. 1053, last year has also established in Congress the office of U.S. Poet Laureate and has written his own thoughts in verse. This poem sums up what JACL-LEC is doing:

To seek out the wrong  
is only half the task;  
To set it right  
is the tougher half.



IDC governor Hid Hasegawa and Salt Lake JACL president Betty Kubota present \$1,000 check from IDC redress coordinator Mits Kasai to LEC chair Min Yasui during joint IDC-PNWDC meeting in October.

## Districts hold joint Minidoka trip

JACKPOT, Nev. — The Intermountain and Pacific Northwest district councils held a joint "Return to Minidoka" pilgrimage to Hunt, Idaho last Oct. 12. Nearly 100 members braved the chilly wind to revisit the site that was one of 10 concentration camps for Japanese Americans during WW2.

Pocatello-Blackfoot chapter assisted IDC Gov. Hid Hasegawa with the program chaired by Mas Tsukamoto. Speakers included Idaho governor John Evans, Sen. James McClure (R), and Rep. Richard Stallings (R), along with LEC chair Min Yasui.

Returning to Jackpot after lunch in Twin Falls, Yasui again talked to the delegates on the status of LEC and JACL. He appealed to the chapters represented to urge their respective state congressional members to join the roster of redress sponsors.

During dinner, Salt Lake City chapter president Betty Kubota presented a \$1,000 check from Mitsugi Kasai to Yasui. Hasegawa expressed appreciation for the first LEC contribution by the IDC Redress Regional Coordinator. It was Kasai's hope that his initial contribution would spur others to follow suit.

tance held by different board members. When assessing the comments, one must never lose sight of the fact that they are given in the hope of making PC an outstanding weekly. Taking these comments as personal attacks would be of greatest error, and would defeat the very purpose of the survey.

Without knowing what troubles concerned readers, there would be little opportunity for improvements.

## PC BOARD

Continued from Page 5

sive preparation and will be costly. As a compromise and a simplification, Hank and I decided to at least poll the board members, whose interest and knowledge concerning PC are well known.

The survey shows, as expected, the various priorities of impor-

## LEC Year-End Report

The Legislative Education Committee of the JACL (JACL-LEC) was organized and incorporated under the laws of the State of Calif. on May 20, 1982, as a non-profit, tax-exempt (but not tax-deductible) lobbying arm of the JACL, pursuant to resolution of the National JACL Board.

LEC is a Sec. 503 (c)(4) corporation; JACL is a Sec. 503 (c)(3) organization. A Sec. 503 (c)(3) organization is limited in its lobbying expenditures to a percentage of its annual budget in order to retain tax-exempt status, whereas a Sec. 503 (c)(4) corporation has no such limits placed upon its lobbying expenditures.

From 1982-1984, the LEC was dormant, awaiting the time when lobbying in Congress for redress would be deemed necessary. At the August 1984 National JACL convention in Honolulu, the National Council instructed the National JACL Board to work out an operational transition from the JACL Redress activities to



## REDRESS UPDATE

by Minoru Yasui  
Legislative Education Committee

full-fledged LEC lobbying efforts in Congress.

In May 1985, the National JACL Board transferred lobbying functions for redress to the LEC. Although it had been assumed that John Tateishi, as the National JACL Redress Director, would be transferred to the LEC as LEC Executive Director, unfortunately, he declined such transfer.

Even more unfortunately, there were no funds available to the LEC to commence operations on June 1, 1985, and hence a major effort was made to raise \$100,000 by Sept. 1 in order to

hire an LEC executive director and to commence full lobbying activities in Washington, D.C. The efforts were unsuccessful. Only slightly more than \$40,000 were raised by that date.

Fortuitously, however, Grayce Ueyehara of West Chester, Pa. had recently retired from her school administrative position and "volunteered" to take over the responsibilities of Executive Director on an interim basis.

Ueyehara, ably aided by LEC legislative strategies chair Grant Ujifusa of New York, LEC vice-chair Cherry Kinoshita of Seattle, Sec.-Treasurer Shig Wakamatsu of Chicago and other LEC board members, has been doing a magnificent job of mobilizing resources and efforts to enact redress by Congress. Substantial and significant progress has been made to advance the redress bills in congressional committees, and in winning greater overall support in both the House and Senate.

Harry Kajihara, as LEC's fundraising chairman, has continued

Continued on Next Page



# District Reports

## NCWNPDC Director's Report

by George Kondo

The year-to-date report from the Northern California-Western Nevada-Pacific District Council can be summarized in a few words—"business as usual."

There has been no outstanding event taking place during this period, depending on the interpretation of what is outstanding. All the activities of the NCWNP chapters are outstanding.

Our regularly scheduled quarterly meetings were held with better than 90% attendance by the chapters. This is when the delegates determine the policies and programs of the district. Not enough credit can be given these dedicated JACLers whose voices determine our course of action. Like the mailman, neither rain nor sleet nor snow—and add distances—impede their attendance at the quarterly meetings.

1985 saw five of our chapters celebrating their 50th anniversaries. The district commemorated and commended their half-century of dedication and service, despite WW2's years of adversities, to the principles of our organization and service to the Japanese American community.

As redress is the National JACL's first priority, all of our chapters have satisfied in full the

first two-year pledge. In the current year, over two-thirds have met their commitments and we are confident that the balance of the chapters will have paid their pledge in full by year's end.

As for the fundraising for the Legislative Education Committee, all-out efforts are being made by the prime solicitors. However, the LEC fund drive is being met with resistance because of the district's commitment to the JACL Redress program and the difficulty of supporting an additional fund drive.

We underwrote the expenses of two Sansei to attend the 1985 Washington, D.C. Leadership Conference; this turned out to be a treasure trove. Consequently, we are comfortable with the feeling that with this class of Sansei the organization will be in capable hands at all levels. With our blessing and support they are our next leaders. Many of our chapters have already installed Sansei as their presidents and committee chairpersons. We encourage this trend. We are ready to place alongside our "Business as Usual" sign one that reads "Under New Management."

Are we plagued with problems? Perhaps. The Internal Revenue Service audit, which we understand will be satisfactorily

resolved by able representation in Washington, D.C., is one.

Two: one of the chapters is having internal problems. Is the issue a matter of personalities? So far the district has not been approached for advice or to mediate. We hope that clear heads will prevail and that this problem will soon be settled to everyone's satisfaction.

Also: were we in error when the district acquired chapters geographically too remote to actively participate in the District Council? With due respect for a chapter in this situation, this condition tends to jeopardize its status as Chapter in Good Standing. Should chapters circumvent their accountability to the District Council and deal directly, as is being done, with the National organization? Will a change in the National By-laws creating a special category for chapters under these circumstances solve this gratuitous situation?

Are the problems delineated above serious? We think not. We have confidence that solutions will be found.

To recapitulate, NCWNPDC is shipshape. In addition to complying with directives from the National organization, our immediate and future plans are to fully utilize the brains and brawn of youth who have now come of age. Turn over the helm of our ship to the Sansei to ensure ourselves a safe voyage into the future of JACL.

## MDC Governor's Report

by Thomas I. Hara

It is with great expectations that I write as JACL Midwest District Council governor for the 1985-87 biennium. I attended my first National Board meeting in September and presided at my first District Council meeting in early October, and I believe that I have developed already an appropriate perspective for the work of the new cabinet.

The significant dollar questions all relate to our pursuit of the redress objective. As you are aware, JACL has organized a separate entity, the LEC, formally to undertake the direct legislative lobbying effort in Washington, D.C. The prognosis, as Rep. Robert Matsui advised during his visit to Milwaukee, is very good if we can make a concerted effort now and in the 100th Congress.

Of course, this takes money, which is being solicited by your local prime solicitor and also is being transferred (\$75,000 in 1986) by National JACL. The latter can only be made available by sizable budgetary readjustments to the JACL biennial budget, discussions on which occupied a substantial part of the National Board sessions.

Perhaps the most exciting news out of the Saint Paul MDC meeting is the forthcoming district speech and forensic compe-

tition. This will be held in St. Louis in late April, for Sansei and other JACL youth aged 12-23, in separate divisions. Although not yet finally determined, there may also be a national competition held in Chicago in conjunction with the 1986 national convention.

Interested chapters will be asked to undertake the cost for and supervision of their respective participants at St. Louis. If the national competition, proposed by the Leadership Development Task Force, comes to pass, MDC has agreed to bear the expense of the district winners going to Chicago. A reincarnation of the old JACL national oratorical contest, this competition may have great appeal for youth membership and for chapters in identifying and encouraging the skills of future leadership.

As we approach the time of year when chapter leadership changes by election and inauguration, I wish to reiterate that I truly welcome as much contact from Midwest JACLers as you may wish to direct to me. Comments or questions, favorable or negative, let me know. I will always respond. While only delegates can say whether my leadership is responsible, I can guarantee that it will be responsive.

Again, I look forward to working with and for each of you during the next two years.

## PSW covers wide range of activities

by Linda Hara

Despite the lure of gaming tables and slot machines, PSWDC delegates were too deeply involved with the full day's agenda of the fourth quarterly meeting to be tempted. The meeting, hosted by the Las Vegas Chapter, was held Nov. 16 at the Tropicana Hotel in Las Vegas.

In Harry Kajihara's final report as governor, he said that PSW's membership trend is stable and upward and that an increase of members was one of his priority items when he took office in 1984. Kajihara cited the one-day district conference in March 1985 and talked about the great impression it made on the JA community and how it brought out the opportunity to show the JACL flag.

George Ogawa, Redress Committee Chair, reported on the Oct. 5 redress conference, which was co-sponsored by NCR. Both audio and video tapes of the morning session are available to the chapters. A reception was held in the South Bay on November 1 to honor Judge Bill Marutani, who related some of his experiences on the Commission on Wartime Relocation and Internment of Civilians. Ogawa recommended that the Redress Committee continue its educational efforts and keep the issue before the public. Continued participation with NCR in the Day of Remembrance is one such vehicle.

The Women's Concerns Committee, as reported by Mary Nishimoto, recently held a well-attended workshop on cultural barriers of Asian immigrant women. Topics discussed were the Asian mail order bride service, media portrayals, the socioeconomic forces prompting the immigration and the sociopsychological forces involved, as well as how cultural and legal issues may become entangled (e.g., Fumiko Kimura—a case of attempted suicide). The event was co-sponsored by the Asian Pacific Women's Network of Los Angeles. Another workshop that touches on concerns of women approaching age 55 and older is in the planning stages for May 17, 1986. This will be co-sponsored by the district's Aging and Retirement Committee.

A high priority item of the Ethnic Concerns Committee continues to be the JAPSS hair salon in West Hollywood. Led by the Marina Chapter and NCR, several Saturdays have been devoted to picketing in front of the shop to bring public awareness and consciousness to the use of this derogatory term.

The district's Leadership Development program, chaired by Roy Nishikawa, has proven to be invaluable. Four representatives from PSW have attended the National Board meetings and this opportunity has given Ken Inouye, Cathy Higashioka, Mary Nishimoto and George Ogawa first-

hand experience on the operational workings of the National Board. This program will undoubtedly be continued and should give other PSW leaders and future leaders a golden opportunity to expand their horizons.

Results of the district's survey on prime interest areas were reported by Bill Kaneko of the Marina Chapter. The question posed to PSW chapters was: "What direction do you feel the JACL should pursue at the national, district and local level?" The responses on what is most important for the national and district levels were redress and human and civil rights. At the local level, the most important issue was a tie vote between redress and human and civil rights and community service.

The following resolution was passed by the District Council: "WHEREAS numerous chapters within the Pacific Southwest District of the Japanese American Citizens League have requested a full accounting of revenue and expenses attributable to the National JACL's redress efforts to date. WHEREAS numerous chapters within the Pacific Southwest District of the Japanese American Citizens League would also like to have a prospective line item budget of proposed expenditures by the National JACL Redress Committee. BE IT RESOLVED that this District shall withhold all future redress pledges until such time as a satisfactory accounting and acceptable budget are received and approved by either the

## LEC

Continued from Previous Page

valiant efforts, with the support of some 80 "prime solicitors," to raise the \$100,000 necessary to get the lobbying efforts going on a full operating basis. Over \$80,000 has now been raised.

With five votes of ten members on the House subcommittee (needing only one more), and with 16 of 35 members of the House Judiciary Committee supporting redress (needing only two more votes), it is within the realm of possibility to have the redress bill, H.R. 442, brought on to the floor of the House in the foreseeable future.

Pacific Southwest District Board or District Council."

Elections were held for PSW's board for the next biennium. The new officers are: Ken Inouye (Selanoco), Governor; Linda Hara (Pan Asian), Vice Governor; Cathy Higashioka (Torrance), Secretary; and Arthur Nishioka (San Diego), Treasurer. Board Members elected to serve are: George Kanegai (West Los Angeles), Meriko Mori (Greater Los Angeles Singles), Miyo Senzaki (Pasadena), Sam Sunada (Marina), Doug Urata (Riverside), and Mable Yoshizaki (East Los Angeles).

Tentative plans were made for the first quarterly in February 1986 to be held in San Diego.

With 120 co-sponsors in the House, only 98 more representatives need to be persuaded to support redress. Both Reps. Norman Mineta and Robert Matsui have been tremendously helpful in these efforts.

In the Senate, because of the work of Sen. Ted Stevens (R-Alaska), and by the two Nikkei senators from Hawaii, Sens. Dan Inouye and Spark Matsunaga, there appears to be a real possibility that S. 1053 can be brought onto the full Senate floor in the not-too-distant future. At the present time, 28 senators have indicated support for S. 1053, meaning that only 23 more votes are needed to achieve passage of redress in the Senate.

Aiding in these efforts are Toy Kanegai of Los Angeles, and her dedicated committee working on the LEC fundraising dinner to be held on Jan. 17 at the Hotel Bonaventure. The four Nikkei members of Congress will be honored and thanked for their sustained efforts for redress, and to raise funds for the final push to enact redress in Congress.

All of the foregoing efforts are coordinated activities of the JACL and LEC. The 15-member board of LEC is composed of seven representatives of the National JACL Board and eight members elected at large. With adequate funds made available, and with the continuing support of hundreds of highly-principled people, redress can be achieved!



# Chapter Pulse

## Seattle

SEATTLE—"International Trade: Its Impact on Japanese Americans" is the theme for this year's chapter installation banquet, to be held Jan. 25 in the Grand Ballroom of the Sheraton Hotel, 6th and Pike. Keynote speaker: Seattle City Atty. Douglas Jewett. National JACL President Frank Sato will swear in Robert Sato, pres.; May Sasaki, pres. elect; Wayne Kimura, Sharon Harada, David Hoekendorf, and Vicki Toyohara, vice pres.; Aya Hurd, corres. secretary; Gail Tanaka, treas.; Diana Kato, hist.; David Okimoto, delegate; and 21 board members. Cocktails at 5:30 p.m. will be followed by a traditional Japanese obento dinner at 6. Cost: \$20. Info: Ayako Hurd, 527-1464.

## Milwaukee

MILWAUKEE—Peter Irons, professor of political science at UC San Diego and author of *Justice at War*, will be featured speaker at the chapter's inaugural banquet, Jan. 12 at the Country Gardens, 911 W. Layton Ave. Cocktails begin at 3 p.m., with the installation of 1986 board of directors and program at 4, and a prime rib dinner at 5:30. Cost: \$10.75. Non-members welcome. Info: Margaret Igowsky, 281-0646; Lily Kataoka, 961-1420.

## San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO—Cressey Nakagawa was elected for a third term as president at the De-

cember meeting of the board. Vice-president of programs Yo Hironaka, treasurer Doug Nakatani, recording secretary Naomi Yamaguchi, corresponding secretary Vicky Mihara, vice president of membership Frances Morioka and delegate Steve Okamoto round out the slate of officers. Greg Marutani will serve as newsletter editor.

## Sequoia

PALO ALTO, Calif.—The Third Annual Crab Feast will be held Feb. 1 at the Buddhist Temple Hall, 2751 Louis Rd. Offerings include: fresh cracked crab, home-made spaghetti, garden fresh salad, toasted french bread, beverages, desserts. Price: \$12.50 for adults, \$6 for children 6-12, no charge for children under 6. Info: David Oku, 964-7855; David Yoshida, 854-1892; Harry Hatasaka, 493-8932; Al Nakai, 322-6125; Tats Hori, 948-6575.

## Contra Costa

BERKELEY, Calif.—Spengers Fish Grotto, 1919 4th, will be the setting for the Feb. 8 installation dinner, starting with no-host cocktails at 6 p.m., followed by a lobster or steak dinner at 7. The program will include installation of president Yoshiro Tokiwa, vice-presidents Ernie Iiyama and Natsuko Irei, treasurer Hayaji Oda, recording secretary Barbara Hayashida, corresponding secretary Midori Caylor and newsletter editor Esther Takeuchi.

## West Valley

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif.—Serena Chen, host of "Asians Now" on KTVU-TV, will be featured speaker at the chapter's installation banquet, Jan. 18, 7 p.m., at Nas Moffett Field Officer's Club. No-host cocktails will be served at 6. Dinner includes green salad, potato or rice, vegetable, rolls, coffee, ice cream and a choice of entrees (New York steak, \$14; chicken cordon bleu, \$12). Officers to be installed are: president Ron Watanabe, vice-presidents Gunji Moriuchi and Lee Ann Nakagawa, recording secretary Chiyo Hikido, corresponding secretary Susie Sakamoto, and treasurer Mas Kasahara. Reservations: James Sakamoto, 252-5972.

## Las Vegas

LAS VEGAS—The installation dinner for 1986 chapter officers is set for Jan. 18, 7 p.m., at Imperial Garden Restaurant, S. Maryland Pkwy. and E. Sahara. Cocktails will be served at 6. Cost: \$11. Officers to be installed are: president George Goto, vice-president Wayne Tanaka, treasurer Sue Reaume, recording secretary Norma Wagoner, and corres. secretaries Janet Sakahara and Takuko Thornton. Info: Fred Fukumoto, 362-3742.

## Diablo Valley

CONCORD, Calif.—The chapter installs its officers and board members Jan. 19, 6:30 p.m., at China Pavilion Restaurant, 2050

Diamond Blvd. Cost: \$15 per person.

## Selanoco

BUENA PARK, Calif.—Grayce Uyehara, LEC executive director, will be guest speaker at the chapter's annual installation dinner Jan. 18, Buena Park Hotel, 7675 Crescent Ave. Actress Kim Miyori will serve as emcee. Cocktails at 6:30 p.m., dinner follows at 7:30. Non-members welcome. Cost: \$18 adults, \$10 students. Info: Evelyn Hanki, (213) 865-7455; Jun Fukushima, (213) 865-5039.

## Gilroy

GILROY, Calif.—Chapter officers for 1986: president Dr. Eric Nagareda; vice-presidents Allan Kawafuchi, Atsuko Obata and Sam Yamanaka; secretaries Eleanor Nizawa and Alice Kado; treasurers Lily Kawafuchi and June Muraoka; insurance administrator Setsuko Hirahara; building custodian James Ogawa; official delegates Misao Niizawa and John Kado. The installation dinner/dance will be held Jan. 25, 7 p.m., at Gilroy Elks Lodge, 2765 Hecker Pass Hwy. A no-host cocktail hour precedes at 6 p.m. Music (recorded) will be provided by Tom and Nadine Yamamoto, instructors for the Santa Clara Valley JACL Dance Club.

## East Los Angeles

CITY OF COMMERCE, Calif.—Attorney Douglas Masuda has been

re-elected chapter president for 1986. Cabinet and board members assisting Masuda will be Dean Aihara, Milton Noji, Angela Kato, Byron Baba, Mable Yoshizaki, Mas Dobashi, George Yamate, Mattie Furuta, Miki Himeno, George Ige, Sid Inouye, Marie Ito, June Kurisu, Takeshi Matsumoto, Michael Mitoma, Michi Obi, Robert Obi, Sue Sakamoto, Mike Takekuni, Ron Tsuji, Min Yoshizaki, Norman Arikawa, Teiji Kawana, Willard Yamaguchi and Wesley Quan. Installation of officers will be held Jan. 11, 6:30 p.m., at Stevens Steak House, 5222 Stevens Pl. Cost: \$20. Info: 263-8469.

## French Camp

FRENCH CAMP, Calif.—Plans are underway for the chapter's annual installation dinner Jan. 11, 6:30 p.m. A pot-luck dinner, along with entertainment and the installation of officers, is being planned. Officers to be installed are: president Alan Nishi; vice-presidents Carl Yamasaki, Florence Shiromizu, and Elsie Kagehiro; recording secretary Toyo Foundation; corresponding secretary Katie Komure; treasurer Tom Natsuhara; publicity chair Lydia Ota; historian Nancy Natsuhara; official delegate Hiroshi Shinmoto; alternate delegate Hide Morinaka. George Komure, Tom and Nancy Natsuhara, and Kimi Morinaka chair the event to be held at the Community Hall.

## Senator recalls lessons of relocation

WASHINGTON—Sen. Bob Packwood (R-Ore.), in a Dec. 10 Washington Post interview, recalled being taught about the WW2 internment of Japanese Americans by his father, a Republican who was liberal on civil rights:

"I recall my dad explaining very firmly the unfairness of the relocation of the Japanese in WW2. It was brought home to me when kids were just suddenly

gone from school, thought I didn't fully grasp it until he explained.

"Especially during my high school years he drove it into me how wrong a majority can be, and that that was the reason our Bill of Rights was codified."

However, unlike fellow Oregon senator Mark Hatfield (R), who was once his teacher at Willamette University, Packwood is not co-sponsoring redress bill S 1053.

## Chevron to fund speech contest

SAN FRANCISCO — Chevron USA recently announced that it will become a sponsor of the National JACL Speech & Forensic Competition, which was created to develop verbal communication and creativity among JA youth.

Chevron will fund major portions of the competition and has agreed to house contestants in the Chicago Hyatt during the July 1986 JACL National Convention and present cash awards of \$200 and \$100 to first and second place winners in the two speech divisions.

The contestants will have won their respective district competi-

tions, scheduled for late spring/early summer, in prepared informative/persuasive speech and extemporaneous speech.

The competition is for JACL members ages 16-19. Those interested in participating in the district and national contests should contact their district offices or JACL National Headquarters, 1765 Sutter St., San Francisco, CA 94115; (415) 921-5225.

## LEC Board

### 1983-86 Term

#### At Large

Grant Ujifusa

Shig Wakamatsu

#### JACL Board Representatives

Harry Kajihara

Rose Ochi

Denny Yasuhara

### 1984-87 Term

#### At Large

Arthur Morimitsu

Joseph Rauh

Grayce Uyehara

#### JACL Board Representatives

Cherry Kinoshita

Frank Sato

### 1985-88 Term

#### At Large

Jerry Enomoto

James Tsujimura

Minoru Yasui

#### JACL Board Representatives

Mollie Fujioka

Kaz Mayeda

#### Staff

Grayce Uyehara, Exec. Director  
Colleen Darling, Assoc. Director

## JACL opposes Ed. Dept. decision

SAN FRANCISCO—Secretary of Education William Bennett's decision to abolish his department's Office of Asian Pacific American Concerns (see Dec. 6 PC) was pro-

tested in a Dec. 18 letter to Bennett from JACL national director Ron Wakabayashi and national youth director David Nakayama.

Noting that Bennett has made "very kind remarks about the achievements of Asian Americans in education," the two pointed out the need to ensure "that the words of support have actual substance."

"With the tremendous expansion of population that Asian Pacific Americans are experiencing, it seems that the reduction of two staff positions dedicated to that special circumstance... sends our community a message that this administration really does not recognize or support the record of achievement to date. Please reconsider."

## Submissions sought for Nikkei anthology

SAN FRANCISCO—The Asian American Studies Dept. at S.F. State University is seeking material for *Fusion-San*, an anthology of Japanese American literature.

Professor Jim Okutsu, project director, said, "The publication of this annual anthology will hopefully encourage Japanese Americans to creatively express themselves."

Deadline for short stories, poetry, and graphics is March 31. Material should be sent to: *Fusion-San*, Asian American Studies Dept., San Francisco State University, S.F. 94132, Attn: J. Okutsu.

CANADA BY OWNER  
WEST VANCOUVER, B.C.  
A rare opportunity to acquire a much sought-after property with magnificent view overlooking sea with snow-covered mountains behind. Approx. area 1902 sq. yds. Close to golf course. Private sale, no agent. US\$175,000 cash pref. For info: Reg Bennett, (416) 461-8109 or write 44 Charles St. W., Ste 4408, Toronto, Ont M4Y 1R8, Canada.

## '86 TOYOTAS

### ARE HERE!

NORIO OKADA, Sales Manager

5944 N. Figueroa St.,  
Highland Park, CA 90042  
(213) 259-8888



UNI TOYOTA  
VERSAL

## Naomi's Dress Shop

Sports & Casual • Sizes 3 to 8

133 Japanese Village Plaza Mall  
Los Angeles • 680-1553

Open Tue-Fri: 9:30-6:30, Sat: 11-9  
Sun: 11-5 Closed: Monday

## Season's Greetings

## DOHERTY & DUNNE INC.

Sporting Goods, Specializing in Team Equipment

### San Francisco Store

1307 Sutter St., San Francisco, CA 94123 (415) 771-3100

### South San Francisco Store

76 Camaritas Ave., South San Francisco, CA 94080 (415) 952-6060

### Concord Store

4330 Clayton Rd., Concord, CA 94521 (415) 687-6800



## 1985 Chronology

Compiled by J.K. Yamamoto

## Redress Legislation

**Dec. 6, 1984**—New York State Senate unanimously passes resolution endorsing redress.

**Dec. 17, 1984**—Cambridge City Council unanimously passes resolution endorsing redress.

**Dec. 27, 1984**—Sen. Pete Wilson (R-Calif.) states that he prefers "a national monument, a museum or a scholarship fund" over monetary payments to former internees.

**Jan. 3**—HR 442, Civil Liberties Act of 1985 (named for 442nd Regimental Combat Team), is introduced in House by Rep. Jim Wright (D-Texas) with 99 co-sponsors. Like its predecessor, HR



Photo by Roy Nakano

Sen. Alan Cranston speaks of redress at Day of Remembrance.

4110, it would implement Commission on Wartime Relocation and Internment of Civilians' 1983 recommendation of monetary compensation for JAs interned during WW2. No hearings are held on bill in 1985.

**Jan. 20**—Co-sponsor Rep. Gillis Long (D-La.) dies (see necrology).

**Feb. 9**—Fund drive chair Harry Kajihara presents fund-raising plan for Legislative Education Committee (LEC), JACL's redress lobbying arm. Elected to LEC executive committee are Min Yasui, Cherry Kinoshita, David Nikaido, Grant Ujifusa, Frank Sato, Rose Ochi, Yosh Nakashima and Shig Wakamatsu.

**Feb. 19**—A 17-member commission established in 1983 to investigate WW2 internment of Santa Clara Valley (Calif.) JAs presents detailed report to San Jose City Council, recommends redress.

Berkeley (Calif.) City Council votes to endorse redress.

**Feb. 23**—Sen. Alan Cranston and Rep. Mervyn Dymally (both D-Calif.) give update on redress bills at Gardena, Calif., Day of Remembrance program.

**March 11**—Auburn (Calif.) City Council unanimously adopts resolution supporting passage of redress bills.

**March 20**—California Democratic representatives Don Edwards, Norman Mineta, Robert Matsui, Sala Burton, George Miller, Matthew Martinez, Mervyn Dymally and Esteban Torres, Harry Reid (D-Nev.), and CWRIC's Joan Bernstein and Arthur Flemming hold press conference urging passage of HR 442.

**Apr. 8**—Rep. Sid Morrison (R-Wash.) says he will co-sponsor HR 442 after meeting with JA community members.

**Apr. 17**—After heated debate and a 61-35 state house vote, Washington State Legislature sends joint resolution to Congress recommending passage of redress bills.

**April**—Rep. Manuel Lujan Jr. (R-N.M.) says he wants to add amendment to HR 442 allowing survivors of 1942 Bataan Death March sue Japanese companies that enslaved them.

Executive committee of American Lutheran Church in Minneapolis endorses redress.

**May 1**—Roseville (Calif.) City Council unanimously adopts resolution supporting redress bills.

**May 2**—Sen. Spark Matsunaga (D-Hawaii) introduces Senate redress bill S 1053 with 25 co-sponsors. Bill is similar to S 2116, which was introduced during previous session of Congress. No hearings are held on bill in 1985.

**May 17**—National JACL Board gives LEC full responsibility for redress lobbying.

**May 31**—Calif. Assn. of Human Rights Organizations, meeting in San Francisco, votes unanimously to endorse passage of redress bills.

**May**—At national council meeting of Fellowship of Reconciliation in Berkeley, resolution endorsing redress bills is adopted by acclamation.

**June 1**—LEC is formally activated to begin lobbying activities.

**June**—Sen. Lowell Weicker (R-Conn.) becomes co-sponsor of S 1053.

Second Unitarian Church in Chicago endorses redress.

Minister and elder commissioners of 94th Presbyterian Synod of Alaska Northwest endorse redress.

**July 13**—JACL, LEC, National Coalition for Redress/Reparations (NCRR), National Council for Japanese American Redress (NCJAR) and Washington Coalition for Redress (WCR) hold "summit" at JACL Headquarters in San Francisco, agree to support each others' efforts.

**July 18**—Calif. State Senate passes resolution supporting redress bills with 3 opposed and 29 (22 Democrats, 7 Republicans) for.

**Aug. 7-11**—Young Democrats of America, meeting in Miami, vote to support redress.

**Aug. 9**—Chinese American Citizens Alliance, meeting in Los Angeles, passes resolution supporting redress bills.

**Aug. 20**—Lane County (Ore.) Democratic Central Committee announces its support of redress bills.

**Sept. 9**—Episcopal Church, at convention in Anaheim, Calif., passes resolution supporting redress legislation.

**Sept. 20**—Noted conservative Rep. Henry Hyde (R-Ill.) agrees to co-sponsor HR 442. Another Republican, Raymond McGrath of New York, also joins.

Grayce Uyehara becomes interim executive director of LEC; Grant Ujifusa presents LEC's formal legislative strategy for getting bills passed.

**Oct. 4**—Rep. Charles "Chip" Pashayan becomes first California Republican to co-sponsor HR 442.

**Oct. 5**—At a joint program in Los Angeles, representatives of JACL, NCRR, NCJAR and coram nobis effort urge mutual support and cooperation.

**Oct. 9**—Rep. Frederick Boucher (D-Va.), who sits on Judiciary subcommittee on Administrative Law & Gov-



Rep. Charles Pashayan (R-Calif.)

ernmental Relations (where HR 442 resides) becomes co-sponsor.

**Oct.**—Sen. Rudy Boschwitz (R-Minn.) becomes second new S 1053 co-sponsor.

**Nov. 7-8**—Executive council of American Federation of Teachers, meeting in New York, votes unanimously to support redress bills.

**Nov. 18**—Rep. George Gekas (R-Pa.), Judiciary Committee member, becomes HR 442 co-sponsor.

**Nov. 20**—Incumbent LEC board members Min Yasui and James Tsujimura reelected; Jerry Enomoto replaces David Nikaido. Kaz Mayeda and Mollie Fujioka are nominated by JACL to succeed Yosh Nakashima.

**Dec. 1**—Rep. Richard Chaney (R-Wyo.), fourth highest ranking House Republican, co-sponsors HR 442.

## Coram Nobis Cases

**Jan. 25**—U.S. government attorneys request more time to prepare response to Gordon Hirabayashi's coram nobis petition, filed in January 1983, charging the government with suppressing, altering and fabricating evidence attesting to the loyalty of JAs during WW2. Supreme Court upheld Hirabayashi's conviction for violating curfew and evacuation orders.

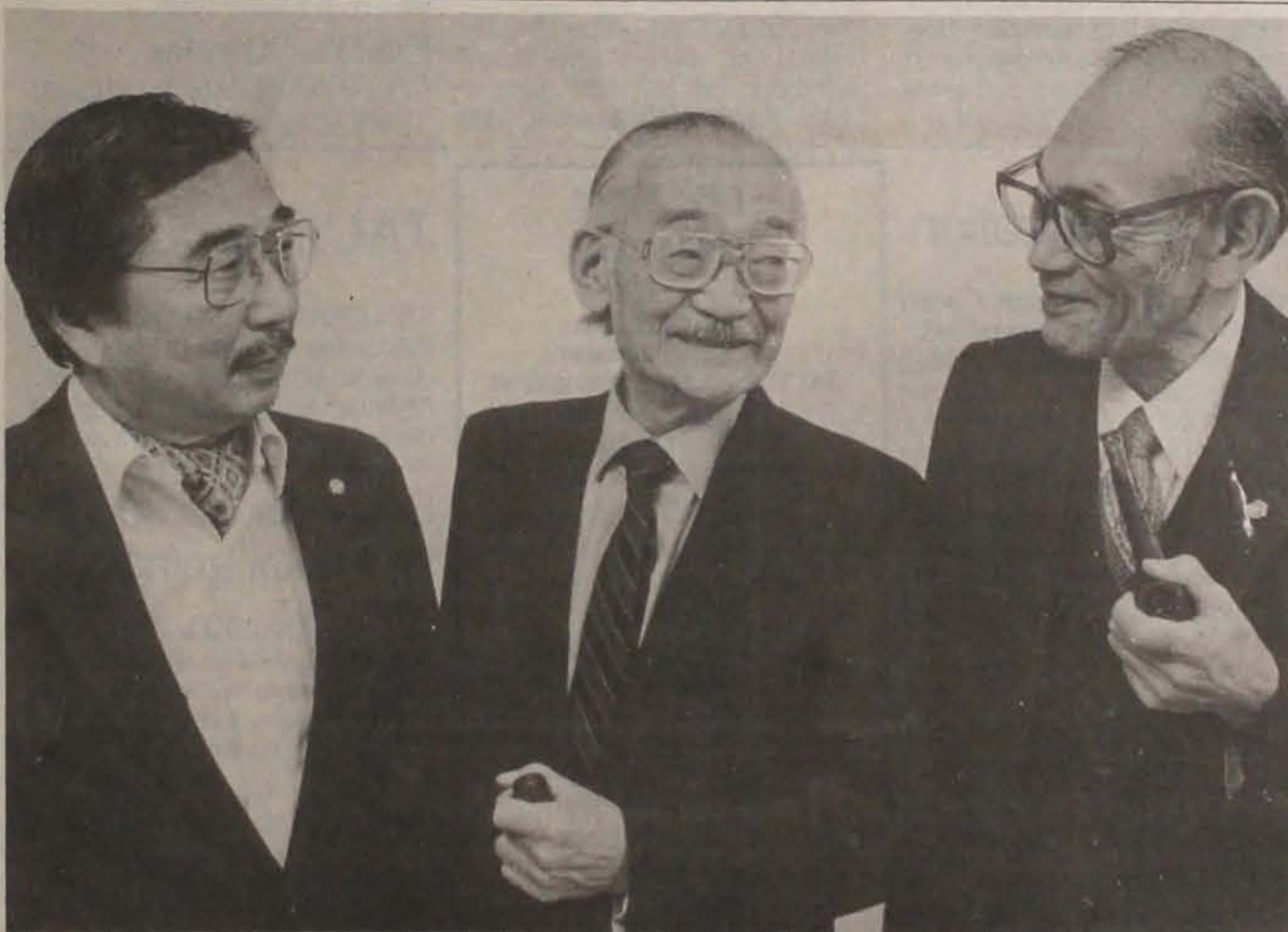
**February**—Attorneys for Fred Korematsu, whose petition charging government misconduct in his WW2 Supreme Court case was granted by a federal judge in November 1983, file a brief supporting the case of Min Yasui. In January 1984, U.S. District Judge Robert Belloni agreed to vacate Yasui's wartime conviction but refused to rule on whether the government had been in the wrong; Yasui is appealing the decision. The brief accuses government lawyers in the Yasui case of misrepresenting the Korematsu verdict in order to discredit it.

**March 26**—Yasui, Korematsu and Judge Nanette Dembitz, a Justice Dept. attorney during WW2, speak at New York Univ. Law School.

**Apr. 29**—U.S. District Judge Donald Voorhees denies government's motion to dismiss Hirabayashi's petition and also denies a government request for a stay pending final disposition of Yasui's case.

**May 24**—JACL and American Jewish Committee file legal brief in support of Hirabayashi.

**June 17-27**—Evidentiary hearing in Hirabayashi case held in Seattle U.S. District Court. Testifiers include Edward Ennis, director of Justice Dept.'s Enemy Alien Control Unit during WW2, who supports Hirabayashi's position; former intelligence officer David Lowman, who says "Magic" cables justified fears of espionage by JAs; archival researcher Jack Herzig, who rebuts Lowman's testimony; William Hammond, head of combat intelligence in Western Defense Command during WW2; researcher Aiko Herzig-Yoshinaga; attorney Peter Irons; and Hirabayashi himself. John McCloy and



The coram nobis plaintiffs (from left): Gordon Hirabayashi, Minoru Yasui and Fred Korematsu.

Karl Bendetsen, major figures in internment, are not called as witnesses.

**July 8-10**—Hirabayashi tours Washington D.C., Boston and New York to raise funds for his case.

**Oct. 4**—9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals orders Judge Belloni to determine whether Yasui met his appeal deadline in March 1984. Government argues that Yasui's appeal was filed after 10-day deadline for criminal appeals. Court rules 2-1 to order Belloni to find whether Yasui qualifies for a 30-day extension.

Final legal briefs in Hirabayashi case filed with the court, with opposing arguments presented by Rod Kawakami, Hirabayashi's lead attorney, and Justice Dept. attorney Victor Stone. No date is set for Judge Voorhees' ruling.

## Class Action Suit

**July 13**—William Hohri, Ellen Carson and Lloyd Wake of National Council for Japanese American Redress (NCJAR), which seeks redress through class action suit filed in 1983, participate in redress "summit" with groups seeking passage of redress bills in Congress. All groups agree to support both efforts; NCJAR proposes introducing enabling legislation in Congress to allow lawsuit to proceed; suit was dismissed in May 1984 on grounds that statute of limitations had passed.

**Sept. 24**—Attorneys for NCJAR and U.S. government present their cases before District of Columbia Court of Appeals. NCJAR argues that suit was possible only after key government

documents were recently made available; government contends former internees could have filed suit soon after WW2 but failed to do so. No date is set for decision.

**Oct. 5**—Attorney Peter Irons, speaking at joint redress program, says two of three judges in NCJAR's appeal, Skelly Wright and Ruth Ginsburg, have excellent civil rights records and may therefore be sympathetic to plaintiffs.

