SANTA ANITA GROUP ARRIVES; TANFORAN CONTINGENT DELAYED

Five hundred and fifty former San Franciscans arrived Thursday from the Santa Anita Assembly Center and were settled in Blocks 33, 34 and part of 36, increasing the City's population to 75% residents. The majority of them were those who formed the first group to be evacuated from San Francisco.

The Tanforan workers' group, scheduled to arrive tomorrow, has been delayed until further notice, according to the Administration. They will remain to do emergency work, it was reported. Further details were not available.

The Santa Anita contingent left Arcadia Wednesday morning at 9 AM (PFT), and the first bus arrived here a little after 1 PM. Thursday. The arrivals first lunched at Dining Hall 34 and 35 before going through the induction process, which was carried out at the Block 42 induction center.

Among the group were 3 women 70 years old: Yasumine Inouye, Hiroshi Onishi, and Yutaka Yamada. The youngest Anitan was a 3-month-old baby.

The Anitans will be honored guests at tonight's (Saturday) dinner at Dining Hall 26. A new shipment of records has arrived and will be used on this occasion, which will be for couples only.

The Community Activities Section has scheduled a special rally for the group Sunday night from 7:30 PM at Dining Hall 34. During the first part of the evening, members of the administrative staff will be introduced to the newcomers by Charles E. Ernst, project director.

This will be followed by a program of informal entertainment, featuring the appearance of Glenn C. Cornwell, chief of the Employment and Housing Division, in his renditions of Irish ballads. Also on the program will be the Cossacks, of Tanforan fame, and other numbers.

EDUCATION

Visiting the City this week and assisting with the evolution of the educational curriculum is Robert E. Gibson, assistant director of education and recreation for the PEA. "From our viewpoint, any educational system must be responsive to the needs of the people," Gibson said. "Individual communities should be left to determine their own educational program. I want to help in the process of evolving it."

He believes that the prevailing educational (Continued on Page 4)
ELECTRICITY: Arthur Eaton, head of the Housing section, this week asked residents not to use electrical appliances between 5 P.M. and 8 A.M. (unless vitally necessary).

Eaton explained that the City's present electrical stations are temporary ones, with a total capacity of only 300 kilo-watts, as compared to the 1500-kilowatt stations to be permanently installed. A survey last week showed that the circuits were carrying almost double the maximum load; and on Sunday, Oct. 1, a major transformer was burned out.

Eaton warned that until the 1500-kilowatt stations are installed, the above regulations must be observed to prevent a complete breakdown of the system.

In the meanwhile, to ease the load, the number of street lamps lighted at night have been cut down. But, Eaton pointed out, this partial dim-out of the City was "a dangerous hindrance to the work of the Public Safety and Fire Control divisions."

STOVES: According to the Community Welfare division, families with members in the following categories may apply to the Welfare Division (Room 30) for immediate installation of stoves. Children 2 years and under, aged 65 years and over; and others who have doctor's certificates testifying to their need.

Installation of stoves is being conducted according to schedule, but special provisions are being made for these cases.

PUBLIC SAFETY: Division of Public Safety, at Rec 11, this week asked that all accidents and any articles lost or found be reported to them; and that a lost child be reported to the district warden or to the office.

Ralph Friley, division chief, declared that there are no regulations yet as to residents keeping pet dogs and cats, and that the Community Council must make the regulations.

Dr. Kirots, chairman of the Council, said the Council is taking the matter under consideration and hopes to poll the residents for their opinions on the question.

HOUSING: Arthur Eaton, head of the Housing section, this week warned that all persons residing in buildings with unfinished roofs should take precautions against the possibility of being burned out by falling drops of hot tar used by the construction workers to seal the roofing felt. Residents should be especially careful when passing under doorways and incomplete chimney openings.

FIRE PROOFING: Training for volunteer firemen, which was expected to fill openings in the regular force, will be held 2 hours a week, according to Bill Nakahara, fire chief. Those volunteering should be over 15 years of age. Applications are being received at the Fire House, east of the Post Office.
In the Rev. Turu Goto as chairman, the Inter-Faith Ministerial Association met Wednesday, Sept. 30, at 8-9.

