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## GO-OP EXPERTS IN SEMINARS, LECTURES

### CITIZENS LEAGUE DENIES "RUMORS"; SAYS 'ALL IS WELL'

Salt Lake City, Utah---August 22 (Special)----Japanese American Citizens League national headquarters today denied reports that Walter Tsukamoto, former JACL National President and attorney had been crippled; and Dr. George Iki had been killed. Assurances were received from WRA headquarters in San Francisco that Mr. Tsukamoto is carrying on his daily work, and wishes to be remembered to his host of friends in Poston. It was disclosed that Dr. Iki is now at the Heart Mountain Relocation Center, Wyoming, on detail. Today's statement by the JACL was in answer to rumors prevailing at Poston, Arizona.

### MR. "POP" BOTTLE'S VIEWPOINT (AS TOLD BY HIMSELF)

"I am itching to go back to the factory for re-fills and return to Canteen City again but alas! I haven't any legs! Would I be asking too much if I asked you to please pick me up the next time you see me basking in the hot sun or lying under the barracks, or even when you see me on the road?

"I truly want to do my duty; that of serving iced cold drinks to quench the thirst of some 20, 000 people for a reasonable price. But you're asking the impossible, if you want soft drinks for a mere nickel the way you have been treating me. The other day the Canteen City clerks wasted plenty of time rounding up my fellow men. 35 cases, each with 24 identical men were herded in only from the outskirts of the City. How I miss the rest of my kin folks scattered all over the community of Poston, you will never know.

If I am unable to locate the rest of my missing relatives, I may have to be charged double. And you know how I hate to be called 'a Gyp', 'a bottleneck' or a 'cracked container'.

I may never be able to visit Canteen City again. How about a lift next time, folks?

With the arrival of co-op experts from the Rochdale Institute the National Cooperative Training School, and the Cooperative League last week; Lectures, Discussion meetings, and Seminars are now being held at all three Poston Cities.

"We are happy to be here to assist in the building up of more consumer cooperative enterprises now", said Lionel Perkins, sec. of Rochdale Institute. With Mr. Perkins are: Paul Linson, staff member of the Nat'l Co-op Recreation school; Miss Mabel Reed, nutrition specialist and observer; Miss Mary Arnold, Director of Extension Eastern Co-op League; Mrs. Ellen Linson, Sec. of the League; and Miss Dora Maxwell of the National Credit Union Ass'n, who will arrive later.

The programs now in full swing include the following: Seminar I for nisei---Thurs. and Sat. 8:30 p.m. Mess 35; Seminar II, Mon. and Wed. 8:30 p.m. Mess 35; Discussion II, Thurs. and Sat. afternoons, Rec. 36. Mass meetings will be held at Poston 1, 2, and 3, Tuesdays, set tentatively.

Daily discussions are programmed between 8:30 and 11:30 at Rec 36. Public is cordially invited.

Among the graduates of Rochdale Institute is a nisei, George Yasukochi, who is presently employed as an accountant for the Consumer Cooperative Service in Chicago.

### JOB FOR NISEI DRAFTEES

Nisei of draft age who can read and write Japanese language can apply for admission to the United States Army Intelligence Language School by registering with Norris E. James, at Ad. 1, it was announced today.

Applicants will first be given an examination, which will take place during the coming four weeks. If accepted, the draftee will be qualified as an interpreter and translator. He will also receive warrant officer's rating after the completion of the subject.

The school is located at Savage, Minnesota.

### ORANGE COUNTY BLANKS VISTA, EVENS COUNT

Min Nitta, Orange County hurler evened the count with George Sugita of Vista in the fourth play-off game for the Championship into the win column, August 20, at Fld. 30, over the Vista nine in a shut-out game, 4-0. It was a pitcher's duel, with Nitta having the best of it allowing only one hit.

The Orange players gagged the Vista team, scoring one in the first inning and three in the sixth. In the initial frame, Ezaki pulled into home, on Min Nitta's line drive, which was dropped. In the sixth, with two men on, J. Kobayashi swatted a Texas-leaguer to bring in two. A sacrifice brought Kobayashi in, marking the last run of the day.

Vista threatened in the third, with three on, and no outs. But two were nipped at home plate, on two weak singles, and one went down "swinging," giving Nitta credit for ten strike-outs.

