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TOPAZ. MARTU

Wednesday.

SIAFF QUARTERS DAMAGED BY FIRE THIS MORNING

In the worst Topus fire to date, a staff housing building which was under construction was damaged considerably this morning. The fire started about 10 AM when a bucket of tar which was being heated on a red-hot stove in one of the apartments exploded and burst into flames. the which leaged toward ceiling and spread through the attic. The fire was under control in 20 minutes.

Most of the damages were concentrated in the two west apartments of the building and the attic.

Miller, 'acting W. B. fire protection officer, stated that the crews under Chick Yamada did a good job in extinguishing the fire. He also roported that no fire alarm had been turned in.

Reinstitution Of Draft Commended

Reinstitution of solecdone more for evacuee pub- purpose of the organizalic relations than any other single step, Dillon S. Myer, national WRA directer told the council and resident leaders Saturday afternoon at a / meeting held at 1-10-CD. Myer expressed confidence in the manner in which selective service was being accepted in this center.

At the meeting Myer answered many questions pertinent to the future operations of the project, including agriculture, education, food, employment quota, and also general questions which covered civil rights, selective service and relocation.

WEATHER	Max. Min.
Saturday	52° 22°
Sunday	
Monday	
Tuesday	

RESIDENTS FLIGIBLE INDEFINITE TRIAL IFAVE

Residents will be eligh plicents whose destinat ble to go out on indefinite leave for a trial period of from 6 to 6 months and may secure permission to return to the conter at the end of the designated period if they find it necessary, according to new WRA regulations received today by Charles F. Ernst, project director.

. The new type of leave will be issued only to ap-

VETERAN RIGHTS FAUST, ELLET TO ADDRESS RESIDENTS

Judge George A. Faust of the third judicial district in Salt : Lake City and A. S. Ellett, state service officer, will address the residents on the rights of voterans at dining hall 32 Friday evening from 8 o'clock,

Judge Faust and Ellet ara representatives of the Veterans' Rehabilitation Division, which was created by the State Welfare tive service for nisei has . Commission recently. The tion is to aid veterans and their families in securing assistance offered to them under state and federal acts.

CHIEF MED OFFICER TO LEAVE PROJECT

Dr. J.A. Simpson, chief medical officer at the local hospital, will leave the center Monday for Washington, DC, where he will enter the Walter Reed General Hospital for a physical check-up, it was reported today.

Dr. Simpson stated that plans to divide his time between 'Washington and Laredo, Toxas, hometown.

Dr. Leopold Pressman of the . Poston hospital is expected to arrive here Sunday to act as Dr. Simpson's successor.

is a state ment Mississippi or in Minness ta, Ious or Missouri.

Explaining the new regu-lations, Lelend Barrows, acting director of WRA in Washington, said: PROGRAM EXPLAINED

"The edoption of this program, permitting indefinite leave on a trial basis is an effort on the part of the WRA to meet the needs of those evadue ees who have been uncertheir ability to tain of make a success of reloca-tion, and those who have hesitated to leave the centers without assurance that they could come back in the event they were unable to make a satisfac tory adjustment on the outside.

"They will now be allowed to take employment on a trial basis and to find out for themselves conditions are like the outside, with the pro-vision that they may secure permission to return to the center. Applicants must show that indefinite leave for the trial period is a definite step toward permanent relocation."

WHO CAN GO OUT

Individuals and families going out on this type of leave must have a specific offer of employment or an invitation from a field relocation officer and mest the requirements regular indefinite leave. Applicants must agree not to change employment (Continued on page 2):

NISEL CAN ASK FOR MUSTERING OUT PAY

Nisei soldiers discharged from the army since Pearl Harbor are eligible for mustering out pay upon application.

These forms are available at the council office, 1-10-D.

For Thurs, Fri

Aldrich comedy, will be presented, by the .. high school drams players this Thursday and Friday in the auditorium from 8:15 PM. The three-act play is directed by B.D. Evans, drama department head.

Leading players are Albert Nabeshima as Henry Aldrich, Seiko Akahoshi as Barbara Pearson, and Shizuo Namba as George Bige-

: Admission is 10 cents for the general public and 5 cents for persons with student body cards.

