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2/15/43

Speech

By Happell to 10<sup>th</sup> Dist. at meeting  
1/20 in Oakland.

Leg. action demanded by L. to  
place all here under army  
control.

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23<sup>rd</sup> Dist. Protests release of ds  
from Cuav. Camps (Headline)  
Chr. of Am. for 23<sup>rd</sup> is Dr. John R  
Lechner. A booklet concerning  
I see subversive activities has  
been financed by 23<sup>rd</sup> Dist.  
First printing exhausted in  
less than month - requests still coming.

Speaker of even., introduced by  
Lechner, was Kilsco K. Haan of  
Sino-Korean Peoples League. "yet in  
spite of the treach. of the Japs, there  
is a group in Amer. raising money for  
the purpose of releasing these agents  
from Jap. camps, he said. "Res.  
passed unan. protesting removal  
of Japs from camps.

\$10.30 pledged for additional  
printing of "Playing with  
Dynamite."

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Clyde Shoemaker  
Speech by Asst. Dist. Att. & Pres.  
of Legion Luncheon Club to Leg.  
Aur. of Dist. 23 at March meeting.

Gave review of hist. of Jese  
in U. S. & concluded:

"This is a war to the finish  
& let us not be misled by  
newspapers printed by the Jese  
in these various centers, in  
which appear many a plea for



sympathy."

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4/15/48

Meeting of Sept. Exec. Com. in L. A.

Apr. 10

Address by Jeff. D. Atwood Nat.  
Vice-Com. who urged the denial  
of cit. to Am. born. children of  
aliens "unless they ask for it +  
prove themselves worthy." Has  
suggested change in 14<sup>th</sup> amend. to  
natl. leaders.

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Speech

By C. Shoemaker to Det. 23 on  
Mar. 25 at L. Los Angeles Post.

Merely quoted as saying "The  
Leg. must be realister in  
handling the post-war dese  
problem."

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Speech by Dr. Lechner, Chm. Dist. Amisn  
Comm. to Dist. 23 on May 20.

Presented Comm. 7 pt. prog. (pts.  
not given) to stimulate action  
vs. "pampering of here." Prog.  
adapted by those present & a  
comm. appointed to raise funds  
to carry out program.



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Speech

At S. F. Conv. Aug. 16-19

Rep. Warren G. Magnuson of  
Seattle, newly returned from  
S. Pac. as Lt. Com. - demanded  
"most stringent supervision  
of all here in Am." + urged  
their exclusion from the

Pauper Coast after the war  
and forever.

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Colt. "Here Trying for Lt. Jobs"

"It is reported that many here are taking civil service examinations, which, if they pass, will qualify them for life jobs in govt. service. As citizens of the U.S. they have this privilege.

What is nec. to find out is that they are not citizens of Japan

also. Japan claims a hold on every  
Jap no matter where his home may  
be... & unless allegiance to Japan  
is disclaimed that dual citizenship  
exists until death.

If an alien cannot prove full  
& loyal citizenship (!!!), or if there  
is a doubt, the benefit shd  
fall in favor of the state.

Let's see that it does. "



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11/15/42

"Army Concludes Gigantic Task  
of Transferring Over One  
Hundred Thousand Nips"  
Then follows a brief history  
of evac. to that date.

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Same headline as 11/15 issue

A further history of  
the evac. movement

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Dist. 2 - 7 ab. meeting discussed  
edges of deer at Tule Lake.

No action taken. Next meeting  
will be held at Tule Lake  
5/16.

Am Leg. Ass.

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Headline →

6/1/43

Roane Waring Denounces Coddling  
of Japs

Speech - S. F. 5/28 <sup>Vet. Men. Assn.</sup> ~~Commonwealth Club~~

Wants camps transferred from  
WRA to army

"Branding those in charge of the  
WRA as 'wide eyed theorists' who  
are either too ignorant or too  
dishonest to state the truth the  
Legion Chief produced & read letter



from d. Edgar Hoover denying that  
the FBI had investigated & recently  
released from Relov. Centers.

In L.A. 5/24, 5, 6 at Stadium speech  
"The W.R.A.'s handling & release of  
here placed in their custody is  
a fraud against America."  
Accused W.R.A. of falsehood & de-  
ception in releasing 100 here "so  
that they can fill up the infants &  
colleges, from which our boys have  
gone to fight. Again reads Hoover letter.