## Remembrances of JA WW2 Experience

**Jan. 8**—Calif. Assemblyman Phillip Isenberg (D-Sacramento) introduces AB 198, a bill calling for the removal of Section 19573, a 1942 law which sanctioned dismissal of state employees with dual citizenship and was used

to fire 314 Nisei working for state. Isenberg says law was created for the sole purpose of firing JAs.

**Feb. 16-17**—American Indians living in Poston, Ariz., site of WW2 camp, host a reunion, sponsored by Baptist Church, with JAs who were interned there.

**Feb. 17**—"Day of Remembrance" program held in San Jose, Calif.

**Feb. 19**—Memorial to symbolize internment, created by ceramic artist Yoshio Taylor and poet Hiroshi Kashiwagi, is unveiled at Sacramento County Building.

Berkeley City Council votes to designate Feb. 19 (the anniversary of President Roosevelt's signing of Executive Order 9066, which led to evacuation and internment) as a Day of Remembrance and to compensate JA city employees fired during WW2.

City of Seattle makes final payments to three Nisei—Thomas Kobayashi, Sumiko Haji Kuriyama and Ruth Kazama—who were fired from their city jobs in 1942 because of their ancestry. Law authorizing payments was passed in 1984.

Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors unanimously passes resolution declaring every Feb. 19 a Day of Remembrance.

Day of Remembrance programs also held in Salinas, Calif., and Chicago.

**Feb. 23**—Calif. Supreme Court Chief Justice Rose Bird is guest speaker at San Francisco Day of Remembrance program.

Day of Remembrance programs also held in New York and Gardena, Calif.

**March 4**—New York Times reports Karl Bendetsen, who advocated and oversaw WW2 internment as a War Dept. and Western Defense Command official, is now a key advisor in Reagan Administration's "Star Wars" project and has easy access to President.

**March 7**—Univ. of Calif. regent Yori Wada says he considers internment "evil" but opposes redress because many older JAs have died and U.S. "has repaid in the kind of lives we live."

**March 16**—"Born Free and Equal," an exhibit of Manzanar photos taken by the late Ansel Adams in 1943, goes

Continued on Next Page



## Asian Americans and Politics

**Feb. 3**—Newly elected Democratic National Committee chair Paul Kirk declares political caucuses such as those for Asians, Blacks, and Hispanics are "nonsense" and that he will end them.

**March**—Calif. Gov. George Deukmejian's office announces 32 Asian Americans have been appointed to managerial and advisory positions during his second term, making a total of 48 appointments during last two years.

**Apr. 9**—Charter Amendment 2, which would have added two seats to the Los Angeles city council and redrawn district lines in order to increase Asian and Hispanic voting power, is defeated by a 66%-34% vote.

**May 14**—Republican Richard Takechi is elected to the District 5 city council seat in Omaha, receiving 64% of the vote to incumbent Connie Findlay's 36%. Takechi previously served on the council 1977-81.

**May 17**—During an executive committee meeting, the Democratic National Committee strips the party's Asian Pacific Caucus of the official recognition it was given in 1983. AP Democrats widely condemn the move as an attempt to scapegoat minorities for the party's losses in the '84 elections.

**May 18-19**—About 250 take part in a special White House briefing for Asian American women; speakers include Bruce Chapman, deputy asst. to the President. A two-day conference of National Network of Asian and Pacific Women is held in conjunction with this event.

**May 21**—Coalition for Asian Pacific Americans for Fair Political Campaigns announces it will monitor the

Los Angeles city council campaign between challenger Mike Woo and incumbent Peggy Stevenson, charging that Stevenson used racial innuendos against Woo in the 1981 election, which Woo lost.

**June 4**—In runoff election against Stevenson, Woo becomes L.A.'s first Asian American city councilman with 58% of vote to Stevenson's 42%.

**June 6**—Honolulu city councilmen George Akahane, Rudy Pacarro and Toraki Matsumoto, elected as Democrats, switch to the Republican Party, enabling Republicans to gain control of council and oust former congresswoman Patsy Mink as council chair.

**June 15**—Randy Horiuchi, a partner in a government relations firm, is elected Utah Democratic state chair.

**June 28**—DNC chair Paul Kirk appoints Thomas Hsieh of San Francisco to the DNC executive committee and Sandy Mori, also of S.F., as an at-large DNC member.

**June 30**—Irene Natividad of New York becomes the first Asian American to head the National Women's Political Caucus, a 77,000-member group established to help put women in political office.

**July 3**—Los Angeles harbor commissioner Jun Mori is reappointed by Mayor Tom Bradley despite allegations of conflict of interest published in the L.A. Times. Two city attorneys have charged that Mori, as commissioner, participated in matters that could financially affect him in his capacity as an attorney.

**July 11**—Civil Service Commis-

# 1985 Chronology



Photo by Dean Wong

Irene Natividad, Pilipino American head of National Women's Political Caucus.

sioner Louis Hop Lee is endorsed by Chinese American Democratic Club as the most viable candidate to run for San Francisco board of supervisors in 1986. Also in the running is police commissioner Thomas Hsieh. Potential contenders Julie Tang and Ben Tom decline to run.

**Aug. 1**—Hawaii Gov. George Ariyoshi makes Corinne Watanabe the state's first woman attorney general. She had been acting attorney general since the resignation of Michael Lilly in May.

**Aug. 29**—San Francisco Asian Americans hold a reception for L.A. Mayor Tom Bradley, who is considering running for governor in '86. Among donors of \$100 or more, Asians made up 23% of Bradley's supporters in his last reelection bid.

**Sept. 10**—In Democratic primary for New York City's 2nd District city council seat, Virginia Kee, who had backing of Mayor Ed Koch, is defeated by incumbent Miriam Friedlander.

**Sept. 17**—Asian American candidates Bob Santos and Cheryl Chow, both seeking the Democratic nomination for Position 5 on the King County (Wash.) Council, lose to Ron Sims in primary. The vacancy was created by Ruby Chow's decision not to seek reelection.

**September**—Louis Hop Lee of San Francisco drops out of race for '86 board of supervisors election.

**Oct. 4**—Honolulu city councilman Toraki Matsumoto wins a dismissal of a sexual harassment claim filed against him by his former aide Lisa Conant.

**Oct. 5**—Honolulu city councilmen George Akahane, Rudy Pacarro and Toraki Matsumoto are ousted from office in a special recall election. Sen. Daniel Inouye had spoken out against them while President Reagan had given them his support.

**Nov. 5**—Yoshio Fujiwara, who gave up his Fremont (Calif.) city council seat to run for mayor, loses to fellow councilman Gus Morrison.

Successful candidates in California school districts include Ann Ito (San Mateo), Judy Chu (Garvey), Tonia Izu (Berryessa), Victor Nakamoto (Alum Rock), Richard Tanaka (Eastside High), and Michael Honda (San Jose).

**Nov. 13**—Democratic National Committee chair Paul Kirk proposes the formation of a national federation of Asian Pacific Democrats to form a link between communities and the party. Some Asian Democrats are skeptical as to whether the federation would be as powerful or effective as the now-defunct AP Caucus.

**Nov. 16**—A major Democratic outreach campaign directed at newly naturalized Asian American citizens is announced by Sens. Daniel Inouye (Hawaii) and Alan Cranston (Calif.), Calif. Assemblyman Mike Roos, and L.A. councilmen Mike Woo and Zev Yaroslavsky.

**Dec. 11**—Calif. Institute of Technology researcher Bruce Cain says results of a random survey of minorities, including 305 Asians, indicate an Asian preference for the Republican Party, with 67% of respondents saying they voted for Reagan in 1984.

More Chronology on p. 12, 13

## REMEMBRANCES

Continued from Previous Page

on view at Denver Art Museum, followed by appearances in Philadelphia June 14 and Los Angeles Oct. 19.

**March 20**—Former state employees Shiz Ueda and George Muraki testify before Calif. Assembly's Public Employees and Retirement Committee, describing how they were fired because of their race in 1942. Committee passes AB 198.

**March 26**—First broadcast of "Visible Target," a 30-minute documentary on the WW2 evacuation of Bainbridge Island JAs produced by PBS station KCTS-TV in Seattle.

**March**—Ruby Miura and Fuji Takachi, former Santa Clara County (Calif.) employees, are given approval for compensation for having been fired during WW2 because of their race. Law establishing payments was passed in 1984.

**Apr. 2**—President Reagan and other officials honor John McCloy, who oversaw internment as asst. secretary of war and now opposes redress, on his 90th birthday.

**Apr. 13**—Documentary "Nisei Soldier" by Loni Ding wins an Emmy in San Francisco for editing achievement.

**Apr. 27**—Manzanar, site of WW2 camp, is formally declared National Historic Landmark by National Park Service official in ceremony held during Manzanar Pilgrimage.

**Apr. 28**—Seattle Times asst. managing editor Lane Smith apologizes for an Apr. 14 article about redress opponents Mary Lou Winchell, Bob Auchter and Bill Kubrick. After protests from local JACL members, Smith agrees that opponents' argument "unfairly assigns guilt to Americans of Japanese descent for the Pearl Harbor attack" and that there is no evidence of spying or sabotage by JAs during WW2.

**May 10-11**—442nd vets and members of Texas "Lost Battalion," which 442nd rescued in Europe during WW2, hold reunion in Houston.

**May 11**—Attorney Hyman Bravin honored in L.A. by Nisei members of 1800th Army Engineer Gen. Service

Battalion for obtaining honorable discharges for them in 1981. Joining Army prior to Pearl Harbor, they were considered troublemakers because they protested internment of relatives.

**May 20**—Calif. State Assembly votes without debate to pass AB 198.

**May 24**—Secretary of Interior Don Hodel tells Rep. Norman Mineta (D-Calif.) he will recall Apr. 26 press release which says Manzanar was established "for protection against espionage and sabotage." Mineta and Rep. Don Edwards (D-Calif.) called statement false and misleading.

**June 14**—"Japanese American Experience" exhibit opens at Balch Institute for Ethnic Studies in Philadelphia.

During same week, an agreement is reached whereby reproductions will be made of "Born Free and Equal." Part of Balch exhibit, the Adams photos have been unexpectedly recalled by Library of Congress. Curator Emily Medvec suspects government censorship; Rep. Norman Mineta disagrees.

**July**—Pasadena, Calif.-based Inner Circle Productions announces plans to produce 10- or 12-hour TV mini-series on JA WW2 experience, called "U.S. on Trial," for possible 1987 broadcast. Input from JACL and other community groups is solicited.

**Aug. 16**—Japanese Peruvians interned in U.S. during WW2 and refused reentry to Peru afterwards, at reunion in L.A., express desire to be included in U.S. redress legislation.

**Aug. 22**—Calif. State Senate passes bill, introduced by Sen. Art Torres (D-S. Pasadena), providing \$750,000 for Japanese American National Museum in L.A. if city puts up \$1 million in matching funds.

**August**—Smithsonian Institution formally confirms that its 1987 exhibit commemorating 200th anniversary of Constitution will include Japanese American experience; Go For Broke, Inc., is asked for assistance.

**Sept. 2**—Yankee Samurai exhibit of Go For Broke dedicated at Adm. Nimitz State Historical Park in Fredericksburg, Texas.

**Sept. 4**—AB 198 is passed in State Senate by 22-0 vote.

**Sept. 12**—Calif. State Assembly passes JANM funding bill by 57-20 vote.

**Sept. 24**—Calif. Gov. George Deukmejian signs both AB 198 and JANM funding bill.

**Oct. 12**—Dedication of a commemorative plaque is held at Minidoka, Idaho, site of WW2 camp, during JACL Intermountain and Pacific Northwest conference. Speakers include Idaho Gov. John Evans, Sen. James McClure (R) and Rep. Richard Stallings (R).

**Nov. 10**—Clarence Matsumoto, who was with 552nd Field Artillery Battalion when Dachau, Germany death camp was liberated, is one of 11 honorees at Simon Wiesenthal Center dinner in L.A.

**Nov. 15**—"Nisei Soldier" wins gold medal in history and biography category at International Film & Television Festival in New York.

## JAs and U.S.-Japan Relations

**Jan. 2**—JACL president Frank Sato and v.p. Rose Ochi meet with Japan's prime minister Yasuhiro Nakasone in Los Angeles to express concern about effects of U.S.-Japan trade tensions on Japanese Americans.

**March 2**—Chrysler chairman Lee Iacocca, speaking at House Democratic Caucus meeting, states, "While we stack the missiles up in the front yard, all aimed at our enemy [Russia], our friend [Japan] is taking over the back yard." Rep. Robert Matsui (D-Calif.) says Iacocca is trying to create "anti-Japanese feeling... the same thing my parents heard and I heard before we were sent to internment camps."

**March 23**—At JACL Pacific Southwest conference, Los Angeles consul general Taizo Watanabe and other panelists say JAs can help educate other Americans about Japan's side in trade dispute.

**March 31**—Four-year quota on restrictions of Japanese auto exports to U.S. are lifted; Japan announces it will increase auto shipments, touching off hostility toward Japan in Congress. Rep. John Dingell (D-Mich.) says, "We should deal with the Japanese the same way we deal with the Russians" and describes mood in Congress as "An eye for an eye."



Photo by Ken Kitamura, K-West News

Prime Minister Yasuhiro Nakasone (right) discusses U.S.-Japan relations with JACL President Frank Sato and Vice President Rose Ochi.

**March**—JA community members raise concerns about 1984 ad campaign which portrays Hyster, a Portland-based lift truck company, as being at war with Japan and allegedly uses photos showing the Japanese as menacing.

Glen Fukushima of Los Angeles assumes post of Director for Japan in Office of U.S. Trade Representative in Washington D.C. He will help formulate U.S. trade policy toward Japan.

**Apr. 21**—Editorial in Seattle Times links anti-Japan sentiment and hostility toward Asian Americans.

**April**—JACL president Sato and national director Ron Wakabayashi visit Japan, meet with Nakasone and other officials.

Delegation of Sansei, consisting of John Tateishi, Mike Mitoma, Debra Nakatomi, Kris Ikejiri, Beth Renge and Michael Honda, visits Japan at invitation of Liberal Democratic Party.

L.A.-based Japanese American Republicans issues resolution supporting President Reagan's free-trade policies and condemning protectionist sentiment in Congress, which "would have a negative impact on the Japanese American community."

**May 17-19**—JACL National Board decides to continue participation in LDP-sponsored delegations with provision that selection criteria be clarified.

**May**—Michael Yoshitsu is appointed North American Deputy Director of Trilateral Commission in New York. He

will edit position papers on relations between U.S., Japan and Western Europe.

**June 5**—Economist and author William Ouchi states that JAs can help U.S.-Japan relations on an individual, informal basis but that an organization formally placing itself in an intermediary position "will be more a hindrance than a help."

**July 27**—JACL hosts reception in San Francisco for LDP International Bureau director Wataru Hiraizumi.

**Sept. 20**—Reps. Norman Mineta and Robert Matsui (both D-Calif.), interviewed in Wall Street Journal, express concern about anti-Japan sentiment. "When congressmen talk about the trade problem today, they use the rhetoric of war," says Mineta. "So we start thinking about 1942 and the evacuation. I just hope this trade tension doesn't explode into any kind of racial tension."

**Sept. 20-22**—National JACL Board calls for a moratorium on LDP-sponsored trips until May 1986. A number of JACL members have criticized the trips, saying that U.S.-Japan relations are beyond the goals and expertise of JACL and that trips may create impression that JAs are spokesmen for Japan.

**Nov. 12**—Public relations consultant Henry Grover places ads in Houston Chronicle and Dallas Morning News promoting bumper stickers with such slogans as "Remember Pearl Harbor/Save American Jobs."



## Anti-Asian Violence

**Oct. 27-Nov. 3, 1984**—Philadelphia Commission on Human Relations holds hearings on increasing violence against Asian refugees in West Philadelphia and Logan section. During past year, a Vietnamese student's neck was broken and a Hmong had both legs broken and his skull damaged. Reiko Gaspar of JACL testifies about hostility toward Asians among local Blacks and Julianna Mark-Le of Chinese Resource Center says Asians have found their reports are not taken seriously by police. Councilwoman Joan Spector initiated hearings. Mayor Wilson Goode's response is to tour West Powelton area and declare attacks were not racially motivated.

**Dec. 3, 1984**—Lisa Manibog-Lew and Lana Manibog, daughters of Monterey Park, Calif. city councilman Monty Manibog, are allegedly assaulted by a Highway Patrol officer and two sheriff's deputies after being pulled over on the San Bernardino Freeway. Criminal complaints against the officers are filed at federal, state and local levels.

**Jan. 2**—Four white men are arrested for attempting to break into home of Kiet Tien, an ethnic Chinese from Vietnam living in Grand Ledge, Mich., with intent to commit murder. Tien has reportedly been harassed for past four years. Asian American community leaders meet with Tien family and local officials to deal with situation.

**Jan. 3**—Washington Post reports that a largely Korean Buddhist congregation in Columbia, Md., is relocating to Baltimore because of harassment. Windows and lights have been shot out at house where services have been held, mailbox has been stolen several times, cars have driven across lawn and tires of parked cars have been slashed.

**Jan. 11**—Chinese immigrant Pei Lin Lei, a restaurant owner in Boston, is harassed and beaten by a gang of white teenagers. He later sells his restaurant.

**Jan. 14**—Timothy Johnson of U.S. Dept. of Justice's Community Relations Service meets with New York Chinatown community leaders in order to document incidents of racial violence.

**Jan. 22**—James Pierman, convicted in 1984 of voluntary manslaughter in stabbing death of Thong Hy Huynh, a student at Davis (Calif.) High School, is sentenced to six years at California

Youth Authority and will be eligible for parole in three years. Asian American observers of the trial, including victim's mother, complain that manslaughter verdict and sentence were inappropriate because Pierman and a friend had harassed Vietnamese students on numerous occasions before the killing.

**Jan. 30**—The body of 8-year-old Jean Har-Kaw Fewel, a native of Hong Kong, is found hanging from a tree near Univ. of North Carolina. George Fisher of Hillsborough is arrested Feb. 3 and charged with murder, kidnapping and rape.

**January**—Mahasiddha Nyinigapa Center, a Buddhist temple in Hawley, Mass., which was burned down by angry Vietnam vets a year ago, is reopened after other vets from around the country helped rebuild it. The congregation is nearly all white.

**Feb. 1**—Daniel Barrera, who abducted, molested and killed 9-year-old Jenny Kao of Pasadena, Calif., in March 1982, is resentenced from life without possibility of parole to 25 years to life by State Court of Appeal.

**Feb. 4**—Kiet Tien of Grand Ledge, Mich., and brother Cuong are charged with creating a public disturbance because of fight which broke out Dec. 25 after they were harassed by three white men, one of whom is also charged. The brothers plead not guilty.

**March 20**—Davis Asians for Racial Equality (DARE), formed to combat anti-Asian violence, holds meeting in which recent incidents are discussed and preventive steps are suggested.

**March 21**—House Judicial Subcommittee on Criminal Justice holds hearing on HR 1171, a bill that would require FBI to collect statistics on crimes motivated by prejudice. Bill is supported by co-sponsor Rep. Norman Mineta (D-Calif.) and opposed by Reagan Administration officials, who say statistics would be too difficult to compile and suggest that news clippings be collected instead.

**March 30**—American Citizens for Justice (ACJ), a Detroit-based coalition formed in response to 1982 Vincent Chin killing, marks second anniversary

and pledges to continue efforts at curbing anti-Asian violence.

**Apr. 4**—Allen Duong, Vietnamese Chinese owner of restaurant sold by Pei Lin Lei (see Jan. 11), is beaten by two white youths who had robbed him of food earlier. Duong has reported numerous incidents of harassment. The words "Gook sucks" are scratched into the restaurant's window.

**Apr. 17**—Boston trial of Robert Glass, charged in 1983 killing of Anh Mai and stabbing of three other Vietnamese refugees in Dorchester, opens. Defense attorney Paul Buckley says Glass had been surrounded and attacked by the Vietnamese and lashed out with a knife in self defense. Members of Asian for Justice coalition observe trial.

**May 1**—Glass is convicted of first-degree murder and three counts each of assault with intent to murder and assault and battery with a deadly weapon; he is sentenced to life in prison.

In Boston, Chinese immigrant Long Guang Huang is beaten and arrested by police detective Francis Kelly, who alleges that Huang solicited a prostitute, resisted arrest and threw the first punch; Huang and witnesses say he was walking down street when Kelly grabbed and hit him.

**May 9**—Newly formed Committee to Support Long Guang Huang demands charges against Huang be dropped and that Kelly be investigated and suspended.

**May 25**—Hung Hua, Hung Tran and Chuong Chung, ethnic Chinese from Vietnam, are terrorized by about 30 white males who break into their Boston home; eight are arrested. Hung says he and housemates have been discourteously treated since moving into neighborhood.

**May 27**—Four Cambodians are assaulted by a group of white youths while walking on Boston's east side. No suspects are identified.

**May 1**—Sacramento's city and county Human Rights/Fair Housing Commission begins collecting data on incidents of harassment of minorities.

**July 23**—House unanimously passes "Hate Crimes" Statistics Act. Co-spon-

sor Mineta hopes bill will refute idea that incidents are "anecdotal" and "not acceptable evidence of any pattern or trend." Bill goes on to Senate for consideration.

**Aug. 14**—Bun Vong, a native of Cambodia living in Lowell, Mass., dies 10 days after being beaten by two whites, Scott Arsenault and John Febbi, on Veterans Parkway. Another Cambodian, Som Bunyoeun, is slightly injured.

New York Times reports the recent burning of a Revere, Mass., house where five Cambodian families had been living.

**Aug. 23**—In Boston, Long Guang Huang is found not guilty of soliciting and assault and battery on a police officer. Police detective Francis Kelly, facing charges of excessive force in the case, is immediately suspended.

**Aug. 31**—"Night Stalker" suspect Richard Ramirez is captured in Los Angeles. Six of 14 known Stalker victims are Asian: Dayle Okazaki of Rosemead and Tsai-Lian Yu of Monterey Park (both killed March 17), William Doi of Monterey Park (May 14), Chain-arong Khovananth of Sun Valley (July 20), Elyas Abowath of Diamond Bar (Aug. 8), and Peter Pan of San Francisco (Aug. 17). Assaults attributed to the killer include the sexual molestation of a Chinese American girl Feb. 25 and a JA boy March 11.

**Sept. 6**—Boston detective Francis Kelly is found guilty of falsifying records and using excessive force in Long Guang Huang arrest and is sentenced to one-year suspension without pay. Observers at trial say Kelly's attorney, Thomas Troy, suggested Huang was a communist and remarked, "I won't get too close to him because he might throw in a couple of karate punches."

**Sept. 16**—An unidentified commercial fishing boat fires on three Vietnamese fishermen three miles off California's Bolinas Bay. Bullets are found on deck, but no one is injured. Vietnamese Fishermen Assn. of Oakland complains authorities have been slow to investigate. Anti-Vietnamese harassment has been reported in Berkeley Marina, Moss Beach and Half Moon Bay.

**Sept. 24**—Mass. Atty. Gen. Francis Bellotti obtains court orders barring six East Boston youths from harassing Vietnamese residents. The six had spat on their victims, shouted racial slurs and vandalized their cars.

**Oct. 3**—John Cardinale of New York is found guilty of the February 1984 murder of Ly Yung Cheung, whom he pushed in front of an oncoming subway train. Defense attorney Martin Geduldig argued that Cardinale is "a sick man" who believed he was being pursued by Asian demons trying to rob him of his manhood. Asst. Dist. Atty. Kim Hogrefe said Cardinale "acted with depraved indifference and lack of concern for human life."

**Oct. 7**—More than 15 individuals and groups, including JACL, Filipino Immigrant Services of Oakland and Asian Law Caucus, call for stronger protection against racial violence at a hearing of Calif. Atty. Gen.'s Commission on Racial, Ethnic, Religious and Minority Violence. Testifiers note that many victims of harassment are unaware of anti-discrimination laws.

**Oct. 8**—In response to Sept. 16 shooting, Vietnamese and non-Vietnamese fishermen, FBI, and local police hold meeting, organized by Assemblyman Art Agnos (D-San Francisco). Misunderstandings between two groups of fishers are discussed and Coast Guard agrees to respond more quickly to future attacks.

**Oct. 26-27**—Conference on anti-Asian violence held by National Asian Pacific American Law Students Assn. at Boston College Law School.

**October**—Philadelphia Human Relations Commission concludes study of Asian-Black tensions in Philadelphia, S.F., N.Y. and L.A. Locally, 38 confrontations have been recorded between Jan. 1984 and July 1985. Report notes that most violence has been directed at Southeast Asian refugees and that resettlement agencies have failed to inform both sides of cultural differences.

**Nov. 6**—In Boston, John Febbi and Scott Arsenault are indicted on charges of manslaughter and assault and battery for Aug. 14 death of Bun Vong. Febbi has applied for criminal complaint against Som Bunyoeun, who survived attack, charging that Cambodians initiated violence.

## Slurs and Stereotypes

**Dec. 17, 1984**—In front of Penthouse's New York offices, a crowd of 80 (five of whom are arrested) protests photos in the magazine depicting Asian and Black women in bondage and hung from trees.

**Jan. 4**—Idaho State Sen. Walter Yarbrough (R-Grand View) says, in reference to selling beef to Japan, "When you start dealing with those slant-eyes, you'd better be pretty sharp." He later states that he "didn't mean it as degrading" and that "All the Japanese are my good friends." He is criticized by Pocatello Blackfoot JACL.

**Jan. 7**—A readerboard in front of a 7-Eleven store in Kent, Wash., is reworded by vandals to read "Get gooks and nips." It originally read, "Look, it happened again—two percent milk \$1.79 a gallon."

**January**—Some negative reaction from Asian Americans results when white actor Joel Grey is cast as an elderly Korean in the Orion film "Remo Williams." The film's producers state that none of the Asian actors tested were suitable for the part.

**Feb. 12**—New York Asian American representatives urge 20th Century Fox not to revive 22 Charlie Chan films for distribution to N.Y. and San Francisco television.

**Feb. 25**—WXON-TV in Southfield, Mich., announces that it is dropping segments of its "Martial Arts Theater" in which host Jim Harper, with eye makeup, Fu Manchu moustache, buck teeth and accented English, impersonated an Asian. The Detroit-based American Citizens for Justice has



A coalition of Los Angeles-area Asian Americans staged a march in front of Mann's Chinese Theater in Hollywood on August 23.

charged that the character perpetuated negative stereotypes.

**March 18**—Assn. of Asian Pacific American Artists honors individuals who have promoted positive and realistic images of Asians, including the producers of TV shows "Quincy" and "St. Elsewhere" and movies "Karate Kid" and "Killing Fields." (The two films lead to best supporting actor Oscar nominations for stars Pat Morita and Haing Ngor, who wins award in April.)

**March 29**—Shooting begins in Los Angeles on a film, "Border of the Tong," based on the 1983 Wah Mee massacre in Seattle. Asian American groups in Seattle charge that the film will play up stereotypes about China-

town and Asian gangs.

**March**—In Los Angeles, Chinatown Merchants Assn. and L.A. Chinatown Corp. demand mandatory script review before allowing TV and movie location filming in Chinese community.

Universal Pictures reaches agreement with coalition of Asian Americans who protested a character named Long Duk Dong (played by Gedde Watanabe) in 1984 film "Sixteen Candles." Two scenes will be removed from videocassette version (though the word "Chinaman" is left in) and studio will enable Asian American writers to submit scripts for possible production.

**Apr. 15**—In a Washington Post interview, Sen. Paul Trible (R-Va.), discussing Vietnam War, says "Asians have

no value for life." The statement is blasted by Rep. Norman Mineta (D-Calif.), JACL president Frank Sato, and a number of Washington-area Asian Pacific groups. Trible says he was misquoted, but Post reporter Myra Macpherson says quote is accurate and also quotes Trible as saying, "In the Asian world they do not share the same Judeo-Christian values of life."

During a broadcast on radio station KZLA in Albuquerque, Ford salesman Jerry Groner blames Japan for U.S. economic ills, using such phrases as "Jap car" and "calling the Japs 'Japs'." When Henry Watson of New Mexico JACL complains to program director J. Howard Deme, he is told, "Jap" isn't a derogatory term and no apology is appropriate.

**April**—Colorado State Sen. Ray Powers (R-Colorado Springs) says a Hawaii-based Japanese American firm, Koga Engineering & Construction, shouldn't have gotten a state contract because "the Japanese bombed Pearl Harbor." Mile-Hi JACL and Organization of Chinese Americans protest the remark.

A second album is released by Nip Drivers, an all-white rock band based in Torrance, Calif.

**May 16**—In a letter to JACL Washington rep Tim Gojio, Sen. Trible says his remarks were "directed at the wartime conduct of the Marxist regime of North Vietnam" and were not intended as a generalization about Asians.

**June 9**—Ken Nakano of Pacific Northwest District JACL announces "Operation Meiyo," a project to secure universal recognition of "JPN" as offi-

cial abbreviation of "Japan" and "Japanese" in dictionaries, the media, etc. Publishing companies in Japan are also being asked to comply.

**June 21**—In response to protests about JAPSS hair salon, West Hollywood Mayor Valerie Terrigno says she will ask city attorney to see if any state or federal law prohibits racially offensive signs; there is no such city law.

**Aug. 16**—Asian Americans picket theater in New York showing Michael Cimino's film "Year of the Dragon," charging that its racist white hero and Chinese mobsters promote anti-Asian sentiment. Pickets in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle and Boston follow. JACL, Organization of Chinese Americans, L.A. City Councilman Mike Woo and others also voice objections.

**Aug. 19**—In a front-page article in Long Beach (Calif.) Press-Telegram, a reporter describes a winning entry in a sand sculpture contest (which the newspaper co-sponsored) as "a larger-than-life, buck-toothed Chinaman." After local Chinese Americans protest slur and large photo of the caricature accompanying story, newspaper apologizes in its Aug. 26 issue.

**Aug. 26**—JAPSS hair salon is vandalized, with one sign stolen and the other spray-painted. No suspects are apprehended and no group claims responsibility.

**Aug. 29**—MGM/UA chairman Frank Rothman announces that studio will add disclaimer to "Year of the Dragon" in L.A. and N.Y. theaters stating that film "does not intend to demean... positive features of Asian American... com-



## Civil Rights

**Jan. 23**—Sen. Spark Matsunaga (D-Hawaii) joins 16 other senators in sponsoring Equal Rights Amendment.

**Jan. 26**—President Reagan says some civil rights organizations are no longer needed because they have accomplished their goals but continue "to keep the people stirred up as if the cause still exists."

**Feb. 8**—William Bradford Reynolds of Justice Dept.'s Civil Rights Division says court-ordered job preferences for minorities and women are on the way out.

**March 5**—U.S. Commission on Civil Rights chair Clarence Pendleton says Black leaders are themselves racists who refuse to help Reagan create a "color blind" society. Angry at his remarks, NAACP, NOW, Mexican American Legal Defense & Education Fund and other groups boycott commission hearings on affirmative action the next day.

**Apr. 2**—Justice Dept. announces it has asked 56 city, county and state governments to abolish race and sex quotas in their affirmative action plans. New York and Los Angeles are among cities that decline to do so.

**Apr. 26**—Federal Communications Commission rules that "racist and anti-Semitic" broadcasts are protected by First Amendment free speech rights. Case involves Kansas radio station that urged listeners to kill Jews and denounced other groups, including Vietnamese.

**May 16**—During Los Angeles visit, Clarence Pendleton says he agrees with perception of Asians as "model minority" and praises them for "quietly" relying on their own strength to succeed rather than "protesting loudly" like other minorities and demanding government help.

**May 20**—9th Circuit Court of Appeals rules in favor of San Francisco State students arrested in 1969 confrontation with then-school president S.I. Hayakawa and orders the arrests taken off the students' transcripts and payment of their legal fees. Hayakawa calls decision "ridiculous" because mass arrests were "completely constitutional."

**June**—U.S. District Judge Robert Takasugi declines reappointment to Calif. State Advisory Committee to U.S. Commission on Civil Rights, saying Pendleton's major objective is "to abolish civil rights."

**July 2**—JACL and other civil rights organizations announce support of Civil Rights Restoration Act of 1985, introduced in response to Supreme Court's 1984 *Grove City* decision, under

which a college program can continue to receive federal funds even if another program in the same college practices discrimination.

**Sept. 26**—Secretary of Education William Bennett's statement that he will seek to deregulate federal bilingual education programs by giving local school districts more autonomy draws negative response from Bay Area Chinese Americans, who say such a move could encourage districts to abolish bilingual education.

**Nov. 26**—Rep. Norman Mineta (D-Calif.) protests Bennett's decision earlier this month to abolish Education Dept.'s Office of Asian and Pacific Concerns and Office of Hispanic Concerns.

**Dec. 4**—Asian American students, excluded from original language of Higher Education Act Reauthorization bill in House, are restored by amendment introduced by Rep. Sala Burton (D-Calif.) and will continue to be counted as minorities when schools receive federal funds.

## Discrimination Cases

**Dec. 19, 1984**—Preliminary hearing held in Sacramento in case of Dexter Del Mar, a Filipino American who charges that he was called a "Jap" and shoved out of an exercise club by the owner, Sherman Chavoor.

**December**—Hawaii chapter of NAACP charges that the Atlantis Club of Pacific Beach Hotel, site of 1984 JACL National Convention, discriminates against Blacks.

**Jan. 31—Feb. 2**—Filipino delegates at assembly of Asian American United Methodists in San Francisco charge that their group is underrepresented among board members and nominees.

**Feb. 7**—Derrick Bell, Univ. of Oregon Law School dean, resigns in protest of the school's refusal to hire a Chinese American woman to the faculty. Three faculty members had insisted that she was kept in the applicant pool only because she is a minority.

**Feb. 16**—Speaking at JACL Inter-mountain District meeting, Betty Waki, teacher at Sharpstown High School in Houston, says she will pursue her case against school district through community political action rather than the courts. Her job is in danger because she is classified as white; district does not recognize Asians as separate group.

**March 19**—At a public hearing, lawyers charge that Houston Housing Authority "steered" Vietnamese refu-

vets raised the money for their monument without using public funds and that JAs should do the same.

**Oct. 3**—Iowa Agriculture Secretary Robert Lounsbury apologizes for a statement he made Sept. 30 in reference to Japanese: "Talking about the slant eyes, I still don't trust them..." He had initially denied using the slur.

**Nov. 12**—Bay Area Coalition Against "Year of the Dragon" holds protest in San Francisco against a 20th Century Fox film still in production, "Big Trouble in Little China," which coalition members say will promote a "dangerous image" of Asians.

**Nov. 18**—In response to JACL national director Ron Wakabayashi's complaint about an editorial titled "How to Gyp the Japs," The New Republic, an influential magazine, says, "'Japs' is not an ethnic slur, like 'Niggers' or 'Kikes'... It is a national nickname."

**November**—Asian American Resource Workshop in Boston is awarded \$10,000 by Mass. Council on the Arts & Humanities to produce a videotape on images of Asians in the media.

**Dec. 5**—West Hollywood city council holds public hearing on JAPSS hair salon. Representatives of NCRR and JACL support passage of an ordinance prohibiting businesses from using slurs; attorney for JAPSS owners says law would violate free speech rights.

# 1985 Chronology

gees to an inner city housing project, allowed project to decline and evicted the Vietnamese in order to tear down project and sell the land for a profit, apparently in the belief that evicting Vietnamese would cause less uproar than evicting Blacks.

**March**—Tom Ohgi and Wally Shishido, both Los Angeles County Health Services Dept. employees for over 20 years, file a complaint with Calif. Dept. of Fair Employment alleging that they have been repeatedly passed over for promotion because of their race. A class action suit against the county is considered.

**July**—Washington, D.C.-area Asian American groups raise concerns about over 90 Asian refugee families being evicted from Chillum Heights Apartments in King Georges County, Md. Many of the tenants have already relocated more than once since arriving in the U.S.

Critics see a UCLA Communications Board proposal to merge the school's Asian, Black, Hispanic, and other minority newspapers into a single monthly publication as an attempt to limit or control the papers' editorial content.

**Aug. 21**—L.A. County Civil Service Commission hearings in pharmacist Carole Fujita's sex discrimination case against County Dept. of Health Services begin; further hearings held in October and November. Fujita charges she was not rated fairly in a promotional examination and that requirements were changed for a male applicant after he was promoted.

**Sept. 9**—Calif. State Personnel Board holds hearing on discrimination charges by education consultant Jessie Furukawa against state Dept. of Education. She says she was demoted and fired for advocating programs for Asian immigrants and supporting equal employment opportunities for Asians within the department.

**Sept. 12**—Un Chong Kerr, a Korean immigrant whose lawsuit charging her employer with sexual harassment drew community support in 1984, dies in Sunnyvale, Calif. (see necrology). Her husband Michael, saying that sexual harassment caused his wife's ill health and eventual death, vows to continue suit against San Francisco Community College District and his wife's employer, William Tresnon.

**Sept. 19**—Wally Shishido announces he has been made a chief sanitarian in L.A. County's Health Services Dept.

after 10 years of eligibility for promotion. An administrative complaint on behalf of Tom Ohgi and other Asian employees is still being planned.

**Oct. 28**—Settlement reached in Jessie Furukawa case. As part of agreement, terms cannot be publicly disclosed, but Furukawa says she is pleased with outcome.

**Nov. 8**—James Ristow, former employee of Toshiba America in Tustin, Calif., files suit against the Japanese company, alleging that it discriminates against Americans in its hiring practices.

## Other Major Stories of 1985

**Action Against Apartheid**—Asian Americans take part in protests in front of South African embassy and consulates; those arrested include Stan Shikuma, former JACL PNWDC assistant, Pacifica Radio exec. director Sharon Maeda and Jack and Aiko Herzog of NCJAR. JACL Board condemns apartheid, reviews investments to ensure none are with businesses dealing with South Africa. Anti-apartheid educational for Asian Americans held in Los Angeles and San Francisco.

**Henry Liu Case**—Members of Congress, including Rep. Norman Mineta (D-Calif.), criticize the Reagan Administration for its silence on the 1984 murder of Henry Liu, a critic of the Taiwan government, in Daly City, Calif. The two alleged assassins, caught and tried in Taiwan, are found to have ties to a high intelligence official, who is also tried. Liu's supporters believe Taiwan is covering up involvement of higher-level officials; House demands extradition of the killers but Taiwan refuses.

**Fumiko Kimura Case**—Kimura, a native of Japan, drowns her two children in an unsuccessful suicide attempt in Santa Monica in January. Her case, which many see as having cultural overtones, attracts nationwide attention and draws support from JAs who question whether she can receive a fair trial in an American court. She pleads no contest to manslaughter and is released on probation in November.



