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COMMENTS

By A. M.

BISHOP WILLIAM T. MANNING directs a peppy attack at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York City against Judge Ben B. Lindsey, exponent of companionate marriage.

Vermont is blue today as the result of the blue laws. At Bellows Falls last Sunday the only public places open were the restaurants and hotels.

Bernard Shaw and Ellen Terry were very good friends and exchanged many letters but only met once—Perhaps that is why they remained such good friends.

READERS' FORUM

Editor, The Japanese American News: I've just come from Hawaii, and these are my impressions. The place I am staying is a fishing center, so I smell and see fish all the day long.

KEBO HEADS FRESNO YMBA FRESNO, Dec. 8.—George Kebo was elected president of the Y.M.B.A. at the election held during the night.

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YPC MEET IN NORTHWEST IS SUCCESS

Tacoma Is Selected for Next Year's Conference

Special to The Japanese American News SEATTLE, Dec. 8.—The highly successful conference of the Young People's Christian conference of the Northwest which ended its first meet here on November 30, decided to hold its second conference at Tacoma for the year 1931.

The officers of the Young People's Christian conference are as follows—Arthur Saaki, chairman; Shizuko Tashiro, secretary; George Okada, treasurer; Minoru Yoshida, member; My Miyamoto, member. The committee chairmen are Frances Scarce, banquet; Toshio Hoshida, housing; Yurino Takayoshi, music; Mrs. C. T. Aral, picture; Jun Okasaki, program; Twao Hara, publicity; Mae Kaneko, reception; Amy Okasaki, registration; William Mizuba, transportation.

Following a get-acquainted period, Arthur Saaki, chairman of the YPCCC welcomed the delegates at a banquet given by the Fujinkai at the Japanese Baptist church on Friday evening, November 28. Greetings were extended by Consul Suenaga Okamoto and by the Rev. E. Kawamori, president of the Seattle Japanese Church Federation. The first conference address was presented by Dr. E. A. Fridell, pastor of the First Baptist church of Seattle on the subject of "Christian Service."

On Saturday morning Rev. W. Bundy, associate pastor of the Japanese Methodist church, spoke comparing the results of the conquests of Alexander and of Christ. Late in the same day discussion groups were held on the theme of "Christian Service."

Orientation talks were given by the Rev. F. Okasaki of the Baptist church on "What the Ministry Means to Me," Shigeo Tanabe of the topic, "Challenge of Social Service to Japanese Americans," and the Rev. E. Andrews of the Japanese Baptist church on "Christian Citizenship."

The main address of the conference was given at the Saturday banquet by the Rev. C. Kleihauer, pastor of the University Christian church. The Rev. Mr. Kleihauer spoke on the creation of a world mind through Christian relationship.

Overseas Bureau to Stop Emigration to Brazil Temporarily

TOKYO, Dec. 8.—Due to unfavorable conditions in South America, the Overseas department has decided to stop emigration to that country for the coming year. It is reported that with the fall in the prices of agricultural commodities, the Japanese emigrants in Brazil are not doing as well as was expected. For this year, the Overseas department had intended to send about 800 families to Brazil but instead only sent 100 families. As a result, the schools, hospitals and other public necessities which had been built with government aid in anticipation of a large inflow of colonists, are going to waste. Steamships which had been chartered especially for the purpose of carrying emigrants to South America will stop their runs until about April of next year, it was announced.

PASTOR STRESSES NEED OF SCHOOLING IMPULSES

"The orchestration of our impulses and the schooling of our desires are needed greatly if a young man is to live a clean, perfect life," said the Rev. S. Watanabe from Livingston speaking before a large group of the Epworth league members of the local M. E. church Sunday night. His topic was "The Comprehensive View of Life."

"NEED PRINCIPLE" "As an orchestra needs a conductor to produce a beautiful music, so do we need some principle to guide our impulses and desires if we are to live a worthwhile and joyous life," the Japanese pastor declared. "We must not," he continued, "give our impulses free play, for if we did, chaos would follow."

FORE!

