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Mr. Dillon S. Nyer  
Director, War Relocation Authority  
910 Seventeenth Street, N. W.  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Nyer:

Upon looking into the matter presented in your letter of 1 May 1945 in which you requested assistance from the War Department concerning the return of Japanese citizens to their homes in Alaska where such landings are not served regularly by common carriers, I am happy to inform you the military authorities in Alaska have expressed willingness to assist in this matter and where the military transportation facilities are inadequate, will further assist the traveler to obtain passage by other means.

In order to accomplish the movement of these special cases, it is suggested your representative at the Port of Subsistence get in touch with the Alaskan Department Liaison Office, located in the Proger Building, 1221 Second Avenue, Seattle, Washington, telephone Main 6100, extension 2151, local 212, where arrangements may be made for transportation from port of entry in Alaska to final destination.

SIGNED

HARRISON A. GERRARD  
Colonel, General Staff Corps  
Executive to Asst. Secretary of War

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