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The following person was permitted to travel to study the piano:		
Miss Michiko Hirata	United States	20 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
The following persons were permitted to travel to take part in the World Champoinship Speed Skating contest:		
Yoji Enomoto	Switzerland and Norway	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Susumu Naito	"	"
Kazuhiko Sugawara	"	"
Tsuneo Sato	"	"
Shin-ichi Nishida	"	"
The following persons were permitted to travel to engage in commercial business:		
Hajime Kurose	United States	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Unosuke Shindo	"	"
The following persons were permitted to travel to enter wrestling matches:		
Jiro Boda	United States	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Koji Kanda	"	"
Shohachi Ishii	"	"
Norio Higashide	"	"
Ichiro Hatta	"	"
Eiichi Kazama	"	"
Kohei Nagasato	"	"
The following person was permitted to travel to study the management of ladies' magazines:		
Mrs. Chiyo Kitahara (Uno)	France, Switzerland, Great Britain, Italy and Sweden	22 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

[illegible]	United States	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Koji Kanda	"	"
Shohachi Ishii	"	"
Norio Higashide	"	"
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Eiichi Kazama	"	"
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FAR EASTERN COMMISSION

MEMORANDUM FOR INFORMATION NO. 001/274

WEEKLY REPORT ON JAPAN
274th

Note by the Secretary General

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E N C L O S U R E

WEEKLY REPORT ON JAPAN
274th

16 March 1951

I. REPARATIONS and

II. ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

A. Agriculture, Fisheries, and Forestry

The collection of 1950 staple crops as of 28 February was reported as follows:

Item	Amount (Metric Tons)
Rice and rice substitutes 1/	4,304,800
Wheat and barley 1/	1,246,700
Total of staples	5,551,500

The Japanese Antarctic whaling catch and production of by-products were reported by the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry as follows:

Item	Period	
	18-24 February	25 February-3 March
Blue whales	24	14
Fin whales	289	107
Products	8,369 metric tons	3,556 metric tons

B. Industry

C. Finance

The following report was received from the Bank of Japan as of 28 February 1951:

Assets (In 1,000,000 Yen)		Liabilities (In 1,000,000 Yen)	
Gold	501	Bank notes issued	399,771
Cash	610	Financial institutions deposits	4,296
Discounted bills	42,017	Government deposits	139,171
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Discounted bills	42,017	Government deposits	139,171
Loans	61,688	Other deposits	4,496
Loans to Government	49,645	Inter-bank Remittance deposit accounts	15,643
Foreign Exchange Loans	262,844	Other Liabilities	22,677
Government Bonds	134,862	Capital	100
Inter-bank Remittance Account	14,819	Surplus	1,149
Agencies Account	1,473		
Other Assets	18,844		
Total	587,303	Total	587,303

During the week beginning 5 March, the Tokyo stock market prices continued to rise and reached an average of 95.06 yen. The daily average trading was four million shares with department store, spinning and pulp shares registering the highest gains.

D. Foreign Trade

On 13 March SCAP announced the signing of a revised Philippines-Japan trade plan which had been negotiated in Tokyo between the Philippine

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1/ In brown rice equivalents

Trade Delegation and SCAP officials. For the remainder of the trade year, ending 30 June 1951, two-way trade is planned to reach a total of approximately one hundred million dollars and will continue on an open account basis in terms of United States dollars.

E. Public Health and Welfare

The following incidence of communicable disease was reported for the week ending 24 February:

Disease	No. cases for Wk. Ending 24 Feb.	Changes from Wk. Ending 17 Feb.
Diphtheria	314	↓ 37
Dysentery	271	↓ 51
Epidemic meningitis	29	↓ 5
Filiariasis	2	- 2
Influenza	92	-173
Leprosy	7	no change
Malaria	8	↓ 4
Measles	2,911	↓790
Pneumonia	6,228	↓104
Poliomyelitis	37	↓ 7
Paratyphoid	9	- 3
Puerperal infection	9	- 7
Scarlet fever	63	- 7
Schistosomiasis	6	- 2
Smallpox	2	- 5
Typhoid	34	- 1
Typhus fever	1	no change
Tuberculosis	8,778	↓352
Tetanus	26	↓ 6
Trachoma	1,927	-222
Whopping cough	1,245	- 19
Chancroid	301	↓ 50
Gonorrhea	3,869	↓622
Lymphogranuloma Venereum	12	↓ 6
Syphilis	1,874	↓282

F. Transportation and Communications

At the end of January, according to the Ministry of Transportation, Japan had 101 ocean-going vessels of 931,140 deadweight tons active in foreign shipping; 85 cargo vessels accounted for 712,629 tons and 16 tankers for 218,511 tons. The Philippines, followed by the Pacific Coast and then the Atlantic Coast of North America, topped the destination list for cargo vessels.

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III. CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL REFORM and

IV. STRENGTHENING OF DEMOCRATIC TENDENCIES

A. Politics and Government

The draft Japanese national budget for Japan fiscal year 1951-52 (ending March 31, 1952) providing for about the same total level of revenues and expenditures as the previous two budgets, namely, about ¥660 billion, was presented to the national Diet on 26 January. While the overall level of the budget would remain almost the same, adjustments in financing procedure and in the allotment of outlays meant considerable revision in the internal budget structure, and it was indicated that the current budget, while balanced, placed less emphasis on deflationary aspects. On the revenue side, reduced yields from lower commodity and gasoline taxes and from lower personal income taxes is expected to be offset by greater overall yields from corporation and liquor taxes, from new levies on sugar, and from importantly increased yields from customs

duties. As to expenditures, the Government is planning to meet increased outlays for civil service salaries, the recently established Export Finance Bank, and National Police Reserve by reduced payments on national debt retirement, reduction of subsidies, and the sharing of certain expenses with local government. It was declared that the budget was drafted with the intention of easing "monetary stringency" in industrial finance by encouraging accumulation of private capital and the Minister of Finance stated that the Government expected to make almost ¥100 billion available through various channels for industrial development compared to about ¥65 billion in the current year.

B. Labor

C. Education

Four representatives of Training Within Industry, Incorporated, a private United States firm, are in Japan conducting courses. They are cooperating closely with the Manpower Branch of the Labor Division, Economic and Scientific Section, General Headquarters, SCAP, and are conducting classes before a selected group of thirty-three trainees representing management, industry and the Labor Ministry. Those selected are receiving training in job relations, job instructions and job methods. At the conclusion of the initial training period, management, employer associations, and the Labor Ministry will cooperate in extending the program throughout Japan.

D. Report of Overseas Travel of Japanese Authorized by SCAP

To Further Trade Relations

Name	Destination	Period
Kamehachi Iseri	United States, Mexico, Chile, Argentina and Brazil	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masatoshi	Indonesia	11 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Yo Murai	United States, Venezuela, Brazil, Uruguay, Argentina, Mexico, and Peru	13 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Chubee Kirino	United States and Canada	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kaizo Tsuyuki	" "	" "
Ichiro Nakai	" "	" "
Hisashi Ishihara	Indonesia	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Naojiro Nishimura	Thailand	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Yoshio Susaki	United States and Canada	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
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Yokichi Nakamura	United States	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kumao Yamada	"	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Teizo Kyotani	Thailand, Burma, India and Pakistan	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masahiro Hazui	Thailand	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kenichiro Takagi	United States, Canada, Peru, Bolivia and Chile	25 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shigeaki Ninomiya	United States	25 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shun Suzuki	"	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masao Kanki	"	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tatsuo Omura	"	" "
Soji Mizuno	"	" "
Eiichi Hibino	"	" "
Takuji Amemiya	United States, Canada, and Mexico	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Takashi Nakajima	Pakistan and India	27 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kyogo Suzuki	India, Italy, Switzerland, West Germany, Denmark, Sweden, the Netherlands, France, Great Britain, United States, and Canada	11 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kenji Harada	United States	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Taisuke Mori	"	25 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Eishiro Saito	"	" "
Seiichiro Kobayashi	"	" "
Yasujiro Yasuda	"	" "

