

J 17.00:1

1079

67/14
c

VIA POSTON CHRONICLE, Sunday, January 10th, 1943:

CENTRAL "EX" BOARD SPEEDS UNIT I PUBLIC WORKS PROGRAM

Poston Unit I's public works program, which already includes construction of an elementary school building, was greatly accelerated yesterday as the Central Executive Board called for 70 additional carpenters, cement mixers and masons to work on various construction projects. Workers should report immediately to Central Executive Board headquarters in the Maintenance Building, Unit I, across from the Post Office.

The residents of Poston I have been informed that the Central Executive Board has undertaken construction of the main Poston canal bridge structure, located approximately 3/4 of a mile north of Unit I on the Parker road. A special crew of concrete specialists reported there for work earlier in the week and are now well advanced in construction.

It is pointed out by the Central Executive Board that the cooperation of all groups in Poston I is necessary to complete the major construction in order to facilitate and insure the spring planting to prepare for the future food production.

 ** FESTIVAL PRESENTED TO PUBLIC SATURDAY NIGHT **

The pageant highlighting the "Water Festival," to fete the coming of the water to Poston, was staged in outdoor splendor on the high bank beside the circular swimming pool-to-be with a row of tall grey willows silhouetting against the approaching dusky blue of the sky, after a crimson sunset, July 4, Saturday at 8:30 P.M.

Following Lawrence Sasani, Festival Director's speech of welcome, a chorus of fifty voices led by Bob Okazaki opened the first scene, "Old Indian Scene". Gilbert Ogata, in colorful "Towelling" and feathers, played the part of the Indian Chief, and Akiko Hoshizaki, in creme muslin gown with red fringes, portrayed the Indian Princess sang a solo, "Pale Moon". Typical songs and drama was presented as five other progressive scenes toward the "Arrival of Water", followed.

Of special interest was the dramatic dances coached by Cecelia Nakamura. The audience was touched by the scene portraying the "Coming of the Japanese", with action and reactions, which appeared so comical and reactions, which appeared so comical and ridiculous, were yet, so true. The final, "God Bless America" was joined by the voices of the entire cast and the audience.

The performance will be repeated soon at Camp 2 for the benefit of the new arrivals.

Ref 7-4-42

Official Daily INFORMATION BULLETIN

Vol. II - No. 22

July 7, 1942

NURSERY DEPT RECEIVES TREES

In order to beautify the Administration and Agricultural buildings, the Nursery Dept. has received as part of their requisition, 132 male mulberry, 436 eucalyptus and 40 Palos Verde trees and 15 plant shrubs.

Most of the trees were purchased from a nursery in Riverside and for a time they will be placed at the Nursery near the water tower until cooler weather.

Official Information Bulletin
 Vol. II. - No. 23 July 8, '42

According to the Community Enterprise, five very important meetings will be held at Rec. 37., and anyone interested are urged to attend.

The meetings are:

Shoe Repair Organizers, Thurs.,
 July 9, 1:30 P.M.
 Barbers, Thurs., July 9, 8:30p.m.
 Watch Repair Organizers, Friday,
 July 10, 8:30 a.m.
 Radio Shop Organizers, Friday,
 July 10, 8:30 A.M.

Official Information Bulletin
 Vol. II - No. 23 July 8, 1942

INSTRUCTORS RECEIVE TRAINING UNDER DR. NAKADATE

The Red Cross First Aid Project went on its second day of intensive instructors training at Mesa 211.

Within the next several weeks, with these newly qualified instructors, the first aid training program in Poston III is promised to be equal to that of any camp.

Dr. Nakadate for the past eight years, an authorized instructor of the American Red Cross and U.S. Bureau of Mines will be the local chairman of First Aid and Water Safety for the Red Cross and will act as the coordinator of the Instructors Club. Headquarters will be temporarily housed in the Dental, Health and Research Center, 327-3-B.

Dr. Nakadate is an osteopathic physician and surgeon, pharmacist and dental surgeon. He has also served in the U. S. Navy and Guards for 10 years.

Aside from the above Dr. Nakadate is a Master Mason, a former auxiliary member of the L. A. Police and Sheriff's Office and other professional, social and civic organizations.

Dr. Nakadate and his staff associates desires to meet and render any and all services they possibly can and extends welcome to the community to visit his office for a chat, social call, suggestion or criticisms.

10-22-42

1

HEATING STOVES WILL BE INSTALLED

Residents of Poston 2 are assured heating stoves of the oil burning type. This was the good news from the office of the Block Managers' Supervisor. But the catch is -- "They're coming."

However, these stoves should be here within two weeks, it was indicated.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 22, 1942

LIGHT VOTING AND INTEREST SHOWN IN ELECTION OF COOP. CONGRESS

Unit Two residents showed little or no interest in the election of representatives to the Cooperative Congress recently.

Results were as follow:

207---H. Taketaya
208---S. Harada
209---K. Aramaki
211---O. Kobayashi
213---S. Shimotsuka
214---G. Ono
215---K. Endo
216---S. Horikawa
219---C. Iwamoto
220---S. Okamoto
221---H. Yoshida
222---T. Natsume
226---J. Fukuhara
227---K. Okawauchi
229---H. Makishima

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 22, 1942

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. V, NO. 15
October 22, 1942

Temporary Council Sworn In Yesterday

All but a few of Poston's Temporary Council was sworn in by W. Wade Head, Project Director, Wednesday night, July 22, at 8:00 P.M., and the first meeting was held Thursday morning, July 23, at Mess 37.

Due to the storm the meeting of July 22, at "Pioneer Grove", was terminated. Another meeting was held Thursday morning, at which time Dr. T. G. Ishimaru was elected chairman.

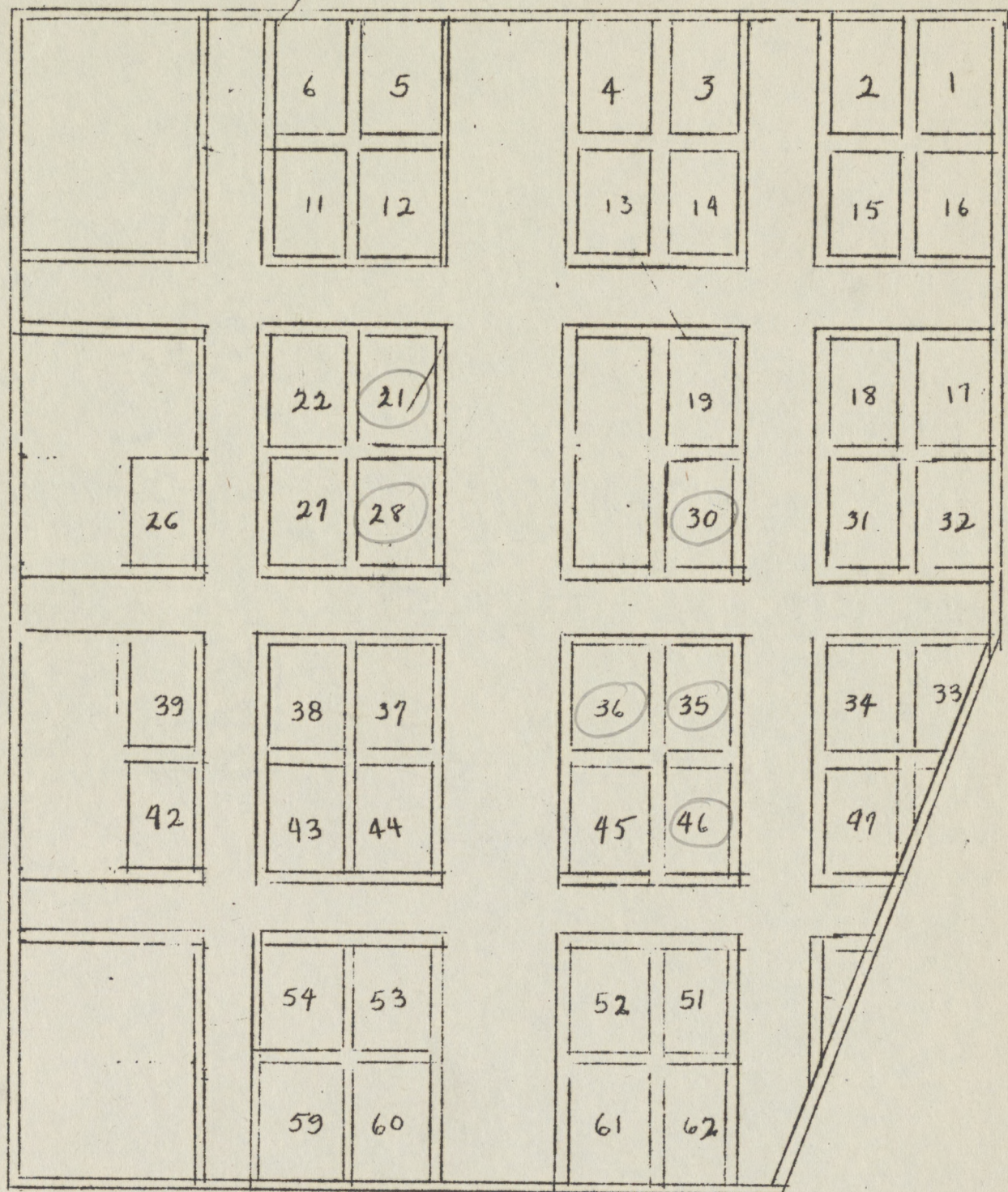
Previous to the election, John Evans, Ass't to the Project Director, gave an address to the Council. He talked about the importance of the Council, the responsibility of the Council members, indicated the problems of the Council, their powers, said that the Administrative officers are there to help the Council, and congratulated them.

