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NISEI CHALLENGE LEGALITY OF WEST COAST EXCLUSION

Three American citizens of Japanese descent challenged constitutionality of army orders excluding them from the west coast with a superior court injunction suit naming Maj. Gen. Charles H. Bonesteel, western defense command head, as a defendant.

The suit, which is sponsored by the American Civil Liberties Union, was filed in the names of Shizuko Shiramizu of Poston, whose husband won the Purple Heart for wounds received fighting in Italy; Masaru Baba of Reno, Nev., honorably discharged from the US Army in March, 1942; and Dr. George Ochikubo of Topaz, Utah, who said he offered his services to the army dental corps two days after Pearl Harbor.

The suit contends that military authorities have no legal power to enforce exclusion orders without recourse to the courts and adds that whatever military danger existed on the West Coast when the exclusion orders were issued no longer exists.

REPORT ON NEW YORK CITY MADE BY RELOCATION OFFICER CARTER

Back in the center from a month's stay in New York City, where he studied relocation possibilities there, Corlies Carter, assistant relocation program officer, made the following detailed report of his recent trip:

The most outstanding impression received during my stay in New York is the attitude of the people toward evacuees. During the time there I telephoned about 250 potential employ-

ARMY CALLS 30 RESIDENTS FOR INDUCTION THURSDAY

Thirty more Topaz selective service registrants have been notified to report for induction on next

NEW HOURS FOR CLINICS GIVEN

New clinic hours will be observed beginning next week, it was announced today by Dr. Douglas Collier, chief medical officer. The general medical clinic will be open on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday morning from 9 o'clock. Registration will be held from 9 to 10 AM.

The special injection clinic will be on Tuesday morning from 9 o'clock and on Thursday morning, the well-baby clinic. Expectant mothers and skin disease patients should go to the clinic on Friday mornings.

Except in emergency cases, Dr. Collier requested that all patients come to the clinic between 9 and 10 AM on the given days. The clinic will be open to residents in the afternoon only by special appointment.

ors at random taking their names from the telephone directory and from the classified ad sections of newspapers. All of them, without a question, were willing to employ evacuees, whether issei or nisei although some required a knowledge of English. About half of them volunteered their expression that they felt that it was their responsibility to assist Japanese Americans in getting reacquainted to normal life again. This attitude so well illustrated the lack of discrimination that exists on the East Coast that I felt it

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Thursday at Fort Douglas. Nineteen men who are in the enlisted reserve corp left today to report for active duty.

Processing has been completed for induction for the following persons:

Henry Fujimoto; Sunao and Toshio Furusho, Roy Higashino, Sakae Hayashi, George Hashimoto, Iwao Hashiguchi, Akira Horiuchi, Rocky Hiroshi Kimura, Seikio Milton Kanzaki,

Suye Morikawa, Masaki-chi John Matsuzaki, Shozo Mayeda, Tomio John Miyoshi, Howard Minamoto, John Saburo Nakayama, Harry Nakamura, Taihei Obayashi, Kenzi Ohara, Shuji Obayashi, Alfred Sawahata, Hideo Bob Sasaki, William Shinichi Suyeyasu, Taneo Sugiyama,

Masamichi Tan, Hideo Taketa, Tatsuo Tominaga; Kazuo Wada, Kenji Yamane, Takashi Yoshida.

Five other persons who are working in Delta have been notified to report for induction. It was stated that these men will report pending clarification of their requests for deferment. They are Tad Fujita, George Kitani, Kazuo Kuruma, Frank Matsui, and Tatsumi Tajima.

THREATENED TULEANS GIVEN PROTECTION

TULE LAKE--A group of Japanese at the Tule Lake camp were removed from the general residential center Thursday to protect them against threatened injury.

War relocation authority officials, investigating the knifing of Yazo Hitomi last Sunday, disclosed that a number of residents had received threatening messages.

The protective measures were taken as Yoshio Miyagawa, a Japanese alien, was sentenced on a charge of selling hand-made knives to camp residents.

