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MRS_WATSON JOINS WELFARE STAFF

Mrs. Louise Watson was added to the staff of the Community Welfare section yesterday as youth counsellor to replace Mrs. ill.

Mis. Watson will supervise the child welfare, student relocation and youth departments.

The new welfare worker is the wife of Brandon Watson, chief of the Project commissary.

NEWS BRIEFS

EASTERN TRAVEL: Those who have filed or who intend to file application to enter the Eastern Defense Command should con- A letter from Dr. Kim- guage school at Savage, tact the Leave office at

tor, preferably with rubber tires, capable of 72inch tread, and if possible with cultivating equipment and 2-way plow, by George Yasumura, FSA Camp, Caldwell, Idaho. ties and achievements will

make or type. Inquire at ball stressed the impor-Saito's, 29-2-C. tance of resident partici-

nal ondo practice for the Hana-Matsuri festival he would relay this report will be held by the Bud- to community government dhists tomorrow night at groups in other relocation Rec 28 from 8 PM. centers.

16F RECRUITING TEAMS ARRIVE HERF MANY 100

Headed by First Lieutenant Thomas P. Davis, the Camp Savage Language School recruiting team is expected to arrive in Topaz Monday, May 10, to interview candidates for the new course of Japanese instruction be-Elizabeth Goodman who is ginning on July 1, it was learned today. To be com-

TOPAZ COUNCIL COMMENDED

The Topaz Community It was pointed out that Council was commended re- applicants should fill out cently by Dr. Solon T. Kim- a qualification form in ball, national WRA communi- the Placement office at ty organization adviser. Rec 4 prior to the arrival for its progress in assum- of the interviewing party. ing a responsible role in Successful candidates will Center life as evidenced be processed at an inducthrough the organization's tion center in time to as-March report which was sure their assignment and sent to Washington.

WANTED: A row crop trac- formation concerning the than July 1. zation and its functions, experiences in meeting community problems. A summary of committees, their du-Sewing machine of any also be included. Dr. Kim-ONDO PRACTICE: The fi- pation in community affairs and indicated that

FORMER POSTON GIRL

WRA Press Release ward.

the WRA in Washington got her picture in the pape" and some favorable publicity the other day as a result of a good turn done a WAVE.

\$66 on a downtown Washington street. After consierable difficulty she loturned the wallet to her refusing to accept a re-

A nisei girl from Pos- The Washington Star ton who is now working for quoted Miss Anraku as saying that she had done "only what any other American would do in similar circumstances." The picture showed her returning the wallet to the WAVE.

Miss Sachi Anraku found Miss Anraku, who was gia wallet containing ven indefinite leave to accept a civil service position in Washington last March, is formerly from cated the owner, Seaman Los Angeles. The rest of Geraldine Sexton, and re- her family is still at Poston, but expect to leave for Detroit soon.

prised of 250 male citizens of Japanese ancestry, the new class will be recruited mostly from the relocation centers.

arrival at the Army lanball requested the local Minnesota, not earlier Rec 4 immediately. councilmen to prepare in- than June 25 and not later

> City government's organi- Applicants must be male citizens of the United with reports of the groups States, of draft age and physically fit. They should be preferably a graduate of either an Amer ican high school or a Jananese middle school, and must possess a fundamental knowledge of both English and Japanese, it was said.

NEXT WEEK'S MOVIE ANNOUNCED BY CO-OP

"Are Husbands Necessary?" will be the feature film for next week at Rec 32 at 8:15 PM, Monday through Saturday, it was announced today by the Coop movie department.

Adapted from the bestselling novel, "Mr. and Mrs. Cugat," this picture is a sparkling comedy of domestic ups and downs starring Ray Milland and Betty Field. Short subjects will complete the bill, it was added.

WEATHER REPORT Max. (Tues.night) 78° F. Min. (Wed. morn.) 51° F. Max. (Wed. night) 78° F. Min. (Thurs.morn) 45° F.

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JAPANESE AMERICAN SOLDIERS PRAISED

Since the outbreak of hostilities, which severed all ties between Japan and the United States, the general American public has concentrated and intensified its distrust of the Japanese in the country, including the Japanese American soldiers wearing the khaki of the army of the U.S.

Though Japanese American soldiers realize that war and its aspects cannot greatly alter the American mind with its racial prejudices and discriminations, their faith in America is constantly reinforced by the approbation of those who recognize and accept them as equal partners in a democracy.

