Enduring the Turmoil of Tule Lake

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Stewart, Francis, Tule Lake Relocation Center, Newell, California. A view showing the artistic way in which the evacuees decorate the exterior of the barracks to make them more homelike. Department of the Interior, War Relocation Authority. 11/03/1942. NARA ID: 536360 - Courtesy of the National Archives

Renunciant rousted at Tule Lake jail. Courtesy of Densho and the National Archives (Photographer R. H. Ross)

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