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NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

31 July 1949

Shiga

1. President Matsui's Editorial "Clean Family":
Recently, Intercourse Between Unmarried Man And Woman Is Quite Free; In Some Cases, Brings About Admirable Result On Culture Of Sentiments; However, In Others, Ugly Familiarity Which Causes Us To Avert Our Eye; The Former True Acceptance Of Refined Sentiment And Character In Europe And America; The Latter Misinterpretation: Social Problem Too Serious To Be Let Alone. Can We Possibly Say That Fleasure Without Chastity Is Right Representation Of Liberalism; After Corrupt Pleasure Inevitably Comes Crimes - Abortion, Killing And Wounding, Now Is High-Time To Initiate Young Men And Women Into Solemnity Of Sexual Morality And Rid The Root Of Future Evil; Herein Lies Necessity Of Clean Family. By Clean Family Is Meant Neither Residential Beauty Nor Riches, But Families Warm And Sympathetic Which Disapprove Of Impure Relation Between Men And Women; Hence, Families Happy And Free From Secrets Are Especially Desirable. Prevention Of Youth Degradation Is Necessary, But Its Campaign Must Have More Grace And Charm; Role Youths W'll Play In Influencing Japan's Rise And Fall Should Be Kept In Mind; Home And Society Must Not Forget To Lead Them Right With Free Affection
2. Dr. Walter Grosbee, Advisor On University Education To GHQ - CI Bureau Expressed His Opinion At Opening Ceremony Of New System State University: "Communist Can Not Be Appointed University Professor". President Of Shiga University Ohata Who Had Attended All-Japan Government University President's Conference Said About This Problem: Committee Should Be Organized And Banishment Of Communist Professors Be Examined
3. Commodity Prices Of 101 Articles Dropped In Otsu, Not Including Rice And Others; According To Investigation Of Otsu Chamber Of Commerce And Industry
4. Prefectural Typhoon Disasters:
 - a. National Police Prefectural Headquarters' Report On Disasters:
Houses Swept Away: 7; Those Half-destroyed: 6
Fields Flooded, Covered With Water, Swept Away And Buried: 3600 Chobu
 - b. River Banks In Takashima District Collapsed; Damages Are Great
 - c. 68 Sufferers Accommodated At Ishibe Public Hall, Koka-gun
5. Decision Made By Commodity Price Board On Abolition Of Movie Show Fare And Briquette And 'Mametan' (Egg-shaped Cake Of Coal And Charcoal Mixture) Price Control From August 1
6. Working Women's Grand Meeting Will Be Opened On August 3 At Nagazone Kanegafuchi Spinning Facotry; 5-minute Speeches To Be Delivered By 6 Persons
7. Drinking Water Examination Conducted By Nagahama Health Center For Six Months From End Of June; Water Not Safe To Drink Found In Many Places

Mainichi

1. Suspension Of Traffic And Communication Caused By Flood Disasters Is Smoothly Being Restored

Asahi

1. On Which Team Fortune Will Smile Shiga Or Kyoto? All Japan High School Baseball Tournament Kyoto-Shiga Second Deciding Game Will Be Held On August 3;

Shiga Champion Team: Central High School Hashiman Branch; Kyoto Champion Team: Heian High School

2. Working Women's Grand Meetings Will Be Held In Otsu August 1 And In Yokaichi August 6

Chubu

1. Goldfish Will Be Cultivated At Hikone Fish-breeding Farm; Prefectural Aquatic Product Association's First Trial; Future Export Being Projected
2. Hoisting Of North Korean National Flag And Any Other Displays Of Flag Pattern Strictly Prohibited; Offenders Will Be Tried Before Military Court; Advice Given By Prefectural Liaison Office On The 30th
3. Forcing School Children To Sit Or Stand In Upright Posture Is Against School Educational Law; Ministry Of Education Showed Limits Of Teachers' Right Of Chastisement

2 August 1949

Shiga

1. President Matsui's Editorial "Introspection On Biwako Festival": Biwako Festival Was A Success In Respect Of Scale, Plot And Number Of Spectators; Fancy Boats Symbolizing 8 New Scenic Spots In Daytime, Gorgeous Fire Works Of Artistic Conception In Evening And Large Crowd Of Spectators, 70,000 In Rough Estimate - All Of Them Looked Like Blessing Future Of Festival. However, We Must Not Indulge In Self-conceit; Except Mikawa Province's "Heiwa Nippon" (Peaceful Japan) Which Won First Prize - Mikawa Is One Of The Most Celebrated Places For Fire Works, Plain And Rapid Shots Were All Of The Lowest Class. In Future, Careful Selection Should Be Necessary To Develop Biwako Festival Into Special Attraction In Well-matched Contrast: East Ryogoku In Tokyo; West, Seta River In Shiga; Special Attention Is Necessary From Next Year On That Shiga Sightseeing Enterprises May Win Reputation Both At Home And Abroad In Appearance And In Substance
2. Production Of Thread For Musical Instrument Because Animated In Ikagu-mura, Ika-gun; This Village Famous For Special Silk Thread Now Making Great Effort For Recovery Of Former Fame
3. Investigation Of Amateur Staple Food Producers Completed; Their Staple Food Nation Will Be Deducted So Much As They Produce
4. Public Opinion Survey Conducted By Hikone Labor Security Office For Betterment Of Receptionists' Service; Conspicuous Opinion That Exposed The Point Is: "In The Morning, Officials Are Kind, But In The Afternoon, Unkind."
5. Headquarters Committee Members Of Each Social Stratum Will Be Recommended
6. Investigation Made Since April By Otsu Local Public Procurator's Office Concerning Fraud Case Of Kean Drought Disaster Recovery Association; Two Persons: Moricka And Ghara Prosecuted On Suspicion Of Swindle Amounting To ¥3,800,000

Mainichi

1. Rice Crop Will Decrease By 20,000 Koku Due To Recent Typhoon Disasters; Announcement By Prefectural Agricultural Product Section On August 1
2. Flood Disaster Recovery Expense Is Approximately ¥500,000,000; Recovery Works Of Aoi And Katsura Rivers Exceed ¥100,000,000; Estimation By Prefectural Civil Engineering, Farmland And Economic Departments

Asahi

1. Public Auction For Attached Articles Published In Front Of Minaguchi Taxation Office; Non-taxpayers: 30 Persons; Value: About ¥400,000; Bicycles, Sewing Machines, Even Goats And Pigs Will Come Under Hammer, Reflecting Agrarian Monetary Predicament
2. How About Turkey-raising For Farmers' Side-job? - Certain Farmer In Gamogun Bought 6 Turkey Eggs From Morinaga Industrial Company In Osaka Through Good Offices Of District Agricultural Cooperative Association; Succeeded In Hatching By Hen; To Be Sold At ¥8,000 Or So Per Head At Coming Christmas
3. Production Of Scientific Movie "Winged Fever" Started By Hikone Municipal Sanitary Section; To Be Completed In The Course Of Current Fiscal Year; Municipal Malaria Extermination Equipments And Activities Will Be Represented

Chubu

1. Lecture Meetings On Silk Thread To Be Held On The 4th And 5th In Yokaichi And Nagahama; Sericulturists' Attendance Desired
2. Quasi-Japanese-encephalitis Has Broken Out In Koshi-gun; First Case Of This Year In This Prefecture; Sterilization Enforced By Hikone Health Center
3. Restaurant Business Extraordinary Regulation Law - How Does It Affect Business? Circumstances Are Quite Pessimistic In Sightseeing City Otsu; No Business And No Visitor At All At Some Hotels In Unfavorable Quarters; Restaurant Businessmen Driven Into Pretty Pass Petitioned To Shiga Economic Investigation Office
4. Tribute To Working Mother - Praiseworthy As Admirable Woman For "Working Women's Welfare Promoting Week". Hikone Woman Bereaved Of Husband Who Had Been Repatriated Some Years Ago Was Turned Adrift With Child And Baby; She Got Job As Newspaper-carrier Through Good Offices Of Kind Man, Living With Fortitude In Adversity

3 August 1949

Shiga

1. Nagahama Health Office Is Going To Open Consultation Office For Babies By Each School District In Nagahama From This Month
2. Widows' Stores In Hikone City Will Be Opened From August 7 At Yonbancho In The City By Members Of Prefectural Bereaved Families' Association, Hikone Branch
3. Meeting For Movement On Increasing Of Welfare Of Women Workers In Otsu Was Held On August 1 At Uchide Junior High School With Attendance Of 500 Women Laborers; Cheerful Workshop For Women Workers Is Desired In This Meeting
4. Big Catch Of 1,500 Kans Of Ayu-fish Was Made At The Downstream Of River Anegawa On 1st And 2nd Of August; It Is Said That 500 Kan Were Spoiled Owing To No Demand
5. There Are 13 Undelivered Mails Sent From Prisoners In Russia To Families In This Prefecture Owing To The Uncertainty Of Receivers
6. Present Condition Of Hotels And Ice Candy-stores In Otsu City; Customers Of Hotels Are Decreasing By 40% Compared With That Of 1947 And Candy-stores Are Not Profitable As Expected On Account Of Increase Of Same Businessmen And Financial Stringency

Mainichi

1. Annex Of Prefectural Government Office Completed; The Formal Completion Of The Building Will Be Held From 10:00 a.m. On August 5
2. Scientific Films On Malaria "A Fever That Has Wings" To Be Produced By The Hikone Malaria Research Laboratory
3. According To The Investigation On Producers Of Staplefood As Of July 1 By The Shiga Provision Office, Producers' Families Were Increased By 2,800

Asahi

1. Illegal Transactions Of Staple Foods Are Decreasing; Quantity Of Rice Confiscated At Check Point In This Prefecture During July Amounts To 254 Bales
2. Chorus Leader Of Goshu Gudo (Song Of Shiga Prefecture) To Be Registered As A Professional Entertainer
3. Plan For 4 Principles On Restoration Of Education In Otsu City Is Being Planned By The Otsu Municipal School Board Committee
4. Concerning Number Of Workers Needed For Repairing Of Damages By Typhoon, Employment Agencies Are Requested To Maintain Liaison With Prefectural Employment Stabilisation Office

Chubu Nippon

1. Movement For Increasing The Welfare Of Women's Workers In Hikone District Was Held On August 3 At Kanebo Hikone Factory
2. More Parents' Understandings Are Desired At The Meeting Of "Seekers Of Truth By Youth And Girls" Which Was Held At Hozoji Temple, Kawase-mura, Inukami-gun On August 1
3. Prefectural Productive Cooperative Association, Yokaiichi Silk Yarn Factory Which Obtained Temporary Designation As An Export Factory Are Doing Its Utmost For The Goal Of 700 Bales Production For This Year
4. According To The Investigation By Shiga Labor Standard Office, Sex Equality Was Found Far Away From Practice; Consciousness And Unity Of Women Are Keenly Demanded

4 August 1949

Shiga

1. Livestock Fair Was Held In Kinomoto-cho On August 1 And 2 By The Agricultural Cooperative Association, Ika Branch; Price Of Cattle Is Less 20% Than Last Year Owing To The Decreasing Demand Of Meat; Highest Cattle Was ¥80,000 And Lowest ¥40,000
2. Building Contractors Are Necessary To Have A fixed qualification From August 20 And They Are Required To Register Within 60 Days
3. Damages By Typhoon On Early Rice Crop In Takashima-gun Were Negligent And The Growth Recovered Due To The Fine Weather Since Then
4. Comfortable Touring Of New 3 Scenic Spots By Forty-passenger Sightseeing Bus Will Depart From Kusatsu-cho On August 9
5. Steady Progress Is Being Made For The Arrangements Of The 2nd Physical Training Meeting Of Prefectural People Which Will Be Held For 3 Days Commencing From August 19; Schedules On All Sorts Of Games Were Decided

6. Extraordinary Municipal Assembly Of Otsu City Was Held On August 3; Resignation Of Mayor Was Approved And The Original Bill To Raise Charges By Double Was Passed

Mainichi

1. Problem On Solace For Municipal Garbage Collectors Rejected At Otsu Extraordinary Municipal Assembly
2. Damages By Typhoon On Rice Plant Still Continues In This Prefecture Owing To Rice-plants Are Still Covered With High Water Level

Asahi

1. The Growth Of Rice-Plant In Hikone, Echi And Inukami-gun Is In Good Condition At Present Owing To Good Warm Weather
2. The 2nd Final Game Of Senior High School Baseball In Shiga And Kyoto, Hachiman vs Heian Was Held On August 3 At Hikone Ground And Heian Won The Game With The Score Of 8 : 3

Chubu Nippon

1. Mass Meeting Of Koreans League Was Held On August 3 At Nagara Park; State Liability Of Educational Expenses Was Decided At This Meeting
2. Investigation Of Commodity Price During July In Otsu City; Blackmarket Prices On Staple Foods Have Gone Down For The First Time
3. According To The Investigation By Otsu Employment Stabilization Office, Rate Of Job-seekers In July Increased By 3 Times Compared With That Of Previous Month

Hikone Yukan, August 2

1. The Data On Population During July In Hikone; Birth: 92 Death: 47, Population Increased: 45
2. Members Of Hikone Jossai Primary School PTA Are Rendering Labor Service For Replenishment Of The School
3. Large Quantity Of Coal For Small And Medium Enterprisers Are Kept In Idle At Every Coalyard In Hikone City; Free Sale For Domestic Use Is Desired By Hikone Citizens

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

3 July 1949

Shiga

1. With Bouquets In Their Arms, Repatriates Viewed Lake Biwa With Longing Eyes; But Did Not Care For Food; Welcomers Got A Encouragement Instead; "It Is Too Bad That We Could Not Take Part In A Welcome Demonstration; Tough Words Flurried Their Families; 21 Repatriates To Shiga
2. A Labor Union-And-Political Party Conference Will Be Held At The Educational Hall Of Otsu City On The 4th At 9:30 a.m. To Deliberate On Future United Labor Strife, Participated By Shiga Federation Of All Japan Labor Union, Shiga Federation Of J.P.L., Shiga Chapter Of All Government Employees Union, Socialist Party, Laborer And Farmers Party, Communist Party, Etc.
3. Prefectural Children's Art Exhibition Will Be Held At Respective Districts Divided Into 3 Blocs This Autumn, Sponsored By Ken Education Association
4. Hikone Health Center Sponsored A Home Treatment Study Association To Tuberculosis Patients; Its Meeting Will Be Held Once A Month In Near Future

