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Gilbert Tanji photograph album 2015.006

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Summary Information

Repository:	Go For Broke National Education Center
Creator - cre:	Tanji, Gilbert, 1920-2010
Source - dnr:	Tanji, G. Dean
Title:	Gilbert Tanji photograph album
ID:	2015.006
Date [bulk]:	1940's
Physical Description:	540.4 Megabytes
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	This collection contains 79 photos from Gilbert Tanji's album which depicts Gilbert and his family's life in the American Concentration Camps and his time serving with the MIS in Washington DC.

Preferred Citation

[Item], [Collection], Go For Broke National Education Center, Los Angeles, California.

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Biographical / Historical

Gilbert Tanji was born June 17, 1920. He served in the Military Intelligence Service of the United States Army and was stationed in Washington, D.C. After the war, he returned to Cressey to his family farm. He was a founding member of the Cressey Volunteer Fire Dept. and an active election polling place volunteer. He passed away on December 28, 2010.

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Content Description

This collection contains 79 photos from Gilbert Tanji's album which depicts Gilbert and his family's life in the American Concentration Camps and his time serving with the MIS in Washington DC.

Specifically, the albums show aircraft at the Anacostia Airfield in Washington, DC and soldiers with whom Tanji worked and the Tanji family photographs including his children, wife and extended family. It also includes photographs of family in the American Concentration Camps and portraits of Japanese American soldiers. The album equally depicts Gilbert Tanji and Mary Tanji's early adult-life, including Mary Tanji's education as a nurse and or dietician.

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Conditions Governing Access

Not to be given to a third party.

Existence and Location of Originals

Digital surrogates can be found at: <http://ndajams.omeka.net/collections/show/1294>. Requests for high quality photographs should be made to the Archivist.

Processing Information

Processed by Erin Sato on 03/23/2015.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Camp Savage
- Japanese Americans
- Minnesota
- United States. War Department. Military Intelligence Service
- World War, 1939-1945
- World War, 1939-1945 -- Japanese Americans
- Tanji, G. Dean