When Kipling wrote his famous "Never the twain shall meet" he overlooked the prospects of a golf match between East and West. In Hongkong, China, December 30, Captain George Yardley of the Dollar fleet will meet Shunji Ito of the N.Y.K. lines for the official golf championship of the Pacific ocean.



FATHER OF S.G. LAWYER IN ACCIDENT

Car Crashes in Thick Fog on Way to See Grandchild

Special to The Japanese American News SACRAMENTO, Dec. 8.—While on his way to visit his son Walter Tsukamoto, second generation lawyer, and his wife, Tatsuiro Tsukamoto of Berkeley and several others were badly injured when the automobile he was driving crashed with a stage near Davis, about 15 miles southwest of this city, Sunday morning.

Dense fog that enveloped the whole valley early Sunday morning is held responsible for the accident. On the same auto were Mrs. T. Tsukamoto, her daughter, Shigeo Tsukamoto, and I. Akagi of Mt. Eden. They were enroute to this city to visit Mrs. Walter Tsukamoto who became the mother of a baby boy, Richard, a week ago.

Akagi received cuts on his face from the broken windshield, and the driver, Tsukamoto, received injuries on his forehead. They were rushed to the Municipal Emergency hospital, and the others were brought to the city by Mr. Ito of Davis in front of whose home the accident occurred.

Florin YM's Hold Annual Elections; Plan New Program

Special to The Japanese American News FLORIN, Dec. 8.—Henry Sawada was again elected to head the Florin Y.M.B.A. at the annual election meeting held last Friday at the local Buddhist temple. The other newly chosen officers are:

Harry Nakaya, vice-president; Sam Tsukamoto, secretary; Sam Okamoto, treasurer; Morio Kurima, athletic manager; Joy Kurima, religious chairman; Raymond Hara, social chairman; George Miyao, custodian; Arthur Shiohama and Henry Sawada, reporters.

Before the election of the 1931 officers, the regular meeting of the association was held at the local Japanese language school building and the following business were discussed.

BODHI DAY FETE DEC. 14 1. The Florin Y.M.B.R. and the Y.W.B.A. to hold the Bodhi day celebration on Sunday evening, December 14 at the Buddhist temple, with Henry Sawada acting as chairman of the evening. John Hirohata and Arthur Shiohama, representing the Y.M.B.A. and a representative of the Y.W.B.A., will speak during the night. The main address of the evening will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Kow.

2. Mr. and Mrs. Al Mayeda donated \$5 to the Florin Y.M.B.A. Mr. Mayeda was an active member of the association until his recent marriage.

4. An initiation party will be held in the latter part of December to welcome new members. There will be more than 10 members coming into the senior group from the Junior Y.M.B.A., it is expected. Raymond Hara will act as chairman of the evening.

TO SPONSOR SNOW-HIKE 2. To sponsor a snow-hike to El Camino in the early part of January.

During the same evening, Friday, the Florin Junior Y.M.B.A. held its election meeting with the following results: Albert Hirohata, president; Frank Ueyamura, vice president; Herbert Miyao, secretary and treasurer; Yoshio Kurima, athletic manager; and Masaharu Kato, yell leader.

Last Census Shows 5434 Japanese Now in San Francisco

Exactly 5,705 Japanese in the area, which is under the administration of the local Japanese consulate, registered during the census taken by the Japanese government for the past two months.

The local consulate covers the state of Colorado, Utah, Nevada, and the northern part of California.

The Japanese population in San Francisco is 5434, according to the figures issued by the Japanese Association of San Francisco which conducted the registration here in conjunction with the Japanese government.

'Y' PLAYS SCORELESS-TIE GAME WITH ALAMEDANS

Victor Emmanuel Honors Prince With Highest Decoration

Special to The Japanese American News ALAMEDA, Dec. 8.—Two fighting teams' ability to defend, resulted in a scoreless tie between the San Francisco Y.M.C.A. and Alameda Goofs in a gripping football game played at the local A. T. K. ground on Sunday afternoon.

The game was full of thrilling and startling plays as both teams did everything in an effort to break the deadlock.

Two well executed passes from Shiozaki to Takiguchi of the Y.M.C.A. twice brought the ball within scoring distance of the Alameda Goofs, but on both occasions the Alamedans fought like mad dogs, and held the opponents for no gain.

