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## POSTON II, III IN ACCORD CONCERNING UNIT I SITUATION

According to advance information, the Poston Unit III group of Councilmen, Issei advisors, emergency committeemen and block managers were reported to be in complete accord with the resolution adopted by the Unit II Community Congress. The Unit III body were reported to have released a statement which, in essence, did not condemn nor joined with the strikers, but were in favor of a peaceful settlement.

The Unit II Congress presented its resolution in a statement entitled "The People of Poston II States Its Case," which offered a chronological history of the Unit I situation as well as the sentiments of the overwhelming majority of the Poston 2 residents.

A statement issued yesterday by the Unit II "People for Sympathy Strike" accused the Congress of withholding "facts concerning the mediation" as the basis for the mass meetings. The statement asserted that the Congressional chairman approved of the second mass meeting held Nov. 21, and that anything decided by the majority would be approved.

However, the resolution refuted the striking group's charges, maintaining that the 2nd mass meeting was approved only to hear the reports of the people's representatives and that of Unit I's representatives. The Congress also maintained that one reason

## PROJECT DIRECTOR W. HEAD CONFERS WITH COMMITTEE OF 72; NO MARTIAL LAW

In an effort to settle the present situation prevailing in the largest of the Poston units, Project Director W. Wade Head was in conference with Unit I's Committee of 72 Monday and a greater part of yesterday. As the Bulletin went to press, the negotiations were reported to be continuing.

### STRIKERS SUBJECT TO PENALTY UNDER WRA #27

All outlaw strikers, whether voluntary or by intimidation, are reminded that they shall be liable to discharge or to deduction of 3 days' pay or both.

In addition, according to the WRA Administrative Instruction No. 27, such employees shall not be entitled to pay for the days of unauthorized absence.

However, it is also provided that such an employee shall have the right to appeal to the Fair Practice Committee from any action taken under this WRA instruction provision.

### UNIT II WATER, SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEMS NOW MAINTAINED BY EVACUEES

The Maintenance department of Unit 2's Div. of Operations under Sid Shiratsuki, was suddenly been given the responsibility of the maintenance of the local utility systems, which includes the water and sewage disposal plants.

The reason for the low water pressure early Tuesday morning was due to the pressure tank gauge and the crew on duty who were unable to determine the water level.

for the block-by-block votings were to allow the people to act in a democratic manner, without being intimidated.

While a major portion of the residents there were still continuing with the work walkout, it was reported that the canteen and maintenance workers had returned to duty. The schools have not been affected by the situation.

### NO MARTIAL LAW

Contrary to many persistent rumors, martial law has not as yet been imposed in Unit I was the statement released yesterday by Press and Intelligence Officer, Norris James.

However, the boundaries are being closely patrolled by military police and no one is permitted to enter or leave the Unit without a permit.

No violence has been noted since the beginning of the walkout, and the Administration is hopeful that an early settlement will be realized.

With the chlorination plant now in working order, the drinking water is being purified.

### MOVIES FOR UNIT TWO CANCELLED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE

Unit Two residents will not be able to attend the movies, until further notice, it was announced by the Recreation Department yesterday.

# SEWING, DRAFTING GROUPS CANCELLED THIS WEEK

Because of the quota of private orders to be filled, the Sewing Department announced that drafting and sewing classes will be cancelled this week.

It was also announced that government-issued clothing will not be accepted for alterations until further notice.

## CLOTHING ALLOWANCE CARDS DISTRIBUTED BY BLOCK MANAGERS

Miss Findley Clarified Clothing Issued Since October 21st

Block Managers of Unit 2 are now distributing the family cards for the clothing allowance and explanations of the of the administrative bulletin.

Miss Nell Findley, head of the Community Services, in her talk before the block managers Tuesday morning said that evacuees who received clothing since October 21, need not be afraid to wear same. She said that some arrangements will be made and further clarification is expected on the matter. It was indicated by Miss Findley that the administrative leaders are working for an extension of the date to January, 1943.

## KITCHEN 210 FOR SCHOOL PUPILS OPENS NEXT WEEK

First graders to third grade children attending Poston 2 Schools will be fed hot lunch at the 210 kitchen beginning next week, it was announced at the meeting of the Unit 2 block managers.

A full-time staff will take charge and supervise the work required in manning the mess hall for the children.

# REVISED SCHEDULE ANNOUNCED FOR PAYMENT OF CASH ADVANCES FOR SEPTEMBER WHICH STARTS WEDNESDAY

Evacuee-employees of Unit Two are requested to appear for their cash advances on the date specified as only a portion of one day will be allowed for each section.

Following scheduled was released by C. H. Taylor, Agent-Cashier, who disclosed that all employees must present identification:

SECTION 5: (Blocks 226, 227, 229) at #227 Block Manager's Office, Wednesday at 8:45 a.m.

SECTION 4: (Blocks 219, 220, 221) at #221 Block Manager's Office, Thursday at 8:45 a.m.

SECTION 3: (Blocks 211, 213, 214) at #213 Block Manager's Office, Friday at 8:45 a.m.

SECTION 1: (Blocks 201, 202, 207, 208) at #207 Block Manager's Office on Saturday morning, between 8:45 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. only.

SECTION 2: (Blocks 209, 210, 215, 216) at #215 Block Manager's Office during following week.

