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JAPANESE CASE IN SUPREME COURT

For First Time in History, Supreme Court to Act on Naturalization Case of Takao Ozawa, of Honolulu, who is a Japanese.

(By Associated Press.)

HONOLULU, T. H., July 19. (By Mail)—The United States supreme court will be called upon next October, probably for the first time in history, to decide the "color" of a man in the appeal of Takao Ozawa, Honolulu, Japanese, who is attempting to gain American citizenship by naturalization, according to advices reaching here.

Under the terms of the naturalization act, the disposition of several other similar suits in which Japanese have attempted to become naturalized, Ozawa contends that he is entitled to citizenship on the ground that he has sought to mold his life along strictly American lines in accordance with the best American customs and ideals, and on the further ground that he is "white" and is eligible for citizenship under the law which provides that only a "free white person or person of African descent of nativity" may be naturalized.

Ozawa's efforts to obtain citizenship began here several years ago. The United States district court for Hawaii denied his contention and this decision was upheld by the federal circuit court of the ninth district in California. From this decision he appealed to the supreme court.

Ozawa contended that originally Japanese were of the white race. He traced the history of Japan several thousands of years to the Aino (tribe) and said that James M. Beck, solicitor general of the United States department had expressed the opinion that that particular branch of the Japanese race has characteristics of the Caucasian.

Ozawa came to Hawaii when a young man and was educated in the American schools here. In one of the briefs submitted here, Ozawa said that he had taken special pains to educate his children in American public schools in order that they might become loyal American citizens, citizenship having been secured by them through birth on American soil. He said his children had not been taught the Japanese language and that nothing pertaining to Japan or the Japanese had been allowed to creep into their daily lives, education or their religion.

Oysters Increase.

If all the progeny of one oyster lived and multiplied, and so on through six generations, the heap of shells would be eight times the size of the earth.

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DANGEROUS. The Harry Finney of San Diego, Cal., the famous rafter, feels pretty safe because he spends a lot of his time chinning around Pacific coast rocks. "Chinning" means that swim beneath. This was on the Coronado Islands, off lower California.

QUESTIONABLE OFFICE TENURE

(By Associated Press.)

AMOI, China, June 29.—(By Mail)—An attack on the legality of Li Yuan-fung, premier of the provisory government of China, and a formal request to the "trusty powers" that they refrain from recognizing him as head of the Chinese nation, constituting one of the last documents of the hand of Wu Ting-fang, recently deceased minister of foreign affairs at Canton, and former Chinese minister to Washington has just been received here.

The memorandum, issued from Canton on stationery bearing the legend, "The Republic of China," which the overthrown Sun Yat-sen government claimed to represent, declared that President Li is "X" note that a private citizen, thrust into the presidency by Northern militarists and politicians to serve as their tool and figurehead.

Further declaration that Li's assumption of office "does not improve the situation, but positively aggravates it" leaves no doubt as to the late Dr. Wu's attitude toward the Peking administration, which recently was reported as offering him the premiership of China up to the day he died late in June.

To that office, Dr. Wu bravely never set foot, but his official attack on Li and his successors, written a few days before Chen Ching-ming overthrew the South China government and hastened the death of the famous Chinese diplomat, demonstrated that Wu was to the last unflinchingly opposed to the regime of the north.

Scarcely a week after his manifesto "Some Points were issued, Wu ting-fang died in the Christian college at Amoi, "fired out," to use his own words, not to quote his chief, Sun Yat-sen, but at the collapse of the South China republic.

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Promise Grange Will Erect Two Story Hall to Accommodate Members

WALLOWA, Aug. 21.—The members of the Promise Grange are making plans for the new Grange hall which they are to erect soon. The committee in charge of the project has decided on a two-story building twenty-four by fifty feet. The lower floor will be used for school and social affairs, while the upper floor will be a lodge room. Platforms are to be built on both floors. A special Grange stage curtain is to be ordered. A proposal to hold church in the building is also being considered. The members are to supply the logs and labor of building the structure, while the sawmill will cut the lumber. The members are working very harmoniously on the project, and are all enthusiastic in constructing the new community building.

Preferences.

We know a man who is an honest crook. That is, he is a crook and frankly proud of it. As a crook he rather excels. He invents crooked things, while others follow the rut. But the point is, he is a crook, says so himself and does not blush. We also know a deacon who plays poker on Thursday, gets drunk on Friday, beats out his family on Saturday and goes to church three times on Sunday. Between the two, we leave our choice.

