

Survey of Apartments
& Monthly Reports

MONTHLY REPORT

For Month Ending January 31 1945

HOUSING
Center Minidoka

NO. IN EACH ROOM	EVACUEES FOR WHOM HOUSING RESERVED <u>1</u>	TOTAL ROOMS	SIZE OF ROOM									
			8X20	12X20	14X20	16X20	20X20	24X20	28X20	32X20	36X20	40X20
A. ROOMS USED FOR EVACUEE HOUSING												
TOTAL		2430		125	249	877	615	558		6		
1		166		47	48	53	11	7				
2		849		77	183	483	71	35				
3		574		1	16	296	176	85				
4		443			2	36	261	144				
5		258				9	93	155		1		
6		105					3	99		3		
7		33						31		2		
8		2						2				
9												
10												
Population		7525										

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B. ROOMS USED FOR OTHER THAN EVACUEE HOUSING												
TOTAL	242		15	5	82	73	67					
SCHOOL	144		4		46	48	46					
CHURCH	15		1		4	5	5					
BLK. MGR. OFFICE	10				10							
RECREATION	14			2	4	5	3					
BUSINESS ENT.	22		5		7	6	4					
MEDICAL	3					1	2					
ADMIN. OFFICE	25		4		8	7	6					
AP HOUSING												
STORAGE												
MISC. TEMP.	1				1							
Hostel	8		1	3	2	1	1					
C. ROOMS VACANT												
TOTAL	129		6	24	48	27	22		2			
D. ROOMS CONSTRUCTED OR MODIFIED FOR HOUSING <u>2</u>												
TOTAL	2801		146	278	1007	715	647		8			

1/ Total this column should equal Resident Population as reported on Form WRA-176 for last day of month plus those persons on temporary leave for whom housing has been reserved.

2/ The sum of Parts A, B and C shall equal D, i.e., the total number of rooms constructed or modified for housing.

NARRATIVE REPORT: (Use space below or a separate sheet to be attached to this report for comments on significant developments in the field of housing at the center during the month; explanations of apparent discrepancies in space assignment; number of persons and families living in rooms not originally constructed or subsequently modified for evacuee housing; additional rooms made available through partitioning; reasons for increase or decrease in number of vacant rooms; number of rooms being shared by two or more basic family units where deemed inadivisable; suggestions and recommendations.)

E. Size of families at Center.

F. Rooms occupied by more than one family.

<u>Person in family</u>	<u>No. of families</u>	<u>No. of persons in the room</u>	<u>No. of rooms</u>
Total	2856	Total	274
1 person	841	Sub "	88
2 persons	802		186
3 "	496	2	64
4 "	338	3	28
5 "	195	4	63
6 "	99	5	29
7 "	44	6	2
8 "	23	7	3
9 "	6		
10 "	8		
11 "	3		
12 "	1		

Population 7525

The population in January has increased over that in December 1944 by 39 due to residents returning from Seasonal Leave. The number of visitors also has increased greatly. Total visitors of this Project are 817 persons from January 12 to January 31. In the Hostel alone there were approximately 548 during the month.

During this month, we have assigned 3 apartments to each minister for special services, Church Library purposes, and 5 apartments to Community Activity Section for Recreational purposes.

Muna Housing Supervisor

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TO: Gate

FROM: Housing

Temporary visitors:

If they have no permit, send them to permit section. Send them to Housing Office for bedding, and also for room assignment if they have no friends or relatives with whom to stay.

Internees, Transferees, and New Colonists:

Room assignments and bedding deliveries will have been made. Please direct them to the address on the memo we will send you in advance.

Work Furlough Returns:

Send to Leaves and Furloughs for induction and to turn in the pass. Direct to Housing office for bedding delivery and room assignment if necessary.

Information on visitors:

1. Name
2. Name of host and address
3. Length of stay

I am sorry that you have to leave
Housing on account of your father's illness. Thank
you ^{very much} for helping our department, especially when
the manpower shortage is so acute, and being
of great benefit to the residents of the Project.

You are greatly progressing in your
typing, and I do hope that you will
keep up your typing whenever time permits.
Good Luck to You

W.R.A. RELOCATION CENTER
HOUSING MONTHLY REPORT

January 31, 1945

A. Rooms used for Evacuee Housing

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B. Rooms used for other than Evacuee Housing

Total	242	15	5	82	73	67	
School	144	4	0	46	48	46	
Church	15	1	0	4	5	5	
Blk. M. Office	10	0	0	10	0	0	
Recreation	14	0	2	4	5	3	
Business							
Ent.	22	5	0	7	6	4	
Medical	3	0	0	0	1	2	
Adm. Office	25	4	0	8	7	6	
Model Apt.	1	0	0	1	0	0	
Hostel	8	1	3	2	1	1	

C. Rooms Vacant

Total	129	6	24	48	27	22	2
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D. Rooms constructed or modified for Housing

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E. Size of families at Center

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Hitoshi Miura
Housing Supervisor

The proposed transfer of property distribution and accountability is to become effective when the Welfare Section moves into its new quarters. In the future the Housing Unit, which will move with Welfare, will be responsible only for housing assignments, adjustments, and approval of movings.

Counselor

WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

MINIDOKA PROJECT

(Transferees admitted during the years 1942--1944)

By Housing Records

January 15, 1945

	Population
Puyallup Assembly Center August 9--Sept. 12, '42	7135
North Portland Assembly Center Sept. 6--Sept. 10, '42	2317
Other Estimated Admittances in 1942	50
Manzanar Relocation Center Feb. 26, '43	193
Tulelake Center Sept. 25--Sept. 30, '43	1558
Tulelake Center November 12, '43	102
Alaskan Internees from Santa Fe December 6, 1943	44
Admittances during 1944	188
Transfers from TuleLake Center on Seasonal leave to this project August 5, 1944	84
Births during 1942--1944	402
Total Admittances	<u>12073</u>
Deaths during 1942--1944	126
Marriages during 1942--1944	128

MINIDOKA RELOCATION CENTER

Monthly Reports

<u>Date</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Total apts.</u>	<u>Evacuee occupy</u>	<u>Other occupy</u>	<u>Vacant apts.</u>	<u>Total families</u>
Aug. 31, 1943	7714	2731	2258	222	251	2613
Oct. 30, 1943	7052	2729	2486	215	28	2863
Nov. 30, 1943	8667	2729	2510	214	5	3072
Dec. 31, 1943	8992	2729	2511	214	4	3165
Jan. 31, 1944	8928	2732	2509	213	10	3152
Feb. 28, 1944	8796	2736	2509	213	14	3063
Mar. 31, 1944	8611	2743	2503	212	28	3049
April 29, 1944	8346	2752	2433	212	57	3019
May 31, 1944	7755	2767	2435	219	113	2847
June 30, 1944	7389	2779	2414	217	148	2809
July 31, 1944	7184	2789	2401	217	171	2785
Aug. 31, 1944	7290	2801	2400	220	181	2765
Sept. 30, 1944	6893	2799	2382	219	198	2736
Oct. 31, 1944	6480	2801	2371	219	211	2592
Nov. 30, 1944	7383	2801	2420	228	153	2854
Dec. 30, 1944	7486	2801	2435	234	132	2879
Jan. 31, 1945	7525	2801	2430	242	129	2856

MONTHLY REPORT

(Block 1-10)

Minidoka

<u>Date</u>	<u>Total apts.</u>	<u>Population</u>	<u>Vacant apts.</u>	<u>Evacuee occupy</u>	<u>Other occupy</u>	<u>Total families</u>
Aug. 31, 1943	682	1930	82	550	50	717
Oct. 9, 1943	682	2287	3	636	43	820
Oct. 30, 1943	682	2032	9	630	43	795
Nov. 30, 1943	682	2191	2	637	43	833
Dec. 31, 1943	682	2270	3	636	43	846
Jan. 31, 1944	684	2244	3	638	43	842
Feb. 29, 1944	686	2198	9	634	43	834
March 31, 1944	690	2155	14	633	43	812
April 30, 1944	693	2092	21	629	43	804
May 31, 1944	702	1973	30	622	50	768
June 30, 1944	702	1868	40	614	48	746
July 31, 1944	704	1840	41	615	48	746
Aug. 31, 1944	706	1879	40	615	51	744
Sept. 30, 1944	706	1772	50	606	50	729
Oct. 31, 1944	706	1693	52	604	50	728
Nov. 30, 1944	706	1916	28	626	52	773
Dec. 30, 1944	706	1927	25	627	54	781

