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Honorable John McCloy Assistant Secretary of War War Department Pentagon Building Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

It is with deep regret that we read in the news dispatches about your resignation from the War Department.

We believe all the Nisei who know how much your friendship and interest has meant to their future as American citizens in this country will miss a true friend.

We sincerely hope that the record that the Nisei soldiers have established in all branches of the Army will be a pleasant memory for you and also serve as a symbol of the Nisei's keeping faith with your confidence in them. We are sure that you will be one of those who will be most proud of the magnificent fighting record that the 442nd in particular has established.

We hope that your kind interest in the Japanese Americans will continue even though you may be out of official duties.

With sincere appreciation for all you have done for the Nisei, we remain

Sincerely yours,

JAPANESE AMERICAN CITIZENS LEAGUE

By (signed) SABURO KIDO

National President

(note: Original of this letter sent to Mr. McCloy 29 Nov 45)

