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San Francisco, March 11, 1942

Honorable A. H. Brazil
District Attorney of San Luis Obispo County
San Luis Obispo, California

Dear Sir:

I desire to acknowledge receipt of pages 3 and 4 of the six-page map of your County which was sent to you in connection with the Alien Land Law survey being made by this office. Your courtesy and cooperation in connection with the completion and return of these maps are greatly appreciated.

As yet, I have not received pages 1, 2, 5 and 6 of the County map sent to you, nor have I received any city maps from you. It may be that there are conditions existing in your County which led you to feel that there was no justification for the completion of these pages. On the other hand, the task may be requiring more time than I might anticipate. I am finding these maps generally very useful in connection with the National Defense work being done by this office, so I should like very much to have you fill in any vital defense points on pages 1, 2, 5 and 6 of the County map and return these pages to me at your early convenience, even though there are no Japanese occupied lands included within the areas covered by these maps.

So far as the City maps are concerned, I shall leave it up to you to determine whether these maps will have any value to us. If you do not consider that these maps will serve any useful purpose, I would appreciate it if you would so advise me in order that I may make the proper notation on my records.

I presume that there will probably be material changes in connection with the maps of your County which

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reflect the location of Japanese thereon. If, at any time in the future, any changes seem sufficiently important to justify it, I would appreciate it very much if you would advise me of these changes so that I can make the proper notations on the maps of your County which you have sent to me. If you should deem it advisable, I will be glad to return to you all or a part of these maps, and thus enable you to make any changes, corrections or additions which may seem necessary.

Very truly yours,

EARL WARREN, Attorney General

By

SHERRILL HALBERT
Deputy Attorney General

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March 16, 1942

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Earl Warren, Attorney General
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San Francisco, California

ATTENTION: Sherrill Halbert, Deputy Attorney General

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge your letter of March 11th in which I am informed that pages, 1, 2, 5 and 6 of the County Map have not been received in your office.

I have checked with Mr. Floyd Crandall, Deputy Sheriff who prepared the maps and find the reason these pages were not sent is that there were no Japanese living in or about the area requiring a report on this part of the county.

It was my impression that you only wanted the record of that portion of the County in which there was a Japanese problem. The same thing applies to the Cities in the County, Arroyo Grande, Paso Robles and San Luis Obispo. If these maps are required, I shall do my best to prepare them, but I feel that the amount of work which would be required at this time to prepare such maps would overshadow the results to be obtained therefrom.

With very best personal wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

A. H. Brazil
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San Francisco, California

March 20, 1942

Honorable A. H. Brazil,
District Attorney of San Luis Obispo County,
San Luis Obispo, California

Dear Mr. Brazil:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 16th relative to the Alien Land Law maps covering your county.

You are perfectly right in assuming that the original purpose of these maps was to secure information in connection with the Alien Land Law. Since we have had the maps in the office, however, we have found them invaluable in connection with other defense work that is being carried on by this office. It is for this latter reason that we decided to secure all of the maps of the various counties even though some of the sections of the map might not reflect the location of any Japanese.

It should not require a great deal of effort to complete pages 1, 2, 5 and 6 of your county map if there are no Japanese living within the areas covered by these pages. All we would want is the entry of any points of strategic importance from a national defense point of view. If these points could be indicated on these pages and the pages could be sent in at your convenience, I would appreciate it very much.

So far as the city maps are concerned, I shall leave it up to you to determine whether these maps will have any value to us. If you do not consider that these maps will serve any useful purpose, I would appreciate it if you would so advise me in order that I may make the proper notation on my records.

Thanking you for your help and cooperation in connection with these maps, I am

Very truly yours,

EARL WARREN, Attorney General

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