Mainichi

1. Repatriates Don't Know How Real Japan Is; Youth Applaud Communistic World; Political Education Is Throughgoing; Repatriates From Khabarovsk And Neighboring Districts Are Radical
2. Establishments Of The Yasu River Dam Under Construction Were Carried Away By The Flood
3. A Public Nursery Will Be Established In Otsu; It Was Decided At A Mother-And-Child Health Conference Held At Otsu Industrial & Cultural Hall On July 2nd
4. Half The Number Of Factories In This Prefecture Received Illegally Rationed Rice; According To The Shiga Economic Investigation Board, 24 Factories Were Confirmed To Have Been Receiving Illegally Rationed Rice; Which Amounted To More Than 120 Bales Of Rice

Asahi

1. By-election Of Prefectural Assemblymen To Be Held On August 8 Throughout Imukami-gun; Application For Candidates Qualification Must Be Filed By July 6th
2. Ken Forest Investigation Board Disclosed The Actual Acreage 60% More Than On Record
3. Repatriation; Third And Fourth Repatriation Ships Arrived In Maizuru; Thus, The First Repatriation Fleet Discharged Its Duty; 8,000 Repatriates Left A "Latticed Paradise"
4. Osaka Regional Chapter Of The Government Railway Workers Union Directed Its Jurisdictional Branch Executives To Resign; Musatsu Branch Agreed; Otsu And Hikone Opposed
5. About 300 Bales Of Rice Confiscated; 283 Vicious Buyers Sent To Court

Chubu Nippon

1. **Illegal Possessor Of Weapons Prosecuted:**
Gihei Suzuki, 32, Bodaiji, Iwane-mura, Koka-gun, Was Prosecuted For The Illegal Possession Of Weapons. He Did Not Turn In 2 Revolvers And Others, Which Were Carried Back From Former Yasu Corps, East Army
2. **Torahime Town Assembly Meeting Held On June 30; Vice-President Shigeru Hasegawa Elevated To President And Mr. Jusuke Aiba To Vice-President**
3. **Railway Electrization Acceleration Movement;**
Government Railway Electrization Between Maibara And Himeji Is Keenly Desired

4 July 1949

Shiga

1. **All-Japan Government Railway Workers Union Maibara District Consultation Association Held Conference On The 3rd To Decide Attitude Against Administrative Readjustment**
2. **Trouble Between 2 Parties**
Finally Settled: Prefectural Federation Of Fibre Article Dealers Associations And Purchase Department Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations; Bone Of Contention Was About Distribution Right Of Incentive Clothing Stuff For Barley, Wheat, Rye and Potatoes Delivery; Agricultural Cooperative Associations Entitled To Undertake ~~Whole~~ Distribution
3. **Fourth Repatriation Steamer "Shinano-maru" Entered Maizuru Port; Among Repatriates Included Prefectural Men**
4. **Elevation Campaign Of Hikone Technical College Entered Into Final Stage; Sponsoring Alliance And School Authorities Negotiating With Prefectural Authorities; Students Are Out On Streets And Conducting Demonstration For Acquisition Of Fund And Public Understanding And Cooperation; Alternative Between 3 and 4 Year Systems Strictly Investigated; Came To Conclusion: 4 Year System Is Preferable For Alleviating Prefectural Expenditure**
5. **More Than 1,000,000 Used Transaction Tax Stamps Gathered By Schools And Associations In Otsu Taxation Office Area; Money Granted For Service Amounts To ¥45,000; Money For Collection By School Pupils To Be Appropriated For Juvenile Library Fund**
6. **Kobayashi Industrial Company In Nagahama Launched Out Into Regular Angora Rabbit Breeding; Rabbit Breeding Grounds Designated By Ministry Of Agriculture And Forestry And Prefecture In Nagahama And Sakata District; Present 5,000 Heads To Be Increased To 100,000 After 3 Years**
7. **Monthly Fixed Event To Be Held In Yokaichi For Prevention Of Epidemics; Brief Lecture Course Of Fundamental Preventive Measures To Be Held On The 6th**
8. **Hikone Labor Stabilization Office Gathered Impressions Of 484 New Graduates Working At Factories; Representative Opinion Was; Desired Internal Circumstances Of Companies Informed Prior To Entering Into Service**

5 July 1949

Shiga

1. Labor Union, Social Party, Communist And Laborer-farmer Party In This Prefecture Started Cooperative Struggle Against The Government Railway
2. Plan For Construction Of Karahashi Bridge In New Seta Is Being Made To Cut The Distance Between Hamatsu And Ishiyama
3. At 4.00 a.m. 20 Repatriates Returning To This Prefecture Got Off At Kyoto Station. They Showed No Willingness Of Going Home, Singing International Song At The Compound In Front Of The Station With Other Repatriates Whose Destination Is Hokkaido
4. First General Meeting Of The Prefectural Employer's Education Council Was Held On July 5 At The Conference Room Of The Prefectural Government For The Purpose Of Complete Development Of Labor Movements And To Accelerate The Economic Stabilization
5. The Oratorical Contest Of High Schools Throughout The Country Will Be Held At The Otsu High School On Their Opening Memorial Day Of July 6th
6. New Construction Of First Nursery In This Prefecture Is Planned In Otsu City With Cost Of ¥1,400,000
7. For The Purpose To Accomplish The Scientific Rationalization For The Production And Its Delivery, Improvement Of Soil To Be Made By Gamo-Kanzaki District Office
8. Mr. Ghata Arrived At His Post On July 6th As President Of The Shiga University
9. Utilizing The Summer Vacation, Improvement Of Children's Culture To Be Made By The Gamo Branch Of Prefectural Teacher's Association
10. Exchange Of International Comity Was Made Between An American Girl And A Girl Student Of Hachiman High School Through Pure-hearted Letters
11. Supplying Foods To Nurseries Will Be Enforced At 3 Places; Aijien, Kagahama, Otsu Nursery And Tenjiryama Nursery In Katata For The Time Being; Remaining 14 Permanent Nurseries To Be Made Later

Mainichi

1. Dismissal Of Government Railway Employees Was Announced; 512 Officials In This Prefecture
2. Prefectural Assembly In July Will Be Held On The 25th; Supplementary Budget Is About ¥200,000,000

Asahi

1. Condition For Dismissal Of Government Railway In This Prefecture; Announcement Of Name List Is Expected 10-day

Chubu Nippon

1. Geisha-girls And Callers Is In The Employment Relationships And It Will Be Applied In The Employment Stabilization Law

6 July 1949

Shiga

1. Joint Strife By United Front Decided By Prefectural Progressive Renovation Political Parties And Labor Unions At Meeting Held In Otsu On The 4th; Most Conspicuous Resolution Is Absolute Opposition To Personnel Dismissal
2. Mr. Matsui President Of Shiga Shinbun, Wrote Opportune Editorial With Title Of "To Repatriated Friends"; Criticism Of Their Attitude; Likely To Appeal To Them
3. Shiga Military Government Renamed Shiga Civil Affairs Team From July 1; Lt. Col. J.E. Evans Newly Appointed Commanding Officer As Of Same Date
4. Gubernatorial Conference Held On The 5th At Ministry Of Agriculture And Forestry For Readjusting Preplanting Quotas Of Barley-Wheat-Rye-Potato Delivery For 1949; Prefectural Readjustment Is As Follows:
Barley, Wheat, Rye: 5,400 Koku
Potato: 167,000 Kan
5. Three Native Repatriates Stayed At Kyoto Station Against Their Intention; Out Of Sympathy Towards Fellow-men With Whom They Had Spent Their Days Together In Sorrows And Joys; Expressed Their Regretful Feeling At Maibara Station
6. Prefectural Movement In Connection With Government Railway Workers' Dismissal Is Generally Quiet
7. Prefectural Agrarian Renovation League Dispatched Notice To Each Member On The 5th: Let Us Admit Them Into Friendship As Confidential Friends
8. Warning Issued By Prefectural Agricultural Experimental Station Lest There Should Be Carelessness In Prevention Of "Imochi" (Rice-plant Fever) Threatening To Spread All Over Prefecture
9. Birth Rate Gradually Lowering In Hikone Health Center Area For Past Six Months As Compared With Corresponding Period Of Last Year; May Be Reflection Of Acute Necessity Upon Birth Control
10. "Let's Hold Out Hands Of Love Towards War-widows": Prefectural Bereaved Families' Association Held Table-talk Conference; Widows' Heart-rendering Appeals Reminded Hearers Of Their Fearful Daily Life Apt To Go Out Of Public Mind

Mainichi

1. Prefectural Number Of Government Railway Discharged Workers Amounting To 860 Or So At 5 p.m. On 5th

Asahi

1. About Half Of Town And Village Masters Resigned During 2 Years Since Enforcement Of Local Autonomy Law; Reasons Are: Building Plot Of Middle School, Difficulty Of Financial Resources And Rice-delivery
2. Second Share Tax To Local Government To Be Distributed To Cities, Towns And Villages Reported To Prefecture On The 5th
3. Juvenile Literary Exercises For Consolation Of Repatriates Being Projected By Otsu School Board; Representative Children's Reports On Actual Condition Of Postwar Japan Are Objective

Chubu

1. Otsu Evacuees Repatriated Immediately After End Of War Desiring Municipal Authorities And Citizens For Positive Cooperation From Their Own Experience; Future Relief And Protection Are Rather Important, Their View

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

25 June 1949

Shiga

1. Non-paid Labor Disaster Insurance Premium for April, May And June Amounting To ¥6,000,000; Authorities Concerned Decided To Take Resolute Measures
2. Enthusiasm For Carp-raising In Paddy-fields Among Mountainous District Farmers Hightening With Entry Into Season; Application For Purchase Of Young Carps Totalling 5,000,000
3. Petition Filed To Prefecture By Nagahama City For Alteration Of Agricultural Program For 1949; Farmers Cannot Subsist On Quantity Of Retention Rice Fixed By Authorities
4. First Dispatch To Deserted Islet Takeshima Tried By Hikone Water-police For Reconnoitering; Now All Dilapidated; Abounds With Legends; Statue Of Buddha In Temple Said To Have Been Brought In From India Is Worthy Of National Treasure
5. Most Of Minor And Middle Class Labor Unions In Hikone District Tend To Abolish Employees Engaged Solely In Union Affairs On Account Of Predicament To Raise Fund
6. Personal Affair Consultation Office Of Former Hikone Girls' School "Kintei Kai" to be Continued As Ever; Graduates Of Kintei Gakuen Will Be Recruited Into Membership From Next Spring; Open To Graduates For Consultation About Marriage Difficulty And To General Public Desire To Find Partners In Life
7. National Police Prefectural Authorities Got Information About Katata Fishery Association's Illegal Transactions Of Fishing Net Material; Secret Investigation Made; Auditor Arrested On Suspicion Of Embezzlement On The 23rd

Mainichi

1. Vigorous Campaign Will Be Started By Electrization Promoting Committee To Materialize Electrization Of Hokuriku Line Between Maibara And Fukui In Cooperation With Committee In Fukui Prefecture

Asahi

1. First Committee Meeting Held Between Representatives Of Sericulturists And Spinning Enterprisers On The 22nd; Price Of Cocoon Discussed, But No Agreement Was Reached
2. Village Administration Town Hall Meeting Held On The 23rd In Aburahimura, Koga-gun; Different In Method From Those Hitherto Held At 30 Towns And Villages; Prefectural Local Section Recommended It As Model
3. Each District Police Station Are Active Against Thefts To Be Committed At Farmers' Absent Houses; One Month From This 15th Fixed As "Farm Busy Season Crime Prevention Month"; Guard Service Corps Are On Alert

Chubu

1. Change After Change In Rapid Succession Occurring In Hikone Industrial Circle: Reorganization Of Private Management Into Legal Persons Due To Management Difficulty And Intention Of Lessening Tax Burden; Otsu Legal Affairs Bureau Hikone Branch Accepting Applications
2. Decrease Of Prefectural Irish Potato Crop Exceeding 900,000 Ken, According To Investigation Of Shiga Foodstuff Office
3. New Step To Be Discussed At District Office Economic Section Chiefs' Conference To Designate Agricultural Cooperative Associations As Fresh-water Fish Retailers; Too Much Profit Being Made By Present Dealers

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22 June 1949

Shiga

1. 1,041 Cases Of Violation Detected By Shiga Labor Standard Bureau During May
2. Protest Filed By Former Rice-dealers Was Approved; Economic Stabilization Board's Decision Concerning Designation Of Staple Food Dealers
3. Mr. Kitamura, Director Of Shiga Girls' College, Who Had Attended Short-term University Conference Held At Ministry Of Education On The 17th Said: "Elevation Of Shiga Girls' College To Status Of Brief-term University Is Hopeful"
4. Actual Condition Of Other Prefectural Education To Be Investigated Based Upon Model Of This Prefecture; General Principle For Investigation Concerning District Board Of Education Will Be Drawn Up By Ministry Of Education For Reference Of Local Government Authorities
5. Enthusiasm Swelling Up Among Hikone Citizens For Beautifying Their City And Promoting Their Health
6. Annual Expense For Medical Treatment Is On An Average Of ¥663 Per Capita; Practically No Families Wholly Free From Disease And Disaster; According To Investigation Of Nagahama City
7. Otsu Taxation Office Hit Upon Plan To Simplify Method Of Auction; Attached Goods To Be Appraised Before Bidding; Second-hand Goods Dealers Will Go Round Homes Of Non-taxpayers
8. Taxpayment Publicity Car Will Come To This Prefecture On The 24th; Now Visiting Various Places Within Osaka Tax Bureau Area

Mainichi

1. Damages Caused By Recent Heavy Rain Became Available: 450 Chobu Of Rice And Vegetable Fields Covered With Water
2. Tsuchikura Mine Transportation Department Members Will Go On Indefinite Strike On The 22nd
3. Sale Department Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations Projecting Construction Of Warehouses For Sweet Potato Preservation; Capacity Of Storage Is About 150,000 Kan

Asahi

1. Shiga Labor Standard Bureau Labor Disaster Insurance Section Pressed Factories For Payment Of Premium; Monetary Deadlock Badly Prevailing; Most Of Them Uncontrollable Due To Self-abandonment. Competitive Dunning Is Brisk Among Public Offices: Labor Standard Bureau, Taxation Office, Labor Standard Supervising Office
2. About 10 Minor Factories Manufacturing Agricultural Implements Are In Danger Of Closing; Management Is In Critical Condition Due To Financial Difficulty, According To Narration Of Osaka Board Of Commerce And Industry Otsu Sub-office