HOSP. FUND

\$322 DISTRIBUTED

A total of \$397.41 was since they were of through blocks during larch for lower the morale of the hospital fund, the employees. community council reported today. \$322.50 was distributed to the hospital work- soon after Miss Endo ers on the same basis as been evacuated to the Wal-. last month.

The council stated that with a reserve of \$9.75 and a balance of \$57.86 from February the current balance, after the distribution of the monthly dona- since she had a brother in tions, is \$53.27. The pres- the army and had never ent reserve on hand is \$69.50:

MENLO PARK HOSP. GETS 3 "PUKA" MEN

The first three casualties of the "Puka Puka" Battalion of the 100th Infantry, composed entirely of loyal Japanese Ameri- and of the relocation procans, were received on gram then in force, sug-March 22 at the new Dibble Army General Hospital in ply for relocation clear-Menlo Park, California, ac- ance to the midwest. cording to an article in

Japanese in the American army, the three were been denied clearance for wounded in the still rag- resettlement. ing battle for Cassino.

The men are Sgt. Kiyofrom Honolulu,

"What A Life" ACLU TO BRING ENDO Production Set CASE BEFORE SE COURT

The legality of the WRA to hold in custody under "What a Life," a Henry its stop-list procedure American citizens of Japanese ancestry without filing formal charges will be challonged by the American Civil Liberties Union in an appeal now being prepared in the Mitsuye Endo case in San Francisco.

cation program officer, She stated that her case which EVACUATION is being handlod by James INDIVIDUAL CROERS Purcell, a San Francisco attorney, will be heard sometime this spring in the Circuit Court of Appeals.

Prior to the war, Liss Endo worked with approxi-mately 70 other Japanese at the State Department of . Employment in Sacramento. Shortly after the outbreak of war, these workers were discharged from the depart-BY CITY COUNCIL ment which stated that Japathe nese ancestry they would other

> The Endo case was filed in San Francisco in 1942 had assembly lerga center. She was chosen to petition for a writ of habeas corpus for release from MRA custody and for freedom of movement in the US been to Japan. In July, 1943, Federal Judge Mi-chael J. Roche dismissed the petition.

The court took cognizance of the Supreme Court decision in the US vs. Hirabayashi case in which the levelity of the exclusion order was upheld gesting that miss Endo ap-

Since the Roche decision, the San Francisco Examiner, the WRA has invoked what able number of nisei have

JAMUARY GRADS: All high shi Ikeda, Corp. Kenichi school rads of January 44 Interested persons are Ina, and Prc. Takeo Daido, should turn in their diplo- requested to obtain reall members of the unit mas to 32-10-A to have lease from their section their named printed.

Miss Endo, formerly of Tule Lake and residing at 39-9-D, Topaz, is employed as a secretary to the relo-

RULED NOT LEGAL

SAN FRANCISCO -- The Winth District US Circuit Court of Appeals declared in, an unanimous decision on March 10 that orders is. sued by Lt. Gen. John L. DoWitt excluding individual citizens from the west coast military area were not legal orders but merely notices, and that they "commanded nothing and prohibited nothing."

Prasiding Justice Curtis D. Wilbur wrote the opinion in a test case brought by Kenneth Alexander, 52, of Los Angeles who was ordered excluded from the west coast in April, 1943.

The courts, and not the army have the power of enforcing any exclusion, the opinion declared.

The defendents in the case were Gen DeWitt, former commanding general of the Western Defense Com-mand, and R. B. Hood, head of the FBI in Los Angeles.

No immediate comment on the effect of the court's decision on Cen. DeWitt's orders which evacuated more than 70,000 American citizens of Japanese ancestry from the Pacific coast in 1942 was made.

SHORTHAND CLASSES GIVEN AT AD REC

Intermediate and vanced shorthand classes are now being conducted in Members of the only ac- is termed as a relocation the administration rective combat unit composed stop-list whereby consider- hall Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. The advanced class is held from 2 to 3 PM and intermediate class from 3:15 to 4:15 PM.

lease from their section heads to attend classes.

ISSUED BY WRA

goods may be shipped from tee on nisei segregated either the West Coast or the center to the relocation destination at govern- SAVOY 5 TO MAKE ment expense under new WRA FINAL APPEARANCE regulations. Packing and crating is covered, but unpacking, uncrating and door delivery at destination is not covered.

