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Music Concert Dated Tonight

Climaxing their spring quarter's work, the boys' senior glee club of Tri-State high school will appear this evening in a colorful and varied program of chorus and solo numbers.

The concert, which is scheduled for 8 (Cont. on page 3)

More Nisei May Aid War Effort With Expansion Of Camp Savage

THOSE WITH "ANY KNOWLEDGE OF JAPANESE" ELIGIBLE

The Army has announced a plan in line with the Total War effort whereby the nisei will be given an opportunity to participate actively in the national defense effort by utilizing most effectively the special abili-

ties possessed by them. This plan embraces the expansion of the school at Savage by recruiting patriotic nisei from the various centers for training and was instituted by the authorities with the object of aiding

the nisei to find their place in American society. The loyalty of nisei which had become a burning question with Japan's attack on Pearl Harbor, finally resulted in their evacuation from the Pacific Coast states, a situation undreamed of by the nisei but which was necessitated by the exigencies of the military situation.

However, the unquestionable loyalty of the nisei was recognized by the authorities in due time and in rapid succession (Cont. on page 3)

PAY, T'KEEPING RULES CHANGED

Changes in the payroll and time-keeping procedures put into effect as a result of teletypes from Washington received at Tule Lake Relocation Center within the last few months have been incorporated in an Administrative Instruction released by WRA on June 10.

The instruction states that any worker absent for more than three days must secure a doctor's certificate and limits sick leave to fifteen days for any one illness.

Outside workers, except those paid on a part-time basis, who report for duty and in the judgment of the division head are unable to work because of weather conditions, will be given authorized absence for the day and will be paid for such time, but workers excused for reasons other than illness

PAPER STAND OPEN THURS.

To sell newspapers only, the newspaper stand will be open on Thursday afternoon from 1-4 p.m., it was announced.

or bad weather will be given "leave without pay" and will not be paid for such time.

The instruction also provides that evacuees inducted into the Army may receive money payments for overtime worked before their departure from the

center; in all other instances overtime must be taken in compensatory leave.

To insure that correct daily time records are being kept, the instruction authorizes the Finance Section to make periodic audits.

LAST DAY FOR SCRIP USE; TO BE REDEEMED FROM JULY 1

Co-op management requests that those who still have unused scrip use them not later than Wednesday, June 30.

The scrips will be honored on the above date at all canteens, barber

shop, beauty parlor, newstand, radio and watch shops.

However, if any scrip is not used after June 30, they will be redeemed for cash at Warehouse 351 only, from July 1 to 15.

Graves Visitor On Project

Mr. Wilson S. Graves of the Kansas City Relocation office arrived on the Project yesterday. Mr. Graves will be at the Placement office to confer with anyone interested in jobs at Kansas City.

Cold Spell Damages Potato Crop

The recent severe cold spell has damaged the potato crop considerably on the Tule Lake Project farm. Authorities here claim an estimated damage of at least 25% of the yieldage.

There was also a slight damage to the peas, but with the warm weather coming on, a regain of the loss is anticipated.

All other crops are growing exceedingly well and the crops as a whole,

will promise a big year, it was reported.

Today, another step has been taken to increase the productive efforts of the farm as four new vegetables are now being planted. They are: cabbage, broccoli, cauliflower and brussel sprouts.

It was added that everyone on the farm is busy, but a definite farm labor shortage is arising. Much additional help is needed,

particularly in the irrigating, cultivating, planting and hoeing of the vegetables. The farm division is making an urgent call for the women of the Project to assist in this vital cause.

Special transportation will be provided for the new recruits. Any women who wishes to work should contact Mr. Fagan at the Placement office or the Farm Labor office at 708.

"SUPERMAN" FINDS ACTION AT RELOCATION CENTER

Clark Kent, alias Superman, and Lois Lane, well-known reporters of the famed "Superman" comic strip, have received as their next assignment, the task of finding out just what goes on inside a "typical Jap Relocation Camp where alien Japs, as well as American citizens of Japanese ancestry have been sent after being evacuated from the West Coast and elsewhere."

This new adventure started Monday, June 28, in the San Francisco Chronicle and Oregonian, as well as in the other papers throughout the nation who carry "Superman" in their comic sections.

In Monday's episode, after being assigned to the job, Mr. Kent and Miss Lane are seen with a Major Munsey, who is to be their guide, in front of a "camp" (showing a background of a high wire fence and a MP holding a rifle on guard). The conversation runs as follows:

Major Munsey--You will note that while armed soldiers guard the camp, the relocation center's internal affairs are run by civilians and representatives of the interned Japanese themselves.

