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Diary

NAME _____

GRADE _____

8/25 shower in evening.

Count & Countess Cicogna were at Breakfast table when I told ^{them} my decisions last night that it's best for us for me to leave their service immediately. Count thought it'd appear funny or suspicious for me to leave right after the search by the F B I agents and suggested to consult the F B I agent himself. I said such an official never give us advice, but no harm done to go and see him. I made up my mind to go and talk it over with Rev. Agyle, my sponsor, and then to see Mr. Stroble.

Just when I was in a hurry to finish up things after lunch Agent Mr. Stroble and Capt. Keeter drove up. Countess' expression changed "again?". The agent assured her he wouldn't bother her today but to talk to me.

Down in my room they asked for the

letters I showed the another agent and Captain Ketter. The letters in the usual blue were smaller in volume today. I took the bundle in the newspaper and handed them. "So you were going to hide?" "No. I was going down to see you Mr. Stoble this afternoon. I was going to take them down to you and destroy them only after your permit me to do so."

Mr. Stoble read most of letters in English. He laughed when he read Jordan's letter. Reading Ann's where she asked me to come and join them in the center "Why don't you do that?" "They are three and can get along nicely and I want to be near my son" "Your son born in Japan?" "Yes. Came over when a little child" "Well, then he is an alien" "Yes."

He read my diary, enjoyed a laugh when he came to the lines of yesterday's

that due to their untimely appearance I had to go empty stomach having incased my lunch, yet I had to be satisfied.

Mr. Strable took with him my 1942 diary and a lot of letters written in Japanese.

Before he left I asked him to give me advice if its best for me to leave the Cicagna employment immediately. "That's a matter you have to decide yourself, I can't tell you to do either to stay here or quit, but its best not to get yourself deeper and deeper". I told him I would be gone tomorrow "to Wairnabe" "yes, I asked a week last Sunday and I expect some is ready for me tomorrow". The agent read my diary for Sunday where I stated "fully decided to quit Cicagna."

at 7:30 p.m. dressed hurriedly and
went down town. Bought at the
Juvvenile Shop on Washington Blvd
a quilt and pillow for ^{\$5.08} Mary Louisa
Argyle and went up to Argyle ~~into~~
telephoning Mrs Argyle first. Told
Rev. Argyle exactly what has happened.
He agreed with me in my quitting &
seeking employment of Cicagna. He
advised me to go to see Judge Howell
about he may be able to place me
with a sugar company or a cannery ^{now}
that couple thousands Japanese laborers
to be imported for the harvest, as is
shown by the report in Standard Examiner
"Chamber asks tolerance for Jap laborers"

For about 1/2 hour it rained heavily,
accompanied by thunder and lightning.
Back at Cicagna 6:40. Set table
Finished dinner.

Told Carout that I was going to leave tomorrow afternoon. He said "I feel sorry that you go, but if it's the best for your interest I am glad you do that. I won't stand in your way".

From Juvenile Shop phoned Toys Boarding, Mrs. Wclamabe said no room was ready tomorrow as the fellow could stay a few days longer. "But I be satisfied if you accommodate me by sleeping in the parlor until the room is ready." "Sure, Sure, all right" was the answer.

Aliens in any country today must be experiencing the same misery, discomfort, uneasiness and even agony as alien enemy in this country. Conditions must be the same world over. However those of us now in this country must be

much better off than the Jews in Germany.
May this scourge of war speedily pass
away!!!

8/26 Wednesday clear. 90°

Quit Cicogna & moved to Watanabe.

Worked as usual untill 3 p.m. Count
paid me \$2⁸⁶ for 2 days in exact change.
Very particular?

Sonaye Yamaquelin, as I phoned at noon
to Yuchi, came after me at 3:15, and
bidding good-bye to Count & Countess Cicogna,
and they wishing me good luck, I was at
Watanabe's again in a few minutes. Mr & Mrs.
Watanabe welcomed me with their usual
smile. As there was no vacant room I was
to sleep in the denartment in the parlor.

Spent the afternoon in relaxation and
rehearsed some of the Utai poem reading
which I learned at Ft. Missoula, Montana
from Prof. Ohsa.

Received letter 8/23 from Keiko advising that Amy to leave for Arizona today and her & Jordan tomorrow; that while reading my 20th letter Minami Bros came in and hoped I could go and visit them in Arizona.

Received parcel from Jordan, must be some socks previously advised. Haven't opened it today as there is no place to put them.

Yamaguchi, Taniguchi & Makita talked about the well they are digging for George Eccles at his Canyon estate, Taniguchi is positive that there is no water, that is, a dry hole with the exception of some jicks running from some nearby Septic tanks.

8/27/42 clear much cooler. 43° - 89°

wrote letters as follows:

W. Y. Cannon, Gen. Superintendent, Utah
- Idaho Sugar Co asking him if he could ^{make} use of my services in connection with Japanese labor during fall harvest season. Enclosed

Garland resident manager Christensen's answer.

Dan B. Shields, U. S. attorney, Salt Lake City advising my seeking employment with Cognas, my residence until further notice being Rem of 267 24th St, Ogden, Utah. mail address P. O. Box 666.

Otto Mutz, Chief ^{District} Parole officer, 407 Federal Bldg Salt Lake City. message same as above

Marvin E. Stroble, F. B. I agent, Ogden message same as above.

H. Ihashi ^(card) " W. R. A. Minidoka Project. Eden, Idaho that was glad receive his card today

J. Kanamori. Pastor, Ariz. Camp #2 that glad to know he is with his family again that Minami's request for sending Isamu & Kitegu for study was turned down at Tulare and may be so ~~referred~~

his request for release of Yoriako (18) and
3/27 Keiko (20) to take up study in Utah.

What part of Fukushima-ken is he from?

Received mails

Keiko ^{8/23} that made a new dress for
Koito to wear on train to Jila, Army to start
for Ariz. on Wednesday, I & Jordan Thursday.

H. Ishio, Minidoka WRA Project
Eden, Idaho that arrived here 8/20. Camp
only 1/2 done, remaining 1/2 of Puyallup
Japanese to come 9/11, will take 2-3
more months to complete. An well. place
is very promising with its low level valley
of tens of thousands acres.

J. Kanamori, Poston, Ariz. are now
with my family after release from New Mexico
detention camp. What's the cost of having
student study there room & board etc.
Yoriako (18) George (16) should be in
some school outside from the Center.

Amy must have arrived at Gila Relocation Center today and must be busily engaged in formulating milk for the babies. Keiko & Jordan must be on their way to Gila today with many of their friends. Pray that God bless them all!

8/28/42 Clear Coal 43-89

Found ourselves in a very cool weather this morning.

Met Mr & Mrs Tague and their two daughters from Garland. They are from Tamana-gun, Kumamoto-Ken. I soon found that out from their dialect.

Van Meeter, plant Superintendent of Utah Canning Co. came looking for several young Japanese: "How about me?" I asked. "You look strong, all right." "But advancing age hope you have something a bit easier" "maybe!" was his reply. "We will pay 60¢

per hour and from next week it will be around 12 hours a day."

Mrs. Takahashi said she would go to work there tomorrow, probably with Fumiko who has been complaining the work at the laundry.

Tom came around 2 p.m. and stayed until 7:30. Eiko is to go to Jerome, Arkansas as nurse with her family on assignment. St. Mary's people are to go to Gila Relocation Center which makes nice for our family. Henry Tomi, he said, wrote from Tamforlan in a mood of humor about the camp life, while Eikos sounded very blue.

Keiko & Jordan must be at Gila, rejoined by Amy. Pray that they are in good spirit.

8/19 cloudy cool. 89°

Watson-Tanner Clothing Co had

Received a pair of shoes 5 4E yesterday and I was glad to get it. The fit was O.K. So, had the pair I have been wearing Sundays repaired. #1²⁵ for half sole and 60¢ for heels. Ordered another pair. 3 good fit shoes will keep me in good shape for couple years. And now I can go to work in canning plants. Will go to the Utah Canning Co Monday as I told Van Meater yesterday.

Had time to write "Utai" today.

Received letter from Shotaro Itikida, 64-7-B. Gila River W.R.C. Rivers, Ariz. that he joined his family there on 8/14 leaving Missaula the previous day. His in Camp #1 and Camp for Tulau Center people is #2 about 2 miles distance between. Glad to see your family here although I hope they join you there soon.

Mailed letter to Shotaro Itikida thanking

information on some of our mutual friends who were at Missoula and congratulated him for his reunion with his family.

