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MORE THAN 1000 EXPECTED IN DRAFT REGISTRATION

WE DELIVER THE GOODS:

Rain or shine, residents of the Santa Anita Assembly Center will and do receive their copy of the PACEMAKER Despite the downpour last Tuesday, 14 delivery boys, working voluntarily, splashed through the mud to put a copy of the PACEMAKER under each doorstep and if pos-

sible to the resident personally.

The PACEMAKER's honored 14 are Yoshio Yamashita, Bob Morita, Tabo Satow, Masao Nerio, Masao Yamashita, Don Tanabo, Tommy Tsubokawa, John Tsubokawa, George Uneda, Fumio Satow, Kenneth Miura, Fusatoshi Fujimoto, Yonoo

Nakatani, and Isamu Kayano.

JOB ASSIGNMENTS AT CENTER NUMBER 1886 SINCE APRIL 4

A total of 1886 employ ment assignments have been
made to Contor residents
since April 4,1942, according to Lewis Horn, head of
the personnel record section.

"It is not necessary for anyono to make an application for a job because we have made a field survey at which time occupational classifications were taken."

"These classifications are on file in the Personnel pection. Then we receive a request from any division for employees, we immediately pull occupational cards from the file and select the person to be assigned.

the person to be assigned.
"Through this method everyone is given an equal exportunity for work."

Horn announced that there is a need for professional plumbers, electricians, carpenters, cooks, and nurses. Matrons for the main-

tenance of toilets are also being sought as well as typewriter repairmen and registered pharmacists.

"Under no circumstances is anyone to go to work unless a work order is issued by the personnel office,"he added.

CENTER'S FIRST MOVE TONITE

The first movie to be shown at this Center will hit the screen at 7:30 this evening in the Grandstand, the Recreation department announced to day. There will be no admission price.

SIGN-UP STARTS. TOMORROW FOR MEN 45-65

More than 1000 men between the ages of 45 and 65 are expected to register under the Selective Service Act in the local center, signup starting tomorrow.

The place of registration has been changed to Barrack 21, Avenue A, according to information from the administrative offices.

Hours for the registration will be from 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Saturday through Monday.

Although most of the registrants are expected to be issei, all male persons born on or after April 28, 1877, and on or before February 16, 1897, must conform with registration regulations.

In order to facilitate the registration procedure issed who are affected are requested to bring their alien registration cards.

A staff of approximately 20 Center residents will assist in the registration. Translators will be provided for those unable to understand English.

BRING BACK, BRING BACK THOSE COOKE BOTTLES...

Licut. H. A. Todhuntor of the Army-operated centoen today asked all purchasers of soft drinks not to take the bottles away from the canteen. Permission to do so may be given again if the missing bottles are returned.

"Approximately 1000 soft drink bottles are missing. This large number of unreturned bottles is not only a financial loss to, us, but will also cause a menace to the people of the Center. Empty bottles are going to clutter up the Center, and will result in many injuries to children in particular." stated Licut. Todhunter.

Unless the missing bottles are returned, sale of soft drinks may be stopped.

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NINE TEAMS ENTER LEAGUE

With nine teams already entered, plans for the twilight softball league were nearing completion today.

Toams to submit their entries to date are Hawthorne (Inglewood), Chula Vista, San Diego Falcons, Norwalk (Dewney and East Whittier), San Diego, Harber cities (San Pedro and "anning), Long Beach, San

Francisco, and Gardena (Torrance and Redendo).

League play is expected to begin early next week, according to E. J. "Spike" England, head of the Recreation department. Games are slated to start at approximately 5:30.

Sen Francisco and Sen Diogo clash in tonight's twilight contest.



the Winner's circle today are the readers of the PACEMAKER who were visitors to the office the other afternoon. We appreciate their interest in the newspaper and their courtesy in coming to the staff with their suggestions to better the PACEMAKER.

They left us with the feeling that we could use more of that friendly coattitude here; operative that clannishness is as outof-place here as, shall we say, short-wave radios.

NEWSMEN VISIT

Other visitors to the PACEMAKER office during the past week were follow news-

papermen.

Lee M. Morriman, news editor of the Pasadena Star News and "Spud" Corliss, a reporter on the same paper, grooted us with many kind words.

Togo Tanaka, editor of the Rafu Shimpo, in company with Tad Uyono and other Los Angeles newspapermen. iropped into the office on their tour of the Center.

We have soon the first two issues of the Manzanar ree Pross and pinned thom up on our wall. It serves as a warring to our staff.

We repeat that not only are we more modest in claiming to be "unique" but that we are the "most best" of .11 Center publications. DOUBLE DARE

A tentative challenge is now thrown out to Manzanar that Santa Anitas 'trackmon will engago them in a telegraphic track meet (by postcard?). A formal challenge will be submitted as soon as we feel they have recovered from the panic. in which this may have thrown them.

Our office is neither neat nor gaudy but is open during |legitimate working !curs for any Centor resiicht who wents to see us. RACING FORM

May we say, to beat the Manzanar Free Press to the ounch, that all PACEMAKER's news comes straight from the stables and -- it ain't hey!!!!!