Clark Kent--A more than reasonable set-up.

The next panel shows the three inside the camp and the Major says, "The Japanese here have their own schools...their own newspapers. We provide them with worthwhile work projects, for, as you know, idle hands breed mischief."

The final panel has the following conversation:

Major Munsey--Our main difficulty is that loyal Americans of Jap ancestry are indiscriminately mingled with enemy sympathizers who would be glad to sabotage our national welfare at the first opportunity. It's a delicate and difficult situation. Our government has done all but lean over backwards in its desire to be humane and fair.

Lois Lane--You've done a marvelous piece of work here. The Jap government should have absolutely no excuse for not showing their prisoners of war as much consideration.

Girls Feted At Camp Shelby

CAMP SHELBY, Miss., June 29, 1943--News notes from the Japanese-American Combat Team in training here:

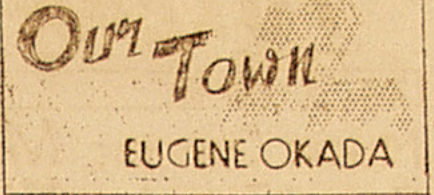
The second enlisted men's dance and week-end entertainment program for 86 nisei girls from the Jerome and Rohwer Relocation Centers last Saturday and Sunday was even more successful than the first which was held May 1. Chaperoned by a half dozen matrons and officials from the two centers, the girls came to Camp Shelby in three buses and were lodged overnight on the post.

The Saturday night dance was the most colorful ever seen at Service Club No. 5. The grand march was led by the Commanding Officer Col. C.W. Pence and Mrs. Pence. Miss Mary Kishiuye from Jerome led the girls' line. The girls wore lei two or three deep given to them by their dancing partners and also were the recipients of souvenir gifts and programs. On Sunday the girls attended open air church services, had noon mess in the various companies, and attended an afternoon open house dance also at the Service Club.

Clark Kent--(Muttering to himself) "--Trouble ahead--."

And there is trouble brewing in Tuesday's episode as it shows some evacuees distributing smuggled guns and they speak about making a break.

As usual Superman puts his super-vision to work and from then on the story reaches the fantastic stage. From now on Superman can give the evacuees and the relocation camps good or bad publicity as the case may be.



THE TSO, ...local counterpart of the USO, was finally rewarded in their continuous and unselfish effort to make the soldiers feel at home. Their reception in honor of the visiting soldiers, largely from Camp Savage, was highly successful. The program which was held jointly with the Parent of Nisei Soldiers organization was attended by about 25 men in uniform and a few hundred parents and friends. Approximately \$100 was donated to the TSO and Parent of Nisei Soldiers groups by the appreciative audience.

Orchids to Mrs. Sada Murayama and the TSO and also to the parents' organization for their splendid work. And, of course, the many hostesses should be given their due credit too.

WHILE WE READ

...of Poston's 100 degree heat wave, we still find ourselves burning coal in our stoves. 'Tis said that it's so hot down there that they dig holes under their barracks and lie lazily on dampened sheets. And to think we're still having rain. Perhaps it's better to have rain rather than a blazing heat. It might be added that the Dies Committee was surprised at the torrid heat and congested facilities of Poston.

DISPATCH OFFICE

...underwent a white-washing procedure last Saturday afternoon with all the staff members grabbing a brush and splattering the paint, not only on the walls, but on the floor and their faces and clothes as well.

Now, more than ever before, the DISPATCH office takes on an appearance of a business establishment. Were the many ex-Dispatchers ever to come back for a visit, they'd most certainly be surprised at every little detail of our office.

SOCIAL Whirl fumi

FIVE STARS

...for nurse's aides, Mary Iwata and Alice Nakashima both of Block 29. These two girls were fettered with a party recently by the block people as a token of appreciation for serving the community ever faithfully and unselfishly. They have been employed at the Base Hospital since July, 1942.

MISS MYRTLE WARREN

...a teacher of McCarver Intermediate School in Tacoma, Washington, has been visiting her former Tacoma pupils and friends here in the Project over the week-end.

Receptions were held in her honor at 5820 on Sunday afternoon and 5720 in the evening.

She is still on the Project.