WEATHER	Max.	Min.
Wednesday.....	94°	54°
Thursday.....	86°	51°
Friday.....	96°	48°

PHILA. HOSTEL SHELTERS 61 FROM 7 CENTERS IN JUNE

Sixty-one persons from seven relocation centers found a temporary home at the Philadelphia Hostel during the month of June, according to Victor Goertzel, hostel director. The distribution was as follows: Poston, 38; Heart Mt., 8; Topaz, 7; Jerome, 5; Gila, Minidoka and Rohwer, one each. In addition 12 persons not from centers made use of the hostel facilities.

The group included 5 families with young children. Four families left the hostel during June to homes in the city or in Philadelphia's suburbs. The fifth family arrived June 27 and moved to a suburban home July 2. Many of the young girls who came out soon after high school graduation have left for the seashore or mountain resorts with Philadelphia families who welcomed them as domestic help. Other girls have taken clerical jobs in combination with room and board jobs which provide housing and food. The young men set up housekeeping in furnished apartments.

In order to avoid the end of the month rush, persons intending to relocate to Philadelphia this summer should come as soon after the "Fourth" as possible stated Goertzel.

LOST: An old white-gold wrist watch set with four oblong blue-black stones and two small round diamonds. If found, return to block manager of 38.

MISS OMURA WEDS IKUYA KURITA

Wearing a traditional white satin wedding gown, Miss Nobuko Omura became the bride of Ikuya Kurita at a ceremony held at the Catholic Church Saturday night. Father Stoecke officiated.

The bride, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Senji Omura, 19-5-E, is a former resident of Oakland. Her husband, also from Oakland, is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Hidekichi Kurita, 20-4-A.

The couple left Monday to make their home in Salt Lake City.

HOSP. VISITING HOURS TO BE HELD DAILY

Effective Monday, hospital visiting hours will be held daily, according to Dr. Douglas Collier, chief medical officer. Visiting hours will be held on week days from 7 to 8 PM and on Sundays from 3 to 4:30 PM.

Only 2 persons will be permitted to visit a patient at one time. Exceptions to this rule will be made in special cases when requested in writing by a medical staff member.

GUEST SPEAKER

Rev. Sohei Kowta of the Poston relocation center will speak at the Young People's Service tomorrow in dining hall 32 from 10 AM. Rev. Kowta is the former minister of the SF Reformed Church.

JOB OPENINGS PLENTIFUL IN NYC

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well worth repeating.

Jobs are plentiful in New York. Typists, clerks, secretaries, etc., can obtain positions at will. Mechanics, laborers, etc., can obtain employment as easily. Professional people, such as lawyers, accountants, architects, have considerable difficulty finding employment at salaries commensurate with their training or experience. To such people who are interested in going to New York City, it is better for them to be prepared to take positions paying \$120 to \$150 a month while searching for places which will pay them higher salaries.

It is evident that relocators find advantages in going to New York without job commitments when leaving the center so that they will have a choice of positions.

New York City has not developed much in the way of war-time industry and as a result the wages are not as high as they are in such cities as Cleveland, Detroit, and Chicago. On the other hand, since its economy is not based upon the war the stability of the industry is much greater. There is much more opportunity for permanent resettlement and entering into the normal life of the city. When I say the wages are not as high as they are in some of the war boom cities, I do not mean to imply that they are insufficient for living purposes. Although the salaries are not as high as some of the boom cities, they are more than adequate for living in decent circumstances in New York.

So far as housing is concerned single rooms are easy to obtain at moderate rates. Apartments and houses for families are difficult to find but can be obtained by dint of individual effort and through the help of the WRA and other interested agencies.