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

20 June 1949

Shiga

1. Control Of Prefectural Hikone All-round Stadium To Be Transferred From Prefectural Property Management Committee To Hikone City; Largest Diamond In Kansai Region Will Be Completed Shortly; Cycle-race Ground Is At Dead-lock Due To Financial Difficulty
2. Applications For Eugenic Protection Accepted By Hikone District Eugenic Protection Committee Amounted To 120 Cases Since Its Start; True Spirit Of Law Generally Not Yet Understood
3. Sign Of Rice-insect Growth Increasing In Kansaki-gun; Insecticide Should Be Applied As Soon As They Are Found Out, Judging From Last Year's Damages
4. Amount Of Tax To Be Imposed Upon Sewing Machines Found In Agrarian Districts Is Approximately ¥500,000 In Sakata-Higashiazai District Office Area
5. Nagahama Public Welfare Association Decided To Collect Members From Each Family: More Than One Person Per Family; Sent Notice To People's Welfare Committee Liaison Members For Citizens' Subscriptions
6. Round-table Conference To Be Held On The 24th By Nagahama Municipal Juvenile Welfare Section For Prevention Of Youth And Juvenile Degradation; Boys And Girls Playing Truant To Be Put Under Control

21 June 1949

Shiga

1. Investigation Of Production Costs And Profits Of Rice And Sweet Potato For 1948 By Production Department Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations:
Rice Production: In Black Ink
Sweet Potato Production: In Red Ink
Production Costs Increasing
2. Fifth Regular Meeting Of Prefectural Teachers Association Held In Otsu On The 19th; Acquisition Of Educational Budget And Maintenance Of Status Quo For Present Number Of Teachers Unanimously Resolved
3. New 8 Scenic Spots Of Lake Biwa Decided: Natural Beauty Offered To Public By Lake Province For Appreciation
4. Actual Condition Of New System Middle School Graduates Of 1948 School Year Investigated By Prefectural Board Of Education Survey And Statistics Section:
only statistics
Those Who Went Up To Higher Grade Schools: 2,195 Persons
Those Who Secured Employments: 6,373 Persons
5. Heavy Rain Fell All Over Prefecture; Part Of Lakeside Districts Flooded; Large Shoals Of Fish Swarming In Coastal Waters
6. Publication And Research Meeting For School Curriculum Formation And Practice Held On The 18th At Hino Primary School Sponsored By Prefectural Board Of Education; Attenders Were 800 Persons
7. Tuberculosis Is Unexpectedly Prevalent Among Juvenile Population; Yokaichi Hospital To Start Individual Instruction Of Patients
8. Sheep-raising Enthusiasm Heightening Recently In This Prefecture; Sheep Will Be Brought In Shortly After July 10

Mainichi

1. Preparation For Reception Of Evacuees From Soviet All Completed; Governor Hattori And Others Will Go To Maizuru To Greet First Steamer
2. No Great Damages Caused By Heavy Rainfall From Evening Of The 18th, According To Information Of National Police Prefectural Guard Duty Department

Asahi

1. Japan Red Cross Shiga Branch Will Offer Service For Evacuees From Soviet; One Or Two Nurses To Be Sent On Duty On Each Repatriates' Train Between Kyoto And Maibara

Chubu

1. Establishment Of International Cloister Being Projected, Only One Of Its Kind In Japan; Kohoku District Commanding Bird's Eye View Of Lake Will Be Suitable For Its Site; Accommodation Of Converts From Abroad Is Also In View
2. Prefectural Economy Suffering From Hardships Due To 9 Points For Economic Recovery Put Into Practice; Export Will Be Confined To Artificial Silk And Fibre; Gap Between Rich And Poor Is Striking In Agrarian Districts

Not translated as no educational problems described

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

18 June 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Disaster Subsidy From Central Government Decided On The 17th; ¥15,920,000
2. Prefectural Assembly Lake Biwa Synthetic Exploitation Special Committee Meeting Held On The 17th; Insisted On Adopting Japan Electric Generation And Transmission Company's Plan; Economic Stabilization Board Agreed Upon As Uneconomical; The Former Will Be Petitioned To Government
3. Irish Potato Crop Will Be Contrary To Expectation; Delivery Not Going On Smoothly; Crop Even At Its Best Will Consist Of Small-sizes
4. New Building For Malaria Research Institute Now Established In Shiga Girls' College In Hikone Being Projected Due To Various Inconveniences; Research Covering Whole Range Of Medical Science Will Be Started In Future For Hikone Public Health
5. Meeting Was Held By Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee Control Encouraging Department On The 17th; Decision Was Reached Concerning Strengthening Clothing-stuff Control: First Of All, Step To Be Taken For Enlightening Publicity By Round-table Conference
6. Occupation Agencies Being Closed One After Another In Gamo And Kanzaki Districts; Program Being Propelled For Revival
7. Nagahama Will Set Up New Dormitory On Coast Of Lake; Homeless Evacuees Now Lodged Temporarily In Hospitals And Factories Will Be Accommodated

Mainichi

1. Building Expense For Transferring Residences And Other Items Adopted By Otsu Budgetary Municipal Assembly On The 17th
2. Movement Of Lake Province's Labor Circle Amidst Whirlwind Of Dismissal: Leftist Tendency Is Striking; Showing Weakening Of Union Combination

Asahi

1. Selling Price Of Prefectural 8 School Buildings Is Approximately ¥100,000,000, According To Estimation Of Prefectural Property Management Committee
2. Export Promotion Conference To Be Held On The 25th By Prefectural Fine Arts Technical Association For Advancement Of Exportation Of Technical Articles

Chubu

1. Trouble Arose Centering Around Appointment Of Staple Food Dealers - Former Rice-Dealers Who Failed To Be Selected And Agricultural Cooperative Associations; Defeated Businessmen Appealed To Director-General Of Economic Stabilization Board

19 June 1949

Shiga

1. First Spring Cocoon Dispatched To Shiga Dry Cocoon Cooperative Association In Kohoku District On The 17th
2. Management Of Minor And Middle Class Enterprisers Becoming All The More Difficult; Discharged Persons Totals 1,834 In This Prefecture
3. Otsu Municipal Assembly Adopted Statement Of Opinion On Establishment In Otsu Of Shiga University Headquarters On The 17th
4. Dream Japanese Had Indulged In, Closing Country From Foreigners Was Broken By Commodore Perry 90 Years Ago; June 19 Is Anniversary; Nation Now Able To Realize Spirit Of Tokugawa's Prime Minister II
5. Eventful "Health Week" To Be Held From The 20th To 26th Sponsored By Kinomoto Health Center For Promotion Of Health In Ika District
6. Objective Amount Of Prefectural Community Chest For 1949 To Be Decided On The 27th And 28th
7. Truth Of wheat-gluten Distribution And Taxpayment Consigned Into Oblivion; Topics In Yasu District Of Unlawful Cases - Secret Investigation Leaked Out By Man Of Bad Reputation
8. Hikone District Public Procurator's Office Will Take Drastic Measures Shortly Against Non-paid Penalties, Shaking Off Paternalism

Mainichi

1. Payment Of Unemployment Insurance Insured Money Increased To 70 Times In Half Year, According To Prefectural Survey
2. Yasu River Dam Now Under Construction Is Largest In Japan; Construction Expense Of ¥68,000,000 For 1949 Definitely Decided For Speeding Up Completion; Great Expectation Being Entertained For Increased Production Of 20,000,000 Koku Rice

Asahi

1. Prefectural Grand Contest For Commendation Of "Top Rice-raiser In Japan" Will Be Held Sponsored By Asahi Shinbun-sha; 38 Industrious Farmers Full Of Self-confidence Applied For Participation. Participants Must Not Be Worried About Increase Of Delivery Quotas, Prefectural Economic Department Chief's Narration

Chubu

1. Difficult Construction Works Almost Completed: Much Desired Trunk Water Channel To Draw Lake Water Up Into Land; Whereby 6 Towns And Villages In Azuchi-mura, Gamo-gun, Will Receive Benefit Of Water-supply

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

16 June 1949

Shiga

1. Voting For 8 New Scenic Spots Is Successful, Exceeding 30,000 Ballots; Top Is Chikubajima Islet; Result To Be Announced On The 25th
- ✓ 2. Hikone Board Of Education Using This Method And That To Prevent Boys And Girls From Degradation With Purpose Of Training Them To Be Bright And Cheerful
3. Prefectural Doctors' Association Will Inspect Consultation And Treatment Of National Health Insurance Doctors
4. Entrance Examination Of Shiga University Economic Department Commenced; Applicants Are A Little Less Than Twice Fixed Number
5. Pig-breeding Enthusiasm Heightening In Koka District; 1,000 Heads Are Objective

Mainichi

1. Model Factories Will Be Given Champion Flags For Production Increase Today: Toyo Rayon And Otsuka No. 2 Factory
2. First Public Trial Of Otsu Municipal Water Scandal Opened On The 15th; 5 Accused Persons Denied Facts For Which They Were Prosecuted

Asahi

1. About 300 Contribution Boxes Set Up By Foodstuff Distribution Public Corporation Prefectural Branch To Hear Consumers' Complaints At Agricultural Between Season.
2. Pitch Of Production Speeding Up At Two Most Excellent Factories Commended For Production Increase: Toyo Rayon And Otsuka No. 2 Factory

Chubu

- ✓ 1. 10% Difference Of Salaries Among Teachers Working Together Under Same Circumstances Due To District Allowance Is Irrational; Petitioned By High School Directors' League At End Of Last Month To Prefectural Board Of Education; Rectification Desired

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

17 June 1949

Shiga

1. Reduction Of Prefectural Bondraising Will Bring Public Undertakings To Deadlock; Prefectural General Affairs Section Chief Will Go To Tokyo To Petition For Increase Around The 22nd
2. Tax System Reformation Town Hall Meeting Held On The 16th At Otsu Chamber Of Commerce And Industry; Matters Discussed To Be Sent In To Shoup Mission As Referential Materials; Representative Opinion Expressed Is: Reduction Of Tax Rate
3. Production Department Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations Filed Protest Against Kansai Electric Generation And Transmission Company; Issue Concerns Electric Power Fee To Be Consumed By Farmers
4. Condition Of Subscriptions Collected For Shiga University:
Objective Amount Of Otsu: ¥1,500,000
Subscriptions Collected: ¥90,700
Objective Amount Of Hikone: ¥910,000
Subscriptions Collected: ¥450,000
5. Preparation Being Made By Nagahama Educational Affairs Office For Opening Citizens' Summer University; To Be Opened In July Divided Into 3 Departments: General, Female, Youth
6. Duck-raising In Paddy-field Being Encouraged In Inugami District; Prospective For Agrarian Side-job

Mainichi

1. Prefectural Wheat-Barley-Rye Crops Estimated Below Normal By 10%; Prefectural Office Will Solicit To Government For Alteration Of Quota
2. Shiga Foodstuff Office Urging Village Offices For Quick Dispatch Of Farming Program Of Rice And Sweet Potato For 1949
3. Otsu City Police Obtained Fruitful Result In Crime Detection; Rate Of Arrest Showing Long-stride Ascent; Striving For Realization Of "Guiltless City"

Asahi

1. Most Village Middle School Problems Are Nothing But Spurs Set To Political Strife; Whereby Smouldering Under Current Came Up To Surface; Prefectural Board Of Education's Affairs Bureau Views Recent Village-masters' Resignation From This Angle
2. True To Their Names, Villages In Koma District Daily Deposit ¥100,000; Monetary Deadlock Not Pressing By Dint Of Equal-balance Plans Conceived On Their Own Initiative
3. Average Wage Of Factories In Hikone: Highest Is Nozawa Cement's ¥10,229; Several Kinds Of Enterprises Showing Downward Tendency Of Wage Record In April And May With February And March As Its Peak

Chubu

1. Every Measure Possible To Be Taken For Reception Of Evacuees In Echi & Inugami Districts; Program Of Residence Construction Drawn Up; Application For Permission Of Construction Sent In To Prefecture On The 15th

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

15 June 1949

Shiga

1. Visit To Otsuka Industrial Co., Excellent Factory Commended With Champion Flag For Production Increase; Result Of Quality Examination Is Top In Kansai Region; No Articles Are Produced That Fall Short Of Standard
2. Exploitation Of Lake Biwa For Electric Power May Be Difficult By Prefectural Management; Final Decision To Be Made At Middle Of Next Month; According To Narration Of Mr. Meguro, Chief Of Ministry Of Construction River Bureau, who Came To Prefecture
3. Prefectural Federation Of Labor Unions Is In Danger Of Split; Re-Organization? Split? Dissolution? - Future Progress Attracting Public Attention
4. Manufacture Of Japanese Paper Started Along River Inugami; Bright Prospects Ahead As Article Of Foreign Trade; Blessed With Rich Source And Excellent Water; Industrializing At Earliest Possible Date Being Urged By Osaka Board Of Commerce & Industry And Kyoto Merchants
5. Sale Of Contraceptives Increasing In Hikone During One Month Since Its Start; Few Standing Customers But Mostly Strangers Who Frequent Pharmacies
6. Violation Of Farmland Readjustment Law In Kakui-mura, Echi-gun, Exposed By Echi Area Police And Sent To Otsu Local Public Procurator's Office; Chairman Of Readjustment Committee Took Away Tenant-farm Of His Own Ownership By Force Of Authoritative Position

Asahi

1. Agrarian Tax Imposition Counter-measure Conference Held On The 13th In Otsu Sponsored By Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations Agricultural Administration Section; Fair Play In Tax Imposition Based Upon Materials Presented By Federation And Farmers Clarified By Taxation Office
2. Staple Food Distribution System Strengthening Measure Consultation Association To Be Established In This Prefecture; First Committee Meeting Held On The 14th
3. CPH Establishing Campaign Being Propelled By Prefectural Social Education Section; Formality Of "Fine Building First" To Be Done Away With

Chubu

1. Successive Retirement Of Weaving Factory Girls Is Source Of Anxiety, Amounting To 72% A Month Of Those Who Entered Into Service; Condition Of 7 Textile Factories In Hikone Employment Stabilization Office Area
2. First Violation Of Revised Labor Union Law Appealed To Prefectural Local Labor Relation Committee On The 14th: Unlawful Dismissal Of Chairman Of Labor Union Committee By Omi Silk Thread Spinning Company

