THREE AUBRURN MAN FREED OF ARSON CHARGES

SAN FRANCISCO. April 25- Vol. XI. No. 8 Two soldier brothers, Alvin and Elmer Johnson, and James E. Watson, 38, bartender, were freed charges of arson by a jury in Auburn, Placer County, California, after six days of trial, in connection with attempted firing and dynamiting of a fruit shed on the ranch of Sumio Doi. Army authorities took the soldiers into custody for court martial on charges of absence without leave, while District Attorney leave. Tindall, who prosecuted the case stated he would probably mess charges of contributing to delinquency of minors against James Watson. Watson's brother, Claude P. Watson, is scheduled to appear for sepa- been received here. rate trial in connection with the attempted dynamiting of the Doi property.

San Francisco newspapers reporting the story pointed out that the Johnson-Watson defense counsel said, "This is a white man's country," and stated that the Johnsons' army training was responsible for their display of hatred, made much of the Bataan march of death and atrocities committed by Japanese enemy.

TOPAZESTIMES

Friday, April 27,1945 TOPAZ, UTAH

TO SUSPE DH 7841 OPERATIONS ON MAY 6

A systematic plan for closing block dining halls on a population and geographic basis was announced today by Project Director L. T. Hoffman. Block managers, councilman and chefs concerned were informed of the plan

Dining halls in blocks 7, 8 and 41 will be the first to close under this plan. They will close after the evening meal on Sunday, May 6. Residents of these blocks thereafter will be served meals as follows: block 7, barracks 7-12, dining hall 14; block 8, dining hall 1; block 41, dining hall

ARMY CALLS SET FOR MAY 1,23

Notices for four men to report for induction on May 3 and four others for physicals on May 2 have Two names have been added to the active duty list for located that they will be May 1. They are Hisashi Ta- within one block of any ni, 11-10-B; and Yuzo Sakai, closed dining hall. Tho 38-10-E-

Those called for induction are Jitsuo Yamamura; 39-5-D: Charles C. Nakao, 30-2-C; Ben Takahashi, 12-5-F; and George K. Nakano, 5-4-A.

The physical list includes Thomas T. Okuma, 29-5-A; Toraichi Matsuzaki, 30-8-B; Harry H. Yuki, 5-9-B; and Isao Baba, 9-3-AB.

34. The relocation of each 200 residents from the center will be justification for closing a dining hall.

Last dining halls to close will be'9, 10, '11, 12, 13, 14, 29; 30, 31, 35, 34, and 35 as they are so located that they will be dining halls. in blocks 1 and 2 also will remain open as long as possible. the first because of its location and the second because it is a diet kitchen.

Ten days' notice of closing of a dining hall will be given the community council, block managers and others concerned.

Personnel of dining. halls will be transferred to other dining halls or referred to the placement office for assignment to other work.

WIRA MAKES NO CONCESSIONS ON IMPORTANT RECOMMENDATIONS

No concessions were made by WRA on the import- were given favorable anant recommendations made swers while other suggesby the delegates to the tions are still under conoy the delegates to the tions are still under conall-evacuee conference sideration. Myer urged perheld in Salt Lake City two sons with special problems
months ago, according to to bring them to the projcomments on the proposals ect attorney, welfare ofreceived here recently fices and other units in
from Dillon S. Myer, and the center.
tional WRA director. HowThe local council has ever, Myer congratulated the petitioners for their accomplishments as highly significant action representing 60,000 residents of relocation centers.

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been discussing Myer's comments on the 21 points and detailed reports will be made to the blocks by council representatives, according to Mas Narahara, council chairman. Sufficient copies of the comments in English have been mimeographed for distribution to all blocks, it was stated.

R. IKEDA MEMORIAL SERVICE SET MONDAY

Memorial service the late Pfc.Roy Ikeda who was killed in action earlier this month in Italy will be held at the local Buddhist church Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

The late soldier is survived by his mother, Mrs. Takeko Ikeda, and six sisters and brothers.

BUS SKEDL

In order that outgoing railway traffic can be satisfactorily handled, Topaz-Delta bus will start loading at 12:45 PM will leave at 12:55 PM.

