

TURLOCK SOCIAL CLUB

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Dear Member

In view of military proclamation #3 we will not have any meeting this coming Sunday. At such time when situation becomes more clarified and when conditions absolutely warrant a meeting, we shall hold a meeting with the approval of the proper officials.

As you know, the Army has set up the Wartime Civilian Control Administration (WCCA) in various localities to help out those affected by the evacuation order. Since we are to be ready for evacuation at any time, they have urged that you take advantage of its services. Your closest office is located at 622 19th St, Merced.

We have been advised that the Farm Security Administration has been set up in Modesto for people of Stanislaus County. Therefore, you are requested to take your FARM problems and report any arrangement to Modesto, and not Merced as previously advised. Mr. Canfield is in charge at Room 5 of Post Office.

The Army is desirous that all Japanese contact the WCCA before making any final arrangements to dispose of their property. The Western Defense Command has warned that forced evacuation orders can be expected almost immediately. In any event, it is better that we be prepared and not have to evacuate than not be ready and have to evacuate.

Your Social Club Hall will have to be taken care of. Suggestions have been made to lease it or to use it as a storage place. Both have its problems, merits and demerits. Kindly let us have your preference by writing with recommendation and the reason for such.

Although it is unlikely that any more evacuees will come into this district with the issuance of military proclamation #4, may you be reminded that the Turlock Police Dept has requested that the newcomers should cooperate by reporting to the Police Dept as soon as they come. Will you cooperate by informing all newcomers.

Let us cheerfully abide by all regulations issued by the Western Defense Command and give our full cooperation in the evacuation program.

Fraternally yours,
Turlock Social Club
H. Swate, pres.