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## SPEEDS CLEARING OF EVACUEE CAMPS

WRA Orders Schedules Set for  
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Japanese Descent

By LAWRENCE E. DAVIES

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 18—

The War Relocation Authority has just provided evidence that it means business in its announced plan to close the relocation centers housing West Coast evacuees of Japanese descent and become one war agency "to shut up shop."

In a move to insure the emptying by Dec. 15 of eight centers still populated by about 40,000 of the 112,000 original evacuees ousted from their old homes by the Army early in 1942, center directors have been ordered to prepare a complete schedule of departures covering every resident, it was learned today. Dillon Myer, director of the WRA, has instructed every project director to have ready by Sept. 1 a tabulation of the remaining population "that will indicate the expected date of departure, the proposed destination and the kind of help needed."

Mr. Myer has directed that the head of each project shall give "full consideration" to relocation plans made by the residents themselves and to let them go on the dates they themselves choose, provided transportation and other factors permit. But six weeks before each center is scheduled to close the director is to assign "weekly and daily quotas" for the departure of the remaining residents.

### Ready for Recalcitrants

Fears frequently have been voiced that because of three and a half years of "living off the Government," a new experience for the evacuees, who scorned Federal and State relief during the depression, many of the older ones will resist the idea of being sent back into the work-a-day world. Some WRA officials believe the number of "recalcitrants" will be smaller than has been thought; at any rate, if any resident refuses to arrange for the packing of his personal effects, "arrangements for the packing to insure his leaving according to schedule shall be made for him," according to Mr. Myer's instructions.

"If a resident shall have refused to select a destination for relocation," the notice continued, "transportation shall be arranged to his place of legal residence which will, in nearly every case, be the place from which he was evacuated."

So far about 3,000 are estimated

to have returned to California, which had a population of Japanese-Americans and Japanese aliens totaling 90,000 when the war started. WRA officials still believe that fewer than 50 per cent will come back to this State.

Under the FRA schedule residents of the center at Granada, Colo., must be out by Oct. 15. Two of the three units of the Colorado River Center at Poston, Ariz., will close on Oct. 1 and the third on Dec. 1. One Gila River center in Arizona is to be emptied on Oct. 1 and the other on Nov. 15.

The central Utah center at Topaz and the Minidoka (Idaho) center are scheduled to close on Nov. 1, the Heart Mountain (Wyo.) center on Nov. 15, the Manzanar (Calif.) center on Dec. 1 and the Rohrer (Ark.) center on Dec. 15.

### Some May Be Sent to Japan

This leaves the Tule Lake segregation camp for the disloyal evacuees, which has a present population of some 17,000. Presumably the Department of Justice will handle the disposition of the cases of those residents who want to give up their United States citizenship. Some of the aliens may be shipped back to Japan. There are many children at Tule Lake and there are a good many others against whom no suspicion has been directed but who elected to stay there rather than move to another center when

Tule Lake was made a segregation camp.

There is grumbling in some quarters over the WRA decision to close the centers as soon after the end of the war. Some of this stems from the lack of housing facilities on the West Coast, but negotiations are under way to obtain housing of a temporary nature from the armed services. Evacuees would live in this until they were able to find quarters themselves.

How President Truman and the War Department will handle the matter of evacuees who are still barred from the West Coast military area on the ground that their presence here might be dangerous to the war effort has not yet been disclosed. One possible method would be for Maj. Gen. H. Conger Pratt, western defense commander, to repeal individual exclusion orders, now that the war has ended. Or the President could withdraw

Executive Order 9066, thus permitting all the evacuees who wished to do so to return, unless some were detained by the Department of Justice.

From the first of the year, when the Army and the Supreme Court let down the bars for the return of loyal evacuees to their old homes, until Mid-July, 17,500 had left the centers to relocate in outside areas. Although an average of some 25 per cent came to California the trend in this direction mounted to 40 per cent in late June and held close to that afterward.

So far only about 500 have come back to San Francisco. In all of Southern California there are estimated to be few more than 2,000 at present, although "Little Tokyo" in Los Angeles and Los Angeles County agricultural areas had a pre-war Japanese population exceeding 40,000.

Robert B. Cozzens, assistant di-

rector of the WRA, who has just completed a tour of several centers and visits to evacuees in the three coast States, said "fear" was continuing to keep many of the residents in the centers, although the number of "incidents" in coast States had dropped sharply this summer.

"I found nobody who was not happy he had left the center and returned to the coast," said Mr. Cozzens. "I found nobody who had not been assisted by his next-door neighbors and his friends in making things comfortable for himself and his family on his return."

"In places such as Penryn and Loomis in Placer County, Calif., areas supposedly difficult for the returnees, I found many of them working for Caucasians in orchards. Women were packing fruit and all were doing well."

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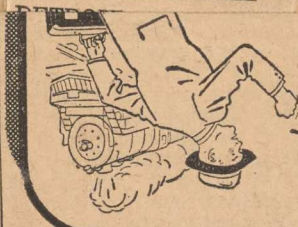
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## Act to Block Against Family

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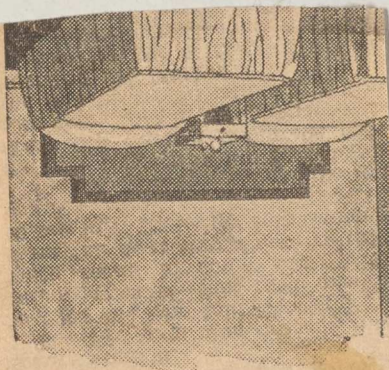
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## Act to Block Mob Action Against Family

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our individual sympathies may lay, or what our personal feelings may be," the sheriff declared. "We cannot tolerate anyone taking the law into their own hands, and I am definitely going to arrest anyone starting or attempting to start mob violence in this county."

The sheriff explained that the decision to permit return of the Japanese came from military commanders and the federal government, and that as good citizens all Sonoma county residents must respect the legal rights of the returning evacuees.

"I may be accused of being a 'Jap lover,' which I certainly am not," the sheriff said. "But I do stand for law and order, and both Governor Warren and Attorney General Kenny have placed the responsibility for protecting these returning Japanese-Americans squarely in the hands of local law-

enforcement agencies. As a result anyone bothering these Japs will face arrest and prosecution."

While there have been strong rumblings of dissatisfaction in the county ever since the government announced the Japs would be permitted to return, yesterday's case was the first threat of mob action reported officially to law-enforcement agencies here. However, it is understood that a Japanese-American soldier who fought with our forces in Italy was recently "convinced" to stay away after a brief return to his former home at Sebastopol.

A few weeks ago an army captain back from combat in the Pacific spoke both here and in Sebastopol urging tolerance and fair treatment for the Japs in this country, declaring that the boys doing the fighting were "ashamed" of the intolerance being shown at home by some misguided "superpatriots."

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SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20. (P)—Five youthful internees of the Tule Lake segregation camp today carried to Federal court an appeal from jail sentences imposed by camp officers.

They are defended by Clarence Rust, Civil Liberties Union attorney, who contended they were sentenced without trial and that the camp officer had no jurisdiction to impose sentences.

The youths, all born in California of Japanese parents, are Thomas T. Imagawa, 17, born in Freeport; Haruo Tateyama, 15, born in Clarksburg; Shoso Yamasaki, 17, born in Salinas; Saige Okada, 17, born in Irvington, and Shoso Takashi, 16, born in San Martin.

They were sentenced to 120 to 370 days in jail after being found guilty by the camp officers of wearing arm bands with the Rising Sun flag and the Japanese characters "Working for country," and of sounding bugles in violation of camp orders.

## Jap Alien At Sebastopol Threatened

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 21. (P)—K. Marita, a Japanese alien, has been threatened with death by two white men if he does not move from his Sebastopol ranch, he reported to Sheriff H. Patterson.

Marita, who recently returned from an Arizona relocation center, said the two men appeared at his home and said they would be back with 400 persons to kill him if he were not gone within 48 hours.

Patterson has ordered guards placed at the ranch and is attempting to call a citizens' meeting to consider the return of Japanese to Sonoma county.

SANTA ROSA, Aug. 21. —Threatened outbreak of mob action against Japanese-Americans returning to the Sebastopol area brought a sharp rebuke from Sheriff Harry Patterson yesterday, and a stern warning that laws protecting the rights of all citizens, regardless of race or color, would be strictly enforced.

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It is about time Americans were beginning to be fair with themselves, and one way to do it is to send all Japs back to Asia where they belong, among people of their own race. They have added nothing to the welfare of this country.

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Born in Japan, the applicant was formerly a real estate salesman in this city. He has been returned from a relocation center.

#### Japanese Relocate in State Slowly

Elbert Cochran of the War Relocation Authority yesterday told the Exchange Club at the Biltmore that the Japanese are filtering back slowly into California. He said indications are that fully 60 per cent of the one-time California-resident Japanese will locate elsewhere.

"One thing is sure," Cochran said. "There will be no more Little Tokyo. Such a segregated district was a bad thing for Japanese-Americans and for the community."

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Mr. Nakanishi, who was evacuated from San Francisco in 1942, applied for the license Mar. 30 on his return from a relocation center. American Civil Liberties Union representatives had protested, delaying the hearing until now.

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## Many Japs Return To Homes Here

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The Jap is coming back.

To date it is estimated that 125 former Lodi Nipponese have returned to their homes—and the end is not yet.

Three weeks ago 60 little brown men, women and children came to Lodi to again take up their living after being rounded up and shipped out of the state to war relocation centers. Most of the Lodi Japs were sent to Arkansas. This group of 60 came on a special train, and their arrival was unheralded, the government figuring that possibly a riot would ensue when they stepped off the train. So very few people were at the depot when the special pulled in, and there was not even a hint of a hostile demonstration. The belongings of the returnees occupied a full baggage car.

It is said that a small number of local Japs will be returned here this week, further augmenting the Nipponese population.

Japanese are not quite sure of the reception they will get from Lodians. So the men stay in the background. Women attend to the banking business. The children make local purchases. Several of the men have found ready employment, and a number of growers have recruited crews from among the evacuees. The Japs are doing good work, for they realize that in this manner they may again take their places in local life.

Lodi people are very careful in their dealings with the Nips. There seems to be an unwritten law that fraternizing is taboo. There will be no trouble here if white people do not incite it.

Tonight at 12 o'clock a special train of Jap evacuees from Arkansas will arrive in Sacramento, but only a few will be detrained there. None is aboard for Lodi. It is understood that all of the returnees will go to Southern California.

So far about 600 Japs have arrived at Sacramento. For the most part they were residents of the county before the War Department chased them out of the state.

#### 50 AT SACRAMENTO

Most of the 50 Japanese-Americans who returned to Sacramento from Utah Thursday night have returned to farming districts in the vicinity, according to Mrs. Sue Harada, director of one of Sacramento's four Japanese hostels.