It is heartening to observe, therefore, in these times when we are under national scrutiny, that the soldiers of Japanese origin are acquitting themselves in such a manner as to arouse the Car asian officers and soldiers to publicly laud them for the loyalty they manifest towards, what is equitably, their land, too, by birthright.

One of these public commendations appeared in the form of a news article in the Battle Creek Enquirer and News, a leading newspaper of Battle Creek, Michigan. Under the caption, "Officer Praises Forts Japanese," the article follows in part:

"Fifty-nine American-born Japanese who have completed nearly a year of army service with the Post Headquarters Company at Fort Custer are termed 'model soldiers' by their commanding officer, Capt. Bayard J. Alps who declared that their military record was 'probably unequalled by any other organization on the post.

"An amazing part of their record of these men is the fact that since coming here not a single one has been guilty of any infraction of military laws. None have gone AWOL, none have ever been confined to the guardhouse and, with the exception of the inevitable barracks arguments which are common among soldiers, they have been model soldiers.

"One Japanese when questioned about this record said, 'We had to do right, the whole country was watching us.'

"Capt. Arthur W. Clausen, company officer, revealed that the skepticism apparent upon arrival of the Japanese a year ago, was eliminated quickly and that 'they speedily won the high esteem of their Caucasian buddies, and have been completely accepted.'

"The men share the same barracks with American soldiers, eat at the same table and join in the same activities."

on health

Dr. Donnell W. Boardman, acting chief medical officer of the Topaz hospital, this week issued the following health comments appropriate to the coming summer season:

1. Dust. Discussions held with the director of the State Board of Health and inquiries made into the incidence of diseases attributed to dust inhalation in Utah, reveal no evidence that the breathing in of dust is harmful. The great majority of this dust is filtered out in the nose and in the upper air passage and is swallowed, passing through the intestinal tract without ill effect. What small amount is inhaled into the lungs is disposed of by the normal protective mechanism of the body. Silicosis, or dust pneumonia, has not been reported in Utah except among miners.

2. Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever. This is an infectious disease, caused by a small organism which lives in wood ticks, dog ticks and rabbit ticks. These ticks are found on small animals, wild or domestic. The disease is transmitted to man by the bite of an infected tick. It is emphasized that only a very few ticks

are infected.

Rocky mountain spotted fever is most frequent in the Rocky Mountain and Pacific area.

The disease may be mild or severe. Characteristics are a fever, a spotted rash, a cough (without pneumonia), and a slow recovery.

Prevention may be effected by (1) Avoidance of tick bites: Exclusion of the tick, insofar as possible, and elimination of wild animals and pets from . the community are the first necessary steps. Protection of the body from direct contact with ticks while outside the community area is helpful. (2) mmunizing vaccine shots: Vaccine injections are desired for those who are continously exposed to tick bits. Enough serum is available in the Topaz hospital; to immunize 500 persons, and more is available from the US Public Health Service in Hamilton, Montana.

Resident of Topaz are cautioned to avoid the handling of wild animals, to dress properly for excursions and picnics, and to use common sense in avoiding tick bites.

The Project Health Service issued the following information:

3. Flu. A large number of flu cases are incident in the Center at the present time. Symptons include high fever, aches and pains all over the body, headache, sore throat, and poor appetite.

It appears that this illness will subside promptly if the patient goes to bed, drinks 3 to 4 quarts of water daily, and takes an aspirin tablet every 4 to 6 hours. If symptons do not subside or icomplications arise, patients are referred to medical attention at the clinic.



work on fruit farm, 50 cents hour. Work to consist of spraying trees, picking, packing and washing fruits, and irrigating orchards. 4-room frame house complete with water, closet and bath.

Oak Park, Ill. 2 men. room and board. No special training required to feed and water 400 brood sows. Good advancement opportunity. Rooms include living. bedrooms and bath.

Brigham, Utah. 2 for farming. Prune fruit trees, cultivate, pick peaches, cantaloupes, melons, plant in spring. Would be free for sugar beet harvest. Prevailing wages as set by Department of Agriculture. Would consider leasing property if workers so desire.

Moody and Mrs. Ashby. 50 ficates will probably be to 60 cents hour. Help contacted by the CAA bewith spring cleaning and fore long. painting. Work will last 2 to 3 weeks. Needed immediately.

FEMALE

Winnetka, Ill. \$18 week without laundry, \$20 with laundry. General housework Girl's time to herself would depend on her own working speed; would expect to have time to herself every afternoon. Girl would have every Thursday and alternate Sundays off. Own room.

