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July 22, 1942

Mr. J. D. Crawford
Director of Camp #2

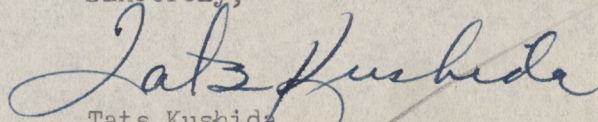
Can you send your two girls immediately to the Census Office in Camp #1, Block 16, Recreation Hall?

If there is still any resentment on the part of your Salinas people because the interviewing staff of our office is not to be replaced by them, can you give them this explanation:

1. They would have to be highly qualified to be selected.
2. We have no one to train them in interviewing procedure.
3. The technical nature of our work requires experience as well as training to obtain accurate complete results. A new staff would disrupt the uniformity of our work.
4. Their training (if possible) would last a week. The work they are trained for would last two to three weeks. It is hardly worth the effort considering the short span of employment.
5. By the delay caused in training, the project will be slowed up. Consequently, other projects whose policies must be based on census data will be delayed.
6. We are asking people from your camp to supplement our staff (2 guards, 4 messengers, 2 secretaries, 1 statistical assistant).

At least three days prior I shall let you know of our moving in order that you may have a recreation hall vacant and ready when we transfer our office to Camp #2.

Sincerely,


Tats Kushida
Manager, Census Office

*2 requisitions submitted
7/24/42*

A N N O U N C E M E N T

To All Residents of
Colorado River Relocation Center

At eight o'clock Saturday morning, July 1, your Block Manager or his delegate will visit you in your apartment for the purpose of taking the regular Quarterly Block Census.

It is requested that all residents remain in their apartments between 8:00 and 9:30 Saturday morning.

The only exceptions are persons on duty at the hospital and in the subsistence department, workers with special permission from their supervisors to report at the regular time, and persons designated to assist in taking the census.

All employees except those mentioned above are requested to remain in their apartments with their families during the census and to report for work at ten o'clock.

Duncan Mills

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Project Director

告知

定期人口調査のため七月一日(土)午前八時頃に
部落長或はその代理の人が皆さんのお宅を訪問
いたします。それ故、当日の午前八時から九時
半迄の間は自分のアパートにゐるやうにして下
さい。但し病院の当直者、食糧部就働者でそ
の監督より特別許可を受けた人及び調査のヘ
ルプをしてゐる人は例外であります。

以上を除いた全部の人はこの調査中は家族と
一緒に家にゐて下さるやうお願いいたします。
尚、この日の仕事は十時からであります。

転住所長

ダンカン・ミルス

STREET

SERVICE

COURT

AREA

A	B	C	D
4	5	5	3

Building 8

D	C	B	A
3	5	3	6

Building 7

A	B	C	D
4	4	2	4

Building 9

D	C	B	A
5	5	6	3

Building 6

A	B	C	D
4	4	4	6

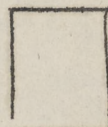
Building 10

D	C	B	A
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Building 55

A	B	C	D
	5	4	2

Building 11



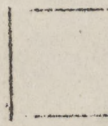
Men's Latrine

D	C	B	A
7	6	3	5

Building 4

A	B	C	D
5	2	4	5

Building 12



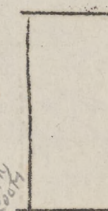
Women's Latrine

D	C	B	A
5	4	2	x

Building 3

A	B	C	D
	3	2 1	2

Building 13



Laundry

D	C	B	A
3	2	Reserved	3

Building 2

A	B	C	D
3	1 1 2 2	1	4

Building 14

D	C	B	A
	4	3	2

Building 1

Dining Hall			
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Recreation Hall			
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TYPICAL BLOCK PLAN

Pop. - 207

STREET

As of 11/15/43.

January 5, 1945

MEMO: 1. Information Division

Concerning the census, I would like to explain more fully as this is of basic importance in which to carry out the program of the Rehabilitation work.

1. To take census as soon as possible in order to make the future program and policies systematic.

2. To have the people write out their plans and ideas frankly and sincerely as I think their minds are concentrated when writing rather than having an individual or group discussions.

3. In my humble opinion the census will work out orderly and effectively and accomplish better results if it was undertaken by the Community Council or the Executive Board (voluntary action by the residents) instead of taking it as W.R.A. instruction.

4. On the subject of "where", "when", and "with what plan", I have made out the standard of classification. Please see the attached sheet.

2. Planning Commission

Concerning the planning division, I have for an example-- please see the attached sheet.

