

ANITA FUNITA: PREPARATION FOR GALA 4TH OF JULY FETE RUSHED

Talent Show To Open Funfest

Preparations for Anita Funita, the Center's July 4 celebration, are today being rushed to completion by the Recreation department, the sponsoring group.

The gala funfest opens on Friday evening with impressive ceremonies to be conducted by Al Nozaki, general chairman, in the Grandstand. It will be followed by a star-studded talent show.

Marie Maegawa, professional dancer, and Amy Sato head the list of performers which also includes veteran Hal Shirakawa.

The classical portion of the program will feature George Seno, Ruth Watanabe, Yoshiko Arimatsu, Tomio Seno and Dorothy Takii.

Melodies of the Starlight Serenaders will include vocalizing by Bob Kinoshita and Yoshiko Iwashika. Music will also be furnished by the Surf Riders, popular Hawaiian ensemble.

Chairman Sam Seno promises that the affair will top any talent program previously presented in the Center.

Due to the small sign-up the beard-raising end of the Whiskerino has been canceled but proud possessors of whiskers are to exhibit their growths at the Talent show and six beautiful girls will decide

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TOTAL OF 733 MEN REGISTER IN DRAFT

Male Residents, 18-20, Comply With Selective Service Act

Center registration of 733 men between 18 and 20 years of age under the Selective Service and Training Act was completed last night, it was announced by the draft officials who were in charge.

First Twins Born

"I am very happy," said Ben Kumagai today. His elation is due to the birth of twin girls to his wife, Mrs. Fumiko Kumagai, Monday.

The Kumagai infants are the first twins to be born in the Center.

The father is a timekeeper at the Green mess. The couple live at 52-32-2 and believe that the number "2" agrees with them.

In conjunction with the national registration, the local sign-up was conducted under the supervision of Daniell Scott and Donald K. Gault, secretary and appeal agent, respectively, of Board 190 of Pasadena.

Eighteen members of the Timekeeping section aided in yesterday's registration which lasted from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. at 21 Azucar avenue. Five delinquent Center residents were also registered during the day.

Additional Showers, Laundries To Function as Heaters Arrive

Six additional shower buildings and two more laundries are expected to be ready for use by the end of this week, according to William R. Towle, Utility officer.

Heaters are now being installed for the new facilities, Towle said.

The addition of the new showers will increase the present facilities three times. There are 75 shower heads in each of the six new shower buildings.

The two smaller laundries situated in the east section of the Center will double the present capacity.

Two showers are located on Seabiscuit avenue, one at the west end of Stage-

Dozen Boilermen

Twelve more competent boilermen are needed for the new shower buildings and laundries, said William R. Towle, Utility officer. Qualified persons are asked to apply at the Utility office.

hand avenue, one on the east end of Whirlaway avenue, one at the east end of He Did avenue and one at the north end of 3 street.

NEW VISITING DAYS CALENDAR REVEALED

Residents must apply for permits to see visitors five days in advance at the Information office, it was reported today by Guy E. Wilkinson, Personnel Relations officer.

JULY						
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THUR	FRI	SAT
			1 IV	2 V	3 VI	4 VII
5 I	6 II	7 III	8 IV	9 V	10 VI	11 VII
12 I	13 II	14 III	15 IV	16 V	17 VI	18 VII
19 I	20 II	21 III	22 IV	23 V	24 VI	25 VII
26 I	27 II	28 III	29 IV	30 V	31 VI	

A duplicate permit must be mailed by the resident to the expected visitor who cannot enter the new Visitors' house without it.

The visiting days for each district for the month of July are listed in the adjoining column.

Residents will not be granted special permits under any circumstances, Wilkinson emphasized.

Three Scouts Conduct Daily Flag-Raising, Lowering

Daily flag-raising and lowering ceremonies high atop the main entrance of the Grandstand building are conducted by three of the Center's Boy Scouts.

The flag is raised at 6:05 a.m. and is lowered at 5:15 p.m. by Teddy Nishimura and Herbert Yomugida,

tenderfoot scouts, as bugler Roy Nishimura, second class, blows "To the Colors."

