

NIGHT SCHOOL EMPHASIZES RESETTLEMENT EDUCATION Japanese Teachers

The entire adult education program will be revamped with emphasis on education for resettlement as a result of the new policies formulated at the conference of superintendents of education of the relocation centers held in Denver, Colorado, disclosed W. C. 'Tom' Sawyer, Rivers' superintendent and acting assistant Project director. Sawyer attended the conference with Dr.

ANALYSIS

Sociologist Heads Section

Greater emphasis has been placed on community analysis by the WRA, as the social analysis section was placed under the Community Services Division and an appointed staff member placed in charge of the section.

To direct the study, similar to the University of California study on evacuation and resettlement, in Gila J.H. Barnett arrived yesterday. Barnett was former professor of sociology at University of Connecticut for seven years. He stated that he is looking for a staff of five assistants.

COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM CHANGES

The United States Army Signal Corps is in Rivers preparing for the revamping of the communications system.

New lines will be put up to replace the temporary make-shift communications system which is being employed at the present time. The new set-up will also serve as a fire alarm for all blocks, which at the present time have no way of notifying the fire department in case of a fire.

George Young, curriculum adviser.

Greater emphasis will be placed on vocational training under the new program. It will serve two main purpose: (1) provide employment skills for evacuees which will aid them in securing jobs out of the center, preferably in critical and essential occupations; and (2) provide workers necessary for the day-to-day operation of the center.

Summer school classes for people of high school level will also be given considerable attention, he stated. No definite program was formulated at the conference but this matter will be left to the Projects to institute. The summer sessions will incorporate three types of training, namely, (1) remedial, (2) recreational, and (3) vocational.

'CAPTAIN FURY'

"Captain Fury," starring Brian Aherne and Victor McLaglen will be shown in Canal tonight and in Butte tomorrow evening.

Colonel Seeks More Linguists

Colonel Kai B. Rasmussen of the Army Language School at Camp Savage, Minnesota made a surprise visit to Rivers yesterday in an effort to survey possible applicants for instructors and translators for the Japanese language.

Colonel Rasmussen stated that there were approximately 50 vacancies for positions at Savage, Michigan and in Cleveland.

The position at Savage is to teach advanced Japanese at the Army language School while the Michigan school is primarily to teach elementary Japanese to Caucasians. In Cleveland, an interesting phase of map translation has been opened to qualified applicants. All those accepted will begin work on May the first. To date more than 70 applications have been filed for these positions which pays upwards of \$2000.

Colonel Rasmussen is interviewing applicants at the personnel recreation hall.

editorial

MANY SUFFER FOR A FEW

Do we want to be able to go out to nearby cities and shop, see shows, and "breathe free air" again?

We do. But some of us have wanted to do so so badly that we neglected to get passes. We have bicycled in, and in some cases we have even "borrowed" Project vehicles to go to Casa Grande, Chandler, etc. Furthermore, we have gone out and become drunk and created a generally unfavourable attitude among residents of the towns.

It has come to the point where passes will not be given to Casa Grande without a very urgent reason, because community sentiment has become pretty rough.

Are we to jeopardize the future leave of the many because a few of us do not conduct ourselves properly? Are we to sacrifice the good-will of the people in Arizona who still believe in us, so that when we do receive passes we will not enjoy a friendly atmosphere?

It's all up to us, as individuals and as a community.

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editorial

LIBERAL DECRIES INJUSTICE

Harry Kingman is a frosh baseball coach at U.C. He is a one-time resident of China. His wife is a chairman of a Fair Plays Committee. Most significantly, Kingman is a liberal, and a believer in true democracy, and consistently with his belief, he is one of a powerful group of Californians who advocate fair play towards the evacuees.

In tune with his spirit is the following letter Kingman sent to a San Francisco newspaper just prior to Madame Chiang Kai Shek's arrival which apparently was waste-basketed:

"Madame Chiang Kai Shek may be expected to appreciate the honors which the Bay Area will soon heap upon her. But I doubt whether the banquets and the encomiums will cause her to forget that if she wishes to occupy a home in a desirable district here our "residential convents" will bar her because she is not white. She will probably remember that she could not, even if she wished, take out American citizenship papers since we term orientals "non-assimilable." At all times, Madame Chiang will doubtless continue to be aware that her countrymen are denied even an insignificant quota under our immigration laws, as a symbol of equal treatment if nothing else; and that in few walks of American life is an Oriental accepted on a par with others.