Mitsuo Fujisawa
Mitsuo Fujisawa
317-4-D
Poston, Arizona

GROUP I
Non-Relocators

1. People cannot relocate without substantial financial aid by the government or want back their pre-war living conditions prior to evacuation.
2. Relocation is risky for people with number of minor children.
3. People that are uncertain of their local sentiment on the Pacific Coast.
4. Family with working children have an income favor staying here.
5. People that have owned business or have owned farms who have sold out feel that their future is insecure and also hesitate to be hired.
6. Possibilities of obtaining work is hard for people of advanced age.
7. People having property on the Pacific Coast have their business agreements that they cannot go back for a period of time and do not wish to relocate elsewhere.

GROUP II
Relocators

1. Group understanding W.R.A. policies plan to resettle now and alleviate man-power shortage.
2. Group that think of the children's future and plan to stay in America.
3. Group who think that it is better to resettle before the end of war as men from armed forces and defense jobs would make employment opportunities scarce.
4. Group who think that Anti-Japanese feeling is not so strong east of the Rockies plan to resettle there and help the war effort.
5. Group willing to resettle with financial aid for one year living expense, costing the Government \$3000 for food, education, medical, clothing, and recreation per person a year.
6. Group that think life in the camps is going into a rut--prefer returning to normal living conditions.
7. Group that approve of settling in the Inter-Mountain States or willing to live where sentiment is satisfactory.
8. People with property that will return to their former homes as soon as the Government releases them if their local sentiment is satisfactory.

APRIL 15th CENSUS

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Instructions To Block Managers

The procedure for taking the April 15, 1945 census will be the same as that used for taking the December 31, 1944 census. In order to save paper extra census sheets left over from the December 31st census are being used for this census, and you are therefore to disregard the dates that are in the headings of the forms.

For your convenience there follows a brief description of the procedure to be used. Keep in mind the importance to your block of making a complete and accurate listing of everyone who is living in your block on April 15. Your rationing of foods and other services will be based on the population of your block as determined from this census. If any one is missed by you in this census then your block will not get all it is entitled to.

The procedure is very simple. We have listed on the census sheets the names, family numbers, and addresses of every one you reported as living in your block on December 31, 1944, with the exception, of course, of visitors. For those persons listed who are still living in the block on April 15 you merely have to place a check mark in the column at the extreme left of the sheet opposite the name of the person. If their address has changed within the block write in the new address to the right of the name. If a person listed has left your block indicate by a check mark how he has left. That is put a check mark in the appropriate column under the heading EVACUEE NO LONGER A BLOCK RESIDENT. Thus if the individual has moved to another block check the column headed MOVED FROM BLOCK, or if he has transferred to another relocation center place a check mark in the column headed TRANSFERED, etc. When you have finished checking you will have accounted for every person whose name is listed on your census sheets.

Now besides the names listed there will be individuals who have come to your block since December 31, 1944. They may have been out on short term or seasonal leave when you made the last census and have returned to the block, or they may have been out on indefinite leave and have been readmitted as residents to the center, or they may have moved to your block from another block, or transferred from another center. You are to add the names of ALL persons who are living in your block and are not listed on the sheets. You can indicate by a simple check mark how they come to your block. If the individual is a new baby born since December 31, 1944 put a check mark in the column headed BIRTH, or if he is merely visiting in your block place a check mark in the column headed VISITOR, etc. If any person was missed by you in the last census and if he is still living in your block enter his name too, for we want to have, when you are through, the name of every person living in your block on April 15th.

When you are through with the census, and have checked to make certain that you have not missed anyone, turn the folder of census sheets over to your block manager supervisor. Since the job has been simplified so much we hope you will be finished by April 17th, so that we can collect the folders of all blocks from the block manager on this date.

We will be very grateful for your cooperation and are convinced you will do a thorough and careful job. If there are any questions about taking the census will you please call Mr. O'Day in the Statistics Section (phone 136).

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INSTRUCTIONS FOR BLOCK CENSUS (FORM 539)

The Block Census of March 31st is to provide a listing of all persons residing or visiting in the center as of midnight March 31 and all persons from their households temporarily away from the center on short term or seasonal leave.

Inasmuch as sugar and some other commodities are apportioned on the basis of persons present, it is important that everyone present be included in this count. If you are not sure that a given person belongs in your block, include him and mark his name with a question mark. (The status of all such persons will be verified by the Statistics Section and any duplication will be corrected.)

At each apartment ask the head of the household to help you list the names of the persons in his household. List names and whereabouts as shown in the sample below. At each apartment, be sure to ask the following questions:

1. Does this list include everyone living in your apartment? (Include persons on duty at the hospital and persons assisting with the census.)
2. Are any of the members of your household in the hospital? (List name and hospital and mark "Patient".)
3. Are any of the members of your family living in another camp in order to be near their work or for any other reason? (List name and address in other camp.)
4. Is there anyone from another camp living with you to be near his work or for any other reason? (List name and address in other camp.)
5. Is there anyone visiting you? List name and mark "Visitor"
6. Are any of the members of your household away from the center temporarily? (On Short Term or Seasonal Leave) (List names and mark them "Out")

S A M P L E . . . Apartment 6 A

- 1) Koyama, Kanichi
- 2) " , Ineko
- 3) " , Bessie (Patient in Poston Hosp.)
- 4) " , Jane (Temp. resides at 2-2-A)
- 5) Hirata, Grace (Nurses Aide from 326-6-A)
- 6) Sasaki, William (Visitor)
- 7) " , Bessie ?
- 8) Koyama, Roy (Out)

INSTRUCTIONS FOR QUARTERLY BLOCK CENSUS

The Block Census of June 30, 1944 is to provide a listing of all persons residing or visiting in the center as of midnight June 30 and all persons from their households temporarily away from the center on short term or seasonal leave.

