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EDITORIAL

INDEPENDENCE DAY

TODAY is Independence Day. Exactly a century and a half ago the United States of America was born.

The United States of America has not passed these one hundred and fifty years of her existence without a struggle.

American citizens of Japanese parentage should lay aside a portion of the day for solemn reflection.

REPRESENTATIVE OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR LAUDS MIYA SAN-OMIYA

Carl E. Melugin, San Francisco representative of the Christian Science Monitor of Boston, addressed a letter yesterday to K. Abiko, publisher of the Japanese American News...

"You will be interested to know that this morning I had a very engaging conversation with Miss Sannomiya. She is a worthy representative of second-generation Japanese and should do a great work in America...

Very sincerely, The Christian Science Monitor San Francisco News Office Carl E. Melugin.

Florin Couple Are Married at Buddhist Church

The wedding of Yoshimatsu Hika, a resident of South Florin, and Take Yamakawa was solemnized at the Florin Buddhist Church on June 25, and Priest Ko conducted the ceremony.

Y. M. B. A.-Y. M. C. A. Net Tournament Postponed

The proposed tennis tournament between the San Francisco Y. M. B. A. and the Y. M. C. A. net teams, which was to be held this month, has been postponed until after summer vacation...

SAN JOSE ASAHI'S TO BATTLE STOCKTON YAMATOS, FOURTH OF JULY

Notable To Participate in Grand-Opening Ceremony for New Asahi Diamond

American Band To Feature Parade; Asahi Second To Battle Palo Alto

San Jose Japanese community will be the scene of unparalleled rejoicing and merriment to-day (Fourth of July), when the many Asahi fans will celebrate the opening of the new Japanese baseball grounds with an elaborate program...

The American band will arrive on the scene at eleven o'clock in the forenoon. At noon an airplane will fly over the grounds and land on the new diamond.

The first baseball game of the day will be between Asahi second team and Palo Alto nine. The game is scheduled to start at half-past twelve immediately after the memorial photograph is taken.

The Asahi second team will have a terrific uphill struggle against the valiant knights from Palo Alto, for the latter have defeated the former several times.

New Head of Japanese M. E. Church To Speak in S. F.

Dr. H. F. Smith, successor of Dr. Johnson, superintendent of the Japanese M. E. Church of the Pacific Coast, will speak at the San Francisco Japanese M. E. Church, Sunday, June 4, at 11:00 a. m.

Dr. Smith is a remarkable person and a sympathizer of the oriental people, especially Japanese. He came from Korea and is well acquainted with oriental customs as well as the Japanese language.

Stockton Fujin-Kai, Y. M. B. A. To Present "Shibai"

Independence Day will be celebrated in Stockton, Sunday night, July 4, in the form of "shibai", participated by the Young Men's Buddhist Association and the Women's Club.

Irrington Returns after Triumphant Tour

The snappy Irrington team invaded both Salinas and Watsonville during its tour through these cities. The Irrington midgets trounced the Watsonville boys' team by 15 to 5.

SNAPSHOTS

Flashes from Here and There

San Francisco No wonder the Sutter Y. M. C. A. looks so desolate. Going down the list of the Comrade Club members, the whereabouts of the following boys have been discovered...

Salinas The second team of the Salinas Japanese Athletic Club met a decisive defeat at the hands of the Watsonville second team by the score of 6 to 16, Sunday, June 27.

Livingston A graduation party in honor of Japanese high and grammar school graduates of Livingston was held Saturday, June 26, under the auspices of the Parents' Club.

Watsonville Watsonville boys' team buckled up against the speedy Irrington Gakuen nine, but the latter proved too strong for the Apple Midgets with the result...

San Diego Young People's Society Honor Graduates

The Japanese Young People's Society of the First Congregational Church of San Diego held a graduation party recently in honor of all Japanese graduates of the San Diego schools. A large crowd attended and made the party a very successful one.

Oakland Ernest Murai left for Hawaii Tuesday on the S. S. Sonoma.

Sacramento Wakaba baseball team of Sacramento have already begun their baseball training.

Contributed Captain Harry Katsuyama is looking forward to a bright and successful future.

Comic strip titled '級階天學' (Kyuukai Ten Gaku) with multiple panels showing characters in various situations.

Local business and community notices including '二葉學園から' (From Nishiki Gakuin), '日本病院' (Nippon Hospital), and '難岡商店' (Nadaoka Store).

Large advertisement for '健康の源泉' (Source of Health) featuring 'Radium Ore' and 'Nadaoka Store' with detailed text and illustrations.

Large advertisement for '末廣米' (Matsubara Rice) featuring a woman holding a large banner with the brand name and descriptive text.