Photo by Sachi Yamamoto

**DOWN TO EARTH**—Astronaut Ellison Onizuka was grand marshal of the Nisei Week parade held Aug. 11 in L.A.'s Little Tokyo.

**Asians in Space**—Air Force Maj. Ellison Onizuka, 38, a native of Kona, Hawaii, becomes first Asian American in space Jan. 23 as a crew member of space shuttle Discovery. Dr. Taylor Wang goes aloft in shuttle Challenger Apr. 29.

**Anniversaries** of events significant to Asian Americans are marked in programs and media events throughout the year. 100 years have passed since a ship brought first Japanese government contract laborers to work in Hawaii sugar plantations; 40 years since WW2 ended with the destruction of Hiroshima and Nagasaki by atomic bombs; and 10 years since Vietnam War ended and mass exodus of Southeast Asian refugees to U.S. began.

**JACL/Pacific Citizen Typesetter Fund**  
941 E. 3rd St., Rm. 200  
Los Angeles, CA 90013

**CAMPBELL'S flowers**  
Across St. John's Hosp.  
2032 Santa Monica Blvd.  
Santa Monica, CA  
KIRK ISHIZUKA 828-0911

## SLURS

Continued from Page 12

munities" and any similarity between film's portrayals and real Asians "is accidental."

**Sept. 9**—Rep. Norman Mineta criticizes "Year of the Dragon" as "a narrow and twisted portrayal" of Chinese Americans that "results only in racism."

**Sept. 12**—During debate over a bill providing state funds for Japanese American National Museum, Calif. Assemblyman Gil Ferguson (R-Newport Beach) opposes the measure, saying "I remind you of WW2" and eliciting chants of "Rambo, Rambo" from fellow Republicans. His remarks are denounced by Assemblyman Richard Floyd (D-Hawthorne) and Rep. Robert Matsui (D-Calif.).

**Sept. 14**—National Coalition for Redress/Reparations and other community groups stage first of several pickets in front of JAPSS hair salon.

**Sept. 17**—JACL, Nisei vets and other community members hold press conference in San Francisco to condemn Assemblyman Ferguson's remarks. The next day, S.F. Examiner runs an editorial, titled "Take Back That Insult," joining in the criticism.

**Sept. 20**—Ferguson states he was quoted out of context and that his WW2 remark referred to fact that Marine

**Funke's**

LARGEST STOCK OF POPULAR & CLASSIC JAPANESE RECORDS, MAGAZINES, ART BOOKS, GIFTS

Two Stores in Little Tokyo  
300 E. 1st - 340 E. 1st  
Los Angeles, CA - (213) 625-0123  
625-0123 - 625-8673  
S. Uyeyama, Prop.

**THE SHORT SHOP**

FASHION CLOTHING FOR THE SHORTER MAN

**SHORT MEN 4'10" - 5'7"**

EVERYTHING IN YOUR SPECIAL SIZES  
X-SHORT • SHORT • PORTLY SHORT  
30"-31"-32" SLEEVE LENGTHS

1275 Market Street  
SAN FRANCISCO (415) 864-7140  
1233 Broadway Plaza  
WALNUT CREEK (415) 930-0371  
103 Town & Country Village  
PALO ALTO (415) 321-5991  
683 Fashion Valley  
SAN DIEGO (619) 296-9210  
Call or Write for Free Catalog

## Books from Pacific Citizen

As of JUNE 1, 1985

Some books listed previously are out of stock at the PC.

### RECENT ARRIVALS

**The Lost Years: 1942-1946.** Edited by Sue Kunitomi Embrey. Features "Why It Happened Here" by Roger Daniels (1967), a historian's view of the Evacuation after 25 years... Pictures, poems and pieces of camp life... Selected bibliography.  
\$5.00 ppd, softcover.

**Little Tokyo: 100 Years in Pictures.** By Ichiro Murase. A medley of images of Little Tokyo's past; 160 pp.  
\$21.25 ppd, softcover.

**Private War of Dr. Yamada.** by Lee Ruttle. Novel based upon author's experiences as a U.S. Marine in Peleliu and the Japanese army doctor torn by effects of war and his own humanitarianism.  
\$12.50 ppd, hardcover.

### CURRENTLY AVAILABLE

**JACL in Quest of Justice.** By Bill Hosokawa. The JACL Story—not only for members and its critics but for new Americans to understand how one minority group was able to overcome discrimination.  
\$13.75 ppd, hardcover.

**Thirty-Five Years in the Frying Pan.** by Bill Hosokawa. Selections from his popular column in the Pacific Citizen with background material and running commentary.  
\$11.20 ppd, hardcover.

**Through Harsh Winters: The Life of a Japanese Immigrant Woman.** By Akemi Kikumura. An Issei mother's ability to triumph over hardship, loneliness and despair will be familiar to all immigrants who have made America their home.  
\$8.20 ppd, soft. Autographed copy available.

PLEASE SEND BOOKS TO:

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City, State, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Prices subject to change without notice.

POSTAL INSURANCE (U.S. only) extra:

First \$20 value, add 45¢; Up to \$50: add 85¢ (PC insures order over \$50)

Make check payable to PACIFIC CITIZEN,  
941 East 3rd Street, Mezz., Los Angeles, CA 90013

**Comfort All Who Mourn.** By H V Nicholson and Margaret Wilke. Life story of Herbert and Madeline Nicholson. Includes first-hand account of WW2 internment of Japanese Americans.  
\$7.20 ppd, softcover.

**Justice at War.** By Peter Irons. The behind-the-scenes story of the Yasui, Hirabayashi and Korematsu cases of WW2 and the current campaign to reverse the wartime convictions of these three.  
\$10.00 ppd, softcover.

**The Niihau Incident.** By Allan Beekman. Fascinating, highly entertaining, informative history of the legendary Niihau island, where a Japanese pilot landed during the Dec. 7 attack upon Pearl Harbor.  
\$11.20 ppd, hardcover.

**The Issei: Portrait of a Pioneer.** ed. by Eileen Sunada Sarasohn. A collection of 32 interviews conducted in Japanese and translated into English. A most enlightening presentation.  
\$19.10 ppd, hardcover.

**Economics and Politics of Racial Accommodation: The Japanese of Los Angeles 1900-1942.** By John Modell. (Part of JACL-JARP's definitive social histories. Modell's research includes checking out the prewar Ruffy Shimpō English section.)  
\$13.75 ppd, hardcover. (New stock.)

**Japanese American Story.** by Budd Fukui. A taste of history and cultural heritage. One chapter by Mike Masaoka recalls JACL's role during WW2's Evacuation of Japanese.  
\$8.20 ppd, hardcover.

**Camp II Block 211.** by Jack Matsuoka. A young cartoonist sketches life inside internment camp at Poston. The humorous touch, to be sure.  
\$7.25 ppd, softcover.



# Necrology

**Ando, Muraye**, 86, 1973 San Francisco Cherry Blossom Festival Mother of the Year and San Jose Buddhist Church member who, with husband Yoshio, opened her San Jose home to returning internees after WW2, died Nov. 15 at her Morgan Hill home.

**Awamura, Tokuyoshi**, 83, of Honolulu, past president of Japanese Chamber of Commerce, United Japanese Society and Japanese Study Group, proprietor of Heiwa-Do Jewelry Store and father-in-law of Sen. Daniel Inouye, died Dec. 26, 1985.

**Doi, William**, 65, 442nd vet, retired sales manager for Santa Fe Trails Trucking Co. and member of East Side Optimist Club, was shot to death at his Monterey Park, Calif., home May 14, a victim of "Night Stalker" serial killer.

**Eisenhower, Milton**, 85, advisor to several presidents, including brother Dwight, and director of War Relocation Authority until June 1942, died May 2 at Johns Hopkins Hospital in Baltimore. In his 1974 book *The President Is Calling*, he called internment "an inhuman mistake."

**Fujimoto, "Easy" Isao**, 62, of Downey, Calif., Long Beach-Harbor District JACL president 1955-56 and 30-year 1000 Club member, died Feb. 26 following a brief illness.

**Fujimoto, Ernest Minoru**, 81, of Montebello, Calif., Brawley JACL president in 1933 and 1940 and owner of insurance business in Little Tokyo, died Feb. 24 after a brief illness.

**Glaeser, Marion**, who helped resettle JAs on East Coast after WW2 and was office manager at Seabrook Farms in New Jersey, died Aug. 15 at Eyrie



Clarence Roy Hurlbert  
Peninsula Times Tribune Columnist

County Medical Center in Buffalo, N.Y.

**Gozawa, Jimmy**, 69, of Hermosa Beach, Calif., veteran of WW2 and Korean War, retired Lt. col. and member of Military Order of World Wars and San Fernando Valley JACL, died March 22 at Centinela Hospital after an illness.

**Hayase, Henry**, formerly of Gardena, Calif., who helped establish Asian American Studies at Yale and the scholarly publication *Amerasia Journal*, later becoming administrative director of U.S.-Japan Relations Program at Stanford, died May 14 in Palo Alto, Calif. after a prolonged illness.

**Hayashi, Terry**, 91, of San Francisco, a native of Kauai, first Nisei to graduate from UC dental school in 1917, founding member of JACL and winner of an award from Japan for his orthodontic work, died July 27.

**Higa, Thomas**, 68, of Kaneohe, Hawaii, 100th Infantry vet, early JACL ruby pin recipient and an honoree at 1984 Honolulu convention for his work as an author and JACL supporter, died Feb. 18 at Tripler Hospital.

**Hironaka, Aimee**, 38, volunteer at Monterey Highlands School in Monterey Park, Calif., and daughter Anne, 11, fifth grader at the school, died Aug. 2 in the crash of Delta Airlines Flight 191 in Dallas en route to Los Angeles.

**Hoshida, George**, 77, illustrator of the book *Poets Behind Barbed Wire*, died Apr. 22. His experiences as a WW2 internee are included in *The Japanese in Hawaii: A Century of Struggle*.



Thomas Higa  
Honoree at 1984 Convention

**Hurlbert, Clarence Roy**, 55, political writer and columnist for Peninsula Times Tribune in Palo Alto, Calif., and an advocate of redress, died Feb. 15.

**Ichisaka, Vernon**, PC's first business manager 1939-41, member of Seabrook JACL and Bethany Presbyterian Church, founder of Troop 47 of Seabrook Boy Scouts, chair of Rotary Club's International Student Service Committee, soil chemist with Seabrook Farms Co., former JACL Eastern District vice gov. and recipient of numerous honors, died Oct. 9 after three weeks at Bridgeton Hospital.

**Ikeda, Sanaye**, 81, Hokubei Mainichi board chair and former head of San Mateo Japanese Language School, San Francisco Fukuoka Kenjinkai, Chuhokka Nikkeijin Iinkai, Japanese Benevolent Society of Calif., and Japan Studies Foundation Scholarship Committee, died July 11.

**Inadomi, Yoshiharu**, 61, a native of Santa Paula, Calif., president of Jonsons Markets, Inc., longtime East L.A. JACL member and founding member of 1000 Club, died Feb. 14 at Glendale Memorial Hospital.

**Inoue, Isamu**, 83, of Tokyo, former managing editor of Jiji Press and translator of English language works (including Bill Hosokawa's *Nisei*) into Japanese, died Feb. 6 of heart failure.

**Inouye, William**, former chief of surgery at Philadelphia General Hospital, emeritus professor of surgery at Univ. of Pennsylvania, and pioneer in kidney dialysis and development of an artificial kidney, died of cancer July 20 at his Elkins Park home.

**Ito, Horyu**, 74, retired rinban of Higashi Honganji in Los Angeles who helped establish Boy Scout troop, language school, Dharma school, baseball team and Obon carnival, died Sept. 26 at St. Vincent Medical Center.

**Iwanaka, George**, 62, professor of finance at DePaul Univ. in Chicago and 30-year faculty member, died Oct. 15.

**Kamiya, Kaei "Kay"**, 77, partner in Kamiya-Mamiya Realty and Kamiya Insurance Co. and active member of Gardena Valley (Calif.) Japanese Cultural Institute, Gardena Buddhist Church and Kiwanis Club, died Oct. 7 at a Torrance hospital.

**Kaneko, George Mitsuo**, 68, of Arvada, Colo., founder of accounting firm George M. Kaneko & Associates, past president of Public Accountants Society of Colo. and member of JACL and Denver-Takayama Sister City Assn., died Dec. 1 while undergoing medical treatment in Estes Park, Colo.

**Kawakami, Clarke**, 75, former analyst in communist affairs for U.S. Information Agency, veteran of China-Burma-India theater in WW2 and member of Gen. MacArthur's staff in occupied Japan, died of cardiac arrest Apr. 13.

**Kerr, Un Chong**, 36, a Korean immigrant who filed sex harassment suit against San Francisco Community College District and her employer there, died Sept. 7 at El Camino Hospital in Mountain View after contracting pneumonia and suffering a cardiac arrest.

**Kitagawa, Julianne**, 39, a native of Santa Monica and member of Venice-Culver JACL, died Apr. 23 of leukemia.

**Kitasoe, Richard Shinichiro**, 61, of Redwood City, Calif., a member of Sequoia JACL, died March 19 at Sequoia Hospital.

**Kusumoto, Harley**, pioneer Nisei bowler and a founder of Holiday Bowl in Los Angeles, died Sept. 20 of a heart attack in Amagasaki, Japan.

**Long, Gillis**, 61, Democratic congressman from Louisiana who co-sponsored House redress bills HR 4110 and HR 442, died of a heart attack Jan. 20 at his Washington home.

**Magara, Hideo**, 56, of Los Angeles, Pacific Southwest JACL office manager 1969-70 and Little Tokyo chiro-

practor, died May 28 after prolonged illness.

**Maruyama, Mary**, 70, charter member of St. Louis JACL who ran Maruyama's Oriental Art & Gifts with husband Paul for 30 years, died Jan. 5 at St. Mary's Health Center. She was among first WW2 West Coast evacuees to move to St. Louis.

**Miyamoto, Sumio**, Sacramento insurance man and travel agent, charter member of New Citizens League of San Francisco in 1928, and originator of JACL motto "Security Through Unity," died March 16.

**Okamoto, Yoichi**, 69, official photographer for Gen. Mark Clark during WW2, official White House photographer for President Lyndon Johnson and founder of custom photo lab Image, Inc., apparently hanged himself Apr. 24 at his Bethesda, Md., home.

**Okawara, Tom**, 93, a San Francisco native and one of the country's first Nikkei lawyers, died Feb. 4. He helped internees relocating to Columbus, Ohio and worked as unofficial public defender of Fresno County, Calif.

**Okazaki, Bob**, 83, of Los Angeles, a native of Tokyo whose occupations included journalist, actor, Hollywood dialogue coach, labor organizer, cannery worker and fruit stand sales clerk, died May 28 after prolonged illness.



Mabel Sheldon Williams  
English Teacher at Gila River

**Okazaki, Dayle**, 34, a native of Hawaii and L.A. County traffic supervisor, was shot to death at her Rosemead home March 17, a victim of the "Night Stalker" serial killer.

**Ono, Yayoi Arikawa**, charter member of Long Beach JACL before WW2, life member of 1000 Club, active member of Carson (Calif.) JACL, and Lions Club Woman of the Year, died Oct. 20 at her home in Carson.

**Oshita, Frank**, 66, a native of Hollister, Calif., member of Sacramento VFW Post 8985 and resolution committee chair for California's 14 Nisei VFW posts, died March 26 at Sutter Memorial Hospital after heart bypass surgery.

**Roland, Dennis**, former merchant marine, POW during WW2, member of New York JACL and a frequent contributor to PC's "Letters to the Editor" section, died Dec. 18, 1984.

**Saito, Perry**, 63, a United Methodist minister who served several Wisconsin churches, most recently First United Methodist Church in Neenah, died of heart failure Feb. 5 at his home.

**Sparkman, John**, 85, former Alabama senator who was a member of House committee, chaired by Rep. John Tolan, on evacuation of JAs, died Nov. 16.

**Takada, Yoshiyuki**, member of the Japan dance troupe Sankaijuku, died Sept. 10 after falling from Mutual Life Bldg in Seattle during "hanging dance" performance.

**Takahashi, Barbara Yamamoto**, 91, former public health nurse with Berkeley Unified School District and Berkeley Health Dept., member of JACL and Berkeley-Sakai Sister City Assn. and first JA school nurse in California, died Oct. 27.

**Tamai, Frank**, 58, president of Oriental Merchandise Co., former Omaha JACL president, 1000 Club member, founding member of Japan Club in Louisiana and former chair of Asian Pacific American Society, died Feb. 8 at Baptist Hospital in Metairie, La.

**Tanaka, Yoshio "Kaiser"**, 78, prewar Tigers catcher and former manager of Hanshin Tigers and Daimai Orions (now Lotte Orions), died of a heart attack Apr. 10 in Tokyo.

**Togo, Fumihiko**, 69, Japan's ambassador to U.S. 1976-80, former consul general to New York and Calcutta, ambassador to South Vietnam and deputy foreign minister, died Apr. 9 of cancer in his native Tokyo.

**Tokuda, George Tsuneyoshi**, 72, of Seattle, former owner of Tokuda Drugs founder of Liberty Bank, member of Nisei Investors, Ohmi Club and Puget Sound Mycological Society, and well-known member of local JA community, died Apr. 5 of cancer.

**Toriyama, George**, 68, prewar president of Contra Costa JACL and Army vet of WW2, died Nov. 15, 1984 after a long illness.

**Ushiba, Nobuhiko**, 75, former Japanese ambassador to U.S. and co-chair of U.S.-Japan Wisemen's Group, a private advisory body, died Dec. 31, 1984 in Tokyo. He addressed JACL national convention in 1972.

**Utsunomiya, Thomas**, 67, original 442nd cadre member at Camp Shelby and former director of Minneapolis Civil Service Commission, died Oct. 5 in Minneapolis.

**Williams, Mabel Sheldon**, 90, English teacher at Butte High School in Gila River camp who later did missionary work in India, died March 5 at Frasier Meadows Manor in Boulder, Colo.

**Yamamoto, Edward Masakiyo**, 67, who had a role in the 1966 repeal of Washington's Alien Land Law, establishment of Moses Lake Judo Club and Columbia Basin JACL, participant in Moses Lake Human Rights Commission, 1978 JACLer of the Biennium and early redress proponent, died July 24 from intestinal ulcers.



Edward M. Yamamoto  
Columbia Basin JACL President

**Yamazaki, John Misao**, 100, Japan-born rector emeritus at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Los Angeles who ministered to JAs in Gila River camp and Cincinnati, died March 8 at Good Samaritan Hospital after brief illness.

**Yanaga, Chitoshi**, 82, of Boston, retired Yale professor and author of *Japan Since Perry*, *Japanese People and Politics* and *Big Business and Japanese Politics*, died Apr. 14 at Mass. General Hospital after a lengthy illness.

**Yoshitomi, Dorothy**, 54, assoc. professor of American thought and language at Mich. State Univ., founding member of Asian Pacific American Women's Assn. in East Lansing, activist in Asian student affairs and scholar of Asian American literature, died Oct. 6 of cardiac arrest at Lansing General Hospital.

## Native American Aliens:

### Disloyalty and the Renunciation of Citizenship by Japanese Americans During World War II

by Donald E. Collins

The first book to explain the facts surrounding the mass renunciation of citizenship by Americans of Japanese descent during World War II and the fight for restoration of their citizenship.

Published by Greenwood Press and available directly from *Pacific Citizen* for \$29.95.

Send your check to: *Pacific Citizen*, 941 East Third St., Los Angeles, CA 90013

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_



# Denver-area community leader dies

by George Yasukochi

George Mitsuo Kaneko of Arvada, Colo., died unexpectedly Dec. 1 while undergoing medical treatment at Estes Park, Colo. Services were held Dec. 4 at Simpson United Methodist Church in Arvada, where he was a member.

Kaneko was born in Visalia, Calif., July 13, 1917, and grew up in San Francisco. Like many Nisei of the time, he worked as a farm laborer in the San Joaquin Valley during summer vacations to help support his family. He was married to Tsuyako Alice Yura in 1941. At the time he was working as a sales clerk in an Oriental gift shop.

In the evacuation of Japanese Americans from the West Coast in 1942, Kaneko was sent to the War Relocation Camp at Poston, Ariz. Dissatisfied with camp life, he volunteered for labor in the sugar beet harvest that fall in Nebraska and subsequently resettled in Denver. There he established an accounting firm, George M. Kaneko and Associates, which he was operating at the time of his death.

Kaneko's first marriage ended in divorce in 1969. In 1978 he was married to Sachi Yasukochi Murayama in San Francisco. In addition to his wife, he is survived by daughter Carole Kamiyama of Everett, Wash.; son Darryl G. Kaneko, an attorney in Tokyo;

stepdaughter Mari Murayama of Boise, Idaho; grandsons John H. Neely of Salem, Mass., and Mark K. Kamiyama of Everett, Wash.

Kaneko is a past president of the Public Accountants Society of Colorado, and was a long-time member of the Japanese American Citizens League and the Denver-Takayama Sister Cities organization. He was a 30-year member of the JACL Thousand Club.

Mits, as he was known, had countless friends. His work took him to farming communities throughout Colorado, and he was widely known in Denver Japanese American circles, where he participated in a variety of activities. During the war, when efforts were being made to pass legislation discriminating against Japanese Americans, Kaneko made many public appearances to plead for fair play. His office, which for many years was near 20th and Larimer streets in the heart of the Japanese American community, was a popular gathering place. Several years ago, when oldtimers tried to revive interest in the Mile-Hi JACL chapter, Kaneko agreed to serve as treasurer and secretary.

In his youth Kaneko was an outstanding basketball player despite his short stature. But perhaps his best-known trademark was a friendly grin for everyone he met.

## 1000 Club Roll

(Year of Membership Shown)  
\* Century; \*\* Corporate; L Life;  
M Memorial; C/L Century Life  
Summary (Since Dec 1, 1984)

Active (previous total) ..... 2,108  
Total this report: #48 ..... 36  
Current total ..... 2,144

DEC 9-12, 1985 (36)

Chicago: 18-Henry H Fujiura, 4-Tad Kimura, 18-Roy M Kuroye, 31-Dr Harry I Omori, 26-Kenji Tani, 21-Isamu Sam Zaiman.

Delano: 10-Ben Nagatani.  
Downtown Los Angeles: 25-Harry Yamamoto.

Fowler: 28-Kazuo Hiyama.  
Fresno: 30-Dr Akira Jitsumyo, 16-Willy K Suda.  
Gardena Valley: 15-Kei Nishino.  
Milwaukee: 15-Henry K Kanazawa.  
Monterey Peninsula: 20-George Y Uyeda.  
New England: 3-Margie Yamamoto Hopkins.  
New York: 26-Shig Kariya.  
Orange County: 19-Dr Samuel R Maehara.  
Pasadena: 29-Kay K Monma.  
Philadelphia: 30-Noboru Kobayashi.  
Portland: 7-Sho Dozono.  
Puyallup Valley: 26-Miyo Uchiyama.  
Reedley: 27-Tak Naito.  
Salinas Valley: 30-George Higashi.  
Salt Lake City: 24-Mitsugi Kasai.

San Diego: 21-Abe K Mukai.  
San Francisco: 13-Kikoman International Inc\*, Eddie Moriguchi\*.  
San Mateo: 10-Miles I Oto.  
Santa Barbara: 27-George I Nishimura.  
Seabrook: 32-Kiyomi Nakamura.  
Seattle: 27-Yoshito Fujii, 2-Paul Isaki\*, 1-Douglas Palmer.  
Snake River: 21-George T Okita.  
National: 32-Mats Ando, 8-Frank Iritani\*.  
**CORPORATE CLUB**  
13s-Kikkoman International Inc (SF)  
**CENTURY CLUB**  
5-Noboru Kobayashi (Phi), 12-Eddie Moriguchi (SF), 1-Paul Isaki (Set), 1-Douglas Palmer (Set), 5-Frank Iritani (Nat).

## PC Classified Advertising

### 4—Business Opportunities

ATTN INVESTORS BY OWNER  
**Fresno County**  
67 acre almond ranch, excellent productive orchard in prime location. FID water w/pump. Management available. Will lease back. Ask \$8000/acre. Cash preferred. Call Owner.  
(209) 264-1713

ATTN INVESTORS  
**Texas Motels**  
Profitable motels with \$80,000 to \$1 million down. (Many can be family operated). Call (512) 366-3273 or write GARY COLLINS  
Eagle Investments, 12134 Colwick, San Antonio, TX 78216

NORTH CAROLINA, U.S.A.  
**INVESTORS**  
U.S. company forming a New Venture Capital Company seeking \$2,000,000. Write or call:

**CAPITAL INC.**  
1107 Crawford Rd.  
Statesville, NC 28677  
(704) 873-2163

TEXAS By Owner  
**Busy Recreation Park**  
No money down. Skating rink, with stage, dance floor, 9-hole miniature golf course, 1/2-acre public pool, spring-fed swimming pool w/ 2 bath-houses, 4 public restrooms, 2 concession stands. Game room. 2 residential houses: each has 2 bedroom, 1 bath. Fishing pond, 4 animal cages, horse corral, indoor/outdoor flea market open 7 days. All on 10 acres. Asking price \$129,000 negotiable for cash or 10% down w/terms.  
QUEEN CITY, TX.  
Owner: (214) 796-7829

### 5—Employment

**Accountant**  
WLA CPA with diversified practice seeks junior or semi-senior with recent public accounting experience. Permanent position. Salary open. Call between 9 am and 5 pm. (213) 477-1459.

Be a 'PC' Ad Watcher

### 5—Employment

**NISEI-SANSEI APPLICANTS**  
We have many attractive openings now in L.A., Surrounding Cities and Orange County. College graduates or equivalent preferred. Call us for an appointment or send in resume.

**JAPANESE IS NOT ESSENTIAL REQUIREMENT.**  
SALARY RANGE \$1,440 — \$45,000  
Exec. Secretary/Secretary/Receptionist/General Office/Admin. Asst./Accountant/Bookkeeper/Sales Rep./Marketing Asst./National Sales Manager/Warehouse Supervisor/Marketing Research/etc. etc.

**TOPSKOUT PERSONNEL SERVICE**  
(213) 742-0810  
1543 W. Olympic Bl., #433, L.A. 90015

**COUNSELOR**  
**ALLIED HEALTH/SOCIAL SCIENCE**  
Requires MS in counseling/guidance, counselor psychology, rehabilitation counselor or equivalent, quality or hold California Community College credential. Advise students in social science, voc. nursing, psychiatric program. Fluency in Vietnamese or Spanish. Knowledge of computer assist. systems. \$21,718 to \$31,968. Submit application, resume questionnaire by Jan. 24, 1986.

West Valley Mission College District,  
Personnel Services, 14000 Fruitvale Ave.,  
Saratoga, CA 95070,  
(408) 867-2200 Ext 233.  
AA/EOE

**GOVERNMENT JOBS \$16,040 - \$59,230/yr.**  
Now Hiring. Call (805) 687-6000  
Ext. R-1317 for current federal list.

Wesleyan University seeks a physical anthropologist/archaeologist for a tenure-track position at the assistant professor level, commencing 1986-7. PhD. strong undergraduate teaching interest, research experience and willingness to develop undergraduate field research programs required. Geographical area and period open. Preference to candidates whose research interests synthesize theory and method in both subfields. Must be qualified to teach prehistoric archaeology, physical anthropology and research methodologies. Other specializations of interest include primate studies, human paleontology, evolution, growth and maturation, environmental archaeology and ethnoarchaeology. Women and minority group candidates are especially urged to apply. Send cover letter, vita and names of 3 references by January 30 to: Chair, Anthropology Department, Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT. 06457. EOE/AEE.

Wesleyan University seeks a social-cultural anthropologist for a fulltime tenured or tenure-track position. Applicants at all ranks are invited to apply. Must have strong commitment to and experience in undergraduate teaching, as well as record of scholarly excellence. Interdisciplinary concerns essential. Must have an interest in theory of cultural change. Area specialization open. Attractive topical specializations include political/economic anthropology, complex societies, psychological anthropology, medical anthropology, action anthropology, ethnohistory. Women and minority group candidates are especially urged to apply. Send cover letter, vita and names of 3 references by February 15 to: Chair, Anthropology Department, Wesleyan University, Middletown CT. 06457. EOE/AEE.

### 5—Employment

#### WE NEED YOUR HELP!

To Locate Contacts, Reps, Etc.

To Sell Our Choice Sunbelt Real Estate to Overseas Investors.

Extremely Desirable Parcels Priced to Attract All Buyers with Low Down & Easy Payments.

Liberal Commissions with Total Support Program.

For information:  
American Land Group  
2621 E. Camelback Rd.  
Suite 185  
Phoenix, Arizona 85016 USA  
(602) 957-4000

### 9—Real Estate

**1,050 ACRE HAY RANCH**  
Loc. adjacent to the Alaska Hwy. at Pink Mountain. 700 acres under cultivation, seed to hay. Good year round creek through property. Small comfortable house with some out bldgs. Unlimited crown range grazing rights avail. Asking \$295,000. Info. call (604) 459-7978 or write A.H. Fitch, Box 116, Clinton, B.C. VOK 1K0.

**NORTHWEST USA**  
Cattle Farm Investment Oppty.  
2000 deeded acres w private BLM allotment of 525 AUM. 350 A. maintained roads. Excellent water supplies. Extensive wildlife and fine hunting. Bldgs include 2 homes, barn, corrals, livestock scale, small grainery. All mineral rights included. \$485,000 cash. Contact owner, Stephen N. Doman, P.O. Box 816, Crane OR 97732. (503) 493-2772

**CANADA Attn Investors by owner**  
Near Fairview, Alberta on Highway 2. 1564 acres, 1300 cultivated, 365 summerfallow. Excellent for wheat and canola or mixed farm. 3 yard sites with power and very good well water. 46,000 bu. steel bins (30,000 with Keho aeration on concrete floors). Modern house, natural gas and other buildings, some fences, 3-phase power available. Price \$520,000.  
Phone (403) 596-2261  
Box 117, Brownvale, Alta CANADA T0H 0L0.

**B.C. CANADA**  
**Retirement Property**  
12 rental units. Revenue \$3000 p/month. 3 Bedroom, owners suite, absentee, owner. On new Cogswalla Highway. Three lots, room for corner store, more units. For sale by owner.  
Robert Charters, Box 1961,  
Merit BC, Canada V0K 2B0  
(604) 378-4037.

Tell Them You Saw It in the Pacific Citizen



**Japanese Charms**  
**Japanese Names**  
**Japanese Family Crests**

12558 Valley View, Garden Grove, CA 92645 • (714) 895-4554




**DELIGHTFUL** seafood treats  
**DELICIOUS** and so easy to prepare

**MRS. FRIDAY'S**  
**Gourmet Breaded Shrimps and Fish Fillets**

Fishing Processors, 1327 E. 15th St., Los Angeles, (213) 746-1307

## PC Business-Professional Directory

<b>Greater Los Angeles</b> <b>ASAHI TRAVEL</b> Supersavers-Group Discounts Apex Fares-Computerized-Bonded 1111 W Olympic Blvd., LA 90015 623-6125/29 • Call Joe or Gladys <b>Flower View Gardens #2</b> New Otani Hotel, 110 S Los Angeles Los Angeles 90012 Art Ito Jr. Citywide Delivery (213) 620-0808 <b>Dr Darlyne Fujimoto</b> Family Optometry & Contact Lenses 11420 South St, Cerritos, CA 90701 (213) 860-1339 <b>Dr Loris Kurashige</b> Vision Examinations Contact Lenses—Vision Therapy 11420 South St, Cerritos, CA 90701 (213) 860-1339 <b>Inoue Travel Service</b> 1601 W. Redondo Beach Bl., #209 Gardena, 90247; 217-1709; Offices in Tokyo, Japan / Lima, Peru <b>TATAMI &amp; FUTON</b> (818) 243-2754 SUSUKI FUTON MFG.	<b>Greater Los Angeles</b> <b>Tama Travel International</b> Martha Igarashi Tamashiro One Wilshire Bldg., Ste 1012 Los Angeles 90017; (213) 622-4333 <b>Tokyo Travel Service</b> 530 W. 6th St. #429 Los Angeles 90014 680-3545 <b>Yamato Travel Bureau</b> 200 S San Pedro St., #502 Los Angeles 90012 680-0333 <b>Orange County</b> <b>VICTOR A. KATO</b> (714) 841-7551 Exceptional Real Estate 17301 Beach Blvd., Suite 23 Huntington Beach, CA 92647 <b>The Paint Shoppe</b> LaMancha Center, 1111 N Harbor Fullerton CA 92632, (714) 526-0116 <b>San Diego</b> <b>PAUL H. HOSHI</b> Insurance Service 852-16th St (619) 234-0376 San Diego CA 92101 res. 421-7356	<b>Ventura County</b> <b>Calvin Matsui Realty</b> Homes & Commercial 371 N. Mobil Ave., Ste. 7, Camarillo, CA 93010, (805) 987-5800 <b>Tell Them You Saw It</b> <b>In the Pacific Citizen</b> <b>San Jose, CA</b> <b>Kayo K. Kikuchi, Realtor</b> SAN JOSE REALTY 996 Minnesota Ave., #100 San Jose, CA 95125-2493 (408) 275-1111 or 296-2059 <b>Tatsuko "Tatty" Kikuchi</b> General Insurance Broker, DBA <b>Kikuchi Ins. Agy.</b> 996 Minnesota Ave., #102 San Jose, CA 95125-2493 (408) 294-2622 or 296-2059 <b>Edward T. Morioka, Realtor</b> 580 N. 5th St., San Jose 95112 (408) 998-8334 bus; 559-8816 res.	<b>Watsonville</b> <b>Tom Nakase Realty</b> Acreage, Ranches, Homes, Income TOM NAKASE, Realtor 25 Clifford Ave. (408) 724-6477 <b>San Francisco Bay Area</b> <b>IRENE A. OGI</b> ATTORNEY-AT-LAW 848 Cleveland St., Oakland, CA 94606 (415) 832-1055 <b>Y. KEIKO OKUBO</b> Five Million Dollar Club 39812 Mission Blvd., Fremont, CA 94539; (415) 651-6500 <b>Lake Tahoe</b> <b>RENT INC. Realty Inc.</b> Sales, Rentals, Management Box 65, Carnelian Bay, CA 95711 (916) 346-2549; Shig-Judy Tokubo	<b>Seattle</b> <b>UWAJIMAYA</b> ...Always in good taste.  <p>For the Best of Everything Asian. Fresh Produce, Meat, Seafood and Groceries. A vast selection of Gift Ware. Seattle • 624-6248 Bellevue • 747-9012 Southcenter • 248-7077</p>	<b>Seattle, Wa.</b> <b>Imperial Lanes</b> Complete Pro Shop, Restaurant, Lounge 2101-22nd Ave So. (206) 325-2525 <b>The Intermountain</b> <b>Mam Wakasugi, Sales Rep.</b> Row Crop Farms; Blackaby Real Estate, 36 SW 3rd St, Ontario, OR 97914 (503) 881-1301, 262-3459 <b>Eastern District</b> <b>Mike Masaoka Associates</b> Consultants - Washington Matters 900-17th St NW, Wash, DC 20006 (202) 296-4484 <b>PC's Home for Your Business-Professional Name Card</b>
---	---	---	--	---	--



**DePanache**  
**Today's Classic Look for Women & Men**  
Call for Appointment  
Phone 687-0387  
105 Japanese Village Plaza  
Mall, Los Angeles 90012  
Toshi Otsu, Prop.

Choose 'PC' Advertisers



**Marutama Co. Inc.**  
Fish Cake Manufacturer  
Los Angeles



# JACL Chapter Presidents

Here is a six-year update of the roster of JACL chapter presidents, which last appeared in the January 4-11, 1980 New Year edition. The roster had been an annual reference for 20 years from 1955 — on the occasion National JACL celebrated its 25th anniversary. (Corrections should be submitted in writing to the PC Reference Section editor.)