Batteries: Orange County--M. Nitta and H. Nitta; Vista--G. Sugita and B. Nakano.

### A STEAK AT STAKE

A \$20.00 steak dinner (it is hoped) is at stake when the "oyajis" of the Agriculture Dept. and the Industry Dept. play in a "grudge" softball game, Sunday, August 30, at Fld. 21, 8 a.m., according to Harry Kumagae, Head of the Industry Dept.

Both teams will be composed of only Administration staffs, who work in the two depts. Mr. Kumagae also stated that only one pitcher would be allowed for the entire game.

The chuckers to work on the "steak" mound will be the Heads of the "Ag." and "Indy" Frank Mizusawa and Harry Kumagae, respectively.

### EVACUEE CLEARED OF CHARGE

Shozo Yasukochi, Blk. 37-2-D, returned to Poston yesterday from El Paso, Texas, having been paroled by order of the U.S. Attorney General. Mr. Yasukochi had been summoned to appear before the Department of Justice and has been cleared of charges brought against him.

CLASSIFIED--WANTED: 1/8 to 1/4 H. P. Motor. Contact Togie Ogata at Empl. Office, Blk. 27 or at Press Bulletin office, Blk. 36.

### BLESSED EVENTS

To Mr. & Mrs. R. Kamatani of Blk 43-7-B, a girl, Aug. 20.  
To Mr. & Mrs. K. Nakawatse of Blk. 17-12-C, a girl, Aug. 20.  
To Mr. & Mrs. S. Matsuno of Blk 39-11-B, a boy, Aug. 20.  
To Mr. & Mrs. S. Noritake of Blk. 226-3-D (Poston II), a boy, Aug. 20.  
To Mr. & Mrs. H. Suyonaga of Blk 53-7-A, a girl, Aug. 20.

### SUNDAY SERVICES

#### Christian Church

Adults' Sunrise Service, 5:45 a. m. in Rec. Area  
Church School, 8:30 a.m., at Blk 5, 15, 19, 44.  
Adult Service, 9:30 a.m. at 5, 15, 19, 44  
Young People's Worship, 9 p.m., at 5, 15, 19, 44.

#### Buddhists' Service

O-Bon Morning Services--8:30 a. m. at Memorial Park  
O-Bon Festival--9 p.m. at the large Rec. Area west of the Adobe Plant.

#### Catholic Church

Mass, 9 a.m., at 45.

### FLATFOOTS TRIUMPHANT, 6-4

Hasegawa chucked his Flatfoots to a 6-4 victory in six inning tilt over Scorpion to clinch a second position in the Southern "B" league at Fld. 43, August 20.

Failing to score for two inning, the coppers went on a four hit spree to score five runs including a clean homer by "Fleetfooted" H. Uyeshima over the right field with two men on. They scored another run in the fourth to coast through the six stanza tussle without the Scorps ever threatening them.

Batteries: Coppers--Hasegawa, and Uyeshima; Scorpions--Kamiya--and Tanaka.

### GAME SCHEDULED FOR SATURDAY

Riverside vs. Oceanside, Fld. 30  
Golden Eagles vs. Fluid Drives, Fld. 4.  
Braves vs. Vultures, Fld. 45  
Blk. 59 vs Blk. 43, Fld. 43  
Golden Bears vs Poston 2 Yogores, at Poston 2.

### P-38 BOMBARDS MONTEREY BAY

A five-run outburst in the third inning gave the P-38 a 10 to 5 margin win over the Monterey Bay "B" in an exhibition game.

# Press Bulletin

POSTON TWO

POSTON, ARIZONA

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## PRE-TEMPORARY COMMUNITY COUNCIL DISSOLVED

A motion to dissolve the "pre-temporary" community council of Poston 2 was carried at a meeting of that body held Thursday evening in the 214 mess hall. Of some significance is the fact that an amendment was attached to the motion for dissolution to the effect that the matter concerning the equal representation of citizens and aliens on the temporary community council be referred to that assembly, which is due to come into existence with the election slated for September 1st.

Hearing of reports by the following committees: religion, Kenzo Yoshida; employment, D. Toda; and landscape, Sumio Nishi; was followed by a presentation of a petition by Z. Tachibana and his committee of five requesting equal representation of citizens and non-citizens on the temporary community council to be elected September 1st.