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

13 June 1949

Shiga

- ✓ 1. Discrepancy Of Opinion Concerning Hikone Technical College's Elevation To University Status Exists Between Prefecture And School Authorities: The Former Emphasizes Necessity Of Agricultural College For Promotion Of Agriculture; The Latter Insists On Establishing Industrial College For Advancement Of Industry
- ✓ 2. Yokaichi Primary School Started Broadcasting Education On 25th Of Last Month; Set Up Broadcasting Station In School; Light And Cheerful Infantile Voices Stream From Microphone Installed In Each Class, Sending Happy Recreation At Noon Time
3. Strange Issue Appeared In Connection With Barley-Wheat-Sweet Potato Dispatches: Trouble Occurred Out Of Mud-slinging Rivalry Between Agricultural Cooperative Associations And Former Rice-dealers Concerning Registration Of Staple Food Collecting Designated Businessmen
4. Mrs. Hitotsuyanagi Lecture On Subject Of "Desire To Japanese Women" Delivered At Commemoration Ceremony For Foundation Of Shiga Girls College: "Real Freedom Should Exist Within Right Limitations"
5. Hikone Library's Circulating Library Attracting Popularity; Expensive Books Are Beyond Reach Of General Public

14 June 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Excellent Factories In Production Increase Decided; Champion Flags Awarded To Toyo Rayon And Otsuka Industrial Company
2. Prefectural Staple Food Collecting Merchants Decided; Published By Shiga Foodstuff Office As Of April 1 On The 13th
3. Explanatory Meeting For Tax-payment Report To Be Held By Imazu Taxation Office On The 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th and 18th
4. Round-table Conference Held On The 11th In Otsu High School For Prevention Of Youth And Juvenile Degradation; Opinion Expressed To Following Effect: Boys And Girls Who Carry Away Things From Home Are To Blame For It, But Buyers Of Them Also Should Strictly Be Watched. Mothers Of Boys And Girls, Be Firm And Steady!
5. Round-table Conference Held In Yokaichi Sponsored By Ministry Of Education Social Education Bureau Purity Education Committee; 36 Men And Women Of Various Social Strata Living In Yokaichi Were Present; Courtesy Born Of Esteem For Individual Character Is Of Importance For Intercourse Between Men And Women
6. National Police Prefectural Headquarters To Start Crime Prevention Activities During Farmers' Busy Season; Schools, Associations And Factories To Be Called Upon To Strengthen Constant Watch By Themselves

Asahi

1. About 100 Gypsy-life Vagrant Laborers Are In Otsu Employment Stabilization Office Area; Earning Daily Wage Of ¥1,000 When They Get Much
2. Graduates From Girls' High Schools Applying For Factory Work As Girl-workers; Time Has Come When Intellectuals Cannot Support Themselves
3. Shiga Prefectural Educational Association Held General Meeting Of Kohoku And Koto Areas On The 11th In Hikone; Attainment Of New Educational Ideal Resolved

Chubu

1. Labor Unions Of Minor And Middle Scale Area Hard Up With Revised Labor Union Law Put Into Effect From The 10th; All Expenses For Union Management To Be Borne By Union Members; How To Pay Salaries Of Employees Solaly Engaged In Union Affairs Is Source Of Anxiety

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NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

9 June 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee Financial Department Meeting Held On The 7th; Decided To Send Statement Of Opinions To Ministry Of Finance, Economic Stabilization Board And Local Autonomical Committee For Establishment Of Local Financial System
2. Average Wage For April In Prefectural Enterprising Places Barely Surpassing ¥5,000
3. "Housewife's Shops" Generally Recognized Very Little Though 3 Months Since They Were Selected
4. Summer Season Merchandise Exhibition Hall To Be Established In Nagahama For Industrial Advancement
5. National Police Prefectural Headquarters Communication Section Giving Precaution Against Traffic Accidents; Likely To Increase Due To Hot Season
6. Middle School Pupils Eager To Study Social Science Flocking To Hikone Municipal Library; Library Men In Charge Of Reading Rooms Are Very Busy

Asahi

1. Job-seeking Becoming All The More Difficult; Still Jobs Can Be Found If Sought Without Disappointment; Otsu Stabilization Office Searching For New Kinds Of Works
2. Agrarian Tax Imposition Counter-measure Conference To Be Held On The 13th Sponsored By Federation Of Prefectural Agricultural Cooperative Associations, Agricultural Administration Section; Brisk Opinions Expected To Come Out Against Farmers' Tax Increase

Chubu

1. Shiga Labor Standard Office Will Buy Various Scientific Apparatuses For Instruction Of Factory Security; Will Be Installed At Each Branch Office Shortly
2. National Police Prefectural Headquarters Totalled Result Of Ghost Population Control During May; 80 Bags Of Rice Consumed By Unregistered Persons
3. Prefectural Labor Standard Office Decided Objective Amount Of Labor Disaster Insurance Insured Money At ¥25,000,000; Will Collect Adjusted Amount Of ¥12,600,000 By End Of June; Will Expose Illegal Factories That Have Not Yet Sent In Reports

10 June 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Economic Department Chief Ibuki Returned From Wheat-Barley-Potato Quota Adjusting Conference And Said On The 9th: "The Main Problem Discussed Is The Difference Of Planting Acreage Between Prefectural Investigation And Crop Report Office's Report"
2. Otsu Municipal Additional Budget Is ¥13,590,000 In All
3. Rights Of Trial Digging Of Manganese In Sakata District Attached For

Non-payment Of Mining Area Tax

4. "If Job-seekers Are Not Hard To Please, There Are Yet Jobs" - So Prefectural Employment Stabilization Section Thinks Of Prefectural Condition Of Employment Problem
5. Fifty Sewing Machines Remains Idle In Mikone Occupation Agency; Utilizing Measures Are Under Discussion By Municipal Welfare Section

Mainichi

1. Middle School Students Of Okayama-mura, Gamo-gun Will Cooperate With Villagers For Crime Prevention During Farm Busy Season From The 10th
2. Daido Iron And Steel Manufacturing Company Fumanchata Mining Office To Be Prosecuted For Non-payment Of Discharge Allowances

Asahi

1. Shiga University Will Begin Second Advertisement For Applicants For Liberal Arts Department: From The 24th
2. Otzu Taxation Office Hit Upon New Plan: Establishment Of "Material section" (Information Section); Discovery Of New Types Of Tax-payers Is Objective

Education

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

11 June 1949

Shiga

1. National Minor And Middle Class Enterpriser Protection League Shiga Branch's Organizing Mass Meeting Held In Hikone On The 9th
2. Excellent Farmers' Busy Season Nurseries Will Be Commended By Shiga Shim-bun-sha Under Support Of Prefectural Office And Prefectural Juvenile Welfare Association
3. Quality Standard Of Oni Tea Decided By Prefectural Tea Production League; Quality-determining Examination To Be Commenced From The 23rd
4. Public Opinion Survey Conducted By Hikone Economic College Social Science Research Department; Consensus Of Students' Opinion Is: "We Have No Liberty Nor Autonomy On Account Of Our Own Lack Of Self-consciousness"
5. Katada Health Center's Construction Completed; Various Commemorative Events To Be Held
6. Relief Activities For Evacuees From Soviet To Be Started By Japan Red Cross Shiga Branch
7. New Device Contrived By Asamiya-mura For Stamping Out Wild Bears; Electrified Wire Entanglements To Be Laid Down; Vexations Care Will Be Eliminated

Asahi

1. Fixed Bank Deposit Is On Increase; May Be Sign Of Increasing Confidence In Currency, According To Survey Of Bank Of Japan Otsu Office
2. Prefectural People Waiting For National Financial Public Treasury To Be Opened; Already Opened In Large Cities
3. Two Town Hall Meetings To Be Held By Otsu Chamber Of Commerce & Industry:
 - A. Tax System Revision Town Hall Meeting On The 15th
 - B. Town Hall Meeting For Discussing Repairing And Reconstruction Works Of Otsu Harbor On The 16th

Mainichi

1. Juvenile Vagrants Are On Gradual Increase; Repletion Of Accommodations Desirable; Otsu Prefectural Juvenile Consultation Officer's Investigation
2. Formal Sanction Will Be Given Next Year For Construction Works Of Generating Establishments Of Lake Biwa
3. Coercive Measure To Be Taken By Hikone Taxation Office For Collection Of Non-paid Taxes; Non-payment Amounting To 40% Of Whole Imposition

Chubu

1. Labor Standards Law Decided Not To Be Applied To Relation Between Prefectural Velvet Weaving Enterprisers And Wage-earning Undertakers
2. Labor Standard Office Hikone Branch Investigated 72 Factories; 255 Cases Detected To Be Against Law; Many Dangerous Security Equipments Yet Unreformed

12 June 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Personnel Section Chief Miyake And Prefectural Local Section Chief Yagi Came Back On The 11th From Personnel And Local Section Chiefs' Conference Held At Local Autonomy Office And Said: "Actually There May Occur No Personnel Dismissal In Prefectural Public Bodies"
2. Otsu Chamber Of Commerce And Industry Will Send In Referential Materials On Tax System Problem To Shoup Tax Mission Corps; Town Hall Meeting To Be Held There On The 15th
3. Otsu Tax Payment Association And Otsu Chamber Of Commerce & Industry Will Open Explanatory Meetings For Income Tax Report Procedure On The 15th, 16th And 17th
4. Price Of Sweet Potato Seedling Dropped Below Official Price; Demands From Other Prefectures Are Below Expectation
5. Clear-cut Decision Not Yet Issued By Ministry Of Education As To Shiga University Headquarters Problem
6. Mr. Hitotsuyanagi's Speech On Recent Social Condition In America Delivered At Hikone Police Station On The 10th: "Americans Have Come To Entertain Familiar Feeling Towards Japanese; Bad Sentiment Has Been Wiped Away"

Mainichi

1. All-Japan Government And Public Office Workers Union Prefectural Assembly Organizing Meeting Held On The 10th At Shiga Bank
2. So Many Men And So Much Money Needed For Criminal-searching Expense In One Year Since Start Of Autonomical Police System, According To Investigation Of Nagahama Police

Asahi

1. Rice-planting Commenced In Each District Of Prefecture; Actual Conditions Reported Are As Follows: Konan: Smoothly Going On In drought-devastated Areas, Koto: Water-supply Plentiful, seedling Growth Excellent, Kosai: To Be Finished At End Of This Month, Kohoku: Completed 50% In Sakata And Higashiazai Districts
2. Prefectural Condition Of Fertilizer Supply Is Up To Full Mark; Distribution To Be Increased By 10% Than Last Year
3. Both Minor Class Employers And Their Employees Are Far Below Standard In Knowledge Of Labor Condition: Low Wage And Poor Treatment For Female-workers Prevailing Among Minor Enterprises Due To Ignorance And Feudalistic Idea On Either Side

Chubu

1. Governor Hattori Came Back From Gubernatorial Conference Held At Prime Minister's Official Residence And Told As Follows:
"We Are Not Satisfied With Suspension Of Government Subsidy; Some Step Must Be Taken For Its Continuation To Carry On Current Fiscal Year's Undertakings Left Over From 1948"
2. Newly Designed Paste Brought To Successful Result By Nagahama Industrial Experimental Station; Timely Hit Sent To Weaving Industrial Circle; Fifty

- Times More Enduring Than Powdered Sweet Potato
3. Tax-evasion Of Shin'ai Lumber Company, Misono-mura, Kanzaki-gun; Exposed By Hachiman Taxation Office.

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NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

8 June 1949

Shiga

1. Gubernatorial Conference For Readjustment Of Wheat, Barley and Potato Quotas For 1949 Held On The 7th In Tokyo; Governor Hattori Explained Prefectural Special Circumstances And Solicited For Reduction Of Quotas: Wheat And Barley 15%, Potato 20%
2. Tax-evasion Brought To Light By Nagahama Taxation Office; Some 20 Agricultural Cooperative Associations In Nagahama City And Sakata, Higashi-asaai and Ika Districts Evaded Transaction Taxes Connected With Broking Of Materials
3. Prefectural Educational Association To Hold Current Problem Lecture Meeting On The 11th And 18th
4. Mr. Burton E. Martin; American Literary Man, Left Hikone After 2-week Sojourn; Made Present Of Verses; "Renewal Of Castle's Spirit Ever Depends Upon Spectators' Minds, Hikone Men Are Always Under Castle's Influence" - His Impression
5. News Release From SMS, CE Section Chief About Boy Scout: "Any Association Must Not Be Called Boy Scout Until After Registration To Japanese Boy Scout League"
6. Fishing And Hair Nets Of Omi Silk Net Manufacturing Company, Maibara, Will Cross The Sea To Philippines And Siam; Production Being Propelled By Management-labor Collaboration
7. Nagahama Family Affairs Court Presenting Various Cases Representing Social Aspects: Divorce Case, Claim For Solatium, Solicitude For Reforming Riotous Brother By Force Of Law
8. Artificial Suspension Of Pregnancy Surpassing Still-birth In Yokaichi Health Center Area Since May

Mainichi

1. Farming Population Survey Will Be Conducted By Prefectural Foodstuff Office On July 1; Conscientious Reports Desirable

Asahi

1. Tendency Of Disliking Systematization Prevailing Among Prefectural Minor And Middle Class Enterprisers; Lack Of Cognizance For Associations Chief Cause; Many Of Them Already Dissolved
2. Construction Of 20 Repatriates' Residences Being Projected In Otsu; Will Be Started As Soon As Government Subsidy Is Granted
3. Restlessness And Tension Prevailing In Government Railway Workers Union Otsu Branch And Prefectural Workers Union With Whirlwind Of Dismissal Ahead

Chubu

1. First Introduction Of Business For Geisha Girls In This Prefecture Given Sanction In Otsu With Application Of Employment Stabilization Law To Gay Quarters

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

7 June 1949

Shiga

1. Repairing And Reconstruction Works Of Otsu Harbor To Be Started From September
2. Tax Imposition On Picnic Boats Omitted, Entrance Tax Of Exhibition Reduced In Tax Rate, According To Narration Of Mr. Yamaguchi, Prefectural General Affairs Section Chief
3. Prefectural Road Association Going To Start Repairing Works Of Important Roads Unable To Be Undertaken With Prefectural Expenditure And National Treasury Subsidy; Equipments And Labor To Be Offered As Much As ¥¥900,000 In Cash Estimate
4. Production Of Prefectural Mosquito Nets Is Prospective; Aspect Of Koki-gawa District, Production Area
5. 5.75% Of School Children In Hikone Health Center Area Lodging Parasites, According To Its Recent Investigation
6. Shiga Labor Standard Office To Hold Lecture Course Of Security Administrators' Affairs On The 13th, 14th, 15th and 16th

Mainichi

1. Total Amount Of Government Loan To Local Public Bodies Announced To Be ¥3,000,000,000; That Of Prefectural Assignment ¥5,000,000
2. Shiga Prefecture Maintaining Sound Finance; Smaller Debt Owed As Compared With Other Prefectures'

