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WRA HEADS VIEW PROJECTS

WRA officials of the industrial and agricultural divisions visited the Center this week to look over the work projects.

Roy Kimmel, chief of the industrial division who was sent here from Washington, left the center with a promise to gain speedy approval for the ten work projects now awaiting the "go ahead" signal.

Regional Industrial Director Stancliff came here primarily to look over the shoyu project. Pete Zimmer, regional agricultural director, gave his approval of the duck, rabbits, hog and chicken projects.

Drama Board

A complete reorganization of the dramatics board and a new election for a director of camp entertainment is scheduled for today's meeting, 7:30 p.m. at 24-15.

ESTABLISH TEMPORARY SCHOOL

Mothers of the center are taking the initiative to establish temporary schools for their children. In spite of lack of adequate textbooks and other facilities, recent response from the outside with

MESS SYSTEM REORGANIZED

Change Meal Hours

Meal hour changes as released by Project Director Roy Nash and in effect from today are:

DAILY	
Breakfast	6:45 - 8:30
Lunch	12:00 - 1:30
Dinner	5:30 - 7:30
SUNDAYS	
Breakfast	7:00 - 8:30
Dinner	12:00 - 1:30
Supper	5:00 - 7:30

Chefs, Leaders Meet

Reorganization of the center's mess hall system to eliminate congestion and create a more harmonious set-up was worked out at a meeting of chefs and block leaders, together with Capt. Truman L. Clevenger, WRA organizer of mess halls and Chief Steward Wm. L. Hall, on Thursday night.

An identification card system, calling for resi-

ALL EXPERIENCED COOKS AND CHEFS, WORKING ON OTHER JOBS ARE URGENTLY REQUESTED TO APPLY FOR KITCHEN JOBS AT 1-8-3. THEY WILL WORK IN SHIFTS AND HAVE SHORTER HOURS.

NO 'S OR 'U' RATINGS!

"No one, Caucasian or Japanese, has any authority to classify at this time any workers as either 'professional', 'skilled', or 'unskilled.'" - Louis Hicks, Ass't. project director.

dents to eat in designated kitchens, will be put into effect soon. By the end of June, all 36 kitchens are expected to be in operation, feeding an average of 290 persons instead of 400 to 700 as of now.

Appointed resident cooks are to work with the Caucasian herds. Ben Yamada was named to assist Chief Steward Hall; while the following were named kitchen coordinators: Heizaburo Isotani, Jitsuo Kimura, Koikichi Amano and Jimmy Mitsubata.

TELEGRAMS SENT

Telegrams may be sent via Western Union from the Administration bldg., 1-7-1, with Alice Yamamoto in charge. All charges for wires must be approved by Fred L. Connors, Sr. Administrative officer.

school materials have been an incentive to continue this temporary tutoring form of education.

Volunteer tutors, college graduates and former college students are being signed up by social workers. All interested tutors for this district will meet at Mess Hall 12 this Sunday at 7 p.m. to draw up a schedule for evening classes which begins Monday at Mess Hall 11.

Registration for classes are also being held at 15-15 and 23-15. High school classes will be held from 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

EVENING UNDER STARS

"Evening Under the Stars," a program of classical recordings will be held tomorrow, Sunday, from 8 to 9 p.m. in the firebreak between 10 and 11 under sponsorship of the social activities division of the recreation department.

EDITORIAL FLAG DAY

Somewhere in your childhood memory, the American flag stands out vividly as a symbol of freedom and equality.

You saluted allegiance to the American flag with your Chinese, German, Greek and Irish classmates.

With youthful passion you believed those words: "one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Tomorrow is Flag Day.

Even in this outpost of civilization, our inherent faith in democracy and respect for the flag will reach the hearts of the rest of the world as we pledge allegiance to Old Glory.

