

I read of the successful meeting recently sponsored by the PSW Ethnic Concern Committee, formerly called "Committee for Greater Understanding and Concern" and "Committee for Greater Interracial Understanding".

(It was titled as the President's PSW Ad Hoc Committee in the P.C.—Ed.)

There is real evidence that an active movement is gathering momentum in the Greater Los Angeles area to help reduce Japanese American discrimination and prejudice.

The eight-point program of the Ethnic Concern Committee lays heavy emphasis upon setting our own house in order. Press conferences, chamber meetings, leaflets to business, and non-discrimination display posters for business houses all point in this direction. Some of these steps are already being taken and reflect a healthy, and long overdue, willingness to take leadership responsibility by JACL.

Another program, approved at San Jose, involving the exchange of our Pacific Citizen with other ethnic organizations for their organs, or just sending PC to such outfits, is part of the eight-point package. As a communications wedge this should prove highly effective, and more than worthwhile, in terms of National JACL subsidizing of the subscriptions.

There are meetings scheduled by this committee with several PSWDC chapters.

Out of such meetings may come similar Ad Hoc Committees for each chapter. Thus do we see in one District Council the makings of action programs of the kind long ago suggested by our chapter guidelines for civil rights programs.

I hope that the spark generated in L.A. will catch on throughout our national organization.

QUICK REFLEXES

The speedy reaction of JACL to Governor Agnew's now famous (or infamous) faux pas has a deeper significance than the incident itself.

For one thing it revealed that our Bay Area chapters, led by a core of concerned JACLers can, and will, mobilize themselves for quick response when needed. Here, the response took the form of wires, publicity, intragroup communication, and representation at a political forum to express our objection to Agnew's slur.

It is significant that many in this core group serve on the Ad Hoc Committee to repeal, or amend, the so-called, "Detention Camps" law. Their concern covers a wide range of matters, with the common denominator being human dignity.

I am struck by the fact that these JACLers apparently did not feel that the careless use of "Jap" was unimportant, and not worth rebuttal.

CONCERN FOR OUR OWN

Almost missed in the eight-point program of the Ethnic Concern Committee is its intent to "establish contact and programs for growing Japanese immigrant groups".

The PSW JACLers have concluded that lonely and confused Japanese immigrants are the proper concern of JACL, and intend to try to be helpful.

The survey done in Los Angeles with partial JACL help, also shows that many Issei live under sub-standard and neglected conditions.

It is JACL's feeling that it shares responsibility to help alleviate some of these problems, without becoming a "social welfare" organization, per se.

YOUTH

This biennium we will have an adult-young adult combo steering the course of the National Youth Program.

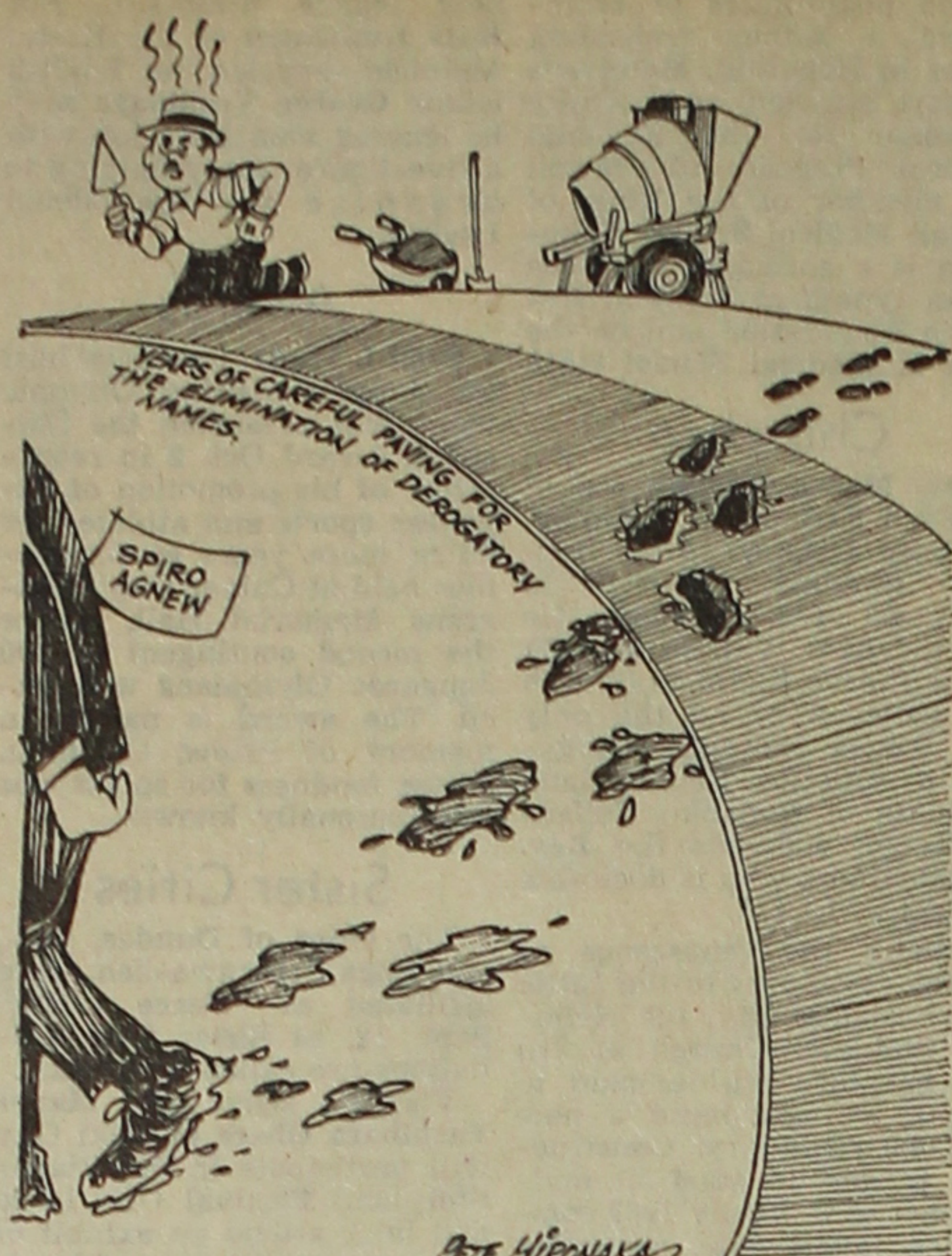
Mike Suzuki, newly appointed Chief, Division of Social Services, State Department of Social Welfare, will serve as our National Youth Commissioner. Ross Harano, former MDC Youth Commissioner, and a graduate of the Jr. JACL ranks, steps in as Associate Youth Commissioner.

This gives us good age and geographical balance, and JACLers of proven capabilities, in these vital jobs.

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Asian American Forum

FRESNO — The Central Valley Asian American Forum, comprised of Americans of Japanese, Chinese, Filipino and Korean descent, honored Rep. Bernie F. Sisk at a testimonial Sept. 28. He was recently in the news for his forthright denunciation of the grape boycott.



REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE REPLIES

Good Will Shouldn't Be Overshadowed

SACRAMENTO — A response from the Republican National Committee in Washington was received this past week by Jerry Enomoto, national JACL president, who objected to Gov. Agnew's use of "fat Jap." The letter, signed by Don R. Kendall, administrative assistant, said:

"By now I am certain that you have read Gov. Agnew's further remarks on this subject. He explained that he meant no disrespect and is on friendly terms with the man to whom he referred."

"Mr. (Gene) Oishi, the reporter, said he thought it was merely a joke. Gov. Agnew went on to say that while he had not said anything which was intended to be unkind or a slur, he did apologize to anyone who was offended by his remark, even though it was meant to be innocent. "We are confident that Gov. Agnew's record bespeaks his devotion to the rights and dignity of all citizens and his obvious sincerity and good will should not be overshadowed by an unfortunate remark."

Spark, Dan accept Agnew's explanation

HONOLULU — Four local Democrats have asked the Republican National Committee in Washington to have Gov. Spiro T. Agnew make another trip to the islands before election.

"His last appearance here (Sept. 21-23) was such a boost to Mr. Humphrey, we would like to see more of him. If necessary we will try to help with his transportation costs," they said.

The message was signed by former State Sen. O. Vincent Esposito, Lt. Gov. Thomas P. Gill, Sen. Duke Kawasaka and Kauai Democratic leader Tatsu Asari.

It was the weekend that Agnew's use of the racial slur upon a sleeping Nisei reporter became public and found the Republican vice presidential candidate apologizing if offense was felt though he had no thought of malice toward an ethnic group when he used it.

State GOP Chairman Edward Johnston, upon learning of the message, said he felt it was a facetious gesture. "But let me say this," he added, "if the Democrats will put that transportation in escrow I will do everything I can to clear his schedule and get Agnew to return here. We thought his visit was most successful."

Matsunaga Accepts

Rep. Spark Matsunaga, who criticized Agnew for his use of the derogatory term against persons of Japanese ancestry on the floor of the House on Sept. 23, has fully accepted Agnew's explanation that it was used in jest.

But while Agnew was reported again to have referred to the Nisei reporter, Gene Oishi of the Baltimore Sun, on the Agnew campaign plane to Hawaii, by saying: "How's the fat Jap this morning?" Matsunaga said: "I shook my head in disbelief. Here is a man who never learns from experience."

Asked about the Agnew use of the racial epithet, Sen. Dan Inouye felt he had no intent to slur any race.

Inouye Frightened "I think most of the people in Hawaii realize he didn't say those words with malice. But

United Nations dinner

SACRAMENTO — Japanese dishes to be served during the annual United Nations smorgasbord dinner here Oct. 28 are being coordinated by Mrs. Jun Miyakawa and Mrs. Gladys Masaki. It was announced by the Sacramento JACL Women's Auxiliary. Dinner will be held at the Scottish Rite Temple, 6151 H St., from 7 p.m.

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JERRY APPOINTS NATIONAL JACL COMMITTEEMEN

First ex-Jr. JACLer
Ross Harano Named
Associate Youth Head

SACRAMENTO — Jerry Enomoto, national JACL president, announced the appointment of Ross Harano of Chicago as associate youth commissioner.

Harano is the first ex-Jr. JACLer selected to a national committee position. He succeeds Mike Suzuki of Sacramento, who was elevated to National Youth Commissioner.

Most of the national committeemen announced this week served with Enomoto this past biennium in the same posts. They include: Bill Marutani of Philadelphia, national legal counsel; Roy Uno of Orange County, Pacific Citizen Board chairman; Dr. George Miyake of Fowler, Endowment Fund chairman; Haruo Ishimaru of San Jose, cultural heritage; Yone Satoda of San Francisco, personnel, budget-finance; Dr. Roy Nishikawa of Wilshire-Uptown, chairman, So. Calif. Regional Office advisory; Shig Wakamatsu of Chicago, History Project; Akiji Yoshimura of Marysville, History Project liaison.

Dr. Tom Taketa, who chaired the San Jose national convention, was appointed program and activities committee chairman, a post he held prior to masterminding the convention.

Other committee appointments will be discussed at the Oct. 18-20 meeting of the National Executive Committee in Los Angeles to be attended by the six nationally elected officers: the president, three vice presidents, secretary and treasurer.

SPECIAL REPORT:

America, Japan and the Nisei

(The Pacific Citizen is grateful to Superior Judge John F. Aiso for the text of his address, "America, Japan and the Nisei," delivered Aug. 14 at the Los Angeles Breakfast Club, which annually hosts Nisei Week officials and queen candidates. Judge Aiso is uniquely qualified by his background and experience to comment on U.S.-Japan relations.—Editor.)

By John F. Aiso

Last year, at your meeting in recognition of "Nisei Week," my wife and I enjoyed the good fortune of being the guests of our gracious chairman, Mr. Justice W. Turney Fox, and of Mrs. Fox.

This year, I see that I am going to have to earn my breakfast. I nevertheless, appreciate the honor you do me in extending me this opportunity to appear here, even though I am not a candidate for any political office.

If my remarks sound disjointed at times, it is because I understand we are on the air via radio and my instructions are to stay strictly within my allotted time. Now, I shall try to pay for my breakfast with a few random observations of a Nisei layman on "America, Japan, and the Nisei."

First, a word about the Nisei. The word, "Nisei" literally means the second generation. As colloquially used, it means the first generation of native born Americans of Japanese ancestry. You will note that this actually excludes the beautiful young ladies aspiring to be our festival queen, who are present here for they are, "Sansei" or the third generation.

Horiuchi requested other Colorado Nisei to join in this effort for maximum impact. He stated "Japanese Americans must participate meaningfully in the political life of our state and nation, and there is no better to participate than through organized efforts."

The Colorado "Nisei for Nixon" group has formed a nucleus that includes: Roy Inouye of La Jara, James Kanemoto of Longmont, Floyd Koshio of Ft. Lupton, and Min Yasui of Denver.

Most fortunate Of all contemporary Americans, I think we Nisei should count ourselves among the most fortunate. In our lifetime, we have not only witnessed history being made between America and Japan; we have been a part of it. In the short span of less than 50 years, we beheld the de-nouement of our destiny in America as Americans of Japanese ancestry.

To us fell the high adventure and, in retrospect, the good fortune of being born as Americans by birth and then growing up in a milieu where American and Japanese people, institutions, and cultures impinged. Sometimes, these environmental factors could be harmonized and their influence caused to coalesce.

