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REIJO GIRLS MAKING WAY FOR PARLEY

Sunday Date Set For English Service By Sacramento Club

Special To The Japanese American News SACRAMENTO, Feb. 7.—In preparation for the eleventh semi-annual conference of the Y. W. B. A. League of Northern California, which convenes in Vacaville sometime during March, the Sacramento Reijo Kwai will sponsor an English Devotional service on Sunday evening, Feb. 9, at 7:00 p. m. Mieke Inbe, president of the club, will be the chairman. The program follows:

1. Opening address—Chairman
2. Hymn—Buddhist Chorus
3. Adoration—led by Rev. Shimizu
4. Burning of incense
5. Refuge formula
6. Meditation (Piano solo)
7. Scripture reading—M. Ogino
8. Address—T. Nishimura
9. Promise—Gilbert Tsuda, YMBA
10. Address—Gilbert Tsuda, YMBA
11. Hymn—"Eternity"
12. Closing address—chairman

Big Congregation Enjoy Bakersfield Japanese Program

Special To The Japanese American News BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 7.—A large congregation filled the local American M. E. Church on Sunday night, Feb. 7, and enjoyed a "Japan Night" program by members of the local Japanese Methodist Church. For the opening number, a group of Japanese children in colorful costumes sang two songs in their native tongue. The girls from the Intermediate class sang "From My Gracious Father's Side," a song with a soft melancholy air of Japan.

TOYOHKO KAGAWA

"Kagawa, the St. Paul of the Orient," was the subject of an inspiring sermon given by Rev. T. Fukuda of Japanese M. E. Church, who has worked with Kagawa for a number of years in social settlement work in the slums of Japanese cities. Fukuda's address was prefaced by an illustrated talk on "Japan, the Fairland of the East," by Rev. Leonard Oeschli. It was very interesting to see many beautiful scenes of Japan in colors. The slides included pictures illustrating Mr. Kagawa's work in the slums. They gave the audience a vivid picture of Rev. Fukuda's sermon.

JOINT DEVOTIONAL

Kagawa is said to be the outstanding Christian of Asia and perhaps the most widely known Christian worker in Japan. He has written forty books. The revenue from the sales of these books is devoted by the author to further his social settlement work in the slums of Japan. The Bakersfield Epworth League will hold a joint devotional with the Weepatch Epworth League on February 9, at 6:30 p. m. Miss Mabel Mayeda will be the chairman for the evening. After the devotional the young people will hold social in the Primary Department class room.

Showa Cinder Men To Hold Practice On Sunday Morning

With many P. A. A. track meets on the program and the annual J. A. U. tournament not far off, track athletes of the Showa club will hold their first workout Sunday morning at a local stadium. The cinderpath warriors will assemble in front of the club house at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning. They will then proceed to either Kezar or Park Stadium. The runners who intend to run in the annual novice cross-city or compete in the San Jose carnival meet will fill in the entry blanks Sunday morning. Runners belonging to other organizations who desire to compete in these events are welcome to do so. They may obtain official blanks by writing to H. Kawal, 2142 Bush street, or by meeting him in front of the Clubhouse on Sunday morning at 9:30. The P. A. A. novice race will be held on Feb. 16 over a four and a half mile course within the Golden Gate Park. The San Jose Carnival will be held on Washington Birthday. Races from 100 yards to 8 miles, as well as several field events, are included on the card.

Local YWCA Cagers Will Meet Berkeley Girls This Evening

The starting signal will be given at 7 p. m., and not 7:30 p. m., on Saturday night, when the invading Hoehi-no-Hana girls basketball team meets the San Francisco sextette at the local Community House court. The stars in the contest tonight are, for the Berkeley team: Misses Tochi Fujii, Mary Harano, May Imamura, Koe Takahashi, Shizu Negishi, and Yone Kambara. For the Y. W. C. A., Misses Mary Tsujinaka, Shizu Goto, Kaoru Mura, Maki Ichihara, Nao Oka, Michi Nishimoto, Sophie Abe, Michi Yasuochi, are set to enter the court, with a large number of reserves ready at an emergency.

