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Arroyo Grande Herald-Recorder 12/12/41
p. 6 C1
+ "Our Local d"

"Patience is called for, and, while all Am. will have to be on the alert, this ed. believe that most of the local d will not be disloyal to the country. (over)

"This does not infer any 'soft' treatment of enemy aliens, but it does call for our keeping in mind what we believe to be a fact, that most of our local & colony will be good neighbors if we give them a chance."

Bakersfield Calif.
p. 14 C. 2
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1/28/42

"Japanese Schools"

"The textbooks in use were in the Japanese language, printed in Japan, + distributed to the 19,000 students. A review of them now indicates that the text was wholly subversive + therefore had no place in schools

conducted here in Amer., schools
which made use of the facilities
7 provided by the taxpayers of
' the state."

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2/2/42

"Problems of Our Own"

Refuting an expression of regret
over supervision of aliens

"... when one reads what is
happening in important centers
it will be agreed that there is
not only not too much concern

over this question but not
enough...

Cites case of 3 Sap. indicted by
L. A. Fed. Grand Jury for
receiving money from Sap. C. G.
in S. F. to carry on espionage

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2/4/42

"A Small Lab of 'Rumormonging'"

"Every employer has been plead with ^{to} not discharge his alien employees, whether enemy variety or nat. The making of rules to apply to such people has been retained as the rt.

of the govt."

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Bakersfield Calif.
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"It Came Too Late"

re Drex report

"Proof is submitted that there was a definite effort on the part of Nap. spies to gather full information covering the water supplies of cities along the Pac. C., that a

Central Esp. Assoc., with headquarters in S. F. was active in the work of espionage, that maps seized in such headquarters carried the definite location of canals, air bases, mines, army & navy bases, army divisions, submarine cables, oil pipelines, & r. r.

"Let us not waste too much sympathy upon the alien Esp. who are in the U.S. ... Humane we should be, but not silly.

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"Never 'Unconcentrate' the Japs"
... they should be removed from field
of danger in order to make the combat
area of the coast free of any possible
incident which such people could
participate in.

While we may boast of our const.

extending equal rights to all born here on the ground they are citizens, we do not apply that in practice. We draw the line against the Japanese.

— Gives ex. of ostracizing & then says what can we expect of them.
Cnde —

"After the war we should take up a new study of the Jap. problem & get rid of the race we cannot assimilate or stir up the melting pot & drop all the bars to Jap immigration."

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Bakersfield Californian
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"Coast Japanese Problem"

"We believe that for the protection of the Jap. themselves, as well as for safeguarding our country that all the Japanese, first, second, & third generation, alike, should all be interned for the duration of the

war.

This would be a protection to the Japanese who might be victimized should the war be brought to our shores, & it would also assure us that those among them that might be fifth columnists, could do us no damage.

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2/14/42

" Within Our Gates "

Comments on raids in Monterey area

" There are those who fear that this country will be too severe upon Jap. enemies but a day by day experience discloses the advisability of increased activity in connection with that

problem.

"We are not lacking information as to the value of the enemy at Tokio of their "fifth column" which is maintained ~~not~~ far & wide covering not only the contested territory in the Pac. but in many areas along our own coast. Nobody would treat these aliens with cruelty but the first consideration... has to do with the safety of our own people, the protecting of our own property & the strengthening of our war effort."

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Bakersfield Calif.
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2/16/42

"The Japs in California"

Says the Jap fifth column
important on Oahu.

"We have no right to think that
the same sentiment which inspired
co-operation with Tokyo of the Island
Japs does not exist in the state."

And so there is pressing need for
placing such supervision over Calif.
aliens as will insure protection
not only of our civilian population
but to our activities for national
defense.

Bakersfield Calif.
p. 16 c. 12
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2/20/42

"Just a Viewpoint"

"Here in Calif. we have ample evidence that the Jap. aliens have furnished their native land with every bit of information they could assemble relative to war preparation... Remarkable,

isn't it, that a broadcaster should
voice sentiment that has more
to do with the protection of
aliens than the safeguarding of
our own country."