The Scouts ask Center residents who are walking to and from the Grandstand when the flag is being lowered, to observe these rules:

1. Stop.

2. Stand at attention.
3. Remove your hat.
4. Do not talk.

"Please wait until the flag is down before you go on your way," the Scouts ask. "Two minutes is all it takes to show your respect for the flag of your country."--by Fred Yamamoto.

BOY SCOUTS PRESENTED PROMOTION RATINGS

Tenderfoot and second class ratings were awarded to the Center's scouts at Investiture ceremonies last night.

Those who received their second class ratings were Minoru Tonai and Akira Takeyama of Troop 27.

Scouts winning tenderfoot ratings:

Troop 20--Kenneth Miura, Thomas Kikuchi.

Troop 27--Manabu Minami, Kazuo Yoshida, Akira Takeyama, George Okubo, Mitsuo Watanabe, Minoru Tonai, Yoshio Kawai, Koson Kuroda.

Troop 30--George Imokawa, Jimmie Fukumoto.

Troop 37--Tosh Sakamoto, Maremaro Shibuya.

Troop 40--Hideo Magara, Tamotsu Nakagawa, Edward Yorichika, Phillip Horimoto.

Troop 45--Kiyoshi Akai, Tohru Takai, Edward Yasaki, Nobuo Yasaki, Walter Oi, Yoneo Matsubara, Fred Ida, Kenneth Yasaki, Joe Toda, Tsutomu Akiyama, Lawrence Yamamoto, Sadao Itano, Sam Ichikawa, Akira Amano, Yuji Kobayashi, Kenji Matsuda, Paul Ozawa, Shigeru Kono, Hideo Watanabe, Clarence Ichikawa, Akira Sugita, Michio Iwata, Yoshio Yokota, Kenneth Ichikawa, James Kubota, Sam Takechi.

Troop 60--Herbert Takeuchi, Katashi Shiroishi.

Troop 79--Ichiro Kamei, Ben Tani.

DR. JONES WILL SPEAK

Dr. E. Stanley Jones, Christian leader, will address the weekly prayer meeting of the English-Speaking Federated Protestants' meeting tomorrow, 6:30 p.m., at the Grandstand.

This will be his only appearance at Santa Anita and the public is invited to attend.

Dr. Jones has served as a missionary in India for more than 30 years, and has written "Christ of the Indian Road," and many other books. He, together with Dr. Toyohiko Kagawa and Dr. Albert Schweitzer, is rated as one of the world's outstanding Christian leaders.

During the past National Christian Mission, Dr. Jones spoke to capacity audiences in every major city in the United States.

Dr. Frank Herron Smith will greet the guest and the choir will sing a special number. Others who will participate in the program are the Rev. Don Toriumi, the Rev. John Yamazaki, the Rev. Lester Suzuki, Masao Satow and Mrs. Kazuye Nieda.

We'll Grow 'Em and Eat 'Em

Center-grown vegetables will be on the bill of fare in a couple of weeks. At least, there'll be radishes by that time and the other vegetables will be coming along a little later.

Under the supervision of Lynn Thomas, approximately 30 workers are handling the agricultural project in the track in-

field.

Begun two weeks ago, planting has been completed on 3/4 acre of radishes, 1 1/4 acres of carrots, 1 acre of beets and 1 1/2 acres of Chinese lettuce and romaine.

Nine acres are now being prepared for the planting of spinach, according to Utility Officer William R. Towle.

Hollywood Girls Hold Get-Together

An informal get-together for Hollywood girls and their friends was held Monday at the home of Hatsuko and Emiko Watanabe, 13-2 Stagehand avenue.

Present were Hatsuko Watanabe, Emiko Watanabe, Mrs. Shizue Watanabe, Suzanne

Okizaki, Peggy Furukawa, Mary Samonji, Rosie Nomachi, Yosiko Tokuhisa, Toshiko Fukuda, Miyuki Aoyama, Harue Kashiwagi, Yaeko Sato, Mari Ikebuchi, Alice Iwatani, Sumi Yakura, Miki Yakura, Hiroko Yata, Tomiko Aoyama.