Name	Destination	Period
To Further Trade Relations and to Establish New York Branch Office		
Goro Seki	India, Italy, Switzerland, West Germany, Denmark, Sweden, the Netherlands, France, Great Britain, United States, and Canada	22 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 53
To Study		
Shinichiro Nishikata	United States	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Miss Reiko Yonemura	"	22 Jan 51 - 1 May 56
Miss Noriko Matsui	Italy and the Netherlands	22 Jan 51 - 31 Jan 54
Miss Kikuyo Orishige	" "	" "
Miss Akiko Terashima	United States	18 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 53
Masahisa Matsubara	"	18 Jan 51 - 31 Jan 55
Hidekichi Homma	"	26 Dec 50 - 1 Apr 52
Masachika Mori	"	22 Jan 51 - 1 Mar 56
To Study Methods of Accounting of the British Overseas Airways Corporation		
Shinji Kurihara	Great Britain	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Study Medicine		
Miss Yaeko Kawai	United States	18 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 52
To Study Oil Painting		
Riichiro Kawashima	France	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Study Beauty Culture		
Mrs. Miyoka Komoriya	France	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Study Social Work		
Kamenosuke Sakakibara	United States and Canada	22 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Study Medical Science		
Takayuki Horiuchi	United States	22 Jan 51 - 31 Jan 56
To Study Fine Arts		
Shungo Sekiguchi	France	19 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 53
To Study Chemistry		

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To Study Fine Arts		
Shungo Sekiguchi	France	19 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 53
To Study Chemistry		
Sueo Tatsuoka	United States	25 Jan 51 - 1 Mar 52
To Study the Postal Services		
Katsumi Soyama	United States	25 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Toki Hachifuji	"	" "
Keiichi Kato	"	" "
To Study Adult Education under UNESCO Fellowship		
Yoshio Otani	United States	31 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Commercial Business		
Masakazu Oyama	Italy, Sweden, Switzerland, West Germany, Great Britain, United States, and Canada	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Susumu Saito	Thailand	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Ichiro Watanabe	United States	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mochimasa Nango	United States	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

Name	Destination	Period
To Inspect the Activities of the YWCA		
Miss Sayoko Kurihara	United States	19 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 52
To Inspect the Chemical Pulp Industry		
Takeo Ota	United States, Canada, and Sweden	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Investigate Telecommunication Service		
Rinichi Sasaki	India, Italy, Switzerland, West Germany, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, the Netherlands, Belgium, France, Great Britain, Brazil, Argentina, United States, and Canada	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Supervise the Importation of Aid-Japan Goods and Materials		
Ippei Oikawa	United States	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Participate in the Interchange of Persons Program		
Shigeichi Iwase	United States	21 Nov 50 - 31 Dec 51
To Provide for Technical Service		
Suteo Nakajima	Macao	25 Sep 50 - 1 Oct 51
Tadao Uchimura	"	" "
Masaaki Jinnouchi	"	" "
Mitsuo Masuda	"	" "
Gihachi Hamada	"	" "
Nobuzo Nagano	"	" "
Yoshinobu Mieno	"	" "
Matsuzo Hama	"	" "
Taneharu Nakajima	"	" "
Seisuke Umazume	"	" "
Isamu Kinoshita	Formosa	2 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Investigate Telecommunication Service		
Shibata Mitsugi	United States, Great Britain, France, Portugal, Spain,	

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Taneharu Nakajima	"	" "
Seisuke Umazume	"	" "
Isamu Kinoshita	Formosa	2 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

To Investigate Telecommunication Service

Shibata Mitsugi	United States, Great Britain, France, Portugal, Spain, Italy, Greece, Egypt, Turkey, Union of South Africa, Syria, Iraq, Iran and India	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

To Attend the Third Annual Meeting of the Indo-Pacific Fisheries Council

Masao Sogawa	India	22 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

To Purchase ELKEM Closed Rotating Heath Furnace

Tetsuo Suzuki	Norway and Sweden	22 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masao Taniguchi	" "	22 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

To Inspect the Mining Industry

Toichi Kunigoshi	United States, Switzerland, West Germany, and Great Britain	20 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

To Further Japan's Tourist Trade

Shigeru Miyamoto	United States	11 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

Name	Destination	Period
To Inspect the Chemical Industry		
Shizumu Murakami	United States, Canada, Great Britain, Belegium, West Germany, France, Switzerland, and Italy	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Make a Concert Tour		
Mrs. Chieko Kawazoe (Hara)	Hawaii	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
To Be an Immigrant Minister		
Tessho Matsumoto	Hawaii	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 56
To Participate in the Championship of Figure Skating		
Ryusuke Arisaka	Italy	26 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Miss Etsuko Inada	"	" "
To Attend the International Cotton Advisory Committee		
Shigeo Okuzono	Pakistan	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kyonosuke Hashio	"	" "
Jiro Shirasu	"	" "

Kyonosuke Hashio	"	"	"
Jiro Shirasu	"	"	"

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Note by the Secretary General

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E N C L O S U R E

WEEKLY REPORT ON JAPAN
275th

23 March 1951

I. REPARATIONS and

II. ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

A. Agriculture, Fisheries, and Forestry

The Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry reported that as of 30 December 1950 completed transfer of property belonging to dissolved local agricultural associations totalled ¥49,353,648,000 for agricultural cooperatives and ¥784,295,000 for organizations other than agricultural cooperatives. 1/

On 13 March SCAP authorized the Japanese Government to relax or remove collection, distribution and price controls from wheat, barley, naked barley and miscellaneous cereals, provided legal provisions are made to authorize the immediate reimposition or strengthening of controls should it be determined that changed conditions require such action.

The February whaling catch included only one sperm whale yielding 19.5 metric tons of products. The Antarctic whaling season closed on 9 March. During the period 4 - 9 March the fleets caught 25 blue and 158 fin whales which furnished 5,484 metric tons of products.

B. Industry

The Ministry of International Trade and Industry reported preliminary coal production of 1,212,800 metric tons during the 8.9 working days of the period 1 - 10 March.

The Ministry also reported the following January production and stockpile data:

Item	Production (Metric tons)	Stocks (Metric tons)
Iron ore (Concentrates)	46,853 (56% ferrum)	96,110 (47% ferrum)
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C. Finance

During the week beginning 12 March, the stock market rallied to higher levels; the daily average volume on the Tokyo exchange reached almost 4,500,000 shares. With machinery, iron and steel and spinning shares most active, prices on Friday, 16 March, attained the highest average since November 1949.

D. Foreign Trade

On 17 March SCAP announced the revision of a trade plan between Finland and Japan. The negotiations included an estimate of two-way trade between the two countries to reach approximately ₩5,400,000 during calendar year 1951.

1/ This report includes correction of cumulative figures as furnished for November in the 270th weekly report, dated 16 February.

E. Public Health and Welfare

The following incidence of communicable and venereal diseases were reported for the week ending 3 March:

Disease	No. cases for Wk. Ending 3 Mar.	Changes from Wk. Ending 24 Feb.
Diphtheria	338	≠ 24
Dysentery	387	≠116
Epidemic Meningitis	19	- 10
Filariasis	1	- 1
Influenza	60	- 32
Leprosy	14	≠ 7
Malaria	9	≠ 1
Measles	3,249	≠338
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Pneumonia	6,433	≠205
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Chancroid	289	- 12
Gonorrhea	3,309	-560
Lymphogranuloma venereum	5	- 7
Syphilis	1,896	≠ 22

F. Transportation and Communications

III. CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL REFORM and

IV. STRENGTHENING OF DEMOCRATIC TENDENCIES

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An amendment to the Agricultural Cooperative Association Law, enacted in May, 1950, provides that each year the administrative authorities shall make an audit of the financial affairs of the cooperatives. This amendment was designed to do away with the old system of semi-private,

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1/ $1 = ¥ 360

semi-Government auditing, which was found unsatisfactory. During January the Ministry of Agriculture and Forrestry announced its first concrete steps implementing the amendment. On 10 January an accounting and an auditing section were set up, and 45 auditors were added to the staff of the Agricultural Cooperative Association Division, and for the fiscal year 1951-52 the Ministry has set aside 604 million yen for the purpose of paying from one-half to two-thirds of the salaries of the prefectural auditors.

According to an announcement by SCAP, on 15 March, 27 concerns under Holding Company Liquidation Commission surveillance and supervision since July 1946 are scheduled for release from such control. With this action, 38 of the original 83 companies designated have been released by the Holding Company Liquidation Commission.

B. Labor

All of the major coal producing companies, except three small ones on Kyushu Island employing 27,000 miners, negotiated satisfactory wage agreement by 24 February, paving the way for resumed full scale mining operation. This brought to a close the 13-day old strike of approximately 250,000 mine workers, involving a majority of the coal producing companies of Japan. All negotiations conducted were direct between representatives of management and labor. Wage losses due to the strike are estimated at one billion yen, and loss of coal production for the month of February is estimated at 850,000 metric tons. In the majority of instances, the new contracts entered into have an effective date of nine months.

