

### FAMILIES AND INTERNEES MAY BE JOINED, IN WRA LATEST "MOVEMENT"

While no definite plan is yet formulated, a survey is now being made in Boston about the possibility of families joining interned relatives either at their present location or some other place---not under the direction of the WRA.

Questionnaires will be listed at the Blk. Mgrs' office, and interested parties are requested to fill in such forms, and return them to their own Blk. mgrs.' office.

The Relocation Authority is "just seeking" information today, informed quarters learn, and that they are attempting to picture the "magnitude of the problem" by these surveys.

This census may also help "determine the size of the camps" needed.

Miss Nell Findley and Miss Alice Cheney is taking over the matter in regards to this "movement" at their Family Welfare Offices, the report declared.

### JOB IN WASHINGTON

Word from Kimi Mukaya YWCA worker in Denver, Colo., indicated of an excellent stenographer secretary position in Washington, D.C. for a person who the "plus ability" of an European language.

Anyone who can read, write, or speak German, French or Spanish and interested in such a job may apply at the local Employ. office in their respective units.

### DANGER OF CARBON MONOXIDE POISONING SEEN AS CASE RECORDED

Residents using char coal in barracks are cautioned to keep their rooms well ventilated, because of danger of carbon monoxide poisoning.

At present there is a carbon monoxide case in the hospital, according to Blk.Mgr. Supervisor's office.

### POSTON TO HAVE 14,500 POUNDS OF MOCHI-COME THIS NEW YEAR

After much untiring efforts of the Procurement office to locate enough mochi-gome for the residents this New Years' day, 14,500 lbs., which is to be divided according to the number of persons in each block."

On Dec. 16, some 3,450 lbs. of mochi-gome arrived from Los Angeles, another 1,000 lbs. came from a "relocation center," while 10,000 lbs. is still due from Dos Palos.

Due to no fault of the Procurement office the previously ordered amount of 600 lbs. to each kitchen was "turned down" by the "sellers."

Each mess hall is being asked to prepare or make arrangements for its mochi-making equipment--usu, kine, seiro, and fireplace to steam the rice.

POSTON WARTIME WEATHER withheld 24 hours by wartime, restrictions were reported by Unit II Administrator James Crawford as follows:

	High	Low
Dec. 14	80	36
15	81	33
16	80	32
17	78	30

### TRANSLATORS WANTED

Immediate opportunity in this Middle West, probably Chicago or Louisville or Cleveland, was reported today for a Male or female qualified to translate Japanese into the Hepburn Romaji System, by V.R. Kennedy, Dir. of Employ.

Interested parties must have reading knowledge of Japanese and English education with High school graduation or better. Job will last approximately 6 months and will pay \$200 a month.

Applications are accepted at once at Employment Office, A d. Bldg., Unit I.

### 20 POSTON NISEI WORK IN SALT LAKE ARSENAL. THRU JAEL EFFORT

That there exists good possibilities for employment of Niseis in war industries on the "outside" were verified this week as 20 former Poston residents were reported to have been employed by a Salt Lake City, Utah, Arsenal.

The boys were hired to unload cars and are being paid 65¢ an hour "as a start"; it was reported by the National JAEL office in Salt Lake City. The 20 Niseis were accepted for employment primarily thru the efforts of the J.A.C.L.

In the meantime, it was reported that Salt Lake City had reached the saturation point in regards to absorption of any more Japanese. This was the sentiment expressed by WRA investigator Harris of that region.

## IMPROVEMENTS ON LIBRARY MADE

In the new arrangement of the Community Free Library, 100 more feet of shelves have been added, and the room has been divided into three sections, it was reported today by the Dept. Plans were made by Mrs. Mabel Ota and executed by local carpenters.

The front section contains adult non-fiction and fiction and reference books, the second section is the Junior Library with children's books and periodicals, and the third cubicle has been made the Library Workshop.

In addition, 500 more books have been recently put out on the shelves, and an index cabinet is ready for reference. Currently, the room is decorated with a Christmas motif, and it is believed that the library is the first to have a decorated tree in Poston.

CHRISTMAS EVE DANCE TO BEATRE  
'MUSIC MAKERS' AT FIRE STATION

With all net proceeds to go to the local Red Cross Chapter, the Firemen and the Exclusettes will sponsor a Christmas Eve Dance, Dec. 24, beginning 8:30 p.m. at the Fire Station, Unit I.

The night will feature the popular "Music Makers" orchestra.

## ABOUT CLACKS (WOODEN SHOES)

"Many who ordered clack shoes at the recent Fair, may be wondering what happened to them," said Ken Kono, maker of these novel shoes.

