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## IIISSING ARTIST'S BODY

## FAMILLES SET DEPARTLRE

## date as closing nears

ORDERLY CENTER EVACUATION PLANNED AS CABDS APE RETURNED TO RGIGCOATION OFFICE WHERE TANSPORTATION FACİİTIES APE SCHEDULED

To expediato plonning and pernit the ordorly clos:? of linzanar by Deconber 1 , cards went out this :. 6 : from the Relocation Office to each fanily giving : 7 an opportunity to select their dato of departure . the place to which they wish to resettlo. In addi+..n rosidents vere asked i: thoy need assistance f: on the Relocation or the We.tare Oflices. All $n$ n:is were due back in the RC_scetion Offico last .. $\quad$ : .

In a nessaje to Manzanar :ople, which accormenied t'e card Piojoct Director 2. Iph Po !erritt stated;
"It is nov the duty of Gory Manzanar fanily to ..vo a dofinite date for relocetiag vefore the and if ilovenbor, It wili bo$n_{n}$ o neccssary under instenctions seat ne fron Vashington to nake plans me carry then out for shose tho male no plans ior thoisolves. I feel suro that no porson in Manzanar vill enbarass ne by having to uso that authority in this contor.
"It will bo with deep rogret that wo say goodbye to oech other. The tine (Continuod On Paco 3)

## NISEI NIN CITATIONS

Presonting Distinguished Unit Citations to two $J_{\Sigma}$ paneso Anerican Battelions at Leghorn last Thursday, It. Gon. Iucian Ko Truscott doclared that tho conbat Tean was one which "any reginent in history would be proud to owin, according to the L.A. Tines. STILL RESTRICTED TO THE CENTER of the Projoct Diroctor. (Continuod On Págo 2)

## FOUND ON UILLIEMSON

Tho body of Giichi sictsumura, 47, :ienzenar ovam cuoo artist, ves found by fishormon in Villianson cenyon on Rondev, Soptember 3.

Matsurnura, who vas on a skotching and pairting tour,.. loft Manzener July 29. \#o becano lost fron his party Aucust 2, and diod of oxposure.

Two soarch pertios woro organizod et tho rclocer tion contor in oarly August and spont sovarel deys in the aroe vioro ho vas last soon but failed to find any trace of the :issing ertist.

Matrumura is survived by his wifo, Ito; a duaghter Kazuo; throo sons, Mesaru, Tsutomu, Uwao and a. brother, Tadao all living at Menzenar.

## ExClUSION AND DETENTION ENDED BY THE MILITARY

## WRA REGULATIONS GTILL PREVAIL WITH GATE

 passes necessary; some aliens and citizensManzanar rosidents care still subject to the remu$l_{\text {etions }}$ of tho Wer Rolocation Authority dospito Public Proclamation iio. 24 which becano offoctivo at nidmicht Sopteribor 4, according to a nonorandun fron the offico

Tho Proclanation, signed by Major Gonorel H.Centratit comranaing gonoral of the Wostorn Dofonso Comand, hes

# HUVOLUNTARY RELOCATIDN FLAN AT. TOPA? CENTER 

SPECIAL COAGHES TO SAN FRANCISCO AND

## ChICAGO :ITLL E EIPTY CENTER BY NOVEMBER

Iavoluatery relocation will bogin on Soptonbor 13, whon tho sirst group of ovacuoo rosidents of Topaz aro schoduled to lonvo the contor, according to tho Topaz Tinos, Rosidonts on the involuntery list woro advisod of thoir catos of doparturo on August 28.

## --EXCLUSION

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tho offoct of recinding all indviduel axclusion ordors thich ncens that porsons on Stop 1, oxclusion, and Stop 3, dotontion aro no longor subjoct to tho rostinctions proviciod in the Arry ordors.

In adilition tho nilitery Polico will no loncor control ontranco and c. .t fron tho contor.

Aovovor citizons who havo romounced their citizo:ship: and Alions who. aro sorvod doportation warrants arc still prohibitod fron loaving tho contor. All rosidonts aro roquircd to produco passos if thoy dosirc to ontor or loevo tho Contor and rculations covoring visitors hevo not chancod.

Tho seto will continuo to bo oporatod by the WRA and all rulos and rogulations of tho Contor will contimuo to bo onforcod by tho Projoct Diroctor. Instructions concorning Volfaro grant cloerancos, rolocation clearanco, and othor cloarancọs for loaving or ontorinf lienzanar will continuo.

