Valley Japanese Will Be Relocated At Tule Lake Center

The home "for the duration" of Japanese who were evacuated from this area last week will be the relocation center at Tule Lake, Cal., it was indicated in an announcement from Col. Karl Bendetsen, assistant chief of staff, civil affairs division of the western defense command and fourth army.

The Tule Lake center has already been set up, with the transfer from Portland and Puyallup assembly centers late in May of an advance contingent totaling approximately 500, the announcement stated. The center will accommodate approximately 10,000 persons, including those moved there directly from evacuated areas.

In the relocation centers the Japanese evacuees will be given an opportunity to carry on agricultural and industrial pursuits and thus do their share in furnishing food and other needed war products.

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