CHURCH

CATHOLIC SERVICES

Time: 9 a.m. Place: 3-15

PROTESTANT

Time:	Place
	5-15 & 15-15
7 a.m.	Morning Devotion
8:45	Sunday School
10:	Eng. Service(5-15)
	Jap. Service(15-15)
11	Eng. Service(5-15)
	Jap. Service(5-15)
7 p.m.	Big 17(5-15)
	Y.P.F.(15-15)

BUDDHIST

9:30	Young people	7-15
2:00	Adults	7-15

BUDDHIST SERVICES

Rev. Junjo Izumida, formerly of Los Angeles, will conduct Manzanar's first Buddhist Services Sunday at 17-15 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. for the young people and from 2 to 4 p.m. for the adults. Both services will be in Japanese. Rev. Izumida stressed that the services are open to all sects of the Buddhist faith.

WITH THE DOCTORS

QUICK THINKING SAVES GIRL

The alertness of Yoshi-ko Ukita, a social worker, probably saved an appendicitis victim from a seri-

ous illness.

Dr. Goto, head of the local medical staff, gave a talk on the symptoms and methods of detecting urgent cases of appendicitis and other common ailments to the social workers at a family relations staff meeting.

Shortly after the meeting adjourned, Miss Ukita appeared at the hospital with a friend, Toshiko Ono-uye.

"I diagnosed this girl's illness, Dr. Goto," said Miss Ukita. "She's got appendicitis."

Dr. Goto's diagnosis confirmed her statement, and an operation was performed immediately.

Operations

Not a single death has resulted from a surgery performed at the local hospital or from a contagious disease here, it was revealed today. To date, 20 appendectomies have been performed, as well as a case of intussusception (telescoping of small intestine into the large) and a case of cancer of the large intestine.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteer workers who are interested in stage work are requested to contact the recreation department. These include actors, property men, electricians, as well as stage crew men.

FINAL RITES

Otsuya service for Kei-hachi Hashimoto of El Monte, whose death occurred of coronary thrombosis at the hospital on Monday night, will be held tonight from 8:30 p.m. at 5-15 with Rev. Jun Fujimori officiating. Dr. Hookeman will conduct funeral service, Sunday, 6:30 p.m. at 5-15. He is survived by his wife Mrs. Chito and children: Joyce, Florence, Gene, John, George, James, Betty and Tommy.

MEASLES?

SEE THE DOCTOR!

When your child shows the first symptoms of the measles, take him at once to the doctor, advised Dr. Yoshiye Togasaki today as the measles epidemic went into its third month here.

Symptoms are: fever, water eyes, cough and rash inside the mouth and on face and body.

Forty-two cases were reported in April; 84 in May and 56 in June. Thirty-nine are now hospitalized.

Return Bottles

All empty medicine bottles and droppers should be returned to the hospital immediately, announced the staff today


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SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Postal savings accounts may be established here only through the approval of the main post office in Los Angeles.

Those desiring service are requested to write to Postmaster Mary D. Briggs.

REPORT CHANGE

Persons moving to new residences within the next few weeks are requested to notify the mail delivery department, 7 - 3 - 4, for change of address.

CALL FOR MAGAZINES

All subscribers to magazines who have not been receiving their regular subscriptions, PLEASE call for their magazines at the mail delivery department-- 7 - 3 - 4--as soon as possible.

CONSTITUTION SET

Retification of the new Block 3 Boys' club constitution took place Wednesday night.

It was voted that elections will be held twice a year, and no office can be held in successive terms. Officers will be elected about the first of July. Block Leader Bill Kido is adviser, with Yone Nakao, assistant.

AERO CLUB MEETS

Discussion of types of planes to be built and construction of gas propelled models will be held at the first meeting of the airplane club Monday night at 16-15 with Richard Kazanazawa in charge.

CLEAN AND JERK

FIRE DEPARTMENT IN CASE OF FIRE...

Fire extinguishers which are now being installed in each apartment must be kept in plain sight at all times, ordered the fire department today.

In case of a fire, these pear-shaped, red tubes will smother the fire immediately.

