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Since my arrival at this Project last Wednesday, we have received 2,063 new colonists from Sacramento and Marysville Centers. Naturally, we welcome these additional residents to our Project. They, as all other colonists become a part of an entirely new community which has sprung up in the midst of what was once an old lake bed and which within two months has been prepared for their arrival.

Within this particular city we are going to have all of the problems usually encountered in cities of an equal size. We expect that this city, as all other cities should be, will be conducted for the welfare and happiness of the residents. The extent to which this goal is reached will depend largely upon the individual efforts of every resident. It will, to a large degree, depend also on the extent to which effective cooperation between individuals and between residents and administrative officers is secured.

C. E. Rachford
Project Director

LEGAL AID SERVICE

To handle legal problems of all kinds, the Legal Assistance Service will soon open its office in room # 1808. The duties of the organization will be in the nature of judicial help is necessary. Situations which the service can not handle will be sent out of the colony into capable hands.

Henry Taketa, attorney from Sacramento and a recent arrival, has been named as one member of the staff, and more men will be added later.

FRANK FURUKAWA NAMED HEAD BLOCK MANAGERS

Frank Furukawa, manager of block 1607-D and erstwhile merchant for a produce company, was elected chairman of the block managers at a recent meeting of the group. Mr. Robert Ota, advance block manager, was elected secretary and is located in #619.

Nino new block managers who were appointed this week were also present. The new managers are: Nobuta Akahoshi, 2607-D; Ben Shoji Oshima, 2607-D; Frank Minoru Iwasaki, 2707-D; Peter Teumazo Osuga, 2807-D; George Totsura Sakai, 3007-D; Bill Tamura, 3007-D; Tadanori Ito, 3707-D; Jinzo Neda, 3907-D; and Soji Mita, 3907-D.

Special guest speakers for this meeting were Sam Friedman, Housing Superintendent; Arthur Stults, Head, Dining Management; Paul Flomming, Superintendent of Community Service; Don Eiberson, Associate Placement Officer; and Henry Taketa, attorney.

The next meeting of the block managers will be Friday, June 26.

IMPORTANT RECREATIONAL MEETING

For all those interested in recreational leadership and service, an important meeting will be held tomorrow at 1 p.m. in the Library.

The purpose of the meeting is to form a Recreational Association to handle and receive equipment and funds and to make decisions on various policies that may arise.

"Come get your data let's circulate"—at a regular Saturday night dance to be held from 8 to 10:30 in #720.

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EDITORIAL

HELLO SACRAMENTO—During the past week, many hundreds of you have come through these gates to become one of us. We are glad to have you. For with your induction, our culture, our knowledge increases that much more. We are in this thing together and we shall see this thing to a victorious end. May we find that in years to come, our association, we of Washington, Oregon, and California, has been enriching and a pleasant experience for all.

Some of you might resent the fact that I have used the word, our, in the above, but it wasn't meant that way. It was meant as you the new colonists from Walerga and us, the advance crews from Portland and Puyallup, and the rest of the Northwest together. For, surely, you must realize that this project is ours, you and all the rest that may come and us who are here. It is up to us whether this, the Tule Lake Relocation Center, becomes a Shangri-La or not. This camp is shooting for the stars to outdo Hilton's fantasy.

SURVEY—Among the many activities, the Northwesterners have activated are: baseball leagues, classes in various hobbies and courses, and the library. It is as much yours as it is for the people of the earlier contingents. In the very near future, recreational leaders under the direction of Ted Waller will call upon many of you to survey the available equipment and books for these and other activities. The purpose of such a survey is to help you, the new arrivals, get started as soon as possible in the various fields of recreation. Too, with such a survey, it will facilitate the blanketing of our present forms of athletics to cover as much of you as soon as possible.

NEWSPAPER—Among the other activities is the newspaper. To administer impartially the news and all the news fit to print, we need your cooperation. Thanking you in advance—Ed.
Landscaping and Gardening Now Underway

The plan for the Administration Building landscaping has been completed and designed by Tohzo Nishiseki, Architect, and John Tanaka, Draftsman. The actual work is now being supervised by the Construction Engineer and his crew of gardeners. The sprinkler system has been installed during the latter part of the week and the top soil of alluvial loam is now being surfaced for the final stages in the preparation of the lawn.

The lawn will be divided into three segments, two flanking the front walk and the third section, which will be semi-oval and containing a fountain and possibly a Christmas tree. The semi-oval one way drive, fourteen feet wide and approaching from the main entrance, will be laid in front of the Administration Building.

Low hedges will line the sidewalk approach to the entrance. Shrubbery and trees will be transplanted near the building.

The project is now being rushed to allow sufficient time for natural growth of the lawn and shrubs before the cold weather arrives.

Notice

Sunday breakfast will be served at the usual time, 7:00 a.m.

Notice

To the newcomers -- The recreational staff is making a survey of equipment and activities for recreational purposes and they would appreciate your kind cooperation in this regard.

Brush up on your English, enlarge your vocabulary, be able to express yourself both orally and in writing. Attend the English classes held every Monday and Wednesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:00 in #1603.