C. E. JOINS IN CONFERENCE

Japanese Group Will Take Part in Fete This Evening

The Christian Endeavor people of the local First Reformed Church will take an active part in the Bay region C. E. confab, which got swiftly under way on Friday at the Presbyterian Church, Van Ness and Sacramento streets. The president and committee chairman will attend a special discussion, which starts today at 2:30 p. m., for the purpose of exchanging ideas in carrying on their club program.

FRIDAY DEVOTIONAL

Many Japanese leaders from the Reformed church attended the opening day service on Friday, which was featured by a talk by Rev. Mr. Stern on the spiritual culture of young people. The banquet in the evening starts at 8 p. m. It will be attended by leaders of the Japanese group as well as the delegates. Rev. Glenn Moore of Vallejo will deliver the main address of the evening.

EFFECT OF CONFUCIANISM ON CHINA IS EXPLAINED

By TSUNEGO BABA
Translator's note.—The above is a translation from the German original and forms the concluding observations of Dr. Grube in his book Geschichte der chinesischer Literatur. It was written in 1902. But reading it today, one marvels still at the clear-cut manner the author interpreted the course of Chinese history and answered the oft-puzzling question why China's development had been arrested. What he forecasted as the only possible course to take for progress in future, has indeed seen its beginnings in the movements one accepts his interpretation of the last 15 years. Whether or not, here is a strong case against Confucianism, which challenges thought. For this reason, I have given the article the title which it now bears.

Having surveyed the general course of the development of Chinese literature, one irresistibly haled to the saying of Confucius, to wit: "Some only sprout, but do not ripen into fruit." Of sprouts, indeed, there has been an abundance, and of shoots great promise has been in evidence; but not in a single field of spiritual endeavor have they reached out to their complete unfolding unobstructed. Must we ascribe the cause of this striking, though deplorable, spectacle to a specific one-sidedness and narrowness of the national genius? That would be a mistake. For, as we have seen, examples are not wanting which sufficiently show that genius was called to higher tasks than those which it has actually accomplished. We should feel rather inclined to say that the door to further development closed. None of the religious systems in China had undergone purification in the hands of Confucius, and even later Confucianism remained silent and helpless in this domain. As a result, Taoism and Buddhism spread unhindered; and from their amalgamation with the earlier native religious and ancestor worship sprang the desolate religious syncretism of the popular beliefs of today. Even against the dark superstition of the fengshui has Confucianism been capable of exercising so little influence that the proudest learned Confucian today, no less than the common folk, stand under its sway. (To be continued)

BIG EDIFICE IS DESIGNED BY JAPANESE

Matsui Architect For 70-Story Building Erected in N. Y.

Special To The Japanese American News NEW YORK, Feb. 7.—Behind the skyward march of New York's glittering skyscrapers, is an outstanding Japanese architect, by name Yasuo Matsui, 53, who is now the president of the Dewey Company of Architects and Engineers. Although practically unknown among the resident Japanese here, his fame has spread far and wide among American architects. Recently he designed the 70-story Manhattan Company Building which is approaching completion near Wall street.

TOKYO VIEWS PLAN OF U. S.

Writer Thinks Japan Will Not Agree to New Formula

By JETSU KIOSAWA
Special To The Japanese American News LONDON, Feb. 7.—I am convinced through confirmations from various sources, that the proposal made by the United States to Japan may be stated substantially in the following:

GRADUATE OF BOSTON TECH.

Mr. Matsui came to America in 1888, after traveling extensively in Europe. He graduated from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and later took a post graduate course in the University of California. He came to New York in 1904. In 1916, he became the consulting architect of the George Fuller Company, which firm promoted him to the position of executive adviser for the George Fuller Company of the Orient two years later. In the latter capacity, he supervised the construction of the Marunouchi Building, the Nippon Yusen Building and the Nippon Petroleum Building in Tokyo.