Chicago, Ill. 2 girls, \$15 to \$20 week for each, depending on experience. Cleaning, light personal laundry and plain cooking. Separate rooms with private bath and radio.

COUPLE or FEMALE Belvidere, III. \$15 PLANS TO LEAVE week for maid, \$125 month for couple. Maid and yard- Iwao Kawakami, editor man, also drive car of the TOPAZ TIMES, is Would prefer couple; will planning to leave the Centake one maid if no couple ter Sunday to accept a po-

\$125 month plus food, rado. rooms and uniforms. Cook- Previous to evacuation, ing, serving, meals, care Kawakami held a similar of house, laundry; man to job with the former New 3 rooms and private bath. Francisco.

MECHANICS ASKED CONTEST TO BE

Residents of Topaz holdaircraft mechanics certificates, whether cancelled contact Claude C. Cornwall of the Employment division as soon as possible. Information requested by \$75 month to each man plus Cornwall from these resi- nounced today. dents includes the type their numbers, and the date on which they were cancelled if they have been cancelled.

This information is desired by the WRA in connection with the fact that the Civil Aeronautics Administration, which has until recently been cancelling such certificates held by Americans of Japanese ancestry, will hereafter review all cases on their individual merits.

Delta, Utah. Mrs. E. L. Holders of these certi-

ART STUDIO PLANS VOLUNTEERS SCROLL

The names of the 112 Topaz Volunteers to the U. S. Army will be printed on a victory scroll of honor.

The art work which will be encased in a glass front cabinet is now being done by the Topaz Commercial Art studio. When completed, the scroll will be on display outside of Administration Building

IWAO KAWAKAMI

available. Room and bath. sition as a linotype opera-COUPLE tor for the Burlington Deer Park, Utica, Ill. Call at Burlington, Colo-

care for garden part-time. World Sun Daily at San

LICENSID PILOTS, MODEL PLANE TO SEE CORNWALL HELD MAY 8

ing airplane pilots' and A model airplane contest will be held Saturday. May 8, from 9 AM to 1 PM, or not, are requested to and from 2 to 5 PM as Rec 29 under the joint sponsorship of the Block Managers and the Community Activities section, it was an-

All entries must be reof certificate held, gistered May 5 at Rec 29 at which time the rules for the flying events and display contest will be given to the contestants.

> All model airplanes entered will be on display May 8, it was added.

BI-LINGUISTS OFFERED JOBS

Persons who are proficient in the Japanese language and who possess skill and experience in translating from English into Japanese or from Japanese into English are now being offered positions both in the Government service and in private enterprise.

Those interested are requested to inquire at the Placement office in Rec 4 for further details.

It was indicated that the demand for persons with such qualifications will increase as time goes on.

19 WORKERS NEEDED

Nineteen men are needed immediately to work on sugar beet fields near Missoula, Montana, Work season will be about 7 months.

Applicants should see Wesley Kato, representative. in the Placement office at Rec 4.

lost and found

FOUND: Hoover Junior High School pin, 1940. Inquire at Hirose's, 6-12-E.

LOST: A gold class ring. inscribed with black "M', dated 1931. Finder please return to Yo Tabata, 9-11-A.

Maroon striped fountain pen in post office with name, Cherry Nakamura, inscribed. Return to 12-5-E.

HANA MAISURI PROGRAM SCHEDULED FOR SUNDAY

The Hana-Matsuri program which was postponed last month due to unforseen difficulties will be completed this Sunday, May 2, from 2:30 PM, it was announced today by Masuji Fujii and Masato Maruyama, leaders of the Topaz Buddhist Church board of directors.

The day's program will FIRE PROTECTION begin with a parade which FIRE PROTECTION will be routed around the ADVICE GIVEN high school area. Particiinclude the Boy Scouts, of the Fire Protection di- find of 384 eggs. His Drum and Bugle Corps, col- vision, announced today closest competitor, Shiror guards, administration that the burning of bon- ley Nakasora had 32 eggs. officials and many others. fires is to be prohibited Other winners, who were

ELEMENTARY PUPILS 10 GIVE OPERETTA

students of the Mountain on a survey tour of the vace, Minn.; and Pvt. Tsu-View elementary school at Salt Lake City and Midvale tomu Koga, Fort Harrison, Block 41 will present an Fire departments. operetta, "Hansel and from 11 o'clock at Rec 8, it was announced to- GIFTS: Books and magazines piled from official source day.

cordially invited to wit- Y. Endo, T. Tabata, and ness the presentation, an anonymous person. Nuttall.