Director James D. Crawford stated that John Evans had discussed the matter of equal representation with his immediate superior, W. Wade Head, Poston project director, and had definitely concluded that nothing can be done in such a short time as 10 days in regards to changing the WRA regulations. In view of that fact, the amendment referring the matter for consideration by the temporary community council was attached to the motion for dissolution and passed, and the submitted petition declared out-of-order.

Both Director Crawford and Chairman Dr. Harry Kita of the pre-temporary council expressed their thanks to all the members for their efforts and asked for their cooperation in the future for a greater Poston.

### COOKS AND ISSEIS ON BLOCK 215 TO BE HONORED MONDAY NIGHT

A gala party has been planned for the cooks and the Issels residing in 215 block Monday night at 9:00 p.m.

Kenzo Yoshida, Block Manager, announced that the best talents in Poston 2 have consented to appear on the program. He said that only the residents of his block will be invited. Special guests will be Director and Mrs. James D. Crawford.

### POSTON 2 NISEIS, KIBEIS OFFERED CHANCE TO SERVE IN U.S. ARMY AS TRANSLATORS, INTERPRETERS

All Niseis and Kibeis of Poston 2 who are interested in qualifying as translators and interpreters in the service of the U. S. Army are urged to see Director James D. Crawford immediately for an examination appointment.

Norris James, Chief of the Poston Press bureau and of ~~Pro Je-~~ Intelligenece, will pass on the appointments. All qualified residents will be admitted to the U. S. Army Military Intelligence School in Fort Savage, Minnesota.

Upon completion of a 2 months basic training course and an additional 8 months, the graduates will receive warrants as sergeants, master sergeants or 2nd lieutenants.

### SCHOOL STUDENT CENSUS CONDUCTED

A second school student census is being conducted by the Block Managers of Poston 2 of everyone who was attending a public school prior to evacuation.

The Poston Education Dept. desires to obtain information concerning the school attended to determine the various school districts from which textbooks may be obtained and in requesting a transcript of scholastic records from the school district in behalf of each child.

The information is sought so that Poston students may be taught in as normal a manner as possible prior to evacuation.

### DAILY BUS SERVICE IN OPERATION

A daily bus service from Poston 2 to Units 1 and 3 is now in operation. The buses leave from the Administration Building and only persons with official business will be given rides.

CHURCH SERVICESBuddhist Church - Rec. Hall 214

Sunday School - 8:45 a.m.  
 Mas Yamamoto - Chairman  
 Miyoshi Matsuda - Speaker

Adult Service - 9:00 p.m.  
 Sermon by Rev. Y. Iwanaga

Hymn practice will precede the  
 Adult Service at 8:30 p.m.

Christian Church - Rec. Hall 211

Sunday School. . . 8:45 a.m.  
 Young People's Worship Ser-  
 vice 10:00 a.m.  
 Sermon by Rev. Wm. Kobayashi

Japanese Worship Service 8:30  
 p.m. Sermon by Rev. Takeda.

WOOD CARVING CLASS STARTS  
SATURDAY AT REC. HALL 216

Under the sponsorship of the  
 Recreation Department, the wood  
 carving class starts Saturday  
 afternoon at 2:00 p.m. in the 216  
 Recreational Hall.

Those interested are asked to  
 bring their own tools. The wood  
 will be furnished by the arts and  
 craft department.

Teruo Kasamatsu is the inst-  
 ructor.

KITE CONTEST SUNDAY EVENING  
IN FRONT OF "AD" BUILDING

With Messrs. G. Ono, M. Yama-  
 moto and Murata as judges the  
 kite contest for boys between the  
 ages of 9 and 13 will enter the  
 kite contest Sunday evening at  
 7:30 p.m. in front of the Admin-  
 istration Building.

Contests for the following  
 types will be held:

1. Best Made Kite
2. Highest Flying Kite
3. Fastest Kite to go  
up in the air
4. Biggest Kite
5. Smallest Kite

The contest is sponsored by  
 the Recreation Department through  
 the boys' division.

VARIED PROGRAM ASSURED FOR BIG  
AMATEUR PERFORMANCE TONIGHT

With genial George Yuge as  
 master of ceremonies, the amateur  
 show scheduled tonight will fea-  
 ture many new and seasoned tal-  
 ents of Poston 2 at 9:00 p.m.