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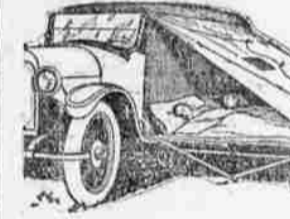
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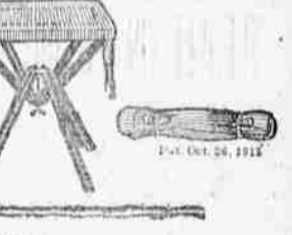
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GREAT FUTURE FOR BIG POWER

Snake River Possibilities Explored by the Pacific Power and Light Company.

Following a survey made through the Snake river country by L. A. McArthur, of the Pacific Power and Light company, one of the big power concerns on the coast, the Lewiston Tribune has the following to say: That developments of vast importance to the Lewiston country are in the making is disclosed by the recent announcement of L. A. McArthur, general manager of the Pacific Power & Light company of Portland, that the company has filed an application for a preliminary water power permit with the federal power commission at Washington with the intention of investigating the power possibilities of that part of Snake river between Lewiston and Huntington.

This permit, if granted, will give the company a period of time, not to exceed three years, in which to prepare plans and specifications for such development as it will desire to proceed with, according to Mr. McArthur's statement.

While the purpose is believed to be for the general extension of its power properties, it is regarded as certain that the company anticipates vast development in mining, lumbering and railroad construction in the Lewiston country in the near future and hope to be prepared to take care of the new situation. This also revives speculation concerning the building of the Huntington-Lewiston cut-off by the Union Pacific, with a possibility that the line, if reconstructed, may be electrified.

Reconnaissance surveys for a railroad were made by engineers of the O. W. R. & N. company as early as 1910. In 1920 engineers of the geological survey made surveys of the river between Huntington and Lewiston and the findings have been put into a preliminary report by W. G. Hoyt, hydraulic engineer of the survey. Mr. Hoyt believes that 900,000 horse-power could be developed at low-water flow from this section of the river.

Until 1910, according to the preliminary report of the geological survey, recently presented, the plans through which the Snake river flows were little more than barren deserts, but whenever utilization of the waters has been tried crops have been raised that have made these sections of the

northwest some of the most renowned agricultural sections of the United States, and it is thought that the further utilization of the water as power will greatly stimulate industrial enterprises in the west.

In Mr. McArthur's statement it is disclosed that he, in company with Major Howard S. Hession, assistant chief engineer of the federal water power commission, recently completed a trip from Lewiston to the upper Snake river as a preliminary to the business of investigation. The trip was made July 4 in a power boat to a point above Pittsburg Landing, about 77 miles up the Snake and returned by three river boatmen.

"The Snake river canyon is a wonderful scenic feature," declares Mr. McArthur in his statement. "It took us about a day and a half to make the trip from Lewiston to a point a little south of Pittsburg Landing. We had a powerful gasoline launch, but even with this equipment, which had two six-cylinder automobile engines, it was in many places very hard to negotiate the rapids. Some of these rapids are full of whirlpools and rocks and are more than a mile long. It is impossible to go a short distance above Pittsburg Landing in a boat of this type, but we did not go to the head of navigation, which is known as Johnson bar, because it would have taken several hours to make the few extra miles.

"Some idea of the velocity of the stream may be had from the fact that it took us four and three-quarters hours to make the down-stream trip, 77 miles. Shooting the rapids in a gasoline boat is full of excitement.

"Snake river canyon is deep and very narrow in places, not more than 100 feet at the water's edge. Snake river itself is a turbulent stream, consisting as it does of a large amount of irrigation drainage from Idaho, but salmon river, which comes in through a narrow defile 40 miles above Lewiston, is a wonderful stream, sapphire blue in color and clear as crystal. The mouth of the Salmon river is of the same type of scenery as Oneonta gorge, on the Columbia highway except that it is several times wider and several times higher.

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Cupid Joins East and West



Miss Nora Riley, of Bridgewater, Conn., and six car loads of her relatives and Henry Carroll, of Los Angeles, and six car loads of his relatives motored across the continent till they met at St. Paul. They were married in a tent city they pitched at Cherokee heights. Bride and groom are in the center of the group.

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