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## Brown Returns TEST CASES ARRAIGNED From Confab BEFORE SUPREME COURT

Dr. Gordon Brown, community analyst, who had been away for about seven weeks, returned to the project Saturday night.

For six weeks he was visiting professor at the civil affairs training school in Chicago, and last week he attended the WRA conference of community analysts in Denver.

Some of the matters taken up at the Denver conference were as follows:

Information on the attitudes toward relocation, need for continuing the careful study of community councils because of the constant change in personnel, and the problems of youth in the centers.

At Chicago Dr. Brown was associated with Dr. John F. Embree, who first started community analysis in WRA. Dr. Embree was guest at the Denver meet. Also at the conference were John Province, WRA chief of community management, Solon Kimball, head of community government, and E.H. Spicer, chief of community analysis.

## COLLEGES ADMIT THREE STUDENTS

Three persons from Butte have been accepted into colleges, announced Mabel Sheldon, student relocation adviser.

Michiko Tsuchiyama, '44, was accepted at Wheaton College, Ill.

Kuzuo Morinaka, '43 graduate with scholastic honors was accepted at the Michigan State Normal School.

Kiyoko Araki, Ephibian and CSF member from Hollywood High left this morning for Yankton College, S.D. She was accompanied by Haruo Ishimaru, student relocation representative, who returned after one month of student recruitment.

The JACL national headquarters announced that the Korematsu and Endo cases will be argued before the United States Supreme Court on October 10. The Korematsu case will test the constitutionality of the evacuation from the Pacific Coast and the Endo case will decide the extent of the authority of the War Relocation Authority over the evacuated Japanese now in the relocation centers.

Shelly Assumes New Position James L. Shelly, former head of business enterprises, took his new position Saturday as acting assistant project director in charge of community management. His appointment fills the vacancy left by Hugo W. Wolter, who had been succeeded temporarily by W.C. "Tom" Sawyer.

Shelly was on leave from the project for about two months before returning here last week.

## NAKAMURA

## NEIGHBORS HELP CONSOLE PARENTS

On September 10, Richard Nakamura, 3, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nakamura, formerly of Gila, was accidentally shot and killed by a playmate with a supposedly unloaded gun.

All Cleveland papers carried a story of the accident. The day after the initial story was published, the Cleveland Press sent a reporter to the Nakamura residence on a "tip" that the neighbors had risen beautifully in an effort to help lessen their loss.

He found that the universal love of children cuts across all man-made barriers of race and color and that Richard will get the sort of funeral for which his mother prayed.

Says the Cleveland Press of September 12:

"Yesterday, after Sunday's tragedy became known, the neighbors began to come to the home, bringing consolation and flowers. And last night the father's fellow employees at the Clifton Coal & Supply Co. came to call."

Wayne Collins, attorney for the ACLU in Northern California, will most likely argue in the Korematsu case and James C. Purcell of San Francisco will represent Miss Mitsuye Endo. The JACL is expected to file briefs in both of the cases and its attorney may have some time to argue.

National JACL president Saburo Kido is expected to be present at the court hearings.

## IDAHO OPENINGS FOR HARVESTERS

Seasonal workers interested in going to Burley, Idaho, for the fall harvest should go to the relocation office at once to sign their contracts in order that their transportation may be secured.

"The Nakamuras aren't lonely anymore. The tragedy of a child's death combined with a universal love of children, has brought them into a greater intimacy with the neighborhood near their home.

"Richard will be buried from St. Patrick's Church tomorrow at 10:30. He will be the first American Japanese ever to be buried in Calvary Cemetery.

"Once we thought we'd go back to California after the war," Mrs. Nakamura said. "But now, with our boy buried here, and because of our gratitude to our neighbors, Cleveland will be our home."

# MORE LEAVE WRA CENTERS FOR COMMUNITY RELOCATION

More than 400 Japanese Americans leave Relocation Centers on indefinite leave each week to work and live in widely scattered American towns, cities and rural communities, Director Dillon S. Myer of the War Relocation Authority reported to Acting Secretary of the Interior Abe Fortas.

The figure for the four week period ending August 26 was 1,717, bringing the total number of relocated persons to 30,572, the WRA compilation showed. About 60,100 evacuees remain in the eight relocation centers, including most of the older people and the very young children.