But during the greater part of our youth, we found ourselves racial outcasts in America and social outcasts in Japan.

Then came Pearl Harbor. Everything American in our personality and everything Japanese about our make-up clashed head-on in halocaust heat.

Terrorism shakes Seattle

SEATTLE — The last week of September saw Washington Jr. High School closed for two days because of a complete breakdown of discipline in the classrooms.

Teachers walked out because of continuing racial lawlessness as they called for guarantee of their safety and students, discipline and suspension of the disorderly

students and full cooperation of parents and community workers in helping the faculty and staff maintain an orderly school.

The \$2 million facility, opened in 1963, at 2101 South Jackson opened its new term Sept. 9 with 558 students, about 150 fewer than 700 of last year. The racial composition last year was 73 per

cent black, 15 per cent Oriental, 6 per cent white, 2 per cent Filipino, 2 per cent American Indian, 2 per cent others.

Area-Wide Problem

Seattle School Superintendent Forbes Bottomly noted that the problem had extended to other schools in the central area since May with large

bands of adolescents masquerading as Black Panthers intimidating the community with fire bombing, arson, thefts, physical violence, etc. "And we have had the Panther group intervening in situations which were absolutely none of their business," he added.

Trouble at Washington Jr. High began Monday (Sept. 23) when a non-student apparently under the influence of drugs appeared in the building and attacked the principal, George Olson. The attacker was arrested but in the process students became agitated.

The next day, a brother of the arrested youth entered Washington Jr. High and used abusive language with the principal.

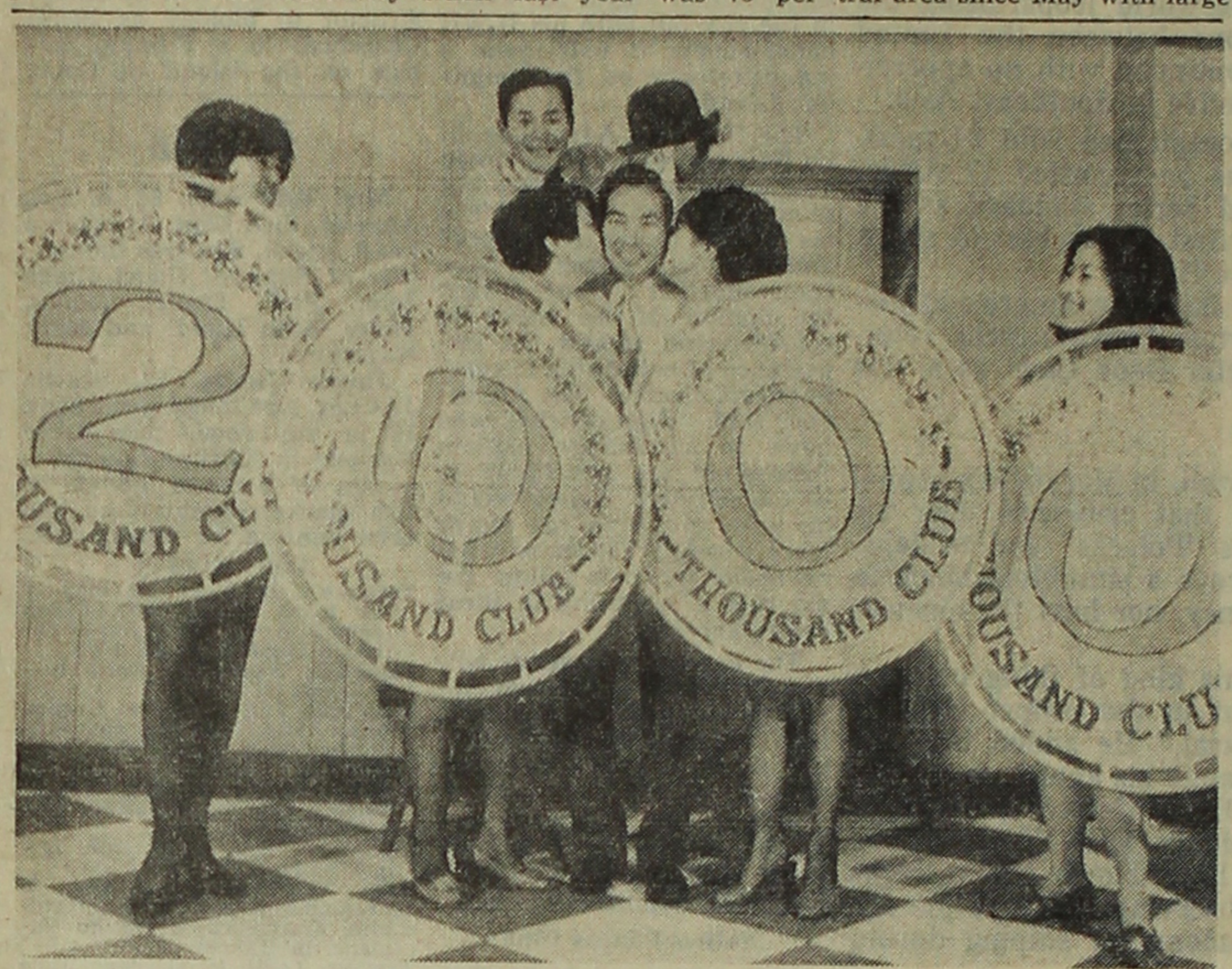
On Wednesday, groups of non-students who appeared as Panthers began harassing youngsters off the school grounds. Police were summoned but vice principal Walter Barbee, who is Negro, preferred not to have the police in the building and spoke with the intruders.

Classes were dismissed 15 minutes early with the hope that further disturbance could be avoided but about 50 boys from the school entered a department store a block away and grabbed suits, sweaters, shirts and other garb and ran from the store.

Four boys dressed like Blank Panthers and about 25 others raided a bakery, assaulted the clerk with a poke in the abdomen and hurled a rock through a plate glass door as they left. One woman reported her son (white) was beaten by several blacks in front of the school.

Emergency Parents Meeting During the emergency parents' meeting with Superintendent Bottomly on Thursday, one Negro mother declared: "Part of the trouble in the Central Area is that we have so many parents who think their kids are angels. They're not all angels." Her statement was applauded.

A grandmother of one student Continued on Page 5



IF YOU MISSED IT!—For those not able to make the Convention in San Jose or for those who were out of the room or those who had blurry vision... well, you really missed. Here are the young ladies whose legs graced the pages of the PC to have the 1000 Club reach its goal of 2,000 members. Pictured are

(from left) Susan Odanaka, Gloria Sakamoto, Ron Harano (who was the 2,000th member), Janis Chan and Carol Higashigawa with Dr. Frank Sakamoto, national 1000 Club chairman, holding the derby overhead. Artwork on the hoops is credited to John Kitazaki.

—Photo by George Murakami.

Takela receives labor vote at last

Perry and MacArthur

Two of the leading actors in the century old drama on the Pacific stage have been American military statesmen. In 1853, Commodore Perry with his "black ships" and 300 sailors and marines forced Japan to abandon her centuries old Tokugawa policy of isolation and to open her doors to commerce and intercourse with the West.

The military might displayed by Perry was the real driving force behind Japan's abolition of feudalism, restructuring of her society then based upon Confucian doctrines of morality, introduction of uni-

SAN JOSE — Attorney Grayson S. Taketa, Democratic candidate for Rep. Charles S. Gubser's 10th congressional district seat, has been endorsed at last by Santa Clara County COPE.

Prior to the August endorsing convention of State COPE, neither Taketa nor Peace and Freedom candidate Martin L. Primack could obtain the necessary two-thirds majority. Primack has since withdrawn from the race.

At a recent meeting of the organized labor political units William Holayter, IAM district 93 delegate, proposed the endorsement of Taketa. It carried with one dissenting vote.

Yori Wada defends San Francisco's civil service rule-of-one-practice

SAN FRANCISCO — In the words of Yori Wada, president of the San Francisco Civil Service Commission, "we have outgrown politics and an ingrown staff as far as CSC is concerned."

"We have a staff that has not been challenged by the Commission and that has grown in power over the years," Wada told the League of Women Voters recently.

Wada began his impromptu talk by declaring: "As you know, the Grand Jury last Dec. 20 recommended that I and Commissioner William Kilpatrick resign."

He then strongly defended his difference of opinion with the Grand Jury.

Wada said he thought the Grand Jury was wrong in trying to knock out Civil Service's "rule of one," by which the No. 1 prospect on each list of exam-passing applicants for city jobs get first chance at the job.

"If a Negro or a Chinese or a Japanese is No. 1, he may never be hired, so long as city department heads choose No. 2 or 3."

"I oppose changing to a rule of three — taking any of the top three in the exams—because it allows department heads too much freedom to discriminate..."

Wada noted that downtown merchants have been critical of the Civil Service Commission for raising salaries of city employees to present levels—among the highest in the state.

"Last year, the Commission disregarded staff recommendations and raised the salaries of our lowest-paid classifications — workers who by permit large got under \$400 per month — because there was a feeling that the head of a household should not be paid such a small salary..."

The downtown reaction, Wada explained, came because "it is in these (low-paid) classifications that the city has the most employees."

The commission, the Nisei commissioner said, has made some policy changes in the past year that benefit the people of the city. "Now, for example, you need not put arrest records on your application for a city job — only convictions. In the last two years — and you still may be hired. Parolees also are now eligible for city jobs, depending upon their records..."

One question was raised asked why it was Civil Service workers in assistants' jobs — where they do well — seem to move up so often to the top administrative post at which aren't so good.

Wada explained that promotional examinations are open only to lower ranking Civil Service employees, not open to outsiders.

"If the city keeps its 'rule of one by which only the top man in an exam can get first chance at a city job, why not also permit outsiders to take promotional exams for the higher posts?"

Among other reasons, Commissioner Wada confessed is "we get so much flak from the various labor unions and employee associations..."

Placer to mark 40th anniversary

AUBURN — Though the Placer County JACL is hosting its 28th annual goodwill dinner on Nov. 2 here at the 20th District Fairground, the evening will also commemorate the 40th anniversary of the JACL chapter here.

Among the pioneer chapters of National JACL, the committee headed by Roy Yoshida, co-chairman, will include an appropriate program marking the event.

Bishop Takashi Tsuji of San Francisco, bishop of the Buddhist Churches of America, is principal speaker.

On the dinner committee are: Ellen Kubo, finance; Eugene Nodohara, program; Hike Yego, guests; Dick Nishimura, recog.; Fusaye Miyamoto and Toki Okusu, hostesses; Aster Kondo, hall arr.; Placer Jr. JACL, hall decoration; Ted Uyeda, ref.; Harry Kawahata, catering; Homer Takahashi, Albert Yoshikawa, pub.

Young children run around wearing Japanese rubber sandals. Then those pesky Hondas and Suzukis often disturb our peace and quiet as our young teen-agers race up and down the streets with them, with mufflers well open.

Japanese stewardesses are advertised by non-Japanese airlines. Japanese ideographs appear in non-Japanese bank-

By Mike Masaoka

Washington Newsletter



MORE ON AGNEW INCIDENT

Washington
Last week, as Republicans Richard Nixon and Spiro Agnew and Democrats Hubert Humphrey and Edmund Muskie tried to shift their campaign drives into high gear for the Nov. 5 general elections, while cautiously watching Third Party nominee George Wallace demonstrate his growing attractiveness to many Americans in the North, as well as in the South, the Senate in an historic action allowed a filibuster to prevent the confirmation of Abe Fortas as Chief Justice of the United States. By that action, it appears that the post-conventions session of the 90th Congress might be able to adjourn this week or next.

The United Nations General Assembly met in its annual plenary session in New York, with several crises in various parts of the world jeopardizing the peace. The Paris negotiations between the United States and North Vietnam continued with no appreciable progress toward a cease-fire in Southeast Asia.

And Bob Gibson easily outpitched wild 31-game winner Denny McLain 4-0, as he recorded 17 strikeouts in setting a new World Series standard as the St. Louis Cardinals won the first of the best of seven games series from the Detroit Tigers.

But, the big news among Japanese Americans continued to be Maryland Governor Agnew's racial reference to Baltimore Sun reporter Gene Oishi as a "fat Jap."

After returning from Hawaii, in Maryland's capital city Annapolis, Agnew said that criticisms over his racial references to Poles as "Polacks" and to Japanese as "Japs" would not prove a stumbling block in his race for the vice presidency, nor hurt the chances of his running mate Nixon.

"I've had my share of this kind of thing before," he said, "but when it is put in the proper light, it will show up as very artificial." He added that the condemnations would not change his approach to campaign issues and speeches. He confessed too that he had not discussed the incidents with Nixon, saying that politicians and others have blown the remarks all out of proportion, but observing that "people are going to expect a certain amount of sniping during a political campaign."

Although Agnew insisted that he often called Oishi a "fat Jap" in friendly greeting in Annapolis, newsmen and others covering the Maryland capital could not recall such references.

Also last week, at a National Press Club luncheon, Agnew criticized Chief Justice Warren's lack of sensitivity as a Republican appointee to the politics of retirement, but refused to acknowledge his lack of sensitivity regarding racial and national minorities.