Full instructions for their operations are printed on each tube. However, a demonstration of emergency fire fighting is being planned by Fire Chief Ralph Fiel to acquaint the residents with the proper use of the extinguishers.

Each usage or an accidental breakage of an extinguisher should be reported immediately to the fire station, 13-8, so it can be replaced.

Contestants Vie In Goh Tournney



Money from contributions will comprise the 30-odd prizes to be awarded winners of the Gohshi tournament, which was started June 7 at 12-12 with 115 contestants lined up.

Matches are held daily from 9-12, 1-5 p.m., and 6-10 p.m. On Sundays, no games are held in morning. Judges Taketomo, Takunaga, Yuga, and Yamano officiate.

PRECAUTIONS

No open fire can be lighted over the entire area of the center without a permit from the Fire Department.

If burning takes place within 500 feet of any building, personal supervision of a fireman is required.

No permits will be issued on windy days or after 12 noon.

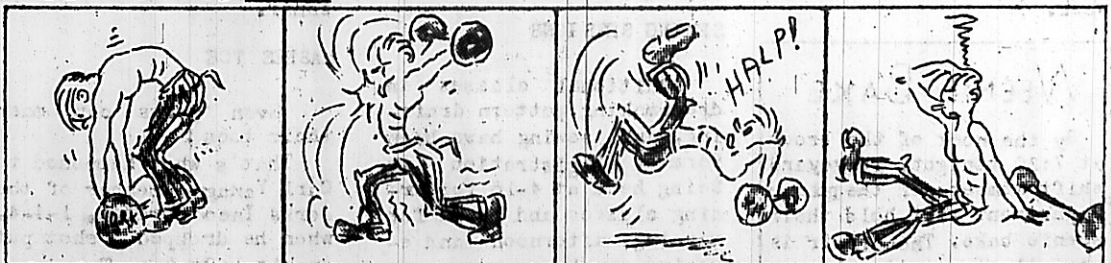
THEATRICAL GROUP

Meeting of persons interested in forming a theatrical group will be held Saturday, 7:30 a.p.m.; 24-15.

WHAT'S DOIN'

- Sat...Sadie Hawkins Danco (invitational).... 8:15 p.m.
- Sat...Police Weenie Bake (invitational)..... 9:30 p.m.
- Sat...Jr. Checker Tournament....17-15..... 9-12 a.m.
- Sun...Bible Class.....21-15..... 7-10 p.m.
- Sun...Japanese Opera.....19-15..... 1-4 p.m.
- Sun...Bible Class.....11-15..... 8-11 p.m.
- Sun...Young People Meet..... 5-15..... 7-10 p.m.
- Mon...Dusty Mine Jr. Meet..... 5-15..... 7-8 p.m.
- Wed...Community Sing..Outside Blk 8-15..... 8 p.m.

BY BOB



FACE LIFE SQUARELY FIRST 'Y' CLUB FORMED

Feeling that the G. R. purpose, "To face life squarely and to find and give the best," was ideal to carry the club through, the Stardusters recently voted unanimously to become affiliated with the L. A. "Y".

This is the first club of its kind to be organized

in Manzanar.

At the meeting Yuri Uyeno was elected president; Aijoe Hoshizaki, v. president; Harumi Hino, secretary; Mary Uyeno, treasurer and Eva Tamaki, historian.

The girls are now making plans for an installation with Aijoe as chairman.

SHOWER CURTAINS PROMISED

At last--Manzanar's womenfolk will be able to have complete privacy in



the rest rooms.

Fifty dozen shower curtains, made by the sewing project workers under supervision of Mrs. Taya Jow, are awaiting installment in the women's shower rooms by the maintenance crews. Partitions for the lavatories have already been installed.

CONCERTS DUE

For the purpose of giving recorded concerts of popular and semi-classical music once a week, Henry Ushijima will open a studio soon.

PASADENANS, NOTE!