Mrs. Takahashi returned from 1st. days work at Utah Canning Co and told us how she and 3 others boarded a wrong bus this morning which carried them across the viaduct.

Old man Shibata from Garland came in on his way from Salt Lake City, well stewed up. Perhaps he dropped in 2 or 3 places on the way. He started to tell me the things that had happened years ago. Sonae San was trying to get a room for him for the night but none available anywhere and he had to be content to pass the night on a sofa at Tays.

8/30/42 Clear 50°-79°

P.A.M. Italy Commission Service
Talked with old timer Shibata of

Garland, who stopped overnight on his way from Salt Lake City. He talked about the days gone many many years ago. - about the years 1900 to 1915 - about Japanese pioneers such as Geo. Shima, Ahiko, Ikeda, Kingo Watanabe, Washigen, Mizumasa Maista, etc etc.

Visited Tom at the Bee hospital 11:30 - 3. Enjoyed chicken dinner with him and Dr. Nelson, his partner intern. The old lady who serves welcomed me and said "So you are here to see how your son is getting along?" You don't have to worry about him, he is getting along fine?" Enjoyed a shower bath.

Hot spring nearby was good, Sonae San took me there. Its salt water and extremely hot.

When returned to Tayo, Shibata was gone but Ochiyama was there.

who told me about his visit to
England - about celery crops.

Vice-President and manager of Utah
Canning Co came looking for rooms
or space where they can keep Japanese
boys they are to obtain from Sugar
Company. I told them I sent some
girls yesterday and that I would be
there tomorrow as I told Van Meter.
The Vice President said "We be looking
for you."

Sonae San and Ochi San played
Shogi 7 to 10:30 ^{afterwards Sonae San treated} us ^{us} ^{nozzle}

Tom was anxious to know if our
family safely arrived Gila River
W.R.C. At luncheon table Dr.
Nelson said the Salt Lake City L.D.S.
Hospital is reported in the paper to have
raised the wages of intern. The two
were happy after accepting the raise

will also be effective here at the Deer
8/31 Clear 78°

Started working at Utah Canning Co.
Went to Utah Canning Co on the
29th street, 2 blocks west of the Wall St
near the Union Pacific Round House.
via Wall Street Bus. Met on the Bus
Tamaki who is now working at the
Royal Pkg Co. Number 637 is to be
my number at the plant. Receiving and
pushing hand truck is the work assigned
to me by Superintendent Steve Van Meeter.
First lot of 5 boxes I lost control on
account of some pieces of wood on the
concrete floor and were thrown down.
After that got along very nice, the rest
of the truckers are all Niseis.
Enjoyed Sandwich luncheon I brought
and was dismissed ^{at 12 noon} for the day as tomatoes
did not come in.

Buster, Hawaiian boy, took me home
in his car which was a lift.

Bathed, and took it easy all
afternoon.

Received letter 8/28 from Mrs. Chukhei Ishii
thanking for my letter, that Tadashi almost
well and is to go to Gda Relocation Center on
a Pullman; does not know where and when I
am going, your wife and children left for Gda
yesterday, she gave us a nice gift; will see
you soon again.

Taniguchi left this afternoon with his
suitcases to go to pick tomato in the country
but returned again towards evening - no
light in the sleeping quarters and did not feel
even at 7 P.M. was his excuse to come back.

9/1 clear 95°-64°

By congested bus set out to go to the
Cannery at 7:30. and was trucking at 7:45.
7000 Boxes of tomato came in by 6 P.M.

Worked without stopping for lunch,
although ate sandwiches @ about
12:45 pm. Young fellow left and
few of us had to work straight through.
Higoaligama came today and helped
unload.

Field Boss Olson took me home ^{in his car}.
I told him this morning 2 boys came
from Pocatello and that I told them to
come to Utah Canning Co. Olson went
after them, one started working today
and the other to follow tomorrow.

Received ^{1st. letter from Gila.} letter from Jordan & Keiko
9/2 Wednesday Clear 95° - 64°

work straight through 7 a.m. to 6:30
P.m. the blister I had the very first day
by trucking without a glove, although opened
iodised that evening was very sore all
day. more iodine applied on it this morning.

Received letter Bath right after

Supper did not take all my weariness.

9/3/42 Thursday Clear Hot. $92^{\circ}-61^{\circ}$

Work straight through from 7 to 5:30. 2 Ladies from Sakurada fish market got on the bus with me. They are to start work at 7:30 and the time then was around 6:45.

Blistered hand was sore yet but in a rush forgot all about it until returned home. Then put mersalatom and gauze. Stape pain is gone by tomorrow.

Work was not a moment to fool around although younger men, boys and girls play around quite a bit. Tanimine, who quit Royal Canning Co and started working with us yesterday, kept me a very good company.

Kay Miki came to the plant in the morning at about 7 with Higashiyama who works with us.

around 3 p.m. I sure wanted to go

何よりこの移る仕事に 丑・9月



home weary and hand sore, but could not very well come home and kept pace with Tomato who steadily brought in by mostly Japanese farmers.

Higashiyama proposed to walk home and we did as a bus ^{left} just about 1 minute ahead of us. A girl worker who arrived the corner of 29th & wall at about the same time with us sat down (threw herself down) on a lawn to wait for the next bus. She must have been fairly tired.

Upon arriving at Toyo, learned the death of old man Takahashi at the Roy infirmary this morning. Watanabe, Yanaguchi have been visiting the family side to notify it to the friends of the deceased.

Received letter 8/28 from Ota Matsuzaki, Chief district police officer, acknowledging

Received letter 8/31 from Urato Ota, that sorry
unable to write because of ignorance of your
address, we are to be relocated by 9/17, proba-
bly to Colorado, about 500 being moved out
every day now to be completed by October.
Receipt of my letter of 8/27, reminding that
I am required to secure permit before I
change my employment.

Received letter 9/2 from W. G. Cannon,
acknowledging receipt of my letter of 8/27, that
"a little difficult to give you a definite
answer at the present but will keep the matter
in mind and if we find any place where
we think you could be of service we will
get in touch with you".

Tayo boarding is getting very much
prosperous and I admire the way Mrs
Watanabe handles various matters. Yacko
and others had to give up their room for
2 boys from Pocatello, and a friend of
the boys started James Allen today. All
I work at the Utah Canning Co. She said
she got a room for that Cook now occupying
a room formerly occupied by Taniguchi
so that I could have a room, but she

Told me last night that she lost her nerve to tell him about it, she had spoken to him to vacate it twice already.

I am weary but today I can write and it looks like that I am getting used to it.

9/4/42 clear 90°-60°

Up 5:45 a.m. as usual. Took 6:30 Bus at corner Grant and 24th. As Mrs. Watanabe's suggestion, plastered the sore blisters (opened) and bandaged.

Spoke to Steve Van Meter that 3 men be there at 7:30, Taniguclii, Kubo. Kameko. Two men were put to work with us while Taniguclii was assigned to the cooking room. worked 7 to 6:15 straight through.

Tanimine took me and Higashiyama home in his car. It was a sort of

Dream. passing through a lilly country
saw a creek full of Pink Carps and
some one told me that they were hatched
and raised by Pat (R.J.) Mahony for
money making purposes.
Unexpected left.

9/5/42 clear 87° - 58°

With Kuto, took 6:30 Wall Street Bus
to 29th Street. As before swept the con-
crete floor when overflow tomatoes are to
be kept.

Saturday is supposed to be only for 1/2
day to truck in tomatoes, but we were
unloading untill 2 or 3 o'clock. And all
available space of the usually used for
empties was filled up with tomatoes. Floor
is very poor, soft & hard spots, some
nails sticking out it sure took man's
strength to push hand trucks on such a
floor. Worked untill 5 from 7.

Came home Minoru (), Toyo's
neighbor, Cav.

Toyo was a scene of crowd with
visitors from neighboring districts attending
Late Kakahashi's funeral, which took

place today at 2 at a funeral parlor & followed by a burial in the Cemetery: Big burial feast was still going on when we returned. Bathed and Supper.

Tom phoned twice, Yaeko said, and that he was going to Nishiguchis. 9/6/42 Clear Sunday. 89°. 58°

Slept well until 6 a.m. Called to work from 6:45 but did not go, needed a good rest.

8 a.m. Holy Communion Service, 7 women and myself.

Spent some time with the prayer book in the morning but was still dull and sleepy, Dozed off and on.

Somaye San cut my hair off as I am unable to go to barber during week days.

