

THE FIRST ONE HUNDRED DAYS

One hundred days form a long span in the lifetime of a man or woman; they are but a chapter in the life of a newspaper. Today marks the one hundredth issue of the Poston Press Bulletin and it is fitting and proper to take time out to congratulate the fifty men and women who have made this possible. In dust and dirt, in heat and wind, by day and by night they have labored anonymously to produce this, the first daily paper developed at any project. N.E.J.

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WRA CHIEF COUNSEL

PHILIP GLICK ADDRESSES COUNCIL, UNIT ONE

RELOCATION CENTERS ARE "STOPPING PLACES" FOR
JOBS IN EASTERN STATES; JAPANESE-AMERICANS
AN INTEGRAL PART OF NATION, ASSERTS GLICK

OVER 500 SEARCHING
FOR M. OITA, MISSING
SINCE SUNDAY MORNING

Philip Glick, Chief Counsel for the W.R.A. from Washington, D.C., spoke before the Temporary Community Council, last Saturday, Aug. 29 at the Ad. annex, Poston I.

"The W.R.A.," Mr. Glick asserted, "is an important organ now. The Army's decision to evacuate aliens and Citizens to the non-military zones was made swiftly. Evacuees, 120,000 of them, will have to be helped to leave, get work, and be readjusted to new living conditions after the war is over. The President felt a civilian agency was necessary, so the W.R.A. was established by him, almost overnight. In drawing up the staff, the W.R.A. considered that a "stopping place" from which evacuees could eventually go off into the more Eastern states to get jobs be created. Thus we have the Relocation Centers here today.

"The internees are not all disloyal themselves," continued Mr. Glick, "and despite the evils of evacuation, this may be a blessing in disguise. I am very confident that, when the war is over, all Postonians will find a new home, not bunched in 'Li'l Tokio's' or 'Li'l Osa-

TRAFFIC REGULATIONS

Regulations governing Poston traffic will be strictly enforced, Ted Haas of the Legal Dept. advised yesterday.

The Law & Order Council of the Judicial committee will pass judgment on all violators at Mon. and Thur. court sessions at 10 A.M.

ka's" but scattered throughout the vast country, like other minority groups in the United States.

"Japanese-Americans are just as much an integral part of Nation as any other racial group," he concluded.

Answering a question in regards to the positions in the elective offices, W.R.A. official declared that only U.S. citizens may hold such jobs, but both issei and nisei will be able to hold "appointive offices.

Mike Oita, aged 25, of 211-6-C, has been the object of a widespread search since 11 o'clock Sunday morning in the untractable area west of Poston.

More than 500 Postonians of Unit 2 are engaged in systematically scouring the length and breadth of the area between Units 1 and 3:

Oita, formerly of Watsonville and a star baseball hurler, was a member of Poston Two's tractor crew of 24 who had planned to spend Sunday picnicking. His failure to return for lunch at 11 a.m., after separating from the group at about 10 o'clock, resulted in an immediate search by the picnickers. The investigation has been carried on since unrelentingly on a 24-hour per day basis.

Among the searchers are his two younger brothers, Itsumi and Katashi.

As the Bulletin went to "press", returning reports of searching parties were all discouraging.

BUY WAR STAMPS!

EDITORIAL

A New Horizon

Today's issue makes the one hundredth number to be published by the Press Bulletin I. In reviewing back some three months of newspaper work, we realize how much we have accomplished, and how much most of us have gone through in putting our "best foot forward" to present the best Press Bulletin possible under the trying conditions which exists...lack of equipment, lack of transportation, and lack of writing "Space."

We are reminded that first few issues were carbon copies made by two charter members of the Press which consisted of 60 issues that only two fellows were listed in the Circulation Dept. acting as distributors and reporters in one. We also feel quite thankful about those days when Norris James, our Press officer, used to fill up the columns, with his news reporting.

But progress is a wonderful thing. Today, though still in its infancy, we are blessed with more than 23 reporters, 7 cartoonists, 5 circulation boys, and a crew of 11 office workers, who edit, re-write, copy read, and put the paper to bed.

This however, is not our ultimate goal yet. This is only our centennial number, which is a reminder that we have a long way to go. The Press Club will soon be erected, the much-awaited printing press is due to come any moment, and we who have been soaked in "printers ink" for the last 99 days, are out to serve the Poston people with News.