Having known and admired Madame Chiang years ago in China, I am happy that such homage is to be paid her. But it is my opinion that any assurance that can be given her of our determination to end our discriminations against the Chinese people will probably be appreciated most of all."

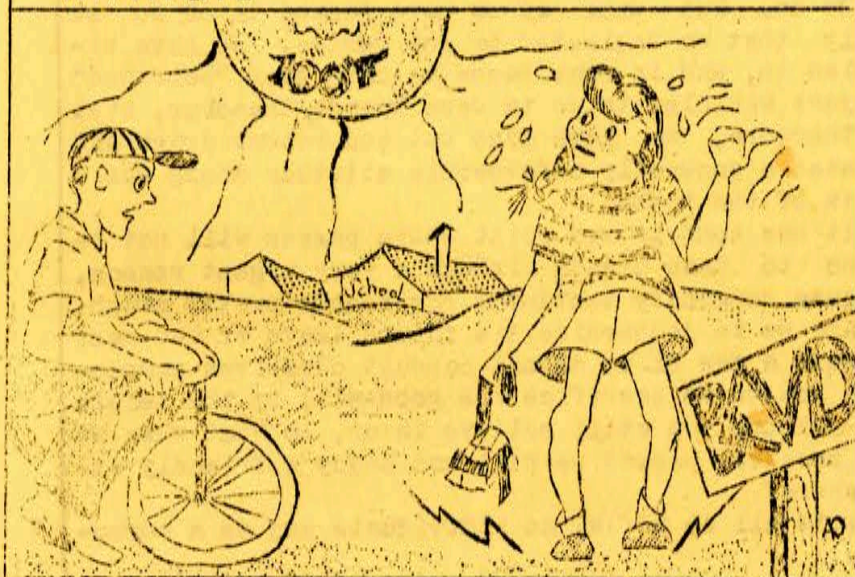
Lookout Usefulness Ended

Looking south from the administration building, a haze of smoke on Wednesday morning appeared to indicate the Butte water tank was on fire. A closer investigation revealed that the historic landmark, the Butte watchtower, had serv-

ed its usefulness and after all scrap lumber had been saved, the remains of the lookout was being burned.

A mysterious fire, whose origin was unknown had been recorded on the same building several weeks prior.

MARGIE



COMING-GOING

DEPARTURES April 12, 13

Imiko June Matsumoto, Lucy Toshi Kadota, Mary Mitsue Hanamoto, Yuriko Nishimaine, Helen Yaeko Sakata, Charles, Eniko and Yoshiko Kikuchi, Tsugi Hamada, Denri Matsumoto, and Hiroko Baba all for Chicago, Ill. to accept employment.

Takeo Tanaka for Winnetka, Ill. to accept employment.

Miye Kojaku for New York, employment.

Violet Kimiko Nakamura for Minneapolis, Minn., employment.

Kiyoshi Takano for Chicago to attend Art Institute of Chicago. (Ah Hem)

Haruko and Bob Ota, Miyo and George Takeshita for Reno, Nevada, employment.

Kazuhita Moses Hagiya, Roy Akio Tateishi, Dick Kamon, Jack Jinichi Nishiwaki, Frank Ryosaburo Yoshihara, Tomoichi Sakaji, Robert Utsunomiya, Jack Yamamoto, George Masayuki Nakayama, George Aso, Yoshinobu Suzuki, Kazuo Kanematsu, Gary Nobuo Yamagami and Takashi Matsumoto all left for Harlem, Montana on seasonal leave.

Yasuko and Masu Takami to Manzanar.

Sgt. Katsumi Wakita returned to Camp Howze, Tex.

Corp. Naoto Kodani and PFC Takao Fukuki returned to Camp Carson, Colorado.

Pvt. Ben T. Yoshida returned to Camp Robinson.

PFC Harry Tsutsumi returned to Ft. Sheridan.

Pvt. H. M. Sumida returned to Ft. Thomas, Ky.

T4 Hideo Takayama returned to Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas.

Sgt. Yo Nagayama returned to Ft. Riley, Kan.

VISITORS April 12

PFC Tsukasa Yasuda from Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.

Corp. William Arai and PFC Kaoru Abe from Camp Grant, Illinois.

Fred Yoshi and Katie Kiyoko Muto from Manzanar on visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Masao Narasaki and Osamu Yumori from Beryl, Utah.