Asahi

1. Deposit Of Town And Village Agricultural Cooperative Associations In Credit Department Of Their Prefectural Federation Is Short Of ¥900,000,000 At End Of May; Deposit Increase Being Encouraged To Tide Over Agrarian Dull Between Season In Rice-Fields
2. Carp-raising In Rice-fields Being Greatly Encouraged By Prefectural Aquatic Product Association; Effective For Increased Production Of Rice Besides Carps' Growth By Natural Baits

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

4 June 1949

Shiga

1. Schedule For Town Administration Town Hall Meeting At 17 Towns Decided
2. Private Library Called "Ikada Bunko" Established In Yokaichi; Readers' Debate Meeting To Be Held Every Sunday For Advancement Of Townsman's Culture
3. Hikone Technical College Exerting Effort For Elevation To University Status; Elevation Will Not Produce Marked Difference In Expenditure
4. Still-births Increasing, Tendency In Nagahama; Due To Venereal Diseases
5. People Favored By Livelihood Protection Law Increasing In Gamo And Kanzaki Districts; Homeless Men Are On Decrease

Mainichi

1. Notice-board For Prohibition Of Christian Faith Telling Bygone Days Of Prosperity Discovered At Shiga Primary School Yamana-cho Branch

Asahi

1. 50% Of Visitors To Prefectural Juvenile Consultation Office Is Mothers With Babies Driven To Difficult Circumstances; Most Of Them Forsaken By Husbands Due To Family Discords Caused By Dismissal
2. Nonpayment During May Still Amounts To ¥100,000,000 At Hikone Taxation Office Due To Monetary Dead Lock
3. Most Of Middle School Directors' Resignations Being Brought About By Middle School Building Construction Problems; Financial Resources Other Than Donations Cannot Be Drawn Out At Present; Proper Guidance To Be Started By Prefecture

Kyoto

1. Prefectural Office Going To Accept Applications For Sanction Of Drinking And Eating Business Shortly; Business Of Restaurant Together With That Of Hotel Is Against Provision
2. Prefectural Association For Promoting And Disseminating Excellent Medical Drugs (Temporary Name) To Be Established Through Good Offices Of Prefectural Sanitary Department Medicinal Affairs Section
3. Otsu Awazu Middle School Building To Be Completed Shortly; Classrooms Are Ideal With Electric Equipments And Healthy Environments

Chubu

1. Plan Of Hikone Technical College's Elevation To University Status Completed; Petition Will Be Filed Shortly To Governor; Industrial Departments Relative To Native Province To Be Established

2. First Selection Committee Meeting Will Be Held On The 9th To Choose Excellent Factories; Commensurate To Standard Of Economic Stabilization Production Increase Campaign
3. Kaigake-mura, Gamo-gun, Known For Ox-breeding, Aiming At Becoming Thriving Village Of Ox And Cuck Production; Raising Of 3,000 Chickens With Milk Is In View

5 June 1949

Shiga

1. Incentive Goods System For Barley, Wheat And Potato Delivery Changed; Articles That Farmers Like Will Be Distributed On Point System
2. Adult Education Research Meeting To Be Held By Prefectural Board Of Education Echi-Inugami Detachment On The 10th At District Office
3. Average Living Expense Of One Student For May Is ¥4,000, According To Investigation Of Hikone East Middle School; Burden Upon Parents Is No Small Amount
4. Ancient Civilization Of Japanese Race Originated In Lakeside District, According To Research Of Late Professor Hashimoto Of Hikone Higher Commercial School; Posthumous Manuscripts Will Be Published Shortly
5. Dispatch Of Green Pea Is Unexpectedly Dull; May Be Around 250,000 Kan In The End, According To Report Of Sale Department Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations

Asahi

1. Otsu Board Of Education Decided To Have Teachers In Charge Of Instruction Outside School; Preventive Measures Against Degradation Of Young Men And Boys

Kyoto

1. Natural Science Hall To Be Newly Established In Otsu; Kyoto University Lakeside Experimental Station Likely To Be Chosen As Its Site
2. Prefectural Office To Investigate Referential Materials For Revision Of Election Law In Compliance With National Election Administration Committee's Request

Chubu

1. Shiga Industrial Company Labor Union Offering To Open Dormitory To Public; Almost Vacant Due To Decrease Of Workers Owing To Strife; Otsu City Office Expecting Much From It, But Creditor-Shiga Bank's And Management's Attitudes Are Doubtful
2. Production Department Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations Is Against Excessive Imposition Of Tax; 40% Of Farmers' Income Is Taken Away By Tax

3. Nagahama First Middle School's "Peace Times" Stamped As Excellent Among Many School Newspapers In This Prefecture; Few More Issues, And It Will Attain 1,000 Copies

6 June 1949

Shiga

1. Hikone Chamber of Commerce And Industry Held Industrial Promotion Round Table Conference On The 3rd
2. Production Of Omi Green Tea Is In Full Swing For Export; Quality Becoming Better
3. School Children's Absence Is Increase, According To Investigation Of Nagahama Municipal Juvenile Welfare Section; Juvenile Welfare Committee Giving Advice To Attend School
4. Hikone Will Start Unemployment Redemption Construction Works For Stamping Out Malaria: Fine Business For, So To Speak, Killing 2 Birds With 1 Stone; 20,000 Persons In All To Be Delivered From Pretty Pass Of Unemployment
5. Clothing Materials Are Abundantly On Show, Hikone Evacuees' Ready Sale Market's Aspect; "More Articles Less Price" Can Be Detected There Vividly Reflecting No Easy Household Economy On Social Condition

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NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

3 June 1949

Shiga

1. Hanji Akiyama, Director Of Hikone Economic College, Was Appointed President Of Shiga University As Of June 2
2. Detainees' Families' Mass Meeting Held On The 1st And 2nd In Otsu; They Mustered With All Available Strength; Tragic Cry Raised Appealing To Universal Justice And Humanity
3. Hikone Catholic Church Building Itself Cloister In Its Compound; To Be Completed In September; 2 American Nuns To Be Stationed
4. Can It Be Realized Unconditional Amalgamation Of Split Kindred Unions To All Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union; Future Movement Of Both Parties Attracting Public Attention

Asahi

1. "Don't Be Fastidious In Choice Of Employments. Look Straight At Realities As They Are, Otherwise Very Difficult To Secure Occupations" - Prefectural Employment Stabilization Office Pointed Out To Intelligent Classes Now That Job-seeking Has Grown Serious
2. Okada, Technical Expert Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations Came Back From National Representative Farmers' Conference For Agrarian Tax Imposition Problem For 1949. He Said: Ministry Of Finance Is Intending To Increase Farmers' Taxes From 50 to 70% Of Previous Year
3. Ministry Of Agriculture And Forestry Decided Wheat-Barley-Rye Planting Acreages For 1949 On The 1st; Prefectural Assignment Is 19,420 Roku

Chubu Nippon Shinbun

1. Shiga Textile Manufacturing Company In Yokaichi Exports Hemp Towel And Cloth To America; Orders Of Roll Towel Greatly Increasing Lately; Eager For Mass Exportation By Production Increase
2. Wage Non-payment Of Prefectural Enterprises Amounting To More Than K2,000,000: Proof Of Minor And Middle Class Industrialists Falling Deeper And Deeper Into Critical Condition

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

30 May 1949

Shiga

1. Whirlwind Of Dismissal Raging At Nippon Electric Company Otsu Factory; 356 Out Of 1,700 Labor Union Members Received Notices Of Dismissal By Mail As Of May 31 On The 29th
2. American, Mr. Burton E. Martin, Spoke His Impression Of Japan At Hak-keitei In Hikone: "I Like Japanese Very Much", He Studied At Oxford And Cambridge In England After Graduation From Harvard University; He Was Lecturer On World Cultural History; So To Say, Student On Things Japanese Like Lafcadio Hearn
3. Extension Works Of Hokuriku Railway Line Now In Suspension After 80% Completion To Be Petitioned To Authorities Concerned By Ika District Town And Village Assemblies
4. Alliance For Attaining Establishment Of College To University Status Organized In Hikone With Elevation Campaign Of Hikone Technical College Becoming Active
5. Planting Of New Class Sweet Potato, "Kanto No. 12" To Be Encouraged By Prefectural Agricultural Experimental Station; Stamped As Excellent In Respect Of 3 Merits: More Crop, Good Taste, Preservation
6. Many Fire Disasters Occurred This Year, According To Investigation Of National Fire-Service Office; This Prefecture Had 58 Cases From January To April, Damages Amounting To ¥24,000,000
7. All Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union Held National Conference Of Finance Affairs Woman Members And Other Meetings On The 29th In Otsu Prior To Convention

31 May 1949

Shiga

1. First Regular General Meeting Held On The 30th By Production And Credit Departments Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations; Statement Of Accounts Reported Re-election Of Directors Took Place
2. Fifth National Convention Of All Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union Held At Prefectural Educational Hall On The 30th; Discussion Carried Out Concerning Unification Of Front
3. Otsu Municipal Assembly Opened On The 30th; Otojiro Yoshida Elected As Chairman, Shojiro Yamada As Vice-Chairman; Municipal Assembly Standing Committee Members Changed
4. Are There Any Capital Financial Resources? - Prefectural Authorities Are On Alert For New Source; Campaign For Securing Non-tax Revenues To Be Started From The 20th; Strong Maintenance Of Balance Between Revenue And Expenditure Aimed At For Enforcement Of Nine Points For Economic Recovery
5. Otsu City Water Case Came To Conclusion Under Investigation Of Otsu City Water Account Investigation Committee On The 28th; No Traces Of Iniquity Can Be Recognized In Account

Asahi

1. Middle-aged Female Job-seekers Are On Increase, Having Few Side-works; Probably Wives Of Those Thrown Out Of Employment Due To Enterprise Re-adjustment
2. Sake Does Not Sell In Spite Of Free Sale Except Those Of Reputed Brand; Dealers Raising Cry Of Disappointment. This Reminds Them Of Return Of Free Competition Age
3. Spring-time Of Prosperity Came Back To Maibara Fishing Net Industry, Now Released From Dead Stop Put By Pacific War To Its Export To America. Prospective With Wide Market In America, Australia, Philippines And North Europe, Narrow-mesh Fishing Nets Are Highly Estimated For Export; Orders Coming In Together With Weaving Machines. Hopeful Factor To Procure Foreign Currency
4. Dismissal Of Prefectural Primary And Middle School Teachers Informally Notified By Prefecture; Number Of Sacrifices May Be 190

1 June 1949

Shiga

1. Otsu Municipal Extraordinary Assembly Held On The 30th; Questions Brought To Bear Upon Board Of Education; Approved Settlement Of City Water Accounts Conditionally
2. Increase Production Contest To Be Held By Prefecture; Prize Money Will Be Given To Excellent Competitors
3. First Regular General Meeting Of Selling And Buying Departments Of Prefectural Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations Held On The 31st; Statement Of Accounts Reported; Directors Re-elected
4. National Convention Of All-Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union (Second Day) Held On The 31st In Otsu; Policy Of Strife Decided With Adoption Of Protest Against Readjustment
5. Fourth National Convention Of All Japan Electric Industry Workers Union (Third Day) Held On The 30th And Passed Future Policy Of Union Campaign
6. Middle-class Commercial And Industrial Enterprisers' Reports Of Business Abolition Increasing In Kohoku District Due To Heavy Tax, Shortage Of Materials And Financial Difficulty
7. Sightseeing Exhibition Being Projected To Be Opened Next Spring In Commemoration Of 15th Anniversary Of Great Otsu Municipality; Municipal Assembly Adopted Intention Of Program Unanimously On The 30th
8. Training Institute Based Upon Christian Principle Is In Contemplation At Site Of Former Yokaichi Airfield By Certain American
9. Hikone Malaria Research Institute Established At Hikone Girls' College From The 1st; Will Start Investigation Of Germ-carriers; Scientific Movies Treating Of Malaria To Be Produced
10. Problem Of Shiga University Headquarters To Be Decided By New President's Judgment

Asahi

1. Factories' Readjustment Occuring Successively; Baide Welding Flux Company, Echigawa, Finally Closed May 31
2. Moriyama's Export Toys Are Popular With Children Abroad; Christmas Santa Claus, Snow Man, Chicken, etc. Monthly Output Of Toy Manufacturing Co-operative Plant Amounts To 200,000 Pieces; Mass Production Will Overcome

Disadvantage Of Single Unit Exchange Rate In Anticipation Of Influx Of Foreign Currency

3. Epidemics Are On Decrease Annually In Area Under Control Of Hikone Health Center

Chubu

1. National Oversea Compatriot Repatriation Promoting Consultation Association Kinki Block Representatives' Conference Held On The 31st At Prefectural Branch; Relief Measures Decided

2 June 1949

Shiga

1. National Convention Of All Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union Ended With Resolution For Unification Of Front By Unconditional Amalgamation Of Other Split Kindred Labor Unions
2. Prefecture Planning To Increase Number Of Dairy Cows To 1,800 Heads At End Of Current Fiscal Year; 400 To Be Introduced From Other Prefectures
3. Production Of Nagahama Silk Crepe Will Be Revived With Control Of Silken Textile And Mosquito Net Abolished; Joyful News Giving New Life To That Circle
4. Tokugawa's Chief Minister Ii's Historical Fact Research Institute Started Positive Activities To Collect Members
5. Nagahama Municipal Library To Be Opened To Public From June 15th

Asahi

1. Most Of Workers Thrown Out Of Employment Satisfied With Discharge Allowances Short Of ¥10,000; Reason Is: Strong Attitude On The Part Of Management Driven To Last-ditch Defense; Most Of Them Come From Agrarian Districts; According To Investigation Of Prefectural Employment Stabilization Section
2. Prefectural Office Going To Investigate Underground Resources For 1 Month From The 10th; Investigation To Be Undertaken By Osaka Board Of Commerce And Industry Mining Department And Subterranean Resources Investigation Office Osaka Sub-office

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

28 May 1949

Shiga

1. Bright And Dark Phases Of Society In Hikone Braught About By Monetary Dead Lock; Honey Collectors Earn ¥5,000,000; Iron Works Are In Difficult Circumstances; Blackmarket Financial Businessmen Flourishing
2. How New System Education Reflects On Children's Home Life; Teachers Desire Parents Not To Force Study On Them; Records Of Hikone Jyosai Primary School Teachers' Home Visits
3. Rice-Planting Is In Full Swing In Takashima District; Growth Of Seedlings Favorable
4. Yagisho National Health Insurance Association Set Up Infirmary With Its Own Expense; Most Of Infirmaries Of Its Kind Receive Subsidies From Prefectural Treasury
5. Large Quantity Of Narcotic Stolen From Dispansary Of Wani National Health Insurance Hospital On The 26th; Similar Theft Reported To Otsu City Police By Otsu Red Cross Hospital
6. Prospective Amount Of Prefectural Spring Cocoon Production Amounts To 40,000 Kan; Below Objective By 8,000 Kan; Due To High Yen Depreciation Of Exchange Rate

