

Dear Sally

We were very relieved to hear from you. So you're at Merced from what you say it doesn't sound any too well. Kain was saying that San Francisco is the third best in the whole west coast. The first best is in Washington & then Santa Anita. I'm getting so I don't mind this crap very much. Who in the hell gave you the idea I was working in the library? I'm working in the mess hall as cook's helper. It's not bad work but is kinda hard on your feet. Boy oh Boy. But it's fun. You meet lots of people working in a place like that. I'm supposed to work 44 hours a week which is quite a lot for the pay \$8.00 a month. But I'm not in it for the money so that's that. God all the old maids in ~~there~~ there working.

Kazu Okada, Yuki Nakao, Namako Hamasaki, Momi Kawakami and other gals from San Mateo, Redwood City, Half Moon Bay etc. There are hardly any City cutters in our mess hall. We feed 600 people

and the Narva's are the worst pigs
I ever ~~was~~ met. God's ~~that~~
they are always getting mad cause
the servings aren't large enough
and always come around for second
helpings. They ill-mannered people.
We do however on the total whole
have good food and a lot of it
also. Last night we had rice,
wieners (4-5 a piece), spinach, carrots
& pea salad, bread pudding and a
lot of it. This morning they had
scrambled egg, sausage, butter, coffee
toast (big chunks of butter also)
Good huh? Low's your food.

This camp is really getting along
good & today the grade school started.
Recreation facilities are getting better &
better. Kezic is doing some good work
with the kids ages 11 - 13. They all
like him so it is over very fine. No pay however.

God I thought our lavatories were
terrible but yours are the limit. Wowie!

~~The~~ Yesterday a plane fell
right near the center out on
Bay shore highway and boy lots of
people were quite elated and
expressed their feelings a little too

too strongly and a few were taken in by the F. B. I. So I guess everyone will have to watch his tongue or else. There are a lot of F. B. I. Japs around here. Mr. Wehara is back from Bismark and from what he says it isn't a bad place. course it's still a prison.

See our Mess Hall has the reputation as being having the best salads in the whole Tanjoran. Pretty Good huh. Well golly we work hard enough on them. We make 'em fancy nut with lettuce all chopped up.

Well today we got a package from Mary. She sent us candy all different kinds. It was swell of her and candy tastes good but golly that's all we have been eating for the past ~~say~~ couple of weeks.

We had some sent out to us by the people who took our place over. Mary sent better stuff out.

Today is my day off, so I'm taking it easy.

We are using army comforters on our cots as bed spreads. They are good

because the blankets don't get dirty
and we don't have to wash the
comforters because they belong to the
army. Why don't you get them too
if you can? They're warm too.
We put our cots (2 each) together because
you save blankets and it's warmer
that way. Our address is
changed its 112 the barrack is 112
instead of 111 but all the rest
is the same.

The San Jose group and the
rest of the Japs around here that
hadn't gotten into the assembly
centers went to Santa Anita
a couple of days ago.

The cracks in our floor have
been filled by Suzukawa and papa
with cardboard so the floor
isn't so bad looking. Were your
floors full of cracks also? Well if
they are fill them with the
cardboard that's on the cots.

Well Sally take care of
yourself and the kid. I hope she
gets rid of her rash. Gee I can't
stand seeing kids with rashes. That's
about all I'll write this time.
Love from everybody & me. Duncie

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