GRADUATES REGISTER

Candidates for graduation who did not receive their diplomas Friday are to register before tomorrow 3 p.m. in the Recreation hall, the registrar stated today.

GIRLS HEAR KODAMA

Yoshio Kodama was guest speaker at the meeting of the Beta Skylarks Monday.

Kodama, boys' club director, spoke on "Boy and Girl Relationships." A discussion followed.

SEVEN ACES ELECTION

Members of the Seven Aces cabinet are Eugene Mitamura and Takeshi Shishima.

Mitamura is president of the club, which is for boys of 12 through 15 years of age, and Shishima serves as treasurer.

Royal Spartans See Magic

Johnny Kato's feats of magic and Bob Kuwahara's talk on animation featured a meeting of the Royal Spartan club recently.

Feminine FORUM

By
Asami Kawachi

Close to one baby a day has been the birth rate at the Center hospital. "What now, little fellow?" you may ask.

A check-up with Dr. Norman Kobayashi revealed that a birth is recorded on a standard birth certificate with Arcadia as the birthplace.

The certificate then passes through the Los Angeles Health department, from whence it goes to the Bureau of Vital Statistics. The document, testifying to American citizenship of the infant, is placed in the hands of its parents before its discharge from the hospital.

Males have a slight lead in the births so far. Of the 58 babies born as we go to press, 33 are boys and 25 are girls.

We are proud to reveal that there have been no cases of infant or maternal mortality. Even a caesarean operation was performed because of acute emergency conditions beyond the normal.

The delivery was made by Dr. Tom Abe, assisted by others on the staff. Both mother and child are doing well at this writing.

The fiftieth child was born at the Center hospital last Tuesday. Named Akiko, she is the third child of Mr. and Mrs. Taketaro Enomoto. Mr. Enomoto is an issei and his wife is a nisei, both from San Diego.

NEW TICKET SYSTEM HAILED AS SUCCESS

Both workers and patrons are pleased with the new ticket system now being used at the White mess, the Mess committee revealed today.

Under the experimental plan, the waiting crowd is cleared in less than 10 minutes and the third group is assured of the same food which has been served to the others.

The schedule for those with No. 1 tickets is breakfast 6:30 a.m., lunch 11:30 a.m. and dinner 4:30 p.m.; No. 2 is at 7 a.m., 12 noon, and 5 p.m., with No. 3 at 7:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m. and 5:30 p.m.

A set of rules to clarify questions which have arisen was also released

by the committee:

1. Tickets will be rotated every two weeks.

2. Loss of tickets are to be reported to the Information section of the Government house.

3. Those wishing to take food to ill persons must have the invalid's ticket marked by the servers at steam tables rather than by door checkers.

4. Waitresses will give second helpings, which may not be the same as the original entree, to assure following groups of the main dish.

5. Old, disabled and infirm persons will be allowed to enter the mess hall through separate entrances.

--by Anna Sakaizawa.

Scouts Set Up Camp Grounds

A plot of ground west of the main track will be used for camp grounds, it was announced by the Boy Scouts today.

Scouts from various Center troops have cut down the hay, built dams and

cleaned out the creek, under the direction of James Ikeda.

This week the area will be divided for the Center's troops, and will be used for camp-outs, scout officials announced.

YANKS PICK LEADERS

Keiichi Ikeda is the new leader of the Hollywood Yanks, boys' club functioning under the Recreation department.

Assisting Ikeda are the following officers: Bill Okano, vice president, and Isamu Ito, secretary-treasurer.

HEADS NAMED BY VIKINGS

The Vikings, Recreation department club for boys from 11 to 13 years of age, recently chose Paul Ozawa as their president.

Other officers of the Vikings are Tom Sashihara, vice president; Jiro Nagao, secretary, and Benjamin Abe, sergeant-at-arms.

