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330 - E 57 St.

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Dear Sally:

I moved here last night. The hotel just cost too much. I'm staying here till about Tues. if not a little later. I wasn't able to stay at friend Shogo Myrudo lives too far out but I located him. Same place. These people living in the city are crowded as is. This place is a Japanese Christian Institute. It happens to be in a very good residential section. In fact to either side, there are apartments that have a canvas canopy coming out to the street with a doorman attached. Don't worry, the rate here is reasonable. The navy sailors are or goes back and to classes on the back street.

Sorry I didn't send anything or say anything to you on your birthday. I am ashamed in

saying that I had forgotten. I hope
you aren't too disappointed. I
brought you an electric iron
for your birthday. It is an
automatic one with heat regulator
It cost \$16.95. There are two
electric places that have irons.
If anybody wants them, they run
from simple type at \$10⁰⁰ to
very good ones at \$20⁰⁰. I'm sending
you a card of one place and
the bill from the other. Please
keep good care of the receipt.

It has a years guarantee.
I'm not sending it to you right
away because it's going to wash
my shirt and I'll iron them.

As long as you have one I may
just keep this if I have room for
it. Laundry Cos just don't have
quick service any more.

2- Yesterday, I started to look for work. The W.R.A. sent me to an Architectural League. The lady was crusty and said something about not being able to take care of every draftsmen coming out of camp. . . . the W.R.A. shouldn't pass the buck but look for the job for us. She was partly correct but I didn't like the way she said it; so after I went downstairs and looked at the plaster exhibit they had, I thought it all up and before I left, I went to see her again. I told her off altho I know it didn't do much good. Besides she wasn't going to help me anyhow. Her name is Mrs. Nelson. She is secretary there and pretty snooty for an old lady who is suppose to help people out.

Well I went to the Engineers Employment something or other, I went to the wrong place first but they

This job of look for work for others is pretty tough let alone looking one for yourself. I'm not too keen on getting one ^{here} but I would like to feel out the place.

Ask my dad if he remembers a reverend ~~Shim~~ Shojiro Shimizu. He is here and I met him last night. He has been in this country for quite some time. George Yuzawa is staying here too. He had a job with one of the high class florist on Madison. Annenberger and Greening. Jews that drives him nuts. George's father must have had a Florist shop in L.A.

I'm going out to Long Island tonight to see David McLain. He is still working for the Acme news as their photographer.

were very nice about it. I looked in their book where they kept the jobs. I came across a couple that may interest Essie and one Industrial designer for me. I'm going over this morning to see about it. Also I saw one that was very interesting. It is for a designing Engineer with experience in hydro electric, dams, spillways, power houses. The location is at Puerto Rico. Salary \$7,000-7,500. If Sanders should be interested tell him to contact, "ENGINEER SOCIETIES

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Damn it! I got to fill another set of cards like I did for the Eastern Clearance. Only this time it is suppose to be for some "defense work clearance". They told me in Minneapolis that you suppose to get the job first and then the employer would clear you but they (minn.) aren't in the Eastern Defense area).

God! I want to get down South to start things. I wish like the devil I went that way first. The most important part would have been all done first. I wouldn't feel so pressed.

Will you write Dr. Blackwell and ask for the money we paid in advance. I may need more. I've spent just about half and I got a half more to go. I'll tell you later where to forward it.
Love. Ken

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