C. Education

D. Report of Overseas Travel of Japanese Authorized by SCAP

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Ken Usui	Uruguay and Argentina	To assume his post	24 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 54
Toshizo Morii	"	"	"
Osamu Kataoka	"	"	"
Tsuneo Nagata	"	"	"
Tsunemasa Watanabe	United States and Canada	To further trade relations	22 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hiroto Honda	United States, Great Britain, Belgium and France	To investigate the administration of science	25 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
[illegible] Hachiuma	United States	To further trade [illegible]	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

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Senzo Hachiuma	United States	To further trade relations	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mrs. Katsu Hachiuma	"	"	"
Matajiro Hasegawa	United States and Canada	"	13 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Renpei Kondo	"	"	11 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tetsuo Oishi	United States	"	19 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hiroshi Tobata	India, Pakistan, and Goa	"	24 Jan 51 - 1 May 52
Tsueno Fujinami	United States	To study electro-technics	25 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Yoshio Makita	Burma	To further trade relations	2 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Toshio Yasumoto	Thailand	"	24 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tatsunosuke Hayashi	Union of South Africa	"	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Rinji Fujii	United States	To study the wire and cable industry	25 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Chiko Inoue	"	To be an immigrant minister	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 56

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Mrs. Ruruko Seki	India	To join her husband	29 Jan 51 - 1 May 54
Akiko Seki (1st daughter)			
Mrs. Yuki Iimura	India	To join her husband	29 Jan 51 - 1 Mar 54
Kanako Iimura (1st daughter)			
Yuriko Iimura (2nd daughter)			
Mrs. Tomo Ogiso	India	"	"
Machiko Ogiso			
Mrs. Atsuko Kiriyama	"	"	"
Taro Kiriyama (1st son)			
Jiro Kiriyama (2nd son)			
Mrs. Shinako Takasugi	India	"	"
Toshio Takasugi (1st son)			
Mrs. Hiroko Kataoka	India	"	"
Mitsuo Kataoka (1st son)			
Mitsuyoshi Kataoka (2nd son)			
Mitsunobu Kataoka (3rd son)			
Mrs. Ryoko Maeda	Pakistan	"	"
Hiroyuki Maeda (1st son)			
Masako Maeda (1st daughter)			
Mrs. Emiko Uchida	"	"	"
Mitsuru Uchida (1st son)			
Keiko Uchida (1st daughter)			
Mrs. Chiyoko Utsumi	"	"	"
Mrs. Emiko Takasu	"	"	"
Kei Takasu (1st son)			
Shinichi Kato	United States	To sex baby chicks	27 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tomio Ota	"	"	"
Iwao Hasegawa	"	"	"
Nobuji Ueda	"	"	"
Isamu Ikeda	"	"	"
Akiho Suzuki	"	"	"
Shigeo Obayashi	"	"	"
Mitsuo Suzuki	"	"	"
Koji Kato	"	"	"
Satoru Niizuma	"	"	"
Masayuki Abe	"	To study	27 Jan 51 - 1 Mar 55
Harukichi Ishikawa	"	To investigate the petroleum refining industry	4 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
		To provide for	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51

(1st son)			
Keiko Uchida (1st daughter)			
Mrs. Chiyoko Utsumi	"	"	"
Mrs. Emiko Takasu	"	"	"
Kei Takasu (1st son)			
Shinichi Kato	United States	To sex baby chicks	27 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tomio Ota	"	"	"
Iwao Hasegawa	"	"	"
Nobuji Ueda	"	"	"
Isamu Ikeda	"	"	"
Akiho Suzuki	"	"	"
Shigeo Obayashi	"	"	"
Mitsuo Suzuki	"	"	"
Koji Kato	"	"	"
Satoru Niizuma	"	"	"
Masayuki Abe	"	To study	27 Jan 51 - 1 Mar 55
Harukichi Ishikawa	"	To investigate the petroleum refining industry	4 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Akira Asakura	Burma	To provide for technical service	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tetsuya Watanabe	United States	To study	29 Jan 51 - 1 Mar 53
Mikinobu Yagi	"	To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program	26 Dec 50 - 31 Dec 51
Yoshichi Asami	"	"	31 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Jiro Harada	"	"	"
Saburo Kumagai	"	"	"
Yoshio Fujioka	"	"	"
Matsujiro Oyama	"	"	"
Takeo Oda	"	"	"
Jiro Arimitsu	"	"	"
Junichi Kurokawa	"	"	"
Joji Ashida	"	"	"
Kinji Fujikawa	"	"	"
Yukichi Yokoyama	"	"	"
Kakiwa Gokijo	"	"	"
Chuichi Suzuki	"	"	"

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Kazuo Matsumoto	United States	To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program	26 Dec 50 - 31 Dec 51
Shoichi Ikeuchi	"	"	"
Yoshio Uchida	"	"	"
Miss Take Sugahara	"	"	"
Hidetada Nagai	"	"	"
Katsuma Abe	"	"	31 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mrs. Aiko Noda	"	"	"
Tadao Adachi	"	"	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Yoshio Minami	"	"	26 Dec 50 - 31 Dec 51
Yuzuru Okada	"	"	31 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hajime Wakao	"	"	"
Yutaka Yoshida	"	"	"
Toshimasa Koseki	"	"	"
Norimasa Yasaki	"	"	"
Hyotaro Oishi	"	"	"
Moriji Sagara	"	"	"
Hiroshi Kaneko	"	"	"
Chiyo Takahashi	"	"	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mrs. Shinobu Momotake	"	"	"
Yasumasa Nishioka	Thailand	To provide for technical service	26 Jan 51 - 1 May 52
Fujimaru Tsuchiya	India	To further trade relations	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shinji Utagawa	United States	"	3 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Miss Sumiko Koriki	"	To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tatsuo Takenaka	"	"	31 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masamichi Royama	"	"	"
Tadashi Yoshimura	"	"	"
Masatoshi Nagahama	"	"	2 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mrs. Sumi Tanaka	"	"	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mrs. Shimeno Murata	"	"	"
Mrs. Yoshi Uo	"	"	"
Ryoichi Yamaoka	India	To further trade relations	1 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Saburo Yokoyama	"	"	"
Sutekichi Ikegami	United States	To make personal appearances	2 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mitsuo Mori	"	"	"
Mrs. Ossi Mori	"	"	"

		service	
Fujimaru Tsuchiya	India	To further trade relations	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shinji Utagawa	United States	"	3 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Miss Sumiko Koriki	"	To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tatsuo Takenaka	"	"	31 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masamichi Royama	"	"	"
Tadashi Yoshimura	"	"	"
Masatoshi Nagahama	"	"	2 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mrs. Sumi Tanaka	"	"	8 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mrs. Shimeno Murata	"	"	"
Mrs. Yoshi Uo	"	"	"
Ryoichi Yamaoka	India	To further trade relations	1 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Saburo Yokoyama	"	"	"
Sutekichi Ikegami	United States	To make personal appearances	2 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Mitsuo Mori	"	"	"
Mrs. Osei Mori	"	"	"
Sadashiro Miura	"	"	"
Miss Suzuyo Imaoka	"	"	"
Miss Shimo Nakayama	"	"	"
Mitsuo Hasegawa	"	To inspect electrical engineering work	24 Oct 50 - 1 Nov 51
Yasuhisa Yamamoto	Hongkong	To deliver trawlers	2 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kaname Kamita	"	"	"
Tadashi Kajitani	"	"	"
Shigeru Nakayama	"	"	"
Mamoru Nakano	"	"	"
Wasao Miyazaki	"	"	"
Kazuaki Kadowaki	"	"	"
Kasaburo Kadono	"	"	"
Takayoshi Hasimoto	"	"	"
Hisashi Murata	Pakistan	To attend the meeting of the ECAFE	5 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Takitsu Mitsui	"	"	"
Taketoshi Tamura	"	"	"

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Chutaro Tsuda	United States	To make personal appearances	1 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Akira Yokota	"	"	"
Yukio Sumino	"	"	"
Kiminobu Hashimoto	"	To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program	31 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Akira Nakano	Hongkong	To deliver trawlers	3 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Saburo Okita	Pakistan	To attend the meeting of the ECAFE	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hiroshi Nakahara	Thailand	To provide for technical service	26 Jan 51 - 1 May 52

The following passports were amended in February:

Name	Added Destination	New Validity Date
Kennosuke Kawaguchi	Argentina, Bolivia, and Mexico	. . . . .
Katsuji Takayanagi	Mexico	. . . . .
Kozo Toyama	Thailand, the Netherlands, Belgium and United States	. . . . .
Hitoshi Ito	"	. . . . .
Mankichi Oe	Mozambique	. . . . .
Shoji Masuda	Canada	. . . . .
Mitsugu Shibata	Egyptian Sudan, Kenya, Tanganyika, Mozambique, Northern Rhodesia, Southern Rhodesia, Spanish Morocco, Algeria, Germany, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Belgium	. . . . .
Nagahide Mori	Uruguay, Chile, Venezuela, and Jamaica	. . . . .
Shigeo Karasawa	India, Iran and Iraq	. . . . .
Hiroto Kanai	Sweden	. . . . .
Taichiro Ito	Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador, Nicaragua, Panama, Colombia,	. . . . .