Mrs. Harada's hostel is sponsored by the Japanese-American Citizens League.

"Our hostels are filled all the time," said Mrs. Harada. "When this last group came in, some of them had to go to the homes of friends because we did not have room for them."

Most of the group are farmers who plan to return to their ranches.



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The Japanese came from the Hart Mountain relocation center at Cody, Wyo., and included men and women of various occupations and youngsters born during internment of the parents.

The service veterans were members of the Timber Wolves Division, who watched the arrival of the Japanese with good nature and talked about the accomplishments of their division in the Ruhr Valley in Germany, where, they reported, they were on the front line 197 days without relief. Most of the men were stated to have three years of service.

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## Legion Okehs Nisei Posts 268

By United Press

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 24. — The California executive committee of the American Legion today restored charters of two posts composed entirely of Japanese veterans which were revoked soon after Pearl Harbor.

The action was taken on the motion of John R. Quinn, Los Angeles County assessor, who said that the original revocation was made for security reasons but should be rescinded "now that the emergency is past."

Legion officials said one of the posts was in Los Angeles and had contained about 75 members and the other was in San Francisco and had about 25 members. Unpaid dues of the members of the posts also will be forgiven, the committee decided.

Adjutant James K. Fisk reported that about 24,000 California veterans of World War II, including 200 veterans of women's services, have enrolled in the Legion, and that total membership now is more than 100,000.

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By Robert O'Brien

**LANGUAGE CLASS:** A War Relocation Authority worker recently compiled a collection of words frequently used by the Tule Lake Issei (born in Japan) and Nisei (born in the United States). The list is quite interesting, in that the Issei vocabulary, particularly where sports and food are concerned, contains many words of a kind of pidgin English. The Nisei vocabulary, on the other hand, is as hep as Cab Calloway's jive dictionary.

Examples: Basuketto boru, to an Issei, means basketball; sofuto boru, softball; besu boru, baseball; picha, pitcher; kecha, catcher; homu besu, home plate; fauru boru, foul ball; stu-raiku wan, strike one; stu-raiku tsu, strike two; stu-raiku sree, strike three; bata, butter; buroni, bologna; fishi, fish.

Similarly, mappu is mop; doa, door; brashi, brush, and stovu, stove.

The terms used by the high school Nisei, according to the WRA worker, "reflects the usual bobby-sox interests." Some of them follow:

Attractive girl—slick chick, rare dish, dream puss; attractive boy—heaven-sent, swoony, mellow man, hunk of heartbreak; unattractive girl—rusty hen, dog biscuit, seaweed; unattractive boy—gog face, void coupon, stupor man.

Girl with sex appeal—frame dame, blackout girl, ready Hedy (from Hedy Lamarr); girl who necks with anyone—mug bug, necker chief, tours la clinch; a boy who's fast—wolf on a scooter, active duty, educated fox; girl crazy—skirts-nerts, dolly-dizzy, dame-dazed, witch-wacky; boy crazy—slack-happy; a prude—touch-me-not, moth ball, mona lizard; good dancer—pepper-shaker, rhythm-rocker, cloud-walker, jive-bomber; grinder—brain box, book bug, book-beater; strict parents—curfew-keepers; good food—lush mush.

They also frequently use the expression "Pearl-Harbored," as "I was Pearl-Harbored," or "She got Pearl-Harbored." It is used to describe anything "sudden, unexpected and unpleasant."

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**BITTER SCENE**—Veterans of the famed Timberwolf Division, who fought 11 months in Europe, silently watch Japs return here from Hart Mountain camp in Wyoming. The veterans, most of them wearers of the Purple Heart, were awaiting train when the Japs arrived in L. A.  
—Los Angeles Examiner photo.

## Yanks Watch Japs Return

Another silent bitter scene themselves—and glared at the gripped onlookers at Union Station yesterday.  
At 7:03 a. m., a group of 105 Japanese relocation returnees glided into Track 13—coming home from the Heart Mountain camp in Wyoming.  
At that moment, several hundred combat infantry troops passed to Track 15—leaving home for redeployment at Camp San Luis Obispo.  
Silently the troops arrayed

The Japs scurried swiftly by—embarrassment on most faces. The troops—almost without exception wearing the Purple Heart—trod disgustedly onto trains.  
They were members of the famed "Timberwolf Division." They had undergone 197 days of combat without relief—a record.  
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## Legion Lifts Ban On Nisei Posts

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 24 (AP). The executive committee of the American Legion, California Department, voted today to lift the suspensions of two Legion all-Japanese posts, in San Francisco and Los Angeles, and return them to regular status. The committee in 1942 suspended and revoked the charters of the posts. Today's action brings them back into regular standing.

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## Sonoma Sheriff's Warning On Jap Violence

Jap Couple and Family  
Of Eight Children Were  
Threatened Is Report

Sheriff Harry Patteson, of Sonoma county, has warned against mob violence against returning Japanese. The state and county have established a fund to aid Japanese from relocation camps to return to their homes here. A number have arrived and more are coming with the result that some are running into trouble.

The sheriff's warning came simultaneous with opening of an investigation into Sebastopol attempts to incite violence against former county residents of Japanese ancestry now being returned there.

Threats voiced by two unidentified men Sunday night against one of the returning Japs led to the investigation being started to learn who was responsible.

K. Marita, father of eight children and husband of an American-born Japanese, reported receiving the threat of mob violence unless he "got out of the county" at once.

Marita has just returned with his family from a relocation center, one of many former California Japanese now being returned to this state under federal government sanction.

The two men who ordered him to "get out" he told Sheriff Patteson, warned that 400 people were ready to come back with them the next time they "called" to see to it that they left Sonoma county.

Sheriff Patteson personally led the investigation in the Sebastopol area, and warned numerous citizens there that in compliance with the law he would arrest any one harming the Maritas.

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## Jap Family Threatened at Home Here

### Sheriff Investigating Incident, Says Law Will Be Enforced

Threats against the life of K. Marita, Japanese alien, who was recently returned to his Sebastopol ranch from an Arizona relocation center, have brought a sharp rebuke from Sheriff Harry Patterson.

According to Marita, two men came to his home and told him if he did not move within 48 hours, they would come back with 400 more and kill him. Patterson ordered guards to be placed about the ranch and announced that in compliance with the law he would arrest anyone molesting the family.

Marita is the husband of an American-born Japanese and the father of eight children. The family is one of many former California Japanese now being returned to the state from relocation centers.

An investigation, led by the sheriff is being carried on here in an attempt to find out who is responsible. Patterson announced that the laws protecting the rights of all citizens, regardless of race and color, would be enforced.

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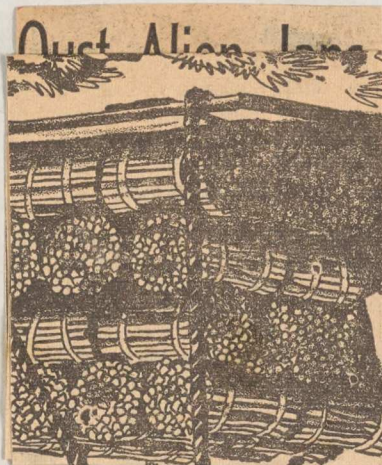
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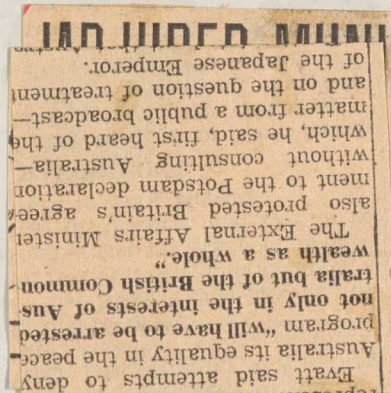
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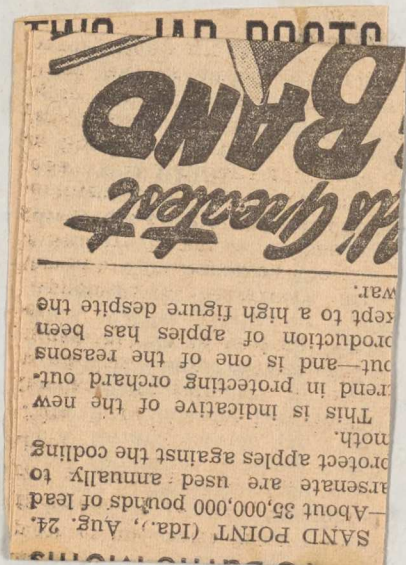
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## Nisei Win Lapham's Support

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Mayor Lapham was on record today as affirming the right of Japanese American citizens to hold municipal jobs for which they are qualified.

He took his stand when a group of machinists in the Municipal Railway shops threatened to walk off the jobs in protest against the hiring, as an ignition expert, of a Nisei, Takao Miyama, 1881 Pine street, who recently was released from a relocation center. Declared the mayor:

"It is self evident that this citizen has a right to work and the mayor of San Francisco expects employees of the Municipal Railway to recognize this right."

The showdown was expected when Miyama reports for work Monday.

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Alien Japs in relocation camps who are disloyal to the United States should be deported after "rescreening" to test their loyalty, Representative Samuel Dickstein (D., N. Y.), chairman of a House subcommittee investigating immigration rules, declared here.

The congressional group called another session today after a hearing yesterday at which Mrs. Josephine Duveneck, secretary of the American Friends Service Committee, a Quaker group, urged that Nazi children up to the age of 16 be allowed to come into the U. S. and be "de-Nazified."

### WANT FREE ENTRY

Another witness, Kenneth Fung, chairman of the Chinese-American Citizens' Alliance, asked that Chinese wives of Chinese-American servicemen be allowed free entry into the country.

H. J. McClatchy, secretary of the California joint immigration committee, advocated a ban on immigration of all Orientals of the colored races, "not as a matter of racial superiority," but because presence of such alien groups "would aggravate our domestic problems."

Complaint by Wilhelmina Yokum, representative of the International Institute, that "red ape" was holding up entry of foreign born brides of U. S. servicemen drew from Representative George Miller (D., Cal.), committee member, the comment that the delay "doesn't speak well for the State Department."

### INDIVIDUALS PROBED

As the first day's session closed, Dickstein revealed privately that the committee has been investigating the records of "certain individuals" against whom charges have been made during the war. He refused to name the individuals, saying that "some of the charges may be unfounded or unjust."

## 6,000 Nisei Face Ouster to Japan

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Six thousand American born Japs (Nisei) will be deported within two months because of their avowed loyalty to Japan in preference to the United States, Representative Samuel Dickstein (D., N. Y.) said here today.