LEAVES April 13

Jiro Oishi for Chicago, Ill. on short term leave.

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Ando Trustee

Mats Ando, Temporary Community Council chairman, has announced that he will take over the duties of the trustee for the camouflage trust fund, following the relocation of Min Omata, and the resignation of Dr. William Furuta.

POSTON CENTER QUARANTINED

The Project director received word yesterday that the Poston Relocation Center had been quarantined because of an epidemic of infantile paralysis.

Five cases of the disease were reported. It was stated that all three units were under quarantine. No one was permitted to leave the colony. Several residents of Poston in Gila now will have to remain here until the quarantine is lifted. There was no indication when this will come.

Many Police Jobs Open

There are several vacancies for police officers in both Butte and Canal Branch of the Internal Security Division, announced W.E. Williamson, director.

All recruits to the Internal Security will be given a thorough and complete course of training in the principles of police administration, criminal investigation, criminal law and evidence, (cont'd. on page 5)

SRC Chairman Extolls SOS

Henry C. Freeland, chairman of the Student Relocation Committee, has recently received many letters of importance in regards to student relocation from the National Japanese American Student Relocation Council and would like to contact the following people concerning same:

May Tanaka, Megumi Narimatsu, Masaharu Inaba, Kazuo Odashima, Kazuo Hayashi, Katsumi Hikido, Harry Tsushima, Roy Toshi-

CALIFORNIA HOPES DIMMED

EVACUEES DENIED RETURN DURING WAR

The Far West "contains too many vital defense installations, essential to the defense of the country, to allow any Japanese on this coast," and "I don't want any of them here," Lt. Gen. John L. DeWitt told a house naval subcommittee Tuesday, according to an AP dispatch in the Arizona Republic dated April 14.

The commanding general of the Western Defense Command and Fourth Army told the congressional committee:

"There is developing a sentiment on the part of certain individuals to get the Japanese back to the coast.

"I am opposing it with every means at my disposal. A Jap's a Jap. They are a dangerous element, whether loyal or not. There is no way to determine whether he is an American citizen, theoretically. He is still a Japanese, and you can't change him."

SENIOR BAZAAR TO BE HELD

Lusty yells to "try your luck" emanating from the throats of ambitious Canal high school students will be heard this coming Saturday and Sunday, April 17 and 18, when they will hold a "Senior Day Bazaar" at mess 13.

On Saturday, the booths will be open to the public from 7 p.m. and will close at 11 p.m. Sunday, the doors will be opened at 2 p.m. till 6 and from 7 p.m. to 10:30. The senior class shall have exclusive rights to establish the profitable pitch penny and bingo concessions.

ma, Hiroshi Goto, Wiley Higuchi, George Hayakawa, Tsugio Hamada, Yaeko H. Sakata, John Masuda, Masato Tsudama, Ira Arashiro, and Paul Goya.

The aforementioned persons are requested to see Freeland as soon as possible.

BENEFIT MOVIE

The Canal high school will sponsor a benefit movie tonight at the outdoor stage. Admission will be five cents. Proceeds of the night will be utilized to cover part of the costs of the school annual, "Rivulet."

FAIR PLAY

GROUP FIGHTS FOR EVACUEES

BERKELEY, CALIF.-A letter sent to members of the California state legislature by the newly formed Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play has been entered into the Assembly Daily Journal, official record of the California Assembly it was revealed this week by the Fair Play committee. In part, the letter said:

"As a West Coast body the Committee recognizes its distinctive obligation for the protection of all (cont'd. on page 5)

Henderson New Placement Man

Newly-arrived Ernest Henderson, former leave officer in Poston has been placed in charge of the important placement office for outside employment of fers under William Huse, employment supervisor.

Henderson's first job is to set-up and organize the placement offices in the two communities.

Church Choir To Perform

To celebrate the Easter season, the Butte Christian Church Choir, under the direction of Ayako Matsumoto, is preparing a program to be presented twice, on Palm Sunday, and Easter Sunday evening.

The first presentation which will supplant the usual Fujinkai meeting, will be on April 18 at Chapel 59, 8 p.m., and issei are especially invited to hear the program at that time. On Easter Sunday night, April 25, the program will be at Chapel 40, 8 p.m.

ENTERPRISE NET EARNINGS TOLD

2 MONTH PERIOD

Net earnings of the Rivers Community Enterprise in January and February amounted to \$26,563.44--15.14% profit out of \$175,503.05 total sales--reported Masato Kato, executive secretary of the Co-op board.