	Belgium and United States	
Hitoshi Ito	"	. . . . .
Mankichi Oe	Mozambique	. . . . .
Shoji Masuda	Canada	. . . . .
Mitsugu Shibata	Egyptian Sudan, Kenya, Tanganyika, Mozambique, Northern Rhodesia, Southern Rhodesia, Spanish Morocco, Algeria, Germany, Switzerland, the Netherlands and Belgium	. . . . .
Nagahide Mori	Uruguay, Chile, Venezuela, and Jamaica	. . . . .
Shigeo Karasawa	India, Iran and Iraq	. . . . .
Hiroto Kanai	Sweden	. . . . .
Taichiro Ito	Guatemala, Honduras, Salvador, Nicaragua, Panama, Colombia, Brazil and Argentina	. . . . .
Sangoro Nobumitsu	Venezuela, Panama, Costa Rica, Honduras, El Salvador, Cuba, Haiti and Dominican Republic	. . . . .
Keizo Fukushima	Egypt, Italy, West Germany, Denmark, Sweden, the Netherlands, Belgium, Great Britain, France, Spain, Portugal, Tangier and French Morocco	. . . . .
Shigeo Karasawa	Egypt and Kuwait	. . . . .

The following are those who applied for amendment after their departure from Japan:

Kaoru Uyeno	Turkey and Zanzibar	15 September 1951
Katsuzo Koyano	Egypt	. . . . .
Tadamoto Negishi	"	. . . . .
Saburo Hayashi	Great Britain, France, Germany, Austria, Italy, Switzerland, Sweden, India and Hong Kong	. . . . .

Name	Added Destination	New Validity Date
Ryoichi Hama	Iraq	22 November 1951
Shuichiro Kimoto	Iceland, Norway, Germany, and India	. . . . .
Masayuki Yokoyama	West Germany	. . . . .
Jun Yoshinaga	. . . . .	1 February 1952
Goro Miura	. . . . .	"
Taisuke Mori	Mexico	. . . . .
Yasujiro Yasuda	"	. . . . .
Eishiro Saito	"	. . . . .
Seiichiro Kobayashi	Mexico	. . . . .
Shigeo Okuzono	India and Egypt	Add 40 days
Kyonosuke Hashio	" "	" " "
Ichiro Nakagawa	. . . . .	1 November 1951
Tatsuo Fukami	. . . . .	28 February 1952
Junnosuke Nose	. . . . .	1 October 1951
Tojuro Kiba	India, Burma, Thailand and Hong Kong	. . . . .
Seizo Fukui	. . . . .	30 June 1951
Toshiichi Naruse	. . . . .	"
Kazuichi Yamamoto	Thailand and Egypt	1 February 1952
Masao Kubota	West Germany and Cuba	. . . . .
Shokichi Nishitani	. . . . .	1 May 1951
Wakichi Itoh	. . . . .	15 November 1951
Hachiro Komada	. . . . .	28 February 1952
Kunihiko Kodaira	. . . . .	15 September 1952
Umeko Kioka	. . . . .	1 August 1951
Shun Masuda	Pakistan	31 October 1951
Keiji Majima	. . . . .	1 July 1951
Sutezo Kaneko	. . . . .	31 May 1951
Tatsuichiro Hiramoto	. . . . .	15 November 1951
Risaburo Egawa	Ceylon, India and Pakistan	. . . . .
Masusaburo Kobayashi	. . . . .	1 April 1952

Kunihiko Kodaira	. . . . .	15 September 1952
Umeko Kioka	. . . . .	1 August 1951
Shun Masuda	Pakistan	31 October 1951
Keiji Majima	. . . . .	1 July 1951
Sutezo Kaneko	. . . . .	31 May 1951
Tatsuichiro Hiramoto	. . . . .	15 November 1951
Risaburo Egawa	Ceylon, India and Pakistan	. . . . .
Masusaburo Kobayashi	. . . . .	1 April 1952

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I. REPARATIONS and

II. ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

A. Agriculture, Fisheries, and Forestry

Starting in 1950 the Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry launched a five-year plan for promotion of land consolidation in Japan. The details of the plan are summarized in the following table.

Year	Number of Projects to be Initiated	Area to be Benefitted (Cho) 1/
1950	920	184,000
1951	1,260	230,750
1952	2,880	515,500
1953	3,115	467,000
1954	2,600	317,750
TOTAL	10,775	1,715,000

Under the Land Improvement Law, Law No. 195 of 1949, land consolidation projects may be initiated and carried through by agricultural land commissions, land improvement districts, or agricultural cooperative associations. The procedures are parallel for the three types.

B. Industry

The Ministry of International Trade and Industry reported final December limestone data as follows:

Production	Shipments	Stockpiles
1,110,294 Metric Tons	1,110,112 Metric Tons	439,714 Metric Tons

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Item	Production	Shipments	Stocks
Antimony	106,313 Kilograms	123,304 Kilograms	25,537 Kilograms
Antimony Trioxide	14,000 Kilograms	12,425 Kilograms	4,985 Kilograms
Lignite	103,267 M.T.	97,230 M.T.	24,617 M.T.

The Ministry also reported the following January production and stockpile data:

Item	Production (Metric tons)	Stocks (Metric tons)
Copper (concentrates)	3,157	2,995
Lead (concentrates)	1,016	857

C. Finance

During the week beginning 19 March, Tokyo stock market prices were slightly lower, and the daily average volume fell to 2.7 million shares (from a 4.5 million shares high the previous week). Li uidation tapered off on Friday with pulp and spinning stocks leading the market rally on Saturday; mining and chemical shares continued to lag.

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D. Foreign Trade

E. Public Health and Welfare

The proposed schedule of courses at the Institute of Public Health, Tokyo, for the next fiscal year, April 1951 to March 1952, is given below. This information is furnished at this time in order that Prefectural Health Departments may make the necessary budgetary requests to send students to the courses. An announcement concerning the qualifications of students for each course will be sent to the Prefectural health departments by the Ministry of Welfare, approximately one month before the opening date.

The regular courses are designed to give more adequate training in public health specialties to those who show promise as administrators in order to qualify them to hold higher positions. The twelve months course for public health nurses is intended primarily to train teachers of public health nursing. Faculty members from medical or veterinary schools will be eligible to attend the regular courses if engaged in teaching public health subjects:

Refresher Courses (capacity 50 students)

(1) Medical Health Officers (three months)
9 April - 27 June
9 July - 26 September
1 October - 19 December
7 January - 26 March

(2) Sanitarians (three months)
9 April - 27 June
9 July - 26 September
1 October - 19 December
7 January - 26 March

(3) Sanitary Engineers (three months)
1 October - 19 December

(4) Public Health Nurses (four months)
4 August - 24 November
1 December - 29 March

(5) Veterinarians (two months)
9 April - 2 June
7 January - 1 March

(6) Nutritionists (two months)
9 April - 2 June
3 December - 26 January

(7) Public Health Statisticians (two months)

9 April - 27 June
9 July - 26 September
1 October - 19 December
7 January - 26 March

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1 October - 19 December

(4) Public Health Nurses (four months)
4 August - 24 November
1 December - 29 March

(5) Veterinarians (two months)
9 April - 2 June
7 January - 1 March

(6) Nutritionists (two months)
9 April - 2 June
3 December - 26 January

(7) Public Health Statisticians (two months)
9 April - 2 June
4 June - 28 July
7 January - 1 March