"I'm a great deal more comfortable here than in my airplane," Agnew admitted. "If you're one who's sensitive about your weight or ethnic background, how do you think I feel about the Washington Post calling me Caligula's horse? (An editorial compared Nixon's selection of Agnew as running mate with the Roman Emperor Caligula's designation of a horse as consul).

"Since the press has speculated so much already on the Nixon-Agnew strategy, I have Dick's permission to reveal my secret role in our battle plans: I'm assigned the task of insulting all groups equally."

While Agnew considers press reports of his other gaffes to be "fair comment," he considers the report of his "friendly" use of the term "fat Jap" to be unfair.

Regardless of his own personal evaluation of press reports, news columnists and feature writers have been having a field day with Agnew's outbursts.

An example is Mary McGroarty's biting comments in the Washington Star, "In a more innocent era, Agnew might be hailed as the personification of Alexander J. Throtheadbottom, the prototype of anonymous vice presidents . . . On the evidence, the Maryland Governor seems to feel that his job is to alienate as many people as possible. He is doing a splendid job . . . Mothers may feel that their work in eliminating ethnic epithets from their children's vocabularies is going down the drain and may feel that they should register a protest at the polls . . ."

The Japanese American press, particularly in Northern California and especially the Hokubei Mainichi, not only strongly editorialized against Agnew's insensitivity and his apologies that attempt to explain his indiscretions but also reported on the protest activities of Japanese Americans.

From all accounts, JACL chapters and members in the San Francisco Bay region were most active and aggressive in making known locally and to Nixon-Agnew headquarters their distaste for the word "Jap" and their resentment that a vice presidential candidate would resort to the use of such a racial slur "even in jest."

The Washington JACL Office letter was given considerable national and international "play" by the international wire services — Associated Press, United Press International, Reuters, Kyodo, and Jiji.

And, it is hoped that individual JACLers and chapters wrote letters to the editors of local dailies and to radio and television commentators explaining the derogatory connotations of the word "Jap."

There is an old Japanese proverb that says that "Out of evil, good may come; the lotus springs from the slime in the pond."

Perhaps Agnew's unfortunate racial slur, which was so widely publicized, may remind others that we Americans of Japanese ancestry consider the word "Jap" to be an insult and a slander, and also serve to have others who, like Agnew, were never informed by their Japanese American friends of the implied invective in the epithet, understand our deep feelings about hearing or seeing the word "Jap" used, regardless of the context or motivation or intent.

It may be that, without intending to be helpful, Agnew has contributed to the campaign to educate the public that racial, religious, and national minorities do not like to be referred to except in terms of dignity and decency.

Sonic boom damage claims bill proposed

WASHINGTON — Rep. Spark Matsunaga (D-Hawaii) said he will sponsor legislation to establish a sonic boom damage fund to provide for the compensation of claimants sustaining personal injury or property damage due to operation of supersonic aircraft with the United States.

The Sonic Boom Damage Recovery Act fund would be administered by the Secretary of Transportation.

Agnew —

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accepted internationally? What will people overseas think of a vice presidential candidate who makes use of offensive and callous terms about people of other races?"

Matsunaga admitted that Mayor Blaisdell's 11th-hour entry into the House race made it necessary for him to return more frequently while Congress was in session. He rates the race with the popular Honolulu mayor as "even" in the city but with his ILWU endorsement, it will make a big difference on the Neighbor Islands.

The Honolulu Advertiser, in its lead editorial Oct. 1, noted that there is still a limit. The use of the terms "Polack" and "fat Jap" seems to have transcended it. "There is first the dignity of the office to consider and second the importance of being able to communicate clearly." The Advertiser said. "High officials who have to constantly explain themselves are not likely to be too effective. Agnew would be wise to weigh his words more carefully. Perhaps what he needs to do is follow the old rule of counting to three before speaking."

The Japanese language editorial columns in the two Hawaiian vernaculars have said, in effect, "that so crude a person should not be vice president."

Letters from readers appearing in the Star Bulletin were also littered with unfavorable comments.

National Press Club
At the National Press Club in Washington Sept. 27, Gov. Agnew omitted the anecdote involving Gene Oishi, Agnew's speechwriters wanted him to tell the Press Club what happened when their plane flew over Pearl Harbor.

Oishi, kidding about his Japanese ancestry, called out loudly, "Bombs awayyy!" No one was offended. Everyone including Agnew laughed.

Advisers thought relating the incident would put the remark made enroute to Hawaii into a less-serious context. But at the last minute, Gov. Agnew deleted the story for fear reporters would think he was being vindictive.

Nixon's Aides
In Seattle that same week, aides to Richard Nixon professed to be untroubled by Agnew's "locker room pleasantries." They insisted the press has made more of Agnew's troublesom remarks than has been warranted by the over-all impression he makes on his audiences.

Using the term "Polack" in referring to citizens of Polish descent and calling a Baltimore newspaperman friend a "fat Jap," the Nixon aides held, were errors of style and not politically damaging hopefully.

Pete Lisagor of the Chicago Daily News, with the Nixon campaigners, added: "Underneath, these aides are concerned that if Agnew continues to make headlines with careless comments, the impression might take hold that he is not the potential president Nixon said he wanted as a running mate. That might have an adverse political fallout."

CALENDAR

Oct. 12 (Saturday)
Milwaukee—Fall social.
Oct. 13 (Sunday)
Dayton—Bd Mtg. at Evelyn Bassett's, 2 p.m.
Sonoma County—Forum: Communications, Garble, Enmanji Hall, 2:30 p.m.
Oct. 15 (Tuesday)
Arizona—General Mtg. Pasadena—Bd Mtg. Butch Tamura res.
Oct. 16 (Wednesday)
Seattle—Bd Mtg. JACL Office, 8 p.m.
Oct. 17 (Thursday)
East Los Angeles—Gen. Mtg. ELA-Montebello YMCA, 2000 E. Beverly Blvd., 8 p.m.
Oct. 18 (Friday)
Shi Yamamoto, speaker, "Nisei Delegate's Impression at the Miami Convention."
Oct. 20 (Sunday)
Contra Costa—Fishing derby.
Oct. 22 (Tuesday)
San Francisco—Candidate Night. Bank of Tokyo Japan Center Branch, 8 p.m.
Oct. 24 (Thursday)
Sacramento—Gen Mtg.
Oct. 26 (Saturday)
Sequoia—Bridge Club potluck supper.
Sequoia—Hallowe'en party. West Los Angeles—Nisei GI Memorial Service, Japanese Institute.
Spokane—Gen Mtg. and Buffet Dinner. Chickwagon Inn, 7 p.m.
Oct. 27 (Sunday)
Dayton—Gen Mtg. and Dinner. Kettering YMCA, 2 p.m.
Sonoma County—25th annual Nisei GI Memorial Service, Enmanji Hall, 2 p.m.
Rev. Laverne Asaki, spkr.
PNWDC—Qtrly session: Spokane JACL hosts, Holiday Inn, 9 a.m.
Oct. 28 (Monday)
Sacramento—United Nations dinner, Scottish Rite Temple, 7 p.m.
Oct. 30 (Wednesday)
Fowler—Judge Uchiyama testimonial dinner, Bruce's Lodge, 7:30 p.m.
Nov. 2 (Saturday)
Placer County—28th annual goodwill dinner, 20th Dist. Fairgrounds, Auburn; Bishop Takashi Tsuji, spkr.
Nov. 3 (Tuesday)
General Election Day
West Los Angeles—Bd Mtg.
Nov. 8 (Friday)
West Los Angeles—Earth Sci Mtg. Stoner Auld, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia—Bd Mtg. at Bunji Ikeda's, 8 p.m.
Nov. 9 (Saturday)
San Gabriel Valley—Installation dinner, Stark's Restaurant, West Covina.

NEWS CAPSULES

Government

Dr. Thomas T. Noguchi, Los Angeles county chief medical examiner—coroner, flew this week to Washington to consult with the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology on the findings in the assassination of Sen. Robert Kennedy. Dr. Noguchi, who is a Downtown L.A. JACL 1000er, performed the autopsy on the New York senator . . . Joseph Haratani, 44, a 12-year veteran with the Agency for International Development, serving in Bolivia, Nicaragua and Vietnam, will head Peace Corps operations in Ecuador. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Iwakichi Haratani of Oakland. He holds degrees in engineering from Stanford and UC Berkeley, is married to the former Ada Yamasaki of Modesto and has three children, aged 4 to 15 . . . Irene E. Hiyaama, 23, daughter of the Kazuo Hiyaamas of Fowler, will be an instructor in biology as Peace Corpsman in a Filipino college on the island of Cebu.

Deaths

Mrs. Taki Aiso, 82, of Los Angeles, died Sept. 24 after a heart attack. She was the mother of Superior Court Judge John A. Saul, Daniel, James, Mrs. Ruth Kamil and Mary Nagashima . . . Jimmy Noshio, 52, Seattle JACLer, was found dead Sept. 18 in the woods near Lake Kachess in Kittitas County, a victim of a heart attack. A fish market operator, he had been hunting for mushrooms.

LOS ANGELES
Takakawa, Iwakichi, 84: May 29 (Japan), d. Akio Sato, Misso Fujishige (Japan), 13: Oct. 1: g.c. Takehana, Nellie, 80: Apr. 15 — h. Joseph . . . Takahashi Jimmy Y., 26: Garden Grove, May 5—p. Mr. and Mrs. Yonekuma, br. Joe, Toshio, Roger, Takahata, Kijiro, 83: May 30 — w. Tane, s. Kiyoshi, Tautoma, Ryo, Takayama, Ryoko, 69: Apr. 11 — d. Yoshiko . . . Takahashi, Tomomi, 70: Apr. 22 (Yamanashi) — s. Jimmy, Toshihisa, Toshimaru, d. Hisako Yama, N. Taira, 20: Apr. 27: g.c. Tamaya, Yoji, 75: Garden Grove, June 10 — w. Hisako, d. Kimiye Uchida, Chizuko Norton, Hifumi Takahara . . . Tao, Darren M., 21: day: Downey, May 14—p. Mr. and Mrs. John, s. Lisa . . . Tokeshi, Maki, 66: Glendora, Apr. 4 — h. Doashi, s. Edward, William, 20: Apr. 27: g.c. Takahashi, Thomas, d. Ruth Mouri, May Inouye (San Jose), 16: g.c. Tsuruda, Yoshiyue, 76: N. Walnut, June 15 — s. Masao, George (Detroit), Dave, Yoshio, d. Itsuko Idehara, 9: g.c. Umeda, Yukino, 83: June 3—Takako, d. Hideo Nishimoto, 8: g.c. 2: g.c. . . . Umeda, Toyokichi, 97: June 7 — s. Henry, Dr. Charles, Thomas (Stockton), 7: g.c. 1: g.c. . . . Watanabe, Richard, 47: Apr. 27: g.c. Ebel, s. Roy, Michael, Clyde, d. Faye, 4: sis (Hawaii) . . . Watanabe, Yoshimichi, 22: Apr. 1 — s. Bone, br. Mr. and Mrs. Rikuro, br. Kinichi, Kinjiro, Yoshiyuki . . . Watanabe, Yoshihige, 81: Apr. 11 — w. Ise, s. Kay, Ray, Joe, d. Aiko Kadawaki, 11: g.c. Yamadera, Kazumi, 79: Apr. 16 — s. Akira, d. Hilda Yonezawa, Yamataka, Sachio, 72: Gardena, Apr. 10 — h. Motoki, s. Toshio, Hideo, Mumoto, Akiko Sugiyama, 2: g.c. . . . Yamashiro, Shizu, 66: Apr. 20 — h. Tameo, s. Eugene, Frank, d. Lily, Saitko Kumagawa, Yamashiro, Wesley T., 2: Pasadena, Apr. 11 — p. Dr. and Mrs. Robert, br. Jon, 69: Tom Yamashiro, Roy Yamagami . . . Yamashiro, Kotoku, 67: Apr. 3 (in Tokyo) — s. Munio, s. Patrick, s. Isamu, Yukio, Daniel (San Francisco), Eduardo, Kenney, Adolfo (New Jersey), 20 . . . Young, Eva, 53: May 11—w. William, d. Sharon Inouye . . . Zorick, Sadyo, 81: Apr. 25 — s. Itsuu, James, Tom, Mike, d. Mitsugi Mayeda (Japan), 13: g.c. 2: g.c.

She recently completed 11-weeks training at San Jose State. She is a UC Berkeley graduate.

Mrs. Toshi Yamamoto, active Republican leader in Los Angeles, was appointed to the State Board of Barber Examiners by Gov. Reagan Oct. 3. She is the first woman and the first Oriental named to the board. She and her husband George operate a barber shop and gift store.

James S. Okazaki, the PS-WDC legal counsel, has resigned as deputy county counsel of Orange County to engage in private practice with Keith Welpult in Santa Ana . . . Sec. of Interior Udall invited Rep. Spark Matsunaga to the dedication ceremony putting Diamond Head in the National Registry of National Landmarks Sept. 29. Udall credited the Nisei legislator for his important role in having Diamond Head included in the registry.

Ross Tetsuo Arai was among 72 men graduating Sept. 6 from the Los Angeles Police Academy after a 20-week multi-phase training program. A Southwest L.A. resident, married with two children, he is assigned to the Wilshire Division.