The Rev. I. Kyogoku was appointed to head a ministerial committee which will work with the adult education department on a program (in the Japanese language) of Americanization. Members of this committee are: H. Homma, Catholic; S. Sanada, Buddhist; J. Fujii, Salvation Army; and George Aso, Seventh Day Adventist.

A religious night, possibly on Wednesday, was suggested at this time.

Church schedules were announced as follows:

**Buddhist Church at Rec #6 and #24**

- Sunday School at Rec #6 from 8 a.m. — Rev. S. Sanada, principal; Rev. Masaichi Fujii, speaker; Utsuka Nakayama, chairman.
- Young People’s Service at Rec #28 from 10 a.m. Sunday — Katsumo Muryama, chairman; Rev. K. Kuma, speaker.
- Adult Service at Rec #6 from 10 a.m. — Masuo Kurokawa, chairman; Rev. T. Kasuma, speaker.

Those attending the services were asked to provide their own chairs.

**Seventh Day Adventist at Rec #14**

- Sabbath School from 9 a.m. — Mrs. Tazumura, George Aso, chairman.
- Worship Service from 10 a.m. — K. Yoshina, chairman; George Aso, speaker.

**Catholic Church at Rec #3**

- Mass at 8 a.m. Sunday, to be conducted by Father Stoneko.
- Evensong Mass at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday.
- Father Stoneko will be present from 7:30 p.m. on Sunday mornings for confession.

**Protestant Church at Rec #22**

- English Speaking Church — Sunday School from 9 a.m. — K. Murata, chairman; Rev. T. Nakai, speaker.
- English service at 10 a.m. Sunday — Rev. J. Yamashita, chairman; Rev. T. Nakamoto, speaker.
- Japanese Speaking Church — Sunday Morning Service from 10 a.m. — Rev. T. Shimada, chairman; Rev. T. Tanaka, speaker.
- Sunday evening services at Rec #22 from 7 p.m. with Rev. Hayekawa as chairman and Rev. Kawamoto as speaker at Rec #22 from 7 p.m. with Rev. S. Suehiro as chairman and Rev. S. Shimada as speaker. Wednesday evening service at Rec #6 from 7 p.m. with Mr. Sera as chairman and Rev. K. Mishima as speaker.

**Acknowledgment**

Mrs. K. Inouye, Hirotsuke Inouye and Yoko Inouye wish to express their appreciation to all friends who attended the Memorial Service for Katherine F. Inouye.

The current program of the Community Activities section was described as follows this week by Ted Hirota, a member of the section staff.

"With Topaz City now almost fully settled, the Community Activities section is busy planning and organizing a community recreational program designed to serve everyone. When there are almost 9000 persons within one square mile, the need for leadership in the use of leisure time is certainly evident.

The section staff has 36 members at present and is headed, temporarily, by Kim Osato. Eventually, there will be approximately 130 employees in the recreation field, and the department will be supervised by Bally Hirota, formerly of the Oakland Recreation department, who is arriving here within the next few days.

"During the first month of this City’s life, the Activities group spent most of its time arranging welcome meetings, entertainments, dances and rallies. Also, Rec Halls 6, 11, 20, 22, and 37 have been opened, and 3 more centers will be opening this coming week in other parts of the City.

"All the recreational supplies now being used in the various halls were donated by the Tanforan recreation program and are really inadequate to service this large community. Requisitions have been placed for athletic equipment, handicraft material and reading matter; and if they come through, the program will begin to roll.

"In the meantime, play area facilities are being mapped out by the section leaders, with the assistance of the landscape architects. During their spare time, the residents must all aid the Activities section in constructing the numerous courts, diamonds, courses, fields, rinks; this volunteer help will facilitate the early opening of the playground recreation area."

Otsu said the halls are available to bridge players; that ping pong tables will be installed shortly; and that other games will be established as soon as supplies are available.

Departments of division stars wishing to use the Recreation halls are asked to convert their Community Activities division, today, appealed to residents to bring their own equipment to the Recreation halls until the residents are able to obtain plans wishing to use the Recreation hall.

Five Rec halls are now open: 23, 37, 11, 20 and through the Community 6. But their use has been Activities division.
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system in the average American community needs reconstruction and that the W EA projects have the opportunity to set an example for America in this respect.

