Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

SEATTLE BRANCH

COPY

TO: HEAD OFFICE

DATE November 12, 1942

SUBJECT: Evacuee Property Department

Enclosed, in duplicate is a copy of a letter from Sam Migita relative to the shipment of personal property.

We have informed the evacuee that his inquiry has been referred to the War Relocation Authority, San Francisco, for consideration.

Enclosure

(Unsigned)

Assistant Manager

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/15/42
(Date)

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Name: MIGNACCO BILLY
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1443 KEARNEY ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name: MIGNACCO (Surname) Billy (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1929

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: PERSONAL
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: DOUGLAS 2017

Principal property involved and scope of problem: WANTS AUTOMOBILE

Mr. Minacco wants to buy a late model 4 door sedan. Will pay cash for a bargain.

Action taken:*

He was told he would be notified if and when we came across such object.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco Sac. 111
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

~~April 1, 1942~~
(Date)

Name: MIGUGUCHI (Surname) MASANO AND YUKIO (Given)

Name: Miguguchi (Surname) (Print) Masano and Yukio (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: 1238 E Street
(Street and Number)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Sacramento (City) California (State)

Date of last entry into United States: Oct. 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: X
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 2-6196

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Have grocery store
Values everything at $1000.00
Wishes to know if he can sell; has listed with Broker to sell on 10% basis
He is satisfied even if the time comes to liquidate the stock to some other store.

Action taken:* Case closed

2 Interviewed
3 Represented

Handled by: [illegible]

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Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mihara Mr + Mrs F. K.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Hamilton
(Street and Number)

Montana
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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April 26, 1942.

Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Mihara,
Hamilton,
Montana.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated April 21, 1942 inquiring as to the disposition of your business properties.

You indicate your desire to dispose of your business, and no doubt have in mind endeavoring to do so through private negotiations, which it would seem would be the desirable procedure and, in fact, the only procedure open to you in the circumstances. There has been no moratorium established on indebtedness of Japanese, who are in the same position as any other individuals with respect to their business relationships.

We question whether it would be possible to make arrangements to voluntarily go to an internment camp as you suggest, which camps are established, as you know, for the internment of such persons as seems desirable in the interests of the government.

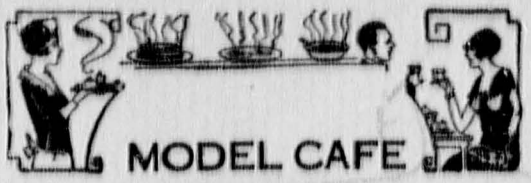
We are forwarding a copy of your letter to the War Relocation Authority for its information and further consideration.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Armstrong:avb

cc Mr. Milton Eisenhower,
Director, War Relocation Authority.



BEER

MODEL CAFE
F. K. MIHARA, PROP.
PHONE 179-W
HAMILTON, MONTANA U. S. A.

EAT MORE ICE CREAM

April 21, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Dear Sirs:

Could you please give me some advice and information about the disposal of my businesses? First, I should like to sell the cafe and bar. Second, if business continues as it has we shall not be able to keep up expenses and therefore we would like to go to an internment camp. If we cannot sell or lease the business could something be done about it so that we shall not have to keep up the expense? Please let us know what can be done under the circumstances.

Yours truly,
Mr. & Mrs. F. K. Mihara

Answered
Appd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required

H. M.

Filed to file
Ans 4/26
By

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

Apr 17 42
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Name: Miho Mazao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 621 Sutter St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Miho (Surname)
Mazao (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Subject

Address: _____

Telephone Number: Tillman 1378

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:* Closing Report

Refusal has been obtained from the telephone company

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

APRIL 8/42
(Date)

Name: MIHO MASAO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1771 SUTTER ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: JAPAN

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

Type of Business: JAP ART STORE
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: FILLMORE 1379

Principal property involved and scope of problem: TELEPHONE REFUND

Mr. Miho employed as a clerk for S. TAKAZAWA at 670 GRANT AVE. and who closed the business and store for his firm on Monday April 6/42, stated that he could not get $25.00 deposit money back from the Telephone Co. The Telephone Co. told him, at their business office, that they were acting under instructions from the U. S. Government. Mr. Armstrong contacted Mess. Conderson, Hebon and Walker of the Telephone Co. and they told him their Company was refunding the Japanese accounts in groups after the several accounts in these groups had been cleared at the Federal Reserve Bank.

