

c/o W. W. Thorne
Broadmoor Hotel
Colorado Springs,
Co. Lo.
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Dear Mrs. Perry

Hello Mrs. Perry!

Well! they've finally
announced the official
closing date of the Amache
Relocation Center as Oct.
15, 1945. It looks like
Amache is the first center
in line to close.

I've just received a letter
from the folks and
we've decided to return
to Forestville. We figure
it will be around the
end of September or
thereabouts and could
you ask the folks now or
our place if they could
be looking around during
the next couple of months.
Please give them plenty
of time and if they aren't
able to locate a place by
the time we get back
it's ok and give them
time till they do as
we can always back

Temporarily in the
 packing shed or the barn.
 All in all I think home
 is best. I know that
 there is bound to be
 discrimination to some
 degree wherever we
 relocate and by golly, if
 we have to take it, we'd
 rather take it in our
 own home town.

I've done a lot of
 looking around for
 good housing and such but
 chances are slim.
 Nowadays housing comes
 first and that's next
 to impossible. There's houses
 here and there for sale
 but it'll be leased if
 there is a decent one
 for rent.

If we return, Uncle
 Johnny would like to
 also. He wondered
 how things were in
 regard to his place
 and was quite anxious
 to hear from you.

I've been hearing a
 lot of things about
 Barber not doing business

With hope seen etc and
sure hope Sebastopol is
O.K. ay

Gosh! things are sure
popping now days at Groceries.
Everybody seems excited
as heck and I know having
a place to go are OK but
believe me there are plenty
who don't know which
way to turn. When I
think of all this I'm
sure grateful that we
have a place to return.

I hear lots of families
are returning to Calif and
that sentiment is
improving. I certainly
hope Sebastopol will
follow too.

I've met a great many
Service men both from
the Pacific and European
Theaters while riding
on the train and boy's
and they really are
understanding of our
problems. In fact I
am inclined to think
they are a lot more
understanding than

a lot of civilians
 Gee! but it sure makes
 me so happy and
 glad inside to know
 that there are people
 who feel that way.

I guess I've told you
 the most important
 thing I had on mind
 so will be closing here.
 please let me know
 of any new developments
 and I will too. I sure
 hope everything will come
 out for the best.

Do take care of yourself
 and best regards to
 everyone from us all.

Very sincerely
 For Ed,