

REPORT THREE CASUALTIES FOUGHT IN ITALY FRONT

The War Department this week announced three casualties of nisei servicemen with families in this center who were fighting in the Italian campaign.

Pvt. Haruo Kawamoto, 20, son of Mr. Saburo Kawamoto, 12F-9D, was killed in action in Italy on April 9, 1945.

Entering the armed services via draft from Detroit, Mich., in July, 1944, Private Kawamoto, formerly of Fresno, Calif., received his basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla., before going overseas with the 442nd Infantry.

He is survived by his father; three brothers, Cpl. Yorio presumed to be in Texas, Pvt. Mitsuo (reported wounded in action in France last December) and John of Detroit, and two sisters, Ayako and Setsuko of this center.

WOUNDED IN ACTION:

On April 10, 1945.

SHIRAKAWA, S/Sgt. John S., 25, son of Mrs. Teru Shirakawa, 11G-10F. On April 11, 1945.

MORITA, Pvt. Kameki, 21, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matsutaro Morita, 12E-11B.

S/Sgt. John S. Shirakawa was drafted from Los Angeles. — continued on page 3 —

CLEAN-UP WEEK IS EXTENDED

Because of inclement weather conditions, the present Clean-up Week has been extended to May 5 to enable residents to carry out a more effective program, according to Paul W. Newland, acting fire protection officer, yesterday.

Center-wide cooperation to the campaign will assure a cleaner and safer community, and at the same time promote less hazardous conditions during fires, he stated.

Prospective relocatees were warned in packing crates for shipment. Newland cited an incident where a fire originated in a crate just before being placed in a railway car. A thorough search of all clothing for matches before packing was recommended.

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THREE TERROR CASE DEFENDANTS FREED

Two soldier brothers, Alvin and Elmer Johnson, both listed as a.w.o.l., and James E. Watson, bartender, were freed of charges of arson by a jury in the superior court at Auburn, Calif., after six days of

trial, in connection with attempted firing and dynamiting of a fruit shed on the Sumio Doi ranch.

Fourth member of the group, Claude P. Watson, is scheduled to appear for a separate trial as he is only charged with attempted dynamiting.

The Army authorities took the soldiers into custody for court-martial on charges of being absent without leave.

According to a report, a counsel for the defense asserted in asking for an acquittal, "This is a white man's country." Furthermore, the counsel stated that the Johnsons' Army training was responsible for their display of hatred, and made much of the Bataan march of death and atrocities committed by the Japanese enemy.

District Attorney C. E. Tindall, who prosecuted the case, pointed out that two of the Doiboyes were in the Army, and were not "absent without leave."

The jury of five men and seven women, who heard the case in the court presided by Judge Lowell L. Sparks, were chosen from a venire of 200 jurors, the largest in the county's history.

CALIFORNIA SENATE LAUDS NISEI VETERANS

SACRAMENTO--Six nisei soldiers, all decorated for valor in overseas combat in Italy or the Pacific, were introduced in the State Senate recently by Sen. John F. Shelley, San Francisco democrat.

The senate applauded them after Lieut. Gov. Houser, presiding officer, welcomed them with "California is grateful for the services you have rendered," and said he hoped they could visit the legislature again.

The nisei servicemen were S/Sgt. Ernest K. Enomoto, Sgt. Akira Kawasaki, Pfc. Kenneth Kasakawa, Pvt. Richard Hiwa, Pfc. George Taketa and Pvt. Don Shimizu, all of Hawaii. Bill K. Ishida, honorably discharged veteran of Sacramento, was also introduced.

SILK SCREEN SHOP SERVED WITH SUCCESS

The local Silk Screen Shop after nearly two years of successful operation will close its doors on May 15, announced Miss Maide G. Campbell, Thursday. Actual production, however, will cease today and only a skeleton crew will be retained to check inventory and pack equipment.

Officially organized at the request of the Navy Department on June 1, 1943, the Silk Screen Shop was the one and only such shop

in all the relocation centers. During the period of operation, the shop produced well over \$100,000 worth of work--based upon estimated minimum retail values.

Productions of the shop, including US Navy posters and general center work, have been rated as "professional jobs." The shop always commanded respect for the high standard and efficiency maintained in creating and producing its — continued on page 3 —

PIONEER POTPOURRI

by ROY YOSHIDA

WHITE MAN'S COUNTRY

ON LAST JAN. 18 and 19, some hoodlums employing terror tactics tried to drive out the Doi family who had returned to their home in Auburn, Calif., from this center. This was the first of series of serious open outbreak against the returning evacuees, and it was severely censured by the high state government officials.

Through diligent efforts of the state and local law enforcement officers, the four culprits were arrested and charged with illegal use of dynamite and arson. Two of them, brothers, were a.w.o.l. soldiers.

THIS WEEK three of the four men who were tried on double charges were set scotfree on charges of arson by a jury of five men and seven women, after a six-day trial. That is certainly a disappointing, if not shocking, news for those contemplating return to California.

That none of us expected them to be severely and properly punished because of the peculiar circumstances involved was a foregone conclusion. But all of us expected some sort of punishment to be meted to uphold justice. That such was not the case gives the whole affair a pungent odor.