Action taken:* Mr. Armstrong informed Mr. Miho that the check would be available whenever he called for same at Company's office

Handled by: Fred Mizady

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(6 persons inc. 1 interviewed)

MIHO (Surname)
MASAO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 3, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Miho (Surname) Shizue (Given) (Print)

Address: Box 312 (Street and Number)

Oridley, (City) California (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U.S.

Date of last entry into United States: Born here- lived here since

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: "

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Referring to previous report of June 12 in regard to outboard motor (Johnson) she wished to dispose of.

Action taken:*

Assisted her in completing a deal for the sale of this motor today. She received the amount she wished to get for same and was well satisfied.

Handled by: Harry E. Pahl
Field Representative- Chico

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*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) (1 person interviewed) (10 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 18, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miho (Surname) Shizue (Given)

Address: Box 312 (Street and Number)

Gridley (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview:x

Adult:x
Minor:
Male:
Female:x
Citizenship: U S

Date of last entry into United States: Born here - lived here since

Operating under Treasury License now: No

Type of Business: Farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:x

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to report of June 12th - bicycle and circulating heater.

Action taken:

Assisted her in disposing of bicycle for $15.00 and Sparks Circulating Heater to Mrs. Pierce, of Chico, for $35.00. Mrs. Miho was well pleased with these prices, which in my opinion were very fair.

Handled by: HARRY E PAHL
Field Representative - Chico

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(1 person interviewed) (10 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 17, 1942
Date

Name: Miho (Surname) Shizue (Given)

Address: Box 312 (Street and Number)

Gridley (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship US

Date of last entry into United States // Born here - lived here since

Operating under Treasury License now No

Type of Business: Farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person interviewed: Shizue Miho
M. Miho

Address Same as above

Telephone Number No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Referring to report of June 11th in regard to Oldsmobile (1940), 1937 V-8 Ford, and cooling system:

Action taken:

Helped her dispose of her 1940 Oldsmobile sedan to Bidwell Motor Co., Chico, for $750.00. Assisted here in selling the Watson cooling system for $100, and she disposed of her 1937 V-8 Ford to G. C. Gaudin, Salinas, Calif. for the sum of $300.00. She was well pleased with these prices as in some cases they were a little more than she really thought she would get. Suggested purchase of U S Defense Bonds with any surplus money that she might have. This will close the sale of everything on my report of June 11, 1942.

Handled by: HARRY E PAHL
Field Representative - Chico

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(2 persons interviewed) (10 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miho (Surname) Shizue (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 312
(Street and Number)

Gridley (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U S

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here - lived here since

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has an outboard motor (Johnson) that she wishes to sell. It is now in the possession of a friend at Lodi.

Also has a bedroom set to dispose of, cost $200, will take $100; refrigerator which cost $180, will take $75; Spark circulating heater, no price; bicycle $15.00, and Midget airplane and gas motor, $20.00.

Action taken:*

Told her that we would assist her in disposing of the above items and wrote a letter for her regarding the outboard motor.

Late this afternoon Mr. Shaltz went down to look at the refrigerator and on his return advised me that he had purchased same for $75.00.

Handled by: Harry E. Pahl
Field Representative - Chico
Director to file:

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(S-5055) (1 person interviewed) (10 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 11, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Miho (Surname) Shizue (Given)

Address: Box 312 (Street and Number)

Gridley (City) Calif. (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U S

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here - lived here since

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has the following to dispose of:

1940 Oldsmobile, hydromatic, with radio. Would like to get $900 for it.
1937 V-8 Ford - $300
Watson cooling system - $100

She wants assistance in arranging for some one to take over her place, and will probably have some furniture that she will wish to storewith the Federal Reserve Bank when evacuation comes.

Action taken:*

I wrote an ad for her to put in the Gridley and Chico papers and told her I would help her in disposing of the cars.

Referred the farm problem to Mr. Buckley.