At Mr. Head's suggestion, it was decided election of the executive committee would be postponed for a few weeks. Election of Dr. Ishimaru as Chairman, Hidemi Ogawa as Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Tachibana as secretary, and Frank Kuwahara as Sergeant-at-arms, was carried out.

Discussion of the Council's powers was held. Discussion of the existing conditions in the Mess Halls and hospital was held, and a committee to survey health conditions was appointed. Several questions were asked to clarify the question of the Council's duties. It was decided that the qualifications of the members of the Council would be ascertained in order to facilitate the formation of various committees.

The Council will meet next Wednesday, July 29, at Mess 28, at 9 a.m.

Officers of the Council will meet Monday evening at the home of the secretary.



THOUSANDS VOTED, ELECTING 31 COUNCILMAN

"Yesterday's election was conducted in a very orderly fashion with a big percentage of voters showing up at the polls where an air of seriousness prevailed as the importance of the Community Council was realized by the young and old", states Theodore Haas, Project Attorney. Campaign ended Monday evening with short speeches, some in Japanese and others in English, by the candidates at most Mess Halls.

Voters came out early, and in one block where the returns were tabulated early, 99% of voters was recorded.

Mary Tachibana of Block 43, was the lone woman to be elected councilman in yesterday's election.

The ballots were checked and double checked. The returns are as follows:

Block Candidate Elected

2.....Nakano, Arthur
 3.....Sugimoto, Andrew
 4.....Hanamura, Harvey
 5.....Kanegao, Henry
 6.....Imamura, Shig
 11.....Kasuga, Bill Hiroshi
 12.....Katow, M. Smoot
 13.....Miwa, Henry
 14.....Kaita, Roy Reiichi
 15.....Ishimaru, T.G.
 19.....Jono, Masaru Kawashima
 21.....Saito, Frank
 22.....Fukuda, William (tie)
 Yano, Thomas (vote)
 26.....Nishimura, Kay K.
 27.....Nakai, Hideo

Block Candidate Elected

28.....Fujii, George
 30.....Adachi, George
 35.....Nishioka, Harry
 36.....Amano, Hiroshi
 37.....Nagamatsu, Paul
 38.....Ogawa, Hidemi
 39.....Kuwahara, Frank
 42.....Sakai, Robert
 43.....Tachibana, Mary
 44.....Murakami, Yukito
 45.....Nomura, Seiichi
 46.....Tanaka, Frank
 53.....Hara, Saichi
 54.....Suzuki, Harvey
 59.....Uragami, Bob
 60.....Ono, Ray B.

ELECTION INTEREST SOARS

A total of 125 men and women are seeking 31 seats in Poston's temporary Community Council at the July 21 election, according to announcement made today by Theodore H. Haas, Project Attorney. At least two candidates from each block, within Camp 1, and eleven from one block, were nominated,--111 by block council and 14 by petitions, signed by ten or more residents:

On Monday, July 13, at 8 a.m. at Pioneer Park, blindfolded girls will pick white slips out of a hat to determine the order in which candidates' names will appear on the official ballot. This ceremony is open to the public.

In pointing to the significance of the coming election, Mr. Haas today commented as follows:

"The month of July, when Independence was proclaimed for the United States and France, will make history in the State of Arizona. July 21 will witness:

1. The first election of a community council, in Arizona, composed of American citizens of Japanese descent, and,
2. The first time that youths between 16 and 21 and non-citizens have voted in a 'municipal' election."

Official Daily PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. II, NO. 27 - July 12, 1942

-----O-----

NO COOLERS FOR MESS HALLS--"There will be no coolers for the Mess Halls," said Mr. Gribbons, the Asst. Head of the Procurement Dept. We have eight coolers on hand, but we are unable to buy more because production of coolers has stopped. Five of the eight coolers will be used in the hospital, the rest in the Administration kitchen.

Official Daily PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. II, NO. 27 - July 12, 1942

August 22, 1942

PRE-TEMPORARY COMMUNITY COUNCIL DISSOLVED

A motion to dissolve the "pre-temporary" community council of Poston 2 was carried at a meeting of that body held Thursday evening in the 214 mess hall. Of some significance is the fact that an amendment was attached to the motion for dissolution to the effect that the matter concerning the equal representation of citizens and aliens on the temporary community council be referred to that assembly, which is due to come into existence with the election slated for September 1st.

Hearing of reports by the following committees: religion, Kenzo Yoshida; employment, D. Toda; and landscape, Sumio Nishi; was followed by a presentation of a petition by Z. Tachibana and his committee of five requesting equal representation of citizens and non-citizens on the temporary community council to be elected September 1st.

Director James D. Crawford stated that John Evans had discussed the matter of equal representation with his immediate superior, W. Wade Head, Poston project director, and had definitely concluded that nothing can be done in such a short time as 10 days in regards to changing the WRA regulations. In view of that fact, the amendment referring the matter for consideration by the temporary community council was attached to the motion for dissolution and passed, and the submitted petition declared out-of-order.

Both Director Crawford and Chairman Dr. Harry Kita of the pre-temporary council expressed their thanks to all the members for their efforts and asked for their cooperation in the future for a greater Poston.

TEMPORARY COUNCIL ELECTION TO BE
HELD AS SCHEDULED; PRE-TEMPORARY
COUNCIL MEETING SET FOR TONIGHT

8-18-42

2

Despite the fact that 5 of the blocks in Poston 2 had voted against the holding of the election for the temporary community council, John Evans of the Poston administrative staff Tuesday stated that the election will be definitely held as scheduled for September 1st.

Mr. Evans made the statement at a meeting in Director James D. Crawford's office with 15 Issei members of the local community who had dissented against such an election.

Led by Z. Tachibana of 211 the small minority group of Isseis petitioned the Administration to amend the WRA provisions so that Issei residents may be elected into the contemplated council.

The administration representative assured the Isseis that every effort was being made for such a change.

In the meantime, Director Crawford stated that the "pre-temporary" council for Poston 2 will cease to exist as such on August 30th. However, the council will continue with their functions and will meet tonight from 8:30 p.m. in the 214 mess hall and will hold their final meeting on the 27th.

Official Daily PRESS BULLETIN
Poston II
August 20, 1942

ISSEI MEMBERS TO HAVE VOICE IN TEMPORARY COUNCIL

One Issei from each quad will be chosen within the near future to represent in the Issei Advisory Board, which will work with the Temporary Community Council, the members of the Council passed the ruling last Wednesday night, Aug. 12.

The Committee also introduced the Code of Offense, with reservations submitted by the Law and Offense, Final approval by Wade Head, Project Director, is pending on the Code, first of its kind ever to be written in the Center.

Recommendations for the Judicial Committee to establish a municipal court, juries, and a juvenile court, for violators under the age of 18, were made, but tabled indefinitely in order to afford more time in studying the new proposal.

Mr. Katow, chrmn of Works Project, reported that only citizens would be allowed to work on the camouflage nets, which may require about 900 workers, calling attention to rulings set by the Geneva Conference after World War I.

It has been further suggested that a committee be formed to visit the Manzanar and Santa Anita Camouflage Projects to study the work being done there.

Other matters discussed at the gathering were Public Health, Chofs and Stowards' meetings. A Menu Committee to arrange food more suitable to Japanese diet has been proposed. In the meantime civil service tests for Firemen and Policemen, as well as for all departmental workers are likely to be given.

Guests at the conference were Harry Madakoro and Ken Sato, Police Chiefs of Poston 2 and 3, respectively, Saburo Kido of Poston 2, and Kay Watanabe of Poston 3.

Official Daily PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. III, NO. 22 - August 16, 1942

DEATH

Sadamatsu Kodama, 73, of Blk 59
11-D and formerly of Brawley,
California, August 16.

Official Daily PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. III, NO. 23 - August 18, 1942

ISSEIS REQUEST REPRESENTATION
ON TEMPORARY COMM. COUNCIL
ELECTION SCHEDULED SEPT. 1

8-14-42 2

Future of Poston 2 Council
To Be Determined by Blocks
Committee Reports Heard

Whether Poston 2 will have a temporary community council or not will largely be determined by each block in this unit. This conclusion was reached Thursday nite at the "pre-temporary" council meeting.