(8) Health Educators (two months)
30 July - 22 September
7 January - 1 March

(9) Technicians in Chemical Examination (ten weeks)
16 July - 22 September

(10) Technicians in Clinical Microscopy and Pathology (ten weeks)
1 October - 8 December

(11) Technicians in Bacteriology, Parasitology and Serology (three months)
7 May - 25 July

Regular Courses (capacity 25 students)

(1) Medical Health Officers (twelve months)
9 July - 26 June

(2) Public Health Nurses (twelve months)
9 April - 26 March

(3) Public Health Veterinarians (six months)
9 April - 26 September

(4) Public Health Nutritionists (six months)
1 October - 26 March

(5) Public Health Pharmacists (six months)
1 October - 26 March

The following incidence of communicable disease was reported for the week ending 10 March:

Disease	No. cases for Wk. Ending 10 March	Changes from Wk. Ending 3 March
Diptheria	318	- 20
Dysentery	390	↑ 3
Epidemic meningitis	20	↑ 1
Filiariasis	1	no change
Influenza	96	↑ 36
Leprosy	5	- 9
Malaria	7	- 2
Measles	3,886	↑637
Paratyphoid	15	↑ 2
Pneumonia	6,695	↑262
Poliomyelitis	36	no change
Puerperal infection	11	- [illegible]
Scarlet Fever	111	no change
Schistosomiasis	6	[illegible]
Smallpox	8	- 8
Typhoid	32	- 1
Typhus Fever	1	↑ 1
Tuberculosis	10,448	↑758
Tetanus	22	- 4
Trachoma	2,808	↑707
Whooping cough	1,277	↑ 57
Chancroid	290	↑ 1
Gonorrhea	3,572	↑263
Lymphogranuloma Venereum	4	- 1
Syphilis	2,009	↑113

Prefectural veterinary meat inspectors conducted ante and post-mortem inspections on the following number of livestock during the month of November 1950:

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Cattle	40,134
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Horses	10,524
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Sheep	477
Goats	319

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F. Transportation and Communications

III. CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL REFORM and

IV. STRENGTHENING OF DEMOCRATIC TENDENCIES

A. Politics and Government

B. Labor

The Federation of Japan Iron and Steel Industry Workers Union was formed at an organizational convention held in Tokyo on 1 March 1951, by representatives of 36 local unions of iron and steel workers claiming 98,500 members and estimated to number eighty per cent of the permanent employees of the iron and steel industry of Japan. The Federation, known by its abbreviated Japanese name, Tekko Roren, expects five additional local unions of iron and steel workers with a membership of approximately 20,000 to become affiliated with it during the next few months. If accomplished, local unions of iron and steel workers throughout the iron and steel industry formerly affiliated with the Japanese Federation of Trade Unions (Sodomei), the National Congress of Industrial Unions (Sen Betsu), or unaffiliated, will for the first time be organized into one national federation.

C. Education

D. Report of Overseas Travel of Japanese Authorized by SCAP

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Fujio Kato	Venezuela	To further trade relations	1 Feb 51- 1 Mar 52
Kiyonobu Sugihara	United States	"	22 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Yasuo Kimura	United States, Brazil, Argentina & Mexico	"	19 Jan 51-- 31 Dec 51
Haruji Horiuchi	Thailand	"	27 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Yoshiichi Shibuya	Hongkong	To deliver trawlers	6 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Toshisuke Okumura	"	"	"
Masuo Imaki	United States	To further trade relations	29 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Dr. Hidetoshi Shiga	"	To inspect the conditions of public health	2 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Sakuzo Nishimura	"	To make personal appearances	1 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Isamu Takata	"	"	"
Miss Masako Ienari	"	"	"
Katsujiro Urasugi	"	"	"
Shigeo Hayashi	"	"	"
Mrs. Yoriko Kumeda	"	"	"
Toshio Okochi	"	"	"
Miss Itoe Tsuno	"	"	"
Mrs. Fumiko Yonezawa	"	"	"
Michiro Yamazaki	"	"	"
Mrs. Matsuko Arimoto	"	"	"
Taichiro Ito	United States, Canada, Mexico Jamaica, Dominican Republic, Venezuela and Costa Rica	To further trade relations	22 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Heijiro Takahashi	Formosa	"	18 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Giichi Hattori	United States	"	1 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Nagahide Mori	United States, Canada, Argentina, Brazil, Cuba and Panama	To further trade relations	22 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Kamenosuke Sawada	United States	To inspect the cosmetic	

Toshio Okochi	"		
Miss Itoe Tsuno	"	"	"
Mrs. Fumiko Yonezawa	"	"	"
Michiro Yamazaki	"	"	"
Mrs. Matsuko Arimoto	"	"	"
Taichiro Ito	United States, Canada, Mexico Jamaica, Dominican Republic, Venezuela and Costa Rica	To further trade relations	22 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Heijiro Takahashi	Formosa	"	18 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Giichi Hattori	United States	"	1 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Nagahide Mori	United States, Canada, Argentina, Brazil, Cuba and Panama	To further trade relations	22 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Kamenosuke Sawada	United States	To inspect the cosmetic industry	11 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Tsunenobu Fukagawa	"	To inspect school library	10 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Miss Aiko Yamamoto	France	To study	6 Feb 51-1 Apr 54
Shoji Mori	Thailand	To provide for technical service	1 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Masashi Horiguchi	United States and Canada	To further trade relations	31 Dec 51 "
Hatsugoro Yamawaki	India, Pakistan, Ceylon, Burma, and Thailand	"	22 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Nagamasa Kawakita	United States, Great Britain, France, Italy, Spain, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, and Switzerland	To investigate motion picture industry	19 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Shozo Furuichi	Thailand, Burma, India, Ceylon, Aden, Pakistan, Kenya, Uganda, Zanzibar, Tanganyika, Mozambique, Union of South Africa, South Rhodesia, Nigeria, Gold Coast, Senegal, French Morocco, Egypt and Iraq	To further trade relations	29 Jan 51-31 Dec 51

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Kaname Hayashi	Iraq	To further trade relations	29 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Katsuya Inouye	Great Britain	To study fuel problems	1 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Shiro Ando	United States	To visit his family	25 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Heiichi Nukiyama	"	To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program	16 Jan 51-31 Dec 51
Shin-ichi Kamimura	"	"	"
Joichi Okazaki	"	"	"
Naomichi Sakamoto	"	"	"
Masakuni Segawa	"	"	"
Toshio Harada	Formosa and Indonesia	To further trade relations	1 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Yasumitsu Horita	Hawaii	To further trade relations	6 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Keiji Harada	United States	To investigate the conditions of labor problems	8 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Tsuguo Saito	"	"	"
Shigetake Takemura	"	"	"
Yosoji Manchu	"	"	"
Shigeo Kimura	"	"	"
Kazuo Oya	"	"	"
Hiroshi Yamamoto	"	"	"
Sakae Maki	Brazil	To coach the art of swimming	6 Feb 51-1 May 52
Masatoshi Toyota	United States	To master the operation of A.C. Network Calculator	5 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Keiichi Kunisawa	Spain	To study	8 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Seiichi Ichii	United States	To further trade relations	6 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Jiro Yamasaki	United States and Canada	"	1 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Shozo Satake	India, Pakistan and Thailand	"	8 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Yonesaburo Yokota	"	"	"
Shoichiro Wanaka	Thailand	"	1 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Yoshimasa Ono	United States	"	8 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Miss Emi Mary Sawada	"	To study	1 Feb 51-1 May 52
Tadashi Wakabayashi	"	To play International Baseball Games	8 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Isao Odachi	"	"	"

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Jiro Yamasaki	United States and Canada	"	1 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Shozo Satake	India, Pakistan and Thailand	"	8 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Yonesaburo Yokota	"	"	"
Shoichiro Wanaka	Thailand	"	1 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Yoshimasa Ono	United States	"	8 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Miss Emi Mary Sawada	"	To study	1 Feb 51- 1 May 52
Tadashi Wakabayashi	"	To play International Baseball Games	8 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Isao Odachi	"	"	"
Miss Miyoko Sekimoto	Venezuela	To study commercial practice	6 Feb 51- 1 Apr 52
Suketoshi Tsunoda	United States and Canada	To further trade relations	5 Feb 51- 31 Dec 51
Ken Ishikawa	United States	"	"
Kiyokimi Okai	Thailand, Burma, India and Pakistan	"	2 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Hideo Kawai	United States and Brazil	"	22 Jan 51- 31 Dec 51
Kensuke Miyazawa	United States	"	6 Feb 51 31 Dec 51
Giichi Uchiyama	India	To provide for technical service	"

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WEEKLY REPORT ON JAPAN
277th

6 April 1951

I. REPARATIONS and

II. ECONOMIC AND FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

A. Agriculture, Fisheries, and Forestry

The collection of 1950 staple crops as of 20 March was reported as follows:

Item	Amount (Metric Tons)
Rice and rice substitutes 1/	4,327,700
Wheat and barley 1/	1,246,700
Total of staples	5,574,400

The Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry reported the following log and lumber production and stockpiles for January: 2/

Type or Use	Production	Stockpiles
Logs for general use	6,397,000 cu. ft.	19,268,000 cu. ft.
Mine timbers	3,601,000	6,929,000
Railroad ties	507,000	2,517,000
Telephone poles	338,000	1,151,000
Pulp logs	3,640,000	17,400,000
Veneer logs	275,000	3,343,000
Pilings	102,000	291,000
Saw Logs	41,477,000	74,327,000
Lumber	448,296,000 bd. ft.	264,324,000 bd. ft.
Plywood	28,427,000 sq. ft.	12,864,000 sq. ft.