"Due to unavoidable delay in acquiring materials, tools, etc. I regret to say that I cannot fulfill all the orders in time for Christmas. However, to be impartial, priority will be given to those who ordered first. Each will be notified, beginning Mon. when my work is finished."

Profits derived from the sales will go toward the purchasing of materials to conduct classes, Mr. Kono said.

## OBITUARY

Mrs. Sumako Shimizu of Blk. 226-8-C, formerly of Lindsay, Calif., Dec. 15.

Yasaburo Hoshizaki, 59, of Blk. 3-14-B, and formerly of Arvin, Calif., Dec. 17. Funeral services to be held at Rec. 3, 10 a.m., Dec. 19.

## WHAT'S BUZZIN' FOR TODAY

8 a.m.....

Blk. 3 Lions vs. Blk. 42 (Mid-get League) on Fld. 13.

10 a.m.....

Delano vs. Blk. 21 (Varsity) on Fld. 13.

1:45 - 5:15 p.m....

Poston Police Training Academy Blk. 201, Bldg. 11.

1:30 - 5:30 p.m....

Standard Course In First Aid For all school teachers; Miss Jernegan, instructor.

2 p.m....

Parents Business meeting (PTA) at Mess 36.

7:30 p.m....

Organic Chemistry, Rec. 46-A.  
Quad "B" Older Girls' Club  
Mothers' Tea.

## BLESSED EVENTS

To Mr. & Mrs. Ichi Hashimoto of Blk. 45-11-D, a boy, Dec. 17  
To Mr. & Mrs. Tokuchi Yamamoto of Blk. 28-8D, a boy, Dec. 17.

## "RUSHING" BUSINESS DONE BY P.O.

One hundred and fifty sacks of outgoing mail this week has set a new all-time record by the Post Office, E. Gardner, postmaster of Poston, declared yesterday. Approximately 1,500 parcels and 200 sacks of mail is coming in daily.

## MAIN CANTEEN WORKS OVER-TIME

The Main Canteen will hereafter open on Fri., Sat., Mon., and Tues, evenings from 7 p.m. for the benefit of those wanting to do "last minute" Christmas shopping.

## P.-T.A. MEETS THIS SAT.

A Parents' Business meeting of the PTA will be slated for this Sat. afternoon at 2 o'clock, in Mess 36. All PTA representatives are requested to attend this meet.

## B R I E F B E A T S.....

Thirty-eight more harvest workers returned early Fri. morning from Colo..... Roy Yoshioka and Henry Kanegae left for private employment to Ogden, Utah and Albuquerque, N. Mex., respectively..

.. Lily Yuriko Takiguchi and John Kanemura applied for a marriage license in Head's office Thurs. afternoon, Dec. 17.

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These girls have been selected to play on the "All-star" team against the "Co-eds", Seniors or volleyball champions on Dec. 27, court 309 at 2:30 p.m.

Hattori, Toyoko  
Iwashita, Toshiko  
Kuranaga, Sayoko  
Kushino, Kiyoko (Capt.)  
Matsuoka, Shizuko  
Nakamura, Haruye  
Sakamoto, Alyce  
Shimizu, Teruko  
Takahashi, Ruth

Crusaders  
Esdees  
Mesquites  
Esdees  
Starlettes  
Bomberettes  
Sr. Diverrettes  
Crickettes  
Esdees

Alternates

Kuranaga, Fusaye  
Nakagawa, Sumiko  
Okada, Minnie

Mesquites  
Crickettes  
Bomberettes

The "All-Stars" were chosen on the basis of:

- (1) Team-work  
(2) Sportsmanship  
(3) Individual skill

YMAS SINGSPARATION  
DRAWS HUGE CROWD

A large crowd of singers gathered for Christmas singspiration to sing all the Christmas carols which have grown more beautiful through the ages.

Susan Mukai, who is leaving this center soon, was honored by the group following the sings when tea and cookies were served and more singing enjoyed.

MASS CHOIR  
PROGRAM IS OUTLINED

Besides the Ymas carols the following songs will be included in the program which the Mass choir will present on Monday evening at the open air stage south of Roku I:

"BLESS THE LORD O MY SOUL; HAVE VERUM" by Mozart; "THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD" by Schubert; "THE LORD'S PRAYER" by Malotte.

Those planning to attend this program are asked to bring their chairs.

LOAD OF TOYS FOR  
CHILDREN ARRIVE  
AT POSTON III

The secret Santa Claus storeroom at Poston III had a load of toys for children in stock, it was reported by reliable sources today.

The toys, which included everything from tops to cars and trains, will be distributed at Christmas to make certain that every youngster will receive a gift. Because of the wartime shortages of sugar, candies were not available.