Business

Katsumi Shiba, loan officer at Sumitomo Bank's Anaheim office, and Robert Luthy, auditor headquartered at the bank's head office in San Francisco, are in Japan for a month's special training at the Sumitomo Bank, Ltd. Shiba is a graduate of Univ. of Southern California and Luthy, Japan-born son of U.S. missionaries, is a UC Berkeley graduate who joined Sumitomo after 15 years experience with the Federal Reserve Bank in San Francisco.

Mits Shimotsu is the new manager of the Empire Savings & Loan Assn. Rancho Park office at 10764 W. Pico Blvd., in West Los Angeles. He was recently appointed asst. v.p. of the eight-office association and graduate of Woodbury College . . . Victor S. Hirakawa was elected branch manager of Seattle-First National Bank's office at Westwood Village.

Courtroom

Parents of Edward Miyasato, 20, a boilermaker's helper in Honolulu who died after being injected with a dye used to help take X-rays, were awarded \$125,000 in damages in an out-of-court settlement. I. Nadamoto, an orthopedic surgeon, Thomas Bennett, a neurosurgeon, and Kuakini Hospital were named in the suit. Case was to be heard Sept. 23.

Medicine

Dr. Lindberg S. Sata, formerly with the Univ. of Maryland, was named psychiatrist-in-chief at Harborview County Hospital and associate professor of psychiatry at the Univ. of Washington, Seattle. He will direct establishment of a community mental health center at the hospital, part of its \$1 million remodeling program. Dr. Sata who directed the Division of Community Psychiatry for the Univ. of Maryland Psychiatric Institute at Baltimore was trained in medicine and psychiatry at the Univ. of Utah.

Capt. Ronald Y. Hayashida, 28, an optometrist and son of the Harry Hayashidas of Los Angeles, is with the Permanente Kaiser Foundation staff at Fontana after having served 4½ years in the military both in Korea and West Germany.

Two Hawaii physicians, Drs. Richard Mamiya and Mitsuo Yokoyama, attended the International Organ Transplant Conference in New York City to begin a study in-

to the possibilities of establishing a kidney transplant center in Honolulu. Mamiya is a heart surgeon and faculty chairman for the Regional Medical Program of Hawaii and member of the Univ. of Hawaii Medical School. Yokoyama is a specialist in tissue serum typing at Kuakini Research Foundation and on the U of H Medical School staff.

Churches

Rev. Masao Kodani, son of the Fred Kodanis of Compton, has been assigned to the Senshin Buddhist Church in southwest Los Angeles. He and the Rev. William Masuda at the Fresno Buddhist Church are believed to be the only two Sansei Buddhist clergymen in America. Rev. Kodani, graduate of Ryokoku College in Kyoto, succeeds the Rev. Tetsuo Unno, who is doctorate student at UCLA.

Joining the renaissance of church structures in the Little Tokyo community, the Nichiren Buddhist Church at 3rd and Saratoga will expand to Fourth St. and build a new \$325,000 sanctuary. Construction is due to start in mid-October with a July 1969 completion target date, according to Koichi Nerio, chairman of the expansion program and president of the church board of trustees. Joe C. Odell was named the architect; Kelly Uno of Lawndale is the general contractor.

Sports

Newly-crowned World Boxing Assn. featherweight champion Sho Saizyo, 21, has accepted a \$40,000 guarantee to defend his crown against Pedro omez of Venezuela Dec. 12 at the Los Angeles Olympic.

The Japanese boxer scored a unanimous 15-round decision on Sept. 27 over Raul Rojas of San Pedro to win the title. In the first North American Honinbo Go tournament held Sept. 15, a New York Nisei, Takao Matsuda, the eastern U.S. titlist, defeated the western U.S. titlist Tetsuo Inokuchi of Los Angeles in a transcontinental telephone match. Winner was awarded the Eisa-ku Sato silver cup. Dr. K. Nassau was tournament director and devised the rules for play over the telephone.

A total of three games was played simultaneously and took 6½ hours. New York play was conducted at the Chess House, 143 W. 72nd St., while in Los Angeles it was held at 125 Weller St. (across the hall from the PC office).

Two Samsel collegiate riders on the West Coast making the Sunday morning stunts were Stanford QB Ron Fujikawa and Occidental halfback Ed Hada, both from Southern California. Wayne Murakami, San Jose State right guard weighing 210, won mention as a starter. Ron, 5-9, 168 lb. soph, hails from Long Beach, where he was all-CIF back from Wilson High. Ed, 5-7, 165 lb. senior, hails from nearby Bellflower.

Takao Sugawara, holder of the Japanese record in the hammer throw of 69.02 meters, was selected captain of the Japanese delegation to the Mexico Olympics, though his chances of winning medals are bleak. The selection was based on his participation in the last Olympiad at Rome and Tokyo and serving as captain of the Japanese team at the Bangkok Asian Games in 1966.

Fresno City College halfback Gene Shimizu at 5 ft. 3, 145 lb. is the smallest man on the squad. A local sportswriter noted: He may be small but he has a Kamikaze heart.

A spokesman for the Japanese Professional Baseball Commission ruled out any possibility of four Japanese teams taking part in a six-team Global League announced Sept. 25 at Louisville, Ky., by Walter J. Dilbeck, Jr., an Evansville (Ind.) rector and

new league president. But Kats Kunikida, the Kashi Mainichi revealed her English editor George Yoshinaga may be leaving soon for a job with a five-figure salary helping to organize the new Global League.

Awards

Fred I. Wada, unofficial host for Japan's visiting Olympic team, was presented the Chichibu Award Oct. 2 in recognition of his promotion of Japanese sports and athletes for 20 or more years at ceremonies held at Culver City's Veterans Memorial Hall, where the second contingent of 100 Japanese Olympians was welcomed. The award is named in memory of Prince Chichibu, whose fondness for sports was internationally known.

Sister Cities

The cities of Dundas, Ont., and Kaga, Ishikawa-ken, were affiliated as "Peace Cities" Sept. 12, as Sister City affiliations are called in Canada. Visalia's sister city Mayor Yoshihara Ohara of Miki City will participate in the Visalia Storyland Festival Oct. 14-20 and later attend an exhibit of Japanese hand tools and hardware in Los Angeles. Miki City is famous for its hand tools.

School Front

Dorothy Hata of Hollywood is temporary assistant dean of admissions at Los Angeles City College. She will return to her regular post as coordinator of evening registration at L.A. Trade-Technical College next spring.

Military

Sam Fujimura, a Fresno druggist, was appointed a national deputy chief of staff of the Veterans of Foreign Wars. His duties include assisting the department commander in organizing new posts . . . Medical Corpsman Sp. 4 Michael M. Nozawa, 24, son of the Masao Nozawas of Gardena, won the Army Commendation Medal after having served 12 months in Vietnam.

Fine Arts

Art director Yoshi Sekiguchi of Cahner's Publishing Co., Chicago, won honorable mention in the annual Christmas Seal design contest. He won similar recognition in the national competition last year. He studied art in Tokyo and came with his family to the U.S. in 1963.

Politics

Stanford H. Masui, 20, Peace and Freedom party candidate for the Honolulu City Council was arrested Sept. 21 for disorderly conduct charge. The Univ. of Hawaii junior chaired the Resistance, an anti-draft group. Masui and his group were told by an officer to remove the box of leaflets and folded newspapers they had left on the sidewalk because it blocked the way of people getting out of cars at the International Market Place in Waikiki. The group refused to move, calling it "harrassment."

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By Bill Hosokawa

From the Frying Pan

San Diego, Calif.

RETURN VISIT — A month ago we were in San Diego on vacation, sort of, taking in the sights and the tourist attractions with Mike and his wife and the grandchildren. This time it's business, and who is to complain about visiting this delightful community twice within a month? Not I.

The business included an evening boat trip on Mission Bay, the huge recreation area dredged out of a marsh by the far-sighted citizens of San Diego. The voyage was sponsored by businessmen who have leased property on the Bay and operate hotels, restaurants and marinas, and one of our hosts was visibly Oriental.

He turned out to be Robert G. H. Lie (pronounced Lee) who has a fascinating story to relate. Lie told us he was the fourth generation descendant of a Chinese couple who had migrated to Indonesia. He was born on the island of Sumatra and spoke only a few words of broken Chinese. His mother tongue was Dutch. After World War II, when the Dutch were driven out, the Indonesians looked darkly at Lie. He was suspect because of his Dutch citizenship and his Chinese blood. In newly independent Indonesia, the fever of nationalism ran high and Lie fled to Malaya in fear of his life.

Eventually he made his way to Amsterdam and used his connections to engage in trade with Indonesia. Business has a way of overlooking political differences. Lie prospered, but he was not happy in Holland. Despite his citizenship, he felt he was an outsider. Many American servicemen visited Holland, and Lie asked them about the United States. He asked what city in all of America was the best place to live, and a surprising number named San Diego.

A few years ago Lie arrived in New York. There was money to be made there, but he didn't enjoy the city. So last winter he flew to San Diego and liked the town immediately. In short order he became co-owner and manager of the rambling Mission Valley Travelodge motel, and then he bought a majority interest in the Islandia, the vast hotel-restaurant-marina complex on Mission Bay.

Lie, who says he speaks six and a half languages (English accounting for the half), has found a home in San Diego. He has found acceptance and respect, a challenge and an opportunity to make money. America, he says, is the land of opportunity, even now, if one is willing to work 14 hours a day and seven days a week, which is what he's doing. And San Diegans, seeing what he has done in less than a year, are wondering what he'll do next.

PROTESTING TOO MUCH — One of the speakers at our meetings here was Arte Johnson, the little comedian of the highly successful Laugh-In TV show who, making like a German soldier, says "Verry interesting". Johnson told us he speaks nothing but English, but has made a lucrative living with a dialect roles. This isn't too easy these days because people are so quick to become offended.

Not long ago, Johnson recalled, he pretended on a program to be telling an off-color story in Polish. He leered and gestured and laughed lewdly while mouthing a lot of gibberish that he thought sounded the way Polish ought to sound. Some days later he was astonished to receive a letter from some sort of ethnic organization protesting what was described as an unspeakably obscene performance that offended all Polish-speaking Americans.

Johnson wrote back asking for a translation of the story he had told and predictably, he never did get a reply. Johnson told the story simply as an anecdote about his experiences, but the moral was only too obvious. Too many folks these days are protesting too much about too many affronts, real and imagined. And when one becomes overly sensitive, a lot of the fun drains out of life which is a pretty grim business without our purposely making it even more that way.

By the Board

Miyako Hotel

By LILY OKURA
Governor, Mtn.-Plains Dist.

Editor Harry said — "Write when the spirit moves" . . . we just returned a couple of weeks ago from our vacation and the spirit is just beginning to move!

The morning after the convention, we journeyed to the home of the Sasagawas for a "mini" reunion where we were welcomed with a delicious brunch. We then checked into the beautiful Miyako Hotel and rested our weary minds and bodies.

We must tell you a little about the accommodations at the Miyako. Each room has a Japanese bath and conveniently, a brochure is placed in the rooms telling you the "Art of Taking a Japanese Bath". Fortunately Pat was already taking a bath, as he would have insisted on the minute details, such as one should have the wife scrub your back, etc.

Another unique feature of the room was the "tokonoma" with the scroll and a Japanese china plate. The reunion itself was wonderful and the statistics received was that 87 out of the 99 attended the affair. Our thanks to Tad Hirota and his committee who arranged this affair for us JACL-Japan Tour members.

CONVENTION

May I add my congratulations and kudos to the San Jose Chapter for the wonderful convention. In spite of the many obstacles, the convention, as a whole, was well organized. I still maintain that friendliness and warmth are the key factors to a successful convention. Having arrived on a Sunday, the Satows and Okuras went from the airport directly to the Hyatt House. We visited the Hosi-

tality Suite and immediately got into the spirit of the convention.

Planning a National convention takes many months and hours of preparation and I know the convention committee was ready to collapse by Saturday evening — but you can be sure that your efforts were not in vain and that it was a job well done!

I guess it was quite obvious that we all need some schooling in parliamentary procedures. Some of the long sessions could have been avoided. Microphones should be placed whereby delegates could identify themselves before speaking. It was very difficult at times to hear some of the delegates and there were times when one didn't know what they were voting for or against.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE
May I take this opportunity to thank those members who served on the Nominating Committee with me. Sorry I had to call them out of bed so early, but the meeting was fruitful and we had a "fantastic" breakfast! Since the switchboard operator got the name Tanaka mixed up with another name, my apologies to the two gentlemen whom I awoke at 6:30 a.m.

Having served as your Nominating Committee Chairman, I wish to offer the following suggestions:

1—That nominations report of the committee not be placed on the agenda on the last day of the convention.
2—That a voting booth be established and that official delegates vote between designated hours on a certain day. The tellers assigned could check off the name of each delegate when they receive their ballots. In other words, this would not take up the council session time and if the hours were set, for example,

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America, Japan and the Nisei

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versal education and military service, and modernization of her industry, finance transportation, and national defense.

Following Japan's surrender on August 15, 1945, it was General MacArthur, the Supreme Commander of the Allied Powers, that offered to Japan a Hobson's choice of renouncing war as an instrument of national policy, democratizing her nation, and gearing her national life to the peaceful pursuits of industry and commerce.