The "Y" was once within a few yards of the goal and probably, over anxious to score, they passed the ball on the third down which was grounded behind the Alameda goal line.

SACTO LOOP TEAMS LEAD

Sacramentans Win 2 Games and Lose 1 in Placer

Special to The Japanese American News SACRAMENTO, Dec. 8.—Sacramentans teams won two games and lost one in the Northern California Y.M.B.A. basketball league games played in Placer last Saturday night.

The local Reijo kai set defeat of the Placer Shio to be secured by a close score of 23 to 26 in the preliminary game of the evening.

In the second game, which started at 8 o'clock, the local "B" division quintet were trounced by the Newcastle boys by a 19-10 score.

In a thrilling and exciting "A" division game, the Sacramento Wakaba team crushed the highly touted Placer quintet by one point. The score was 20 to 19.

Pete Tanaka of the Wakaba saved the night for local team, in the "A" division game, by sinking two goals in the last minute of the game thus making the Wakaba just one point ahead of the opponents. Other high point men of the game were Yamada of Placer, who made 10 points, and Tom Uchida of the Wakaba, 6 points.

LEAGUE STANDING

Table with 3 columns: Team, W, L. A' DIVISION: Sacramento 2 1, Placer 2 1, Florin 0 3. B' DIVISION: Sacramento 4 1, Newcastle 3 1, Isleton 0 2, Florin 0 3.

SHOWA JRS. TIE OAKLAND

By AKIRA OMOTO Although considerably outweighed and younger in age than their opponents, the Showa Junior lightweighters surprised the grid fans on the other side of the bay by outplaying the well seasoned Oakland Wildcats by holding them to a 6-6 tie score Sunday afternoon at the Oakland Technical high school field. The game was the first clash of the season for the Showa Juniors.

PETE FURUTA STARS The Oaklander's lone touchdown came early in the first quarter, when their only star, Pete Furuta, plunged through an off-table play. From the second quarter on till the final gun, the game belonged to the Showas, who broke through the enemy's line by a series of line plunges, fake punts, aerial attacks, and tricky reverse plays. Outstanding features of the day was the aerial attacks via Toshi Shimizu to Sugiyama over the opponent's center. Shimizu's combined fake punts and wide-end runs were the threats to the East Bay lads. Jiro Misumi, playing on the wing half of the lightweighters outwitted his heavier team by lightning speed through and around their line of defense. On defense, Misumi and his backfield men nailed them hard.

MISUMI SNAGS BALL

In the third quarter, the Wildcats opened their attack through the air route. Furuta of the Wildcats received a pass and started his run when he was practically thrown off his feet by Tsuchida's terrific tackling. The impact was so great that the ball flew of Furuta's hand, and Misumi of Showa snagged the fumbled ball to a touchdown. The try for extra point failed.

Much of the initial threats were gone from the East Bay lads as the game progressed. With Pete Furuta doing all the heavy work in holding the Showas back, the entire Oaklander's line began to lose ground with the juniors plowing through. The fourth quarter found the City lads threatening to score time after time, but their threats did not materialize.

Victor Emmanuel Honors Prince With Highest Decoration (Continued) The recipient of the decoration becomes the king's cousin.

Quick! Send New Year Articles Before Dec. 15!

December 15, the deadline date for mailing manuscripts for the Japanese American English section's essay and poem contest, rapidly approaches! All other contributors for the New Year edition of the English section have also been requested to send in their contributions at an early date.

The editors of the English section would appreciate early forwarding of all contest and contribution materials.

THE ESSAY CONTEST is to be held on the theme of what we would do to remould the world in answer to Omar Khayyam's lines: "Ah, Love! could you and I with Him conspire To grasp this sorry Scheme of Things entire, Would not we shatter it to bits—and then Re-mould it nearer to the Heart's Desire!"

The essay is to be 500 words or less in length and must be mailed before December 15. Everybody is eligible. The first prize is \$15. Second prize \$10. Third prize \$5. The winning essays will be printed in the New Year edition of The Japanese American News English section.

