

## New policy for Transfers told

Consideration for special transfers to and between relocation contors shall be given bers of a family or to prevent "undue hardship," according to the policy set by the Regional Office.
A family is defined as "that group domiciled together as a family immediately prior to evacuation, plus other members dependent upon the family group for principal support, or contributing principal support to the family group at the time."

Tho cases which maybe con"undue hardship" provision include the following:
(1) Physical disability-involving care by friends or relatives not classed as immediate family. (2) Economic distress-involving financial support by friends or relatives not classed as immediate family.
(3) Custody and guardianshiprequiring custody and exercise of guardianship for care and protection of minors, orphans and in competents by persons not
fied as immediate family.
(4) Marringe-Involving the uniting of single persons ent ing into Other special cases such as professionals in demand at other jocations.

## Resident leaves to Join sweetheart

The old adage "Love laughs at locksmiths" still held true as 21-year-old Tomiko Kato walked past the sentry box last Saturday and hailed a bus for mojave, en raining foin her sweetheart, John Nitta.

They will be married in Lansdale, Pennsylvania, where Nitta is working as a chick sexor Among the crowd waving goodbye to Tomiko were her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs, Kai and three brothers. The family originally hailed from Terminal Island.

The girl was one of the first to eceive special permits from the army to leave a center to marry

## Music Hour Features Beethoven Works

Continuing the BeethovenBrahms cycle, the Music Hour will present "Lenore Overture No. 1 " and "Symphony No. 9 " by Beethoven at 8 p
July 23 , at $32-15$.
July 23, at 32-15.
Sunday's offering will be Beethoven's "Symphony No. 7",
and "Violin Concerto in D Major" with Jascha Heifetz, violinist, from $8 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. at $32-15$.

## Girls Wanted <br> Immediately

All girls dosiring half-day
work aro asked to report to tho camouflago net project. Two hundred workers aro needed immediately.

From Humble Beginnings


From the humble beginning above when the paper rolled off a tomperamental mimeograph machine, the Manzanar Free
Press today comes of age.-Cui Courtesy of L. A. Daily News.

## Presses roll for first Printed Free Press

On the night of April 11, several weeks after the first staunch pioneers fared forth into Manzanar, the initial historic copy of The Manzanar Free Press dropped, wet with fresh ink, from the limping, erratic mimeo press. Simple and unpretentious, it made its bow to fulfill a vital need for accurate information.

Today, already past gawky adolescence, The Manzanar Free Press dons its new party dress, complete with modern type and streamlined masthead. Its steady progress symbolizes the development of the center from a few ditch-riddled blocks populated with a scattering of shivering newcomers to a full-sized community of nearly ten thousand people watering their patches of green lawn and discussing the latest snag in the system of self-government.

Launched by a small group of ambitious ex-newspapermen, the paper declared in its debut issue, "Truth must be the keystone of this community so we have called this The Manzanar Free Press." In our brief three and a half months of existence we have always attempted to adhere to this ideal, sometimes under trying circumstances. At times our critics have hurled charges of censorship and curled their lips in irony at the name Free Press. Despite handicaps, we have tried to be true to our original promise of squelching rumors, upholding morale, printing authentic information, and making constructive criticisms.

With the blessings of Bob Brown, public relations director, Vol. 1 No. 1 referring to itself as "America's youngest and one of the most unique newspapers" started on its great adventure. Setting the pace and pattern for all the others, it was the very first of center publications.

Beginning as a skimpy four page bi-weekly, after several issues it grew into a six page bi-weekly. Increased population with an accompanying increase in activities called for more frequent publication. Therefore, on May 12, one month after the first issue, the Free Press became a tri-weekly. Now to give better coverage we are finally going on a printed basis.

In our brief mimeographed career we have created quite a flurry in the large world outside our guarded gates. Though seemingly isolated, Manzanar is the cynosure of all eyes. We are principals in a social drama unparalleled in history. Already our scrap book runs into five huge volumes filled with thousands of clippings from every large and obscure publication in the country.

With this issue we write thirty to Vol. I and continue with Vol. II. Although our days of nursing a temperamental mimeograph machine are over, our real work has just begun. Today we are.fortified with more experience; today we are in a we are.fortified to position to live up our name. Our avowed purpose of creating an informed and alert public shall not be forgotten.

## Workers claim May checks

Distribution of $\$ 24,646.41$ worth of long-awaited WCCA May checks, which arrived Monday, began this morning at $9 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. The office will remain open each night until no one is left in line for the convenience of workers. Checks will be cashed at the canteen.
E. H. Hooper, principal fiscal accountant who just returned from the Regional Office in San Francisco on official business yesterday, announced that following the usual procedure, workers are requested to bring their identification numbers or work slips to avoid unnecessary delay.