YOUTHFUL COUPLE

...June Yamashita and Koji Kuwada repeated marriage vows last Saturday night, June 26, with Rev-

erend Sasaki officiating. The bride looking very demure in a smartly tailored black suit wore a contrasting gardenia corsage. She is formerly from Clarksburg while Koji is a former Sacramentan.

The reception was held at 3120. The baishakunins were Mr. and Mrs. Tambara, and Mr. and Mrs. Akahashi.

The newly-wed couple have made their new home at 3107-B.

JUNE BRIDE

...Toshiye Nishimoto was married to Minokichi Shimokon with Rev. Hirabayashi officiating the ceremony. The bride is a former resident of Penryn, Calif., and the groom is from Tacoma, Washington.

The wedding reception was later held at 4620.

CPL. JESSE MIYAO

...was honored by Block 10 with a farewell party last Monday, June 28.

TO INSTRUCT HANDICAPPED

Mrs. Yasu Takagi, artificial flower instructor, will teach handicapped persons everyday except Sunday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at building 2115-A, Grace Hosokawa, Floral Arts director, announced.

Registration will be taken at 2115-A on Thursday, July 1, from 9 a.m.

MUSIC PROGRAM DATED TONIGHT

(Continued from page 1) o'clock at building 901, is a benefit for the Tri-State Scholarship Fund and is the first of a series of entertainments planned by students, faculty, and friends of the high school to help raise funds for scholarships to send Tri-State graduates on to college.

Charley Morita was general chairman, and June Yamada was refreshment chairman.

To Expand Savage So More Nisei May Enter

(Continued from page 1) many plans endorsing this recognition of their loyalty and invaluableness in the war effort were activated, such as the formation of the Nisei Combat team and, presently, their employment in war industries. Thus at this time, the school at Savage, Minnesota, which trains Japanese language personnel will expand in order to enroll all nisei who have any knowledge of Japanese and give them the opportunity to serve their country.

With the spread of war to the Pacific, the nisei graduates of the school are fulfilling an indispensable position as specialist personnel in the Army in every sector of the Pacific war front, from the hot, humid jungles of the tropics to the cold, bleak isles of the north. With the prolongation of the war, the demand for nisei technicians on every front has greatly increased due to the conspicuous contribution they have made where-

ever they have gone, and as an inevitable result, this demand has called for a rapid expansion of the school.

Naturally, due to the nature of their work, the efforts of the nisei technicians on the front have not been publicized. Nevertheless their splendid efforts to pave the way for the American citizens of Japanese ancestry have been such as to warrant reports of a nisei private being recommended for a commission as officer in the U.S. Army. The nisei soldiers on the front have not only made an enviable record of achievements and built a solid foundation for the future, but also at the same time they are laying the ground work for generations to come. Furthermore, they are demonstrating by action that they are an essential element of American society.

The U.S.A. is at the present engaged in a Total War, at this time of unprecedented crisis,

fighting for her very own life. And for this purpose she has mobilized all available manpower and material resources at her command. The time is now here when all men who claim birth in America, regardless of race, color, or creed, must arise to defend her either on the battle front or the production front. The nisei are charged with the mission of playing their part at this time of national peril by effectively and wholeheartedly utilizing their peculiar and special talent in the Japanese tongue.

In achieving this end the nisei are serving their nation most effectively as specialist personnel on graduation from the school. The nisei's course of action in this present crisis will decide the future of the American citizen of Japanese ancestry. It is ardently hoped that not only the nisei themselves, but their parents will give this their most careful consideration.

SPOTLIGHT

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ELIMINATION GAMES SET FOR WARD PLAYOFFS

Elimination schedule for the Ward Softball All-Star Teams have been revealed by the drawings of respective managers.

First round playoffs are slated on July 2 and the semi-finals on the following day, July 3rd. The finals will be played on July 5 and not the 4th as stated before. All games will start at 6:45 p.m.

July 2: Ward I vs Ward II on Field 17-26; Ward VII vs Ward V on Field 12-13; and Ward IV vs Ward III on Field 21-22. Ward VI drew a bye.

July 3--Semi Finals: Winner of Wards I and II vs Ward VI on Field 17-26; Winner of Wards VII and V vs winner of Wards IV and III on Field 21-22.

July 5: Championship finals will be played on Field 17-26.

Industrial Teams Play 3rd Round

Old Men Industrial Softball League is well under way with the teams Johnny Walker, #4 Spuds and Ten-Hi on the no-lost list.

With close games being played, many changes in standings are yet to be expected.