SUNDAY SERVICE S

CHRISTIAN

Sunday school	9:00 a.m.	305, 308, 329
Meditation	10:00 a.m.	305
Junior Church	10:00 a.m.	308
Christmas services	10:30 a.m.	305
Adult worship	10:30 a.m.	329
Evening service	7:30 p.m.	329

BUDDHIST

children's service



PTA ELECTS OFFICERS

At PTA meeting with speakers Mrs. A. Takemoto, Mr. Burge and Mr. Potts, the plan was decided upon whereby study groups from blocks could get together to work out school problems.

Following a Christmas program given by grade pupils, PTA officers and committee chairmen were elected.

Chosen were: Pres. Mrs. Arthur Takemoto; 1st vice pres., Mr. Frank Kagiwada; 2nd vice pres. Miss Finch; 3rd vice pres. Mr. Geo. Takaoka; Reporting Sec Mrs. Harvey Iwata; Correspond. Sec. Mrs. Kaddy Mimura; Mothers' Lunch room Mrs. Yoshio Shimizu; Decoration chmn. Miss Kurihara; Program chmn. Mrs. Frank Ohye, publicity chmn. Mrs. Ben Yamaguchi; Hospitality Mrs. Keichi Imai; and women's club Roku 1--Mrs. Hayakawa, Roku 2 Mrs. Shirazawa, and Roku 3--Mrs. Takeda.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Programs for the special Christmas services on Sunday will include sermons by both John Miyabe and Paul Nagano.

"GODS GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT" will be the topic of John Miyabe's message in the morning at 10:30 while Paul Nagano will speak in the evening on "AND THEY SHALL CALL HIS NAME EMMANUEL."

## CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Sunday School - 211, 222  
at 9:00 a.m.

Morning Worship Service  
at 10:15 a.m. #211  
Sermon by Rev. Wm.  
Kobayashi, "The Name  
of Jesus"  
Japanese Christmas  
Services at #222  
10:15 a.m.

Rev. K. Takeda, sp-  
eaker

Christian Youth Fell-  
owship at 7:30 p.m. at  
the #211 church hall.  
"The Town That Cou-  
ldn't Have Christ-  
mas."

## BUDDHIST CHURCH

Sunday School

Group A--Mary Kono,  
chairman; Hitoshi Ta-  
mai, speaker

Group B-- Edith Kaw-  
abe, chairman; Chika-  
ra Iwamoto, speaker.  
Evening--adult service  
Monday: 7:30 Seiten  
Tues.: 7:30 Songfest  
and Y.E.A. meeting

## CATHOLIC MASS

7:00 a.m. Mass at  
#222-9-A  
Father Clement will  
officiate

YOUNG GIRLS FROM QUAD  
FIVE INVITED TO JOIN  
INTERMEDIATE SCOUTS

All girls between  
the ages of 10-14 are  
invited to join the In-  
termediate Girl Scout  
and are requested to  
attend the meeting at  
Mess Hall #227 at 7:30  
p.m. (Blocks 226, 227  
and 229 girls.)

BASKETBALL MANAGERS  
MEETING MONDAY NIGHT

All block basketball  
managers are requested  
to meet Monday night  
at the Recreation Hall  
#220 at 7:30 p.m.

Plans for a basket-  
ball tournament to be  
held during the Poston  
New Year's festival  
will be discussed, it  
was announced.

ARCADIUM CONSTRUCTED  
FOR THE MASS CHOIR  
FESTIVAL OF SACRED  
MUSIC IN UNIT TWO

Overnight possibili-  
ty turned into reality  
in the construction of  
the Chant de Noel Ar-  
cadium on the proposed  
swimming pool in the  
firebreak across from  
the Press Bulletin of-  
fice.

The choir seats were  
constructed for the  
Mass Choir Festival of  
Sacred Music to be he-  
ld in Unit II on Decem-  
ber 22, 7:30 p.m.

The property commit-  
tee and assistants wor-  
ked diligently to mar-  
ke an appropriate loc-  
ale for the choir ser-  
vice which now totals  
200 members. An impr-  
essive processional  
and recessional will  
take place on the eve-  
ning's program.

Chairman Willie Wak-  
ayama, and committee  
Tsugio Hirayama, Bush  
Yagi were responsible  
for the whole plan and  
were capably aided by  
voluntary workers in-  
cluding Clifford Naka-  
degawa, Kenzo Yoshida,  
Frank Nanamura, George  
Hanaoka, William Koba-  
yashi, Jimmy Hirokawa  
and Masao Takeshita.