Pasadena J. C. students should get in touch with Suiichi Ogura, 11-7-4, for their annuals which are due here sometime this week.

WEENIE BAKE

By the nook of the brook at 7:30 tonight, graveyard shift members of the police department will hold their weenie bake. The affair is strictly invitational.

TWILIGHT SONGFEST

A twilight songfest--community singing and a short program--has been slated for next Wednesday, June 17, 8 p.m. at the fire-break, west of 8-15.

Song leaders Miyu Kikuchi and Paul Bannai will direct the group in singing both current and old-time favorites. Included on the program will be Henry Kano and Miyu Kikuchi in vocal solos and an instrumental number.

What's Knittin' Kitten?



INSTRUCTIONS GIVEN

Good news for feminine workers! Stop your lamenting, dig up your knitting and dash over to 16-15 either on Monday, Wednesday, or Friday evenings.

There from 6:30 to 9:30 you can load your knitting problems on to Miss Mary Tamaki, who will teach you how to make socks, sweaters, caps, mittens and gloves.

SEWING SESSIONS

Additional classes in dressmaking, pattern drafting, and sewing have been formed. Registration is being held at 4-15 for morning classes and 18-15 for morning, afternoon and evening sessions.



BABY TONAI

Newest arrival in camp is the 6 lbs. 2 oz. son born to Mr. and Mrs. Gunohi Tonai, 5-9-2, at 7:35 a.m. Thursday morning at the hospital. Baby Tonai becomes the center's ninth boy.

BABY HARADA

Susan Reiko was the name chosen by Mr. and Mrs. Tomio Harada, 24-8-3, for their baby daughter born on June 5 at the local hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz. at birth. Mrs. Harada is the former Sally Kawabata.

SEXTUPLETS!

Manzanar's first set of sextuplets were born Wednesday night to Mrs. Mama Rabbit owned by Marge Hoshizaki of 12-10-1.

OF PEOPLE

BROTHER VISITS

Brother Theophane Walsh of the Maryknoll Mission, who was recently appointed Field Commissioner for the local Boy Scouts, visited Manzanar Wednesday. He was named to this position by the Los Angeles Metropolitan Council for Boy Scouts.

EDUCATION OFFICIAL

Stopping enroute to Bishop where he participated in graduation ceremonies was Dr. Walter Dexter, State Supt. of Public Instruction, who is working on the formation of an educational system for Manzanar.

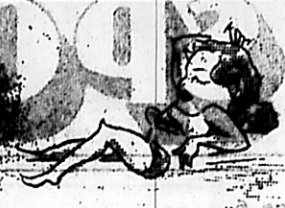
MASHES TOE

Even jerks can mash their toes!

That's what happened to Carl Yanagi, member of the Jerks Incorporated, 1-4-4, when he dropped a shot put on his left toe, Tuesday.



SPORTS



HAS BEEN TOP EAGLES, 14-2

Behind the 4-hit pitching of H. Tochioka, the Has Been stopped the L.A. Eagles' winning streak at 3 straight last Thursday and extended their own to 3 in a row with a 14-2 triumph.

The Eagles held a 1 run lead up to the fourth, when the Has Been blasted Okamura for 8 runs. It all began with successive hits by Tochioka, Kunitomi, and Uyehara, followed by Kondo's circuit clout.

H. Okamura was relieved by S. Okamura after the fourth and held the opponents to 5 runs.

Has Been.....100 814-14
Eagles.....200 000-2

H. Tochioka and M. Furuto; H. Okamura, S. Okamura, and A. Yamashita.

CHICKS AGAIN!

WARRIORS STOP AGGIES, 12-7

Behind steady hurling of Joe Kishi, the L.A. Warriors handed the undefeated Aggies their first setback in four starts, 12-7, in a National League game last Thursday.

Taking advantage of Oshima's wildness, the L.A. boys slashed across 6 runs in 3rd, 3 runs each in the 4th and 6th to walk away with the game.

