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Refugees on the move, fleeing from their homeland. Another unhappy chapter of a typical story of our troubled age. These came from Tibet, escaping the tyranny of the Red Chinese regime, from which the Dalai Lama had already fled. It is estimated that 12,000 of his people have trekked over the border into Northern India.

Temporary homes for some were found at Misamari, on the airstrip built by Americans during the war. Arrivals were checked in, some begging for news of relatives they'd lost sight of in the flight from Tibet. At the camp hospital all were medically examined, and treatment given to those needing it.

All praise to India, a poor and crowded country, for opening her borders to the refugees from stricken Tibet.