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# **Graduation Impressive** As 85 Receive Diplomas

#### FIRST GRADUATING CLASS IN FORMAL ACADEMIC CAPS, GOWNS

Erect and proud, dressed in the formal academic caps and gowns, the 85 members of the first graduating class of the Manzanar High School received their diplomas before a packed audience of smiling parents and friends at the commencement exercise held Sunday evening at mess hall I.

mencement exercise held Su Congratulating the graduates, the faculty and the parents for the splendid cooperation which made this first graduation exercise possible, Project Director Ralph P. Merritt, evinced the hope "that these young men and women will go out and show the rest of the world the commendable spirit and courage which they have shown as representatives of the majority of the people here."

"The hope or the future for peace, understanding and good-will toward fellowmen rests on the shoulders of stich as these young men and women," Merritt said. He told the parents that there was no need for them to sit back spiritless when they could rest their hopes on such young stalwarts.

Despite the overwhelming tragedy of the evacuation, the heartbreaks and misunderstandings of the past, there is still much left to fight for, Merritt said. The future is what counts. The conomic and political life of today requires a broad tolerance, he declared, which needs a greater understanding of all world conditions.

Takening the hardships of the

Likening the hardships of the young evacuees to that undergone by George Washington in his learly days. Merritt said that the "father of his country" also had mental and physical conflicts. George Washington, he said, lost his father when he was but 12 years of age. Although without lunds he determined to get an education. At 16 years of age he was employed as surveyor for Lord Fairfax. With the Revolutionary War Washington also had (Continued on Page 2)

#### JUDO RESUMED AT NEW DOJO

Daily Judo practice has been resumed at the newly completed Judo Dojo situated by Block 10 since last Monday. To give all those who failed to register during the last registration. No definite schedule for daily classes has been outlined as yet. All those who have registered already may practice every night between the hours of 7 and 8 o'clock.

Registration to enroll in the classes is open again at the Yudansha-kai office in Block 14. It must be understood that no person will be permitted to practice Judo unless he is registered. All old students who have registered prior to the building of the new Dojo must re-register. They will not be required to pay a registration fee. Only new students who are registering for the first time are required to pay a nominal fee of 75c.

#### Repatriation Issue Clouded by Rumors Merritt Declares

Many persons who indicated "no" to Question No. 28 had been misguided, Project Director Merritt told the assemblage at the graduation exercises Sunday night, by various rumors including the one that Japan is promising to secure indemnity for them from the United States after the war. He expressed the wish that all residents would become aware of these facts.

aware of these facts.
When America and Japan fought on the same side in the last World War, they did not collect money from Germany. Japan will not collect indemnity this time either. No country ever has offer after a war.

after a war.

While some 300 signed repatriation papers here last year only six were asked by the Japanese government to be exchanged with Americans being held by Nipon. Three parties are concerned in this procedure: the person requesting repatriation, the American government which must

questing repatriation, the American government which must agree to permit the repatriate to leave, and the Japanese government which must accept him.

Because of the severe wartime limitations on facilities for these exchanges, the Japanese government is naturally most careful in the list of those asked for. To date these lists have prominently shown only names of alien Japanese in America with influence in Japan or names of some of the in Japan or names of some of the most prominent pro-American group among the nisei. Nowhere on these lists are the names of those who have been disloyal to America.

#### **Exciting War Story** Picture to Show

The center is in for an exciting

The center is in for an exciting film treat starting Frieday.
"Eagle Squadron" is an adventurous war story with the setting in England. The cast includs such notables as Dianna Barrymore, Robert Stack and Jon Hall. Stack portrays a young American flyer who discovers what courage really means. Dianna Barrymore, is ly means. Dianna Barrymore is superb in her cast as a brave British nurse.

The schedule for the showings

The schedule for the showings with the first block as locale: Fri., Mar. 12—Blks. 17 and 23. Sat., Mar. 13—Blks. 22 and 16. Sun., Mar. 14—Blks. 15 and 21. Mon., Mar. 15—Blks. 20 and 14. Tues., Mar. 16—Blks. 13 and 19. Wed., Mar. 17—Blks. 8 and 2. Thurs., Mar. 18—Blks. 9 and 3.

## NEW LEAVE CARD ISSUED

Mr. Dillon S. Myer, WRA dir-ector, has provided for the issu-ance of a new type of indefinite leave permit. This is for the pro-tection and identification of those leaving the relocation centers on indefinite leave.

The new permits are in the form of a card which may easily be carried in the billfold or purse. The card will carry a photograph of the holder, the imprint of his right index finger, and the seal of the WRA as well as the signa-

of the WRA as well as the signa-ture of the project director.
Previously, evacuees who have been granted indefinite leave have been issued a large-sized sheet of paper on which was no-ted the fact that indefinite leave was granted them. No photo-graph, fingerprint, or other iden-tifying information appeared on it, and it offered no real protec-tion to an individual. Although, no incidents have been reported of evacuees having difficulty be-cause of this lack of identifica-tion, it is felt that those going out in the future will be provided ad-ditional assurance.

out will be provided additional assurance.

Those who have already gone out will be provided with the new type of permit.

Arrangements are now being

made with the photographer in Lone Pine to photograph those who expect to get out on indefinite leave in the near future.