KANSAS CHILDREN

the Seventh Street Metho- League" on the case of DIE MEISTERSINGER, prelude dist School in Kansas City, John T. Regan vs Cameron to PARSIFAL, LOHENGRIN: Kansas, will be planted King, Registrar of Voters Prelude to Act I and Act in boxes or in small plots in the City and County of on the grounds of the De- San Francisco. sert View and Mountain C. M. Kabasawa has View elementary schools, kindly loaned to the lib- of New York, TRISTAN AND according to Drayton B. rary for a short period Nuttall, principal. The two booklets, "Hawaii as soil to be used will be the Camera Sees It" and furnished by the Agricul- "Hawaii at War ... pictures, ture department, it was story, and features of the indicated. Pearl Harbor attach com-

shio Yoshida and Y. Fuku- sidents utilize their ginia Mori. shima are in charge of stoves and refuse recept-these events. acles placed in each block for the disposal of small

He reported that James been visiting their fami-Susumu Shinoda, assistant lies in the Project are The 3rd and 4th grade Fire chief, left recently Pvt. Yasuo Akagi, Camp Sa-

200 CHILDREN PARTICIPATE. INEGGHUNT

With approximately 200 children between the ages of 6 to 14 participating in the City-wide Easter egg hunt, sponsored by the Community Activities section last Saturday morning, Toru Mochida, 10, emerged pants of the parade will Samuel V. Owen, chief the winner with a total

Following the parade, within the City without a requested to claim their the outdoor service will written authorization from prizes immediately at Rec be held at the platform the Fire department. 10 were: Boys--Eizo Kobawhich has been constructed It was indicated that yashi, Kiyoshi Yoshida, Hiin front of Rec 35 from 4 with the frequency of sud- roshi Takegawa, Edward Aoki, PM with Mike Maruyama as den high velocity winds Tsuneo Sato, Frank Yanagi, chairman. The main speak-from unpredictable direc- Seiji Oyamada, Frank Kawasaer will be Rev. M. Kumata. tions, open fires consti- ki, Bob Sakamoto, Johnny An outdoor Japanese tute a major fire hazard. Hamachi, Gichi Sakura:; folk dance exhibition and Residents are requested to Girls--Sumi Yuto, Joan Ide, entertainment program from co-operate with the fire Nancy Uyeda, Swanne Wehara, 7 PM in front of the Bud- inspectors who have orders Kikue Mochida, Elsie Uyeda, dhist Church will conclude to suppress all such fires. Noriko Ishida, Kazuko Sakuthe day's festivities. To- Owen suggests that re- rai, Jane Kawaguchi and Vir-

waste materials. The 2 soldiers who have

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Gretel", tomorrow morning TOPAZ, PUBLIC LIBKAKY

were received from the es and statements. In-Parents and friends are JACL, Mr. Kajiwara, Miss quire at the desk.

said Principal Drayton B. NEW TITLES: BROTHERS UNDER concert will be a Wagneri-Douglas, and ANYONE CAN UNG: Dawn and Siegfried's DRAW by Arthur Zaidenberg. Rhine Journey, SIEGFRI D SEND FLOWER SEEDS DRAW by Arthur Zaldenberg. IDYLL, Arturo Toscanini, The flower seeds re- loaned to the library two conductor and the Philharceived as a gift from the copies of "Brief for Japa- monic Symphony Orchestra primary school children of nese American Citizens of New York, Prelude to

CONCERT Friday evening's record THE SKIN by Cary McWil- an program including the liams, THE ROBE by Lloyd following: GOTTERDAMMER-III, Arturo Toscanini, conductor and the Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra ISOLDE: Liebestod, Act III, Mild und leise, Here ich nur, Kirsten Flagstad, soprano and the S.F. Opera Orchestra, Edwin McArthur, conductor.

