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OVER 400 ENROLL FOR HIGH SCHOOL, ADULT COURSES

Over 400 registered for high school and adult classes which are now offered by the Education Department to those who wish for self-improvement.

Classes are being offered in the following courses: Spanish, French, German, Italian; special English, English composition, English literature; piano, music appreciation, choir, voice, orchestra; art; general science, biology, earth formation, physics, physiology; costume designing, interior decoration, shorthand and mathematics.

Classes will be held in the study hall and in barracks in Block 1 during the day and night. These classes will be taught by the following under the supervision of Grayce Kaneda:

Barry Saiki, Jerry Aikawa, Louis Shima, John Fujita, Joe Kubota, Hidemaru Sugimoto, Shigetaka Arao, Toshio Kaneda, Sachiko Ishida, Katsuto Takei, Rose Sakata, Kay Kaneda and Rose Sano.

AIR RAID WARDENS MEET 'TIME IS IMPORTANT' SAYS COLLARD TO 74 VOLUNTEERS

"Get the message to every person in your block. Time is important.", grimly warned E. W. Collard, Chief Air Raid Warden for the San Joaquin County, addressing a meeting of 74 voluntary Air Raid Wardens of the Stockton Assembly Center Monday afternoon at the grandstand. "It may never happen; it may happen tomorrow; it may even happen tonight. With the type of building we have here, we are most concerned with the danger of fire."



From Omaha, Nebraska, hails 43-year-old Roland B. Frost, the friendly Chief of Personal Accounts, married, and father of two sons. He was formerly the Finance Officer of the WPA for this area.

INCENDIARY BOMBS

Flourishing a wooden model of an incendiary bomb, Collard declared that the incendiary bombs, composed of an inner core of thermite and an outer casing of magnesium, are dropped from planes in sticks--10 bombs to each stick--about every 60 feet.

MILITARY OBJECTIVE

Since the center is located near a military objective, the air field, bombs aimed at the air field may fall in the center.

He said that the first move after an incendiary bomb falls through a building is to get the occupants out. The next move is to control the fire. He mentioned the two methods of controlling incendiary bombs--by sand and by a fine spray of water, which makes the bomb burn faster.

DON'T USE CHEMICALS

He also emphatically stated not to dump a bucket of water on a bomb, since the bomb will then explode and spread the fire. Then again, chemicals should not be used on incendiary bomb, because the combination of the chemical and the bomb will produce carbon monoxide, a poisonous gas.

"There is another type (Continued on Page 2)

COMPULSORY!

Many of the Center Residents have not as yet received their first typhoid injections which are by regulations compulsory.

Dr. Kanagawa, head of the medical staff, requested that since typhoid shots are for their own good, these persons should appear at the hospital tomorrow.

Publicity for Puddville PANCHO FOR PRESIDENT

Pancho, the pet of the El Joaquin staff, wants publicity!!!

Who is this lovable

character with a toothy grin and a cheerful countenance? Where did the staff find him?

He is just Pancho--Pancho, the pixilated, provocative, pert and per-lite pancake-face, from the pastures of Puddville. No, he wasn't left over from the last County Fair. Like Topsy he "jist grewed".

Little Pancho represents the spirit of the Center. He is Patient, Active and Neighborly, Courteous, slap-Happy and Orderly. He has a terrific dislike for hash.

He resides in the corner of the El Joaquin press room. Females, please do not rush!!!



El Joaquin

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EDITORIAL

Many conscientious groups are working for the welfare of our community and among them, the ones especially to be commended are the messhall units. Doing the hottest and the most disagreeable tasks, they have borne the brunt of criticisms coming from unfair individuals.

About a week ago, the cooks held a meeting in order to obtain better ratings and improved work conditions. The talk of mass resignation arose, a clear-headed member pointed out to them the consequence of such a move. The result was that despite their feelings, they all reported back to work the next morning.

We are glad that the last few days have brought many changes helpful to the mess crews, such as free working shirts and aprons and better ratings. Their cooperation, despite their personal beliefs, is one worthy of respect from all of our Center residents.

25 MORE LEAVE FOR IDAHO

Twenty-five additional men, comprising the second group of Stockton Assembly Center beet workers, left for Shelley, Idaho, last Saturday morning to join their fellow evacuees.

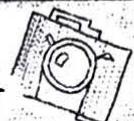
The men, hired by the Idaho-Utah Sugar Company, will be assigned to beet work in various parts of Idaho.