## Arkansas Valley

Organized Apr. 4, 1950

- 50-53—Ugi Harada
- 54—Harry Shironaka
- 55—Ted Maruyama
- 56—George Ushiyama
- 57—Ugi Harada
- 58—John Maruyama
- 59—Elmo Sakai
- 60—Tom Nakayama
- 61—Robert Mayeda
- 62—Henry Konishi
- 63—Jim Hiraki
- 64—Mike Fujimoto
- 65—Joe M Wyeno
- 66—Gene Hirakata
- 67—George Ushijima
- 68-69—Harry Shironaka
- 70—George Fujimoto
- 71—Ichiro Suto
- 72—Tom Tanabe
- 73—Mary Takeda
- 74-75—George Fujimoto
- 76-81—George Ushiyama
- 82—Harry Shironaka
- 83-84—Ugi Harada
- 85—George Ushiyama

## Arizona

Organized 1934

- 34—Togo Iida
- 35—
- 36—
- 37—John Yamashita
- 40—John Hirohata
- 41—Dr Paul Tanaka
- 42—Bill Kajikawa
- 43-45—Tsutomu Ikeda
- 46—Shig Tanita
- 47—Kenneth Yoshioka
- 48—Carl Sato
- 49—George S Saito
- 50—Masao Tsutsumida
- 51—Sam I Okuma
- 52—John Tadano
- 53—Masaji Inoshita
- 54—Tom Kadomoto
- 55—Minoru Takiguchi
- 56—Mutt Yamamoto
- 57—Jim Ozasa
- 58—George Kishiyama
- 59—Cherry Tsutsumida
- 60-61—Cherry Tsutsumida
- 62—Mike Dobashi
- 63-64—Hatsuye Miyauchi
- 65—George Onodera
- 66—John Sakata
- 67-68—Richard Matsuishi
- 69—Roy Moriuchi
- 70—Richard Matsuishi
- 71—John Kimura
- 72—Koki Nakazawa
- 73—Richard Matsuishi
- 74—Pat Watanabe
- 75-76—Tom Yano
- 77-78—Jim Shiota
- 79-81—Fumi Okabayashi
- 82—Gary Tadano
- 83—Masa Takiguchi
- 84-85—Wendell DeCross

## Alameda

Organized April 6, 1932

- George Togasaki (org)
- 32—Haruo Imura
- 33-34—Masayoshi Morino
- 35—Kay Tsuchiya
- 36—Haruo Imura
- 37—Mas Narahara
- 38—Tim Yamasaki
- 39—Mas Narahara
- 40—Kenji Shikuma
- 41—Sakae Date
- 42—Scotty Tsuchiya
- Reactivated June 13, 1947
- 47-48—John Towata
- 49-50—Shiro Nakaso
- 51—Haruo Imura
- 52—Dr Roland Kadonaga
- 53—Yasuo Yamashita
- 54—Tom Haratani
- 55—Yasuhara Koike
- 56—George Ushijima
- 57—George Yoshimura
- 58—Kitty Hirai
- 59—Yoshio Isono
- 60-61—Heromu Akagi
- 62-63—Min Yonekura
- 64-65—Shiro Takeshita
- 66-67—Haj Fujimori
- 68—George Ushijima
- 69—Al Koshiyama
- 70—Shigeki Sugiyama
- 71—Shiro Takeshita
- 72-73—Heromu Akagi
- 74-75—Kent Takeda
- 76-77—Hi Heromu Akagi
- 78-79—Yas Koike
- 80-85—Nancy Tajima

## Berkeley

Organized Date Unknown

- 42—Kimio Obata
- Reactivated May 1947 as part of Eastbay Chap.,

## Boise Valley

Organized 1937

- 37-38—Henry Suehira
- 39—Howard Fujii
- 40—Joe Saito
- 41—Yutaka Tamura
- 42—Martha Nishitani
- 43—Abe Saito
- 44—George Nishitani
- 45—Soapy S Sagami
- 46—Tom Takatori
- 47—Edson Fujii
- 48—George Koyama
- 49—George Ishihara
- 50—Dyke Itami
- 51—Tom Takatori
- 52—Seichi Hayashida
- 53—Manabu Yamada
- 54—Henry Suehira
- 55—Tom Arima
- 56—Steve Hirai
- 57—Harry Hamada
- 58—James Yamada
- 59—Seichi Hayashida
- 60—Masao Yamashita
- 61—Masa Nishihara
- 62—Junji Yamamoto
- 63—Yoshio Takahashi
- 64—John Arima
- 65—Kay Inouye
- 66—Takashi Koyama
- 67—George Koyama
- 68—Tony Miyasako
- 69-70—Ishi Miyaki
- 71-72—George Tamura
- 73-74—Dean Hayashida
- 75-76—Yoshio Takahashi
- 77—James Oyama
- 78—Sam Fujishin
- 79-80—Tok Yamashita
- 81—Barry Fujishin
- 82-83—Dr Stanley Eto
- 84—Dr John Muto
- 85—David Yoshida

## Boise Valley

Organized 1937

- 37-38—Henry Suehira
- 39—Howard Fujii
- 40—Joe Saito
- 41—Yutaka Tamura
- 42—Martha Nishitani
- 43—Abe Saito
- 44—George Nishitani
- 45—Soapy S Sagami
- 46—Tom Takatori
- 47—Edson Fujii
- 48—George Koyama
- 49—George Ishihara
- 50—Dyke Itami
- 51—Tom Takatori
- 52—Seichi Hayashida
- 53—Manabu Yamada
- 54—Henry Suehira
- 55—Tom Arima
- 56—Steve Hirai
- 57—Harry Hamada
- 58—James Yamada
- 59—Seichi Hayashida
- 60—Masao Yamashita
- 61—Masa Nishihara
- 62—Junji Yamamoto
- 63—Yoshio Takahashi
- 64—John Arima
- 65—Kay Inouye
- 66—Takashi Koyama
- 67—George Koyama
- 68—Tony Miyasako
- 69-70—Ishi Miyaki
- 71-72—George Tamura
- 73-74—Dean Hayashida
- 75-76—Yoshio Takahashi
- 77—James Oyama
- 78—Sam Fujishin
- 79-80—Tok Yamashita
- 81—Barry Fujishin
- 82-83—Dr Stanley Eto
- 84—Dr John Muto
- 85—David Yoshida

## Carson

Organized 1976

- 76-77—Joe Sakamoto
- 78-79—Tom Kawamoto
- 80-81—Miriam Nishida
- 82-85—Helen Kamimoto

## Chicago

Organized June 1944

- 45—William Minami
- 46—Noboru Honda
- 47—Jack Nakagawa
- 48—Mari Sabusawa
- 49-50—Shigeo Wakamatsu
- 51—Ronald I Shiozaki
- 52-53—Abe Hagiwara
- 54-55—Kumeo Yoshinari
- 56-58—Dr Frank Sakamoto
- 59-60—Hiro Mayeda
- 61-62—Joe K Sagami
- 63—Mark Yoshizumi
- 64-65—Lincoln Shimidzu
- 66-67—Henry Terada
- 68—Tak Tomiyama
- 69-70—Ross Harano
- 71—Tak Tomiyama
- 72—Hiroshi Kanno
- 73-74—Ronald Yoshino
- 75-76—Perry H Miyake
- 77-78—Chiye Tomihiro
- 79—Hiro Tokubo
- 80-81—John Tani
- 82-83—Jane Kaihatsu
- 84—Michael Ushijima
- 85-86—Paul Igasaki

## Cincinnati

Organized April 5, 1946

- Ken Matsumoto (org.)
- 46—Makoto Yamaguchi
- 47—James Hashimoto
- 48—Tom Kanno

## Cincinnati

Organized April 5, 1946

- 49—Kaye Watanabe
- 50—Fred Morioka
- 51—Masaji S Toki
- 52—Dr James H Takao
- 53-54—Joe E Sugawara
- 55—Kaye Watanabe
- 56—Mutsu Takao
- 57—James Hashimoto
- 58—Masaji S Toki
- 59—James Takeuchi
- 60—Marnelle Watanabe
- 61—Hisashi Sugawara
- 62—Tak Kariya
- 63—Kaye Watanabe
- 64—Frances Tojo
- 65—Gordon Yoshokawa
- 66—Benny Okura
- 67—Marnelle Watanabe
- 68—Ben Yamaguchi Jr
- 69—Masaji Toki
- 70—Jerome Abbott
- 71—Chas. Longbottom
- 72—Benny Okura
- 73—Leo Smith
- 74—Takashi Kariya
- 75—Gordon Yoshikawa
- 76—Fred Morioka
- 77—Judy Ibarra
- 78-79—Lida Fukumura
- 80—Bill Mirrieles
- 81—Charles Longbottom
- 82—Phyllis Ishisaka
- 83—Shiro Tanaka
- 84—Charles LeCroix
- 85—Jacqueline Vidourek

## Cleveland

Organized June 10, 1946

- 46—Abe Hagiwara
- 47—Frank Shiba
- 48—George Chida
- 49—Howard Tashima
- 50—Alice Morihoro
- 51—William Sadataki
- 52—Henry Tanaka
- 53—George Ono
- 54—Robert E. Fujita
- 55-57—William Sadataki
- 58-59—Joe Kadowaki
- 60—Gene Takahashi
- 61—Dr. Toaru Ishiyama
- 62—Frank Shiba
- 63—Henry Tanaka
- 64—Wallace Ito
- 65—Mrs. Toshi Kadowaki
- 66—Masy Tashima
- 67—Robert Fujita
- 68—Ken Asamoto
- 69—Mrs. May Ishida
- 70—Henry Tanaka
- 71—Masy Tashima
- 72—Irland Tashima
- 73—Mary Sadataki
- 74-76—Toaru Ishiyama
- 77-80—Rev Geo Nishimoto
- 81—Henry T Tanaka
- 82-84—Tom Nakao Jr.
- 85—Henry T Tanaka

## Clovis

Organized Oct. 11, 1955

- 56—James Miyamoto
- 57—Fumio Ikeda
- 58—Yoshito Takahashi
- 59—Bob Mochizuki
- 60—Hi Ikeda
- 61—Kiyomi Takahashi
- 62—Frank Kubota
- 63—Tokuo Yamamoto
- 64—Bob Hirasuna
- 65—Mike Miyamoto
- 66—Ted Takahashi
- 67—Todd Uyemura
- 68—Harry Ikuma
- 69—Dr Mas Yamamoto
- 70—Roy Uyesaka
- 71—Shiro Minabe
- 72—Yoshito Takahashi
- 73—Tosh Kawasaki
- 74—Frank Kubota
- 75-76—Ted Takahashi
- 77-78—Frank Goishi
- 79—Fumio Ikeda
- 80—Ron Yamaki
- 81—Dale Ikeda
- 82-83—Ron Yamabe
- 84—Frank Hashimoto
- 85—Gene Tsukamoto

## Coachella Valley

Organized Oct. 4, 1946

- 46-47—Henry Sakemi
- 48-49—Tom Sakai
- 50—George Shibata
- 51—Jack Izu
- 52—Mas Oshiki
- 53—Elmer Suski
- 54—Tek Nishimoto
- 55—Charles Shibata
- 56—Ben Sakamoto
- 57—Hideo Nishimoto
- 58-60—Tom Sakai
- 61—Toru Kitahara
- 62-63—Tom Sakai
- 64-65—Toru Kitahara

## Columbia Basin

Organized Dec. 14, 1954

- 55-56—Bill Utsunomiya
- Reactivated March 1968
- 68—Charles Kataoka
- 69-71—George Fukukai
- 72-73—Ed Yamamoto
- 74-75—Robert Schaden
- 76—Kimi Fukukai
- 77—Margaret Schaden
- 78—Grace K. Yamamoto
- 79—George Fukakai
- 80—Dr Richard Doi
- 81—Ed Yamamoto
- 82-83—Robert Schaden
- 84-85—Edw M Yamamoto

## Contra Costa

Organized April 1935

- 35—William Furuta
- 36—Katsumi Harano
- 37-38—Hideo Ajari
- 39—Bill Furuta
- 40—George Toriyama
- 41—Henry Terazawa
- 42—George Kanagaki
- Organized February 1953 as Richmond-El Cerrito
- 53—Heizo Oshima
- 54—James Kimoto
- 55—Marvin Uratsu
- 56—Seiichi Kami

Renamed Contra Costa 1957

- 57—George Sugihara
- 58—Shig R Komatsu
- 59—Dr Yoshiye Togasaki
- 60—Sam Kitabayashi
- 61—William Waki
- 62—Sumio Yoshii
- 63—Sam Kitabayashi
- 64—Yoshio Hotta
- 65—Ted Tanaka
- 66—Ben Takeshita
- 67—George Nakagawa
- 68—Don Matsubara
- 69—Eddie Nomura
- 70-71—Jerry Irei
- 72-73—Tom T Shimizu
- 74-76—Daniel Uesugi
- 77-78—William Nakatani
- 79-80—John Shinagawa
- 81-82—Jack Imada
- 83-84—Fred Takemiya
- 85—Yoshiro Tokiwa

## Cortez

Organized Jan. 30, 1948

- 48-49—George Yuge
- 50-51—Sam Kuwahara
- 52-53—Jack Noda
- 54-55—Ernest Yoshida
- 56—Albert Morimoto
- 57—Hiroshi Asai
- 58—Mark Kamiya
- 59-60—Frank Yoshida
- 61—William Noda
- 62—Kaoru Masuda
- 63—George Okamura
- 64—Kaname Miyamoto
- 65—Don Toyoda
- 66—Peter Yamamoto
- 67—Yeichi Sakaguchi
- 68—Harry Kajioaka
- 69—Ken C. Miyamoto
- 70—Seio Masuda
- 71—Kiyoshi Yamamoto
- 72—Howard Taniguchi
- 73—Lloyd Narita
- 74—Gerald Yotsuya
- 75—Alvin Hagiwara
- 76—Harry Kajioaka
- 77—Lloyd Narita
- 78—Stanley Fidel
- 79—James Miyamoto
- 80—Diane Yotsuya
- 81—Roger K. Masuda
- 82—Lester Yamaguchi
- 83—Kathy Hagiwara
- 84—Alan Osugi
- 85—Eugene Kajioaka

## Dayton

Organized March, 1949

- 49—Masaru Yamasaki
- 50—James T Taguchi
- 51—Sutemi Murayama
- 52—James T Taguchi
- 53—Hideo Yoshihara
- 54—Masaru Yamasaki
- 55—Yoichi Sato
- 56—Ruby Hirose
- 57—Mark Nakachi
- 58—Mas Yamasaki
- 59-60—James T Taguchi
- 61—Roy Sugimoto
- 62—Jack Huntsberger
- 63—Matilde Taguchi
- 64—Ken Sugawara

## Dayton

Organized 1942

- 42—George Nagatani
- Reactivated Mar. 9, 1950
- 50—Noboru Takaki
- 51—Sam Yukawa
- 52—Bill Nakagawa
- 53—Sam Azuma
- 54—Joe Katano
- 55—Dr. James Nagatani
- 56—Saburo Okino
- 57—Paul Kawasaki
- 58—Mas Takaki
- 59—Jeff H. Fukawa
- 60—Bill Nakagawa
- 61—Ed Nagatani
- 62-63—Tom Watanabe
- 64—Mas Takaki
- 65—Jeff Fukawa
- 66—Saburo Okino
- 67—Paul Kawasaki
- 68—Dr. James Nagatani
- 69—Joe Katano
- 70—Eddie Nagatani
- 71—Jeff Fukawa
- 72—Dr. James Nagatani
- 73—Joe Katano
- 74—Dr. James Nagatani
- 75-76—Edward Nagatani
- 77—Ben Nagatani
- 78—Edward Nagatani
- 79—Dr. James Nagatani
- 80—Joe Katano
- 81—Ben Nagatani
- 82-83—Ed Nagatani
- 84—Dr Jas Nagatani
- 85—Ben Nagatani

## Delano

Organized 1942

- 42—George Nagatani
- Reactivated Mar. 9, 1950
- 50—Noboru Takaki
- 51—Sam Yukawa
- 52—Bill Nakagawa
- 53—Sam Azuma
- 54—Joe Katano
- 55—Dr. James Nagatani
- 56—Saburo Okino
- 57—Paul Kawasaki
- 58—Mas Takaki
- 59—Jeff H. Fukawa
- 60—Bill Nakagawa
- 61—Ed Nagatani
- 62-63—Tom Watanabe
- 64—Mas Takaki
- 65—Jeff Fukawa
- 66—Saburo Okino
- 67—Paul Kawasaki
- 68—Dr. James Nagatani
- 69—Joe Katano
- 70—Eddie Nagatani
- 71—Jeff Fukawa
- 72—Dr. James Nagatani
- 73—Joe Katano
- 74—Dr. James Nagatani
- 75-76—Edward Nagatani
- 77—Ben Nagatani
- 78—Edward Nagatani
- 79—Dr. James Nagatani
- 80—Joe Katano
- 81—Ben Nagatani
- 82-83—Ed Nagatani
- 84—Dr Jas Nagatani
- 85—Ben Nagatani

## East Los Angeles

Organized Sept. 30, 1948

- 48—Akira Hasegawa
- 49—Bill Takei
- 50—Lynn N Takagaki
- 51—George Akasaka
- 52-53—Edison Uno
- 53—John Watanabe
- 54—Wilbur Sato
- 55—Jim Y Higashi
- 56—Fred T Takata
- 57—Yukio Ozima
- 58-59—Roy Yamadera
- 60-62—Mable Yoshizaki
- 63-64—Dr Robert Obi
- 65-66—Hiro Omura
- 67-68—Ritsuko Kawakami
- 69-70—Walter Tatsuno
- 71—Mable Yoshizaki
- 72-73—Mas Dobashi
- 74—Tak Endo
- 75-76—Mas Dobashi
- 77-78—Dr Robert T Obi
- 79-85—Douglas K Masuda

## Eden Township

Organized 1935

- 35-37—Kan Domoto
- 38—Mitsuteru Nakashima
- 39-40—Giichi Yoshioka
- 41—Yoshito Shibata
- 42—Fukashi Nakagawa
- Reactivated July 25, 1947
- 47—Tom S Hatakeda
- 48—Toichi Domoto
- 49—Minoru Shinoda
- Kenji Fujii
- 50—Yoshimi Shibata
- 51—Minoru Shinoda
- 52—Dr Keichi Shimizu
- 53—Dr Frank Saito
- Kenji Fujii
- 54—Dr Frank Saito
- 55—Kenji Fujii
- 56—Sho Yoshida
- 57—Tetsuma Sakai
- 58—Dr Steve Neishi
- 59-60—Kee Kitayama
- 61-62—Sam Kawahara
- 63-64—Sam Kuramoto
- 65-66—Akira Hasegawa
- 67-68—Harry Tanabe
- 69—Toshi Nakashima
- 70—Fred Miyamoto
- 71-72—Ichiro Nishida
- 73-74—Ted Kitayama
- 75—Shigeki Arai
- 76-77—Ichiro Nishida
- 78-79—Tomi Miyamoto
- 80-81—John Yamada
- 82-84—Ichiro Nishida
- 85—Robert Sakai

## Florin

Organized Aug. 16, 1935

- 36-36—Yoshio Kiino
- 37—Alfred Tsukamoto
- 38—John Hirohata
- 39-40—Hugh M Kiino
- Reactivated Dec. 10, 1947
- 47-48—Alfred Tsukamoto
- 49—Woodrow Ishikawa
- 50—Charles Nishi
- 51—Jack Kawamura
- 52—Sam Tsukamoto
- 53—Bill Okamoto
- 54—Oscar Inouye
- 55—Paul Ito
- 56—Alvin Seno
- 57-58—Wm Y Kashiwagi
- 59—Takeshi Saigo
- 60-61—Louis K Ito
- 62—Oscar Fujii

## Downtown Los Angeles

Pioneer Chapter

Los Angeles JACL

Organized 1929-49

29—Masao Igasaki

30—Clarence Yamagata

31—John S. Ando

Karl Iwanaga

33—Etsuo Sato

## Downtown Los Angeles

Organized 1929-49

- 34-35—Kay Sugahara
- 36—John Maeno
- Eiji Tanabe (Kibei)
- Herbert Wada (Mkt.)
- 38—Ken Matsumoto
- Ted Okumoto (Kibei)
- 39-40—Eiji Tanabe
- 41—Fred Tayama
- 42—Shigem Aratani
- Reactivated July 31, 1946
- Ken Utsunomiya (org.)
- 46-47—Frank Chuman
- 48—John Aiso
- Dr. Tom Watanabe
- 49—Eiji Tanabe
- 50—Dr. George Kambara
- 51—Harry K. Honda
- 52-53—Harry M. Fujita
- 54-55—David Yokozeki
- 56—Kei Uchima
- 57—Duke S. Ogata
- 58—Frank Suzukida
- 59—Gongoro Nakamura
- 60—Katsuma Mukaeda
- 61—Soichi Fukui
- 62—Frank Omatsu
- 63—Father Clement
- 64—Takito Yamaguma
- 65—Frank M. Tsuchiya
- 66—Mitsuhiko Shimizu
- 67—Ed Matsuda
- 68—Alfred Hatate
- 69-70—Kiyoshi Kawai
- 72-72—Ted Kojima
- 73-74—Joe Hazama
- 75-76—George Fujita
- 77-78—Glen H. Pacheco
- 83-84—Patrick Ogawa
- 85—Mary H.



**Gardena Valley**

Reactivated Sept. 25, 1946  
Sam Minami (org.)

- 47-49—Paul Shinoda  
50-51—Henry Ishida  
52-53—Ryo Komae  
54—Yo Minami  
55—Frank Kuida  
56—Dr. John Koyama  
57—Frank Kuida  
58-59—Ronald Shiozaki  
60-61—Toshiro Hiraide  
62-63—Leon Uyeda  
64—Frances Yanai  
65—George Chogyo  
66-67—Fred Ogasawara  
68—Toshiro Hiraide  
69—George Aoyagi  
70-71—Helen Kawagoe  
72—Tom Shigekuni  
73-74—Stuart Tsujimoto  
75—Tak Kawagoe  
76—Joe Fletcher  
77—Helen Kawagoe  
78—Chester Sugimoto  
79—Mas Odoi  
80—John Fujikawa  
81—Lou Tomita  
82—Karl Nobuyuki  
83—May Doi  
84—Pam Shimada  
85—Jonathan Kaji

**Gilroy**

Organization Date  
Unknown

42—Jack Izu  
Reactivated Feb. 1, 1954

- 54—Hiroshi Kunimura  
55—Joe Obata  
56—Jack Nakano  
57—Tom Obata  
58—Shig Yamane  
59—Tak Shiba  
60-61—Moose Kunimura  
62—Manabe Hirasaki  
63—Roy Uyeno  
64—Robert Kishimura  
65—Ray Yamagishi  
66—Sam Yamanaka  
67—Dr. Kiyoshi Kajiko  
68—Hiromi Nagareda  
69—John Kado  
70—Joe Obata  
71—Lawson Sakai  
72—Benny Yamane  
73-74—James Yamane  
75-76—Shig Yamane  
77—Lawson Sakai  
78—Bob Hirahara  
79—Ray Yamagishi  
80—John Hanamoto  
81—James Ogawa  
82—Sam Soda  
83—Atsuko Obata  
84—Misao Niizawa  
85—John Kado

**Golden Gate**

Organized 1980

- 80-81—Sumi Honnami  
82—Morgan Yamanaka  
83-84—Katherine Reyes  
85—Donna Kotake

**Greater L.A. Singles**

Organized Aug. 1982

- 82-83—Midori Watanabe  
84—Tom Shimazaki  
85—Kaz Yoshitomi

**Greater**

Pasadena Area

Organized 1969

- 70—Harry Kawahara  
71—Robert Uchida  
72—Fred Miwa  
73—Rei Osaki  
74—Robert Uchida  
75-76—Franklin Odo  
77-85—Harry Kawahara

**Gresham-**

Troutdale

Organized Mar. 11, 1950

- 50-51—Shio Uyetake  
52—Jack Ouchida  
53—Mas Fujimoto  
54—Toshio Okino  
55—Kazuo Kinoshita  
56—Henry T Kato  
57—Dr. Joe Onchi  
58—Jack Ouchida  
59—Kaz Tamura  
60—Edward Honma  
61—Kazuo Kinoshita  
62—Dr. Joe Onchi  
63—Tosh Okino  
64—Henry T Kato  
65—Shigenari Nagae  
66—Kazuo Tamura  
67—Mas Fujimoto  
68—Edward Fujii  
69—Dr. Henry Mishima  
70—Richard Nishimura  
71—Yosh Mishima  
72—Henry Kato  
73—Kazuo Tamura  
74—Shigenari Nagae  
75—Hiram Hachiya  
76—Richard Nishimura  
77—Dr. Henry Mishima  
78—Ed Honma  
79—Shio Uyetake  
80—Edward Fujii

- 81-82—Henry Muramatsu  
83—Kazuo Kinoshita  
84—Kaz Kinoshita  
85—Edward Honma

**Hawaii**

Organized in 1980

- 80-81—Earl Nishimura  
82-85—Lawrence Kumabe

**Hollywood**

Organized Feb. 28, 1931

- 31-32—Henry Tsurutani  
33-50—Merged with  
Los Angeles  
51—Noboru Ishitani  
52-53—Arthur Endo  
54—Miwa K Yamamoto  
55—Danar Abe  
56—Paul Kawakami  
57—Hideo Izumo  
58—Mike M Suzuki  
59-60—Mike M Suzuki  
61-62—Fred Taomae  
63—Mildred Miyahara  
64—Midori Watanabe  
65—Yuki Kamayatsu  
66—James Kasahara  
67—Muriel Merrell  
68-69—Paul Chinn  
70-71—Alan Kumamoto  
72-73—Amy Ishii  
74—Tom Takenouchi  
75-77—Tomoo Ogita  
78-79—France Yokoyama  
80-81—Toshiko Ogita  
82—William Koseki  
83—Louis Moore  
84-85—Dr. Jerry Wong

**Hoosier**

Organized January, 1976

Mary Sato (org.)

- 76—George Umemura  
77—William R. Alexander  
78—Dr. George Hanasono  
79—Shirley Nakatsukasa  
80-81—Yasuko Matsumoto  
82—Katsuto Kojiro  
83—Ken Matsumoto  
84—K. Sue Hannell  
85—Katherine Ase

**Houston**

Organized February, 1975

- 75-76—Toshio Yamauchi  
77—Hiroshi Sakahara  
78-79—Edward L. Hall  
80-81—Shigenasa Osaki  
82-84—Daniel Watanabe  
85—Betty Waki

**Idaho Falls**

Organized May 17, 1940

as Southeastern Idaho

Renamed Idaho Falls

40—Yukio Inouye

41-42—Mitsugi Kasai

43-44—Yukio Inouye

45-46—Eli Kobayashi

47—Sadao Morishita

48—Fred Ochi

49—Charles Hirai

50—Joe Nishioka

51—Kay Tokita

52—George H. Nukaya

53—Takeo Haga

54—Sam Yamasaki

55—George Tokita

56—Shoji Nukaya

57—Joe Nishioka

58—Deto Harada

59—Bud I Sakaguchi

60-61—Leo H. Hosoda

62-63—Sach Mikami

64—Sam Sakaguchi

65—Todd Ogawa

66-67—Haruo Yamasaki

68—Sadao Morishita

69-70—George Nukaya

71—Deto Harada

72-73—Hid Hasegawa

74-75—Ronald Harada

76—Margret Hasegawa

77-78—Clarke Kido

79-81—Gary Koyama

82-85—Brian Morishita

**Imperial Valley**

Organized May 12, 1958

58-59—Harry T. Momita

60—Hatsuo Morita

61-62—George Kodama

63—Ike Hatchimori

64—Oscar Kodama

65—Larry Shimamoto

66—Shozo Yamashita

67-68—Dr. Hitoshi Ikeda

69—Hatsuo Morita

70—Takanori Nimura

71-73—Dr. Miyoshi Ikeda

74—George Kakiuchi

75-76—Yoshiya

77—George Kodama

78—Takamori Nimura

79-80—Preston Hill

81-82—Takamori Nimura

83-84—Dennis Morita

85—Michael Kakiuchi

**Las Vegas**

Organized Nov. 8, 1974

75—Takashi Kubota

76—George Goto

77—Rudy M. Eaves

78—William Endow

79-80—Lillian Morizono

81—Don Frazier

**Livingston-Merced**

Organization Date

Unknown

Reactivated

Jan. 22, 1948

38—Roy M. Kishi

48-49—David Kurihara

50—Biyo Yoshino

51—Buichi Kajiwar

52—Tom Nakashima

53—Frank Suzuki

54—James Kiriwara

55—George Yagi

56—Lester K. Yoshida

57—Frank Shoji

58—Fred M Hashimoto

59—Roy Okahara

60—Gene Hamaguchi

61—Tets Morimoto

62—Buddy T. Iwata

63—Kazuo Masuda

64—Frank Suzuki

65—Tom Nakashima

66—Walter Morimoto

67—Fred Kishi

68—Fred Hashimoto

69—Bob Morimoto

70-71—Robert Ohki

72-74—Nori Tashima

75-76—Leonard Kinoshita

77-78—Caroline Nakashima

79-80—Jean Koda

81—Gary Hamaguchi

82—Paul Okuy

83—Douglas Frago

84—Carole Koda

85—Steven Kiriwara

**Japan**

Organized 1980

80-82—Barry Saiki

83-84—Dick Yamashita

85—Calvin Kuniyuki

**Lake Washington**

Organized 1982

82—John Matsumoto

83—Ken Onuma

84—Taul Watanabe

85—Tets Yasuda, VP

**Latin America**

Organized 1982

82—Elena Yoshizumi

83—Luis Kobashi MD

84—Luis Higa

85—Luis Yamakawa

**Lodi**

Organization Date

Unknown

41-42—Sam Funamura

Reactivated

Nov. 1, 1976

77—Taul Takao

78—James Ishida

79—Fred H. Nagata

80—David Morimoto

81—Kazuto Daijogo

82—Gordon Nitta

83—Dr. Keith Kanegawa

84—Kenneth Takeda

85—Dr. Ronald Oye

**Marin County**

Organized 1975

75—Bill Tsuji

76-77—John Tateishi

78—Dennis Sato

79—Steven Gotanda

80—Dr. Don Nakahata

81-82—Hiroshi Ito

83—Bruce Shimizu

84—David Nakagawa

85—Dennis Sato

**Marina County**

Organized 1979

79-80—Paul T. Suzuki

81—Bebe Toshiko Reschke

82-83—Edward Goka

84-85—Sam Sunada

**Marysville**

Organized July 18, 1935\*

as Yuba, Sutter, Butte,

Columbia

\*Originally organized

as American Loyalty

League in 1920, the

earlier records are

missing.

35-37—Chas M. Ishizu

Kie Maruyama

38—Harry Fukushima

39-42—Frank Nakamura

Reactivated

as Marysville

46—Frank F. Nakamura

47—Sam Kurihara

48-49—Frank F. Nakamura

50-51—Akiji Yoshimura

52—Masanobu Oji

53-54—Frank N. Okimoto

55—Dan F. Nishita

56—George H. Inouye

57—George Nakao

58—George Okamoto

59—Bill Tsuji

60—Dr. Yutaka Toyoda

61—Shurei Matsumoto

**Mid Columbia**

Organized 1931 as

Hood River JACL

31—George Kinoshita

32—Kumeo Yoshinari

33—Kazuo Kanemasu

34—Min Yasui

35—Kumeo Yoshinari

Renamed Mid-Columbia

36-37—Kazuo Kanemasu

38—George Kinoshita

39—Harry Morioka

39-40—Mits Takasumi

41—Mark Sato

42—Kumeo Yoshinari

Reactivated May 19, 1946

46-47—Mamoru Noji

48—Masami Asai

49—Ray T. Yasui

50—Sho Endow Jr

51—Taro Asai

52—Setsu Shitara

53—Koe Nishimoto

54—Ray Sato

55—Bob Kageyama

56—Mamoru Kiyokawa

57—George Nakamura

58—Noboru Hamada

59—Clifford Nakamura

60—Sho Endow Jr

61—Mits Takasumi

62—Taro Asai

63—Ray Sato

64—Min Asai

65—George Tamura



## From Previous Page

## Placer County

75—Koichi Uyeno  
76-77—Chester K Yamada  
78-79—Cosma K Sakamoto  
80-81—Al Nitta  
82-83—Kay Miyamura  
84-85—Ken Tokutomi

Pocatello/Blackfoot  
Organized 1941

41—George Shiozawa  
42-43—Paul Okamura  
44—Novo Kato  
45—Tom Morimoto  
46—Hiro Shiosaki  
47—Harvey Yamashita,  
Sam Yokota  
48—George Shiozawa  
49—Paul Okamura,  
Masa Tsukamoto  
50—Masa Tsukamoto  
51—Bill Yoden  
52—George Sato  
53-54—Ronnie Yokota  
55-56—Wm. T. Yamauchi  
57-58—Novo Kato  
59-60—Hiro Shiosaki  
61—George Shiozawa  
63—Joe Sato  
64—Kazuo Endow  
65—George Sumida  
66—Masa Tsukamoto  
67—Mrs. K. Sato  
68—Bob Endo  
69-71—Mike Abe  
72-73—Masa Tsukamoto  
74—Harvey Nishimura  
75—Bob Endo  
76—Shin Kawamura  
77—Mrs. Alice Sato  
78-79—Masa Tsukamoto  
80-81—Mike Abe  
82-83—Paul Okamura  
84—Kunio Yamada  
85—Kae Sumida

## Portland

## Pioneer Chapter

Organized Sept. 1928  
28—Charles Yoshii  
29-30—Dr K Kayama  
31-34—Roy Yokota  
35-36—Hito Okada  
37-38—Mamuro Wakasugi  
39-40—Howard Nomura  
41-42—Newton Uyesugi  
Reactivated April 30, 1946  
Kenzo Nakagawa, org.  
46—Toshi Kuge  
47—George Azumano  
48—Makoto Iwashita  
Toshi Kuge,  
Mary Minamoto  
49—No Officers  
50—Hiram Hachiya,  
Mary Minamoto  
51—Mamuro Wakasugi  
52—Matthew Masuoka  
53—John Hada,  
Mrs Martha Osaki  
54—Dr Mitsuo Nakata  
55—Nobi Sumida  
56—Shigeru Hongo  
57—Nobi Sumida  
58-59—Kimi Tambara  
60—George Gokami  
61-62—John Hada  
63—Mrs Emi Somekawa  
64—Akira Iwasaki  
65—Dr George Hara  
66—Walter Fuchigami  
67—Dr Albert Oyama  
68—Mrs Nobi Tsuboi  
69—Hiroshi R Sumida  
70—Dr James Tsujimura  
71-72—Don Hayashi  
73—Dr Homer Yasui  
74—Albert Abe  
75—Hiroshi Onishi  
76—Al Shimoguchi  
77—Bill Koida  
78—William Y Sugahiro  
79—  
80—Sho Dozono  
81—M/M Homer Yasui  
(co-pres.)  
82—Walter Sakai  
83—Robert Shimabukuro  
84—Terry Akwai  
85—Terence Yamada

## Puyallup Valley

Organized Feb. 1931  
31-32—Jas M Yamamoto  
33-34—Daichi Yoshioka  
35-36—Toru Kuramoto  
37-38—Dan Sakahara  
Howard Sakura (Etrv)  
39-40—Mas Nakamichi  
41-42—Lefty S. Sasaki  
Reactivated Feb. 19, 1948  
48-49—Kaz Yamane  
50—Art Yamada  
51—Tom Takemura  
52—Hiroshi Sakahara  
53—John Sakai  
54—Robert Mizukami  
55—Dr. Kay Toda  
56—Yosh Kawabata  
57—Thomas Takemura  
58—Dr. John Kanda  
59—Robert Mizukami  
60—Dr. Sam Uchiyama  
61—Toshio Tsuboi

62—Kaz Yamane  
63—George Iwakiri  
64—Joe Kosai  
65—Frank H. Komoto  
66—George Murakami  
67—Frank Mizukami  
68-69—Yoshio Kosai  
70-71—Yoshihiko Tanabe  
72-74—Emi Somekawa  
75-76—Dr. Paul W. Ellis  
77—Gregory Mizukami  
78—Tom Shigio  
79—  
80-81—Joseph Kosai  
82-83—Dr. John M Kanda  
84-85—Emi Somekawa

## Progressive

## Westside

Organized May 17, 1948  
As Southwest L.A.  
48-49—Roy Nishikawa  
50-51—Tut Yata  
52—Dick H. Fujioka  
53—Mack Hamaguchi  
54—Hisashi Horita  
55—Dr. Toru Iura  
56—Roy Iketani  
57—Kango Kunitsugu  
58—Sam Hirasawa  
59—Joe Yasaki  
60—Thomas Shimazu  
61—Mark Kiguchi  
62—John Ankney  
63-65—Mas Shimatsu  
Chapter Renamed 1966  
66—Roy Fujino,  
Jim Kozen  
67—Rodger Kame  
68—Dr. Franklin Minami  
69-70—Roger Shimizu  
71—Ken Izumi  
72—Mrs. Tomi Ohta  
73-85—Toshiko Yoshida

## Reedley

Organized June 8, 1935  
35—George Ikuta  
36—Robert Okamura  
38—Charles Iwasaki  
40—Seyichi Kiyomoto  
41—Keiji Kitahara  
42—George Ikuta  
Reactivated Sept. 25, 1948  
48—Masaru Abe  
49—Marshall Hirose  
50—Charles Iwasaki  
51—Mas Sakamoto  
52—Jack Shimono  
53—Dr. Akira Tajiri  
54—Masaru Abe  
55—Charles Iwasaki  
56—Dr. James Ikemiyu  
57—Tak Naito  
58—Ed Yano  
59—Frank Kimura  
60—Kiyoshi Kawamoto  
61—Toru Ikeda  
62—Kei Kitahara  
63—Henry Hosaka  
64—Bill Yamada  
65—William Wake  
66—George Kiyomoto  
67—George Ikemiyu  
68—George Katsuki  
69—Harry Iwanaga  
70—George Hosaka  
71—Dr. Kanji Asami  
72—Sam Nakagawa  
73-74—Larry Iwasaki  
75—Ken Sunamoto  
76—Roy Watari  
77—Ron Nishinaka  
78—Harvey Hanemoto  
79—Wayne Kai  
80—Dennis D. Ikuta  
81—Tim Kurumaji  
82—George Ikuta  
83—Dale Okamura  
84—Stan Hirahara  
85—Curtis Koga

## Reno

Organized Mar. 11, 1948  
48—Mas Baba  
49—Fred Yamagishi  
50—George Oshima  
51—Oscar Fujii  
52—Fred Aoyama  
53—Oscar Fujii  
54-55—Fred Aoyama  
56—Henry Hattori  
57—Ida Fukui  
58-59—Bud Fujii  
60—Mrs. Hana Aoyama  
61—Mrs. Yoshie Fujii  
62—Mrs. Eunice Oshima  
63—Robert Debold  
64—Mas Baba  
65—Fred Aoyama  
66—Tom Oki  
67—Mrs. Joyce Chikami  
68—William R. Spahr  
69—Kaz Fujimoto  
70-71—Dr. Eugene Choy  
72—James Ihara  
73—Wilson Makabe  
74—Kiyoshi Hase  
75—David Baba  
76—Ronald Yamamoto  
77—Molly K. Yamashita  
78—Sam Wada  
79—

80—Tom Oki  
81—Ken Date  
82-83—Fred Sun  
84—Mrs. Linda Okada  
85—Buddy Fujii

## Riverside

Organized May 29, 1967  
67—Wm. Takano  
68—Dr. Gen Ogata  
69—Mas Koketsu  
69-70—Leo Asaoka  
71—Dolly Ogata  
72—Jim Urata  
73—Glenn Michel  
74—Peter Sasaki  
75—Mable Bristol  
76—Jack Nukaya  
77—Michiko Yoshimura  
78-79—Carl Bristol  
80—Douglas Urata  
81—Dolly Ogata  
82-83—Clifford MacNiven  
84—Kiyoko S. Hanamura  
85—Dr. Junji Kumamoto

## Sacramento

Organized 1922  
Originally organized in  
1922 as American Loyalty  
League.  
22-24—Walter Tsukamoto  
24-31—Inactive  
Chartered Oct. 31, 1931  
31-36—Walter Tsukamoto  
37—Dr. Jiro Muramoto  
38—Henry Taketa  
39—Edward Kitazumi  
40—Dr. Geo. Takahashi  
41-42—Goro Muramoto  
Reactivated Aug. 10, 1947  
Henry Taketa (org.)  
48—Dr. Yoshizo Harada  
Mitsuru Nishio  
49—Mitsuru Nishio  
50—Kiyo Sato  
51—Wm. M. Matsumoto  
52—Ginji Mizutani  
53—George Tambara  
54—Tokio Fujii  
55—Dean T. Itano  
56—Percy Masaki  
57—Mamoru Sakuma  
58—Katsuro Murakami  
59—Richard Matsumoto  
60-61—Tak Tsujita  
62—Frank Hiyama  
63—Ralph Nishimi  
64—Tom Sato  
65—Kinya Noguchi  
66—Chas. Kobayashi  
67-68—Tom Fujimoto  
69—Robert Matsui  
70—Carnegie Ouye  
71—Frank Iwama  
72—Dennis Nishikawa  
73—Phil Hiroshima  
74-75—Roy T. Imura  
76-77—Floyd Shimomura  
78—Donald Ito  
79-80—David Takashima  
81—Keith Yamanaka  
82—Gerald Takehara  
83—Warren Kashiwagi  
84—Mrs. Debra Oto-Kent  
85—Rodney Nishi