In lifting tho bers on roturn of Japanose Anoric. cans to tho West Coast, Socrotery of $\mathrm{H}_{\mathrm{a}} \mathrm{r}$ Stinpson statod that the surrender of the Japanosc EXOVernnont had ro: opod tho rilitary

Spocial coachos aro boing schoduled to leavo for San Prancisco on oech Thursday during Soptonbor and Octobor to renovo bctwoon throe hundrod and four hundrod porsons vookly. In addition thore aro spocial coachos to talco ovacuoos to Chicago oach Thosday. Thosc will bring the total doparturos oach woek to approxinatoly fivo hundrod porsons, onough to insuro contor closing by Movonbor $10^{\circ}$.

Tonporary housing will bo provided for thoso who noed it.
TOPAZ TIMES ENDS
Tho Topaz Tinos, ofificial contor publication, publishod tho last issuo of its papor on August 21. Rolocation of nany staff nombors and tho ininonco of contor closing mado tho abandonnont of tho papor nocos sary.

The Topaz Tines wes first publishod on Soptonbor 17, 1942 undor tho oditorship of Honry Takahashi, former San Prencisco newspapornan.
nocossity for the oxclusion of Anoricans of Jepanoso ancostry fron tho West Coast.

Major Gonoral Pratt's proclanation statod thad porsons affoctod "should be accordod tho sane treatnent and allowad to onjoy the sano privilogos accordod other law ebsding citizons or rosidonts."

ARCADIA TRAIN VRECK

## KILLS THO POSTON HEN

Dectili geno to two forner evacuons fron the Postof Reloces.joz Contor in the wreck of tho California Linited et Arcedia on Sopt. 4, accorcing to a tolotypo fron this tios Aiscolos WRA offico. $L_{n}$ eddition throo Japanoso bericen soldiors woro injured and a Gucam sien Drppoyoo of the Poston Contor suffored slight inju:ios.

These killod voro ITobuo Itan, 57, and Yo oji Yesum toni, 6. : both of Routc. 2 Box 415, VaHabra, California and Posto: Bodios aro at tho Glessor and Johne Mortuery, 550 South First Ave., Arcadia, Celis formis.

Tho throo soldions tho aro in tho arxy hospital at Pasedena aro Pvt. Dick I. Kisuke, Poston; T/SEt. Janos S. Yosininobu of Chicago and $\mathrm{F}_{\mathrm{az}}$. Yarsciawa, all of whon suffored ninor injurios.

Stowoll Sealnoer, of tho Postor Appoint od Staff is roleasod fron tho hospital folloving slight injuries sustainod in tho wrock.

YWCA BOARD BOWS OUT WITH FINAL HEETING

At a Sundey ovoaine nocting at tho hono of Mrs. Rolph P. Morritt, tho Manzanar MMCA Boaid hold its final nooting on August 26 .

In exocutivo sossion the board novod to zotify tho Netional YWCA of its action. Following tho businoss nooting a toe perty was onjouod by the assodblod nonbers.

A fow units of the organization will cortinuo to function infor::elly during yho closiac deys of the Contor.

CALLS FOR LATE CHECK．

## DELAY FISCAL SERVICE

Fiscal ．Doyertmont rum quests thet evecuec wor－ kers and ajうointod porson－ nel supurvisors discontinue phoning tho Fiscal Dopart－ ment inquiria：as to whe－ ther or not the evecucos pay chocles havo arrived． Due to the shortago of help and tho ovor incroen sing anount of worls in tho Troasury Dopartmont in Los Angelos tho pay chocks will arrive muoh letor in the future．

The day that the ohooks arrive in Sienzener thoy are sortod and distributod to the various dopertnent， and the lerec nunber of phone calls daily do not hurry tho delivery of tho checks in eny way，but aro meroly $a$ vesto of tino for both the Fiscal Dopertmont and tho pertics celling．

It：is elso requosted thet whon peyrolls and checks arrivo ovacuces sign for thon at once and the returin of the payrolls to the Fiscal Depertmont without any unnccossexy dolay．

The cooporetion of all workers and suporvisors in this mattor will be groato ly approciatod，statod $J_{0}$ W．Carney，assistant Fi－ nance Officor．
RELOCATION AT TOPAZ
SETS ALL－TIME RECORD
2fegt hundrod and sixty persons rolocatod fron To－ paz，during the month of August and este．blished a record for any nonth aince the incoption of the cen－ ter in Soptornbor 1948， eccording to an iten in the Topaz Tines．