Dickstein, chairman of a House subcommittee which has been holding hearings on immigration rules here, disclosed that he has been informed the Nisei will be sent back to Japan "in the next month or two—as soon as shipping is available."

### SOURCE WITHHELD

Dickstein did not reveal the source of his information. He said the deportation was planned under congressional legislation. Last year Representative Clair Engle (D., Cal.) introduced legislation which provided that "after termination of hostilities... with Japan, all alien Japanese and all persons of Japanese descent who have declared their disloyalty to the United States shall be taken into custody upon the warrant of the attorney general and deported in the manner provided for undesirable aliens."

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Hirohito have since professed a change of heart.

### PREDICTS COURT BATTLE

He predicted these would open a court battle against deportation, and said they are asking their citizenship back.

Dickstein said he opposes restoration of their American birthrights.

"They knew what they were signing," he said. "It was carefully explained to them."

The congressman also said that the government is rounding up "thousands" of alien Russians and Italians for deportation now.

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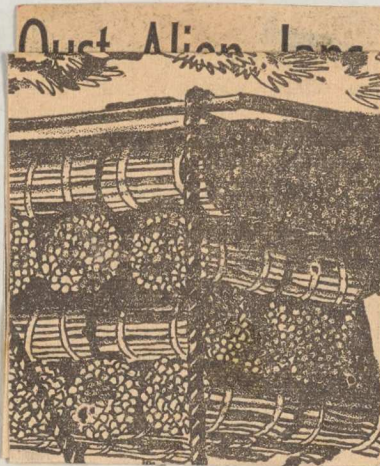
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## California Legion Restores Jap Veterans Post Charter

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 24. (U.P.) The executive committee of the California American Legion today restored the charters of two Legion posts composed entirely of Japanese veterans which were revoked after the attack on Pearl Harbor.

The action was taken on motion of John R. Quinn, Los Angeles County Assessor, who said that the original revocation was made for security reasons, but should be rescinded "now that the emergency is past."

One of the posts is in Los Angeles County and had contained about 75 members and the other is in San Francisco

and had about 25 members. Unpaid dues of the members of the posts also will be forgiven, the committee decided.

Restoration of the charters was opposed by P. A. Horton of Hollywood, a District Commander, who said it would be "hasty" to act before "peace actually has been restored."

Ed W. Bolt of Petaluma, Departmental Commander, said in answer to questions that applications for membership of Japanese veterans as individuals or groups would be handled in the same manner as applications from other honorably discharged veterans.

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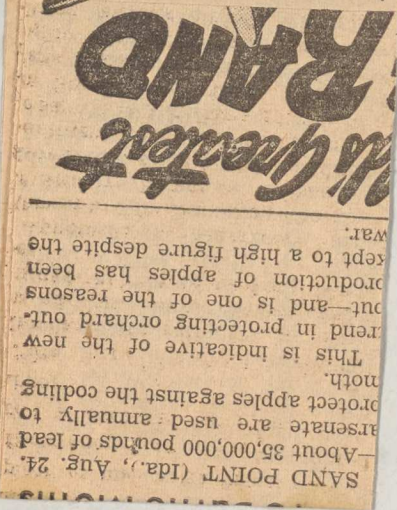
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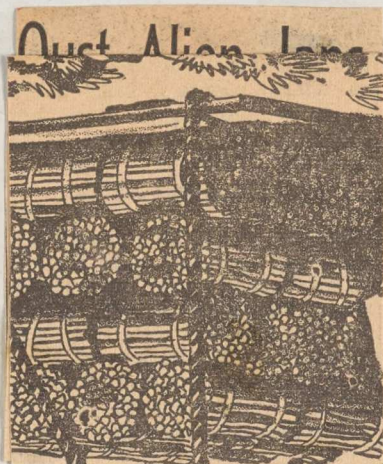
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## JAP HIRED, MUNI WORKERS BALK

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### MAYOR FIRM.

Mayor Lapham immediately issued a statement declaring:

"It is self-evident that this citizen has a right to work and the mayor of San Francisco expects the employees of the Municipal Railway to recognize this fundamental right.

"This citizen is, I have been informed, highly recommended by the War Relocation Authority as an ignition expert. A vacancy exists, and if he is found to be properly qualified he will fill it."

The mayor added that "the war with Japan is over" when the formal surrender comes.

### FIRST INSTANCE.

Lapham pointed out that this was the first instance in the city government of discrimination against a Japanese-American by other employees. Two other Nisei are employed by the city.

Miyama, released from the Tule Lake Relocation Center, comes from Marysville.

Residential requirements for his employment by the city were waived because of the critical need for bus repairmen.

## Coast Academy Plan Backed By Legion

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SACRAMENTO, Aug. 25 (INS). Representatives of California's 102,000 American Legionnaires had adopted today a resolution calling upon President Truman and Congress to take immediate action establishing a military and naval academy on the Pacific coast.

Other measures, unanimously adopted at the session which constitutes the Legion's annual convention, called for:

1. Outright opposition to granting final citizenship papers to Harry Bridges, West Coast labor leader.

2. The Federal Government to hold permanently as U. S. possessions all islands seized from the Japs during the Pacific war.

3. Conscientious objectors who hold state jobs to be discharged unless they swear allegiance and agree to bear arms should the U. S. again be forced to meet an aggressor nation.

4. Deportation of all alien Japanese and others who refused to signed avowals of loyalty while in relocation camps.

Earlier, the Legion reinstated the charters of two all-Japanese Legion posts, one in Los Angeles and the other in San Francisco. The charters of the two posts were revoked by the Legion in 1942, shortly after the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor.



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Evatt said attempts to deny Australia its equality in the peace program "will have to be arrested not only in the interests of Australia but of the British Commonwealth as a whole."

The External Affairs Minister also protested Britain's agreement to the Potsdam declaration without consulting Australia— which, he said, first heard of the matter from a public broadcast— and on the question of treatment of the Japanese Emperor.

# Coast Academy

TWO JAP POSTS  
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STATE LEGION

## Lapham Upholds Nisei in City Job

Mayor Lapham today affirmed the right of a Nishi, Takao Miyama, 37, of 1881 Pine-st, recently released from the Tule Lake Relocation Center, to work as an ignition expert at the bus repair shops of the Municipal Railway after automobile machinists there had threatened to walk off the job in protest.

Mr. Miyama was sent home by the shop management late yesterday but told to return to work Monday.

The mayor pointed out two other Nisei are employed by the city without arousing similar demonstrations. He said Mr. Miyama is highly recommended as an ignition expert by War Relocation Authority.

By **WALTER NAUGHTON**  
Special to The Examiner

SACRAMENTO, Aug. 27.—Two all-Japanese posts which were suspended soon after the sneak attack on Pearl Harbor, were reinstated today by the California American Legion.

This official action highlighted the first of two department executive committee sessions which Com. Ed W. Bolt of San Francisco is conducting here in the state senate chamber.

Irvin R. (Bob) Snyder of Tujunga, a veteran of both World Wars, will be installed as Bolt's successor at tomorrow's final session, thus becoming the first World War II veteran to head the California Legion and its 102,000 members.

**JAP POST HERE.**

The Japanese posts reinstated by unanimous vote of the executive committee are Admiral Perry Post of San Francisco, which had twenty-eight.

In the January, 1942, executive meeting in Los Angeles while Pearl Harbor still smouldered and the Nation was rushing to prepare its armed forces, the Legion heads voted to suspend the charters of the two all-Jap posts, some of whose members were on vacation overseas in World War I and had been decorated.

The Jap post members were men on their way to relocation camps and would have had a hard time holding legion meetings there even if they could.

**NO PROTESTS.**  
No protest came from them and none has come since. Where members are today, the Legion does not know and it remains to be seen when they will gain start to operate. World War II Japanese servicemen now are eligible to join the posts, should they desire.

Judge Advocate John A. Sinclair of San Francisco ruled today at the action of the 1942 executive committee in suspending the charters of the two Jap posts as probably illegal and would have been ruled so had the Japs made a protest. They had not violated legion rules, he said, although all of their race were then banned from west coast combat zones.

## DISCRIMINATION.

Past National Commander  
Wm R. Quinn made an impassioned plea for reinstatement of  
the Jap posts.

"The Legion never has and never will show racial discrimination," he said. "We still remember Pearl Harbor," but the Japs have surrendered and we can no longer deny charters to these men who fought with us in World War I."

Commander Balt received an unanimous vote when he asked the question in rescinding the order of the 1942 body and reinstating the two all-Jap posts.

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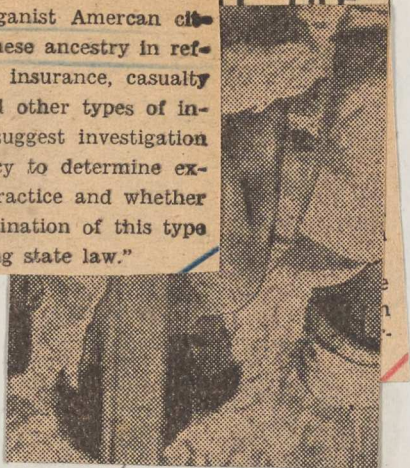


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### NCPAC Asks Insurance Discrimination Probe

The Southern California chapter of the National Citizens Political Action Committee has sent the following wire, which is self-explanatory, to the state insurance commissioner in San Francisco:

"Evidence submitted to this committee indicates general discrimination against American citizens of Japanese ancestry in reference to fire insurance, casualty insurance, and other types of insurance. We suggest investigation by your agency to determine extent of this practice and whether or not discrimination of this type violates existing state law."



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The recommendation presented by Representative Samuel Dickstein, Democrat of New York, was one of the strongest placed before the committee by a total of sixty-five local service organizations and several individuals. It marked the first revision hearing in twenty years.

Other points of discussion, presented in the courtroom of Federal Judge Michael J. Roche, were:

- 1—Redistribution of the German quota among small nations.
- 2—Retention of the German quota, with inclusion of special disbarment for Nazis, and high priority for refugees.
- 3—Unrestricted admission of all children under 16.
- 4—Softening of present mandatory deportation, which works "hardship" on worthy families.
- 5—A screening process for immigration applicants, with a view to selective, rather than restrictive, admission.
- 6—Nonquota entry for Chinese born wives of American born husbands of Chinese parentage.

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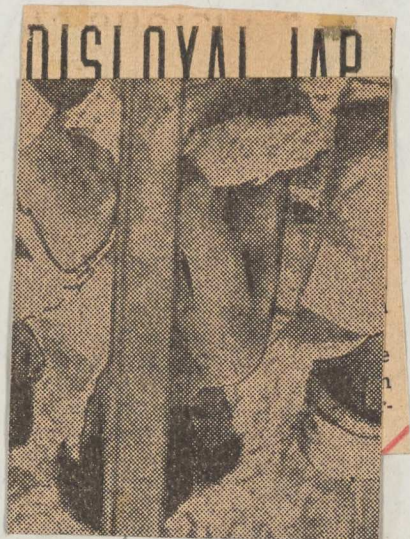
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The committee also voted to begin recruiting of men still in the armed forces beginning August 25, a practice banned during the war by a Legion charter.