The community is cor-  
rdially extended an  
invitation to attend  
the choir festival.

UNIT II 'DRAMA DEPT.  
TO ASSIST IN PLAY  
PRESENTATION SUNDAY

Much of the effect-  
iveness of the produc-  
tion of "The Town That  
Couldn't Have Christ-  
mas" which will be giv-  
en Sunday night at  
7:30 p.m. at #211 is  
due to the efforts of  
the Unit 2 drama dept.

Acting as director  
is Happy Okajima and  
is assisted by George  
Shoji; Frances Abe,  
make-up; Tad Kimura  
and Seiji Onishi, sta-  
ge and property; Tomi  
Kobata, costumes.

CAISSONS TO MEET  
GREEN DEVILS  
TERRORS TO TAKE ON  
FIREMEN

In another return  
game, the 216 Caissons  
will meet the 214 Gre-  
en Devils Sunday after-  
noon at court 207.

Shiro Takeshita's  
Devils have already  
pinned two losses on  
the Caissons. The  
first was a 51-21 drub-  
bing. The second game  
being much closer,  
but still by a deci-  
sive 44-30 count. How-  
ever, the Caissons  
have greatly improved  
and Hashimoto, Asada,  
et al should have no  
excuses this time.

The preliminary bri-  
ngs together the Con-  
federates and the 216  
B's with the tip off  
at 2:30 p.m.

226 ZEROS GUNNING FOR  
SOUTHERN DIVISION  
TITLE

With the Northern  
Division title at sta-  
ke, the Zeros will meet  
the 221 Shamrocks at  
Field 221, kickoff at  
2:30 p.m.

The undefeated Zeros  
will be heavily favor-  
ed against the Sham-  
rocks, and should the  
Zeros win, they will  
meet 207, Northern Di-  
vision champs, on  
Christmas day for the  
Poston 2 championship.

OTHER GAMES  
IN SOUTHERN DIVISION

Junior League  
222 vs. 219 at 9:30 am  
"B" League  
220 vs. 227 at 10:30 am  
222 vs. 226 at 1:30 pm.  
All games at 221 Fld.  
No. Div. Junior League  
207 vs. 215 at 9:30 am  
208 vs. 209 at 9:30 am  
at Field 208.

"FIRST COME  
FIRST SERVE"

Place your requests for  
the special Christmas  
edition immediately.

ADDITIONAL CENTER NEWS

NEW NAME FOR PAPER SELECTED BY PRESS EDITORIAL BOARD

After looking over the hundreds of names submitted by the contestants from the three Units, the new name for the Poston Center's paper was selected Wed Dec. 16 at Unit 2, by the Editorial Board of the Press Bulletin who sponsored the "name the-paper-contest".

The Editorial Board had one of the most difficult tasks in selecting the name as the names submitted were very closely contested.

Winners of the contest and the new name will appear in the Christmas Edition of the Center paper which will be distributed to the subscribers next week. Extra copies will be available at the PB offices and Canteens in the three Units.

LOST: Dress pattern drafting square rule between Blk. 32 and C.E. Finder please return to Press Bulletin 36-8A Reward offered.

LOST: A tan saddle-leather purse containing papers valuable to owner. Finder please return to Employment Office, Block 27. Reward offered.

Wanted: Japanese-English dictionary. K. Kitaoka, Blk. 27-6D.

WANTED: F 12 Farmall tractor, 1 1/2 ton. Truck late model. Cash deal. See Chief Shigekawa, at Unit I Police Station.

TRUCK WANTED: Specification. All equipment and price wanted. Jack Aramaki, P.O. 30 Price, Utah.

BUY YOUR XMAS ISSUES

BASKETBALL STARTS TODAY

G.B.'s, Valley, Delano and PCAA Favored in city-wide "Open" cage Tourney

With the two latest entries, sixteen teams open up their cage campaign for the coming season, raising the curtain in the City-wide "Open Basketball Tournament" this afternoon with pre-liminaries commencing at 2 p.m.

Heavy favorites to finish at the top of the tourney ladder will be the Golden Bears, Valley Delano and the P.C.A.A. quintets, with stars from former college, high school and organized athletic clubs.

Along with the regular elimination playoffs a consolation round will be played by the losing team of the first round.

On the following Sun. (Dec. 27, and exhibition game with the Parker Indians is anticipated and an All-Tournament team will be selected by the managers and the Sports Staff of the Bulletin at the conclusion of this affair.

CITY-WIDE "OPEN" BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19

Blk. 44 Court:

- 2 p.m. Breeze vs Lobos
3 p.m. Peacocks vs Golden Bears
4 p.m. Bear Ayes vs P.C.A.A.