Mr. Harada, Block 208, chairman and official spokesman for a minor group of Isseis, introduced members of his group who gave talks favoring an equal representation of Isseis and Niseis on the temporary council.

An election of the temporary community council for Poston 2 is due to be held on September 1st.

The Isseis claimed that if equal representation and rights are not exercised, there will be cases of disunity between the two generations. They requested that the scheduled election be postponed until provisions are made so that a council consisting of Isseis would be recognized by the W.R.A.

Theodore Haas, Project Attorney, reminded the council members that the rules and regulations concerning the election were issued by the WRA, "and until they are changed, we have no choice in the matter."

Mr. Haas expressed hope that a solution would be found soon to the problem and stated, "There is no time to wait. And even though we may disagree with some provisions which were placed by the W. R.A. in the composition of a temporary council, this community should take advantage of an opportunity to record effectively changes which will have all the weight of an elected body behind it."

Director James D. Crawford expressed his view that "the people are sincere in their desire for full representation, whether they are citizens or aliens. However,

in view of the existing regulations, there isn't much we can do about it. I think that much of the situation is muddled by misunderstanding and mis-interpretation".

Director Crawford reiterated that the council election will be held on September 1st as scheduled "if only three blocks have elections for representatives. If such is the case, they will represent the entire Poston 2 on the Poston Council".

Special committee reports were made by John Kubota, chairman and his aides, S. Sato and Albert Umino on police and fire; Z. Tachibana, John Nakamura and Mr. Kazato, Education: K. Shimizu, and Mr. Fukuhara on Agriculture; John Urabe, Jim Hirokawa and Ray Mori on Recreation.

Saburo Kido and Jim Hirokawa were appointed as additional members of the Community Enterprises committee to study, on behalf of the Recreation Department, the possibility of obtaining some funds for the recreational program.

Six additional committee reports were postponed to admit the testimonies of the Issei group.

Official Daily PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
August 15, 1942

NEW COUNCILMEN TAKE
OATHS AT POSTON III

Poston III finally had a complete representation of councilmen with the official swearing into office of the recently elected six officials Thursday night at the 306 Rec hall. The councilmen took their oaths of office before Project Director W. Wade Head.

The Poston III band played the national anthem, and the group present pledged allegiance to the flag before the swearing in ceremonies. Director Head and Administrator Burge were introduced. Both spoke a few words to the City Councilmen, Mr. Head stressing the need for harmony among the people, the councilmen and the administrators in order to accomplish the most important tasks.

The six councilmen who joined the previously chosen ten members were Jimmy Takashima, 322; Kingo Ouchi, 323; Masato Koga, 327; Takeo Yabuta, 328; Mrs. Mabel C. Hibi, 329; and Moto Asakawa, 330.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
October 3, 1942

UNIT 2 COUNCIL IN BUSY
SESSION; HEARS REPORTS
APPROVES COMMITTEE
RECOMMENDATIONS

Poston 2's council, in its 7th session meeting Monday morning heard that its treasury coffers will be richer by some \$560, which is the allocation of the Community Enterprise funds based on percentage of sales here during September.

According to Treasurer Sumio Nishi, the funds will be expended for community welfare.

John Nakamura, chairman of the Works Project committee proposed an over-all committee to be formed among the 3 units which will promote efficiency in the industrial projects and which will dispose of duplication of projects whenever and wherever possible to

reduce cost of production plans. Mr. Masuda of 222 was appointed to work with the committee. An industrial department within the Council committee was sanctioned and the group was empowered to take charge of the production of mungo beans and tofu.

An emergency committee of Manabu Fukuda, George Ono and Henry Fujii was appointed to make immediate investigations with Adm. J. D. Crawford concerning a solution to the problem relating to the use of local storage space for absorbing influx of evacuee properties from residents of other units.

Cotton working conditions were reported by George Ono, chairman of the Fair Practice Committee.

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. VI, NO. 20
October 28, 1942

POSTON 2 COUNCIL HEARS COMMITTEE REPORTS IN
EXTRAORDINARY SESSION; PRESENT OFFICERS
RE-ELECTED TO OFFICE ON PERMANENT BASIS

10-6-42

1

The temporary community council of Unit 2 chose yesterday to retain their present officers, which includes John Maeno, chairman; John Nakamura, vice-chairman; and Dr. Masao Takeshita, executive secretary; as their permanent leaders for the first term.

Meeting in an extraordinary session which saw the block managers and department heads of Poston 2 in attendance, the council proceeded to hear the reports submitted by its various committees.

Dr. Frank H. Ito gave the report of the Law and Order Committee and the report of the first judicial session held Saturday morning. Albert Umino of the Water and Irrigation committee announced the name of H. Iwakiri, 214, on his committee. Chairman of the Social Welfare, Kikuo Endo, asked the Council to investigate the condition causing the delay of welfare funds allotted by the WRA.

Chairman Harry Iwashige of the Housing division reported that his committee and the special housing representatives of the Block Managers met with Project Director Head. He said that the possibilities of getting double walls, ceiling and floor covering are slim although the administration has been fighting for such improvements. Screens for windows will be available as will the oilheaters for family apartments and kerosene heaters for smaller quarters. Steel beds and cotton mattr-

esses have been promised. The Housing Committee was asked by the Council to make a follow up report and to make a stronger request for immediate

attention to the community's housing needs.

Chairman John Maeno clarified the points in the administrative instruction #27. He said that the basic policy is that all work is voluntary. The policy states that the qualified evacuees are expected to take all of the position including the administrative except the principal staff position as soon as the evacuees show they are capable to take over such positions.

The Council heard report given by Sid Shiratsuki of the Labor and Employment. An approval of the Councilmen was made regarding the Fair Employment Practice whose board will be made up of representatives from the industrial, kitchen, professional and agriculture departments.

ISSEI ADVISORS ON 10 COMMITTEES

In a report from Dr. T. G. Ishimaru, chrmn, of the Community Council, it was revealed that quad representatives on the Issei Advisory Board will be present hereafter at the meeting held every Wednesday afternoon.

Following are the members of the 10 committees in the Council:

Law and Order: N. Matsubara of Blk. 4; K. Niino, 28; M. Nagai, 3; Public Relations: H. Nakachi of Blk. 19; Mrs. T. Takahashi, 36; J. Omori 6; B. Kodama, 59; Social Welfare: M. Nishijima of Blk. 17; S. Niiseki, 60; C. Yamaguchi, 18; Recreation: Dr. T. Murakami of Blk. 11; B. Okazaki, 22; S. Kushiya, 14; Community Enterprise: I. Nagai of Blk. 2; H. Takemori, 15; K. Kawabo 26; Housing: K. Matsumoto of Blk. 35; K. Endo, 32; J. Murakami, 30; Education: T. Fukumoto of Blk. 18; Y. Mohri, 31; F. Nakawatase, 43; Public Health: M. Yamaguchi of Blk. 13; P. Koga, 42; S. Kanno, 37; Food: C. Sugi of Blk. 5; S. Sashida 44; U. Hara, 38; Works Project: S. Tsukamoto of Blk. 46; S. Eddow, 12; K. Ishikawa, 21; H. Nomura, 54; Building and Landscape: J. Kadowaki of Blk. 27; Dr. Mizushima, 45; K. Sakemi, 53.

10-11-42

1

DATE OF CO-OP ELECTION
NOT CHANGED, ASSERTS
W. WADE HEAD PRO. DIR.

W. Wade Head, Project Director, declared yesterday morning that "since he has not yet received any word from the Council in regard to the recommendation that the Co-op Election, scheduled to be held on Oct. 15 be postponed for another 90 days," the same date will still stand.

Therefore, the Press today informs the public that the Co-op Election is expected on the 15th of Oct.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN,
VOL. V, NO. 5 -
October 11, 1942

10-10-42

1

All Community Council members of Unit I are cordially invited to attend the "house-warming" social of the Legal Department of Unit I which is to be held Sat. afternoon, Oct. 10, 1942 at 2:00 o'clock in their quarters in Ad. Bldg. #1.

LEGAL DEPARTMENT

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. V, NO. 4
October 10, 1942

COUNCIL ASKS WADE HEAD FOR STATEMENT ON BASIC POLICY

THREE NEW COUNCILMEN, ISSEI REPRESENTATIVES SWORN IN

The three new Councilmen, Geo. Ogata, Blk. 6, Bob Nakamura, Blk. 14, and Henry Sakemi, Blk. 42, were sworn into office at the T.C. C. meeting last Wed., Oct. 7, the first two by W. Wade Head, Proj. Director. Mr. Sakemi was sworn in by Lionel Spicer of the Bureau of Sociological Research. Approximately 36 Issei Representatives of the Issei Advisory Board for the Council, who were present also took their oath before Mr. Head.

