

Project Director Explains Three Major Steps in Present Program

Project Director Ralph P. Merritt told the block managers' assembly last Friday that the atmosphere of the leave clearance hearings being held now was much different from that of previous hearings. The people being heard now are those who have chosen to take the American way of life and meet the hearing board in a friendly and cooperative manner.

There are three major steps in our program, said Mr. Merritt. The first step is segregation; when this is complete the residents remaining in Manzanar will all be those who have decided voluntarily to remain in and serve this country.

The second step is obtaining leave clearance. Upon completion of this step, the gates of Manzanar are literally wide open; any resident may pack up, drop in at the relocation office for his pass and walk right out—at any time, to any place, in any way the person may choose.

"Finally, we will take up relocation; perhaps we may have the opportunity to make groups of relocators who will resettle and work in groups, as for instance in the fishing industry or in farming," stated the project director. He stressed the fact that all relocation will be entirely voluntary and that at no time will anyone be compelled to resettle.

Mr. Merritt also stated that the persons who asked for relocation or furlough work are being heard by the board first. After that, the remainder of those who changed their answers to question 28 and those whose Federal agencies request rehearing will be interviewed.

Buzzetti Leaves To Answer Draft Call

Called unexpectedly by the order from Great Falls, Montana, draft board, Placement Officer Ray Buzzetti left Thursday morning for Hardin, Montana, where he will report for induction into the United States Army on Monday morning, 6:30 a.m.

Buzzetti, who has been with the Relocation Office since January of this year, took his entire family with him. The family resided in Lone Pine after their arrival from Montana during the early part of the year.

Prior to taking over his previous job, the placement officer was with the Works Progress Administration's Welfare Department and with the Farm Credit Administration. He is a college graduate and has played with a semi-professional basketball team.

Notice To Grads

Graduates and students who are not in school now and wish to take one or two periods of work may do so provided they have adequate educational background for the courses desired. Arrangements may be made at the school office, announced the Education Department.

The Interview

Someone capable of filling the job of executive secretary-business manager, is requested to see J. Kohigashi of Community Activities and T. Higashi, Block 4

COLLEGE STUDENTS VISIT PROJECT

Visiting this center Monday afternoon after their conquest of Mt. Whitney were 19 students from Deep Spring Junior College, prep school for Cornell University.

Led by president of the student body, Peter Palfrw, the 19 husky and tall students returned from the hike, kissed by the California sun and were owners of a California sun tan.

Even after the vigorous hike,

the "gentlemen" seemed to have plenty of vim and vigor and most of all, an inquiring mind.

Deep Spring Junior College is situated 20 miles from Big Pine, and is on the east slope of the Inyo Range. It is a private school closely connected with Cornell University.

It has a student enrollment of 24, all hailing from the eastern states.

Initial Nisei Combat Unit Lands On European Front

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY IN ITALY, Oct. 9 (Delayed)

—The first unit of American-born Japanese troops to enter the overseas combat zone went into action in the mountains above the Gulf of Salerno today—and everyone of them was smiling. Their smiles brought expressions of blank amazement from veterans and officers accustomed to seeing men enter combat with tense, drawn faces. These troops acted like they were going to a baseball game.

The unit was recruited from Hawaii and most of its officers are regular Army men who served there. They have taken for their motto, "Remember Pearl Harbor."

"They're really anxious to get into action," their commander said. "I've been with them since this outfit was organized and I wouldn't trade my command for any other in the Army."

"They feel they've got a chance to prove they're real Americans and demonstrate their loyalty."

"The average stature of the whole unit is only five-foot-four, but the officers have said they can outmarch and outwork most ordinary troops."

Actually, he said, the men would rather be in the Pacific fighting the Japanese than the Germans, "but we're saving that for later."

The officers are unanimously enthusiastic about the quality and spirit of the men. They said they never had seen any troops train harder and more industriously and never had any doubt as to what to expect from them in combat.

They were ashore in Italy only one day and had just finished organizing their encampment when a German prisoner was brought past the site. He gaped with surprise when he saw their faces and asked if they were Japanese. An interpreter explained that they were Americans of Japanese parentage.

The German shook his head in wonder, and said, "Ach! That's America..."

In revealing that WRA Director Dillon S. Myer has reluctantly accepted the resignation of Thomas W. Holland as Chief of the Employment Division in the Washington Office, effective September 30, Leave Officer Walter A. Heath declared, "Japanese-Americans have a great debt to Holland. He, more than anyone else, foresaw the relocation program which we have today and had perseverance necessary to sell the idea to others when it appeared that Japanese-Americans would not be accepted by war-time America."

HOLLAND RESIGNS WASHINGTON JOB

It was his careful planning that has made it possible for over 20,000 evacuees to leave the confinement of the relocation centers and to find public acceptance which even the most optimistic of us feared to hope for.

According to an administrative notice, Elmer Rowatt has been designated Acting Chief of the Washington Employment Division in addition to his duties as Deputy Director, effective October 1.