## Saint Louis

Organized Aug. 17, 1946  
46—Sam Nakano  
47-48—Henry Tani  
49-50—Joseph Tanaka  
51—Edward Koyama  
52—Dr. Alfred Morioka  
53—George K. Hasegawa  
54—Harry H. Hayashi  
55—Rose Ogino  
56—Richard T. Henmi  
57—Dan Sakahara  
58—Kiichi Hiramoto  
59—Dr. Alfred Morioka  
60—Dr. Henry M. Ema  
61—George K. Hasegawa  
62—Mrs. Lois Miyasaka  
63-64—Dr. Jackson Eto  
65—Dr. Geo. Uchiyama  
66—Lee Durham  
67—George Hasegawa  
68—Roger Miyasaka  
69—Dr. John Hara  
70—David Shimamoto  
71—Dr. Otto Furuta  
72—Dr. Norman C. Sih  
73—Mrs. Mae Marshall  
74—Yuki Rikimaru  
75—George Sakaguchi  
76—Edward Tsugita  
77—George Sakaguchi  
78-79—Lee Durham  
80—Paul Harano  
81—Robert Mitori  
82-83—Sam M. Nakano  
84-85—Ed Tsugita

## Salinas Valley

Organized in 1931  
31—Takeo Yuki  
32—Harry Kita  
33—Tom Fujino  
34—Henry Shigemasa  
35—John Urabe  
36—Harry Kita  
37—Takeo Yuki  
38—Kenzo Yoshida

39-40—Harry Shirachi  
41-42—Henry Tanda  
Reactivated May 17, 1946  
46-47—James Abe  
48—Henry Tanda  
49-50—Roy Sakasegawa  
51-52—Tom Miyana  
53-54—John Terakawa  
55-56—James Tanda  
57—Kenneth Sato  
58—Henry Tanda  
59-60—Kiyo Hirano  
61-62—Harvey Kitamura  
63—Tom Miyana  
64-65—Ted Ikemoto  
66-67—Bob Yamamoto  
68-69—Henry Hibino  
70-71—Shiro Higashi  
72—Harry Iida  
73-74—Tom Miyana  
75—L. Hayes Dacus  
76—Dr. Jon Hirasuna  
77—Shiro Higashi  
78-79—Ben Miyaoka  
80—Helen Kitaji  
81—Bob Uemura  
82—Dr. Jon Hirasuna  
83—Kiyoshi Hirano  
84—Tom Miyana  
85—Harry K Sakasegawa

## Salt Lake City

Organized Mar. 8, 1935  
Miye Asahina (org.)  
35—Joe G. Masaoka  
36—Joe Kurumada  
37—William T. Yamauchi  
38-40—Mike M. Masaoka  
41—Shigeki Ushio  
42-43—Dr. Jun Kurumada  
44—Isamu Aoki  
45—Kay Terashima  
46—Mrs. Alice Kasai  
47—Tom Hoshiyama  
48—Dr. Jun Kurumada  
49—George Sakashita  
50-51—George Mochizuki  
52—Masami Yana  
53—Dr. Shig Matsukawa  
54-56—Rupert Hachiya  
57-59—Ichiro Doi  
60—Henry Kasai  
61—George Yoshimoto  
62-63—Tats Misaka  
64-65—Raymond Uno  
66—Tubber Okuda  
67—Toshiyuki Kano  
68—Isamu Watanuki  
69-70—George Kimura  
71—Ben Aoyagi  
72—Yuji Okumura  
73—Masao T. Sutow  
74—Ted Nagata  
75-76—Gene Sato  
77-78—Jimi Mitsunaga  
79—Randy Hirouchi  
80—George Nakamura  
81-82—Yoshiko Uno  
83-84—Sadako Nagata  
85—Betty Kubota

## San Benito County

Organized June 22, 1935  
This chapter is the  
only West Coast Chapter  
which maintained its  
active status, despite  
evacuation, through the  
war years.  
35-37—James Sugioka  
38—George Nishita  
39—James Sugioka  
40—Richard Nishimoto  
41-46—Henry Omoto  
47—Richard Nishimoto  
48—Takeichi Kadani  
49—Isaac Shingu  
50—Kay Kamimoto  
51—George Nishita  
52—Tom Shimonishi  
53—Glenn Kowaki  
54—Sho Nakamoto  
55—Joe Shingai  
56—Frank Nishita  
57—John Teshima  
58—Sam Shiotsuka  
59—Kay Yamaoka  
60—Dennis Nishita  
61—Sam I. Shingai  
62—Tony Yamaoka  
63—Herbert Teshima  
64—Tsutae Kamimoto  
65—Akiji Yamagishi  
66—Ryo Terasaki  
67—Kenneth Teshima  
68—Charles A. Boch  
69—George Inokuchi  
70—Ben Yamaoka  
71—Charles A. Boch  
72—Kay Kamimoto  
73—Mas Tanaka  
74—Frank Nishita  
75—Gary Shingai  
76—John Kurisaki  
77—Kiyoshi Kawasaki  
78—Edwin Shiotsuka  
79-80—Steve Nishita  
81—Bryan Yamaoka  
82—Philip Nishimoto  
83—John Uernura  
84—John S. Kurasaki  
85—Sho Nakamoto

## San Diego

Organized Aug. 13, 1933  
Hanako Moriyama (org.)  
33—George Obayashi  
34—Frank Otsuka  
35—George Obayashi  
36-37—George Ohashi  
38—Isamu Fujita  
39—George Obayashi  
40—Isamu Fujita  
41—Fred Katsumata  
42—Frank H. Otsuka  
Reactivated Oct. 1946  
47—Dr. George Hara,  
Masami Honda  
48—Min Sakamoto  
49-50—Dr. George Hara  
51—Masami Honda  
52—Moto Asakawa  
53—Paul Hoshi  
54—Hiomi Nakamura  
55—George Kodama  
56—Dr. Tad Imoto  
57—Bert Tanaka  
58—Moto Asakawa  
59—George Muto  
60—Hedi Takeshita  
61—Jack Matsueda  
62—Harry Kawamoto  
63—Bruce Asakawa  
64—Joe Miyoshi  
65—Tom Yanagihara  
66—Abe Mukai  
67—Mas Hironaka  
68—Isao Horiye  
69—Tom Uda  
70—Don Estes  
71—Isao Horiye  
72—Don H. Estes  
73-75—Vernon T Yoshioka  
76-85—Masaki Hironaka  
86—Vernon T Yoshioka

## San Fernando Valley

Organized Feb. 16, 1942  
42—Tom Imai  
Reactivated Sept. 24, 1946  
46—Tom Imai  
47—Fred Muto  
48-53—Inactive  
54-55—Tom Endow  
56—Gene Kono  
57-58—Kay Nakagiri  
59-60—Sam I Ueyehara  
61—Katsumi Arimoto  
62—Tak Nakae  
63—Harry Otsuki  
64-65—Mabel Takimoto  
66-67—John Kaneko  
68—Robert Moriguchi  
69-70—John Ball  
71—John Nishizaka  
72—Ronald Yoshida  
73—Hiroshi Shimizu  
74-75—Phillip Shigekuni  
76—Richard K Yamauchi  
77-78—Nancy Gohata  
79-81—Roy Kawamoto  
82-83—Takemori Yamamoto  
84-85—Roy Makino  
86—Mabel Takimoto

## San Francisco

Pioneer Chapter  
Organized 1928  
28-29—Saburo Kido  
30—Henry Takahashi  
31—George Togasaki  
32—Saburo Kido  
33—Henry Takahashi  
34—Dr. T. T. Hayashi  
35—Dr. Carl Hirota  
36—Dr. Kahn Ueyeyama  
37—Tamotsu Murayama,  
Mikio Fujimoto  
38-39—Saburo Kido  
40-41—Henry T. Uyeda  
42—David Tatsuno,  
Henry Tani  
Reactivated May 11, 1945  
Roy Takagi (org.)  
45—David Tatsuno  
46—Yoshiaki Moriwaki,  
Dr. Tokuji Hedani  
47—Dr. Yoshiye Togasaki  
Yukio Wada  
48—Yukio Wada  
49—Takehiko Yoshihashi  
50—Victor Abe  
51—Yasuo W. Abiko  
52—Fred Y. Hoshiyama  
53—Dr. Shigeru R. Horio,  
Kei Hori  
54-55—Jerry Enomoto  
56—Hatsuo Aizawa  
57-58—Jack Kusaba  
59—Steve Doi  
60-61—John Yasumoto  
62-63—Tad Ono  
64-65—Eddie Moriguchi  
66—Don Negi  
67-68—Mrs. Yo Hironaka  
69—Wesley Doi  
70—Fred Abe  
71-72—Geo Yamasaki Jr.  
73-74—Wesley Doi  
75—Dr. Yosh Nakashima  
76—Gary Nakamura  
77-78—Michael Ito  
79-80—Steven Teraoka  
81-82—Hisashi Takiguchi  
83—Greg Marutani  
84-85—Cressey Nakagawa

## San Gabriel Valley

Organized Apr. 28, 1933  
Shizuko Shirane (org.)  
33-34—Frank T. Tanaka  
36—Dave Nitate  
37—James Katayama  
38-39—Masaru Kawashima  
40—Shigeru Hashimoto  
Henry Kuwabara  
41—George Imai  
42—Henry Kuwabara  
Reactivated Apr. 2, 1967  
67—Dave Ito  
68—Frank Tanaka  
69-70—David Ito  
71—Deni Uejima  
72—Dr. Kanji Sahara  
73—Edw. Tokeshi  
74—Harry Mizoguchi  
75—Jane Sahara  
76—Kazuo Mayemura  
77—Sam Imai  
78—Toshiko Ito  
79-81—William Young  
82-83—Benny Taguchi  
84-85—Deni Y. Uejima

## San Jose

Organized 1923\*  
\*First organized in 1923  
as the American Loyalty  
League, its subsequent  
records are missing. The  
name was changed to  
JACL in 1930 and when it  
was reactivated in 1945, it  
was merged with the  
Santa Clara County Uni-  
ted Citizens League until  
1954.  
23—Kay Nishida  
24-31—Records Missing  
32—Harry Takeda  
33-36—Records Missing  
37—Shig Masunaga  
38—Phil Matsumura  
39—Wayne M. Kanemoto  
40—Henry Mitarai  
41—Roy Ozawa  
42—Shig Masunaga  
Reactivated  
June 3, 1945  
45—Shigeru Masunaga  
46—Eiichi Sakauye  
47—Akira Shimoguchi  
48—Henry Hamasaki  
49—Esau Shimizu  
50—Ruth Hashimoto  
51—Shigeru Masunaga  
52—Akira Shimoguchi  
53-54—Tom Mitsuyoshi  
55-57—Phil Matsumura  
58—Harry Ishigaki  
59-60—Norman Mineta  
61—Eiichi Sakauye  
62-63—Dr. Tom Taketa  
64-65—Henry Uyeda  
66-68—Karl Kinaga  
69-70—James N. Ono  
71-72—Richard K Tanaka  
73—Grant Shimizu  
74-76—Michael Honda  
77-78—Jan Y. Kurahara  
79—Dr. Tom Taketa  
80—Judy N. Ellwanger  
81—Judy Nizawa  
82-83—Wayne Tandia  
84-85—Yosh Morimoto

## San Luis Obispo

Organized March 1931  
31-33—Ernest K. Iwasaki  
34—Kofuji Fukunaga  
35-36—  
37—Ben Fujiwaki  
38—Sam Oda  
39—  
40—George Horiuchi  
41-42—Karl Taku  
Reactivated Aug. 22, 1946  
46—Karl Taku  
47—Joe H. Kamitsuka,  
Pat Nagano  
48—Hilo Fuchiwaki  
49—Masaji Eto  
50—Karl Taku  
51—Pat Nagano  
52—Kazuo Ikeda  
53—Haruo Hayashi  
54—Saburo Ikeda  
55—George Nagano  
56—Seirin Ikeda  
57—Mitsuo Sanbonmatsu  
58—Akio Hayashi  
59—Ben Dohi  
60—Ken Kitasako  
61—Skip T. Sato  
62—David Tsukamoto  
63—Ken Kobara  
64—Stone Saruwatari  
65—Hilo Fuchiwaki  
66-67—Ben Fuchiwaki  
68—Shig Kawaguchi  
69—Geo. K. Ikenoyama  
70—Robert Fukuahara  
71—Robert Takahashi  
72—Haruo Hayashi  
73—Roy Obayashi  
74-75—Geo Ikenomiya  
76—Ben Dohi  
77—Saburo Ikeda  
78—Alan Eto  
79—Robert C. Takahashi  
80-81—Masaji Eto  
82-83—Kazuo Ikeda  
84-85—Haruo Hayashi

## Sanger-Del Rey

Organized March 17, 1950  
50-51—Robert Kanagawa  
52—Tom Nakamura  
53—Tom Nagamatsu  
54—George Nishimura  
55—Johnson Kebo  
56—Johnson Shimizu  
57—Kiichi Tange  
58—Larry Hikiji  
59—Peter Hasegawa  
60—Benny Matsumaga  
61—Kelly Ishimoto  
62—Masami Arita  
63—Hugo Ogawa  
64—Kazuo Komoto  
65—Robert Kanagawa  
66—Tom Nakamura  
67—George Nishimura  
68—Tom H. Nagamatsu  
69—Kiichi Tange  
70—Larry Hikiji  
71-72—Peter Hasegawa  
73—Masami Arita  
74—Hugo Ogawa  
75-76—Kazuo Komoto  
77—Tom Nakamura  
78—Tom Moriyama  
79-80—Larry Tange  
81—Tom Moriyama  
82—Harry Adachi  
83—Yo Katayama  
84-85—Dallas Kanagawa

## Santa Barbara

Organized January 1930  
30—Taki Asakura  
31—Cora Asakura  
33—Darrel Utsunomiya  
35—James Ezaki  
36-37—  
38-39—James Ezaki  
40-42—Tom Hirashima  
Reactivated Sept. 1946  
46—Tom Hirashima  
47—Ken Dyo  
48-50—Tad Kanetomo  
51—Mrs. Lillian Nakaji  
52—Ikey Kakimoto  
53—Akira Endo  
54—Lillian Nakaji,  
Tom Hirashima, Ikey  
Kakimoto, John Suzuki  
55-56—Tom Hirashima  
57—Richard Tokumaru  
58-59—Mike Hide  
60—Jerry Kawano  
61-62—Tom Hirashima  
63-64—George Ohashi  
65-66—Richard Tokumaru  
67—Mike Hide  
68-75—George Ohashi  
76-85—Michael Hide

## Santa Maria Valley

Organized April 3, 1932  
32-33—Ken Utsunomiya  
34—Dr. Earl M. Yusa  
35—Ken Kitasako  
36-37—Robert Hiramatsu  
38—Ken Utsunomiya  
39—Butch Y. Tamura  
40-42—Harry Miyake  
Reactivated August 1946  
47-48—Harold Shimizu  
49-56—Harry Miyake  
57-58—George Sahara  
59—Toru Miyoshi  
60—Jun Miyoshi  
64-65—Paul Kurokawa  
67-68—John Kawachi  
69—Dr. Ken Oye  
70—Keido Shimizu  
71-73—Peter Ueyehara  
74-76—Ellen Kishiyama  
77—Pete Ueyehara  
78—Jack K. Morishima  
79—Tom Fujioka  
80-85—Jack K Morishima

## San Mateo County

Organization Date  
Unknown  
35-36—Saiki Muneno  
37—Frank Kawai  
38—Joe Yamada  
39—Hirosuke Inouye  
40—Dr. Geo. Takahashi  
41—Fred Ochi  
42—Dr. Geo. Takahashi  
Reactivated Oct. 22, 1946  
47—Ken Kato,  
Hirosuke Inouye  
48—Howard Imada  
49—Hiroji Kariya  
50—Kaz Kunitani  
51—Dick Arimoto  
52—Robert Sugishita  
53—Andrew Yoshiwara  
54—Howard Imada  
55—William Takahashi  
56-57—Saiki Yamaguchi  
58—Tom Marutani  
59-60—Haruo Ishimaru  
61—Kiyoshi Ota  
62—Wilson Makabe  
63—Jake K. Oiwa  
64—Haruo Ishimaru  
65—Mrs. Irene Ikeda  
66-67—Hy Tsukamoto  
68-69—Dr. Mitch Wakasa  
70-71—Tom Hisata  
72—Eugene Moriguchi  
73-74—Tom Konno  
75-76—Yosh Kojimoto  
77—Mrs. Yasuko Ito

78—Mrs. Suzi Kunitani  
79—Terrence Terauchi  
80-81—Suzi Kunitani  
82—Richard Nakanishi  
83—Dr. David Hayashi  
84—Hiroyuki Arima  
85—Noell Kubota

## Seabrook

Organized June 18, 1946  
47—Vernon Ichisaka  
48—Ray Baro  
49—Vernon Ichisaka  
50-51—George Sakamoto  
52—Jim Mitsui  
53—John Fuyume  
54—Harry Okamoto  
55—Henry Furushima  
56—George Noda  
57—Mrs. Josie Ikeda  
58—Vernon Ichisaka  
59—Keigo Inouye  
60—James Yamasaki  
61—Bob Fuyume  
62—Kiyomi Nakamura  
63—Dr. Paul Morita  
64—Charles Nagao  
65—Henry F. Kato  
66-67—Masaaki Ooka  
68-69—Ted Oye  
70-71—John Nakamura  
72-73—Ellen Nakamura  
74-76—Sunako Oye  
77—Mrs. Mary C. Nagao  
78—Ray Ono  
79—Terry O'Neill  
80-81—Peggy Fukawa  
82-83—C. Scott Nagao  
84-85—Gregory D. Ono

## Seattle

Pioneer Chapter  
Organized Sept. 17, 1921  
21-22—Shigeru Osawa  
25—Inactive  
26—Shigeru Osawa  
27—Inactive  
28-30—Clarence T. Arai  
31—James Y. Sakamoto  
32-33—George Ishihara  
34-35—Takeo Nogaki  
36-37—Clarence T. Arai  
38—Saburo Nishimura  
39-40—Takeo Nogaki  
Ichihiro Nagatani  
Arthur Kura  
41—Toshio Hoshide,  
Kenji Ito, Mits  
Hashiguchi (Bellevue)  
42—Clarence T. Arai  
Reactivated Aug. 5, 1947  
Joe Hirabayashi, chmn.  
48—Toru Sakahara,  
Mrs. Shigeko Uno,  
Kengo Nogaki  
49—Mac Kaneko  
50-51—Harry I. Takagi  
52—Kenji Okuda  
53—Dr. Kelly K. Yamada  
54—Geo. S. Kashiwagi  
55—Howard Sakura  
56—James Matsuoaka  
57—Toru Sakahara  
58-59—Takeshi Kubota  
60—Minoru Tsubota  
61—Philip Hayasaka  
62—William Mimbu  
63—John Aoki  
64-65—Dr. Terrance Toda  
66—George Iwasaki  
67—Thomas S. Iwata  
68—George Fugami  
69—Jiro Aoki  
70—Don Kazama  
71—Dr. Minoru Masuda  
72—Tomio Moriguchi  
73—Ben Nakagawa  
74—Sam Shoji  
75-76—Lindbergh Sata  
77—Cherry Kinoshita  
78—Ted Taniguchi  
79—Mitch Matsudaira  
80—Chuck Kato  
81—Lloyd Hara  
82—Kathryn Bannai  
83—Mako Nakagawa  
84—Jerry Shigaki  
85—David Okimoto

## Selanoco

(Southeast L.A.  
N. Orange County)  
Organized Apr. 23, 1966  
66-67—Henry Yamaga  
68-69—Dr. James Toda  
70—Don Watanabe  
71—Richard Karasawa  
72-73—Rose Sakata  
74—Hiroshi Kamei  
75-76—Clarence Nishizu  
77-78—Hiroshi Kamei  
79-80—Jim Seippel  
81—Eugene Takamine  
82—Ted Shimizu  
83-84—Ken Inouye  
85—Frank Kawase

## Selma

Organized Mar. 17, 1950  
50-52—George Abe  
53—Masato Morishima  
54-55—George Okazaki  
56—George Baba  
57—George Abe  
58—Dale Okazaki



## From Previous Page

## Selma

59—Alan Masumoto  
60—Max Kawano  
61—Dale Kawano  
62—Elmer Kobashi  
63—George Tokunaga  
64—Sus Kimoto  
65—Alan A. Masumoto  
66—Jiro Kataoka  
67—Tosh Shimamoto  
68—George Abe  
69—George Baba  
70—Alan Masumoto  
71—Sus Komoto  
72—Tak Tsutsui  
73—Elmer Kobashi  
74—Jiro Kataoka  
75—Ken Yamamoto  
76—Akira Iwamura  
77—Mas Kawano  
78—Tom Kataoka  
79—Shig Nagao  
80—Shig Nagao  
81—Kiyon Yamamoto  
82—George Abe  
83—Tom Kawano  
84-85—Shin Mukai

## Sequoia

Organized May 18, 1952

52—Harry Higaki  
53—Shozo Mayeda  
54—John Enomoto  
55—Hiroji Kajiyu  
56-57—Peter Nakahara  
58—Tom Yamane  
59—Sat Yamada  
60—John Enomoto  
61—Sakaye Okamura  
62—Jay Sasagawa  
63—Dave Nakamura  
64—Albert Nakai  
65—Fujio Kawano  
66—Hiroshi Yamamoto  
67-68—Kiyon Nishihara  
69—Ronald Enomoto  
70—Dr. Ken Kato  
71—Ernie Murata  
72—Charles Kubokawa  
73-74—Dave M. Yoshida  
75-76—David S. Oku  
77-78—Amy Doi  
79-80—Bud Y. Nakano  
81—Richard Katsuda  
82—Mrs. Marjie Iseke  
83-84—Albert Nakai  
85—Tats Hori

## Snake River

Organized Feb. 26, 1944

44-45—Joe Komoto  
46—Joe Saito  
47—James M. Watanabe  
48-49—Tom T. Itami  
50—George Sugai  
51—Tom Iseri  
52—Smith Morimoto  
53—Tom Ogura  
54—Paul Saito  
55—George Iseri  
56—Dr. Kenji Yaguchi  
57—Gish Amato  
58—George Mita  
59—George Nishimura  
60—Abe Saito  
61—Yosh Sakahara  
62—Ike Wakasugi  
63—Richard Ogura  
64—Mamoru Wakasugi  
65—Bob Uriu  
66—George Iwasa  
67—Jack H. Ogami  
68—Barton Sasaki  
69—Clifford Morikawa  
70—Sam Mori  
71—Tom Uriu  
72—Sonny Watanabe  
73-74—Vernon C. Nakada  
75-76—John Tameno  
77—David Mizuta  
78—Kerry Iseri  
79-80—  
81—Ross Nishihara  
82-83—Russell Murata  
84-85—Ron Pressley

## Sonoma County

Organized Aug. 4, 1934

34-35—Masao Hasegawa  
36-38—Dr. George Hiura  
41-42—Henry Shimizu  
43-44—James T. Miyano  
45—George Kawakita  
46—Chick Furuya  
47—Minoru Matsuda  
48—Arthur Sugiyama  
49—Riyuo Ueda  
50—Kanemo Ono  
51—Edwin Ohki  
52—Sam Miyano  
53—Frank Oda  
54—Edwin Ohki  
55—Martin H. Shimizu  
56—Dr. Roy Okamoto  
57—James J. Murakami  
58—George Hamamoto  
59—James Miyano  
60—Dr. Roy Okamoto  
61—Frank Oda  
62—Edwin Ohki  
63—Martin Shimizu  
64—Dr. Roy Okamoto  
65—George Hamamoto  
66—Fred Yokoyama  
67—Frank Oda

74—George Okamoto  
75—Fred Yokoyama,  
Raymond Yamasaki  
76—Ed Nomura  
77—Hitoshi Kobayashi  
78—Martin Shimizu  
79-80—Mark Hayashi  
81—Margaret Murakami  
82—Lucy Kishaba  
83-84—Jas J. Murakami  
85—Terry Maki

## South Bay

Organized Feb., 1973

73-76—Mas Miyakoda  
77—Amy Kawaguchi  
78—Eric Wada  
79-80—Edwin Mitoma  
81-82—Mary Ogawa  
83-84—Wendell Wong  
85—Ted Hasegawa

## Solano County

Organized in 1978

78-79—Yosh Shitanishi  
79—Gary Kamei  
80—Ross Nishihara  
81-82—Leo Hosoda  
83—Nicholas Easling  
84-85—Nellie Tanaka

## Spokane

Organized in 1940

40-41—Spady Koyama  
42—Joe Okamoto  
43—Saburo Nishimura  
44-45—Ed Yamamoto  
46—George Numata  
47—Joe Okamoto  
48—Ed Tsutakawa  
49—Blanche M. Shiosaki  
50—Sab Hisayasu  
51—Ed Yamamoto  
52—Shingo Hirata  
53-57—Harry Kadoya  
58-61—No officers  
62—Ed Tsutakawa  
63-64—Frank Hisayasu  
65—Mason M. Fukai  
66—Frank Hisayasu  
67—Sam Nakagawa  
68-69—Dr. Jas. Watanabe  
70—Sumio Matsumoto  
71-72—Yone Ota  
73—Denny Yasuhara  
74—Masuo Akiyama  
75-76—Ed Takahashi  
77-78—Dean Nakagawa  
79—  
80—Denny Yasuhara  
81—Susan L. Iwata  
82-83—Sam Nakagawa  
84—Dean Nakagawa  
85—Rita Cates

## Stockton

Organized in 1933

33—Dr. Roy S. Morimoto  
36—James Okino  
37—Stewart Nakano  
38—Dr. Roy S. Morimoto  
39—Ted Mirikitani  
40—Dr. Charles Ishizu  
41—Al Kawasaki  
42—Stewart Nakano  
43—Joe Omachi  
44—Jun Agari  
45—Jack Matsumoto  
46—Yoshimi Terashita  
47—Hiroshi Morita  
48—Sam Itaya  
49—George Baba  
50—Henry Kusama  
51—Richard Yoshikawa  
52—Lou Tsunekawa  
53—Dr. David Fujishige  
54—George Baba  
55—Ted Kamibayashi  
56—Ed Yoshikawa  
57—Dr. Ken Fujii  
58—Bill Shima  
59—Kengo Terashita  
60—Sam Itaya  
61—Geo. Y. Matsumoto  
62—Gary Hagio  
63—Tsugio Kubota  
64—Dr. Jas. M. Tanaka  
65—Ted Yoneda  
66—Mabel Okubo  
67—George K. Baba  
68—Ruby T. Dobana  
69—Tetsuya Kato  
70—Tetsuya Kato  
71—Edwin Endo

## Torrance

Organized in 1983

83-84—George S. Nakano  
85—Catherine Higashioka

## Tulare County

Organized Nov. 15, 1934

34-36—Harvey Iwata  
37—Ben Yabuno  
38—John Kubota  
39—Chorge Kaku  
40-42—Tom Shimasaki  
43—Tom Shimasaki  
44—Tom Shimasaki  
45—Hiroshi Mayeda  
46—Kenji Tashiro  
47—Edward Nagata  
48—Ted Hiramoto  
49—Yeiiki Tashiro  
50—Mike Imoto

57-58—Jim E. Murakami  
59—Douglas Yamada  
60—Robert Ishida  
61—Jun Hatake  
62—Stanley Nagata  
63—George Sakaguchi  
64—Bill Yebisu  
65—Harry Morofuji  
66—Tak Ishizue  
67—Shigenori Kitauchi  
68—Harry Kaku  
69-70—Ichiro Okada  
71-72—Jim Uota  
73-74—Harry Nii  
75-76—Kay Hada  
77-78—Ben Hayakawa  
79-82—Maude Ishida  
83-84—Kay Hada  
85-86—Wm E. Yoshimoto

## Tri-Valley

Organized 1977

77—Sam Cohen  
78-79—Ben Morimoto  
80—Dr. Jerry Watanabe  
81—Eric Torigoe  
82—Tom Mori  
83—Henry Kitajima  
84—John Ichijui  
85—Eric Torigoe

## Twin Cities

Organized Sept. 26, 1946

46—George Matsuyama  
47—Sam Shijo  
48—John Matsuo  
49—Tomo Kosobayashi,  
George Yanagita  
50—Takuzo Tsuchiya  
51—Yukio Okamoto  
52—Mas Teramoto  
53-55—Dr. Isaac Iijima  
56—Thomas Kanno  
57—Henry Makino  
58—Tom Ohno  
59—Mas Teramoto,  
Simpey Kuramoto  
60—Yukio Yamaguchi  
61—Ted Matsuyama  
62—Mrs. Kay Kushino  
63-65—Paul Tsuchiya  
66—Bill Doi  
67—Dr. Roy Yamahiro  
68—Mrs. Kay Kushino  
69—Howard Nomura  
70—Miyoko Matsui  
71—Frank Ishikawa  
72—Sam Honda  
73-74—May H. Tanaka  
75-76—Jack Takemoto  
77—Sam Honda  
78—May Tanaka  
79—  
80-82—Thomas I. Hara  
83-84—Edward Hara  
85—Chris K. Sandberg

## Venice-Culver

Organized 1941

41-42—John Aono  
43—Reactivated  
44—July 28, 1946  
45-47—Jack Wakamatsu  
48-49—George Mikawa  
50—Fumi Utsuki  
51—Kenichi Onishi  
52—James Yasuda  
53—James Fukuhara,  
Kiyon Nishi Tanaka  
54—Ken Amamoto  
55—George T. Isoda  
56—Dr. Takao Shishino  
57—Steve Nakaji  
58—Pete Furuya  
59—Mrs. Betty Yumori  
60—Kaz Adachi  
61—Jane Yamashita  
62—George Inagaki  
63—Jack S. Nomura  
64—Hitoshi M. Shimizu  
65—George T. Isoda  
66—Dr. Richard Saiki  
67—Gram Noriyuki  
68—Shiro Maruyama  
69—Sam Shimoguchi  
70—Frances Kitagawa  
71-72—Betty Yumori  
73-74—John Asari  
75—Jane Yamashita,  
Frances Kitagawa  
76—Fred Hoshiyama  
77-78—Caroline Takemoto  
79-80—Akemi Nagao  
81—Fred Hoshiyama  
82-83—Richard Saiki  
84—Akemi N. Wood  
85—Gregory S. Wood

## Ventura County

Organized Nov. 1937

\*It was organized as the Oxnard Nisei Civic League, an independent group, and joined the JACL in 1941.  
41—Brownie Furutani  
42—Allen Kurihara  
43—Reactivated Jan. 1, 1947  
44—Akira Kurihara  
45—Nao Takasugi  
46—Tomio Eto  
47—Toby Otani,  
Dr. Tom Taketa  
48—Akira Kurihara  
49—Taro J. Inouye  
50—Izzy Otani

54—Dr. Sam Tokuyama  
55—Nagao Fujita  
56—Tadashi Kanamori  
57—Mike Mayekawa  
58—John Takasugi  
59—James Muraoka  
60—Willis Hirata  
61—Tsugi Kanamori  
62—Ray Wakatsuki  
63—Yoshitake Sakazaki  
64-81—Yas Yasutake  
82-83—Harry Kajihara  
84-85—Teri Komatsu

## Wasatch Front No.

Organized July 1973

73-76—Tom Hori  
77-81—Lyman Kano  
82-83—Tom Hori  
84-85—George T. Sugihara

## Washington, D.C.

Organized June 15, 1946

46—Jun Okazaki  
47—Harold Horiuchi  
48-49—Ira Shimasaki  
50—Henry Goshu  
51—Don Komai  
52—Rikio Kumagai  
53—Dr. Geo Furukawa  
54—John Katsu  
55—Ruth Kuroishi  
56—Ben Nakao  
57—Harvey Iwata  
58—Jack Hirose  
59—Hisako Sakata  
60-61—John Yoshino  
62—Harry I Takagi  
63—Edwin Y Mitoma  
64-65—Key K Kobayashi  
66—Charles Pace  
67—Kaz Oshiki  
68—Maj Glenn Matsumoto  
69—Paul Ishimoto  
70—Toro Hirose  
71—Joe Ichijui  
72—Claire Minami  
73—Larry Nakatsuka  
74—Susumu Ueda  
75—Melvin H Chigyoji  
76—Michael M Suzuki  
77—Raymond Murakami  
78—David Nikaido  
79—Hideki Hamamoto  
80—Gerald H Yamada  
81—K Patrick Okura  
82—Wayne Yamada  
(co-pres)  
83—Wayne Yoshino  
84-85—Kris Ikejiri

## Watsonville

Organization Date Unknown

34—Tom Matsuda  
35—Sumio Miyamoto  
36—Louis Waki  
37-38—Pat Matsushita  
39—Frank Ueda  
40—Harry Yagi  
41-42—James Hirokawa  
43—Bill Fukuba  
44-45—Kenzo Yoshida  
46—Bill Fukuba  
47—Tsumoto S Ochi  
48-50—Ken Uchida  
51—George Sugihara  
52-57—Toye Kato  
58—Harold S Toma  
59-62—Ken Uchida  
63—Yutaka Harada  
64—Mits Koga  
65—Dick Kishimoto  
66-67—Roy Miya  
68—Minoru Miya

66—David Wakumoto  
67—Elmer Uchida  
68—Shig Takeshita  
69—Toy Kanegai  
70—Virginia Tominaga  
71-73—George Kanegai  
74-75—Arnold Maeda  
76-77—George Kanegai  
78-80—Toy Kanegai  
81—Mary Ishizuka  
82—Bill Sakurai  
83—Charles Inatomi  
84-85—Sid Yamazaki

## West Valley

Organized Jan. 29, 1970

70—Dr. Richard Arakawa  
71—Raymond Uchiyama

## White River Valley

Organized Sept. 15, 1930

30-31—John Arima  
32—George Yasumura

## The Historic Chapters

The roster below comprises the leadership of chapters which had existed in most instances on the West Coast before 1942 and in the Intermountain-Rocky Mountain states during the World War II era.

## Ann Arbor (Mich.)

Organized June 9, 1946

46—Dr. Joseph Sasaki

## Bakersfield (Calif.)

Organized Feb. 8, 1959

59—Lloyd Kumataka  
60—Dr. Warren Itokazu  
61—Joe Ono  
62—Guy Murotani  
63-64—Joe Ono  
65—Mike Torii  
66—Lloyd Kumataka  
67—Guy Murotani

## Bay Area

Community

Organized January, 1971

To: 1977  
Deactivated Chapter  
71—Raymond Okamura  
72—Ron Lai, Edison Uno  
73—Phil Ihara, Ko Ichiji,  
Ron Lai, Kathy Reyes,  
Pat Sumi, Paul Yoshino  
74—Dale Minami, Mary A  
Takagi, K Yoneda,  
Isami Waugh  
75—Robin L. Matsui  
76-77—Phil Y. Ihara

## Bay District

(Venice, Calif.)

Organized Mar. 7, 1936

36—Frank Mizusawa  
37-38—George Inagaki  
39—Philip Nakaoka  
40—Joe G. Masaoka  
41—Decentralized to  
Santa Monica, Venice and  
West Los Angeles  
chapters.

## Ben Lomond

(Ogden JACL—1938-53)

Organized 1938

40—Jiro Tamaki  
41—George Yoshida  
42—Tatsuo Koga  
43—Jiro Tsukamoto  
44-45—Toye Kato  
46—Dr. Mike M Horii  
47—Tsumoto S Ochi  
48-50—Ken Uchida  
51—George Sugihara  
52-57—Toye Kato  
58—Harold S Toma  
59-62—Ken Uchida  
63—Yutaka Harada  
64—Mits Koga  
65—Dick Kishimoto  
66-67—Roy Miya  
68—Minoru Miya

## Brawley (Calif.)

Pioneer Chapter

Organized Dec. 15, 1928

23-29—Lyle Kirsaki  
30—James W Ito

## "Area Committees"

Following JACL "Area Committees" were organized in 1946-47 for the purpose of assisting JACL's Anti-Discrimination Committee, which lobbied the Congress for Issei naturalization rights and Japanese American evacuation claims. Some eventually became JACL chapters. (An area committee consisted of less than 25 members, the minimum necessary to establish a JACL chapter.)

## BUTTE, Ariz.—1942-43:

Nobu Kawai

## MINIDOKA, Idaho—1943:

Jimmie Sakamoto,

## Milton Maeda

TOPAZ, Utah—1943: John Yoshino

## Henry Tani.

TULE LAKE, Ca.—1943: Walter Tsukamoto

## John Tanikawa.

CHEYENNE, Wyo.—1948: Frank Ikuno.

CROWLEY, Colo.—1947: Kats Akagi.

GALLUP, N.M.—1948: Ann Shibata.

HOUSTON, Tex.—1947: Tokuye Kobayashi

## 1948: Warren Saibara.

LA JARA-ALAMOSA, Colo.—1947:

## Roy Inouye.

PUEBLO, Colo.—1948: Sanzo Shigeta.

ROCKYFORD, Colo.—1948: Ugi Harada

## George Yoshimaya.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex.—1948: Goro Matsuoaka.

## WEST TEXAS-EL PASO—1948:

George Kurita.

33—Minoru Terada  
34-36—Tom Iseri  
37—George Yasumura  
38—Minoru Okura  
39—Charles Toshi  
40—George Terada  
41—Tom Iseri  
42—George Yasumura  
43—Reactivated Mar. 26, 1961  
44—William Maebori  
45—Hiroshi Nakayama  
46—Koji Norikane  
47—George Kawasaki  
48—Sauce Shimojima  
49—Tom Hikida  
50—Frank Natsuhara  
51—Ish Suyematsu  
52-73—Michiko Maebori

74-75—Hiroshi Oyama  
76—John Hamakami  
77—Hiroshi Nakayama  
78—Isao Tsujii  
79-81—Harvey Watanabe  
82-83—Joe Nishimoto  
84-85—Michi Maebori

## Wishire

Organized Dec. 1962

63-64—Tut Yata  
65—Ken Watase  
66-67—Kimi Matsuda  
68-69—Tut Yata  
70-72—Toshiko Yoshida  
73—George Takei  
74-76—Glenn S Oshiro  
77-85—Tut Yata

## Kern County

(Bakersfield, Calif.)

Organized May 6, 1936

36—Everett Itanaga  
37—Harry Tatsuno

## Kingsburg (Calif.)

Organized 1952

52-57—Mats Ando

## Kings County

(Hanford, Calif.)

