

This is a marked year in Japan and in mission schools. The long talked of "Treaty Revision" is successfully accomplished; soon after the Japan-China war has begun. Miss Rose comes to help in the school from February. The school is obliged to leave the government buildings which it has occupied, free, for seven and a half years. It receives gifts amounting to 700 Yen; borrowed 500 Yen at 8%, 800 Yen from the Mission, purchases some old buildings and nine hundred tsubo of land, assumes a new name "Hokusei" Jo Gakko or "North Star" Girls' School and enters the purchased buildings, having cut off the Kindergarten department. All these changes together with the war (Mr. Osh[ima] the Kocho has been replaced by Dr. Shinada) naturally would affect the school. A christian [*sic*] school supervised by foreigners.

Names of Pupils in the Academy

Ando Riu
 Aikawa Haru
 Ikuyo Asama
 Iwaya Chika
 Esashika Misawo
 Hikaru Haru
 Hayashi Kaworu
 Kawai Michi
 Kato Aki
 Koga Hatsu
 Koshimizu Chisato
 Kimura Fude
 Katakura Ko
 Majima Hide
 Mikami Rie
 Miura Taka
 Ogawa Tei
 Ogawa Kura
 * For particulars look in the back part of this book.
 Shirano Kiyo
 Shimada Kinu
 Takayama Nawo

Takahashi Chiyo
Takahashi Shizue
Tsuchida Saki
Suzuki Chiyo
Takenouchi Kimi
Taniguchi Matsu
Tanaka Rei
Uyeda Kiyo
Yoshimoto Riu
Yorita Tatsu
Watanabe Miki
Wada Mitsu
Torai Yuki
Torai Kiku
Kumano Tsuya
Tatebi Fuji

Kindergarten (Half a year)

Yokoyama Naka
Yoshida Saburo
Yamamoto Hama
Iwanaga Taka
Esashika Yoshiro
Kato Kei
Kondo Nobu
Uchida Aki
Oshima Joji
Mori Goro
Mori Yei
Matsuura Nobu
Wada Kei
Ono Tatsu

(The Kindergarten Roll Book is lost with four names that I had not yet transferred to the tuition book) [*sic*]

Total attendance in Kindergarten	18
Total “ “ in Academy	37

Total in School 55

[O]f this number 18 are boarders including [t]en supported or helped.

Receipts from school	Yen 364.35
“ “ Mission	“ 830.00
Total for school	Yen 1194.35

This year the school graduated Miss Iwaya and Miss Yoshimoto.