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Charcoal	268,672 metric tons	147,623 metric tons
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The following fuelwood production and stockpiles were reported for January:

Item	Production	Stockpiles
Charcoal	268,672 metric tons	147,623 metric tons
Gasumaki	23,350 metric tons	
Firewood	2,736,480 soseki koku	

1/ In brown rice equivalents

2/ Based upon later information received from GHQ, SCAP, the timber stockpile report for December as furnished in the 271st Weekly Report, dated 23 February 1951, should be corrected to read 4,892,000 cu. ft. of logs for general use and 43,040,000 cu. ft. of saw logs.

B. Industry

February coal deliveries to industry, including domestic as well as 49,000 metric tons of imported coal, amounted to 3,526,000 metric tons. Stockpiles during the same month were recorded as 1,491,300 metric tons. The preliminary estimate of coal production during the 8.1 working days of the period 11-20 March was given as 1,167,900 metric tons.

The Ministry of International Trade and Industry reported crude petroleum production for February as 27,093.12 kiloliters. This figure includes 234.25 kiloliters of casing head gas.

Preliminary January limestone data were given as 1,020,090 metric tons produced, 992,303 metric tons shipped and stocks of 416,371 metric tons available.

C. Finance

During the week beginning 26 March, Tokyo stock market prices were slightly lower than the previous weeks; the market became more firm on Friday and Saturday with major emphasis on textile and shipping stock. Trading volume fell below two and a half million shares per day.

A loan of ¥60,000,000 from the U.S. Aid Counterpart Fund was approved by the Japanese Government to the Scientific Research Institute Ltd. (Kagaku Kenyusho KK) for use in the construction of a plant for large scale production of streptomycin. Kagaku Kenyusho is planning to enlarge their present plant capacity of three six-ton tanks, to a plant with three tanks, each of sixty-ton capacity. The loan will be used to finance in part the construction of fermentation and refinery equipment, and the three fermentation tanks of 60,000 liters capacity each, for the manufacture of streptomycin.

D. Foreign Trade

E. Public Health and Welfare

Pharmaceuticals and medical supplies produced during December totalled 3,467 million yen. Such commodities as x-ray supplies and equipment, physiotherapy equipment, surgical instruments, and precious metals were not reported. Monthly average production for calendar year 1950 was approximately 3,123 million yen, compared with 2,883 million yen for calendar year 1949. The total value of reported drugs and medical supplies produced during 1949 was 34,596 million yen, in 1950 the total was 37,480 million yen.

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The following incidence of communicable disease was reported for the week ending 17 March:

Disease	No. cases for Wk. Ending 17 March	Changes from Wk. Ending 10 March
Diphtheria	293	- 25
Dysentery	450	≠ 60
Epidemic Meningitis	28	≠ 8
Filiariasis	1	no change
Influenza	19	- 77
Leprosy	9	≠ 4
Malaria	7	no change
Measles	4,616	≠730
Paratyphoid	8	- 7
Pneumonia	6,033	-662

Disease	No. cases for Wk. Ending 17 March	Changes from Wk. Ending 10 March
Poliomyelitis	40	≠ 4
Puerperal infection	17	≠ 6
Scarlet Fever	98	- 13
Schistosomiasis	9	≠ 3
Smallpox	13	≠ 5
Tetanus	24	≠ 2
Trachoma	3,048	≠240
Tuberculosis	9.619	-829
Typhoid	41	≠ 9
Typhus Fever	nil	- 1
Whooping cough	1,250	- 27
Chancroid	296	≠ 6
Gonorrhea	3,561	- 11
Syphilis	1,742	-267
Lymphogranuloma Venereum	7	≠ 3

F. Transportation and Communications

III. CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL REFORM and

IV. STRENGTHENING OF DEMOCRATIC TENDENCIES

A. Politics and Government

The Social Welfare Service Law, enacted by the Diet on 26 March 1951, superseding the antiquated Social Works Fundamental Law of 1938, completes modern legislative framework within which democratic programs of social welfare service, both public and private, may be progressively developed in Japan. The new law includes the following provisions:

Broad principles for definition and development of social service;
Establishment of a national social welfare advisory council;
Establishment of public welfare districts for local administration of major national public welfare programs;
Basis for use and training of full time social service personnel at local levels;
Guidance and supply to local administrative units;
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Approval and supervision of juridical social welfare agencies and institutions;
National establishment and local enforcement of a national system of minimum standards governing care and treatment of persons residing in welfare institutions;
Recognition of the principle of federated fund raising in financing private social welfare enterprises;
Recognition of the common principles of community organization for bringing about increasingly better balance between welfare needs and resources in Japan.

B. Labor

C. Education

D. Report of Overseas Travel of Japanese Authorized by SCAP

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Isamu Yamada	United States	To study economics	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hideo Koda	"	To investigate iron and steel industry	5 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kazuo Fujii	"	"	"
Toshihisa Ishibashi	Indonesia & Thailand	To further trade relations	14 Dec 50 - 1 Dec 51
Yukio Yoshida	Okinawa; Thailand, India, Burma, and Pakistan	"	5 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Keiji Ikeda	Okinawa; Thailand, India, Burma, and Pakistan	To further trade relations	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Keizo Ota	"	"	"
Yorimitsu Hiura	"	"	"
Akira Sugi	"	"	"
Kurato Hironaga	"	"	"
Fajuro Maeda	Okinawa, Formosa, and Indonesia	"	5 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Gunji Heihata	"	"	"
Kenichiro Morita	"	"	"
Ryosuke Adachi	"	"	"
Toshio Sato	"	"	"
Takashi Shimizu	"	"	"
Haruhiko Koguchi	"	"	"
Tokuji Okura	"	"	"
Hidematsu Kashima	"	"	"
Kiyoshi Nakazawa	Okinawa; Thailand; India, Pakistan, and Burma	"	"
Kiyoshi Fujii	"	"	"
Shingo Kojima	United States	To inspect the building construction work	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shunichi Takeuchi	United States	To further trade relations	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tokuji Koshiba	India, Pakistan, Italy, Switzerland, France, Belgium, the Netherlands, West Germany, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Spain, Great Britain, and United States	"	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Denji Inden	United States	"	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kenryu Hasegawa	Hawaii	To be an immigrant minister	7 Dec 50 - 31 Dec 55
Mrs. Kaori Hasegawa Yayoi Hasegawa (1st daughter) Kenko Hasegawa (1st son)	"	To accompany her husband	"
Tadao Doi	Spain	To study	6 Feb 51 - 1 May 52
Tetsuji Kawakami	United States	To inquire into the state of	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51