ACLU SEEKS TEST CASES OF CERTAIN LOYAL EXCLUDEES FROM WEST COAST

Topaz, Times

It has become painfully evident that the military authorities on the west coast have issued individual exclusion orders against a great many American citizens of Japanese ancestry who are by no reasonable test disloyal. Many who were cleared by the War Reloca- 19-year-old daughter tion authority after F.B.I. investigations are now excluded by the army. This conflict between concepts of disloyalty, serious enough to justify exclusion from military zones or detention, plainly domands review by the courts.

The American Civil Liberties union, as an organization interested in the protection of civil rights, is prepared upon request of those persons interested to aid any citizens of Japanese ancestry ordered excluded who have not applied for expatriation or repatriation to Japan and who did not give a negative answer to questions 27 and 28 in the questionnaire filled out by all evacuees. We would also consider as suitable court cases persons who did not answer these questions at all, or who later changed their answers from negative to affirmative. In addition, we understand there are summer school program desome persons residing in other parts of the United States who have been ordered excluded from the west coast though they never resided there. Such persons would appear suitable also for court tests where no application for expatriation or repatriation has been made and where no clear evidence of disloyalty is

Several cases are already pending challenging individual exclusion orders in the federal court in Southern California. These may give us a ruling in the higher courts which will lay down principles for the military authorities. But these few cases are not enough to establish a rule applicable to a wide variety of persons.

Those citizens of Japanese ancestry who have further inquiries may address communications to the American Civil Liberties union at 170 Fifth avenue, New York City, 10, New York.

> Very sincerely yours, Roger N. Baldwin. Director



Chiyoko Margaret Doi. Mrs. Murano Doi, 4203-D,is back home, her life .saved by penicillin, the miracle. drug, and the skill care of the doctors at the hospital. Margaret was suffering from hemolytic anemia, a rare blood disease, and later contracted meumonia after an operation for the removal of the spleen.

Newell Star

A drastically curtailed signed primarily to assist weak or failing students has been announced by W.C. Sawyer, superintendent of education.

An urgent appeal cal 1ing for clerical workers was made to the manpower commission.

Gila News-Courier

JANITORS WANTED The LDS hospital Salt Lake City needs two janitorial workers. Wages are \$85 with room and board. Interested parties may call at the relocation office for further particulars.



"SANDY IS A LADY"

This picture stars Sandy, Tom Brown, Nan Grey, Mischa Auer, and Butch and Buddy.

Monday and Tuesday "EVE" OF ST. MARK"

William Eythe, Ann Baxter and Michael 0 Shea take the leading roles

Thurs., Fri., and Sat. "MERRY MONAHANS"

The comedy team of Poggy Ryan, Donald O'Conner and Jack Onkie are featured. Chapter 13 of "Flaming . Erontier" will also be shown.



Pvt. Hiroshi Ito, Ft. Knoz, Kentucky.

SAN FRANCISCO PEACE SECURITY MEET IS THEME OF HS. ASSEMBLY

The purpose and goal of the United Nations peace security conference now being held in San Francisco to consider the Dumbarton Oaks plan for world peace and security was the theme of a joint assembly of the high school and grammar school held in the auditorium Wednesday morning. Both faculty and student speakers participated in the program.

Dr. LaVerne Bane, high school principal, L. T. Hoffman, project director, and Dr. L.G. Noble, super-intendent of education, and Paul Bell and Kiyoshi Kusunoki, student spoakers, gave talks on the purpose of the San Francisco conference. Nob Iwasa and June Egashira sang vocals while Mrs. B. Matthews read "The Ballad for Americans": a display of the United Nations' flags were made by the 8th grade girls.

BIRTHS

NAKAO -- To Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nakao, 28-10-B, April 19, 11:45 AM, a boy TAO .- To Mr. and Mrs. Teichiro Tao, 4-3-E, pril 19, 10:14 AM, a boy

YAMAGAMI -- To Mr. and Thomas Hatsuichi Mrs. Yamagami, 13-1-F, April 20, 12:42 AM, a boy YOKOMIZO--To Mr. and

Mrs. James Juichiro Yokomizo, 8-6-F, April 23, 3:38 AM, a girl

ko Yamamura

TOOMLE: Jitsuo and Toi-

OAKLAND, CALIF.: Miyomo, Shinzo and Ruth Shiraki, Hina, Hidetoshi and Chugi Yakahashi