## CAISSONS TO MEET GREEN DEVILS; VIGILANTES MAKE FIRST START

Seeking their first major victory, the 216 Caissons will again tangle with the 214 Green Devils Thursday eve. In their last clash, the Takeshita led Greenies walloped the Caissons by a decisive count. However, Tom Hashimoto, main cog in the Caisson offense did not play in that game and with "Hash" now directing the Caissons, a stiffer battle will be in store for 214. If the Caissons can hold Takeshita to a reasonable score, an upset may be in store.

The Vigilantes of 227 took on a Tarter for their first start when they take on the 213 Terrors. Nothing is known about the Vigilantes while the Terrors have beaten 2 good teams in 211 and 215. If the Vigilantes can stop Matsushita and Nakamura, the outcome of the game will have a decided 227 tinge.

Wednesday evening, the 214 girls will play the 215 lassies.

## GREEN DEVIL B'S IN CLOSE WIN OVER TERROR BABES

By blowing a 12-6 half time lead, the 213 B's lost out to the 214 B's, 19-17.

The game started off evenly enough with the first quarter ending in a 6-6 tie. A definite Terror tinge in the second quarter took place as the Terrors scored 6 points while holding the Devils scoreless.

The Devils retaliated in the third quarter by holding 213 scoreless while scoring 7 points to go into a 13-12 lead.

214 grimly hung on to their lead to take the game.

214--H. Shiramizu 8, T. Shiramizu 4, Tezumi 3, Takeshita 2, Shiba 2, and Fujiki.

213--Koma 5, S. Toyots 5, Shimotsuka 4, Morimune 2, Tomihiro 1, Toyota and Miyazaki.

## LOST

Black wallet with "Pilot License" inscription on fold. Lost sometime Monday, 23rd. Please return to School Office, 210-13C or Police Dept. Reward.

## DRAFTING CLASSES UNDERWAY

Approximately 200 adults and post graduates have registered for the drafting classes now underway according to reports from the Sewing Dept. Classes began Monday with instructions on block designing. The classes are taught at the Sewing Dept. at Mess 307 with Miyoko Kitahara, Teruko Fukutomi, and Mrs. T. Uyeda as instructors.

There are daily and evening classes in both English and Japanese. Anyone interested in drafting may still register.

## FIRST AID CLASSES TO START

Long awaited First Aid classes are scheduled to begin this coming week with class rooms tentatively set for the Red Cross office as well as 327-3-B. Classes will be held both in the evenings and during the afternoons. Further details and definite hours will be printed at a later date.

## CLASSES ARE HELD AROUND BONFIRE

Due to the lack of heating facilities here, the school children are forced to hold classes outdoors around a bonfire these cold November mornings.

The children were seen sitting on stools around a fire while the teacher taught her class, standing before them.

## COOPERATION ASKED IN SMALLPOX SURVEY

Dr. Wada of the Public Health Dept. requests all block managers to please give their full cooperation in the small pox survey which is now being conducted.

## VOCATIONAL TRAINING TO BEGIN

Adult College for vocational training will be started by Adult Education with the following subjects: Accounting, some knowledge of Bookkeeping is required; fashion designing; advanced English, which will include translation technique, literature, and poetry. For details and registration, those interested may get in touch with the office at Rec 309 or 310-13-A.

## CHRISTIAN NEWS

Vesper Services are to be conducted on Thanksgiving Day by the Christian Church at 4:30 p.m. at Rec. 329.

### Weekly.....

Singspiration has been changed to Thursday evenings and are scheduled to be held at Rec 329 from 7:30 p.m.

### Midweek.....

Bible Study and Prayer meeting will be held tonight at Rec 329 beginning at 7:30 p.m.

## Sanitation Department

Ed Takahashi, former food and kitchen inspector, replaced Pat Nagano as supervisor of Sanitation Dept.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Girls Athletics Department deeply appreciates the donation of a volleyball from Kimi Tanaka of 308.

## SCHEDULE FOR LEGAL CONSULTATION HOURS

Tues: 9:30-11:30 a.m.  
K. Tamura.  
Wed: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.  
J. Maeno.  
Thurs: 2:30 - 4:30 p.m.  
J. Maeno.  
Fri: 10:00-11:45 a.m.  
T. Haas.

## METHOD GIVEN FOR FILING CARD

Directions for filing the basic family card on clothing allowances were given in detail yesterday by Nell Findley, head of community welfare, before the Block Managers and members of the Poston III Social Welfare department.

Each family unit, it was stated, must file the basic card which would make them eligible to receive clothing allowances as specified in the temporary plan of issuing clothing at Poston. This plan applies only for the months of July, August and September.

Persons over 16 yrs. of age or over will receive \$3.50 monthly; 8 to 16 yrs., \$3.00; and under 8 yrs., \$2.00.

No statement was made as to when the money was forthcoming.

## Boys and Girls Relationship To Be Discussed

Delphians will sponsor a talk on "Boys and Girls Relationship" by a Caucasian speaker this Sunday afternoon from 2 p.m. at Mess 318 with the Tom-Tom as their guests. All those who are interested to hear this lecture are cordially invited to attend.

## PERSONAL

Matsuye Nishiyama left Poston last week for Fort Riley, Kansas, to join her fiancé, Victor Hirose.

## Jr. VOLLEYBALL GAME

Gila Monsters won a surprising game from the Jr. Buckaneers by the score of 15-9, 6-15, 15-12.

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