The Japanese posts were the Townsend Harris post, San Francisco, with about 28 members, and the Commander Perry post, Los Angeles, with 78 members, Legion officials said. The committee decided that unpaid dues of the members will be forgiven.

New Japanese-American members will enter the Legion in the same way as other honorably discharged veterans, Ed W. Bolt, Petaluma, department commander, reported.

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## IMMIGRATION QUIZ ON HERE

Initial sessions of a congressional committee engaged in a nationwide survey of immigration problems are scheduled to get under way this morning in the Federal Building.

The House committee, which has had sessions in Chicago and various Eastern cities, arrives here from San Francisco, under direction of Chairman Samuel Dickstein, New York.

According to Albert Del Guercio, district director of immigration and naturalization, the visiting committee, consisting of six members, is considering three main objectives in its nationwide tour.

These are, he said:

1. What disposition shall be made of the German quota to the United States, normally around 36,000 in prewar days, and whether the quota shall be reserved for victims of Nazi persecution, or transferred to Allied Nations with small immigration quotas?

2. Should the deportation laws be amended, and should the statute of limitations on deportations arising from technical violations be changed?

3. What should be the ultimate status of Japanese aliens sent from West Coast and Southern California points to redistribution centers?

In addition to Chairman Dickstein, other committee members are:

Congressmen George P. Miller, California; William A. Barrett, Pennsylvania; Lowell Stackman, Oregon; Edward O. Cowen, Ohio; James I. Dolliver, Iowa.

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## LAPHAM, CAHILL BACK NISEI; ASK BUS MACHINISTS TO BACK DOWN

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The mayor and Mr. Cahill were to appear at the 24th and Utah-sts shops and ask the 60 men, who had threatened to walk off their jobs if Mr. Miyama came to work, to change their minds.

The mayor's decision to go to bat for Mr. Miyama followed a visit to his office by the Japanese-American and spokesman for the machinists, members of Automotive Machinists Local 1305, A. F. L.

The spokesmen, W. C. Vrowder and Walter Feyling, told the mayor they objected to Mr. Miyama's employment because he "hadn't volunteered for military service."

Mayor Lapham pointed out the Nisei is the father of three children and had worked as a machinist in Marysville for 12 years before Pearl Harbor and had been given a complete clearance from the FBI.

Mr. Miyama said he had quit, at the workmen's request, because he thought he was "doing the city a

diservice by causing any trouble." He agreed to return to see the Mayor when the latter had finished talking to the men.

When Mr. Miyama showed up for work today and was persuaded to quit, the men idled on their jobs until he left, typing up bus repairs for about an hour.

Mr. Miyama's case is the first instance in city government of discrimination against a Japanese-American by other employees.

Although leaders of the union, denied having any part in the action, workers at the Municipal shops said they protested Mr. Miyama's hiring as "representing an organized Japanese attitude to take over key positions."

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## Japanese Americans Are Entitled to City Work

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# Jap Quits Muni Job, Ends Crisis

The Japanese—formerly a resident of the Tule Lake Relocation Center—is Takeo Miyama, 37, of 1881 Pine street.

## **TURNS JOB DOWN**

"I guess I won't take this job. I'm going back to the War Relocation Authority and ask them for advice."

The bus repairmen claimed the shop foreman, Charles McGuire, was told by "somebody at the Civil Service Commission" that Miyama was to be put to work, adding:

They asserted the Jap was hired in preference to a SeaBee veteran who had held the job on an "emergency" basis a month and a half ago.

The repairmen declared they would not object to the hiring of a Japanese who had served with the armed forces.

The men declared they had interested the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars in the case, and that Supervisor John J. Sullivan, a Legion official, had promised to arrange an appointment with Mayor Roger Lapham for them.



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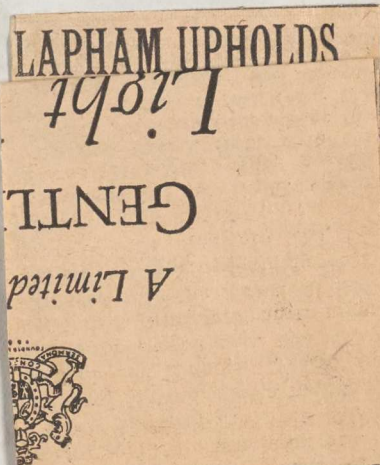
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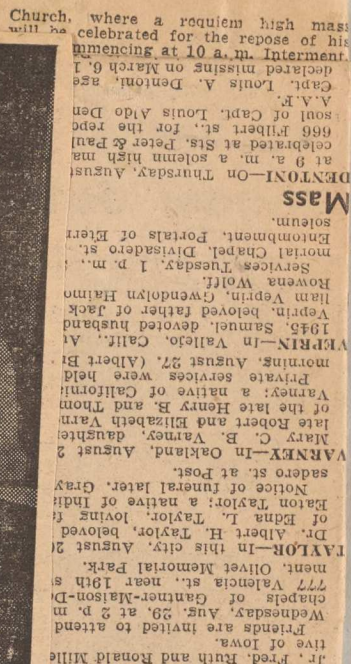
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gress to do what it did for China—otherwise this war would have gone on for another hundred years."

Meyer said there were 440,000 inhabitants in Hawaii, of which 168,000 are of Japanese origin.

"Should Hawaii become a state, these Japanese Americans would have perfect freedom to come to the mainland."

David G. Marshall, chairman of the Catholic inter-racial council, told the committee that neither race nor color should be a bar to citizenship.

A joint statement was submitted to the investigators by the committee on immigration of the metropolitan welfare council of Los Angeles, consisting of 146 Protestant, Catholic and Jewish organizations.

It said this would inflict hardships upon legally admitted German aliens who are on temporary status in the United States and would block permanently admitted alien residents and American citizens from becoming reunited with the surviving members of their widely scattered families.

Hearings will resume today at 10:30 a. m.



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## WON'T TO STAY ON MUNI JOB DESPITE ROW

### Heated Argument At Yard; Action of Workers Undecided

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nician Harold Stone, who told Mr. Miyama:

"Good luck and I hope you get your chance to work here. I think you have the right to." The sailor holds the Silver Star for gallantry in action against the Japanese.

Mr. Miyama said he was told yesterday by Fred Ross, WRA field representative, that it was his duty to his people to return to work, and that he was a coward if he stayed away.

Mayor Lapham had told the Nisei, "I'll back you up in any decision you take."

Soon the whole yard was boiling with workers, some of them Negro bus drivers. Two representatives of the mechanics, W. C. Crowder and Arnold Valson, approached Mr. Miyama and formally demanded that he quit his job, saying that even though no formal walkout would take place, they were confident a majority of the workers would leave and seek new jobs unless he resigned. "You understand," Mr. Crowder told him, "there will be no physical violence, but the men have made up their minds they will not work with you."

Chief Radio Technician Stone broke in and declared, "I didn't go out to fight in the Pacific so people with differently colored skins would be discriminated against when I got home."

'Headed for Nazi-ism'

Mr. Ross intervened to say he thought the mechanics were "headed for nazi-ism" if they continued their discrimination.

Mr. Crowder and Mr. Valson replied they would be glad to work with any Japanese-American who had fought for the United States, but that neither Mr. Miyama nor any of his close relatives were in service.

The argument became animated as workers and spectators clustered around the bus on which Mr. Miyama had been working.

A Negro woman bus driver cried, "How about considering someone besides the whites when you're giving out post-war jobs."

A bus driver who identified himself as an Indian asked why Japanese-Americans should be discriminated against when German-Americans and Italian-Americans are not.

Argument Continues

At this point, Charles McGuire, shop foreman, sought to break up the crowd by ordering Wallace McKnight, a Negro bus driver, to drive the bus away.

Mr. Valson invited Mr. Miyama to step aboard the bus so the matter could be discussed further.

Mr. McKnight drove the bus to a nearby street, where Mr. Valson and Mr. Crowder continued talking to the Japanese-American for nearly two hours.

In substance, Mr. Valson told the Nisei, the work of bus mechanics was so complex and difficult that no man could hope to do a good job in his six-months probation period without the help of his fellow workers.

'No One Would Help'

"I'm sure no one would help you," Mr. Valson said. "That means that on every job on which you need help and don't get it, it will be necessary for me to mark you incompetent. Once you are certified incompetent, you will be discharged automatically, and that will always be a barrier to you in seeking other jobs. It will also force you to take a lower rating if you try to get a job through a union."

(Mr. Miyama is rated as a journeyman motor mechanic.)

"I can't help you personally,"

Mr. Valson continued, "because your rating is the same as mine. While I won't discriminate against you, I'm sure no man, white or black or yellow, could hope to qualify in this shop under those conditions."

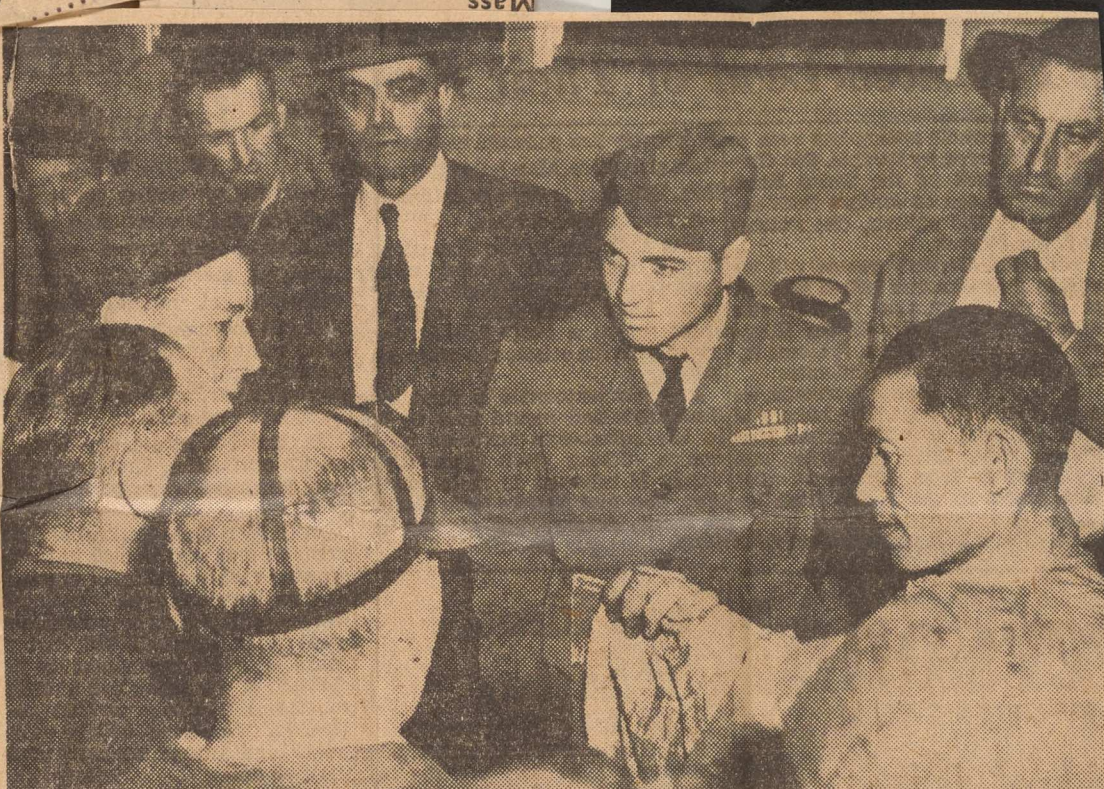
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"I couldn't return because the prejudice is too strong. I leased my business when I went to Tule Lake. When I got out I terminated the lease, but I've been told litigation will tie the business up for a year. Police and plainclothesmen were

standing around the repair shop yards in case any trouble should break out.