In asking for an acquittal, it was reported a counsel for the defense said, "This is a white man's country." The counsel also contended that the Army training was responsible for the soldiers' display of hatred.

Surely a jury of law-abiding men and women sworn to uphold justice were not swayed by a lawyer shouting, "This is a white man's country." Neither could they accept the cock-eyed statement that the Army training was responsible for the soldiers' display of hatred.

Then how could a jury put a couple of a.w.o.l. soldiers on the back while the United States' polyglot Army is fighting and dying overseas, not for "This is a white man's country," but for "THIS IS AN AMERICAN'S COUNTRY."

Furthermore, just what had happened to the perspective of the jurors that they should give a "backdoor" approval to such acts of terrorism? Will this set a precedent whereby future apprehended terrorists may go free by having their counsels shout, "This is a white man's country?" Will this outcome give less "brave" hoodlums more "courage" to go "Jap-hunting?" CERTAINLY this means that the officers of the law along the Coast must be ever vigilant and more zealous of their duties to protect returnee rights.

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POEM RECEIVES GI OVATION

On June 3, 1943, Miss Frances Angermayer, receptionist in a Kansas City physicians' office, wrote a poem called 'Conversion'. It is a poem telling of a soldier saying his first prayer--in a foxhole under fire.

A copy was found, not long after it was first published in a Catholic publication, on the body of a dead American GI in Italy, and since then it has spread to the four corners of the world. It is estimated that some 6,000,000 copies have been circulated.

But more important to the shy Kansas City poetess is the response to the poem by the servicemen for whom she wrote it.

CONVERSION

Look, God, I have never spoken to you--
But now--I want to say "How do you do."
You see, God, they told me you didn't exist--

And like a fool--I believed all of this.

Last night from a shell hole I saw your sky--

I figured right then they had told me a lie.

Had I taken time to see the things you made,

I'd know they weren't calling a spade a spade.

I wonder, God, if you'd shake my hand,
Somehow--I feel that you will understand.

Funny--I had to come to this hellish place,

Before I had the time to see your face.

Well, I guess the hell isn't much more to say,

But I'm sure glad, God, I met you today.

I guess the "zero hour" will soon be here,

But I'm not afraid since I know you're near.

The signal--well, God--I'll have to go.

I like you lots--this I want you to know--

Look, now--this will be a horrible fight--

Who knows--I may come to your house tonight--

Though I wasn't friendly with you before,

I wonder, God--if you'd wait at your door--

Look--I'm crying! Mel--shedding tears!

I wish I'd known you these many years--

Well, I will have to go now, God--goodby.

Strange--since I met You--I'm not afraid to die.

--FRANCES ANGERMAYER.

ARMY BOMBER TO DROP PAPER BOMBS HERE

To boost the 7th War Loan Drive, the state director of the drive has planned and the Civil Aeronautics Administration has arranged for an Army bomber to fly over Amache on Sunday, May 13, and drop paper bombs containing leaflets for the 7th War Loan Drive, according to James G. Lindley, project director.

This bomber will also hover over Lamar, Granada and other towns in this vicinity.

RECOVERING

Pvt. Yoshinobu Taniguchi, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Yasujiro Taniguchi, 9H-2F, was an "at home" casualty recently when he was injured during the course of his basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla. He is recuperating in the army hospital.

Local Nisei Is Prisoner

Pvt. Victor Akimoto, 26, once reported as missing in action, is a prisoner of war in Germany, according to a letter received from him by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Masanori Akimoto, 11G-10A, this week. He was reported missing in France on Oct. 23, 1944.

Private Akimoto volunteered for service from Los Angeles on Jan. 26, 1942, and trained at Camp Shelby, Miss., before going overseas with the 442nd Infantry. His brother, Pfc. John Akimoto, was killed in action in Italy on Aug. 2, 1944.

CORRECTION

The PIONEER regrets the error in April 25 issue in mis-spelling the name of one of the Amache servicemen who was reported wounded in action.

It should have been Pvt. Harvey Chick Furuyo, and not Furuya.

YOKOHAMA BANK AFFAIRS PLACED IN LIQUIDATION

The affairs of the Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., with headquarters in San Francisco and branch in Los Angeles, have been placed in liquidation in accordance with the California State Bank Act.

All persons, firms and

GREAT LAKES AREA BOOKLET

CLEVELAND -- A 15-page booklet dealing with resettlement assistance and community services in the Great Lakes area has been released to various center relocation program officers, it was announced by the local area office.

The informative booklet which should be of interest to all evacuees is divided into 10 sections, among which are health, financial assistance, legal aid, service to war wives, housing and recreation.

Actual cases illustrate each section. The identity of the person receiving assistance in each case is concealed to keep the personal nature of the cases confidential.

A Japanese translation of this booklet is being prepared and will be distributed to center relocation offices very shortly.

ON COMMENTS

The second installment of the WRA comments on the 21 recommendations posed by the All-Center Conference will be found on page 6 of this issue.

CASUALTIES

— continued from page 1 — Calif., in June, 1941, and received his training at Camp Shelby, Miss., before going overseas with the 442nd Infantry.

