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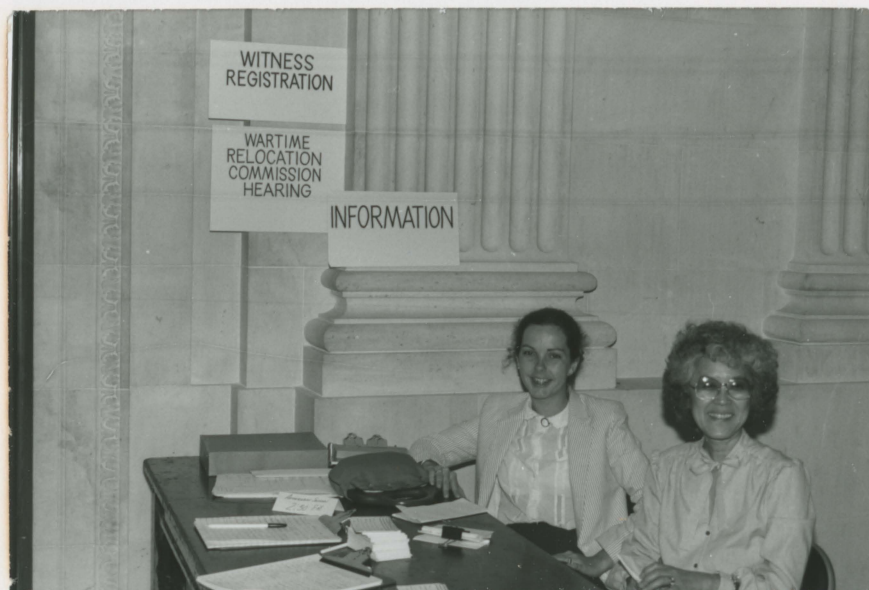
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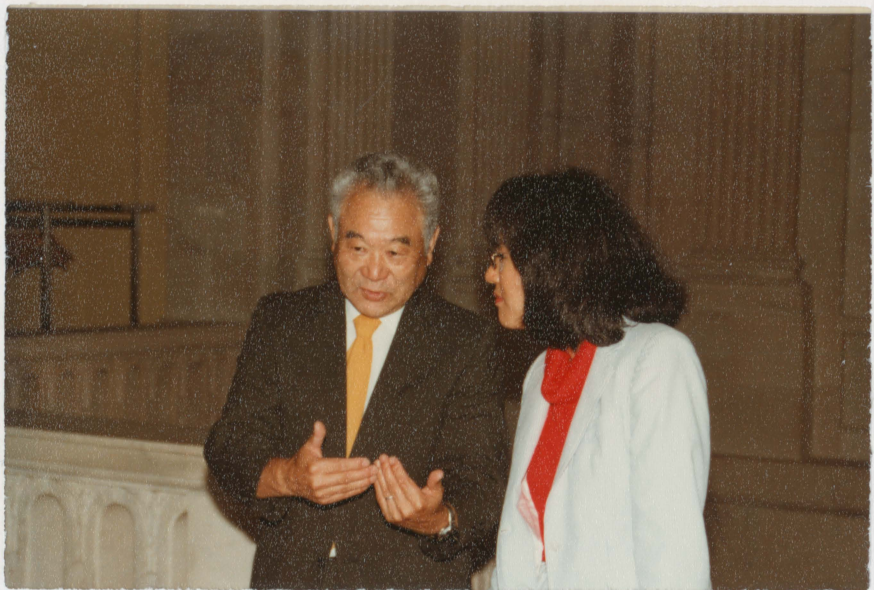