The nine repres. of the Issei Advisory Board to the Council are as follows: Quad 1--Henry T. Take-mori of Blk. 15; Quad 2--not chosen yet; Quad 3--Chitoshi Sug of 5; Quad 4--Tsuchisaburo Fukumoto of 18; Quad 5--Kaichi Niiro of 28; Quad 6--Dr. N. Mizushima of 45; Quad 7--Ken Nakawatase of 43; Quad 8--Paul K. Koga of 42; Quad 9--Sotaro Niiseki of 60.

The nine Alternates are as follows: Quad 1--uncertain; Quad 2--not chosen yet; Quad 3--Shegetoshi Eddow of 12; Quad 4--Yaetaro Mohri of 31; Quad 5--Komataro Ishikawa of 21; Quad 6--Tsuneko Takahashi of 36; Quad 7--not chosen yet; Quad 8--Kenji Kawabe of 26; and Quad 9--Kanjiro Sakemi of 53.

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. V, NO. III
October 9, 1942

A resolution of the T. C. C. was passed at the Council meeting on Wednesday night calling to the Works Project Committee to make a request with the Project Director for a clarification of basic policy before any attempt is made to solve the present unemployment situation.

The recommendation of the Works Projects Committee, was that the policy of the Project Accounting System be made clear, for if a written statement from the Administration regarding the policy of the Project Accounting System could be had, the Project could hope to progress. With clarification in regard to the policy, the improvement of unemployment situation could be undertaken, and it would then be possible to treat the other projects which needs hands.

The clarification on basic policy would clarify many questions, including; (1) the readjustment period-----when and until what date this policy was or is good; (2) about employment, (3) distribution of the cash advance, and (4) whether or not subsistence will be charged to the Project.

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. V, NO. III
October 9, 1942

ORGANIZATION GROUP TO MEET TO DRAW UP CONSTITUTION HERE

10-8-42

1

Constitutional Convention in which to formulate the Constitution for the Community Govt. will be held at the Hospital Ward 7, Conference Hall Fri. beginning at 1 p.m. the Organization Commission reported yesterday, through Theodore Haas, Pro. Director Office.

"The plan of the Gov. or any subsequent Amendments," Mr. Haas told the Press, "shall be submitted to the Project Director for review, so that none of its provisions violates any regulations or instructions of WRA. However, the plan will become effective, if and when approved, by the majority of qualified voters at a Special Election."

The skeleton outline which the Organization Commission has presently drawn up should provide that the Community Council shall have the following duties: (1) prescribe regulations and provide penalties for violations which affect community peace and order of the Project and welfare of the residents. (2) to present resolutions or questions affecting the whole community. (3) to solicit and receive funds and property for Community use and purpose. (4) to license and collect fees from evacuee-operated enterprise. (5) to exercise any duties and functions as may be conferred upon from WRA.

The meeting is to be open to the public, the statement declared.

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. V, NO. II
October 8, 1942

MORE ON CODE OF
OFFENSE, ADOPTED
BY T.C.C., SEPT. 30

* * * * *

This is the last of the two installments of the Code of Offense as released by Temporary Community Council first of which was printed yesterday.

Sec. 45. Libel. A libel is any malicious falsehood expressed by writing, printing, or by signs or pictures, which tends to bring any person into disrepute, contempt or ridicule, or to blacken the memory of one who is dead; or any malicious defamation expressed by writing, printing, or by signs or pictures, which tends to impeach the honesty, integrity, virtue, or reputation, or publish the natural or alleged defects of one who is alive, and thereby to expose him to public hatred, contempt or ridicule. Libel is punishable by imprisonment in the city jail for a term not exceeding 90 days.

Sec. 46. Slander. Slander is a malicious defamation orally uttered tending to blacken the memory of one who is dead or to impeach the honesty, integrity, virtue, or reputation, or disclose any slander is punishable by imprisonment in the city jail for a term not exceeding 180 days.

NAMES ON ORGANIZATION COMMISSION
ANNOUNCED BY PROJECT DIRECTOR

W. Wade Head, Pro. Dir., released the names of the thirty members on Organization Commission who were nominated by Community Council of Poston 1, 2, and 3, to prepare the plan of government for a permanent Community Evacuee Government here. The plan, if approved by Mr. Head, will be submitted to all qualified voter (18 yrs. or over) in a special election, and if approved, will go in effect. The Advisory Board chosen by Mr. Head are: Chrmn. Theodore Haas, Pro. Att'y.-Comm. Council Advisor; John G. Evans, Asst Pro. Dir. Moris Burge, Administrator of Poston 3; James D. Crawford Administrator Poston 2; and Vernon R. Kennedy, Chief of Employment.

The Organization Commission members are:

Blk. 45-S. Nomura, 38--H. Ogawa 19--M. Kawashima, 36--H. Amano, 43 Mrs. M. Tachibana, 4--H. Hanamura 60--Ray Ono, 12--S. Katow, 39--F. Kuwahara, 32--F. Kawai, 15--T. G. Ishimaru, 11--Bill Kasuga, (plus two members of Issei Ad. Board.) 215--Dr. H. Kita, 227--John Maeno 213--Dick Nakamura, 209--Dr. Alf. Tatsumi, 208--Mr. Harada, 215--Saburo Kido, 219--K. Takizawa, 326--S. Shirasawa, 306--Manroku Matsu-moto, 307--Susumu Togasaki, 307--Harvey Iwata, 306--Kelly Yamada, 330--Moto Asakawa, 3xx--Mr. Yamashita, 325--Frank Kagiwada.

PRESS BULLETIN

VOL. IV, NO. 34 - October 4, 1942

PRESS BULLETIN

VOL. IV, NO. 34
October 4, 1942

ADDITIONS TO CODE OF
OFFENSE, ADOPTED BY
T.C.C., SEPT. 30

Sec. 43. Trespass. Every person who willfully commits any trespass by entering any lands under cultivation or who maliciously injures or destroys any standing crops, grains, vegetables, or fruits in the community of Poston is guilty of an offense, and upon conviction thereof is punishable by imprisonment in the city jail for a term not exceeding 90 days.

Sec. 44. Private Enterprises. No person, firm, corporation, association, or organization shall engage in private enterprises unless a written permit shall have been issued for such enterprises by T. C.C., for the sale of consumer goods or services to any person or organization within the community of Poston for private profit. Any violation of this section shall constitute an offense and is punishable by imprisonment in the city jail for a term not exceeding 180 days.

All organizations interested in operating concession booths must apply for a permit from the City Council, to engage in any business. Exceptions shall be made for all organizations participating in the County Fair.

(CONTINUED TOMORROW)

VACANCY IN COUNCIL FILLED

Through election, these persons have replaced the following three Councilmen who have resigned recently: George Ogata in place of Shig Imamura at Blk 6; Henry Sakemi in for Bob Sakai on Blk 42; and Robert Nakamura, in the position for Roy Kaita at Blk 14.

PRESS BULLETIN

VOL. IV, NO. 32 - October 2, 1942

COUNCIL VACANCIES FILLED

In an election held recently to fill the vacancies left by Harvey Hanamura (Blk. 4), and George Adachi (Blk. 30), who had gone out on harvest work, the following two have been initiated into office. They are: Mitsutaka Ishibashi for Blk. 30, and Masao Kurisu for Blk. 4.

Blk. 2 is still without a councilman, the report concluded.

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. VI, NO. 18
October 25, 1942

COMPLETE LIST
OF NOMINEES REVEALED

The final revised list of councilman nominees are as follows:
Blk 322--Katsumi J. Takashima, Alfred Y. Kobashi, Dr. George Hara;
Blk 323--George Ohashi, George Tanaka, Ichiro Furuta, Kingo Ouchi;
Blk 327--Masato Roy Kobayashi, Norman Uyeno; Blk 328--Takeo Yabuta, Tadami Tachino, Arthur Yuba, Takeo Koizumi;
Blk 329--Mrs. Mabel C. Hibi, Azusa Tsuneyoshi;
Blk 330--Moto Asakawa, Yayao Abe.

Everyone 16 years of age and over are urged to vote between 7 a.m. and 3 p.m., today in their respective blks.

OFFICIAL PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON THREE

September 30, 1942

UNIT TWO TEMPORARY COMMUNITY
COUNCIL SELECTS MORE COMMITTEES

Additional committees to serve on the departmental program of the Temporary Community Council were selected as follows:

Building and Landscaping: Manabu Fukuda, chairman; Kanagawa, 227; Harry Shirachi, 215; Kato, 226; T. Yamamoto, 215.

Organization Committee: Dr. Harry Kita, 215; John Maeno, 227; Dick Nakamura, 213; Dr. Alfred Tatsumi, 209; Mr. Harada, 208; Saburo Kidao, 215; K. Takizawa, 219. The Organization Committee will meet with temporary councils of Units 1 and 3 in regard to a permanent organization Council set-up and its relation to each other.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
September 30, 1942

UNIT I CORRECTION

Due to a slip-up on the part of the Rewrite Desk, the following error was found in the reported story between the Blk. Mgrs. and the Municipal Councilmen, played Sept. 12.

