

P.S. If you come down as suggested herein
then we could take you back to Eugene
with us the following day (Thursday)
if we have room in the car. I do
not know how much baggage Mr.
Harada will have but I am prepared
to think it will be a lot. He spoke of bringing
10 boxes of books + pictures. So your chances
of a ride are uncertain.

Portland, Sept. 15, 1935

Dear Mrs Warner:-

Your telegram re Baron Dan
arrived about the time one came from the
Baron giving us his final plans. We
have known of his coming for some
days but did not get his schedule
till now.

He arrived at Los Angeles
Sept 7 or thereabout and will arrive
in Portland on Tuesday the 17th
and leave for Tacoma on Thursday
morning the 19th.


We are planning for him as
follows: Mr. Tsurumi the Consul will
meet him and have him dine
at his home that night.

Wednesday noon or at 11:40 A. M. he will speak at Reed College assembly. He will lunch there and then Mrs. Erskine Wood will take him and the Baroness to see some of the Portland gardens, and then give them tea at her home. The Nippon Society is giving him a formal dinner that evening (Wed. the 18th) at 7 P. M. at the Town Club.

This will not be a large meeting - probably about 30 people.

now for my plans.

I leave early tomorrow morning in my car for Tacoma where I shall spend the night. Next morning (Tuesday the 17th) I shall motor to Seattle and meet Mr. Harada at the ship side. As soon as we can clear the customs, I shall



start for Portland. The Consul at Seattle is trying to get his customs inspection lightened but I do not know with what success. At least we should get through in time for us to return to Portland that same night (Tuesday) I am bringing Mr. Harada to my home.

He and I shall go to Reed College the next day (Wednesday) to attend the assembly where Baron Dan is to speak. Then we shall lunch at the College with them. What he and I shall do in the afternoon is uncertain but I shall spend some time in my office and some time seeing that all arrangements for the dinner that night at the town club have been completed as I have been asked

to see to that event.

From all this you will see that Baron Dan is not planning to go to Eugene.

now for your plans.

Could you come to Portland in time to join us at the dinner at the Town Club at 7 P.M. on Wednesday the 18th? If you can let me know and I can arrange a place for you as I have it in charge.

We have asked Baron + Baroness Dan to be our house guests as well as Mr. Harada but as yet have had no reply. They leave early Thursday morning for Tacoma where they have an afternoon appointment. I am going to see if they could plan to come to Eugene on their return from N.Y. in about two months.

We certainly hope you can come to the dinner on Wednesday evening.

Mr. Harada and I shall go to Eugene on Thursday morning the 19th.

Very cordially
Burt Brown Barker.