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The USAT Private Sadao Munemori, formerly known as the Wilson Victory, slipped quietly into her berth at Sand Island marginal wharf on the morning of November 21, 1947.

The ship has been officially re-named by the War Department for Medal of Honor winner, Pfc. Munemori who was an assistant squad leader of Company A when he met his death on April 5, 1945

## Rural Oahu Chapter Elects Officers

Club members in the Wahiawa-Waiialua districts have organized a Rural Oahu Chapter. Officers of this new component of the Club 100 are: Dick M. Sasaki, president; Toshio Mizusawa, vice president; Hakaru Taoka, secretary; Paul Tanji, treasurer; and Tetsuo Sasaki, asst. treasurer.

Until such time as their existence is officially recognized by the Oahu Chapter, the Rural Chapter will carry on in an unofficial capacity.

An organization of this sort in the rural districts will be a tremendous boost to the cause of the Club 100 as the Wahiawa-Waiialua members intend to plan and undertake social and mutual assistance activities which will embrace members in that locality. Already the group has started a move to challenge the urban softball champs to a game.

The Rural Chapter also has made studies to facilitate and encourage the payment of club dues.

## Late News Flash

GEN. MARK WAYNE CLARK, honorary member of the Club 100, arrived in Honolulu with Mrs. Clark and daughter Patricia Ann on Wednesday, Jan. 14.

near Savayza, Italy. His heroism saved the lives of two of his buddies.

Wherever this ship goes Sadao Munemori's name will be remembered, the consideration he had for the welfare of his buddies, and his keen devotion to his country which he placed above his own life will become known in all parts of the world as a vivid living testimony to a great soldier.

## Col. Fielder To Head Reserve Program

Colonel Kendall J. Fielder, Honorary member of the Club 100, has been chosen to head the army's organized reserve program in Hawaii.

The colonel, who was chief of military intelligence here during the war, has been assigned to command Headquarters Organized Reserve Corps USARPAC which is located at Fort De Russey.

Headquarters Organized Reserve will direct and train all army reservists under the jurisdiction of USARPAC.

Colonel Fielder spoke up vigorously for Hawaiian statehood during hearings in Washington and has often paid tribute to the loyalty of American citizens of Japanese ancestry.

## Mizuha & Kitaoka Pass Bar Exams

Congratulations are in order to Jack H. Mizuha and Takashi Kitaoka for passing their Territorial Bar Examinations with flying colors.

Jack, a former C.O. of Dog Company, graduated from the University of Michigan and will open his office on the island of Kauai.

Takashi graduated from Baylor University. He has been connected with the legal division of the veterans administration since his discharge from the army.

- 1 Jan. 47 - "I'm going to lay off the hard stuff and..."
- 5 Jan. 47 - Meeting at Club Golden Gate to purchase site for clubhouse.
- 18 Jan. 47 - Able company stag affair. One quart Haig & Haig goes as far as it can among 115 present. "It's good to the last drop."
- 21 Feb. 47 - Baker re-union at Natsunoya Tea House. Molto mangiare.
- 8 Mar. 47 - Oahu Chapter benefit dance. Large turnout. Beaucoup dough and wahines.
- 23 Mar. 47 - Three way tie for James Sakamoto golf trophy. Harold Kanemura wins in play-off.
- 28 Mar. 47 - "C" company semi-annual stag affair. Kanazawa elected president of Charley-ites.
- 5 Apr. 47 - Second Annual Maui Easter Frolic. Wataru Kane-shina chairman of profitable venture.
- 6 Apr. 47 - Softball series opens at Ala Moana. "Boy, softball is a pretty strenuous game after all."
- 19 Apr. 47 - Dog Company stag shindig. Tad Kanda prexy for 1947-48.
- 11 May 47 - Able company tossers nip Headquarters in championship softball game to salt the Alpha Appliance Trophy. "We lost the softball tilt, but we'll challenge your company in drinking."
- 18 May 47 - House In The Garden Clubhouse meeting.
- 25 May 47 - Wreath flown to Paris and Washington Unknown Soldiers Tombs by Veterans organizations.
- 29 May 47 - Rokuro Moriguchi passes away at the Birmingham Hospital in California.
- 30 May 47 - Club representatives participate in Memorial services at the Territorial War Memorial.

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from the MAIL BAG ...  
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Bluemont, Virginia  
November 17, 1947

Dear Sir:

Colonel Harry G. Albright  
Commanding Officer  
442nd Regimental Combat Team  
Organized Reserve Corps

1. It is my sincere pleasure to commend you and the personnel of the 442nd Infantry Battalion and other Combat team units, for their excellent appearance in the Armistice Day Parade, 11 November 1947.

2. The fine performance of the 442nd Regimental Combat Team is indicative of the high standards of military efficiency achieved by the officers and enlisted men therein, as evidenced by the smartness and professional appearance of the individuals and marching units of this nationally famous unit.

3. I desire that you initiate such steps as are necessary to commend the individual members of the groups represented for their outstanding services rendered to the Army and the community by participating in the Armistice Day parade.

/s/G. H. Decker  
G. H. Decker  
Major General, USA  
Commanding

Dear Club 100:

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of my family to thank the club for the kind expression of sympathy upon the passing of my father.

We are also very grateful to you for your timely and priceless kokua extended to us through the blood bank.

I cannot find words to express our appreciation.

So, thanks again and may God

I received your kind invitation to a dinner honoring Chaplain Yost on Saturday, October 4th. It is a matter of regret that the great distance that separates us, prevents my being present with you on such occasions, for I hold the 100th Battalion in high esteem. I trust that the occasion was enjoyable for everyone, as I am sure that it must have been.

My delay in answering your letter was occasioned by my absence on leave and my retirement from active duty on 30 September, this year.

With warmest regards and best wishes to members of Club 100, I am

Sincerely yours,  
/s/ L. K. Truscott, Jr.  
Lt. Gen, U.S.A., Ret.

686 So. King Street  
Honolulu, T. H.  
December 3, 1947

Dear Members:

On behalf of my family, and for myself, I wish to express to Club 100, to the Chairman and members of the Mutual Assistance Committee, to those who donated blood to the Club 100 Blood Bank, and to all others who participated in planning and effectuating the Club 100 Blood Bank, our deep appreciation for the life-giving transfusions which my father, Ichisaku Maeda, received at Queen's Hospital during the months of September, October and November of this year.

It is impossible to find words to express the gratitude that is in our hearts, but we ask that our thanks be conveyed and to all who contributed, and

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(Signed) Kenneth Mitsunaga



**BIRTHS**

October 27, to Mr. and Mrs. John Yoshiro Yamada, 3018 Kolo-walu Street, son.

November 13, to Mr. and Mrs. Kaoru Suzuki, 1377-C Kalihi War Housing, son.

November 20, to Mr. and Mrs. Tadao Kanda, 1424 Mamalu Street, son-Brion Ben.

**MARRIAGES**

On November 8, Hisao Furutani and Miss Mary Sumino Iwasaki.

On November 15, Hichiro Matsumoto and Miss Janet Yukie Segawa.

On November 23, Hideo Doi and Miss Hiroko Hamada.

On November 30, Kaoru Yamamoto and Miss Yukie Hashimoto.

**DEATH**

On November 15, Kumataro Mitsunaga, 62, father of Kenneth Mitsunaga, (D), passed away after a lingering illness. The late Mr. Mitsunaga was a retired dairy man.

Masao "Stu" Yosnioka

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