SAN JOSE, CALIF.: Seizo

WALLA WALLA, WASH .: Hatsutaro Kajita

CALDWELL, IDAHO: Kiyoshi Nakamoto

DENVER, COLO.: Chiyeno and Kazuko Fujita, Takeo Inouve, Kazuo Komatsu

WEBSTER CROVE, MO.: Kikue Hara

yama, Miye Shinoda, Seiji emcee. Kaibe

DETROIT, MICH .: Manabu Akutagawa

CLEVELAND, OHIO: Hi sayo Tagawa, Motoko and Tsuyo Ishiyama, Yoshiye and Raku Sekino, Fred Akiyama, Guni-shi Koba, refreshment. chi Nagano, Hayato Oriku-

BOSTON, MASS.: Florence

PHILADELPHIA, PENN.: Mi-der of the evening. tsue Ozeki, Grayce Tanimo-

BRAUN TO ADDRESS SUNDAY Y.P. SERVICE

Dr. J.J. Braun, execu- in San Francisco church will worship service Sunday in dining hall 32 from 10 AM.

COMBINED SERVICE

The Junior Bussei and YBA will hold a combined should file in care of the service in the Buddhist State Banking department, church at 10:15 Sunday mor- 111 Sutter ning. Rev. Terakawa Salt Leke guest speaker.

CONTAR MAY INFLUENCE CALLE ON EVACUEE ISSUE

The United Nations Peace Security conference being held in San Francisco may possibly induce Californians of that region to beat down agitation against-returning evacuees, Carey McWilliams, noted author and authority on minority problems, predicted in an article

SPRING INFORMAL SEATED TONIGHT

The "Spring Informal" dance, sponsored by the CAS, will be held tonight in the civic auditorium at 8:30. The dance will feature the music of Ich Sasaki and his Rhythm CHICAGO, ILL.: Akiko Ko- Kings, Yosh Isono will be

> The entrance will be at the back end of the auditorium. Committees for the affair include Kaz Yoshii, general arrangement; Hisashi Tani, decoration; To-

Records will furnish. music for the first half hour and the Rhythm Kings will play for the cromain-

NOTICE GIVEN FILE BANK CLAIMS

Liquidators of the Yo- . kohama Specie Bank, Ltd., wi th tive secretary of the na- branches in Los Angeles, tional board of the Evan- have notified residents Reformed here that those with claims address the against the bank should Protestant young people's file claims for their deposits and credits before October 1, 1945.

In making claims against the San Francisco branch; claimant the strest, of Francisco, The Los Angeles City will be address is 215 West 6th street, Los Angeles.

appearing in the April 22 issue of the New York PM. He also predicted that the WRA's whole program will be "profoundly" affected by what happens on the affected West Coast within the next three months.

McWilliams noted that leaders like Dr. Paul S. Taylor of the University of California, Attorney General Robert W. Kenny, and Frank A. Clarvoe, editor of the San Francisco News, "have been reminding Californians-with telling effect -- that the eyes of the world will be riveted on the west coast during the conforence."

On a recent west coast trip, McWilliams says he found general improvement in attitudes, along with some attempts to renew orgarized anti-evacuee activities.

He also points out the lack of incidents in the state of Washington as contrasted with anti-evacuee activities in Oregon.

PRITEST AIDS NISEI SOILDHERS IIN IITALY

(With the 5th Army Italy) -The combination of Japanese Americans of the US 442nd Infantry ment and Italian partisans, led by a fighting priest called Fietro, proved the winning formula in the capture of the constal towns of Massa and Carrare and a lot of German prisoners.

The German prisoners reported that "Turks" had been added to this front nationalties, of many while Pietro's partisans call the nisei the "Mongoli". "The Germans they are terrible; the partisans think they are wonderful."

WANTED: 1 steam cleaner operator, 1 parts clerk, and 1 tire shop worker. No experience necessary. Apply at motor pool office.

SERVICE PROTESTA T	SETAKER	PLACE	"ATT BOOK
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YP Worship	Dr. Braun	DH 32	10:00 AM
Fellowship Circle		2-3-0	7:30 PM
CATHOLIC			
Mass	Father Steecke	Rec 28	8:30 AM
HIDDHIST			