Handled by: Harry E. Pahl
Field Representative - Chico

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(3-5055) (1 person interviewed) (10 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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MIKADO HOTEL

(Date)

Name: SERATA KANEYO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1734-36 POST ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE HOTELS

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MIKADO HOTEL

(Date)

Name: TATEYAMA KINZO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 18 S ELDORADO
(Street and Number)
STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: HOTELS

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MIKADO HOTEL

_____ (Date)

Name: TSUNOMORI NOBU
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: STOCKTON ASSEMBLY CENTER
(Street and Number)

STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: HOTELS

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mikado Jap. Art Goods
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 57 So. Second Street,
(Street and Number)

San Jose, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Okamoto, Yrio

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/3/1942
(Date)

Name: Mikado Restaurant
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 191 No Mt Vernon St
(Street and Number)

Lindsay Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult:
Minor: ✓
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: American

Name MIKADO RESTURANT
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business: Restaurant
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: T. Yamamoto

Address: 191 No Mt Vernon St

Telephone Number: 155

Principal property involved and scope of problem: disposition,
Value of equipment about 1500,
3 refrigerators, one of which cost 450.00 still due 125.00
Lease expired, operating monthly basis
one automobile, Family mother, 4 Boys, 2 girls
Father in custody.

Action taken:* Try to sell as whole. If unable contact local reliable appliance dealers to dispose of larger items. Advertise in local papers to contact private parties interested. Might have use for automobile, and can be sold later if necessary.

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative
Directed to file: _____
Visalia

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7 persons affected

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MIYAMI (Surname) Seichi Henry (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

FRESNO, CALIF (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Armstrong

June 10th, 1942
E-12-3, FAC,
Fresno, California.

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
JUN 10 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
JUN 10 1942

Dear Mr. Townes:

As I requested yesterday, I wonder if you could leave the following order for me in any grocery store in town, and hope I am not inconveniencing you in any way.

1 large box salted soda crackers
1 large box graham crackers
1 package dried prunes
1 package napkins
1 package dried dates
1 dozen bars Fels crystal white soap
1 large package Oxydol soap powder
1 small glass of pineapple-cheese spread.

Will you please have the store mail this COD. Thanks a million and hope I may be able to do you a favor someday. The "missus" sends her regards.

Sincerely yours,

Seichi Henry Mikami

Seichi Henry Mikami

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Dir'd to File
By [illegible]
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

This is sent to you just to show some of the errands they run for us.

RA

Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mikami Shigatoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2154 Lincoln Ave.
(Street and Number)

Alameda, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name MIKAMI (Surname) SHIGATOSHI (Given)

Supplementary Interview

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Richardsons

Address: Central Ave., Alameda

Telephone Number: La. 2-1522

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

T ried to call Mikami on phone, and was advised phone disconnected.

Phoned Richardsons - RealEstate Co. and they advised they have rented house at $35.00 per month and collect rent depositing same to Mikami's account in Central Building and Loan Assn. They charge $1.00 per month for this service.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Persons Interviewed (1) Concerned (1) Alameda.

...l Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...scal Agent of the United States

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIKAMI , SHIGATOSHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2154 Lincoln Ave.
(Street and Number)
Alameda, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male x
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name MIKAMI (Surname) SHIGATOSHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: -

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same
"
Address:

Telephone Number: ,

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Joint account with brother.

Home and land at above address, bought 1929 @ $2000. Now appraises same as $3500.

Land 50 x 120 - No encumbrances

Do not want to sell - Would like to rent.

Has bank account in the Central Building and Loan Assn.

Action taken:* Suggested 4 Real Estate Operators and Mr. Mikami has selected Mr. Richardson, Realtor, to handle his account. Realtors advise expects to rent @ $30/35 per month. When same is rented advised him to have funds deposited to his account in bank and have bank mail duplicate deposit receipt to his new address.

Handled by: [signature]

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Persons concerned (2)

Directed to file: Alameda

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Memo

_____ (Date)

Name: MiKASA (Surname) Noboru (Print) (Given)

Address: Yosemite Hotel (Street and Number)

Stockton (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mikawa (Surname) Misao (Print) (Given)

Address: Marysville Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Marysville (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: H. Mikawa (son)

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

6/26/42

Without giving me any details I was informed by Mr. H. Mikawa that suitable arrangements had been made. They seemed reluctant to give me details so I let the matter drop.

