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## NORTHERN UTAH REGION CLOSED TO RELOCATORS

Due to the influx of evacuees in the northern Utah counties, Rex Lee of the Salt Lake City relocation office has requested the local employment agency to discontinue granting indefinite leaves for this region. The counties effected include Salt Lake, Weber, Davis, Box Elder, Utah and Tooele.

Lee stated that a difficult postwar unemployment problem would result among the evacuees as Utah has always been a surplus labor area and will probably be one after the war with many thousands of soldiers and war workers looking for jobs.

### COMMUNITY ACCEPTANCE

"It is also very unlikely that present favorable acceptance of evacuees in this community can be maintained if many more concentrate here," he added.

To counteract this situation Lee advised the relocation office here of the following measures which will go into effect immediately.

1. Grant no indefinite leaves without prior approval of the Salt Lake office.

2. Advise all seasonal workers who leave the center after August 20 that they will not be granted indefinite leaves to accept a job in this region.

### SEASONAL WORK

3. Release no seasonal workers to these counties without prior approval of the Salt Lake office unless the employment is strictly agricultural and the offer is approved by the county agent, USES, or the War Food Administration.

4. Issue no short term leaves to go to these counties to look for a job.

WEATHER	Max.	Min.
Sunday.....	92°	60°
Monday.....	94°	50°

## TRANSFER MOVEMENT DELAYED TO SEPT. 19

The transfer of those who are going to Tule Lake from Topaz has been deferred until Sunday, September 19, in conformity with instructions received from Malcolm Pitts, assistant regional director in charge of the WRA transfer program, it was learned today. The week's postponement was attributed to the need for concurrence with train movements.

### NO FREEZING ON LEAVES

"There is absolutely no truth to the persistent rumor that Topaz residents must remain in the center until the transfer program is completed or that visitors will not be allowed to come here," Project Director Charles F. Ernst, stated today.

"I have heard this rumor from various persons and I have told them that there is no foundation whatever for it. Many persons are leaving the center on seasonal or indefinite leaves every day and the relocation program is being carried forward at an accelerated pace. Likewise, the daily roster of visitors continues to be on the level with the past and visitors will be welcomed at all times," he concluded.

### SUFFICIENT COAL SUPPLY ASSURED

With the onset of cold weather this week, Henry Watson, chief of the public works department, assured the residents that there is plenty of coal in the center.

A contract has been let for 25,000 tons of coal and the shipment which will arrive soon is to be stored in the new yard, situated west of Greasewood Way.

A requisition has also been placed for 600 cords of wood which can be used for supplementary fuel material.

All trains from Tule will arrive at Delta at 8:30 AM with a group from Tule and depart with a contingent from Topaz at 12:30 PM of the same day.

### FIRST GROUP

The first train from Tule Lake with 434 transferees from that center will arrive at Delta at 8:30 AM Sunday, September 19, and 487 residents from Topaz will board the same train at 12:30 PM for Tule on the same day.

The transfer on September 24 will involve the exchange of 433 Tuleans with 486 Topaz transferees. An additional 433 Tuleans will arrive on the third train which is scheduled to arrive September 29. 488 Topaz residents will leave on this train.

### 173 ADDED TO LIST

Included in the transfer from Topaz will be 173 persons who had requested change of status since July 1 or July 15 so that they may be transferred to Tule Lake, and volunteers who will accompany these persons. This addition brings the total number of transferees to 1461.

With the release of the schedules for departure, train assignments have already been made, and this number cannot be increased, said Project Director C.F. Ernst. No more additions will be accepted from today, he concluded.

BEET WORK RECRUITERS:  
D.D. Buttars and Leo Nelson of the Amalgamated Sugar Company is at the relocation office today to recruit workers for the Cache Valley district.

## **DOG OWNERS COUNCIL SETS REGULATIONS**

Regulations regarding the maintenance and possession of live fowls and animals were passed by the city council last Thursday.

The new ordinance which will go into effect September 3 stated the following.

1. No person shall keep, harbor, raise, or maintain within the community of Topaz, any live fowls, hares, rabbits, or any other wild or domesticated animals or birds other than dogs, cats and canaries.

