

STAR DUSTING

WITH
BO NAKAMURA

Ah.. It's spring in Walerga. We could feel the lloving effect of the ttle breeze sweeping through the barrack walls. It is about this time on year, we like to roll our sleeves, cock our os at the rafters reflectively, and write something impressive.

Yes. It is spring. In Hayashi's little garden patch of green beans, and the swoosh of a sweet young thing in a pair of dazzling red slacks are enough to convince us that it is truly spring in Walerga.

IT'S ALL YOURS.. The paper is your paper, and we know it is far from being perfect, that with in limitation improvemont can be made. This is your chance to help us give you what you want.

We enjoy putting out the paper and we feel that the best interests of the Center are best served by the publication.

Although the space on these pages are decidedly limited, and out of our personal ego, we like to reserve a small section of this sheet for our漫游 scratches, we like to have your contributions and divergent opinions.

We are not interested as we remonstrated in the previous issue, in selfish partisian or sectional consideration but only to serve for the good of the Center as a whole.

Now again, we urge you to assist us by submitting your ideas, bounties or paper to us. This is your paper just as much as it is ours.

WE GOT A NAME!

Our bi-weekly now has been officially named "WALERGA WASP". The name was ingeniously conceived by Tovi Paine, Service supervisor, who thought that Wasp was appropriate in that the tabloid had a sting.

Other names submitted were "WALERGA INDEPENDENCE", "WALERGA BLURB", "SCANDAL SHEET", "WALERGA STAR", "TOP OF THE WORLD", "SHANGRI-LA", "PRIDE OF WALERGA".

Mr. Paine's contribution was selected by the editorial staff for its ingenuity and originality.

OFFICIAL BI-WEEKLY

WALERGA

WASP

THE NEWSPAPER WITH A STING

No. 2 WALERGA ASSEMBLY CENTER May 13, Wednesday

800 EXPECTED AT CENTER 13TH

ESTIMATED 850, FORMING THE FIRST OF THE MAIN BODY OF EVACUEES FROM S. CARMEN WILL ARRIVE AT THE CENTER WEDNESDAY, MAY 13. S. CARMEN WITH ITS JAPANESE POPULATION OF 3700 WILL BE ENTIRELY CLEARED BY SAT. MAY 16. EDNESDAY EVACUEES WILL PROBABLY FILL BLOCK 7, AND

MASS MEETING

Planning for unity and cooperation, Dr. Iki, supt. of hospitals, asked for volunteer helpers to work in mess rooms and washrooms at the mass meeting Sunday afternoon May 10.

"Let us serve as examples to the incoming evacuees and show initiative", said Dr. Iki. "Let us not shirk from disgraceable task. Latrine must be cleaned and messroom must be attended to, bearing in mind that it is all for common good. Let us do things without being asked or assig

FIRST MOTHER'S DAY

The first Mother's day in Walerga was highlighted by an inspiring Sunday morning sermon delivered by Dr. Henry Tyler, prof. of Bayoko, Sac'to J.C. Introduced by F. Iwana, director of Japanese Christian Center, Dr. Tyler spoke before over 150 residents in the Walerga meeting hall.

"The challenge is before you now," said Dr. Tyler. "By evacuating, you are entering the service of our country.

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rest will be occupied accordingly. About 825 are expected on Thursday and about 1650 on Friday. On Sat. the remaining 400 will be inducted.

According to Dr. George Iki, superintendent of hospitals, all evacuees will be inoculated with typhoid injections and vaccinated with small pox serum.

Report to the hospital on Wednesday evacuees will be and Thursday evacuees on Friday.

FIRE EN

Joseph Okamoto, assist. fire warden, asked for ten stalwart volunteer firemen. Signup will be taken by Okamoto or leave your name at the information office.

Men who are on the pay-roll and are not particularly busy are encouraged to help in the kitchen with the girls (Need we say more? - editor)

SPORTS

Young boys under 18 are forming a soft ball league, it was revealed by S. Hayash recreation leader.