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"W R A Admits Freeing Is Without  
Probe; Army Control Mapped" (Headline)

"W R A has now admitted freeing of  
Is without investigation by the  
F B I." Deputy Director of W R A,  
Clmer M. Rowalt, has also ad-  
mitted that there are not at all  
under the point rationing sys.  
which restricts the diet of all  
civilians. (over

<sup>Robert M.</sup>  
Castello, chr. of a Des sub-com.,  
stated that Des now in centers  
will not be allowed to return  
to the P. C. during the war.

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24<sup>th</sup> Dist. guests of Paramount Post  
at the Studios shown 1 ap film.

"Comrades, when that picture is  
released there will be no  
longer a ? of whether the 63  
shd be retained in camp &  
not allowed to roam around  
the country."



W.C.  
1943

A Res 37

1/8/43

A d Res 61 - 1/20/43

Op. of Remarks  
Chitt (H. - Calif)  
Vol. 89, p. A 631

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Res by "the people of King Co"  
& signed by exec. Committee  
of that group.

That alien & Am born here be  
retained in reloc. for duration  
under Army control

Op. of Remarks  
Will Rogers  
V89, A 704

2/18/43

Res. from S. Monica Bay Parlor  
No. 67 of Native Sons opposing  
formation of desc unit.

2. Res 132 - Providing for investigation  
of & subversive activities in U.S.  
Mr. Jackson - Com. on Rules  
Index 24/18 - 26/43, p. 61



Remarks  
Jackson

2/23/43

V. 89, p. 1279 + 1281

Had introd. res. asking for investig.  
of these activities.

(We have this expended) H Res 132

Objects to combat Unit on gods  
of impossibility of knowing  
loyalty

Cong. Rec Vol 89, p. 1625

Remarks in House

Magnuson, Wash.

3/5/43

Inserts Iowa Concurrent Res. 20  
opposing student relocation

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. A1392

Speech

3/19/43

John Z Anderson, Calif.

Has Watsonville Defense  
Council Res. put in record

Cong. Rec. V 89, p. 3455

Remarks

Dickson

9/15/43

Quoted De Witt "A d is a d"

Feels there is tendency to minimize importance of ds in U.S. Urges Cong. to investigate entire situation & has Res to that effect pending before Com. on Rules.



Cong. Rec. 41 89 pp 4067 ff  
Debate in House on  
situation (general)

5/5/43

Cut out quote.

Cong. Rec. V 89 p A2548

Exten. of Remarks  
Poulson's N. C. Calif

5/13/43

Letter from J. M. Torley, L. A., to  
Poulson.

"I believe there are loyal & here, & like  
all Am's, I feel they shd be treated  
as loyal Am's, but I certainly?  
the ability of anyone, to determine  
who is loyal & who is disloyal."

Comp. Rec. V. 89, 1725~~48~~  
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Ex. Remarks

Loulson, H.C.

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Ed. from Las Vegas paper  
objecting to freedom given  
released As.

Sheppard Bill AR 2701

5/12/43



Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. A2906  
Cp. of Remarks  
Carl R. King, Calif

Re successor to Gen. De Witt - inserts  
edit. from Ingewood  
Daily News

Cut out + quote

Cong. Rec. V. 89 p A2976

6/3/43

Speech  
Tho. Ralph, Calif.

Communication from S. F. Downtown  
Ass. vs. release from camp.

Cut & quote

Cong. Rec. V. 89, A3201

6/14/43

Ex. of Remarks  
Ralph, Calif.

Inserts res. adopted by L. A. city  
Council 6/9/43.

Cut & quote

Cong. Rec. V. 89, A3202  
Co. Remarks  
Angell, Ore.

6/14/43

Res. from ~~Mult~~ Ch. of Com. of  
City of Gresham & of Multnomah  
Co.

Cut & quote



Leroy Johnson

AR 3012

6/5/43

d d Com Res 29

24 Con Res 29

Expressing sense of Cong. that  
nationals & certain  
persons of descent  
had, he departed at  
conclusion of war  
Leroy Johnson - to Com on  
For Aff.

(Index 6/21-7/8/48, p. 101)

Cong Rec V 89, p 8567

Address

10/18/43

Johnson + Elliott, Calif

Re H Res 29 - re return of ds  
in general

Cut + quote

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. A3515

6/28/43

Ex. Remarks  
Ketch, Calif.

Inserts rec. of Donnelly  
Conn.

Cong. Rec. V. 89 173518

6/28

Ex Remarks  
Kelch, Calif.