LIMITED VIEW

This limited view of life explains why Confucius moved about exclusively within the realm of fact and possibility. What existed beyond this was to him unknown and indifferent. Religious and metaphysical questions he passed willfully by, and his ethical requirements never exceeded the bounds of the attainable. Likewise, learning was sought after less for the sake of knowledge than as a way to moral perfection. It was only a means to an end. And yet, the deficiencies peculiar to his spiritual aspirations should not by any manner of means have excluded a flourishing development of his teaching in the domains of religion, ethics and intellect. But, as fate would have it, his person became defiled, and his teaching principles became dogmatized. With this stroke was every door to further development closed.

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Japanese Play, "Tenshiru Chishiru," Draws Crowd to Benefit Program Given

By Young Men of Irvington Taikuu Kai

Special To The Japanese American News CENTERVILLE, Feb. 7.—"Tenshiru Chishiru," a Japanese play, was presented with much effectiveness last week-end by members of the local Taikuu Kai at a benefit entertainment. The players included Minoru Ikeda, Harry Nakagawa, Masato Shinkawa, Nori Nagai, Hisao Kataoka, Tom Kitashima, Masao Kataoka, Yasuto Kato, Tobi Hirabayashi, Kazuro Masuda, Tatsumi Tajima, and Mitsuki Koga.

SIX DIE WHEN FIRE STRIKES N. Y. K. LINER

Tatsuta to Make S. F. Trip on Schedule After Repair

Special To The Japanese American News NAGASAKI, Japan, Feb. 7.—The Tatsuta Maru, Japan's new super liner just completed by the N. Y. K. line at the Nagasaki docks, took fire while it was being equipped for its scheduled maiden voyage to San Francisco in May. Caught in the outburst of flames that threatened much damage to the ship, six workers were burned to death. Despite the first alarm, the fire was soon well under control, and the loss to the ship is estimated to be comparatively slight. The ship is expected to make its first trans-Pacific run according to schedule.

JAPANESE ORGANIZE NEW CIVIC LEAGUE IN HAWAII ISLANDS

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Special To The Japanese American News HONOLULU, Feb. 7.—The Wahaiwa Japanese Civic League was formally launched upon its career with an elaborate inaugural last week. The ceremony was staged at the Y. M. B. A. hall in Wahiawa. The inaugural banquet was attended by a number of special guests including the presidents of other civic clubs. Among the speakers congratulating the new-born club were: A. A. Wilson of Wahiawa, Lang Akana, president of the Hawaiian Civic Club; D. C. Chang of Wahiawa Chinese Club; Major Mahafey of Wahiawa; M. Katagiri of the Wahiawa Civic Club; James Gilliland, city and county attorney; T. Kusao, Waiyala representative of The Nippon Jiji; and Wilfred C. Tsukiyama, of the Hawaiian Japanese Civic Association.

Spring Semester of U. C. L. A. to Start On Monday, Feb. 17

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 7.—The spring semester at the University of California at Los Angeles will open on Monday, February 17, according to an announcement of Director Ernest Carroll Moore. The present week of February 3 is the closing week of the fall semester, and is being devoted to examinations. The week of February 10 will be a vacation with registration of students on Friday and Saturday, February 14 and 15. All students will be required to register for the spring semester, the new students registering on Saturday and the returning students registering on Friday. The successful candidates for degree will be determined immediately following the examination and will be announced as soon as approved by the Board of Regents.

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SUSPECTS INVOLVED IN TOKYO BRIBE ROW ARE OUT ON PAROLE

Special To The Japanese American News TOKYO, Feb. 7.—Satake Sango, ex-Vice Minister of Railway, and Susumi Toma, former president of the Echigo Railway Company, who have been imprisoned on charges of complicity in a bribe scandal, was today released on parole pending trial.