Poliomyelitis Stay Away From Here

Although there have been cases of poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) reported in the Tulare and Granada centers, it was revealed that the hospital here has had no cases as yet. The hospital thought it had one case but an examination proved wrong.

'Correct Injustice To Japanese' --Ward

SLATE DISCUSSION

Next Wednesday, the third in the series of panel discussions sponsored by Adult Education will be held in 1-14 from 7-8:30 p.m. "The Care of Your Hair, Skin and Teeth" will be the topic to be discussed by panel members Dr. Yoriyuki Kikuchi, Josephine Hawes, Elizabeth Moxley, Margaret Golden and Elaine Clary. Anyone interested is invited to attend, stated Dr. Melvin Strong.

MESS 36 SERVES LAST MEAL TONITE

An appeal from Block 36 residents to postpone the discontinuation of their mess hall was rejected recently by Project Director Ralph P. Merritt and Chief Steward Joseph Winchester, and will become effective tomorrow morning, according to a Mess Division announcement.

Residents of this block will be served their last meal tonight at their own mess hall and will thereafter go to mess hall 35, the Mess Hall Division revealed. The step was made necessary since Block 36 fell below its quota and will relieve the shortage of mess hall workers, the announcement stated.

Several other mess halls may close in the future if the present segregation program makes it desirable and necessary, it concluded.

Police Reports Man Bitten By Dog

Two 50-gallon oil drums did a disappearing act, then reappeared a couple of blocks away from where they had performed the "disappearing" act, the Police Department disclosed this week.

As yet, no cases of "man bites dog" have been reported to the Police Department, but a "dog bites man" incident has been reported. Mr. Sasaki of 19-10-5 reported that a cocker spaniel tried to make a "meal" of him while he was traveling through block 1.

Mrs. Momeno Ozeka of block 20 reported the loss of her partial dentures while returning home from the showers. The partial was of the one-tooth variety, and has gold hooks protruding from the sides.

K. S. Sakaki reported to the Police Department that the bicycle on which he rode to the hospital had vanished. It was found later in block 34. The bicycle, which has "gotten itself a strange driver," was his comment.

Interviews will be given at 1-3-1 during the morning.

An article in the Fort Wayne, Ind., News-Sentinel by Clifford B. Ward stresses the fact that intolerance toward the Japanese American problem would throw ridicule on the principles of Americanism. Reprinted are excerpts from the article.

Our government had no ethical or legal right to throw all good and bad persons of Japanese descent into concentration camps, any more than it would have had a right to throw all good and bad persons of German or Italian descent into concentration camps. However, we did it and our government is now trying to correct the injustice that was done. The government's efforts receive every good American's cooperation.

Unlike the Germans, we don't believe that one man is superior to another because he happens to be 6-feet tall, white of skin, and blue-eyed. The only thing that matters in an American is the heart that beats within him. If that heart is an American heart, that is all that matters.

We must not forget that what we call Americanism is on trial. We are broadcasting to the whole world the virtues of the American training in political liberty. We are leading with our left when we take good Americans (Continued on Page Two)

AN EDITORIAL

Proudly We Hail

A few of you heard the unusual three-minute broadcast from New York City Saturday night, relating the exploits of the Nisei soldiers in Italy. Unusual because the announcer gave so much time to this story. Many of you saw the front-page picture of these soldiers in the Monday edition of one of the Los Angeles newspapers.

You saw a column of them a-swinging their arms proudly, dressed in battle uniforms. They were marching up against the German army. And you think about that and the fact that these Nisei soldiers, identified in the photo as the combat team out of Hawaii, which probably means that it's the 100th infantry which was lauded by the Reader's Digest while in training in America.

You feel the irony of the fact that side-by-side with these Niseis and their American compatriots are the Nisei Italian-American soldiers, many of whom came in on the fight with their ancestral country before the Italian capitulation. Now they've quit fighting Italy's army as such, and are fighting the Germans with the Nisei troopers. This whole story is one to conjure over and make us feel proud.

ADAMS ON TRIP

Mrs. Lucy Adams, assistant project director in charge of Community Management, left Tuesday for San Francisco. She left with her two sons who are planning to enroll at the Stanford University. She is expected back today.

Project Attorney Benson Saks left on a trip to Los Angeles over the weekend.

TWO EVACUEES TO TAKE STATE EXAM

Asayo Kimura and Sakiko Agura of the hospital nurses staff here are scheduled to leave October 20 for Los Angeles to take their State Board examinations. Both have had their class work at the Los Angeles General Hospital prior to evacuation, revealed Miss Wanda Oliver, assistant chief nurse.

Miss Kimura was sent to the Canada center but since she was out of state, she could not take the California state examinations. She came here last March to complete her training. Immediately after her test, she is planning to return to Granada.

Miss Dagamar Quarnstrom, R.N., arrived here from Granada relocation center on September 19. She had been there since last September and during her stay she was Supervisor of Obstetrics. She is doing similar work here.

Miss Helen Smith, R.N., left on the first of the month to join the Army Nurses Corps.