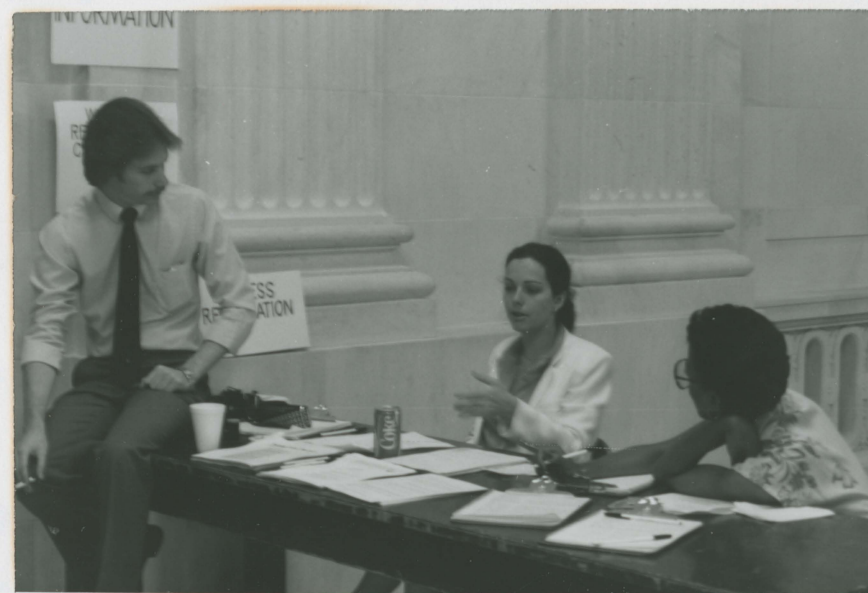
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TUESDAY, JULY 14, 1981

Senate Caucus Room, Russell Building

- 9:00 - 9:15 a.m. Opening statement by Chair, Joan Z. Bernstein
- 9:15 - 9:30 a.m. Opening statement by Vice Chair, Daniel Lungren
- 9:30 - 10:00 a.m. Congressional statements
- Senator Daniel Inouye (Hawaii)
Senator Spark Matsunaga (Hawaii)
Congressman Michael Lowry (Washington)
Congressman Mervyn Dymally (California)
- 10:00 - 11:00 a.m. Department of Justice (1942)
James Rowe, Attorney, Washington, D. C.
formerly Assistant to Attorney General Francis Biddle
- 11:00 - 12:00 a.m. War Relocation Authority (1942)
Leland Barrows, Washington, D. C. (retired)
formerly Assistant Director of Administrative Management
- 12:00 - 12:30 p.m. Department of the Interior (1942)
Abe Fortas, Attorney, Washington, D. C.
formerly Undersecretary to Secretary Harold Ickes
- 1:30 - 2:30 p.m. Department of Justice
Department of the Interior
Department of the Army, Center of Military History
Fred Beck
Department of State
Dr. David F. Trask, Historian
- 2:30 - 3:00 p.m. Hirabayashi v. United States
Gordon Hirabayashi
- 3:00 - 3:15 p.m. Statement by General Mark Clark (USA Ret.), former commander
of the 442nd (Nisei Battalion)
Read by Mr. Orville Shirey

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JESDAY, JULY 14, 1981

3:15 - 3:30 p.m. Statement by Colonel Karl Bendetsen, U.S. Army (Ret.)

3:30 - 4:00 p.m. Mike Masaoka
Consultant, Washington, D. C.
formerly National Secretary and Field Executive of the
Japanese American Citizens League in 1942