Added to net earnings of the end of 1942, the total net earnings for all business transactions since its inception was \$62,092.03. Operating expenses for the two-month period was \$16,450.38 of which labor was the largest single item at \$7,165.59.

Total expenses of operating beauty, barber, shoe repair, radio, sewing machine, and watch repair shops amounted to \$3,523.51. The barber shops lost \$293.65, which was almost counterbalanced by \$215.48 profit registered by the shoe repair shops.

READING CLUB REGISTRATIONS

The nucleus of the Butte Reading Club is now sought and sign-ups of members are being conducted in the Butte Community Library.

Seniors Hold 'Ditch' Day

Seniors of the Canal High School will be able to fulfill some long cherished ambitions to "blow the lid off" tomorrow when they will hold a topsy-turvy "dress up and ditch" day. Boys will be expected to come adorned in feminine apparel and girls are to manifest their "tomboy" instincts.

An assembly for the entire student body will be held from 9 a.m. at the outdoor stage to determine first, second, and third

NUPTIAL RITES

The Rev. S. Tsufura officiated at a beautiful home wedding uniting Shigenobu Sakahara and Shizue Sunada, Wednesday, April 7, both of Canal.

Beet Office Night Hours

Jack Maynard, recruiting for Great Western Sugar Company in Colorado and Nebraska, announced that he will be at his office 42-13-CC in Butte, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings until 9 p. m., in addition to regular working hours in week days.

Both experienced farm families and single workers are wanted for beet contract and general farm work.

SHOW GUESTS

Hospital workers will be honored guests at the all-out Canal talent show Saturday night from 7:30 p.m. at the outdoor stage. Special feature for the program will be the jump-in' rhythmic Japanese orchestra from Butte.

Girls' League Fashion Show

"Around the clock fashion show," depicting time, shall be the theme of the Butte girls' league fashion show to be held tomorrow morning in Chapel 40.

Pajamas, housecoats, dress for home, cotton dirmdls, pinafore jumpers, t o r s o dresses, suits, shirtmaker dresses, plain suits, blouses, sport, dinner, Friday night and formals will be modeled.

Twenty - three students will model for the showing.

Mary Nakahiro, vice-president shall be commentator and pianists, June Asakura and Susie Tomura.

place winners among the various monstrosities and hags. Judges of the contest will be members of the faculty. Upon dismissal of the assembly, lower classmen will go back to their regular schedule while seniors will go to mess 13 for refreshments and social entertainments.

During afternoon periods, seniors will be privileged to be absent from or "out" classes. A huge picnic is to be held for the expected 100% ditchers.

RIVERS YWCA NOTES: CONFAB

Canal YWCA

With the arrival of three nationally known YWCA leaders in Rivers Saturday from Tucson, an all-day rally will be conducted in Canal Saturday, April 17, under chairman Frances Onoda, in mess 16.

The program outlined for the day is as follows: 10:00 a.m.-12 noon-Open forum; leader-Mari Uchida; National Y Executive Secretary Helen Flack-speaker.

12 noon-1:00 p.m. -luncheon; chmn.-Aiko Nishi.

1:30 p.m. - Canal and Butte Advisory Board Meeting.

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. - Group discussion; leader-Chisako Suda.

4:00 p.m. - Bartlett B. Heard-speaker.

3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.-Tea (invitational); chmn.-Koo Okamoto.

8:00 p.m.-entertainment; emcee-Tazu Kawamoto.

General arrangements-Helen Inai and general chmn.-Frances Onoda.

Butte YWCA

A joint confab of Butte and Canal advisory boards will be held in Canal Saturday with the three national leaders as a part of the Canal YWCA all day rally. Butte residents interested in the Y movement are welcome to attend the rally.

Helen Flack, western regional advisory secretary, will address the Butte working girls at 4 p.m. at 43-2-C. Mrs. B. Heard, member of the YWCA National Board, will talk to the high school girls 10 a.m. at the high school library. Esther Briese-meister, national secretary for the Japanese projects will arrive with the duo.

YW leaders, Ruby Tajima, Annie Fujimoto and Midori Morooka, conferred with the YWCA leaders in Phoenix recently.

OBITUARY

Monday, April 12, Matsumi Kuwano, 43-13-D, 9 days old.

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