#### Nisei-Corporal On Furlough Visit

On Furlough Visit

The distinction of being the first nisci soldier to visit Manzanar on furlough and not on emergency or business, goes to Corporal James Shiohara from Camp Barkeley, Texas, who arrived by bus last Friday evening. Formerly of Los Angeles, the corporal has been in the Army 16 months and is now detached with the Ordinance division. "Hardly any discrimination" was his statement when questioned. The weather and the mountain scenery were the first things that impressed him. Texas having an interchangeable climate.

A Technician 5th Grade, he wears a marksman medal won for accurate rifle shooting. The red tape he faced when applying for a permit discouraged him, but the trip was really worth it, he said.

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but the trip was really worth it, he said.

He is now visiting his younger brother, Sonny, who lives at 19-9-3 and expects to return to his duties within a few days.

Arriving on the same date were Cpl. George Wada of Camp Barkeley, Texas, and Pvt. Mitsuo Maruyama of Camp Robinson, Ark. Both were visiting friends and relatives, leaving the camp Monday afternoon.

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Surprizing his parents and relatives of 25-8-3 by his unexpected arrival, was Pvt. Fukashi Hori, stationed at Fort Sill, Okla. He

will return to his camp after a two-weeks visit.

All four of Uncle Sam's Army commented on the fine treatment accorded them in the service and have found that of all the mos visited, Manzanar was (Continued on Page Two)

#### REPRESENTATIVE EARL W. BARTON APPOINTED HEAD OF BRANCH OFFICE

A branch of the Evacuee Property office is to be established here was an announcement received recently by Project Director Ralph P. Merritt from Russell T. Robinson, chief of WRA Evacuee Property office in San Francisco. Earl

WASHINGTON, D.C., March 3 (By wire)—Dillon S. Myer, Director of the War Relocation Authority, announced here today of new boundary to put Poston and Gila out of the restricted area.

Approximately 215 persons evacuated from the area now re-

Approximately 215 persons evacuated from the area now removed from the evacuated zone in Arizona will be allowed to return to their homes immediately. The shift moved the Arizona exclusion line approximately 60 miles south and removed Poston and Gila plus all of Pinal and most of Maricopa and Yuma counties from evacuated area. The move was decided by Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, He announced today publicly by Western Defense Command will take effect at midnight tonight. Thereafter, evacuees visiting Poston and Gila will not need escorts unless they pass through evacuated areas en route.

#### SHIRRELL HERE ON JOB INTERVIEWS

To interview the people at first hand as to types of jobs needed and to find out what to tell pros-pective employers, Paul C.

and to find out what to tell prospective employers, Paul C. Dougherty, assistant relocation officer to Elimer Shirrell of the Chicago regional office, is here for 10 days.

Asked about living conditions in Chicago, Dougherty answered that there isn't much difficulty in obtaining rooms. Although the city proper has more apartments, houses can be rented near the city, he declared. Single persons can live in the Y dormitories in small hotels, he added. He stated that the food prices are reasonthat the food prices are reason-

Dougherty revealed that there Dougherty revealed that there are many chances for work in Chicago and vicinity. Not only are there packing and defense industries but on the outskirts are many nurseries and truck farms. He said that garment factories and tailoring and dress-making concerts are now employing women even as power machine operators. Shortage of highly skilled mechanics is very keen, he remarked. marked

Dougherty declared that pre-judice was slight in the Middle West.

New Boundary Puts
Poston, Gila Out
Of Closed Area

The decision to have an office representative stationed here came as a result of uncertainty in

came as a result of uncertainty in handling property matters.

Further information which the office will render free to residents will be furnished as soon as hvailable. It is to be distinctly understood. Robinson stated, that the office does not direct what disposition should be managed, Officials, however, will act as advisors when called upon to do so.

The office is not intended to

The office is not intended to take the place of other offices, banks, attorneys or real estate agents, but rather to provide an auxiliary service.

Temporarily, Barton is making his headquarters in the Legal Aid Department.

#### COURT DISMISSES CITIZENS' CASE

Described as "just about the worst rebuff that could be given Mr. Webb and the Native Sons," the American Civil Liberties Union-News disclosed that the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals in San Francisco on Feb. 20 dismissed the contention brought up that the American-born Japanese are not citizens.

The court wasted no time in reaching its decision, the News stated. After listening 35 minutes stated. After listening 35 minutes to the ponderous hrgument of former California Attorney General U. S. Webb (who is responsible for dratting California's Alien Land Law) the seven judges momentarily held a whispered consultation without leaving the bench. After which Presiding Judge Curtis Wilbur dismissed the charges

Judge Curtis Wilbur dismissed the charges. A. L. Wirin of Los Angeles who had filed a brief as "friend of the court." had been granted 30 min-utes for oral argument. but be-cause of the court's speedy rul-ing was not even asked to re-spond.

#### Student Relocation

All persons who wish to leave Manzanar for student relocation next semester must register at the Relocation office, immediate-

## More New Jobs Available: Domestic, Farming on List

Listing some of the jobs available, Ray Buzzett, placement of-ficer in the relocation office 1-2-2 said those who are interested in any of the jobs should come to his office for further informa-

As released on March 4, the list follows:

DOMESTICS: (Female) Plain

DOMESTICS: (Female) Plain cooking and housework, Chicago, Ill.; general housework, Lake Forest, Ill.; general housework, Chicago, Ill.; girl to care for children, Lake Forest, Ill.; Two girls, cook and nursemaid, Chicago, Ill.; maid—girl who is good with children, Minneapolis, Minn.; practical nurse and housekeeper, Syracuse, N.Y.; general housework, St. Paul, Minn.; and cooking and serving, Minneapolis, Minn.