Center Population
VACANT APARTMENTS

December 29, 1944

Blk.	Capacity				Blk.	Capacity				
	2	3	5	7		2	3	5	7	8
1					24					241
2					26					228
3					28					211
4					29					227
5					30					223
6					31					239
7					32	1-3-5-	52			113
8					34	7-9-11	61			249
10	1-3-5	63			35					237
	7-9-11	67			36					226
12					37					232
13					38					233
14					39					253
15					40					189
16					41					236
17					42					211
19					44					198
21										
22	2-4-6	50								
	8-10-12	52								7499

Apts. assigned, moves not completed
 Apts. for visitors temporarily
 Apts. for hospital: Unoccupied
 Number of unauthorized moves

Visitors at Block #5 Hostel
 Average December 20-24

Total

28

Apts. Available for Housing Use Today

Overcrowded apartments
 No. of guests cared for during week
 Property movement

Issued Returned

Blankets
 Cots. S.
 " C.
 Mattresses

Monthly Report

HOUSING

Center MINIDOKA

For Month Ending DEC. 30, 1944

Size of Room	Total	8x20	12x20	14x20	16x20	20x20	24x20	28x20	32x20	36x20	40x20
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A. NUMBER ROOMS ORIGINALLY CONSTRUCTED OR MODIFIED FOR EVACUEE HOUSING:

Total* Rooms	8x20	12x20	14x20	16x20	20x20	24x20	28x20	32x20	36x20	40x20
2801		146	278	1007	715	647		8		

B. NUMBER ROOMS OCCUPIED BY EVACUEES FOR HOUSING:

	Total* Rooms	8x20	12x20	14x20	16x20	20x20	24x20	28x20	32x20	36x20	40x20
Number	2435		127	252	875	614	561		6		
Persons	188		48	51	56	28	5				
In Room	873		79	185	472	101	36				
	612			16	302	202	92				
	416				39	222	155				
	211				6	59	145		1		
	103					2	98		3		
	30						28		21		
	21						21				
<i>Population</i>		7486									

C. NUMBER ROOMS USED FOR OTHER THAN EVACUEE HOUSING:

	Total* Rooms	8x20	12x20	14x20	16x20	20x20	24x20	28x20	32x20	36x20	40x20
U School	234		16	4	80	71	63				
Church	144		4		46	48	46				
Blk. Mgr. Office	121		1		3	5	3				
Recreation	10				10						
Business Ent.	9		1	1	3	3	1				
Medical	32		5		7	6	4				
Admin. Office	3				1	1	2				
AP Housing	25		4		8	7	6				
HOSTEL	8		1	3	2	1	1				
MODEL APT.	1				1						

D. NUMBER OF ROOMS VACANT:

Total* Rooms	8x20	12x20	14x20	16x20	20x20	24x20	28x20	32x20	36x20	40x20
132		3	21	20	21	50	30	21		21

*The sum of B, C, and D will equal A.

E. SIZE OF FAMILIES* AT CENTER

Persons in Family*	No. of Families
TOTAL	<u>2879</u>
1 person	<u>877</u>
2 persons	<u>788</u>
3 "	<u>510</u>
4 "	<u>341</u>
5 "	<u>183</u>
6 "	<u>106</u>
7 "	<u>37</u>
8 "	<u>20</u>
9 "	<u>7</u>
10 "	<u>6</u>
11 "	<u>2</u>
12 "	<u>2</u>

Population 7486

F. ROOMS OCCUPIED BY MORE THAN ONE FAMILY*

Number Persons in Room	Number of Rooms
	<u>269</u>
4	79
2	190
3	67
4	37
5	21
6	12
7	5
8	4

*TOTAL
SUB TOTAL*

190 EACH.

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January 3, 1945

The project population has increased now on account of seasonal workers returning to this project but we have sufficient apartments and still have vacancy as indicated on the monthly report. The remaining population is indicated as follows:

January	8928	July	7184
February	8796	August	7290
March	8611	September	6893
April	8346	October	6957
May	7755	November	7383
June	7389	December	7486

During the period from January 17 to August 26 of the past year the total number of apartments increased were 72 apartments due to partitioning. This brings an increase of 144 apartments, size 14' x 20' and 72 apartments, size 16' x 20' and a decrease of 72 apartments, size 20' x 20' and 72 apartments, size 24' x 20'.

Five vacant rooms have been assigned temporarily to young peoples club, social meetings, recreation facilities and for the supervision of the Block Commissioners. Six vacant apartments have been assigned temporarily to the Buddhist Church for their office.

Our Hostel procedure seems to be acceptable to visitors. During the Christmas season we had 31 visitors averaging a day.

During the past year we had assigned 169 apartments to new colonists coming to this project, 25 married couples and to 72 hospital cases and social reasons.

We have moved 904 families to different apartments due to partitioning and residents request. Total assignments of 1882 were made.

The persons cleared to leave this project from the Property section of Housing are as follows:

Indefinite Leaves	1352	people
Seasonal Leaves	2872	"
Short Term Leaves	5027	"
Hospital Case	25	"
Trial Indefinite	75	"
Indefinite to Army	210	boys
Transfer to other		
R. C. and Crystal City	145	people
Government Detention	35	"

WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY
MINIDOKA PROJECT
REPORT OF HOUSING OFFICE
DECEMBER, 1944

January 10, 1945

The population in December increased over that in November by 103 owing to residents returning from seasonal leave. The number of visitors also increased greatly. In the Hostel alone there was an aggregate of 697 during the month, and it is estimated that the aggregate of those accommodated in the apartments of relatives and friends was twice that number. A new plan has been devised for more accurate reporting to the Housing Office when visitors are admitted to the Center.

The policy of allowing an additional room each to ministers for special services, and to the Community Activities Section for recreational purposes, has continued.

Two blocks are scheduled for closing this month in conformity with instructions that the mess halls in all blocks having an occupancy of less than 125 are to be closed.

WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY
MINIDOKA PROJECT
REPORT OF HOUSING UNIT
NOVEMBER 1944

12-8-1944

The housing situation has become much more satisfactory to evacuees during the past few months. Owing to our policy of allowing families, having absent members to remain in their apartments until the rooms are needed for larger families, many families are occupying rooms larger than the prescribed sizes. An additional room is being assigned, for professional purposes, to each minister who requests it - in his respective block. Also, rooms are being assigned for recreational purposes whenever the need is established and a responsible leader appointed.

Bachelors who prefer to live with a smaller group than ordinarily occupies Bachelor Quarters are being assigned to the smaller rooms and some of the very large families are occupying two small rooms instead of one large room. In some instances, the family is occupying one room, and an ill member is isolated in the smaller of the two rooms.

The partitioning of barracks has been deferred to give precedence to other work in the Operations Division, but to date we have not exhausted all our small rooms.

The number of visitors is increasing - as is customary during the winter months particularly at Christmas time. Because of this increase, we have assigned another caretaker, temporarily, to the Hostel.

The Block Clerks - who have replaced the Block Managers - have taken over the distribution of small equipment such as brooms, mops, buckets and stove implements, but the Housing Office is still accounting for and distributing cots, mattresses and blankets. A meeting of the Assistant Project Directors and the Chairman of the Block Clerks is planned to decide upon the future handling of this material. The removal of accountability of these articles from the Housing Office will enable us to condense the Welfare Section to one barrack, thereby simplifying supervision, and the use of office machines, and telephones.

The supplementary report for October is attached.

Supplementary Report

November 16, 1944

(Oct. 22--Oct. 30)

Size of family at center

Persons in family (at Oct. 22)		<u>No. of family</u>	Persons in family (at Oct. 30)		<u>No. of family</u>
Total		448	Total		472
1 person		71	1 person		51
2 persons		143	2 persons		73
3 "		104	3 "		128
4 "		60	4 "		97
5 "		22	5 "		78
6 "		19	6 "		36
7 "		4	7 "		18
8 "		1	8 "		4
9 "		2	9 "		4
10 "		2	10 "		2
			11 "		1
Population		1287	Population		1780
Difference in population					493

Size of family at center
(Oct. 1--Oct. 30)

<u>Persons in Family</u>	<u>No. of Family</u>
Total	2617
1 person	631
2 persons	809
3 "	535
4 "	328
5 "	187
6 "	73
7 "	23
8 "	7
9 "	6
10 "	6
11 "	2

Population

6957

Monthly Report

HOUSING

Center MINIDOKA

For Month Ending Oct. 31, 1944

Size of Room	Total	8x20	12x20	14x20	16x20	20x20	24x20	28x20	32x20	36x20	40x20
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B. NUMBER ROOMS OCCUPIED BY EVACUEES FOR HOUSING:

Total* Rooms	2371	122	229	868	597	549	6
Number 1	285	52	57	117	36	23	
Persons 2	939	68	162	487	140	80	2
In Room 3	573	21	10	233	182	145	1
4	359			29	194	136	
5	146			21	41	102	
6	51				3	46	2
7	18					17	1
8							
Population		6480					

C. NUMBER ROOMS USED FOR OTHER THAN EVACUEE HOUSING:

Total* Rooms	219	14	3	76	65	61
School	144	4		46	48	46
Church	7			2	3	2
Blk.Mgr.Office	10			10		
Recreation						
Business Ent.	22	5		7	6	4
Medical	3				1	2
Admin. Office	25	4		8	7	6
AP Housing						
HOSTEL	7	1	3	2		1
MODEL APT.	1			1		

D. NUMBER OF ROOMS VACANT:

Total* Rooms	211	10	6/40	13/50	7/46	5/32	2
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RED mark indicates person not in Project but occupying that Apts.

