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## CONSTRUCTION COUNCIL TO INVESTIGATE STARTED ON MEDICAL STAFF SHORTAGE STAFF HOUSING

Construction of 13 buildings to be used as WRA administration living quarters started with the completion of ground staking last Monday, it was announced by Henry Watson, senior engineer of the Public Works division.

These buildings, located between the administration area and the warehouses, and those for schools will be constructed by resident workers under the supervision of Larry Taylor and George Shimamoto.

Each of the structures will be 100' by 20' and is expected to accommodate 4 families. An average room will be 8½' by 11'.

The first of the buildings may require a month to build, but more rapid progress will be made in the building of others so as to complete the project by July 30.

The construction of school buildings will begin as soon as heavy timber arrives.

### NEWS BRIEFS

**MEMORIAL SERVICE:** The funeral for the late Mrs. Uta Sakurai, formerly of San Francisco, will be held at the Protestant Church at Rec 22 from 2:30 PM, Friday, Jan. 22.

She passed away in the hospital, Jan. 19, at the age of 49 years.

**TSA:** With Emil Sokerak of the Co-op illustrating his talk, "The Topaz Co-operatives and How they Operate," via lantern slides on cooperatives in Sweden, the Topaz Student Association will meet Friday from 7:30 PM at Rec 33. Paul Fujii will be the chairman.

### WEATHER REPORT

Max. (Wed. night) 46° F.  
Min. (Thurs. morn) 34° F.

To investigate the current shortage of doctors in Topaz, a committee consisting of Councilmen Ken Fujii, Frank Fukuda, Kay Nishida, Mitzi Shiraiishi and Yoshio Taira was appointed by Chairman Tsune Baba at the weekly session of the Community Council last Monday afternoon.

## NEW HOSPITAL WARDS TO BE OPENED SOON

With the completion of the City hospital's steam generating plant, Chief Nurse Hannah Krinlen Wednesday announced the imminent opening of three more wards and doctors' and nurses' quarters. To be used for isolation, women's surgical, and men's surgical cases, these new wards will supplement the obstetrics, pediatrics, and men's wards, which are now in operation.

The plant consists of 2 250 h.p. Sterling stationary boilers, one of which was put into operation last week. Coal, carried into the 50-foot bunker by a belt elevator, is forced into the stoker by gravity. The bunker has a capacity of 52 tons.

Heat from the plant is distributed throughout the hospital, including the

This step was taken after Yasuo Abiko, representing the block managers, appeared before the Council to assert that because of the present inadequacy of the medical personnel--aggravated by the recent departure of 2 doctors from the City--the Community Council should move to obtain additional Japanese doctors to supplement the present staff.

In other business conducted at the meeting, a floor plan for the new city hall was presented by Hachiro Yuasa and John Iwatsu. The plan includes a council chamber, community government office, city court, judiciary commission chamber and a committee room.

building, sterilizer device and laundry.

To maintain proper operation, the service of an engineer, a fireman and a water-tender is constantly required.

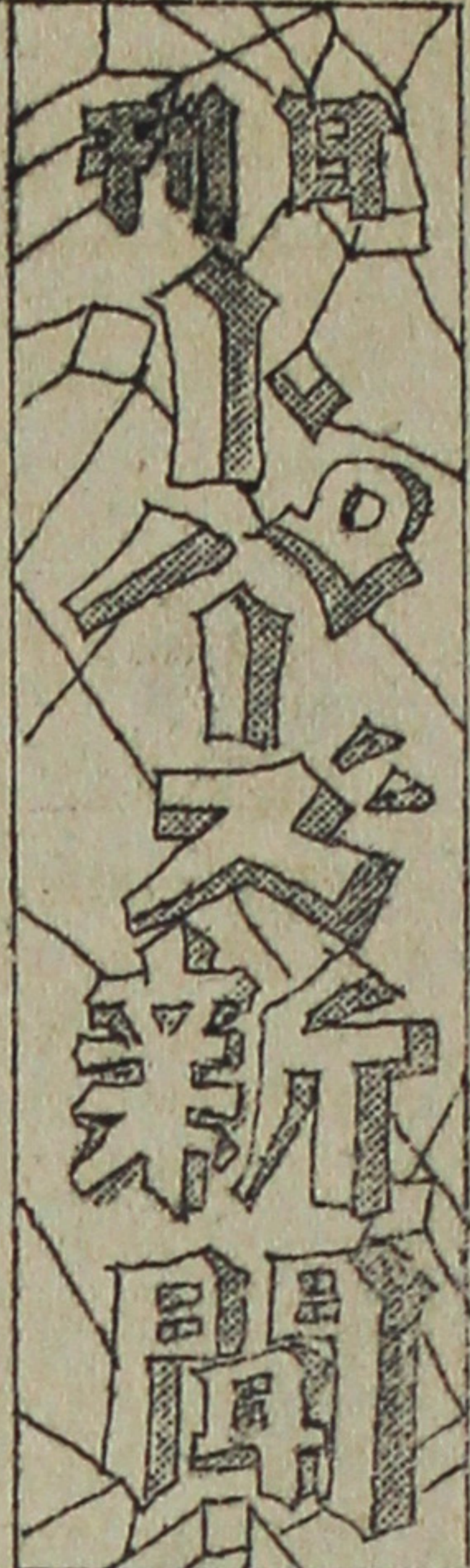
## SPANISH REPRESENTATIVE CONFERS WITH LOCAL WRA

