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ASK YOUR POSTMASTER



Miss Yuri Demoto
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the tremendous amount of work that went into them
and to see them closed now. Please read My dear Yuri:

Repeatedly you have come to my thoughts, each time I
planned to write to you but when I had a bit more leisure.
I am in hopes that you have left the Center but presume
if you have, my letter will be forwarded to you.

You can know that I have been following with interest
the investigation of the various camps, the articles
written in the various magazines such as Harpers. I
recently talked to two teachers from Tule Lake who
convinced me that little of the testimony that was
published in the papers was correct.

You probably know more about what is happening in
Alameda County than I am, that is if you are writing
to any of the staff. Many of the older workers are
leaving, advancement is fairly rapid, Bill Rahey is
in charge of intake since Miss Swan went into the WACS.
I had a Pan American evening with Lin Compton as her
home recently, met Dr and Mrs Radin-Mrs Radin was
formerly of the ACCO and is now working for the Probation
Department.

My work takes me to San Jose, Santa Cruz, Hollister and
Salinas. As yet, we have state cars to travel but are
expecting curtailment of travel at any time. We have
a new director, a Mr Wallenberg and Miss Chickering is
attempting to get rested. The Governor now has the
appointment of the director as well as the Board, so
we will be having more changes undoubtedly.

Yuri, if you are still in camp, are you interested in
leaving? Could I assist you through friends in
Minnesota or Chicago to obtain employment?, there are
your family and what is your brother doing, the one
that I met at the Nursery. It is with distress that

I go by the nurseries in that neighborhood, realize

Sincerely,

William Allen

the tremendous amount of work that went into them and to see them closed now. Please remember me to your brother.

Chester Rowell had an excellent article in a recent Chronicle quoting Grew who is now with the State Department, I'll send it to you when it is returned to me, if you give me your address.

Last night, I went to a meeting of the Friends Church. They are so fine—the speaker encouraged us to associate with people, not that think like we do, but who think differently, as for instance the radicals may be tempered by the conservatives and the conservatives may be broadened by the radicals. For the handful of members, they do a surprisingly large amount of work.

We have a biracial church in Berkeley now, with a colored and a white pastor. The pastors are students of the Pacific School of Religion and they have fine meetings. The Pacific School of Religion has a course, sponsored by the Friends training students for Post War work in foreign countries, particularly Germany. Why they need to send trained people there is a bit of a mystery, the Germans will be well able to plan for themselves if they have the material. As one member of the German Underground told them at Chapel, the Germans will think they are no better than Carpetbaggers.

If you want to read something fun, that is good for social workers but typical of the good Scandinavian stock where I came from, try to get Mama's Bankaccount. One story ran in the Readers Digest but the book is a collection of many stories.

My dear, I do hope this will be a better year for you, for your family and friends. Do write me please, let me do anything for you or your friends that I can.

Sincerely,

Mildred Allen