## Form judiciary committee To help maintain order

To help maintain peace, safety and order within the center, a judiciary committee composed of three Japanese and two alternates was elected by the Block Leaders' Council this week to serve with three Caucasian staff members. Selected were Mrs. Miya Kikuchi, Koji Ariyoshi and Tom Ozamoto, with Rev. Jun Fujimori and Henry Tsurutani as alter nates. Caucasian members are Mrs. Margaret D'lle of the So-
cial Welfare section; Thoma Temple, community services and Ned Campbeil, assistant projec director.
This tribunal is quasi-tempor ary in nature and is not to be confused with the tentative judiciary planned to be incorporated in the proposed constitution of the block leaders. It has been formed under direct orders from WRA
Final decision and sentence on all cases rests with the Project Director. This tribunal will have the power to hold hearings, subpoena and examine witnesses and render opinions to the Director. It shall hold hearings only after a written statement of charges has been served; hearings shall be public, but the committee reserves the right to call for a closed hearing, whenever the sub ject matter warrants, or when the best interests of the defend ant are involved
A defendant is permitted to be represented by a counsel or rep resentative of his own choosing He also has the right of appea to the region
minor cases.
No fines may be imposed, but strict disciplinary actions will be taken.

## Workers receive

 New working pantsWorking pants are being issued by blocks to workers at 1-14. The office will remain open
36 blocks are covered.
36 blocks are covered.
The supply, sufficient to go around to every laborer, is hand led by the social service burenu This is the second shipment of clothing received from the army, the first supply went to the olunteer crew.

## Treedom of the press

The clerk whose accounts are correct welcomes the auditor. A public official sure of his aim and integrity welcomes criticism.

No administrator making decisions by the dozen daily about problems as unpredictable as those of Manzanar is infallible. Mistakes occur. Judgments differ. White to one man looks black to another.

The function of a free press is to make a record of the particular section of life which comes within its view, and to comment on that record. The MANZANAR FREE PRESS records the daily development of a fascinating so cial scene evolving under exccedingly difficult controls What a pity were that record to be blurred by restriction of editorial freedom! The opinions of intelligent participants in an action may be as significant as the action.

With this issue the MANZANAR FREE PRESS dons a new dress. With my blessing she also wears in her hair the red rose of freedom.

ROX NASH,
Project Director.


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## Police chief 'jailed'

The rather dubious honor of being the first inmate of the newly-acquired jail was conferred upon Assistant Chief L. F. Day of the police department.
In a double ceremony dedicating the new headquarters, of the Day's 35th birthday, the police force celebrated with an ice cream party on Tuesday.
Packages of presents placed as bait in the far corner of the cell bait in the far corner of the cell
failed to lure Day and it took the $\begin{aligned} & \text { cat the } \\ & \text { of the center. }\end{aligned}$

## From OTHER CENTERS

SANTA ANITA
A sub-station of the Immigration and Naturalization Service has been opened for the convenience of Center residents
handsome gardenia corsage, fashioned out of Kleenex and lemon leaves, was presented a Santa Anitan by her escort for the recent graduation ball attended the Fourth of July dance and jitterbug contest-first prize went to Susie Hattoci i and Harold Shirakawa... Over 75 energetic Santa Anitans mieet at 6:45 every morning for calisthenics.

## POMONA

Patriotic Pomonans responded to the recent USO drive to the une of $\$ 697.85 \ldots$ Dr. E. Stanley Jones, eminent Christian leader,
combined efforts of five husky patrolmen to force him to accept the honor.
Although Day demanded his rights for an attorney, his request was not granted. He was released, however, after the party was in full progress.
have been in better and more comfortable jails," he commented after his release, "but I haven't seen any cleaner ones. The new police station is lo-
spoke to 3000 Center residents last week on "The Christian Answer to Suffering" .... a marble tourney is on tap, with a softball as the first prize.

## TULELAKE

"Twenty cents for a standard haircut and thirty cents for a deluxe one with all the trimmings", states the newly-established barber shop . . . the colony's second community store opened last week with $\$ 1400$ as the first day's total sales

## TULARE

Marigold plants are ${ }^{\text {b }}$ being given out to center residents by generous Y. Nishida, former Santa Barbara nurseryman ... Animals are prohibited here-no pets al-
lowed ...