Old regulations limited shipping of goods by freight at government expense to 500 pounds per

family.

Tools and equipment, or fixtures of an evacuee's trade, business or profession including farm machinery, not exceeding 5000 pounds, may be transported at government expense to new destination, the field relocation officer certifies that such property is necessary.

MCCOLM TO HEAD EXPLORER: TROOP

George McColm, associate agronomist and former of the senior scouts at Horgan, will direct the newly organized Topaz explorer troop.

who are in good health and 15 years of age or older, may join the troop whether they have had previous experience or not, according to Keigo Inouye, director of scouting. Registration is now open at recs 3 and 42.

NEW RULES ON ULIO SENDS PRESIDENT'S STORED GOODS REPLY TO CITIZENS GROUP

A reply to the letter dent Roosevelt. was An unlimited amount of and recommendations of household or porsonal the Topaz citizens commit-

The original Savoy Five will make its final appear all mon inducted in the ance at a special to be sponsored by the CAS on April 9. Bids, which will be limited to 75 couples, will be sold at rec 3 during the latter part of this week.

tions and bids is Ham Hama- Battalion and for the saki, refreshment, Toshi Koba, general arrangement Sabu Fujita, Emcee for the dance will be Tats Nakamoto.

The dance locale will be announced later.

Members Of USO Board Named

Forty-three nisei and issel women attended the first meeting to reorganize the USO activities. The following persons were chosen as board members of the misei group: Mary Ouye, chairman; Kiyo Hochizuki, secretary; Carol Tamaki, Mrs. Marianne Arimoto, and irs. Yoshiko Hikoyeda. Board members of the issei group consist of irs.C Kajiwara, chairman; Mrs.Taka Iino, treasurer; Mrs. A. Isono, Mrs. C. Kawamoto, and Lirs. K. Takahashi.

ceived here by Frank Yamasaki, chairman of the group, from Maj. Gen. J. unit addressed to Presi- A. Ulio, the adjutant general.

> The letter states in part:

"It is the policy of the War Department that dance army will be employed in a manner most useful to the prosecution of the war.In furtherance of this policy it is contemplated assigning many of the citizens of Japanese ancestry In charge of the decora- replacements for the 100th 442nd Combat Team.

> "The new inductees may thus be assigned to various branches of the service, including infantry, field artillery, ongineers, and medical corps, and al-so to the military intelligence service. In general, however, the assignment of individuals in this category will be governed by the existing needs at the time of their entry into the military service.

"Please be assured that your patriotic interest. and that of the Citizens! Committee of Topaz, in the war effort, is appreciated."

PRE-EASTER FLOWER SHOW TO BE HELD

Artificial flower making classes of lirs. A. Koga will present a pre-Easter exhibit from Harch 29 to April 8. The show will be open on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at the east end of rec 35 from 2 to 6 PM.

Residents are invited to see flower baskets, shell articles, rabbits, bears, pandas and other Easter gifts on display.

PLANTING UNDERWAY

of The first planting five acres of seas in seetion 13 unit 3 was completed this week by the acriculture section.

During the next 2 weeks lettuce, mustard spinach, dark green spinach, onions and radishes will be planted.

More About Trial Leave

(Cont. from page 1) a nor to travel outside prescribed travel district without approval of the re- for reinbursement of the location officer. They must be at least 21 years old or accompanied by an immediate member of their family of at least that age.

No leave assistance grants will be made until the evacuee converts to full indefinite, which can be done at any time during the trial period. Applications for such assistance may be made before or after leaving the center. If

an evacuee pays, his own train fare to the relocation point, he may apply fare when requesting leave grant assistance.

Persons going out on period indefinite trial leave will not be permitted to visit the center during that period except in the case of emergencies within his family.

After six months the trial period leave will convert to regular indefinite leave if the evacuee does not return to the center.

T. HIGASHINO TAKES SUNDAY GOLF TOURNEY

Out of 30 participants, Takeo Higashino took high honors in the golf tournament held last Sunday afternoon on the focal golf course with a score of 39 strokes, 4 above par. He was closely followed by Hideji Hideshima with 40 strokes, Kunio Yoda and Joseph Rikimaru placed third and fourth.

A stiff wind which blew all during the match greatly hampered the golfers.