(Continued from Page 1) of incendiary, the English calling card, which is composed of a piece of phosphorus held between two sheets of paper. When the papers are wet, the sheets are not inflammable. But as soon as the papers are dried, the phosphorus will react to start a fire. "Water will quickly extinguish this type of incendiary", commented Collard.

Collard concluded the meeting with a suggestion that all wardens contact and explain to each person on their block the dangers and the prevention of fire by incendiary bombs. The date for the next meeting was tentatively set for 9:45 a.m., Friday.

CANDID CLOSE-UPS

by CANDY PAT



Wot's in a name?

Spirit with a capital S prevails in the assembly atmosphere....dull, monotonous rows of barracks slowly transform into more home-like appearances....house signs go up....rock gardens vie for attraction...by far the most progressive and most original is Block 6.

Tops is BEVERLY COURT between Barracks 6-112 and 6-113...we wonder where the hedges came from?.....in BEVERLY COURT is WALDORF ASTORIA with this caption: "Thru this portal pass the most beautiful girls in the camp. Girls enter at own risk."...under this is the sign, LADIES...methinks bachelors live at ASTORIA....6-113-C is SUT-HUT, a clever twist of words....6-112-B is HELL'S KITCHEN....Also in Block 6 is PACIFIC GARDENS between 115-116....6-115-B is adorned with the name NEW STAR....

There's a SHIMA'S SHANTY in Block 7....7-132-C is (hold your hat!): BAGDAD TELEBU100, and the SAME to

CENTER CINEMA

Jack McFarland, Supervisor of Recreation for the Center, announced today that the following films will be shown:

Wednesday...2 p.m. & 7 p.m.

"Glimpses of Texas",

"Big Game and the Nat'l Forests".

Thursday.....4 p.m.

"Wonders of the World",

a 45-minute travel picture.

Friday.....2 p.m. & 7 p.m.

"Wonders of the World".

Saturday.....1 p.m.

"Wonders of the World".

Will be run as many times as necessary.

BARRACK INSPECTION BEGINS SOON

"Barrack inspection will begin this week starting with Block 1," announced Mr. Harold Mundell.

Inspection will be made weekly with a few hours' advance notice.

The apartment is to be opened and a responsible member of each family must be present.

YOU...7-136-C is simply K.in Block 2-Candy saw this welcome, JUST CALL... Beware! there's a KILLER'S LANE between 5-92 and 5-93PARK AVENUE runs east and west along Block 6.... 6-101-D is appropriately called WOLFE'S DEN...Block 8 boasts an ITO AVENUE with a CLUB HOUSE....

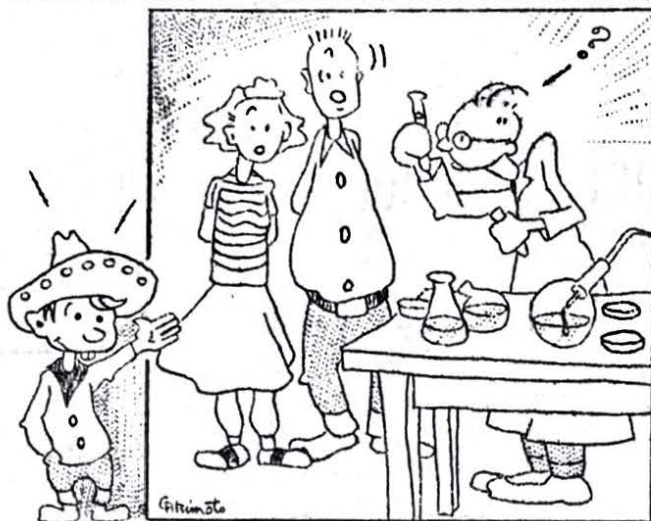
In Block 1 is BACHELORS' COVE with the sign, MEN, underneath it. Are you thinking what I'm thinking?...

Bzz...bzz...

Wot did one bumble bee say to another bumble bee?Confidentially, the Walerga Wasp stings!!.... For the information of the Center-ites, the Walerga Assembly (that's near Sacramento, y'a dope!) has a rag called the Walerga Wasp...

POPULATION DECREASES

The population of the Stockton Assembly Center is now 4,150 - 125 less than the time prior to the departure of the beet workers.



To be or not to be!

Concerning today's cartoon: Little Pancho will present in all seriousness, a series of cartoons portraying the five fatal steps toward matrimony in the Center.

1st step: Medical examination at the hospital at least a week before applying for the license.