In this transformation of Japan from a militaristic power to a peace-loving nation, we Nisei have had an active, albeit a minor part. It is still not fully known that no less than 4,500 Nisei waged war as members of the intelligence arm of the United States and Allied Forces against Japan in the Pacific, while their loved ones were interned in War Relocation Centers at home. Participation in intelligence activities began in April 1941 in Manila. Combat operations commenced with the battle for Attu and Kiska.

According to General MacArthur, some Nisei troops were in action under his command several years before the formation of our illustrious 442nd Central Postal Directory, whose prowess in Europe makes all Americans of Japanese ancestry feel justly proud.

The Nisei also participated in the formulation and crystallization of the occupation policies, which have since been called the most enlightened in modern history. Contrary to popular belief, not all of the occupation policies were the brain-child of General MacArthur, although his was the skill in putting them into execution.

Blueprint for Japan

In 1943, sponsored by the late Joseph Grew, the former American ambassador in Tokyo at the time of Pearl Harbor, a group of Nisei in the United States Army Intelligence Service were invited to set forth what we thought should be in the blueprint for the occupation and reconstruction of post-war Japan. Not only were most of our ideas approved by the War Department, but they appeared in the directives of the Far Eastern Commission, which were later dispatched to General MacArthur.

'Alienation of Modern Man' theme of 1969 East-West philosophers' confab

HONOLULU — Forty-four scholars from 16 nations have accepted invitations to participate in the fifth East-West Philosophers' Conference on the Univ. of Hawaii campus next summer.

The six-week conference opens June 22 with Dr. Abraham Kaplan as conference director. The theme is: "The Alienation of Modern Man".

Twelve of the 44 are in their 20s and 30s and only six are older than 60. The conferees have published more than 100 books and represent ten fields.

Scholars accepting invitations include:

Masao Abe, professor of philosophy, Nara Univ.; Robert E. H. Hsu, graduate student, Graduate Theological Union, Berkeley; Tomonobu Imachi, professor of philosophy, Tohoku Univ.; Toshiko Iwano, professor of Islamic Thought, Keio Univ.; and at the Institute of Islamic Studies, McGill University, Montreal; Suichi Kato, professor of Asian studies, Univ. of British Columbia.

Takeshi Kawashima, professor of sociology, Tokyo University; Chin-Tai Kim, asst. professor of philosophy, Case-Western Reserve University, Cleveland; G. F. Masekera, former Ceylon ambassador to the United Nations and past president of World Buddhist Congress; Richard McKee, professor of philosophy and classics, Univ. of Chicago; Donald Munro, asst. professor of philosophy and Chinese studies, Univ. of Michigan.

Hajime Nakamura, chairman of the Indian and Buddhist studies

Mitsubishi offers to finance Port Hueneme

VENTURA — The Mitsubishi International Corp., one of the largest ship builders in the world, has tentatively offered to finance the \$4.9 million Port Hueneme harbor expansion project in return for a lease-back agreement, according to Oxnard Harbor District commissioner Frank Peterson.

Project includes adding three ship berths to the harbor. Mitsubishi is interested in constructing a bulk loading facility with lease-back arrangement, Peterson explained.

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eral MacArthur. Whether they were derived from the Nisei suggestions or whether they were coincidental parallels, only those then in the high councils of war know.

Among the proposals we proposed to the American public, with the War Department blessing, in November of 1943 were the following:

1. Retention of the emperor system;
2. Constitutional and legal reforms to extirpate the voice of the military in the formation of cabinets and to imbue guarantee of fundamental human rights in the constitution;
3. Judicial reforms;
4. Agricultural land holdings reform;
5. Educational reforms, including the removal of all barriers prohibiting the Japanese people from engaging in the free exchange of ideas with the outside world;
6. Granting to the common man in Japan greater opportunities to earn a decent living for himself and his family, which in turn required freer access to raw materials abroad and foreign trade unhindered by trade barriers, boycotts, and embargoes; and
7. A guarantee of racial equality in the basic charter of any new international organization replacing the League of Nations.

Japan today

Scarcely did I realize then or when I reported for duty at General MacArthur's headquarters in January 1946, that in less than 25 years these reforms would have been accomplished and that Japan would arise phoenix-like from the ashes of defeat to a position of international economic and financial dominance.

The magnitude and tempo of her industrial recovery was accurately summarized by the late Premier Shigeru Yoshida in his 1967 appendix to the Encyclopedia Britannica. He then wrote:

"In volume of output, Japan ranks first in the world in shipbuilding, motorcycles, and the combined production of radio and T.V. sets; second in the production of bearings, cameras, watches, and spun rayon; third in steel, sulphuric acid, and cotton fabrics; fourth among nations in the production of motor vehicles, aluminum, gasoline, and electric

power; and fifth in heavy oil consumption and pulp production".

He further predicted that within five years, his country would become the third greatest industrial power in the world after the United States and the Soviet Union.

His prediction came true in less than two years. Last year, the gross national product of Japan stood second only to the United States among the free world nations, and third behind the United States and the Soviet Union. This accomplishment by a nation whose post-war geographical area corresponds roughly to only 2/3 of California and less arable is no small feat.

Premier Yoshida wrote that in facing up to the two great

crises when Japan's national existence hung in the balance, it was the Japanese racial traits of hard work, frugality, facing reality, and faith in education that enabled Japan to modernize and effect major changes in her national institutions.

Basis of Action

The leitmotif of the Meiji Era is reflected in the Five Articles of the Imperial Charter Oath of 1868. It reads in part:

"A deliberative assembly should be formed; all measures should be decided by public opinion; the uncivilized customs of former times should be broken through; the impartiality and justice displayed in the workings of nature should be adopted as the basis of action; and intellect and learning should be sought for throughout the world, in order to establish the foundation of empire".

Worthy of particular note are the words, "the impartiality and justice displayed in the workings of nature should be adopted as the basis of action".

We find here an embodiment of the natural law concepts of justice upon which America was founded. Our American forefathers wrote in the Declaration of Independence that they were compelled by events, "to assume . . . the separate and equal station to which the Laws of Nature's God entitled them". They then followed with the manifesto that stirred the souls of men everywhere:

"We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men are created equal; that they are endowed by their Creator with certain unalienable rights; that among these are life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness; that, to secure these rights governments are

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instituted among men". One of the priceless heritages of the Meiji Era is an indomitable courage against adversity and integrity of character epitomized in the words, "Yamato-damashi", meaning the spirit of the Japanese race.

In Japan's indiscriminate adoption of everything American, including our frivolities, there is a real danger of dissipating this spiritual heritage.

An over-emphasis of materialism in contemporary America has left many an American with a feeling of emptiness, of insecurity, and lack of a sense of destiny. Eric Fromm labels it insecurity engendered of freedom. Toybee characterizes it as a spiritual illness born of technocracy

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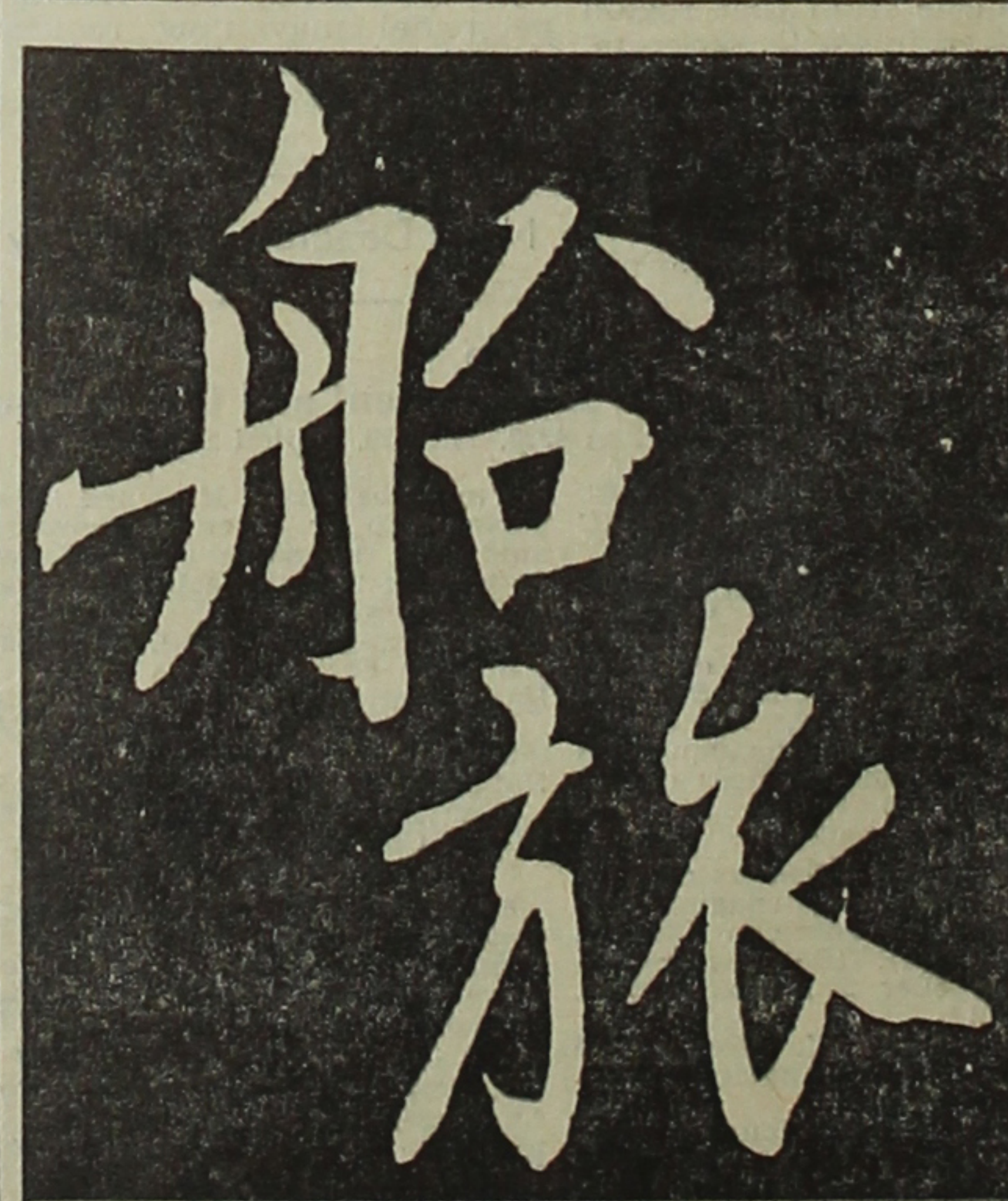


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Sansei Slant

By PATTI DOHZEN
Chmn. Nat'l. Youth Council

This is the second week that my column has been in existence. And though I still have yet to be stung by the Deadline Bug, I appreciate the Editor's encouragement and the opportunity he has given me to express my views.

Los Angeles
In reference to Roger Nikado's last column (PC, Oct. 4), I would have to agree with his statement that the Sansei are somewhat caught between "two divergent forces."

'Touch of Madness'

Though it is not true with all, I would also agree that many Sansei are victims of the "ghetto" situation, whether they are aware of it or not. As a result, I can share and empathize the frustrated feeling of the situation which causes this lack of "a touch of madness."

It is not unusual to see an individual react to a small dose of madness. On occasion, everyone "lets their hair down" once in a while. It is, however, very rare when Sansei or even Orientals collectively will emulate this feeling.

I have had the opportunity to witness such a happening. The event occurred at a conference last September that carried the theme "Are You Yellow?" sponsored by the Sansei Concern (now changed to Oriental Concern).

Under the skillful direction of songleader, Vince Gomez, a group of Orientals, mainly Sansei, sat in a circle and sang together to create what is known as a circle sing. That in itself was a very significant moment, but the incident that followed was even more fantastic.

Still affected by the mood Vince had generated in the circle sing, they all congregated afterward to continue singing by themselves. The sound that came from their voices was something that I never believed could be possible among a group of Orientals.

Completely dissolving all stereo images of shyness and inhibition, their voices poured forth a clear and vibrant sound that can only be created deep from within. Oblivious to any feelings of self-consciousness, nothing else mattered except singing the song.

There was no leader to guide or direct them; yet, each one was attuned to one another, blending their voices into one.

These were not Sansei and Orientals that sang typically accepted songs in thin, weak voices. These were kids who improvised words to traditional songs, who sang "Row, Row Your Boat" because it was fun and who acted out the sounds of the animals to "Old MacDonald Had a Farm."

They were filled with that "touch of madness," they were on a trip, they were, as a friend put it, "high on air." Whatever it was, whatever made it happen, it did occur. And it was beautiful.

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10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., the delegates could arrange their own time. This system would also assist in keeping tab on chapter not eligible to vote.

STORY

I end my column with the following story which I heard the other day.

PREJUDICE IS IGNORANCE

All my life I thought I despised cats. I even looked down my nose at people who liked cats. Then, I accidentally acquired two adorable kittens. My comment was that kittens were cute but the problem was, they inevitably turned into cats.

But, being fond of the kittens, it followed as the night the day, they were firmly established as members of the family by the time they became cats. And, these two intelligent creatures educated me gradually and efficiently into the world of cat admirers.

I discovered, to my amazement, that most of the objections I had harbored against cats, were quite without justification. They brought me an entire new dimension in the enjoyment of being owned by pets.