SUNDAY CHURCH SERVICES

SERVICE	SPEAKER	PLACE	TIME
BUDHIST			
Sunday School	Rev. Sanada	Church	9:00 AM
Junior YBA	Rev. Motoyoshi	Rec 8	9:00 AM
YP Service	Rev. Kashima	Church	10:15 AM
CATHOLIC			
Mass	Father Stoecke	Rec 28	8:00 AM
Sunday School	Father Stoecke	Rec 28	2:00 PM
PROTESTANT			
Holy Communion		Church	8:00 AM
Sunday School		Recs 5, 23, 27, DH 32	8:45 AM
YP Service	Rev. Kowta	Church	10:00 AM

THIRTY HEART MT. TRIAL INDEFINITE TO BE EVADERS SENT TO GRANTED ONLY IN CENTER LEAVENWORTH

CHEYENNE, Wyo.--Thirty of the 63 Japanese American residents of the Heart Mountain relocation center convicted last week on charges of draft evasion, were en route to Leavenworth, Kan., Tuesday in a specially constructed bullet-proof department of Justice bus.

The remaining 33 were scheduled to go to McNeil Island federal prison near Tacoma, Wash. All 63 were sentenced to three years each by US District Judge T. Blake Kennedy.

Appeals Filed By Ht.Mt. Youths

CHEYENNE, Wyo.--Attorneys for 63 Heart Mt. Japanese Americans sentenced to 3 years' imprisonment for failure to report for preinduction examinations have filed notices of appeal in US District Ct.

The notices stated that each defendant had been deprived of his rights as a citizen by "being confined in a relocation center and restrained of his liberty without due process of law and in violation of the Constitution of the US."

Seasonal and short-term leave may not be converted to trial period indefinite leave, according to regulations.

WORKERS' CHILDREN PROVIDED SCHOOL

CHICAGO, Ill.--Women with younger children seeking employment are offered an unique opportunity by the Hotel Shoreland in Chicago which has recently set up a free play school for employees' children. The school is located in the hotel and women employed as maids or in other capacities, working on the shift from 8 AM to 4 PM, can leave their young children in this competently supervised play school throughout the working day.

Supervised indoor and outdoor recreation and rest periods are adapted to the age of the children. A warm luncheon and afternoon snack are served to the children.

Maid work pays \$83.20 a month plus tips; uniforms are furnished and laundered by the hotel. Seamstresses and laundresses are also wanted. No experience is required.

sions of the WRA leave regulations.

"It is expected that residents of the relocation centers will make increasing use of trial period indefinite leave rather than short-term leave," the Washington office of WRA pointed out, "since it gives the evacuees a four to six months' period to make a permanent adjustment in a new community and permits them to return to the center if such an attempt is unsuccessful."

"Trial period indefinite leave, however, may be issued only at the center, and evacuees out on seasonal and short-term leave will not be granted permission to transfer to trial period indefinite leave."

Additional revisions of leave regulations at this time provide that: 1) each person 18 years of age or over, plus those who became 17 before May 17, 1944, must execute a separate Trial Period Agreement in applying for trial period indefinite leave; 2) an evacuee who is converting to indefinite leave from short-term, seasonal or trial period indefinite leave, who is otherwise eligible for a grant, and who has paid his own travel expense to the community in which he is resettled, may be reimbursed for his actual travel expense including Federal tax on his ticket; and 3) travel of evacuees on indefinite leave may now be authorized to points of relocation outside the continental limits of the United States.

DR SPROUL SPEAKS AT MEETING OF CAP DENOUNCES VIOLATION OF CONSTITUTION

Whenever constitutional guarantees are violated in the treatment of a minority, "no matter how unpopular or helpless," the whole fabric of American Government is weakened, its whole effectiveness impaired, Dr. Robert Gordon Sproul declared last week at a meeting in Los Angeles of the Committee of American Principles and Fair Play.

The president of the University of California told the committee, of which he is honorary chairman, that it was not formed "to protect, much less coddle or glorify, the Japanese, but to champion and help to safeguard American democracy."

Dr. Sproul said that when the army decided to

evacuate the Japanese from the West Coast, the organization raised no objections. "But the committee continues to combat the idea now being advanced, that evacuation is proof of disloyalty."

"There is no basis whatever in any available evidence for such an inference, and there is abundant testimony in the acts of Japanese Americans and the words of other loyal Americans to the contrary. Moreover, the committee now contends that, since the Army ordered the evacuation, on grounds of military necessity, the Army should likewise decide when the process is to be reversed, and the evacuees allowed to recover gradually their civil rights."