SCOUTS COORDINATE ACTIVITIES; MEMBERSHIP SHOWS INCREASE

Scouting activities are progressing rapidly with the organization of a new group and an increase in membership.

New members of Troop 91 are Dale Tomota, Haruo Matsumoto, Mikiie Yoshimoto, Tom Nishima, Jimmie Sakoi, Michihiro Kikumura, Mitsuo Takahashi and Herbert Shironaka.

CUBS ORGANIZED

Jack Furukawa and Shig Ohata have organized the Cub division of Troop 91, whose members are Edward Hiramoto, Shoken Sasaki, Tadao Matsumoto, Toshiaki Tamura, Kazuo Hayashi, Jerry Yoshimoto and Atsushi Ishida.

TROOP 31

Troop 31 with 10 members meets every Wednesday at 2 p.m. Takeshi Kubota is Scoutmaster.

Former members of Troop 19 are aiding John Shimakawa, Scoutmaster, in reorganizing the troop within the Center. Three patrols have been assembled under the supervision of

PANCHO DELIVERS AGAIN!

Born to:

Mr. & Mrs. Earl Harano
Mr. & Mrs. Minoru Okubo
Mr. & Mrs. Tom Tautami
Mr. & Mrs. Frank Tanihara
Mr. & Mrs. Hisao Matsuo

Ass't Scoutmaster George Akimoto and Senior Patrol Leader Norman Shimakawa.

Silver—where?

Are you a collector? According to reports from the messhalls, there are some rabid hobbyists who collect silver(?) ware, cups, and plates.

Due to the shortage of such items, they are requested to give up their hobby for the duration and return the borrowed kitchenware.

TRANSFER POSSIBLE

That Center residents can transfer under special conditions to another center will be made possible by the management.

Cases of those who wish to join the family or an invalid parent will be given due consideration, according to Mr. Harold Mundell.

FOR THE PUBLIC— A HAVEN, THE LIBRARY

Head Librarian Ken Hasegawa urges all "bookworms" to come and read, as books, books, and more books are coming in weekly from the Stockton Public Library. There are already approximately seven to eight hundred books, including fiction and non-fiction; also, magazines of all kinds such as Life, Red Book, Good Housekeeping, Harpers, Time, News Week, Digests, Comics, etc.

The library is in the second story of the building just west of the Hospital. The hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m. daily including Sunday.

$$9-2=7-6=1$$

It all started when nine fellows made a bet that'll unglamour any glamour boy. The wager was that if one should shave his hatrack, the others must do likewise or pay a fine of \$15.

The nine was whittled to seven when two wives thought that the prospect of a bald spouse was not tolerable—they should have known better. However an egg did egg himself, and the flock followed with the exception of one....

Today that duckling is still debating: "to be or not to be 'b' or 'b'." (Bald or broke)

SCHOOL EXHIBIT SAT

The Center School will present a program and an exhibit this Saturday at 2:30 p.m. Children's works from the nursery through the eighth grade will be shown.

The school, which boasts of a daily attendance of over 400 pupils, is located at 1-13 and 16. Sixteen members make up the staff.

Parents and friends are cordially invited to attend the exhibit.

PAD OF BYE-N-BYE

WEDNESDAY:	3:00 p.m.	Dancing Class for BEGINNERS only!
	7:30 p.m.	Community Singing
THURSDAY:	9:00-11:00 a.m.	Homo Nursing
	2:00-4:00 p.m.	Homo Nursing
SATURDAY:	9:15-11:00 p.m.	"After Roll Call" Dance

All events to take place at the Education Ex. Hall.

RAINBOWS UPSET REDS BEARS & YANKS TRIUMPH, TOO

The infant American League softball struggle's first major upset occurred last Friday night when the inspired Rainbows released all their steam to knock out the heavily favored Reds 7-8. In what was supposed to have been a breather turned out to be a nightmare for the Reds, as James Hamasaki's bunch pushed across two runs in the final inning to squeeze them out.

Min Ogawasara hung up his third straight win as he led the Bears to a 12-8 victory over the Trojans. The win kept the Bears up on the top of the ladder with three wins and no defeat.

The Yankees kept pace with the Bears by coming through with a twin victory over the week end. They nosed out the Senators 6-5 and then breezed thru the Rainbows 34-15 on a terrific 34-hit bombardment.

After losing their third straight tilt to the classy Reds 6-18, the Kiwanis finally came to life Monday night to wreck the Bombers 28-17 in a wild game which saw them get up to the plate 24 times in the sixth inning.