*The sum of B, C, and D will equal A.

E. SIZE OF FAMILIES* AT CENTER

<u>Persons in Family*</u>	<u>No. of Families</u>
TOTAL	<u>2592</u>
1 person	<u>671</u>
2 persons	<u>879</u>
3 "	<u>511</u>
4 "	<u>311</u>
5 "	<u>131</u>
6 "	<u>61</u>
7 "	<u>14</u>
8 "	<u>4</u>
9 "	<u>4</u>
10 "	<u>5</u>
11 "	<u>1</u>

Population 6480

F. ROOMS OCCUPIED BY MORE THAN ONE FAMILY*

<u>Number Persons in Room</u>	<u>Number of Rooms</u>
	TOTAL <u>205</u>
1	SUBTOTAL <u>51</u> 154 BACH
2	<u>53</u>
3	<u>21</u> 39
4	<u>17</u> 38
5	<u>9</u> 19
6	<u>21</u> 5
7	<u>2</u>
8	

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WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY
MINIDOKA PROJECT
REPORT OF HOUSING UNIT
SEPTEMBER 1944

October 5, 1944

The two main problems in relation to housing have not been settled, as yet. A meeting is to be called by the Assistant Project Director in Charge of Community Management for the purpose of clarifying the procedure in regard to the care of housing property, and the padlocking of empty rooms. The new Property Control Officer, and the Assistant Project Director in Charge of Administration will be included in the attendance at this meeting.

Since the Block Managers positions were abolished Sept. 30th, a plan providing for the new Block Clerks to distribute equipment in their respective blocks may be considered. We understand, from reports of our Property Control Officer, that such a plan is operating satisfactorily at Tule Lake and at least one other center. This plan would require the padlocking of vacant rooms.

Owing to the large number of requests from evacuee ministers, teachers, etc, for separate rooms for professional purposes, we have been unable to accommodate this group, but we are trying to assign at least one room in each block for recreation.

Our recreation barracks are under the jurisdiction of Community Activities Section, and most of them are in use as store rooms, libraries, or for other limited activities. During September plans have been made to release seven (one in each section) of these barracks for recreation, but for small groups meeting simultaneously with the larger ones, a housing unit in each block is being assigned.

MINNESOTA WAR RELOCATION PROJECT
HOUSING REPORT
AUGUST 1944

Sept. 5, 1944

The partitioning program has been continued - five and a half barracks being partitioned during August - giving us a gain of eleven 2-3-person apartments, but a loss of eleven 7 person apartments. The work is being temporarily interrupted while the carpenters are working on a vegetable cellar for the Project farm.

Owing to the need for smaller apartments we are recommending the continuance of the partitioning program. Families are decreasing in size because of relocation, selective service, marriages, etc. About 50 apartments are occupied by individuals for health and social reasons, and bachelors are eager to be transferred from large bachelor quarters into smaller apartments where they will not be obliged to live in close contact with so many people. Also ministers whose partitioners make frequent visits to their homes are asking for a small adjoining apartment in order to avoid annoyance to their families. At present we have 1427 apartments to be used for these purposes, and at least 1488 families and individuals - other than bachelors - desiring them. We find also that large families usually prefer two adjoining small rooms to one large room.

At present we have no two families living together - except those who are doing so by their own choice - and all newly weds are now being assigned to separate apartments. However, we shall not be able to accommodate others who desire small rooms until we can determine whether or not there will be any available after the 893 seasonal workers return this fall.

Many families which have been reduced in size are still occupying large rooms with the understanding that they will not be required to move unless their apartments are needed for larger families.

Sheets, pillow slips, and pillows have been obtained for the use of visitors - who formerly were supplied with only a cot and a blanket. The laundering of bed linen will be done at the Project Hospital. Facilities are being arranged for the airing of blankets and pillows by the Hostel Caretaker.

The vermin-infested barracks, previously reported, have been fumigated by the Sanitary Engineer. Arrangements have been made for prompt attention to this menace in the future.

We are requisitioning padlocks for all empty apartments and other vacant barracks. It has been reported frequently that these vacant rooms contribute to the problem of delinquency among both the young and adults.

The staff of the Housing Unit has been decreased in recent months from thirteen to nine, but in view of the return of nearly 900 people from Seasonal Leave, we are considering the appointment of two Sr. Housing Clerks - one for the supervision of the clerical staff, and the other to replace a member of the original housing "board".

When Mr. Roy Miller was here recently, he examined and approved the clerical procedures in the Housing Unit, but indicated that the unit was doing two extraneous jobs: a. Distribution of and accounting for government housing property which responsibility, we understand, belongs to the Property Control Unit; b. Certain statistics which he feels are the responsibility of the Statistical Section. We are endeavoring to have all extraneous functions transferred to their respective sections.

September 1, 1944

HOUSING

I. Partitioning.

The project population has increased to 106 persons on account of seasonal workers coming back during the slack season. Five and a half barracks have been partitioned during the months so there is an increase of 22, 2 person apartments, and 11, 3 person apartments. On the other hand 11, 5 person apartments and 11, 7 person apartments have decreased. The total number of increase of apartments are 11 apartments. Original partitioning program is 67½ barracks and 36 barracks have been partitioned at the present time. Carpenters' are doing carpentry work at the farm cell so they will not partition any more barracks for a month or so.

II. Reason for continuation of partitioning.

- A. This project has 1314 2 or 3 person families and social and hospital cases which one person are occupying 2 or 3 persons apartments. This numbers about 50 apartments. Ninety-four apartments are occupied by schools, canteens, churches, etc. We have 1458 number of 2 or 3 person apartments necessary to accommodate families for the above reasons. The project has 1427 number of 2 or 3 person apartments (of which 146 are really too small for 2 persons families to live in). That will be a shortage of 31 apartments to accommodate the above families.
- B. Members of families are relocating increasing two or three person families.
- C. Married couples, births and transferees are increasing.
- D. This fall 898 seasonal workers are expected to come back to this project. We have considered it as some of the 2 or 3 person families.
- E. If possible we would like to divide bachelors in small apartments for social reasons.
- F. Now we have 127, 7 person apartments used for bachelor quarters which 444 bachelors are living in those apartments.

III. We have 2 board members terminated in June and July leaving only 2 members instead of 4 which are composed of the original Board. Housing supervisor transferred in May which Housing is in need of a board member or supervisor. Also we are in need of one Property Account Clerk. There are two girls working as part-time workers.

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Another member of the Housing Board terminated his services in July leaving only two men in place of the four who composed the original board. The Property Clerk, and another clerical work also terminated to go out on seasonal leave. The Counselor's Office has found it necessary to loan one stenographer to the Housing Unit. A swamper assigned to Housing by Property Control also terminated during the month.

The responsibility for the issuing and collecting of Housing equipment: cots, blankets, brooms, buckets, mops, etc., and removal of household goods from one apartment to another still remains with the Welfare Section, and all goods issued are charged to the Counselor. To date no plan has been made for the transference of this responsibility to another section.

No provision has been made for fumigation of apartments infected with vermin.

We have been unable to obtain padlocks for vacant apartments although it is reported that vacant rooms are complicating the problem of delinquency.

One vacant room has been assigned, temporarily, to a Boy Scout troop which work at making model airplanes, under the supervision of the Block Manager.

We should like to have advice on the necessity and desirability of continuing the partitioning program. The work is proceeding slowly because of the shortage of carpenters. Five and one-half barracks were partitioned during July. This completes nearly half the partitioning program. To date the gain has been 62 additional 2 and 3 person rooms. Thirty-six more barracks are still to be partitioned.

The purpose of the partitioning was to provide space for doubled up families and to be prepared for mass transfers from other centers. The first of these purposes has been accomplished, and there are a few excess rooms. Could you tell us whether or not we need to prepare for a mass transfer?