The sano roport indica－ Hed thest 2655 person have cosestlod fron that centor teinad Jemurry firsb 19450．

SALINAL HOSTEL OPENS：
A now hostel at 535 in n－ coln St．，Salinas，sas opend recently to acracr－ nodate 75 people，the San Fancisco WRA announcura．

The hostel is locatesd $\because$ n tho old Japanoso Priosb－ torian churcho

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Todd vias entailod to tho Gila Rivor Contor cm July 8，1945，to aorve ris Act－ ing Assistant Projisct Di－ roctor，in charge of $\omega$ ministrative Mana，rono：it． Prior to that he we aissis－ tent Projact Dirocitor in charge of Oporations＇s at tho Heart Mountain Reliscation Center，a position which he held since Deconls or 16， 1942.

## LEGAL SERVICES GOIVEN

## TO LOS ANGELES AFREAE

WRA provides experf，ence． legal service trorough．John S．Meaney，Aroa Attiprne： in the Los Angeles offgic．，． He is prepared to adprist Nisei and Issei on anye and all logel natters．！$r$ 。 Moaney fornerly vas ins wo San Brancisco Offico，and for a while actod es rom joct attorney at tho fran nada Center．

The Lewyers Guild of Los Angoles also has 11 at frm neys who voluntoer to Exelp Japanese Anericans．Tzeir address is $289 \mathrm{~K}_{0}$ Broadv ${ }^{\text {ay＇}}$ Los Angeles，phone MId his gen 2641．Morris Cohn is chairnan．
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BUDDHISTS，OREN．HOS SML FACIETAY IN DETROIT ．．
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FISCAL ASKS ADÜRESSES
qO AID CHECK DELIVERY
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## HEART MOUNTAIN SETS SCHEDULED DEPARTUPES

DEADLINE OF CENTER. GLOSING TO BE MET WITH PROJECT ARRANGED TERIIINAL DEPARTURES

Heart Mountain Center closing plans arc reveeled in the Septenber 1, issue of the Sentinelmbulletin, in dicating that officials uill have the project completely evacuated by the deedldino date of Hovenber 15.

Project scheduled dapartures will becin on October

## CO-OP WITHDRAWS FROM

## SEVERALMMORE SERVICEN

Barivor shop, beauty shop, photo studio, watoh repair. and fish departnont are all undor privato supervision beginning Soptonber $1_{0}$ announced Joe $\mathrm{K}_{\mathrm{i}}$ shis, gonerel nanager of tho Comp. Thoy are operating unde: soparate nanagenent fron the Co-op

Tags will not bo nooded for shoa repair work. Ho advence ordors will be taken at the fish dopartnont.

## --LEGAL SERVICES <br> (Continuod Fron Page 3)

For sone tine the Anerican Civil Libortios Union, 257 So. 'Spring Sto, Los Angoles, phono MIchigan 9708, has had as offer of froe legel ropresentation on bohall of Japanese Anerican. $\mathrm{N}_{\mathrm{O}} \mathrm{N}$ they add that they are ospecia? Iy interestod in cases of discrimination in securing salos tax liconses.

Tho Logal Aid Foundation 106 W . Third $\mathrm{S}_{\mathrm{t}_{0}}$, Los: $\mathrm{An}_{\mathrm{n}}$ godos, phone MUtual 9226, offers its servicos without foo to pooplo ofiail races, including those of Japanose desceny.

[^0] 1, and ovacuoes vill bo assigned detos. of departure to bec̃one effective after that dato.

Relocation Proúran Officer, $J_{0} \circ$ Carroll, of Heart Mountain stetod thet in the case of those who have indicated no deto of dem parture or who have no plans for relocationn sontacts will bo mede and thoy will be Givon a period ending October 1 , to select a dente of doperture.

Those who still neke no definite plans vill then be placed on e. schodule which will cerry definite date of departure and they will be notificd threo days prior to such dopasture.

In carrying out the schodule tickots will be purchasod for those leaving and if necossery thetr bolongings will jo peoked and placed on the bus. Dostinations of the evecuoes loavin, wader this plan will be the place of rosidence at the tice of evacuation, The number leaving daily will be sufficiont to guprentoe onptying the contor by the. closing dato.

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