Interview # 159 Closed

Handled by: K.T. Gregg

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mikawa (Surname) Misao (Print) (Given)

Address: Marysville Assembly Center
(Street and Number)
Marysville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: H. Mikawa (son)

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Mikawa has a house in Penryn on the land of H. Uyeno, now in this camp. Mr. Uyeno is U. S. citizen and he bought land from Penryn Land Co. Mrs. Mikawa leased land for 50 years and then borrowed money from Mrs. Eugene Herron of Lincoln giving house and land lease as security. Value of house (two stories, boarding house and fish market below) about $5000 plus furniture. Amount of loan $2500. June 16, Mrs. Herron brought a paper giving her power of attorney which was too inclusive and Mrs. Mikawa did not care to sign it.

Action taken:*

Suggested that Mrs. Mikawa decide how much power she wishes to give and her son over the phone can tell an attorney and he will make the paper to suit the case. Mr. Mikawa will do some phoning and try to work along this line in securing someone to accept power of attorney to see about leasing house.

Later son advised all matters arranged

INTERVIEW # 159

1 interviewed
1 represented
2 Total

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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4/22/42
(Date)

Name: Miller Harriet Bernard, Carl
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 109 Mollie St
(Street and Number)

Daly City
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MILLER (Surname) BERNARD HARRIET (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: Ord 4604

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

The attached closed report was originally filed with the country cases whereas it belongs under the city caption

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/22/42
(Date)

Name: Miller Carl B.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 109 Malta St
(Street and Number)

LF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
Letter necessary. No telephone.

Handled by: [illegible]

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

APRIL 17, 1942.
(Date)

Name: MILLER (Bernard) HARRIET
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 109 MOLTKE
(Street and Number)

DALY CITY Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: AMERICAN

Name MILLER, HARRIET
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Harriet Miller

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Stove

Chesterfield.

Harriet Miller is married to Bernard Miller & He is a German National and has been unemployed as a longshorman. She paid about $70 during the last 11 months on a stove (Price = 159.50 = Wedgewood $ = 6.42 per no.) and still owes Bank of America about $120 (including interest and financing) on it and is afraid that they will reposess it when she falls down on payments. She thought we could do something as her husband is an "Enemy Alien"

Also, she bought a chesterfield along with clothes etc. from Federal Outfitting Co. She is not definate but thinks she has paid about $75 and still owes maybe $190 and is not up in payments

Action taken:*

Suggested that she try to make deal with creditor's but that this advice was purely personal and not given as an employee of the Bank as there didn't seem to be enough equity in the property involved nor was the problem one for the Evacuee Property Dept. of the F.R.B. Referred her to the Social ~~service~~ Security and Employment agencies of the "team"

Handled by Marvin O'Adams

Closed for no

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Persons interviewed 1

Persons affected 2

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miller, Carl B.
(Print)

Address: 109 Moeltke St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: German

Name: MILLER (Surname) CARL B. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1905

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mrs. Carl B. Miller

Address: as above

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miller owes a balance of $250 to the Federal Outfitting Co.; $48 to the Columbia Outfitting Co., and $150 to the Bank of America, 16th & Mission Sts. These are balances due on furniture and clothes.

Action taken:*

I advised Mrs. Miller to make whatever arrangement with these creditors was possible.

Handled by: Hendricks

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

EMPLOYMENT

3/25/42
(Date)

Name: MILLER (Surname) DAVID T. (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 3880 Rosecrans Ave. (Street and Number)
San Diego Calif (City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship American

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Lena Reeder

Address: 867-46th ave S.F.

Telephone Number: Bayview-4033

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Lena Reeder wishes to Register her Father.
David T Miller as applicant for Care of Property
30 year experience in Truck Gardening and
Berries. Will lease properties or possibly Purchase
If needed Notify Lena Reeder above address

Action taken:*

Advised would put on file

Handled by: Gray

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 Interviewed
2 Represented

Directed to file: Clerk ✓
SF.