The case came to a head yesterday when Mr. Miyama reported to work, and quit after the workers told him they would walk off the job if he stayed. Mayor Lapham then intervened in the Nisei's behalf.

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Mayor Lapham was so informed when he went to the barn to ask them to accept the evacuee—an American citizen—and stay on the job.

The controversy arose over Takeo Miyami, 37, born in Hawaii, a mainland resident for 19 years. An expert machinist, he was certified by the Civil Service Commission and sent to report for duty at the bus barn yesterday at Twenty-fourth and Utah streets. He recently returned from Tule Lake.

Departure of the buses was held up for an hour, as 60 machinists, members of AFL Automotive Machinists' Local 1305, walked out of the barn and stood in groups, refusing to go to work until Miyami left.

Miyami, saying he did not wish to cause trouble, went to see the Mayor. The Mayor, accompanied by Utilities Commissioner E. G. Cahill, went to the barn and talked to the assembled machinists.

"This man is an American citizen," the Mayor told the machinists, "and the Army says he is all right. It is a common mistake to think

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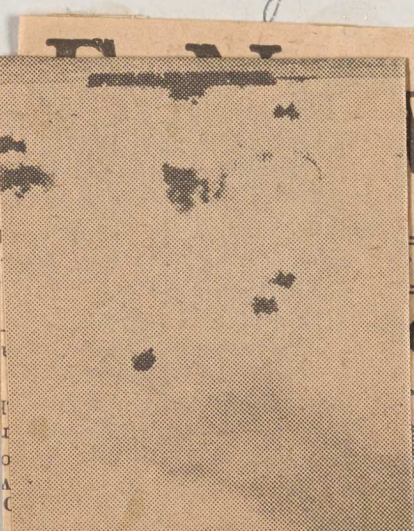
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## Court Ruling Gives Jap Land to State

SALINAS, Aug. 29.—Approximately 72 acres of farm land today is under state ownership following an alien land law decision against Yez Ikeda, a Japanese alien.

Superior Judge H. G. Jorgensen awarded the land to the state yesterday.

The suit was brought by Dist. Atty. Anthony Brazil who alleged the Ikeda family bought the land in 1928 under the name of a friend, Toski Hanazone. The tract was to revert to Ikeda's daughter, Atsuko, when she came of age.

The court held the statute of limitations was inapplicable to the case because it was "just as much against public policy" to leave the land in alien possession for more than 1 year as it was for one year.

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## NISEI ROW ENDS AS MUNI BUS WORKERS VOTE TO STAY ON JOB

### Shelley Protests 'Discrimination,' Workers Deny Any Racial Feeling Involved

A five-day dispute at Municipal Railway's bus repair shop, 24th and Utah-sts., over hiring of Takeo Miyama, a 37-year-old Japanese-American mechanic, was settled amicably today as the 100 workers canceled plans for a walkout, and the Nisei continued on his job.

After a series of meetings yesterday the men, most of them members of the A. F. L. Automotive Mechanics' Union, voted 2 to 1 to stay at work on the recommendation of a committee of seven arbitrators they had appointed to work out a solution. Earlier, many workers had threatened a work stoppage.

Expressing regret this situation had been "misunderstood," the committee's report stated:

"We regret this situation has been misinterpreted, misunderstood and made to appear as an issue based on discrimination against Mr. Miyama because he is of Japanese descent.

"This is definitely not so. Our feeling is that these vacancies should go to veterans of this war who are residents of San Francisco. We will welcome and help these men.

#### 'Stay on Job'

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The shop's day shift voted 41 to 18 to continue work and the night shift 11 to 9 to walk out. About 35 workers eligible to cast ballots failed to vote.

#### Nisei at Work

Mr. Miyama went to work today, after being recertified to his job by the Civil Service Commission. He was engaged in changing bus tires alone in the repair shop yards.

The issue came to a head yesterday when the mechanics left their benches to demand of Mr. Miyama that he quit his job, pointing out that without their help he couldn't do good work and would be marked incompetent, thus automatically making him subject to discharge.

After consultations with the War Relocation Authority and the Japanese-American Citizens League, Mr. Miyama decided to stay over the mechanics' protest, saying he felt he would be betraying other Nisei if



TAKEO MIYAMA.

he did so. He was supported by Mayor Lapham.

The workers called a meeting to determine what action they would take. They were advised by State Sen. Shelley, president of the San Francisco Central Labor Council, they would not receive A. F. L. support if they walked off their jobs on a racial issue.

The workers appointed the committee of seven which, after further conferences with Mr. Shelly, announced its recommendation that the mechanics stay on the job.

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## Machinists Will Work With Nisei

Municipal Railway machinists yesterday voted to stay on the job despite their objection to having to work alongside Takeo Miyama, American citizen of Japanese ancestry.

The vote supported a committee of seven of the machinists who conferred with State Senator Jack Shelley, president of the AFL Central Labor Council.

Shelley had urged the men to keep the racial issue out and face facts.

The committee's report said:

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Little work was done during the day by the machinists, but technically they remained on the job.

Utilities Manager E. G. Cahill refused to comment on whether he would approve payment for the time spent by the machinists in talking about the problem.

The committee of seven named by the machinists, was composed of Arnold Valson, Wylie Crowder, Walter Attridge, Russ Reid, Ernie Kilby, B. Sichel and Ronny Urquhart. Crowder said he agreed with Shelly's attitude.

George Lewis, division superintendent of bus lines for the Municipality, gave this verdict after hours of talk:

"I feel sure the men will work all right. They will not go out of their way to hurt Miyama. They may just ignore him."

The machinists Monday, talking to Mayor Lapham and Utilities Manager E. G. Cahill, threatened to quit their jobs yesterday morning if the Japanese-American again tried to go to work on the job for which the Civil Service Commission has certified him.

Miyama reported for work as a machinist-electrician at 8 o'clock yesterday morning at the bus barn at Twenty-fourth and Utah streets. The foreman, Charles McGuire, put him to work on a bus outside the barn.

The machinists left their work  
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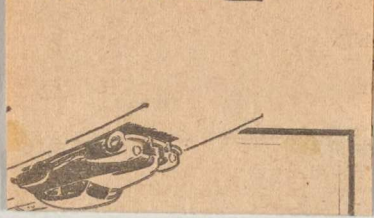
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and went outside to the bus where Miyama was working. Negro bus drivers, members of a different AFL union, joined in the discussion which ensued.

"When Negro bus drivers went to work for Muni," said Robert A. Gray, 23, Negro bus driver and war veteran, "there was some fuss at first, but soon everybody got used to it. If you boys let this man go to work, you'll find it'll be the same way."

James C. Burns, American Indian bus driver, said:

"Do you want the sort of thing here that goes on in the old South?"

"We have to work with him, you don't!" was the chorused reply.

McGuire, fearing trouble, told the driver of the bus on which Miyama was working, to drive away. Miyama and Valson, one of the protesting machinists, stayed in the bus.

Valson warned Miyama:

"No matter how good a man is, when he comes to work here, if the men don't want to co-operate with him, he can't make good. At the end of six months the man will be marked down as inefficient because he fails to get co-operation, and then he'll be out."

Valson is the man who would be directly supervising Miyama's work.

Finally Valson said:

"Now you know what you're up against. What's your decision? Are you going to try to work here? The men won't stay if you do."

Miyama said that he didn't wish to cause trouble which would hold up the system's operation, but that he wished to consult with advisors. He talked with Fred Ross of the War Relocation Authority and with Joe Masaoka, secretary of the Japanese-American Citizens League.

Then Miyama signed a statement:

"I wish to hold this position until I am eliminated by my employer."

Meanwhile, an Army General and a CIO leader wired approval of the Mayor for standing behind the Japanese-American.

Brigadier General F. B. Butler, Camp Claiborne, La., wired Mayor Lapham:

"The heroic Americanism of Hawaiian Japanese in our army in Italy leaves no other course to you in the mechanics' dispute. Their heroism was of the highest order."

Miyama was born in Hawaii. The machinists declare that they would concede a job in the barn to a Japanese-American veteran, but that since Miyama is not a veteran, they cannot see that he is entitled to the job.

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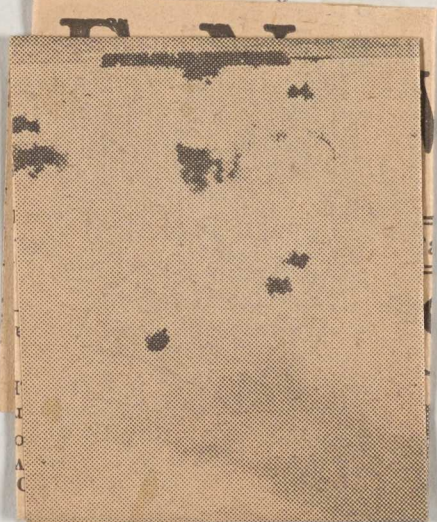
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## Truce called in protest on hiring Nisei for S. F. job

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—(UP)—Municipal railway bus me-  
chanics today called a temporary truce in their protest against the  
hiring of Takeo Miyama, a Japanese-American machinist, by agree-  
ing to remain at work and appointing seven arbitrators to settle  
their dispute.