DOMESTICS: (Couples) Cook-DOMESTICS: (Couples) Cooking, serving, cleaning, drive car, Bloomfield Hills, Mich.; cooking and gardening, Freeport, Ill.; cooking, care of children, serving, cleaning, care of car and lawn, and housework, gardener, Yellow Springs. O.

FARM JOBS: Milking and care r ARM JOBS: MIRING and care of chickens, couple, Bode, Ia.; dairyhand, fruit raising, two couples, Duglas, Mich.; farm hands 12). Belle Prairie, Ill.; and general farm work, couples and singles, Tonopah, Nev.

MISC. JOBS: Yard work and gardening, Peoria, Ill.; General clerical, Chicago, Ill.; nursery men, Melrose Park, Ill.; nursery man, Wooster, O.; tailor and cleaner, Burley, Ida.; and glove workers, Chicago, Ill.

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#### **New Development**

The announcement from Washington of the new boundary to put Poston and Gila out of the restricted area was the most favorable new development toward re-establishing the normal civilian status to persons of apanese ancestry evacuated from the West Coast.

This good trend does not affect us, but it does go to prove further in a larger aspect the move of the government to expedite plans to re-establish us in the American society.

The good news justifies the policy of the government in the support and perspective view in hope of bringing about the proper understanding among the Japanese people. If we will understand this basic concept of its policy, we can be reconciled to the impositions placed upon us since the outbreak of the war.

Let us hope that as these new developments gain ground there will be more conscious effort on our part to look outward and gain better perspective on the experience we are going through.

It is encouraging to know that the just acts of the govern-ment go on in this critical period.

#### **Recreation Material** Fills Block 35

With the cooperation of the block residents the ever active boys club of block 34 is now completing the much longed for basketball court. They have already made swings, bars for the kiddies of the block and also bars for the clder children.

older children.
Approximately 50 children ranging from 1 to 12 years were feasted in the mess hall 35 on March 3, the day of the festival of the dolls. All the youngsters brought their dolls to be placed on display.

#### YP Council to Meet

There will be a YP Council meeting tomorrow night at 15-15 from 7 p.m.

#### -Graduation (Continued from Page One)

to make a decision between his old country and the new. He compared Valley Forge to Man-zanar as a testing ground for the

people.

Stating that the school was the foundation where they could acquire good citizenship. Masaye Nakahira, first senior speaker, stressed the point that this graduating class must make a good impression since it was the beginning of a tradition.

That nonertunity comes only.

That opportunity comes only to those watching for it, was the essence of the talk by Tohoru Shishido, the second senior speak-

Shishido, the second senior speaker, who added that there are plenty of opportunities for valuable, practical training here in vocational work for all those who are sufficiently interested. Leon High, principal of the secondary schools, reviewed the difficulties met and overcome in the establishment of the schools here. Presentation of the diplomas was made by Dr. Genevieve Carter, superintendent of schools. Invocation was given by Rev. J. Fujimori and the benediction by Rev. S. Nagatomi. The honor of being the very first recipient of a high school diploma ever awarded in Manzanar went to Lily Fukuhara.

### Dear Editor:

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It appears to be the customary thing for those of us who have, like the "Arabs" folded our tents and silently slipped away (tho let me say right here, that we did not "silently" slip away—definitely not—the wind almost blew us out to let our friends who are yet inside the portals, know how we are and what our general reception-was like. We, I mean, my man and I, blew out of Manzanar Jan. 17, headed for Idaho.

Under ordinary conditions the trip would have been—well, just a trip. To us, it was an event. As we walked or rather were blown out through the gate. my heart was doing at least 150 a minute. George was chalk-colored. You've had momentous occasions in your own life, no doubt. This was one for us. We were headed for freedom, and the God-given right to live our life. Our escort (bless her heart) was tops.

The wind blew us out of Manzanar, snow and rain greeted us in Idaho. Our boss, Mr. Ames met us and took us to his home where Mrs. Ames had a good hot dinner ready.

We are on the east slope beyond the town of Emmett. There are 75 acres of apples, cherries, peaches and prunes and George is manager of this section. We have a 6-room house... running water... plenty of space for gardens, and polatoes... This job is a permanent one, and we can live and be able to contribute our share to the great war effort. Idaho can well be proud of her people. They took us right into their hearts and welcomed us into their hearts and welco

#### Nisei Corporal (Continued from Page One)

the most advanced in the way of rie most advanced in the way of equipment and community life. Since their visit, it is expected that other soldiers with relatives or friends will find ways and means to come here for their furloughs.

## What to do With Our 110,000 Boarders?

#### McEvoy Writes About Taxpayers' Burden

Digest is the following article on the 110,000 evacuees in the relo-cation centers.—Ed. Note)

"The tappayers should insist that these Japanese be treated as though they were Germans or Italians—potential troublemakers should be screened out, the others removed rapidly from the public trough and put back into useful production." So concludes J. P. McEvoy in an article taken from the Baltimore Sunday Sundand condensed in the March issue of the Reader's Digest, titled "Our 110,000 New Boarders."