Pvt. Kamoki Morita, native of Merced, Calif., joined the Army through induction on April 22, 1944, from this center and trained at Camp Blanding, Fla., prior to going overseas with the 442nd Infantry.

corporations who have any claim or claims against the Yokohama Specie Bank or against any property of any character owned or held by the bank, must present claims in English writing for amount due and owing by the bank. Forms for this purpose may be secured by writing to the State Banking Department, 111 Sutter street, San Francisco, or 215 West Sixth street, Los Angeles.

All claims must be verified and filed by the claimant, or his duly assigned agent at the office of the bank with which the transaction is involved.

Claims directed to the San Francisco office should be addressed:

Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., in liquidation, c/o State Banking Dept., 111 Sutter street.

Claims directed to the Los Angeles office should be addressed:

Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., in liquidation, c/o State Banking Dept., 215 West Sixth street.

To participate in the first distribution made, the claims must be filed at the respective office of the bank on or before Oct. 1, 1945.

UNDESIRABLE

When the Yolo (Calif.) county board of supervisors were notified of the intended return of an elderly Japanese couple to the Rumsey district (near Woodland), Chairman Wolland Naismith declared Japanese should be discouraged in their plans to return to California.

Miss Winifred Rydor of the WRA met with the board and explained the workings of her agency.

SILK SCREEN SHOP

— continued from page 1 — work.

Over a hundred former evacuee shop workers, after completing training at the local institution, have relocated and obtained employment in silk screen shops outside, added Miss Campbell.

TRI-DELTS

"DANCING IN THE DARK"

tonite 7:30 THE RUBY HAMIL couples

MOVIES

TONIGHT

7:00 p.m.--8E Mess hall
7:45 p.m.--6E Mess hall
(Ladies Courageous)

TOMORROW

7:00 p.m.--12F Mess hall
7:45 p.m.--11G Mess hall

MONDAY

7:00 p.m.--9H Mess hall
7:45 p.m.--9L Mess hall

TUESDAY

No Movies

"Ladies Courageous," a story of the Women's Air Ferry Service and their efforts to become a part of the Army Air Force, starts its regular run tonight. Loretta Young and Geraldine Fitzgerald star in this film interspersed with love interest and entanglements.

PERSONNEL PX AT NEW PLACE

The appointed personnel PX, formerly Post Exchange, opened for business at its new location at the former staff recreation hall, according to Joseph Donnegan, general manager. It is being operated by the newly organized Anache Employees' club for the benefit of the military and appointed personnel and evacuees who work in the administrative area.

The PX will remain open from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 9 p.m. on working days. And from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Sundays.

Coffee and sandwiches will be served at all hours, stated Donnegan.

NISEI VETERAN RECEIVES BUSINESS VENTURE OFFER

Pvt. Koo Ito, nisei hero who lost his right leg in the Italian action last July 4, has returned to an Army hospital in Battle Creek, Mich., after a month's convalescent leave in Long Beach, Calif.

HOSTEL TO AID BOSTON AREA RESETTLERS

A hostel will be opened in Boston, located at 6 Walnut street, on May 1 to accommodate evacuees relocating to the New England area, announced Edward Cahill, chairman of the governing board. While it is designed to meet the needs of family groups, there will be ample facilities for all comers, he added.

Roger B. Clapp, area WRA supervisor in Boston, has actively cooperated with the board and the hospitality committee in making this new project possible.

Rates will be 60 cents a night, while children under 15 will be charged 30 cents a night. For the present no meals will be served, but kitchen facilities are available for those desiring to use them.

HAWAII SCHOOL IS LIQUIDATED

HONOLULU - The oldest Japanese language school outside of Japan was officially liquidated and the Japanese Central Institute has turned over its real estate and assets valued at \$125,000 to the Hawaiian Veterans' Memorial Fund.

Reading about Private Ito in the Long Beach newspaper, a businessman contacted the veteran and, remembering that he had worked in a florist shop, offered to put up enough money to establish a florist business of his own.

A demonstration of how returning nisei soldiers will be received occurred when Ito accompanied Raymond Booth, relocation officer, to a meeting of the Southgate Rotary club. Booth addressed the group on the WRA program, while Private Ito participated in the question and answer period. Just before the meeting adjourned the attitude of the Rotarians was demonstrated spontaneously when a Rotary member leaped to his feet and called for "Three cheers and a tiger for Private Ito!"

VISITING SOLDIERS

Pfc. Harry T. Nakabe, Camp Carson, Colo.; Pfc. Carl Kawamoto, Ft. Knox, Ky.; Pvts. Mac Tsujimoto, Tony M. Hayashi, Camp Blanding, Fla.; Pfc. Hideo Shimose, Camp Boss, Calif.; 2nd Lieut. Noboru Tashiro, AAF Hq., Washington, DC.; Pfc. Calvin Sakamoto, Ft. Snelling, Minn.

church briefs

Rev. R. Hashiwa will deliver a sermon at the YBA service tomorrow morning, 10 o'clock, at 7G Buddhist church.

"To Live With The Truth" will be Unosuke Karatsu's sermon topic at the Seicho-No-Iye meeting tomorrow night, 7 o'clock, at 9H recreation hall.

BIRTHS:

To Mr. and Mrs. William Matsumoto, 12G-6D, a girl. April 23.

To Mr. and Mrs. Takeo Yotsuya, 11E-4D, a boy, April 25.

