

MANZANAR

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School Opens in 52 Days But NOT at Manzanar

SEEK THREE FAMILIES FOR GENERAL FARM WORK

The regional head of OPA wants three farm families for his 1000 acre farm at Centerville, West Central Pennsylvania. Three improved houses are available with six and seven rooms. Mechanically minded men are preferred as the farm is mechanized and there is a sawmill which will be used in the fall and winter months.

The pay will average better than \$100 a month on basis of \$25 per week, six 8-hour days with employment at hourly rate for other working members of the family. This is an unusual opportunity for other Nisei families to settle together in one group.

GOOD JOB OPPORTUNITIES RECEIVED FROM PORTLAND

Excellent job offers in the poultry business, as domestics, in restaurants, as cooks and dishwashers, and warehouse work for both men and women are at the present time open in Portland for persons of Japanese ancestry.

Persons interested in any of these jobs should contact the center relocation office immediately.

FAMILIES AND SINGLE MEN Mesa Orchard Mesa, Idaho

For Men

Orchard, packing shed and dehydration work. Seasonal work for women and children.

NEW FAMILY HOUSING

35 Japanese already employed. Workers wanted August 1, 1945.

See Relocation Office for details.

FARM IN PENNSYLVANIA SEEKS EVACUEE COUPLE

Well paid farm employment for a couple on a farm was offered last week in Pennsylvania, announced Walter A. Heath, relocation program officer.

The wage is 70 cents per hour and at the end of each year, an extra bonus of ten cents an hour is offered to the husband. Board and room will be supplied without charge and the wife will be paid extra for work in the home, according to George Graff, relocation officer.

This farm is already employing three Japanese families.

BETHAYRES COMPANY HIRES JAPANESE

The Bethayres Concrete Products Company at Bethayres, Pa., wants five Issei or Nisei laborers. The company is now employing 25 men, but as soon as re-conversion occurs, the staff will total over 100 workers. H. Leon Yager, senior relocation officer in Pennsylvania announced.

The men should be able to do fairly heavy work and the salary is about \$51 a week. Men who want to work on a piece-work basis will average between \$60 to \$70 a week.

The firm is now engaged in 70 per cent war work so this may conceivably make the people eligible for public housing.

SEEK TRANSLATORS

SEATTLE, Wash.—The Federal Communications Service is in need of persons who understand the Japanese language and who are able to translate the same in English, the Seattle WRA office announced this week.

Salaries are good and the employment would be in Portland, Ore.

Persons who qualify are eligible to live in Federal housing projects.

JOB OFFERS

Several more group relocation offers were received this week by the Relocation Program Officer Walter A. Heath.

From 100 to 125 people are wanted at the Mesa, Ida. apple orchard for year-round jobs. There are 38 Japanese men there now. The farm wants from 8 to 10 families and some bachelors by August 1. Three-room houses will be available. Wages are 60 cents an hour with some work on 10 hours per day. Increased pay during picking season. Job offer number 801.

There are 55 jobs open in the Marysville-Gridley area in California. About 36 single men are wanted for orchard and farm work at 75 cents to 85 cents per hour. Five families are wanted for share crop. Also needed are two girls to cook and keep house at \$100 each per month and a couple to operate cook house with wages up to \$300 per month. Job offer number 67017.

Five Issei or Nisei laborers are sought in Philadelphia for permanent work. Wages are \$51 per week. Job offer number 66981.

Four experienced lathe operators are wanted at the Lacy Park project. Housing is available for families next door to the plant. Wages are 64 cents to \$1.02 per hour depending upon skill. Job offer number 804.

Interested residents should contact the Relocation Office, Bldg. 1-4, for further details. Relocation Program Officer Walter A. Heath announced this week.

DEPARTURES

BRIGHTON, COLORADO

Munejiro, Masana, Haruye, Yoneko Matsuyama, 6-6-5.

JAMISON, OREGON

Kintaro. Kinu Ozawa, 12-8-2.

CLEVELAND, OHIO

Rinsu, Fumiko Makihara, 36-11-3.

STOCKTON, CALIF.

Susumu, Misao Koga, 27-4-1.

VENICE, CALIF.

Hatuo Sasaki, 13-11-1.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

Esuki Tanabe, 35-6-2.

NEW YORK CITY, N.Y.

Tatsuo George Kato, 24-7-5.

Fred Masafumi Mariguchi, 24-9-2.

LOS ANGELES, CALIF.

Yageshichi, Toshi Saito, 34-8-1.

RIVERTON, UTAH

Saburo, Etsuko, Nobuo, Edna, Ritsuko, Lily, Kaiko Hagiwara, 6-11-4.

NISEI CORPORAL VISITS SEATTLE, WASHINGTON ON RECENT FURLOUGH

SEATTLE, Wash. — Cpl. Minoru Nagaoka, who received the Purple Heart in July of last year in Europe with other members of the Company K of the 442nd, arrived in Seattle on his furlough recently to visit his mother, Mrs. Mume Nagaoka, his sister Joan and his brother Harry.

The corporal explained the absence of his overseas ribbons and Purple Heart by saying, "It's easier this way."

He reported that his family is very happily settled in Spokane, and that his married sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mukai, are managers of an apartment building in Spokane.

DR. T. MIYAMOTO OPENS CO-OP SERVICE BUREAU

LOS ANGELES—Returning to this city, Dr. Tatushi-ko Miyamoto from the Granada Relocation Center has opened the Cooperative Service Bureau, of which he is director with Ry Moriaki from the Jerome Relocation Center as his general manager.

The bureau, at 3554 S. Normandie, is just organizing but when operating will promote the interest of relocatees.

MIDDLE WEST OFFERS CIVIL SERVICE JOBS

There are Civil Service vacancies at a number of the housing projects in Wisconsin, Illinois, Indiana, Nebraska, Missouri, and Iowa, Walter A. Heath, relocation program officer, stated.

He added that the Federal Public Housing Authority could house the workers' families directly at the project involved.

Rentals are reasonable and the housing conditions good. Positions are limited to citizens.

Jobs are available for laborers, semi-skilled laborers, maintenance helpers, and skilled tradesmen such as carpenters, painters and so forth, as well as for clerk typist and stenographers. Annual salaries range from CPC 2 grade at \$1500 per year including overtime to the CPC 6 at approximately \$2100 per year for the craftsmen. Appointments would be of a war service nature, with tenure depending upon the life of the individual project.

For further details consult the Relocation offices.