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Descriptive Summary
Title: Ruth W. Kingman Papers Related to the Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play,
Date (inclusive): 1941-1952
Collection number: 2010
Creator: Kingman, Ruth W.
Extent: 1 box (0.5 linear ft.)
Repository: University of California, Los Angeles. Library Special Collections.
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Abstract: Ruth W. Kingman was the Executive Secretary of the Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play. The collection consists of correspondence and other papers related to the activities of that organization and Ruth W. Kingman's involvement in it. Includes materials related to the Tanforan Assembly Center, the Central Utah WRA (War Relocation Authority) Center in Topaz, Utah, correspondence with Japanese evacuees and incidental papers on the naturalization of Japanese.
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Biography
Ruth W. Kingman was the Executive Secretary of the Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play.

Scope and Content
Collection consists of correspondence and other papers related to the activities of the Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play and Ruth W. Kingman's involvement in the organization. Includes materials related to the Tanforan Assembly Center and the Central Utah War Relocation Authority (WRA) Center in Topaz, Utah. Includes Kingman's correspondence with Japanese evacuees, including Chiura Obata on the Tanforan Center Art School, and American soldiers. Also includes incidental papers on the naturalization of Japanese.

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Kingman, Ruth W.--Archives.
Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play.
Japanese American Research Project (University of California, Los Angeles).
Women civic leaders--Archival resources.
Japanese Americans--Evacuation and relocation, 1942-1945--Archival resources.

Related Material

Kingman Papers 1941-1952
Physical Description: 7 folders

Box 154, Folder 4
Kingman correspondence re the Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play. May 1942-ca. January 1946
Physical Description: (78 items)

Box 154, Folder 5
Kingman correspondence with American soldiers on the treatment of Japanese Americans. August-December 1943
Physical Description: (19 letters)

Box 154, Folder 6
Kingman correspondence with Japanese evacuees. April 1942-March 1945
Physical Description: (47 letters)
Scope and Content Note
Mostly in 1942.
| Box 154, Folder 7 | Correspondence and documents re a Christmas program at the Central Utah WRA center, Topaz, Utah. December 1942  
Physical Description: (29 items) |
| Box 154, Folder 8 | Kingman correspondence with Chiura Obata on the Art School in the Tanforan Assembly Center and the Central Utah WRA Center, Topaz, Utah. May-November 1942  
Physical Description: (15 letters) |
| Box 154, Folder 9 | Documents and printed materials re the Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play. 1942-1945  
Physical Description: (19 items) |
| Box 154, Folder 9 | A brief historical report of the Pacific Coast Committee on American Principles and Fair Play. October 1, 1941-December 15, 1945  
Physical Description: (13pp. + appendix, mimeographed, 1 item) |
| Box 154, Folder 9 | News releases, reports, and circulars. October 1941-November 1945  
Physical Description: (11 items, mimeographed) |
| Box 154, Folder 9 | 3 undated reports and 1 notebook of Kingman memos.  
Physical Description: (Carbon copies, 4 items) |
| Box 154, Folder 9 | Other incidental papers.  
Physical Description: (3 items) |
| Box 154, Folder 10 | Incidental papers on the naturalization of Japanese. 1946-1952  
Physical Description: (16 items) |