Aeroneers Chosen as Club Name

"Aeroneers" is the name chosen by the former Nestor Junior baseball team. The organization is headed by President Ken Nishi and Ad-

viser John Yamamoto.

Last week five new members were initiated into the club with "tests of endurance."

Former Studio Artist Now Supervises Art Classes

Bob Kuwahara, who has won renown for his work in the animation departments of the Disney and MGM studios, is supervisor of art classes in the Santa Anita center.

Kuwahara got his start as cartoonist for the Poly Optimist, a Los Angeles high school newspaper. He attended the Otis Art in-

stitute then went to New York where he did portrait work for well-known book publishers.

Upon his return to Los Angeles, Kuwahara was employed by Walt Disney and later by MGM. His work played an important part in the production of "Snow White" and "Bambi."

The nisei artist believes

that his art classes will give residents a chance for self-expression. "Art is not only cultural, but practical as well," he said. "It is a natural part of our existence."

His classes are held on Mondays and Wednesdays at Handicraft Haven, 36 Equipoise avenue. -- by Miyuki Aoyama.

ANITA FUNITA EVENTS

FRIDAY MORNING

Time	Event	Place
9:30	Handicraft show.	E-36, D-32

FRIDAY EVENING

7:00	Opening ceremonies	Grandstand
7:30	Talent show.	Grandstand

SATURDAY MORNING

7:00	Model plane contest.	Anita Chiquita
9:00	Girls softball	Anita Chiquita
9:00	Girls volleyball	Anita Chiquita
9:00	Boys softball.	Anita Chiquita
9:00	Baby parade.	Recreation hall
9:30	Handicraft show.	E-36, D-32

SATURDAY AFTERNOON

1:00	Scout demonstration.	Grandstand
1:00	Badminton.	Recreation hall
1:00	Issei activities	Recreation hall
1:30	Track meet	Anita Chiquita
1:30	Mens baseball.	Anita Chiquita
2:00	Minor sports	Grandstand
2:30	Folk dancing	Recreation hall

SATURDAY EVENING

6:00	Sumo	Anita Chiquita
6:00	Mens softball.	Anita Chiquita
7:00	Dance contests	Grandstand
7:00	Issei program.	Recreation hall
8:00	Dance.	Grandstand

Songfest Canceled

The community sing which was scheduled for this evening has been canceled, it was reported today by Taizo Saito, community activities director.

Monday's sing for the younger group was a great success, Saito reported, thanks to the youthful enthusiasm of the crowd.

Albert and Harold Keimi, Hisa Hananouchi, Alice Hiji, Akira Kashiki and Yukio Miyamoto performed. Henry Suzukida, Tiger Matsumoto, and Jimmy Nakamura led the songs, and Margaret Yokota, Mary Tawara and Clara Suski were accompanists.

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Masuda, a boy, June 27.

To Mr. and Mrs. George Hirata, a girl, June 27.

To Mr. and Mrs. Koniji Mori, a girl, June 28.

To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Yoshida, a girl, June 28.

To Mr. and Mrs. Ben T. Kumagai, twin girls, June 29.

Work Rushed on Anita Funita

(Continued from page 1) which are the bushiest, scraggiest and best trimmed.

Demonstrations of creative skills as well as the finished products will be exhibited at the two-day handicraft show which jumps the gun on other events, as it opens 9 a.m. Friday at 36 Equipoise avenue and 32 Discovery avenue.

Tak Itami, Bob Kuwahara and Mrs. Sumi Kashiwagi are taking entries at the Boys club offices in the Recreation hall.

Toshisada Abe is in charge of the issei program which, together with the dance, will climax the Funita, Saturday evening.

Dances, instrumental and vocal solos will feature the issei event.

A jitterbug and a waltz contest will highlight the dance, staged by Taizo Saito. Rugbutter will stage their competition beginning at 6:30 p.m., and the waltzers will begin an hour later.

(News of athletic events are on the sports page.)