THE POETRY CONTEST is being held on the topic SHATO NO YUKI, or snow scene at a shrine. It is to be written in Japanese or in English in the classical Japanese WAKA form, running in 5 lines of 5, 7, 7, 7 syllables each. The winning poem will receive a prize of \$5 and will be printed in the New Year edition under a beautiful painting entitled Shato no Yuki by the noted artist, Chikura Obata. Manuscripts must be mailed before December 15.

Seattle Citizens to Hold Last Meet of Year on Dec. 13

SEATTLE, Dec. 8.—The local Citizens' league will hold the last meeting of the year this Saturday evening, Dec. 13, at the Japanese Chamber of Commerce. Various important matters for the coming year as well as a review of the past year will be taken up at this meeting. It is announced by officers. After discussions and the business end of the meeting are over, a social will be held.

TO FORM COUNCILS

One of the important matters up for discussion will be the district council formation, as it was provided in the constitution of the Japanese American Citizens league and which was unanimously adopted at the recent convention. In San Francisco the formation of the district council has already been started with Saburo Kido working on its organization. A large step will undoubtedly be taken here and further discussions on the matter will be held this Saturday evening.

CHAPTER PINS POPULAR

Chapter insignias are proving popular with members of the federation. Large orders are coming in from California, Fresno, Brawley, Newcastle, and other chapters. The San Francisco chapter is soon to take up the matter. Pins for the local organization are already on sale and indications are good for a large demand, it is said.

64,447,724 NOW LIVING IN NIPPON

Osaka Is Largest City Followed by Tokyo and Nagoya

Special to The Japanese American News TOKYO, Dec. 8.—The results of the 1930 census was published today announcing a population of 64,447,724 for the mainland of Japan, not including its possessions and enclaves. The complete total is expected to be over 90,000,000. Out of this number 32,388,369 are males and 32,059,355 are females. The ratio of male to female is about 101 men to 100 men.

The density of population is estimated at 169 people to each square kilometer. In this respect Japan ranks fourth in the world. Belgium leads in density of population followed by Holland and England.

OSAKA TAKES LEAD

Among cities with a population of over 200,000 Osaka takes the lead. The figures are as follows: Osaka 2,453,569 Tokyo 2,070,529 Nagoya 907,402 Kobe 787,596 Kyoto 765,142 Yokohama 620,296 Hiroshima 270,365 Fukuoka 228,290 Nagasaki 204,179

Cities with a population of over 100,000 number 28 with a total population of 11,129,745. This shows that 17.5 percent of Japan's population live in the cities. With the growth of industrial Japan the people are flowing into the cities. This is seen in the fact that there is an increase of 14.6 percent over the city census of 1925. The percentage of city population in other countries are as follows:—England, 38.9 percent; Germany, 29.4 percent; United States, 23.9 percent; France, 15.5 percent; and Italy 13.8 percent.

GREATER TOKYO PLANNED

According to the Greater City plan now being made, the population of Japan's capital would be 4,986,500 which would make it the third largest city in the world. Greater London ranks first with 7,480,000. Greater New York City boasts a population of 6,520,000. It is expected that the establishment of Greater Tokyo City will be completed in two or three years.

Big Earthquake Is Felt in Formosa at 2:30 p m Monday

TAIWAN, FORMOSA, Dec. 8.—(UP)—An earthquake of considerable severity was felt here this afternoon at 2:30 p.m. Official investigation has not been completed as yet but the known dead number 4, and 5 others were seriously injured. There was also considerable property damage.

SANTA MARIA HAS NEW C.E.

Special to The Japanese American News SANTA MARIA, Dec. 8.—An intermediate Christian Endeavor society was organized by a group of Japanese young people in this city at a meeting held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hiratzka. Tom Hiratzka was elected president of the newly organized society. Attempts to organize a C.E. society were made last summer, but failed due to the fact that the young people here were out of town. Members are hoping to make this new organization a success. The other officers of the newly formed club are: Miss Hisa Kobayashi, vice-president; Jimmy Hatanaka, recording secretary; and Miss Kiyo Utsumomiya, corresponding secretary and treasurer.

Other matters such as that of checking up on citizens of Japanese ancestry in this locality and district will be discussed at the Saturday meeting.

