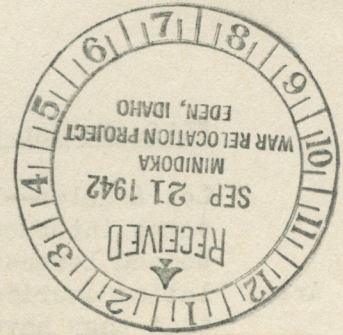


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"Beet Growers Ask for Japs"

Wyo. Sheridan (UP) --"Sheridan county is seeking to make arrangements for use of more than 500 West coast Japanese from the Heart Mountain camp near Cody to work during the sugar beet harvest starting late this month..."--Salt Lake Tribune, Sept. 13, p. 16A. #1549

"First Jap Evacuees Arrive At Center Near Abraham"

Ida. Delta--Feature story. "Two hundred and fifteen doctors, nurses, clerical workers make up vanguard of camp; 500 will follow daily after September 15... Construction at the center is not completed, but the units will be finished in advance of each group that arrives..." Outline of the life of the evacuees at the center; wages to be paid workers, and cost of food per day presented.--Salt Lake Tribune, Sept. 13, p. 15A. #1550

"U. S. Mistreats Evacuees, Tokyo Charges"

Japan SOMEWHERE IN AUSTRALIA (Enemy Origin) -- "For the third successive day, Radio Tokyo Saturday night assailed America's 'bankruptcy of human decency' because of the alleged mistreatment and torture of Japanese internees and evacuees. The charges against the U. S., played up as a contrast to the 'almost normal life' enjoyed by thousands of American and British prisoners in Japanese concentration camps in Shanghai, were aired in an English-language broadcast beamed to Australia... The broadcast warns that Japan is in a position to retaliate because of the large number of Americans held in occupied countries."--Salt Lake Tribune, Sept. 13, p. 5A. #1551



"Life in Jap Center Told"

Ariz. Los Angeles--Feature story. "Nisei in majority at Sacaton (Ariz.) camp; internees to till fields..." Gila River Relocation Project second largest of relocation projects. Sixty-five per cent of population American-born. "...My people, of course, can't help feeling that they have been dis-jointed from ordinary life; but most of them are glad to cooperate in any way with their country's war effort..." one block manager who had been there some time declared. Wages for workers, community government, and diet of evacuees outlined.--Los Angeles Times, Sept. 13, p. 8, part 2. #1552

"FBI Jails 40 For Violating Alien Curfew"

Calif. San Francisco--Thirty-one of those in custody are Italians and the remainder Germans. "They were picked up in Northern California, including nine in San Francisco, nine in Oakland, one in Berkeley and two in Albany... Those arrested were booked at the nearest county jail as 'enroute to the U. S. marshal,' to be removed for hearing before the enemy alien board..."--San Francisco Call-Bulletin, Sept. 17, p. 1, col. 1. #1553

"Prepare Further Action Against Two Japanese"

Calif. San Francisco--"...Mrs. Suku Itashiki, 50, and Tyusaburo Ito, 57, who were removed from the Tanforan assembly center on Wednesday and placed in the San Mateo County Jail as 'potentially dangerous.' Both, it is expected, will be sent to internment camp. Mrs. Itashiki taught in a Japanese language school and worked on a Japanese language newspaper in San Francisco; she made several visits to Japan and was commended by Premier Tojo, according to government agents. Ito, holder of degrees from two universities in Alabama, worked for many years as a farm laborer in California and reported regularly to the Japanese consulate. Recently, he was vice president of the Japanese Association in Oakland and collected funds for the Japanese Army and Navy Society. He is an expert on ballistics and explosives, government agents said."--San Francisco Examiner, Sept. 18, p. 6, col. 2; San Francisco Chronicle, Sept. 18, p. 6, col. 2. #1554

"Japs From Alien Camps To Harvest Beet Crops"

Colo. Denver (INS) -- "Government officials announced today that final plans have been approved for employment of workers of Japanese ancestry in harvesting sugar beets in certain areas of Colorado, Montana, and Nebraska..." Harvest season expected to open in 10 days or two weeks. Joseph H. Smart, regional director of the WRA, announced that recruiting of Japanese laborers had started at the Heart Mountain, Wyo., and Granada, Colo., relocation centers. "The Governors of Colorado, Montana, and Nebraska and community officials certified the Japanese work-



ers were welcome and that law and order will be maintained..."--San Francisco Examiner, Sept. 18, p. 6, col. 1. #1555

"520 Santa Anita Japs Off to Camp"

Los Angeles (AP) -- The Japanese evacuees will go to the Granada Calif. Relocation Center. "They were the first contingent of 3,000 Japs to be moved to the Colorado WRA Project, leaving about 13,000 still at Santa Anita."--San Francisco Examiner, Sept. 18, p. 6, col. 6. #1556

"200 Aliens Seized In Southern California"

Los Angeles (INS) -- "...Those arrested, charged with various infractions of the regulations governing aliens, are being held in internment camps pending action by the Federal Grand Jury, the Alien Control Board or the U. S. Atty.'s Office..."--San Francisco Examiner, Sept. 18, p. 6, col. 3. #1557

"Interned Japanese To Become Priest"

Seattle (INS) -- Mitsuo Joseph Kitagawa, Japanese Episcopal deacon in an internment camp in Sante Fe, N. M., "will be ordained at the internment camp Monday by the Rt. Rev. S. Arthur Huston, bishop of Olympia, Wash., diocese."--San Francisco Examiner, Sept. 18, p. 13, col. 4. #1558