Intaking time out to

POSTON III GREETED BY PROJECT DIRECTOR HEAD

Wade Head, chief project director of the Colorado River Relocation Center, extended greetings to the residents of Poston III Sunday night, in his first public appearance here.

After pointing out the fact that Poston has the largest group of people of Japanese ancestry in the United States and that this city is the third largest in the state of Arizona, Mr. Head presented a general outline of the possibilities of development in our pioneer community.

The people will be allowed to have their own schools, churches and a democratic form of government with the smallest amount of outside direction in accordance with a newly adopted WRA policy which will be announced in the near future, it was declared by the project director of Poston.

Mr. Head also expressed his personal hope that no more racial lines would be drawn after the present trouble, and stated his belief in the triumph of the democratic cause.

UNIT 2 CO-OP MEETINGS

Lionel Perkins and Mary Arnold will speak on co-ops tonight at 210 and 227 mess halls.

write this editorial on the progress made during the first "100-period" the Staff wishes to thank everyone who has contributed their share in the building of the Press.

You will be the sole judge of our efforts.

May we report to you a better newspaper come 200th issue?.....HM

POSTON III SOIL STUDY GROUP SURVEYS POSTON I

A delegation of ten agriculturists led by acting head George Kitahara are expected today to make a survey of work done in Poston I by its soil study staff. An investigation will also be made of the amount of equipment available for Poston III to commence operations. The extent of soil study work in Poston III will depend largely upon the equipment made available.

Further additions to the staff and assignment of definite quarters for offices will be announced shortly.

EVENING SEWING SCHOOLS TO RESUME SEPT. 1

Evening sewing class will resume again every Tues. and Thurs. from 8 to 10:30 p.m. starting Sept. 1, according to Mitzie Sugita, Director of the Sewing Dept. There are seven instructors in Poston 1, six in Poston 2, and nine in Poston 3. The three units will be combined in the fashion show to be presented at the County Fair.

POSTON III'S GIRLS SOFTBALL TEAM DEFEATED

Before a large crowd, Postonettes from Poston I ran away with the game last Saturday night on 316 field. Poston III's Blk. 316 girls tried to overcome the lead piled by Postonettes at the beginning but the game ended with score of 18 to 11. Home runs were hit by Shinobu Kodama and Lillian Ota of Poston III and Sumi Kawano and Kiyo Shiomi of the Postonettes.

Batteries: Amy and Lillian Nagata, Sumi Kawano and Kiyomi Shiomi.

PRESS TO DEDICATE CORNERSTONE

Wade Head, Project Director, Norris James, Press Officer, and the members of the Press Bulletin 1, will attend the Dedication ceremonies at the new Press Club, located southwest of the main Adobe Plant on Wednesday Sept. 2 at 8 p.m.

Both officials will conduct the cornerstone dedications on the building which will soon be completed. The Press members will also participate. Names of the workers will be placed in the bottle which will be "cemented" under the floors, to be preserved "forever." The public is invited to see the novel event.

LIBRARY HAVE ADDITIONAL BOOKS,
CURRENT BEST SELLERS

Poston 1 Library announced that new list of current best sellers are now stocked on the shelves of the Pay section, which the Resident may rent out at five cents per week. When the books are "automatically" paid up by the readers, it will be placed on the free circulating section, to be issued out without cost. 60 such books are today available. Among are:

The Last Time I Saw Paris, by Elliot Paul; Washington Is Like That, by William Kiplinger; Disputed Passage, by Lloyd C. Douglas; Past Imperfect, by Ilka Chase; The Moon Is Down, by John Steinbeck; Paul Revere and the World He Lived In, by Esther Forbes; Madame Curie, by Eve Curie; and The Album, by Mary R. Rinchart.

PAIR TO LEAVE POSTON
HONORED AT FAREWELL FETE

Mrs. Eva Striplen and Miss Gertrude Yoshimoto were guests at a farewell "weenie bake" social given in their honor by members of the Hawaiian Musical Troupe and intimate friends last Sunday nite Aug. 30. About 30 people attended the party which was staged in a romantic outdoor setting under the star studded sky and near a creak in the vicinity of Poston One. Hula dancing, solos and duets accompanied on the guitar by Doc Yamada, June Sugimoto and Mrs. Dill Yamamoto were presented. June Sugimoto treated the crowd with cowboy yodelling songs, but little baby Lawrence, hardly 2 years old stole the show with his original hula to the tune of "Manucla Poy" "Aloha Oe" climaxed and concluded the get-together.