Name MILLER (Surname) DAVID T. (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miller D. L.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Douglas Flats Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Miller D. L.
(Surname) (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Miller states that he has had many years experience on a farm. He would like to lease or purchase a farm in Alameda County.

Action taken:*

I referred Mr. Miller to Mr. Buckley, the FSA representative in our Hayward office.

Handled by: Henderson

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 involved
1 interviewed
1 contact

Directed to file: _____
Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miller Nurseries
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 904 Del Paso Blvd
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See; Nurseries
Camellia City Nurseries

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miller, Ralph E
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 9 Box 2825
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

August 24, 1942

Yellow copy
Filed:
Farm Security
Administration

Mr. Ralph E. Miller,
Route 9, Box 2625,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of August 21st making inquiry for farm property formerly operated by Japanese evacuees.

We have referred your letter to the Farm Security Administration whose headquarters are 30 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco. They are in a position to render advice on your problem.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Laurence I. Hewes
Regional Director
Farm Security Administration
30 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California

RWBorden/eln

August 24, 1942

Mr. Laurence I. Hewes,
Regional Director,
Farm Security Administration,
30 Van Ness Avenue,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

You will find enclosed an original letter from Mr. Ralph Miller making inquiry as to farm property, a copy of which we have retained for our files. There is also a copy of our reply to Mr. Miller.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures

RWBorden/eln

Sacramento, California
August 21, 1942

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o
p
y

Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco, California

Sirs:

Am wondering about a Jap evacuee ranch. Would like to lease one immediately adjacent to Sacramento, else a fruit ranch in lower Butte County or Sutter County, if could find one. Would like one with a fair house but would be willing to make a house liveable on my own expense if I had the right kind of a set-up on the place. Am honest, sober and reliable. Have some capital, enough to finance running of a place until crop is harvested. My place where I rent now has been sold so I have to move last of September. If there is one near Sacto, maybe it could be planted to alfalfa so as to make it pay. Hope to hear from you soon.

Yours,

RALPH E. MILLER
Route 9, Box 2825
Sacramento, California

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 30/42
(Date)

Name: MILLS A. L. MR.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 503 MONTGOMERY ST.
(Street and Number)
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓
Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MILLS A. L. MR. (Surname) (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Personal
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: EXBROOK 8175

Principal property involved and scope of problem: WANTS PHONOGRAPH

Mr. Mills stated he wanted to Buy a good phonograph or a radio with a phonograph attachment.

Action taken:*

Showed Mr. Mills our list of articles answering his wants and told him his request would be filed and he would be notified if anything came to our attention

Handled by: Inf Mundy

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

1 Person.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mills M. George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: KAKU, Kaichi

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mimami, William
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 73rd & Krause Sts.
(Street and Number)

Oakland, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries

Eastmont Nursery

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

October 21, 1942

Mr. George Minami,
30-4-C and D,
Central Utah War Relocation Project,
Topaz, Utah.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the letter from Mrs. Minami addressed to our former Tanforan representative, Mr. Weinstock, relative to money owed you.

We have contacted Mr. Maccario, who informs us that his bookkeeper now recognizes the validity of your claim. Mr. Maccario agreed to forward a payment on the account to you at once and at the same time advise you as to future payments. He was supplied with your new address in Utah.

We trust that this will satisfactorily dispose of the entire matter, making it unnecessary for you to take it up with the War Relocation Authority as suggested in Mrs. Minami's letter.

Yours very truly,

BORDEN:EM

Assistant Cashier.

30-4-C & D
W.P.A. Utah Project
Topaz, Utah

Dear Mr. Winestock:

This is just a line & enquire about that phone call you were to make for me & Maccaris Florist in Oakland.

I was waiting & hear from you the day before we left San Francisco but as you did not send for me, I concluded that you did not have any news for me.

Can you let me know what developed so far as that matter is concerned?

Awaiting your reply and hoping that all is

well with you. Thank you for your trouble in our affairs so far. I will take up the matter further with the W.C.A. upon your reply.