Inasmuch as sugar and some other commodities are apportioned on the basis of persons present, it is important that everyone present be included in the count. If you are not sure that a given person belongs in your block, please include him and mark his name with a question mark. (The status of all such persons will be verified by the Statistics Section and any duplication will be corrected.)

For each apartment, names should be listed as shown in the sample below with all surnames in CAPS. Please be sure to cover the following points:

1. Everyone living in the apartment should be listed, including persons who were requested to report for work at the usual hour and persons assisting with the census.
2. Include members of the household who are patients in the hospitals. (List name and hospital and mark "Patient")
3. Include members of the family living at another address in the center in order to be near their work or for any other reason. (List name and address)
4. Include persons from another address living with the family to be near their work or for any other reason. (List name and address)
5. Include visitors. (List name and mark "Visitor")
6. Include members of the household away from the center on short term or seasonal leave. (List name and mark them "Out")

SAMPLE.....Apartment 6 A Rafters 3

1)	KOYAMA, Kanichi
2)	Ineko FUJII (Mrs. Kanichi)
3)	Bessie (Patient in Poston I Hospital)
4)	Jane (Temp. resides at 2-2-A)
5)	KOYAMA, Roy (out)
6)	Setsuko OKI (Mrs. Roy)
7)	Roy Hiroshi
8)	HIRATA, Grace (Nurses Aide from 326-6-A)
9)	SASAKI, William (Visitor)
10)	Setsuko ?

Note: For every married woman, please show maiden name in CAPS and first name of husband, as in line 2 of sample.
Please indicate family groups (parents and their children) by the use of brackets as in sample.

Please refer questions to: Marjorie Collins, Statistician
Extension 169

COLORADO RIVER RELOCATION CENTER
Preston, Arizona

June 23, 1945

MEMO TO: All Block Managers

SUBJECT: June 30th Census

The procedure for taking the June 30, 1945 census will be the same as that used for taking the April 15, 1945 census.

For your convenience there follows a brief description of the procedure to be used. Keep in mind the importance to your block of making a complete and accurate listing of everyone who is living in your block on June 30. Your rationing of foods and other services will be based on the population of your block as determined from this census. If anyone is missed by you in this census then your block will not get all it is entitled to.

The procedure is very simple. We have listed on the census sheets the names, family numbers, and addresses of every one you reported as living in your block on April 15, 1945, with the exception, of course, of visitors. For those persons listed who are still living in the block on June 30 you merely have to place a check mark in the column at the extreme left of the sheet opposite the name of the person. If their address has changed within the block, write in the new address to the right of the name. If a person listed has left your block, indicate by a check mark how he has left. That is, put a check mark in the appropriate column under the heading EVACUEE NO LONGER A BLOCK RESIDENT. Thus if the individual has moved to another block, check the column headed MOVED TO ANOTHER BLOCK, or if he has transferred to another relocation center, place a check mark in the column headed TRANSFERRED, etc. When you have finished checking you will have accounted for every person whose name is listed on your census sheets.

Now besides the names listed, there will be individuals who have come to your block since April 15, 1945. They may have been out on short term when you made the last census and have returned to the block, or they may have been out on indefinite leave and have been re-admitted as residents to the center, or they may have moved to your block from another block, or transferred from another center. You are to add the names of ALL persons who are living in your block and are not listed on the sheets. You can indicate by a simple check mark how they came to your block. If the individual is a new baby born since April 15, 1945, put a check mark in the column headed "BIRTH", or, if he is merely visiting in your block, place a check mark in the column headed VISITOR, etc. If any person was missed by you in the last census, and if he is still living in your block, enter his name too, for we want to have, when you are through, the name of every person living in your block on June 30th.

When you are through with the census, and have checked to make certain that you have not missed anyone, turn the folder of census sheets over to your block manager supervisor. Since the job has been simplified so much we hope

June 23, 1945

you will be finished by July 2 so that we can collect the folders of all blocks from the block manager on this date.

We shall be very grateful for your cooperation and are sure you will do a thorough and careful job. If there are any questions about taking the census, will you please call Miss Gorham in the Statistics Section (phone 136).

Duncan Mills
Duncan Mills
Project Director