He begins by quoting the words of a Japanese boy who wrote in a school essay: "Never before have I seen so many faces at govern-

I seen so many faces at govern-ment expense." Then describes the 10 relocation centers where the Japanese are concentrated as wards of the government, cost-ing the taxpayers \$50,000 a day, for the duration of the war. WHY INTERN JAPANESE?

Before evacuation, the Japanese held \$200,000,000 in property and \$100,000,000 in agricultural production. Because of military necessity, the entire Pacific Coast Japanese population was evacu-ated, this despite the fact that the Japanese, comprising 37 per-

these different camps, a bureau-cracy has developed, possessing interest in new jobs, payrolls and budgets, and the hysteria of the pressure groups on the West Coast has changed a local feud into a national burden and an international reproach.

In 1870, there were only Japanese but later many coolies were imported to develop the western land. Political and econ-omic conflicts, racial discrimi-nation and social ostracism forced the people into "Little Tokyos" nation and social ostracism forced the people into "Little Tokyos" all along the Pacific coastline. Now the camps hold from 7000 to 18,000 Japanese. They have had amazingly little trouble but tensions do exist where barbed wire fences limit the freedom of the residents, One child summed up the whole situation by telling his mother: "Let's go back to America."

WHY NOT INVESTIGATE?

American citizens of Japanese ancestry total 70,000, 5,000 already in the Army, with many more qualifying. Everyone in the camps could be investigated by

(Summarized from the Reador's cent of Hawaii's population were in the FBI and other agencies at inject is the following article on not interned; or the Germans and little expense and freed to work tallans living near the Eastern borders have not been sent inlact is 21, of the issel, 59, with and under guard. In maintaining a majority of them farmers. The the FBI and other agencies at little expense and freed to work or fight. The average age of the nisei is 21, of the issei, 59, with a majority of them farmers. The citizens who were educated in American schools and colleges are American schools and colleges are so indoctrinated with the education that when officers visited the centers looking for qualified men for the Japanese language school in Minnesota, they found only about 300 who knew enough Japanese to carry on simple conversation or read an elementary school book.

Now with the indefinite leave program under way, 1000 have already been resettled, 300 of them college students. The WRA has opened employment offices in key cities of the middle west; church organizations and social service agencies are assisting individuals who have already been released.

The taxpayers have become the heir of 110,000 boarders who could be used in skilled or professional fields as well as in the homes under this new policy. This resettlement program will test the ability of the public to solve the racial problems that will undoubtedly arise after the peace is won.

#### **BUDDHIST NEWS**

OFFICERS CHOSEN

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Leading the newly formed
Young Buddhist Association for
1943 will be Lawrence Mihara,
formerly of San Francisco, who
was elected as president at the
general election meeting on
March 5. Filling in the other
cabinet offices are: Women's
vice-president, Kiyo Nishimori,
formerly from Bainbridge; men's
vice-president, Hony Assombric formerly from Bainbridge; men's vice-president, Henry Aramaki, Venice; secretary, Terrie Kiyomura, Los Angeles; treasurer, Dr. Masayoshi Itatani, San Francisco; publicity, Suiko Hori, formerly of Pismo Beach; literary and research, Nob Myose, El Centro; men's athletic manager, Pete Mitsui, San Fernando; girls' athletic manager, Ella Nakao, Florin; music chairmen, Kimiko Terama and Jane Kaku, both of Los Angeles; and Sunday school superintendent, Yasujiro Ohata of Los Angeles, Sangles Angeles.

#### INSTALLATION

INSTALLATION

A candlelight installation social, the first activity of the YBA, will be held at mess hall 23 on March 20, with Nob Myose as general chairman for the sports formal dance. Bob Minami will emece the program, bids taken care of by Barry Tamura; refreshments, Sachi Okazaki and Chisato Kitayama; decorations, Yemiko Sedohara and Ayako Nakadaira; hall, Hiroshi Oshima with Jack Iwata administering the oath for the new officers.

Bids will be sold at 35e per couple and may be obtained at 13-15. Being a strictly couples only affair, bids will not be sold at the gate.

Extra orders for the gatha

orders for the books will be accepted at the of-fice, 13-15. Due to delay in the printing materials, immediate publication will not start. 700 ad-ditional books will be published.

Approximately 350 persons registered as YBA members. Those who have not, are urged a new start. Our stay in Manzan-ar was just a brief interlude. It tried our metal...we extend our "alohas" to all. Helen and George Okada, formerly of Blk. 32-5-5.

#### PERSONAL

Arrived from Tulelake Center on February 26, 8:00 a.m. is Takajiro Urushibata, 19-9-2.

#### **Ration Notes**

A wild and angry can of beans Alone on a grocery shelf Glared at a can of spinach That proudly plumed itself. Yelled beans: "There's something

Screwy With the ration counting bee When a mangy can of spinach Draws two more points than me!

### **Hospital Gets** Fire Extinguisher

Recent construction' work the hospital included an instal-lation of an automatic fire ex-tinguisher. It was constructed by the U. S. Engineer Corps at an approximate cost of \$10,000.

#### Golfers to Meet

An important mass meeting of All important mass meeting of all golfers will be held at 22 mess hall at 7 p.m. Friday. All golfers, especially the beginners and those who intend to start playing golf, are urged to attend this meeting and register.