F. H. Smith Criticizes Immigration Group

SAN JOSE, Oct. 8.—Frank Herron Smith, superintendent of the board of missions of the Methodist Church, in a recent letter published in the San Jose Mercury Herald described the California Joint Immigration Committee as "a small group of self-appointed and ill-informed persons who would be much better engaged in helping to win this war rather than stirring up ill-feeling against former Japanese residents in this state."

RESPONSIBLE FOR WAR

"In a sense," Dr. Smith declared, "they are responsible for the present war with Japan. They claim the credit for our exclusion act and it is this act which put the Japanese militarists in power in their own country."

"We have probably done more effective work against dual citizenship than any other group except the Japanese American Citizens League," he added.

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Show Must Go On . . .

Being in camp for over a year makes us wish that we were again living the life we all used to live as peaceful citizens and civilians. Sometimes our morale becomes low, but thanks to the co-op's motion picture program, a night at the movies helps to rehabilitate many minds.

The first movies were shown by Father Lavery of the Maryknoll Church. Then the co-op and Thomas Betsuin, seeing the necessity of a motion picture program, began showing pictures in the mess halls. We are all indebted to Mr. Betsuin for his patience and tolerance during those days.

The construction of the outdoor theater helped greatly in showing the pictures; easier for the motion picture crew, and easier on the audience.

Now, we have information that Mr. Betsuin will be leaving. The co-op with the help of Hideo Okada will continue showing motion pictures, and many people will think nothing of Mr. Betsuin's departure, perhaps not even know of it.

Of course, it would be impractical to have each of us make it a personal matter to thank Mr. Betsuin, but let us all remember the man who saw and gave generously toward the seemingly unimportant, but quite otherwise, phase in our life in Manzanar.

On The Other Hand

THE OLD AND THE NEWS

The commando raiders! The leader's stirring voice was firm if slightly cracked, like that of an adolescent undergoing the embarrassing change of voice. He and his soldiers were armed to their hilts with makeshift wooden sticks—beg pardon, Tommy guns. Wearing tri-cornered hats made out of newspaper sheets, they stealthily rounded the corner of the Block 3 women's latrine, crept grimly on their bellies over the sand pit. The commando leader raised his hand for silence. One of the boys who had dropped his sword, sheepishly returned to get it. The leader glared at the miscreant. The leader dropped his hand swiftly to signal. Commence attack! A crescendo of gunfire rained toward their unseen foes. The boys alternately shrieked and uttered unintelligibly guttural noises in their throats. The Tommy guns, of course.

Presently, two elderly ladies approached each other, directly across the firing line of the commandos. Harrassed, embarrassed, the leader raised his hand. Cease firing! The two ladies were ceremoniously bowing to each other time and again. Presently they departed. The commando leader authoritatively raised his hand and dropped it quickly again. Commence attack!

THE GREAT GAME

The world's greatest game, politics has been called. Remember when ex-Senator Norris of Nebraska was defeated for the current term? The Elder Statesman who was returned to office time and again by his people was a mighty tearful spectacle when he bade Washington farewell. He could not help but gently blame his constituents "for not wanting him anymore" after he had served for so long and so conscientiously.

Well, ex-Governor Carr of Colorado recently let it be known that he thought his sympathetic stand toward the Japanese caused his defeat at the polls for the senatorial seat. But Carr was not defeated, his opponents retorted, for his support of Japanese relocation in Colorado. In fact, Carr's foes supported him in this policy. He was defeated, it was emphasized, because he needlessly antagonized some influential members of his party. Denver, you know, is closed at present for relocation, because too many of us have gone there, creating the possibility of another Lil' Tokio.

"I tell you folks," the late Will Rogers once opined, "all politics is apple sauce."

CARTER APPEALS FOR COOPERATION

Since the Manzanar schools are not set apart from the neighborhood by fences or private grounds and give no protection whatsoever to the classrooms from unnecessary noise, traffic and visitors, an appeal to the community was issued this week from the office of the Superintendent of Education, Dr. Genevieve Carter.

The people of the community are asked to cooperate with the department by not walking through the firebreak adjacent to Block 7 or the firebreak area west of Blocks 2 and 8, as physical education classes are conducted in these areas all during school day.

OFFICIAL VISITORS ONLY

The residents are also requested to refrain from peeping in the school room doors or to allow small children to run loose among the school buildings. "We welcome official visitors but adults and children peeping in and out of the doors disrupt classes," the appeal stated.

Mess hall 7 study hall is kept open every evening for high school and college students. Library 22 is kept open every night for the benefit of the older residents and others who wish to read and work quietly in the library.

The community is asked to aid the department to locate textbooks or library books that may be charged out to residents who have relocated or who are transferring to another center. Any books found that belong to the Manzanar schools or libraries should be turned in immediately as there are a limited number and there may be children going without books because of this loss.

Correct Injustice

(Continued from Page One)

and throw them into concentration camps only because they resemble physically the men who are fighting on the other side, especially when we are doing it only to persons of Japanese descent, not persons of German or Italian descent. . . . One of these days, Americans must make up their minds whether they actually believe what they say they believe or throw our whole political code out of the window and start being honest.