TPDRIS PARADE

NEW RULES ISSUED FOR SOFTBALL

Drawn up by Kimbo Yoshi-. tomi. John Towata, Ralph Kanzaki, Frank Ogawa, Bill Fujita, Fred Koba and Henry Nakayama, the following the games are as follows: new softball rules were submitted to the Topaz Softball Leagus by the 31 vs 37, 2 PM, #37; 9 softball council:

1. Batter running to 2 PM, #15. first base should run directly pass first base and . National League not towards second. If the 26 vs 19, 2 PM, #21; 12 batter turns to the left, vs 39, 2.PM, #39; 20 vs 11, then it is a play and he 2 PM, #21. must either make first or second base, but if he runs directly pass first 7 vs 26, 3:30 PM, #21; base, batter can take his 6 vs 20, 3:30 PM, #21; 13 time returning to the base. vs. 11, 2 PM, #21; 5 vs. 12,

2. The pitcher must have both feet on the pitcher's box before the Western League pitch and one foot during 22 vs 8, 2 PM, #15; 15 the pitch.

3. The right of way be- 9, 2 PM, #15; 1 bye. longs to the fielder and : SINGLE A the runner has the choice . Southern League of 3 feet on either side 42 vs 34, 2 PM, #42; 41 | For 7 innings, Cy Na-

· All " spectators have 2 PM, #40; 35 bye. been requested by the SINGLE A league officials to stay Northern League 15 feet behind the base- 33 vs 27, 3:30 PM. #41; line and maintain that dis- 32 vs 38, 3:30 PM, #39; 31 tance throughout the game as it interferes with the playing of the game.

games be too provided from FLAYERS REFRAIN the standpoint of diamonds, FROM PROFANITY it is of the opinion of the .athlette dopartment that guture block games will have to be played partly on Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

Industrial Schedule

AA LEACUE

· Sunday-May 23---CAS vs Delta Lill, 10:30 AM, #21. Sunday-May :: 0--Delta Mill vs Oilers. 10:30 AM. #15.

fice 7: Unite Mill. 10:30 subdued. Due to the arten-AM, 121.

tal vs Delta Mill, 10:30 asked that players rofrain balls are asked to contact AM, #15.

FIRST BLOCK LEAGUE GAMES SET FOR SUNDAY

Out of 36 populated blocks in the City, tored teams in the Topaz Softball League and 30 are scheduled to play their first league games this Sunday afternoon, it was announced today.

The team mentioned first will be the home team and

DOUBLE AA

American League vs 23, 2 PM, #15; 30 vs 16,

DOUBLE A

SINGLE A Eastern League 2 PM, #21.

SINGLE A vs 10, 3:30 PM, #15; 3 vs

of the fielder. vs 27, 2 PM, #41; 40 vs 28,

vs 29, 3:30 PM, #15, 56 bye.

Should this Sunday's TOWATA ASKS

John Towata, softball supervisor, requests that the teams participating in the league games turn in their score sheets as soon as possible in order that the league standings and batting average of each player can be computed. He also added the hope that the league be conducted in the very best sportsmanlike manner and unnocessary and heated feelings be-Sunday-Tuno 6-Post Of- tween teams or players bo dance of girls and chil- and have not as yet re-Sunday-June 13-Hospi- dren at the games, he cloved their gold-basket-

BLOCK 16 TRIMS BLOCK 30, 7-1, IN HARDBALL

Lod by Harry Makagawara's brilliant 2-hit pitching, the Block 16 All-Stars trimmed the Block 30 nine, 7-1, in the first hardball game played in the City last Saturday afternoon. Approximately 600 fans witnessed the contest.