Mainichi

1. Prefectural Office Gave Warning Against Wheat And Barley Diseases; Preventive Measures Shown On The 27th
2. Prefectural Farmland Reform Progressing; Tenant Farms Are 13%; Will Disappear By This Autumn

Asahi

1. Shiga University's Acceptance Of Applications Closed On The 26th; Applicants For Economic Department Are Twice Regular Number; Those Of Liberal Arts Department (Teacher's Training Course) 40%
2. Toyo Rayon Shiga Factory Is Largest And Most Prospective Of Prefectural Industries For Acquisition Of Foreign Currency; Rayon Thread Generally Sent To Fukui And Kanazawa For Weaving. Became Animated With Visit Of American Chemical Investigation Corps; Production To Be Doubled One Year Later; Exportation To Southern Pacific Area Is In No Distant Date
3. How About Arrival Of Vegetables At Otsu; Coming In Larger quantity, But Still Commanding High Prices, According To Survey Of Shiga Prefectural Economic Investigation Office
4. Repairing And Reconstruction Work Of Otsu And Hikone Harbors To Be Started From This Fiscal Year; National Treasury's Subsidy Of ¥2,500,000 Granted For First Time; Construction Expenditure ¥11,-010,000 Or So Altogether

Chubu

1. May This Be Left Without Reform, Tax Imposition Upon Association Members Recommended From Their Directors? May Be Attended With Bad Consequences Of Oppressing Business Competitors With Heavy Taxes; One Example In Area Of Otsu Taxation Office; Illustration: Certain Grocer Cut Down Prices And Customers Welcomed It; Gave Up Low-price Service Under Pressure Of Heavy Transaction Tax Imposed Out Of Jealousy
2. Hiraguchi, Prefectural Labor Department Chief, Came Back From National Labor Department Chiefs' Conference And Said On The 27th: Accommodation Of Unemployed Persons Must Speedily Be Drafted As Result Of Revision Of Labor Law

29 May 1949

Shiga

1. Production Increase Round-table Conference Held On The 28th At Nagahama Chamber Of Commerce And Industry By Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee
2. Effect Of Malaria Extermination Appeared In Hikone; Use Of Mosquito Nets Felt Necessary One Month Later Than Usual; Investigation Of Sanitary Section Members
3. Growth Of Babies Is Inferior In Farming Villages; Noteworthy Phenomenon Obtained From Hikone Health Center's Consultation Cards
4. Instance Of Second Readjustment Decision Being Higher Than First Exposed By Kusatsu Taxation Office; So To Speak, "Jumping Out Of The Frying Pan And Into The Fire By Waking A Sleeping Lion" In Applying For Investigation
5. Hisao Mamiya, Kaneda-mura, Gamo-gun, Graduate Of Kurita Agricultural School, Made Experiment Of Rice-Planting For Bi-annual Harvests
6. Teasing By Middle School Boys Due To Side-by Side Seating Arrangement Complained By Primary School Representative Boys At "Comfortable Liaison Conference Held By Nagahama Board Of Education On The 27th
7. Commodity Price Supervision Committee To Strengthen Its Activities In Cooperation With Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee Control Encouraging Department From June 11 To End Of July

Mainichi

1. "Coming Rainy Season Will Give Farmers Much Needed Water And It Will Be Pretty Hot This Summer" Predicted By Mount Ibuki Meteorological Station; Glad Tidings For Farmers
2. Prefectural Assembly Ended On The 28th; Current Fiscal Year's Budget Amounts To ¥1,780,000,000
3. Nagahama Police Station Carrying Out Publicity For Crime Prevention By Motor-car Installed With Microphone Visiting Farming Villages After Supper

Asahi

1. Prices Of Silken Goods Will Come Down; Dismissal Of Workers Will Occur In Large Number Due To Management Difficulty; Effect Of Silken Goods Control Abolition Foretold By Prefectural Authorities
2. First Raising Of Prefectural Bonds Amounts To ¥20,600,000
3. Oni Green Tea Vying With Uji And Shizuoka Crops; Reputed With Improvement Of Quality And Technique Of Production Output Of 170,000 Kan Will Be Sure With Completion Of Manufacturing Equipments, Fine Product Of 10,000 Kan To Be Exported To America And Africa To Obtain Foreign Currency

Chubu

1. Occupation Agency For Repatriates Developing Healthily Among Mountains Of Echigo District, Only One Of Its Kind In This Prefecture; Manufacturing Spinning Wooden Pipes (Pipe To Coil Thread With Its Revolution); Daily Output 1,000 Pieces
2. Second School Children's Conference Held On The 28th With 52 Representatives Present; Management Method Of School Children's Consultation Association Discussed; Speaking By Themselves Attracted Attention

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27 May 1949

Shiga

1. Second Day Of Prefectural Assembly On The 26th: All Items Introduced For Discussion Left To Committees; Shiga University Will Start June 1, If University Law Passes Diet
2. Nagaham Taxation Office To Start First Special Collection Of Non-paid Taxes From June 1
3. Yokaichi Labor Standard Office Selected 10 Out of 50 Excellent Designated Factories For Production Increase; Reported To Prefectural Labor Standard Bureau For Official Commendation On The 25th
4. Instruction And Encouragement Being Given By Hikone Health Center For Sterilization Of Milk; To Protect Babies From Digestive Organ Diseases With Approach Of Rainy Season
5. Catholic Church In Hikone To Open Cultural Debate Meeting Titled Communism and Religion On The 29th
6. Katada High School To Open Tax Night School From June 3 To July 22 Under Joint Auspices Of Katada OPH And Katada Commercial And Industrial Association

Mainichi

1. Establishment Of Prefectural Youth And Juvenile Association Sponsoring Committee Informally Decided On The 26th
2. Rules For Using Playground Prescribed By Otsu Board Of Education To Protect "Children's Paradise"
3. Second Convention Of All Japan Fibre Industry Workers Union Prefectural Federation Opened In Hikone On The 26th; Reached Agreement On Overthrow Of Yoshida Cabinet

Asahi

1. Lack Of Self-Consciousness And Positiveness Driving Minor And Middle Class Enterprisers Into Management Crisis, Osaka Commercial And Industrial Bureau Otsu Sub-office's View On Policy For Tiding Over Critical Period
2. First Glad Tidings From American Firm Announcing Application For Business Relation Reached Omi Nempu Textile Manufacturing Company, Kanaski-gun. Full Capacity Of Installations Mobilized; Preparing To Equip More Weaving Machines For Growing Demand; Whole System Being Operated With High Pitch Towards Increased Production To Invite Foreign Currency

Chubu

1. Ministry Of Agriculture And Forestry To Despatch Wheat-Barley-Potato Crop Investigation Corps To Prefecture On The 27th And 28th For Correct Assignment Of Pre-planting Quota
2. Industrial Promotion Town Hall Meeting To Be Opened In Nagaham By Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee On The 28th

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

25 May 1949

Shiga

1. Five Industrial Companies Will Be Prosecuted For Arrear In Wage Payment; Shiga Labor Standard Office Sent Notice To Each Office On The 24th
2. Prefectural Assembly For May To Be Held From Today; Additional Budget Of ¥68,000,000; Standing Committee Members Of Each Department Will Be Re-elected
3. Prefectural Agrarian District Renovation League Held Meeting On The 23rd; Agreed To Carry Out Enlightening Campaign For Checking Farmers' Deposit Decrease; Amalgamation Problem Of Federation Of Agricultural Cooperative Associations Discussed
4. Kinki 2 Fu-5 Ken Juvenile Welfare Undertaking Liaison Conference Held At Prefectural Office On The 23rd
- ✓ 5. Otsu School Doctors' Association's Report On Result Of Physical Examination Of Otsu Children: Many Of Them Require Fostering And Protection; Physical Improvement Not Yet Attained

Asahi

1. Canned Goods Factories In Konan District Busy With Preparation For Export Green Pea Canned And Bottled Goods With Advent Of Its Harvest Time; Those Of Other Contents Also To Be Produced; Waiting For Orders From Abroad To Get Foreign Currency

Kyoto

1. Prefectural Rice And Sweet Potato Production Increase Competitive Meeting To Be Held This Autumn With 5 Farmers And Technical Instructor Formed Into Each One Group; Prize-money Will Be Given To Excellent Competitors
2. Result Of Investigation Into Farmer Asahino Agricultural Association's Fertilizer Transaction Through Illegal Channel Developed Into Villagers' Mass Meeting; Non-confidence Against Agricultural Cooperative Association Chief Adopted On The 21st
3. Kurita District Youth And Juvenile Public Peace Association Held Farm Busy Season Crime Prevention Counter-measures Consultation Meeting On The 22nd At Kusatsu CPH To Prevent Crimes Through Cooperation Of Primary School Autonomical Associations

Chubu

- ✓ 1. Professors And Students Leaves Hikone Technical College One After Another; Future Of School Being Apprehended By Those Concerned With Its Elevation To University Status Ahead
2. Fifth Regular Convention Of All Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union To Be Held At Otsu For 3 Days From The 30th

26 May 1949

Shiga

1. First Day Of Prefectural Assembly On The 25th; Standing Committee Members Re-elected; Solicitation For Electrification Promotion Adopted
2. Foundation General Meeting For Transportation Department Of Federation Of Prefectural Agricultural Cooperative Associations Opened On The 25th; Annual Objective Amount Of Transportation 120,300 Tons
3. Kinki 2 Fu-5 Ken Liaison Conference Of Officers In Charge Of Agricultural Equipments Held On The 24th At Prefectural Industrial Cultural Hall; Adopted Single Unit System Of Spot Goods Distribution
4. Prefecture Is Sure Of Water-supply For Rice-planting; Lake Biwa Had Its Water Volume Increased By Rain-falls On The 23rd And 24th
5. Prefectural Overseas Compatriot Repatriation Promoting League Executive Committee Will Hold Mass Meeting For Stimulating Rehabilitating Of Detainees' Families At Otsu On June 1 And 2; Rousing Universal Public Opinion Is Objective
6. Precaution Should Be Taken For Housing Difficulty; Certain Hikone Family Fell Victim To Wicked Tenant; Cheated With Title Money Of ¥20,000
7. Circulating Instruction Of Village Communities To Be Undertaken By Prefecture From June 1 To 25 For Establishment Of Many Busy Season Nurseries

Asahi

1. Transactions By Promissory Note Are Few In Spite Of Government Recommendation For Its Utilization; Acquisition Of Credit Among Financial Organs Is Matter Of Importance, Bank Of Japan Otsu Office's View
2. Reports Of Business Abolition Are Strikingly On Increase In Hikone District; Enterprisers Are In Extremely Difficult Situation Due To Monetary Deadlock
- ✓ 3. Albums Going To Be Exchanged Between American And Japanese Primary School Pupils; Letter Telling Despatch Of Parcel Reached Otsu Central Primary School
4. "Hachiman Oshie", Articles Of Delicate Workmanship Painted With Pressed Pictures, Attracting GI's Curiosity; Designed To Suit Foreigners' Tastes By Ministry Of Commerce And Industry Technical Art Instruction Institute; One Of Lake Province's Special Products For Procurement Of Foreign Currency

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

23 May 1949

Shiga

1. Hachiman Middle School 3rd Year Classes Planning To Go On Excursion To Osaka And Awaji Island; 70% Of Pupils Going To Give Up Their Pleasure; Reason Is Expense Hanging Heavy On Parents' Purse; Estimated At Its Cheapest, ¥2,000 Necessary Per Capita
2. Foodstuff Distribution Public Corporation Prefectural Branch Set Up Contribution Boxes On Various Streets, 243 Altogether; Awaiting Contributions Of Constructive Idea Recently
3. Law Suits Recently Lodged To Hikone Public Procurator's Office And City Police Are Numerous; Topped By Housing Cases; Those Of Libel Offenses Are Also Frequent Due To Misinterpretation Of Freedom Of Speech
4. "Seedling-bed Control First For Production Increase", Takashima District Office Agricultural Product Section's Conclusion Reached Through Inspection; Advice Given To District Farmers
5. Evening Entertainment For Democratization Of Security Investment To Be Held In Nagahama On The 25th; Sponsored By Security Disposition Adjusting Consultation Association Osaka Branch

Kyoto

1. Town Administration Criticizing Debate Meeting Held In Kusatsu; ¥100,000 Spent In Setting Up Gate Post Of Taxation Office Became Target Of Criticism

24 May 1949

Shiga

1. Otsu Chamber Of Commerce And Industry's Directors' Meeting Is Against Imposition Of Tax On Picnic Boats Of Lake Biwa; Will Propose To Governor
2. First Dissolution Of Village Assembly Enforced In This Prefecture By Aged Higashikusano Village-master Higashiazai-gun; Present Action Taken By Way Of Counter-attack Against Non-confidence Bill Sent In By Village Assembly On The 18th
3. Prefectural Educational Reform Promoting Committee Members Decided On The 23rd
4. Takashima District Advancing On Single Course Of Side-occupational Stock-breeding Together With Main Line Of Business; Program Of Production And Introduction Successfully Under Way; Provision Against Agrarian Crisis
5. Is Daughter Married Into Other Family Responsible For Sustaining Her Real Father? This Curious Case Brought In To Otsu Family Affair Court Hikone Branch, Waiting For Decision; How To Arbitrate Is Worthy Of Public Attention

6. Theft Crime Eradication Campaign Being Carried Out By Otsu City Police; All Members Mobilized; Citizens' Cooperation Desirable

Mainichi

1. Magahama Board Of Education Lost Its Function; Caused By Resignation Of 2 Members Concerning School Building Issue
2. Quota-assignment Of Export Omi Tea To Towns And Villages Decided; Total Amount Of Collection Is 20,000 Kan
3. Otsu English Mainichi Readers' Club Inaugurated On The 21st At Otsu CPH
4. Convention Of Prefectural Federation Of Labor Unions Will Be Held On June 6 In Otsu

Asahi

1. Value Industry In Hikone Panting For Bare Existence; Fear Of Lockout And Dissolution Looming
2. Fan-frame Makers In Takashima District Looking Forward With Bright Hope To Restoration Of Former Prosperity; New Samples To Be Sent Abroad Being Manufactured Recently; Output Occupies 60% Of All Products In Japan; Likely Instrumental In Gaining Foreign Currency