Visited the grave of late Kumago Takahashi with Watanebe family and

Sonal San in the morning. Its located in a high bluff commanding a view of the city. Watanabes have been ever since to this lonely old man looking after him for years even though they are not related to him nor obligated to him at all to do so.

Japanese Union Church service 3 p.m. Resumed regular service after a month's vacation. Dr's, Green, Johnson, Ross Rev. Chapman, Miss Field were there. Learned Mrs. Cliba gone crazy after her husband taken in custody by the F.B.I. agent in Salt Lake City. He was said to have made very good money out of lettuce this season and now everything is gone. May God bless the old ~~woman~~ warms out souls.

bailed lettuce satisfy is my work at the Utah Canning Co to

U.S. attorney Dan B. Shields

Parole Officer Otto Mutz

F.B.I. agent Marvin E. Struble.

To Parole Officer Mutz wrote also that I did not get a permit from U.S. attorney before I left Crocognos but that notified him to that effect by the same mail as I did to him.

Mailed letters to Keiko acknowledging receipt of her and Jordan's letters, about Miura, Hikida, to be careful about their health.

Phoned Tom but was said to have gone on a walk with a friend.

9/7/42 clear Monday. 87°-61°

Up at 5:15 a.m. With Kubo took
6:15 Bus to 29th St. Worked straight
through from 6:30 to 6:15 690

Being Monday steady flow of truck loads of tomatoes came in. One old

Man brought his tomatoes by a truck
on a wagon which had rubber tires.
He came in 3 times, 100 boxes at
a time. Boys had to do the unload-
ing for him as he stood by the
beautiful team. By ^{Total must have been 15000} noon 8000 Boxes in

Returned in Tanimine's car,
with Kubo and Tanimine in front.
Tanimine's 2 daughters, Mrs Taka-
hashi and her daughter Fusako in
the rear seats.

Washed up, ate and bathed.
Felt fairly tired although I felt
fresh and much easier to work in
the morning from all day rest yesterday.
9/8/42 clear. 70° - 91°

Dreamed my father last night. He
was saying that he'd make a trip to
Northern part of Japan with some
government officials who happened to

be there. I said "If you go as far North as that you better go to Stakraido too" "No, I have no business to transact there" he replied. "If I were as rich as you are I'd be travelling all over the country" I suggested. He didn't say any more but displeasure came upon his face. Later we went to a villa through the back garden of which a wide stream calmly & quietly ran.

Up at 5:30 A.M. although remembered clock striking 5. Tanigueli took me & Kubo in his 1930 Dodge De Luxe Coupe worked straight through from 6:45 - 7:15. 750
12 hours and a half! It has been a long hard day, with tomato trucks coming in incessantly. At about two P.M. most of us were all in, weary and tired, but as the trucks brought tomatoes we peddled.

along, more or less, mechanically trucking tomatoes to and fro. After 6 p.m. they put some white and negro boys on the first machine. The haves, concrete outside and empty stumps were filled with tomatoes and they wanted to clear some of them tonight. Steve Van Meets, the Superintendent asked me if I thought it possible for the company to get some Japanese from Utah - Idaho Sugar Company

Tami mine took us home in the car. Washed up. ate, Bathed.

Stondo, a young man from Pocatello played phonograph - American and Japanese records. He spent, he told me, 3 months at Hirose Boarding in Guadalupe at the time Ruth Merishta played Japanese tunes at High school commencement exercises. He said he heard of

me. He and other boys, went some place to have a sort of farewell feast for Sally Maata.

Received letter from Mr & Mrs. Umeda congratulating my people but expressing sympathy that our family can not live together, that Mrs. Umeda's father was scheduled to go to Japan on the exchange ship, but as the dates being cut out she can not tell just when he is ^{to} leave this country.

9/9/42 Clear

Start work at 6:45, and straight through to 7:30. It was really a hard days work. Kubo complained his wrist sore and so did Tanimine who seemed to be able to stand labor better than anyone else. He had thinned beets this last season and is supposed to have been hardened. Several of the office force

12/3/4
7/6/5

Came to take hand trucks and dump tomatoes by the time we left. Of course several other part time workers were there to start a shift.

Received letter from Yataro Minami that settling down at Gila Relocation Center which is not quite completed, hoping that Isamu and Mitsuho be permitted to get out and attend schools; also that we be able to do some farming for the country.

9/10 Thursday clear

By mistake, arose 4:30 which is one hour too early.

Worked 6:45 to 6:15 p.m. In the afternoon there was no room to receive any more tomatoes. Rested off and on as there was nothing else to do due to overcrowd-^{11 1/2}

By the time we quit as some of the new shift men came in there were still 4 trucks to be unloaded.

On leaving the plant we came upon a long line of people waiting for checks. So Tomimise and myself got in the line and received ours.

A Japanese Co-worker from Fukushima Ken with a Chaplin moustache who was unloading tomato boxes one by one by both hands scolded me today. Only a few more stacks of boxes left on a truck and the farmer, American, was anxious to get them unloaded as soon as possible so that he can load up empties and go home to help him out I started to truck away stacks piled on the floor behind the truck. The catchup and whole tomato machine both were not working then but I started to stack them up in anywhere I could find a space. "What's matter with you, you don't want me rest? Boss told us to wait as there was no room on the floor."

You must consider my position. I thought
you were intelligent enough to understand
it "

9/11 Friday Sprinkle 71°-58°

Threatening weather of the morning
developed into sprinkling in the afternoon.

Worked from 6:45 to 6:15 11½ 6⁹⁰

Taxi mine brought us home.

Tom was at the Tayo when I returned.

Enjoyed supper together. Read his mother's
letter together which came today; ^{also Jorgin's} Jaeko
and other girls took him back to the hospital.

Received letter from Otto Mutz. Chief
Parale officer that he received my letter
explaining the state of things by which I
simply notified U.S. Attorney at S.L.C.
instead of obtaining his permission to leave
the employment of Cicognas; enclosed was
"Conduct to be observed by alien enemies."

Received letter from Keiko that Amy was

Sonae San spoke to me about what he was told this morning by Mukai as to latter's conversation with F. B. I. agent about myself.

down in sick bed for 2 days from exhaustion! That Jordan now working in a warehouse goes out in the morning and returns at night to go to bed, such a life is bad from disciplining standpoint but as the camp system is to eat in the big mess-hall it does not require him to come home.

9/12 Saturday Rain 68°-40°

When awoke at 4 a.m. there was a terrible thunderstorm going on, went to work in the rain although Taniguchi took us in his car. Rained until 2-3 P.M. Worked 6:45 to 7 P.M. 12 1/4 ^{7³⁵}

as usual returned with Tanimine in his car.

Sherald Ota was lame today. Stayed with me trucking tomatoes from trucks to the dumpers but Earl Hawkins put him to take away empties. felt sorry to see him limping in the rain, but I could

not very well take his place as hawk in
kept me by the whole tomato machine.

9/13 Sunday Morning ^{78°-40°} cloudy, afternoon clear

Awoke at 7:45 a.m. Hurriedly dressed and
went across street to the Church of The Good
Shepherd. Holy Communion service conducted
by Rev. Argyle as usual, assisted for the first
time by a altar service boy. One soldier
boy from Texas by the name Webb, the lady
that sit by the door and myself. Reminded
the reverend the small attendance this
morning, he replied "Its getting cold in
the morning and the girls like to stay in
bed longer". He told me his visit with
Chief District Parole Officer Otto Mutz, 407
P.O. Bldg, Salt Lake City last week and
showed me a new copy of parole agreement
which states that application for travel
permit must be concurred by the
sponsor. He also gave me a copy of

Form AR-~~A~~^E 26, Summary of proclamations of
the President and of regulations there under
of the Attorney General since Dec. 7, 1942.

Marie-Luise Argyle was to be baptized
at 11 o'clock service by Bishop Moulton
and Rev. Argyle asked me to be present
but could not attend as I fell asleep
from 10:30 to 12:30. I must have
been tired.

Went to Tom's room at the Deane Hospital
but he did not come while I was there
from 1:30 to 2:30, he must have been
busy.

Japanese Union Church had a very poor
attendance today. Rev. Ota officiating.
Mrs. Ota, Mrs. Kadiga, Mrs. Swamoto,
Mr. Kuno, Miss Field and myself composed
the congregation. Mrs. Swamoto spoke of
receiving a letter from a Mr. Matenaka,
and upon questioning, it was T. R. Matenaka,

my dear friends to whom I sent word
3 weeks ago by a Secada on way to
Tampolan Assembly Center from Bismark
N.D. in Rev. Oshota's party.