Shunichi Takeuchi	United States	To further trade relations	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tokuji Koshiba	India, Pakistan, Italy, Switzerland, France, Belgium, the Netherlands, West Germany, Denmark, Sweden, Norway, Spain, Great Britain, and United States	"	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Denji Inden	United States	"	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kenryu Hasegawa	Hawaii	To be an immigrant minister	7 Dec 50 - 31 Dec 55
Mrs. Kaori Hasegawa Yayoi Hasegawa (1st daughter) Kenko Hasegawa (1st son)	"	To accompany her husband	"
Tadao Doi	Spain	To study	6 Feb 51 - 1 May 52
Tetsuji Kawakami	United States	To inquire into the state of professional baseball	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Fumio Fujimura	"	"	"
Shigeru Sugishita	"	"	"
Makoto Kozuru	"	"	"
Chujiro Tanaka	India	To provide for technical service	27 Jan 51 - 1 Mar 52
Genzo Kawabata	"	"	"
Ichiro Ito	"	"	"
Takanojo Takasaki	"	"	"
Yoshiharu Sakaguchi	United States	To study	1 Feb 51 - 31 Mar 54
Kan Ishii	Switzerland and France	To study music	8 Feb 51 - 1 Jul 52
Shinobu Masako	Pakistan, India, Aden, Kenya, Tanganyica, Union of South Africa, Egypt, Iraq, Burma, and Thailand	To further trade relations	1 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Masamitsu Sando	Pakistan and India	To further trade relations	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Morito Kobayashi	United States, Canada, Cuba, Venezuela, Colombia, and Argentina	"	"
Ikuo Kasai	Burma	To further trade relations	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kaname Teshigawara	Brazil, Chile, Peru, Argentina, and Costa Rica	"	18 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shunichi Nishida	"	"	"
Ken Hirayama	United States	To study geology	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Saburo Yamamoto	"	To investigate the electro-chemical industry	"
Nobuo Kagiwada	"	To investigate the iron & steel industry	8 Dec 50 - 1 Dec 51
Kazuo Koshida	"	To further trade relations	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Yoshitaro Amano	Peru, Chile, Argentina, Brazil, Panama, Costa Rica & Honduras	"	"
Kazunori Kosho	United States	To study	18 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 56
Bushichi Komura	"	To further trade relations	13 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Sanpei Katakura	"	"	"
Masuo Naito	"	"	"
Kazuo Sasanami	"	To investigate the pharmaceutical industry	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masakazu Knoishi	India	To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shichiro Oriuchi	"	"	"
Koji Miyata	"	"	9 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Megumi Tamura	"	"	"
Hideo Horiguchi	"	"	"
Yoshio Okada	"	"	"
Shigeo Sugimoto	"	"	"
Masanori Tokita	"	"	"
K. Arima	"	"	"
Yukio Tsuda	"	"	"

Kazunori Kosho	United States	To study	18 Jan 51 - 31 Mar 56
Bushichi Komura	"	To further trade relations	13 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Sanpei Katakura	"	"	"
Masuo Naito	"	"	"
Kazuo Sasanami	"	To investigate the pharmaceutical industry	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Masakazu Knoishi	India	To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Shichiro Oriuchi	"	"	"
Koji Miyata	"	"	9 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Megumi Tamura	"	"	"
Hideo Horiguchi	"	"	"
Yoshio Okada	"	"	"
Shigeo Sugimoto	"	"	"
Masanori Tokita	"	"	"
K. Arima	"	"	"
Yukio Tsuda	"	"	"
Nobuyuki Kato	"	"	"
Hirokazu Ninomiya	"	"	"
Takashi Kano	"	"	"
Taro Kagawa	"	"	"
Seki Matsunaga	"	"	"
Ken Noritake	"	"	"
Toshio Iwatani	"	"	"
Kikuichiro Yamamoto	United States	To study the actual operation of the bank examination machinery	12 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hideo Iwai	"	To further trade relations	6 Feb - 31 Dec 51
Takeo Okamura	United States, Norway, Sweden, and West Germany	To investigate the pulp industry	12 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kiyoshi Nakamura	"	"	"
Shuichi Okada	United States	To study the maritime administrative system	12 Feb 51-31 Dec 51

Name	Destination	Purpose	Period
Haruki Mori	Pakistan, India, and Hong Kong	To attend the meeting of Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East	5 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Haruo Nagayasu	India	To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Toshihiro Ohashi	"	"	
Takeo Sato	"	"	"
Ryosuke Takasugi	"	"	"
Fumio Kamamoto	"	"	"
Mikio Oda	"	"	"
Eiichi Saito	United States	To inquire into journalism	1 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Takanori Ueno	"	To study	6 Feb 51 - 1 May 55
Shigeichi Yokoyama	Countries to which valid visas are affixed	To serve aboard the Brazilian m.t. "Salte 54" as the guarantee engineer	10 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tokishiro Shiina	Formosa	To further trade relations	1 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Dr. Shintaro Uda	United States	To study electrical science	6 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Teizo Toba	United States and Canada	To further trade relations	16 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Susumu Takahashi	India	To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Fumio Nishiuchi	"	"	"
Miss Taeko Sato	"	"	"
Miss Miyoko Kato	"	"	"
Yorio Mizuyoke	"	"	"
Norimi Sato	"	"	"
Sukeo Denda	"	"	"
Shuhei Nishida	"	"	"
Michitaka Kinami	"	"	"
Yukio Ishikawa	"	"	"
Kanji Hirota	United States	To induce tourists to Japan	9 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tadao Yokoyama	United States	To study entomological physiology	12 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Akio Sakata	Formosa	To further trade relations	29 Jan 51 - 31 Dec 51
Goro Mori	United States	"	

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Fumio Nishiuchi	"	"	"
Miss Taeko Sato	"	"	"
Miss Miyoko Kato	"	"	"
Yorio Mizuyoke	"	"	"
Norimi Sato	"	"	"
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Miss Fumi Kokima	India	To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games	8 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Eiichi Yasuda	Thailand	To inspect the shipping business	16 Feb 51-31 Dec 51

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Eiji Honda	India, Ceylon, and Pakistan	To further trade relations	16 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Likio Yamada	"	"	"
Mrs. Mariya Yamamuro	United States	To study	16 Feb 51-31 Mar 52
Hideo Sugiura	India, Burma, Thailand, and Formosa	To report the real aspects of the 1st Asian Athletic Games	14 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Bunroku Yoshino	India and Burma	To make arrangement with the authorities concerned as to trade matters	17 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Rinichi Sasaki	United States	To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program	10 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Seiichi Yamagata	"	"	"
Minoru Kubota	India	To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games	16 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Kazuo Haraoka	"	"	14 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Tsugio Iida	"	"	"
Yukio Iguchi	"	"	16 Feb 51-31 Dec 51
Shigeuji Saito	"	"	"
Junya Arai	"	"	"
Hiroshi Ikeda	"	"	"
Junichi Iwao	"	"	"
Shuzo Okubo	"	"	"
Michio Katayama	"	"	"
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Minoru Takahashi	"	"	"
Mitsuhide Tsuji	"	"	"
Fumio Matsuoka	"	"	"
Mitsugi Hachiya	"	"	"
Kihei Tomioka	"	"	"
Takeo Sato	"	"	"
Shoichiro Sugihara	"	"	"
Kasaburo Ogura	"	"	"
Miss Hideko Shimomaki	United States	To study	9 Feb 51 - 1 Jun 53
Takashi Isobe	"	To study industrial instruments	9 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Tsuneichi Ono	Kenya and British East Africa	To further trade relations	14 Dec 50-31 Dec 51
Seijiro Shima	Argentina, Brazil	"	3 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51

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Hirotaka Yuki	"	To join her father	"
Mrs. Mieko Fukuda	"	To join her Husband	"
Isao Fukuda (2nd son)			
Yumiko Fukuda (1st daughter)			
Akio Fukuda (3rd son)			
Mrs. Sawako Yamaguchi	"	"	"

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A. Agriculture, Fisheries, and Forestry

The Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry reported the following status of cooperative organizations:

	Agricultural Cooperative Associations	Federations of Agricultural Cooperative Associations
Organizations Approved as of 31 December 1950	34,505	1,225
Number Amalgamated or Dissolved	879	84
Number in Operation as of 31 December 1950	33,626	1,141

B. Industry

The Ministry of International Trade and Industry reported coal production of 1,449,600 metric tons during the 9.8 working days of the period 21 - 30 March.