NEED FOR TEMPORARY
KITCHEN SEEN

That a "portable" kitchen be installed where subjugation crew must work, so they may not lose too much time 'tramping back and forth' during lunch period was brought up before the Temporary Council meeting held last Saturday, August 29 at Poston 1.

It was recommended that a kitchen be made to feed some 120 men who due to lack of fast transportation are unable to actually put in eight full hours, when they must trample back to their own block to eat, at noon.

It was also suggested that because most workers, with worn out shoes are now buying new ones from their own fund, that provisions be made immediately to replace those in need today.

JUDO UNIFORMS MADE BY
POSTON WOMEN

To provide for more than 1000 judo students in Poston 1, 2, and 3, approximately 50 women are putting eight hours per day work, filling the orders, sewing the judo-gi.

Chrmn. of the Judo Dept. Blk. 37-14, Tasuke Hagio, announced that students may now place their orders at the office. Prices range from \$2.50 to \$2.75 depending on the cost of making such uniforms.

NOTE: TALENT SHOW GOERS!!

The ever "shifting" Talent Show will finally be held (we hope) at the Main Adobe Plant, tonight beginning at 9 p.m. sharp, instead of at Blk. 22. We refer to this T. Review as being "shifting" because as we recall, the date was first moved. Yesterday report brought to the Press was "Blk. 22 has been flooded, from the irrigation canal." So the ground is wet, and naturally the Show "must go on" someplace else. Anyway, we'll see you at Adobe at 9 p.m. (We may also remind the Rec. Dept. of this News too.)

BRIEF BEATS

Chiyoko Doi arrived from Fresno Hospital to join her family on 9:35 train Sunday morning and Iku Taka, internee, arrived from Sharp Park at the same time.

Mrs. Kuwa and Henry Umeda arrived Saturday with a special permit from Manzanar to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mizuo Umeda. They will be leaving tomorrow.

BUDDHIST SUMMER SCHOOL OPENS WITH BIG ENROLL- MENT MONDAY

Approximately 600 registrants attended the opening day of the Buddhist summer school at 214 Recreation Hall.

Teachers from Poston I took charge and will conduct the schools which began Tuesday at Blocks 207, 214, and 229.

Residents under 15 years of age of Blocks 207; 208, 209, 215 and 216, are to report to classes at School I on Blk. 207; 211, 213, 214, 219, and 220 at School II on Block 214; 221, 222, 226, 227 and 229 at School III on Block 229.

UNITED CHRISTIAN CHURCH RECEIVES NEW PASTOR AND CHURCH WORKER

Rev. William Kobayashi and Mr. Clifford Nakadegawa from Poston I were formally received by the United Christian Church of Poston 2 as pastor and church worker, respectively, Sunday morning during the young people's worship services.

Rev. S. Kowta, moderator of the Christian activities in Poston I, gave charges to Rev. Kobayashi and Mr. Nakadegawa.

Inducted as members of the Council by Rev. K. Takeda were Kenzo Yoshida, Kenji Shikuma, Jimmy Hirokawa, Gladys Onoye, Masao Takeshita and Chizu Masuda.

The Housing Dept. of Poston 2, quartered on the 217 Administration block, advised yesterday that requests for change of address will be considered only during the hours between 9 a.m. and 11:30 a.m.

SINGSPIRATION TUESDAY NIGHT AT REC. HALL 211

First in the series of weekly Singpiration will be held tonight at the 211 Recreation Hall sponsored by the Council of the United Christian Church at 7:00 p.m. to 8 p.m.

Toru Asada, song leader, with Gladys Onoye as accompanist will be in charge of the program.

Community songs of old favorites as well as CE. choruses will be featured. A short entertainment has also been planned for this initial meeting. Postonians are invited to attend and bring their friends.

GROUP SINGING ENJOYED

Sunday evening community sing was enjoyed by 227 residents "under the stars".

Miss Helen Kazato led the group in old favorites while Toru Asada, guest leader, led in the old-fashioned "rounds." Accompanist was Rosie Miyadi on her accordion.

Next Sunday evening sing will feature talents of the block, it was announced.

PIANO WANTED

Anyone desiring to sell a piano in good condition to be used for church work is asked to contact the office at 211 Recreation Hall.

KIDO DELAYED 24 HOURS

A delay of 24 hours in Barstow caused Saburo Kido to arrive in Poston 2 yesterday morning instead of Sunday as originally scheduled.