Dropped in ^{at the request of Miss Field:} to see Mrs. Brown, Mrs.
Hearington, a few doors west from Church,
the owners of the Utah Canning Co.

Mailed letters to Colorado Times, Denver,
Japanese M. E. Church, N.Y. asking where
to get or buy English-Japanese and Japanese
- English Dictionaries.

Mailed monthly letter to Otto Metz,
Chief District Parole Officer, also acknow-
-ledged receipt of his answer to my
report that I started to work for Utah
Canning Co.

Mailed letter to Amy & Jordan to be
good to Mom and keep up spirit and
maintain health.

Mailed letter to Yaemon Mizumi

about his son & mother-in-law
passing through here sometime ago,
documents have not been secured yet
but I am still trying to get them
for you.

Satom Noji
Masami Asai
Masao Takasami } Hard River, Ore.
c/o Amalgamated Sugar Co.
Agden, Utah.

Living in Wilson Lane, about
2 miles from here. These boys came
in to get an apartment. A cabin, only
one room, is getting cold to live in
now and particularly the bath was
almost impossible to enjoy there now.
They wanted to get a decent living
quarters. Told them the situation is
just terrible but would help to get
one for them, advised them to come

to young people gathering Sunday
afternoon.

One of the 2 men, Originally from
Sacramento, from Tule-Lake Relocation
Center has been playing Shamisen.
Since yesterday morning, His name is
Tsunaka, a native of Saga.

9/14/42 Monday. Clear. 78°-54°

worked 6:45 to 6:45 12 hrs. 7.²⁰

Ride Taniguchi Tamimine.

About 16,000 boxes of tomato came in
and kept us steadily busy all day.

Being Monday, stores and shops are
open from noon to 9 p.m. Went to get
some stationery and gloves. Everywhere
you had to wait 10 to 30 minutes to
get waited on. Big crowd.

Somae San got me one package of
Kiō gwan ~~to~~ to K, Keliho wrote that
Mrs. Minami wanted. That seems to be

the only package in this town of Ogden.
Some Son inquired at Takahashi for
Tamaki and Sakurada, this package
appeared while Mrs. Sakurada ^{was} looking
for some other medicine.

One of the 2 men from Tak Lake
seemed to be under the influence of
liquor and acted very happy.

9/15/42 clear Tuesday. 82°-51°

Worked 6:45 to 6:30 11 $\frac{3}{4}$ hrs 7⁰⁵

Ride: Taniguchi - Tanimine.

Dreamed of my mother as she was
30 years ago.

Awoke at 3 a.m. Thought it was raining
but some one carelessly left the toilet water
running.

6 a.m. aroused by sound downstairs,
15 to 20 minutes later than usual.

At the plant, steady flow of tomatoes all
day, about 16,000 Boxes. Felt very

tired and wished to quit working earlier today
but Tanimine Sam sure wants to put in
hours and he has the car to take us home.

For almost a week we have seen
daily a trainload of Japanese evacuees
on their way to Minidoka (Idaho) &
Cody (Wyoming) Relocation Centers. The
train goes through the Union Pacific R.R.
yard along which stands the plant of the
Utah Canning Co. where we are working
is to be seen from the yard. They wave at
us and so do we. May God bless them
at the destination.

9/16/42 Wednesday morning cloudy 82°-51
worked 6:45 to 7 12 1/4 hrs. 7.35

Ride Toriguchi Tanimine.

With good sleep last night I felt much
easier to work today.

6 p.m. we were practically through when
a new crew came, but as Tanimine

wants to stay on job as long as Earl Hawkins
does not tell us to go home. Only the juice
machine worked we worked half the time,
in addition doing one man's work by 2,
men. I and Chaplin mustache did tossing
empties given to me by the clamper Chaplin
passing it to a truck driver. Tanimine
and Kubo did some unloading together

Mrs Swamoto call me up telling me
receipt of a letter from T. R. Matenska
Notifying her that he and his wife see
to leave Tanfolar Sept. 18th, 8 p.m.
arriving at Delta, Utah 39 hours
later. The train would be passing through
Ogden during the night. Mrs Swamoto
thought it'd be nice if we could give
him something by some means while
train stopping here at night.

9/17/42 Thursday Clear 68° - 37°

Worked 6:45 to 6:30 " 3/4 hrs 7⁰⁵

Ride Taniguchi Tanimiise.

Too many tomatoes on hand and could not start unloading trucks until 10 a.m. By that time there were about 20 trucks lined up. Much easier today, with cool weather and work was slow.

9/18/42 Friday clear chilly 68° - 36°

- worked 6:45 to 7:30 12 $\frac{3}{4}$ 7.65

Ride Taniguchi Tanimiise

Like yesterday morning it was chilly, especially this morning felt fingers tips, getting wet by tomato juice, frozen.

Received letter from J. Karamori, Poston, Arizona that applied to go to Japan, 14 in all, including a son-in-law & 2 grand children, W. Asano's address at Camp Livingston given

Mitsue Aitanabe, younger of the 2 daughters of Toyo Boarding, started to work at Utah Canning Co from this morning. Fumiko Takahashi spent her 3rd day today at the Utah

replacing her mother, who had cut her fingers so many times. The mother showed us this evening that the wounds have all healed up after 3 days.

Received answer from Colorado Times, Denver that neither E-J nor J-E dictionaries available anywhere in town. but as for drugs (Japanese) its advantages early

9/19/42 was Saturday, chilly. frost ^{63°} _{70°}
worked 6:45 to 6:15 11½ hrs 6.90

Ride Taniguchi Taniguchi

In the afternoon, no place to unload and had to rest when machine did not take tomatoes and had an easy time most of the afternoon.

Tomato suffered frost damage in quite few districts.

Tom was waiting when returned, enjoyed supper together and he left.

Phoned Mrs. Inamoto better wait
until Matenaka gets destination
before 8 p.m.

2 Tacoma 2 Seattle boys from
Tule-Lake Relocation Center came to the
Tayo looking for room for the night. One
was a son of Tacoma hotel operator, Tomita.
Said 3 square meals and get paid \$8 per
month was not bad to be in Relocation
Center.

9/10/42 Sunday clear 74° - 44°

Did not go to work although there
was work at the Metal Canning Co.

up 7.

8 a.m. Holy Communion service - 3
women and myself.

washed work pants which later in the
evening Mrs. Watanabe mended for me.

Chicken dinner at noon at the Hospital
The old lady in the kitchen as usual greeted
me very kindly. Tom said Dr. Danke would
get him in Train. La Med. School Hospital

When a year is finished here. Dr.
Innis is now assistant to Dr. Rich,
a wealthy Physician and Surgeon.

Japanese Church 3 P.M. Mrs. Kaliga,
Kuro Sora and myself were all the
Congregation. Rev. Chapman spoke about
his work in Shiga, Wakayama - Ken -
we talked about Ogura family there
also others.

Received letter from J. Kamamura, that
all his family, including Son-in-law

Received Card from St. Iseki, Kindokan
W. R. A. that the winter is at hand, Rev.
Nakajo then though now in hospital,
no word from Yoshihashi yet, Matsui,
Kimura are reported sent to New Mexico.

Mailed letter to Keiko that letter wait
a little while to make application for release.
Have worked 3 wks in a Tomato Cannery,
feel fine in best of health. Tom is well

he does not wish to move at the present time as he is well content and satisfied with the conditions of the hospital.

Mailed Card to St. Ives, Minidoka, W. R. A. glad that he is well, delighted to hear Rev. Nakajo transferred there as I thought he was at Tule Lake. No word from Yoshihashi, Kimura or Matsui.

9/21/42 Monday Clear 77° - 46° 11 3/4 hrs.
worked 6:45 to 12; 12:30 to 7 7.05

Ride Torisuichi - Torimint.

When cleaned up what there was on the floor. Earl, the foreman, made us to run tomatoes from tracks to machine and did not allow us to place on the floor for keeping overnight for fear that the frozen tomatoes may do some damage to the products. However, they changed their mind and made us stack them on the floor.

Received letter from Amy 9/18/42 1st.

of here from Rivero, Ariz. That we must
get back to civilization from this land of
dust, the heat and plenty of saps; will
apply for leave as soon as that Dept
is established. applied and placed
myself and Mrs. Miura on a waiting
list for teaching kindergarten; Jordan
is in with good group of boys who
desire to go to school - under good
influence; Jordan wants shirts and pants.