2. Every person owning, a dog shall register such dog with the community council by the time this ordinance becomes effective.

3. Any unregistered dog shall be considered a stray dog.

Stray dogs shall be impounded; and if it is not claimed by its owner within 3 days shall be disposed of in accordance with health regulations.

4. All dogs registered in accordance with this regulation shall be inoculated against rabies and any other sickness which requires inoculation.

5. No persons shall wash a dog or cat in a laundry tray, or in any basin or tub in a washroom.

6. No dogs shall be allowed in dining halls.

7. Violators of this regulation shall be guilty of an offense punishable, under Administrative Instruction #85 and amendments thereto.

8. Dog owners shall be liable in damages for injury committed by their dogs.

## **27 MORE WORKERS LEAVE FOR PROVO**

Another contingent of 27 workers left for Provo yesterday afternoon, according to I. Shibata of the relocation office.

Most of them will be employed to pick tomatoes, it was indicated.

Fifteen women workers are expected to depart tomorrow for Ogden to work in a tomato processing plant there.

## **REDUCTION IN NUMBER OF JOBS SLATED; NEW POLICY**

Under a new employment policy, the WRA is cutting down the number of routine positions at all relocation centers, Director Dillon S. Myer has advised officers here. A revised administrative instruction governing the program has been issued by the Washington office to all relocation centers.

### **FALL HIGH SCHOOL REGISTRATION TO START NEXT WEEK**

With the high school registration for the fall semester scheduled for next Monday and Tuesday, students should call at the school administration office this Saturday to obtain copies of the academic program and pre-registration blanks, according to Drayton B. Nuttall, acting principal.

Inasmuch as courses to be taken can be approved by parents in advance, such preliminary action will facilitate registration, Nuttall said.

The support of qualified residents is essential to complete the roster of the teaching personnel, it was stressed.

### **GRANT RELEASE RULES REVISED**

In accordance with latest instructions released by the WRA, funds for traveling and initial living expenses for evacuees leaving the center on indefinite leave will henceforth be paid in the following manner:

1. Fare will be provided in the form of a railroad ticket or a government transportation request with which the traveler can buy his own ticket.

2. The \$3 a day for meals and expenses while en route will be issued before departure.

3. The grant for initial living expenses will be sent in care of the evacuee's nearest relocation officer. Checks not called for or sent for within 30 days will be returned to the project.

The new rulings do not change the eligibility requirements or the amount of grants, it was learned.

"The new policy," Myer pointed out, "will make it possible to carry on essential project operations more efficiently, with fewer personnel, and will make center jobs a better training ground for eventual employment outside."

Aside from the reduction in the number of jobs in the project, the instruction formally establishes the 44-hour work week, provides that not more than 13 per cent of evacuee employees at the project may be paid at the rate of \$19 per month, stipulates that not more than one member of a family shall be employed at the project when other qualified candidates are available, and establishes a system of compensation for extended illness.

#### **JOB DESCRIPTIONS**

Wage rates will continue as at present, and the Washington office is now preparing job descriptions which will apply to all centers and set forth the duties and responsibilities of each worker in the various job categories.

This is being done to insure uniformity in jobs and wages as between the different centers and will also help evacuees in advising prospective outside employers of work experience gained in project employment.

#### **TO HELP EMPLOYERS**

Relocation offices will be supplied with copies of the job descriptions in order to give prospective employers a clear understanding of this experience.

The employment office will also keep a work record for each resident employee, along with information previously obtained on his pre-evacuation occupation, and such data will be submitted to prospective outside employers when desired.

## MARRIAGE UNITES PROMINENT COUPLE

At an impressive Buddhist service conducted in English, 300 guests, including residents and appointed personnel, witnessed the marriage of Miss Hisako Kuroiwa and Tadashi Hirota Sunday evening at the Buddhist Church.

The bride, who carried a bouquet of gardenias and red roses, was attired in a blue tailored suit.

Attendants were Miss Yukino Takemoto and Mike Maruyama.

Mrs. Hirota is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Kuroiwa of 14-11-B. Hirota is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Masajiro Hirota of 5-12-CD.

Recognized as a leader in Buddhist and recreational circles, Hirota directed many of the young people activities in the project.

