

Tuesday, Aug. 28 1973

Takohiko and Etsuko Tanaka;

Dear Friends;

Your greatly valued letters, and other materials have continued to come and to interest and delight us. Thank you. The tear sheets from papers, which you send are teaching us more and more about the interesting things in Japan and its history. Eleanor enjoyed several hours learning about the antiques this week, again. She also learns about matters of industry and of business, and avidly studied the "INDUSTRIES OF JAPAN" which you sent.

For me it was of great interest and education to learn the important fundamentals of the Japan Industry system. Thank you.

Summer has been an active one for us.

Aug 16 17 18, The National Board of Dir. or SAVE here for Eleanor's hospitality, and meeting about 22 including wives and some families

Aug. 19 105 people from the Washington DC chapter of SAVE for family day outing. 4 bushel crabs, 50 lbs ham, 40 lbs baked beans, 50 tomatoes, 40 cucumbers, fruit pie, kegs and cans of beer etc. Eleanor did it herself, with no outside help. It was great.

Now - Sept 2, 18 from Hitachi arrive at 6 pm for drinks and food and fun. Then from 10 until 3, on the third Carlos Fallon and I will provide a VE program and discussion, with an intermission for one of Eleanor's luncheons. So, you see, because of the kindness of yourselves and your countrymen, we are achieving more and more friendships in Japan.

We think of you folks so often, of the wonderful good times you provided to us, and hope that good happiness is yours.

We much enjoyed the Mushrooms you sent, and everything else. We'll write again soon,

Sincerely,

Larry and Eleanor Miles



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Dear Mr. & Mrs. Miles;

Please excuse the delay in responding to your last letter.

We have heard that the summer weather in Washington was very hot and sultry, but we hope that you are both getting along well as ever.

In Hiroshima, the weather is same too, but we are very well.

I would like to thank you very much for your assistance and cooperation rendered Mr. Kitamura, Assistant General Manager of our Hiroshima Plant, on the occasion of his recent visit to your country as a member of VE Cost Reduction Study World Tour Group - 1973. He seems to have been very much moved by the courtesy shown him by our American friends wherever he went. He has also expressed great satisfaction at the result of the tour.

On 4 - 7th, April we had the sight seeing trip to Nara City that had been the eldest Capital City of Japan. We could visit many famous temples, Cathedrals, Buddhas, and tombs of Emperors and Empresses. It was very interesting.

On the occasion of next your tour to Japan, we will arrange for you to visit Nara City. It will take only half hour to go to Nara from Kyoto by train.

I will send you a magazine "Industries of Japan '73" by another air mail. It is a great pleasure and honor for me if this magazine will be of some use to you.

I hope you will continue to render your Value Analysis assistance and guidance to me.

My wife has request me to convey to you both her warmest personal regards.

Yours sincerely,

Takehiko Tanaka