Sincerely
Masako Minami
(Mrs. George)

RECEIVED
OCT 21 1943
DEPT. PROPERTY ENCUBE

10/21
Answered

Answ. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Directed to File
By [signature]
Surname

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

9/22/42.

Minami, Geo ~~114-5~~.

30-4-C-D Central Utah Relocation

Re Maccario, Florist.

Oakland Piedmont 0613

a/c receivable 28.00 for flowers.

9/23 Phoned Mr Maccario who promised his bookkeeper (now away) will check the account when he returns and if bal. is correct will pay at once. Told him I would check with him in 1 week.

August 6, 1942

Mr. George J. Minami
114-5
WCCA Assembly Center
Tanforan
San Bruno, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your undated letter in which you refer to certain accounts due you from Mr. Charles Pauly, 9002 Castro Valley Boulevard, Castro Valley, California, and Maccario Florist, 4416 Piedmont Avenue, Oakland, California, both of which are past due and which you advise you have been unable to collect.

Inasmuch as this bank was charged with the responsibility of aiding in the settlement of property problems of evacuees, we have made a sincere effort to help in the solution of collection problems such as yours, although we have attempted to make it clear to evacuees as well as their debtors that this bank is not serving as a collection agency.

Under the circumstances where debtors admitted their liability we have sought to aid in the working out of a plan that would permit payment of the amount due within the paying capacity of the debtor.

We discussed the subject of your claim against Mr. Charles Pauly by telephone this afternoon. He stated in substance, that he had received no detailed statement from you of the amount of your claim, which you stated in your letter you had sent him several weeks ago. He also stated that he had an understanding with you that payment of the amount due you could be deferred until after July 1, 1942, that he had made no purchases from you, except for cash, since December 7, 1941, and during December, 1941 and January, 1942, had remitted sums as partial payment on the accumulated bill up to December 7, 1942.

He did not seem to have the exact amount due you at the time in mind but indicated it was approximately $45.00 as contrasted with $158.70 referred to in your letter to us.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MINAMI George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Nursery 21626 Hesperian Blvd.
(Street and Number)

Hayward
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE Nurseries

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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...al Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/2/42
(Date)

Name: Minami (Surname) (Print) Henry Dr. (Given)

Address: 2082 Center Street
(Street and Number)

Berkeley (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: American

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Dentist
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number: Thornwall 1871

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states: That he is closing his practice and has arranged for storage facilities for his laboratory and dental equipment, except such as he may be permitted to take in a hand case. Also, what furniture can be stored at the same location. Applicant wants to know whether dentist's services will be required and whether he will be permitted to practice under the laws of the state to which he may be eventually evacuated.

Action taken:* Advised applicant to carefully pack and mark crates or boxes in which he stores equipment, same advice applying to his furniture and household goods in case he would be permitted to send for them later. Also, that at this writing no information was available as to how or whether his services as a dentist will be required.

Handled by: Mason Case
Field Representative- Berkeley
Directed to file:
Thornwall 1389

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
5 persons involved

Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3/7/42
(Date)

Name: Minami (Surname) (Print) Henry Dr. (Given)

Address: 2082 Center Street (Street and Number)

Berkeley (City) California (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: American

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number: Thornwall 1871

Follow-up of reports 4/2/42

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

That he is following suggestion made by this office and is storing his dental equipment in private storage and is carefully marking items so that they might be procurable later.

Also, that he is disposing of his automobile in accordance with suggestion. He will maintain a checking account at the American Trust Company in Berkeley and will take with him in cash only a sufficient amount for present needs. It was suggested to applicant that inasmuch as he will keep safety deposit box at the American Trust Company in which he has among other papers a copy of his birth certificate that he take the photostatic copy, which he now has, and arrange with the Bank in case of necessity to forward his key to them so that original may be forwarded him if required.

Action taken:* Case apparently closed.

Handled by: Mason Case
Field Representative-Berkeley
Directed to file:
Thornwall 1389

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)
1 person interviewed
Persons involved-see former reports

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Minami Kazuo
(Print)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Gardena Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

October 9, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WILLIAM A. BORKEL
Colonel, F.A.
Assistant Chief of Staff
Civil Affairs Division
Wartime Civil Control Administration

SUBJECT: Sale of Japanese-owned vehicles to private individuals.