SUPPORT THE SEVENTH
WAR LOAN DRIVE

CHURCH SERVICES SUNDAY

Event	Time	Place
BUDDHIST		
Sunday school	8:30 a.m.	7G, 12G
YBA service	10:00 a.m.	7C
Adult service	2:00 p.m.	7G, 12G
SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST		
Young People's Bible class	7:00 p.m.	9H
SEICHO-NO-IYE		
Service	7:00 p.m.	9H
PROTESTANT		
Sunday school	8:45 a.m.	8H, 9H
English service	10:15 a.m.	8H
Youth fellowship	6:30 p.m.	6G
NICHIREN		
Service	9:00 a.m.	11H
CATHOLIC		
Mass	9:00 a.m.	7F
Benediction and Prayers	10:00 a.m.	7F
Catechism for children	10:30 a.m.	7F
Confessions	4:00 p.m. (Saturday)	7F

RELOCATION INVESTIGATE FIRE, VANDALISM

Masaaki Kambayashi, Denver, Colo., April 22.

Jinkichi Tagawa, Chicago, Ill., April 24.

Sadaichi Kawawaki, Chicago, Ill., April 24.

Alice, Tom and Louise Dote, Orem, Utah, April 24.

George M. Takakura, Denver, Colo., April 24.

Tetsuo Namba, Lamar, Colo., April 24.

Yoshiaki Katagiri, Los Angeles, Calif., April 25.

Shizu Fukuyama, Los Angeles, Calif., April 25.

Yasuji Yuwasa, Chicago, Ill., April 25.

Hisako Yamashita, Chicago, Ill., April 25.

Shikanosuke Frank Dote, Orem, Utah, April 25.

Grace M., Seiji and Setsuko Odama, Rocky Ford, Colo., April 26.

Yasuko and Hisako Morikawa, Denver, Colo., April 26.

Mumeyo Sumida, Colorado Springs, Colo., April 26.

Agnes and Phillip Nishikawa, Sterling, Idaho, April 26.

Nobuko and Kazuma Hayaashi, Chicago, Ill., April 27.

James Y. Ichikawa, Gill, Colo., April 27.

James Kajioka, Denver, Colo., April 27.

Ken Akutagawa, Colorado Springs, Colo., April 27.

Nisuke and Yoshi Niizawa, Longmont, Colo., April 28.

Hiyohachi Uyeda, Fruita, Colo., April 28.

Sam Nozawa, Denver, Colo., April 29.

Kayo and Edna Nimura, Denver, Colo., April 29.

Sally Muranaga, Bridgeton, N.J., April 30.

Yoshiko Oda, Chicago, Ill., April 30.

Kiyo (Shimoda), Los Angeles, Calif., April 30.

Rokutaro and Shigeo Nakamura, Woodland, Calif., April 30.

Ken Yasaki, King Hill, Idaho, April 30.

Tenyo S. Yasaki, King Hill, Idaho, April 30.

Shika Yasaki, King Hill, Idaho, April 30.

Nobuzo Mori, Chicago, Ill., May 1.

Jyutaru Yoshida, Granada, Colo., May 1.

Hideyoshi Kawakami, Granada, Colo., May 1.

Sakiko Noguchi, Walla

ELECTED INTO HONOR SOCIETY

Seventeen senior and junior students were recently elected into the National Honor Society.

The senior members are Fumi Sotomura, Eddie Kubota, Kenji Yamaga, Toshiko Sakamoto, Namiye Kinoshita, Mits Sumada, Shig Hamaoka, Pat Aketa, Audrey Nakabe, Mitsue Iwata and Eunice Kumagai.

The junior members are Roy Matamiya, Rumi Tonai, Mary Oda, Cookie Takano, Masashi Itano and Joannie Nakamura.

COMING GAMES

THIS AFTERNOON: (1 o'clock)

Kuris vs. 12F Ramblers

Seinans vs. 8F Lobos

TOMORROW AFTERNOON:

(1 o'clock)

Co-op vs. 9H'ers

Kuris vs. Ghouls

MONDAY NIGHT:

Alpha Kappa vs. 8F Lobos

TUESDAY NIGHT:

Cabies vs. Kuris

SOFTBALL RESULTS

Behind a two hit pitching performance by Tad Sugimoto, the Alpha Kappas slashed the Cabies, 7-1, last Wednesday night.

Last inning rally by the never-say-die Co-op ten fell short by one run as the Seinans eked out a close 11-10 victory last Thursday night.

ON VACATION

Jack G. Bohon, finance officer, is spending his annual leave at Colorado Springs, according to William McP. Fuller, assistant project director.

Walla, Wash., May 1.

Harry Kida, Denver, Colo., May 1.

Kichiro and Naono Matsumura, Greeley, Colo., May 1.

Shigeki Tadokura, Los Angeles, Calif., May 1.

Kikumatsu Kishi, Los Angeles, Calif., May 1.

Haruzo Kiguchi, Los Angeles, Calif., May 1.

Shigeto Yoshimune, Los Angeles, Calif., May 1.

Isami Okada, Chicago, Ill., May 1.

Morihei Furuya, Chicago, Ill., May 1.