Although families are not being forced to move into rooms of prescribed sizes (see Irrigator clipping attached), the prospect of moving when the size of the family is reduced is a deterrent to relocation. There are also dissatisfactions over the different policies governing housing reservations for volunteers, and men joining the army through Selective Service. An early promise to volunteers that their families would not be moved into smaller quarters when they went into service reserves space for them while the families of those being called through Selective Service are expected to move into smaller rooms when their apartments are needed for families of the prescribed size. Unless we can be assured enough

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apartments to be able to extend the same privilege to families having men in military service we do not see how to meet our present problem for we do not feel that we can retract a promise made to volunteers.

We were unable to release steel cots for use at Tule Lake since so many of our people are still using canvas cots. We endeavor to reserve steel cots for the sick and aged, as there are not enough to provide one for everybody.

copy from Minidoka Irrigator July 22, 1944

FITE CLARIFIES HOUSING PROGRAM
OF PARTITIONING

To accommodate bachelors in smaller rooms instead of crowding five and six in a large room; to relieve doubled up families; to give married couples their own apartments; and to be prepared for emergency transfers, the partitioning of barracks into smaller quarters is being conducted, according to Miss A. Lidie Fite, senior counselor.

This center was unable to accommodate transferees from the Jerome relocation center last month when that center closed because housing for local residents was not adjusted. But in order to be prepared for such an emergency in the future, the Housing Office is attempting to adjust families to rooms of prescribed sizes.

"We are not asking people to move out of their quarters unless their places are actually needed for larger families," Miss Fite stated. "But" she added, "if they move when the size of the family is reduced, they will not have to make hurried movements when an emergency calls for larger rooms."

"Until April of this year there were a number of instances in which two families were living in one room, but now with half of the partitioning completed there are no two families occupying a single apartment except by their own choice," Miss Fite said.

Residents who wish further information on the Housing adjustments should contact the Housing or Counselor's office.

MONTHLY REPORT

June 30, 1944

The Project Population has continued to decrease and the number of vacant rooms has increased. Recreation Halls 39 and 41 were vacated this month, so we now have families living in Recreation Halls.

In the first month of operation, our new hostile procedure seems to be more acceptable to visitor as they now have more privacy.

Fumigation in Block 44 has been delayed and there have been additional complaints from residents. At present, the Operations Division is waiting for delivery of necessary materials.

The new gate procedure has been instituted, and as no building was provided, the Housing Office will not be moved from its present location.

One member of the Housing Board left this month and was replaced by a Housing Investigator, Class B. A second member of the Board will leave this month. We have not found a replacement for the Housing Supervisor but have replaced the Secretary to the Board.

The partitioning program has proceeded slowly as only one crew has been working. We have requested padlocks for our Vacant apartments, but the Engineering Section has not yet decided whether or not they can release these locks to the Housing Office. We have received reports that vacant rooms are entered and used without our knowledge. Socially, it is desirable that these rooms be locked and also that the government property in them be protected.

MONTHLY REPORT

May 31, 1944

The center population has continued to decrease this month. The partitioning program was accelerated, as two crews were working instead of one. We gained 56 smaller rooms losing 41 larger rooms. We still have 18 doubled-up families, but all of these families have been offered separate rooms and hence are living this way by choice. We had hoped to clear Recreation Halls 39 and 41 but the evacuees living there have been very reluctant to move. We feel sure that they will find suitable housing early this month and move.

Our Hostel in Recreation Hall No. 5 has been discontinued, as Community Activities has requested the return of this building. We are using vacant rooms in Block 5 for visitors. Our former hostel caretaker, Mrs. Nitta, is supervising these rooms and is responsible for the housing property issued to these visitors. We feel this arrangement is more satisfactory, as it enables small family groups to have individual rooms, and the single visitors to have more privacy.

The Operations Division has indicated that they will assist in providing partitions and separate lights in the bachelors' quarters. We are starting this month to permit bachelors to live in 3-person rooms. We have had many requests that smaller groups of men be permitted to live together, and when partitioning is completed, we should have a surplus of 3-person (16' x 20') rooms.

We have had one fire in a bachelor apartment this month, which destroyed 4 blankets and 1 mattress. It was felt that the fire may have been caused by overloading of the single electric outlet in this room.

The residents of Block 44 have requested that barracks 2 and 8 in their block be thoroughly fumigated for "bedbugs." The Engineering Section with the assistance of the Sanitation Engineer is taking steps to fumigate these barracks.

The new gate procedures have been discussed with Statistics, Relocation, and Internal Securities offices. If a separate building is available, we plan to move the Housing Office to the gate from Block 22.

We lost the secretary to the Housing Board this month, when she transferred to another section. Two of our Housing Board members are leaving early in June on seasonal leave. We still have not replaced the Housing Supervisor, whom we lost last month. These personnel losses and the new gate procedure will

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May 31, 1944

necessitate a reorganization of our Housing Section.

We have been accepting transfers from other centers for the past month, since we have housing available. We are using this period of housing surplus to make readjustments that were impossible earlier. We still need more time to readjust our housing here before we will be in a position to take in any more large groups of people

MONTHLY REPORT

April 29, 1944

The Project population has continued to decrease. Our housing situation is easing and we have 57 vacant rooms. The partitioning program has continued and we gained 24 smaller rooms at a cost of 15 larger rooms for a net gain of 9 rooms. All the materials for this program are available and it is proceeding on schedule. By next month we will have everyone out of the Recreational Halls and the number of doubled up families will be reduced to those who do not wish to separate and have the consent of the Counselor's Office to remain together.

You will not that we do not have many small rooms vacant. We are still under considerable pressure from residents to provide small rooms for older men and women. At present we do not allow single person to live in small room unless they have a medical or social reason for doing so.

We lost a housing supervisor Mr. Hikida, and have not been able to replace him. Mr. Miura of the Housing Board is temporarily acting as supervisor. Our Housing moves and property pick-up have been seriously delayed by lack of adequate swamper. We hope that this situation will be improved soon.

MONTHLY REPORT

March 31, 1944

With approach of Agricultural activities in this locality the population of this project is constantly decreasing. However, this does not exactly relieve the crowded housing situation in any greater degree, due to the facts that most of the Indefinite leaves are either Bachelors or younger generation, who is a part of the family.

The number of doubled up families is being decreased little by little. We still have one family at the Recreation Hall and nine Bachelors at another Recreation Hall as is shown in this report.

During the period of one month, we have gained twelve (12) 14' x 20' apartments and six (6) 16' x 20' apartments through recent partitioning. However, at the same time, we had to lose six (6) 20' x 20' and five (5) 24' x 20' apartments on making above net gain of 7 apartments.

The figure indicated the vacancy of 28 apartments of various size but this does not help in solving present Housing situation because of the fact that these vacant apartments are not in condition to be occupied mainly lack of chimney. While other vacant apartment are to be reserved for the purpose of adjustment of those whose apartments are to be partitioned.

The partitioning works is under way, however, lack of supplies such as the chimney jackets has considerably slowed the Housing adjustment.

As previously requested, we strongly urge that the authority should take very serious consideration and cooperate in expediting in supplying us necessary material to complete this partitioning job.

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Minidoka

February 28, 1944

Total apartments.....	2736	Occupied apartments.....	2509
Vacant apartments.....	14	Occupied by others.....	213
Total families.....	3063	Total population.....	8796

The number of population remaining in the project is constantly decreasing as it is shown in this report, but it has not been effected in relieving the crowded housing condition as yet. There are still as many doubled up families in the project now as there were in the previous report. This indicates that the number of indefinite leaves is mainly of bachelor's, and no great number of families are relocating. However, these families who lived in the recreation halls are reduced two at the present time.

During the period of past one month, the total number of apartments was gained by 4 by partitioning, resulting in an increase of eight in 14' x 20' size apartment, and four additional 16' x 20' size apartments and decreasing by four in the size of 20' x 20' and another four in size of 24' x 20'.

The figures show that there are 14 vacant apartments; however this does not mean that the housing situation is relieved because 4 apartments of this 14 vacancies are not in the condition to be occupied due to no installation of chimney, and others are kept for both the adjustment of those who are effected by partitioning and the requirements strongly insisted by the carpenter crews for their work space. The carpenters always insist that they have an adjacent apartment be vacated where they wish to work, otherwise they are not willing to cooperate with the Housing.

The partitioning work is under way, but facing the same difficulties due to shortage of available vacancies and lack of necessary materials supplied on hand, including the chimney jackets it has been a slow process.