It was not the Blk. Mgrs. who were beaten by the Municipalmen, but rather the Blk. Mgrs. who have defeated the Councilmen, 36 to 18 score.

These teams will again lock this Sun. on Fld. 30, at 9 a.m.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 30 - Sept. 30, 1942

COUNCIL NOMINEES

Nominated for councilman in blk 329 was Mabel Hibi, Charlie Iwashita, Y. Takasugi, and Azusa Tsuneyoshi. Blk 330 nominees are Hayao Abe and Moto Asakawa, while Dr. George Hara and Jimmy Takashima represent blk 322. Blk 323 boasts the most nominees with 6 persons on the ballot. They are George Tanaka, George Ohashi, Kingo Ouchi, Tsutomu Ikemura, Tom Mukai and Ichiro Furuta. Election will be held on Sept. 30.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
September 27, 1942

UNIT TWO COUNCIL LISTS AGENDA
FOR WEEKLY MEETING ON MONDAY

The Poston 2 Temporary Community Council will hold their weekly meeting Monday morning at 9:00 a.m. in the 217 personnel kitchen.

According to Mariko Harada, Council secretary, the agenda will include the appointment of members for the Landscaping, Labor and Employment; report by the Housing and Education committees; and consideration of Project Attorney, Theodore Haas's request for appointment of at least 5 members for an Organization Commission.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
September 27, 1942

ELECTION TO BE HELD MONDAY
FOR ISSEI ADVISORY BOARD

Election by alien evacuees of an Issei Representative from each of the thirty six of Poston I, will be held Mon. Sept. 28, at their respective Blk. mgrs., from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. In addition, Blks. 6, 14, and 42 will elect their councilmen, to replace Shig Imamura, watermaster, who is leaving for Neb., Roy Kaita and Robert Sakai, who have resigned to do Sociological work.

Ballots will be printed in "katakana," and "hirakana," as well as in English.

PRESS BULLETIN

VOL. IV, NO. 28 - September 27, '42

ADDITIONAL MEMBERS OF UNIT 2 TCC COMMITTEES

Additional members for the committees of Unit 2's temporary community council were announced yesterday as follows: Water and Irrigation-Mr. Fukuhara, 216; Building and Landscaping, Harry Shirachi, 215; Public Health-Dr. H. Kazato, 215; Dr. H. Inouye, 215; Dr. H. Kita, 215; Dr. A. Tatsumi, 208; Education Bob Sakamoto, 211 (transferred from Labor and Employment) chrmn; J. Kazato, 227; K. Takigawa, 220; Y. Nakano 226; Mr. Sano, 215; Kenji Shikuma; Rec. J. Urabe, 220; 229 Paul Kuwabara, 214 Porky Takata, 215 Harry Shirachi 208 Kawahira; Law and Order, Dr. Kita, 215 Public Relations; Shi-ohara, 222; Fred Nitta 219; Dr. M. Takeshita chrmn; 214; Labor and Employment, Frank Yamanishi, 215; S. Horikawa, Kuwano, 219; Chick Abe 220; Sid Shiratsuki, 214, S. Fujitsubo, 221.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 23 - September 22, 1942

INTERVIEW WITH SHIG IMAMURA

Sitting at Ted Haas's desk in the Administration Building I talked with Shig Imamura concerning the Civic Planning Board. He said, "The first people who arrived in Poston came on May 8th. I arrived on May 9th. There was some talk pretty soon about starting a City Council and I think Mr. Head called me and some others in to talk about it. Dr. Kimball was around then. I guess he stayed for maybe three weeks after I arrived. There were several meetings with him in which he told us about city government and said that we should work up plans of our own although he did explain to us one city government which I think maybe was Galveston, Texas. Anyway he said that we should work out plans and then decide what type of government we should have. So there was that plan made up by Reverend Mitani which we called the Issei plan and then the lawyers made up a plan. At first when we met we had four persons from each block and that was too many. All we did was just debate all the time and never could get anything settled. It never got any farther than that. We wanted to settle something so I think the Civic Planning Board finally got down to eight members and they finally made up a constitution and used pretty much the plan that the lawyers had worked up.

I think this new Issei Advisory Board will be a good thing. The Issei have the idea that we are just kids ; that we haven't had any experience and don't know what to do about government, but now with the Issei Advisory Board they will sit in all our meetings and we'll see what we can do and they can go back to their blocks and tell the people that we aren't acting just like kids. I think it's a mighty good idea." (EHS)

UNIT TWO TEMPORARY COUNCIL APPOINTS VARIOUS COMMITTEES TO AID IN DEPARTMENTAL PROGRAM

One of the largest committee to be chosen was selected for the "Ag" Department including H.K. Sakata (216) Takeo Yuki (214), Mr. Miura (222), M. Nishimura (221), Henry Takahashi (219); Sam Kitamura (220), George Fukunaga (227), Mr. Hamada (208), Mr. Yamano (215), Tak Takeuchi, (229).

Labor and Employment committee will have Yamanishi (215), S. Horikawa (216), John Kuwano (219), Sid Shiratsuki (214) and Bob Sakamoto, chairman.

Serving on the Community Enterprises are K.S. Uyeno (227), Tazumi (214), Shintaku (219), Yamagata (227), George Okamoto (220), Sumio Nishi (219).

Chairman Maeno appointed Dr. Mas Takeshita, Jimmy Hirokawa and John Nakamura on the finance committee to accept the funds allotted by the Community Enterprises for community use and any

other funds available for Unit 2.

Because of the exigency of time, selection for other committees were not made and only chairmen were chosen for Recreation, Kenji Uyeno; Water and Irrigation, Albert Umino; Landscaping, M. Fukuda.

Selection of the various committees were made and following were chosen: Law and Order, Dave Iwamoto (219), Mr. Harada (208) Dr. F. H. Ito (220). The Council's selection of judges include Y. Sakimoto (221), Mr. Sato (229) and Dr. Ito (220).

Social Welfare includes U. Shikuma (215), I. Motoki (209); Rev. Y. Iwanaga (219); Mrs. Takai (229); Mrs. Hasegawa (227); K. Endo, (215) chairman.

Chosen on the Food Committee were M. Ishibashi (226); Hamamoto (208); Shimotsuka (213) and Dave Iwahara (208), chairman.

Heading the Housing Committee is Harry Iwashige (209), Kenzo Yoshida, (215); George Nakaji (213); A. Hayashi (219).

ISSEI ADVISORS TO POSTON 2 COUNCIL TO BE
CHOSEN BY DISCRETION OF INDIVIDUAL BLKS;
CODE OF OFFENSES ADOPTED, SUBJECT TO APPROVAL

Choosing of Issei advisory members to the temporary community council of Poston 2 will be left to the discretion of the individual block councilman, it was decided at their weekly meeting held yesterday morning. That was the result of divided opinions concerning an advisory and beginning with the next meeting, each councilman will bring either their advisor or the block manager.

The Council approved the appointment of Mariko Harada as council secretary (asst to Executive Sec'y Dr. Mas Takeshita) and to manage the office duties. The council office will be situated in the B Administration bldg. south of the Medical clinic.

Hugo Kazato was appointed to act as the general clerk during council sessions.

A list of the committees chosen and the members thereof may be found on page 5 of this issue of the Press Bulletin. Due to the exigency of time, further committee appointments will be made at the next meeting.

The council adopted a temporary code of offenses, upon approval of the law and order committee consisting of David Iwamoto, Dr. F. H. Ito and Mr. Harada (Blk. 208). The code, which is based on the one in effect in Poston 1, will, if approved by the committee, be in force until such time as new code is drawn up to meet the conditions of Unit 2.

POSTON THREE GOES TO POLLS

An estimated 2,200 voters will go to the polls today in ten blocks to elect representatives to Poston III's Temporary Community Council.

Thirty-six candidates will be running for offices in what promises to be a lively and exciting election, as interest is declared to be unusually high. Each of the respective blk. mgrs. are expected to exert all possible efforts to chalk up the highest voting percentage, and the records established in Poston I and Poston II stands threatened to fall.

For the remaining six occupied blocks not voting in this election due to their later arrival, arrangements will be made for a similiar election shortly.

POSTON THREE GOES TO POLLS

An estimated 2,200 voters will go to the polls today in ten blocks to elect representatives to Poston III's Temporary Community Council.

Thirty-six candidates will be running for offices in what promises to be a lively and exciting election, as interest is declared to be unusually high. Each of the respective blk. mgrs. are expected to exert all possible efforts to chalk up the highest voting percentage, and the records established in Poston I and Poston II stands threatened to fall.

For the remaining six occupied blocks not voting in this election due to their later arrival, arrangements will be made for a similiar election shortly.

From this date on, the Press Bulletin clippings has been stopped because of the secretary's time being needed for other work.

