11. Are the Americans better than the Japanese?

Yes, definitely,

- Did the Japanese not come to give us independence? No, definitely.
- 13. Do you want America to win?
- Yes, definitely, 14. Do you enjoy Nippon-

go? No, definitely.

15. Do you want the Americans to come back? Yes, 'cause I like comics!

- 16. Are you anxious to learn Nippongo so you do not have to use English?
 - No, 'cause I already know English.
- 17. Who is stronger, America or Japan?

 Who else?
- 18. Are you happy when you hear the airplanes every morning?
 - No, they make me wake up so early. What else do you want to know? — H. J. A.

THE ANGER IN PAN'S HEART

Earth wages war against her children, and under he softest touch hides treacherous claws. The cool waters invite us in to drown; the domestic hearth burns up in the hour of sleep, and makes an end of all. Everything is good or bad, helpful or deadly, not in itself, but by its circumstances. . . . And when the universal music has led lovers into the paths of dalliance, confident of Nature's sympathy, suddenly the air shifts into a minor, and death makes a clutch from his ambuscade below the bed of marriage. For death given in a kiss; the dearest kindnesses are fatal; and into this life, where one thing preys upon another, the child too often makes its entrance from the mother's corpse. – Robert Louis Stevenson.