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ant Show FALCONS MAINTAIN CLEA

SAN DIEGO IBRARY IPS SAM PEDRO

The. San Diogo Falcons maintained their undefeated record by downing San Pedro

8-2 last night.

Although hold to two hits. the Falcons cashed in on their daring base running and errors chalked up by their opponents.

San Pedro collected six hits off of Takoshita who was very tight in the pinch. T. Saisho of the Pedro team pitched great ball and gave up but one hit until relieved in sixth by Haynshi.

K. Kawada, Podro catcher. lod his mates with two hits. Yas Nakamoto did tho LOST damage with his double to deep center for the Falcons.

Battorios: San Diego --Takoshita and Okamoto; San Pedro--Saisho, Hayashi and Kawada.

In the other game last night Long Beach downed the Hawthorne Bums 7-3 in a game marked by frequent errors .. -- By Bob Kawasawa.

CARELESS?

Numerous individuals. are not only caroless with their belongings but don't seem to care whother they get their things back, the Lost and Found department decided today.

Many valuable articles have been turned in and are still unclaimed. Among the unclaimed articles are wrist watches, sweaters, coats, and suitcasos.

Lost articles may be claimed at the Lost and Found department at Barrack 36, Unit 3, by identifying ownership.

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A call for those interested in reporting work on the PACEMAKER was issued today by City Editor Stanley Shimabukuro.

A circulating library for Santa Anita residents will be open soon, the Rocreation department announced today.

It will be available a soon as facilities are con pleted to allow the library to function afficiently.

The "Friends Followship" organization of Pasadona hs donated soveral and children' magazinos books to the new library.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Toni Satow, Barrack 43, Unit 14, Avenue 3, went on record today as being the first to be honored with a birthday party which was hold dednesday evening in hor home.

Among the 22 guests who helped Miss Sctow enjoy her 25th birthday were her brothers and members of the Hawthorne "Y" Club.

Work schfi

All resident - employees assigned to work at th Santa Anita Assembly Contr according to word receive from the office of Manager H. R. Amery, should conform to the schodule of 44 hours per wdek.

This is the work schedul as established by Preside Roosevelt for all government employees.

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It is now reliably known the PACEMAKER that the engagement of Liss Kenne to Mr. Kusunose, as announced in the last issue of the raper, was not correct.

The PACEMAKER apologizes to the parties concerned for any inconvenience caused by the story, which was accepted in good faith.

The editor,

ORCHIDS FOR US: 000000000000

The PACEMAKER made front page again, this time in the April 23rd issue of Doho, a Los Angeles weekly, received in this morning's mail.

In the last issue of the Doho before evacuation, the PACEMAKER was the subject of the lead story.

The birth of the Santa Anita PACEMAKER, it said, predicted somewhat the flture of the vemecular press in the United States.

HOURS LISTED

The morning hours from 8 to 11 are being reserved for second and third typhoid injections as they AM regplarly, Dr. Norman Kobayashi, physician-in-charge of the Center hospital announcod today.

It will be necessary for workers to obtain excuses for getting their shots at

these: hours. Clinic is held from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. for giving modical and surgical ottention to these who are ill.

Now inductoes shall be inoculated from 2 to 5 on the afternoon following the day of their arrival at the Contor.

Since the medical peramnol is short staffed, Dr. Kobayashi addod, more officient survice will be possible if the general public ocoperate and observe these hours.

Any constructive criticism will be . welcomed by the hospital staff.

AUXILIARY STAFF AIDS POLICE

Under the supervision of Chief Sherman F. Carter, maintenance of order and directing traffic within the Center are handled by a 19 min Internal Police staff.

Aiding the regular force in directing traffic and patrolling the grounds is a staff of 80 Contor residents who form the Auxiliary Police.

the Deputy Chief of Police.

THANKS

Six inches of space were devoted to the PACE-MAKER in a recent issue of the Los Angeles Daily Nows, published by Manchester Boddy.

Contents of the artiolo were based on first issue of the PACE-MAKER which appeared last

Saturday.

Most of the story dealt with the PACEMAKER lead story on the Self-govern-

mont plan.

"Eloquent of the attitude with which the Japanese are meeting the evaountion is the statement," the Daily News said, and quoted the preposed constitution.

"Every individual should make it his.cwn responsibility not to throw away banana peelings or apple cores in ditches and out on the streets," Theodore K. Ryan, saniturian, today requested.

"This is objectionable from the sanitary as well as from the costhetic stand-

point."

During the coming week, Mr. Myan announced, he will talk informally to the dishwashing personnel about the importance of their job and the proper technique on their work.

He added that the function of dishwashing, if properly done, is as important to health and welfare of the Center as any other job.

form the Auxiliary Po- "Fellows working in that capacity," he added, "should Capt. Edgar Edwards is be given a great deal of credit for their job."

NEED ANYTHING JUST VISIT THE CANTEEN

An enlarged canteen carrying commoditios from Co-ty's cosmotics to rezor blades was opened under army supervision on April 21. It will be open between the hours of 9:30 a.m. and 6 p.m. daily.