FOUR TOP TEAMS MIX IN OLD TIMERS CONTESTS

The Old Timers league is due for a drastic shake-up tomorrow night as the four top teams mix in two games scheduled tonight.

Post Office and Nine Old Men tangle on diamond 3, while the Invincibles and Firemen collide in the diamond 4 game.

ILL, ELDERLY TO GET HOME

Convalescent and elderly single men will be transferred to a new rest home near the White mess when the auditing of the Center's population is completed, according to the director of the Social service division.

The home will be under the direct supervision of the Medical and Social divisions and Capt. Masuo Kitaji of the Salvation Army, who proposed the plan, will act as administrator.

The washing and daily care of disabled men will be done by volunteer workers. Arrangements have been made with the Housing division to transport the workers to the laundry.

The rest home will be administered by the following groups:

Linen supplies and physical well-being, Medical service, Dr. Norman Kobayashi; selection and discharge, Social Welfare, Margaret Fujita; mental well-being, Spiritual committee, the Rev. John M. Yamazaki and Noboru Ishitani; tray service, Mess division; periodical inspections, Public Health and Center medical staffs.

Nakamura? It's My Name, Too!

Speaking of common names, there seems to be an epidemic of Nakamuras within this Center -- 77 families with the affliction. The frequency of Yamamotos is almost as great, with 66 families. Following not very far behind are the Tanakas, Matsumuras and Kimuras.

Incidentally, have you ever heard of an Xicotencatl? Well, that's a name, too, and the only one in the "X" file.

The shortest name, we noticed, is Ok, and the longest, Nishibayashi. Can anyone do better -- or worse? Anyway, the Center files carry literally every name from A to Z -- Abe to Zoriki, and thank goodness, yours truly's happens but once. -- by Betty Kana-meishi.

SHUGO SENO WINS TITLE

Shugo Seno and Mrs. Mary Yuba today held the Center ping pong singles championships after brilliant victories in the finals of the tournament Sunday.

After losing the first game 15-21, Seno out-drove Yuki Tabuchi 21-15, 21-14 and 21-18 to win the men's crown.

Mrs. Yuba came from behind to take Martha Katow 15-21, 21-17 and 21-11 in the women's finals.

Semi-finalists in the men's singles were Seno, Tabuchi, Frank Inouye and J. H. Nozawa; in the women's singles were Mrs. Yuba, Martha Katow, Toshi Nagata and Alice Okamoto.

The tournament, the first of its kind at the Center, drew 51 men entrants and 14 women.

UNBEATEN B TEAMS CLASH FOR CROWN

Huskies Tackle San Francisco

Two teams which haven't lost a game since the Twilight league opened last month meet for the Santa Anita B softball championship this evening 5 o'clock at the Anita Chiquita field.

Representing the American league is San Francisco, the team which edged out Border Cities Sunday to get into the finals.

Their opponents are the Hollywood Huskies who won their way through the National league.

It will be Joe Yamagata on the mound for the Frisco team with Shin Kojimoto behind the plate. Yamagata, who pitched five-hit ball



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against Border Cities, also drove in the winning run with a clean single.

The Huskies will use Yutaka Shimbo, tricky left-hander, in the box. George Ishitani will handle the catching chores.

Probable line-ups:

HOLLYWOOD	FRISCO
ss Soda	Tomiooka 3b
1b Sugano	Yaki of
3b Nakaba	T. Murakami 2b
1f J. Nomura	K. Murakami ss
c Ishitani	Ishikawa 1f
of H. Nomura	Kojimoto c
rf Iseri	Kitano rf
2b Aochi	Kinoshita 1b
p Shimbo	Yamagata p

After trailing the Border Cities squad for most of the game, the San Franciscans came from behind in the final inning to win on Sunday. The final score was 7-6.