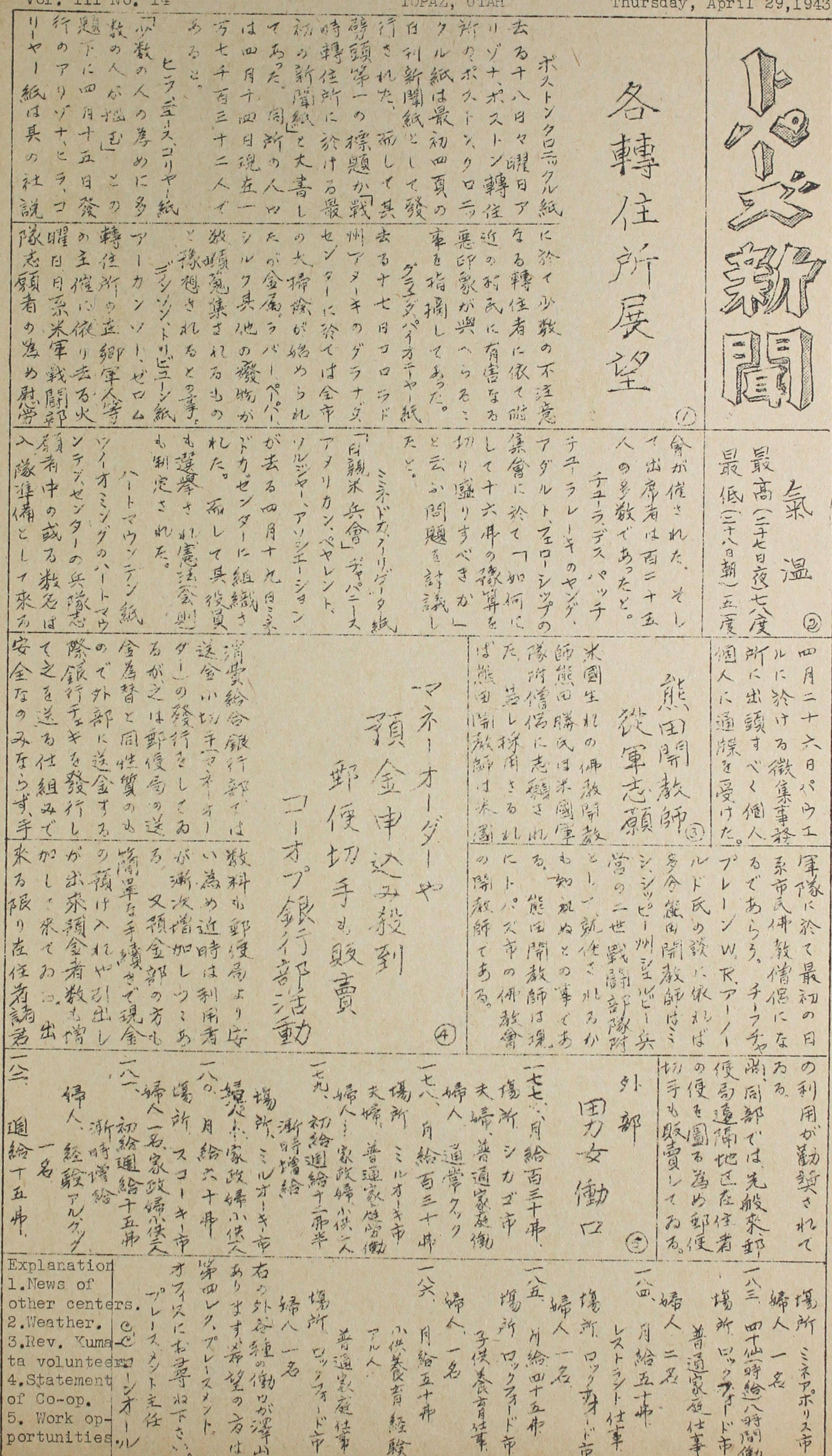
The score dges not do justice to the losers as they played a flawless game on the field, but mot defeat because they failed to solve the slants of Nakagawara who fanned 15 men.

kao of Block 30 pitched on equal basis with Nakagawara, but weakened in the 8th. Abetted by homers by Hiss Kataoka and Yun Akinaga, the Block 16 batters pushed across enough runs to put the game on ice. Katapka was the batting star of the day with 4 hits.

The 2 teams will tangla again this Saturday afternoon at Diamond 15.

lopaz Cagers Given Gold Basketballs

The Topaz All-Star basketball team, which won the recent Intermountain cage tourney, has received miniature gold basketballs from the Salt Lake JACL, it was learned today. Alplayers who made the trip from the use of-profamity, Kimbo. Yoshitomi at Rec 3.



は十七投月陸の成組る別 よて新日語堂に試系練 一一一 りた学よ学 不接石者伍及ら 9) よびる韓成る。科力校ジ双左士後 今の外り紙る往る 日に 百七七級に男所新二設本で 颓生鬯 志と基志はて限り 男しい麻 類なが類しあいり願る 風は 機 を有 隊齡 ストト 本 老人組八八六六 で競技な E 祭 一切がいかがかりませんがある 上流が紅 延 と人か、へ (3) 女阳行 本学者は事 るは お扱うがないが 祭り 門 推神路面观る 被雪 教育 催 竹中 教授 七部。 及 3 西田 日 大路の 北然 れるたろ 省 大學 机柳五 **(5)** 孟孟至至千九大屯去孟出土土土九公 十九八七六五四三二一 会教士你我们国中国部 がイインサッ る計スパか気状はの監察 と、文札ら松り カイライン大進ンの各餘組織成技