INSIDE COLUMBIA

MIGHTY MITES

Since the kids were 13 years of age and under, it was not an uncommon sight to see a very determined player step up to the plate swinging a bat that was taller than he, and to the amazement of all, he would actually hit the ball!!



NICE WORK

We take our hats off to Motoichi Yanagi, the 'guy behind the PeeWee league who has very conscientiously taken care of all the details in starting the loop. His main purpose, and we all wholeheartedly agree, is to build up the bodies of the youngsters in camp as well as provide some activity for them during the summer.

GOLF TOURNEY

The only other sport which is going on at present besides the PeeWee league seems to be golf. Over the week end, an 18-hole tourney was held in which K. Ichimaru took high honors with a 71 score. Looking back over the previous tourneys, we noticed that this is the first time his name appeared in the final results. Also noticeable was H. Ogami, usually the winner of other tourneys but third in Sunday's match.



RALLY IN FOURTH FAVORS BLOCKS 28-31 IN 24-17 TILT

PREVIEW

CONTESTS SLATED.
TONIGHT, MONDAY

Fresh from their victories in the opening games, block 37 will cross bats with the blocks 7-13 squad tonight on diamond 26 to see which of the two teams will suffer its first defeat. Both tens won their openers with nearly identical scores.

On diamond 30, the combined blocks of 29-30 are slated to tangle with blocks 22-23 this evening. The former team has one win to its credit while #22-23 was downed in its initial encounter.

Monday night's schedule will find the once-beaten "Fighting T's" of blocks 30-31 facing the combined #28-31 sluggers who emerged victorious from their opener. #15 diamond will feature a scramble between two of the vanquished teams from the first game, block 16 vs 36.

A rally in the upper half of the fourth frame pulled the combined team of #28-31 out of the hole into the lead ahead of block 16 and from there on they continued their barrage of scores to clinch their victory by a 24 to 17 count Thursday evening on diamond 30.

Block 16 barged to the fore in the initial inning with a two-run advantage, 7-5 and continued holding its lead until the fourth canto when the victors brought home 5 tallies. After that, #28-31 chalked up 10 more counters in the following and 1 in the sixth to completely outshadow its opponent.

Jimmy Hashimoto, winners' third sacker, batted high with 3 for 4. Others hitting high were G. Nomura, C. Yoshiyama, F. Asano, K. Kawaguchi and K. Miura.

SUMMARIES

BLK. 28-31..512 5 01 X--24

Hits..101 5 42 X--13

BLK. 16.....713 0 23 1--17

Hits..113 0 12 1-- 9

Rules And Regulations Clarified At Meeting; Age Limit Discussed

Rules and regulations regarding the PeeWee softball league were clarified at the managers' meeting held Wednesday evening at DH 32. Motoichi Yanagi presided.

The most important subject discussed was the age limit of the players in the league. It was definitely stated that if a player on any team is found to be over the age of 13, the team on which he is playing will have to automatically forfeit the game. If a person in a block which has a team wishes to play for another block, he must first obtain permission from his block team manager. A player will be eligible to compete in the PeeWee loop un-

til he reaches his 14th birthday, it was stated.

Instead of shortening the distance between the bases, it was decided to utilize the regulation diamond.

A standard system for marking score sheets was also explained to the managers.

PEEWEE SKIED

TONIGHT

TEAM	<u>SCORE</u>	PLACE
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Block 37 vs 7-13 #26

Block 29-30 vs 22-23 #30

MONDAY

Block 10-3 vs 28-31 #26

Block 16 vs 36 #15

(Games start at 6:30;
home team mentioned
first)



日米人問題を論ず

（最近発行のミルラー・キーンジャーナル紙に説く）
市民の虐待と云ふ
題で日米人問題を論じたる一文を左に訳載す。

真珠湾爆撃後人心
混乱の最中吾等米國
人は約拾萬万人の日
系人を駆り集めて幾
多の収容所に抛り込
んで終つた。而かも彼
等の三分の二は此國生
れの市民である。とし
てその大部分は今尚
は数ヶ所のセンターに
収容されてゐるが、本
年三月迄に只一萬九千
人位しか開放されて
外部に再轉住してゐ
ないとのことである
としてWRA當局とし
ては本年一杯にまだ