Hirota, a volunteer in the US army, and Mrs. Hirota are expected to leave the project next week for Cleveland, Ohio, on a hospitality offer.

## LEAKING PIPES TO BE REPLACED

Plans are being made to replace the two and a half inch water service lines, which have been the cause of the leaking pipes, it was reported by Henry Watson, chief of the public works department.

With the approval of the WPB, the installation will be under the supervision of Wayne Sutton, former assistant superintendent of construction for the army engineers. As there will be much hand labor involved, residents may be called on to volunteer to dig out the service lines in their respective blocks.

The Washington WRA office has approved the renting of equipment and operators for this purpose, it was reported.

**LOST:** Oval rhinestone brooch between Buddhist Church and block 11 Sunday night. Return to 11-8-B. Reward.

## NUMBER OF TRANSFEREES INCREASES TO 1400

### COLLEGES ACCEPT SSAF RECIPIENTS

Of 27 recent Topaz high school graduates, who have received approval for financial assistance from the Student Scholarship Aid Fund committee, 9 have, to date, been accepted by colleges, universities and schools to which they applied, it was disclosed today. Others are still awaiting word of definite acceptance or rejection.

According to Henry Tani of the SSAF board, the committee was guided in its selection of recipients by the following principles: the student must be a local graduate in need of assistance, and be in attendance at a regular 4 year college or university by January, 1944.

### MISS TAKIGUCHI, HIKOYEDA, WED

Miss Yoshiko Takiguchi and Tad Hikoyeda exchanged marriage vows at the Buddhist Church on Saturday afternoon, it was learned today. The Rev. Z. Okayama officiated at the wedding.

Gowned in white satin with a short veil, the bride carried an orchid encircled by stephanotis. Dr. Takao Hikoyeda acted as best man for his brother.

Hikoyeda, a volunteer for the US army, is expected to return to Camp Shelby shortly.

### PW NEEDS PAINT GUN OPERATOR

A resident employee to operate a paint gun and compressor is needed by the public works division immediately.

Henry R. Watson, chief of the public works division stated that the worker will be trained to operate the instrument at the \$19 scale.

Watson also indicated that a person trained in this field will be qualified for a exceptionally well paid job outside.

Approximately 1400 to 1500 Topaz residents will be transferred to the Tule Lake segregation center next month, Project Director Charles F. Ernst revealed today.

He indicated that these figures are based on the requests for repatriation and expatriation, not cancelled prior to July 1, and those who have maintained their negatives response to question 28. Also included in this number are those persons who are voluntarily accompanying members of their immediate families to Tule Lake.

#### PROTESTS EVACUATION

"The statement has been made that a number of young men and women answered 'no' to question 28 as a protest against evacuation and their loss of civil rights," Ernst observed.

"Many of them have already changed their answers to the affirmative, and if there are others, who feel that there is another means to register their protest, the opportunity for altering answers is still available," he concluded.

#### APPLY AT REC 23

Such persons should make their application for change at the rec 23 transfer office.

## EX-SAN FRANCISCO GIRL IS BRIDE

Attired in a formal black kimono, Miss Sachi Mizota became the bride of Nasao James Sato at the Buddhist Church Saturday evening. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. S. Sanada.

Attending the bride was her sister, Fumiyo. Chuck Ito of Salt Lake City was his cousin's best man.

Mrs. Sato, formerly of San Francisco, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Saizo Mizota of 38-12-CD. Her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Genjiro Sato of 22-4-E. They resided, prior to evacuation, in Oakland.



日系市民協會長

城戸三郎氏の通信（其四）

するに云ふ事は市民の憲法上の  
之權利と調和せしむる事は甚  
だ以て困難であると云ふ事は  
ありうと、更に同氏は左の如き  
大審院判事ダグラス氏の意  
見を引用された。即ち適當  
なる理由の下に抑留すると云  
ふ事と個人の系統の爲めを  
抑留すると云ふ事とは全く別  
問題である。又軍部の命令  
に従ふ云ふ事と又或る一團  
隊の中の員は其の本人が忠誠で  
ある場合其々人がその部類を乗  
使さるべき者である事を證明  
すべき機會を或る場合に與へら  
れねばならぬ。かく云ふ事と  
は全然別問題である。然し  
乍ら易し忠誠なる個人がそり  
分類を變更して貴ふ思ひに