The machinists, all members of

an AFL union, had threatened to  
walk out if the Nisei continued to  
work. Miyama had stopped work-  
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earlier today after being ordered  
by two union members to quit his  
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The heated argument was in-  
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"I didn't go out to fight in the  
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Mayor Roger Lapham, who has  
been a staunch supporter for Mi-  
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NISEI TAKEO MIYAMA (RIGHT) GETS HELP FROM THE NAVY  
Chief Harold Stone (center) of carrier Franklin tells workers to let Miyama keep his job

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## Alien Japanese deportation hit by Civil Liberties Union

Opposition to deportation of alien Japanese now in this country was voiced yesterday by A. L. Wirin, attorney for the American Civil Liberties Union, before the house subcommittee hearing on immigration in the Federal building

The committee concluded its sessions yesterday.

Wirin told committee members that the alien Japanese "should be treated as any other alien—that there should be no discrimination."

Wirin said the Civil Liberties Union was "not interested" in any American born Japanese who had renounced his American citizenship and professed loyalty to Japan.

That is, except that we believe they should be deported as quickly as possible," he added.

Wirin advocated naturalization of Japanese aliens who have committed no disloyal act.

"They have lost their contacts with Japan," he said. "Their interests are here."

He took sharp issue with the Native Sons of the Golden West who are opposing any changes in the immigration laws with respect to Orientals.

"That and several other organizations are inclined to judge persons because of race, color, or skin rather than as human beings," he said. "Any person who has been law abiding and loyal should get the utmost consideration."

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"We also have a number of honorably discharged soldiers there," he added. "They have gone to the camp to be with their families."

The committee, headed by Rep. Samuel Dickstein, D., N. Y., includes Reps. George Miller, D., of Alameda; William A. Barrett, D., Pa.; Lowell Stockman, R., Ore., and James I. Bolliver, R., Iowa.

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## Furious Debates Rage Before Bus Barn Vote

Police Mingle With Crowd as Workers Argue Jap's Right to Work

Long and loud argument over the status of Takeo Miyama, returned Japanese-American mechanic, ended last night after two shifts had affirmed his right to work. Miyama reported for work as an ignition expert with the Municipal Railway.

Before the day shift and first night shift voted not to walk off the job if he were hired, police mingled with the workers as they protested and defended his right to work.

"You're entitled to make a living, but not here. Why don't you go back to Marysville?" said one worker.

"We have fathers whose sons were killed in the Pacific and fathers whose sons can't get work here," said another.

"They're making a guinea pig of you," said still another.

### WRA'S APPEAL

Fred Ross, WRA field representative, told the workers:

"To deny this man the right to work here is to practice the same kind of discrimination the Nazis inflicted on Germany when they persecuted the Jews and later clamped down on labor. You will only be hurting yourselves."

Several Negro bus drivers complained that the mechanics were thinking "only of whites" when they asserted they were "trying to protect jobs for returning veterans."

One worker told Ross he was cashing in \$2,000 worth of war bonds because of the arrival of Miyama at the barn. The Japanese-American meanwhile was given an assignment which took him away from the crowd, which later broke up into small clusters.

### INTERRUPTION

Little work was done in the barn until shortly before noon

when Miyama left to become recertified for the job at the civil service commission, a formality required by his having left the barn Monday when advised of the workers' sentiment. He returned to work late in the afternoon.

Meeting with the seven man committee during the afternoon was State Senator John Shelley, president of the San Francisco AFL Labor Council, who told the mechanics:

"The future of this city is based on working together and race discrimination should not be the issue."

### LAPHAM BACKED

Mayor Lapham, who with Utilities Manager E. G. Cahill, addressed the men Monday, urging them to accept the Japanese worker, announced receipt of two telegrams supporting his stand.

One came from Richard Lynden, president of the CIO Warehousemen's Union, Local 6, and said:

"You may be sure of our heartiest concurrence in your action supporting the right of all Americans to a job regardless of race, creed and color. Our union, 18,000 strong, congratulates you on your firm and enlightened position."

### ARMY SUPPORT

Brig. Gen. F. B. Butler of Camp Claiborne, La., telegraphed the mayor:

"The heroic Americanism displayed by Hawaiian Japanese



**TALK**—State Senator John Shelley, president of the San Francisco AFL Labor Council, is shown telling mechanics to practice

toleration rather than racial discrimination in their current protest against hiring of a Japanese American. —Photo by San Francisco Examiner.



**CAUSE**—Takeo Miyama, 37, was the center of a heated debate yesterday between Municipal railway workers and others. —Photo by San Francisco Examiner.

in our Army in Italy leaves no other course to you in the mechanics dispute. Their heroism was of the highest order."

Miyama formerly operated an automobile repair shop in Marysville. After Pearl Harbor he, his wife and three children were taken to Tulelake. His wife and children are still there while he endeavors to find a home for them.



A political cartoon by R. Crumb. A large, stout man in a top hat and a long coat with "INTOLERANCE" written on the back is walking away. A smaller man, looking distressed, points at him while holding a sign that reads "THE CASE OF TAKEO MIYAMA - JAPANESE-AMERICAN". In the background, a banner says "SAN FRANCISCO". The cartoon is signed "R. Crumb" in the bottom right corner.



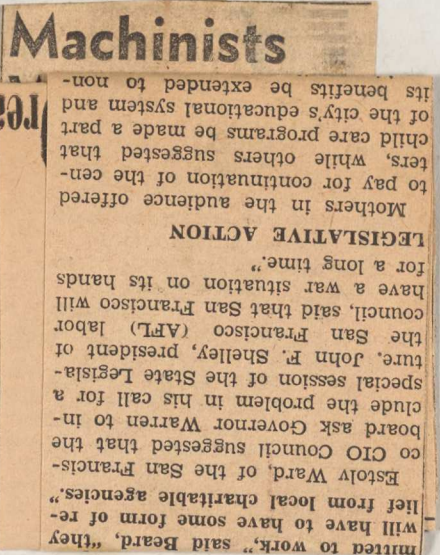
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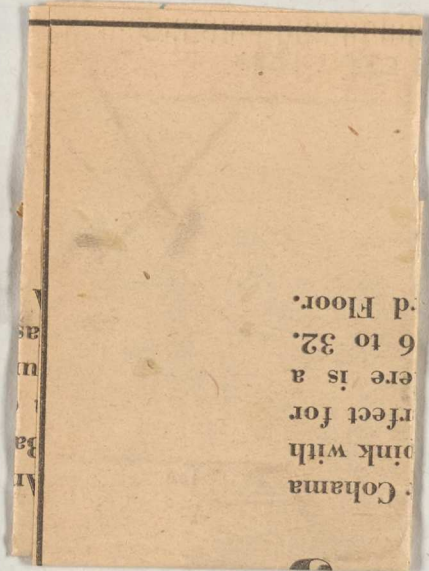
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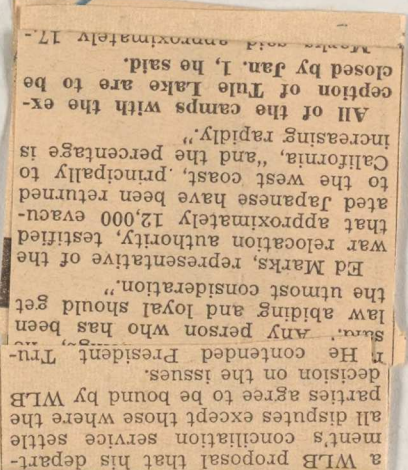
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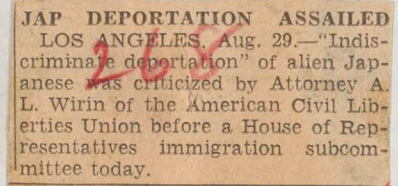
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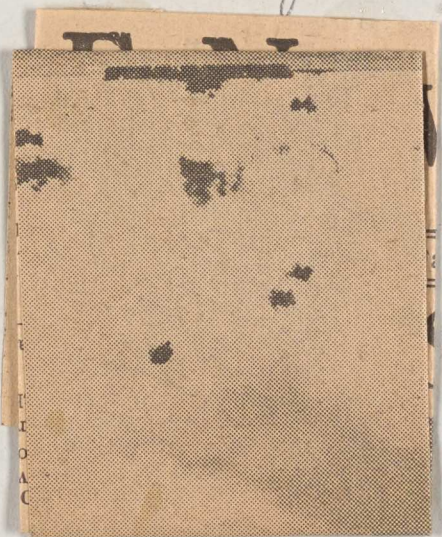
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## 12,000 Nisei Return West

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 28 (INS)—Approximately 12,000 evacuated Japanese already have returned to the west coast, principally to California, and the percentage is now increasing rapidly.

This was the information given Tuesday to the Dickstein subcommittee on immigration by Ed Marks, representative of the war relocation authority. He disclosed also that all of the WRA camps, with the possible exception of the Tule Lake camp, will be closed by January.

In discussing the Tule Lake camp, Marks said that approximately 17,000 persons remained in the camp, of which more than 5000 were children under 16.

### Soldiers Also Quartered

"We also have a considerable number of honorably discharged soldiers there," he said.

"They have voluntarily gone to the camp in order to be with their families."

The Japanese returning to the west coast are given return transportation, but beyond that are "pretty much on their own," Marks said.

"We have been able to relocate many Japanese in other sections of the country, principally in the middle west, but I believe that some of these now are coming back to the Pacific coast also," he said.

### Opposition Fades

Marks said that in certain parts of California there were at first people who opposed the return of the evacuees. He said that this feeling is dying out and that there was no question but that they would be able to come back peaceably.

"We have no authority in the matter of determining who shall or shall not return," Marks said.

"That is in the hands of the war department and the department of justice."

Marks was followed by A. L. Wirin, attorney for the American Civil Liberties union, who voiced opposition of his organization to what he called indiscriminate deportation of Japanese aliens. He advocated naturalization of those now in this country on the same basis as other races.



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## Many Japs From Here to Settle Outside State

Thousands of Japanese confined to relocation centers during the war will not return to California, but will settle in other districts.

Ed Marks, spokesman for the War Relocation Authority, made that statement yesterday while a witness before a Congressional committee investigating immigration conditions, which is holding hearings in the Federal Building.

"Many of these evacuees have settled in the Rocky Mountain area and thousands of others in the Middle West—Chicago, Cleveland and other cities—while others have gone to the East Coast," Marks said.

"In California, approximately 12,000 Japanese have been returned to their homes. The Tule Lake Relocation Center still houses approximately 17,000 Japanese, 5000 of whom are juveniles."

Indiscriminate deportation of Japanese and other aliens was opposed by A. L. Wirin, attorney for the American Civil Liberties Union, who at the same time favored the naturalization of all aliens in the United States of proven loyalty.

