THIS IS HOW THIS STORY STARTED.

WHY IT STARTED IS BECAUSE I FOUND IT ALL SO INTERESTING.



U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

WASHINGTON

ADDRESS THE SURGEON GENERAL
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
Travel Authorization No. 5941

February 27, 1942

Nurse Mary F. Clark, U. S. Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky.

Madam:

(Through the Medical Officer in Charge)

Official telegram of even date, addressed to the Medical Officer in Charge and reading as follows, is hereby confirmed:

"Direct Mary Clark proceed March second Ft. Missoula, Montana, report to Immigration Officer in Charge, Immigration Detention Camp for duty. No leave granted enroute. Issue transportation Govt. bill lading personal effects."

You are hereby relieved from duty at the Public Health Service Hospital, Lexington, Kentucky, and you are directed to proceed on March 2, 1942, when instructed by the Medical Officer in Charge, to Ft. Missoula, Montana, and report to the Immigration Officer in Charge of the Immigration Detention Camp, for duty.

Camp, for duty.

In carrying out the foregoing orders, you will be allowed actual and necessary transportation and \$ 6.00per diem in lieu of subsistence.

You are authorized to use a privately owned automobile for the travel directed and will be reimbursed therefor at the rate of three cents per mile, it having been administratively determined in advance that the allowance at that rate for all or any portion of the authorized travel will be more economical and advantageous to the Government than travel by common carrier.

You are also authorized to use a Government bill of lading for the transfer of your household goods and personal effects from Lexington, Ky. to Fort Missoula, Montana.

You are directed to advise this office promptly the dates of departure from Lexington, Kentucky, and arrival at Fort Missoula, Montana, which report should be forwarded through the Medical Officer in Charge, for endorsement regarding the value of allowances, if any, to be furnished in kind.

The travel directed is necessary in the public interest.

Respectfully

FSG

Surgeon General

The expenses incurred in carrying out the foregoing instructions were authorized by:

(Sed) Paul V. McNutt

Administrator, Federal Security Agency

March 16, 1942 Forwarded.

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Acting Supervisor of Alien Detentions Fort Missoula, Montana