

Absentees: Messrs. Yonemura, Kimoto, Oka, Nakashima, and Kumai.

Minutes of December 7 meeting were read and approved without correction.

Following Communications were reviewed:

To the Council from Mr. Guy Robertson, in appreciation of the Council's communication during his period of convalescence.

To the Council from Mr. J. K. Corbett, Acting Superintendent of Education, on school age children who need special instruction: Names and addresses of such children who need special instruction should be turned in to his office.

Following reports were made by councilmen:

Mr. Nagumo on the Election Committee for the election of Block 17 councilman following resignation of Mr. Motoyoshi reported that reinstatement of Mr. Motoyoshi was requested by residents of Block 17. Since the term of office will have three-fourths expired on December 26, 1943, the Council unanimously reappointed Mr. Motoyoshi as councilman from that block as of same date as mentioned hereabove. Mr. Motoyoshi verbally retracted his resignation.

Mr. Nakaki of the Relocation Committee made a report on cash grant to relocatees. A sample copy of the application for relocation grant was submitted for the Council's reference.

Mr. Masunaga informed of emergency calls to be connected in case of fire danger and shortage of circuit. During the day time, Engineering Dept., should be called while at night, Fire Department or Internal Security office should be notified.

Today's discussion was directed mainly on health problems.

Mr. Yokoi proposed that such persons with venereal diseases, tuberculosis, and other contagious diseases should not be allowed to work in such projects where food is handled as the mess hall, commissary, etc. The Legal Committee was assigned to draft an ordinance with a provision of 30-day notice before termination of such persons who come under above categories. The Health and Sanitation Committee was asked to report on ambulance service system, function and duties of Dr. Irwin and Dr. Robins with respect to evacuee patients, function of public health nurse and nurse's aide. Also issuance of sick leave certificate be handled by the public health nurse was proposed and passed.

A provision under the Council of an arbitration committee was mentioned by Mr. Nakaki. The Legal Committee was referred to this matter.

Amendment of the criminal code, § 6 and 7 was moved, seconded and passed to provide that any persons present at the gambling place shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor. The Legal Committee to draft amendment.

Meeting was adjourned at 11:40 AM.

Next meeting: December 14, at 9:30 AM.