Bakersfield Calif
p. 24 cal. 2
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2/24/42

"For Home + Country"

"No one wishes to impose any unnecessary hardship upon the Jap. in our midst, but there will be wide approval on the Par. C. of the order of the. Gov. declaring certain sections to be military zones from which they

may be removed....

(Again assumes active Pearl
Harbor Fifth Column)

"Probably of the 2nd generation there
are Japs who are loyal to the U.S.
but it is impossible to dis-
criminate between them & those
who have always owed their
allegiance to their homeland"

Bakersfield Calif.
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"The First Duty"

"... nativity does not influence the average Japanese. He is for his homeland and ... he has rendered effective service in carrying out a program of Jap. preparation for the war..." "It is possible that some

injustices may be done if the material
for fifth columnists is rounded up
& kept under supervision, but that
will be nothing new in war...

- Again assumes active Hawaiian
fifth column & says must
suppose will be repeated here.

Bakersfield Calif.
p. 14 c. 2
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"Those Jap Schools"

"... the textbooks used in these Jap. schools were filled with Jap. propaganda; native born students were daily taught that they owe all their allegiance to Hirohito;....; Jap. teachers instructed them dutifully as to their allegiance in the future by repeating

this pledge: "With unified hearts let us pursue the path of loyalty + patriotism. There is no other country with such a royal lineage. Be thankful we are Japanese + worship the Imperial Family."

"The facts as disclosed should have some weight in determining the policy of dealing with native born Japanese as well as aliens."

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Bakersfield Californian

12/9/41

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"Let us remember this is still a dem. where the foreign-born Amer. of foreign extraction has the same right to existence as has a member of the D.F.R. Let's not lose our heads + begin acting

like animals."

Bakersfield Calif.

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12/18/41

A letter to Chinese Americans ending:
"Sometimes, when you meet them.
(Haps), can't you say: 'I'm sorry.' If
you can, it will be the best
kind of evidence, that you are
truly Americans, kind & tolerant."

Bakersfield Calif.
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"They Are Americans"

"It should be no dishonor for a Chinese-American to be mistaken for a Japanese-American. They both being Americans automatically makes them equal."

Bakersfield Calif.
p. 17 C. 4 + 5

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" It is getting so that we Chinese
can't walk on the street without
having some people think we're
Japs. This problem of misidentity
between Chinese & the Japs is
creating a most embarrassing
situation for the Chinese. (over)

Signed

A group of Young Chinese-American

Bakersfield Calif.

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"Spirit of America"

"There are living in these U.S., many fine naturalized citizens, many races & descendants of immigrants.

... Americans do not discriminate against each other by race or creed, for we are of one nationality,

a great one and a tolerant one."

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— (pro evas., but judging fairness)

"Adapt Proper Methods"

"... give the honest citizen Japanese a chance to move anywhere out of danger."

"Many persons decry present efforts of fed. officials to keep a semblance of civil liberties for the citizen Japanese, but they would lie the

just to scream 'And you call this a democracy' if the govt made a move against their particular racial group.

"And work out a plan so that loyal Amer. Lap. will be able to cooperate & still be proud they are Americans.

Bakersfield Calif.
p. 24 C. 4
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3/5/42

"Don't Get Hysterical"

"Shouldn't we think more of abjecture
indications of disloyalty, than
ancestry? Isn't it probable
that persons who will injure
the country are more likely to
be those who are less con-

speciously alien?

Berkeley
Gazette

Berkeley Gazette

2/2/42^C

p. 6 C1

- "Alien Appl. Week"

- Approves defense zones - "is another move which will lessen the apprehension of thousands who remember the success of 5th cal. in other countries & in Honolulu"

Berkeley Gazette
p. 6 C 11

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- Approving evacuation & disapproving action of mt. states in objecting to receiving 1.
- Re Tolson Com. - "The Committee further finds that while many loyal & innocent individuals will be penalized

by these restrictions 'the
nat'l. safety comes first.'

Berkeley Gazette
p. 6 C1
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3/4/42

"A vast stretch of the Pac. C,
..., from which every J. alien
& Am-born, & most alien Ger +
It will be removed, will
serve as a great barrier against
invasion."