Spokane to host PNW meet Oct. 27

SPOKANE — The Pacific Northwest District Council will meet at the Holiday Inn here on Sunday, Oct. 27, with Gov. Henry Kato presiding. Spokane JACL is host.

Delegates will discuss the district budget, chapter quotas, new membership fees in view of the national increase and hear reports from Dr. John Kanda, national 3rd v.p., on National Board matters, from Emi Somekawa on the History Project and program activities; Sam Nakagawa on Pacific Citizen, Dr. Terrence Toda on membership; Alan Kumamoto and Nobu Tsuboi on youth; Ike Iwasaki on planning; Ed Yamamoto on group insurance; Tom Imori on budget-finance; Don Kazama on human rights and from Mas Satow on national headquarters matters.

Delegates will also comment on the national convention. Chapter presidents will make a chapter activities report.

A no-host dinner at the Chuck Wagon Inn for Satow and Kumamoto is planned for Saturday, Oct. 26, 7 p.m.

Fowler groups to host Uchiyama testimonial

FOWLDER — A testimonial dinner for Judge Mikio Uchiyama of the Fowler Municipal Court and the first Central California Nisei to become a judge will be held at Bruce's Lodge here on Wednesday, Oct. 30, 7:30 p.m. at the Fowler JACL and the Central California Judo Black Belt Assn. as co-sponsors.

Seating is limited to 300 persons, chapter president Dick Iwamoto pointed out. Local public officials and dignitaries have been invited. Dinner committees include: Harley Nakamura, Tom Nagamatsu, co-chmn.; Jim Hashimoto, Johnson Shimizu, fin.; Mrs. Hisa Iwamoto, arr.; George Teraoka, toastmaster; Thomas Toyama, pub.

Eden Township to honor Issei at potluck fete

SAN LORENZO — Issei, 70 and over, will be honored guests at the Eden Township JACL potluck supper tonight at the Eden Japanese Community Center. Two Japanese films with English subtitles, "The Adventures of Zatoichi," the blind samurai, and modern melodrama, "A Gambler's Daughter," will be shown. Mas Yokota and Gish Endo, co-chairmen, are being assisted by: Yuri Yokota, Takako Endo, Jean Kawahara, Kazuo Sakai, Alyce Fujii, Grace Nakashima and Masako Minami.

1000 Club Notes

Sept. 30 Report: National Headquarters acknowledged 51 new and renewing 1000 Club memberships during the second half of the month. Month-end total of current members was 2,010.

21st Year—Progressive Westside: Fred K. Ota.
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East L.A. 1000er heads So. Calif. Grocers Assn.

LOS ANGELES — Yosh Inadomi, president of Jon-Son's Markets, was installed as president of the So. Calif. Grocers Assn. at the annual Food Industry banquet Sept. 17 at the Hollywood Palladium.

The longtime East Los Angeles JACL 1000 Club member is the first person of Japanese ancestry to head the organization and is the lone Nisei on the SCGA board.

'Oriental Concern' to meet at Oct. 13 picnic

LOS ANGELES — Persons interested in joining the projects being organized by the Oriental Concern will meet this Sunday, 11 a.m., by the carousel in Griffith Park.

The group is working on problems of identity confronting the Oriental youth. Other projects including human relations, social and political action, high school workshop, minorities studies, and investigation on the Internal Security Act.



FIRST RECITAL—Mme. Jumasuga Hanayagi (above), perhaps the first Sansei to earn teaching credentials from the Hanayagi School of Dance in Tokyo in 1966, will present her first dance recital of students Oct. 12, 7:30 p.m., at the San Jose Buddhist Betsuin Annex. In private life, she is Mrs. Robert Nakaji (nee Marjorie Iwasaki), who participated in many cultural programs of the San Francisco Jr. JACL while a nursing student at UC Medical Center.

Historic organ at San Francisco Zen temple rebuilt, critic praises piece

The select audience of some 200 was present at Sokoji Zen Temple at 1881 Bush St. on Sept. 23 to hear a concert on the newly rebuilt pioneer organ included several local music reviewers who praised the old instrument and the organist in their articles. Robert Commanday of the San Francisco Chronicle wrote:

San Francisco
How ecumenical can you get?

A recital on a newly reconstructed pioneer California organ, originally built for a Jewish congregation, was played in the Buddhist Zen mission by the First Unitarian Church organist on Rosh Hashonah.

The Buddhist church on Bush St. had no use for the old organ that had been left in 1937 by the previous occupants, the Congregation Ohahal Shalom.

An organ builder with lots of free time after his day's work as a cab driver wanted to try his hand fixing it up.

That is how a handsome tracker action instrument built in 1872 by California's first resident organ maker, Joseph Severin Mayer (1823-1909), came to speak again with a strong, resonant voice Sept. 23.

The re-builder, cab driver, Paul Alexander, assisted by Robert Hunt, had done his work well. A variety of selections played by Alexander Post in the inaugural recital did not find the Mayer organ wanting.

Suitable Music

Romantic elements added in 1909 had been removed. The organ was re-styled in the North German classic manner eminently suited to the baroque music from that region, emphasized in Post's program.

The Mayer-Alexander organ showed a positive, rather aggressive personality in the opening work: four conservative Vaughan Williams-ish pieces by the contemporary

North German, Hans Friedrich Michelsen.

The organ had a highly stimulating, nervy tone color in its brightest combination of voices. The flutes were particularly pointed.

In three chorale preludes by Brahms played by Post with elegantly defined phrasing and musicality, the flutes turned to a kind of soft, woodiness with an evenly matched and delightful chilly attack.

The reeds also covered a good tonal range including an authentic buzziness in the krumphorn down to a great corrugated snarl in the 16-foot bassoon. The trumpet, one of the original stops, seemed thin and nasal.

All the resources of this surprisingly versatile instrument were exploited beautifully by Post in the concluding and climactic part of the recital.

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LACCHR chairman

LOS ANGELES — Roscoe C. Washington, retired law enforcement officer, was elected chairman of the L.A. County Commission on Human Relations. On the executive committee is Mrs. Yoshimaro Shibuya.

Linguists sought

FORT MONROE, Va.—Qualified enlisted linguists to be trained in one of the nearly 30 foreign languages are being sought as volunteers, it was announced by the Continental Army Command. To encourage volunteers, the enlisted personnel may now request assignment to specific geographic areas for linguistic duties.

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/s/ Harry K. Honda
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REP. MINK APPLAUDS U.S. PROGRAM FOR HANDICAPPED PRE-SCHOOLERS

\$1 Million Authorized for Model Pre-Schools
This Year, \$22 Million More for 1970-1971

WASHINGTON — Rep. Patsy T. Mink applauded the establishment of a Federal program of pre-school and early education for handicapped children — who currently number more than 6 million in the U.S.

"Of the many unfortunate children we have come to call the 'disadvantaged,' no child is more deserving of our interest and assistance than the child who is born with a physical, mental or emotional handicap," said Mrs. Mink. Mrs. Mink is a co-sponsor of the legislation and she is a member of the House Select Subcommittee on Education which conducted the public hearings and reported the bill to the House. It was signed into law on Oct. 1 by President Johnson.

\$1 Million in Aid

The Federal government is authorized to spend \$1 million in the current fiscal year on assistance to model pre-school programs for handicapped children.

The authorization is increased to \$10 million in fiscal 1970 and \$12 million in fiscal 1971.

Mrs. Mink pointed out that of the estimated 6 million or more children in the country who are afflicted with a speech, hearing and other physical handicap, "less than one-third of these youngsters currently receive special educational services."

She added: "Less than one-half of the Nation's school districts have special classes for handicapped children, and in the overwhelming number of situations where classes are available, there are no early education programs."

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Changing skyline

Honolulu
The board of directors of Amfac, Inc., on Sept. 25 approved plans for a 26-story, 500-room, \$12 million hotel in Waikiki. It will be built on Kalahele Ave. between the Waikiki Theater and the International Market Place and will have access to Kuhio Ave. The site is the site of the Waikiki Liberty House. Construction is expected to start early in 1969. Opening tentatively is scheduled for middle of 1970.

Dedication ceremonies for the new 1200-room Ala Moana Hotel, which is being built next to Ala Moana Center on Atkinson Drive, were held Sept. 4. The place is the site of the old Ala Moana Tropical restaurant. The hotel, being developed by Dillingham Development Corp., is expected to be completed by the fall of 1970. Senator Daniel K. Inouye on Sept. 5 challenged Hawaii's planners to go beyond their concern for physical facilities and come up with more imaginative and more socially oriented concepts of planning to help cool the forces of discontent. He was keynote speaker at the opening day luncheon of the 1968 Hawaii Congress of Planning Commissioners and

Seattle —

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dent said junior high children were emotional babies who needed education direction and discipline. "Are we supposed to let children tell us what to do?" she asked. "Let's get our children and tan a few hides if we have to."

School counselor described the scene Wednesday as pure terrorism. Up to 200 students were milling in the halls, distracting students in the classrooms. One teacher locked a classroom door to control the class. When the room was reopened, a hand holding a pistol appeared and fired a shot. It was a blank shooting pistol, "but we were not aware of that then," the counselor continued. There were other shots fired in the school.

Meanwhile, the Seattle Teachers Assn. and the Seattle Federation of Teachers were petitioning for complete protection of faculty.

Mayor Braman Speaks

Speaking to the Seattle-King County Bar Assn. the same week Mayor Braman declared that if Americans don't find a way to "cool off," they will find themselves under a fascist dictator. The unrest and disorders are not too different from conditions in pre war Germany, he said. Some of the programs he believes the city has underway to improve the racial situation include:

Meeting of real estate officials and Negroes, a community relations bureau in the Police Dept., appointment of a Negro judge, Neighborhood Youth Corps program, employment of 3,500 young persons this summer (which incurred complaints from white parents who said their youngsters were not able to find summer jobs), and preventing the state highway department from bisecting the Central Area with new roadways.

Nisei Robbed

The wave of hoodlumism, vandalism, burglaries, robberies, beatings and murder has terrorized the city. Names of Japanese American victims have continued to appear in the daily papers.

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Aloha from Hawaii

by Richard Gima

Nikaïdo —

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authoritarians' middle-class values. In the imaginary game, the Rebels' goal-line stance is in reality a meaningful goal of changing the hypocritical middle-class values held by their elders. They have seen this hypocrisy slowly engulfing this country unchallenged. But today, the youths are challenging those values and will not give in nor be bribed to accept them as their own.

Examples of middle-aged hypocrisy include: preaching Christian ethics but setting it aside when the almighty Dollar is involved; believing in constructive changes and mobility but not for racial minorities and believing in the Commandment "Thou shall not kill," but sending their young to kill 5,000 miles away without giving them a convincing reason why.

The young rebels are also right when they argue that our problems lie deeper than a particular racial problem or a particular war in Southeast Asia. Ours are in fact the problems of a new kind of society trying to find its way in a new kind of world where complete destruction is only two buttons away.

While the young can legitimately be criticized for not including constructive alternatives in their protests, they are at least confronting the central issues of our time, and confronting them more directly than most of us can afford to. They are asking the basic questions, presenting the challenge, and moving toward some of the answers we all desperately need.

Matsui —

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racists. Its total meaning is hate and contempt. So how do you rationalize its usage? How the heck do you say it "good naturally?"

There are some Nisei who think they're being "open minded" or "big about it" when they use the word "Jap" among themselves. Actually I've never heard the word used purely in jest even among the best of friends. It's used when someone gets irritated with what his friend said or did and where it's not acceptable to him to show hostility towards his friend over such a minor matter. That's when he jokingly "Japs" his friend.

As a final note to Mr. Pinson: It's been only a little more than a couple of decades ago that the plantations had maintained their racially segregated camps for Filipinos, Puerto Ricans, Portuguese, Japanese, and sent their spies into the Filipino camp to spread the rumor that the Japanese are saying this about the Filipinos, and vice versa, et cetera.

This was smart business because it kept the laborers unorganized but it also left a wound in intergroup relations that will hopefully heal with time. In other words, the beautiful atmosphere of racial harmony you imply exists in Hawaii is not yet a reality—but hopefully it will be one day soon. And one of the important first step that must be taken to reach this goal is to cut out all of this name-calling "crap," "good naturally" and otherwise, before we pass

Hawaii constitutional convention ends task

HONOLULU — The Hawaii Constitutional Convention of 1968 adjourned Sept. 24, its labors ended except for the formal ceremony of signing the revised Constitution.

The work of the convention will be submitted to the opinion of the voters in the General Election of Nov. 5.

The voter will be given a ballot divided into three parts, as follows:

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Helen Shima of Cleveland rates among top Nisei women bowlers

By GARY YAMAUCHI

Los Angeles
If a poll was taken to select the number one Nisei woman bowler in the country, I would imagine that almost every Nisei on the West Coast would consider Judy Sakata, Dusty Mizunoue, or Mari Matsuzawa for their prime candidate. However, before casting my ballot, I would have to watch Helen Shimabukuro, ace kaglerette from Cleveland, Ohio.

THE FOUL LINE

Calif., has secured a prominent place in the tenpin world and is considered one of the leading women bowlers in the Midwestern region. She began to make her presence known during the 1961-62 season when she captured the Cleveland Kessler Ladies Singles League championship, while averaging a robust 187.