THE WEATHER

OFFICIAL FORECAST: TUESDAY—Fair; mild temperature; light variable winds.

JUNIOR AND SENIOR SECTION

"Lo, nieces and nephews mine! Another new week!—And Christmas and New Years are approaching so fast that Auntie is grasping for breath.—And nieces and nephews tell me that vacation is coming very soon. Isn't that marvelous? Summer vacation is a long, long time and we go through it very leisurely, don't we? But Christmas vacation!—Mmm! It's just full of excitement and new dresses, and festivities and "ogochi-ochi," isn't it? And that time is coming in just a few days now."

And now, let's welcome some new members. Here is Shirazu Narahara of Rt. 1, Box 145, Sacramento, Calif. This is what she says. —Junior— "Everyday I read the Junior section of The Japanese American News and I enjoy it very much. May I join this nice club? I am 10 years old and my birthday is April 21. I am in the fifth grade in American school and second grade in Japanese school. "I went to Japan last June and came back to Sacramento last month. Japan was very pretty. Next time I'll write more about it. "Please ask members to write to me."

Welcome into our family, Shirazu. Auntie and the members are so glad to have you join our group. Come and laugh and talk with us. Auntie is doubly glad to hear that you were in Japan so recently. Auntie, too, loves Japan and its beautiful places. Next time you write, Shirazu, please tell us all about your trip to Japan. It has been a long time since auntie saw Japan and she would love to hear about it from someone who has seen it so recently. Violet Masuhara of Rt. 1, Box 145, Sacramento, Calif. is also joining our family. Now let us listen to her.

"May I join your interesting club? I do hope so as I read so much about it everyday. (Of course you may, Violet. Auntie and her nieces and nephews are always glad to have a new niece and cousin come to add to their fun and laughter.) "I am 8 years old and my birthday is April 24. I am in the third grade in the American school and third grade in Japanese school. Shirazu Narahara is my best friend and she lives with me. "Will you ask members to write to me?" That was a beautifully written letter, Violet. Thank you for writing to us. Do come and talk with us often after this.

And now let's chat with our old members. Here is Mariya Fukuda. She looks as if she would like to settle down for a cozy chat with us. "Dear aunt Mia and cousins, how are you all? (We are just as fine as can be, Mariya, thank you. And how are you?) I am just fine and always giggling. (That's fine, Mariya. Auntie is glad to hear that you are so happy.) "Did you get my first letter in which I introduced myself? I am big for 11 years of age and I am fat. Twenty pounds overweight! (Don't worry, Mariya, when auntie was 11 she was 30 pounds overweight. Besides, dimpled, rosy-cheeked little girls are cute, auntie thinks. Anyway, let's you and auntie comfort ourselves in that way.) "Talking about snow, we had last year about four inches. The first time I had seen snow in about eight years. (That was a lovely snow wasn't it? Perhaps auntie saw your snow for she was passing through your country at that time.) "Auntie, I am so sorry for Kimi Okamura and Phantom. I am thankful that I have real parents and that both of them are with me. (Yes, dear, you are very, very fortunate. If auntie could wish one real magic wish for her nieces and nephews for Christmas and New Years she would wish that they might all have loving parents for as long as possible.) "I have always lived (except once) in the country. I lived in Sacramento about a month and then we moved to where we are now. I know but little of city life. I have never had a horse, or dog, or any pet but going to school always took the place of pets. I have always lived at home with my parents, not celebrating any holiday but Christmas and New Years but always happy. I have nothing to say when classmates talk about Easter eggs and turkeys. My parents do not care for such things. I don't know the reason why, though. (You say that you are always happy, Mariya, and that is all that matters. Auntie thinks that she knows why your parents do not care for such things. Mariya, they were born and raised in Japan where they did not have Easter eggs and turkey dinners when they were young. That is why. But to make up for that they must know about many other pleasant customs and ways of Japan which are just as lovely as our ways of celebrating, don't they? Of course!) —Junior— And now, let's say bye, shall we? That was a pleasant chat, Mariya. Come again. And 'bye, nieces and nephews mine. Aunt Mia.

