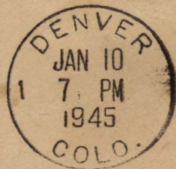


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Dearest Yuni,

Thank you very much for your good wedding picture. Both of your took very good pictures - you look exactly like yourself and everytime I glance at your picture I could almost see you in front of me. Did you have a nice New Year's? My New Year's was a quiet one since I went to a dance on New Year's eve. It slept more than hay yesterday and to start the New Year's night we had "ozoni" and then was invited to a New Year's dinner at which time I indulged in a little "sip" for good luck.

I have been none or less recuperating the past few days as I haven't felt up to par. This <sup>is the</sup> ~~my~~ first night I have been up this week!

Congratulations, Yuni, for being awarded the scholarship. You're certainly going to be "on the go" because all I do is work 8 hrs a day and keep house but I'm busy every minute.

Amy and I went to Anakha just before Xmas and spend a few days there. I was lucky to get a nice bath ways so the trip was very pleasant. We left <sup>on</sup> the evening of the 25<sup>th</sup> & arrived about 1 a.m., Tuesday. Everyone at the center was very calm about the news of the opening of the Great Over and ~~the~~ most of them seemed to want to wait until someone else ~~went~~ first. No doubt quite a few will go back from about March or April. The Swatas left for Mt. Usee on the 4<sup>th</sup>. Mr. Nakashima just returned from his visit to the coast and found the settlement "Okib" around the bay district.

Jimmy Shatanaka will soon become Mrs. \_\_\_\_\_. I don't know his name but I heard he was hunteye so I'm not very much concerned. She has set her wedding date for Jan. 11, 1945, at Greeley, Colo. I heard she's planning to go to S. F. already! (??) He's a native Coloradan who is established here so I wonder what she's going to do — take him to the coast with her?

Yes, I met Yphimi while he was in Denver recruiting workers for the War Relocation Authority from Chicago. He said he came from Lake Lake & from my hometown so that's how we got to know each other. He lived in Mansfield for several months just before he was evacuated to Lake. It seems to be ok but slightly on the conceted side, and he?

Yuri, did I ever pay you for the money you put in for me for Mr. John Moore? I just happened to think of it since you mentioned his name in your letter. Please let me know if I haven't because I meant to pay you long ago.

I saw that when I was back in Amador and she seems to be getting along fine. Her husband was back at that time but I didn't see him. I didn't see any of the A.P.s this time as my time was so limited.

Do you remember Jimmy Tanji? He's at St. Inellings name. Mary Suzuki is working at the local YWCA Residence Club. Mancee Inuchiya Tashima is working as a stereo in Cleveland. Mr. & Mrs. Chas. Lamayatsun are still working in Denver & I bump into them every once in a while. The Jack Nadas are in Denver too. Yuri, did I ever tell you that Ray Matsubara is in Denver too? Yeah, you know I bumped about him one night and about 36 hrs. later he called me for a date! Can you imagine? You remember his pal John Kimura, don't you? He died recently after undergoing an operation.

I didn't even know he was in the Army ~~and~~<sup>and</sup> was really taken  
by surprise when I heard about his death. Lot of my friends  
are going overseas now and I hate to see some of them go.

Please give my best regards to your husband and thank you  
both for the picture. Goodbye until again.

Sincerely yours,  
Sadame