The number of indefinite leaves granted during the August period from each of the centers follows: Central Utah (Utah) 150, Colorado River (Ariz.) 325, Gila River (Ariz.) 298, Granada (Colo.) 200, Heart Mountain (Wyo.) 180, Manzanar (Calif.) 70, Minidoka (Idaho) 155, Rohwer (Ark.) 339.

"One of the most heartening developments in recent weeks," Myer said, "is the growing number of Japanese Americans who are invited by American communities to share their work opportunities. These 'community invitation' usually are extended through WRA relocation officers, assigned in principal cities to the job of helping the evacuees make their adjustment to new surroundings.

"Approximately three-fourths of the August total left the centers in response to these community invitations. The remainder were those who left to join family members already relocated and those who left to accept specific job offers."

In addition to the 30,572 persons permanently relocated, a total of 5,233 are outside the centers on seasonal leave working in activities such as canning, beet thinning and harvesting.

## *Civil -- Statistics*

### BIRTH

September 14: To Mr. and Mrs. Keiichi Nakamura, 52-8-D, a boy.

### DEATH

September 14: Sasan o Karatomo, 73-2-B.

## GILA NEWS-COURIER

### Lowe Arrives for Visit

Robert Lowe, chief engineer from Washington arrived on the project Saturday for a routine visit, announced Dr. John F. West, chief medical officer.

Lowe will be on the project for a few days.

Leslie Fowler, nurse detailed to Topaz, returned on the project.

### Appreciation

APPRECIATION: Mr. and Mrs. G. Masuda and family, 49-11-D, express their sincerest appreciation for the sympathies, floral offerings and memorial service they received in their hour of bereavement on the passing of Sgt. Kasuo Masuda.

APPRECIATION: I wish to take this means to thank everyone for the warm welcome as well as cooperation and interest shown during my stay.

Haruo Ishimaru

### CO-OP HEAD OSHIMA LEAVES

Yuhei Oshima, vice president of the Co-op and one of the original organizers of the organization, relocated to Cleveland Sunday morning. He also served as chairman of the merchandizing committee.

The list of Co-op delegates elected last Monday at the semi-annual election will be published probably this week, stated Masato Kato, secretary. The election was successful and everyone's effort is appreciated, he said.

### KOJIMA IN MARYLAND

Suzie Kojima left yesterday for Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

## AND PICK

### YWCA STENOGRAPHER-New York

Buffalo, New York YWCA needs general office girl immediately to do stenography, filing, and typing. Experience desirable although not essential. Starting salary \$22.00 to \$24.00 a week with opportunity for advancement. Girl should be between 19 and 30 years of age.

### INDIANA

Central YWCA in Indianapolis, Indiana, also has position for typist, preferably with some shorthand ability to do all type of office work. Experience not required. Starting salary \$22.50 per week. One evacuee girl is already employed in this office and getting along excellently.

### IOWA

YWCA in Des Moines, Iowa, wishes girl who is a capable typist, can take limited amount of shorthand, and is able to meet the public. She will work very closely with the rest of the Y staff and participate in their regular meetings. This job usually pays about \$100 a month for a 44 hour week. At the present time, there is one Japanese American employed full time in the building as a custodian. His wife also assists in the relocation program and in meeting new relocators as the Y has been very active in assisting with the relocation program.

### RESTAURANT WORKERS-Minneapolis

Bamboo Inn, 1125 Victoria Avenue, Minneapolis, wishes to employ couple. Man must be experienced as a cook and wife will work as kitchen helper. Salary is \$250 a month plus room and board, with the assurance that wages will be increased if person is capable. Cook must be able to prepare Japanese and Chinese dishes. If a single man wishes to accept this job, he will be paid \$200 a month. Interested persons should write Bamboo Inn stating qualifications and name of previous employer.

**PM****FEATURES EIGHT  
SHELBY SOLDIERS**

Eight Japanese American soldiers of the 171st Infantry Battalion in Camp Shelby are pictured in PM, entertaining wounded soldiers at the Halloran General Hospital at Staten Island with Hawaiian music and hula dances.

PM reporter Natalie Davis writes that these boys, defense workers and students until they volunteered in Hawaii a year ago last March, were granted a special 10-day furlough as the guests of Earl M. Finch to entertain in the service hospitals.