I. Matsumoto's big mace kept the Aggies in the running with 2 smashing doubles and a homer.

R. H. Aggies.....000 040 3- 7 8
Warriors....006 303 x-12 6
Oshima and Myerscki; Kishi and Fujioka.

FERNANDITES SLAUGHTERED, 40-0

The rugged Dusty Chicks massacred the outclassed San Fernando lassies in a 40-0 triumph last Thursday.

The merry-go-round started when 17 Chicky crossed the plate in the 1st. "Butch" Sugimoto played errorless ball, blasting 4 homers and a triple to cinch the game.

The luckless Fernandos showed a little spark in the 3rd with 2 runs by Hamamoto and Tabuchi.

R. H. Chicks..17 3 7 3 17 2-40 36
S.F.....0 0 2 1 2 2- 6 9

TERM-ITES NOSE OUT JIGGERETTES, 25-24

Term-ites cleaned up another "A" softball series 25-24, nosing out the Jiggerettes in the 6th frame by blasting 10 runs.

Term-ites H. Shintani started the scoring spree with a homer in the 6th to aid her mates put over 10 runs. L. Odahara started for the losers.

Jiggers...2 1 11 1 6 0 3-24
Term-ites 0 7 3 1 4 10 x-25

RAMBLERS FATTEN LEAD

RUSTY 9 TAKES EASY GAME

Aided by Tanaka brothers' 5 home runs, the Rusty 9 walloped the Bel Aire, 38-17, last Wednesday in a wild scoring rampage. It was their first victory in 3 starts.

The Rusties picked up 21 runs in the first 5 frames with home runs by Yoshioka, T. Tanaka, and S. Tanaka.

The Tanaka brothers were the big guns for the victors with 12 runs and 10 hits, including 5 circuit clouts.

Rusty 9.....025 77 17-38
Bel Aire.....013 33 7-17
S. Nakagiri and H. Tanaka; G. Okamura and P. Takeuchi.

WONDERS LOSE TWO STRAIGHT, 22-17

Tom Higa's "recruits" are beginning to prove why they're on top of the American league. The 22-17 slugging over the Wonders put the Ramblers far in the lead with 8 straight and dropped the Wonders to 3rd place tie with the Giants.

With the moon coming out in the 6th, the Wonders showed a little sparkle, scoring 7 runs off Mikuriya after trailing 20-8.

R. H. Ramblers....074 252 2-22 20
Wonders....440 007 2-17 20
Arita, M. Mikuriya and Suzuki; Neeno and I. Hara.

PING PONG CHAMP

Toyoko Ieki was the unchallenged female champ of the 13-15 ping-pong tournament, defeating 6 opponents in the round-robin affair.

COAST LEAGUE

Sunday	Aggies vs. Comets	6 p.m.
Monday	Aggies vs. Dusty 9	9:30 p.m.
Tuesday	Scouts vs. Sloppy 9	2:30 p.m.

"A" SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Sunday	(15-15)	1:30 p.m.
	Lucky S. vs. Chicks	
	(15-15)	6 p.m.
	Pasadena vs. S. Fernando	
Monday	(2-3)	6 p.m.
	Invaders vs. Jiggerettes	

"A" VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE

Saturday	(block 3)	6 p.m.
	Term-ites vs. S. Fernando	
Monday		6 p.m.
	Lucky S. vs. S. Fernando	
Tuesday		6 p.m.
	All-Arounds vs. Invaders	

UPTOWN STRUTTERS TRIUMPH, 15-0; 15-5

Up-town Strutters went to town to hand the Small Frys their second volley-ball defeat, 15-0, 15-5.

The victory put the Strutters in a 3-way tie with Jr. Invaders and F.H.A.

SPORTS

S. YAMAUCHI TOPS WEIGHTS WITH 575

In a novice meet held last Sunday at 14-11-2, husky S. Yamauchi topped all division with a nice total of 575. He competed in the 168 lb. class.