It has been the experience in the past that the movement of the people will be much harder after they start working on their gardens. In view of the fact that this partitioning work is an immediate necessity, we would like to push through without losing any more time. Therefore, we strongly recommend at this time that the authority should take serious considerations and furnish necessary materials as soon as possible to finish the job.

MONTHLY REPORT

January 31, 1944

After taking the careful method of handling people, the work of partitioning of barracks was commenced on Jan. 17, 1944 and the work is well under way very satisfactorily with the completion of one whole barrack in Block 2, and half completion of 2 barracks, one each in Blocks 24 & 13, with resulting 4 new apartments of 2 or 3 persons capacity increased. This means lifting up some unnecessary hardship placed upon the families who had been compelled to live with the strangers in doubling up.

Daily statistical reports show that the total population remains in the Center is decreasing constantly, but in reality this does not effect as much as the numbers of indefinite leaves indicate due to at least two main reasons: First, a number of the families relocating is very small, and most of the persons now leaving the Center is the member of family, otherwise a bachelor. Second, the constant releases of those parolees whose wives are living in the women bachelors quarters require an additional apartment at each arrival of those parolees in this Center.

It has been noticed that the figures shown on the housing report indicate the increase of smaller families is exceeding the decrease of larger families. For example number of 2 person families has increased by 22 families. This indication and with the figure of families are still doubled up and families are still living in the recreational halls as reported previously require the greater number of smaller apartments to be built

The column beneath this asterisk with the plus or minus preceding the figure shown indicates a decrease or increase in the number of families of this size since the last report.

This column indicates the number of rooms occupied by bachelors with the indicated number of persons. These rooms are not, in the strictest sense of the word, occupied by more than one family as they are actually bachelor quarters. That is the reason for indicating them separately from rooms actually occupied by families as such.

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Dec. 31, 1943

Under the present crowded housing condition, very few cases of assignments have been made. There are still ninety some families that have to live with others doubled up, and also there are 28 persons who are compelled to stay in the recreation halls.

The work for partitioning of barracks has been well planned out, but due to difficulty in adjusting people caused by the shortage of available vacancies, it has not been started.

Our Housing record shows that the actual number of population now in the project is 8992, with a total of 3165 families. There are still 533 persons out of the project on group leaves, 52 persons on short term leaves, and 204 persons in volunteer armed forces, for whom the Housing has to set aside one extra space for each absent person. These people are not accounted for in the attached record sheet. In other words, the Housing will have to provide the space for 9782 people which is the highest record for all time.

It is a slow and difficult work to do partitioning as planned out, but it will start in a few days, so that the people in the recreation halls will be removed to their respective quarters as soon as possible.

MINIDOKA RELOCATION CENTER
Monthly Report

October 30, 1943

A. Number rooms originally constructed or modified for evacuee Housing:

Total rooms	(12 x 20)	(14 x 20)	(16 x 20)	(20 x 20)
2729	143	134	935	787
	(24 x 20)	(32 x 20)		
	719	8		

B. Number rooms occupied by Evacuees for Housing:

	2486	129	134	852	711	652	8
Per. 1	159	37	90	68	28	6	0
" 2	795	92	105	450	111	59	0
" 3	540		10	339	192	98	1
" 4	441		1	15	271	153	1
" 5	295				101	194	0
" 6	113				8	102	3
" 7	38					37	1
" 8	4					2	2
" 9	1					1	

C. Number rooms used for other than Evacuee Housing:

215	14	75	65	61
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D. Number of rooms vacant:

28	5	8	11	6
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E. Size of families: 1 person 751, 2 person 766, 3 person 390, 4 person 303, 5 person 216, 6 per. 96, 7 per. 41, 8 per. 23, 9 per. 14 10 per. 10, 11 per. 2.

There are no families left in Recreation Halls. There are still some families doubled in apartments, however, and we foresee no immediate hope of getting those families into apartments by themselves. We have communications from Washington and Tule Lake which indicates that more families will be sent from Tule Lake to this center. There are people coming into this Project who are on seasonal leave from Tule Lake. Most of those are joining families which does not complicate the Housing situation but there are cases where it seems necessary to admit people to the project who have no families here. These admissions do complicate the Housing problem.

We were informed today that 41 Alaskan Internees would be transferred here. Half of those have families on the project, the other half do not but it seems advisable to admit them in order to keep the Alaskan evacuees together in one camp. In reference to Section D of the report, the unstarred number indicates actual vacancies. The starred figure indicated apartments vacant because the family is out on harvest work for a period of 30 days or less. We have not as yet begun our partitioning program as we have not received official authority for this project.

Aug. 31, 3

Minidoka

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A. NUMBER ROOMS ORIGINALLY CONSTRUCTED OR MODIFIED FOR EVACUEE HOUSING

2731 150 134 935 787 717 8

B. NUMBER ROOMS OCCUPIED BY EVACUEES FOR HOUSING

2258	114	115	825	637	561	6
70	35	6	19	2	8	
557	78	98	351	19	11	
555	1	8	423	83	40	
505		3	31	399	72	
323			1	127	195	
166				7	158	1
71					68	3
9					7	2
2					2	

C. NUMBER ROOMS USED FOR OTHER THAN EVACUEES HOUSING:

222	15	0	75	68	64
142	4		46	47	45
7			2	3	2
10			10		
0					
24	7	0	7	6	4
6				2	4
28	4		9	8	7
0					
Model Apt.					2
Hostel					3

*Total Residential usage - 2509
Grand Total - 2731*

D. NUMBER OF ROOMS VACANT:

251 21 19 35 82 92 2

E. SIZE OF FAMILIES AT CENTER

F. ROOMS OCCUPIED BY MORE THAN ONE FAMILY

NO. OF FAMILIES

Number of rooms

2613

703

546

475

405

244

156

84

19

15

7

5

4

1

3

3

2

2

63

67

61

56

22

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September 1, 1944

PARTITIONING PROGRAM

<u>BLOCK</u>	<u>BARRACK</u>	<u>APARTMENT</u>	<u>DATE OF START</u>	<u>DATE OF FINISH</u>
2	1	B.C.D.E.	Jan. 17	Jan. 21
24	1	B.C.	Jan. 24	Jan. 26
13	2	B.C.	Jan. 27	Jan. 29
1	1	B.C.D.E.	Jan. 31	Feb. 5
41	2	D.E.	Feb. 7	Feb. 9
2	2	B.C.D.E.	Feb. 28	March 4
37	1	B.C.	March 20	March 22
29	11	B.C.	March 22	March 25
7	2	B.C.D.E.	March 27	April 1
15	2	B.C.D.E.	April 3	April 8
1	2	B.C.	April 10	April 11
41	1	B.C.	April 12	April 14
5	2	B.C.	April 14	April 17
17	1	D.E.	April 18	April 20
8	2	B.C.	April 21	April 24
12	2	D.E.	April 25	April 26
28	2	D.E.	April 27	April 29
16	1	D.E.	May 1	May 2
5	1	B.C.D.E.	May 3	May 8
17	1	B.C.	May 5	May 8
5	2	D.E.	May 9	May 11
19	2	D.E.	May 9	May 10
7	1	D.E.	May 12	May 15
29	2	D.E.	May 11	May 12

PARTITIONING PROGRAM

<u>BLOCK</u>	<u>BARRACK</u>	<u>APARTMENTS</u>	<u>DATE OF START</u>	<u>DATE OF FINISH</u>
6	1	B,C	May 16, 1944	May 18, 1944
39	2	B,C	May 13, 1944	May 16, 1944
14	1	B,C	May 17, 1944	May 20, 1944
3	11	D,E	May 18, 1944	May 20, 1944
12	2	B,C	May 18, 1944	May 22, 1944
42	1	B,C,D,E	May 22, 1944	May 25, 1944
4	2	B,C,D,E	May 22, 1944	May 25, 1944
8	1	D,E	May 26, 1944	May 29, 1944
29	2	B,C	May 31, 1944	June 2, 1944
30	11	B,C	June 2, 1944	June 6, 1944
34	1	B,C	June 6, 1944	June 9, 1944
21	1	B,C,D,E	June 10, 1944	June 15, 1944
40	1	D,E	June 16, 1944	June 20, 1944
38	2	B,C	June 20, 1944	June 22, 1944
24	1	D,E	June 23, 1944	June 26, 1944
29	1	B,C,D,E	June 27, 1944	July 1, 1944
30	11	D,E	July 3, 1944	July 6, 1944
42	2	B,C	July 7, 1944	July 10, 1944
37	2	D,E	July 10, 1944	July 12, 1944
15	1	B,C,D,E	July 13, 1944	July 17, 1944
16	2	B,C	July 18, 1944	July 20, 1944
16	1	B,C	July 20, 1944	July 24, 1944
17	2	B,C,D,E	July 25, 1944	July 27, 1944
4	1	B,C,D,E	July 28, 1944	August 1, 1944
6	2	D,E	August 2, 1944	August 3, 1944