(AHL)

POSTON III COMPLETES
COUNCILMEN ELECTION

Councilmen for the six remaining unrepresented blocks of Poston III were elected Wednesday afternoon and sworn into office on Thursday evening.

The winners were listed as follows: 322, Jimmy Takashima; 323, Kingo Ouchi; 327, Masato Koga; 328, Takeo Yabuta; 329, Mrs. Mabel C. Hibi; and 330, Moto Asakawa.

The 322 block showed the greatest interest in the election with 99 per cent of the people casting ballots in a close race.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
October 2, 1942

9-24-42 1

September 24, 1942

Camp

TO: All residents of Poston leaving the community to assist in the harvest of vital crops

You are leaving Poston on work furloughs to share in the vital task of harvesting crops essential to the total war effort of our country. That you will make your full contribution in terms of work, in the fine tradition long established by you, goes without saying.

There is a further consideration. You are going out to work in an America which has undergone a tremendous change during the past few months. Communities all over the land have been affected by this change. It is a change necessitated by the exigencies of the war - a war in which America is fully dedicated to the eradication of Nazism, Fascism, and Imperialism, shoulder to shoulder with the United Nations whose democratic ideals have been threatened and dangerously attacked.

You should remember always the possible confusion that may exist in the minds of a great many patriotic Americans - a confusion quite understandable under the circumstances. The country is at war with the Imperialism of Japan - it is not at war with the loyal American citizens of Japanese ancestry, and those Japanese who have chosen America as their home, of whom you are representatives.

You have a serious responsibility. It is the responsibility of helping to prove to the American community at large that you are as much an American as any American citizen, and dedicated, as they are, to the crushing of Fascism and Imperialism. And you must prove that not only for yourselves, but for the thousands of your families and your friends who remain behind, here at Poston, and in all the other Relocation Centers. You are the representatives of all these people. Upon your actions and general deportment, as well as upon the quality of your work, very largely depends the future welfare of all the men, women, and children of Japanese ancestry in the United States.

You are more than needed workers. You are ambassadors of goodwill from one group of Americans to another. Make a good job of it.

(778)

W. Wade Head
W. Wade Head
Project Director

COPS LEAVE FOR NEW JOBS
IN NEBRASKA, GET FETED

With the call for outside employment ever haunting them, more members of the Police force have decided to answer the "whistle." In addition to the three who left last week, seven more are due to entrain tonight for Scotts Bluff, Neb.

They are Truck Uyeshima, Bob Murata, Geo. Murao, Tosh Ikeda, Yutaka Yoshimoto, Mits Honda and Tosh Ogura, who were incidentally feted by the Police Dept. Thurs. evening at Wade Head Park, at a weenie bake.

The force has now dwindled to only 21 law enforcers.

PRESS BULLETIN

VOL. IV, NO. 27 - September 26, '42

September 1, 1942

BUDDHIST SUMMER SCHOOL
OPENS WITH BIG ENROLL-
MENT MONDAY

Approximately 600 registrants attended the opening day of the Buddhist summer school at 214 Recreation Hall.

Teachers from Poston I took charge and will conduct the schools which began Tuesday at Blocks 207, 214, and 229.

Residents under 15 years of age of Blocks 207; 208, 209, 215 and 216, are to report to classes at School I on Blk. 207; 211, 213, 214, 219, and 220 at School II on Block 214; 221, 222, 226, 227 and 229 at School III on Block 229.

UNITED CHRISTIAN CHURCH
RECEIVES NEW PASTOR AND
CHURCH WORKER

Rev. William Kobayashi and Mr. Clifford Nakadegawa from Poston I were formally received by the United Christian Church of Poston 2 as pastor and church worker, respectively, Sunday morning during the young people's worship services.

Rev. S. Kowta, moderator of the Christian activities in Poston I, gave charges to Rev. Kobayashi and Mr. Nakadegawa.

Inducted as members of the Council by Rev. K. Takeda were Kenzo Yoshida, Kenji Shikuma, Jimmy Hirokawa, Gladys Onoye, Masao Takeshita and Chizu Masuda.

BUDDHIST SUMMER SCHOOL
OPENS WITH BIG ENROLL-
MENT MONDAY

Approximately 600 registrants attended the opening day of the Buddhist summer school at 214 Recreation Hall.

Teachers from Poston I took charge and will conduct the schools which began Tuesday at Blocks 207, 214, and 229.

Residents under 15 years of age of Blocks 207; 208, 209, 215 and 216, are to report to classes at School I on Blk. 207; 211, 213, 214, 219, and 220 at School II on Block 214; 221, 222, 226, 227 and 229 at School III on Block 229.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON II - September 1, 1942

FATHER CLEMENT HELPS
POSTONIANS AS A FRIEND
AND A SPIRITUAL ADVISOR

Probably the most ardent believer in the well-being of the evacuees in Poston is Father Clement who now resides in Parker.

Working under Father Lavery of the Maryknoll Mission in Los Angeles Father Clement has successfully started Catholic Institutions here in Poston, in Parker and Gila.

Through the efforts of Father Clement the Recreation Department was able to make purchases of those articles necessary to get recreation underway.

He came to Parker approximately 2 months ago and since then he has established a Maryknoll Center in Unit I which meets every Sunday at Blk. 45 Recreation Hall. He also conducts services at Parker and at two weeks interval he visits the Gila Relocation Center. It was reliably reported that Father Clement may open a Catholic unit at Poston 2.

Father Clement's former residence was in Bismarck, North Dakota. He was a missionary in Japan for 5 years and returned to United States three years ago.

OPEN HOUSE BY BIBLE
SCHOOL IS TONIGHT

Open House and an exhibit are planned by Daily Vacation Bible School for tonight at Rec 305. All articles of woodcraft and handicraft which the children have made at Bible School will be on display. A short program is also scheduled by the students.

Closing exercises will take place Wednesday morning.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
September 29, 1942

BIBLE SCHOOL
HOLDS JAMBOREE *Religion*
9/24

The Bible School Jamboeree held on Tuesday night was a huge success with approximately 150 juniors and intermediates present. The evening was spent in games, singing and stunts by the teachers. Refreshments and devotional followed.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
September 24, 1942

PASTOR RECEIVES HOLY ORDERS

All the ministers of Poston Christian Church took part in the ordination of William Kobayashi at Rec. 19 last Sun., afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Rev. S. Kowta, chrman., and Rev. Burnett who is visiting here, officiated. A brief message in English was interpreted by Rev. Mitani. The newly ordained pastor was presented to the Ordinating Committee by Rev. Shigekawa. Rev. Okamoto read the scriptures.

PRESS BULLETIN

VOL. IV, NO. 24 - September 23, '42

MISSIONARY PAYS VISIT
TO POSTON II AND III

Religion 9/22
Reverend McNight,
for twenty years a mis-
sionary in Japan, made
an automobile trip
from Phoenix last Wed-
nesday to visit his
many friends in Poston
II and III. The Rever-
end had worked with
the Japanese in Fresno
when he took charge of
the Japanese Congrega-
tional Church prior to
evacuation. Messrs.
Tanaka, Nakagawa, and
Kazato accompanied him
during his one-day vi-
sit at Poston.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 23 - September 22, '42

MISSIONARY PAYS VISIT
TO POSTON II AND III

Reverend McNight, for twenty years a missionary in Japan, made an automobile trip from Phoenix last Wednesday to visit his many friends in Poston II and III. The Reverend had worked with the Japanese in Fresno when he took charge of the Japanese Congregational Church prior to evacuation. Messrs. Tanaka, Kanagawa, and Kazato accompanied him during his one-day visit at Poston.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 23 - Sept. 22, 1942

Y.B.A. INSTALLATION SOCIAL

An estimated crowd of 350 enjoyed the Y.B.A. installation social held Sat. night at the new canteen bldg.

During the intermission, an impressive candlelight ceremony installed the following cabinet officers: Masao Kurisu, Pres.; Larie Yamaguchi, v.p.; Takeo Yamada, 2nd v.p.; Fumiko Nakamura, sec-treas.; Geo. Yamaguchi, research chrmn.; "Tak" Nimura, publicity chrmn.; Eddie Nakamura, Boys' ath. mgr.; Helen Nakagawa, Girl's ath. mgr.; and Jennie Ishikawa, music chrmn.

Kusuto Ishimaru, emceed the program dance.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 23 - September 22, 1942

BUDDHIST S.S. NOTES

. Sunday School teachers gathered at the Buddhist Church Office Friday night to make "okesas" and badges for the teachers.

Due to the Bon Odori practices, there will be no Y.B.A. Night Tues. Sept. 22 and no Sunday School Teachers meeting Fri., Sept. 25.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
September 20, 1942

ZAZEN TRAINING
(SELF CONTEMPLATION)
IS ON SPET. 21-26

All young Buddhists
of Poston I are re-
quested to register
for Za Zen training im-
mediately, to be held
between Sept. 21 and
26, from 5 to 6 a.m.
at Blk. 45-14B.

