



MRS. PERCY J. VEACH (Anne)
1964—1966

1964

Initiated the Dogwood Project, a reciprocal gift of 150 dogwood trees for the Tidal Basin cherry trees. All U.S. chapters involved.

1965

Spring:

First World Ikebana International Convention—Tokyo.

Tour to Japan—Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Striker, leaders.

February:

First Ikebana Teachers Demonstration, Smithsonian Institution.

September:

Cooperated with Baltimore Study Group in staging a Flower Show in Hochschild-Kohn Department Store.

1966

Fourth North American Regional Conference—Atlanta, Georgia. Masters Kasuya and Tsujii demonstrated. Headmaster Meikof Kasuya, Ichijo School, Demonstration at Smithsonian Institution.



MRS. PAUL E. TODD (Wayne)
1966—1968

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September 15: Tenth Birthday Tea, Diplomatic Rooms, Dept. of State. 158 Ohara teachers from Japan are guests.

1967

Spring Cherry Blossom Festival—Mrs. Louise Geer, Chairman, assisted by Mrs. Pearson and Mrs. Laidlein. Farewell Tea for Madame Takeuchi.

May:

July 2:

Welcomed Madame Shimoda.

June 30:

Mrs. Neese, International President, visits.

June:

Revision of Constitution and By-Laws, Mrs. Paul Barton, Chairman.

September 20:

Champagne Brunch—Mrs. Allen presented gold president's pin to be passed to succeeding presidents.

October 10:

Wafu Teshigahara demonstrated at Chevy Chase Workshop. Mrs. Gerald Braley, Chairman.

November 17:

First Scholarship awarded to Alice May Lively, art student at Georgetown Visitation Convent (\$100.00) and \$100.00 for tickets to performing arts for foreign students at International House.

1968

April 4:

Washington, D.C. Chapter 1, Embassy of Japan and Japan-America Society celebrated Centennial of Meiji Restoration with Flower and Poster Show at National Arboretum.

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Mrs. Neese, International President, visits.

May 2-5:

Fifth North American Regional Conference, Boston. Fourteen members attend.

Assisted in founding chapters in Baltimore, Md. and Richmond, Va.

May:

Newly revised Constitution and By-Laws adopted. All members living more than 50 miles from Washington, D.C. become Members-at-Large.