BLOCK 227 RESIDENTS BECOME TRAILBLAZERS FOR A DAY

Trailblazing through the Arizona brush in a simulated Boy Scout fashion, an expedition from Block 227 led by "Blockhead" Barney Sattow, cleared the way to the Colorado River to enjoy a day "in the rough."

Swimming and fishing and exploring made up the part of the day not spent in hiking. The return trip was made in a record-breaking time with the 1st group arriving home in half of the time required to reach the river. This was credited to the resourcefulness of "scouts" Jim Kumake and Hugo Kazato who had left signs along the trail.

PERSONOTES

Mrs. D. Doi and her month-old baby daughter, Geraldine Sachiye, arrived Sunday from Fresno Hospital joining her family at 227-10-D.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Yamagata, 227-11-C, welcomed the birth of a son born Sunday morning at Poston 1 hospital.

Convalescing at the Poston 1 hospital is Miss Shiori Yasumoto, 214-10-A, following an appendectomy Friday morning.

Block 226 welcomed the return of those Issei who were detained at the alien detention camp in North Dakota Saturday morning. Those arriving to join their families were Kumekichi Ishibashi, Gen Motoike and Genemon Takemura all formerly of Palos Verdes Hills in San Pedro, California.

**ADMINISTRATION MOVES
TO NEW BUILDINGS**

Beginning this week, the new administration buildings in the north-east section of the Poston III area will be occupied. At present, the offices of Mr. Burge, Director of Poston III, and his staff will be located in Administration Building "A". In Administration Building "B" are located at present the offices of the Camp Steward, Transportation and Supplies, Block Managers' Supervisor, and the Time-keeper.

**POLICE CHIEF
ISSUES WARNING**

Chief of Police Ken Sato today issued a statement to all departments, organizations and offices to exercise extreme caution against possible theft. Entrances must be padlocked and windows hooked in all offices and rooms before leaving, it was advised.

ANNOUNCEMENTS**Sewing Department**

All those interested in taking knitting, crocheting, or embroidery are requested to contact Mitzi Sugita at the Sewing Dept., Rec. 318. A class may be conducted if sufficient number of students enroll.

Blk. Mgr. Supervisor

Albert Kaniye, Blk. Mgr.'s Supervisor, stated today that his office at 310-14A will be open for two more weeks. His new office is located at the new Ad. Bldg. "A".

GIRLS COUNCIL . . .

Poston I's recreational leader, Maki Ichiyasu met with our girls Council Saturday morning Aug. 29 to discuss the importance of recreation. She stated that recreation is a part of living and that cooperation is a very important thing to carry out the programs of recreation. Four things that most people desire are: security, love and affection, approval and new experience. The clubs to be formed should attempt to give these experiences. Programs to fit people from all walks of life were also discussed.

Next Tuesday morning, Maki Ichiyasu will again join the girls to discuss the kind of recreation possible here and to make the standard for all recreational work.

**DR. WADA HANDLES 462
CASES AT CLINIC**

Dr. George Wada of the Poston III clinic has handled 462 cases by last Friday, it was announced yesterday. An average of three night calls have been made.

Numerous cases of severe burns have been reported from the various mess halls, and the clinic issued a statement asking all kitchen staff workers to be careful in their work.

POSTON III'S FIRST FIRE

Within five minutes, Poston III's fire department had its first fire under control, Sun. morning, 5:45 a.m. in Block 327.

Acting Chief Togio-ka stated no fire is to be started without a permit of the Department and no rubbish is to be burned by the kitchen personnel.

**POSTON III FIRST
TALENT SHOW HELD**

Poston III's first talent show was staged before a huge audience, last Sunday evening, at 9 p.m. in honor of the new intake from Santa Anita. With Henry Morikawa introducing the master of ceremonies, Karl Taku, and Henry Kubota's orchestra, the program began with a few words from Mr. Burge, head of Poston III, and Project Director Wade Head. Ralph Galvin assistant director and Mr. Evans, head of Poston I were introduced by Mr. Head.

Many good vocal solos, snappy harmonica numbers, naniwabushi, a hula dance, colorful Japanese dance, and several instrumental numbers were presented. Among the performers receiving encores were Ben Mayeda, mandolin player and singer, Charles Yasutake, naniwabushi, Osam Takahashi, trumpet player from Poston I, Yuki Miyamoto, clarinet player, Kats Manaka, singer, George Furuta, Uke player and "opera" singer, Anna Mae Fujino, singer, and Hiromichi Kuwamoto, Shakuhachi player.