During that same winter season, Helen was second in the Ohio State Match Game Tournament, second in the Central States Doubles Championships, third in the Cleveland City All-Events, fourth in the Central States All-Events, and third in the Bowling Proprietors' Association local All-Star Eliminations.

MARUKYO CELEBRATES

10TH ANNIVERSARY

LOS ANGELES — Marukyo, Japanese art goods and kimono store managed by Koshiro Torii since it opened in 1958, celebrated its 10th anniversary at an elaborate buffet Oct. 1 at the Statler-Hilton here.

It is the first U.S. branch of Waitaku & Co., Kyoto, headed by Shichiro Watanabe, who was also present.

Torii, who was re-elected president of the Little Tokyo Businessmen's Assn., gained the admiration of the local community through his participation in Nisei Week activities and donating kimono to all Nisei Week contestants.

Sac'to Friendship Club

LOS ANGELES — Former Sacramentoans in Los Angeles hold their Friendship Club meeting at the Harry Momtias, 3033 Gale Ave., Long Beach this Sunday after the 3 p.m. lunch at Currie's Santa Fe on the corner of Pacific Coast Hwy. and Santa Fe.

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GOVERNMENT RELOCATION PROGRAMS

Japanese Americans will submit that "relocation" is a word that commands some harassing experiences they wouldn't want to relive. Without fanfare, the federal government has issued a new and revolutionary guideline for relocating families—only this time it affects those who are to be displaced by superhighways.

The new Federal Highway Act of 1968 requires that states assure Washington that enough "decent" housing exists to rehouse those to be displaced by free-ways before road projects can gain federal approval. The replacement housing must be at least comparable to that the state wishes to acquire. If such housing isn't available at a "fair market price" of the homes in the freeway's path, the states can now pay the owners a subsidy up to \$5,000 in addition to the acquisition price.

Sen. Edmund Muskie of Maine, Democratic vice presidential candidate, is generally regarded as the father of the "relocation concept" of 1968.

The Dept. of Transportation guidelines list minimum requirements for "decent" housing to include: (a) a continuing and adequate supply of potable safe water; (b) artificial lighting for each room; (c) conformity with state or local building, plumbing, electrical, housing and occupancy codes; (d) a kitchen sink supplying hot and cold water in good working condition and a sewage disposal system, a good working stove and refrigerator if required by local codes or space and utility outlets for them; (e) structural soundness, good repair and adequate maintenance; (f) a well-lit and ventilated private bathroom with a lavatory basin, a bathtub or stall shower with hot and cold running water, and flush water closet—all in good working order; (g) and at least two, unobstructed exits leading to safe ground-level open space.

If these requirements are the minimum of "decent" housing—and it's conceivable these standards can be utilized by the other departments of the federal government—it can be said there are some aged Issei in Los Angeles who haven't this much, let alone many others who live in tenements and slums.

"Relocation" to the Issei-Nisei generation on the west coast first meant the dust of Manzanar, the smell of horse stables at Santa Anita and other race tracks and fairgrounds to wait until "relocation centers" were built, and the worst of crowded living conditions.

The government relocation program of 1942 meant living in barracks built by the Army Engineers according to standards for housing young, unmarried men in a "theater of operations". The wooden barracks were 110 feet long, covered with tar paper and grouped into what were called "blocks". Each block consisted of two rows of six or seven barracks each, between with were a messhall, laundry room and latrine. Another barrack was used for recreational purposes.

Each block, at the start, housed from 250 to 300 people who slept in the barracks, ate, washed their clothes, bathed, etc. At one edge of the blocks, often separated from them by a broad firebreak, were a few more barracks or somewhat more solidly built houses for the project staff and the camp administrative offices. Here, too, there were usually a common mess and a laundry room. Beyond that was a miniature Army camp housing the MPs who patrolled the camp boundaries and checked arrivals and departures at the gate.

The evacuees who arrived in camps while construction crews were still working were the true relocation camp pioneers. Some slept in laundry rooms or rec halls the first night. At Minidoka, workmen kept just one block ahead of incoming evacuees. At Poston, dust from the bulldozed areas swirled through cracks of the wall and floor so that the mouth was always gritty.

Life for the evacuee the first month in camp was one of getting down to the business of simple living. They found themselves in a bare room about 20 feet square or in an unpartitioned barrack. There was nothing in the rooms but Army cots and blankets, no other furniture, no running water, nothing with which to prepare food or the baby's bottle. . . . Makeshift furniture has to be built if one could find lumber. Curtains were rigged to provide some privacy. The ground around the barracks had to be cleared of construction debris. . . . And the camp administration told evacuees to mop at least once daily and keep everything off the floor at least six inches off the floor. The evacuee had no lumber with which to build stands and everytime he mopped, he had to move his belongings on top of the GI cot.

These were the years (1942-44) when JACL was the scapegoat for all the misfortunes and frustration of evacuees. JACL leaders in camp were the target of Nisei gangsterism. It was the Issei concept of "law and order" that eventually triumphed to bring some sense of community solidarity within the relocation center.

The government relocation program of 1942 spawned other problems—but we're only comparing housing this time.

The government relocation concept of 1968 is a complete turnaround. In fact, one highway official calls the 1968 program "a code all the country can live with".

But the relocation center was only a midway point in government relocation concept of 1942. Because of the rumors of violence against persons of Japanese ancestry throughout the midwest and east, the attitudes of the American communities were probed by an advance corps comprised of students going to colleges, those who couldn't adjust to cramped quarters in the center and the thousands who had temporary leave to harvest crops.

Once the evacuee was accepted outside, the continuing program was called Resettlement. Today, "relocation" is being used again to move people—but under much more palatable and dignified conditions.

Yamato Hall in Little Tokyo had colorful history

By KATS KUNITSUGU

Los Angeles
With the demolition of the old Yamato Hall building on the corner of Central Ave. and Jackson St. in Los Angeles goes the last vestiges of one of the most colorful chapters in Little Tokyo's history.

That chapter concerns the gambling club — originally named Yamato Club which was later changed to Tokyo

GUEST COLUMN

Club — which held sway on the third floor of the building from July of 1916 to just before the outbreak of World War II in 1941.

According to photographer Toyo Miyatake who grew up in the area, the Yamato Club was established by professional Japanese gamblers with the tacit support of the Japanese community to prevent gambling money from being dropped in the Chinese gambling places in nearby Chinatown.

The Tokyo Club reached its zenith around 1930 under the leadership of two bosses, Yamawaki and Sera, who ran the club under an ironclad rule of never causing the club's activities to bring embarrassment to the "straight" Japanese community.

Soup Kitchen

Without publicity or fanfare, it used to be an unofficial soup kitchen for unemployed Japanese during the depth of the Depression, providing meals for 60 to 80 such persons a day. Japanese artists who couldn't find clients for their canvases could count on the Tokyo Club to buy their works and keep them from starving.

After the Yamawaki and Sera eras, the club degenerated from power struggles among the lesser lights, and with the election of the reform group to City Hall in 1938, its future was doomed.

Professional gamblers, with their own codes of honor, are among the popular folk heroes of Japan, as witness the celebrity of Shimizu-no-Jirocho and all his "kobun" or Kunitada Chuji in song and popular literature, not to mention the movies. "Matatabi-mono" movies are like Westerns in their persistent popularity among avid movie fans.

Addiction Doubled

I doubt whether Orientals are any more addicted to gambling than any other category of Americans, but since they are what sociologists call "easily identifiable minorities," their presence at race tracks and Las Vegas is noticeable.

With their permissive background in gambling (post-war Japan seems to be a gambler's paradise with "pachinko" parlors and bicycle races as well as horse racing competing for any stray yen from the hard-working, hard-saving Japanese), Japanese here don't seem to attach much of an onus toward gambling, particularly where it is legitimate.

I'm probably the only Nisei around who has never been to Las Vegas. My father, who worked in the tough produce markets, however, was an inveterate wagerer on horses, a connoisseur of "hana" and a buyer of petroleum stocks.

I once had a theory that people who like to gamble led dull lives, either in their work or in their home life, but I don't think that theory holds water. The nature of my father's work in the wholesale produce market before the war had a large element of gambling in it. In fact from what I understand, he cornered the market on onions or something in the early 1930's which enabled us to go to Japan in the depth of the Depression.

At a recent Jaycees' meeting, they were discussing chartering a plane to Reno, and a suggestion was made that the publicity should stress that this affair is strictly for the men. The last time they announced such a trip, they had some inquires from sweet-voiced Issei ladies who wanted to go along.

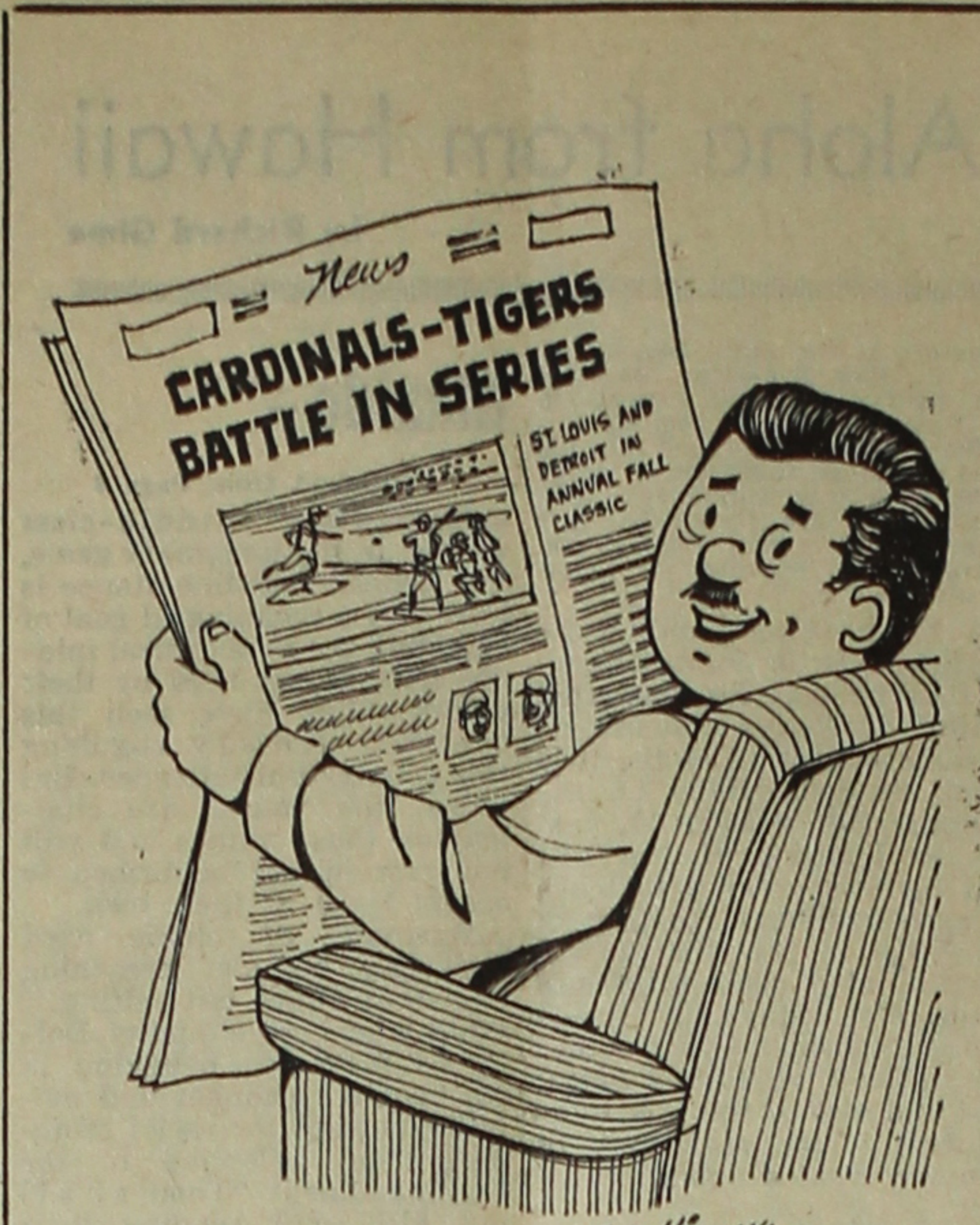
I think it's too bad that churches no longer can hold Bingo games for the oldsters. Many retired people, with time on their hands and quite lonely for companionship, would appreciate a harmless once-a-week Bingo game at some church, I'm sure.

—Kashu Mainichi

Bishop W. Hammaker, 92

WASHINGTON — Wilbur E. Hammaker, 92, the former bishop of the Methodist Church in Colorado, died Aug. 11 after he collapsed in a Denver hotel July 28.

A missionary in China before being elevated bishop in 1940, he was among the wartime sponsors of National JACL.



'Might be interesting to eavesdrop on St. Louis and Detroit members during the next MDC meeting.'

POETIC TRIBUTE

To President Enomoto

Over the weeks, the Humphreys and Nixons had plenty to say the way
Their campaigns muddled and muddled with more on
It's natural to compare this year's presidential races
We just had one in San Jose with our own set of faces

Top on the list of candidates was incumbent Enomoto
His campaign sprinkled with plenty of Ajinomoto
His opponents hurled suds but always seemed to miss
They had a pun and it went something like this:

His stomach was so big that he was once mistaken for a cow
But thanks to sitting all day, that's all behind him now
His leadership proven over the years in both business and fun
Jerry says he's gonna do it again. You Sony of a gun!