PARTITIONING PROGRAM

<u>BLOCK</u>	<u>BARRACK</u>	<u>APARTMENT</u>	<u>DATE OF START</u>	<u>DATE OF FINISH</u>
8	1	B.C.	Aug. 4	Aug. 8
12	1	D.E.	Aug. 9	Aug. 10
16	2	E.E.	Aug. 11	Aug. 14
19	1	D.E.	Aug. 11	Aug. 15
28	2	B.C.	Aug. 14	Aug. 16
19	2	B.C.	Aug. 16	Aug. 19
32	11	D.E.	Aug. 16	Aug. 18
31	2	D.E.	Aug. 19	Aug. 22
35	1	D.E.	Aug. 22	Aug. 24
34	2	D.E.	Aug. 24	Aug. 26

Partitioned 36 Barracks
 (Completed Jan. 17 to Aug. 26, 1944)

Result of Partitioning

Losses	72 - 5 person apartments
"	72 - 7 " "
Gain	72 - 3 " "
	144 - 2 " "
Total Gain	72 - 2 person apartments

PARTITIONING ARRANGEMENT

Requested to Engineering Department

August 1, 1944

Block	Barrack	Apartment
3	12	D.E
26	1	B.C
36	1	D.E
41	2	B.C
3	11	B.C
3	12	B.C
13	2	D.E
6	1	D.E
42	2	D.E
34	1	D.E
13	1	B.C
34	2	B.C

PROPOSED PLAN FOR USE OF PROJECT HOUSING
HALF OF APPROVED PARTITIONING

<u>Apartments:</u>	<u>Use of Apartment's</u>	<u>Will House</u>
S-2-132	400 families of two	800
N-2-268		
<u>Total 400</u>		
3-927	217 families of two	434
	575 families of three	1725
	67 overflows - 8-9-10-11	
	68 bachelors - groups of three	204
<u>Total 927</u>		
5-653	486 families of four	1944
	163 families of five	815
	4 overflows - 12-13	
<u>Total 653</u>		
7-597-591	143 families of five	715
	171 families of six	1026
	83 families of seven	581
	33 families of eight	264
	15 families of nine	135
	14 families of ten	140
	5 families of eleven	55
	3 families of twelve	36
	1 families of thirteen	13
	123 bachelors - groups of six	738
<u>Total 591</u>		
8-8	8 families of eight	64
<u>Total Families</u>	<u>2317</u>	<u>9689</u>
<u>Total Bachelors</u>		
<u>Quarters</u>	<u>191</u>	
<u>Total Overflows</u>	<u>71</u>	
<u>Total Apartments</u>	<u>2579</u>	

The estimated Capacity of Persons to the Apartments

December 1, 1943

57280 sq. ft.	School spaces
14400 " "	Office "
6400 " "	Canteen "
3200 " "	Blk. Mgr. Office spaces
1360 " "	Hospital uses spaces
800 " "	Model Apts "
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83440 " "	Total Spaces in Project using other than the residents
1036800 sq. ft.	Total apts. spaces in pro- ject using other than the residents
83440 " "	
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953360 " "	Occupied by residents
105 sq. ft.	Average space for one person
<u>9080</u>	Estimated Capacity of person to the Apartments

Apartments other than Residence

Dec. 8, 1943

	<u>S.2 person</u>	<u>3 person</u>	<u>5 person</u>	<u>7person</u>	<u>Total</u>
Block 10 (school)		12	12	12	36
Block 22 (office)	4	12	12	10	38
Block 23 (school)	4	23	24	22	73
Block 32 (school)	4	12	12	10	38
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Total	12	59	60	54	185
Canteen	6	5	6	2	19
Blk. Mgr. office	0	10	0	0	10
Hospitals	0	0	1	2	3
Model Apt.	0	1	0	1	2
Grand Total	18	75	67	59	219

	<u>S.2</u>	<u>N.2</u>	<u>3p.</u>	<u>5p.</u>	<u>7p.</u>	<u>8p.</u>	<u>Total</u>
Original Apartments	150	134	935	787	717	8	2731
Other uses	18		75	67	59		219
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Total Residence use	132	134	860	720	658	8	2512

	<u>FAMILIES in Double Up</u>			<u>Total apt. occupied</u>
	<u>2 per. families</u>	<u>3 person families</u>	<u>4 person families</u>	
7 person apartments	29	23	10	31
5 per. apt.	28	2	2	16

<u>FAMILIES IN UNDER CAPACITY</u>				
7 per. apt.	18	20	24	
5 per. apt.	16	54		
Rec.#42	2-2person	2-3person	1-4person	1-8person (fam.)
Rec.#41	Bachelors	16 person		

Composite Survey and Estimation of Apartments

Dec. 1, 1943

<u>Size of Apartments</u>	<u>No. of Families</u>	<u>Size and No. of Apartments.</u>						
		<u>S. 2</u>	<u>N.2</u>	<u>3per.</u>	<u>5per.</u>	<u>7per.</u>	<u>8per.</u>	<u>Total</u>
		<u>132</u>	<u>402</u>	<u>994</u>	<u>586</u>	<u>524</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>2646</u>
2p.	617	120	397	100				617
3p.	575			575				575
4p.	486				486			486
5p.	307				87	220		307
6p.	171					171		171
7p.	83					83		83
8p.	41			33		33	8	74
9p.	15			15		15		30
10p.	14			14		14		28
11p.	5				5	5		10
12p.	3				3	3		6
13p.	1				1	1		2
Bachelors & Single person		12	5	7	4	123		151
Total	2318	132	402	744	586	668	8	2540
Shortages						144		
Surplus				250				

Composite Survey of Families and Apartments

Dec. 1, 1943

<u>SIZE</u>	<u>RESIDENCE</u> (actual use)	<u>PARTITIONING</u> Gain---Loss	<u>TOTAL</u> <u>APTS.</u>	<u>No. Of</u> <u>FAMILIES</u>	<u>POPULATION</u>
S. 2 apt.	132		132		
N. 2 apt.	134	268	402	617	1234
3 apt.	860	134	994	575	1725
4 person				486	1944
5 apt.	720	134	524	307	1535
6 person				171	1026
7 apt.	658	134	524	83	581
8 apt.	8		8	41	328
9 person				15	135
10 "				14	140
11 "				5	55
12 "				3	36
13 "				1	13
Bachelors Apt.					559
Person alone in apt.					23
Total Apts.	<u>2512</u>	(gain) <u>134</u>	<u>2646</u>	2318	9334

Exact population 8660
Reserved: Vol. & Gr. L. 674

SURVEY OF APARTMENTS
(Division No. 1)

August 30, 1943

Block	(12'x20')	(14'x20')	(16'x20')	(20'x20')	(24'x20')	Total
1	4	4	26	22	20	76
2	4	4	26	22	20	76
3	4	4	26	22	20	76
4	4	4	26	22	20	76
5	4	4	26	22	20	76
6	4	4	26	22	20	76
7	4	4	26	22	20	76
8	4	4	26	22	20	76
10	2	0	28	22	22	74
TOTAL	34	32	236	198	182	682

Hostels	2-7-C	(20' x 20')	} <i>give up 10%</i>
	2-7-D	(20' x 20')	
	2-7-E	(24' x 20')	

Hospital	4-8-B	(24' x 20')	Hospital sleeping quarters	} <i>give up 10%</i>
	4-6-D	(20' x 20')	Men's semi-invalid	
	4-6-E	(24' x 20')	" " "	
	4-6-B	(24' x 20')	Women's semi-invalid	} <i>give up 10%</i>
	4-6-C	(20' x 20')	" " "	
	6-2-B	(24' x 20')	Women's sleeping quarters	

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6-4-B	(24' x 20')	Doctors' Quarters	<i>give up 10%</i>
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School	12-	(16' x 20')	3 person apts.
	12-	(20' x 20')	5 " "
	12-	(24' x 20')	7 " "

Block Managers' Offices	2-11-A	(16' x 20')	} <i>give up 10%</i>
	6-11-A	(16' x 20')	
	10-11-A	(16' x 20')	

Canteen	6-9-A	(16' x 20')
	6-9-B	(24' x 20')

