

James Kado-Daily Notes
April-June, 1944

April 4. At 4:00 PM. I was pulled into Ad. Building and about 5:00 we were to go Cody Jail.

We had meal about 6:00. Roast beef with mash potato and butter & break and black coffee. About 9:30 we were call for hearing. All passed as not guilty, got through at 11:15. Went to bed. Bed was hard.

April 5. We got up at 8:00 AM. Had breakfast of black coffee, scramble eggs, with butter toast.
At 9:30AM we left for Thermopolis. We reached here about 12:00. The jail were clean but not ready for us. At 6:00 we had supper. Bean and spaghetti, coffee & bread. People here treat us nice. We bought hamburger and soda.

April 6. We clean our cell. Had eggs & potato, coffee with cream sugar at 5:30. We had supper eggs noodle, rice, mush, coffee & cream (unclear). Went to bed around 11.

April 7. We clean our cell. Had (unclear) mush, eggs scramble, coffee with cream, sugar. Sheriff visit us.
We had supper with pretty good meal.. Meat loaf-stew, potato, corn and cake. Coffee and cream.
Received package from he boys after going to Cheyenne.

April 8. We got up at 9:00. We had two eggs each. Cook(?) mush, cream, coffee. Sheriff brought us guitar. We had supper at 5:30. Cheese macaroni, mush potato, coffee, cream. I received package from home.

April 9 We had breakfast at 9:30. Scramble eggs with oatmeal. Coffee & cream, sugar. We talk over about us.

April 22. Visit Hot Spring.

May 11. Left Thermopolis on 12:00 PM (bus?) for court trial at Cheyenne. Reached 3:00 (unclear) pick up 24 boys. Reached Cheyenne at 8:AM and went to Court hearing at 10:00. All plead not guilty. 52 person slept in two cell which one cell should hold only 12 person but each had 26 person.

May 13. Our lawyer came from Denver.

May 14. Sunday. Church. Father Harris came over. Had good dinner.

May 15. At 10:00 AM we all went to Court and 11 more boys came and had hearing plead not guilty Our law (yer?) asked judge for consolidate trial with our party and it was ok'd. Lawyer and Judge set date for court on Jun 12. Lawyer discuss the things on that date. 14 boys went to Laramie Co. jail.

16. We had mush as usual and played card. 10 boys left for Worland Jail. We still had 30 person in jail here.

17. The first letter we send out today since we been here. Nine of boys try to Bond them self out with \$1,000 bail. Mako, Harry, Ray, Jimmy, Sammy, Shig and three Casper boys. We had blood test. We had mush in morn and three weenie and cabbage, potato.

18. Got up at 8:00 had mush and coffee. 4:00 PM had supper potato and meat loaf. Eight boys was going to leave for camp had notice from camp. I believe they are not leaving on Bonds.

20. Today is Sunday. Had mush and at 1 PM Father Harris came over to preach us. Had roast pork for supper.

27. Sunday. Had priest.

28. This week is last 2 weeks before trial. We are all excited and unrest(?). 3. Mr. Nozawa visit from camp.

June 4. Father Harris were here. Coming week is last week for trial.

5. Geo. Nozawa tomorrow musubi to Rest.

11th. Tomorrow is the day the day for trial. Hoping for the best. Many people from camp are here. We had lot of things brought from camp Musubi, cucumber tsukemono, and Tokyo zuke. Many candy and