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THURSDAY, JULY 16, 1981

Senate Caucus Room, Russell Building

- 9:00 - 9:15 a.m. Opening statements by Chair, Joan Bernstein and
Vice Chair, Daniel Lungren
- 9:15 - 10:15 a.m. Panel of national Japanese American organizations
Japanese American Citizens League
Dr. James Tsujimura, national president, and
Mr. Minoru Yasui, chair of the National Committee
for Redress
National Council for Japanese American Redress
Mr. William Hohri, chairman
National Coalition for Redress/Reparation
Mr. Bert Nakano, spokesperson
- 10:15 - 10:35 a.m. Aleutian/Pribilof Island Association
- 10:35 - 12:00 a.m. Panel of legal organizations
Bay Area Attorneys for Redress
Mr. Dennis Hayashi
California State Bar
Ms. Carole Morita
Asian American Legal Defense and Education Fund
Mr. Stanley Mark
Mr. Arnold Kawano
Asian Pacific American Bar Association
Mr. Ronald Ikejiri
Mr. Floyd Shimomura
Ms. Margaret Chao
- 1:00 - 2:30 p.m. Panel of major national organizations
American Civil Liberties Union
Mr. Edward Ennis, national chairman
American Friends Service Committee
Mr. Louis Schneider, executive secretary
Leadership Conference on Civil Rights
Mr. Ralph Neas, executive director
NAACP Legal Defense and Education Fund
Mr. Jack Greenberg, director-counsel
- 2:30 - 2:50 p.m. Americans for Historical Accuracy
Ms. Lillian Baker
- 2:50 -
Individual statements
Dwight Chuman, editor, Rafu Shimpo, Los Angeles, CA
Mary Yuri Kochiyama, New York
Tom Kometani, Warren, New Jersey
Nobu Miyoshi, Philadelphia, PA
Pat Okura, Washington, D. C.
Paul Sakai, Glen Burnie, MD
Kinzo Yamamoto, Springfield, VA



SEN. TED STEVENS (R-ALASKA)



SEN. "SPARK" MATSUNAGA (D-HAWAII)



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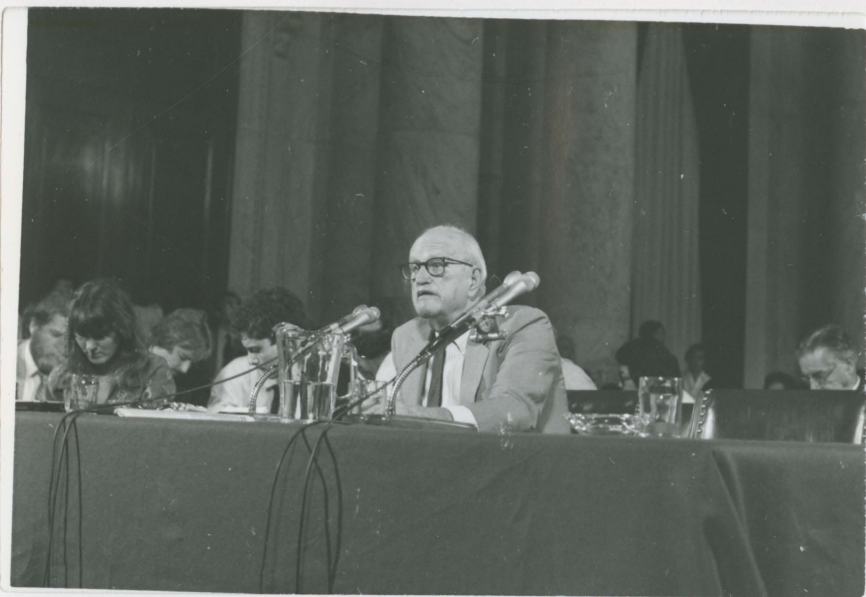


REP. CECIL HEFTEL



REP. MICHAEL E. LOWRY ~ (D. ~ WASH.)