Beverly Hills
Citizens

Beverly Hills Citizen
p. 7 last section, C 2 & 3
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- Many I work in B. H. Should
not cease employing them

"To cease patronizing them would be
to create terrific confusion &
also remove the source of
livelihood from many innocent
& loyal Amer.
... (over)

"An overwhelming proportion of
the I m Am have taken their
stand as patriots Am. . . .

"We need the loyal I as
much as they need us. We
must make their position as
easy as possible for them."

- Long ed. commenting further on
letter in same issue.
- Also pictures of B. H. high school I
students

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Beverly Hills Citizen
p. 7 last sec. C. 5

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"In most instances those who glory
in the dastardly assault on their
country upon the US, while
pretending to desire peace. I can-
not understand how a loyal
Am can have the nerve to employ
any of these wretches, all of
whom are potential enemies
to this country. They contribute

nothing to the support of B. H. or
any other city, yet take the place
of white labor who have to ac-
cept city or st. aid, & keep from
starving. The Citizen could do
much good to the community by
advocating the herding of these
treacherous rats into concen-
tration camps"

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Beverly Hills City.

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Letter from Anti-Axis Com.
representing young d-A.
thanking Citizen for 12/12
article.

Beverly Hills Citizen

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12/19/41

- Re letter of 12/12

"How about loyalty to Am. ideals? He
(united C 7) presumes to speak as an
Am yet never have I heard
such un-Am. ^{sentiments} statements.
Such opinions as his are
worthy of Hitler, only instead

of blaming d, Hitler blames the
Jews. And just as d C F blames
the d for displacing Am labor,
so Hitler blamed the Jews
for Ger. economic troubles.
It's a familiar line & untrue.
Am. here d's because they are
efficient & industrious.

Brawley News
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Brawley News

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12/8/41

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"U.S. at War with Japan" ending
"Now that war has been formally
declared, Amer. should remain
calm & considerate. In this com-

munity we have many Japanese neighbors & citizens & nothing should occur to cause embarrassment to those whose loyalty to their adopted country remains steadfast during this ^{period} ~~time~~ of crisis. . . . These young people were born here, have been educated here & are in fact Americans. No one should become hysterical to cause them any unpleasantness.

Brawley News

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12/26/41

"Cd "Be American!"

"Energies which might be constructively used in the real defense of this nation ... are too often being foolishly squandered in firing, boycotting, discrimination -

ating against, & sometimes
persecuting, guiltless persons of
foreign extraction.

The F. I. of I. & all other
law-enforcement agencies are
ably & efficiently corraling
every alien who may endanger the
nation's security. There is no
need for any civilian to take
the law into his own hands.

Brawley News
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1/19/42

"The Freedom We Fight For"

"... the State Bar of Calif. has created a joint committee of attorneys & laymen whose function will be to protect law-

abiding Amer. citizens & residents
of Calif. from the results of
hysteria, race prejudice &
intemperate action caused by
war conditions.

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— (Approves evac., but favorable to Masataka statement)

"Fortitude Needed - Masataka"

Quoting Mike Masataka, ex. sec. of
I. F. C. L., urging moving without
bitterness & using evacuation as
test of loyalty. Editorial lauds
Masataka statement.

Brawley News
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3/7/42

Ed. "Evacuation"

"Patristic Amer. of Jap. blood will
accept the order philosophically, realizing
that it is difficult to distinguish
between them & those whose loyalties

he with Japan

Wholesale evacuations are not
pleasant to contemplate, but
this one is timely & necessary

Brentwood
news

Brentwood News

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"Throuout the agric. regions of Calif.,
& here in Diablo Valley a delicate
situation regarding our resi-
dents calls for the most care-
ful handling. It would be
criminally unjust to assume,
& act upon the assumption, that

because these people are of
birth or extraction, they are enemy
agents, or seeking to aid the
enemy. It is our conviction
that a majority, if not most of
them, are loyal to the U.S."

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Brentwood News

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- Re alien evas. - a necessity but
must be handled with extreme
care.