Inserts rec of Calif. delegation



Cong Rec Vol 9 p A 3524  
Cpl Ramon  
Welch

6/28/43

Inserts rec. of Bd of Dir of  
Ch. of Com. of Papago Valley,  
Watsonville

all of ancestry he retained in  
reloc centers for duration of  
war

Cong. Rec. V. 89, F3527

Ex. Remarks

6/28/43

Angell, Ore

Res. of Portland Post, Am  
Leg.

Interesting

Cut & quote

Cong. Rec. Vol. 89 p. 6706

Speech + debate  
Costello

6/28/43

Report as member of Dies sub-  
committee followed by  
debate

S Res 166

Introd B 7/2 Downey

Relating to Segregation of  
loyal & disloyal ds in  
refugee centers & plans for  
future operation of such  
Centers

Down-to - Com on Ind Aff.

Reported back 7152

Consid. & agreed to 7363, 4  
(Index 6/21 - 7/8/43, p-88)

Cong Rec V 89, p. 7600

9/14/43

Letter from Pres. to Pres. Sen

Re request for exec. order  
in S Res 166

Cut & quote



Cong. Rec., V. 89, A 3811

Op. Remarks

7/6/43

Le Roy Johnson, Calif

Mass Meeting held Sacramento  
6/20 (Home Front Commandos.)

don't say so-

Cut & quote

Cong Rev. V. 89 p 8286

Address

Elkhart, Calif.

10/11/43

Re release

Cut + quote

8290 = Cherharter refuting  
about  
Cut + quote

Cong. Rec Vol 9 p. 9264-5  
Address  
Stockman

11/4/43

Re Tule Lake

Cut & quote

Cong Rec, V89, p 9377

Address

Ralph, Calif

11/8/48

Sentiment in Calif. is "Now that the  
dese are evacuated from our State,  
we want them kept out." Tule  
outbreak shows involves whole  
country.

Says Jackson res (H Res 132) shd  
be under consid.

Cong. Rec. V. 89, A 5139

Co of Remarks

11/11/43

John Anderson, Calif.

Re T. L. - criticism Meyer,  
W. R. A. Includes eds from  
S. F. Chron. 11/5 + L. A. Times 11/6

Cut + Quote



Cong. Rec. V. 89, p A 5251  
C<sub>o</sub> of Remarks  
Poulson Calif.

Res from L. A. Co. Council Am  
ley re Tule  
Report from Donnelly Com  
re Tule  
Attack on Myer \*

Cut & Swote

Cong. Rec. V89 p45292

Ex Remarks

Wells, Calif

11/17/43

Attack on W R F + S. F. C. P.  
editorial

Cut & Quote

Cong. Rec. V. 89 p. 10018  
Remarks  
Poulson

11/24/43

Criticism of H R A

Cut + quote

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. 10825 ff.

Debate

12/15/43

Leroy Johnson & others

Future of ds after war

Conq. Rev V 89 p 5924  
CP of Remarks  
Poulson, Calif.

12/16/43

~~Telegram~~ Res. from Donnelly  
Com. saying reports that  
is returning.

Cut + quote.



Cong Rec V 89 p 9636

Remarks

Welch, Calif

11/15/43  
9636

Introduces telegram from  
Donnelly Com re T. L

"... unanimously recommend &  
urge that Army control be main-  
tained permanently at the T. L. desegregation camp. We feel this is  
imperative for protection of the

people of the St of Calif."

then 11/17 Welch  
then 2 Poulsons

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. 4817

Ex. Remarks

Tho. Ford, Calif.

10/25/43

Res. of Church Fed of L. A.

Unwise of cit. ds to return even if have legal rt; WRF shd not be a political football; "We fear that the agitation regarding the A. Jew is much in excess of the facts, that too much of it arouses a spirit of hatred & racial animosity which

is the - Ch. + you - Am. & directly in hand with the  
sort of thing which we are attempting to curb on  
the part of the Axis nations". Shd be no  
pampering but conditions under which now  
live cannot by any stretch be considered  
pampering; believe distinctions can be  
made vs loyal + disloyal - loyal shd be  
encouraged to find places in civilian or  
military life; disloyal shd be ferreted  
out but sin agitation + false issues,  
? of location in Calif. or elsewhere shd  
be set aside & allowed to wait until  
tempers have cooled off."



Cong. Rec. V. 89 p A4326  
C.P. Remarks

9/27/43

Fulmer, Hampton P. (S.C.)

Letter to ed. of Salem, Ore. Statesman from  
Walter M. Pierce re disposal of Is after war.