Persons of Japanese descent in this country should be judged on their merits. If there is any evidence that they are not loyal, they should be kept in concentration camps until after the war, then deported. If there is no such evidence, they should be allowed to exercise all their rights as Americans, else our claims for American tolerance add up to a huge joke.

If an American of Japanese appearance comes to this community, don't call the police. Merely take it for granted that the FBI is still on the job and that if the stranger is free, he is free because the government has found him deserving to be free.

IN APPRECIATION

Many thanks for the gifts as I departed for Ohio.
 Shizue Terama

IN APPRECIATION

In behalf of our son, Sachio, may we thank the doctors, nurses, friends and neighbors for their kindness and thoughts during his stay in the hospital.
 Mr. and Mrs. T. Oye
 21-2-4

Meeting of the Community Activities Cooperative Association board of directors was held recently at Town Hall. Chairman pro tem Aksel Nielsen brought up the main points to discuss and action was taken as follows:

(1) The five department heads would have actual voting power with the ten other members of the board. (2) All dues paid by the members would go into the central fund and the money will be handled by a central secretary-treasurer to be hired by the board. (3) The quarterly dues will be 35 cents for adults and 20 cents for children under 16. These dues are to be paid by each student who benefits regularly by teachers, leaders, halls, or fire-break space. (4) Each department should present its quarterly budget for the approval or disapproval of the board. (5) The board approved a maximum disbursement of \$25 for printing membership cards.

The budgets for the coming term were presented and acted upon as follows:

The Music Department presented a budget of \$153.10 for the coming term to be used on nine specific items which was approved by the board. Arts and Crafts Department presented a budget for \$498.24 which was also approved. Entertainment, social and youth activities group submitted a budget totaling \$266.20. This request was refused, but in its stead \$81.53 for linoleum for

Vote of Confidence Given Nisei Workers.

DES MOINES, Iowa, Sept. 25.—The Associated Press reported recently that two American-born Japanese mechanics from an Arkansas relocation center have been given a 13 to 2 vote of confidence by their fellow workers in a Des Moines garage.

A. B. Chambers, president of an automobile agency hired Fred Kitagawa, 31, and Hester Ishii, 35, both formerly of Los Angeles because he needed mechanics and because the WRA office requested it.

"Objections" were heard a few days after they were employed. Mr. Chambers called a meeting of his employees and the men took a vote. It was 13 to 2 in favor of keeping them.

"The general attitude of our men is that Kitagawa and Ishii are American citizens who have become victims of circumstances," Mr. Chambers said.

27-15 and \$50 for a phonograph record library was approved, making a total budget of \$131.53. For gardening, a budget of \$150 for seeds was submitted and approved. The Sports Department did not have its budget prepared, so the board decided to postpone discussion of its budget until a later date.

IN APPRECIATION

May I take this means to express my deepest appreciation to all my friends for their kindness during my stay in Manzanar.

Jack Hirose

IN APPRECIATION

We wish to thank all our friends for the gifts and many congratulatory messages given to us on our marriage.

Sincerely yours,

Mr. and Mrs. Yukio Kawauchi

IN APPRECIATION

May I take this means to thank the hospital staff, Children's Village, all my friends and residents of block 35 for their kindnesses during my stay in the hospital.

Mrs. Y. Furuya

We weave our anchor for Oct. 9th departure,
 Your kindness revealed with that of our mother.
 Our Heart with bleeding tears unto grave with memories;
 Of those Manzanar neighbors who became so dear to us,
 To nurses, doctors with infinite patience,
 May God bless them for rendering humanitarian service.
 Tod, Yat, Kay Maruyama.

IN APPRECIATION

May we take this means to express our sincerest gratitude to our friends and neighbors for their gifts, farewell party and also for the "send off" as we departed for Tulelake.

Kampai Ono

Yoshio Ono

IN APPRECIATION

May we take this means to express our thanks to our friends, people of block 18 and the members of Mess Hall 23 for their gifts, farewell party and a grand "send off" given us as we left for Utah.

Masanobu Mitsuechi & family

FIFTH COLUMN

By Saburo Tour

It seems as tho the New York Yankees have a monopoly on the World Series. As fur back as this columnist can recollect, the American League representative in this annual big event always has been New York.

An Englishman was in the United States for the first time. Some of his friends in New York took him to see the Yankees play baseball. After the Yanks had been hitting the opposing pitcher or all over the lot the Englishman was heard to remark, "Tollin' good pitcher, eh, what? Hitf the bloom'n' bat every time."

Pulling a fifth column act over the weekend, the following 'A-res' and 'Ko-res' were seen at the Racqueteer jive-fest... Yogores' ace flinger Iseo Higashi escorting our fair queen—Dianne Tani... Senior Lucky Yamamoto with Terry "Quite Contrary" Okamura... Jim Masuda and a certain one responding to the surname of Nakaji... Shiro Nakaji and his boys... And making somewhat of a last minute appearance was the Nakadaira-Shimizu twosome.