The events participated were the press, clean and jerk and snatch. Results:

Class	Total
115 Class	
1st- G. Okamoto	420
2nd- S. Shishido	380
3rd- Y. Shishido	375
120 Class	
1st- T. Agisaka	455
2nd- G. Hashimoto	440
3rd- H. Shiba	380
132 Class	
1st- M. Sakai	505
2nd- B. Yano	445
3rd- G. Saito	385
148 Class	
1st- A. Kato	500
Y. Kakehashi	500
2nd- R. Ishihara	490
G. Fujimori	490
168 Class	
1st- S. Yamauchi	575
2nd- S. Nozawa	525
Heavyweight	
1st- H. Okumura	550

PADRES MOVE UP

V. ACES FALL VICTIM TO CLUTCH HITTING

Hits in the clutches paid off in an International leaguer Wednesday evening, when the strong Sierra Padres came up to give the Victory Aces a 14-13 decision.

Floyd Fujui, Padre second baseman, connected a double bringing in 2 runs to knot the tally. Ko Yamada scored Fujui on a hard single to beat the fighting Victory Aces 14-13 in the final inning rally.

Padres.....302 063 x-14
V. Aces.....300 190 0-13
Tashima and Yokota; K. Tanaka, Tamai and Maeda.

ACES SHELLACK KINGS 25-2

National league's Stan Fernando Aces stretched their streak to 6 straight with an overwhelming blitzkrieg over the Glendale Kings 25-2, last night.

The Aces had the game on ice in the very 2nd inning with a 5 run uprising and then had their picnic when 7 Fernandoens crossed the plate in the 3rd. The merry-go-round continued in the 4th on successive bingles by Sugawara, H. Hino, Endo, Nakamura, and 3 Glendale errors resulted in 8 more Fernando tallies.

R. H. S.F. Aces...2 5 7 8 3-25 20
G. Kings...0 0 0 2 0- 2 6

Hino and Sugawara; Matsubara, Fujimoto and Kawamura.

SPOTLIGHT

LEGAL FITCHING-This column regrets the mistake about Padres' Harry Teshima's illegal chucking...he's still flawless.....

UMFIRES-Let's not jump on the man who calls the "balls and strikes"...His precious time is being offered for the benefit of all, so let's play ball with him.....

TRACK-First track meet will be held this Sunday afternoon when the fleetfooted athletes from the Knights, Yogores and Ramblers will compete in a triangle meet.

NORTH STARS-Shortstop Takechi brightened the Yogores' game with 3 doubles on 4 times at bat.....

GOPHERS-Softspoken George Yamazaki has won 3 games against no losses since he has taken over chucking duties for the Gophers.....

FADRES-Team consists of 6 former U.C.L.A. and 2 U.S.C. students...They play mighty intelligent ball.....

WRESTLING-Greeco-Roman or collegiate style of tussling will be welcomed in future wrestling bouts. All wrestlers as well as amateurs are welcome to work out with the police force..

HAS BEEN-EAGLES-Two of the best chucking machines are found in Tochioka and Okamura...pitching duels will be witnessed Thursday nite.

OWENS LEAGUE TO START SAT. MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT..2-15.

GIANTS DROP 3RD TILT

The slipping Giants, one of the top teams in the league, fell for their 3rd time in the last 3 games when they bumped against the Gophers Tuesday night. The Gophers, tied with the Wonders in 2nd, played errorless ball, in dumping the Giants into 3rd spot.

The luckless Giants, trying hard to snap out of their slump, were in the lead in the 4th, 5-4. In the last of the 5th, Kuramoto singled, Tanibata walked, Shimizu singled, Ray Goto got a life on an error, Yamazaki singled and 3 Gophers crossed the plate.

Giants.....220 100 0-8 5
Gophers.....220 030 x-7 7

Taketomo, and Kunitani, S. Iiyemura; Yamazaki and Shimizu.