Kyoto

1. Factory's Sanitation Week Will Be Held By Yokaichi Sanitary Controllers' Association From June 1 With Advent Of Rainy Season
2. Municipal Police Federation Will Hold Trial Projection Meeting For Motion-picture "Searching Headquarters" On The 24th At Otsu Higagekijo

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

21 May 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Rape-seed Collection Conference For 1949 Crop Held On The 20th; Quotas Classified According To Districts And Cities Decided
2. Prefectural Representatives To Kinki 2 Fu-2 Prefecture Railway Electrization Promoting Conference Who Went To Tokyo For Petition Came Back And Said: Electrization Between Kyoto And Maibara Requires Only 3 Months, If Budget Is Enumerated
3. Indeed, Hassaka, Oyabu And Others Were Once Called "American Village"; Hikone Post Office With So-called American Villages Included In Its Jurisdiction Area Occupies 30% Of Prefectural Handling Of Foreign Mails
4. Project Of Zoo In Hikone Castle Compound Going On; Establishment To Be Started On Joint Stock System
5. Prefectural Physical Training Grand Meeting To Be Held In August At Omi Shrine Stadium; Classes On Field Athletic Games Decided
6. Shiga Girls' College To Open Malaria Research Institute From June
7. "Beware Of Quack Fertilizer" Advice Given By Prefecture; Necessary To Be Examined Before Buying

Mainichi

1. Prefectural Wheat And Barley Crops Expected To Be Normal Except Ika District This Year
2. National Police Prefectural Searching Section Giving Priority To Arrests Of Warehouse Breaking Criminals; Period Up To End Of June Fixed For Warehouse Burglar Arresting Week

Asahi

1. Prefectural Nursery Councillors' Meeting Opened On The 22nd In Preparation Of Opening Nurseries For Farmers' Busy Season; To Be Set Up At Each Village Section
2. Kusatsu Fishing Rods Famous For Workmanship And Known To Foreign Buyers Since Prewar Time; Exported Ahead Of Other Technical Articles Of Commerce
3. Otsu Board Of Education To Organize Youth And Juvenile Instruction Consultation Association In Each School District For Prevention Of Their Degradation

Chubu

1. Distributing Method For Net Profit Of National Health Insurance Treasure Lottery Tickets Decided On The 22nd; ¥10,000 To Be Given As Encouragement Money To Village Or Town That Gets Ahead Of Others In Amount Of Payment

2. Socialist Party Prefectural Federation Executive Committee Meeting To Be Held On June 1; Large Number Of Party Members To Be Discharged Due To Non-payment Of Party Fees
3. Maibara Station's Ticket Sale Amount Showing Continuous Red Ink; Only 3 Days Maintaining ¥130,000 Level During Half Month Since Fare Increase

Kyoto

1. Town Hall Meeting For Local Autonomy To Be Held At Kamitanakami-mura, Kurita-gun, Under Joint Auspices Of SMG And Prefectural Local Section
2. Brief Lecture Course For Export Porcelain And Pottery Engraving Technique To Be Opened In Prefectural Ceramic Experimental Station From The 26th To The 31st

22 May 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee Foodstuff Adjustment Department's First Meeting Opened On The 20th
2. Back Side Of Konan Drought Disaster Recovery Association Case Exposed; Iniquity Case Probably Of Covetousness For Subsidy; Introspection On The Part Of Those Concerned Necessary
3. Total Amount Of Prefectural Wage-payment Arrear Is ¥18,000,000 On May 20 According To Investigation Of Shiga Labor Standard Office
4. Shiga Prefectural Educational Reform Promoting Committee To Be Organized; Epoch-making Trial For Prefectural Educational Administration
5. Hikone Health Center Advised Citizens To Test Wholesomeness Of Well Water In Preparation For Rainy Season
6. Nagahama Night School Was Successful With Attendance Of 1,419 Persons In All Throughout 4 Days
7. Prefectural Stock-breeding Competitive Exhibition To Be Held In October For 4 Days In Hikone

Mainichi

1. Prefectural Potato Crop Expected To Decrease By 10% Of Normal Quantity, According To Reports Reached Crop Report Office Otsu Sub-office
2. Prefectural Entertainment Bus Finished Circulating Trip Around Lake Biwa; Came Back To Otsu On The 21st; Amused People With Stories And Picture Plays In Daytime And Magic Lanterns In Evening; Prefectural Public Welfare Section's Novel Trial For Entertainment Of Detainees' Families

3. Prefectural Repatriation Section Published Number Of Detainees, Estimated To Be 1,258 Persons; Requesting Non-repatriates' Families To Report Unregistered Detainees Among Their Members To Repatriation Section

Asahi

1. Artificial Suspension Of Pregnancy Amounts To 373 Persons During March And April; Just 5 Times And A Fraction Of Last Year, Showing Effectiveness Of Eugenic Protection Law
2. Kansai Electric Generation And Transmission Company Perplexed At Non-payment Of Electricity Fees; Due To Monetary Deadlock; Monthly Arrear Amounts To Approximately ¥20,000,000
3. Inugami District Completed Payment Of 1948 Prefectural Tax On The 20th, Amounting To ¥11,400,000; Echū District Is Also Favorable

Chubu

1. Prefectural Agricultural Laboratory, Hattamura, Kurita-gun, To Launch Out Into Raising Cock-breeds As Ministry Of Agriculture And Forestry's Agent
2. Prefectural Aquatic Product Association To Exert Effort For Fish Cultivation Increase From June 1; Hikone Aquatic Product Experimental Station To Apply Itself Solely To Research And Instruction In Future

Kyoto

1. Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee Foodstuff Department's Second Meeting Held On The 21st; Discussed Preventive Measures For Foodstuff Disasters; Prerequisite Is To Acquire Necessary Funds
2. Brief Lecture Course For Deposit Increase To Be Held At Each District Office From The 28th To June 11, Prior To Saving Increase Campaign

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

20 May 1949

Shiga

1. Right Statistics Are Prerequisite To Sanitary Administration Of Factories; Disasters Mostly Occur Through Neglect. Yamoka Internal Combustion Engine Nagahama Factory Completed Statistics; Proper Way Of Sanitary Control Of Factories Shown
2. Pupils' Affection Toward Their Teacher Strongly Displayed In Explosion Case Of Maibara Middle School; All Pupils To Petition To Court For Teacher's Exemption From Responsibility
3. Pupils Unable To Attend Middle Schools Increasing In Hikone On Account Of Monetary Deadlock; Producing Bad Effect On Education
4. Again, Illegal Case Will Come To Light In Kitagato-mura, Yasu-gun; Usurption Of Some 30 Bags Of Rice (Rice To Be Supplied To Farmers To Make Up For Deficient Quantity Of Rice For Family Consumption) Is Highly Probable
5. Selecting Conditions For Omi New 8 Scenic Spots Decided; Acceptance Of Ballots To Be Closed On June 10.
6. Traffic Town Hall Meeting To Be Held On May 21 At Hachiman CPH; Problems To Be Discussed Are Electrization And Others
7. Workers Of Mining Industries Enjoyed Highest Wage In April, According To Nagahama Labor Standard Office's Investigation

Mainichi

1. English Oratorical Contest At Otsu CPH Came Off Successful On The 19th; Hall Rang With Enthusiastic Speeches

Asahi

1. Azuchi Village Of Gamo District To Be Designated As Model Village For People's Welfare Enterprises By Prefectural Office
2. National Police Prefectural Headquarters Exposed Bribery Case Of Takahashi, Indirect Tax Section Chief Of Tanabe Taxation Office Kyoto These Iniquities Had Been Committed During His Service With Otsu Taxation Office

Chubu

1. Basic Policy For Accumulation Of Capital Decided By Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee Financial Department Meeting; Deposit Increase Campaign And Smooth Finance Campaign
2. Town Hall Meeting For Improving Distribution Of Livelihood Materials To Be Opened On The 21st By Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee At Nagahama Public Hall

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

19 May 1949

Shiga

1. Financial Organ Of Member System Organized In Hikone; From ¥100,000 To ¥1,000,000 To Be Lent To Members On Guarantee Of Association At Low Interest
2. Human Right Protection Committee To Be Organized Next Month In Each Town And Village Throughout Country For Complete Protection Of People's Human Right
3. Local Financial Committee Decided Not To Impose Entrance Tax On Museums And Zoological Gardens; Their Public Nature Taken Into Consideration
4. Imazu Welfare Dormitory's Completion Ceremony To Take Place On The 25th; Capable Of Accommodating 10 Families
5. Yokouchi Middle School Social Science Department Started Historical Survey Of Native Province
6. People Moving To Large Cities Marked By Increasing In Sakata And Higashiasai Districts In Anticipation Of Agrarian Crisis; Not Caring For Difficulties Of Finding Employment And Residence
7. Federation Of Prefectural Agricultural Cooperative Associations Will Adopt New Director-system Instead Of Amalgamation Of 4 Departments Of Federation
8. Prefectural Bonds Concerned With Cities, Towns And Villages Decided As Follows: ¥7,600,000 For Undertakings Of Single Management. ¥6,400,000 For Public Undertakings. Sanction Reported To Prefecture On The 17th

Mainichi

1. Prefectural Authorities Issued Preventive Measure Against Potato Disease On The 18th

Asahi

1. Way To Recovery Of Nagahama Grape Industry Is In The Distant On Account Of Financial Difficulties
2. Investigation By Prefectural Educational Affairs Bureau Investigation And Statistics Section Shows That Middle School Graduates' Percentage Of Going To High Schools Is 23%; Survey Was Conducted About 54 Schools In The Prefecture
3. Shigaraki Putting Out New Earthenwares Designed With Taste Suitable To New Age; Prefectural Ceramic Experimental Station's Researches Crystallized; Will Contribute Towards Acquiring Foreign Currency

Chubu

1. Mr. Hitotsuyanagi (Naturalized American) Will Speak About "Actual Condition Of America And Way For Japan To Follow", At Lecture Meeting To Be Held In Takashima High School

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

18 May 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Assembly for May To Be Convened On The 25th; Examination Of Supplementary Budget Completed; Might Be Reduced To ¥20,000,000 Or ¥30,000,000
2. Prefectural Rice-delivery Completed; Delivery Amount Is 15,254 Koku On The 15th
3. Hikone Malaria Extermination Week To End On The 18th; Circulating Lecture And Movie Show To Be Held From The 20th
4. Rice-planting Commenced In Kosai District, Famous For Early Rice Harvest
5. Prefectural Technical College Expecting To Be Elevated To University Status With Engagement Of Famous Professors
6. Otsu Local Public Prosecutor's Office Raised On Sonogawa Water Utilization Office And Konan Drought Disaster Recovery Association On Suspicion Of Illegal Appropriation Of Drought Disaster Recovery Money

Mainichi

1. Many Women Consult Hikone Health Center About Birth Control; Hikone District Eugenic Protection Committee To Start Dissemination Of Eugenic Protection Law; Contraceptives Beginning To Sell Like Hot Cakes

Asahi

1. Hikone Economic College Negotiated With Prefecture For Elevation To University
2. Lake Province's Export Industry Becoming Brisk; Playing Role For Obtaining Foreign Currency; Rattan Products In Hikone District To Be Exported To America At Beginning Of July
3. Prefectural Abacus Promotion Association To Start At Early Part Of June; Efficiency Increase For Office Work Aimed At

Chubu

1. Recent Trend Of Crimes; Information Gathered From Public Peace Chamber Of Maibara Station; Usage Of Train Tickets Twice Is Increasing; Public Peace Officer Exerting Great Effort For Detection
2. Middle School Education Promoting Association Established In Nagahama By 4 Middle School Directors; First Meeting Held On The 16th

3. Investigation Chamber For Urging Government Payment Established By Osaka Finance Affairs Bureau Osa District Department On The 16th; Acceptance Of Complaints Was Started But Nobody Came For Consultation On First Day

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

16 May 1949

Shiga

1. Hikone Night School On 13th Was Successful With 237 Attenders
2. Town Hall Meeting To Be Held In Kusatsu On 18th To Discuss Town Administration
3. Federation Of Prefectural Agricultural Cooperative Associations Informed Each Agricultural Cooperative Association On Settlement Of Excessive And Deficient Amount Of Excess-rice Delivery Prices; 94 Towns And Villages Necessary To Pay Back
4. Prefectural Teachers Association Sent In Written Demand To Prefectural Board Of Education About Fixed Number Of Teachers And Research Expenses For Maintenance Of Educational Lowest Standard
5. Lecture Meeting To Be Held At Katada Primary School To Hear Mr. Meguru Hitotsuyanagi's (Naturalized American) Speech On "Home Education In America" And Mrs Hitotsuyanagi's Speech On "Sanctification Of Mother's Love"
6. Kohoku High School's Public Opinion Survey Conducted By Students Shows Their Tastes For Reading; Novels Are Favorite, As For Political Parties, They Go In For Democratic-liberal
7. Applications Accepted By Hikone Health Center District Eugenic Protection Committee Show Increasing Desire For Eugenic Protection; Reflection Of Anxiety For Population Problem

Mainichi

1. Scandal Of Hachiman Taxation Office Exposed; Indirect Tax Section Chief Takahashi Arrested With 4 Other Persons; Takahashi Is Now Indirect Tax Section Chief Of Tanabe Taxation Office, Kyoto

17 May 1949

Shiga

1. Cases Of Measles Surpassing 200 Persons; Those Of Scarlet Fever Breaking Out At Rate Of 7 Or 8 Persons A Day In Otsu
2. Dr. Morishita, Professor Of Osaka University Authority On Malaria Spoke At Round Table Conference In Hikone. Gist Is: Germ-carriers Are Many; Complete Medical Treatment Necessary; Necessity Of Citizens' Cooperation; Exempted If Inflected Many Times.
3. 5th Of Every Month Fixed For Children's Day In Nagahama Primary Schools
4. Theft Of Freight Is Frequent In Maibara Railway Station; Amounting To ¥270,000 Even In Two Occasions Of Cotton And Cotton Textile
5. Evacuation-promoting Grand Meeting To Be Held At Yokaichi Town Office On 17th

6. Prefectural General Affairs Section Chief, Yamaguchi, Came Back From Local Finance Committee Meeting Held For Bond-raising And Said On The 16th: Bond-raising For Enterprises And Works Left Over From Previous Fiscal Year To Be Allowed According To Plans; That Of Undertakings Managed Solely By Prefecture Is ¥10,000,000 By Approval