LUCAS GIVEN NYK POSITION

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The local office of the N. Y. K. steamship line announces that Leonard Lucas has succeeded James K. Steele as gen. adv. agent. Mr. Lucas, who was formerly assistant to Mr. Steele, was a newspaperman before his association with the N. Y. K. Frank Felix, former aviation editor of the San Francisco Examiner, has been engaged as assistant advertising agent. Mr. Lucas, with the assistance of Mr. Felix, will edit the Japan, a magazine devoted to Japan and things Japanese. Mr. Steele, the former editor, has been engaged as executive secretary of the Philippines Tourists' Association.

NO ISSUE IS CLEAR - CUT

By GLENN FRANK
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INTERESTING FACTORS

In conclusion he says: "The correlation in intelligence between parents and children, or between brothers and sisters, is about the same as that between husbands and wives. Thus it appears that the degree of intellectual resemblance which occurs within the family circle, and which is assignable chiefly to hereditary factors, is maintained when the son or daughter mate to establish new families. In psycho-analytic theory, a specifically determining factor is less likely to be intellectual than obvious and overt, such as a similarity of a prospective bride to the bridegroom's mother in stature, features, voice, or in mannerisms or emotional make-up. But it may be assumed that the efficacy of such resemblance will be somewhat reduced if the candidate is too far different from the mother in her intellectual tastes, attitudes, and capacities."

Tutor to Japanese Princes Departs S. F. for Homeland

Appointed by royal decree as the tutor to Japan's first princess of the blood, Princess Teru-no-Miya, Madame Keiko Usami sailed for Tokyo Thursday on the N. Y. K. liner Taiyo Maru, completing a ten months' survey of European and American educational methods. Madame Usami was formerly a kindergarten teacher in the imperial household school.

2 SOCIETIES PLAN MOVIE

Buddhists and JAAU Announce Dates For Benefit

Tentative date for the annual Y. M. W. B. A. benefit show was set for March 1 and 2 at a meeting of the officers of the two young people's organizations held at the local Buddhist Temple on Thursday night. The entertainment had been first intended for production later in the season, but the shift in the date was made out of deference to the J. A. A. U., which is presenting a program on March 15 and 16. The Buddhist entertainment will be in the form of a movie program featuring a modern picture. The J. A. A. U. will present a historical drama in motion picture. It depicts the life of Toyotomi-Hideyoshi.

Blue Circle Club to Inspect Newspaper Plant on Thursday

Requirement of useful knowledge is the motive for the weekly excursions now being sponsored by the Blue Circle Club of the local Japanese Y. W. C. A. The club will conduct a visit to the San Francisco Chronicle newspaper plant on next Thursday evening. The club members enjoyed an unusually interesting performance last Thursday night when they attended the Alcazar Theater in body to see Taylor Holmes, the popular comedian, in "Your Uncle Dudley," a laugh-provoking play, by Howard Lindsay and Bernard Robinson, authors of "Tommy." Those who were in the party: Miss Kaoru Saito, Aya Zalman, Uta Ogawa, Nao Oka, Tomi Mural, Mitsuko Yasuochi, Kiyo Takahashi, May Fujita, Mitsuo Bopp, Shizu Goto, Chiyo Omori and Mrs. S. Kido, adviser.

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TRIP TO MEAN MUCH

"I am exceedingly anxious to accompany the team," said Professor Iwasaki, head of the baseball department of the institution. "I need scarcely add that, aside from playing to win, and learning some fine points of the game, we attach much importance to trips of this kind, for their educational value is too great to be ignored."

KANSAI U TO STAGE BALL TOUR OF U. S.

Special To The Japanese American News OSAKA, Feb. 7.—The baseball team of the Kansai University will make its first tour of the American Pacific Coast, for a series of games, sailing from Kobe on April 5, aboard the O. S. K. liner Araha Maru. The team, after landing in Seattle, is slated to play approximately 10 games on the Coast starting with the University of Washington Huskies, University of California Golden Bears, Stanford University Cardinals, University of Southern California Trojans and winding up with several Japanese teams. The team is scheduled to return to Japan on June 3, arriving in Yokohama on board the O. S. K. motorship Montevideo Maru.

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