JAMES ROWE ~ ATTY- FORMEDLY- DEPT OF JUSTICE



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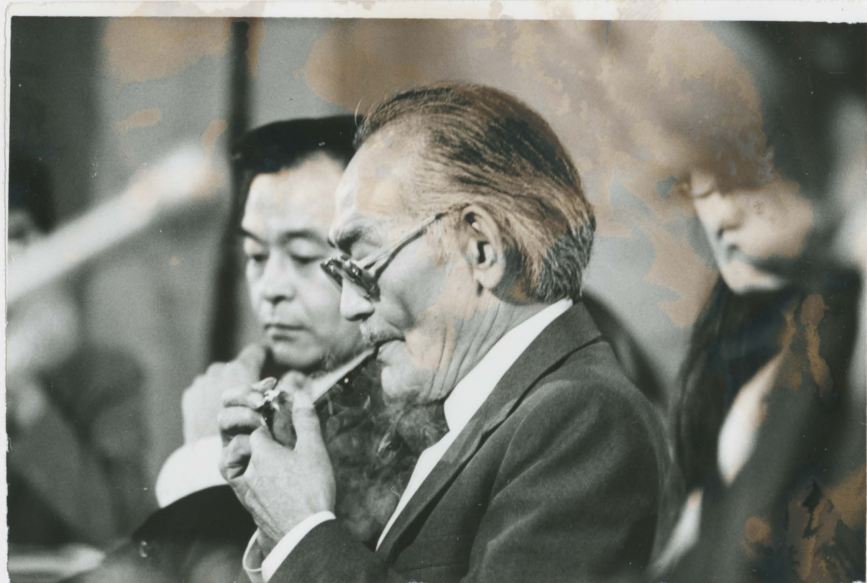


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LORI SUZUKI ~ TAYLOR



JACK GREENBERG ~ NAACP ~ ED NAKAWATASE + LOUIS SCHNEIDER - AMER. FRIENDS SER.



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RON IKEJIRI ~ FLOYD SHIMOMURA ~ MARGARET CHAO



KINZO YAMAMOTO ~ "PAT" KIYOSHI OKURA ~ NOBU MIYOSHI ~ MARY KOCHIYAMA ~ TOM KOMETANI





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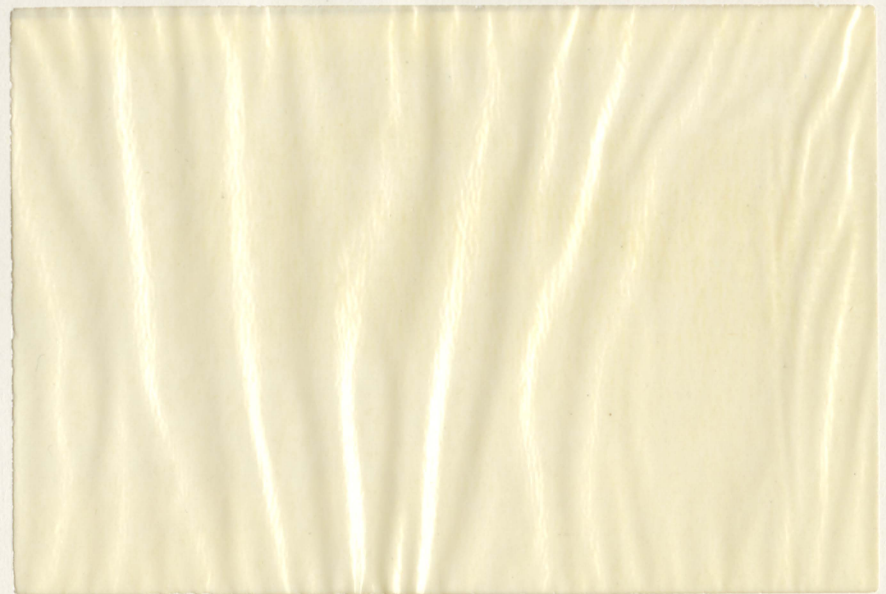
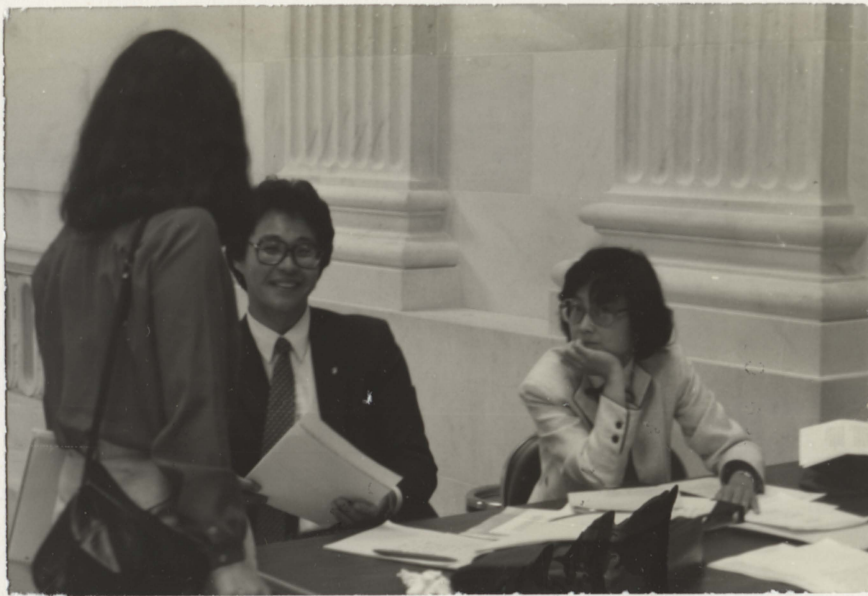