Old Timers Standings

	W	L	Pct.
Post Office	5	1	.833
Nine Old Men	5	1	.833
Invincibles	4	1	.800
Firemen	4	1	.800
Anita Oldsters	2	4	.333
Personnel	1	5	.167
King's Row	1	5	.167
Hollywood Stars	1	5	.167

Sixth round scores:

Nine Old Men	2, Oldsters	0
Post Office	11, Hollywood Stars	2
King's Row	7, Personnel	6

MURAKAMI, KAWADA TIE FOR FIRST IN BATTING

Shig Murakami, Lil Giant lead-off man, moved into a tie for first in the Twilight A softball batting race which ended last week.

Murakami tied for the top spot with Koo Kawada, hard-hitting San Pedro catcher, who held top honors for the past two weeks.

The final standings as

released by the Recreation department today:

	GP	AB	H	Aver.
S. Murakami (LG)	7	22	10	.455
K. Kawada (SP)	7	22	10	.455
M. Iwashika (LG)	6	25	11	.440
E. Oi (S)	8	19	8	.421
K. Okura (SP)	7	22	9	.409
S. Ando (H)	7	20	8	.400
E. Yamamoto (J)	6	10	4	.400
T. Kobayashi (J)	9	23	9	.391
J. Suski (LG)	7	23	9	.391
P. Yamamoto (J)	7	18	7	.389
T. Mukaihata (J)	8	17	6	.353
T. Okamoto (SP)	6	17	6	.353
D. Kunishima (LG)	7	23	8	.348
S. Nakamura (W)	5	9	3	.333
T. Arata (F)	7	26	8	.320
F. Omatsu (SM)	9	32	10	.313
A. Takeshita (F)	7	16	5	.313
T. Yamaguchi (SM)	6	16	5	.313
Y. Nakamoto (F)	9	29	9	.310
K. Omokawa (W)	9	26	8	.308

Managers Meet

ROSTER CALL

Managers of all A and B Twilight softball teams desiring to enter the second round must bring their rosters to the meeting tonight at 7:30 in the Recreation office.

SPORTS TO AUGMENT ANITA FUNITA

Outstanding Center athletes will do their stuff in athletic events of the July 4 Anita Funita.

Fem softball and volleyball and boys softball stars take the limelight on Saturday. An all-opponent team meets the Falconettes, A girls champs and 16 teams vie in an elimination volleyball event.

All-star teams selected by coaches meet in the junior boys softball exhibition.

tion. The line-ups:

MORNING	AFTERNOON
N. Otsuka p	T. Takata
T. Segawa c	K. Eji
T. Nakaoka 1b	B. Mori
F. Nakamura 2b	B. Toyoda
F. Segawa 3b	T. Terasawa
G. Yamasaki ss	K. Ikeda
B. Sakurai lf	K. Ito
L. Nakawaki of	F. Kurakusu
Y. Shimada rf	S. Kurakane

A baseball game and track meet at Anita Chiquita and minor sports in the Recreation hall and Grandstand

will round out the afternoon.

A sumo tournament and exhibition softball game between the A champion Falcons and an all-star team will be held at 6 p.m.

The all stars are Shiro Mizufuka, Frank Takahashi, Dick Kunishima, Shig Fukuyama, Min Iwashika, Charlie Iwashita, Babe Nomura, Joe Suski, Tak Kobayashi, Shig Murakami, Mits Fukuyama, Koo Kawada and Frank Omatsu.

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Editorial

Education Leads to Finer Future

The commencement exercises last week in which some three hundred young students received their diplomas from junior colleges, high schools and grammar schools, are indicative of the basic differences between the policies of assembly centers in America and those concentration camps such as Dachau in fascist countries.

This thought was expressed in the greeting of J. G. Goodsell, principal of one of the schools which was represented by some twenty graduates:

"You are receiving your diplomas of graduation from high school today under conditions never known before in the history of this country. Let us hope that such conditions will never need be repeated.

"This is commencement week and each of you should remember what that means. Graduation is only the beginning of a more useful and a happier life.....Abraham Lincoln...in his Second Inaugural Address...said: 'Let us strive on to finish the work we are in; to bind up the nation's wounds...to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace among ourselves and all nations.'"