Japanese odoris, monologue,  
 songs and satire, instrumental  
 numbers, popular American songs  
 and other entertaining contribu-  
 tions will be given.

213 TERRORS AGAIN TERRORIZED

The Terrors of Block 212 again  
 failed to terrorize their oppo-  
 nents Thursday evening as the Blk  
 221 softballers took all the ter-  
 ror out of them in scoring an 11  
 to 1 win on the Wrigley Field.

The Terrors led by a 1-0 count  
 until the 3rd frame when "Stepin  
 Fetchit" Hiro Nishikawa led his  
 221 mates to an 8-run rally with  
 2 stinging hits to start the los-  
 ers' downfall.

Y. Kasamatsu, George Nishikawa  
 and N. Nishi hurled winning ball  
 for the 221-ers, with Tokiwa and  
 G. Soda hurling for the losers.

PENGUINS BOWLED OVER BY CAISSONS

The 216 Caissons kept rolling  
 on Thursday evening when they co-  
 led the Block 211 Penguins in a  
 14 to 8 game on the diamond south  
 of Block 211.

The Caissons got the jump on  
 the Penguins with 9 runs in the  
 1st two innings which the 211-ers  
 were unable to overcome, despite  
 5 runs in the first frame.

Tom Hashimoto was credited with  
 the Caisson victory, with Jerry  
 Takemoto pacing the losers.

INFORMATION PLEASE  
BUREAU TO OPEN SOON

Perplexed Poston 2 residents  
 will soon be able to untangle  
 some of their problems relating  
 to this community with the annou-  
 nouncement from Director Crawford's  
 office that an information bureau  
 will soon be established.

# POSTON BEAULIEU

POSTON THREE

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## NOMINATION DATE SET

Nominations are now opened for the office of block representatives. Each Block Council will select at least two persons. August 25 has been set as the last day for such nominations to be filed.

Qualified persons may also be nominated for the office by a petition signed by not less than ten eligible voters. These petitions are to be in on or before September 1.

## VACATION SCHOOL OPENS ON 31ST

The Daily Vacation Bible School will open Aug. 31, at 9:30 a.m. Rec. 305. Celia Takemoto of Block 306, who is in charge of the school, expressed her desire for all children from 4 to 15 years of age and their parents to attend this opening service. The speakers will be Dr. Powell and Rev. Paul Nagano. Another minister to speak at the opening is also being sought. Handicraft and recreation as well as worship will be stressed. School hours will be from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.

## USO DIRECTOR TALKS BEFORE GIRLS COUNCIL

"How to be a good leader" was the subject of a lecture given by USO director from S. F. to the five girls of the girl's council who toured Poston I, Thurs. Morning. They also met Maki Ichiyasu, rec. dir. of Poston I, whose plans will be followed here.

## PRE-NURSERY SCHOOL OPENS NEXT WEEK

Approximately 75 pupils are expected to attend the opening of the pre-nursery school next week in Rec. Hall 310, according to the statement released at the meeting of the pre-nursery school teachers held on Thurs. Aug. 20 with Lily Kita presiding.

The school hours will be from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon. Only English Language will be spoken.

## 28 AUDITIONED FOR TALENT SHOW

About 28 people were auditioned for a talent show last night at Rec 318 before a large group of interested spectators. With George Takaoka and Willie Ogino acting as masters of ceremonies a great number of hidden talent were brought out and enthusiastically received with several encores.

Most of those auditioned were singing and Nani-wa-bushi humbers with a few harmonic solos.

Announcements were made that a harmonica band is being organized at Block 325 by Willie Ogino, and more players are needed.

As a special treat Thomas Masamori of Poston II sang "I'll Pray For You." George Yugi, Poston II's versatile master of ceremony, praised the talents who performed and said that there are great possibilities in this camp.

## J. BURDICK TO HEAD STEWARDS OF POSTON III

Head steward for Poston III will be J. L. E. Burdick, who opened his office Thursday at 310-14-B, it was confirmed in an official announcement today. He also will act as an assistant to E. A. Best.

"My duty is to see to the welfare of Camp III," Burdick said in a general statement to the press.