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REVISED AGENDA TUESDAY, AUGUST 4, 1981 9:00 a.m. - 4:20 p.m.

Auditorium (Room 1138)
Los Angeles State Office Building
107 S. Broadway
Los Angeles, California

- 9:00 a.m. CALL TO ORDER
- 9:00 - 10:00 a.m. Opening Statement by Vice Chair
Honorable Daniel Lungren, U. S. Congressman
34th District, California
- Statements by elected officials
Hon. Samuel I. Hayakawa, U.S. Senate,
California
Hon. Edmund D. Edelman, Chairman, Board of
Supervisors, County of Los Angeles
Hon. Michael Antonovich, Board of Supervisors,
County of Los Angeles
Hon. Tom Bradley, Mayor, City of Los Angeles
Hon. Barbara Marumoto, Hawaii State Represen-
tative
Hon. Mas Fukai, Councilman, City of Gardena
- 10:00 - 10:35 a.m. Property/Business Loss
Frank F. Chuman, Esq., Los Angeles
Katsuichi Fujita, Torrance
Enosuke Amemiya, Gardena
(Interpreter: Mrs. Chizu Amemiya)
Clarence Nishizu, Fullerton
Koyuki Kato, Los Angeles
(Interpreter: Shizue Hirata)
- 10:35 - 11:00 a.m. Psychological Impact
Akiyo De Loyd, Torrance
Veronica K. Ohara, Los Angeles
Mary S. Oda, M.D., North Hollywood
Joyce S. Tamai, Orange
- 11:00 - 11:25 a.m. Impact on Health
Mary F. Kurihara, Los Angeles
Mabel T. Ota, Los Angeles
Kim Abe Webster, Morovia

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11:25 - 11:50 a.m.	<u>Impact of Search and Seizure</u> Ben Kawahata, Monterey Park Amy I. Mass, Hacienda Heights Katsuyo Oekawa, Los Angeles Sally Kirita Tsuneishi, San Gabriel
11:50 - 12:10 p.m.	<u>Voluntary Relocation - Problems Encountered</u> Miyeko Matsunaga, Torrance Alfred K. Nabeta, Huntington Beach Henry S. Yamaga, La Habra
12:10 - 1:15 p.m.	(Break)
1:15 - 1:35 p.m.	<u>Multimedia presentation</u> , Dr. Roy Nishikawa, JACL/Wilshire Chapter
1:35 - 2:20 p.m.	<u>County/Regional Organizations</u> Dr. Robert O'Brien, American Friends Service Committee Harry Kawahara, JACL/Pacific Southwest District, Chairman, Redress Committee Morris Kight, Human Relations Commission, County of Los Angeles
2:20 - 2:35 p.m.	<u>Impact on Education</u> Hannah Takagi Holmes, Los Angeles (Interpreter: Jeff Lerner) Raymond W. Wiedman, San Pedro
2:35 - 3:10 p.m.	<u>Impact on Japanese Americans and Community</u> Roy Nakano, Gardena Committee for Redress/Reparations Alan T. Nishio, Little Tokyo Peoples' Rights Organization Mike Murase, Little Tokyo Service Center
3:10 - 3:35 p.m.	<u>Multiple Impact</u> Elizabeth Nishikawa, Los Angeles Irma B. Roth, Rosemead William M. Shigeta, Los Angeles George Takei, Los Angeles
3:35 - 3:55 p.m.	<u>Impact of Discrimination</u> Ken Hayashi, Los Angeles Albert Kurihara, Los Angeles Katsumi Yagura, Harbor City
3:55 - 4:20 p.m.	<u>Economic Impact</u> Harry Okazaki, Los Angeles Henry Sakai, Long Beach Tom Watanabe, M.D., Los Angeles Joe C. Yamamoto, Gardena