After hearing the statements of nearly a dozen minor witnesses during the afternoon, the committee adjourned announc-

ing that no more hearings would be held and that the members will return to Washington to report their findings when Congress reconvenes on Sept. 4.

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## Expulsion Protested

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 29 (INS). The Dickstein congressional subcommittee on immigration had before it today a protest from the American Civil Liberties Union against what it termed the indiscriminate deportation of Japanese aliens.

The subcommittee will conclude the Los Angeles phase of its investigations today.



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## MUNI BUS MEN CALL OFF FIGHT ON JAP WORKER

Two Shifts Back His Right to  
Job By 2 to 1 Votes

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A violent dispute over hiring of a newly returned Japanese-American mechanic at the bus repair barn of the Municipal Railway — a dispute which for several days threatened to produce a sitdown strike — was amicably settled last night by the democratic process of voting.

The two principal shifts at the barn, representing an overwhelming majority of the workers, voted on the question of remaining at work alongside the Nisei. The results were, in effect, two-to-one in support of the Nisei's right to work.

### BIG MAJORITY —

The day shift voted 41 to 18 to stay on the job. The first night shift voted similarly, 50 to 29. A third shift, scheduled to vote early this morning, is so small that it cannot effect the outcome even if it should vote solidly to remain away from work.

Following the first ballot taken, a committee of workers issued a statement asserting that the dispute was not a racial dispute but that those objecting to employment of the Nisei, Takeo Miyama, 37, did so because they felt his job should have been held open for a returning war veteran. Miyama had been certified to his job of ignition mechanic by the civil service commission.

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## ALIEN CENTERS TO BE CLOSED

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All alien relocation centers, with the possible exception of the Tule Lake center, will be closed by the end of the year.

This was revealed to the Dickstein House subcommittee on immigration at the Federal Building yesterday by Ed Marks, representative of the War Relocation Authority.

"Approximately 17,000 persons are still at Tule Lake, of which number 5000 are children under 16," Marks told Chairman Representative Samuel Dickstein (Democrat), New York, chairman of the committee.

He said that about 12,000 Japanese-Americans already have been evacuated to West Coast areas, for the most part in California. The percentage of evacuations is "rapidly increasing," he said.

"Many honorably discharged Japanese soldiers have come to Tule Lake in recent months to be with their families," he stated.

### HOMES CHOSEN —

He said that return transportation is provided returning Japanese, and that many took "exploratory trips" to possible future homesites before finally leaving the camp for good.

All returning Japs have been "screened" by the War Department and the Department of Justice, he said.

Attorney A. L. Wirin, representing the American Civil Liberties Union, opposed "indiscriminate deportation" of Japanese aliens, and advocated naturalization of alien Japanese now in the United States "on the same basis as other races."

## Expulsion Veterans Should Be Cleared Questioned Guarantee

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## 268 NISEI WORKER WILL DO HIS JOB DESPITE THREATS

By GEORGIA KIDWELL

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 28.—Takeo Miyama, Japanese-American machinist, will return to his job at the Municipal Railway bus repair shop despite strike threats of 70 shop employees, WRA revealed today.

Miyama, recently released from Tule Lake Relocation Center, reported for work shortly after 8 a. m. this morning and was sent to repair a bus standing in the yard.

When other workers heard the Nisei was present they ceased work to discuss the matter. Some 20 men continued working. A San Francisco hero of the aircraft carrier Franklin approached Miyama while he worked to offer encouragement.

"Good luck and I hope you get your chance to work here," Chief Radio Technician Harold Stone said to Miyama. "I think you have the right to." Stone holds the silver star for gallantry in action against the Japanese.

Shop repairmen, however, continued to discuss the matter with ill-temper and Miyama finally left the shop at 11 a. m. with Fred Ross, War Relocation Authority official.

Miyama reported to work yesterday but was sent home by the shop management in order to quiet the resulting disturbance.

Mayor Lapham went to the barn and talked to the assembled Machinists. He told them Miyama was an American citizen and fully cleared by the army.

One machinist heckled the mayor, shouting: "Remember Pearl Harbor!"

"I remember," Lapham answered, "but I also remember that men of all races and countries and colors came here to follow the American way of life."

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## Congressman Will Attend Jap Hearings

PENDLETON, Aug. 29.—Representative Lowell Stockman, member of the immigration committee, has left for San Francisco for subcommittee hearings on disposition of alien Japanese now in the United States.

Attending the hearings will be Representative Samuel Dickstein, New York, chairman of the immigration committee; Representative Charles Fisher, Texas, committee member, and others.

After the San Francisco meeting Stockman will return to Washington, D. C., for the September session of congress. He has been in the West since July 10 and has visited all parts of his district, making Pendleton his headquarters. Mrs. Stockman also will go to San Francisco and thence to Washington. Their son, Bill, employed on the Stockman ranch as a harvest hand during the summer, will leave for Washington September 13. The Stockman daughters, Mary and Margery, have been at a girls' camp in Virginia during the summer.

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## Hostels House

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## Teachers

Oakland. RODNEY FISHER Editor—Regarding the administration of the San Francisco schools. When the interest of the child is brought up, what are the considerations which qualify a person for employment? Are they to be a member of the public.

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## Machinists

Pensioner Editor—Hats off to the old gen- San Francisco. Ph. M. 3/c. ROBERT S. CLARK labor to get all the breaks. wages then? It's not fair for What would have happened to leaders to work on our behalf. We could have used a few C.I.O. times as much for severance! Service, and now they want five work while we've been in the boys were well paid for their mustering out pay! Those C.I.O. hardship to our families, the small

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## Japanese Alien Loses

October 4 4845—Conner v Watson Nav Co. for trial 3887—Bowles v Baker & Hamill-trial, jury 4806—Leach v S P Co et al, for October 5 4175—Peabody & Co v U S, for trial 4067—U S v M S "Tabian," to be reset 3653—Tomlin et al v U S, for

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## JAPANESE-AMERICANS

MADRID, Aug. 29 (Reuter)—The great majority of the Spanish people do not yet know that the Republic recently in Mexico. No one of the Spanish papers so far has mentioned it, and the radi has maintained equal silence. The few persons who are aware of the new government's existence appear to have received the new information with mixed feelings and no small degree of scepticism. However, everyone of the friend and foe alike—is eager to learn whether the Government and if so from which countries exile will get recognition abroad

New York (N.Y.) Times



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## Hostels House Returning Japs

Serving as a stop-gap between internment and liberation for Japanese-Americans who are trickling back from relocation camps to try to take up the threads of their past existence are a number of hostels scattered throughout California.

There are 10 in Los Angeles and vicinity alone.

Most of the hostels here are in churches. They are providing temporary housing for a total of 500 former internees.

Although guests are supposed to stay only two weeks, none are turned out until they have found other quarters. Charges at the hostels are \$1 a day for room and board—\$2 for those who have found employment and can afford it. Each person also is required to spend at least 30 minutes a day helping in the kitchen or cleaning.

According to the War Relocation Authority under whose auspices the hostels are operated, the returning Japanese are having little trouble in finding opportunity to go back to farming or acquiring jobs as domestic help.

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## SAN FRANCISCO

By Robert O'Brien

**GOLDEN GATE GAZETTE:** When Gertrude Lawrence returned here from the South Pacific, her wardrobe comprised one camp show uniform and one silk print dress. The night before she was to lunch with a Navy commander, she asked Hazel Zimmerman, the investment counselor, to loan her a suitable hat. With 15 to choose from the stage star selected a white feathered model which her hostess had just bought at Ransahoff's, and had never worn. At luncheon with the commander, she looked very chic. Because of a change in reservations, Miss Lawrence left town suddenly and unexpectedly, aboard the City of San Francisco, without returning the hat. The next day, Miss Zimmerman received a wire from her saying she had left it in her Mark Hopkins suite. By the time Miss Zimmerman arrived at the hotel to retrieve it, the hat she had never worn had disappeared. She hasn't seen it since. . . .

Former Mayor Angelo J. Rossi is ill and under observation at Stanford Hospital. . . . One of the reasons why officials of the Stage Door Canteen voted to keep the Canteen open was the fact that Army and Navy hospitals in the Bay Area regard the Canteen as a great morale builder for the ambulatory wounded. It gives them a chance to see a show outside the hospital, to sit around a table and talk with girls and other servicemen. The officials believe the Canteen will continue in operation for between 6 and 12 months. . . .

After 13 years on the San Francisco News, seven of which were spent on the city desk, Joe Sheridan has left the newspaper business, and is now associated with James L. Rogers and LeRoy Page as editor of the Pacific Hotel and Restaurant Review. Rogers and Page, who took over the Review following the death of its former owner, Irwin Keeler, are also the publishers of the Beverage Industry News. . . . Latest A-bomb gag is to the effect that they tested one out on an uninhabited South Pacific island and don't yet know the results, because they can't find the island. . . .

Throughout two sessions of a House subcommittee hearing on immigration and naturalization in Federal Judge Roche's court, Kenneth Funk

Leach v S P Co et al, for jury  
Bowles v Baker & Hamill  
for trial

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and Joe Grant Masoaka sat next to each other. At the conclusion of the hearings, they were introduced by Pat Frayne of the War Relocation Authority. They cordially shook hands, and exchanged cards. Funk is executive secretary of the Chinese-American Alliance. Masoaka is regional representative of the Japanese-American Citizens' League. . . .

Dr. Theodore C. Lee, former president of the Chinatown Junior Chamber of Commerce, came back to his civilian dental practice here last January, after 16 months as a Captain in the India-Burma theater. The other day, on Stockton street, he greeted an orthodontist who had just returned home to San Francisco after three years in Fort Worth. Learning that he was unable to find office space, Dr. Lee sent him to the building in which his own offices are located, with references that helped obtain an office for the friend—Dr. Terry Hayashi, Japanese-American. . . .

Sergeant Karl Hawkins has completed two of a series of murals for the Camp McQuaide Service Club. Based on Steinbeck's "Cannery Row," they show the boiler which served as a home, Monterey Bay and several characters from the novel, including Lee Chong and Mac. They are all pure Steinbeck with the exception of one detail which the artist failed to notice until the unveiling. Mac has two left feet. . . . Angel Pingpong is Hawaiian editor of Bataan, the English-language magazine for Filipinos. . . .

Private First Class Ben Chu is home on furlough after 30 months in the South Pacific with the Field Artillery. Chu, former Chinese men's singles tennis champion, came through two campaigns and seven battles without a scratch. Yet, after one set of tennis his first day back, he hobbled from the court—nursing foot blisters. . . . Chu entered three events of the current Pacific Coast Chinese Tennis Championship, and immediately found himself surrounded by Wongs. His men's doubles partner is H. K. Wong. His mixed doubles partner is Helen Wong. His first round singles opponent is Frank Wong. His second round opponent is Thomas Wong. His third round opponent is Bob Wong. . . .