SAN JOSE--The Military Intelligence officials have investigated the fire at the property of Tetsuhiko Okida, 610 N. Fifth Street, according to City Fire Marshal William Ogden. Ogden said the fire was not of incendiary origin.

The Army representatives also sought information on the recent smashing of a window in a building owned by Tosh Taketa, who returned recently to San Jose.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS

The primary grades of the elementary school will present a May Day program in the high school auditorium this Thursday afternoon, 2 o'clock, revealed Dr. Enoch Dumas, principal.

Choral renditions, tumbling acts and a maypole dance will highlight the program.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Parent-Teachers association will sponsor a tea party in honor of all the employees of the elementary school this afternoon, 2:30 o'clock, at the Hospitality House.

All PTA members are urged to attend.



NEW YORK:

A caretaker and a stenotypist for the Council of Churches in Buffalo and Erie county. Wages: for caretaker, \$1500 a year, plus house with heat, electricity and water; for stenotypist, \$85-\$100 a month, depend on experience. CALIFORNIA:

A stenographer, \$130 a month for five-day week, seven hours a day. The International Institute in Oakland.

Pharmacist with California license, \$235 a month, 48 hour week. University hospital, San Francisco.

The learning of art of making fine ceramics is being offered in form of a job opportunity in a small plant in Claremont, Calif. Interested persons should write to R. P. Benthie, 421 Sequoia, Pasadena, 2, Calif.

SECOND INSTALLMENT

COMMENTS ON PROPOSALS TO JEALOUSY

Following is the second of series of the three abridged installments on the comments made by the WRA on the 21 recommendations proposed by the All-Center Conference at Salt Lake City last February:

8. Continue operation of evacuee property office for duration.

WRA plans operation of the evacuee property offices on the West Coast until April 2, 1946. All relocating or returning evacuees are given 60 days (after leaving center) to remove their property from WRA warehouses. In emergency cases, extension will be granted through application to appropriate field office, but in no case beyond April 2, 1946.

9. Reinduct into centers relocatees who are unable to make satisfactory adjustments.

Relocated evacuees are permitted two visits to centers (totaling not more than 30 days) without securing advance approval, which should largely alleviate the problem.

WRA is not prepared to reinduct as regular center residents those who left the center on indefinite leaves. Resettlement Assistance Program is organized and has funds to relieve the problems of those who meet adverse circumstances.

MORE HOSTELS

10. Arrange for or establish hostels in various areas; build new housing through FHA.

Every effort is being made to establish hostels in the major West Coast cities, as well as in rest of the country. As part of this effort, WRA is making available under loan basis surplus WRA equipment, such as cots, mattresses and kitchen utensils, to approved hostels on the West Coast.

In addition, WRA is constantly working on the housing problems from a number of other angles.

11. Provide door-to-door transportation of evacuee property.

Because of large number of deliveries that would

be involved, and the limited WRA personnel available, it is feared that provision of door-to-door transportation of evacuee property may become a serious bottleneck in the relocation program and an inconvenience to resettlers. WRA believes the whole program would move more rapidly if evacuees made their own arrangements for picking up property at the nearest railroad and have it delivered to their homes. In cases where an evacuee needs money to pay for the trucking service, application should be made to an appropriate welfare agency for a special grant to cover this item.

12. Negotiate for the establishment of old people's home exclusively for persons of Japanese ancestry.

WRA believes it will be possible, through old age assistance and other types of public assistance, to provide adequate care for needy evacuees without the necessity of establishing an old people's home.

CIVIL SERVICE

13. Make negotiations to arrange (1) so that evacuees formerly civil service employees will be duly reinstituted and (2) so that persons of Japanese ancestry will be able to secure business licenses as formerly.

Evacuees seeking civil service employment reinstatement (either state or local) and those wishing to obtain business licenses should apply directly to the appropriate agency. If any undue difficulties are experienced, the case should be reported in detail to nearest WRA field office, which will make every effort to work out a satisfactory solution.

14. Change short-term leave regulations to permit an absence of two months, with one month extension privilege. Permit an evacuee investigating relocation possibilities to become employed, without change of status.

Such a change is tantamount to reinstituting the seasonal leave program

Petty jealousy and economic rivalry were blamed as causes for the circulation of petition signed by 91 persons to discourage the migration of Japanese Americans into the Nebraska's rich Platte River valley, according to Miss Prudence Ross of the North Central (Midwest) area relocation office.

The self-styled leaders, few disgruntled citizens of Shelton and vicinity, attempted to inflame their neighbors with fears of an extensive Japanese colonization scheme in the valley. They circulated the petition erroneously informing the area residents that six nisei families were already living on the Lippincott farm and 12 more would arrive soon. Actually there were only two families and one single man on the farm, stated Miss Ross.

under another name. WRA is convinced that such would not be feasible at this stage of the relocation program.

WRA policy grants an additional 30-day short-term leave in cases where more time is actually needed. If an individual on short-term leave accepts employment, he does not lose any financial or other assistance which WRA provides for him and his family. If employment is taken, the individual automatically enters the status of terminal (indefinite) departure.

15. Make every effort to release frozen assets (blocked accounts), both individuals and organizations.

Evacuees who have been cleared by the War Department for return to their former homes stand an excellent chance of regaining their frozen assets or blocked accounts. It is suggested that those whose funds are frozen or blocked to take their problems to the project attorney and secure his assistance in preparing applications for clearance and his advice on clearance and licensing procedures.