—ROGER NIKAIIDO

Letters from Our Readers

Let's be charitable

Editor:
Even as a life-long "liberal Democrat", I can't help but feel that we are overdoing Spiro Agnew's faux pas in his "jocular" remark about the "fat Jap".
We Nisei ought to learn to desensitize our own tender skins, particularly when we seem to live unabashedly with frequent references within our circles about the "kurochans", "kuichi", and "keto". Admittedly Agnew goofed, but let's be charitable and accept his apology without a big hue and cry.

This reminds me of my recent trip to Japan when we were thrust together with a group of white Afrikaaner travelers. While I disagreed completely with their apartheid views, I found some of them to be very personable individuals — extremely friendly to the Japanese. At one time the term "Jap" slipped from their tongues but I doubt that they were aware of it or implied any kind of slur.

It would seem to me that we gain by adopting a more mature and less defensive attitude towards allegedly derogatory remarks. Let's also not forget the admonishment about people who live in glass houses.

GEORGE YASUKOCHI

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Agnew agitation

(Following are copies received at Pacific Citizen of telegrams dispatched this past week to Nixon-Agnew campaign headquarters, Willard Hotel, Washington, D.C., or to the Governor's House, Annapolis, Md.—Ed.)

My Dear Governor:

"A racial epithet is to be deplored no matter by whom it may be uttered. It is particularly tragic when such opprobrium is heaped by one who now seeks to lead our Nation, particularly in these troubled times."

"I am, of course, aware of the fact that you, yourself, are from a minority group, namely the Greek-Americans. It is particularly baffling to this writer that such being the case, that not only as an American who seeks to lead this country but also as a member of a minority group yourself that you would give vent to a racial epithet that is per se deplorable and divisive. It is fervently hoped that you will not be unmindful of your own beginnings as an American and thereby respect and honor the backgrounds of all other Americans."

WILLIAM M. MARUTANI
JACL Legal Counsel
Philadelphia

Aiso—

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Critical two years

The coming two years will be critical years in American-Japanese relations. Our mutual security treaty comes up for review in 1970.

It comes at a time when all Americans are anxious to bring our boys home from Vietnam, if it can be done honorably. Our withdrawal will create a vacuum in the Far East. A realignment in the responsibilities for maintaining the peace and stability of that part of the world is inevitable.

Japan will have to take a more active part; the Japanese people will have to bear a greater portion of the load.

But in the spirit of friendship, understanding, and mutual cooperation of our peoples which has become more genuine than ever before,

we should be able to reach an arrangement which will redound to our mutual interests and to that of the world as a whole.

As members of the human race, both Americans and Japanese cannot shirk our God-given duty to make the brotherhood of man a reality in the Pacific area. The brotherhood of man is, after all, a common ideal and tenet in both the Christian and Buddhist religions.

As for Americans of Japanese ancestry, let us ever ponder on the Japanese cherry trees in our nation's capital.

As saplings of Japanese stock they dug their roots deep into the American soil, and in due season brought beauty to the American scene of the Washington, Lincoln, and Jefferson Memorials redolent with the loftiest spirit of America.

25 Years Ago

In the Pacific Citizen, Oct. 9, 1943

Nisei troops (100th Infantry) get first taste of combat in mountains above Gulf of Salerno Sept. 25 battling Nazis.

Teen-age terrorists arrested by FBI for shooting and injuring three evacuee workers at War Food Administration labor camp in Provo, Utah, on Oct. 2, and home of Nisei in nearby Orem; Utah Gov. Maw condemns attack and criticizes petitions urging ousting of Nisei.

Hawaii's Japanese Americans hold first mass meeting Sept. 12 to discuss place in war effort. . . . Families being broken up as segregation proceeds. . . . Navajo Indian council chief Jake Morgan protests appointment of Nisei as instructors and advisers in Indian Service. . . . Lessons from Nisei swimmer Kiyoshi Nakamura, AAU champion rejected by Army for flat feet, saves life of Navy officer who learned swimming from him at Ohio State. . . . Pocatello AFL

building—trades council boycotts firms employing evacuees. . . . San Luis Obispo chamber of commerce oppose return of evacuees. . . . Misue Ogata is first Poston resident granted Army permission to return to Hawaii. . . . Granada Camp closed to visitors as safeguard against polio epidemic in Arkansas Valley. . . . Dr. Lynn White, Mills College president and Prof. Max Radin of Boalt Hall, UC Berkeley, uphold citizenship for Nisei in CBS west coast debate against Atty. Raymond Williamson of San Francisco and Frederick Fisher, former associate justice of Philippines supreme court.

Nisei USA: Mr. Costello's Star Chamber.
Editorials: The Young Hoodlums (on the Provo shooting of Nisei evacuee workers); Misinformation and Ignorance (on Pocatello labor union boycott).

Indian summer in New York up the Hudson

By JOE OYAMA

Staatsburg, N.Y.
It's so quiet here at Margaret Lewis Norrie State Park — only the incessant sound of the crickets and an unidentified "ge-ge-ge-ge" though not quite the sound of a frog comes from the trees. The sound of crickets is pleasant, like the gentle strains of an orchestra. This is the time of year we like best.

MANHATTAN ECHOES

It is night and dark outside. We are in a cabin enveloped in trees high above the Hudson. We arrived exhausted but after a short nap, we were completely revived and relaxed. This is better than staying at an inn or hotel.

You can't beat it for only \$40 a week and the State of New York is our benefactor providing us with a clean and comfortable quarters, relaxing in its simplicity with only the basics—a decent "living room area" with a camp-style table, benches and chairs; two small bedrooms with narrow bunk beds; a pleasant kitchen with gas stove (25 cents per cubic foot) and refrigerator.

In the twilight after the sun had set down below the river, we saw a cabin cruiser for no ostensible reason braking and turning the motor off — (no one was fishing) just to send the blue and orange-hued and purplish waves across the wide expanse of the river.

As we were waiting for the charcoal to heat in the barbecue iron grill, we watched the valley grow dark across the river where Bear Mountain recedes into the distance and we could only see the dark trees silhouetted against the darkening river below. The driftwood going upstream, ripples like a flying saucer formation in the water — were they a school of fish?

We sat there in silence and when we talked—it was only in whispers because the night was overwhelming. New Yorkers have a tendency to talk loud to compete with the noise of the city. Sometimes we are unfairly branded as "loud-mouth people". But here, there was no necessity for speaking above a whisper.

In the dark, barely discernible because of nightfall and the tall trees, we saw a skunk foraging for food and uncomfortably tame. It came out under the barbecue grill sniffing and then disappeared under the cabin only to appear in the light issuing from the porch near the stairs, where a pair of rubber zori rested.

Most of the cabins here are empty as it is off-season (actually, the best time of the year). The park is only open until Oct. 15 and the rentals have a 2-week limit.

A neighbor came tonight and knocked on the door and asked my son if there were any children here to join a camp fire.

There are 351 acres here. Down the river, there is a yacht basin, accommodations for cabin cruisers and small craft.

We are not far from Hyde Park, the Franklin D. Roosevelt National Historic Site, and the Vanderbilt Mansion National Historic Site.

Nearest big town is Poughkeepsie and Vassar College is on its outskirts. There are many scientists and technologists here from Japan at the large IBM Center close by. They go into New York City—91 miles away from here—for rest and relaxation.

Organ—

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An unsung master of the North German baroque, Nicola Bruhns, was represented by his Prelude and Fugue in F minor, a work of great dramatic flair and contrasts.

Then Post, stripping off his coat in the warm organ loft, delivered three excellently shaped Bach Chorale Preludes and a radiant reading of Bach's Prelude (in Italian concerto style) and Fugue in G major.

Other Compositions

Beforehand, there were three lesser experiences—Mendelssohn's C minor Prelude and Fugue (on a sea shantyish, dud of a subject) Couperin's Dialogue sur la Voix Humaine featuring a reed stop tuned to the ill-tempered scale and a moderately attractive, sometimes amusingly bouncy Partita on Bruhns' Thuringian contemporary, Georg Boehm.

The Buddhist church building will be torn down in a few years by the Western Addition urban renewal project. If anyone is in the market for a good pipe organ with both pedigree and purpose, there it is—its severely Puritanical pipework looming above the ornate Japanese gilt.

—S.F. Chronicle

Wash Line

Roger Nikaide



A Game for Indigestion

Five and one-half years have already elapsed in the first quarter of play between the up-and-coming Young Rebels and the league leading Middle-aged Authoritarians. A capacity crowd of over 100 million American spectators are viewing what has become the biggest and longest battle of brains and brawn in the history of the nation.

With the score still 56 to 26, in favor of the undefeated Authoritarians, the challenging Rebels were last scored upon during the Democratic National Convention in Chicago where their youthful defense was overpowered by the local Authoritarians' crushing front-line offense. However, on several fourth-down situations, the Authoritarians failed to score against the Rebels' goal-line stance which has been spirited by their enormous drive to eliminate many of the Authoritarians' middle-class values.

The Young Rebels are best known for their demonstration tactics and protest-march formation, but have been occasionally penalized 15 yards for illegal use of the hands, mouth, flag, and draft cards. For the Middle-aged Authoritarians, their consistent power plays of law and order have been the most successful, but have backfired on several occasions when police brutality was instrumental in gaining yardage. On such occasions, the Authoritarians have been booed by disapproving on-lookers and penalized for unnecessary roughness.

While the above game situa-

is only this writer's imagination, the battle between the younger and older generation of Americans is a real one, although many of the latter group who wage it will not readily acknowledge it. Their social systems which organize and rationalize contemporary life have always been armed for the day when the youths would rebel against patronizing them.

Despite hand-outs and bribes of a place in the governing system in exchange for leaving the system intact, the middle-aged authoritarians have understandably failed to win the admiration of the youths.

In fact, a gradual escalation has occurred where the bribe has now become put-downs and tongue lashings.

Furthermore, the millions of American spectators are real. Untouched and unscarred, they sit relaxed in their easy viewing chair of complacency while the combatants seriously wage a war of values.

In any competitive sport, there is a warning signal given to alert the participants that there are only minutes remaining until the end. In this competition between generations, there is also a warning signal in the air that if we repress the challenge of the youths instead of understanding, we are all in danger of ending the best of our natural resources—the youthful mentality of hope for a better world.

The young rebels of today are principally attacking the

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Sounding Board Jeffrey Matsui

Agnew Flap

Appearing in the Honolulu Advertiser Oct. 2 was the following letter to the editor:

AGNEW FLAP

Having always considered Spark Matsunaga an astute politician, I am shocked at his mock indignation the case of the Agnew flap. To any local person who has grown up in an atmosphere where friends goad naturally call each other "kanaka", "Buddha-head", "Dumb Haole", "Pake", etc. Spark's big nose sounds awfully phony.

CHAS. NEWT. PINSON

This letter reflects the kind of thinking which helps to nourish the intergroup hostility born in our racially partitioned communities.

Kanaka, Haole, Pake are "legitimate" Hawaiian words. My father who was born in Hawaii in the 1890's and my mother who was born in Japan used them to mean the native Hawaiian, Caucasian and Chinese.

Many other Hawaiian words make up their total vocabulary. In fact my mother still thinks Hawaiian words are part of the English language and can't understand why there's such a wide communication gap between her and the door-to-door Caucasian Mormon ministers and those fast talking, usually effective salesmen.

Unfortunately, some of these Hawaiian words describing specific groups began to be used to house and project negative racial stereotypes.

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Accent on Youth Alan Kumamoto

Who's What?

No, not "Who's Who" or "What's What" but a "Who's What?" is coming out. This "who's what" is coming in the form of a National Junior JACL Roster—1969 edition.

However, this listing cannot be published until we receive the names of new chapter presidents, advisers, etc., along with the District officer names and addresses as well. We need the list. Can you provide the information? Our target deadline is Nov. 30.

And in the process of planning the biennium for the 1969-1970 period, we came across an aspect of the orientation program on Junior JACL. This was one of the tasks we have been trying to accomplish for the past three years. In fact there was some emphasis placed on it this past summer, however other priorities prevailed.

Now with the new administration we shall endeavor to at least minimally within the next month or so come up with a three or four fold panel leaflet. Again here, your ideas are solicited on what you as an individual would like to see stressed in an orientation leaflet on Junior JACL and/or the JACL National Youth Program. Your particular viewpoint be it that of a JACler, a Junior, an adviser, a non-JACL, etc. is desired.

Perhaps this could be our peers.

What's What.

Another undertaking and brain child of the active Harry Honda, our Pacific Citizen editor, is a correspondence kit for our National JACL officers. We have been working along with him to provide the proper packaging of the contents. The correspondence kit is another step in the right direction in establishing a chain of communication.

The Juniors might take heed on this emphasis on the written work to keep in touch and let the other guy in on what's happening. If the past year or two is a sign for the National Youth Council, we find that some write and some don't and of special comment might be the fact that we doubt whether JACL members receive the same type of perfunctory correspondence that some of our youth receive from their fellow officers.

The JACL National Board has no woman among its elected officers, whereas the Junior JACL National Youth Council has two young ladies.

So whatever President Jerry cannot get over to his board quietly, may have to resort to shouting and yelling. The contrast to this is the Youth Council session where the chairwoman could merely show a tear or two to win over her predominant male peers.