Organized 1939

39—Kiyoshi Nobusada  
41-42—Tom Fujita

## Magic Valley

(Twin Falls, Idaho)

Organized Apr. 3, 1943

George Makabe (org.)  
—Shigeo Morita

44—Tsutomu Abo  
45—Yoshimi Aizawa

## Metropolitan L.A.

Organized Mar. 18, 1973

73-74—Ellen Endo  
75-76—Ellen E. Kayano  
77-78—Gail Maeda  
79-80—Ellen Endo

## Montana

(Hardin, Mont.)

Organized Apr. 10, 1949

49-51—Tom Koyama  
52—George Kawamoto  
53—Yasuo Nayematsu  
54—Joe Nagashima  
55—Sam Shirasago  
56—Yugo Nayematsu  
57—Jim Shirasago  
58-59—Harriet Nagashima

## Mountain View

Organization Date Unknown

40—Henry Kiyomura  
42—Henry Mitarai  
45—Masago Shibuya

## North Platte (Neb.)

Organized 1942

42-45—George Kuroki

## Northern Utah

(Ogden, Utah)

Organized 1942

42—Nobuichi Sato  
Reactivated 1960  
60—Harold S Toma

## Northern Wyoming

(Worland, Wyo.)

Organization Date Unknown

41—Tom Nagashima  
42—Tom Ujifusa  
45—Yasuo Nayematsu  
46-48—No officers  
Reactivated April 1, 1949  
49—Dr. Minol Ota  
50-51—Jack Ando  
52—Kay Nakamura  
53—Tom Ujifusa  
54—Haruki Shimogaki  
55—George Ujifusa  
56—Harry Ujifusa, Jr

## Pueblo (Colo.)

Organization Date Unknown

45—Hideo Sagara

## Rexburg (Idaho)

Yellowstone JACL

1941-59

41—Fuji Hikida  
42—Kiyoshi Sakota  
43—Michio Yamagata  
44—Kiyoshi Sakota  
45—Stomie Hanami  
46—Haruo Yamasaki  
47—Thomas M Hanami  
48-49—Hiroshi Miyasaki  
50—Kiyoshi Sakota  
51—Jack K Matsura  
52—Haruo Yamasaki  
53—Masayoshi Fujimoto  
54—Haruo Yamasaki  
55—Kiyoshi Sakota  
56—Fuji Hikida  
57—John Sakota  
58—Tommy Miyasaki  
59—Haruo Yamasaki  
60-61—Kazuo Hikida  
62—Kiyoshi Sakota

## Rio Grande Valley

Organized Jan. 29, 1948

48-52—Henry Kawabata

## San Pedro (Calif.)

Organized April 3, 1936

36—George Fukuzaki  
37—Katsumi Yoshizumi  
38—Dr. Yoshio Nakaji  
39—Hisashi Hanamura  
41—Misako Ishii  
42—Kiyoshi Higashi

## Santa Clara County

(San Jose, Calif.)

Organization Date Unknown

32—Toshi Taketa  
34—Toshi Taketa  
37—Shigeru Masunaga  
39—Shigeru Masunaga  
40-41—Henry Mitarai  
42—Shigeru Masunaga

## Santa Monica (Calif.)

Organized 1941

41-42—Henry Fukuhara

## Tacoma

Organized 1934

34—Ted Nakamura  
35-36—Inactive  
37—Ted Nakamura  
38—Kaz Yamane  
39—Ted Nakamura  
40—Kaz Yamane  
41—Tsuyoshi Nakamura



## As of Dec. 31, 1985

## Century Life

Yasuo W. Abiko (SF)  
Tom Arima (CNC)  
Jerry Irie (CNC)  
Natsuko Irie (CNC)  
Frank A. Kasama (Frm)  
Mary T. Kasama (Frm)  
Corky T. Kawasaka (Por)  
Ernest K. Kazato (Frs)  
Harry H. Masto (Col)  
Mas Oji (Mar)  
Tom T. Okamoto (Sto)  
Heizo Oshima (CNC)  
Mabel T. Ota (Wil)  
Shiro F. Shiraga (Mil)  
Peggy Shirai (CNC)  
Shohel Shirai (CNC)  
Herbert Z. Shiroma (WDC)  
James K. Tsujimura (Por)  
Richard H. Yamada (Chi)  
Edward Yamamoto (Col)  
Grace K. Yamamoto (Col)  
Matsu Yamamoto (Col)

## Life

## Memorial

\* Masami Abe (Dnt)  
Shizue Abe (SW)  
Jun Agari (Sto)  
Helen Akita (Set)  
Hiram G. Akita (Set)  
George Asakawa (SD)  
Moto Asakawa (SD)  
Dr. George Baba (Seq)  
Victor M. Carter (Vnc)  
Ralph C. Dills (Gar)  
Edward J. Ennis (NY)  
Father Clement (Dnt)  
Mollie T. Fujioka (Dia)  
Dr. Chas. Fujisaki (MHI)  
Mrs. Harold Gordon (Chi)  
Roland Hagio (Chi)  
Deto Harada (Ida)  
Masayoshi Harada (Twi)  
Fred M. Hatashita (SD)  
Frank H. Hattori (Set)  
Mrs. Tom Hayashi (NY)  
Fred Y. Hirasuna (Frs)  
Dr. George Hira (Seq)  
Toshiye Hira (Chi)  
Masami Honda (SD)  
Takashi Hori (Set)  
Tatsu Hori (Seq)  
Mitsuo Hosaka (SF)  
Mickey N. Ichijima (MP)  
Yoshiko E. Ichijima (MP)  
Takeyo Imori (Cle)  
Thomas T. Imori (Set)  
Akira Inagaki (Vnc)  
Chris Inagaki (Vnc)  
\* Frank Inagaki (Vnc)  
George Inagaki (Vnc)  
Yuki Inagaki (Vnc)  
\* Harry Iseli (Par)  
Thomas Iseri (Sna)  
Dr. Dean Y. Ishii (MP)  
Frank M. Ishikawa (Twi)  
Haruo Ishimaru (WV)  
Yoshiko Ishimaru (WV)  
Dr. Harvey A. Itano (SD)  
Frank K. Ito (SMV)  
Tom T. Ito (Pas)  
Buddy Iwata (Liv)  
Eddie Jonokuchi (Mil)  
Helen T. Jonokuchi (Mil)  
Lily Y. Kagayama (M)  
Arthur S. Kaitatsu (M)  
T. John Kawakami (SW)  
Dr. John M. Kanda (Puy)  
Grace O. Kanda (Puy)  
Corky T. Kawasaka (Por)  
Dr. Masashi Kawasaki (Nat)  
Faye Kazato (Frs)  
Dr. Henry H. Kazato (Frs)  
Saburo Kido (Dnt)  
Frank Y. Kinomoto (Set)  
Cherry T. Kinoshita (Set)  
Dr. Rob't. Kinoshita (Por)  
Moss Kishiyama (Frm)  
Richard Kiwata (SF)  
George Kobata (Gar)  
\* Keisaburo Koda (SF)  
Ben Koga (Par)  
Dr. John Koyama (Gar)  
Roy Koyama (SMV)  
Chuck Kubokawa (Seq)  
Henry T. Kubota (Set)  
Takashi Kubota (Set)  
Paul H. Kusuda (Mil)  
Roy H. Makino (SFV)  
\* Haruno Marutani (Phi)  
Charlie Matsubara (Alb)  
\* Geo H. Matsubara (Alb)  
\* Toshi Matsubara (Alb)  
Daikichi Matsubara (Alb)  
Harry Mayeda (CNC)  
James Michener (Phi)  
Mari Michener (Phi)  
Tadafumi Mikuriya (Phi)  
Fae Y. Minabe (NY)  
Saburo Misumi (Wat)  
Mitsui Travel Serv (Dnt)  
Norman Miyakawa (Par)  
Yoneichi Miyasaka (Ora)  
Nobu Miyoshi (Phi)  
Harry Mizuno (Chi)  
Dale Morioka (SF)  
Sadao Morishita (Ida)  
Mae F. Morita (Frs)  
Takashi Morita (Frs)  
\* Tamotsu Murayama (SF)  
Eira Nagakawa (Set)  
Frank Nakamura (Mar)  
Sally Nakashima (WV)  
S. Stephen Nakashima (WV)  
David Ninomiya (CNC)  
Arthur Nishio (SD)  
M/M. Joe Nishio (Ida)  
Ken Nogaki (Set)  
\* F. M. Nonaka (SF)  
George Nukaya (Ida)  
Rose Ochi (ELA)  
George Ohashi (Sba)  
Paul Ohtaki (SF)

Katherine Ohtaki (SF)  
Hito Okada (SLC)  
Mabel Okubo (Sto)  
Katsumi Okuno (WLA)  
Ken Osaka (Gar)  
Heizo Oshima (CNC)  
George Ota (Puy)  
Seichi Otow (Pla)  
Edward E. Otsuka (Set)  
Jeannette Y. Otsuka (Set)  
Robert T. Ouye (MP)  
Barry Saiki (Tyo)  
Dr. Chibo Sakaguchi (SFV)  
Toru Sakahara (Set)  
Robert Sakai (Ede)  
Dr. Frank Sakamoto (Chi)  
Toshiko Sakamoto  
Kiyoshi Sakata (Rex)  
Herbert M. Sasaki (ELA)  
Frank Sato (WDC)  
June N. Sato (WDC)  
Kenneth H. Sato (MP)  
Maxine Uyeda Shibata (MP)  
M/M. Walter Shibata (Alb)  
Connie Shimomura (Sna)  
Emiko Shinagawa (CNC)  
John Shinagawa (CNC)  
Peggy Shirai (CNC)  
Dr. Shohel Shirai (CNC)  
Tingchang S. Shiraki (ELA)  
Bessie Shiomura (Cor)  
Dr. Kiyoshi Sonoda (WLA)  
Mitsuo Sonoda (WLA)  
George Tabuchi (Sto)  
Ernest H. Takaki (Del)  
Dr. William Y. Takahashi (MHI)  
Dr. Kenneth K. Takeda (Hon)  
Rose Sawako Tani (Chi)  
John V. Tanida (SD)  
Chiyo Taya (SW)  
\* Fred Taya (SW)  
\* Kay Teramura (Sna)  
James T. Toguchi (Day)  
Yoshihiro Uchida (SJo)  
Patti Inagaki Ueda (Vnc)  
Marvin T. Uratsu (CNC)  
Grayce K. Uyehara (Phi)  
I. J. Wagner (SLC)  
\* Matsunosuke Wakamatsu (Vnc)  
Shig. Wakamatsu (Chi)  
Bobbie Watanabe (Sna)  
James Watanabe (Sna)  
Dr. Tom Watanabe (SW)  
Henry S. Yamaga (ZLA)  
Grace K. Yamamoto (Col)  
Matsu Yamamoto (Col)  
T. Shoji Yamamoto (Col)  
Frank Yamazaki (Ida)  
Dick Yamashita (Tyo)  
Shigeru Yamashita (SD)  
Terry Yamashita (Ber)  
Yuriko Yamashita (Ber)  
Homer Yasui (Por)  
Mickey Yasui (Mid)  
Miyuki Yasui (Por)  
Ray T. Yasui (Mid)  
Masayuki Hike Yogo (Pla)  
Kumeko Yoshinari (Chi)  
Mary Lou Yoshino (WDC)  
\* Takeo Yuki (NC)  
Miyoko Yuki (NC)

## Corporate

DIAMOND  
7-Sumitomo Bank (SF)  
GOLD  
7-Calif. Blue Shield (SF)  
5-Chevron USA Inc. (Nat)  
3-Don N. Yamaoka (SFV)  
SILVER  
7-East West Development Corp. (Nat)  
13-Kikkoman International Inc. (SF)  
14-Otagiri Mercantile Co. Inc. (SF)

## Century Club

16th Year  
William Hamada (Phi)  
Fred K. Ota (Wil)  
15th Year  
Tad Hirota (Ber)  
Henry T. Tanaka (Cle)  
Mike Watabe (NY)  
14th Year  
James F. Murakami (Son)  
Shigeki Sugiyama (WDC)  
Raymond S. Uno (SLC)  
13th Year  
George I. Azumano (Por)  
Henry J. Ishida (NSD)  
Henry M. Nagahori (Gar)  
Geo G. Shimamoto (NY)  
Maj. Frank A. Titus (Day)  
Minoru Yamasaki (Det)  
12th Year  
Ernest Y. Doizaki (Dnt)  
Al Hatate (Dnt)  
Wm H. Mo Marumoto (WDC)  
Eddie Moriguchi (SF)  
George S. Oki (Sac)  
Sugano Trav. Svc. (Chi)  
Tanaka Trav. Svc. (SF)  
Dr. Clifford I. Uyeda (ZSF)  
Miwako Yamamoto (Hol)  
11th Year  
Helen Kawagoe (Gar)  
Tak Kawagoe (Gar)  
Lillian C. Kimura (Chi)  
Kokusai Int'l Trav. (Dnt)  
Kosakura Tours & Trav. (Ber)  
Eddie Moriguchi (SF)  
William Y. Sakai (Por)  
Travel Planners (Sjo)  
Dr. Ben Yamaguchi, Jr. (Cin)

## One Thousand Club Honor Roll

10th Year  
Dr. Jackson Eto (SF)  
Harry Fujikawa (SF)  
Dr. Alfred Y. Kawamura (Chi)  
Matsukiyo Murata (Frc)  
Arthur N. Oji (Mar)  
Dr. Yoshiye Togasaki (Dia)  
9th Year  
Roger Fleischmann (SF)  
Dr. Kaworu C. Nomura (Twi)  
Carnegie Ouye (Sac)  
Edgar Y. Sekiguchi (ELA)  
John K. Yamaguchi (Sto)  
Kuni Yoshioka (Oak)  
8th Year  
Omar Kaihatsu (Chi)  
Takashi Moriuchi (Phi)  
Yuriko Moriuchi (Phi)  
Dr. Wilbur M. Nakamoto (Mil)  
Tom Tsubota (Set)  
7th Year  
Yoichi J. Asari (Vnc)  
Jeff Fukawa (Del)  
H. Jim Fukumoto (Nat)  
George Iseri (Sna)  
Rob't. K. Kanagawa (San)  
Akito Masaki (Sac)  
Joe Matsunami (Sac)  
Gerald Miyamoto (Sac)  
David Murakami (Son)  
Dr. Roy Okamoto (Son)  
Jack K. Ozawa (Phi)  
Jack E. Russell (MP)  
Lawson Sakai (Gil)  
Roy T. Shimizu (Nat)  
Travel Tech Int'l (Seq)  
Dr. Newton K. Wesley (Chi)

6th Year  
Eddie Jonokuchi (Mil)  
William M. Marutani  
Monterey Park Travel (Nat)  
Dr. Kiyoshi Ogawa (Pas)  
John Owada (SLC)  
Roy F. Sugimoto (Day)  
Louise A. Suski (Chi)  
Hideo T. Tomita (Por)  
Takito Yamaguchi (Dnt)  
Yuriko Yamashita (Ber)  
5th Year  
George T. Aratani (Dnt)  
Makoto Aratani (Mil)  
Yoneo Bepp (SJo)  
Raymond Chee (Hol)  
Ben Ezaki Sr. (Twi)  
Bob Fukutomi (Vnt)  
Geo K. Hasegawa (SLC)  
S. Tom Hatakedo (Ede)  
Seichi Hayashida (Boi)  
Noboru Hideshima \* (SF)  
Mrs. Mae Hirata (NY)  
Harry Y. Ida (MHI)  
James H. Imatani (MHI)  
Hisao Inouye (SF)  
Frank Iritani (Nat)  
Robert Ishii (SF)  
Dr. Masashi Itano (Lon)  
George M. Kaneko (MHI)  
Al Kataoka (Sel)  
Mitsuo Kawamoto (Oma)  
Noboru Kobayashi (Phi)  
Ethel Kobashi (Dnt)  
George Koike (SFV)  
Henry Konishi (Ark)  
Spady A. Koyama (Sno)  
Samuel Kumagai (MHI)  
Dr. Victor Makita (Gar)  
Thomas Masuda (Chi)  
James T. Matsuo (Cle)  
18-Shigeo Futagaki  
e23-Ichiro Isokawa  
21-Dr. Roland S. Kadonaga  
8-Yas Koike  
5-Tatsuya Nakae  
21-Yosh Sugiyama  
21-Toshi Takeoka  
17-Buiko Cooke Takeshita  
Life-Shiro Jug Takeshita  
20-Archie H. Uchiyama  
31-George W. Ushijima  
26-Harry Ushijima  
6-Helen Ushijima  
19-James Ushijima, Sr.  
16-Yasuo Yamashita  
16-Mike Yoshimine  
5-Henry Y. Yoshino  
16-Setsuko Yoshisato  
26-Jim S. Yumae  
21-Z. Simpson Cox  
12-Wendell Decross  
12-Benjamin Ehara  
32-Masaji Inoshita  
31-Tom Kadomoto  
24-Sam Kanemura  
e23-T. Comp Kuramoto  
e23-Merry Masunaga  
20-Richard K. Matsushita  
24-Roy S. Moriuchi  
14-Sueo Murakami  
2-Fumiko Okabayashi  
25-John Sakata  
4-Gary Tadano  
e22-Tadashi Tadano  
20-Tom T. Tanita  
4th Year  
Jerry Enomoto (Sac)  
Donald S. Fujino, MD (SLC)  
Roy R. Hatamiya (Mar)  
Dr. Toshio Inahara (Por)  
Bruce T. Kaji (Gar)

3rd Year  
Glenn H. Asakawa (SD)  
Tom Hayakawa (Vnc)  
Ichiban Shop (Tyo)  
Molly Kitajima (Oak)  
Robert Kitajima (Oak)  
Kazuo Kubota (SFV)  
Fred M. Nakamura (Seq)  
Henry T. Obayashi (SF)  
Yuki Rikimaru (SLC)  
John Jiro Saito (Dnt)  
Dr. Tetsuo Tagawa (Mil)  
Shiro Tokuno (Sac)  
Paul Tsuneishi (SFV)  
Pamela K. Watanabe (Oma)  
Dr. M. Mike Yagake (ZLA)  
2nd Year  
Z. Simpson Cox (Ari)  
David Davies (Mil)  
Takeshi Higaki (Gar)  
Wayne Isa (ZLA)  
Michael Mitoma (ELA)  
Dr. Gilbert S. Onaka (Vnt)  
Harry Onishi (Chi)  
Dr. George M. Sakai (WLA)  
Floyd I. Sandlin (WDC)  
Joe S. Sugawara (Cnc)  
Dr. George S. Tarumoto (SW)  
West Coast Printing (Set)  
Dr. George J. Yamauchi (Mso)

1st Year  
Dean Aihara (ELA)  
Amy E. Fujimura (NY)  
William Y. Fujinami (Dnt)  
Richard K. Hayasaka (WDC)  
H. Earle Hori (Chi)  
Paul Isaki (Set)  
Dr. Ken Miura (WV)  
Mary D. Murakami (Phi)  
Douglas Palmer (Set)  
Robert W. Procko (Coa)  
Dan D. Sakamoto MD (Tor)  
Dale Shigaki (Set)  
John Sumida (WV)  
Ken Uchida (WVN)  
Stan Y. Yamamoto (Set)

## Annual

ALAMEDA  
21-Betty Akagi  
26-Hiroshi H. Akagi  
19-Paul S. Baba  
19-Hajime Fujimori  
18-Shigeo Futagaki  
e23-Ichiro Isokawa  
21-Dr. Roland S. Kadonaga  
8-Yas Koike  
5-Tatsuya Nakae  
21-Yosh Sugiyama  
21-Toshi Takeoka  
17-Buiko Cooke Takeshita  
Life-Shiro Jug Takeshita  
20-Archie H. Uchiyama  
31-George W. Ushijima  
26-Harry Ushijima  
6-Helen Ushijima  
19-James Ushijima, Sr.  
16-Yasuo Yamashita  
16-Mike Yoshimine  
5-Henry Y. Yoshino  
16-Setsuko Yoshisato  
26-Jim S. Yumae  
21-Z. Simpson Cox  
12-Wendell Decross  
12-Benjamin Ehara  
32-Masaji Inoshita  
31-Tom Kadomoto  
24-Sam Kanemura  
e23-T. Comp Kuramoto  
e23-Merry Masunaga  
20-Richard K. Matsushita  
24-Roy S. Moriuchi  
14-Sueo Murakami  
2-Fumiko Okabayashi  
25-John Sakata  
4-Gary Tadano  
e22-Tadashi Tadano  
20-Tom T. Tanita  
ARKANSAS VALLEY  
5-Henry Konishi  
10-Haruyuki Saiki  
BERKELEY  
12-Allan H. Carson  
19-Goro Endo

34-Masuji Fujii  
2-Tommy T. Hayashi  
14-Jordan F. Hiratzka  
33-Tad Hirota  
12-Nobukazu Iwasaki  
10-Japan American Travel Bureau  
32-Tokuya Kako  
15-Dr. Frank T. Kame  
21-Hiroshi Kanda  
19-Peter N. Kawakami  
7-Chie Kondo  
14-George Kondo  
31-Beatrice Kono  
32-Albert S. Kosakura  
11-Kosakura Tours & Travel  
12-Sherrrie M. Matsubara  
19-Roy H. Matsumoto  
19-Akira Nakamura  
1-Fumie Nakamura  
23-Harold H. Nakamura  
27-Jean Nakazono  
19-Vernon Nishi  
18-Teruo Tay Nobori  
16-A. Scarcella  
19-Takeo H. Shirasawa  
16-Robert T. Sugimoto  
14-Harry Takahashi  
e-Dr. Henry Takahashi  
19-Dr. Yoshinori Tanada  
18-Dr. Eiichi Tsuchida  
16-Martha Tsutsui  
14-Masaji G. Uratsu  
Life-Terry Yamashita  
Life-Yuriko Yamashita  
5-Sam Yamauchi  
1-S.T. Yanagisawa  
26-George Yasukochi

BOISE VALLEY  
25-K. John Arima  
9-Ritsuko M. Eder  
20-Sam Fujishin  
12-Chickie Hayashida  
30-Seichi Hayashida  
e27-Kay Inouye  
21-Harry T. Kawahara  
21-George Kawai  
21-William Kawai  
20-Mas Kido  
23-Taka Kora  
25-George Koyama  
21-Ishi Miyake  
26-Tony Miyasaka  
21-Yosie Ogawa  
12-James N. Oyama  
18-Roy M. Oyama  
e34-Yoshio Takahashi  
20-John Takasugi  
22-Michio Takasugi  
23-Kay Yamamoto  
7-Mas Yamashita  
22-Paul Yasuda  
23-Ronnie Y. Yokota  
CARSON  
e26-Yoshie Furuta  
Life-Yayoi Ono  
CHICAGO  
33-Harvey Aki  
12-Willie Aki  
10-Elsie Sata Baukol  
14-Robert Bunya  
7-Dr. Ben Chikaraishi  
18-Henry H. Fujiura  
3-Stanley Fukai  
20-Allen I. Hagio  
Life-Roland Hagio  
Life-Mrs. Harold Gordon  
15-Shigeru Hashimoto  
30-Mieki Hayano  
16-James C. Henneberg  
5-Alice Higashichi  
29-K. Jake Higashichi  
4-Hiroki H. Hirabayashi  
26-Dr. George T. Hirata  
Life-Toshiye Hira  
Life-Dr. William T. Hira  
11-Gumpe Honda  
1-Janice T. Honda  
36-Noboru Honda  
30-H. Earle Hori  
32-Harry T. Ichijima  
31-George M. Ikegami  
3-John M. Ishida  
3-Lester John Ishida  
14-Marion K. Ishii  
5-Tadashi Ishizuka  
24-Seiji Itahara  
14-Takeo Itano  
8-Dorothy S. Ito  
24-Kiyoshi Ito  
19-Michael Iwanaga  
31-Roy Iwata  
32-Dr. Victor S. Izu  
20-Jack Kabumoto  
3-Jane B. Kaihatsu  
19-Omar Kaihatsu  
25-Dr. Jack Y. Kashihara  
32-Lester G. Katsura  
11-Shim Kawayuchi  
e21-Frank Kaz. Kawamoto  
9-Morris Kawamoto  
17-Dr. Alfred Kawamura  
20-Lillian Kimura  
4-Tad Kimura  
e26-Dr. George J. Kittaka  
18-Mitsuo Kodama  
31-Albert M. Koga  
Life-Charles Kohn

29-Ben T. Yamaguchi, Sr.  
12-Gordon Yoshikawa  
CLEVELAND  
21-Richard Y. Fujita  
27-Robert E. Fujita  
Life-Takeyo Imori  
2-Asae Honda  
2-May Ichida  
13-Shig Iseri  
22-Dr. Toaru Ishiyama  
30-Joe G. Kadowaki  
30-Toshi Kadowaki  
3-Dr. Kayoshi Masuoka  
e28-Toshi Kadowaki  
14-Takashi Masuoka  
22-James T. Matsuo  
2-Tom Nakao, Jr.  
2-Mary Obata  
25-John Ochi  
e20-William S. Sadatani  
30-Frank Y. Shiba  
2-Dr. Craig Shimizu  
31-George Suzuki  
19-Henry T. Tanaka  
2-Sachi Tanaka  
e-Masayuki Tashima  
11-William T. Yamazaki  
CLOVIS  
11-Frank Goishi  
3-Dale Ikeda  
11-Fumio Ikeda  
25-Hifumi Ikeda  
11-Kiyomi Takahashi  
9-Dr. Mae Takahashi  
11-Ted T. Takahashi  
26-Yoshito Takahashi  
11-Roy Uyesaka  
3-Ronald Yamabe  
9-Dr. Masao Yamamoto  
30-Toku Yamamoto  
36-T. June Fujita-Yamasaki

COACHELLA VALLEY  
1-Robert W. Procko  
COLUMBIA BASIN  
21-George M. Fukukai  
C/Life-Harry H. Masto  
C/Life-Edw. M. Yamamoto  
Life-Grace Yamamoto  
C/Life-Matsu Yamamoto  
Life-Tom S. Yamamoto  
CONTRA COSTA  
14-Tosh Adachi  
C/Life-Tom Arima  
22-Roy S. Hamaji  
20-Hiro Hirano  
20-Emiko Hitomi  
16-Elizabeth Betty Hoyer  
5-Jack Imada  
C/Life-Jerry Irie  
C/Life-Natsuko Irie  
14-Henry S. Ishizuka  
22-James Kimoto  
24-Meriko Maida  
2-Raymond Matsunaga  
Life-Harry Mayeda  
32-Satoko Nabeta  
4-Michael Nagamoto  
Life-William Nakatani  
Life-David Nimoyia  
32-Tamaki Nimoyia  
25-Satoru Nishida  
22-Thomas K. Nomura  
31-Dr. Thomas H. Oda  
e26-Jerry Tetsuo Ohara  
3-Joe Oishi  
C/Life-Heizo Oshima  
5-Chiyoko Otagiri  
32-Roy Sakai  
32-Sam I. Sakai  
Life-Masako Sato  
22-Prof. Sho Sato  
Life-Emiko Shinagawa  
Life-John Shinagawa  
C/Life-Peggy Shirai  
C/Life-Dr. Shohel Shirai  
25-Joe S. Sugawara  
31-Fumiko Sugihara  
18-Ben Takeshita  
22-Ted Tanaka  
11-James Tanizawa  
e34-Dr. Yoshiye Togasaki  
4-Yoshiro Tokiwa  
LIFE-Marvin T. Uratsu  
33-Harry K. Honda  
5-Patricia M. Honda  
36-Sho Iino  
19-Kenji Ito  
1-Edward Kamiya  
8-Kenneth Kasamatsu  
e28-Chester I. Katayama  
23-Takayo Kato  
20-Masashi Kawaguchi  
6-Ethel Kohashi  
11-Kokusai International Travel  
5-Dennis Kunisaki  
35-Tats Kushiada  
3-Ann A. Kusumoto  
Life-Mitsui Travel  
e-George Morey  
26-Henry Murayama  
27-Dr. Rob't. M. Nakamura  
1-Lily Ishii  
4-Debra Nakatani  
29-George Nakatsuka  
17-Yoneo Narumi  
1-Mary H. Nishimoto  
34-David Y. Nitake  
23-Hanako Nitake  
2-Eiko Nomura  
4-Patrick L. Ogawa  
24-Norikazu Oku  
24-Ted Okumoto  
7-John Jiro Saito

DAYTON  
25-Pete K. Hironaka  
20-Ray E. Jenkins  
16-Ken D. Looker  
8-Lea Nakaguchi  
29-Dr. M. Mark Nakaguchi  
16-Yaeko Sato  
22-Yoichi Sato  
16-Marian R. Schwegel  
22-Ken F. Sugawara  
25-Roy F. Sugimoto  
30-Hisashi Sugawara  
15-Dr. Shiro Tanaka  
e26-Yoshitaka Tanaka  
34-Masaji Toki  
e25-Lorraine T. Tokimoto  
26-Kaye K. Watanabe  
19-Dr. Ben Yamaguchi, Jr.

DELANO  
24-Jeff Fukawa  
3-Brian Komoto  
10-Ben Nagatani  
30-Edward Nagatani  
e29-George Y. Nagatani  
31-Dr. James K. Nagatani  
10-Mitsuko Nagatani  
Life-Ernest H. Takaki  
31-Sadawo Yonaki  
DETROIT  
21-William Adair  
12-Charles Campbell  
18-George T. Doi  
25-Hideo H. Fujii  
e30-Kenji Fujii  
36-Peter S. Fujioka  
1-Setsu Fujioka  
1-Sayuri Mae Fujiwara  
24-Louis Furukawa  
11-Nancy S. Hasegawa  
18-Ray Tatum Higo  
15-Norman N. Hinatsu  
12-Stanley Hirozawa  
2-Lawrence K. Iwaki  
13-Hime Iwaki  
2-Virginia Izumi  
26-Wallace K. Kagawa  
17-Mary Kamidori  
26-Shig. T. Kizuka  
1-Masako Kondo  
10-Glen H. Kawahara  
12-James Kushiada  
17-Frank Kuwahara  
10-Maryann Mahaffey  
28-Arthur A. Matsumura  
1-David A. Maxon  
17-Dr. Kaz. Mayeda  
11-David McKendry  
26-Walter H. Miyao  
19-Arthur S. Morey  
12-Sam Moy  
e28-Edward Nagatani  
17-Roy Oda  
31-Sue Omori  
22-George Otsuji  
e37-Dr. Joseph D. Sasaki  
1-Marilyn Schief  
23-James N. Shimura  
30-Isao Sunamoto  
15-Dr. Masamichi Suzuki  
30-Tes T. Tada  
30-Shizue Y. Tagami  
28-Tom T. Tagami  
1-Arthur I. Teshima  
32-Minoru Togasaki  
26-Frank Watanabe  
1-Yukiko Woo  
29-Minoru Yamasaki  
1-Kathie I. Yee  
2-Ronald C. Yee  
DIABLO VALLEY  
Life-Mollie T. Fujioka  
4-Mike Hamachi  
9-Paul Hayashi  
5-John F. Kikuchi  
19-Richard T. Kono  
5-Edward Kubokawa  
19-Dr. Harry Manji  
9-Noboru Nakamura  
25-Dr. H. Quintus Sakai  
9-Tom Shimizu  
9-Dorothy Togasaki  
6-Kiyoshi Togasaki  
37-Yoshiye Togasaki  
23-Yukio Wada  
10-Midori Wedemeyer  
1-Raymond T. Yamada  
8-Robert T. Yoshioka  
DOWNTOWN L.A.  
Mem-Masami Abe  
e31-Judge John F. Aiso  
37-George T. Aratani  
Life-Father Clement  
1-Ernest Y. Doizaki  
1-William Y. Fujinami  
Life-Mrs. Soichi Fukui  
20-Tom Shigeru  
21-Al Hatate  
1-Irene Hirano  
3-Frank H. Hirata  
5-Kenzo K. Hirota  
8-John D. Hokoyama  
33-Harry K. Honda  
5-Patricia M. Honda  
36-Sho Iino  
19-Kenji Ito  
1-Edward Kamiya  
8-Kenneth Kasamatsu  
e28-Chester I. Katayama  
23-Takayo Kato  
20-Masashi Kawaguchi  
6-Ethel Kohashi  
11-Kokusai International Travel  
5-Dennis Kunisaki  
35-Tats Kushiada  
3-Ann A. Kusumoto  
Life-Mitsui Travel  
e-George Morey  
26-Henry Murayama  
27-Dr. Rob't. M. Nakamura  
1-Lily Ishii  
4-Debra Nakatani  
29-George Nakatsuka  
17-Yoneo Narumi  
1-Mary H. Nishimoto  
34-David Y. Nitake  
23-Hanako Nitake  
2-Eiko Nomura  
4-Patrick L. Ogawa  
24-Norikazu Oku  
24-Ted Okumoto  
7-John Jiro Saito

2-George Kimura  
1-May Kimura  
28-Dr. Sumio Kubo  
5-John Kubota  
2-Henry H. Kubow  
4-Sachiye Kuwamoto  
4-Satoshi Kuwamoto  
4-Peggy S. Liggett  
4-Marco Margarite  
21-Dr. Kenneth S. Masumoto  
4-Fusa Mikami  
8-Seichi H. Mikami  
3-Lou Miyamoto  
10-Nobuo Mori  
Life-Mae F. Morita  
Life-Takashi Morita  
23-Ben Nakamura  
2-Ted M. Nakata, DDS  
11-George Nii  
23-Dr. Frank Y. Nishio  
1-Norton O. Nishioka  
28-Chisato Ohara  
30-Dr. Chester Oji  
4-May M. Oji  
2-Caroline Sakaiye, MD  
1-Katherine Sasaki  
8-Tetsuo Shigyo  
4-Deborah Shikami  
e25-Dr. Hideo Shimada  
33-Dr. George M. Suda  
4-Lily Suda  
27-Dr. Otto H. Suda  
16-Willy K. Suda  
3-Dr. Kikuo H. Taira  
25-Paul N. Takahashi  
7-Dr. Norio Takayama  
10-Barbara Taniguchi  
12-Dr. Izumi Taniguchi  
6-Robert Tsubota  
1-Mary Urushima  
4-Ray Urushima  
e23-George T. Yamauchi  
1-Joyce E. Yamaguchi  
1-Dr. Kent T. Yamaguchi  
10-Akira Yokomi  
1-Ken Yokota  
GARDENA VALLEY  
Life-Ralph C. Dills  
22-John K. Endo  
26-Joe W. Fletcher  
e25-Harry M. Fujita  
16-John J. Fujita  
1-Morio L. Fukuto  
9-L. Dale Gasteiger  
14-Gary Hayakawa  
8-Takeshi Higaki  
21-Dr. Harry T. Iida  
9-Ken Inose  
e30-Henry J. Ishida  
1-Louis Kiyoshi Ito  
24-Dr. William M. Jow  
24-Bruce T. Kaji  
8-Thomas Y. Kamidori  
28-Kay K. Kamiya  
18-Helen Kawagoe  
17-Tak Kawagoe  
Life-George Kobata  
e-Joe H. Kobata  
23-Yoshio Kobata  
Life-Dr. John Koyama  
25-James N. Kunibe  
e24-Dr. Hiroshi Kuwata  
31-Dr. Victor Makita  
e21-Shurei A. Matsumoto  
21-Isaac I. Matsushige  
30-Sam Minami  
5-James Mita  
26-David S. Miyamoto  
19-Henry M. Nagahori  
1-D. Reiko Nishimura  
15-Ken Nishino  
7-Art S. Nishisaka  
2-Dr. Henry Noguchi  
12-Mas Odoi  
1-Sue Shizumi Okada  
Life-Ken Osaka  
3-Chiyoko Peterson  
3-Roy Peterson  
14-Shozo Saito  
e27-Fumi Satow  
e36-Hideo Sawato  
1-Janice L. Shiozaki  
32-Ronald I. Shiozaki  
11-Mitsuko D. Soraoka  
5-Ichiro J. Sowa  
4-Chester Sugimoto  
e20-Frank S. Sugiyama  
14-Robert Takamoto  
7-Masao Tanino  
23-Robert Tarumoto  
13-Dr. Ernest Terao  
27-Dr. Masashi Uriu  
10-George Watai  
3-Edith S. Watanabe  
5-Kazumi Watanabe  
15-Tokiyu Yamaguchi  
11-Dr. Hideo Yamane  
8-Dr. Robert N. Yamasaki  
24-George T. Yamauchi  
24-Dr. Stanley H. Yamasaki  
33-Frank M. Yonemura  
14-Dr. Joe C. Yoshida  
3-Teruko Yoshiki  
GILROY  
5-Mamoru Nakao  
18-Lawson Sakai  
GOLDEN GATE  
22-Sami Homami  
30-Helen Hori  
Life-Dr. Yoshio Nakashima  
31-Katherine Reyes  
26-Dr. Clifford I. Uyeda  
GREATER L.A. SINGLES  
5-George K. Eguchi  
23-Joe Y. Fujimoto  
29-Yoshie Furuta  
5-Taeko Kaili  
8-Karl K. Nobuyuki  
21-Tom T. Shimazaki  
GRESHAM-TROUTDALE  
14-Edward H. Fujii  
24-Kazuo Fujii  
e22-Masayuki Fujimoto  
5-Ted Hachiya  
Life-Chiyoko Kato  
11-Hawley H. Kato  
Life-Henry Kato  
33-Kazuo Kinoshita