9/22/42 Tuesday 81° - 57°

worked 6:45 to 7:45 13 hrs 7.80

Ride Taniguachi - Tonina

Earl Hankins did not smile to say.
"You want go home?" So finally
we made out ticket and presented to
him for punching. There were 9 trucks
to unload yet and we were tummy and
weak. we have had hard trucking to
do all day long. Indian haunt shows

up for 2 days and young fellows would not help us. Tomimine & Kubo had to truck long way from the wooden platform and I had to truck tomatoes to the middle machine and when machine was not working I had to truck them on the floor for tomorrow. Thus no rest.

A train-load of Japanese, probably on way from coast to Wyoming or Idaho relocation centers, were just passing when we were crossing the railroad in the U.P. yard. Young fellows called out to us "Oji-San". They, men, women and children waved and so did we.

Card from Yasemon ^{7/19} Minami that he received my letter of 13th on the 17th that he had received my telegram and he and his friends are all well, talking, laughing and drinking just like a kid.

9/23/42 Wednesday clear 79°-51°

Worked 6:45 to 7 12¹/₄ hrs 7.35

Ride Taniguelli - Tanimine.

In the afternoon Kubo & I had to truck Tomatoes which had been standing on roofless concrete floors since yesterday & the 1st. machines & the machines did not stop until about 4 and the two of us were kept busy in the scorching sun.

Tanimine's car was hard to start and had to get a push from behind.

After supper, Yukko was at a loss what to do with a Utah State Income Tax division's letter and a return enclosed therein for negligence in filing return for 1941. I helped her along, but they turned it over to me for further study.

9/24/42 Thursday clear 80°-42°

Worked 6:45 to 6:30 11³/₄ hrs 7.25

Ride ^{a.m.} Taniuchi ^{p.m.} Sakurada

Tanimine went home earlier to work on his old (1931?) Studebaker Sedan. By the time we got home he said he had located the trouble; wire from timer was loose.

Nobuo, Mrs. Iwano's 2nd son, gave me T. R. Matsuoka's address written on a piece of paper in the trailer, saying "mom says this is Matsuoka Sam's address. So my dear friend is at least settled down at a new location, to wit 12-1-15 Central Utah Relocation Project, Topaz Utah.

Received pay check from Utah Lumber Co
for 2 weeks 9/7 - 9/19 144 1/2 hrs @ 60¢
\$86.70 - .87 (social security tax) \$85.83

9/25/42 Friday, clear

worked ^{a.m.} 6:45 to ^{p.m.} 8:45 14 hrs of 40

Ride Taniuchi - Tanimine.

Kubo complained of sore shoulder, cursed

by his fall yesterday trucking empties,
and would not go.

Tanimine did not show up either
and I worked on roofless concrete floor
with Tanagi, Chaplin matacho; He accused
Tanimine being bossy.

Tanimine showed up at 11:15 a.m.
Arose 9 a.m. Worked on his car, traced
apart as far as distributor which he
took to garage and was told that the
condensor had been burnt up. Paid
46¢ for a new condensor in the next door
Auto Parts Shop on Grant St. and "the
car is now like a new one".

8. p.m. I wanted to go home getting
a ride on a Japanese boy's truck as I
felt cold was sure on me; I suspected
it yesterday when I had a sore throat.
Tanimine said he'd quit at 8:00
P.m. making today's 9 hrs. I was

loading up empties with Mrs. Sakenada's
brother. When last load of tomatoes was
unloaded it was 8:37. Many men then
became not needed any longer and Earl,
the foreman, "you want go home". He
punched 6:45 to 8:45

Hondou who was in Brigham and Salt
Lake City returned today and handed
me the 2 T-shirts he promised to
buy for Jordan for me.

Bathed. Couple doses of aspirin
tablets. Newspaper and went to bed
9/26/42 Saturday

Worked 6:45 to 7:15 12¹/₂ hrs 7⁵⁰

Ride Taniguchi Tanimine
yesterday's sore throat proved to be
a herald to a cold, but not so severe.

Got aspirin tablets from Taniguchi
and went to bed early.

Y. Yamaguchi was over with a proposition
that he has got a job as a foreman of a Japanese

Crew for Utah-Idaho Central R.R. Co.

9/27/42 Sunday 86° - 50°

8 a.m. Holy Communion service, a lady and myself were the only communicants this morning.

Cold was still in me so, went back to bed. Mrs. Wakarusa woke me up at noon for noonday meal.

Kano from Idaho took Mrs. Takahashi and myself to the Japanese Church. Mrs. Kaitaja and Kuno and ourselves made up the congregation for the day. Rev. Chapman played piano and Rev. Ota preached.

Rev. Ota took us for a ride and we enjoyed the wonderfully beautiful scenery of the canyon road, with the leaves turning into marvelously fascinating colors, so

山々の斜面の紅葉の美しい。
on the mountain side

Fall is here and the heavenly carpet covers them all.

Received letter from Keiko about Minora
used to sell insurance in Chicago & Detroit in a
big car with a colored chauffeur that his wife
is a daughter of Onishi of Texas, a vice graver.

Assisted Yako make out income tax
return for the State of Utah. Took all
evening.

Cold was still with me, and I thought
I wouldn't go to work tomorrow but
Y. Yamaguchi implored me to go as the
number of men going the very first
day is rather small.

Mailed application for permit to join
a Japanese crew to work on the R.R.
lines of the Utah - Idaho Central R.R.
Co.

9/28/42 Monday 85° - 60°

Railroad track tie changing for Utah
Idaho Central R.R. Co near Plain City, with
Y. Yamaguchi as foreman, Taniguchi, Kato, Ochi

Kawaguchi and, myself composing a crew. Using shovel one's belly has to exercise, also one's back. It may take me 2 or 3 weeks to get used to this type of work. I am an utter stranger, but Taniguchi and Kubo, formerly ^{among} the best foremen of U.P. Co. their work is very precise and fast.

Kubo drove an old bus to and from the work 38 tires changed.

Worked 7 to 4:30 - $\frac{1}{2}$ hr 9 hrs 5.40

Time to and from the work is counted as working.

Hair-cut by Taniguchi after supper taking bath upon reaching the boarding house and finishing supper in the broad daylight sure makes one feel better than working until late hours.

Chara was questioned by F.B.I agent; ~~sure~~ like he was taken for a man

named Kobara who went back to Japan
before the outbreak of the war.

9/29/42 Tuesday 78° - 47°

Today Ochi did not come to work
but Kaneko, Nakagawa and Shimizu were
there besides the original 4. Afternoon was
overcast and was easy to work.

Received permit from Mr. Dan B.
Shields, U.S. Attorney, to work for the Utah-
Idaho Central Railroad Company, to notify
him ^{and F.B.I.} when definitely employment changed.

Miyagishima came at about 8:30
p.m. to tell me that Mr. Backer of the Utah
Canning Company wanted to see me about
the visit of F.B.I. agent or something to
that effect.

9/30/42 Wednesday 79° - 50

Witnessed an excellent workmanship
of the crew in raising one side of the
track which was more than 3 inches

lower than the other and lining
up or straightening a Rink.

Hot in the afternoon.

At the ear balcon this morning loaded
some 200 tiles on a flat car.

Called up Mr. Barker of the Utah
Canning Co at about 5 p.m. He
said Mr Stroble of FBI was over
to see me on Monday and upon
receiving this morning he called Mr
Stroble told him about it

Mailed letter to Mr. Stroble that
I'll come over and see him at
about 5:30 tomorrow.

October 1st 1942. Thursday 84-45°

The railroad ^{track} is in terrible condition
and needs lots of repair. Shortage of
spikes make it necessary to use old
ones as much as possible. Its lucky for
the company to have in our crew

men like Kubo, Taniguchi, Kaneko, all very capable and expert in the work. I worked again today with Kaneko and it is pleasant to ^{watch} see him work in such precise manner.

Kamego Watanabe and Yamaguchi joined us making the total number of men 10 today.

We almost left Watanabe behind when we started home this afternoon. He was down on the creek getting some water-cress and we did not notice his absence until we were about a mile away from the place.

Called at F.B. J. office at 5:15 and stayed there until 5:30 but agent Stroble did not show up.

wrote letter to Matsuoaka T.R. Central Utah Relocation Center, telling him how I secured his address from

Mrs. Swamoto, how my family & I am getting along.

Mailed letter to S. Kobayashi, Stockton Assembly Center, asking for Rev. Teraguchi's Central Utah Relocation Center address, giving my family's address at Gila Relocation Center, about their going to Arkansas Relocation Center.