Blk. 27 Court:

- 3 p.m. Blk. 22's vs Blk. 44's
4 p.m. El Centro vs Blk. 45's

Blk. 22 Court:

- 2 p.m. Berdoo vs Valley Bee's
3 p.m. Blk. 27's vs Valley
4 p.m. Delano vs Bakersfield

SIoux-MOHICANS TANGLE FOR MIDGET TITLE

This afternoon at 2 p.m. on Fld. 35, the Sioux and Mohican tribes battle for the Midgets "ten-inch rubber hardball" Championship ending the elimination series.

CO-ED ELIMINATION VOLLEYBALL TOURNAY

Table with columns COURT and GAMES. Rows include Blk. 6 vs Blk. 12, Blk. 15 vs Blk. 16, Blk. 13 vs Blk. 19, Blk. 17 vs Blk. 18, Blk. 31 vs Blk. 32, Blk. 21 vs Blk. 21, Blk. 37 vs Blk. 37, Blk. 44 vs Blk. 44, Blk. 43 vs Blk. 43.

The games are to start at 2:30 p.m. Sun with ten minutes grace. Please report the score to your own Blk. mgrs' office.

KAWANO'S "ORK" TO PLAY FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE FROLIC IN UNIT I

The sensational Music Makers will provide the music for the New Year's Eve Frolic sponsored by the Boys' and Girls' Athletic Div.

This gala affair will be held at Mess 32. Admission will be 50¢ a couple, from 9p.m to ????

BAKERSFIELD TRIMS LOBOS, 30-19

Bakersfield trimmed the Lobos from Blk. 27 handily to the tune of 30-19 on 27 court in a practice encounter Wed. night.

In the preliminary the Valley Cee's displayed fine teamwork in overpowering 27 Cee's, 22-10.



# Itsumi Oita - Student Body President

"AG NEWS"

CHRISTMAS VACATION

STUDENT BODY ELECTIONS HELD

The Ag. boys have planned to have a concession booth at the Poston II fair which will be held in the early part, next year. They have also planted various vegetables in seed boxes for exhibit at the fair.

The Ag. boys were the victors over the Junior girls in their game of volleyball last Thursday afternoon. The boys report that the Junior girls up a better fight than the seniors.

### RECIPE FOR MAKING "A's"

Perhaps many of you are disappointed with your report cards. So here is a recipe for making "A's"

- 2cups of good attitude
- 3cups of hard work
- 1 1/2cups of ambition
- 1cup of neatness
- 5tablespoons of attention
- 3cups of fresh air and sunshine
- 1 1/2cups of sleep

Mix well with courtesy mixer, and add three cups of self control for a relish. Let it cook six weeks and serve it hot on a report card.

### STOVES RECEIVED

Stoves were received and installed in all the classrooms of the Poston II schools on Wednesday, Dec. 16.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

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Here's good news for all the students of the Poston II schools. Its one weeks vacation for the Christmas holidays. The news was released by the main offices that the vacation period would start on the 15th and last until the 27th when the school will resume its regular schedual.

### REPORT CARDS HANDED OUT THURSDAY

The long awaiting report cards were received yesterday by the students of the Poston II School. These are the first report cards which are being handed out since the beginning of school.

### MEET YOUR TEACHERS

Mr. Hayashi: hails from Salinas, California. He is a graduate of the Salinas Junior College. He had been attending the University of California where he majored in physics until the time of evacuation. He is teaching algebra, geometry, and physics.

### RED CROSS

The Junior Red Cross Chapter of Poston II is planning to give Christmas trees to all the nurseries. The group is planning to go out to the park and get the trees.

There is to be a joint meeting of the Junior Red Cross Chapters of Units I, II, and III.

After a week of campaigning for the various student body offices the election came to a close last Friday December 11. The poll were picked at all hours of the day until the students choice of officers were finally brought about. Those who were elected are: President, Itsumi Oita Vice-President, Yasuo Abe, Treasurer, George Yamanaka, Historian, May Tsukamoto, and Yel Leaders, Rudy Tokiwa Mary Tada, Bessie Takehara. Position of secretary was to be run off between Emi Yokoyama and Takako Yagi but since Emi handed in her declination there was a revote between Takako Yagi and Natsuko Masuda. Takako Yagi nosed out Natsuko Masuda and won this position.

### NEW FACULTY MEMBER

Kozuko Nakamura is a new member of the Poston II teaching staff. She will come from Unit I, and it is planned that she will teach part of the science course.

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 \* Edited every Friday in the interests of the student body of the Poston II High School and their parents.  
 \* Editor this week--  
 \* Ickay Higginson  
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