SOPHS CAPTURE 21-13 TUSSLE

Trailing at the half, 11-9, the Sophomore quint tied the score at 12-all in the third quarter and rambled on to win by a 21-13 count last Saturday afternoon in the preliminary.

The scrubs snatched an 8 to 5 advantage in the initial frame and led at the half but the Sophs drew ahead to win.

CLASS A

YMCA, FIREMEN TIED FOR FIRST

Two undefeated quints now lead the Class A Industrial league standings.

The Tonaz YMCA and Firemen, two undefeated quints, now lead the Class A Industrial league standings. Holding down second place are the PW-Hosp, and Co-op squads who were beaten by one of the two top teams.

TEAM	W	1
YMCA	 .2	- (
FIREMEN	 .2	(
PUB. WORKS-HOSP		1
CO-OP	 1	- 1
CAR. SER		2
COMMISSARY		2

CAGE SKED

SATURDAY AFTERNOON 2:00-Hi Y vs Stat,Lab,B 2:45--Com. vs H,Duty...B 3:30--Firemen vs YMCA..A 4:15--Mot,Rep. vs CAS..B SUNDAY AFTERNOON

2:00-H.Equip. vs Hosp.B 2:45-Stat.Lab. vs Com.B 3:30-Car. vs Firemen.A 4:15-Hi Y vs CAS.....B



YMCA DOWNS CO-OP IN 24-19 CAGEFEST SUNDAY

CHAMPS TO MEET ALL-STAR TEAM

The long-awaited clash between the champions of the Intermountain tournament and the second place Topaz All-Stars has finally been arranged, according to Lits Saito. The great hoopfest will be held sometime next week.

Due to the lack of practice, the All-Stars will be given a week of practice before entering the fray.

Kenji Hosokawa and Frank Ogi, the two mainstays for the All-Stars, will be missing from the lineup due to relocation.

COM. BADLINTON: There will be no community badminton at the gym this week because the schedule is filled. The Topaz YMCA drew up into a two-way tie for the top spot in the Class A Industrial league standings by downing the Co-op in a close 24-19 tussle Sunday afternoon.

Scoring for the game in the first half was close with the YMCA team holding a slim 14 to 12 lead. Harlem Sano, Tom Tomioka and Hank Hidekawa connected for a total of 10 points in the final half to lead the "Y" boys in to a victory. H. Sano copped high point honors in the contest with 7 markers for the YMCA.

THE LINEUPS

YMCA: Harlem Sano 7, Tom Tomioka 4, Hank Hidekawa 6, Toa Momii 4, Stan Tsujisaka 3 and George Yamamura,

CO-OP: Kunio Ishii 4, Sam Yamamoto 4, George Yonekura 6, Sus Ota 1, Moto Takahashi 4, Tad Horita and Toby Kuruma.

"Double T's" Nose Out Towering Wasatch Sextet In 26-24 Fray

Exhibiting their casaba skill for the first time before the home crowd, the Topaz High School "Double T's" stalled effectively in the last minute of play to nose out the visiting Wasatch Academy cirls by a 26 to 24 score Saturday afternoon.

The Wasatch contingent used its great height advantage to control the backboard on rebounds but the locals unleashed their fast, tricky breaks to down their towering foes.

With forward Bubbles Keikoan laying in 8 markers in the first canto, the "T's" garnered a 10-7 lead but the determined visitors tied the count at the half with four goals and a free throw, 16-all.

The two teams evened the score at 20-20 at the end of the third quarter. In the final spasm, with the home team ahead, 26-24, the "T's" pulled a tricky stall to end the tussle in their favor.

THE LINEUP

TOPAZ: Bubbles Keikoan 16, Grace Tsujisaka 2, Yamauchi 1, Mud Shinoda 1, Betty Nakaso 3, Wyno Nagazawa, Abu Keikoan, Nancy Takahashi, Mits Sato, Yuki Tsuchihashi and Margaret Kawaguchi.