10/21/42 Friday Cool Breeze

2 new men today, Okamoto, originally a photographer, then a dish washer, and, Harada who was at Ft. Missoula.

Worked with Iyamauchi, Shinnign, Okamoto under Kaneko. Was able to do "Tamp" to a satisfactory degree.

Taniguchi, Kubo cut a rail and replaced where crooked.

Cool breeze kept us in good shape all day.

Hondo, Kane, says from Pocatello,
went back home to Idaho today.

Kamei left Mukai's place a
few days ago on the ground he is sick.
He plans to go to Salt Lake City shortly.
His place at Mukai was filled by oldest
Hizugashiyama boy.

Nakata took the place of K. Watanabe
at Eccles Farm Implement Co. but as
he did not go yesterday morning Mr.
Eccles took him away from him when
he went there to apologize. This was
told to me by K. Watanabe who went to
see Nakata last night.

10/3/42 Saturday 69°-43°

A new man, Kimura, made the crew
to be of 3 men. Today I worked with
J. Yamaguchi and for the first time hammered
spikes.

Upon arising at Tayo 4:25 we

were told that a FBI agent spent
2 1/2 hrs in checking up things in S.
Yumaguchi's room, later they went
into each room and looked into
dresser drawers.

Received a new pair of shoes size
5 4E at Watson & Tanner and
bought an overall @ 2.50. Mrs
Watanabe cut it's legs to my length.
Size was 36.

Tom came and had a dinner
with us. Said he had spent Friday
last week in company with Dr
Dunkle, the famous surgeon.

Received letter from Mrs Minami
thanking for a package of Kiogan and
asking 2 or 3 more packages if
available. All are well she says,
though it's still hot in Arizona.

Received letter from Keiko asking

me to send $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. rice-bowls. That
she with Mrs Miura made chests &
a table while Mrs Yamamoto had
her husband make a Tsuitate
for 72-9-C. Diagram of the Camp
enclosed.

10/4/42 Sunday 46° - 68°

8 a.m. Holy Communion service at
the Church of the Good Shepherd.

1 hour nap.

Ton was busy today people hurt
in accident coming in for treatment; one of
them a drunken fellow injured own head
in a fall from stairway.

1 hour nap again

Holy Communion Service at the
Japanese Union Church at about 4 P.M.
Rev. Chapman had his wife with him
today. He promised to look into the
proceedure how to apply for release

from Relocation Centers to go to school.
He said some 100 Japanese students
enrolled at the University of Utah.

Mr & Mrs. K. Watanabe and Mrs. Takahashi
went up to Garland to congratulate Sato
family there on a wedding of their son
and a new born born of the newly weds.
Said no frost up there yet due to Canyon
breeze. Bought sack nice celery.

Kamei left today for Salt Lake City
to live. Before departure, he went to
Mukai's to bid good bye.

Must have been tired today, for I
had another nap (3rd one) in the
parlor while talking with many men
there, just fell asleep.

10/5 + v Monday 75° - 48°

Worked wearing the new overall.
Mrs. Yumaguchi, Mrs. Watanabe, Mrs.
Kawidori came to visit us with

Sonae Sam as driver. Frozen chocolates and apple they brought were really good.

Worked with I. Yamaguchi, part of the day joined by Watanabe.

Kubo took the bus back to Ogden for repair of 2 flat tires.

Miyagishina and his wife moved into Taya's today room #7, on the 3rd floor.

Received letter from Beahp Reifsnider acknowledging receipt of my letter and telling me that he would be here in Ogden between the dates Oct 6th - 12th. and he would send me word definite date later, he expects to visit W. R. C in Utah, Idaho, Wyoming and Colorado, he expressed hope that by this time my family are all reunited.

10/6/42 Tuesday, hot afternoon.

afternoon was terribly hot, perspiration dripped down on my glasses for the first

time since I started to work on this job. Everybody was worn, and complained the Indian Summer heat. Boss Yamaguchi ordered us rest for a while at about 2:30 P.M.

Kubo San had to buy "Egg noodle", a box of it, for his brother in the Yela Relocation Center from Mukai and I asked him to buy a box of it also. Keiko wrote the other day Moinami gave Amy \$5⁰⁰ for me to buy noodles for him.

Kubo San suggested Boss Yamaguchi to try division of labor in our work tomorrow, that is, some taking spikes & tie ant, and next team digging, still next team putting new tie in, some others tamp, one fellow spiking, last team filling & cleaning & dressing. Boss Yamaguchi did not agree on the

ground that men get tired of working on
on thing quicker than doing ^{variety} ~~many~~ of
operations.

Phoned Tom about the forthcoming visit
of Bishop Reifsnider and he had already
been informed of that by Eiko.

10-7-42 Wednesday 49°-82°

Roadmaster and chief engineer's clerk came
at about 11 a.m. that we were needed at a
point close to Brigham City. At the suggestion
of Kato the crew installed a system of work
today by which some ~~dig~~ do nothing but
dig while others put the ties in and finish.
I was digging today with J. Yamaguchi as a
partner as before.

At 1 p.m. after loading up number of ties
we left the car-bahn in an electric car for
Brigham. It was about 4 p.m. when we unspiked
and loaded several 70 lbs rails.

3 cars were derailed when we got to . . .

Point¹ about 2 miles west of Brigham.
Made them get on the rail, cleaned the
track, unloaded some ties and it was
9:15 when we left for Ogden, hungry and
worn. 10:30 p.m. we got to the car barn.

One of the men took us as far as Ymaguelis
in a city bus.

Tom was said to have been here this
evening.

washed up, ate and bathed

10-8-42 Thursday 82° - 46°

Via electric car the crew went to
Brigham again today and started working
at about 11 a.m., leaving there for home
at 3:30. Laying of ties & rails were
done. Saw many pheasants on the way.
Peaches and prunes that were picked
when the car stopped, waiting for some
car to pass by were very nice.

Received letter^{10/3} from Keiko that the

Jordan's package arrived but the pants too large, T shirts too small also those socks for Jordan which I sent 2 pairs a white back were too small, buy 6 more rice bowls for Stagia and some Umelboshi

Received letter 10/6 from K. Ota that his wife is better and ^{saw her twice for \$5 m each} at Hillcrest Sanitarium that they moved 9/17 from Santa Anita arriving at Lamar, Colorado 9/19. Camp not completed young fellows go to work outside.

10/9/42 Friday 84° - 57°

Roadmaster drove us to Big Horn where we worked for 2 days. It was terribly hot with almost no breeze, the spot being hidden behind willows and other trees.

Tom came at about 5 p.m. and had dinner with us. Told me about his meeting yesterday with Bishop Reifsnider

letter to Keiko that Umehashi
and many other things Japanese not
longer available.

at the Union Pacific Depot. Bishop seems
to have conveyed "a very warm
regard from Giko" to Tom. He
spoke about his appendix operation
done in 18 minutes for Dr. Bartlett
who during the week asked him to
consider spending another year at
the hospital. He is the chief of staff.

10-10-42 Sunday sprinkled in morning

Y. Yamaguchi drove us to the
same job in Boyham. For a while
it rained and looked like we'd have
had to go home with very threatening
sky but it cleared up gradually.
Roadmaster came and watched us
work for some time.

Watanabe San went to Rock-
spring Wyoming with Gabe & his tent
to visit his childhood friend who has
been suffering from high blood pressure.

Mrs Watanabe received telephone message at 3:30 p.m. that they had safely arrived at the destination.

Jim of Jim Cafe, a Greek, called up Kubo San to come and work for him, as a waiter this time and not as a dishwasher, offering 50¢ per hour plus meals.

Enjoyed phonograph records this evening and some "Uta".

10-11-42 Sunday Evening Thunder Storm

For the first time more men than women were at 8 a.m. Holy Communion Service, that is 4 men and 2 women were present. Rev. Aygle approved as my sponsor application to U.S. although to go to hot springs.
10:30 to 11:00 enjoyed a nap.

Went to Pay Less Drug Store for shopping, with Kubo.

Sato San came and with him went around to get ladies for the Japanese

Union Church: Mrs S. Takahashi was in Garland, another Mrs Takahashi of the store was absent, Mrs Swamoto came along. Mrs Oka was in church today for the first time since she had that nose bleeding.

Rev. Ota bought me Inouye's Japanese-English dictionary and Takehara's English Japanese Dictionary; no charge he says.

Kubo San is now offered \$4 per day at Jim's cafe where he and Yamaguchi used to work until a short time ago at \$19 per week, later raised to \$20 per week.