Gilttering the aims of his office Gibson declared: "We on the W EA education end have been charged with the responsibility of not only maintaining the skills, the knowledge, the ability of your people, but to send them out improved and even better than when you came here under the circumstances of the war emergency."

Previous to his present job, Gibson served for 15 years as Superintendent of Schools at Walnut Creek in Contra Costa County, Calif.

STUDENT RELOCATION

Opening Topaz's student relocation movement, Masuo Yamamoto, Datekii O. Muki, and George W. Hirose left here Wednesday afternoon at 2 PM.

Yamamoto (from Hawaii) in his first year of dentistry, will attend Union College in Lincoln, Nebraska; and Muki, former U. S. Army officer in chemistry, will enroll at the University of Nebraska, also located in Lincoln.

Hirose, a senior, left for Huron College in South Dakota.

Two others, Karamasa R. Nomura and George S. Ishida, are scheduled to leave here sometime during the coming week. Ishida, will enter the University of Utah, and Nomura, on a scholarship, will enroll at the Chebrough Seminary in North Chelmsford, New York.

SUGAR BEETS

Included in the group of 53 sugar beet workers who left Wednesday afternoon were 9 tippers headed for Malheur County, Oregon. This was the first instance in which workers from Topaz came to a Pacific Coast state.

In the Wednesday contingent 5 left for Canyon County, Idaho, while 14

went to Morgan County, 13 to Cache County and 12 to Davis and Weber Counties, all in Utah.

Total of residents who have gone to the sugar-beet fields, including the group of 89 which left on Tuesday, is now 204.

BARBER SHOP

Topaz City Barber Service opened Thursday morning in Rec Hall 12, across the road from the Canteen.

A part of the Consumer Enterprises, the 10-chair shop has temporarily set its prices for haircuts at 25¢ (adults) and 20¢ (children). Lack of facilities limits the services to haircuts only.

Until stoves are installed, the hours are from 9 AM to 4:30 PM.

The staff requests that customers wash their hair before the sitting so as to minimize shedding of clippings and scissoring by the dust.

At present, the barbers are Satoro Harano, Junpo Koga, Yajiro Ookamoto, K. Shimada, Yasuo Suzuki and Frank Tenganuma. The staff will be expanded with the addition of 6 more barbers soon.

MOVIES

"Topaz City's" policy will be treated to their first movies here daily starting from probably Monday or Tuesday evening, Oct. 12 or 13. Yoshio Katayama, motion pictures committee chairman, announced today. "One of 3 full-length features—-a dream, a comedy, and a mystery—will be shown. Dining Halls 12, 13 and 26 from 7:30 PM.

Because every dining hall has limited seating capacity, attendance will be controlled by issuance of tickets at the Canteen between 3 PM and 5 PM every day except Sunday. Number of patrons for each of our 3 theatres has been set at 350 per evening."

Residents are advised to bring cushions or blankets.

To defray the expenses of the movies, donations will be accepted temporarily at the Canteen.

CO-OPS

A nationwide series of radio broadcasts by the Co-operative League of U. S. A., designed to provide information on consumer cooperatives, begins Sunday, Oct. 11, according to Walter Bond, chief of Community Enterprises.

The series will consist of 13 Sunday broadcasts and will be carried by Spokane's KISW, from 3:15 PM to 4 PM; and Amarillo's KAMR, from 5:30 to 5:45 PM.

FENCES

Project engineers are now surveying to locate the boundaries of Topaz City and markers will be posted by a standard high-tension (a-strand wire) fence, according to the Administration.

The boundaries of the entire Project area will be marked by a series of signs (mounted on posts). The bases of these boundaries are established; notice will be given to the residents that the entire Project area, as defined by the signs, is open to them from sunrise to sunset; while from sunset to sunrise, the fence boundaries of the City proper will be in effect.

The Administration announcement explained that the area is providing materials for the fence, while the Project is furnishing the labor. It was said that no skilled carpenters are included in the group employed on this work.

4TH BABY

George Tsukiwato, 31-1-A, became the father of a 6 lbs, 13 oz baby girl at 11:40 AM, Monday. The delivery was attended by Dr. Basine Fujita in the Topaz Hospital.