(To be continued)

ホステルの仕事は大きい
漸次改良されつつある


車中で一夜も明かし
エバグリーンホステルで一泊
洗心で四晩桜府の美
以教会ホステルで一寝ソル
トレキ市で初めてホステ
ルに一泊した一行は殊行
の半分は車中で夜を
明した食事は実に下


世界情勢

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グアム廿四日、沖縄

高上に於ける米軍進
撃で、日軍の反撃は
猛烈を極むと、ミッ
ンゲ敦廿三日、聯合
軍の先登として、露
軍伯林へ入城、市内
半分を占領すと報ず。

倫敦廿三日トテ
一總統は組織的抵抗
を中止セリラ戦の命
令を放送セリ。


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 沖繩で米糧十五隻撃沈
 すると、ニミツ司令官發表

規則であつたので、身体

に不調を見たのも事
実一行中に三名の區
長さんあり、こうしてわ
ずには働く努力に感謝
日つゝ自令に導かれ
て廻る、急しい旅では
あつたが、得る所の多
かつた事を感謝する
旅行記みたようなもの
を書きつゞけよう
が何等とりどころない

エバグリーン

羅府の天クリンホホテル
は、天クリン街にあり、ブル
クリン街より二軒目の唐
荘を三階建て、立派な家
具を揃へた大懇接間、
喫煙室、七名を宿せ
せしめ得るルームを設備
し、食堂には十数個の
圓テーブルがあり、京教

学校の寄宿舎の食堂に
も似て閑靜なるもので
ある。主任には日本に長
い間傳道したと云ふ、ロ
ーズ嬢(元媛)をして幸
田牧師支配人としては倍
仰に生きた天野元虎あつ
て、かれは所に手の届く
か如く熱心活動してゐる。
宿泊料は二食つき金一
兩と規定されてゐる。

洗心ホステル

羅府洗心ホステルはイ
マナー通りに近い廿六

プレイスにあつて、ブルワ
ター開教師の下に布哇
の派本願寺開教總長
故今村憲猛師の御曹
子今村寛猛師が主任
で竹本君が支配してゐ
るが、とても家庭的で
住み心地がよい。三十人
までの收容力があると
云ふ。吾等一行は四晩泊
つて了つた。

櫻府ホテル

按府の〇街の美以故
会ホステルは大類質成

が主任、ヘリー、武田、辯護士の助力を得て經營してゐるが、今の処泊る、大漸次整頓さうとてあらふが、よく世結してゐるものは事實であるが記者は罵詔雑言の婦人が入つて、もう少し家庭的の暖味を加へる必要を思つた。宿泊料、食料、草をなくて五十仙、葉を町淋しい礪山の村河、山谷を渡り越えて廿二日サデー午後八時三十九百七十二哩の自動車の旅を終る事に

終つてセンダーに納まる。同窓六名に代つて旅行す。柳好意を寄せうれし方々に感謝の言を表す。終に所氏に要請したい事は視察の爲、ホテルに世話になる場合、レキシスタンの發給を願つて持参する事である。

映 画 之 文		今 晚	
シ ン ダ ー	セ ン ダ ー	セ ン ダ ー	セ ン ダ ー
七時	七時	七時	七時
七時五分	七時五分	七時五分	七時五分
9L 9H	11G 12F	6E 8E	

タナより大羅府へ
如州に入った、禿
頭の山にも色があ
るに青味が溢れ、
美しい、しかも快晴
である。一行の顔も輝

ナタ”より大羅府へ

ラ加州に入った、先
グ頭山にも色があ
野にも青味が溢れ、心
は美しい、そして快晴
である。一行の顔も輝
ばしく見える。同胞
十年努力の血と汗と時
に築いた地盤。加州
見る記者は快を覚ゆ
河一流で斯うまで達
ふアリゾナと加州と

の土壤の色、路傍の草
花はキレイに咲いてる
「お前達が日本人と
知つてゐたうタイヤ
をバストしてやろんだつた
此の一言をニードルスカ
ら少し離れた、一ガスリン
ステーションで所主であ
る一白人の口から放
たれ、これや加州の我
々に對する空氣は悪
いぞとの印象を受け
た事を、こゝに書かね

はなうめを讀讀に思ひ
た、でもバナナマの如く、
変る野と山、加州は肥
沃の地であるの感を
深くする。OEの前區
長武井氏夫妻の住むバ
サデナを右に見てロスア
ンゼルスに十三日午後四
時すぎ入つた、ハイウー
の兩側はキレイなオ
レンジが枝も折れよと
ばかりに收穫の手を
待つてゐる、桃の花、そ

町に入りエバクリンホヌ
テルに着いたのが四時半
三十四時間晝夜ぶつと
ほじの旅にぐつたりし
た一行は天野支配人の
心づくしに感謝しつつ
甘味しく羅府WR
A主任ブース氏夫妻と
夕食を共にした。そして
同夜はブース氏と大庭
間で数時間に亘つて食
談したのは大きな收獲で