Captain Antonio R. Martin, vice-consul of the Spanish Embassy in San Francisco, left the City Tuesday afternoon after a 2-day conference with administrative officials and representatives. He discussed the functions of the Spanish government as the representative of the Imperial Japanese government in the United States, especially as applicable to Japanese nationals residing in relocation centers.

In line with his mission to view conditions here under which the Japanese nationals are living, and to communicate informa-

tion, Captain Martin said that the Topaz undertakings were characterized by expeditious and efficient management. After inspecting the City agricultural projects, the hospital, schools and churches, the Spanish delegate declared that Topaz was superior in many respects to some of the other centers which he had visited.

Captain Martin was accompanied by Bernard Gufler of the Special Division, Department of State, Washington, D. C. Gufler reported that their tour of the relocation areas was a routine activity of the department.



氣温  
最高(水夜) 四六度  
最低(水朝) 三四度

### 他の轉住所と比較して

## 當地の生活状態が最良

スペイン副領事、出發に際して語る

當轉住所の生活状態視察及不在住者側の希望要求を聴取すべく來訪したマニラ桑港駐在副領事は二十日午前在任者代表と会見懇談をこたへた後午後病院學校、教會、食堂その他農業生産部門を視察せる後、同日桑港へ向けて出發した。同副領事は出發に際して往訪の記者に次の如く語つた。

生活状態向上に努力し

賢明に難局へ對處せよ

自分は他の轉住所と比べると、自分が當地へ來た所を視察した後、當地をた目的は、他轉住所を訪問したものである。此訪問したと同様、日本政府の代表として日本人生活状態の視察、結果として最も良い様に思は

するにある。自分としては任務の性質上、餘り多くは語れないが、在住者は健康に注意して自らの生活状態向上に努力すべきであらうと思はれる。決して心配すべきことはない。のであるが、テマ等と違さるることは、可及的賢明な態度で現在の難局に處して行くべきであらう。

### 音樂學校コンサート

#### プログラム決定發表

昨報「トバ」音樂學校主催の音楽會は、来る二十四日午後二時半より第一食堂において開催されるが、二十日そのプログラムを次の如く發表された。

③ 獨奏(田斐美和嬢)  
獨唱(山手ロート嬢)  
伴奏: 小宮笑子嬢  
バイオリン獨奏(吉田政雄氏)  
伴奏: 小宮笑子嬢  
ピアノ協奏(谷三三子氏)  
甲斐美和嬢)

### 失業救済金の要求

申込みは今月中に...

在任者として就職斡旋部へ求職申込みを行ひ十五日以上仕事を與へられなかつた者は失業救済金として一月十六日の三分の二に相當する金額の支給を受け得ることとなつてゐるが、右該當者は、月三日まで就職斡旋部事務所に申込みを提出し、必要書類を提出して貰ふこととなつてゐる。

④ 九時五分死去、二二日午後二時半よりキリスト教會會堂(第廿二号)で葬儀が執行される。(通夜を廢し、贈花香奠は詳退)

### 各轉住所、食料の自給自足へ邁進

#### 畜産、野菜耕作進捗

現在全米七州に跨つて散在設置されてゐる十個の轉住所在住者総数は十萬を遙かに超過し、食料確保に重大問題を提供してゐるが、各轉住所では各自食料の自給自足に努力を拵ひつてあり、畜産業についてはトバ、人食用の牛豚飼育は既に開始、更に養雞の計画進行中。

EXPLANATION: (1) "To Topaz is under best living condition" says Spanish vice consul. (2) To self-sufficiency every R.C. is endeavoring (3) Program of music school concert. (4) unemployment compensation (5) funeral.