#### Rules Given

Persons expecting to send articles by freight are asked to notify warehouse 2 so that they may pick it up. All incoming articles will be inspected, while the outgoing, which should be properly labeled and packed, will not. Herbert King, manager, stated.

Girls' Hi-Jinx Coming!

#### Funeral Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Ki-chiyo Hayashi, 62 years, of 28-1-3, was held Friday at 2 p.m. at 13-15 with Rev. Nagatomi officiating.

to do so immediately at 13-15.

The Advisory Board meeting for March 4, which was cancelled, will be held on March 11, at 13-15 from 7 p.m.

### Stove Repair Eased Through Invention

A little invention that saves much time and labor has been credited to Joe Iwamasa and Tony Ono of the stove repair shop at Warehouse 36. This device permits accurate adjustments of all oil valves before being put back into service by checking the oil flow going through the valves into the burning chamber.

Iwamasa asks the residents not to tamper with the valves on the stoves. "If there is any trouble," he said, "just file a complaint through the block manager and it will be adjusted." A little invention that saves

#### Toys to Make Debut

Thirty-five varieties of toys,

Thirty-five varieties of toys, such as trucks, washing machines, tractors. pig banks, carts and ironing boards, will make their debut in the nursery schools and the general store soon.

Like toyland during a pre-Christmas period, the Woodcraft factory is a busy hive of activity as the toy designers Ray Komai, George Sasaki and Al 'Nozaki make the blue prints, construction crew headed by Henry Murakami saws the wood, and the painters, Lorna Nozaki and Harumi Komai keep the brushes flying.

#### Kiyohiro Injured

Sustaining a broken leg while exercising on the horizontal bar, Kenso Kiyohiro, 36-10-2, was injured Sunday evening.

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#### THANK YOU-

We sincerely wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their generous and thoughtful gifts given us on the birth of our son, Gordon Goichi Shoji on January 25, 1943.

MR. and MRS. KAZUO SHOJI

## Twin Pines Trail

By SAM HOHRI

WEEKLY WUNCEOVER

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to fall into dull unheard (unread) ravings, we were told upon taking over as conductor. On the last issue's essay a page was slashed and condensed to teardrop our design.

If we try and fail, we'll know enough to quit, meanwhile to try for a fresh presentation, we've gotten a new chapeau and with it propose to cover more ground more quickly, reserving the Saturday sermon as a weekend stint. Always remembering that the co-op is interested in every phase of life that 'would improve the lot of the consumers and producers—that's all of us—so we have open sesame to look into everything. Some of the subject matter's relation to co-ops may appear obscure, but—here we go. OF SHOES AND SOLES. January's balance sheet is now out. The delay isn't wholly to be blamed on the accounting department—last month's registration looded the mimee crew and our gents cooperated.

As finally released, the correc-

ment—last month's registration flooded the mimeo rerw and our gents cooperated.

As finally released, the corrections will be in, but going out as it did forcused attention on the deficits in three departments—beauty shop, barber shop, and shoe repair service.

Th is spotlighting may be viewed by some as abetting those critics who'll growl, "ah, beauty shop's in the red; such foolish extravagance, so no wonder; let's get rid of it."

That is not our intention. The two shops that make our manes presentable together ran only \$50 over their income. It's our feet that hurt for there the deficit totaled two and a half times as nuch—\$124.14.

No good business can afford to

No good business can afford to ay in the hole, altho it might tr from there. Just what ed this deficit to appear, we will be a subject to a subject to the stockholding membrish 6000 plus of you to

ed this defleit to appear, we it's up to the stockholding membership, 6000 plus of you, to show your concern, if any.
Of course, for some time the Press has been a steady drain, and more lately the movies. We could operate the shoe repair as a service and subsidize it too. That's a policy to be determined. DODGING
It's our hope Senator "Happy" didn't see the art work that has appeared on various sections of the firebreaks. We mean the neat circles and S's and 8's made by skillful maneuvers of motor vehicles. But the way the impres-

skillful maneuvers of motor vehicles. But the way the impressions are made, poor tires.

Not only that, but consider how such playful patterns may appear to the skyrider. Remember the gales of excitement when some brilliant Hawkeye discovered brazen directions in the patterns of field plowings, tomato caps, and even plantings and house layout?

Well, some of the bright fledglings up in the air above us these days might make heads or tails out of these random runs in the sand. So a word is sufficient.

#### Practical Lessons Given in Co-op Class

Is the \$120 office job that much better than a \$60 home job? This and other questions concerning resettlement problems will be discussed in the new "Preparation for Relocation" class sponsored by the adult education and conducted by Sam Hohri on Mondays and Thursdays, 6:30 to 8 p.m.

Many problems that will con-Many problems that will con-front evacues on leaving for the outside world will be aired in the sessions. Such topics as: "Are rum and women dangerous?" "Who to date when you're the only 'Nippy' for miles around?" "How to answer when a stranger asks 'Are you a Jap or a Chink?" and similar everyday problems will be discussed and answered.

#### Spring Conference Scheduled by YWA

The week of March 16 to 24 will be a busy one for the local YWA for numerous events are scheduled on the Spring Conference calendar, Miss Esther Briessmeister, national YWCA secretary on Japanese project, who has been dividing her time among the various relocation centers. has been dividing her time among the various relocation centers and the work among Japanese e-evacuces in Denver, Colo., will assist with the various community groups in Manzanar during the week of her visit. She will discuss relocation and resettlement from her observations through recent visits with former Manzanar residents now related in the mid-west.

