on February 19, 1942 President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed Executive Order 9066, which resulted in the incarceration of 120,000 Japanese Americans – 2/3 of whom were American citizens. These internment camps along the West Coast of the United States stripped Americans of their dignity, and rendered them enemies of their own country. Some Japanese Americans, notably those interned at Tule Lake, fought back and resisted.

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