あつた。
書き送れたが羅府に
入らんとする三時廿分
頃ロズベルト大統領の
死をラザオで知つた
のは旅行中の大きな
出来事であつた。

負傷兵數待さる

西歐の戦線で足脚を
失つた四三聯隊の兵
士が素と共にボス
トン転住所からサンダー

バラの軍事工場と親
密した所、就業者は萬
成を三噓して敬意を
表したと WRA 南加
總取締ロバートソンは語
り、按府ホスチルの大領實
氏は此處より狂達かう
めメリスジュールベラン
病院より六名の負傷
兵(布哇瑞達待機中)は
狩洞と動かし折しも開
会中の州議會に紹介
されたと言つた。

一般民衆の感情は良好なるも
住宅難の深刻さを痛感する

入居者一夜エバケリ
永に於て W R A 羅
府及南東住課長ア
イス氏と懇談左の如き
概観を得た。

(一) 家屋問題は難色濃
く総人口の約一割は
家屋敷に比して入り
通てゐる。墨入の如
きは戦前約七万五千
と云はれてゐたのに
現在十七万五千に
増加してゐる。後次
第で地は推して知る
べしである。

尚所有家屋を入す
る場合の手続として
所有者は豫め立退要
求通知をテナントに
送らねばならぬ。其の理
由は此の通知を受け
たテナントは其の旨
O P A 拘束統制局に
報告する。此の場合テ

ナントは優先権を興
へうれん右記の手續
を履行しない者より
早く借家し得る事と
なつてゐる。故である。
尚置居るものも借家
の如きは殆ど皆無の
状態である。

(二) 日系人に対する興
輸は戦前よりも良好で
ある。支店に凡ゆる再
度より大衆の費を答
へ日系人に対する意
情の緩和を漸く認識
を深める。様々金の勢
力を押してゐる。即ち
此島人朝鮮人支那人
其他一般米人間に治
勢に既に幾度か彼等
の會合に余自ら出席
して其善導に努めて
来たが其結果は善々と
好評の一途を辿つた。

羅府市長バヤロン氏は
W R A の方針に協同
し租税警官五名を任命
して日系人の保護に
仕向ふ問題の善化に
働いてゐる。
尚支店に教會學校其
他の團體に對し郡市
當局援助の下に斷々
ざる運動を續けてゐる。
合衆國植民シエリフ等
も羅府警察と共に日
系人の保護に支店と
協同してゐる。尚支店
は商業會議所等へも運
動し日系人の再建を
援助する方針である。

(三) 職業方面に關しては
支店間難以米日とも浅
い事として今迄充分な
職業情報に至らず。得
ないが既に單獨
工場民間工場其他各
方面に親睦を取り辨
別中に付き著々と日
系人の就職に援助し
得る事と信ずる。

要は前記の如き職場
に就働する場合必ず
普及局を通じて就職
する事である。斯くす
れば假りに何事か起
つた場合支店に於て
之を處理するに便宜

農家は卒先して帰還し
体験の腕を振ふ可きである

四月十二日午後四時
半懷しの郡監府入を
三行は翌十三日午前北
時支店アードウチー
三一倉西大平洋ビル
W R A 支店にバール
ロバトソン局長を訪問
来意を告ぐるやロ氏
は一行遠来の勞を多し
し二時間に亘り暖々
と左の如き情報報を
物語つた。

で本人及び雇主の爲に
も便宜とする所が多い
と思惟する。キニイ
ルミニウム會社に起つ
た事件の如きは再び
繰返さぬ方が自他共
に得策である。

は開設以來排日的傾
向の濃重なる南加州
に於て予不足下らも密
に孤軍奮闘最善の努
力を注ぎ來つた結果
日系人排撃の聲は次
第に雲散霧消しつゝ
ある現状である。
詳細は昨夜アース
リ聴取された事と思ふ
ので省略するが當局
は著々と各機關に整
備し通材を登揚して
W R A の方針進行に
邁進し以て日系人の
帰還即ち南加州への再
転任に極力援助を与
へる心算である。

ニ農産界方面に於て
は一層一層ある。
即ち卸市場方面に於
てはアメリカカンリー
と稱する團體が組織
され W G レーが急先
鋒となりそれにセル
両市場の既設團體並
に排日的色彩の濃き
提算が躍りつゝ盛に
日系人帰還不許可運
走見せて居り更に A
ドレテムススターニ
オンはクロスドシヨ
プの方針を採擇して
日系人從業員援助の
門戸を開鎖してゐる
現状である。併し乍
ら余は斯かる難關も
何れは打開さるゝ事
と信じてゐる。(次号)

拾ひもの
一 金巻に黒石入ペン
一 簡便な F 事
務所(照会)
一 度タバコ入賣リク
在中 80 60 聖明報
會、又月村師へ、

追悼會御禮
改米同定軍曹儀イ
リマ戦線に於て奮
戦の途程月六日不
敵死仕候既して昨
七日(金)午後七時
76 傳教會堂に於て
追悼會執行の際に
同中御祭列の榮を
賜り且つ御丁重に
扱ひ御祭を奉ふし
芳情洵に有難く
御禮申上候。
b f o c

四月廿八日 米同次市
母 米同シカ
三男 義雄
四男 英雄
五男 照天
三女 富子
四女 愛子
女婿井上正雄
同妻 初子
女婿原田四郎
同妻 操
親族友人同
席知各位