Dishwashers Harmonize at Work

The source of the music which competes thrice daily with the clatter of dishes and silverware in the Yellow mess is the glee club of the hard-working dish washers.

Star attraction of the impromptu male choral group is Junji Kumamoto, their soloist. Junji has the best voice and is considered the hardest worker.

The repertoire of the

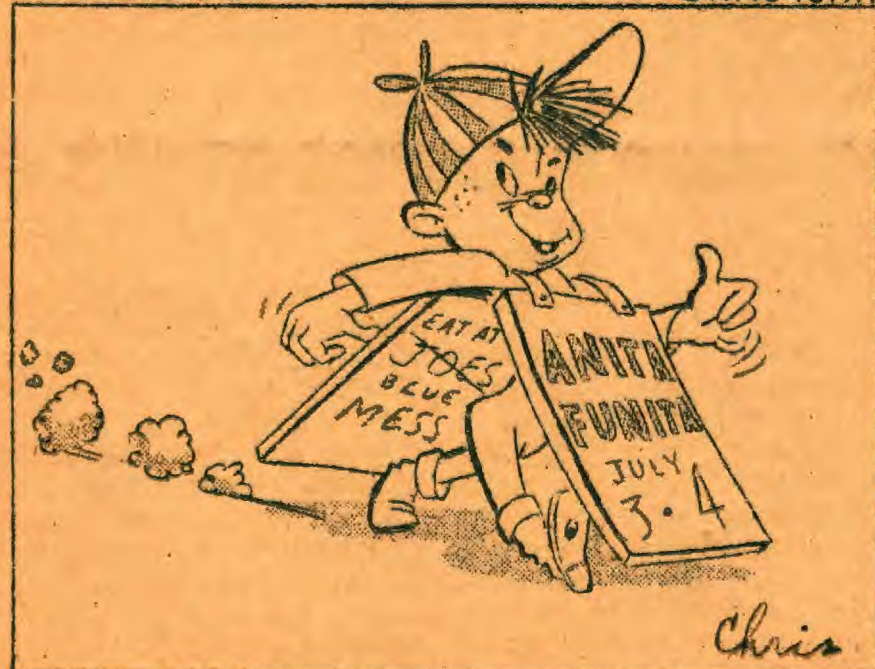
glee club is varied. One boy starts singing a song, any song, and they all join in.

Singing seems to keep the boys on the job and to make the work go faster, according to Stanley Uno, head of the crew.

Every Wednesday evening all the boys get together and attend the community sing en masse. -- by Betty Kanameishi.

Lil Neebo

Chris Ishii



Credit goes to the El Joaquin, publication of the Stockton assembly center, for turning out the neatest sheet of the week, using a two-color ink job. It misses the PACEMAKER rating, however, for announcing a month late that it is a semi-weekly paper.

Perhaps they reasoned that, if not topical, it was still news.

Welcome to our column

We see that a J.Y. Kumagai, a Santa Anita resident, was listed in last Sunday's Los Angeles Times chess section as a solver of some of their problems.

We hope that when he buys some books on the game, (the Times says: the Game of Chess, \$2.50; Chess the Easy Way, \$2.50, plus 15 cents postage), he'll bring them around.

Misspelling

And the Poly annual, J.H.F. Polytechnic, L.A., shows the PACEMAKER legman, Hiro Ito, with his face in the mud sliding across the goal-line with Poly's lone touchdown against Marshall in last season's football game.

We're sorry that we are not able to say that the man with his face in the mud spells his name with an additional H.

Crowing pains

It comes to our attention now that the last number of the PACEMAKER was the 21st. We might have had a coming-of-age party, it occurs to us, but on second thought, maybe it was a far better thing we did in not having one.

We never did get used to morning-after hangovers.

Bright sayings

And Nance Nomura reports that when Hugh Tatara, auxiliary policeman, was walking around barefoot on a recent hot day, a child said to his mother, "Mommy, some policeman sure take their flatfoot job seriously, don't they?"

Well, don't forget, we didn't ask you to believe this...and it was a very hot day.