The words to the famous old song, "Only a Pansy Blossom," mentioned here yesterday, were written by the late Walter Thompson, exchange editor of this paper. He sold them for \$5. . . . Hall of Justice reporters were happy to learn Captain J. McDonald Smith was the skipper of the U. S. S. Grimes, the Navy combat transport which was the first American vessel to take aboard a Jap pilot in Sagami bay. Nine years ago, when he was a Lieutenant in charge of the Navy Shore Patrol here, he was their eating and drinking companion, and friend. . . .







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Francisco. DAVID A. BARRY, Clerk.  
 Approved, San Francisco, Aug. 30, 1945  
 R. D. LAPHAM, Mayor.  
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**NOTICE OF FINAL PASSAGE**  
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 (Series of 1939)  
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**Professor Obata**  
 from the Mortuary of Julius S. Goddard, August 31, 1945, at 8 a. m.  
 Friends are invited to attend the funeral and Aeronautical Lodge No. 1327.  
 Luana Roberts. A member of Production in this city, August 28, 1945.  
**ROBERTS**—In this city, August 28, 1945.  
 repose of his soul, commencing 10 a. m.  
 Interment, Italian Cemetery.  
 thence to St. James Cemetery.

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## Jap-American 268 Youths Released

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30. (AP)—The American Civil Liberties Union today disclosed it had effected the release from jail of five teen-aged Japanese-Americans who blew bugles and displayed pro-Japanese arm bands at Tule Lake segregation center. Ernest Besig, Northern California director of the Liberties Union, said the boys had been sentenced by the W.R.A. to terms of 120 to 370 days.

## Japanese art tutor to return to UC

BERKELEY, Aug. 31. (AP)—University of California art tutor, who was expelled from the university for being a Japanese-American, will begin at the university tomorrow. It will be one of the day's certain parade, sponsored by the university.

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S.F. Examiner

## 2 Brothers Deny Anti Nisei Plot

Two brothers, who were arrested in connection with the alleged anti-Nisei plot, today denied any knowledge of the plot.

S.F. News

## Civic Unity Council Asks Nisei Housing

Living conditions for Japanese Americans returning from relocation centers to San Francisco are so shocking that for the second time the Council for Civic Unity has urged governmental establishment of "interim housing centers."

With the situation growing worse by the hour, both Matt Crawford, acting executive secretary of the council, and Joe Masoaka, regional representative of the Japanese Citizens' League, reaffirmed their belief the Government has no right to shift the burden to individuals, church groups and community agencies which cannot cope with the problem.

Typical of the San Francisco hostels is the Japanese American Methodist Church, 1359 Pine street. There, Pastor and Mrs. Shigo Shumada, their 1-year-old baby and Mrs. Shimada's mother, Mrs. Kam Imae, all recently returned from the Topeka, Utah, Center, live in a single 13 by 16-foot bedroom.

### WHAT IT'S LIKE

In an adjacent, closetless, clothes-littered room, filled from wall to wall with iron cots, live six Japanese-American women. A tiny kitchen doubles as laundry.

Across the areaway is the parsonage building, where 17 persons occupy four cubiclelike rooms.

One couple and their two grown sons live in a room where the floor space is totally covered by a double bed and a double mattress on the floor. An electric plate is used for cooking.

One bathtub serves the entire 27 residents of the hostel.

Sharp in their criticism of the Federal Government for closing the relocation centers before adequate housing had been found for the evacuees, Crawford and Masoaka said an interim center should be established at the earliest possible moment. In addition, they urged opening of a "maintenance center" for the old and the sick.

"Many of the old people have been impoverished as a result of the hurried forced sale of their property at the time of the evacuation and also as a result of three years of institutional living.

### GOVERNMENT SUPPORT URGED

"The Government should provide housing and support for these people until the family's breadwinner returns. If there is no breadwinner, the Government should maintain continued care for them."

Masoaka said provisions for State and county aid were inadequate.

A special Federal old age assistance fund also should be created, Masoaka said, to assist those who can not qualify under legal aid categories because they are not citizens.

"Impoverishment brought about through evacuation leaves many old people dependent on their children. An unfair hardship is then worked on the Nisei children as parents are not eligible for the benefit received by parents, in the same position, who are citizens."

## COURT FREES 5 JAILED NISEIS

Five Nisei youths, sentenced to the Tule Lake Center Jail for terms of from 120 to 370 days by the camp manager, were released Tuesday, it was disclosed late yesterday by Wayne Collins, attorney for the American Civil Liberties Union.

Mr. Collins said the youths liberty had been taken from them without due process of law since the camp manager had acted as both accuser and judge in charges that the boys had disturbed the peace of the camp and otherwise broken camp rules.

At a court hearing on Aug. 20, Asst. U. S. Atty. Robert McMillan argued that since the youths were minors and citizens, although their parents are Japanese citizens who have asked for repatriation, the boys are free to leave the camp any time. As long as they elect to remain at the camp with their parents, however, they must abide by the camp rules, he said.

In Federal St. Sure's court on Sept. 10, dismissal of the charges against the boys will be sought.

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## SPEAKER PLEADS FOR FAIR PLAY

**Jap**  
Pleading for fair play for loyal Americans of Japanese ancestry returning to their homes in this area, E. L. Cochran spoke Wednesday at noon to members of the Southwest Optimist Club. Dean Barris presided.

Cochran, a member of the War Relocation Authority, said that Department of Justice records show that the great majority of

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Japanese in this country were loyal to it and that those now returning have been cleared by the Army. Disloyal ones, he said, are being held at Tule Lake and will in all probability be sent back to Japan. Not a single act of sabotage, he said, had been proved against a Japanese person in this country, although many had opportunities.

He mentioned the splendid record of the Japanese battalion which served in Italy and became the most decorated battalion of the war and asked club members not to lay the blame for acts committed by Japan on Japanese loyal to the United States.

Optimists will meet at noon Wednesday, Sept. 5, at Scully's cafe.

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San Pedro, News Pilot



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## 'Not Guilty' Pleas Made in Japanese Terror Case

**SACRAMENTO**, Aug. 30—Pleas of not guilty were entered in Federal Court here today by James Edward Watson, 39, and his brother, Claude, 35, charged with illegal possession of dynamite and conspiracy in connection with the attempted dynamiting of property owned by a Japanese-American in Placer county.

Federal Judge Martin I. Welsh set October 2 as the date for their trial. The charges are the outgrowth of

an attempted blasting of a packing shed on the property of Sumio Doi near Newcastle last January 18. Doi had just been returned to his home from a relocation center.

The Federal indictments do not mention the attempt to burn the Doi packing shed, but charge the brothers with possession of dynamite in violation of the Federal explosives act and with conspiracy to violate the act.

James Watson, along with two

AWOL army privates, was acquitted of arson charges in a Superior Court trial last April. Doi since has been inducted into the armed services.

**Professor Obata**  
thence to St. James Church for the  
quiem mass will be celebrated for the  
repose of his soul, commencing 10 a. m.  
Interment, Italian Cemetery.  
ROBERTS—In this city, August 28, 1945.  
Luana Roberts. A member of Producers  
and Aeronaudical Lodge No. 1327.  
Friday, August 31, 1945, at 8 a. m.  
from the Mortuary of Julius S. Godeau,  
Inc., 41 Van Ness ave. near Market  
set, thence to St. Mary's Cathedral.  
Van Ness and O'Farrell sts., where a

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**Jap-American Youths Released** 268  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 30.  
Studio Tour \$4.50  
Tour of Holly-  
and Griffith  
vatory... \$2.00

L. A. Times

**Japanese art tutor to return to UC**  
BERKELEY, Aug. 31. (UPI)—  
University of California's headquarters, 5351  
tutes. It will begin at the or-  
CIO. It will be one of the day's  
A caravan parade, sponsored by  
iday.

L. A. Daily News

**Jap Shed Blast**  
the boarding party with stiff, un-  
Officers of the big sub greeted  
STIFF, UNSMILING.  
and thrown her planes overboard.  
1-400 had jetisoned her torpedoes  
surrender flags when taken. The  
Both subs were flying black  
prize crew.  
when it was taken over by the  
twenty-one officers and 160 men  
The 1-100 carried a crew of  
range of 50,000 miles.  
power engines and has a cruising

S. F. Examiner

**2 Brothers Deny Anti-Nisei Plot** 268  
Special to The News  
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**Civic Unity** 268  
Sunlit  
Columbarium—Mausoleum  
Modern Crematory  
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customers in making their purchases.  
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annual convention of California  
delegation of 900 brokers at the  
lead the Southern California  
Western Ave., was chosen to  
C. W. Clegg of Florence and  
tors.  
and to employ experienced avia-  
have any a real estate business

L. A. Angeles Mesa News

**Bottle Hurlled Into Home Here** 268  
In the first reported display of antagonism toward San Pedro residents of Japanese ancestry, a milk bottle last night was hurled through the living room window of the 1639 S. Alma st. home of Henry K. Imanaka, veteran employe of the immigration service here.  
The justice department interpreter's wife and daughter, Irene, 19, were alone in the house, he said, when Mrs. Imanaka heard a car stop in front of the house. Busy in the rear part of the house, she did not look out but heard a crash as the car pulled away.

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Francisco. DAVID A. BARRY, Clerk.  
Approved, San Francisco, Aug. 30, 1945  
R. D. LAPHAM, Mayor.  
aug. 31-1t.  
**NOTICE OF FINAL PASSAGE**  
Bill No. 3589 Ordinance No. 339  
(Series of 1939)  
**ORDERING IMPROVEMENT OF PORTIONS OF 45th AVENUE BETWEEN PACHECO AND QUINTARA STREETS AND PORTIONS OF PACHECO STREET BETWEEN 45th AND 46th AVENUE AND EXTENDING CITY AID IN THE AMOUNT NECESSARY TO LEGALIZE AND EQUALIZE ASSESSMENT AND MAKING APPROPRIATION THEREFOR**  
Read Second Time and Finally Passed—  
Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, Aug. 27, 1945.  
Ayes: Supervisors Brown, Colman, Gallagher, Gartland, Green, MacPhee, Mahoney, McLaughlin, Miller, Moran, Nease, O'Brien, Quinn, Sweeney, Tamm, Thorne, Wainwright, Wilson, Wood, Young.

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**Professor Obata Reappointed to Old Post at U. C.** 268  
Chiura Obata, 59, Japanese-born landscape artist and former teacher at University of California, has been reappointed to his old post, the Board of Regents announced.  
Obata recently returned from the Topaz, Utah, Japanese relocation center.  
Commenting on his return, Obata said the regents action was "a realization of my faith in the University and the loyalty of my friends."