They were heartily welcomed by the wounded GIs who expressed the following opinion:

"Those Nisei kids are tops. They don't come better Americans. You can't beat 'em, they've got guts and they're fine men. We know."

The boy introduced the Hawaiian tunes, S/Sgt. Koichi Okamoto attired in a grass skirt presented hula dances, and Pfc. Jiro Watanabe plucked his steel guitar.

**TO AND FRO**

TO GO, Sept. 20.

NEVADA, Lelandale. Heiki-chi and Yukiro Esaki.

TO GO, Sept. 21.

NEW JERSEY, Bridgeton.

Yasushi and Yura Nakamura; Risaburo Yamazaki; Kazumasa, Sumako, Haruko Gloria, Henry Masahiro, and Judo Reiko Yoshiharu; Sedao and Masami Iwayama; Mutsuji Tanaka; Akira and Eleanor Niyo-ko Marutani.

COLORADO, Denver. Harry, Chiyoko, and Chiyoko Kono.

MINNESOTA, Minneapolis.

Marian Mitsuyo Tagami, Tommy Ginji Matsuoto, Roylo Shimada, Hisanichi and Torake Monden.

MARYLAND, Baltimore. Mi-hoko and Richard Goto.

PENNSYLVANIA, Wallingford.

Harry Masanobu Shimada. Philadelphia. Holon To-ta.

ILLINOIS, Chicago. Shizuo Omura, Eosio Sanayo Matsumoto, Katsutaro and Kiyomo Taneda, Francois

**Brown Assumes  
X-Ray Duties**

Edgar Wilson Brown, formerly aircraft electrician of the Douglas Aircraft Company in Tulsa, Oklahoma, will assume duties as X-ray technician at the community hospital. He was accompanied by his wife from Oklahoma.

**PROPERTY OFFICE  
SEEKS TADA**

A. F. Chamberlin, evacuee property officer, requests information regarding the whereabouts of Setsu Tada, probably formerly of Los Angeles. Miss Tada was identified from a photograph taken by the Imada Studio in front of a funeral parlor at 230½ East First St.

**Hospital Needs  
Lab Workers**

Anyone interested in working at the hospital laboratory should see Miss Dowar at the Hospital laboratory. Some training in science is desirable.

Also needed at the hospital are accountants, typists, receptionists and messengers. Interested persons should contact the chief medical officer.

**JACL****Coast Return  
Asked Nisei**

JACL national headquarters at Salt Lake City announced that it was mailing out to its members a questionnaire to ascertain their wishes about returning to the Pacific Coast.

In the letter attached to the questionnaire, the members were being informed that the recent decision of the Western Defense Command indicates that the army is willing to permit those who are considered loyal to return to the coast. Inasmuch as the cases are going to be considered on an individual basis, the JACL headquarters asked the members to express their intention and desire to return through the questionnaire.

Upon receipt of the replies from the members, the league is expecting to file applications for the members and take necessary steps for those who desire to return to the coast for permanent residence or otherwise.

The JACL also informed the members that steps should be taken at this time because the changing fortunes of war made it desirable that the rights of citizens of Japanese parentage be restored to the fullest extent as soon as possible.

**McCULLOCH TO  
RECRUIT WORKERS**

B. O. McCulloch, WFA representative from Burley, Idaho, returned to the project with contracts for seasonal employment at Burley and Aberdeen, Idaho. Work will run from October 1 to November 15. This will be the last call, states Wilson Hart, relocation advisor.

Anyone interested may contact Joe Miyamoto of blk. 63, Toshio Sugano of blk. 61, or McCulloch at the Butte relocation office.

**Wanted: Piano**

Anyone having a used piano for sale, please see G.P. Young, central education office, Butte administration building.

## SUMO

### PRACTICE STARTS TOMORROW NITE

All sumo enthusiast are again urged to come out for practice at the local sumo pit at Lot 53. The first practice will be held tomorrow night, starting from 7:00 p.m.

Instructor Hananaka, who had previously relocated, is on the project again to teach the Butte sumo boys the fundamentals and art of sumo.

### Wakiji Captures Golf Tourney

Toshihiko Wakiji, noting 58 in the monthly golf tournament Sunday, won 1st prize at the local golf course located southwest of block 45, announced Tom Ikemoto, Butte Golf Club secretary.

Wakiji noted 58 out of a gross of 69 with a handicap of 11.