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Among the numerous events scheduled during the week are: Y. Board Meeting at YW hall; installation of Y's Girls' council, Inter-Y, Junior G.R.'s; YM Stunt Nite; Issei meeting to discuss relocation; advisors' meeting; Leaders' Retreat at Reynold's ranch; P-TA meetings; and other gossins.

Miss Briesemeister will also confer with administration offi-cials and department heads.

#### **Brady Here to Aid** Tax Filers All Week

Bernard Brady, deputy of in-ternal revenue from San Fran-cisco, will remain all this week to help residents with their income tax returns. Everyone is urged to come early to the Legal Aid office in the administration building. building.

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Local Zone Postal Rates to Manzanar

## First Comers Plan Anniversary Program

**Block Managers and** 

Reception committee members are Chef Isotani as chairman and the chefs of each mess hall.

Chefs on Staff

Mrs. D'Ille to Speak At Hi-Y Meeting

At HI-1 Meeting
The Manzanar HI-7 will hold
a business meeting on March 12
at 19-15 from 6:30 p.m. to discuss blackballing, initiation, and
proposed hike to Reynolds' ranch.
At 7:30, a joint meeting will be
held with two G.R. clubs. Mrs.
Margaret D'ille will speak on the
subject "Present Conditions in
Los Angeles."

Forum Date Changed

The meeting of the Young Adults' Christian Forum scheduled for this Sunday will be held a week later on March 21 at 15-15 at 1:30 p.m.
"Religion and Marriage" has been chosen as the subject for the forum. Rev. J. Fujimori will be chairman and three speakers will appear on the panel. will appear on the panel.

Masunaka Resigns

The resignation of Kolchi Masunaka, Manager of block 19, was regretfully accepted by Ralph F. Merritt, project director. Mr. Merritt said "I realize that you are now in need of a respite from these many duties after nearly a year of service, for his contributions to the community activities have been incessant.

Ted Igasaki was appointed by Merritt as the new block manager to replace Masunaka.

the chefs of each mess hall.

In charge of general affairs is K. Ozawa, chairman, H. Kunisawa, F. Nakamura, K. Takahashi, and the block managers of 13, 31, 33, 16, 9, 15, and 20. Ground Committee is composed of Messrs. Tajima and Murakami. Mr. Kunishige is stage chairman, H. Oshio entertainment chairman assisted by K. Ohno, and messrs. Hoshizaki, Nagashima and Tanaka.

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Hospital Staff

Addition of Mrs. Bernice Sil-ber as medical social worker on the hospital staff was announced A preparatory meeting was held last Saturday afternoon at mess hall 1 for the anniversary program to be held by the first evacuees. All block managers and mess hall chefs are on the various committees with George Murakami, block 34 manager as manager. the nospital staff was announced by Frank Chuman, assistant medical administrator. She was formerly, connected with the L. A. General Hospital, and has done two years of medical social work and five years of practical work. manager.

Executive committee members are J. Aono, Y. Ando, T. Higashi, F. Nakamura, Y. Furuto, F. Yasuda, J. Ikari, A. Hasegawa, C. Nakano, T. Sakata and K. Masunaka. Treasurers are J. Shikami as treasurer, M. Kuramoto, F. Kato, F. Nakamura, Y. Sakuma, H. Nakamura, C. Miyota, E. Masuyama, T. Furuya and Igasaki.

#### **Vital Statistics**

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# ZEROS TOPPLE OLIVERS KNIGHTS IN PADRE WIN

Completing their AA basketball schedule, the Block 27 Zeros made it 6 wins for the season by dumping the Olivers last Sunday at Rec. Crt. 1. The final score read 30-25. Both squads found hard going on the slippery court by not doing much scoring. The Olivers enjoydd a one-point lead at mid-game, 13-12. It was Mas Takahashi again who took high point laurels with his 11 digits. Dick Sakamoto was the Oliver trouble Maker as he was credited with

It was the Rangers' day as the once meek quintet lit up like a rocket to present the over-confident Vandals their first losing ducat by a lop-sided account of 30-16, Sunday on ert. 21.

Striking up an all-around bombardment from all angles, the Rangers filed out for their big day with all the players sharing almost equal bucket honors. The one-man Vandal company.

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The one-man Vandal company,
Sus Myose was bottled up
throughout the game, throttling
the only Vandal threat, but not
before accounting for 12 of the
16 grand total. Trailing by 14-9
at half-time, the Vandals never
threatened, netting only 7 in
the last half.
Vandals (16)

Rangers (30)

SMinpha f Heckens (30)

the last half.
Vandals (16)
S. Minabe f
D. M. Takimoto f
S. Myose, 12 c
J. Adachi g
S. Kuramoto g
S. Kuramoto g
S. Kuramoto, T. Miyaoka, 4; Vandals,
R. Adachi, 2; J. Ikeda, 2.

#### Panthers, Skippers In Midget Victories

The YMA Black Panthers scored a win last weekend by flushing the Royal Flush Jr. outfit by a close 24-22 mark at the C.V. court.