	W	L	PCT.
Johnny Walker	3	0	1.000
#4 Spuds	3	0	1.000
Ten-Hi	3	0	1.000
3 Stars	2	1	.666
No. 4 Flushers	1	1	.500

GOLFERS HOLD FIRST MEETING

The Tule Lake Golf Club held their first meeting last Saturday. With over 45 paid members already registered, some 25 more are expected.

Full support is requested from the members together with the help of the Recreation Department in cutting of fairway, oiling putting ground, and also the planning of future tournament.

Golf enthusiasts wishing to join are requested to contact: Ward 1, Fred Ogura, 1505-D; Ward 2, T. Matsuda, Blk. 39; Ward 3, Y. Hitomi, 3514-A; Ward 4, T. Obana, 807-C; Ward 5, F. Yamasaki, Blk. 45; Ward 6, K. Yamano, 5807-D; Ward 7, Z. Shimoishimaru, 6914-B.

Nominal fee of 25¢ will be assessed.

Bottle-Necks	1	2	.333
Wd. II Toppers	1	2	.333
Esquire	0	2	.000
Blocks 7-8	0	3	.000
68 Old Timers	0	3	.000

RESULTS

Block 46--5, #4 Spuds--11
 Ten-Hi---14, Old Timers-9
 3 Stars---4, Block 46---3
 J.Walker-26, Blocks 7&8-9
 Flushers-10, Btle.Necks-5
 Blocks 7&8-1, Ten-Hi-----2

LEADING HITTERS

The leading batters of the three top teams are as follows:

	#4 Spuds	PCT.
Sam Kawahata300
Harry Okusako444
Ten-Hi		
George Yasui700
Roy Onge571
Kaz Kimura571
Johnny Walker		
Joe Fujinaka777
H. Furukawa600
F. M. Furukawa545
Ken Nakao500
Joe Yamamoto500

TO HONOR FORMER MEMBER

BARBELL EXHIBITION HELD

A special Barbell Exhibition Contest was held recently in honor of a former active member of the Club, Cpl. Harry Iida, who also participated in the match.

Americk Ishikawa and Ronney Sakogawa were the judges of the contest.

TULE LAKE BARBELL EXHIBITION CONTEST

	Class	Press	Snatch	C. & J.	Total
Kimbow Suzuki	123	142	138	172	452
Akira Mizoguchi	132	122	132	182	436
Woody Kobayashi	148	122	122	162	406
Nob Shimoda	148	142	148	192	482
Carlos Fujikawa	148	132	148	208	488
Harry Iida	148	172	162	202	536
Shimao Miyamoto	148	152	162	222	536

FEMS. JUNIOR SKED FOR FRI.

T. Flashies vs *Sparklers
 Jr. League vs *All Shots
 Bee Liners vs *Rookies.
 Cal. Juniors vs *Sockettes

OLD MEN ALL-STAR LEAGUE TO BEGIN

The Old Men All-Star League will begin on July 5th with the following schedule released.

Block 22 vs 37, Block 10 vs 6, Block 51 vs 19, Block 28 vs 24, Block 42 vs 13, Block 12 vs 38, Block 25 vs 44, Block 26 vs 40, and Block 23 vs 39.

Underscored team is home field.

Jr. Girls' League Stds.

TEAMS	W	L	PCT.
Rookies	4	1	.800
All Shots	4	1	.800
T. Flashies	3	1	.750
Bee Liners	2	1	.666
Cal. Jr.	2	2	.500
Jr. League	1	3	.600
Sockettes	1	4	.250
Sparklers	0	4	.000

RESULTS

All Shots-10, Sparklers-5
 Cal. Jrs.-15, Flashies-10
 Rookies---23, Sockettes-3

PEE WEE LEAGUE STDS.

	W	L	PCT.
Fighting Tigers	1	0	1.000
Avalon Babes	1	0	1.000
Block 42	1	0	1.000
Half-Pints	1	0	1.000
Pirate Jrs.	1	0	1.000
Avalon Jrs.	0	1	.000
Pacer Babes	0	1	.000
Cardinals	0	1	.000
Tiger Cubs	0	1	.000
Rangers	0	1	.000

RESULTS

F. Tigers---7, Avalon Jrs-4
 Block 42--12, Rangers---1
 Half-Pints-3, Cardinals-2
 Pirates Jrs-3, Pacer Babes-2
 Av. Babes--21, T. Cubs---20