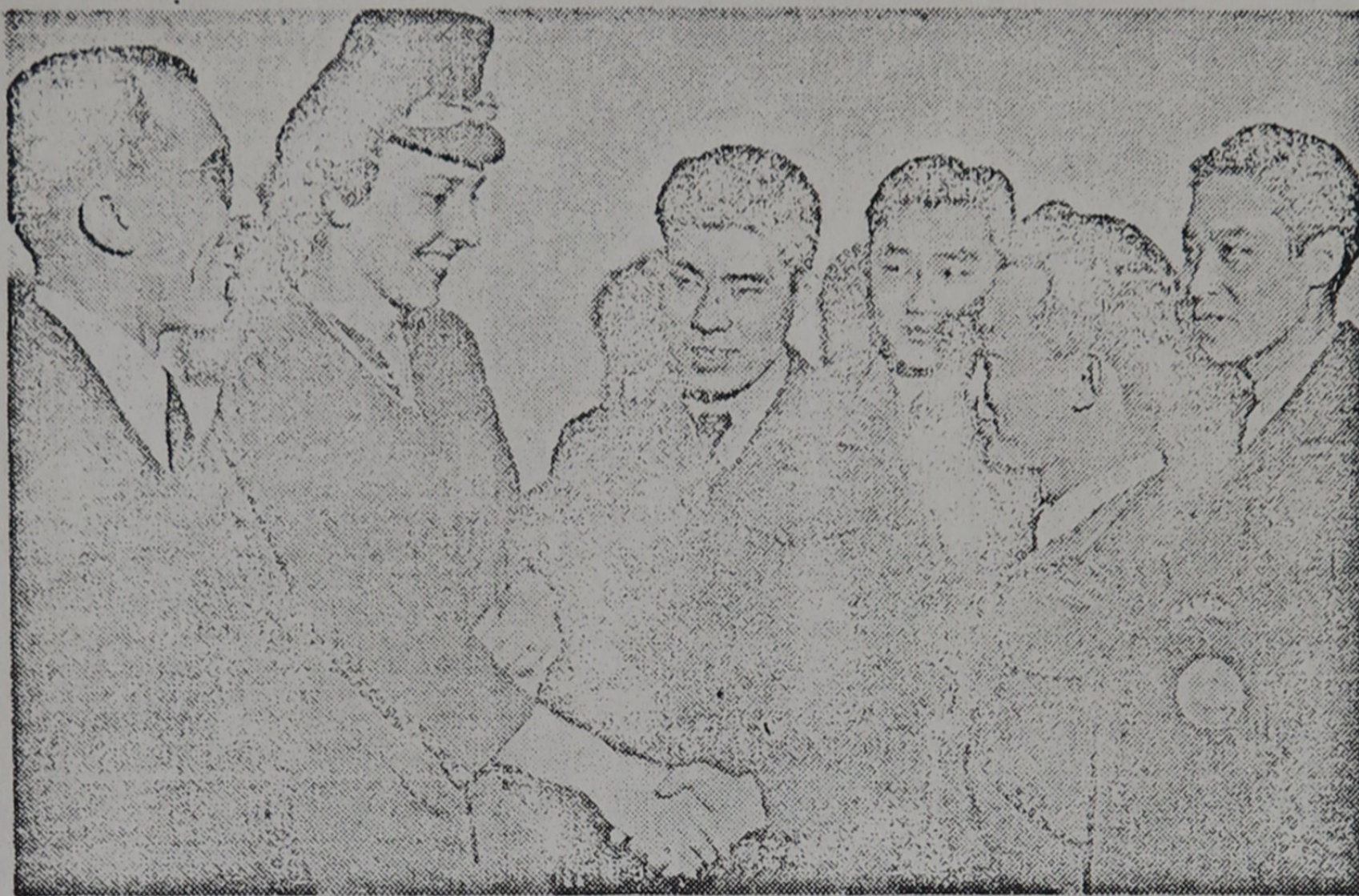


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WINNIPEG, MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1946.



GUESTS OF HONOR at the welcome home for Winnipeg Japanese Canadian servicemen were greeted by Mrs. C. G. Scambler and Rev. E. W. Scott, co-chairmen of the Winnipeg co-operative committee on Japanese Canadians, Saturday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. They are (left to right): Rev. E. W. Scott, Mrs. C. G. Scambler, Pvts. Jimmy Matsuo, Kaide Shimizu, Pat Saito and Golo Suzuki.

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Japanese-Canadian Veterans Welcomed

E. J. Tarr K.C. of Winnipeg, past president of the Institute of Pacific Relations, declared Saturday afternoon that racial discrimination was a threat to the "fundamental citizenship of this country". He was speaking at a welcome home reception held at the Y.W.C.A. Auditorium, in honor of Japanese-Canadian servicemen who recently returned from overseas.

Mr. Tarr asked citizens of Japanese descent to be tolerant and said that policy of racial discrimination was "the biggest threat to the peace of the world". "Citizenship is not safe," he declared "as long as a policy of racial discrimination is pursued in Canada."

There was an attendance of more than 200 at the tea. Musical selections were played by an instrumental trio with Frances Seeley at the piano, Madeleine Gauvin, violinist and Alice Nakauchi, cellist.

Guests of honor at the function were Pvts. Bill Saskaki, Goro Suzuki, Kaide Shimizu, and Pat Saito all Japanese Canadians, and Sergeant Robert Kitijima, a Japanese American. The Japanese Canadians served with the South east Asia Command in India and Burma.

The gathering was sponsored by the Winnipeg co-operative Committee on Japanese Canadians.

Blanche Magaffin was general convenor, while the executive of the committee, Rev. E. W. Scott and Mrs. C. G. Scambler, co-

chairmen and Miss Elizaoeth Morrison, secretary, were on the reception committee.

