

*In the Dōjō in 1969 — Sensei and student* 

years before returning to the *Honbu* in Tokyo.

Author's note: I remember reading a provocative article in a martial arts magazine in the mid-sixties whose headline read, 'America defeats Japan — again!' It was cheap journalism and obviously alluded to Japan's defeat in WW II. It transpired that a Karate tournament had been held which featured a crack Japanese team from main-land Japan. In the final of the team match, they were against a team from America's 50th State — Hawaii, whom to much astonishment won convincingly, causing the Japanese team considerable humiliation.

What the magazine article failed to mention was that all the Americans were of Japanese descent and had in fact been trained by a certain Japanese instructor by the name of *Kanazawa*.

All was clear. Between 1965 and 1968 *Kanazawa* resided in Great Britain before handing over the 'Karate Union of Great Britain' to his colleague *Keinosuke Enoeda*. The next two years he spent in Germany,