

## SPECIAL CHRISTMAS FUND DRIVE ON DECEMBER 3-5

A special Christmas fund raising campaign will be held in each block from December 3 to 5. This was decided at a meeting of all block managers, Francis X. Chujo and James Ross, assistant chief of community service.

The quota for each block is set at \$35, the money to be used for the purchase of candies and decorations.

Called specifically to discuss the coming Community Christmas celebration, the meeting of block managers was held in Rec. 34, Wednesday, November 25.

The money collected will be turned over to the Rev. Hayashi.

Block managers are slated to discuss the plans of the celebration with the residents, and are to appoint block commissions.

These commissions will work with the Executive Christmas commission and will organize the residents for the party.

## PRESERVE RIGHTS, ACT NOW--YASUI

Advocates Cooperation With Govt.

### Co-op Ready To File Papers Of Incorporation

After more than two months of discussion during which the Co-op's temporary Board of Directors considered all phases of organization, Yoshio Urakawa, Board spokesman, announced that the "Articles of Incorporation" for Consumers' Enterprises will be presented for approval to representatives next Friday evening.

If ratified by the representatives of the people the "Articles of Incorporation" will be forwarded to Washington for final approval, Urakawa indicated.

The spokesman said the place where the meeting will be held will be announced at a later date.

Determined to carry his case to the highest court of the land, and confident of eventual success in the final outcome, Minoru Yasui, in a Thanksgiving Day note to The Irrigator received today, urged that, through collective effort, nisei in evacuation centers take due and proper procedures for the "formal reservation of your fundamental rights and liberties as American citizens."

Writing from a prison cell, alone, without bitterness or rancor, Yasui recalled that he had advocated and "shall continue to advocate that you people in evacuation centers give your complete and fullest cooperation to all practical and physical phases of relocation, in order that you might most effectively contribute to the national policies of the United States, thereby winning for yourself the esteem and the respect of the civilian and military authorities in charge of the evacuation program and further the gratitude and appreciation of the American people."

For weeks prior to his departure from Hunt, Yasui had been assisting in the legal preparation of the proposed charter of self-government for this colony.

To the non-citizen issei, Yasui's Thanksgiving Day note remarked that "regardless of your inherent and natural feeling for your native land, America is your adopted country, which has bountifully provided for you and your children. For the sake of your American sons and

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## Free Movies Scheduled For Hunt School Children, Mon.

All high school students and grade school pupils will be admitted to free shows beginning next Monday, John Essene, associate sup't. of Consumers' Enterprises, announced today.

The schools are cooperating by distributing tickets and will assign the students to the pictures.

It was explained that the schedule for showings to school children will be based upon a ticket system with various colored tickets being issued for each

night's showing. Pupils will be able to attend pictures in accordance with each grade and their places of residence.

Yellow tickets will be issued to pupils in the first to sixth grades inclusive attending the B.M. 10 school for Monday night's showing.

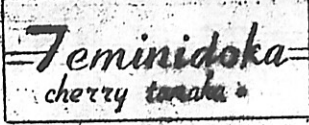
Adults, Essene said, will be admitted to the second showing only and will be charged 10 cents admission fee. Pre-school children will be admitted free.

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Mini and I were knitting. She pulled one and then dropped a stitch. While struggling with it she said, You know, now that Thanksgiving's over and December's crowding us, we'll be thinking of Christmas soon.  
Yes, but with no gifts, no trees, no nothin', what's there to look forward to? I replied bitterly.  
Don't be pessimistic... even if we can't buy presents for our friends we can always use our ingenuity to make lovely and clever gifts.  
For instance?  
For instance...keeping the head dry, the ears, the hands, and the feet warm are musts in this kind of weather. Why not take some extra yardage and make a korchiof for your friends? Fringe it, embroider colorful designs or names of friends, or tie on tassels of left over yarn. Why not knit cute little mittens for sis with that yarn you're going to have left from that ski sweater? Why not give brother some warm hand-knitted wool socks? How about those doilies you've been crocheting--no one I know would refuse a gift like that.  
I didn't say anything--- in fact I couldn't get a word in edgewise.  
As for the little tots-- she continued getting warmed up to her subject--little stuffed animals, wooden toys--a trailer wagon to hitch on their toy trucks, button dolls, lollipop dolls, rag dolls, and oh, there's just all sorts of things you can do if you'd only take the time to think about it.  
I was beginning to get excited too...and Mini's talk had set me thinking--gee, I wouldn't mind having a little stuffed doggie to put on my bed myself...Now let's see, I could make a korchiof for Mary and rag doll for Sacham and..... OT

## Sunday CHURCH PROGRAM

### MORNING CHURCH SCHOOL

Nursery, Beginners, Primary, Juniors and Intermediates meet at their original places to be assigned to new classrooms.

Blocks 1-19 will meet at 9:30 a.m.

Blocks 21-42 will meet at 9 a.m. Please note change in time.

The High School groups from Blk. 1-19 will meet in Rec. Hall 7 at 9:30 a.m.

College Age and Young Adult groups from Blk. 1-19 will meet in Rec. Hall 8 from 9:30 a.m.

The High school groups and Young Adult class from Blk. 21-42 will meet in Rec. Hall 34 at 9:30 a.m.