二万人位は外部各
地に再轉住せしめら
れらるゝものと豫期し
てゐる由である。
ケネディの特別
隔離センターには米
國に對し明かに不
忠誠なる分子が収
容されてゐるのだ
から彼等は問題外
として其他の九ヶ
所のセンターに於てパ
ールバー事件後三
ヶ年を経た今日尚
は五萬人の日系人
が収容されてゐる
有様である。
之は實に米國の
耻辱である。我ら米
國民たる者自己を
欺く事を止めて宜
しく事の真相と認
識し日米人の撤退
抑留なるものを実
際には彼等の軍

事探偵又は破壊的行
動は基因する處の真
に理由ある恐怖心から
行はれたものではな
くして、その裡面には
米國人の日系人に対
する人種的偏見が蟄
まつてゐて、それが本
當の原因を成してゐ
るといふ事を明白し
た方が寧ろ善いこと
ではあるまいか。今日
になつて過去の経路
を省みれば事は、然
として明かである。
一九四二年十二月七日
の真珠湾事件以前
に於て其以後に於て
本土に於ても布哇に
ても破壊的陰謀や軍
事探偵行動の爲に
て有罪と認められた
る日系人は唯の一人
に角全部を根拠に
して終つた。
茲に於て我らが爲
すべき事は現在如何
にすべきかの問題であ
る。若し過去に於て我
らが行つた事に誤謬あり

とせば尚更吾々は同
問題の適切な解決
を急ぐべきである。
我が國が過去より
たる政策を是正し
る第一歩として我らは
總ての日系市民を各
轉住所から解放して
普通の米國社會に適
當なる生活の出来さ
を許さねばなら
ないのである。
周知の如く日系兵
士らはウサコンジンの
訓練され戦線に送ら
れ伊太利のキャシノ
に於ける最も猛烈
なる戦闘振りに依
て彼らの米國に對する
忠誠と市民としての
價值を十分に發揮
したのである。去る招
魂祭の日のホルル
の新開紙には布哇出
身部隊の戦死の名
前が一面に掲載され
てゐたが其全部で二
四〇名の中一六三名は

間違ひなく日本人の名
前であつた。即ち是ら
日系人らは米國の爲め
に身命を捧げたので
ある。而して右のホ
ル紙は一人の同僚記者
に依て送られたもので
あるが彼はその新聞
紙を送るに當り「この
新聞紙は米本土に於
て日本人の名の附く者
は片端から排斥せん
とするヒステリー性」
の偏狹者共に對しては
最も適切な回答であ
る」と附言して居る。
我ら米國人たる者
須らく正實でなければ
ならぬ。此日系人
問題には確かに人種的
偏見が纏綿してゐる
事實を我々は正視す
べきである。實際に於
て加州の農業家連は
日本人農園家の成切
を妬んで彼等を放逐
することを希圖し
て居たのである。而し
て又忠誠なる日系市
民を受け入れることを

拒む他の地方の社會
も矢張り人種偏見は戰
時ヒステリーに動か
れてゐるのである。今
方に我らが此事態を
正解して直ちに其是
正に取り掛るべき秋であ
る。

死忠通知

夫望月新藏事長
は病氣治療中の廢
業石効なく昨七日午
前六時半死去致し
ました。就いては此致
辱知諸氏迄不取
敢御通知致しま
す。
尚は葬儀に就ては
日取決定次第御報
知申上げます。
廿七ニール
望月はつ
遺族一同