Mainichi

1. Municipal Library Being Planned In Nagahama; Shimonogo's Shosyukaku Being Negotiated For Lease
2. Sanction Of Charcoal Free Sale System Effective From Today; Price Control And Examination Is As Previously Done
3. Brief Lecture Course Of Industrial Techniques For Finishing Up Agricultural Products To Be Opened By Prefectural Producers' Federation For Half Year From 20th At Moriyama Factory; Lecturer Is Dr. Matsumoto, Professor Of Kyoto University

Asahi

1. Prefectural Road Association To Start On 24th For Repairs Of Main Roads; Development Of Land Transportation And Industrial Recovery
2. Gratuitous Lodging Quarters To Be Set Up In Front Of Otsu And Maibara Stations For Accommodation Of Evacuees

Chubu

1. Stock Business Street In Hikone Becoming Lively With Commencement Of Stock Exchange; Buyers Among Farmers, Minor Businessmen And Industrialists Increasing. Amateurs Buy Securities For Economic Recovery Of Late, Stock Merchant's Comment
2. Kyoto Land Transportation Company, In Yokaichi Topped Non-taxpayer Of Prefectural Tax, Completed Payment Of ¥457,000 On 13th
3. First Conference For Management Of Labor Standard Law To Be Opened By Nagahama Chamber Of Commerce And Industry On 18th

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

14 May 1949

Shiga

1. State Of Prefectural Employment Stabilization Office In April; Job-seekers On The Decrease; Receivers Of Insured Money Of Unemployment Insurance Surpassed 1,000 Persons
2. Kusatsu Taxation Office To Collect Large Enterprisers' Nonpaid Tax For 1948 From 15th
3. Campaign For Emphasizing And Practising Cleanliness Education To Be Held In Nagahama From 16th To End Of Month
4. Nagahama Planning To Spread Manufacture Of Pongee Textile For Household Industry Of Farmers
5. Kusatsu Taxation Office Commenced To Stamp Out Secret Brewing At Opportune Moment Of Reduction Of "Sake" Price; Will Correct Bad Habit By Publicity Of Purpose; Detection Corps To Start Activities

Asahi

1. Notogawa Industrial Laboratory Encouraging Manufacture Of Italian Embroidery For Acquisition Of Foreign Currency
2. Ten Designated Reparation Factories In This Prefecture; Re-commencement Of Regular Production Expected With Suspension Of Removal Of Reparation Factory Equipments

Chubu

1. Two Construction Works For Water Supply Being Carried Out By Prefecture Along Seri River In Inagami District; Modern Establishment For Production Increase
2. Curtailment Of 6-3 School System Budget Throwing Dark Shadow On Prefectural Educational Circle, According To Investigation Of Prefectural Board Of Education
3. Nagahama Labor Administration Office Held Meeting Of Labor Union Women's Department Chiefs; Women's Emancipation Only Superficial, Not Yet Truly Realized; Hoped For Men's Cooperation

15 May 1949

Shiga

1. Prefectural Land-improvement & Promoting Alliance Established On 13th With Prefectural Farmland Association As Main Body For Powerful Propelling Of Land Improvement Enterprises
2. All Members Of Hikone Doctors' Association Offered To Consult Malaria Patients With Half Fee; Municipal Sanitary Section Reported This Offer To Citizens

3. Synthetic Hospital Is Being Planned To Be Established In Takashima With Reopening Of National Health Insurance Association

Mainichi

1. Prefectural Office To Make A Tour To Inspect Growing Condition Of Wheat And Barley And Potato From The 25th

Asahi

1. Surplus Sweet Potato Seedlings Amount To 8,000,000 Pieces Federation Of Prefectural Agricultural Cooperative Associations Exerting Effort For Sale To Other Prefectures
2. Prefectural Commendation On Grand Meeting For First Rice Crop In Japan To Be Held, Sponsored By Asahi Shinbun-sha; About 30 Persons To Be Recommended Out Of Applicants

Chubu

1. Prefectural Education Chief Mineo Cass Back From National Education Chiefs' Conference On 14th And Said: All Teachers Must Go In For License-authorizing Examination; Teachers' Dismissal Will Be Somewhat Mitigated
2. Gifts From American School Pupils Reached Prefectural Board Of Education's Affairs Bureau Through Ministry Of Education Welfare Section; Waiting For Their Own Buds Of Love To Come Out; Seeds Of Vegetables And Flowers To Be Distributed Among 8 Schools In Prefecture
3. Prefectural Youth's Public Peace Consultation Associations Held Meeting On 12th At Nachiman CPH; Will Carry Out Campaign For Preventing Youth And Juvenile Degradation

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

13 May 1949

Shiga

1. Fifth National Convention Of All Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union To Be Held At Otsu Educational Public Hall For 3 Days From 30th
2. Taxation Office Through Taxation Officials' Eye:
All Japan Finance Affairs Workers Union Otsu Branch Gathered Opinions From Members About: Merits And Demerits Of Otsu Taxation Office; Tax Collection Policy For 1949
One Official's Opinion: If Taxation Office Is More Fearful Than Police Station, It Doesn't Function Properly
3. Linguite Mining Circle In Hino District Becoming Lively; Transportation Difficulty Broken Through
4. Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee Financial Department Meeting Held On 12th, Examined Consolidating Policy Of Local Finance For Establishment Of Independent Finance
5. Organizing Ceremony Of Moriyama Katsube Primary School Juvenile Red Cross Society Took Place On 12th; Manager Of Japan Red Cross, Sasaki Attended
6. Nagahama Nishihommachi Women's Association Commenced To Sell Treasure Lottery Ticket At Maibara Station On 11th Out Of Sympathy Towards Orphans To Buy Them Clothes
7. Knack Of Potato Production Increase Given By Prefectural Agricultural Product Section; Care At Early Stage Necessary

Mainichi

1. Reports Of Impression Of "One Day Teacher" Conducted On 4th Reached Prefectural Board Of Education; Broadcasting Equipment Desired Every Month
2. English Oratorical Contest To Be Held On 19th At Otsu CPH Sponsored By Mainichi Shinbun Otsu Branch And Otsu CPH
3. First Meeting Of Hikone CPH Establishment Committee Held On 11th; Chairman Is Katsujiro Teramura, Chairman Of Municipal Assembly

Asahi

1. Chief Of Prefectural Teaching Staff Section Uehara Came Back From Tokyo And Said: Teachers' Dismissal Will Probably Be Mitigated

Chubu

1. Eatable Frogs Of Natural Growth In Koto And Konan Districts Going To Be Exported In Form Of Refrigerated Meat Through Japan Refrigeration Company, Osaka

2. Prefectural Agricultural Science Public Employment Instruction Office Inducing 100,000 Farmers To Raise Rabbits In Cooperation With Agricultural Production League Prefectural Stockbreeding Company
3. Gamo-Kanzaki District Office Will Strictly Control Charcoal Producers; Maintaining Liaison With Police; Prevention Of Illegal Transactions Expected To Keep District Self-supplied; Construction Of Warehouses Being Projected

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

12 May 1949

Shiga

1. Saving Association For Taxpayment Started On May 1; First Trial Throughout Country; 29 Already Established In This Prefecture; Tax Night Schools Opened Simultaneously At 14 Places
2. Application For Transferring Residences Of Municipal Management To Be Accepted By Otsu City Office, General Affairs Section Until 15th
3. Bus To Be Circulated For Purpose Of Protecting Evacuees By Evacuee Protection Campaign Association From Kinomoto To Hikone On 17th, Cooperation Of People's Welfare Committees, Young Women Associations And Evacuees' Families Desired
4. Education Of Blind Is Result Of Constant Endeavor; Hikone School For Blind Admitted 11 New Pupils; Bright Prospect In Future
5. Admirable Conduct Of Crime Prevention Cooperator; His Name Is Chozo Sayama, Otsu; Visited Otsu Police Station And Offered Commendation Money For Poor With Addition Of Pocket Money

Mainichi

1. Prefectural General Affairs Section Chief Yamaguchi Came Back From National General Affairs Section Chiefs' Conference And Said: Issue Of Bonds Left Over From Previous Fiscal Year Decided To Be ¥5,000,000
Tax Decided To Be Imposed On Picnic Boats By 20% Of Fares
2. Excess Cocoon Production Encouragement Money To Be Given To Sericulturists By Prefectural Thread Manufacturers' Association
3. 10 Filial Boys And Girls Officially Commended By Nagahama Municipal Office On Last Day Of Children's Welfare Week

Asahi

1. Using Tax To Be Imposed Newly On Public Land; Applied To Lessen Local Government Financial Difficulty; Users Must Pay
2. Second Application For Lease Of People's Residences In Hikone Closed On 10th; Applicants Are 143 Against 12 Houses
3. Fire Alarm Telephone Communication Opened In Nagahama On 11th

Chubu

1. Foster-parents' Round-table Conference Held On 11th At Prefectural Juvenile Consultation Office As Last Day's Event Of Children's Welfare Week; "Fostering Is Unexpectedly Bright And Happy" Was One Man's Impression
2. Hachiman CPH To Open English School From Middle Of May On; Instruction To Be Given 3 Days A Week
3. April Share Tax To Local Government Reached Prefecture From Local Finance Committee; Amount Is ¥166,536,000

NEWSPAPER HEADINGS

11 May 1949

Shiga Shinbun

1. Prefectural Federation Of Self-governing Body Workers Unions Held Grand Meeting On 9th At Educational Public Hall And Re-elected Directors
2. Examining Standard Of Sweet Potato For 1949 Decided By Government Based Upon Classes; Prefectural Farmers' Profit To Decrease
3. Nagahama Primary School Principal Proposed To Hold Monthly Children's Day In Towns And Villages And At Home For Their Welfare
4. Takashima District Police Station Advertised For Crime Prevention Slogan Poster To Middle And Primary Schools; Those That Are Accepted Will Be Commended
5. Employment Stabilization Offices: Hikone: Waiting Room To Be Set Up To Show Job-givers' Explanation Cards; Nagahama: Unemployment Counter-measures To Be Discussed At Nishigobo On 12th And At Ika District Office On 14th
6. April Population Trends In Hikone, Echii And Inugami Show Decrease Of Birth Rate
7. Taiho-mura To Hold Adult Education Lecture Course For 5 Days From 12th

Mainichi Shinbun

1. Decision Of Amusement And Drinking And Eating Taxes Reported From Local Finance Committee; Objective Amount Assigned To Prefecture Is ¥56,000,000; To Be Imposed According To Actual Transactions
2. Farming Population Survey To Be Commenced Shortly By Shiga Prefectural Food Stuff Office; Pretty Large Number Of Ghost Population To Be Exposed
3. Tax Night School Opened At 17 Places; In Otsu, Housewives Also Attended By Twos And Threes; Necessity Of Taxes, Nine Points For Economic Recovery And State Finance Explained

Asahi Shinbun

1. Two Campaigns Being Carried Out In Prefecture For Establishment Of Sound Finance: Opening Of Tax Night School And Formation Of Saving Association For Taxpayment
2. Koka District Town And Village Masters' Conference Decided To Establish Livelihood Bettering Association In Koka-gun, Conference Held On 9th

Chubu Nippon Shinbun

1. Villagers' Mass Meeting To Be Held At Kitazato-mura; Yasu-gun On 15th To Clarify Excess Rice-delivery Case And Discuss Renovation Of Village Administration
2. Result Of Taxpayment For 1948 In Districts Under Control Of Osaka Finance Affairs Bureau Surpassed Objective Amount At End of April; Prefectural Amount Is ¥3,100,000,000; Percentage Is 112.3%

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9 May 1949

Shiga

1. Consultation Meeting To Be Held At Various Places In Prefecture By Prefectural Economic Recovery Committee For Betterment Of Daily Necessities Distribution
2. Hikone Taxation Office To Move? Biwako Vacuum Company's Building Being Negotiated For Transfer
3. Hachiman Tax Night School To Be Held On 9th, 13th, 16th And 20th
4. Solid Fertilizer To Be Administered To Rice-plant For Prevention Of Autumnal Drawback; Appointed Place: Echū And Inukami Districts For Collective Public Show
5. Standard For Marriage Of New Age To Be Established By Prefectural Board Of Education Social Education Section; Understanding, Love And Health Most Important Factors
6. Lively Opinions Exchanged At School Children Consultation Meeting Held By Gamo Educational Association On 6th; Desired Adults Not To Slight Children
7. Hikone School Sanitation Research Meeting Opened On 6th; Heard About Judgment Of Children's Nutritive Condition From Professor Of Sanitation At Kyoto University Medical Department
8. Sakata District Police Station Attacked Blackmarket Rice Selling Group At Nagaoka Station On 8th; Confiscated 30 Rice-bags; 16 Persons Sent To Public Procurator's Office

10 May 1949

Shiga

1. Second Evening Party To Talk Over Labor Problems With Citizens Sponsored By Prefecture Held On 7th In Ishiyama, Otsu; Issued Strict Criticism On Juvenile Bureau; More Positive Activities Necessary To Be Made
2. Takashima District Sericultural Agricultural Cooperative Association Established; Applied To Prefecture For Sanction Through District Office
3. Labor Standard Law Not To Be Applied To Gay Quarters In Nagahama, Yokaichi, Hachiman And Minaguchi; Management To Be Left To Businessmen Based Upon Their Proposal
4. Fourth Annual Convention Of Prefectural Japan Federation Of Labor Reopened On 8th And Adopted All Items Of Bill; Mamiya Re-elected As President
5. Potato Of 502,800 Kan Brought In From Hokkaido As Seeds By Potato Distribution Public Corporation; High Price Prevented Sale; 17,000 Kan Spoiled
6. Raising 200 Dairy-cows Being Planned By Imazu Dairy Product Association; Butter And Beverages Also To Be Produced; Progressive Program Completed

7. Offerings To Buddhist Priests Are Considered As Income; Kusatsu Taxation Office Decided To Hold Meeting; Instruction To Be Given To Buddhist Priest In That District About Taxpayment And Method Of Entry Of Revenue Book
8. Unlawful Excess-rice-delivery Case In Nakazato-mura, Yama, Led To Hayano-mura; Persons Concerned Being Examined One After Another

Mainichi

Shigarakki CPH Is In Course Of Construction; To Be Completed During August

Asahi

1. Receivers Of Unemployment Insured Money Under Control Of Otsu Employment Stabilization Office; 401 Persons At End Of April; 170% Increase From End Of March; Due To Lock-out Of Mitsui Seiki And Personnel Dismissal Of Shiga Freight Transportation Company
2. Prefectural Fuel Association To Be Established To Realize Appointed Districts For Charcoal Production; Designation Previously Rejected By Ministry Of Agriculture And Forestry