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75 Repatriates To Rohwer Center

The following news item is taken from "The Rohwer Outpost", publication for the Rohwer Relocation Center:

Approximately 75 Japanese repatriates have been transferred from Jerome relocation center to Rohwer, according to Project director Ray D. Johnston. The Center has been designated as the central point for all repatriates in Arkansas.

In a simultaneous announcement by the WRA, the following information was released: (1) United States interests are represented by the Swiss government; the Japanese, by Spain. (2) The exchange point is Lourence Marques, Portuguese East Africa. (3) The Portuguese government is responsible for insuring the transfer of the nationals. (4) The date and time of sailing the whole movement will be determined by the State department and communicated to the WRA in Washington, then to regional officials.

Each repatriate will be limited to 30 cubic feet of "hold" baggage and three suitcases, regardless of age, and \$300 in funds for those over the age of 21 and also the same for minors traveling alone. If the repatriate has a blocked account, it is possible for him to withdraw the permitted amount through a certification made by the Project director.

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