HOOF RESULTS

SATURDAY AFFERNOON
Sophs--21, Freshmen--13
"T's"--26, Wasatch--24
SUNDAY AFFERNOON
CLASS A

YMCA-24, Co-op-19 CLASS B P.O.-22, Mot.Rep.-16

P.0.--22, Mot.Rep.--16 Co-op--22, A.S. Crew--7 CAS--28, Heavy Duty--9

March 29 たりした。斯の重大事がいと信ずる。果して然は、記録に微して我々の努力レータ、砲手黒木曹長はヨンソン氏は訴訟契約書では格被査を受してる」前に気やって関心を以て聞いたり讀えとは我々の間に是論な「覚の問題である、過去の一意分ある。有名なるし、耶和判事テイルマンロン「面して先祖中に同病院をごろりつマネーシ あることは単は立め、香養國家が野衛を遂行しな保護があるか、といかでは得た、彼ら我らの模しるるまでレイトンにてある一百十九名に達したと、其他ら結果する動揺が自然があると節の的でるちのが無益に了られていたの 彼の坚思と真優を立れる者とは件の聴客がり喚べを受けた適齢者は 正いてクル大に對してよる音にして間違を事は同ら僕は屡々この問題に問てくれようとくれましるとれれは彼を逮捕し告後て各ブラックのブロックマネショ のであることをおれてはな、兵役の義務を見ばすと僕は愈々此の信念を強いるできてなく亦むる必要 可書を下れすることをしてあるがその中心わばならぬ重要なる事故にを併である。今に及んで「中国のボーイスに接して、の米人と異った行動を執一局は彼に南店経営の許一總計・千百帯に 部である。他に考られの事実に基礎を置し僕が現在属してある歩後である。二世は他の普通 はいれは軍に全局面の一寒が我々に課した不公正で可なりといまである。 めてもあれ如何にこれらのが、そこに大きなりで付か、カンのショーやるッシーが君を今によって一旦選技さられた 感情が無理ならぬこと、ある、温表に政府及な軍」ちを支持してくれると信して古は快活に勇敢に魔君 民権のそれである。嚴格とることを誰へも非難すると歌感的差别待遇の同 る有あるは数馬くに足らしないと君達も思ふでありる数多くある。 うちな銀きを僕は大なち 最も大切かる事様は重思かであらう。斯と成る 抗すらも敢ててせんとしてある。との論理は否まれ!行動する真の米園人が一動めるわけではない僕が一合今を発したといかとてあるを受ける事になるあるの中州人名は合格しまる 吾もの忠事がしは出来すい、さもあれる題がある。軍隊に居てすと信念であるから受礼一あ者を閉鎖するにあら 與勢女方意見以聽け であり動のみならず、水我らの美語りな信候に過ぐ方へに挙って志願後軍せると一者の行動を一時禁止する南所の病院に於く体格板 松住之でてある時に國家防衛力 うす疑問に僕が些人得忘れてある 銃を就方のは自然である。唯一の為は米國には猶了 せられたものであるといいこ と念願とを通して喚起 連君事特に筋に沿す は不合理も甚らと思達はしたのである。 してくれると、僕は信する。以来事情は大に歌善れ うであると君選が認識了で直後初期召集品 最後以共通の苦杯 将来に見入る時特とく必ずまるのである。ポル 次は機性に對する報で、将来尚改善の見込は日曜ちにれば先週一曜日るので飲程便利である。 唯一のけるである。 聖実に国教して行くのか、日かあるとぶる空をだて いのである。至難であら一事情の下にあるはいみ我一ちことは承知して関なたい によって是正されなは正しくない。 されど現在の正直な誠意ある被渡であ 平民アラサに期待することは後兵 とけおは全然僕一個の見解依り若し彼 達の任意である。たが僕のし町食を課し塩禁し して彼の最善を尽すると らはから不正から脱れ得り 斯人人はとて僕は男姓人剪田に對する市當局職接地帯の遊散者も 終りに断てをきたいとを必要とするとふする 局口徒上南店経営の計總計千百市以子の顧信 さるくずで、レイトンにて南北三百年九名に達したと。其他 大いて 奥田は彼が日系人依れけ取年中に同せるの後に全面再被重を受け 一京我判所に提出したる証察署から発表 れた處に時的不合格の人々する自 であろといい理由で中當 住民が紛失したちをできは 苦であなとのち を営める日系米人クラレンストラインフオールを含むその 担み高店経営には強礼しか発見又は回收されてみな ソートレーキトリピョン紙は同所内の病院で行は、選されずちつのマネーを 英文要譯 川本幸雄 とろり前したと中立て、居る クラナタ通信 尚はミネドカセンターの被言不合格となった、そしてその 最近グラナダセンターと ミネドカセンダーになてはージャーが大水夫れその石が 投したる由 Message from Set. 或は水グ るックのマネーシマーは投票 は不信されて落選し、他の ローワー通信 ローワーセンターの後天通 test legality of 3. Notes of other centers.