"All enemy aliens are not being
moved out because all enemy
aliens are suspected of sabotage
& espionage. But among those

who are + intend to remain
loyal are undoubtedly some
who are 5th Col. "

Chamarello
News

Camarillo News

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1/2/42

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+ (Is not specifically mentioned)
"Most Aliens Are Loyal"

"The maj. of aliens in our midst are loyal to our Dem. principles - they know Hitler is betraying his country & they want to see us beat him. But they won't continue to feel

that way if they are persecuted
by us. They will learn to distrust
us. They will ~~conter~~ become our
enemies if we treat them like
enemies."

Camarillo News
p. 4 C 1
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2/27/42

"Many groups including the Ventura Co. Bd. of Sup. have asked that ALL Jap. be evacuated.

"These people should be moved out NOW, leaving the coast clear so that military efforts can be concen-

trated on attacking the enemy from
without. Let's get these ~~to~~ evacuated
NOW.

Chico Enterprise
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Chico Enterprise

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"Be American"

Same editorial summarized
in Brawley News of 12/26/41

Campbell Press

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12/25/41

Same ed. as Bramley News 12/26

Chico Enterprise

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"This Freedom"

Same editorial summarized
in Brawley news of 1/19/42

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1/16/42

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2/3/42^C

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- "Progress Too Slow"

- Eight wks after war starts much too long before exec. order issued + Feb. 24 too far ahead.

Colusa
Sun-Herald

Colusa Sun-Herald

12/8/41

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+ (Spec. blocked ed.)

"Tomorrow, the Colusa Co. Defence Council will issue a statement regarding the residents of Colusa Co., who no more wished this war than did the people of the U. S. Let's not forget that there are thousands

of loyal Amer-born & many of
whom are already in service
of this country. Let's not
repeat our mistakes of the last
war. Watch your speech, your
actions; don't spread false
rumors about war casualties,
spies, sabotage. We must lend
a helping hand in this war
effort. We Must Conduct
Ourselves Like Amers.

Calusa Sun - Herald

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Re enemy aliens leaving defense areas by 2/24

"Thus he serves notice upon these enemies that they have 22 days left in which to do all the damage they can."

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Cureka
Humboldt - Standard

Cureka - Humboldt Standard

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Approved restriction of enemy
ships from strategic areas

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Cureba Humboldt Standard

2/17/42

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Is evacuated from strategic
spots do not move far enuf
away - can return quickly

(Quincy, Plumas Co.)
Feather River Bulletin
p. 4, C. 1
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1/29/42

"But in a war with such vicious people as the Japs are showing themselves in the P. H. & elsewhere to be, we cannot afford to take any chances.

"Every J alien shd be shipped off to a concentration camp.

"Every Am-born J shd be re-

guined to V in at a police
station once a day, & his
movements closely restricted."

Grass Valley
Mtn. Union

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Sells of I F C L of Yuba, Sutter, Butte
& Colusa Cos. pledging loyalty.

"In view of this & many other
favorable circumstances the
authorities & the people ^{resident} can do
no less than to take the 1st at

their word + regard them as
good + loyal citizens until
well-established overt acts
prove them otherwise. "

Grass Valley M. Union

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12/31/41

"Nevada Co. has no alien & few
if any, native born. This is a
fortunate circumstance; for
while the alien are undoubtedly
loyal to the US in the mass it
is being demonstrated that

among them are a few species,
potential gate-openers should
invasions, in any form, of
Calif. be attempted."

Grass Valley M. Union
p. 1 c 2
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2/2/42

- Laying task of moving d looks
herculean

"One of the reasons for that is
that dual city. has for
generations been practiced
in d. Thereby all immigrants
& foreign. born & one allegiance

to the Emperor superior to
that of the country in which
they live.

Grass Valley M. Union
p. 1 c 2

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2/10/42

- Willing to accept Ger. + It. aliens
for industrial placement, but:
"It must, however, be definitely
understood, that no such tolerances
can under any circumstances at-
tach to I - aliens or citizens. Nev-
ada county has never had a I

pop. + has always been hostile
to such infiltration. At the time
of P. H. the presence in Grass V.
of one lone d, Am-brown,
prompted an untoward gesture.
Any placement of d here
would certainly stir resentments
+ lead to racial conflicts.