## LOOKING <br> for misplaced glasses or a long lost cousin . . . ? <br> Use the classified column of <br> The Manzanar Free Press <br> to track them down! <br> RATES: <br>  <br> 2 cents for each word above 25 <br> Block 1, Building 1

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TRY A BOTTLE AT THE CANTEEN:

## Manzanar METAZOA <br> By CARL KONDO

BACKLOG
What blights the life of nise here in Relocation Centers more than the thought of opportunities missed while undergoing an enforced vacation from the vissitudes of daily existence?
Here is a halt, a dam in the river of experience, which is gained only through a continual, uninterrupted progress. The forethinking nisei should plan for
the future when he will be issued he future when he will be issued into the world, armed only with his intelligence, skill or knowl edge by which to earn his keep. IMPEDIMENT
Many nisei were snatched from types of employment which may not exist in a post-war world. Today's students will be thrus into that world without experience. The status of day laborer All the pioner nisel young men. gencration in hewing an he firs ic niche in this country for heir ic niche nill have been nur heir Faced by on uncertain fulure on all fronts, politically, socially, economically, the nisei today should be concerned enough to sit and analyze the situation of dependency in which he is too complacently resting. wheren either reach manhood or remain in the childhood. Now is the testing time-will the nisei arrive at adulthood?

## MARKERS

The elders in Manzanar are concerned and so is the Educational department of the adminiof von. planned may be a series The start is good.
Lacking an opportunity to ain first-hand experience, the nisei would benefit by instruction in skilled trades, knowledge of many lines of business painfully learned by elders through years of trial and error methods. Where the first generation have succeeded, the nisei can also earn a livelihood.
But few issei have the educational background to qualify them from passing on their experiences to their children in organized classes or lecture groups. The disturbing thought that we may be denied heir help through non-teaching credentials may be without foundation, and it is
earnestly hoped that it is. We need all the advice and knowlneed all the advice and knowlundeniable is the uncertainty of the future.
PREPARATION
Already in Manzanar study groups and forums are in progress of being, or are now in activity. Perhaps through these groups, selected issei could be they built up a successful busithey
ness.
Such projects, however, will necessarily entail caręful forethought and skilled planning. surely help will be required and surely can be asked by study groups.

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## Blocks to elect leaders

Elections of Block leaders of BLOCK 32-Arao Hasegawa Blocks 31,32 and 33 will be held tonight between 6 and 8 p.m.

The following are the nominees:
BLOCK 31-Norio Kuroyama, Yoshimitsu Morimoto, Kanetaro Nakamura, and Meitaro Yoshii.

## Bid residents to open forum


#### Abstract

When will the shoe repair shop open? Will Manzanar have a barber and beauty shop? Who gets the "profits" of the canteen and dry goods stores? These and numerous other questions in the minds of residents will be answered this Saturday at the twice-monthly Town Hall open forum in Mess Hall 1 at 1:30 p.m. When Lee Poole, associate superintendent of-Manzan- SPELLING GROUP TO MEET TWICE WEEKLY A change in schedule is anof the Activity Sphool The club of the Activity School. The group meet Tuesdays and Fridays from 6:30 to $7: 30 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. at $8-15$.


ar Cooperative Enterprises speaks at the meeting.
Preparing for a communitywide campaign to secure enthusi astic participation in the local enterprises, the education committee has been meeting thricefirst of a series of public discus sions sponsored by the commitsions
tec.

BOTANY FIELD CLUB
CHANGES MEETING DAY
Open to high school age students, the Botany Field club will Hall 32, instead of on Sundays, as previously announced. Mits previously announc
Akino is the advisor.

Masaru Honda, Hiroshi Neeno Karl Kazunuma, and Toma Shimamura.
BLOCK 33-Masaju Ito, Ben Nakat, Hideo Kobayashi, Sho Saito, Harry Shimada, Hiro Uchiyama, Teizo Yonai.

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TEye-opener items will be featured, with prices whittled down to the bone. Following the general policy of the Community Enterprises, prices will hit the low water mark in keeping with the

TWe invite your suggestions and criticisms and pledge ourselves faithful service.

## To Our <br> PATRONS

Falling prices take another landslide! With price tags hitting a new high all over the country, the community department' store takes pride in announcing a 5 percent or more markdown on all new merchandise.
Like the canteen we are here to serve you. The crystal ball does not always tell us of your needs so how about coming in and telling us yourselves. Anticipating your needs we have stocked our shoe shelves with Red Goose and other children's shoes. Straw hats, cowboy boots, oilcloth, nail polish . . . we have them all.