Talking with former Sato revealed that he had known Dennis Fujinami of American Sweaters Co. Los Angeles for many years and that Fujinami took Sato around when he was in

L.A. a few years ago on business.

Mailed letter to R. Adams, Camp
(CPUSA)
Livingston, La asking him how he is
getting along and if he want anything
sent to him.

10-12-42 Monday 65°-46° Rain

Thunderstorm 3:30 to 4:20 P.M.

Worked in Brigham. Pool and water
was not so popular as other days.
Rain caught us just when we were getting
ready to go home at 3:30. During our
drive through the city of Brigham it
rained in a sheet.

Shinnig, one who used to grow
tomato in San Luis Obispo later working
with M. Uebe, now working with us,
coughed terribly today and was hit
by a crow bar used by Roadmaster

Bishop Reifsnider's visit. Met at the
U.P. Depot at 8 p.m. Tom and myself. Bosleep

was brought here by Arch Deacon Backley from Salt Lake City via Hart Mountain Relocation Center at Cody, Wyoming. He was to catch 11:30 p.m. train for San Francisco where a conference is to be held the day after tomorrow. We went to Tom's room at the Deo Hospital via Taxi and talked. He must be over 70 years old, but he looks and is as vigorous as before. He labored 40 years - his entire life - in Japan. He loved Japanese people and he still loves them with the exception of so-called warlords. It must have broken his heart when he had to come back to the U.S. last fall. He said he was very happy to hear the news brought by the S.S. Gripsholm that the alumni of St. Paul's University raised $2\frac{1}{2}$ million Yen and established a medical College

in conjunction with St. Luke's Hospital. He is now travelling to all war Relocation Centers, primarily to look after the welfare of Japanese Episcopals but generally to see that all Japanese are enjoying comfortably happy life in centers. His opinion was that 75% of them are enjoying better or as good food as in normal life while the balance of 25% do not get as good food as they used to under normal conditions. Women, formerly working hard raising children, looked weak and emaciated are now fat and happy as they are free from the burden of household duties.

We talked about Bishop Roberts. Profs. Roberts and Sullivan, Dr. Pot. and his son Pot jr of the St. John's University, Shanghai. He told me the

passing in April this year of Dr. Collins,
President of Trinity Theological School,
about young minister Kitagawa who he
says when released or paroled from
Lordsburg, N.M. will go to Eden, Idaho
Minidoka Relocation Center; about
Rev. Nakajo who is to be sent else-
where from Minidoka to take care
the Japanese Episcopalians as Rev. Itoji
is there also; about Rev. Yamada's
family, about young Masataka,
a brother of Mike Masataka, Secretary
of J. A. C. L., about Rev. Kano and
his family, about Mr. Migumo of
Morinaga Co Branch office in N. Y.
about dear Susugi bidding goodbye
to the Bishop just before he
departed

His mind is just as keen as
it was 30 years ago. He spoke of

Presiding Bishop Tucker, being very busy as his Bishop Coadjutor has been seriously ill, doing duties of the Presiding Bishop and of Bishop of Virginia; He said Mrs Tucker has not been well.

As to his own family, Mrs Reifouder stays home ^{in Pasadena} all alone when he travels but one of the 2 married daughters lives nearby, one son works at the Douglas Aircraft Corporation and the other an ensign in the navy.

He thought the Hitler's failure to get Stalingrad may be the turning point of the war and the peace may come much sooner than previously expected. The peace when comes after this war must and should and will be enduring one based upon justice and humanity, unlike the peace treaties after the 1st world war which did many

injustice which bred this world war
No. 2.

"God bless you!" was his last
word this time as I got off the
taxi in front of the Post Office
Building.

Tom was eager to find some
means to effect Eiko's release, but
Bishop thought it very hard to bring
her out even if the hospital invited
her to come to make special studies.

10-13-42 Tuesday Rain 65°-46°

all the way to Brigham was
raining but when we worked about
2 miles from that city no rain all
day except an occasional sprinkling.

Rained in Ogden when we got back.
Bought at Watson-Tanner Clothing Co
a "Elasti-gloss" rain coat and a hat.

Read in September issue of Reader's

Digest "Found: A One Day Cure for Syphilis - By Paul de Kruif" The world must appreciate the efforts of all those scientists and M.Ds who, slowly but surely, conquer the dreaded and cursed diseases.

10-14-42 Wednesday - Partly Cloudy 72°-41°

Worked at Brigham with the addition of Mukita San, formerly a section foreman of the U.P.R.R., to our crew which is again composed of 14 men.

Several of us took rain coats with us, and not a drop of rain has fallen although we could see the rain fall along the mountain.

ICubo San told us his experience as bootlegging during prohibition days and contact he had with one Stamatov who was later died on the gallows in California for killing a 8 year old

daughter of his sweetheart. Kubo says
story of his experience as a photographer
in Evanston, Wyoming was very
interesting.

Mailed my monthly report to
parole officer Otto Mutz, Salt Lake
City.

10-15-42 ~~Thursday~~ Wednesday cloudy cold, 58°-45°

Returned to work in Plain City
district again today where 4 beet
cars were detailed at a point where
we left off repairing as we had to go
to Brigham.

Ohara's work at Sato's ran out
yesterday and he started to work with
us today.

After bath went to Watson-Tanner,
bought 2 pairs underwears, 1 shorts for
myself and a genuine Livy's work
parts for Jordan 29-31. At J.C. Penney

bought a hat for work, a felt hat which would stand some rain. At Woolworth bought things for Gila and note books for myself.

Received a letter from T. R. Matsuka, Topaz, Utah apologizing for long silence, has been busy with agricultural experts from Washington, will be busy conducting meetings of various agricultural projects, am to be permitted to go as far as Delta to attend gatherings of agricultural nature, for instance, a meeting of turkey producers, gave me address of your family in Ariz.
10-16-42 Cloudy cool $64^{\circ}-51^{\circ}$

Worked in Plains City district

Shimizu's cold subsided, he does no longer cough much. J. Yamaguchi has started coughing, hope it does not develop into a bad cold.

Mr. Swamoto called up to tell me

that she has received a letter from
friend Matenoka who explained
in detail our many years of
friendship.

10-17-42 Saturday, cloudy ^{a.m. later warmer} strong wind, cool
worked in Plain City District. Best car
derailed last night at a crossing, both
sides of which we did some work a
while back. No good tie underneath,
tie were all rotten and hard ground
really kept the track but the rain
softened the earth and the result was
as was expected.

Tom came over at about 5 p.m.
and enjoyed supper with us. He
told me the possible deciding up of
St. Mary's Episcopal Church group
as the Cold Center when they were
to be relocated has already been
filled up. He said Eiko's family

sented for Jerome, Art and Bishop Reifensides was to be at Santa Anita where Eiko still is.

10-18-42 Sunday, clear

8 a.m. Holy Communion Service. Showed travel permit to Corina & Utah Hot Springs to Rev. Argyle.

Corina Hot spring, left town at about 10 a.m. Social San at wheel, Madama Watanabe, Takahashi and Sakurada and myself. At the hot spring joined us Oshioyama, of stooper, Watanabe of Oakland, Yamakawa formerly of Sonoma, Celj and others. Enjoyed fully the benefits of the mineral bath. Noon day lunch and supper, Origini, chicken etc all tasted wonderfully nice. left 6 P.M. and returned at about 7 P.M.

Miss Field dropped in and while waiting for Mrs Kariya she read

were a letter written by a missionary lady who was imprisoned for some time in Japan and returned here on the exchange ship Gripsholm.

10-19-42 Monday clear 70°-43

Worked at a point about 2 miles north of Cen barn where a car derailed last night. 3:30 p.m. at the car barn loaded some ties until 4:30 arrived. Tariguelin proposed to throw ties on the tie car while many thought it better to hand them over to the men on the tie car. He himself was soor. Tired by throwing and afterwards he, Kaweko and others handed them over to us, Yamaguelin, Ohara, Kawaguelin and myself. Old man Kawaguelin is one of those who have to have his own way if not as good

as others'. Hammering spikes, shovelling and the use of pick he is still very good but ⁱⁿ the handling of ties he was not a match for us. And yet he would try to boss us. It's really very interesting to observe the characteristics and personal traits of these men. To use the common expression "I get lots of kick out of it".

Shopping in the evening for my own family in Gila, Minami San in Camp Livingston and Kanamori San in Poscon, Ariz. Made 3 packages ready to mail tomorrow.