COMPOSITE SURVEY OF AVAILABLE APARTMENTS
July 31, 1943

Blk.	2 p. apt. (12'x20')	2 p. apt. (14'x20')	3 p. apt. (16'x 20')	5 p. apt. (20'x20')	7 p. apt. (24'x20')	8 p. apt. (32'x20')	Total apt.
1	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 1
2	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 2
3	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 3
4	4	4	26*IP	22	20	0	76 4
5	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 5
6	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 6
7	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 7
8	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 8
10	2 10	0	16	10	10	0	38 10
12	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 12
13	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 13
14	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 14
15	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 15
16	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 16
17	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 17
19	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 19
21	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 21
22	0 22	4	14	10	10	0	38 22
24	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 24
26	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 26
28	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 28
29	4	2	25	23	21	0	75 29
30	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 30
31	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 31
32	0 32	4	14	10	10	0	38 32
34	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 34
35	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 35
36	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 36
37	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 37
38	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 38
39	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 39
40	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 40
41	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 41
42	4	4	26	22	20	0	76 42
44	12	0	24	16	14	8	76 74 44
Total	138	130	873	729	665	8	2543
Hosp. & Canteens 8		0	6	6	7	0	27
Bk.M. Off		0	10	0	0	0	10
Total apt. available	130	130	857	723	658	8	2506

Block 44 partitioning excluded

Hosp. Use	2 p. apt. (12'x20')	3 p. apt. (16'x20)	5 p. apt. (20'x20')	7 p. apt. (24'x20')	Total apt.
Blk. 4	0	0	2	3	
Blk. 6	0	0	0	2	7
Canteen Use					
Blk. 6	0	1	0	1	2
12	4	2	2	0	8
30	4	2	2	0	8
40	0	1	0	1	2
Total	8	6	6	7	27

Total appts. 2734
8/31
2 s. 150 appts.
2 n. 134
3. 935
5. 787
7. 217
8. 8
Total

School use 2 p. apt. 3 p. apt. 5 p. apt. 7 p. apt. Total apt.
 (12'x20') (16'x20') (20'x20') (24'x20')

Blk. 10	0 0	12	12	12	36
22 (office)	4	12	12	10	38
23	4	24	24	22	74
32	4	12	12	10	38
	<u>12</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>54</u>	<u>186</u>

(These apts. are excluded from the above figures)

Block manager offices use	10 apts. (16'x20')	-----	3200	sq, ft.
Hospital use	2(20'x20'), 5(24'x20')	-----	3200	" "
Canteen	8(12'x20'), 6(16'x20'), 6(20'x20'), 7(24'x20')	-----	9600	" "
Schools & Offices	12(12'x20'), 60(16'x20'), 54(24'x20')	-----	72000	" "
			<u>Total</u>	<u>88000</u> " "

88000 sq.ft. ÷ 105 = 838 ~~sq. ft. per~~ person *who could be house in this spaces.*

Re-capitulation of the number of available apartments, available space, average people possible to house on the basis of 105 sq. ft. per person.

Size of apts.	No. of apt. available	Total space	In space ratio	Average person	in apt.
2 p. apt. (12'x20')	130	31200 sq. ft.	297	2	260
2 " (14'x20')	130	36400 "	346	2	260
3 " (16'x20')	857	274240 "	2611	3	2571
5 " (20'x20')	723	289200 "	2754	4	2892
7 " (24'x20')	658	315840 "	3008	6	3948
8 " (32'x20')	8	5120 "	48	8	64
Total	2506	952000 "	9064		9995

952000 sq. ft. ÷ 105 = 9066 ~~sq. ft. per~~ person.

"Ratio" indicates the number of person in apartment.

OUR ESTIMATED CAPACITY OF PERSONS TO A APARTMENT

<u>Size of apts.</u>	<u>Ratio of persons in apartment</u>	<u>No. of apt. available</u>	<u>No. of persons</u>
2 p. apt.	2+ = 2	130	260
2	2.6 = 2	130	260
3	3+ = 2½	857	2143
5	3.7 = 4	723	2892
7	4.6 = 5½	658	3619
8	6+ = 8	8	64
		<u>Total</u> ----	<u>9238</u>

COMPOSITE SURVEY OF AVAILABLE APARTMENTS

June 15, 1943

*Washington, D. C.
Reports*

Partitioning done-----19 blocks
 " " ----- 3 "
 " to be-----13 "
 (exceptions Block 44 and half of Block 29)

	2 per. apt.		3 per. apt.	5 per. apt.	7 per. apt.	Total
	old	new	(16' x 20')	(20' x 20')	(24' x 20')	
	(12'x20')	(14'x20')				
Blk.10 school	4	0	12	12	10	38
" 32 "	4	0	12	12	10	38
" 23 high school	4	0	24	24	22	74
" 22 offices	4	0	12	12	10	38
canteen	8	0	5	4	2	19
hospital	1	1	0	5	7	14
Blk.Mgr. offices	0	0	10	0	0	10
model apt.	0	0	0	0	1	1
TOTAL	25	1	75	69	62	232

	apt. total	apts. occupied by school, offices, etc.	apts. available for residents
2 person apt. (12'x20')	152	25	127
" " (14'x20')	82	1	81
3 " " (16'x20')	905	75	830
5 " " (20'x20')	815	69	746
7 " " (24'x20')	743	62	681
8 " " (32'x20')	8	0	8
TOTAL	2705	232	2473

Block 44
 After Reduction of Two Barracks for office space as anticipated by the Administration, and completion of partitioning construction.

	Schools & Offices	Available residents	Construction	Total
2 person apt. (12'x20')	25	127	0	127
2 " " (14'x20')	1	81	+52	133
3 " " (16'x20')	79	826	+26	852 ⁺
5 " " (20'x20')	73	742	-26	716 ⁺
7 " " (24'x20')	66	677	-26	651 ⁺
8 " " (32'x20')	0	8	0	8
TOTAL	244	2461	26	2487

Recapitulation of the number of available apartments, available space, and average people possible to house on the basis of 105 square feet per person.

	No. apts. available	Total spaces	Average person
2 person apt. (12'x20')	127	30480 sq.ft.	290
2 " " (14'x20')	81	22680 " "	216
3 " " (16'x20')	826	264320 " "	2517
5 " " (20'x20')	742	296800 " "	2826
7 " " (24'x20')	677	324960 " "	3094
8 " " (32'x20')	8	5120 " "	48
TOTAL		944360 sq.ft.	÷105 sq.ft.
		per person=	8991 sq.ft.

Washington, D. C.

April 30, 1943

Housing Residence	983,240	60.52%
Laundry, Bathroom, Boiler rooms	162,169	9.99
Dining Hall	149,512	9.27
Nursery School	10,000	.62
Elementary School	18,000	1.11
High School	29,080	1.79
Library	3,150	.19
Church	3,600	.22
Recreation	38,330	2.36
Co-op stores, Office Warehouse	16,336	1.01
Block Mgr. Office	3,520	.22
Adm. Office	33,280	2.05
Hostel	1,360	.08
Model Apt., Coal Office	1,200	.07
Repair, Sewing Proj., Paint	12,376	.76
Warehouse	93,616	5.77
Hospital	59,438	3.66
Fire Station	5,120	.32
TOTAL.....	<u>1,623,927 sq.ft.</u>	

NOTE: The above does not include personnel housing in process of construction, I.S. sub-station sheds, entrance gate station, blacksmith shop sheds, pump houses, and sewage disposal and water tanks.

Available Apartments

June 15, 1943

Partitioning done-----19 blocks

" half " ----- 3 "

" to be-----13 "

(exceptions block 44 and half block 29)

	2 per. apt.		3 per. apt.	5 per. apt.	7 per. apt.	Total
	old	new				
blk. 10 school	4	0	12	12	10	38
" 32 "	4	0	12	12	10	38
" 23 high school	4	0	24	24	22	74
" 22 offices	4	0	12	12	10	38
canteen	8	0	5	4	2	19
hospital	1	1	0	5	7	14
blk. mgr. offices	0	0	10	0	0	10
model apt.	0	0	0	0	1	1
total	25	1	75	69	62	232

After completion of proposed construction-

	total	occ'd by school, offices, etc.	Available for residents.	construction-	total
2 person apt. (old)	152	25	127	0	127
(new)	82	1	81	+52	133
3 person apt.	905	75	830	+26	856
5 " "	815	69	746	-26	720
7 " "	743	62	681	-26	655
8 " "	8	0	8	0	8
total	2705	232	2473	26	2499

(exception of blk. 23 & half of blk. 29)

CAPACITY BY TELEGRAM	spaces of apt.		number of	total	average	minimum
	sq. ft.	ft.	apt. available	spaces	person	person
2 person apt. (old)	240	sq. ft.	127	30480	290	381
(new)	280	" "	81	22680	216	283
3 " "	320	" "	830	265600	2529	3320
5 " "	400	" "	746	298400	2841	3730
7 " "	480	" "	681	326880	3113	4086
8 " "	640	" "	8	5120	48	64
total				949160	9037	11864

average person 9040-
 maximum person 11865-

Fire space in each apartment: 6' x 8' 48 sq. ft.
Number of apartments: 2473
Total fire place spaces-----118704 sq. ft.