N. Yamasaki led the winners with 13 points to his credit. The Flush five took an early half-time lead of 16-13 but just scored 4 points in the second half to fall behind. fall behind. SKIPPERS SCORE 96

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The Midget league Skippers went wild in their game against the Golden Bruins by scoring 96 points to the opposition's 11. K. Iriye led the conquerors by sinking in 20 goals while mate T. Kaneko followed with 26. The half-time score read 48-3.

### · Cage Results

AA LEAGUE Zeros 30, Olivers 25 Knights 39, Padres 32 Knights 34, Rats 35

A LEAGUE
Broncos 47, Oilers 34
Buccaneers 40, Broncos 26
Vols 35, Dinglehoofers 29
Oilers 42, Ranger A's 27
Vols 29, Mailmen 28
Buc Babes 160, Dinglehoofers 20

BB LEAGUE Toppers 45, Irregulars 19 Bel Aires 38, Mice 24 Villagers 2, Mice 0 B LEAGUE

Yogore B's 23, Scorpions 20 Buckeyes 58, Roughriders 38 Vikings 126, Timbers 53 Rangers 30, Vandals 16

C LEAGUE
Redbirds 32, Oilers 28
Mohawks 18, Titans 15
MIDGET LEAGUE
Skippers 96, Golden Bruins 11

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10 markers.
The Zeros accounted for most their second period scoring in the third quarter. The final stanza found the Oliver hoopsters bungling easy set-ups which could've meant the difference between victory and defeat.

As a result of the loss, the Olivers fell behind the Golden Aces in the league standings with 3 losses to the latter's 2.

Olivers (25) M. Yuge, 5 T. Ukita, 6 Olivers (25) Zeros (30)
M. Yuge, 5 f Takahashi, 11
T. Ukita, 6 f Takahashi, 9
Sakamoto, 10 c G. Nakao, 4
D. Shibuya, 2 g P. Takahashi
J. Okabe g T. Isozaki, 2
Subs—Olivers, H. Ukita, 2; Zeros, G. Sakamoto, 2, Y. Hirata, 2

KNIGHTS SINK PADRES

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The Manzaknights by winning their last two games ended the season with 3 victories and 4 losses. The Padres by losing to the Knights last Sunday at Recourt suffered their lifth seback on 2 wins. The final score was 39-32 with the Knights coming out on top by virtue of their last half rally led by Martin Hochi.

last half rally led by Martin Hochi.
Leading by one point at the
half by a 16-15 score, the Padres
fell prey to the basket-finding
Knight potters. George Hattori,
Padre forward, was one of the
hottest men on the court but his
13 points didn't prove too much
as the final score indicated.

Padres (32)
G. Hattori, 13 f
T. Kaji, 5
R. Masuda, 2 f
H. Kuwahara
H. Tashima, 11 c
C. Maruki
P. Higashi, 2 g
H. Sakai, 4
P. Tanaka, 4 g
K. Onodera, 8
Subs-Knights, Kitacka, 6; Hochi, 12; Terasawa, 4.

### Redbirds in C. Win; Skylarks Rip 'Skins

Fighting out a long postponer, the Redbirds took on the Manza-oilers on Block 15 Saturday, 32-

28.
Oilers came back strong in the final stanza to fall short 4 points after a 17-7 margin at half-time.
M-Oilers (28) Redbirds (32) T. Nomura, 5 f H. Tanioka, 8 B. Harada, 8 f F. Shintani, 4 G. Kanemoto, 4 c U. Niwa, 2 Y. Shibuya g Kurosumi, 15 G. Nishida g T. Oia Winding the Cee loop the Street

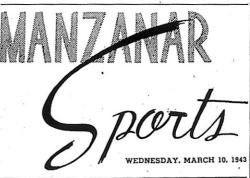
G. Nishida g T. Ota Winding the Cee loop, the Skylarks set the cellar holding Red-birds to a tune of 27-48. Scoring honors went to R. Ka-ku of the Skylarks with 17 digits while J. Sakioka tallied 12 for

while J. Sakioka tailiea iz 1 or the losers. Skylark (48) Redskins (27) R. Nakahara, 6 f J. Sakioka, 12 K. Osumi, 14 f T. Hori, 4 R. Kaku, 17 c S. Mayeda, 7 S. Yagi, 6 g J. Kimura, 2 H. Yokomizo, 5 g Mitsuuchi, 2

B-Panchers 24, R-Flush Jr. 22 M-Knight Cubs 31, M-Midgets 19 Condors 22, Vanguards 15

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# Buc Cagers Ruin Broncos Vols Upset Mailmen, 29-28 Sport Core

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**Babe-Buc Titanic** Coming Up Saturday

With the Buccaneers and the Buc Babes walloping their oppo-sitions last weekend, a sizzling casaba battle between the two un-

The orange-clad Oliver Bron-cos were finally handed their first Aye league set-back but it took the Buccangers to do it last Sunday at court 9 by a 40-26

Jimmie Yamaguchi was the Jimme Yamaguchi was the only Brone who found the basket in the first half as his team trailed at the intermission, 16-10. The second half proved much more drastic for the Oliver boys as the Bues, led by Nob Murakami's 16 markers swished 'em in continuoulu white 18 Brenzes continuously while the Broncos found their long potters unsuc-cessful when it came to making baskets.

baskets.

