

Absentee: Block 24

Minutes of May 26 and May 31 were approved as read.

COMMUNICATION REVIEWED: Letter from Topaz Community Government on approval of our suggestion to exchange minutes, and inclosure of their minutes from April 3 to May 22; memos from M.O. Anderson on graveling of roads and unsmooth places between the barracks, on assignment of another stenographer, and the copies of memos sent to Mr. V.J. Ryan on Community Council use of franking privilege and to Mr. D. Todd on janitorial services for Recreation Halls; from Mr. K. Suzuki on the butter served to Amache residents.

1. Mr. Hayashida made the following reports pertaining to the inductees. The reason for the truck transporting the inductees was that the bus was not available for service on that day. The Selective Service Board only provide transportation to and from Powell to the induction center, and he advised the Councilmen to inform draftees on returning home to call the Administration for their transportation from Powell. In regard to the allowance of cash grants to the inductees as accorded to other relocatees, he stated that a written request was made.
2. Mr. Oshio of Agriculture Committee reported the need of another processing room or a barrack for "tsukemono" because there will be approximately 150 tons of produces to be processed as compared to 80 tons for the last year. Since that particular warehouse is now under the supervision of Commissary, the Food Committee was asked to negotiate with Mr. Saunders.
3. Mr. Nagumo explained that an interested group is carrying on the study of "Sashihara plan". Mr. Saito's motion made at previous meeting to disband a committee within the Community Council to study this plan was unanimously approved. Mr. Nagumo added that anyone interested in this plan is welcomed to their meetings.
4. A program similar to the one welcoming the Aule Lakeans will be planned by Community Activities for the Jerome Transferees who will arrive here on June 15, at 1:45 p.m., Mr. Katagi announced.
5. The negotiation with the Jerome Center to have its optical instruments transferred to the Heart Mountain Center has already been made by the Hospital Division on May 9, and the others needed to service residents may be obtained, Mr. Takahashi of Sanitation Committee announced.
6. Regarding the privately-owned optical instruments now used for servicing the residents, the amount of \$5.00 a month is paid by the Community Enterprises, Mr. Iwasaki reported.
7. In regard to the memo received from Mr. Robertson on the butter served to the Granada residents, the Council received the letter from Mr. K. Suzuki, verifying the statement made by Mr. Hayashida at the meeting with Mr. Robertson on May 24. The Council approved to send the copy of this letter to Mr. Robertson.
8. The chairman requested the Food Committee to continue their negotiation with the commissary to have ic. dtea served to the residents.
9. It was decided that the requisitions for the installation of faucets at the north and south sides of mess halls for convenience in case of fire and the other uses, for the cleaning powder for the laundry tubs, soaps, and other materials from the Administration shall be left to the managers. Mr. Katagi stated that all physical matters should be left to the Managers unless they ask for our assistances.
10. The Labor Committee was asked to investigate the possibility of receiving the overtime in cash instead of in compensatory time because a problem has arisen in the mess where some workers are threatening to take vacation if anyone can't be found to replace them.
11. The Sanitation Committee was asked to investigate the causes of prevalent sickness among the residents.
12. Mr. Tonooka explained that there are about 1,200 to 1,700 tofus manufactured nightly enabling the messes to serve fresh tofus on the day following, however, the amount is not sufficient to serve all messes at once and therefore, uniform menu for the whole center is not possible.
13. The Education and Agenda Committees were asked to study other means to obtain funds for the police uniforms and scholarship fund.

Meeting adjourned at 11:30 a.m.