Za Zen (self contem-
plation) training is
"for yourself and
others in enlightening
a better and happier
daily living," accord-
ing to the Buddhist
teachings.

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 22 - Sept. 20, '42

BON-ODORI PRACTICES
UNDERWAY

Under the competent instruction of Mrs. Yamane, approximately 40 girls participated in the bon-odori practice held at the Buddhist Church Office Thursday night.

The numbers include the Bon-Odori, Shanghai No Hanauri Musume, Hatakanachugi, Poston Ono, Ruten and Yasukibushi To Heitai. If sufficient number of records can be obtained, practices will be held at Rec. 306, 317, and 324, every night beginning at 7 p.m., until Sept. 25.

Instruction chairmen are Sadie Uyeda and Ruth Watanabe, blk 306; Nobuko Setoguchi and Minnie Ichiyama, blk 317; and Yukie Honda and Fusako Tsuneyoshi, blk 324.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
September 19, 1942

9-17-42

Y.B.A. SONGFEST HELD
BEFORE SEITEN SERVICE

The second Y.B.A. songfest and "seiten" service was acclaimed a huge success by the crowd that attended.

Vocal solos were rendered by Kazuo Ikeda and Teruo Kasamatsu, the "singing cowboy."

An impressive sermon by Rev. Iwanaga followed.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
September 17, 1942

POSTON III CHURCH FETES
FOUNDING WITH SOCIAL

Religion
Approximately 150 young people and adults gathered on Tuesday night to celebrate the organization of the Poston III Christian Church with a get-together social. The affair was begun with a short devotional service which was followed by various games, contests and special musical numbers. Rev. K. Imai acted as chairman.

The highlight of the evening was the hilarious milk-drinking contest in which all the ministers participated, and which was won by Rev. Imai. The program and arrangement for this party were made by the council members.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
September 17, 1942

PERMANENT STAFF

Church Director:
James Iwata
Church Secretary:
Mutsuyo Tsunoda
Y.B.A. Director:
Akira Yebisu
Asst. Y.B.A. Director:
Masami Honda
Sunday School Director:
~~Hozuyo Inouye~~
Asst. Sunday School
Director: Yoshiko Kubo

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON THREE

September 16, 1942

BIBLE SCHOOL ESSAY
CONTEST OPEN

Juniors and intermediates of the Vacation Bible Schools are at present busily working on essay contests which are now in full swing and will end Sept. 24. The topic is "What I have learned about Jesus." Awards will be presented to the winners.

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON THREE

September 16, 1942

9-16-42

1

OFFICERS INITIATED
AT Y.B.A. SOCIAL

Installation of the newly elected officers of Poston Jr. Y.B.A., was held at Rec. 43, Sept. 9, in an Installation Social, it was announced by the organization yesterday.

More than 60 members enjoyed dancing and novel games, planned by the social chrmm. Yuri Morikawa and her committee. Advisor Arthur Takemoto "emceed" at the party.

PRESS BULLETIN

VOL. IV, NO. 18 - September 16, '42

CATHEDRAL CHOIR TO
HOLD REHEARSALS 9/16
ON FRIDAY NIGHTS

The Music Committee of the Poston 2 Christian Church announced that the Cathedral Choir will hold practices regularly on Friday night beginning September 18 at 7:00 to 8:00 p.m.

The choir meets with Helen Kazato, director at the Church Hall, 211.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
September 16, 1942

9-15-42

1

MARYKNOLL FATHER HERE
FOR CATHOLIC MASS
MEETING

Father Clement, Catholic priest from Maryknoll is now permanently conducting masses for the residents of Poston. Brother Paul will assist the Father at the services. Confessions may be said on days masses are held, which will be on Sundays, and Mondays at Rec. 45.

Father Clement and Brother Paul is now residing in Parker in the Parish.

BUDDHIST GROUP FORMS NEW CLUB

"Sei-Ren-Kai" an organization, composed of Buddhist Vacation School teachers of Poston 1 in a meeting, Sept. 9, elected the following cabinet members: Lario Yamaguchi, pres; Haruo Nishimoto, v pres.; Miyoko Yokota, Sec.-Treas; Grace Sugita, publicity; Shizuko Ito, research; Rev. Sogabe, advisor; "Skip" Sato, co-advisor.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 17 - September 15, 1942

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. IV, NO. 17 - Sept. 15, '42

SONG SESSION FEATURED
AT SEITEN SERVICE

Poston 2's Y.E.A. held its first song-fest and entertainment preceding seiten classes Thursday night.

Yoneo Gota introduced participants Sachi Endo, Haruko Yamamoto, Howard Takao, Mas Miyazaki, Louise Nakashima, and Mollie Tsubouchi, who gave vocal renditions.

Rev. Y. Iwanaga gave a short sermon at the second part of the evening. Mas Miyazaki presided as chairman while Mrs. Chizu Iwanaga was organist.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
September 12, 1942

**BUDDHIST SUMMER SCHOOL
HAS BIG ENROLLMENT**

A total enrollment of 619 students have been registered at the Buddhist Summer School according to the announcement made by the executive secretaries.

School No. 1 at Blk. 207 has a daily attendance of 177; No. 2 at 214, an enrollment of 213 while school No. 3 at BLK. 229 has the largest number with 229.

Masashi Tazumi, Yoshio Shibata and Chikara Iwamoto are in charge of the services at schools 1, 2 and 3, respectively. Rev. Y. Iwanaga and Manabu Fukuda are in charge of the lecture departments of the schools.

OFFICIAL DAILY PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
September 11, 1942

POSTON CHRISTIAN
CHURCH III IS FORMED

Religion III
The Poston Christian Church III was formally organized Tuesday night at a mass meeting with Rev. K. Imai, chairman. Following the principles and constitution of Poston I and II churches, Moderator and vice moderator elected unanimously are Rev. K. Imai and Paul Nagano.

The council composed of 8 layman and all the ministers chosen from the various denominations represented are as follows: Y. Manaka, Z. Ichimura, K. Unezawa, F. Mukai, M. Kitahara, H. Tashiro, M. Asakawa, and S. Shizume.

The various departmental chairmen are: Worship, Rev. Kikuchi; Evangelism, Rev. Asano; Finance, Rev. Okimoto; Education, P. Nagano; Publication, J. Miyabe; and Publicity, Rev. Imai. >

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
September 10, 1942

CHURCH NEWS

Prayer meeting and
Bible study class
which are being con-
ducted by Paul Nagano
will be held 7:30 to-
night at Rec 330.

Everyone is request-
ed to notice that all
church activities will
begin at 7:30 p.m.

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON THREE

November 4, 1942

From this date on, the Press Bulletin clippings has been stopped because of the secretary's time being needed for other work.

(AHL)

CHOIR PRACTICE FEATURES QUARTET

Featuring a quartet from Unit 3 composed of Paul Nagano, John Miyabe, Sadao Nakashima and Lloyd Wake, the weekly mass choir rehearsal was held Tuesday night at the church hall.

Led by Virginia Sakata and accompanied by Gladys Onoye, new numbers were rehearsed.

Men's choir will assemble again Monday night at 7:30 p.m.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
November 5, 1942

11-3-42

1

CATHOLIC PRIEST SHOWS FILMS

Father Clement presented a one reel film, depicting the life of Maryknoll Fathers, its 'Seminary, and its Departure ceremonies, before an audience of approximately 150 Maryknollers and friends, Sun. at Rec. 45.

Other films shown were "Work of the Missionaries in China" and a "Trip to Madanhar."

PRESS BULLETIN
VOL. VI, NO. 25
November 3, 1942

10-31-42

1

CHURCH NOTICE

Christian Church

Rec. 305

9:00 a.m. S.S.
10:00 a.m. Meditation
10:45 a.m. Adults
(Japanese)
8:30 p.m. Young People

Rec. 329

9:00 a.m. S.S.
10:45 a.m. Church Service
(English)

Rec. 307

9:00 a.m. Jr. S.S.
10:00 a.m. Jr. Church
(Ages 10-16)

Buddhist Church

Rec. 306, 322

9:00 a.m. Children
10:00 a.m. Young People
8:00 p.m. Service

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON THREE

October 31, 1942

CHURCH NOTICE

christian church

Rec. 305

9:00 a.m. S.S.
 10:00 a.m. Meditation
 10:45 a.m. Adults
 (Japanese)
 8:30 p.m. Young People

Rec. 329

9:00 a.m. S.S.
 10:45 a.m. Church service (English)

Rec. 307

9:00 a.m. Jr. S.S.
 10:00 a.m. Jr. Church
 (Ages 10-16)

Buddhist Church

Rec. 306, 317, 322

9:00 a.m. Children
 10:00 a.m. Young people
 8:00 p.m. Service

PRESS BULLETIN
 POSTON THREE
 October 24, 1942

Christian Church

The church choir, under the direction of John Miyabe, will make its initial appearance at the Sacred Music and Communion Services this Sunday evening at 8:30 p.m. at Rec 305. A short devotional period will be held and the remaining period will be devoted to musical numbers.