### MORNING ENGLISH SERVICE

Blks. 1-19 10:45 a.m.  
Rec. Hall 8 "Jesus and Your Personality"  
Rev. E.W. Thompson

Blks. 21-42 10:15 a.m.  
Rec. Hall 34 "What Is God Doing?"  
Rev. Tsutomu Fukuyama

### ISSEI SERVICES

Blks. 1-19 10:30 a.m.  
Rec. Hall 2 Rev. T. Sakuma  
Rec. Hall 16 Rev. G. Shoji  
Blks. 21-42 10:15 a.m.  
Rec. Hall 22 Rev. F. Hayashi  
Rec. Hall 40 Rev. N. Kodaira

### EVENING FELLOWSHIP HOUR 7 p.m.

Rec. Hall 8 Guest Speaker: Rev. J. Cain, Buhl Fellowship with Buhl Young People  
Rec. Hall 34 Guest Speaker: Rev. Parrot, Rupert Fellowship with Rupert Young People  
"Worship, Fellowship, Inspiration."

### UNITED BUDDHIST CHURCH--SUNDAY MEETINGS

Sunday Schools--  
Rec. Hall 4 9-9:30 a.m. Rev. T. Torokawa  
Rec. Hall 29 9-10 a.m. Rev. Y. Arakawa  
Rec. Hall 36 9-10 a.m. Rev. G. Kimura

Young People's Devotional--  
Rec. Hall 4 9:30-10 a.m. Rev. T. Torokawa  
Rec. Hall 36 10-11 a.m. Rev. Y. Arakawa

Rev. G. Kimura  
Adults' Meeting  
Rec. Hall 4 1:30-2:30 p.m. Rev. T. Torokawa  
Rec. Hall 29 2:00-3:00 p.m. Rev. Y. Arakawa  
Rec. Hall 36 2:00-3:00 p.m. Rev. G. Kimura

# Busy As Beavers As Hunt's Six-Men Shoe Repair Shop

One of the busiest and over-burdened group of people on the project are the six shoe repair men in Bldg. 12-11 who, day after day see accumulating on their shelves, hundreds of pairs of shoes which must be repaired if the people of Hunt can slosh through the mud and water of this center.

Amid the whirring of the finishing machine, the banging of the ever-busy hammers and the ringing bell of the cash register, two clerks make out shoe repair claim tags, placate impatient customers, smooth out the ragged tempers of the rushed shoe repair men and in general create harmony in that busy little shop.

Approximately 50 pairs

## PAT SHITAMA ELECTED G.R. PRESIDENT

Pat Shitama was elected president of Hunt's Girl Reserves at a meeting held Tuesday. Others who were elected to executive posts were as follows:

Hideko Kumagai, vice-president; Yuriko Kanda, Sec-treasurer; Takako Nagai, historian; Tomi Koba, inter-club rep.; Aiko Kasuguma, publicity.

It was announced that meetings would be held at 6:30 p.m. every Tuesday in Rec. 4 and all girls in Sections I and II interested in the organization were invited to attend the meeting.

of scuffed-up, muddy shoes are brought into the shop daily.

On the sagging shelves more than 400 pairs of shoes are waiting to be repaired.

"We are doing our best to serve the people on the project, and in spite of frequent interruptions that hamper our efficiency, we are managing to do as much as is humanly possible," H. Ichihara, manager of the shop, said.

## UNCLAIMED MAIL

### UNCLAIMED LETTERS:

Senichi Uyetake, Mrs. Kiwa Kato, Alice T. Tani, N. Ishibashi (Port.), Tom T. Sakamoto (Id. #15203-Port.) Kiyotaka Chmura, Yasuo Soga, June Kitamura, S. Yakuki (all of Port.), U. Sugihara, Gerald Watanabe, Kazuo Fujii, Ann Waka, Hiroshi Fujita, Hiroshi Morimizu, Fumiko Ito (Port.), Pacific Corp. Inv. Co., (Seattle), Zenkichi Fujino, Jane Kawamoto, Harry Iwata, T. Yamagishi, Joan Yoshimura, Miyo Kamihira and Tom Mio.

### MAGAZINES:

Tetsuo Okano, Mrs R. Aoki, R. Hayashi, Henry Nagae, Nagao Ninomiya, Ben Kurochiyo, Mrs Masayoshi Nakao, Frank Yoshino, Kay and Tom Mio, George Kamiya, all of N. Port.; K. Yoshida (A-3-58), Miyo Kamihira, and Tokiko Akiyama.

## PERMIT NEEDED FOR ALTERATION OF BUILDINGS

Colonists planning alterations to their living quarters were told this week by Senior Engineer Joseph P. Bacca that all building alterations and additions should not be made unless permission has first been obtained from Harry L. Stafford, project director, through the public works division.

Bacca said the ruling applies to Caucasians living within the center as well as to the colonists themselves.

## Drama Club To Put On One-Act Plays

Production by the drama club of one-act plays, in addition to the Christmas puppet show, is being contemplated by members, Robert Coombs, club adviser, indicated this week.

Coombs said the club is presently concentrating on the study of voice and diction with emphasis being placed on clear enunciation.

Some work is being done on the art of poetry reading and new speech sounds will be studied each week, Coombs declared.

The organization's next meeting will be held from 6:30 p.m. Wednesday at 23-5-E & F.

## Vital Statistics

### DEATH

SHINODA, Mrs. Shika, 54, 7-4-F, November 24.

NEXT WEEK \* \* \* \*



Deanna DURBIN

"IT STARTED WITH EVE"

with Charles LAUGHTON Bob CUMMINGS

## Issei Advised To Lend Assistance Toward Adopted Land To Utmost

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daughters, for the sake of your posterity, give your unstinting support and loyalty to your adopted land...."

Yasui's letter also noted: "Thus far, our government, the United States, has been solicitous of the physical welfare and decent comfort of the evacuees. Everything possible under the present

war-time circumstances is being done to preserve the human decency of the evacuee.

"For this and for the manifold blessings that come from living in these United States, instead of in some fascist nation with which we are at war, there must be given a full measure of thanksgiving and heartfelt gratitude."