The Bums cashed in on the Bombers' 12 errors to shellack them 23-6. Yo Moriwaki turned in a 6-hitter to help push the landslide for the Bums.

RESULTS:	R	H	E
KIWANIS.....	28	13	9
TROJANS.....	17	16	6
Batteries: G. Kagawa & K. Ohata; S. Toranishi & F. Mirikitani.			
ARISTOCRATS.....	17	19	5
TROJANS.....	8	10	2
Batteries: M. Nakai & J. Sakamoto; H. Hirose & T. Sato.			
BUMS.....	23	11	6
BOMBERS.....	6	6	12
Batteries: Y. Moriwaki & I. Nakamoto; S. Toranishi, D. Shimasaki & F. Mirikitani.			
REDS.....	18	12	3
KIWANIS.....	6	10	5
Batteries: G. Baba, M. Takeuchi & K. Hiramoto; G. Kagawa, I. Matsuo & K. Fujinaka.			
BEARS.....	12	7	2
TROJANS.....	8	6	7
Batteries: M. Ogawasara & B. Kitagawa; H. Hirose & T. Sato.			

Volleyball

The Bonchoomers, Hawaiians and Block 4 squads got off to a flying start in the Centor Volleyball League Sunday evening as they defeated Block 9, Block 8 and Block 3, respectively.

RESULTS:	
Bonchoomers.....	15 - 15
Block 9.....	2 - 7
Hawaiians.....	15 - 15
Block 8.....	6 - 6
Block 4.....	15 - 10 - 15
Block 3.....	10 - 15 - 8

MORE REC. DOINGS

Recreational department announced that a registration for those, especially the Issai, interested in participating in a Ronju, Shogi, and Go tournament will take place from Wednesday through Saturday at the Block 10 Moss Hall from 10-11 a.m. and 2-4 p.m. The tournament will commence on next Monday.

Also, make note of the opening of a Recreational Branch No. 2 at the west end of Block 10, where other activities such as ping pong, croquet, horse shoe, and other games are ready for the community's use. The place will be open daily from 9:00 a.m. till 8:30 p.m.

YANKS.....	34	27	5
RAINBOWS.....	11	15	10
Batteries: J. Iskida, T. Shironaka & S. Yamashita; Hari, Maeshiro & Manini.			
YANKS.....	6	5	3
SENATORS.....	5	4	3
Batteries: T. Shironaka & S. Yamashita; Ami Kawamura & G. Tomura.			
RAINBOWS.....	8	6	2
REDS.....	7	6	4
Batteries: Maeshiro & Manini; G. Baba, F. Ito & G. Horita.			

NATIONALS BEGIN SUNDAY CARDS, RAMBLERS WIN

Victorious in the opening games of the National League softball race last Sunday evening were Block 5 Cardinals and the Block 3 Ramblers.

The Cardinals had an easy time with the Block 6 Trojans as they whipped them 17-8, while the Block 2 Grapepickers were the victims of the Ramblers in a 12-8 affair.

RESULTS:	R	H	E
CARDINALS.....	17	19	1
TROJANS.....	8	12	2
Batt. A. Kune & N. Tanimoto			
D. Fujii & N. Shimakawa			
RAMBLERS.....	12	10	4
GRAPEPICKERS.....	8	9	7
Batt. D. Hiraoka & M. Fujioka			
M. Kiriu & L. Nagel			

How They Stand AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L
Bears.....	3	0
Yankees.....	3	0
Reds.....	2	1
Aristocrats.....	2	1
Senators.....	1	1
Rainbows.....	1	2
Trojans.....	1	2
Bums.....	1	2
Bombers.....	1	3
Kiwanis.....	1	3

GAMES TONIGHT	THUR. NITE
Senators vs Bums	Kiwanis vs Senators, &
FRI. NITE	Bears vs
Yanks vs Bombers and	Aristocrats
Trojans vs Reds	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L
Blk. 5 Cardinals....	1	0
Blk. 3 Ramblers.....	1	0
Blk. 2 Grapepickers..	0	1
Blk. 6 Spartans.....	0	1
Blk. 7 Hells Divers..	0	0
Blk. 8 Shangri-las..	0	0
Blk. 9 Giants.....	0	0
Peep-outs.....	0	0

GAMES TONIGHT:
Shangri-las vs Peep-outs
Ramblers vs Hells Divers
GAMES THURSDAY:
Grapepickers vs Spartans
GAMES FRIDAY:
Spartans vs Giants
ALL NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES
START AT 7:00 P.M.