"They are enemies in our midst; this war is just a  
dress rehearsal, a sortie for supplies. We are now  
up vs the ? of which race will dominate this beautiful  
section. ... While we rejoice over our costly  
victory on Attu, we must mourn over our defeat in



Malheur Co., Oreg. In the midst of this bloody war, these agents have lost 10,000 acres, ... which was irrigated by our Govt. at a cost of \$18,000,000. ... It is any other Govt., at any other time, so criminally negligent as to allow the sale of its very soil to people of an enemy nation, set out to conquer them & killing its youth? ... The man who makes the first sale to these is foully unpatriotic, as he creates a these settlement in which Am's cannot live & rear families. ... Oriental & occidental cannot live together. ... The alien these must go back to Japan. If nec., we must amend our Const so that the accident of birth will not give Am. cit to those whose parents are not eligible to citizenship thru naturalization.

Cong. Rec. V. 89, P 3016

6/4/43

Ex. Remarks

Jahson,

As I did not be Returned to Calif.

Reviews evas. "Now a plan is on foot to bring them back to Calif. The Calians do not want them back. The people know from experience that the return of the evasuees will provoke strife & trouble. Ever since the coming of the Iege to Calif. they have been a source of friction. Because of color, race, differences in religion,

tradition, standards of living, & racial  
likings the I see never can & never  
will become really amalgamated  
& part of the Amer citizenry. ∴, the  
Calicans are most earnestly hoping  
& praying that neither the WRA nor  
anyone else will send these evacuees  
back to Calif. "

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. 5025  
Petitions before Sen.

5/27/43

Res. adopted by Grand Parlor of NS  
GW favoring exchange of disloyal  
interned Is of Amer birth for  
either civilian or mil. prisoners  
of Japan.

Res. adopted by Gr. Par. of NS GW  
favoring amend. of Const. so that  
child born in US of J parents  
shall not be citizen of US  
(over)



Res. adopted by Gr Par of NSGW  
favoring continued internment of  
these irrespective of place of  
birth



Cp. Remarks  
Paul W. Shafer

1/22/43

Cong. Rec. V. 89 p 4371

Vs stud. reloc. - Reprints  
edit. from Natl. Legionnaire

Non P.C. except Stewart &  
Rankin

H. d. Rev. 79

19428

Directing W R 17 to cease +  
desert from the estate of  
patterly manuf. plants at relax.  
Centers. - To Com. on Ind Aff. (805)

now P. C.  
except Stewart +  
Rankin

A d Res 84  $\frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{3}{4}$  3

Schiffler - to come on  
and off

Copy of Remarks  
Roy D. Woodruff <sup>H.R.</sup> (Muel)  
Vol. 89, p. 614

2/15/43

Story of ds getting airplane  
ideas in N. N. I (He have  
copy in folder)

Marcantonio 2/26/43

H. R 2011



Cong. Rev. V 89p. 4126-31  
Speech & comment in Sen.  
Robertson & others

5/6/43

WRA criticized. Denver  
Post articles inserted

Cut & quote

Cong. Rev. V. 89, p. A2456

Extension of Remarks

Reynolds, H. C.

5/10/43

Praise of Chandler report,  
& insertion of ed from Wash.  
Post of 5/10 also praising  
recommendations of com.

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. 5970  
Disc. and H.  
Rowe

6/13-

Re 34 R A asking higher wages  
for evacuee workers - no  
workers forthcoming. Then  
quotes Wash. Post where Meyer  
reported to say that employing  
is at \$19 max. in Wash.  
affair.

See 6/17 Cannon of Mo.

Cong. Rec. V. 89, 6918 ff

Delicate

Chandler, Stewart et al.

Re cut in appropriation for  
V R H



Cong. Rec. V. 89 F3419

6/23/43

Speech

Hatman of Tex.

Speech urging good treatment  
of "prisoners" (internees?)  
in order to protect Am. pres.  
from retaliation

Cong. Rec. V. 89, A 3953

CP of Remarks

Mundt, A.D

7/19/43

Remarks re investing as member  
of Costello com.

(Use also in Dues report)

Cut & quote

Cong Rec V 89 p. 7602

9/14/43

Petitions + res. before Sen.

Res adopted by Gr Par NDGW  
favoring investg. of pressure  
groups concerned with action  
in P. C. area,

ditto endorsing purposes & aims  
of P. C. & our Prob. Leag.

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p. 7772

9/21/43

Speech

Capper, Kans.

Had strong statement from  
groups in Ness City & Haverland,  
Kans. protesting release from  
Camp. Statement referred to  
Mil. Aff. Com.

Cong. Rec. V89, p. 9387

Debate - H. R. 2701

11/8/43

Dickstein, Sheppard, etc.

