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## FT. WAYNE AIDS RELOCATORS

The police of Fort Wayne Indiana will go out of their way to show the evacuees around town and at all times to see that there will be fair play in all deals stated the chief of police according to a report from Herbert Keno, Relocation officer in charge of the Indiana area. Fort Wayne, which is approximately 150 miles east of Chicago and a light distance west of Toledo, Ohio has, according to the 1940 census, a population of 119,000 persons. Due to increased war expansion however, there are approximately 160,000 civilians. In addition, soldiers are stationed at one training camp and two air fields nearby. Although the population is composed of 4,000 colored persons, there are, at present, no unemployed negroes and very few unemployed of any other race due to increased war industries. Therefore stated Mr. Keno, it will readily be seen that there will be no objection on anybody's part to the evacuees coming into Fort Wayne for work at the present time.

Interviews with the mayor, chief of police, two newspapers, various interested and influential citizens and civic clubs show that there will be no objection to any relocater seeking to earn a living in Fort Wayne. There are at present several Niseis who are working or attending high school. No trouble has ever been encountered.

The Relocation Office has received a request from the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company for three or four girls who are interested in clerical work. Even though the company insists upon dealing directly with the residents the Relocation Office will help expedite correspondence.

## CAMP SAUSAGE TO RECRUIT NISEI

Recruitment for candidates to Camp Sausage Language School will be made on or about December 13 according to advance notice. Niseis are particularly desired. Further information relative to this offer will be given when further details are received from the commanding officer.

## HOTEL SEEKS SEASONAL WORKERS

Residents are reminded that the seasonal offer of six months with the Stevens Hotel is still available. However, inasmuch as the hotel is now open for business, those who are anxious to see Chicago and its vicinity for indefinite relocation should sign up immediately at the Relocation offices at 69-6 and Canal. The Hotel will pay the return fare of those who complete their contract. A wide selection of jobs for both male and female are available.

## GILA LEADS

Gila River lead all the eight other relocation centers in indefinite leaves for the first week in November with 40 departures according to a bulletin issued by Washington. Boston was a poor second with 33 while Granada trailed with 9 departures.

## Uyesaka Boosts Rockford Ill.

Caesar Uyesaka a recent visitor to Rockford, Illinois stated that although the housing problem is as acute as in any other section in the country, many homes and apartments were still available. Caesar intends to go back there soon as he feels that any employment possibilities will give him a wide choice of selection.

## Chicago Office Creates Good Public Reaction

Throughout recent months concerted efforts toward the education of the general public as to the W. R. A program has been made by the Chicago Relocation office according to Paul C. Dougherty, Relocation Officer in charge of the Chicago area. Members of the staff have taken advantage of every opportunity to tell the relocation story to Rotary, Kiwanis and Lions Clubs as well as P.M.A., Church and Social Groups, and Business and Trade Organizations. The reception accorded states Dougherty has always been cordial and a need for such an education has been evidenced by the number and kinds of questions asked by the members of the groups addresser.

Because of the difficulties encountered in obtaining suitable and adequate housing facilities for relocators, all sections of the city were visited by the relocation representatives, real estate companies, housing organizations and agencies of all kinds were called upon. Single rooms were more easily obtained than apartments and houses. It is generally conceded that housing accommodations are difficult to find in Chicago for newcomers whatever their racial antecedents may be. Practically the entire time of one member of the relocation staff has been constantly given to this phase of the program.

Several firms and factories maintain open job offers with the Chicago office now so that they feel free to refer evacuee to them at any time knowing that consideration for employment will be given. Some of these firms are Cuneo Press, Shotwell Manufacturing Company and the Edgewater Beach Hotel and Sherman Hotel.

# 再轉居の契

## インデナポリス出張所

### キノ氏よりの便り

ホートン市はインデナポリスの東北部に位置し、市及びシカゴに百五十哩サウスベンド市に四十哩の距離内におつて人口は數年前までは十二万位を上下して居りましたが、戦後軍需工業勃興と共に一躍十六万に増加し、其上約五万の軍隊が近郊の兵營及び航空場に駐屯して居ります。キノ氏は先般同市を訪問して市長を初め警察署長、新聞社、市民俱樂部

買、地方有業者等に面會し日系人の再移住に關して是れ等の人々の意見を徴したる處異口同音に日系人を歓迎して居り且つ戦時産業の勃興に於て現在失業者は皆無といつてよく從つて日系人が此際如何程移住して来ても何等の異議はなく、殊に警察署長などは平等の待遇と充分の保護を與ふるは勿論従つて表出を得る限り協力を惜まぬ旨明言

を承りました。現在の震同胞の移住者は數名に過ぎず、其内二名の女子は通学中です。が今起つて一度も差別的の待遇を受けた事はないと申して居ります。今同市のリンコンナショナル生命保險会社より數名の女事務員を雇入れたいと申込んで来ました。良しい仕事口であり又同方面に進出の好機会と思はれますから希望者は至急申出でて下さい。詳細は外部就職部にて。

### ホステルに就て

現在大都市で再移住者の便宜を圖つて居る臨時寄宿舎を以てWRRの經營が又何處にでもあるかの如く誤解して居る人々がある模様ですが、夫

れは誤りてホステルは其地方の篤志家や宗教家がWRRを了解の下に日系人の為に設立して呉れたもので、將來増加するかも知れませんが今の處左の五ヶ所に限られて居ります。

デイト、シゴ、ジェモン、クリランド、シンシナティ以上の都市であれば、以上の出市せられても此處で万事を世話して呉れます。手続は就職部のハート氏が取扱ふて居りますから同氏へ御話し下さい。

### ヒラ第一位

ワシントンWRR本部よりの報告によれば、十月初週の永久再移住者數の比率は左の如く、我がヒラが第一位となつて居る。

ヒラ四。名、ホストン三。名、シゴ三。名、最下位はグレイダの九名、尚全転住所よりの總數は百八十二名の由。

### 一臨見を御勧め

ポトン転住所にては同所より各方面に再移住した人々の其後の生活收態、地方情況、各自の意見などを調査し是れを一冊に集めたものが外部就職部に参つて居ります。どなたにも好個の参考資料となるやうに思はれますから是非御一讀あらん事を御勧め致します。

### 各地短信

愛するお嬢様方を單身未知の都市へ御出しになさる親は定めし御心配事と御察し申しますが此處各地とも考慮を拂ひ出

## 外部就職口

- ロックホート市 學校勤 夫婦者 月給百三十円 食堂附 夫 學校内雜用 婦 十二名の料理
  - パラロー市
  - ライオン市 夫 農園勤 婦 料理
  - サウライオン市
  - 五ルン市 自動車修繕師 二名 歩割り働 週六日 週四十円 月五十五円 収入
  - クリランド市 野菜果物店員 一名 男子 經驗必要 週初給三十五円 但し 五十円に昇給す
- 此外に種々の仕事あり