On the bank of that one-roaring Bairds Creek, the Wee Funtsters seemingly enjoyed a 'raibon bake' over the weekend... Also seen warming dog meats on that same eve were the Unknowns, comprised of Lanny and Hideo, Benjamin and Yoneko, George and Yuri, Ma and Pa Hirafu, Tommy and Misso, Roy and Nancy, and that gentleman with the ability to make Beethoven sit up and take notice in his grave—Mr. Louis Frizzell... Digesting those three-deck Dagwood specials was no easy task... These unmissable slices of nice opinions were sprangly substituted for lettuce in the deep purple atmosphere... All in all a very high evening—financially speaking.

Another triumph for the Chester-nursed Coronets was their super installation/social held Saturday... 100% cooperation (minus the rebates) was shown by the girls in preparing for this affair... Eats galore were prepared under the watchful eyes of Mizu Takahashi... Nights of nightmares were devoted to the planning of the very "delicious" decoration by Tayeko... Also notices the conservative crowd present at the dance with senior Ralph Liza serving as the mouth piece.

Other gals may worship Taylor, Gable, Powell or Sinea, but the Senior gals have found a combination of these, so the reports indicate, in one Hideo Yokomizo. Innocent (or so he seems) but a Casanova in his ways, this idol of Senior gals can grab gals by the twist of the wrist, reliable sources declare. One thing certain though is the fact the Mrs. Black Fifteen name withheld to avoid undesirable scenes and mishaps) has a grip (and a firm one) on him. How about teaching us your

technique, Hideo?
"The play ended, happily," recently wrote a local critic. What a difference a comma can make!
A professor once spent some time figuring out why professors are absent-minded. He forgot the answer... Did you hear about the Scotchman who stood and snapped his fingers on the fourth of July?

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS:

Baby boy born to Mrs. Tokiko Yuge, 36-1-2, on Oct. 3.
Baby boy born to Mrs. Eiko Watanabe, 18-12-2, on Oct. 6.
Baby boy born to Mrs. Shizuko Miura, 25-10-4, on Oct. 6.
Baby girl born to Mrs. Yoshiko Nenashi, 30-6-4, on Oct. 6.

DEATH:

Mr. Iwakichi Hata, 67, 2-13-3, on Oct. 5.

Hold Installation

Last Saturday new officers of the Inter-Y Council were installed in office at a dance held in Mess Hall 7. The newly-elected cabinet members are: Lillian Igasaki, president; Hisako Nagai, vice-president; Hisako Maeda, secretary; Mimi Kageyama, treasurer; Utako Toji, historian-reporter; Rose Tamai, area council representative, the YWCA staff announced.

OFFERS POUR IN FROM BALTIMORE

Various job offers poured into the Relocation Office this week from Baltimore, Maryland. The American Radio and Public Address System company of that city is seeking two repair men to repair home radios at the shop. Employees can put in as much time as they desire and take their time off accordingly. They will receive approximately \$50 weekly or over, depending upon the time and ability put in.

Cooper Dental Laboratory has an opening for a dental technician whose duties consist of technical work in the laboratory. The employee will work five days per week at 40 hours basis and

will earn from \$60 to \$70 weekly.

An opening exists for a man who is experienced in general poultry work. The employer is willing to pay \$27.50 weekly and will provide a house. He will have an opportunity as manager on a commission basis. Some employees are now earning \$4,000 annually.

Six routine clerical workers are sought by the Social Security Board of this city. No specific experience is required although persons with typing experience can be promoted within 30 days. Salary on 48 hours basis is \$1260 yearly.

Kansas City Nisei Rates Front Page

A front page was devoted by the Kansas City Times of September 25, to a picture showing George Watanabe, a Japanese American student of Park College, Missouri, autographing his name on a giant Kansas City-made block-buster.

"George is eager for the Allies to crush the Axis and free the world of military tyranny," the paper declared.

BIG ATTRACTION

According to the Kansas City Times, the exhibit of this Tokyo-destined bomb was an attraction at a county-wide bond rally and welcoming ceremony for the Navy V-12 students of Parkville.

"People from all parts of Platte County jammed the small college town to see the navy boys on review," the paper disclosed.

Also pictured with George was Captain C. E. Kenemer, Jr., of Dallas, Texas, who is attached to the 2nd Ferrying Squadron of the Air Transport Command stationed at Fairfax Airport.

IN APPRECIATION
To the hospital staff members for their kindness shown me and to my friends for visiting me while I was in the hospital, my sincere thanks.
Masuye Hosoi
27-13-1

IN APPRECIATION
I would like to thank the doctors, nurses and my friends for their kindness during my stay in the hospital.
I have recovered and am now at home.
Haru Maruyama
13-3-1

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To our friends in Manzanar, we wish to express our deep appreciation for the many kindnesses extended toward Genevieve Umeko.
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Sakaguchi Enrolls

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Sept. 27—Among the members of the largest enrolling freshman class in the recent history of the Women's Medical College of Pennsylvania was Mary Sakaguchi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shichiro Sakaguchi of 11-7-4 in Manzanar.

