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EXTRA! Official word from the Presidio in San Francis-*

- co is that we may expect approximately 2400 evacuees to* arrive here today, Saturday and Sunday. Let's all give them a cordial welcome. The staffs of the Intake Center and the Reception Center sincerely ask your cooperation in staying away from these two buildings
- during the time that we are registering and housing

our new friends-to-be. Thank you!

COMMUNITY NIGHT - There will be a Community Night Saturday, May 16 1942, at the Block 5 Recreational Hall. Games, singing, card tricks by Dr. Murakami, followed by a dance to wind up the evening. We urge every one to attend, both young and old. A grand time promised for all.

WANTED - ISSEI AND NISEI TALENTS - All talents both Issei and Nisei. please report to Mr. Kobayashi, Reverend Mitani or Maki Ichiyasu in recreational Hall, Block 5, immediately. Singing dancing, dramatics, instrumental.

RECREATIONAL HALL NOW OPEN IN BLOCK 5 - For your entertainment there are ping pong, jacks, cards, games and reading material (Reader's Digest issues from 1936 to date). There is a piano for those who wish to practice or just be creative (besides "Chopsticks"). You are welcome to come and do your letter writing, reading and visiting. Any donations of reading material and games will be appreciated. Volunteers are needed to take care of the Recreational Hall.

CAMP STORE - We are expecting a new line of leisure clothes, T-shirts, bobby socks for ladies and girls, mirrors, comb and brush sets. Watch for announcement soon!

WARNING - Parents are urged to tell their young children not to crawl under houses nor play in piles of old lumber. We have had reports of poisonous insects and small spiders, and it is well to take this precaution.

ANY RESIDENT OF THE COLONY HAVING MATERIAL FOR THE BULLETIN SHOULD BRING IT TO OUR OFFICE IN THE INTAKE CENTER NOT LATER THAN 7:30 P.M.

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DEFINITIONS

Use These Terms In Writing To Friends

- ASSEMBLY CENTER--A convenient gathering point, within the military area, where evacuees live temporarily while awaiting the opportunity for orderly, planned movement to a Relocation Center outside of the military area.
- RELOCATION CENTER--Poston is such a center, a pioneer services provided by the Federal Government, for occupancy by evacuees for the duration of the war.
- RELOCATION AREA--The entire area surrounding a Relocation Center, under the Jurisdiction of the War Relocation Authority. The Relocation lands are Federally owned, are designated as military areas, and are protected by military police.
- WORK PROJECT -- Work projects such as development of irrigated land, manufacturing enterprises, and farming, undertaken by the War Relocation Work Corps.
- ENLISTEE--A person who enlists in the War Relocation Work Corps. Enlistment is for the duration of the war.