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San Francisco, March 9, 1942

Honorable Vernon Stoll
District Attorney of Nevada County
Nevada City, California

Dear Sir:

In your letter of February 20th you make inquiry as to whether I would like you to return the maps previously sent to you in connection with the Alien Land Law survey being made by this office. I am finding these maps generally useful in the National Defense work being carried on by this office. Since your County is situated in a vital area of our State, I think it advisable for you to complete the maps and return them to me.

I note that there is only one Japanese family in your County and that this family lives within the city limits of Grass Valley. Under these conditions, I suggest that you fill in any vital defense areas or points and return the maps to me at your early convenience.

Thank you for your help in connection with this matter.

Very truly yours,

EARL WARREN, Attorney General

By

SHERRILL HALBERT
Deputy Attorney General

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Honorable Earl Warren
Attorney General
State Building
San Francisco, California

ATTENTION: Mr. Sherrill Halbert

Dear Sir:

Under separate cover I am sending you a copy of the map of Nevada County indicating vital defense points in the County.

The points are indicated by circles having a mile radius and consist chiefly of dams and power plants. Some of the power plants are not situated within the County of Nevada, but are adjacent to streams which form the County boundary and I have indicated them on the map.

I have included those contained in the Public Proclamation No. 1 of the Western Defense Command and Fourth Army of March 2nd, 1942.

The map itself indicates of what the vital points consist.

I have not indicated ordinary highway bridges or overpasses, feeling that though they are of primary importance, their destruction would not constitute a serious handicap. Besides, these are on the main highway and are probably indicated by the records of the Highway Department.

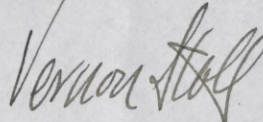
I also assume that though the railroad, in its entirety, is vital you have full information which would enable you to properly consider its protection.

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Our one Japanese family has left the County, so need
no longer be considered a menace locally.

Very truly yours,



Vernon Stoll
District Attorney of
Nevada County

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San Francisco, California

March 16, 1942

Honorable Vernon Stoll,
District Attorney, Nevada County,
Nevada City, California

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 12th wherein you advised me that you are sending in the map of your county indicating vital defense points in the county.

Thank you very much for taking care of this matter for me.

I think that you have given us all of the information that we will need in connection with this map. If we should discover that we need any additional information at any time in the future, I will then get in touch with you.

I note that your lone Japanese has left your county. I will correct our records so that they will reflect this fact when referred to in the future.

Very truly yours,

EARL WARREN, Attorney General

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SHERRILL HALBERT
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