Miss Sakaguchi is a graduate of North Hollywood High School and of the University of California at Los Angeles, where she received her B. A. degree in 1941. The Women's Medical College is the only institution in the United States devoted exclusively to the education of women in medicine.

REQUEST PHOTO OF CAMP SHELBY SOLDIER FOR USE IN BOND DRIVE

Around the BLOCKS

BLOCK 8... The girls of the block are organizing so that they may hold specials and participate in sports.

BLOCK 9... A farewell party was held in honor of the segregees.

BLOCK 13... A birthday party was enjoyed by all the block children through the efforts of the block mothers. The messhall turned into a roaring playhouse as the children were entertained by various games, music, refreshments. Each received presents.

BLOCK 16... Harry Kinoshita, who recently left on furlough, reported the loss of a new suitcase with all of his necessities in it. If anyone has found or seen the suitcase he is asked to return it to the block office.

BLOCK 17... The younger set of the block residents is enjoying volleyball every evening.

BLOCK 25... A farewell party for those going to Tulelake was held recently at the messhall.

BLOCK 32... A combination farewell-anniversary party was held at the block messhall for the block residents.

CAMP SHELBY, Miss., Oct. 4—Pvt. George M. Tsujimoto is one of the few, if not the only soldier in Camp Shelby or elsewhere, whose photograph was so desired by the Treasury department to use in connection with the nation-wide War Bond drive that they telegraphed for it.

Upon his arrival at camp, Pvt. Tsujimoto asked about the pay allotment plan for war bond buying and has assigned a part of his pay check for the purchase of war bonds.

Concerning the part soldiers ought to play in buying bonds, Pvt. Tsujimoto said, "The Third War Bond drive isn't for civilians alone; it's for our soldiers too. Though it's a big strain on our paychecks, we ought to back up the attack of our comrades in arms who have already gone ahead to clear the way for us to follow to victory. The slogan 'Back the Attack with Bonds' applies equally to us as it does to the folks back home."

Prior to his induction on September 4 at Camp Lee, Va., Pvt. Tsujimoto was employed in the Relocation Planning Division of the WRA in Washington, D.C. His wife is employed in the same government agency.

Before his employment with the WRA, he was senior procurement officer at the Gila River center in Arizona. Before that he was an intermediate accountant for the Department of Social Welfare of the State of California.

Pvt. Tsujimoto's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fukuma Tsujimoto, are in the Gila River center. He has two brothers in the Army, Sgt. dents.

From Other Centers..

AMACHE, COL... All visiting to and from the center has been curtailed until the danger of poliomyelitis (infantile paralysis) passes. This was done to safeguard the health and lives of the residents.

Two victims in the center have already passed away.

TOPAZ, UTAH... Largest family to relocate from the center is the Ebiharas (with ten, including mother and father, to leveland, Ohio).

Four new teachers have been added to the school faculty.

Announce Arrival Of September Pay

Approximately 400 September pay checks amounting to \$5397.45 were received this week for distribution to 23 departments, according to Budget and Finance. Head R. C. Boczkiewicz.

At the same time, the Budget and Finance head disclosed that these checks were of new type in order to aid the government in handling the checks. He declared that all future government checks including both pay checks and clothing allowance checks, will be in that form.

The checks measure 3 3/4 by 7 1/2 and are made of thin green cardboard and have perforations for coding. The United States Treasury Department requests that these checks be handled with care, not be folded or creased and not be exposed to dampness since they must be used on an electrical tabulation machine later.

The Budget and Finance head revealed that the first batch of clothing allowance checks for the month of July were received yesterday. Mr. Boczkiewicz stated that seven vouchers containing 2800 names and amounting to \$43,000 were sent to the Disbursing Office in Los Angeles and the checks should arrive in the near future.

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Sports

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1943

Sideline

with the Sports Staff

Taking the limelight in this world of sports this week and continuing on to the next is the famed world series being played at New York and St. Louis between the Yankees and the Cardinals. The Yankees took the opener by defeating the Cardinals, 4-2, as Joe Gordon hit a homer, aided by Max Lanier's costly error by throwing the ball away in the sixth inning. Cards came back in Wednesday's game as Martin Marion and Ray Sanders hit homers to score three in the fourth frame after a lone tally in the third to win 4-3. In Thursday's game, Yankees defeated the Cardinals, 6-2, to take the lead back.

Here on the local 'stadium,' our big-lit games are being played over the weekends in practice tilts, the league schedule to start as soon as the practice games have been played. Our crowd at the 'stadium' of nearly one-fourth of the center population or about 2000 watches the fracas, slightly on the smaller scale as compared to the crowd at New York and St. Louis, but the ball players provide the same thrills and hair-raising moments.

From one of the blocks came a suggestion... "It will be very interesting if they would announce the progress of the baseball games in Japanese, as there are so many isseis who watch the games. What do you think?"

That point is true, but there are also many niseis who are also watching the same game and besides many of the issei fans can understand what is being said about the progress of the game as they watch it. It would be less confusing if one lingo is used.