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Thanks to Goro Kenyon, ranger of the Center, and the editorial staff for making the continuation of The Wasp possible.

RUSTIC CORNER

by ARTHUR T. HORIMITSU

To those of us who eagerly looked out of the crowded bus to our new homes in large, the first sight of the long, low buildings looming over the rolling grass horizon, aroused many thoughts in our mind.

For some of us the camp was symbolical of the final act of our evacuation: loss of job, business, home, and separation from friends, schoolmates and neighbors. But for a great many of us, the camp was the end of most of our current worries; the humiliation of obeying the curfew, the uncertainty of where to go, what to bring, and how to transport our belongings. True in camp we will be confined within the extent of its boundaries, but aside from that we are virtually free.

Any problems that arises must be solved among ourselves in the democratic way, the only way we know and want. The federal government has already voiced its confidence in our ability to maintain the same spirit. Dissension within ourselves is the first wedge driven into our morale.

It may seem unjust that we are confined in camps while they fight for freedom. But the kindly treatment we are receiving from fed. representatives; the vast preparation they have made to keep us occupied at the work we are most fitted for, certainly indicates that the govt. is doing its utmost to make our stay here in large as comfortable as it is possible under the circumstances. We have the making of a wonderful camp, perhaps the best in the state. But it will depend on you, and me, all of us.

GRIPES BOX

Is your athlete's foot bothering you? Does your girl friend write to strange men outside of camp? Does the baby next door cry too much? Is the soup too salty? Are you griped about something, anything? Then send in your gripes to the Gripe Box.

Dear Editor: My father complained that the Japanese section is too inadequate and he is not getting his money's worth.

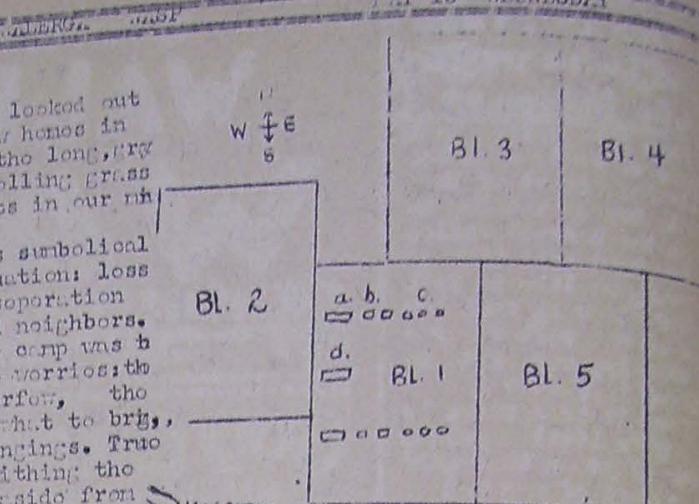
H.U.

Heretofore the Japanese section will be increased to a whole page. Efficiency is our motto--editor

Dear Editor: I am itching to go to a shin-dig. I think it is the best way to get acquainted and raise morale. Why don't we have a piano donated?

S.I.

A social under Kiki Ryugo was given Monday night, May 11.



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ENTRANCE CONTRIBUTION

Walter Tsukamoto donated a sum of five (5) dollars to the recreation center. Shizue Hayashi, recreation leader, expressed gratification.

TO CHANGE RESIDENCE

Div. of Mess and Lodging asked the Residents of the Center not to change residence not to change without filing an application at the information desk.

If the request is to move another block, approval of both new and old block warden.

FRONT DOOR LIGHTS

The night watchman has requested that all front door lights be kept burning after dark.

DR. TYLER (cont.)

You will suffer hardships but you must also remember that there are thousands of fellow Americans in army camps, who are sharing your burden of separation from homes and families."

J.C. students who stayed in school until May 8 will receive credits. Several J.C. instructors have expressed their willingness to teach classes in camp if enough students enroll.

NOTE

Residents of Arboga Center in laundry village are disturbed nightly by "ka", in other word, mosquitos.

Japanese Section on next page by I. Ichi ruya ma