Topaz すであるならじょ March 29, せき我らが遇してあるける。氏は説いた の面貌のみであるこれらの人一在してみないからである。と クラに演説して同地するスの下附を拒めらオクテンの會合が先週上曜夜レク部隊に志願入隊現にアできてあると勧告した。 は許さんとするか、若して一系人の間に実に善良な人告である。 る事柄によりも、我なに起り前さんてのあ買だ。と登録はレクラ及なレクコエ そ指摘してピーターと氏は一力就職の機會がより多くしけれた。 言是、過失らくは只彼等」差別待遇が実際に存 ウンシャツ組(ナチス葉)を一言った。 ある事物によりまくの一言った "我々は日本人に起りであ」法的である。然しれはよっては誰にても入降でする。初の人隊者である。 で外国人ですいといるとはより世界的な民家が住人及びいらのの運動を助 の七割はこの國に生れた中部に見出してある。そこにまで滞在當所の丫〇 であるならば我やは何のた間のあるのを知てわる。 先週オグデンキワラ、日系米人にビンイス・ライセントスカウト標機隊の最初マサコーチ屋は婦り 方轉任所にある日系の樓家を東部及か中西光週月曜日来所水曜日 は大い一世を支持していーインと氏は、これはスカラトが出席した。 の遊替すまい!市委員會の行動に関 することを我らしかれない。《然し自分は日指導者ケイコキ上氏の報とする人なはなめ轉住事見する。と東か するか、を方しいて人はサポチュアであるかと時半レクナに関があると、マシントンロで、轉住艺務所に於て希望者に でう自身のでラテリヤが多分にある。と氏は 分散退に倒降してはよ 確心間違己君。我影 太平洋沿岸から日系 日系人のある者は或はべる。集會は毎一報午後 撤退者の多くは彼等一等五名の指導者一行がよりの法意です。 テルガール等の仕事が世事で、 500の下》リンデモンド夫人だがあるからと轉住係ボイハンツリーガー・ウェジー・ナッグラからあると氏は 塩湖市>>0人及なり、諸便宜に支障を来たすーディシウナシー・ファー ナに用かれ、土名のシラー、イオワディモン兵営に駐 十五才との健康ながーターはとう轉住所よりる 一行は火曜夜の魔召 指導者訪所 新い組織せられたるボ の半ばに着府するやら たち、日系人土地購入的題 放程を足められたい ノ世せしめられてある。ドク 所は、日系人は自己早 過末にすると宿所其他スポーインウスメンバラトラオン入を教切する 勢所に相談して可成週 セケラク氏が発表した。一部はんてのコンフ熱に家 会下於了下級商業會議 元桑港西科展ドクー上地を買却することも 先週トレモントンに例記話を 1分子子居 人陸軍 賢明でない、宜しく取り ◎及なごせの男女にある、特にになて教心に優し 田のため、暫し土地の購入を 系人が働いてある。メイドバられたちくくの俱樂部か ひたがってるると、水田夫人はヒラセンターから今回当所 ホテルは一世夫婦者を雇られた波多泰蔵師か 日井一日まで滞在師 猶亦現在のイラン價格で 同ホテルには既に百名目特に近頃收容所より帰 去日曜午後当所がいるになりました。とうか一般は、ちゃの Byx サンデウオタービーナホテル 日は天候及悪コースが競技ーは 以技の成績一大多の街年会を配 にがて講演会を関しまと 3520 4 WAC COLUTERA 来初せられましたので特 ロークで唇接に續いた、当一村東一氏夫妻の長女子 アンウルル・秀島氏甲ストー日の次男ショー 第一位 元オークラント水道舎 及び場所 MSG WHELD > Box Scorrs いるかり 去方作天日日時 その壁日田 岡本俊三氏夫妻(四三 波罗州教