Liout. K. L. Dozoy, who is to be replaced next week by Liout. H. A. Todhuntor said that many articles, which are not displayed, aro available to Center custom-

ors.

Mrs. Josie Ikeda of the drug department disclosed that all baby nocessities including baby's camphorated oil and Johnson's baby powder are now available.

Also for laundry use are scaps in bar and chips , starch, Purex, and clothes-

pins.

Amone the food supplies are canned vogetable juices, fresh oranges and apples, pounuts, and varieties of bakery goods.

Looks have been ordered and are due to arrive in a few days. Girls were asked to name their preference for a loss expensive line of cosmetics by Mrs.

HIH (BABY BORN

Mrs. Tsuyo Honda, resident of the Santa Anita conter, gave birth to a baby girl at the Los angeles General hospital Tuesday.

Little Miss Honda has the distinction of being the "lucky seventh" among Babies born to Center resi-

WAREHOUSE

OPERATIONS TOLD

"The Supply and Warohouse division has been working long hours in or-lor that the residents of this Contor might have the proper facilities for sleeping, as well as for the maintonance of their homes, stated W. H. Barber, superintendent of this . dopartment.

In a statement made to the PACEMAKER ye sterday Barber expressed his appreciation to members of his division for the "splendid co-operation" he is receiv-

"It has been a revela-tion to me to see the manner in which they are tak-ing hold and their willingness to work long hours for the comfort of tho other residents of this Center.

"To cite an example, ono day 50 boys in this Conter volunteered to work at night on short notice and thoy, believe it or not, unloaded 300 tons of merchandise. That is, I believe, a record for the other Contors to shoot at"

The new warehouse on the infield is 925 feet long by 125 feet wide and has approximately 135,002 square feet of storage spago.

There are approximately 40,000 blankets, 16,000 cots, and 18,000 mattrosses in the Center as well as large supplies of brooms and budsets, according to Werehouse Superintendent Barber.

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Alions who have neglected to notify proper muthorities of their change of address of, were warned today that a seven penalty is attached to any violation of this

This was stressed by Shigekazu Sakaguchi who has volunteered his help to any-

one requesting it.

The Alien Registration
Act, 1940, requires all alion residents of the United States to report any change of address within five days of such change.

Many persons at Santa Aaita are still delinquent. according to the Alien Rogistration headquarters.

Those who have neglocted to file notices are subject to fines and/or imprisonment.

ors sign

Sign-up for junior boys softball (ages 12-16) commenced this morning, and is to be completed tomorrow at 10 a.m. Boys will sign up as individuals and not as teams.

After the sign-up is completed, boys will be divided into the districts in which they reside. district teams will form a loague which will get unlerway soon.

WEEKEND CHURCH SERVICE

Schedule for roligious services ranging over the week ond hold by various groups at the Center as released today by Everett G. Chapman, director of the Service department, follows:

Denomination Timo Location CHURCH SERVICES Seventh Day Adventist \$11 a.m. Grandstand Recreation hall Catholic 7 a.m. Holiness Association 8 a.m. Recreation hall Adult Federated Protestant 9:15 a.m. Recreation hall Young People's Federated Protestant 10:15 a.m. Rocrection hall

Buddhist 3 p.m. Rocreation hall SUNDAY SCHOOL Seventh Day Adventist #9:30 a.m. Grandstand Holiness Association 9:30 a.m. Grandstand Federated Protestant 8 a.m. Grandstand 1 p.m. Recreation hall *--Sorvices are on Saturday; all others are on Sunday.

MESS BUTTONS CAUSE BUTTONS, MESS

"Wear your mess buttons each meal," asked Al each mess for buttons." Fields, chief steward at the Blue mose today.

People are still moving without permission which is causing confusion, according to Alan A, Alexander, chief of the housing section.

permits To obtain movo, petitions must be secured in the Information office, Barrack 36, Room 3, Avenue 5.

Only the most urgent reasons have been accopted for moving.

lines will be checked at

"Wear your buttons in plain sight as this will "Beginning today, the holp spood up the lines at mess time and those withou. buttons should get one as OKAY that will be their pass to the moss hall to which they are assigned."

Buttons have been showing up at the wrong places, mess hall chiefs explained, resulting in the partial collapse of a hitherto efficiently functioning moss line.

The system of rotation of seating according to the capacity of the various mess halls, if everyone co-operates, will automatically reduce the time of waiting in line, and increase the officiency of the personnol.

The recreation field, loated on the Anita Chiquita crack, is rapidly being transformed into a hup athletic field. Several softdiamonds are in use

today.

Basketball courts, football fields, horseshoe pits, and volleyball courts will be ready for use in the near future.



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More children in the five to twelve years of age group are urged to attend the classes sponsored by the Recreation department.

Although approximately 370 youngstors are availing themselves of the advantages of organized recreation many more can be accommodated,

SSEI

Social clubs for seei men and women are being formed today and will begin meeting in the near future. An informal survey of the

issei is being made by Bill Saito, and he is urging all of them to attend the meetings.