白系市民等を最も心配させる議案は不忠誠と云はれて居る白系市民の資産剥奪せんとするものか又は戦後に於て凡ての日本人を市民非市民の別なく悉く日本に送還せんとする議案であらう。更に兵部判出身の議員シバード及びジョンソン案が此の種のもつである。

下院議員ロイ・ジョンソン氏に依て提出されたる議案も法律的立場から批評したる前比島大審院判事フレデリコ・ブレシャー氏の駁明とも評論が最近のサンフランシスココレコダ紙に掲載された。尤も此の法案の目的とする處は即ち日本人又白系市民の

## あるじ自筆手書の

第四回、日本米人戦闘部隊  
新肩章が從來の昇三軍徽  
軍に代へらるることとなつた。  
新徽章は白く縁取つた  
角の圓面に、剣を持てた黄  
龍手着けた右腕の後に、紅  
色の爆弾炸裂を現はせる  
もとで、合衆國々旗を防護す  
るべに武器を取つて走る萬  
人種の軍隊を象徴するもの  
であると正式に發表された。

栽培に從事し櫻實の收穫  
が済んで、これから桃の季節  
に入らんとしてゐる。來月はフル  
ム、梨と収穫が續きます。  
轉じて東部愛知州の農業  
窓地ツインブルース市に趣く、  
砂糖大根、トマト、豆、玉蜀黍、  
ポテト及びアルファルファの名前  
地で、四百人の日本人期節轉  
位者、二百人の墨國人、三百人の  
ハサウエイ領、ジャマイカ人が自下盛に  
農作物の手入に從事してゐる。  
豆は一英加四、五十俵、ポテト

たのだ。」と話した。行未非常に  
心強く感じた。トバズからウサ  
所者に一人も逢はなかつたこと  
は心淋しかつた。

更に轉じてヘケアン市へ行く。  
蓮及バ水瓜の名産地、水瓜は早  
アトボル大に成長、一莢かゝ收  
獲十頭以上といふことだと。或  
農家での問答で、當地方並  
の収穫は一莢加權に二百乃至  
三百ケーツであることを知つた  
加州日本人の菴園では五百  
乃至二キクレーツの収穫があつた

必ずサカトを捻り取  
谷へる。されば山  
居る。と應じて呵  
浦

た。こ私が  
十年遅れて  
大笑した。  
生一  
病に注意  
に於て、小伏  
あるが、目下  
小児病が流  
れ様子上子  
止める様子  
があった。

- EXPLANATION -	
1. J.A.C.L PRES., KIDS' MES	とは、高山、水域、雨夫妻の媒約式を挙げられ矣。
SAGE.	鬼塚勇一君と玉城靜子君
2. NEW INSIGNIA FOR NESEI COMBAT TEAM	は、高山、水城、雨夫妻の媒約式を挙げられ矣。
3. G. URA'S REPORT ON IDAHO F FARMS.	にて廿五日夜、婚約式を挙げられ矣。
4. WARNING AGAINST CHILD DI- SEASES	婚約式を挙げられ矣。
5. 27 NISEI STUDENTS ACCEPTED AT UNIVERSITIES	は、高山、水城、雨夫妻の媒約式を挙げられ矣。
6. N. OKAHIRA TO SUCCEED SHIMURA AS TENNIS MANAGER	にて廿五日夜、婚約式を挙げられ矣。
7. ENGAGEMENT	は、高山、水城、雨夫妻の媒約式を挙げられ矣。

先にキリスト教徒所長デロン  
マイヤー氏は革、府に於けるダ  
イス委員の審問會に於て次  
の如き聲明を發せられた。  
斯くの如く市民の抑留を更總  
する云ふ事は市民の憲法上  
の權利と謂ふ事は甚  
だ以て困難であると云ふ事は  
法律家なら直ちに同意するで  
ありうと、更に同氏は左の如き  
大審院判事ダグラス氏の意