## LIBRARY RECEIVES BOOKS

Fumi Shiota, librarian, announced that the initial shipment of 50 books from Poston I consisted largely of texts for high school age group. Further shipments of books for children and adults are expected shortly. In addition, the library will be supplemented by private contributions and loans. A drive now in progress for material has resulted in large collection of periodicals. It is hoped that individuals with subscriptions will contribute copies to the library at Rec 326.

## BEAUTY SHOP TO OPEN

The beauty operators held a meeting on Thurs., Aug. 20, at 310-Employment Office, with Chairman Odagawa of Poston I presiding. The staff of operators will consist of Yone Yamaguchi, chmn., Ruth Watanabe, Kiyoko Kawamura and Mr. Yamaguchi, formerly of the Angel Beauty Salon in Los Angeles. Definite plans were not formed as the exact location.

## JUDO PRACTICE TO START MONDAY

Starting Monday, judo practices will be held daily except Sundays under the supervision of Carl Shoji, experienced mat artist from Upland.

Mr. Shoji announced the schedule as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Friday, twice daily, 8 to 10 a.m. and 8 to 10 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, once daily 8 to 10 p.m.

The lessons will be free of charge, the only expense being the cost of the judo-gi (\$2.50) if the judoist does not have one.

## BARBERS TO ORGANIZE

The meeting of the future barbers was held on Thurs., Aug. 20 at 310-Employment Office. K. Harada of Blk 306 was selected as manager for the group. The exact location is undecided at the present time.

The tentative prices set for haircuts will be 20¢ for adults and 10¢ for children under twelve.

Equipment will be furnished by the community enterprise, and proceeds will be turned over to the enterprise.

## BENCHES FOR THE BUDDHIST CHURCH GOERS

The Church goers attending Buddhist services held at Rec. 306 will be provided with benches which the carpenters are busily preparing these days.

From this coming Sunday there will be no separation of Jr. and Sr. service. It will be together starting from 9:00 a.m. and the evening service from 9:00 p.m.

## Church Leaders...

### PAUL NAGANO

A friendly youth who is from Los Angeles is in charge of Poston III's Christian Church. After finishing high school he chose to help others as his life work and studied at Chapman College. After graduating he continued his religious work as pastor of Wilmington and Torrance Baptist Churches.

His personality, sincerity and willingness to help others have helped him to achieve his present position as a leader. He is gifted as a public speaker and recognized as a singer.

His interest in books and sports and he was at one time an excellent athlete.

The work Paul Nagano has chosen is for the welfare of and credit to the community.

### JOHN MIYABE

John Miyabe, musical director from Poston I formerly of Anaheim, Calif., was transferred to Poston III to help with church work.

He is a graduate of the Los Angeles Pacific College. John is a lover of books, athletically inclined--basketball being his favorite sport. He especially likes the good food served here.

## CHURCH SERVICES

### Buddhist Church

Rec 306

Jr. Sun. School-- 9 AM

Sr. Sun. School--10 AM

Tues. Young People's

Service -- 9 AM

### Christian Church

Rec. 305

Sunday School-- 9 AM

Morning Worship-- 10 AM

(adults)

Church -- 11 AM

Young People's Service

---8:30 PM

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Intelligence School

Poston III candidates for admittance to the U.S. Army Intelligence Language School at Camp Savage, Minnesota, may arrange with Mr. Moris Burge for an examination to be conducted by Mr. Norris E. James, Press and Intelligence Officer.

### Volley Ball

For volley ball enthusiasts, a court has been erected in Block 317. Sign-ups are requested by Mon. Aug. 24 with respective block representatives.

### Movies

With "Tundra" as tonight's main feature, Poston III's movies at Blk 305 will also include two comedies and an educational short.

### Ex-pro to Teach Boxing

Sam Kasai, former professional boxer, in charge of boxing in Poston III announced that any person desiring to join the camp boxing team or to learn to box should contact him at the Block Manager's Office 325.

### EMPLOYMENT STAFF GOES TO POSTON I FOR SOCIAL

Employees of the Poston III Employment Office will join the two staffs of Poston I and II in a party tonight, at 8 p.m. at Poston I.

Poston III members are planning a skit with James Kubota as chairman, assisted by Minnie Ichiyama. Poston III's new orchestra is also expected to make its first public appearance.