岡ハリー君訣別

全米的にセンセーシブな事を起して聖林在郷軍人團に加入した今次大戦の帰還勇士である岡ハリー君は遂に如何なる理由に於て左の如き悲劇なる訣別の辞を残して同軍人團より去るに至った。

「私の如きアメリカ人は加州在郷軍人團に欲してゐないのだ」

當所松本家の息

シヨシ君への手紙

安は貴男の御両親が当地に帰還すると聞い

て驚きおした。当地の日

系人に対する空気が

相像以上に嫌悪です。

帰郷事を止す方が賢

明な策と思ひます。

土地は高價で取引さ

れてゐます。所有の不動

産を此の隙全部賣却

して外の新で安全な

住宅を求められる様
か進めします。要はこ
んな意のニュースを貴
男に知らせるべくあり
ませんが申上げずに
居られませんか。

シヨシ君

「ソノエリナリ

羅府で働いてゐる

田島金子両家給

排斥の気分が程々動
ない十五のオチチナの
口で四野はあつた。

吾子三郎(同)

唐津文子

貴男が十二月七日の再渡
の買傷を知れば皮
肉にも貴男の戦死の
報のあつた五日のう
でした。勿論英韓の手
紙は買傷の電報より
早く来ましたがそれ
にはかこつて有り
ましたね。

又けがをししました
か以前の様に一寸の怪

人被害はケルコと一世を
恐れてゐる。

×此島人の深層をへ行
つたが何人の事件をし
とのなへ行つても親
切であるがイタリヤ人
は一世を和意にする
×WRAの働きが足り
ないと思ふ。

×黒人とジョーエとでも好
意を持つてゐる。メキ
シコ人は日本人を知
つてゐる者はOK、日本
人を知らぬ黒人の子供

我々すから御安心下
さい。丁度怪我をする
前にお母様の手紙載
きました。有難う。貴男
兄氣でせう。わが子供達
け家来のこと。学校の成
績がよいと聞くと僕
は非常に嬉しい。いつも
子供達の事を考へて居
ります。今年よりスミス
は何れ出ることは出
来ないが此處(病院)を
出たら何か送りますよ。
お父様は元氣で働いて

に悪口を云はれた事
がある。

×羅府には日系の法律
家が入居を願つた。
×中古自動車は手に入
るが昨三年度の四割
五十万のの見出し自分
達は都合よく二百七十
万拂つた。

×米と醤油が不足から
帰還者に注意す。

×自分等はこうして、ガ
ーデナーをやつてゐる
が次々と仕事口を、ふ

ゐます。貴男兄にも
Aが来たさうです。わ
外にいつでも居られ
たらいいが、お母様兄
から手紙が来ます。
早く戦争が済むとよ
い。お母様兄に此處に
来る様になるか。今う
ない。僕も帰りたい。な
りました。又手紙送つ
下さい。お待ちして居
ります。貴様によろしく

十月七日
三郎

御母様

ヤシして、後から帰つ
て来り。もう一世に漸
次に口を獲つてやる
積せざる。何等経験を
得たぬがやつて見れ
ば面白いと二人は交々
語つた。

因に両氏、当地報に
掲載所にあつたのである。

聖書

○早天祈祷會 午前六時
7H 8K 10E 2H

何と云ふ優しい手紙
でせう。こちらでは戦地
の貴男をどんなにか
皆心配してゐるのに
貴男は却つてこちら
のことを心配してゐま
したうね。

再度の買傷を定めし
帰り度く思つたでせう。
それから十八日の手紙で
は胸の破片も摘出して
ないし左の腕も未だ
ルとの様に利かない
がとにかく元氣に帰つ

○聖書研究會 午前七時
主の祈禱 聖書 聖歌 祈禱

○聯合祈禱會 午前九時半
題「眞實の福音」 聖歌 祈禱

○同夕祈禱會 午後七時
和歌 祈禱

○祈禱會 五月(夏夜)
午後七時
聖歌 祈禱 聖書 祈禱

○北教會の苦悶 祈禱

セブスデー教會

○安息日學校
大人部 午前九時
小人部 午前二時

たと云つて来たので
隊に帰される位なら
余程よく立つたに違
いないと皆で安心し
たことでした。悲し
さ、うすうす頃又
々貴男が十二月廿日に
出した手紙が来まし
たので又涙を新しく
しました。

お母様

此の前の九日英韓の手
紙を送りましたが又書
くと思ひました。貴様

○安息日禮拜 午前七時
永遠の基督 祈禱 聖歌

○家庭禮拜 午後七時

病院で求人

×光線部(助手)習得
好キヤンヌ。

×連記者衛生課に
三看護婦助手。

×四掃除人男女いづれ
でも結構。

右各一名至急入用。

Y X X X X

け元氣でせう。僕は元
氣です。心配しな
い下さい。

全日本總の流行歌を
習つて居ます。僕が得
意な歌は「天那の夜」
「ブルの夜」からと一
つ名は知りませんが
とてもよい唄です。此
の唄は斯ういふです。
淋しく今日も春は行
き夕日は遠く海はけ
て花はゆがふ。探さず
波間にさけけ。貴様