While the world series lads rest up for Sunday's game at St. Louis, Pacific Coast football games will provide excitement as USC will tackle St. Mary's Navy Preflights, and UCLA will meet the Fourth Air Force Flyers.

The Trojans will capitalize on the speed of their backfield consisting of Howard Callanan, Duane Whitehead and Eddie Saenz on the open backfield with Jim Hardy at quarter slot. George Callanan, brother of Howard is rated even faster and will probably see action soon.

Preflights' Bruce Smith, former All-American from Minnesota will lead the invaders.

National League Batting Averages

As the Girls' National League softball season came to a close, after a successful season, high averages were established.

The batting crown went to Teyoko Shimizu, All-Star shortstop of the Twixteeners with a neat .450. A total of five players hit over the .400 mark.

Harumi Hino, director of the National League disclosed the averages listed below.

BATTING AVERAGES

NAME	AB	R	H	Pct
T. Shimizu, Tw	20	8	9	.450
H. Hino, Sd	21	12	9	.444
M. Yano, Tw	23	7	10	.435
R. Tamai, WF	22	8	9	.409
E. Kitaoka, SD	21	12	9	.405
M. Myose, WF	18	5	7	.389
M. Kitaura, Tw	19	13	7	.368
S. Sasaki, Jr	11	3	4	.364
M. Uyematsu, WF	20	5	7	.350
T. Kato, SD	23	5	8	.347
R. Yamashina, Z	9	3	3	.333
S. Furuto, SD	24	1	8	.333
M. Nakagiri, LN	15	2	5	.333
F. Maeda, Z	15	12	8	.320
M. Ando, LN	16	3	5	.313
Y. Watanabe, LN	16	8	5	.313
Nakamura, Tw	16	5	5	.313
T. Uyeno, TNT	23	8	7	.305
L. Kimura, Jr	10	2	3	.300
N. Hasogawa, SD	20	9	6	.300
Y. Yamazaki, WF	21	11	6	.286
T. Hayashi, WF	7	3	2	.286
S. Akemoto, SD	18	2	5	.278
H. Hisamune, TW	11	2	3	.273
S. Miyamoto, Z	27	11	7	.267
Y. Okamura, Tw	20	11	4	.250
F. Suzuki, SD	16	4	4	.250
S. Nemoto, Jr	12	2	3	.250
M. Kato, LN	16	9	4	.250
S. Miki, Z	28	12	7	.250
Y. Shiba, WF	20	3	5	.250
C. Yamada, FG	21	7	5	.240
K. Nagai, SD	17	5	4	.235
P. Tamaki, WF	13	11	3	.231
C. Ryono, Z	27	8	6	.222
K. Kadota, WF	19	11	4	.211
Y. Nakayu, SD	24	7	5	.208
Tachibana, LN	15	1	3	.200
Yamanouye, Tw	25	7	5	.200
M. Sasaki, SD	20	4	4	.200
Shimobayashi FG	15	8	3	.200

LEGENDS: WF, Wee Funsters; LN, Lambda Nine; SD, Stardusters; Z, Zephyrettes; Tw, Twixteeners; Sd, Subdebs; TNT, TNT.

The Bruins will clash with the Fourth Air Force flyers at Riverdale, Pvt. Leo Cantor, one of the fullbacks on the March Field contingent will not see action as he was hospitalized with mumps.

Tani and Tamura Mound Choices

On-tap for Sunday's second practice baseball game is the Skippers-San Fernando Aces.

The Skippers took a 12-6 win over the Manzanknights last week in their debut. The San Fernando Aces have played two games and emerged victorious in both; defeating the Yogores, 12-8 and Sears, 11-4, in last week's tilt.

When the Skips clashed the Knights, they obtained 6 hits while 29 times at bat to put up a team average of .207 while the San Fernando lads hit 7 in facing the pitcher 35 times in the Yogore tiff and 6 hits at 22 times in the Sears to bring a combined team hitting average of .228.

The San Pedro lads have not registered any errors in their one game played. The Aces have been guilty of four errors, three in the Yogie scrap and one in Sears. Leading the hurling attack will be J. Tani for the Skippers and J. Tamura for the Aces. Both pitchers have shown good throwing abilities in the recently held games. Tani holds the edge as he has had more experience metamorphosed in his arm. Backing Tani up for relief chucking will be L. Kawachi and M. Shimizu just to mention a few of the most ables. J. Tamura will be assured by E. Yoshiwara when necessity arises.

The battery brigade of the Skippers will consist namely in, M. Shimizu—333, F. Takada, .333, Y. Tatsumi—333, L. Kawachi, O. Nishida, S. Hashimoto—500, and W. Okamoto.

Aces will rely on G. Sugawara—286, G. Tamura—286, M. Nakadaira—200, B. Yoshiwara—572, and B. Sugawara—200.

