IN MEMORIAM

To the Japanese American soldiers who gave their lives in the war against intolerance and injustice . . . so that all men might live in freedom and equality in all lands.

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"It is for us, the living, rather to be dedicated here to the unfinished work which they who fought here have thus far so nobly dedicated. . . . We, rather than the dead, are the ones for whom the final accounting will be held, to be held to the great task remaining before us: that these honored dead shall not have died in vain, that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom and a government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

—ABRAHAM LINCOLN

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SOFTBALL GAMES OPEN THIS SUNDAY

Seven Teams in Weekender Loop; Vie for Hokubei Cup

WEEKENDER SOFTBALL LEAGUE

WED.: N.E. — 157th St. Diamond, Riverside Park
2:00 p.m. Methodist Church vs. JCA-MI
1:00 p.m. Oriental Food Shop vs. YBA
2:00 p.m. Lili Giant vs. (unidentified)

Monday抯 doubleheader was anticipated for tomorrow afternoon at 2:00 p.m. in the Weekender Loop. The announcement was made by the league抯 director, President-elect H. Genji Hori.

A large enthusiastic gallery is expected for the opener this afternoon. The intense interest of the baseball fans is expected.

President Hori expects a sizable crowd for the remainder of the season. The Weekender Loop was originally started to provide a place for District League teams to play against one another.

In the previous year, the Weekender Loop was postponed due to the war, but has now been resumed with an increased emphasis on competition. The league hopes to attract more teams and increase the quality of the games.

In summary, the Weekender Loop is a popular destination for softball fans in the area, and the upcoming games are expected to be highly competitive and entertaining.
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Planned by the Social Commit-
tee, the event is headed by Mrs. Marutaka. The set-up is in tentatively sched-
uled to be held at Earl Hall on
Columbia University campus.
President of the federation is
Yuri Tolsono.

Cardwell is upon ALL veterans.
Midfield! Written into the VFW
set-up is the provision that the
organization is not to indulge in
politics. It is a good thing that
such a restraint was written into
the constitution. Doubtless
safely from sociological considerations,
some of the veteran sections of
this organization are not fit to
indulge in politics.

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**Millions Still Starve**

The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse have again swept across the ravaged farmlands of the world. Famine, plagues, pestilence and death is following in the wake of War. The latter has gone but its fellow creatures continue to plague more than one-third of the peoples of the world. Famine, especially—the consequence of the death and destruction of untold millions who must share their meager rations of boiled roots or greens with this "Mighty Crusader." The question which troubles these people is "how long will he stay?" and the answer rests with the conscience of the American people.

Questions this area—what has brought about this universal hunger? What is the yardstick by which it is measured? and what is being done about it?

The cause of famine, so often that even the British are now referring to rationing more severe than that during the war, is due to the drought in Mediterranean areas, India, China and the Argentine.

Add to this the inevitable aftermath of the war-bombed-out farms, shortage of labor and im-

ments, lack of seeds and livestock. These are the causes of the tragic shortage of 25,000,000 tons of food (according to the most optimistic figures), the amount normally necessary to feed 400 million people.

Add to Hoover, calories are the units of the yardstick of nutrition by which, when multiplied, will determine whether a state of hunger, starvation, famine or depression is the result. The minimum required for health, the Food and Agriculture Branch of the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization, is 2,200 calories per person per day. India and China with 1,000 calories per person per day will be 6.25 times the world average. The proportion of people receiving less than 2,000 calories per day is so great that it can only be mentioned in the United Nations. The question of the world's food needs is a global one, and the solution of the problem lies in the hands of the nations of the world.

Keiko Oshiro

**Weds G. Abe**

In the presence of a party of close friends, Keiko Oshiro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shiro Oshiro and former resident of Los Angeles, was married to George Abe, former chief of Long Beach and ex-captain.

The bride, modestly dressed in a dark blue crepe gown, in marriage by her father. Frank Abe, brother of the groom, was best man.

The newlyweds will reside in Philadelphia, where they are associated with a shop wholesale firm. They will make their home affiliated at the intimate home wedding.

O'Dwyer calling for wheatless Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays. He is convinced the public generally will benefit from the move.

The real question is what is being done about it? Can, in part, be answered by the reader in terms of his own contributions. But is this adequate? Under the present setup, the program initiated by Truman amounts only to the voluntary mobilization of the citizens under the Emergency Food Committee. It is based on self-sacriifice of the individuals to build up the tremendous amount of food and supplies needed for relief.

But consider the 80 per cent of the population who term "emergency" or "trust" food. Actually it is more nutritious than the emergency flour because of the use of 8 per cent more of other grains that are available. The only disadvantage is the slight off flavor. There is no scientific basis but merely the elimination of waste involved in milling the luxurious white flour. The proclamation of May 13, 1945.

**more: Deportation**

ayanada from the United States. The Executive Bill which will permit the Attorney General to exercise "extraordinary extrication in cases of war emergency." The American Committee for the Protection of Japanese Americans, the JACL and the JACU have jointly sponsored a petition against the bill. The petition is presently being circulated for signatures.

Dividing the deportees into four groups, those who are parents of children, those who are married to citizens, and single persons with no family attachments. Crawford stated that the present strategy was to obtain signatures from the members of the three groups. Little hope was seen for the bachelor group. The wake of the recall of mass deportations which followed World War 1, American contributed to an attempt to break the strengthening labor movement. He indicated that a similar situation exists today. The Justice Department was served for its post-war face about its attitude towards aliens.

A bill drafted to prevent Japanese aliens from being allowed to enter the United States was introduced in January, according to Mr. Crawford. He called for all organizations to prepare for a press conference in this case.

**more on: JACL Concert**

(Continued from Page 1)

The University of Washington will present an entertainment featuring the "Marriage of Figaro" by Beethoven and "La Servielle" which was sponsored by the University Playhouse group Seattle. The men and Miss Makita are both from Seattle.

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tutions. The request was made by Sister Ignatia Taku-

nings, placement counselor.

Having had Japanese American students in its program in the past and planned with their class-

ges, Sister Ignatia Taku will become familiar with you to any information re-

questing Japanese American appli-

cants for our School of Nur-

sing? I wish to tell you that we will be very happy to welcome them into our student body.

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YBA Tops M.E. Team
In Slugfest, 20 - 16

In a wild and woolly four-scoring battle of heavy slugging and numerous errors, the YBA softball team outslugged the Methodist Church boys 20-16 at Central Park last Sunday.

Toni Nomura, slugging player for the Buddhists, hammered out four hits in five trips up including two home runs. Tom Palamotu also chalked up a homer for the YBA, and Roy Nakama struck one for the Methodist.

Tom Tsurumoto and Will Enns pitched for the YBA and Shiki Vantes started and Paul Minowa relieved for the Riverside boys.

Softball Practice Game
Enochs Field, O.A.C., and El Dorado softball teams are getting together today for practice and tryouts at the 107th Street Riverside Park. All players are invited to show up to join one of the above teams.

The Methodist Church and the PCA-PCA teams will meet in a practice game at 1:00 p.m. on Memorial Day at the same place.

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