

# Japan

Our first port visit, other than to Subic Bay, was to Sasebo, in southern Japan. The cool spring weather was a welcome change from the tropical temperatures that we had been experiencing for the three previous months. Many of us ate sukiyaki and tempura for the first time, while others tried saki, the Japanese rice wine. The bargains on Japanese cameras, pearls and electronic equipment were too good to pass up in Sasebo. Several tours on the island of Kyushu were arranged, including one to Nagasaki.



Last one sitting up is the winner.



Central Section of Nagasaki.



"Daibutsu" at Kamakura.