 Singpiration for this coming week will be called "Out-of-Door Sing" with the singing taking place out doors around a campfire. Definite plans for this affair have not been arranged as yet but further developments will be announced in the Press Bulletin.

PRESS BULLETIN
 POSTON THREE
 October 24, 1942

CHRISTIAN LITERATURE
LIBRARY OPENED

A Library of Christian Literature has been opened in the church office at 310-7-D. The public is invited to make use of this free library where all types of religious material is available, it was announced by Paul Nagano, pastor. Hours are 9-11:30 a.m. and 2-4 p.m.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
October 28, 1942

10-14-42

1

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

Get-acquainted social with Parish II, Rec 329, as locale is scheduled for tonight beginning at 8 p.m. Parish I is invited to this first joint social when Iwao Ishino and John Miyabe are in charge.

Young People in High School will have their own Junior Church services, commencing this Sunday morning at 10 a. m. at Rec 308 which will be known as Parish III. Lloyd Wake and Sod Nakashima are co-pastors.

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON THREE

October 14, 1942

10-8-42

1

HAVE ANY PERSONAL
PROBLEMS?

The Church Welfare Dept. with Rev. Imai as chairman have formed a committee to help individuals of families iron out financial problems or other personal matters. Any person having personal problems are requested to consult the department located at 305 Christian office.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON THREE
October 8, 1942

CHURCH NOTICE

Christian Church

Rec 305

9:00 a.m.--S.S.

10:30 a.m.--Adult

8:30 p.m.--Church Service (English)

Rec 329

9:00 a.m.--S.S.

10:30 a.m.--Church Service (English)

Buddhist ChurchYoung people-9 a.m. at
Rec 306 and 317Grown ups---10 a.m. at
Rec 306Night service-8 p.m. at
Rec 306 and 317

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON THREE

October 3, 1942

PRESS BULLETIN OFFERS
JAPANESE SUPPLEMENT

With first edition of the Japanese supplement published today, the Press Bulletin will have a tri-weekly issue of such translation.

Chikara David Iwamoto will translate and edit the supplementary publication. To disseminate important administrative bulletins, this section will cater mostly to the Issei population. This is another progressive step for the Press Bulletin.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 31, 1942

CHRISTIAN SERVICES

9:00 am. Sunday School
211 and 222 Halls
Chancel Choir will
sing, "Beneath The
Cross of Jesus."
Quartet: "Lord, I
Want to Be a Christian."

10:15 am. English Worship at Hall 211.
Sermon by Clifford Nakadegawa.
Choir: "Just As I
am."
Uta Shimotsuka will
sing a solo.

10:15 am Japanese Services at #222.
Sermon by Rev. K. Noji.

6:00 pm Japanese Evening Services at 211.
Sermon by Capt. M. Kitaji.

8:00 pm Youth Fellowship at #222.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 31, '42

10-31-42

1

MASS CHOIR FESTIVAL
SET FOR CHRISTMAS IN
THREE POSTON UNITS

One of the highlights of Christmas observance in Poston will be the presentation of the Mass Choir in each of the Poston units.

Local residents will be able to hear the musical program at the Cottonwood Bowl on December 22. Unit 1 and 2 will hear the choral presentation on December 21 and 23, respectively.

Rehearsals for the mass choir is held every Tuesday evening at 7:30 in the 211 Church hall in conjunction with the Singspiration.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 31, 1942

BUDDHIST SERVICES

A Group (Juniors) S.S.
9:00 o'clock
Chairman: Louis Nakashima.
Sermon: Rev. Iwanaga
Gatha Practice by Yoneo Gota and Mrs. Iwanaga.

B Group - 9:45 o'clock
Chairman: Oichi Kakiuchi.
Sermon: Rev. Iwanaga
Speaker: Masao Yamamoto

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 31, 1942

IWANAGAS ENJOY GILA TRIP
WITH FATHER CLEMENTS

Father Clements accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Charles Iwanaga and daughter to Gila project which was an appreciation trip given to them by Father Clements recently.

Trips to Gila are made by Father Clements bi-weekly. Recreational activities there are few compared to coordinated recreation in Poston. The residents look forward to Father Clements' visits and the movies which he arranges to bring with him. "How Green Is My Valley" is the next feature the Gilans will see.

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON TWO

October 29, 1942

CHRISTIAN YOUTH FELLOWSHIP MEETS

Clifford Nakadegawa, young people's leader, gave a message of the evening, "Living Abundantly" at the first meeting of the Christian Youth Fellowship at 222, Sunday night. Dr. Masao Takeshita presided.

Lily Maeno led the short "sing" period with Sally Mizokami at the piano.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 27, 1942

REHEARSAL FOR PROPOSED MASS CHOIR TO BE HELD TUESDAY NIGHT AT 211

With first rehearsal for the Christmas Mass Choir concert to be held during the Yuletide slated for Tuesday night at 6:45 before the Singspiration, a call has been sounded for additional singers to join the group.

211 Church hall will be the meeting place for the choral group and those interested in joining are urged to attend the first rehearsal.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 27, 1942

DR. FRANK HERRON SMITH TAKES PART IN POSTON TWO CHRISTIAN CHURCH DEDICATION PROGRAM SUNDAY

Young and old members of the Protestant churches gathered together Sunday morning for the dedication program of the Poston 2 Christian Church at the 211 hall Sunday morning.

Rev. William Kobayashi presided as chairman. Miss Lois Kanagawa, violinist, opened the services with First Movement of Beethoven's "Moonlight Sonata" accompanied on the piano by Miss Gladys Onoye. Opening remarks were made by Rev. S. Kowta, Co-ordinator of Christian Churches from Unit 1. The Cathedral Choir sang "For God So Loved the World" directed by Virginia Sakata. Tom Masamori rendered "The Lord's Prayer."

Japanese message was given by Rev. S. Takeda while the scripture reading in Japanese was read by Rev. S. Nagai. Invocation was pronounced by Rev. K. Noji.

The highlight of the services was the visit of Dr. Frank Herron Smith whose appearance in Poston coincided with the dedicatory program of the Christian Church here. His challenging and inspiring message, "Ye Are Pioneers," was an incentive for many silent re-dedication and re-consecration of young people as well as adults.

In the afternoon a social celebrating the dedication was held with Chizu Masuda in charge of the games. A get-acquainted affair, an informal gathering, was successfully arranged by the young people's committee.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 27, 1942

ELABORATE DEDICATION RITES SET
FOR POSTON CHRISTIAN CHURCH
SUNDAY MORNING AT 211 HALL

The much-awaited dedication services of the Poston 2 Christian Church will be held Sunday morning during the regular worship services at 10:15 a.m.

Rev. William Kobayashi will preside.

Lois Kanagawa's violin solo, "First Movement from Moonlight Sonata" by Beethoven will open the program followed by the congregation singing "All Hail The Power of Jesus' Name."

Greetings will be extended by Mr. James D. Crawford, Administrator of Unit 2. The Cathedral Choir will render prayer responses and sing "For God So Loved The World" directed by Virginia Sakata. "The Lord's Prayer" will be sung by Tom Masamori. Piano accompanist will be Gladys Onoye.

Dr. Frank Herron Smith, Superintendent of Japanese Methodist Churches, and active in the evacuation program of Japanese will speak. Japanese pastors including Reverends Kohei Takeda, K. Joji, K. Nagai, S. Kowta will also participate in the services.

In the afternoon at 3:00 p.m. a get-acquainted social at the church hall has been planned for the young and old.

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO

October 24, 1942

PRESS BULLETIN
POSTON TWO
October 24, 1942

UNITED CHRISTIAN SERVICES

9:00 am Sunday School, 211 & 222
10:15 am Dedication Service for
the founding of the Poston
Christian Church at 211 Recreation Hall.
3:00 pm Get Acquainted Social
8:00 pm Japanese Evening Services at #222
Sermon by Rev. Nagai

10-17-42

1

UNITED CHRISTIAN SERVICES

9:00 - 10:00 a.m. Sunday School
at 211 and 222.

10:15-11:15 a.m. English Worship
at 211.

Sermon by Rev. Kobayashi

Vocal Duet by Uta & Mitsu
Shimotsuka

10:15-11:15 a.m. Japanese Worship
at 222.

Sermon by Rev. Nagai.

8:00 - 9:00 p.m. Japanese Evening
Service at 211.

Sermon by Rev. K. Noji.

BUDDHIST SERVICES

Masashi Tazumi, will be the chairman for the Senior Buddhist Services at #214. Rev. Iwanaga will give the sermon and the speaker will be Kazuo Ikeda.

Chairman for the "A" group services will be Chiyoko Morita, Yoneo Gota, speaker and Rev. Iwanaga, sermon.

PRESS BULLETIN

POSTON TWO

October 17, 1942