Broncos (26)

Y. Shishido, 3

H. Tomita. 4

Y. Shushido, 3

H. Tomita. 4

H. Kunitomi, 4

H. Takeuchi, 1

H. Takeuchi, 1

K. Okamoto

Subs—Bucs, G. Tani, 4; M. Takado, 2;

B. Yamada. 2; K. Takado, 2

#### VOLS UPSET MAILMEN

The Vols' determination to win proved well as the Blk. 12 quin-tet upset the Mailmen last Sunday at crt. 9, 29-28.

day at crt. 9, 29-28.
Led by Roy Hoshizaki's 7
points, the Vols took a 15-8 lead
at the half-time. The large margin didn't hold long, however, as
the Mailmen's G. Fukuda sank
in 5 buckets in the latter half
and at the final gun found his
team behind by a point.
Losers' Fukuda was the high
point getter with 14 while the

#### SPORT PLATE

A LEAGUE

Saturday Crt. 9 Ranger A's-Olivers 1:15 p.m. Buccaneers-Buc Babes 2:30 p.m. B LEAGUE Saturday Vandals-Scorpions

Saturday Crt. 21 Vandals-Scorpions 1:15 p.m. Buckeyes-Rangers 2:30 p.m. R-riders-Yogore B Rec. 2—1:15

#### AYE LOOP RACE

	Team	GP	w	L	Pct.
)	Buccaneers		8	0	1.000
,	Buc Babes	_7	7	0	1.000
š	Broncos	_7	6	i	.857
;	Oilers	_8	5	3	.625
,	Vols	_6	3	3	.500
,	Mailmen		3	5	375
:	Yankees	_5	1	4	.200
,	Rangers	-6	1	5	.166
i	Olivers	-6	ī	5	.166
1	Dinglehoofers	_6	Ō	6	.000

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### SHIMIZU SINKS 86 TO LEAD BABE WIN

Reaching an all-high record of 86 points, Toru Shimizu led the Buc Babes to an unbelievable 160-20 shellacking over the last place Dinglehoofers, last Sunday afterneon.

The Hoofers seemed to con-centrate mainly on just their of-fensive to leave Shimizu swishing 'em in continuously throughout the game with 68 digits in the second half. Next in the scoring merry-go-round came M. Kubota and C. Miyaki with 18 and 17 respectively. Lineup D-hoofers (20)

Buc Babes (160) D-hoofers (20) Buc Babes (160)
E. Kuga, 2 f Tatsumi, 8
T. Motoike f C. Miyake, 17
H. Hirashima c M. Kubota, 18
Watanabe, 10 g D. Murata, 11
R. Ono, 5 g T. Shimizu, 86
Subs — Hoofers, Otsuji, 3;
Babes, Hashimoto, 12, Hirami, 6,

THE KING OF THEM ALL—Not to the fabulous musical hall but in the hall of fame... anything goes in the game and now the lid's off...we make way for the newest champ... it's Buc Babes' Toru Shimizu who topped the tops again against the Dingle-hoofers... scoring an 86 grand total for the bingo prize... this definitely will probably be Manzanar's scoring pride, we hope...

With the prize to be in the form of a large trophy, the camp golfers will ring up the curtain for their big spring tournament this coming Sunday, March 14.

Staked as part of the regular monthly contests, the first 32 of the participants emerging with the best net scores will automatically be listed in the first match play championship scheduled to start the following week.

The winners and runners-up for the qualifying round will be presented with golf ball prizes. As interest grows for this fairway affair, a large number of enthusiasts is expected. All players are requested to be at the beginning tee green at 8:30 am. sharp, this Sunday morning.

The trophy is being donated by the Co-op sporting department. definitely will probably be Manzanar's scoring pride, we hope...

KNIGHTS CHARGE—Beside the
point of the Manzaknights pullling the rabbit out of the hat and
having their honorable prestige
doubted, they went into a winning streak over the Rats and
Padres over the weekend...but
the real charging came in the
Rats' fiff with the Knights'
til the air" and "on the ground"...
with football tactics too...Timoshenko's smilin' map pressed
against that pill on the ground
won pall "courtesy" honors...
Marukt's fake pain hending belly
ache fooled no one...they knew
the guilty party...the gallant
Knights led their hair down on the
following day to take care of
the Padres with "glamourous"
Onodera and Ets Hochi plopping
in the sensational way...

AT YOUR BECK 'N CALY.

in the sensational way...

AT YOUR BECK 'N CALL—
Boners are still boners and it's
still a two point credit for the
other party, such as the one Tak
Shindo performed who so obligingly handed a Vol member the
pill when called, while during,
that time he stood under his own
basket...this might've been the
diff between V and L, for the
Vols won by one marker...

ESSANCE FOR MICTORY

casaba battle between the two undefeated outfits is on tap for this coming Saturday on crt. 9 at 2:30.

The Bucs had in Nob Murakami, the highest scorer in a single game with 60 markers until the Babes' Toru Shimizu wiped it away with an amazing 86 points just last Sunday. The game will probably mean the Aye Ioop crown with the Broncos pretty well out of the running with a loss. Just last Sunday. The game will probably mean the Aye loop crown with the Broncos pretty well out of the running with a loss.

Vols Kaz Hara emerged with 12. Vols (29)

Mailmon (28)
Hoshiraki, 11

J. Nakai, 4
Nakashima, 4
K. Hara, 12
K. Maruyama g
L. Yamamoto
K. Moruyama g
L. Yamamoto
K. Hoshizaki, 2 g
M. Shimamura



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