Sinday School Rev. Terakawa

Church 9:00 AM

Junior Bussei and

YP Combined Service Rev. Terakawa Church 10:15 AM

Pere 2 Topaz Times April 27, 1945 サンデーステル 袝 僔 禮 B レッカ、サ三 集 曜 奨 道說 佛 書研究(火)午後七時半期六時より同四十五分这 説 北學 禕 教可拜 諦 5 3] 会 會 效 桌 P 教 =+ 尾川午佐藤 午前八時四十五分 4-至一食 午 藤柿 真 かい 守田牧 九次部兄 前 前 七時 1 た + 牧 牧 堂 時 会 師 辟 師半 師師 聖書研究会 安息日 健康と人生講演会 談佛歌練習 佛 佛 青. セブンステー 拜說教 アミンチスト 青と合い 指導 說 法 說 5 司 法司 訪 会者 教会 話 会 四月二十八日 石坪校長 二十九日 竹边 午後 二時 前 教 午 杉山松枝孃 后 今元 前 ÷ 寺野佛 川開教使 川開教使 後 舍 枚 吽 技執 五 先生 兄 X5 時 事 宅 4 師 半 公各住の 警喻品第三禮 押 午 場講 平 胃潰瘍の談 兵 聖書 家 健 說 生長 E 13 所師 康と 加 杖 庭 会 第七四盛レクホー 四月三十二(月)后 秤曜 者 来 来 与 の家 γ 行 会を布 今班 鹟 開 水 月言(水) 事 クニナ 演会二十夜堂 杉 曜 贡 Ξ 防之食 百 相 池 催 子 E J. 枝 墭 承 13 ۱Đ 萷 人師軍 剛 滨 望 午後 兄 兄 n. 后 放 會 餌 時半 寸。 宅 宅 七 師 D. 屑紙 例 ス お 棘氏理 理 部級 羅 羅 る。宿 ħ 鹎 盛 R 歐 屑紙元言 1 府 は ŀ 務 退 12 督氏 氏 Ą 西 マト 42 か グリーン、パ 府 監 元 松 12 長江 万 屑紙 三.つ 代 所以照 た。ひれ、A・ 開 デン 詰 かい 洋 Tr. 12 よ 12 八治 発 理 3 6り桑港 1: か 7. 中 華 #4 4-仕 ドライグ ホ 水 表 局 ょ れ あ 会。 世部 共 ルド・S・チ 仕 ステル サデナ及 7 られ 步, ٤ 地 百 Ó 他詳 つ 大 长 地 1 L あ マ集 fT 晒 轉域 ろ t: 拔 ME + 3. ルの期 か ?) t= 1 とて 細 T., 住 十、女 ス ひみ ûħ ナニ、クニャン Ξ 係 极 堂 白 ス t 七人形 ナー 大至急 禁面七北夏かわい こ、十五扇 原 な 知 北 を 開 ょ は延 ょ S 場 動車部分品 T 道 洲番 一二、お承 ます。 馬 0 保 愈期 1) お 劳 + 1) 女 温 人洗場係 0 子 ニニャンノ 願 2 0) 中 は 市 九 は 17 掖 0 斤 組申 碧 土晚 な 1757 若 水 U 公明 かさしてナス 十四、天からた 獨次喜太道中 斤 ·t 7 ぉ も 会夜 お 4 三 干 畲 を求む ٠ 12 あ ŧ 主头 ١. と御堂 15 9 43 供 7 お 1= 御 舞 5 12 桜 **汞於時**踊 1: 7 か 取 3 全と 星 妻 露式 0 C ラメント は 谷 4 金鎖 去ろ月 ところ 右 0 撆 1 左 9 17 絲 驗 仕: 雨 17 落 們監 媒为 PIT 行 ij 1/2 ŧ + 婚 内 理 跷 候 致 KS 介 字 モーター 左 13 部 7 L L 月 加東 披 局 12 1 2 同加同東 # て 1 記 + 紛失お 病 於 て P 关野 池 する学者 物 美 附 狞 !完 プー 撘 iJ, 正春 田喜平 **'**/ 壽 ÷ 門更 行印 該 御結 約御 4 子樹 ル 2 禮拾り 披嬌 夫 EXPLANATIONS 亡妻終了夫 玆 知悼後はに 兵 於 修いたす可く候依て有 時より佛教会堂に於 元王府在住 各位何年御参指被 NE 中 四月二十日 会 七木 追! HEALTH LECTURE 彻 追 時月 7 上相 悼 ID 三十 戰 候営佛 10 會 同弟姉母 第 . 7+ 死 介(主)午後 13 1 17 平井佐太郎氏 1 OTIORI 人追 御 池 皮 MARRIAGE 六 致日

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