Mrs. E. L. Shirrell, wife of our Assistant Project Director will be the instructor. She will give individual attention to each person with the view of helping him in dealing with his particular problems and difficulties.

SCHEDULE FOR SUNDAY SERVICES

2:00 a.m. Sunday School for all ages. Mrs. Andrew Kuroda, superintendent, will be in charge. Will take place in Recreation Hall #408.

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10:30 a.m. English services to be held in #1708 with Rev. Warren as guest speaker.

2:00 p.m. Women's Society will meet in #508 with Rev. Warren in charge.

7:30 p.m. High School Youth Fellowship Meeting. To be held in #1708 with Mrs. E. L. Shirrell as the speaker.

7:30 p.m. Post-high school group meeting will be held in #508. Mr. Bob Ycaton will be the speaker.

Wednesday, June 24

7:30 p.m. Japanese prayer meeting will be led by Rev. A. Y. Kuroda in #508.

Church Practice to be Friday, June 26 at 8:30 p.m. in #2508.
Approximately fifty, very interested women attended the quilting class held Wednesday, June 17 in #508 under the supervision of Miss Chie Aoki.

The purpose of the class is three-fold: 1. to make friends, 2. to become skilled in the art of quilt-making, and 3. to give economic aid to the government by supplying quilts for the colonists. Because of the scarcity of wool, etc., the government would appreciate any substitutes. Later on as more quilts are made, they will be sold commercially to the general public.

Class will be held once a week on Wednesday from 2 p.m. until 4 p.m. in #508 as soon as materials are provided for by the government.

Among other things, the members will be taught how to make cotton into batts and how to make both the American and Japanese types of quilts.

As sewing machines are not available as yet, Miss Aoki states that she would appreciate having members who have them to bring their own.

Firemen's barracks are to be found in #601 for Fire House No. 1, and #3706 for Fire House No. 2.

**ANOTHER CANTINE TO OPEN**

Owing to the popularity of the main store, and the increasing population, a second temporary store has been authorized to open in building #2708. The opening day will depend largely on how soon materials are available but it is hoped that the store will be completed within two weeks.

Furnishings are now installing plumbing systems in the beauty parlor and the barber shop in #718.

Nurseries will be located in the following buildings: #1417, #5217, and in #1117.

Mr. Ichihashi hopes to start with an eleven piece band: 2 trumpets, a trombone, 5 saxophones, 2 tenors, 2 altos, a baritone, a pianist, a guitarist, and a drummer. "If a large band is impossible," he stated, "a small jam band will be organized."

Any able-bodied man not on duty is asked to cooperate with the planting of the potato crops. The government has already bought $20,000 worth of potato seeds that must be planted immediately.

Later on as more quilts are made, they will be sold commercially to the government and the public.

FARM LABORERS NEEDED
**Softball rules**

Softball rules governing all games are as follows: 1. Supervisor shall have complete charge of all games. 2. Games must be played at time scheduled with no delay. If game time must be changed, it can only be done through the captains concerned and the game staff. 3. All score sheets must be checked in at the Equipment Room. 4. Regular game will be 7 innings. 5. No baseball shoes or any shoes with metal cleats.

**STANDINGS**

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**SCHEDULE**

- **Men's**
  - June 20, field 3, 2:15: CLARKSBURG vs. Salem
  - June 21, field 3, 2:15: LONGVIEW vs. BELLINGHAM
  - June 22, field 1, 7:00: CLARKSBURG vs. SCRAMBS
  - June 22, field 1, 7:00: ORIONIAN vs. BELLEW-HAM
  - June 23, field 4, 7:00: SCRUBS vs. OLYMPIA

- **Girls'**
  - June 21, field 4, 3:45: BLOCK 18 vs. HASEGAWA
  - June 22, field 2, 7:00: YASTAK vs. BLOCK 6
  - June 23, field 4, 7:00: SALEM vs. SKAWAS

**Tennis**

First steps toward construction of colony tennis courts were taken at a meeting Thursday night with twenty people attending. Clay and cement courts were considered but it was decided that cement would be more durable and better able to stand the weather.

A committee of four, headed by co-chairman Lester Matsumoto and Jack Meyer, was selected to gather information on the building materials necessary to build one court.

With the growing number of new colonists a larger turnout is expected in future meetings.

**Backstop**

Most noticeable of any object on the main fire break is the backstop located near Fire Hall #1. This is the volunteer project of the fire department staff, and it is through their labor that will make hardball possible in the near future. The only thing needed to complete the stop now is screen wiring.

Praise should be given to the entire group for their work, and especially to Woodrow Shigoi, Kat Matsumoto, George Taka, and Fire Chief Ernest Rhodes.

Three additional softball fields have been laid out in the various fire breaks.
Time To Smile

Say, Fred. Do you file your fingernails.

I'll bet My Dad can beat your Dad.

No, I just cut them off and threw them away.

Our Man Friday:

Mr. Firestone
Mrs. Firestone
Junior

The Most Well Taken Cared Family In Tule Lake

Mr. Boss
President
ABC

Sucker