- 21-Shigenori Nagae  
28-Dr Joe M Onchi  
28-Kazuma Tamura
- HOLLYWOOD**  
e33-Hon John F Aiso  
2-Shunji Asari  
5-Raymond Chee  
15-Arthur M Emi  
23-Alice Aiko Ito  
37-Arthur Ito  
22-Yuki Kamayatsu  
30-Robert K Kato  
28-Paul Kaz Kawakami  
3-Aiko O King  
6-Dr Harry H Kitano  
14-Hideo Kondo  
31-Dr Shig J Masuoka  
22-Jeffrey Y Matsui  
32-Shizuko Sumi  
15-Bill H Teragawa  
e-Charles T Ueda  
32-Miwako Yamamoto\*
- HONOLULU**  
5-Kay Uno Kaneko  
ife-Dr Kenneth K Takeda
- HOOSIER**  
2-John L Emmerson  
4-Charles Hannel  
4-K Sue Hannel  
5-Charles Matsumoto  
5-Ken Matsumoto  
5-Mary Matsumoto  
5-Yasuko Matsumoto  
5-Shirley Nakatsukasa  
5-Walter Nakatsukasa  
14-Mary Sato  
5-George Umemura  
5-Jean Umemura  
1-William Yoshino
- IDAHO FALLS**  
35-Al Brownell  
Life-Deto Harada  
12-Hid Hasegawa  
34-Charley Hirai  
e-Yukio Eke Inouye  
e-Tommy H Miyasaka  
Life-Sadao Morishita  
Life-Joe Nishioka  
Life-George Nukaya  
24-Shoji Nukaya  
28-Fred I Ochi  
27-Sam S Sakaguchi  
Life-Frank Yamasaki
- JAPAN**  
1-Norio B Endo  
1-Bert Fujii  
23-Estella Hoshimura  
3-The Ichiban Shop  
1-Jack A Ishio  
1-Calvin I Kuniyuki  
4-Mutsuya Matsumoto  
1-Fred Nakagawa  
5-Dyke Nakamura  
1-Gen Nishiyama  
1-Sen Nishiyama  
4-Coolidge C Ozaki  
5-Vlachslav Peshkoff  
Life-Barry Saiki  
1-Thomas Sakamoto  
e28-Marshall Sumida  
9-Kow T Takesako  
1-Kay Tateishi  
Life-Dick Yamashita
- LAKE WASHINGTON**  
10-John H Matsumoto  
14-John Y Sato  
17-Al Shimoguchi
- LATIN AMERICA**
- LIVINGSTON-MERCED**  
31-Eric Andow  
30-Fred M Hashimoto  
Life-Buddy Iwata  
10-Linda O Iwata  
30-Norman M Kishi  
11-Jean Koda  
22-Yo Kuniyoshi  
31-Samuel Y Maeda  
9-Tom O Nakashima  
30-Robert Ohki  
30-Frank Shoji  
23-Agnes Winton  
29-Gordon H Winton, Jr  
28-George Yagi  
28-Lester Koe Yoshida
- LODI**  
11-Keiji Fujinaka
- LONG BEACH/ PACIFICA**  
21-Dr Fred Fujikawa  
30-Easy Isao Fujimoto  
29-Dr Itaru Ishida  
23-Dr Masashi Iano  
29-Dr Katsumi Izumi  
5-Harold S Kobata  
20-Dr Tsunehiko Makino  
14-Kazuko Matsumoto  
31-George Mio  
21-Dr Masao Takeshita
- MARIN COUNTY**  
4-Mo Noguchi  
3-George Sakamari  
7-Bruce Shimizu  
4-George T Shimizu  
3-Dr Sam Shimomura  
14-James O Wright, Jr
- MARINA**  
4-Grace S Akiyama  
3-Tsutako Curo  
2-Shirley Chami  
5-Kerry N Doi  
6-Toyoko Doi  
4-Fred J Fujioka  
3-Leslie K Furukawa  
4-Edward K Goka  
5-Jack Y Hata  
2-Ruth Horibe  
3-Umeko Hoshizaki  
1-Catherine K Iseda  
3-Dorothy Isomoto  
4-Seiji J Isomoto  
2-William Kaseko
- 4-Joseph Kinoshita  
2-Akimi Kodama  
6-Y George Kodama  
11-Alan F Kumamoto  
1-Ruby Malkin  
4-Jon M Mayeda  
2-Yoshio R Matsuhata  
5-Marie Miyashiro  
30-Sam S Miyashiro  
2-Dennis Mukai  
5-Kiichi Namba  
2-Teru Namba  
2-Yoshio R Namba  
5-Cary Nishimoto  
3-Fusae Nishina  
3-Howard Okumura  
16-Frank Kay Omatsu  
20-Dr Roy T Ozawa  
6-Patti Paganini  
5-Hank Y Sakauye  
5-Barbara Sato  
5-Randolph Sato  
25-Ann Sonoda  
e24-Cathy Sonoda  
2-Sam M Sunada  
1-Chiyoko Takahashi  
6-Ryoko Takata  
5-Ronald Wakabayashi  
3-Michiko Yamamoto  
4-Paul Yamamoto  
2-Dr George J Yamauchi
- MARYSVILLE**  
2-Gene Chappie  
2-George S Hatamiya  
6-Roy R Hatamiya  
22-Thomas Hatamiya  
30-Bob H Inouye  
e29-George H Inouye  
9-Robert H Inouye  
4-Mark Iwanaga  
9-Ben T Kawada  
7-Joe Kobayashi  
29-Robert Kodama  
22-Billy Teruo Manji  
1-Helen Manji  
23-Shurei A Matsumoto  
8-Larry Matsumura  
Life-Frank Nakamura  
24-Takeo Nakano  
1-George S Nakao  
10-Arthur N Oji  
23-Henry M Oji  
C/Life-Mas Oji  
2-Frederick S Okimoto  
11-Dr Harold G Polonsky  
19-Ronald E Rudge  
9-Masao Sagara  
e-John K Sasaki  
25-Cathy Sonoda  
30-Thomas H Teesdale  
23-Isao Tokunaga  
e-Bill T Tsuji  
32-Mosse M Uchida  
19-George Yoshimoto  
37-Akiji Yoshimura  
2-Ron Yoshimura
- MID-COLUMBIA**  
22-Masami Asai  
25-Taro Asai  
31-Sho Endow, Jr  
24-Masashi Migaki  
27-George Nakamura  
32-Ray Sato  
e30-Mits Takasumi  
4-Satoshi Taubata  
e-George M Watanabe  
Life-Mike Yasui  
Life-Ray T Yasui
- MILE-HI**  
16-Tosh Ando  
5-Harry H Aoyagi  
e-Dr Chas Fujisaki  
10-Kiyoto Futa  
34-William K Hosokawa  
31-Harry Y Ida  
26-James H Inatani  
14-Robert Inai  
1-Dennis S Ioka  
9-Tom Ioka  
31-Carl H Iwasaki  
30-George Mits Kaneko  
19-James Kanemoto  
e33-Dr Tom K Kobayashi  
27-Samuel Kumagai  
25-Tom T Masamori  
1-George Y Masunaga  
24-Dr Bob T Mayeda  
e25-Dr Takashi Mayeda  
21-Dr Ben Miyahara  
25-John T Noguchi  
10-Dr Tsuru T Okagawa  
15-Hootch Okumura  
1-Robert Sakaguchi  
5-Terry Nishida Sato  
10-Richard K Shigemura  
9-William Jiro Shoji  
Life-Dr Wm Y Takahashi  
29-Yutaka Tak Terasaki  
25-Dr Mahito Miki Uba  
e22-Dr Ayako Wada  
3-Jean Wong Wakabayashi  
29-Minoru Yasui  
9-William T Yoshida
- MILWAUKEE**  
19-Makoto Aratani  
2-Gordon Brandes  
20-K Henry Date  
3-David Davies  
28-Robert Dewa  
11-Takako Dingies  
10-Betty H Fujihira  
6-Yoko D Gochinas  
4-Raymond J Goral  
15-Andrew Hasegawa
- 14-Spark Hashimoto  
5-Helen Inai  
Life-Eddie Jonokuchi  
Life-Helen T Jonokuchi  
15-Henry K Kanazawa  
13-Lily Kataoka  
4-Ronald Kiefer  
20-Yutaka Kuge  
Life-Paul H Kusuda  
22-Charles Matsumoto  
7-Andrew J Mayeshiba  
20-Jim J Miyazaki  
24-Roy A Mukai  
16-Sus Musashi  
28-Satoshi Nakahira  
31-Shigeru Nakahira  
23-Dr Wilbur M Nakamoto  
21-Taka Naruo  
9-Thelma K Randlett  
14-Dr Thomas G Samter  
14-Thomas T Sasaki  
22-Nami Shio  
C-Life-Shiro Shiraga  
4-George Summers  
17-Tamio Suyama  
3-William Suyama  
8-Dr Tetsuo Tagawa  
e29-Mits Takasumi  
22-Kengo Teramura
- MONTEREY PENINSULA**  
16-Dr Takashi Hattori  
Life-Mickey N Ichijii  
Life-Yoshiko E Ichijii  
Life-Dr Dean Y Ishii  
Life-Lily Y Kageyama  
30-George Kodama  
16-Rinzi Manaka  
4-Gordon N Miyamoto  
31-H Oyster Miyamoto  
2-T Clifford Nakajima  
16-Haruo Pet Nakasako  
29-K Kiyoshi Nobusada  
Life-Robert T Ouye  
7-Jack E Russell  
Life-Kenneth H Sato  
Life-Maxine Uyeda  
Shibata  
23-Akio L Sugimoto  
21-James Tabata  
20-George Y Uyeda  
33-Minoru C Uyeda  
3-Richard Hidemi West  
23-Masao Yokogawa
- MOUNT OLYMPUS**  
13-Huch Aoki  
13-Saige Aramaki  
29-Yukus Inouye  
16-Charles S Kawakami  
13-Minoru Jim Matsumori  
27-Tom K Matsumori  
16-Kenneth Nodzu  
20-Aiko Okada  
11-David E Ushio  
e24-Shigeki Ushio
- NEW ENGLAND**  
3-Margie Yamamoto  
Hopkins  
4-Masato Nakashima  
4-Masato Nakashima
- NEW MEXICO**  
8-Taro Akutagawa  
30-S Ruth Y Hashimoto  
Life-Charlie Matsubara  
Life-Geo H Matsubara  
Life-M/M Daidichi  
Matsubara  
Life-Toshi Matsubara  
8-Hiroshi Morimoto  
7-Junso Ogawa  
8-Randolph Shibata  
9-Ron Shibata  
Life-M/M Walter Shibata  
9-Miyoko Tokuda  
9-Sei Tokuda  
9-Jean Yonemoto  
9-Miyuki Yonemoto
- NEW YORK**  
30-Dr Harry F Abe  
5-Matsuko Akiya  
5-Kaneji Domoto  
33-Yaye Togasaki  
Breitenbach  
22-Minoru Endo  
Life-Edward J Ennis  
e-Tomio Enodity  
5-Amy E Fujimura  
Life-Tom Hayashi  
33-May N Hirata  
25-Yoshi T Imai  
12-Chiyoko Itanaga  
26-S John Iwatsu  
26-Shig Kariya  
29-Mitty M Kimura  
3-Thomas Kometani  
21-Jack K Kunitagui  
29-George Kyotow  
2-Midori Lederer  
Life-Fae Y Minabe  
14-Frank K Okazaki  
10-Fuji Saito  
29-William K Sakayama  
29-George G Shimamoto  
11-Dr Seichi Shimomura  
28-Tatsui M Shiotani  
28-Alice Suzuki  
16-Charles M Takata  
18-Shigeru Tasaka  
10-Joseph E Tashiro  
16-Takeko Wakiji  
21-Mike Watabe  
11-Mary S Wu  
e-George Yamaoka  
16-Kentaro Yasuda
- NORTH SAN DIEGO**  
31-Henry J Ishida  
14-Yoshiko Ishida
- NC-WNDC**  
Life-Miyoko Yuki  
Life-Takeo Yuki
- OAKLAND**  
3-Akira Abe  
12-Shizuko Akahoshi  
32-Katsumi Fujii  
34-Dr Charles M Ishizu  
6-Molly Kitajima  
9-Robert Kitajima  
5-Dennis Koichi Matsura  
22-Ted T Mayeda  
5-William K Muraoka  
19-Torao Neishi  
22-James G Nishi  
e-Fred S Nomura  
28-Frank H Ogawa  
4-Sam Okimoto  
20-Robert N Ota  
16-Jean Aiko Rowe  
20-Shizuo Tanaka  
21-Tony Motomi  
Yokomizo  
10-Kuni Yoshika
- OLYMPIA**  
13-Edna J Ellis  
13-Dr Paul Ellis  
2-Edward Y Mayeda
- OMAHA**  
22-Yukio Ando  
23-James T Egusa  
2-Judy Zaiman  
Gotsdiner  
2-Steve Hasegawa  
16-Roy Hirabayashi  
13-Edward F Ishii  
2-Sharon Ishii Jordan  
2-John Kawamoto  
10-Mitsuo Kawamoto  
4-Alice Kaya  
15-Yukio Kuroishi  
4-Rudy Mudra  
35-Em Nakadoki  
38-Robert Nakadoki  
11-Albert W Noble  
5-Chiyeko Tamai  
19-Fern Watanabe  
21-Harry G Watanabe  
2-Mike Watanabe  
4-Pamela K Watanabe
- ORANGE COUNTY**  
20-Joe S Akiyama  
25-Dr S Douglas Arakawa  
e-George Chida  
e-Tachio Goya  
2-Michael Honda  
33-Henry Kanegae  
5-Alyce H Kikawa  
19-Dr Samuel R Maehara  
27-Merry K Masunaga  
34-Harry H Matsukane  
25-George Maye  
Life-Yoneichi Miyasaki  
29-Kay K Monma  
1-Warren Y Nagano  
25-Harry H Nakamura  
31-Dr Leo Nakayama  
14-Henry Neishi  
33-Hitoshi Nitta  
31-Minoru Nitta  
31-Mitsuo Nitta  
31-Dr Tadashi Ochiai  
e-Elsa Okuda  
e28-Jim S Okuda  
27-Dr Paul K Sakaguchi  
1-Henry Sakai  
16-Ben K Shimazu  
e22-John M Taddokoro  
8-Tsutomu Ben Takenaga  
23-Kay Tamura  
13-Tsuzumi Tz Tsama  
1-Hisako Uchiyama  
1-Glenn T Umetsu  
32-Ken Uyesugi  
25-Mas M Uyesugi
- PAN ASIAN**  
2-Joe Chino  
15-Tak Endo  
2-Kathryn S Chono-Herring  
3-James Hishinuma  
3-Seiji Kasai  
5-Bonnie Joy Kasamatsu  
3-Sandra Kawasaki  
29-Chiyeko Kishi  
2-Karen Kishi  
5-Ford H Kuramoto  
2-Frances Kuramoto  
6-Carol Ann Taeko Saito
- PARLIER**  
15-Noboru J Doi  
m-Harry Isaki  
Life-Ben Koga  
e-James N Kozuki  
Life-Norman Miyakawa  
e-Tomio C Miyakawa  
e-Robert Okamura
- PASADENA**  
35-Yoneo Y Deguchi  
30-Mitsuko F Dyo  
27-Mary K Hatate  
27-Fred Asachi Hiraoka  
Life-Tom Matsumoto  
29-Ted K Kawata  
1-Gary M Kondo  
e23-Eiko Matsui
- e28-Kay K Monma  
19-Dr Kiyoshi Ogawa  
30-Jiro Oishi  
22-Dr Thomas T Omori  
30-Hayato Harris Ozawa  
16-Dr Robert Shimasaki  
16-George Shota  
16-Moe Takagaki  
e34-Butch Y Tamura  
30-Mich Tsuchiyama  
27-Ken Yamaguchi  
19-Mack M Yamaguchi  
16-Harvard K Yuki  
24-George T Yusa
- PHILADELPHIA**  
e27-Shoji Date  
32-Susumu Sim Endo  
5-Reiko K N Gaspar  
e20-Marion Glaeser  
16-William Hamada  
13-George K Higuchi  
24-Kaz Horita  
15-Albert B Ikeda  
32-William Tadashi Ishida  
20-Tetsuo Iwasaki  
14-Ben Kimura  
21-Roy K Kita  
30-Noboru Kobayashi  
16-Sumiko Kobayashi  
26-Chiyoko K Koikwai  
Mem-Haruno Marutani  
37-William M Marutani  
10-Sauce H Matsumori  
Life-James Michener  
Life-Mari Michener  
Life-Tadafumi Mikuriya  
16-Nobu Miyoshi  
34-Takashi Moriuchi  
16-Yuriko Moriuchi  
25-Ted Masumoto  
28-Robert Mizukami  
27-Dr Victor I Moriyasu  
27-George Murakami  
Life-George Ota  
26-Tad Sasaki  
31-Paul T Seto  
6-Thomas T Shigio  
e21-Thomas S Takemura  
e-Dr George A Tambara  
16-Yoshihiko Tanabe  
25-Toshio Tsuboi  
26-Miyo Uchiyama  
30-Dr Sam T Uchiyama  
25-Nobuo Yoshida  
27-Dr Keith H Yoshino  
1-Janice Lee Yoshiwara
- REEDLEY**  
30-Masaru Abe  
32-Michi Ikeda  
35-Toru Ikeda  
29-Carolyn A Ikemiyu  
19-George Ikemiyu  
34-Dr James M Ikemiyu  
30-Joe Ishii  
12-Stanley Ishii  
19-Henry Iwanaga  
e26-Seiko M Kasai  
24-Kiyoshi Kawamoto  
20-George Y Kiyomoto  
e25-Yone Minami  
27-Tak Naito  
14-Sammy S Nakagawa  
11-Ronald H Nishinaka  
11-Ken Sunamoto  
e22-Dr Akira Tajiri  
18-Eddie M Yano
- RENO**  
11-Arthur K Donoghue  
2-Gerald A Ikeda  
28-Wilson H Makabe  
10-Yosh Nakamura  
15-Ronald Ichiro Yamamoto
- REXBURG**  
Life-Kiyoshi Sakota
- RIVERSIDE**  
7-James S Amao  
14-Anthony S Inaba  
14-Gen Ogata  
13-James Urata  
27-Harry H Hayashi  
e22-James I Hayashi  
27-Richard T Henmi  
1-Dr Yasuo Ishida  
3-Kenjo Itoku  
-Dr George Kobayashi  
25-Paul Maruyama  
e-George Mitsunaga  
e21-Dr Alfred Morioka  
5-Mary Okamoto  
12-Dr Ted T Okamoto  
10-Yuki Rikimaru  
6-George T Sakaguchi  
19-George Sato  
27-George N Shimamoto  
1-Judith Shimamoto  
29-George Y Shingu  
30-Dr George M Tanaka  
23-Joseph K Tanaka  
27-Dr George S Uchiyama  
2-Roy S Yamahiro
- SALINAS VALLEY**  
30-Frank K Hibino  
18-Henry K Hibino  
30-George Higashi  
14-Shiro Higashi  
27-Paul T Ichijii  
e-Tom Miyahara  
29-Fred K Oshima  
19-Roy Sakagawa  
15-Harry M Shirachi  
34-Henry H Tanda  
e-Sho Yoshida
- SALT LAKE CITY**  
27-Ichiro Doi  
e-Shizue Rae Fujimoto  
5-Donald S Fujino, M.D.  
e20-Tad Hatanaka  
29-Alice Kasai  
24-Mitsugi Kasai  
28-Seiko M Kasai
- 8-Dr Hachi Kawakami  
7-Y Kay Kawano  
13-Kazuo C Kimura  
13-Joseph Y Kiyota  
5-Tadashi Kono  
29-Ardevan K Kozono  
21-Edwin S Kubo  
30-Dr James J Kubo  
4-Kenge Kumamoto  
5-Richard Kuramoto  
6-Kenji Kurosaki  
25-Tom T Kurotori  
5-Rudolph R Loncke  
26-Masao Maeda  
26-Akito Masaki  
29-Amy Masaki  
30-Percy T Masaki  
14-Dr H Setsuo Masaki  
9-Ray Matsubara  
5-Howard S Matsuhara  
19-George T Matsui  
19-Robert T Matsui  
23-Denri Matsumoto  
26-Dr Richard T Matsumoto  
32-William M Matsumoto  
35-Joe I Matsunami  
29-George I Matsuo  
13-Starr T Miyagawa  
29-Arthur Miyai  
7-Gerald Miyamoto  
31-Sumio Miyamoto  
29-Martin Miyao  
27-Harry Morimoto  
28-Dr George Muramoto  
28-Elizabeth Murata  
1-Dr Kazuo Ninomiya  
30-Kanji Nishijima  
15-Hiroshi Nishikawa  
27-Ralph Nishimi  
28-David Noguchi  
13-Yoji Nukaya  
29-Ping Y Oda  
23-Dr Hitoshi Okamoto  
27-George S Oki  
9-Carnegie Ouye  
16-Kikui Ryugo  
1-Kay Sagara  
8-William Sakai  
27-Shig Sakamoto  
26-Mamoru Sakuma  
27-Kaname Sanui  
3129-Dr Alwin M Sato  
26-Dr Kiyoshi Arthur Sato  
28-Tom Sato  
24-Louis Seto  
27-Dr Masa R Seto  
10-Harry Shigaki  
12-Dr Robert M Shimada  
4-Floyd Shimomura  
29-Noboru Shirai  
21-Dr Arthur J Sugiyama  
31-Dr Henry I Sugiyama  
13-Stimson S Suzuki  
23-Yoneo Suzuki  
5-Gerald K Takehara  
34-Henry Takea  
29-Takeo Takeuchi  
18-Kiyoshi K Tamano  
31-George Tambara  
5-William C Teramoto  
4-Shiro Tokuno  
32-Wataru Tsugawa  
29-Takashi Tsujita  
23-Tomoye Tsukamoto  
20-Dr Yukio Uyeno  
15-Henry Y Yamada  
15-Yoshio Yamada  
20-Howard Yamagata  
29-Charley Yamamoto  
22-Dr Masa Yamamoto  
5-Sam T Yamamoto  
15-Scott S Yamamoto  
6-Tohru Yamataka  
27-Frank Yokoi  
30-Frank T Yoshimura
- SAINT LOUIS**  
8-Robert W Denby  
32-Dr Jackson Eto  
21-William H Eto  
3-Dr Milton Fujita  
32-George K Hasegawa  
11-Marvin Kroner  
3-Kazuo Kubota  
Life-Roy H Makino  
15-Robert Moriguchi  
25-Kay I Nakagiri  
5-James S Oda  
5-Dr Mary Oda  
29-Dr Bo T Sakaguchi  
Life-Dr Chibo T Sakaguchi  
23-Dr Sanbo S Sakaguchi  
5-David T Sakai  
e34-Ira Shimasaki  
8-Paul Tsuneishi  
31-Samu Ueyehara  
5-Don N Yamaoka  
35-Susumu Yokomizo  
22-K David Yoshiko
- SAN FRANCISCO**  
Life-Lily Abiko  
C-Life-Yasuo W Abiko  
6-Amey Aizawa  
32-Hatsuro Aizawa  
5-Yonemitsu Arashiro  
24-Masao Ashizawa  
5-Hermon J Baker, Jr  
13-Calif Blue Shield  
5-Dr Roy Doi  
27-Steven Doi  
20-Wesley Doi  
11-Carvin T Dowke  
e27-Shizuko Fagerhaugh  
11-Roger Fleischer  
5-Yuki K Fuchigami  
5-Dr Sharon M Fujii  
10-Harry Fujikawa  
e22-Joe J Fujimoto  
24-Katsunori Handa  
e-Kayo Hayakawa  
12-Donald L Hayashi  
33-Noboru Hideshima  
32-David T Hironaka  
19-Yo Hironaka  
32-Jack Hirose  
21-Dr Pearce Hira  
21-Dr Wilfred Hira  
5-Tsugiko Holdaway  
4-Mitsuko Honda
- 24-Masanori Hongo  
e28-Helen Hori  
Life-Mitsuo Hosaka  
31-William Hoshiyama  
22-Florence T Ida  
24-Hisao Inouye  
5-Emily K Ishida  
4-Mary Ishii  
5-Robert Ishii  
30-Ken Ishizaki  
23-Harold H Iwamasa  
4-Carole Hayashino  
Kagawa  
4-Dr Saburo Kami  
e-Hideo Kasai  
7-Isao Kawamoto  
13-Kikkoman Internat'l  
19-Calvert Kitazumi  
20-Ken Kiwata  
Life-Richard Kiwata  
24-Dr William S Kiyasu  
m-Keisaburo Koda  
5-Takeshi Koga  
12-Bob Kojimoto  
21-Raymond K Konagai  
e27-Harry Korematsu  
Life-Yuriko Kuramoto  
31-Marie Kurihara  
29-Jack S Kusaba  
6-William Kyono  
5-Thomas T Machida  
6-Matt I Matsumoto  
24-Albert M Matsumura  
e21-Minoru Jack Mayeda  
18-Frank H Minami  
5-Shigeo Miyamoto  
13-Akio J Mochizuki  
23-Eddie Moriguchi  
Life-Dale Morioka  
Life-Frances Morioka  
Life-Tamotsu Murayama  
21-Robert I Nagata  
5-Cressey Nakagawa  
22-Wm T Nakahara, Jr  
19-George C Nakamura  
19-James M Nakamura  
18-Dr Lawrence T Nakamura  
5-Martin E Natsuhara  
27-Donald K Negi  
5-Tokie Nerio  
32-Dick Nishi  
24-Dr Harry T Nomura  
m-F M Nonaka  
20-Manuel S Nuris  
25-Henry T Obayashi  
Life-Katherine Ohtaki  
Life-Paul Ohtaki  
5-Steven T Okamoto  
5-Dr Jerry Y Osumi  
14-Okagiri Mercantile Co  
5-Koji Ozawa  
1-Beth I Renge  
2-Chieko Sakai  
2-Robert Sakai  
24-Yozo Sakai  
14-Giichi Sakurai  
23-Eugene Sasai  
23-Sam S Sato  
e28-Tadai Satoda  
31-Yone Satoda  
m-Chiz Satow  
m-Masao W Satow  
25-Sumi Schloss  
21-Maury A Schwarz  
24-Sim S Seiki  
5-Fumi Shimada  
14-Sumitomo Bank of Calif  
28-Henri Takahashi  
12-Tanaka Travel Service  
24-Masateru Tatsuno  
e27-Dr Kazuo Togasaki  
35-Susumu Togasaki  
20-Masato Ty Toki  
20-Harry Y Tono  
19-Wil Tsukamoto  
26-Dr Himeo Tsumori  
6-Richard Tsutakawa  
30-Taken B Utsumi  
6-Helen S Uyeda  
3-Jane H Wong  
15-George Yamasaki, Jr  
12-John K Yamauchi  
13-Rosalie Y Yasuda  
26-John T Yasumoto  
30-Grace Yonezu  
19-Noby Yoshimura  
23-Joseph K Yoshino  
8-Kiyoshi Joe Yukawa  
21-Teruko Yukawa
- SAN GABRIEL VALLEY**  
19-Robert L Fujii  
2-Gerold Morita  
5-Moon K Noh  
3-Yasakazu Nomura  
5-Julian Ortiz  
12-Henry S Oshiro  
19-Dr Abe Oyama  
14-M Paul Sagawa  
17-Deni Y Uejima
- SAN JOSE**  
15-Robert Ashizawa  
25-Peggy Sonoda  
Asuncion  
33-Yoneo Bepp  
18-Perry Dobashi  
18-Dr Tom T Doi  
4-Mary Ewing  
17-Masao Hamamura  
4-George Kajiro Hanada  
18-K Clifford Hashiguchi  
19-Kiyoshi Higashi  
18-George Hinoki  
32-James M Hirabayashi  
1-Dr Jerrold A Hura  
28-Thomas A Hura  
19-Dr Tak Inouye  
1-Takeshi Inouye  
19-Tomoo Inouye  
28-Harry Ishigaki  
34-Dr Tokio Ishikawa  
18-Robert J Ishimatsu  
5-Frank Ito  
19-Joe K Jio  
18-Dr Tadashi Kadonaga  
29-Wayne M Kanemoto  
5-Fred S Kanzaki  
34-Yoshio Katayama  
e23-Yasuko Kato  
19-Kay Kawasaki
- 18-Yosh Kikuchi  
18-Ted Kimura  
18-Karl Kinaga  
1-Dr Eugene H Kinoshita  
18-Ben Masatani  
18-Ray Matsumoto  
29-Philly Matsumura  
18-Tatsuo Miki  
7-Albert K Mineta  
17-Helen Mineta  
26-Norman Mineta  
28-Tom J Mitsuoyoshi  
17-Dr Saylo Munemitsu  
2-Roy K Nagasaki  
5-Herbert T Nagata  
24-Peter M Nakahara  
5-Judy Junko Nilzawa  
16-Frank Ogata  
27-Dr Robert S Okamoto  
6-Teiji Okuda  
29-Eiichi Sakauye  
20-Akira Aki Sasaki  
10-James Satake  
23-Tad Selgigahama  
28-Esao Shimizu  
16-Roy Shimizu  
1-Thomas Sugishita  
18-George Takagi  
4-Richard K Tanaka  
2-Wayne Kazuo Tando  
35-Dave M Tatsuno  
e20-Lorraine T Tokimoto  
11-Travel Planners  
Life-Yoshihiro Uchida  
5-Kazuo Utsunomiya  
21-Henry Uyeda  
5-Teruo Uyeda  
18-Roy Yamada  
17-William H Yamada  
24-Henry T Yamate
- SAN LUIS OBISPO**  
33-Masaji Eto  
20-Hilo Fuchiaki  
14-Akio Hayashi  
e23-Kazuo Ikeda  
7-Saburo Ikeda  
15-Shig Kawaguchi  
14-Kingo Kawakita  
24-Ken Kitasako  
14-Ken Kobara  
14-Mitsuo Sanbonmatsu  
21-Robert C Takahashi
- SAN LUIS VALLEY**  
Life-Roy T Inouye
- SAN MATEO**  
24-Hiroshi Ito  
5-Japanese American Curriculum Project  
17-Shizu Kariya  
13-Miyuki Kojimoto  
32-Tad T Masaoka  
16-Gary Ota  
e28-J I Rikimaru  
7-Robert Shoda  
29-George T Sutow  
22-Mary Sutow  
e20-Tomoko Sutow  
e25-William A Takahashi  
8-Ann Tsuda  
16-Dr Mitch Wakasa  
25-Dr Andrew Yoshiwara
- SANGER**  
35-Robert K Kanagawa  
27-Tom T Moriama  
30-Tom H Nagamatsu
- SANTA BARBARA**  
30-Mike Makio Hide  
36-Tom Hirashima  
13-Richard Kitagawa  
2-Emily K Mori  
4-Joe Mori  
e20-Dr Yoshi Nakaji  
e26-George I Nishimura  
Life-George Oshimura  
e20-Paul Shinoda  
31-Caesar Uyesaka
- SANTA MARIA VALLEY**  
Life-Frank K Ito  
Life-Ray Koyama  
5-Paul Kurokawa  
e20-Harold Y Shimizu  
17-Leonard Ueki  
14-Peter M Uyehara
- SEABROOK**  
13-Shingo Kajinami  
32-Kiyomi Nakamura  
29-Charles T Nagao  
19-Ellen Nakamura  
e31-Kiyomi Nakamura  
2-Gregory D Ono  
10-Miles I Ota  
17-Morio Shimomura
- SEATTLE**  
10-Mitsui M Abe  
Life-Hiram G Akita  
Life-Helen Akita  
Life-Jiro E Aoki  
10-Lincoln Beppu  
23-George S Fugami  
16-Shiro Fujihira  
27-Yoshito Fujii  
32-Dr Susumu Fukuda  
3-Aubrey Funai  
8-Charles M Furuta  
17-James M Hara  
5-Tsuneo Harada  
Life-Frank H Hattori  
1-Dr Marvin Y Hayami  
e29-Heitaro Hida  
31-Joe S Hirota  
Life-Dr Frank T Hori  
Life-Takashi Hori  
4-Ayako Okubo Hori  
29-Mabel K Ida  
1-Ted K Imanaka  
26-Fred Y Imanishi  
Life-Thomas T Imori  
10-Marsha M Inouye  
2-Paul Isaki  
10-Dr Saburo Kajimura  
23-George Kashiwagi  
e20-John M Kashiwagi  
31-George Y Kawachi



## 1000 Club Honor Roll



## From Previous Page

e20-Koichi Kihara  
Life-Frank Y Kinomoto  
Life-Cherry T Kinoshita  
12-William Kobayashi  
8-I Sam Kozu  
Life-Takeshi Kubota  
24-Dr Roland Kumasaka  
4-Aki Kurose  
15-Hana Masuda  
7-Mich Matsudaira  
e20-James M Matsuoaka  
23-Robert H Matsura  
4-Kenneth Mayeda  
e20-William Y Mimb  
e20-Henry H Miyake  
15-Lovett Moriguchi  
18-Tomio Moriguchi  
e20-Kiyu Motoda  
17-Thomas T Mukasa  
30-Richard K Murakami  
10-Ben Nakagawa  
6-Harold Jiro Nakahara  
32-Dr Theodore T  
Nakamura  
14-Kimi V Nakanishi  
6-Emil Nakano  
Life-Ken Nogaki  
32-Fumi Noji  
17-Dr Yoshitaka Ogata  
e27-Rose Ogino  
22-Dr Kenji Okuda  
6-Shigeto Otani  
1-Tim K Otani  
Life-Edward E Otsuka  
Life-Jeanette Y Otsuka

30-Ted A Sakahara  
Life-Toru Sakahara  
15-Roy Y Sakamoto  
30-Howard A Sakura  
5-P H Schmidt  
1-Ruth L Schmidt  
27-Roy Y Seko  
1-Dale Shigaki  
e20-Mabel K Shigaya  
e20-Eddie K Shimomura  
7-Sherlock S Shirbo  
13-Masao T Sutow  
35-Fred T Takagi  
15-George Takizawa  
17-Uhachi Tamesa  
12-Dr Frank Y Tanaka  
25-Theodore T Tanguchi  
26-Dr Terrance M Toda  
12-Marjorie Y Tseke  
4-Lonny Ishihara  
16-George Y Izumi  
16-James S Izumi  
28-Hiroji Kariya  
e20-Richard S Kitase  
e26-Eugene Y Kono  
Life-Chuck Kubokawa  
5-Mary Ann Masaoka  
5-Edward Masuda  
e20-Elizabeth Murata  
4-Ernest Murata  
19-Koji Murata  
20-Albert Y Nakai  
3-Fred M Nakamura  
e20-Masao Oku  
9-Dr Lawrence K  
Onitsuka  
e29-Juro Yoshioka

## SELANOCO

Life-Jun Fukushima  
22-Alice Hashimoto  
22-Tom Hashimoto  
34-Charles Hayashida  
2-Mary Imon  
12-Wayne Isa  
Life-Hiroshi Kamei  
1-Barbara Kamon  
Life-Novo Kato  
4-Dr Donald Mikami  
4-Kazuo Mori  
Life-Kenji Murata  
1-Barry Morishita  
Life-Clarence I Nishizu  
Life-Henry Nishizu  
18-Wilce Shiomi  
12-Dr Shigeo Terasaki  
3-Dr Mike Michio  
Yagake  
Life-Henry S Yamaga

## SELMA

e23-George Abe  
5-Al Kataoka  
27-Alan A Masumoto

## SEQUOIA

Life-Dr George Baba  
6-Dr Theodore T Abe  
26-Dr Hunter T Doi  
18-Ronald Akio Enomoto  
34-William H Enomoto  
e24-Mamoru H Fukuma  
12-Toshi Hanazono  
22-Dr Harry H Hatasaka  
Life-Dr George Hura  
18-Dr Gregory M Hura  
12-Phyllis Carol Hura  
Life-Tatsu Hori  
11-Pete Ida  
12-Marjorie Y Iseke  
4-Lonny Ishihara  
16-George Y Izumi  
16-James S Izumi  
28-Hiroji Kariya  
e20-Richard S Kitase  
e26-Eugene Y Kono  
Life-Chuck Kubokawa  
5-Mary Ann Masaoka  
5-Edward Masuda  
e20-Elizabeth Murata  
4-Ernest Murata  
19-Koji Murata  
20-Albert Y Nakai  
3-Fred M Nakamura  
e20-Masao Oku  
9-Dr Lawrence K  
Onitsuka  
e29-Juro Yoshioka

## SNAKE RIVER VLY

24-Gish Amano  
22-Harry S Fukiage  
18-Arthur Hamanishi  
21-Shigeru Hironaka  
32-George Iseri  
21-Rosie Iseri  
Life-Thomas Iseri  
27-Joe Komoto  
25-Dr Roy J Kondo  
5-Fumi Mita  
e30-Shigeo Murakami  
28-Jack H Ogami  
21-George T Okita  
32-Abe Saito  
25-Yosh Sakahara  
e20-Barton Sasaki  
Life-Connie Shimajima  
37-George Sugai  
25-Pil Sugai  
Life-Kay Teramura  
23-Ben Tsukamaki  
21-Sam Uchida  
21-Bob S Uriu  
25-Tom Uriu  
e20-George E Vaughn  
23-James Wakagawa  
Life-James Watanabe  
22-Dr Kenji Y Yaguchi  
30-Mas Yano  
25-Louis J Yturri

## SOLANO

21-Leo H Hosoda

## SONOMA COUNTY

22-George I Hamamoto  
7-Donald H Ito  
8-Hitoshi R Kobayashi  
6-Mel Kunihiro  
11-Raymond M Morita  
11-David Murakami  
23-James F Murakami  
14-Ed Nomura  
30-Edwin Ohki  
23-Dr Roy Okamoto  
7-Margaret Y Scott  
23-Martin Shimizu  
1-Tachibana of Japan  
23-Shiz Tsujihara  
9-John K Tsuruta  
8-Thomas K Yokoi  
e27-George Y Yokoyama

## SOUTH BAY

22-Joe N Hashima  
5-George I Imamura  
23-Edwin Y Mitoma  
30-Fumi Satow  
37-Hideo Satow  
36-Ira Shimasaki  
20-Yoshiaki Tamura

## SPOK NE

15-Motoi Asai  
5-Yoshio Hata  
e20-Frank Hisayasu  
32-Dr Mark Kondo  
13-Spady A Koyama  
10-Louis Kurahara  
e20-Marie Kurihara  
8-Masa Kuroiwa  
16-Saburo Sam Nakagawa  
32-Tetsuo Nobuku  
16-Roy Ota  
16-Richard S Sakai  
6-Raymond J Takisaki  
24-Edward M Tsutakawa  
19-Dr James M Watanabe

## STOCKTON

Life-Jun Agari  
31-George K Baba  
31-Ruby T Dobana  
6-Edwin T Endow  
24-Dr Kenneth Fujii  
7-Chester Y Fukuhara  
3-Debra Hatanaka  
e30-Harry S Hayashino  
23-Frank Inamasu  
26-Alfred T Ishida  
31-Sam M Itaya  
21-Tetsuo Kato  
16-Frank Kitagawa  
31-Henry T Kusama  
8-Calvin Matsumoto  
21-George Y Matsumoto  
32-Jack Y Matsumoto  
4-Kiyoshi Mizuno  
25-Dr John I Morozumi  
4-Grace R Nagai  
27-Arthur K Nakashima  
26-George J Nakashima  
24-Roy S Nakashima  
26-William U Nakashima  
22-Harold Nitta  
1-Warren Nitta  
C/Life-Tom T Okamoto  
Life-Mabel Okubo  
31-Joseph I Omachi  
5-Ben Oshima  
2-Tom Rushing  
8-Bill Shima  
Life-George Tabuchi  
21-Dr Katsuto Takei  
24-Dr James H Tanaka  
18-James Tanji  
19-Kengo Terashita  
e20-Lou Tsunekawa  
5-Harry Tsushima  
31-Kazuo Ueda  
8-Yutaka Watanabe  
8-Charles Yagi  
22-Yoshio Bob Yamada  
22-John K Yamaguchi  
20-Dr M Lincoln Yamaguchi