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AGENDA WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 5, 1981 1:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Auditorium (Room 1138)
Los Angeles State Office Building
107 S. Broadway
Los Angeles, California

1:00 p.m.

CALL TO ORDER

1:00 - 2:00 p.m.
PANEL 1:

Japanese American Veterans
Hiroshi Miyamura, Medal of Honor Winner/442
James Kawaminami, Pres., 100th/442nd. Veterans
Association of Southern California
Thomas Kinaga, Palos Verdes Estates/442
Yoshio Nakamura, Whittier
Paul K. Oda, Los Angeles/442

PANEL 2:

Jun Fukushima, Cerritos/MILS
Bruce T. Kaji, Gardena/MILS
Makota P. Sagawa, West Covina/MILS
Mitsuo Usui, Northridge/MILS
Bill Horimoto, Los Angeles

2:00 - 2:45 p.m.

Japanese-speaking Witnesses
Reverend Bunyu Fujimura, Culver City
Yukimi Kurisu, Los Angeles
Manjiu Nakamura, Los Angeles
Tsuye Nozawa, Gardena

2:45 - 3:15 p.m.

Multiple Impact
Dr. Yoshihiko F. Fujikawa, Seal Beach
Bill I. Nakagawa, Gardena
Mitsuru Sasahara, Los Angeles
Sumiko S. Seki, Long Beach
Makoto Tsuneishi, San Gabriel
Ewan Yoshida, Long Beach

3:15 - 4:00 p.m.

Community Organizations
Dr. Tohru D. Matsuo, Agape Fellowship,
Los Angeles
Beth Shironaka & Panel, San Diego
Redress/Reparations Committee
June Kizu, Southern California Chapter, NCRR
Sue Kunitomi Embrey, The Manzanar Committee

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4:00 - 4:45 p.m.
PANEL 1:

San Diego Area Witnesses
Economic and/or Psychological Impact
Masato Asakawa, San Diego
Masaaki Hironaka, San Diego
Akira Horiuchi, Oceanside
Harry Kawamoto, San Diego, Veteran

PANEL 2:

Multiple Impact
Elsie Hashimoto, San Diego
Dr. Harry Hashimoto, San Diego
Francis L. Honda, San Diego
Elizabeth Horiuchi, Oceanside

4:45 - 5:10 p.m.

Multiple Impact
David Imahara, Los Angeles
Kiku Munemori, Glendale
Miyo Senzaki, Altadena
Tom Tanabe, Gardena

5:10 - 7:00 p.m.

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7:00 - 7:30 p.m.

Impact on Japanese Americans
Warren T. Furutani, Los Angeles
Gilbert Sanchez, Frente de Los Pueblos Unidos
Elsie Meyers, United Teachers of Los Angeles

7:30 - 8:00 p.m.

Multiple Impact
Charles O. Hamasaki, Los Angeles
Dr. Ben Hara, Covina
Mark T. Masaoka, Los Angeles
Marjorie Matsushita, Santa Monica
Yoshiko Shido, Gardena

8:00 - 8:20 p.m.

Medical/Dental Problems
Alice K. Nehira, Camarillo
Dr. James M. Goto, Los Angeles
Dr. Kiyoshi Sonoda, Los Angeles

8:20 - 8:50 p.m.