PROBABLE LINE-UP		S. F. ACES	
C. Miyaki	SS	Sugawara	CF
W. Okamoto	C	Nakadaira	RF
M. Shimizu	LF	G. Tamura	SS
F. Takada	CF	Nakadaira	2B
Y. Tatsumi	3B	Yoshiwara	3B
L. Kawachi	1B	Sugawara	LF
O. Nishida	RF	B. Tamura	P
Hashimoto	2B	Katayama	1B
J. Tani	P	J. Tamura	P

SPORTS MENU

BASEBALL	
Today	
Sears vs. M. Knights	12:30
T. Alley vs. Red Sox	3:15
Sunday, October 10	
Yogores vs. Solons	12:30
Skippers vs. S. Fernando	3:15
GIRLS' VOLLEYBALL	
Sunday, October 10	Ct.
Belle Rinees vs. Twix.	1
Turn Abouts vs. Coronettes	2
Chickadees vs. Valleyettes	3
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Yogies Favored Over Solons

In the opener of the double-header slated for 12:30 p.m. tomorrow, the powerful, run-hungry Yogores will take on the little publicized Solons who were idle last week.

The Yogores have played two contests to date and have shown considerable improvement since losing to the San Fernando Aces two weeks ago. Their batting barrage in the Red Sox last week was terrific and they should paste a defeat on the Solons.

As for the Solons, their showing in the first elimination fracas when they knocked off Tony's Alley was quite impressive. The Solons pounded chuckers Roy Nagao and Hide Nakayu for 8 hits and 12 runs to give an exciting game. The Aces have been ample of their hitting power and run manufacturing. Although they were guilty of 4 errors, they should settle down and play tighter ball tomorrow.

YOGORES BETTER

Speaking of man to man competition, the Yogores have practically every department well taken care of, except for the catcher. Sad news for the Yogores in the catching department, for they will be minus the services of Yoshikazu Fujii; Fujii was the mainstay of the Yogores during the past softball season and was depended upon to do the catching chores for them in the forthcoming baseball season. He was only able to participate in two games, which was enough to give him the distinction of being one of the most dangerous batters and having one of the deadliest arms.

Shig Nakanji, head man of the Yogores, will have a tough time trying to fill the vacancy. Solons' Yank Sawamura, who is one of the more colorful players of the league, will have the nod in this department. At 1st base, Mas Matoba will have the edge in defensive work but Maxie Uragami over-shadows him with the stick work. Uyebe Uyematsu, great defensive man and dangerous with a bat in the clinches, edges Bud Watanabe, who will make his initial appearance in tomorrow's game at the keystone bag. At the 'hot corner,' Nob Murakami outbids Bob Matsumoto, who was obtained from YBA, who he caught Toru Shimizu, the versatile athlete of Manzanar, easily dominates the short-stop position among all other competitors. The outer gardens are

just about equal in defense, but when hitting punch comes in, take the Yogores.

YOGORES POWERFUL

Yogores will bank on Isao Higashi to bring them their second win, while the Solons will give Yo Takahashi, made over 3rd baseman, a crack at the Yogies. He will have his hands full when he faces the Yogores' 'murderer's' row, led by George Shimizu, Maxie Uragami, Toru Shimizu, and Joe Seko.

SOLONS TOO

The Solons will depend on the stick work of Tak Kuse, Ralph Kawamoto, Tom Ito, Yank Sawamura, and Bob Matsumoto to put them in the scoring column. The former four are batting well over the .300 mark.

PROBABLE LINE-UP

YOGORES	SOLONS
G. Shimizu cf	T. Kuse cf
M. Uragami 1b	Kawamoto cf
T. Shimizu ss	T. Ito ss
J. Seko lf	Y. Sawamura c
T. Uyematsu 2b	Matsumoto 3b
Murakami 3b	M. Matoba 1b
F. Ohara c	B. Watanabe 2b
Z. Seko rf	K. Matoba rf
I. Higashi p	Y. Takahashi p

Volleyball Schedule

This is a continuation of the column from last issue. The Girls' National and American League volleyball schedule released by Chiyo Sugimoto.

AMERICAN LEAGUE		Ct.
Block 22 vs. Mademoiselles	1	
Roughnecks vs. Wee Funsters	2	
Jr. Misses vs. In-B-Tweens	3	
OCTOBER 30		
Mademoiselles vs. Wee Funsters	1	
In-B-Tweens vs. Block 22	2	
Roughnecks vs. Jr. Misses	3	
NOVEMBER 6		
Mademoiselles vs. In-B-Tweens	1	
Wee Funsters vs. Jr. Misses	2	
Block 22 vs. Roughnecks	3	
NATIONAL LEAGUE		Ct.
OCTOBER 24		
Valleyettes vs. Belle Rinees	1	
Coronettes vs. Chickadees	2	
Twixteeners vs. Turn Abouts	3	
OCTOBER 31		
Belle Rinees vs. Chickadees	1	
Turn Abouts vs. Valleyettes	2	
Coronettes vs. Twixteeners	3	
NOVEMBER 7		
Belle Rinees vs. Turn Abouts	1	
Chickadees vs. Twixteeners	2	
Valleyettes vs. Coronettes	3	

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