

### Expansion, Growth Mark Of Baptist Church

TRADITION CARRIED ON

SAN DIEGO, Calif. (U.P.)—Midshipman Stephen Decatur VIII, a great-grand nephew of Commodore Stephen Decatur hero of the war against the Barbary States in 1804, was a guest at Camp Decatur, reserve headquarters at the naval training center here. Young Decatur was one of 2,000 naval ROTC midshipmen brought here for amphibious warfare training.

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### Old Man River Outdone By Swimming Corporal

ST. LOUIS (U.P.)—Cpl. Francis Kane, 23, ruined a pair of pants, almost drowned and delayed the excursion steamer Admiral for 30 minutes, but he won \$5.

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### Dewey Eyed Tom-Toms Thump Their Drums

HASTINGS, Neb. (U.P.)—A half dozen bobby-soxers have organized a Dewey-for-President club called the "Dewey Eyed Tom-Toms."

The girls, all in their teens, say their chief goal is to "convert" individual Democrats to the Republican presidential candidate.

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### Salesman As Sleuth Traps Car Thieves

FREEPORT, Ill. (U.P.)—A traveling salesman added a new story to his repertory when he decided to sleep overnight in his car here.

Two youths tried the door of his locked car, then moved on to their own and drove off. The salesman decided to follow. They objected and took their complaint to the police station, tossing things out of the window en route. Their pursuer followed them right in.

Barbara Jones, Shirley Wiederspan, Loweta Carolee Kissinger, Beverly Howland, all of Hastings, and Joan Clements, Lincoln.

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### Atom-Bombed Hiroshima Appeals To Pittsburgh

PITTSBURGH (U.P.)—The industrial city of Hiroshima has appealed to this city in the industrial heart of America for help in rebuilding its atom-bombed ruins.

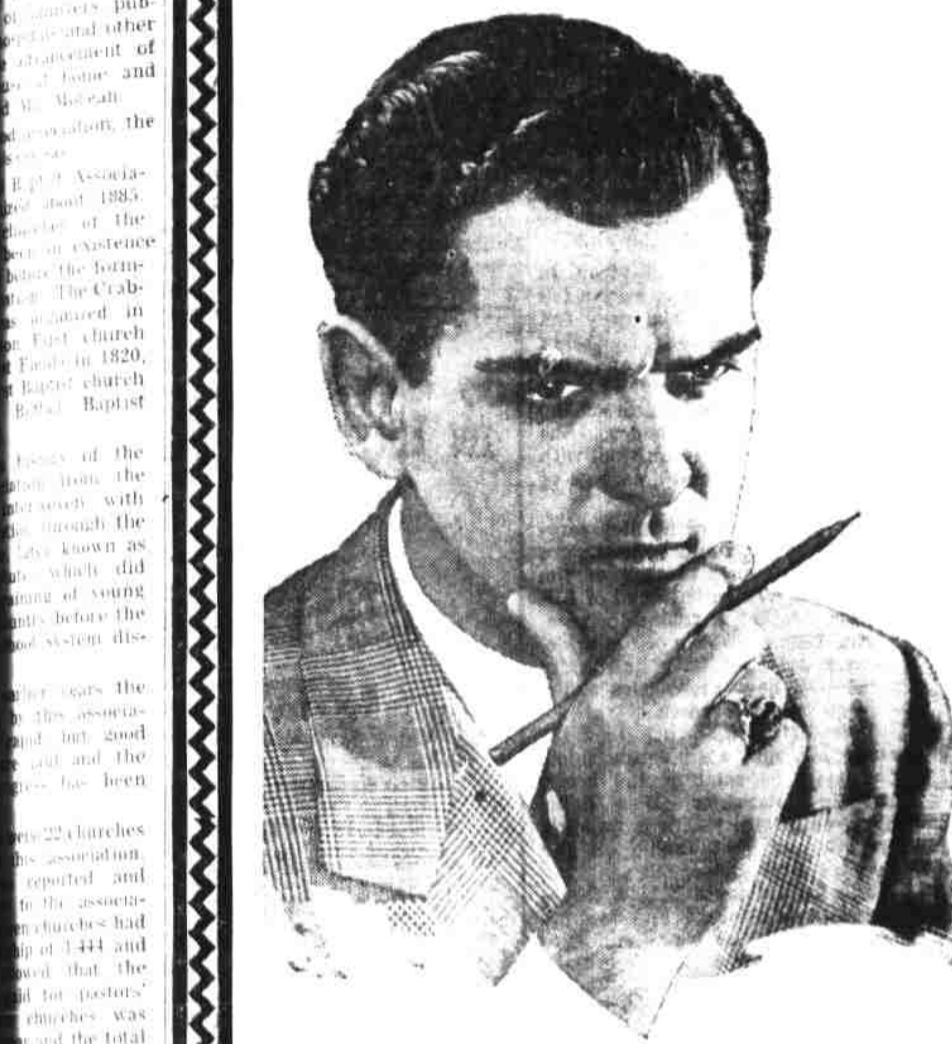
Mayor Shinzo Hamai hopes to further plans to reclaim his shattered city with advice and guidance from Pittsburgh and the rest of the world.

In a letter to Mayor David Lawrence on the third anniversary of the bombing, Mayor Hamai said: "We who have actually experienced the catastrophe fully appreciate the significance of war and its consequences."

### WCTU To Put Stress On Local Option

CHICAGO (U.P.)—Mrs. D. Leigh Colfin, president of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, says the organization will place its main emphasis on community option elections at its forthcoming 74th annual convention.

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