Debate on what to do about  
disloyal ds

Cut + quote



Cong. Rec. V. 89 p. 10421  
Remarks  
Clevenger

12/6/43

Re bathtub furor

Cut & quote also p. 17 5798 (12/9/43)

# 5700 - 12/6

(Smith of Ohio  
nothing new)

Cong. Rec. V89, p.10440 ff.

Debate

12/6/43

Hoffman, Paulson etc.

Debate re baths

21. R. 3489. Relating to certain Iere  
residents of the US & to certain  
citizens of Iere descent  
found to be unfriendly to  
USS

Marrell - Com on Index & Nat  
Index 10/8-21/43 p. 46)

Got

§ 779 - to provide for the taking  
into custody during war of all  
d's residing in or found in U.S.  
Stewart - Com. by Immigration.  
Index - 2/15-26, p. 52

§ 913 - To amend act of 1/5/17 to extend  
auth to deport aliens  
Russell - Com. on Immigration. (Index 3/15-  
3/27/43, p. 51)

(Index 2/15-26/43  
p. 51)  
S 745 - to provide for internment  
of deportable aliens for the duration  
+ 6 mo. Hereafter  
to Com on Immig. (Russell)

S 780 - to provide for incarceration  
of dangerous aliens, + for the  
detention of deportable aliens  
pending their deportation.  
Mr. ~~Russell~~ - to Com on Immig.  
Stewart (Index 2/15-26/43, p. 52)



Ad Res 305 - to Com on Ind

Speech  
Carl R. Lewis<sup>H.</sup> (Ohio)  
V. 89, p. A509

2/9/43

Is pottery making in WRA  
centers.

"It requires no imagination to see  
these here, skilled in the Amer. art  
of making pottery by Amer.  
methods & with the most modern  
Amer equipment, returning to

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Japan & adding their skill & knowledge  
of Amer. methods to the already  
existing & ever growing industry &  
further adding to our troubles in the  
post-war period by the skills &  
training which they have acquired  
while prisoners in Amer. intern-  
ment camps.

"Mr. Speaker, I consider this policy  
of the War Reloc Auth the most  
stupid & ruinous activity imagin-  
able." (Introduced & Res to have this  
stopped)

Stewart, Bill

\$ 779      2/25/43

(Stewart & Rankin 43)

Res. before Sen.  
Mr. Stewart  
P.V. 89, p. 1327

2/25/43

Compton Parlor } KSGW  
S. Diego Bay Parlor }

Opposed to formation of these  
combat unit



Cong. Rec. 189 p. 1635

Stewart

3/5/43

Lyts in record res of Compton  
Parlow No 258 & C. Los Angeles  
" " 266 of N. D. ex  
protesting vs. formation of  
these combat unit

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p 376 2-3

Speech

Stewart

4/22/43

Starts re execution of flyers  
Then to discuss of 779  
Much racial argument

Cut & quote

C.D. Remarks

Lanken

Vol. 89, p. A642

2/16/43

Letter from Pres. of Soc. Parlor  
No. 7 No 9 W + petition

oppose formation of combat  
unit

Cong. Rec. V. 89, p 17686  
~~Speech~~  
Rankin

2/18/43

Black Dragon Soc. stirring  
up negroes.

Cut & quate

Rankin Bill #R2525

4/17/43



Cong. Rec. V89, A1973 & A2035  
Speech - appendix  
Rankin

Cut out quote

Cong. Rec. V. 89, A3192  
Co. Remarks  
Ranken

6/14/43

"Mr. Speaker, when we see the dangerous influences of the Black Dragon Soc., camouflaged in 'zoot suits,' harassing our servicemen, & attempting to stir race riots thruout the country, we become more conscious of the dire menace to the future civilization of mankind."

Inserts, in rec. res. of Beppo Arnold  
Am. Leg. Post — "That <sup>the</sup> Cong of the US

he urged to enact leg. to immediately return to war relax. centers all those so released  
That all such camps be placed under the control of mil. auth."

Speech  
Hahn C. Ranken

2/3/43

Cong. Rec. V 89 p A425

Vs coddling; vs. combat unit  
shd be in labor battalions

"Instead of organizing these I's into a  
so-called Amer. unit, they shd be  
separated + put into labor battalions  
where each + every one of them shd  
be watched at all times. Not only



that, but the Amer. people are  
sick & tired of this policy of  
pampering the Japs in these  
concentration camps. These  
camps shd be turned over to the  
Army, & every one of them shd  
be put under strict military  
control."