This same group will perform at Poston II tonight.

**AUXILIARY GASOLINE
ENGINE TO BE INSTALLED**

For emergency use in event the power supply is cut off, an auxiliary gasoline engine will be ready for operation as soon as remaining parts arrive. This will assure a constant supply of water, eliminating the necessity of turning off the water to keep in reserve a supply as precaution against extreme fire hazards.

COMMODORES SETBACK ZEPHYRS, 4-0

INDUSTRY BOYS PLOWED UNDER BY FARMERS SUNDAY, 8 TO 1

When the dust settled on Fld. 30, Sunday, it was the Aggies who were grinning for they finally ended a month-old feud with the Industry Dept. boys, plowing them under the Poston I soil, 8-1.

The Esquires started humming in the 1st as A. Izumo cracked a single. Then M. Yano followed with another bing, scoring Izumo, later recorded to be the 1st and the last run for the "white collars".

The Ag went to work in the 2nd to tie the score. Then in the 3rd; the farmer with 2 outs, blasted H. Kumagai for 4 hits and 6 runs.

F. Mizusawa of the Aggies was credited with 9 strikeouts when darkness halted the game in the last half of the sixth inning.

JUNIOR LEAGUE SOFTBALL

Under Shiro Shirashi, head, James Mano, Yosh Matsuoka, Mas Matsushita, and George Yamagata, six junior softball teams were organized in a junior softball league with the first games played yesterday. The teams whose rosters are made up of boys in the 10-15 age group are to play every other morning. Teams entered are: 305, 306, 307-8, 309, 316 and 317-325.

Following is the schedule of junior league games to be played tomorrow Sept 2
307-8 vs 305 at 307
316 vs 309 at 318
306 vs 317 at 317

POSTON III ALL-STARS DOWN POSTON I "VALLEY" BY 3-1 IN CLOSE GAME

The Poston III All-Stars defeated the Valley team from Poston I Sunday afternoon 3-1 in a close contest on the 318 diamond featured by 2 hit pitching by Poston III's Ben Inouye and errorless playing by the valley team.

Imamura, pitching superb ball for the valley team struck out 6 All-Stars.

Pat Nagano and Karl Taku big guns in the Poston III hitting barrage, each got 2 for 2.

Poston III scored 3 runs on 6 hits and the valley team got 2 hits for 1 run.

Batteries: Poston III B. Inouye, S. Watanabe; Valley Team-Imamura, Miyoto.

POSTON 2 SOFTBALL

Softball games scheduled for Poston 2's leagues for today are as follows:

National League: 215 vs. 219 on the 208 field.

American League: 222 vs. 229 on the 221 field; and 214 vs. 208 on the 207 field.

BOXING CLASSES GET UNDER WAY IN POSTON 3

Boxing classes in Poston III began Monday evening when the first practice was held in Rec 323 under the supervision of Sam Kasai, ex-pro in this city.

"The schedule is not yet definite," stated the instructor, "but tentative plans call for classes daily at 7 p.m. except Sundays."

NISHIKAWA HURLS TIGHT BALL FOR UNIT 2 AS MONTEREY BAY LOSES

Featuring the stellar chucking performance of George Nishikawa, Poston 2's Clovis Commodores retained their undefeated status Sunday by breezing thru the Monterey Bay Zephyrs ten of Unit 1 Sunday by a 4-0 count on the Wrigley Field of Unit 2.

The Clovis softballers tallied once in the 2nd frame on timely hits by Okumura and Ted Miyamoto. To make the killing more decisive, The Commodores took advantage of two errors and 2 hits in the final 5th inning to score 3 runs.

In a repetition of his past performances Nishikawa allowed the Zephyrs only 2 scattered bingles and chalked up 8 strikeouts.

N. Morimoto, the losing hurler, was beset by 2 costly errors on the part of his mates, but was touched for 4 timely hits which did irreparable damage.

318 GIRLS SOFTBALLERS DEFEATED BY POSTON I IN FIRST OF SERIES

Even with the fast pitching of Tomi Kitahata, the Girls Softball team of Blk. 318 bowed to the Girls of Poston I Blk. 39 by a score of 23-7 on Saturday night in the first in a series of inter-camp games. Playing against a strong Poston I team, Blk. 318 held their own till Blk. 39 began their 5th inning spurt and clinched the game.

Those interested in boxing may still sign up at Rec. 323.