Spaces of total apartments: 949160 sq. ft.
Actually usable space: 830456 sq. ft.

Average person 7909 sq. ft.
Minimum person 10380 sq. ft.

population-----7724

1. group leaves 954
2. short terms 70
3. vol. arm force 178

1202

8926

This chart is designed to give a composite view of the Housing situation in Minidoka Project.

Each column represents a certain size apartment:

Column 1---2 person apartment
" 2---3 " "
" 3---5 " "
" 4---7 " "
" 5---8 " "
" 6---apartments under capacity which are housing families large enough to warrant occupying of two apts.

Colors on this chart:

Blue represents the number of apartments occupied to minimum capacity or above.

White indicates the number of apartments housing one less than the minimum.

Green indicates the number of apartments housing two less than the minimum.

Yellow indicates the number of apartments housing three less than the minimum.

Orange indicates the number of apartments housing four less than the minimum.

Red indicates the number of apartments housing five less than the minimum.

Black indicates the number of apartments which are vacant.

2 PERSON

3 PERSON

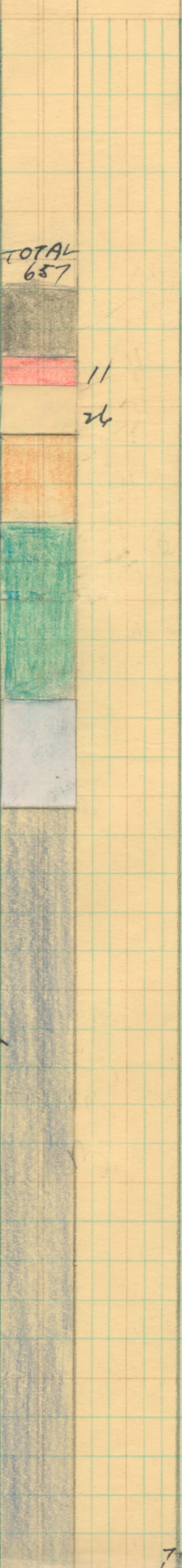
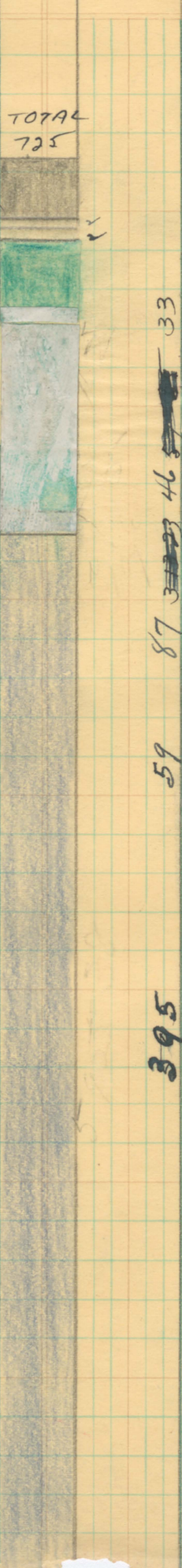
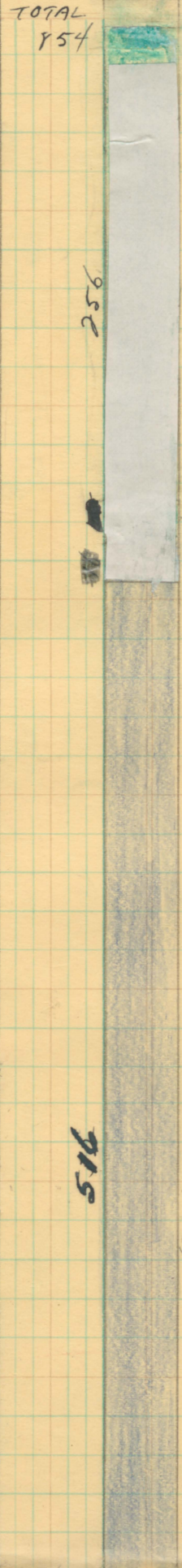
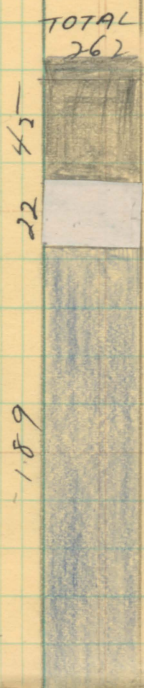
5 PERSON

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2 APTS.
LARGE
FAMILY

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TOTAL 8

TOTAL 30

This chart is designed to show in percentage, the occupancy of living quarters within the project.

Column 1--represents the percentage of the indicated size apartments which are filled to capacity.

Column 2--indicates the percentage of apartments which are housing families containing one person less than the minimum capacity of the apartment.

Column 3--indicates the percentage of apartments housing two less than the minimum capacity.

Column 4--indicates the percentage of apartments housing three less than the minimum capacity.

Column 5--indicates the percentage of apartments housing four less than the minimum capacity.

Column 6--indicates the percentage of apartments housing five less than the minimum capacity.

Column 7--indicates the number of vacancies by percentage.

June 1, 1943

2 PERSON Apt. 3 PERSON Apt. 5 PERSON Apt. 7 PERSON Apt. 8 PERSON Apt.



% at capacity
 % 1 under
 % vacant

% at capacity
 % 1 under
 % 2 "
 % vacant

% at capacity
 % 2 under
 % 3 under
 % vacant

% at capacity
 % 1 under
 % 2 "
 % 3 "
 % 4 "
 % 5 vacant

% at capacity

After Partitioning Works Are Completed

2 person apts. (old)	-----	152	apts.
2 " " (new)	*Blk. 29-2-apts.	-----	138 "
3 " " (blk. 29-1 apt.)	-----	933	" (-10 Blk. Mgr. Offices)
5 " " (blk. 29+1 apt.)	-----	787	"
7 " " (blk. 29+1 apt.)	-----	715	"
8 " " "		8	"

No. of apts. (new)-----2733 "

No. of apts. (old)-----2664 "
 Partitioning gain no.---- 69 "
 (exception blk. 44)

2 person apts. (old)	4	2 person apt. (old)	12
2 " " (new)	4	3 " "	24
3 " "	26	5 " "	16
5 " "	22	7 " "	14
7 " "	20	8 " "	8

in each blk.--- 76 apts.

in blk. #44--- 74 apts.

Occupied by:

	<u>Schools</u>	<u>Offices</u>	<u>Canteens</u>	<u>Hospitals</u>	<u>Total</u>
2 person apts.	16	4	8	0	28
3 " "	52	12	5	0	69
5 " "	44	12	4	2	62
7 " "	40	10	2	5	57
Total	152	38	19	7	<u>216</u>

<u>Canteens</u>	<u>Schools</u>	Total apts.-----2733
Block 6---1	Block 23---76 apts.	Schools & Offices,
" 12---8	" 32---38 "	etc.----- 216
" 30---8	" 10---38 "	Blk. Mgrs. Off.-- 10
" 40---2		
<u>19 apts.</u>	<u>152 apts.</u>	Using for Residents-----2507 apts.

2 person apts.	262
3 " "	854
5 " "	725
7 " "	(658) Model apt. 657
8 " "	8
<u>Total</u>	<u>2506</u>

Model Apt. 1
 2506

Record of Apartments

March 8, 1943

<u>Number of Person</u>	<u>No. of Residence</u>	<u>For School, etc.</u>	<u>Total Apts.</u>
2	128	24	152
3	816	48	864
5	819	37	856
7	735	49	784
8	8	<u>158</u>	<u>8</u>
	<u>2506</u>		<u>2664</u>

Number of Available Apts.

2 person apart.	1
3 " "	1
5 " "	1
7 " "	<u>3</u>
Total Apts.	<u>6</u>

2 & 3 person in 5 x 7 person Apartments	163
Double up families	<u>10</u>
	<u>173</u>

When partitioning one building in each block.

4	-	2 person apts.
2	-	3 " "

In 35 Blocks

Number of new 2 person Apts.	140
" " " 3 " "	<u>70</u>
Total	<u>210</u>

Also figure the newly marriage couples.

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