## Exonerate freight delivery Crew of damaged shipments

Fighting unjustified claims of ments sent collect as the express tampering with private ship- company must receive a money ments of fruit and other perish- order from addressees before ables, the freight delivery crew it will release the shipment. This appealed to the recipients of damaged shipments to file claims for the missing items.
As yet, the source of the pilebering and tampering has no that complaints were registered and investigation would eventual y be started. The local crew has been exonerated of all blame. An average of 10 crates of fresh fruit has been coming in daily but many crates are held up in Lone Pine for several days as pick-ups are not made every day. Greatest delay occurs in ship

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## 'Victory Queen'

## Chosen

TULARE_Yuroko Amemiya, formerly of Culver City, was named Victory Queen for the TuJuly celebration. Her court consited of the following: Ruth Araki, Seesue Fujimoto, Ruth Hagiya, Toshi Haramoto, Masa-

School Building Plans Under Way Here
Preparatory to school building operations, Frank M. Mead, con tract engineer representing Farm Security has set up his offices in
the center. Supplies and tools are coming in and plans for teacher housing, two elementaries, a jun or high and high school have been approved.
Due to war conditions, contract labor is not available and Manzanar will have the responsibility of building its own school. The speed with which these buildings go up depends upon the response in Manzanar for workers.

NOTICE TO
SUMMER SESSION STUDENTS The Educational Department, 1-9-4, requests that all students who have personally received text books directly from their schools take a list of these texts to the office immediately, so the department may clear an return them to their schools at the end of the summer session. ko Kinda, Kumiko Koyama, Hina Sakaji and Kikuye Yamada.
why not

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## Second SIGHT <br> By ROY HOSHIZAKI

With this first cradle issue of the printed paper, we embark on another wheel of venture to bring oo the wistful folks in Manzanar the most lively and eye-appealing sport page ever edited. The last mimeographed, sport edition sparked its last some lour day REM and ISCING
East of the postoffice with the makeshift backstop (which is now a foundation for the newly-built
Administration buildings) base-ball-the national sport, was christened in this miracle boom town. It was Mr. Clayton E. Triggs, former camp manager's bouncing submarine drop; which inaugurated the exhibition game held on the newly-dedicated Manzanar diamond. Incidentally, Mr. Triggs faced Slugger Nielsen with killer Kidwell at the backstop. EYE-APPEALING

Baseball's natural appeal embraced every nook of Manzanar and soon had the young and old sparkling the diamonds with a parade of bats and balls.

Nowhere else do fans and fanettes gather as they do here at our numerous diamonds. Plutocrats, bums, cooks, policemen and by side and gape together in by side and gape together in ball players.
GOOD MILEAGE
Hats off to the hard working Recreation Department; they made good mileage with the absorb ing sports activities are offered in keeping up the morale of this in keep
A BIT DUSTY
The only big drawback was the sporadic dust storms which and other minor sports.
FROM THE GLENDALE PRESS Carroll W. Parcher of the Glendale News Press has this to say
of our sport page: "The sports section is perhaps the most eagerly read part of the paper, because it contains box scores and stories of the baseball games participated in by the 180 teams in the 10 or more leagues which
have been formed."
have been formed."
Well-fans, see you at the ball games.

## All-stars fall Prey to chicks

Dusty Chicks pulled a 4-run splurge in the 6th inning to de feat the All-Star Girls, 14-11 last Saturday evening in a jampacked ilt.
Drawing laughs was cool Chiyo Sugimoto, shortstop, who wasn' so cool when she came out of a fumble only to tag her team-mate amidst a cloud of dust.
The All-Stars played spectacular ball during the first 3 innings, tallying 7 in the 3 rd and definitely in the bag.
But that inevitab.
But that inevitable sixth put bingles by Noma, Nagao, Sugimoto, Kuwahara and Inouye to chalk up a 14-11 win. $\begin{array}{llllll}\text { All-Stars } & \ldots . .207 & 020 & 0-11 & 13 \\ \text { Dusty Chicks } & 320 & 144 & x-14 & 16\end{array}$
R. H. F. Tani and Tabuchi; T. Inouye, C.

## Tony's alley eke win

Tony's Alley nine were safe in their usual 3rd berth of the league when they ran up a close $5-2$ battle over the new reviving Royal Y's in another major leaguer, last Monday.
Tony's scoring machine was completely stopped after a 3 -run mark in the 2 nd and was not in counter-blasting order until the 7 th, when they clinched the fracas with Nakayu bringing in the game's solo flight and Maruyama bingle to right. Going down for their 12 th defeat of the season the $Y$ horsehiders were picked for one of their best defensive performances with chucker Masuda touched for only 4 scattered clouts.
Royal Y ............. 100 100 0-2 Tony's Aney ..... 030000 2S. Yamauchi and P. Higashi.

## Girl Officials

Invited to Meering
Girls interested in officiating softball and volleyball games are asked to attend a meeting at 15-15, Friday evening, 8 p.m ing to Sue Yamada, chairman.

## Morikawa leads international league

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