## TWIN CITIES

25-Toshio W Abe  
12-Charlie Chatman  
18-Ben Ezaki, Sr  
e26-Sam S Hara  
Life-Masayoshi Harada  
18-Kimi Hara  
17-Nobu Harada  
16-William Y Hirabayashi  
17-O Sam Honda  
26-Mieko Ikeda  
Life-Frank M Ishikawa  
31-Thomas T Kanno  
22-Kay Kusino  
32-Dr George Nishida  
3-Dr Kaworu Nomura  
14-George Ono  
24-George Rokutani  
16-Ty Saiki  
12-Carl K Somekawa  
30-Dr Gladys I Stone  
5-Esther Suzuki  
17-May Tanaka  
34-Charles Tatsuda  
29-Sumiko Teramoto  
17-Albert Tsuchiya  
32-Takuzo Tsuchiya  
29-George M Yoshino

## VENICE-CULVER

13-Yoichi John Asari  
Life-Victor M Carter  
5-Victor M Carter  
15-Chiye Y Harada  
19-Frank K Harada  
26-Dr Harold S Harada  
16-Tom Hayakawa  
32-Fred Hoshiyama  
Life-Akira Inagaki  
Life-Chris Inagaki  
m -Frank Inagaki  
m -George Inagaki  
27-Dr Mitsuo Inouye  
30-George T Isoda  
18-Dr Rodger T Kame  
22-Frances C Kitagawa  
17-Fred M Makimoto  
5-Fred M Matsumoto  
14-Richard R Muise  
18-Tom Nakamura  
8-Dr Frank Nakano  
29-Dr C Robert Ryo  
23-Dr Richard R Saiki  
24-Hitoshi Mike Shimizu  
17-Sam Shimoguchi  
23-Tony Tsuneo Shimizu  
e29-Dr Takao Shishino  
16-Jack Sugihara  
10-Caroline K Takemoto  
Life-Patti Inagaki Ueda  
32-Fumi Utsuki  
33-Mary E Wakamatsu  
\* Life-Matsunosuke Wakamatsu  
5-Yoshiyuki Yamamoto  
e20-Jane Yamashita  
27-Betty S Yumori

## TORRANCE

1-Dan K Sakamoto  
5-Frank H Watase

## TRI-VALLEY

4-Teru Yokoi

## TULARE COUNTY

29-Tee Ezaki  
6-Kay Hada  
25-Jun Jimmy Hatakeda  
27-Sawato Hatakeda  
3-Ben Hayakawa  
30-Mike Imoto  
3-Maude Ishida  
3-Ralph Ishida  
18-Robert Ishida  
27-William Ishida  
30-Hiroshi Mayeda  
25-Harry Morofuji  
30-Ed Nagata  
7-Stanley Nagata  
28-George Oh  
76-Gene Shimaji  
34-Tom Shimasaki  
29-Jack Sumida  
29-Ethel Y Tashiro  
35-Kenji Tashiro  
5-Yeiki Tashiro  
28-Kay Watanabe  
e27-Doug Yamada  
15-Dr James Yasuda  
30-Hisao Bill Yebisu

## VENTURA COUNTY

9-Bob Fukutomi  
e20-Jane Yamashita  
27-Betty S Yumori  
18-Dr Stanley I Kimura  
4-Dr Gilbert S Onaka  
5-Shigeru Yabu  
9-Akira Yatabe

## WASATCH FRONT NO

27-Toyose T Kato  
31-Minoru Miya  
32-Ken Uchida  
31-Tomio Yamada

## WASHINGTON, DC

1-Sharon N Foster  
5-Yuka Fujikura  
4-Albert Fukuda  
20-Ben Fukutome  
34-Sally Furukawa  
1-George Tim Gojo  
1-Terry E Greenwood  
1-Richard K Hayasaka  
e25-Thelma Higuchi  
17-Joseph M Hirata  
15-Toro Hirose

22-Joseph Ichiji  
1-Kris H Ikejiri  
5-Ronald K Ikejiri  
4-Fumi Iki  
30-Robert S Iki  
e21-Sen Daniel K Inouye  
5-Yoichiro Ito  
e28-Dr Toru Iura  
25-Akiko Iwata  
16-Emi Kamachi  
16-Ben F Kitashima  
13-Wm H Mo Marumoto  
30-Etsu Masaoka  
38-Mike Masaoka  
13-Col Glenn K Matsumoto  
22-Spark M Matsunaga  
6-May Y Mineta  
4-Ona May Miyamoto  
5-Diane H Moriguchi  
5-Henry K Murakami  
22-Dr Raymond S Murakami  
7-Michio Nakajima  
1-Mays A Nakashima  
Life-Kenji Nogaki  
31-George I Obata  
32-Lily Okura  
34-K Patrick Okura  
4-Hajime Ota  
8-Dr Richard Otagaki  
15-Dr Patricia K Roberts  
31-Hisako Sakata  
7-Floyd J Sandlin  
Life-Frank Sato  
Life-June N Sato  
C/Life-Dr Herbert Z  
Shiroma  
17-Shigeki Sugiyama  
7-Toku M Sugiyama  
23-Mike Suzuki  
35-Harry I Takagi  
19-Cherry Y Tsutsumida  
8-Seiko Wakabayashi  
7-Kenneth K Yamamoto  
8-Takeshi Yoshihara  
32-John Y Yoshino  
Life-Mary Louise Yoshino

## WEST VALLEY

29-Jane Habara  
16-George M Ichien  
Life-Haruo Ishimaru  
Yoshiko Ishimaru  
5-Kayo Kikuchi  
19-Rod Kobara  
27-Eugene Y Kono  
9-C Ken Miura, MD  
5-David F Muraoka  
5-David Nakamura  
Life-Sally Nakashima  
Life-S Stephen Nakashima  
19-Joe Nishimura  
11-Harold N Sakai  
1-James Y Sakamoto  
24-Ko S Sameshima  
18-Dr Seiji Shiba  
18-John Sumida  
3-Shiro Takei  
16-Judge Taketsugu Takei  
17-Dr Raymond Uchiyama

## WATSONVILLE

1-Frank E Osmer  
5-H Frank Sakata  
19-Kenzo Yoshida

## WEST LOS ANGELES

27-David Akashi  
22-Mary Akashi  
21-Grace K Deguchi  
4-Grace Fujimoto  
4-Dr M Jack Fujimoto  
10-Harry Fujino  
29-Dr Toru Iura  
e27-Karl Sakuo Iwasaki  
15-Kenneth S Kagiwada  
13-Masamune Kojima  
e20-Toshiko Komai

14-Dr Kenneth K  
Matsumoto  
Life-Saburo Misumi  
19-Mas Miyakoda  
11-Jun Miyoshi  
30-Ben M Nishimoto  
e29-Jim M Nishimoto  
e23-Dr Akira Nishizawa  
23-Jack S Nomura  
28-Akira Ohno  
30-George A Okamoto  
Life-Katsumi Okuno  
31-Jack Kiyoshi Ota  
14-Dr George M Sakai  
17-Dr Joseph T Seto  
Life-Dr Kiyoshi Sonoda  
Life-Mitsuo Sonoda  
33-Togo W Tanaka  
5-Kiyoko Tatsui  
16-John Y Toshiyuki  
13-Elmer M Uchida  
29-Joe Ueda  
5-Dr Joe Yamamoto  
2-Maria Yamamoto

## WHITE RIVER VALLEY

29-George Kawasaki  
1-Michi Maebori  
e21-William T Maebori  
6-Dr Karl K Nishimura  
15-Koji Norikane  
11-Margaret Okitsu  
WILSHIRE  
37-Dr Roy M Nishikawa  
e26-Fred K Oshima  
3-Fred K Ota  
C/Life-Mabel T Ota  
15-George Takei  
32-Tatsuo Tut Yata

## NATIONAL

32-Mats Ando  
5-Chevron USA Inc  
e26-Fred K Oshima  
e20-Walter N Fuchigami  
11-H Jim Fukumoto  
21-Henry Goshio  
25-Kimiko Inatomi  
8-Frank Iritani  
11-Harold Iseke  
15-Brian R Kashiwagi  
Life-Dr Masashi  
Kawasaki  
25-Lloyd K Kumataka  
5-Loyola Marymount  
University  
31-Charlie S Matsubara  
9-Mary Matsubara  
9-Monterey Park Travel  
2-Masi Nihei  
5-James T Omai  
8-Helene H Saeda  
Life-George Sahara  
10-Edgar Y Sekiguchi  
7-Roy T Shimizu  
5-Dennis R Sugino  
6-Lincoln T Taira  
13-Mike Torii  
10-Herbert T Ueda

## Donations to Pacific Citizen

## For Typesetting Fund

As of Jan. 7, 1986: \$32,668.82 (794)

This week's total: \$ 91.00 ( 4)

Last week's total: \$32,577.82 (790)

\$16 from: Naomi/Emiko

Kashiwabara.

\$25 from: Young O. Kim, Mickey/

Teiko Kuroiwa, Henry Saito.

Commercial & Industrial  
Air Conditioning and  
Refrigeration  
CONTRACTOR

Glen T. Umemoto

Lic. #441272 C38-20

SAM REIBOW CO.

1506 W. Vernon Ave.

Los Angeles/295-5204

SINCE 1939

ESTABLISHED 1936

NISEI

TRADING

Appliances - TV - Furniture

249 S. San Pedro St.

Los Angeles 90012

(213) 624-6601



Kimura

PHOTOMART

Cameras & Photographic Supplies

316 E. 2nd St., Los Angeles

(213) 622-3968

ED SATO  
PLUMBING & HEATING

Remodel and Repairs  
Water Heaters, Furnaces  
Garbage Disposals

Serving Los Angeles

(213) 293-7000 - 733-0557

Complete  
Home Furnishings

Koby's Appliances

15120 S. Western Ave.

Gardena, CA

324-6444 321-2123



Japanese Phototypesetting

TOYO PRINTING CO.

309 So. San Pedro St. Los Angeles 90013

(213) 626-8153



Empire Printing Co.

COMMERCIAL AND SOCIAL PRINTING

English and Japanese

114 Weller St., Los Angeles, CA 90012

(213) 628-7060

## IT'S NEW!

CALIFORNIA FIRST BANK'S

ULTIMATE BANKING.

A better way to do your

banking.



\* Round-the-clock CONTROL

of your account through CALL 1ST.

\* Round-the-clock ACCESS to your money through 120

Ultimate Banking™ ATMs.

\* SIMPLE recordkeeping with check safekeeping.

\* MORE CONVENIENT access through more than 1000

Star System teller machines through California and other

states.

Stop by your nearest California

First Bank office and ask

details of Ultimate Banking™.

CALIFORNIA FIRST BANK

Member FDIC

© California First Bank, 1985

# ASIANS

## In Southern California

Asian Week will publish a special, comprehensive edition about the Asian Pacific American communities of the Los Angeles area in February 1986. This special edition will take an in-depth look inside each of the Asian Pacific ethnic groups — at their population totals and demographics, the neighborhoods and towns in which they live, at their histories and their aspirations for the future, and at the problems and issues that concern them today.

This will be the most complete guide to the Asian American communities of Southern California ever published.

For information about the special edition or to inquire about advertising, contact Asian Week at either of the two addresses listed below:

Asian Week  
Southern California Bureau  
7876 Berner St.  
Long Beach, CA 90808  
(213) 598-3782

Asian Week  
809 Sacramento St.  
San Francisco, CA 94108  
(415) 397-0220

## Be a 'PC' Ad Watcher



THE ORIGINAL BRONZE

J.A. KAMON

(Japanese American Family Crest)

Learn Interesting Facts

on Your Surname!

80% of Japanese surnames have originally been derived from CHIMEI (place names); the rest, from profession, rank titles, etc. If you'd like to learn a few interesting facts concerning your surname (such as its category of origins, variant kanji writings, etc.), please send us your surname in kanji, along with \$7.00. We will send you the above plus other info useful to family history research. In all our research, we utilize the vast collection of references owned by Kei Yoshida who first, in 1972, introduced the Kamon (Family Crest) to the Japanese American community.

Yoshida Kamon Art, 312 E. 1st St., Suite 205

Los Angeles, CA 90012; (213) 629-2848 / 755-9429

Kei Yoshida, Researcher/Artist NINA YOSHIDA, Translator



# Insurance

George Yamate, an agent in American National Insurance Co.'s Los Angeles agency, marked his 40th anniversary with the company Sept. 1. He has qualified for the company's President's Club 28 times, received the National Quality Award 35 times, and was named President's Club regional quality v.p. 11 times.

# Books

Melvin Yazawa, Univ. of New Mexico history instructor, is author of *From Colonies to Commonwealth: Familial Ideology and the Beginnings of the American Republic*, a study of ideological change during the American Revolution. He is also editor of *Representative Government and the Revolution: The Maryland Constitutional Crisis of 1787*. Both are from Johns Hopkins Univ. Press.

**Wesley UMW Cookbook**  
18th Printing, Revised  
Oriental and Favorite Recipes  
Donation \$6, Handling \$1  
**Wesley United Methodist Women**  
566 N. 5th St.  
San Jose, CA 95112

**MIKAWAYA SWEET SHOPS**  
244 E. 1st St., Los Angeles  
(213) 628-4935  
118 Japanese Village Plaza  
L.A. (213) 624-1681  
**LITTLE TOKYO SQUARE**  
333 So. Alameda St., L.A.  
(213) 613-0611  
Pacific Square, Gardena  
1630 Redondo Beach Bl  
(213) 538-9389

**Los Angeles Japanese Casualty Insurance Assn.**  
COMPLETE INSURANCE PROTECTION  
**Aihara Insurance Agency, Inc.**  
250 E. 1st St., Los Angeles 90012  
Suite 900 626-9625  
**Anson T. Fujioka Insurance**  
321 E. 2nd St., Los Angeles 90012  
Suite 500 626-4393  
**Funakoshi Ins. Agency, Inc.**  
200 S. San Pedro, Los Angeles 90012  
Suite 300 626-5275

**Inouye Insurance Agency**  
15029 Sylvanwood Ave.  
Norwalk, CA 90650 864-5774

**Itano & Kagawa, Inc.**  
321 E. 2nd St., Los Angeles 90012  
Suite 301 624-0758

**Ito Insurance Agency, Inc.**  
1245 E. Walnut, #112, Pasadena 91106  
(818) 795-7059, (213) 681-4411 L.A.

**Kamiya Ins. Agency, Inc.**  
327 E. 2nd St., Los Angeles 90012  
Suite 224 626-8135

**Maeda & Mizuno Ins. Agency**  
18902 Brookhurst St., Fountain Valley  
CA 92708 (714) 964-7227

**The J. Morey Company**  
11080 Artesia Bl., Suite F, Cerritos, CA  
90701, (213) 924-3494, (714) 952-2154

**Steve Nakaji Insurance**  
11964 Washington Pl.  
Los Angeles 90066 391-5931

**Ogino-Aizumi Ins. Agency**  
109 N. Huntington, Mont'g Park 91754  
(818) 571-6911, (213) 283-1233 L.A.

**Ota Insurance Agency**  
312 E. 1st St., Suite 305  
Los Angeles 90012 617-2057

**T. Roy Nami & Associates**  
**Quality Ins. Services, Inc.**  
3255 Wilshire Blvd., Suite 630  
Los Angeles 90010 382-2255

**Sato Insurance Agency**  
366 E. 1st St., Los Angeles 90012  
626-5861 629-1425

**Tsuneishi Ins. Agency, Inc.**  
327 E. 2nd St., Los Angeles 90012  
Suite 221 628-1365

**AHT Insurance Assoc., Inc.**  
dba: Wada Asato Associates, Inc.  
16500 S. Western Ave., #200,  
Gardena, CA 90247 (213) 516-0110

# Medicare Supplement Insurance

MEN and WOMEN—Ages 64 and Over

- Helps pay your MEDICAL EXPENSES IN EXCESS OF THE AMOUNT APPROVED BY MEDICARE.
- Offered by an A+ Excellent Company (United American Insurance Co., MAXC)
- GUARANTEED RENEWABLE for life, subject to company's right to change rates.
- Pays your Medicare initial hospital deductible, and co-insurance beginning the 61st day.
- Pays for your private room costs.
- Pays for blood charges.
- PAYS 100% OF YOUR HOSPITAL EXPENSE AFTER MEDICARE RUNS OUT.
- You choose your own doctor and hospital.
- Current monthly premium is \$63 for all ages.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, CALL OR WRITE

SEICHI (SAGE) SUGINO  
Sugino Insurance Agency

18321 S. Western Ave., Suite F, Gardena, CA 90248  
L.A. Phone: (213) 770-4473  
Gardena Phone: (213) 538-5808 / 329-8542

'PC' Advertisers Appreciate You

# JACL Chapter-Sponsored Group Medical Insurance

Endorsed by

Pacific Southwest District JACL

CHAPTER SPONSORED INSURANCE BROKERS  
LOS ANGELES (213)

Masaru Kagawa 624-0758 Saburo Shimada 820-4638  
Kamiya Ins. Agcy. 626-8135 Paul Tsuneishi 628-1365  
Art Nishisaka 321-4779 Yamato Ins. Sv. 624-9516

ORANGE COUNTY (714)

Ken Ige 943-3354 James Seippel 527-5947  
Maeda-Mizuno Ins. 964-7227 Ken Uyesugi 540-3770  
Agcy.

EAST LOS ANGELES / MONTEREY PARK (213)

Takuo Endo 265-0724 Robert Oshita 283-0337  
Ogino-Aizumi Ins. 571-6911 George Yamate 386-1600  
Agcy. or 283-1233

GARDENA VALLEY (213)

Jeff K. Ogata 329-8542 Seichi Sugino 538-5808  
Stuart Tsujimoto 772-6529 George J. Ono 324-4811

WEST LOS ANGELES (213)

Arnold Maeda, CLU 398-5157 Steve Nakaji 391-5931

DOWNEY: Ken Uyetake (213) 773-2863  
SAN DIEGO: Ben Honda (619) 277-8082  
SAN FERNANDO VLY: Hiroshi Shimizu, CLU (213) 363-2458

Open to anyone, citizen or non-citizen,  
who becomes a member of the JACL

# MIDAS OPERANDI

Invest in Dollars and Have It  
Working for You in Yen ...  
With Liquidation in Dollars.

Hedge Against Inflation  
by Realizing More than  
20% NET per Annum

Minimum Investment: \$15,000

—DETAILS UPON REQUEST—

Dyke Nakamura, Foreign Department

Yamakichi Securities Co., Ltd.  
7 Nihonbashi, Kabutocho, 1-chome  
Chuo-ku, Tokyo, Japan 103

Cable: YAMASECURE, TOKYO  
Telephone: (03) 667-7947

TOKYO \$612 HAWAII \$547 HONOLULU \$709  
OSAKA \$580 FUKUOKA \$500 OSAKA \$580  
Hong Kong - Tokyo - Honolulu \$709  
Japan Rail Pass \$120 -  
Hotel/Ryokan Reservation \$25 - per night  
Check Out Lowest Fares!  
(415) 653-0990  
COMMUNITY TRAVEL SERVICE  
8337 COLLEGE AVE. OAKLAND, CA 94618

# HONG KONG HOLIDAY

8 days / Free stop in HONOLULU \$969.00

- Round trip economy fare to/from Los Angeles or San Francisco.
- First Class Hotel.
- Transfer between Airport and Hotel.
- Half day sightseeing.
- Daily American Breakfast.

HONG KONG & TOKYO  
(10 days)  
\$1199.00

BEST WAY HOLIDAY  
TEL: (213) 484-1030



1986  
KOKUSAI TOURS

# SPRING JAPAN ODYSSEY

Apr 1-14 Days, Most meals - \$2195  
Tokyo, Nikko, Takayama, Kyoto, Inland Sea,  
Shodo Island, Hiroshima, Tsuwano, Beppu and  
Ibusuki Hot Springs, Kumamoto & Fukuoka

# SOUTH AMERICA TOUR

Apr 30-14 Days, Most meals - \$2395  
Rio de Janeiro, Sao Paulo, Iguassu Falls,  
Buenos Aires & Lima.

SUMMER SPECIAL HONG KONG & JAPAN  
Jun 27-15 Days - Most meals - \$2095  
Hong Kong, Tokyo, Nikko, Takayama, Inland Sea,  
Shodo Island, Hiroshima, Tsuwano & Kyoto

# AND MORE

JUL 26 - Vancouver World EXPO & Canadian Rockies  
AUG 18 - JASTA's European Vistas II  
SEP 19 - New England & Canada - Fall Foliage  
SEP 25 - Tohoku & Hokkaido - Fall Foliage  
OCT 2 - Hong Kong, Okinawa, Kyushu & Shikoku  
OCT 18 - Uranihon: The Otherside of Japan  
NOV 4 - Fall Japan Odyssey - Fall Foliage  
NOV 17 - Orient Odyssey (Seoul, Singapore, Bali,  
Bangkok, Hong Kong - Japan option)

# 1987 SPECIAL

# NISEI VETS SUPER TOUR

Taipei, Seoul, Tohoku & Hokkaido  
Sep 23-17 Days, Most meals - \$2095

Kokusai International Travel  
400 E. 2nd St., Los Angeles, CA 90012  
(213) 626-5284 Telex: 691364

# SHORT & SMALL MEN'S APPAREL

WE OFFER THE PROFESSIONAL MAN  
A COMPLETE BUSINESS WARDROBE.

CARRYING OVER 500 SUITS, SPORT  
COATS AND OVERCOATS BY GIVENCHY,  
LANVIN, VALENTINO, ST. RAPHAEL &  
LONDON FOG IN SIZES 34-42 SHORT &  
EXTRA SHORT. OUR ACCESSORIES  
INCLUDE DRESS SHIRTS, SLACKS, AND  
TIES IN SHORT & SMALL SIZES / LENGTHS.  
IN ADDITION, WE RECENTLY EXPANDED  
TO INCLUDE AN ITALIAN DRESS SHOE  
LINE IN SIZES 5-7 1/2.

785 W. HAMILTON AVENUE  
CAMPBELL, CALIFORNIA 95008  
PHONE: 408/374-1466  
M-F: 12-8:30, SAT: 10-6, SUN: 12-5



OWNER: KEN UYEDA

**KEN & COMPANY**



Endorsed by the National JACL  
JAPANESE AMERICAN  
TRAVEL CLUB INC.

250 E. 1st, Los Angeles, CA 90012, (213) 624-1543

Toll Free: (800) 421-0212 outside Calif. Office Hours:  
(800) 328-6471 in CA M-W-F-9-4:30; Sat 9-2

The 1986 Programs		Dep fr LAX/twin
4 Days: Baja Fishing-Los Cabos, until Apr 30	Daily	\$ 279
4 Days: Baja Fishing-Loreto, until Apr 30	Daily	245
8 Days: Waikiki Holidays	Tu, Wed	299
8 Days: Ski-Banff/Canada	Sat	584
7 Days: Mexican Riviera Cruise	Sat	962
7 Days: Caribbean Fly/Cruise	Jun. 28	1,100
7 Days: Alaska Cruise	Aug. 1	1,290
7 Days: Hong Kong Bargain	Mo-Thu	899
11 Days: Golden Tours-Japan	Fri	2,120
14 Days: New Guinea-Hong Kong	Oct 11	2,899
15 Days: Around South America	Nov. 8	2,154
15 Days: New Zealand-Australia	Sat-peak	2,828
15 Days: Japan and Hong Kong	Sat	2,426
15 Days: Orient & China	Fri	2,709
16 Days: Japan/Bangkok/Singapore/ Hong Kong	Sat	2,756
16 Days: Garden Tours of Japan	Oct 23	3,137
18 Days: Tahiti, New Zland, Australia Outback	Fri-peak	3,304
4 Days: Fishing Canada/rivers/inlet fr Vanc	Fri/Jun-Sep	1,095 *
5 Days: Expo '86 daily fr Vancouver	fr May 2	269 *
8 Day: Seattle/Victoria/Vancouver Expo '86 fr Seattle	July 26	740 *
7 Days: Canadian Rockies Spring Tour fr Calgary	Odd dates in May, Even dates in June	\$699 *
7 Days: Niagara Falls & Ontario, Canada fr New York	May 15, July 10, Oct 3	655 *
21 Days: Grand Europe from London	Sept 14	1,138 *

SEE YOUR JATC PARTICIPATING TRAVEL AGENT:

Debi Agawa CTC (805) 828-9444, Santa Maria, CA  
Ben Honda (619) 278-4572, San Diego, CA  
Nori Masuda (209) 268-6683, Fresno, CA  
Dil Miyasaki (213) 374-9621, Redondo Beach, CA  
Gordon Kobayashi (408) 724-3709, Watsonville, CA  
Victor Kawasaki (206) 242-8000, Seattle, WA

# Our 1986 Escorted Tours

Exceptional Features—Quality Value Tours

Japan Spring Adventure April 8  
China (Beijing-Xian-Guillin-  
Shanghai-HongKong) May 8  
Grand Europe (17 days) May 25  
Canadian Rockies-Victoria-Expo  
Vancouver (9 days) June 19  
Japan Summer Adventure July 5  
Hokkaido-Tohoku Adventure Sept. 27  
East Coast/Foliage (10 days) Oct. 6  
Japan Autumn Adventure Oct. 13  
New Zealand-Australia Oct. 31



For full information/brochure

TANAKA TRAVEL SERVICE

441 O'Farrell St. (415) 474-3900  
San Francisco, CA 94102

Going Places? Watch  
the 'PC' Travel Ads!

# TRAVEL TECH INTERNATIONAL, INC.

333 Cobalt Way, Suite 101, Sunnyvale, CA 94086

# FULLY ESCORTED TOURS

Departure Date

Latin America (14 days) May 15, 1986  
Escorted by Ron Wakabayashi  
European Adventure May 18, 1986  
17 days—Visiting Seven Countries  
Trans-Panama Cruise June 16, 1986  
14-16 days—7 / 11 Cities  
Imperial Japan (11-16 days) Oct. 12, 1986  
7 / 11 Cities

Call: Group Dept. (408) 737-7500

# Special Holiday in Japan ANYWHERE, ANY TIME — 9 DAYS

Features: (1) Air Fare, (2) 7-Nights Top  
Value Hotel throughout Japan, including all  
taxes & service charge, (3) Unlimited Train  
Pass (includes Express Train, Shin-Kansen).

# SPECIAL PRICE

From: Los Angeles, San Francisco \$ 898.00  
and special rate from any U.S. city is available.

The prices shown above are per person  
based on double occupancy.

**Japan Holiday Tour**  
(213) 484-6422



## FUJITA

Continued from Front Page

sides in November, hearing officer Mark Burstein concluded that there was no evidence of discrimination against women.

Fujita expressed surprise that such a finding was reached "in spite of the numbers... the evidence was all there."

She was equally shocked by Burstein's proposed remedy—to have Kamikawa, Fujita's current supervisor, revise her score on the disputed Appraisal of Promotability. Since she and Kamikawa applied for the same job at the same time, Fujita said, it

would be in his own best interest to give her a lower score than the one he received.

"I have never heard of a more inappropriate remedy," she said.

The finding was accepted by civil service commissioners N. Keith Abbott, Ernest Goodman, George Nojima, Tom Salata and Cecilia Sandoval. All but Sandoval accepted the proposed remedy as well.

Although the commission gave Fujita a favorable ruling in a 1980 discrimination case, she alleges that the county "never corrected the discrimination problem by establishing affirmative action goals and timetables. Af-

ter my first case, I have to return to the Civil Service Commission to re-prove discrimination."

The L.A. County Commission for Women made the same charges when it protested the ruling and remedy in a Dec. 11 letter to Supervisor Ed Edelman.

Fujita told the Pacific Citizen that the commission will not make a final recommendation until it has considered the objections filed by her attorneys this month. If the final result is negative, she may seek other avenues, such as Superior Court or the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission.

## 1000 Club Roll

(Year of Membership Shown)	
* Century; ** Corporate; L Life;	
M Memorial; C/L Century Life	
Summary (Since Dec 1, 1984)	
Active (previous total) .....	2,144
Total this report: #49 .....	35
Current total .....	2,179
DEC 13-31, 1985 (35)	
Alameda—26-Hi Akagi, 21-Betty Akagi.	
Arkansas Valley—5-5 Henry Konishi*	
Chicago—30-1-H Earle Hori*, 22-Hiroshi	
Miyake, 13-Emmett Shintani, 3-Yoneko	
Shintani.	
Downtown L.A.—23-Hanako Nitake.	
Eden Township—16-Art Mitsutome.	
Gardena Valley—5-Jim Mita.	
Marina—11-Alan F Kumamoto, 5-Kiichi J	
Namba.	
Mid-Hi—25-John T Noguchi.	
New York—25-Yoshi Imai, 33-5 Mrs Mae	
Hirata*, 33-Yaye Togasaki Breitenbach.	
Oakland—10-9 Kuni Yoshioka*.	

Omaha—11-Albert W Noble, 21-Harry G	
Watanabe, 19-Fern Watanabe, 38-5-Rob-	
ert Nakadoi*, 35-Em Nakadoi.	
Orange County—8-Tsutomu Ben Takenaga.	
St Louis—23-4-Joseph K Tanaka*.	
Sacramento—26-George S Oki*, 14-Dr H S	
Masaki, 25-Frank M Daikai.	
Salinas Valley—30-Frank K Hibino.	
San Francisco—12-Bob Kojimoto, 18-Dr	
Lawrence T Nakamura.	
Snake River—28-Jack Ogami.	
San Fernando Valley—31-Isamu Ueyehara.	
Wasatch Front North—32-1-Ken Uchida*	
Washington DC—13-Wm Mo Marumoto*.	
West Los Angeles—19-Mas Miyokoda.	
CENTURY CLUB*	
5-Mrs Mae Hirata (NY); 1-H Earle Hori	
(Chi); 5-Henry Konishi (Ark); 12-Wm	
"Mo" Marumoto (WDC); 5-Robert B Na-	
kadoi (Oma); 13-George S Oki (Sac);	
4-Joseph K Tanaka (StL); 1-Ken Uchida	
(WFn); 9-Kuni Yoshioka (Oak).	

## Chikara Mochi

A Short Story

by Manzen

Plip..plup..plop. Plip..plup..plop. Plip..plup..plop. The staccato of the *mochitsuki* sticks reverberated in the halls vibrantly, joyfully, matching the enthusiasm and the gaiety of the people within. And the hot, white rice in the *usu* jumped with visible vapors of joy, ecstatically, gleefully anticipating its transformation.

It was electric.

The good, clean smell of cooked rice was everywhere filling every nook, and the smell and the sounds mingled and blended into a Oneness that was pure joy.

The hearty beat of the Japanese music laughed gaily and prompted a merrier beat. And immediately the animate hammers quickened its tempo. In rhythm, nearby, the feminine hands of the molders brought in a searching melody, soft and rhythmic; their deft hands rolling the white life tenderly, lovingly, transforming them into a new form, a new life. The gleaming white rows of rolled mochi counted the measures distinctly, beaming happily. And the white steam from the steam oven cooking the rice rose in a crescendo of clouds heralding each new birth.

The hall was alive. And Tak Arai, tending the steam oven, watched enthralled. He felt the life of the hammers and the joys of the rice. He felt the loving caresses of the women as they tended their wards. And the music and the rapture danced in him, making his feet come alive...making them tap on the wet cement floor. He was alive, alive with the life that was life. He opened his arms and it embraced him, and he would not let it go. He could not let it go.

Tak Arai was not a young man. But then again, he was not an old man neither. He just felt old. He had spent most of his life here. He could not imagine his life without a church. It was a part of him, and he a part of it. To him, it was an expression of life. And he lived it generously. But then he was always that way...in whatever he felt deeply. Watching the scene, he felt a warmth, a satisfaction that comes none too often. And he enjoyed it immensely.

"Hi Tak! How's it going? Boy, sure is a whiz bang, huh?"

"Hi Nobe. Yeah! Have you pounded yet?"

"Oh sure. Catching my breath right now...then I'll give it another go." Nobe laughed for no apparent reason. It revealed his enjoyment. "By the way, thanks for taking care of the steam oven, neh?"

"Oh, that's OK, Nobe. I'm enjoying it. Boy, I think everyone's getting a great big bang out of it. Sure is fun, no lie. Must have been a lot of work putting it together, huh, Nobe?"

"No...not really. Things just fell in. Being the chair-

man's a snap. The way everyone hustled, the darn thing just grew like Topsy. Don't mind being the Chairman again." He laughed again and his eyes sparkled jubilantly.

"Sure have to hand it to you, Nobe, no lie."

"Oh, I don't know. It's not really much compared to all the things you do, Tak. I guess I have to do something. Besides, this is just a one-shot deal. Start in, work on it for a while, and then, boom, it's over. Maybe a month, a month and a half, and it's through. What you do is endless. Year in and year out. Don't see how you do it. I like to help out more, but I'm so darn busy at work I just can't find the time. I can't even get around to all the crummy work around the house. I'd better get to it pretty soon though, or my wife'll really scalp me. Once things quiet down a little, I'll help out more."

"Sure," said Tak.

"But boy, I sure have to hand it to you, no lie," Nobe continued. "You're in everything! Where'd ya find the time?"

"Oh, I don't know. Just find the time, I guess." Tak said it casually, but he, too, wondered. Where did he find the time? And yet, even as the question entered his mind, he knew. "How about you, Nobe, and all this *mochitsuki* bit? Where did you find the time for all this planning and committee work...not to mention all the pegging in and the chasing around for all the stuff you brought?"

Nobe shrugged his shoulders. "Just one of those things, I guess. Things gotta be done. And if you gotta, you gotta."

Tak nodded in agreement, and wondered whether Nobe really understood the deeper aspects, which had to do with his interest and concern. "Yeah, that's true. But why do YOU have to do it?"

"Cuz I'm Chairman, that's why!"

"Yes, but why are you Chairman?" Tak prodded.

"They couldn't get anyone else."

"But why did you take it?"

"Aw, come on now, Tak, you're getting too deep for me. I don't know. Maybe...Whoops, it's my turn to pound again. See you, Tak...and thanks again." With that, Nobe hurried away. As an afterthought, he turned and said, "Anyway, Tak, you're different."

The words struck Tak like a blow. There it was again. "You're different!"

Kats had said this too, and so had Sakai. And both were his closest friends; they each worked and helped with the same interest and energy as Tak.

Was he really different? Different from other people? How could he be! He wasn't different. He couldn't be! He was just the same! The same as anyone else. He was! He was! He filled his mind with these two little words. And made them push out all other thoughts...

Over the many years, Tak had developed a sensitivity to that particular phrase. People had always told him,

"You're different," and though they meant it as a compliment, to him, it was a barrier, a barrier separating him from everyone else. He resented it. He fought it. He argued vehemently against it. Tore at it. Pounded it. Stomped it. And yet, it was always there...immortal, immoral, and ever present.

This sensitivity was not an obsession. It was fundamental, basic. All that he was, all that he could be, was dependent on it: his dreams, his hopes, his faith, even his very life.

Life was noble, fundamentally and essentially. It was the primeval expression of totality, of Oneness, of Faith in itself. And all individual life was but the awareness of this and its subsequent action.

His life was meaningful, even if only to himself. And he lived it, in this awareness, striving to bring this reality into better focus. He could not, would not, do otherwise.

And it was in this awareness that he fought the barriers which threatened to separate him. The reality of this awareness was the mandate which governed his action.

And on the surface his actions were simple. So simple it fogged the structure upon which his actions took place. It was simply this: If people who thought "I have to hand it to you" were truly complimentary and sincere, and looked upon what he did sincerely, why should they not come closer to that which they feel to be right themselves? Why should they separate themselves from that which they feel to be good? To say "You're different" automatically separates one from the other. It is an excuse to not try harder. It sets them apart, automatically, away from their life's stream, away to where it cannot touch them intimately. Why should they divorce themselves, cut themselves adrift, from their own longings?

This was the substance of his sensitivity, tempered in the awareness of totality. This was the essence of his Faith.

\* \* \*

The white steam hissed and the vapors curled into the air, mischievously. Tak Arai rearranged the steaming boxes of rice and looked about the hall. It rang with the joviality of people at One with life. And the music and the beat of the *mochitsuki* sticks echoed as before. He felt a need to belong to them. To be a part of them, intimately, and they a part of him, intimately. He reached out. But the walls loomed dogmatically.

He turned and walked slowly to the storage room. And there in the storage room he wept.

\* \* \*

Oddly enough, the hall was still electric, charged with the jubilation of One people. And the staccato of the *mochitsuki* sticks pounded a distinct tattoo. The sound breached the doors of the storage room and entered... And died in the sprawling figure sobbing there.

**KUBOTA NIKKEI MORTUARY**  
(Formerly Shimatsu, Ogata & Kubota Mortuary)  
911 Venice Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA 90015  
Phone: (213) 749-1449  
Y. Kubota • H. Suzuki • R. Hayamizu  
Serving the Community for Over 30 Years

Four Generations of Experience...  
**FUKUI Mortuary, Inc.**  
707 E. Temple St.  
Los Angeles, CA 90012  
626-0441  
Gerald Fukui, President  
Ruth Fukui, Vice President  
Nobuo Osumi, Counsellor

TOYO Miyatake  
**STUDIO**  
235 W. Fairview St.  
San Gabriel, CA 91776  
(213) 283-5685  
(818) 289-5674

プラザギフトセンター  
NEW MINOLTA MAXUM  
THE FIRST AUTOFOCUS SLR  
**Plaza Gift Center**  
111 JAPANESE VILLAGE PLAZA  
PHONE (213) 680-3288

**PARADISE OKAZU-YA RESTAURANT**  
Specializing in Hawaiian-Oriz Cuisine  
Open Tu-Sat 7am-7pm, Sun 7am-2pm  
1631 W. Carson St., Torrance  
LOMI SALMON 328-5345  
LAULAU POI  
**EAT IN OR TAKE OUT**  
**CLOSED MONDAY ONLY**  
KALUA PIG Quick service from steam table.  
SAIMIN Combination Plate - Very Reasonable Prices  
**OPEN FOR BREAKFAST AT 7 A.M.**  
Our own style Portuguese Sausage mix, Spam, Boloni, Chashu. (With eggs & choice of rice or hash browns.)  
Includes Coffee, Tea or Miso Soup