市民として彼の忠誠を表示し得る機関が別になつて云ふ事が「財团」であるならば、まだもつと一層重大なる性質の問題が提出されねばならない。

(B) 暴力に依て米國政府を  
眞實する事を唱道し又教  
示したる者又は、(C) 知りなが  
らそして故意に言に依て  
或は行爲に依て又は口頭  
にて、或は書面にて外國に  
忠誠を表言した者は日本又は  
檢事總長が指定する西半球  
以外の或る所に放逐さるべき。  
右に對しジャッズ、フライシヤは左の  
如く述べある。(續)

むむ、是非『其地方の農況を  
とことどです、やう拙ない筆を取  
ることにしました。

其筋の許可を得、蜜峰會  
社長の自動車を拜借に及  
び、當市を中心、百哩四方の  
農園觀察に出掛けた。先  
づ首府ボセイ市に着いた。今  
五万、州第一の都會で無数の  
大樹街側に併立し、加州サンフセ  
ルバセます。郊外には日本人

フルコは三番目が既に二尺位  
成長して居る。或る白人大農家  
に聞くと「能率からいふと日本  
の右に出づる人種はない。強  
くて難癖をつけると、日本人は慣  
りほっこだ」といつた。此所で  
逢つた日本人は、多くマンザナー  
から来た青年で「僕等は徹  
退前羅府に居たが、今後農  
業方面に發展する積りで農  
事の経験を積むと共に企業

つてあつて既に五日  
穂を出してゐるの  
是が一つも稼ぎ取  
ら、白人農家にて  
の實が欲しいのを  
欲しいのが」と問  
實が欲しいのだ。  
は誰もサカを稼  
から、其の必要は無  
つたと答へた。康  
川の農業は加州より

に併んで、  
にサカノ宮  
され十三名は既に遊學の途に  
ハフてないか  
上れりと、

夷達は參  
め、サカ一が  
ふニハ無論  
アイダホーで  
ト、ハズ、テニス俱樂部主任志村行  
き取り、  
今度交換船にて日本行となり  
ため後任として園平壁氏取締  
吏に白く當  
と決定、所用の人はレク三辻中  
三年過れて  
込ませたしこ。

アイダホー農園紀行

③ 事実を語ると、その農家は昨  
晩して居た。思ふに當地方の  
著作には改良すべき点が多

二十七名大學入

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ツリレキ出發期日確定す、

ラブリック氏より今朝發表する

八月三十日晚エタ州グラス兵営内全南艦事務所長アントン氏  
カリハ牛せし電報により列車宏發期日其他隔離に關する詳細が  
次の如く確定せる事當歸往所南艦事務所長ラブリック氏より發表する。

1. 最初のツリレキよりの移動者四百三十五名は九月十九日(金曜日)午前八時半  
デルタステーションに到着、同日十時より最初の隔離者四百八十七名  
午後零時三十分デルタを出發する事に確定す。

2. ツリレキよりの第二回移動者四百三十三名は九月二十四日(金曜日)午前  
八時半デルタに到着最初の移動。如き同日午後零時三十分十代  
よりの第二回隔離者四百八十六名はデルタを出發する事に確定す。

3. 同じくツリレキよりの第三回移動者四百三十三名は九月二十九日(水)  
午前八時半デルタに到着、同日午後零時三十分第三回隔離者四百  
八十八名デルタを出發する事に確定す。

4. 又七月一日以後の歸國申請者と其家族、及び七月十五日以後登録  
質問第三條にN.Oと返答を變更したる者の總數は百七十三名にて  
之等の人達は全部同名ローフの隔離者(七月一日以前の歸國申請者及  
七月十五日以前のN.O組)と共にツリレキへ出發出来る事に決定す。

5. 今次の十代よりの隔離者總數は千四百六十五名である。

所長アントン氏よりの發表

今次の十代よりの隔離者總數は千四百六十五名にて追加隔離者は  
許可されず。從て第一第二第三の各列車に乗る人名簿には此の千四  
百六十五名の隔離者總數に準據して作成されたる。

又今後歸國申請者又第三條質問返答變更者は今次の隔離に  
含まざる者未だ於て隔離されるであつて、アント所長より發表する



CLARK G.

CLAUDETTE  
COLBERT

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# SEPTEMBER

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SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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26	27	28	29	30		