1. Milwaukee
Journal dis-
cusses on eva-
cues.
2. Death.

明日の世界と

佛教

人類史上未嘗有の今次世界大戦は思ふに旧き世界より新しい世界への陣痛である。人類の受くる此の痛みは大きい。

今や地軸は大きく揺れ歴史の車輪は軋めきの音高く立てつゝ、大きくカーカしつゝある。冬来りなは春遠からじやがて来る新しい世界を待望しつゝ、今日の苦難に耐えよう。

二

来るべき明日の世界、産み出されんとする新しい世界、打立てらるべき新秩序の世界は如何なる様相を持つてあらうか又持たすべきであうか。

最近米田副大統領ワイルス氏曰く

僱傭とか殖民地とか云ふものは時代おくれだ。よろしく積極的進歩主義に立たなければならぬ云々」と。
 此の言葉の裡に明日のこの世界の卿者なき聞えてくる。搾取なく壓迫なく、奴隷なく恐怖なき自由と独立と平和と幸福に輝く大无量壽樂の所謂「佛所遊復天下和順國豐民安兵戈無用」の世界有る相通じ各々其の處を得、事の出来る共榮の世界でなければならぬ。これ四海兄弟主義、親鸞の同朋同行主義の具現である。

三、

一宗教として丈でなく文化の凡ゆる領域を包蔵し、哲學的、科學的

由と常劫の平和と幸福を實現せしめる佛教を普遍受當な真理の基礎に立つて宇宙社会人生の实相を示し行くべき最高の理想とその実践への道を教へる佛教、而も亦極めて單純化された信仰の道に依つて救済の教義を説く佛教、これ等佛教の持つ世界的性格は確に新世界建設の上に寄與する所大なるものあるべく、明日の世界建設の精神的素材として欠ぐべからざるものたる事を信ずるのである。

四

而して思ふ。此の明日の世界は一体誰が築くのであるか、人類の運命を左右するものは人類を置いて外

ある
先づ私個人の生活を
佛教的に立直し、眞の
佛教徒となることに
依つて此の新しい世界
建設の一礎石とならう
ではないか。人佛教徒
が正しく佛道を歩む
時世界は二十億分の
一佛教的になる筈だ。
今世紀に生れ、此の素
晴らしい時代に呼吸す
る我等、此の輝かしい
日の世界の歴史への一
役割を果す光榮と
喜悅を荷はうではないか
米國独立祭の日、眞田生

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集會案内

基督教會

日曜學子校 午前時五十分
レク五廿三三七四二食堂

集會案內

基督教會

曜臨子校 午前八時四五分
五廿三廿七廿二食堂

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道德的乃至藝術的界にない。新しい理想の世
求き満足せしめる大衆が拱手傍觀の中にす
体系をなす佛教人類の一人々々の責務を
の生活に究極の意義を億の一人々々の責務を
與へ精神の絶對的自あり一人々々が礎石で

禮拜

禮拜	司會	傳道集會
午前十時	佐野教師	午後七時半
		司會 佐野教師

佛教會

七月九日 日曜 スケジュール
一日曜 學校 午前九時
佛教會堂

司會者石

法 講 眞田監教授
一ツニヤ一佛青 午前九時
第ハツホル

去活本

佛青サビス午前十時五分
司会者 杉山繁樹氏
去 始 鹿島開教使

二 一般サービス

司會者黒川松三氏
説教岡山開教使

キヤソリック教會

レツク二十八
日曜日
ニサ聖祭
午前八時
七月九日

曰蓮宗教會

第百區レクホール
ルレーキ遭難犠牲者
故人見八百藏氏

追悼会

来る七月八日土曜
午後七時半
日曜行事

豐年

法華經講座
說教

杉山開教師

生長の家相愛會
集會 毎水曜日午後七

時半よりレックス

に於て開催す。

第四十三回

健康と聖書

結婚

元リッヂモンドの前田ゆう
子夫人の末女エルシー嬢
は、去る六月廿七日フイルモ

1. Message.
2. Church schedule
3. Lecture.
4. Marriage.

アに於て、ヘンリッ・フチー
本田君と結婚した。附
添人は相原みち子遠
藤のり子両嬢であつた
同夜前田家にて披露
のりセ・アションが持たれ
たりと、尚新夫婦はユク
リッ・フチー・ファイルドにホームを
構へたる由。