ACTS 9:10-22

10-20-42 Tuesday Clear frost $+2^{\circ}$ - 71°

loaded ties and 4 rails in the yard for an hour or so then drove to Plain City district.

Mailed to Mr. Minami, Camp Livingston

1 English - Japanese dictionary and 1
Japanese - English dictionary, some
candies ^{#1.50} also a letter notifying
him the parcel-post and asking him
to let me know if he needs anything
else.

Mailed to J. Kanamori, Poston, Ariz.
candies #2.50 also a letter notifying
him the parcel-post, asking him to
send me his address in Japan;
that ^{among} many Fuku shima-kenjin here
there may be some coming from his
home town.

Mailed to Keiko, Gila, Rivers, Ariz.
Jordan's Livy's 29-31 pants, 1 pair
lingerie with lock, candies #2.50.
also a letter notifying her the
parcel post. gave her T.R. Matsukawa's
address at Topag, Utah, stated about
Eiko Nishibayashi's relationship with

Tonisharu; Bishop Reifsnider's visit and what he said about ^{her and family's} release and release of students.

Received card from T.K. Pharmacy, Denver that no Kiwo-gan or any other Japanese medicine.

St. Mark 9:14-29.

10-21-42 Wednesday clear 38°-68°

Worked in Plain City District all day.

Kubo, Makita & Nakagawa worked in Ogden with section Foreman. Partner today was Stori, former ^{U.P.} section foreman, and tunnel watch man, later joined by Watanabe of Togo Boarding.

Received Post Card from Rev. Nakajo Minidoka W.P.A. Idaho asking if I received his Oct. 2nd Post card, that I try to see Miyagi-shima & others.

Received letter from Yataro Minami thanking for Udon, and asking me to

watch for an opportunity for his family to come out and locate, especially in Colorado.

Received letter from Keiko that Tony and Jordan both classified to receive \$16⁰⁰ per month each, that Minami Tomoaki moved to new quarters. Udon was much appreciated by Minami's. Kishie San has been in hospital with a Valley fever, and so are now Mrs Islin who came here at the very last due to unable to get on the exchange boat.

Insurance was not extended at that time but paid premium, will have to pay it again in February, have to pay Jordan's insurance premium next month will you take care that, finished knitting Jordan's socks worth \$2⁰⁰, costing actually \$1⁰⁰ for material, needs bath robes for Tony and Jordan, maybe a good idea for you

and Tom to make them Christmas gifts.
involved her ^{foot} size in print to buy a
pair pair of shoes for her.

Sakimoto from Hollywood, a gardener,
Dr. Kato's sister-in-law's father &
good-bye to me and others this morning
just when we were leaving in the bus
to work. He is headed for Colorado.

Lesson: St. John 14: 8-13

10-22-42 Thursday, clear 72°-38°

worked with Hori as partner in Plain
City district. Early morning was cool, but
in the afternoon it was hot. The place
had high bank, along the ditch, piled up
when the ditch was cleaned and all of
us had really a harder days work
all day today. As for Hori, a man
of about 63, rather small built, and
after several weeks of sickness. he
seemed to be awfully tired yesterday

And today. He was frank to say that he was out of breath and so needed a little rest.

Stopped by the brick yard to repair a ^{broken} spot on the main line spur and it was after 5 p.m. when we got home.

F.B.I. agent Middle came to the door with an aid and told me to come to his office. It was about 8 p.m. At his office 277 P.O. Bldg. he returned me my diary and a lot of letters which he was made to turn over to him at Cicagna's on Aug. , 1942. The last thing he said was, "Behave yourself and we won't bother you." u.

Lesson St. Mark 9:24-41 32°-58°
10-23-42 Friday cloudy sprinkle few drops
worked near the Brickyard in

Harrisville district, with Nakagawa San as a partner most of the day.

Petty, owner of the brick yard asked us if we could work for him, he needed 8 or 9 men right now, working at present with only 9 men where 40 men required to run the plant. He said he was paying 60, 65 ¢ depending upon the work men do, time and half over 8 hours a day.

Received card from K. Asano, Camp Livingston, La that he received my card with thanks, was well, that his brother in Colorado

Tom came in the evening, said Amy's letter described how she declined an acceptance from a College in South Dakota. I explained to him Mai's letter.

Lesson Hebrew 1

10-24-42 Saturday, clear, severe frost
on our way to work in Harrisville

distinct everything was white with frost
and for an hour or two my toes
were cold and legs chilly, making
me think of wearing heavier drawers
and overshoes.

waked with Kaneko, ^{and} Kubo on
a crossing to a farm house where
daily trains and several long chicken
coups stand. Rubber Tired wagon
was hauling sugar beets. An elderly
gentleman came out on horse back
and asked us if we were going to raise
all the rotten ties and put in new
ones. We told him that the Company
does not permit us to do so as the
line is to haul the sugar beets only
for a while. He complained of
digging up 7 or 8 ties at a time
necessitating him to put in gravel
every time to fill in. I assured

him the job will be done well as the two
me have been ^{seasoned} section foremen of Camp
and S.P. although I was a novice.
He asked me where I was from and I
told him "that from California, but
had spent 6 months in a detention
camp till the end of May" He said
he has two Japanese, about 40, from
Delta, Utah Relocation Center. They work
hard although one of them has never
done such a hard work before. I
feel sorry for them, the victims of
circumstances" "They are very good
men" he continued "and I'd trust
them before I trust any one else."

The gentleman farmer took some 20
Cans out and then took them back
about an hour later. He pointed to
two Jersey Cans and said "they
have gas in the belly and I am

afraid it is going to kill them."

The bus was hit by a bus truck while Yamaguchi was trying to park on the left side of the highway, the damage was almost nothing. The bus had to be pushed this morning, he came after Ohara to do it. It had to be pushed again when we were to start for home.

Yamaguchi San was a bit out of order today, maybe due to these things mentioned above, or may have been offended by somebody. Anyhow he did not sleep at noon but frantically shovelled tie hole until 12:15. The train was not in sight and there was no reason why we should have done it in such a hurry. He ate lunch all alone. In the evening, Kubo and Yamaguchi

said that Yamaguchi ^{sometimes} follows our suggestions
and advises very willingly sometimes but
at other times he takes offense when
we suggest anything saying that he is
the one responsible for the Company
and he'd do as he pleases. So the
two men ^{said they} just suggesting.

Mr & Mrs Matsukawa dropped
in to see me in the evening. Mrs and
the old daughter have been under the
care of Dr. Yoshitaka, the dentist. They
have been living in a large 5 room
house in Harajuku Rt 1, Box 24. I asked
him if the rumor that Sei Fujii had
died. He heard that rumor and so
wrote him and it was altogether false.

Enjoyed phonograph records.

Asked Yae-chan to buy a pair of
shoes for Ma and gave her the sheet
showing the size and \$10⁰⁰. Bill

Lesson: St. John 3: 1-17

10-25-42 Sunday clear 37°-71°

Burglar gets his loot

For the first time I was the only communicant this morning at 8 a.m. Holy Communion Services of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

Cluckin Dinned with Tom at the Dee Hospital. Got very sleepy, so returned to Tago

Tamiguchi Sam was saying someone had used a flashlight to locate a light switch near his room at about 5 am this morning. The bags across from my room had their cash stolen during the night to the extent of some \$90⁰⁰. Police detective was taking notes when I returned. The front door which has been kept unlocked is to be locked between the hours of 12 to 6 a.m.

Mr. Takahashi woke me up at about 2:30 to go to church. Sato san took us in his car. Miss Field has moved to a house on the Washington Blvd during the week and Rev. Chapman is to look at the 2nd floor of the house.

Rev. Newgent, formerly of Aizu and Yumagata spoke to us about his work in those districts. Rev. Ota preached using ^{as} text of from Isaiah.

Mrs. Watanabe felt sick this afternoon and Sonae San cooked chicken which was very good.

Tanizawa san, when I dropped in to see him, said Earl Hawkins of the Utah Canning Co left that company due to some argument with Mr. Mead, the superintendent. Gave him \$2 per ^{day} taking me back every day from work while there with him.

Lesson Ephesians 1:6:10-20

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SAFETY FIRST



REMEMBER TO

See that the way is clear before crossing street.

Obey the traffic officer at all times.

Cross at the intersection on the cross-walk.

Play in the school-yard, play-ground or quiet street.

Look after young children and see that they have a fair chance.

Discourage hitching—it is dangerous.

Avoid running into the street—especially from behind parked cars.

REMEMBER—"SAFETY FOR EVERYBODY"