Economic and/or Psychological Impact
Larry Boss, Asian American Studies Center,
California State University, Long Beach
Mary Ishizuka, Santa Monica
Anne S. Matsuda, Sepulveda
Jim H. Matsuda, Monterey Park
Iwao Watanabe, La Puente

8:50 - 9:15 p.m.

Search, Seizure, and Mistreatment
Noboru Nakamoto, Temple City
Kathryn Y. Nishimoto, Los Angeles
Kuniko Okumura Sato, Los Angeles
Yayoi Ono, Carson





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AGENDA THURSDAY, AUGUST 6, 1981 9:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.

Auditorium (Room 1138)
Los Angeles State Office Building
107 S. Broadway
Los Angeles, California

9:00 a.m.	CALL TO ORDER
9:00 - 9:25 a.m.	<u>Japanese-speaking Witnesses</u> Shigeo Nishimura, Gardena Chiyeiko Tanigawa, Los Angeles Tetsu Saito, Los Angeles Saburo Sugita, Gardena Kiyoo Yamashita, Los Angeles
9:25 - 9:50 a.m.	<u>Terminal Islanders</u> Masaharu Tanibara, Terminal Islanders Iku Kanai, San Pedro Henry T. Murakami, Temple City Kansi S. Yamashita, San Pedro
9:50 - 10:15 a.m.	<u>Business/Property Loss</u> Hugh Anderson, South Pasadena Yoshio B. Ekimoto, Lancaster Mamoru Ogata, Gardena Haruko Shida, Monterey Park
10:15 - 10:35 a.m.	<u>Impact on Health</u> James T. Fuji, Los Angeles Michiko Machida, Los Angeles Chiyoko K. Sasaki, Riverside
10:35 - 11:05 a.m.	<u>Economic and/or Psychological Impact</u> Yuki Kamatsu, Los Angeles Rei K. Osaki, Pasadena Peter K. Ota, La Mirada John J. Saito, Los Angeles Vernon Yoshioka, San Diego
11:05 - 11:55 a.m. <u>PANEL 1</u>	<u>Multiple Impact</u> Masakazu J. Fujimoto, Los Angeles Frances C. Kitagawa, Venice Kazumi G. Morimoto, Gardena Fusako M. Odagiri, Long Beach

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PANEL 2

Hideko Sasaki, Los Angeles
Henry S. Tamaki, Monterey Park
Mitsuye Uchida, Los Angeles
Hiro Uchiyama, Los Angeles

11:55 - 1:00 p.m.

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1:00 - 1:45 p.m.

Constitutional Issues and Possible Remedies
Richard O. Kato, American Civil Liberties
Union, Southern California
Dr. Junji Kumamoto, JACL/Riverside Chapter
Carole S. Morita, Esq., and Alan Terakawa,
Esq., Southern California State Bar
Association
Rose Matsui Ochi, Esq., Los Angeles
Gerald M. Sato, Esq., Sherman Oaks

1:45 - 2:05 p.m.

Pre-War Climate and/or Reparations
H. Read McGrath, Los Angeles
George K. Roth, Rosemead
Herbert K. Nicholson, Pasadena

2:05 - 2:35 p.m.

Impact on Japanese Americans and Communities
Lucie Cheng Hirata, Asian American Studies
Center, UCLA
Akemi Kikumura, Woodland Hills
Sheri Miyashiro, Asian Student Union,
California State University, Los Angeles

2:35 - 2:55 p.m.

Psychological Impact
Paul Chikahisa, Torrance
Dr. Ford Kuramoto, Monterey Park
Morry Tolmach, Van Nuys

2:55 - 3:10 p.m.

Resettlement Difficulties
Harry H. Ketahata, Long Beach
Mildred S. Nakamura, Pacoima

3:10 - 3:45 p.m.

Multiple Impact
Ken Hayashi
Masakazu Imamoto, North Hollywood
Grace Nakamura
Mas Odoi
Jeff Tsuji





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