The following February production, shipment and stockpile data were reported:

Item	Production (Kilograms)	Shipments (Kilograms)	Stocks (Kilograms)
Antimony	110,468	112,159	23,857
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The following report was received from the Bank of Japan as of 10 March 1951:

Assets (In 1,000,000 Yen)	
Gold	501
Cash	611
Discounted bills	46,423
Loans	77,858
Loans to Government	49,645
Foreign Exchange Loans	270,692

Liabilities (In 1,000,000 Yen)	
Bank notes issued	385,133
Financial institutions deposits	2,308
Government deposits	183,286
Other deposits	4,517
Inter-bank Remittance deposit accounts	13,938

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Assets (In 1,000,000 Yen)		Liabilities (In 1,000,000 Yen)	
Government Bonds	134,467	Other Liabilities	21,806
Inter-Bank Remittance Account	13,306	Capital	100
Agency Account	1,489	Surplus	1,149
Other Assets	17,244		
Total	612,236 1/	Total	612,237 1/

D. Foreign Trade

On 7 April, SCAP announced that action initiated to negotiate a revision in existing financial terms of trade between the Sterling Areas and Japan will be effective upon acceptance and will continue after the signing of the peace treaty. Informal discussions have been conducted between Occupation Headquarters and the United Kingdom Liaison Mission with a view to convening a conference to revise the Sterling Payments Agreement. The Japanese Government has been requested to prepare its preliminary views for discussions at a pending conference to be held in Tokyo at a date to be announced later.

E. Public Health and Welfare

In an effort to establish only the highest standard for veterinary biologic production, a series of discussions have been held between Public Health and Welfare, Japanese Government officials and interested production laboratories. Pending final official approval, new assay standards have been agreed upon and adopted for rabies vaccine and formalized hog cholera vaccine. This action is in line with a continuing program to review current assay standards of all veterinary biologics, especially from a potency viewpoint.

The following incidence of communicable disease was reported for the week ending 24 March:

Disease	No. cases for Wk. Ending 24 March	Changes from Wk. Ending 17 March
Diphtheria	302	↗ 9
Dysentery	386	- 64
Epidemic meningitis	14	- 14
Filiariasis	nil	- 1
Infectious Diarrhea	13	↗ 13
Influenza	12	- 7
Leprosy	10	↗ 1
Malaria	8	↗ 1
Measles	4,469	-147

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Measles	4,469	-147
Paratyphoid	10	≠ 2
Pneumonia	5,463	-570
Poliomyelitis	33	- 7
Puerperal infection	10	- 7
Rabies	1	≠ 1
Scarlet fever	89	- 9
Schistosomiasis	19	≠ 10
Smallpox	4	- 9
Tetanus	24	no change
Trachoma	2,776	-272
Tuberculosis	8,679	-940
Typhoid	38	- 3
Typhus fever	1	≠ 1
Whooping cough	1,097	-153
Chancroid	288	- 8
Gonorrhea	2,974	-587
Lymphogranuloma Venereum	11	≠ 4
Syphilis	1,553	-189

1/ Difference due to rounding of figures.

F. Transportation and Communications

III. CONSTITUTIONAL AND LEGAL REFORM and

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A. Politics and Government

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Convention delegates displayed particular interest in two proposals of Sohyo's executive board. The first proposal, if acted upon in accordance with recommendations made to the convention, would mean convention ratification of prior board action of endorsing the announced peace principles of the Social Democratic Party, namely, overall peace, strict neutrality, opposition to military bases and opposition to rearmament. In the second instance it was proposed that Sohyo as a body affiliate with the International Confederation of Free Trades Unions (ICFTU). Operating under the two-thirds rule, the first proposal received a sufficient majority to ratify the prior action of the executive board. However, the latter proposal failed of passage through inability to secure the required two-thirds favorable majority of all delegates present.

Because of obstructionist tactics assertedly carried on by certain members of the executive board, the convention amended the constitution to provide that the executive board operate under a three-fourths majority rule rather than the former unanimous rule. Favorable action was taken also with respect to the board's proposal that Sohyo establish prefectural councils whose affiliates would be local branches of national industrial

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Kiyoaki Terajima	United States	14 Feb 51 - 31 Mar 54
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Ryo Ishikawa	"	"
Ikkaki Matsuzawa	"	"
Taisuke Nishida	"	"
Shigetoshi Morita	"	"
Ryohei Hanta	"	"
Masaji Tajima	"	"
Takashi Asao	"	"
Bunkichi Sawada	"	"
Yoshio Iimuro	"	"
Yoshikazu Noda	"	"
Katsuo Nishida	"	"
Miss Kiyoko Sugimura	"	"
Miss Ayako Yoshikawa	"	"
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Tomio Hosoda	India	22 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kazuta Ikoma	"	"
Eitaro Okano	"	"
Ichiro Tao	"	"
Kikuo Moriya	"	"
Soichi Tamoi	"	"
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Shigeru Aoki	Formosa, Hong Kong, Indo-china, Thailand, Singapore, Burma, India & Pakistan	20 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
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Masamori Wada	Those countries to which valid visas are affixed	14 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
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Kyushiro Sato	"	"
To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program		
Kenjiro Nishimura	United States	"
Haruhiko Tanaka	"	"
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Minoru Tsuda	"	"
Noboru Hon-iden	"	"
Hisao Kamiya	"	"
Tatsuo Misumi	"	10 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51

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Fumio Kinoshita	United States and Canada	24 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program		
Masaya Mori	United States	14 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kiyoyuki Matsumura	"	"
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To serve Aboard the Brazilian m/t "SALTE 54" as the guarantee Engineer		
Hiroaki Irimoto	To those countries to which valid visas are affixed	10 Feb 51 - 31 Jan 52
To investigate the pulp and rayon industry		
Yukio Arisawa	United States, Canada and Cuba	13 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
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Senzo Nakura	United States	14 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Saburo Yamamoto	"	9 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
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	Formosa, Hong Kong, Indo-china, Thailand, Singapore, Burma, India & Pakistan	20 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To further Trade Relations		
Kyuichiro Mitsuyu	Italy, Italian Somaliland, Kenya, Zanzibar, Tanganyika, Union of South Africa, Gold Coast, Nigeria, Aden, Pakistan, India, Ceylon, Burma, and Thailand	19 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kinsuke Mizutani	Pakistan	"
To study		
Shoji Misu	United States	12 Feb 51 - 1 Apr 55
To serve Aboard Brazilian m/s "SALTE 55" as the Guarantee Engineer		
Masamori Wada	Those countries to which valid visas are affixed	14 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To serve aboard Brazilian m/s "SALTE 51" as the Guarantee Engineer		
Kyushiro Sato	"	"
To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program		
Kenjiro Nishimura	United States	"
Haruhiko Tanaka	"	"
Michisuke Toyomizu	"	"
Minoru Tsuda	"	"
Noboru Hon-iden	"	"
Hisao Kamiya	"	"
Tatsuo Misumi	"	10 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51

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To further Trade Relations		
Fumio Kinoshita	United States and Canada	24 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program		
Masaya Mori	United States	14 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kiyoyuki Matsumura	"	"
Saburo Kase	"	"
To serve Aboard the Brazilian m/t "SALTE 54" as the guarantee Engineer		
Hiroaki Irimoto	To those countries to which valid visas are affixed	10 Feb 51 - 31 Jan 52
To investigate the pulp and rayon industry		
Yukio Arisawa	United States, Canada and Cuba	13 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program		
Morikuni Toda	United States	10 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games		
Tsunae Wada	India	26 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kentaro Hiro	India	26 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hideo Konishi	India	27 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To study		
Toshihiko Tarama	Brazil	14 Feb 51 - 31 Mar 54
To study mixing and laying methods of cement concrete		
Kunitaro Yagi	United States	18 Sep 50 - 1 Oct 51
To study manual art		

Morikuni Toda	United States	10 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
<u>To participate in the 1st Asian Athletic Games</u>		
Tsunae Wada	India	26 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Kentaro Hiro	India	26 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Hideo Konishi	India	27 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
<u>To study</u>		
Toshihiko Tarama	Brazil	14 Feb 51 - 31 Mar 54
<u>To study mixing and laying methods of cement concrete</u>		
Kunitaro Yagi	United States	18 Sep 50 - 1 Oct 51
<u>To study manual art</u>		
Mrs. Mie Furuzawa	France	20 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
<u>To investigate the system of foreign exchange</u>		
Saneka Hayashi	France, Switzerland, Belgium, the Netherlands, West Germany and Italy	24 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
<u>To participate in the Interchange of Persons Program</u>		
Senzo Nakura	United States	14 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Saburo Yamamoto	"	9 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
Yoshio Hosoya	"	"
Shigeto Fujimura	"	"
Ichiro Yamanouchi	"	"
Kiyoo Meguro	"	"
Takashi Ogawa	"	"
<u>To study</u>		
Kikuo Kono	United States	24 Feb 51 - 1 Apr 54

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To further trade relations		
Junichi Iwakami	United States and Canada	10 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51
To participate in the International Christian Work Camp		
Miss Ikuyo Abe	Thailand	26 Feb 51 - 31 Dec 51

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