Others who placed and received prizes were as follows:

Second - Masami Oshiro-gross 69, handicap 9, and net 60; third-Lee Ishikawa-gross 75, handicap 14, and net 61.

### CHALLENGE

### Soldier Defies Race Baiters

A corporal fighting in the Marshall Islands challenges the Oregon Grange Masters to deny him the right to return to the West Coast. He is referring to the demand of Grange Masters of five western states last month that the Government prohibit persons of Japanese extraction from returning to the West Coast after the war.

In a letter to the S.F. Chronicle of September 16, Cpl. Glenn W. McDonald writes:

"Editor-I have a friend of Japanese ancestry and, I say it with pride, from the Pacific Coast, and I challenge the Oregon Grange Masters to deny this American the right to return home."

"A prisoner was taken during the mopping up on this island. My friend was our interpreter. He learned from this prisoner

## GILA JAS NINE DROPS ALL STAR SERIES 3 TO 1

September 13...After dropping 2 games to the Heart Mountain All Stars we came back in the third game...won 15-9...Behind combined pitching of Tak Abo and Lefty Fujioka...jumped to 5-0 lead in 1st inning...combined a walk, 4 hits and an error...All Stars came back strong to score 2 runs...error, 2 hits, 2 walk...3rd inning disastrous for Abo...tagged for 6 hits and 6 runs...knocked out of box for first time...injured leg was the cause...Lefty Fujioka came in and pitched his team to a convincing 15-9 victory...led by Tak Abo's spectacular 4 for 5 hitting...3 doubles and a triple...really hit offerings of Santo and Shundo.

Pvt. Tosh Asano, playing last game, Tak Ikeda, Babo Nomura, and Mori Shima led All Stars batters ...2 hits apiece.

Game taking so long to finish...called off at end of eighth inning. Final statistics:

GILA JAS.....15R 13H 2E  
Mt. Mt. STARS... 9R 11H 5E

Batteries: Abo(3), Fujioka(5), Zenimura, Sarto, Shundo, Yasui.

Fourth game of All Star Series...Russ Hinaga takes to mound for third appearance...pitched first shut out game...scatters 5 hits...Tak Abe started for Gila but lacked control...allowed 1t. t. to score 2 runs apiece in the ball game...finish in record time of 1hr. and 20 min.

Konishi only player on either team to get 2 hits to lead batters of the day...Final score...4-0.

Batteries: Abe(2), Zenimura (7), Zenimura, Furata; R. Hiraga, Fuzzy Shima.

Players seemed tired and didn't have any pop...constant playing affect players...All players send regards...being treated royally.

Key Kobayashi

### Butte Softball Nears Finish

The last league game in the Butte Men's Independent Softball League, not including postponed games, is slated to be played tomorrow evening at the Ad Personnel field, between the Ad Personnel and Vessons.



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新參事官  
第三區 遠藤源治  
第四區 村本ハリー  
第五區 菊田順助  
新司法委員  
第五四 脇田フレッド  
(藤田後任)

タックル蹴球

井伊中島渋谷管財部  
M T J K

## 所内展望



當所の學校に於て教員不足に悩める事は既報通りであるが當所に於ても臺態を重視して教育部長タムソーヤー氏は市役所に出席して五六名の白人教師を物色中であり。日本人教師は親師協会及び區長会協力の下に適任者を説得中で既に二三申込もある位だから此の状態は永くは続かないと思ふ。

教員に一二年修了者は  
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を問はず進んでこの  
重要任務に就かれない。  
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に於て戸内同胞の最大  
関心事は何と言つても  
後嵯峨を教育して置  
く事である。

## 教員補充に就いて

マクルラック氏の發表する處に依れば交通上の必要に依同方面出動者は至急転住事務所に出頭して契約書目に署名せらるべーと。

柳募集  
「紙」入五句

編物講習会  
九月廿一日 午前九時より

小島進  
古晉開始

濱田師範歸來指導す  
来る廿日水晩七時  
より松古方を始め  
多教青年の参加を歓  
比良相撲本部

間三カ月に滞在し、昨週はデンマーク開かれたW.R.A.大類型者集会に出席して去る。七週間振りに當所に帰任した。

ト。バーズへ転仕した  
ファウラ看護婦は当  
所へ再転任。