1. Reference is made to your memorandum dated October 6, 1942 on the subject of the release of the truck of Kiyoshi Hinami, license No. T-2255, for sale to a private individual as an exception to the policy that vehicles of evacuees submitted for requisitioning should not be released for private sale.

2. Our Los Angeles Branch informs us that the evacuee in question has decided to sell the vehicle to the Army, which transaction is now being functioned.

Assistant Cashier.

HDArmstrong:EM

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 18th 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MINAMOTO KIICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: WEED PATCH HIGHWAY
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name MINAMOTO (Surname) KIICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 22051

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
See Report same name 5-2-42

Sold - 1936 Chevrolet Sedan
$300.00 each
To
A. G. HARRIS
117 SANTA PAULA
LAMONT
Satisfied with deal

Action taken:*

Case closed

1 Person

Handled by: SS

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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(S-5055)

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 2nd 1942
(Date)

Name: MINAMOTO KIICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: WEED PATCH HIGHWAY
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 32054

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Minamoto learned that we had arranged sale of Oil and wine for Kawasaki. He has a hand of Sherry and wants to sell.

Action taken:*

will arrange with Sherry Liquor Store and Board of Equalization this morning, on the way to arrow

I will drive & carry Mr Flippin (Sherry's) and Mr Madden (B of E.) To Kawasaki sale

1 PERSON

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

MINAMOTO (Surname) Kiichi (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Date: April 22nd 1942
(Date)

Name: MINAMOTO KIICHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: WEEDPATCH HIGHWAY
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: NO

MINAMOTO (Surname)

KIICHI (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same
"

Address: _____

Telephone Number: 22051

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

172 acres Land=

Sold for $4200.00 cash

To LON V. Smith
542 So. LOCKAINE BLVD
LOS ANGELES.

Action taken:*

Except for cash he will keep
until evacuation has finished
his preparations

1 person

Handled by: VH

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Minamoto Kiichi
(Surname) (Prefix) (Given)
Chairman Board

Address: Buddhist Church
(Street and Number)

Bakersfield
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Churches

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to File:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Minamoto, Sadaich, (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1209 Inyo St (Street and Number)

Fresno, Calif. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

Directed to file: _____

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(S-5055)

May 28, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Borden
MAY 28 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Evans
MAY 27 1942

Mr. Sadaichi Minamoto,
Family Number 29223,
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to an interview conducted by our representative, Mr. Dunham, concerning certain undisposed problems of yours in the Los Angeles area.

We are advised by our Los Angeles office that your auditor, Mr. J. L. Wood, was in error in stating that a bill for $500 had been presented by Mr. Leroy Powers of our Foreign Funds Control Department. Mr. Wood has further recapitulated the payments made by you to Mr. Withers. Finally, Mr. Wood advises that he has suggested you appoint a new attorney to handle the guardianship property in view of the fact that your present counsel also represents the buyer, Mr. De Simone.

Mr. Wood's letter to us indicates that a copy was forwarded to you directly, as well as to Mr. Bernay. In view of the fact that Messrs. Wood and Bernay appear to be fully representing your interests and to have complete possession of the facts, we have no further jurisdiction of this problem. We do, however, require reports on Form TFER-1 (Revised) covering transactions consummated under Licenses Nos. S. F. 17319 and S. F. 22181 and we will write you a separate letter covering that subject.

If there is anything further which you require of us or if you feel that additional help may be necessary, please do not hesitate to so advise.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Evans

Assistant Cashier.

BORDEN: ECF
SCHESSLER:ci

OFFICIAL COPY FOR GENERAL FILE

LOS ANGELES BRANCH

TO: Head Office Date: May 22, 1942

SUBJECT: Evacuee Property Department

REFERENCE: Sadaichi Minamoto, 1209 Inyo Street, Fresno, California. Your letter May 18, 1942.

We communicated with Mr. Abbott C. Bernay, attorney, who has been handling Mr. Minamoto's affairs under an executive power of attorney, which he displayed to us as well as a copy of Application for Special License addressed to your office, together with a copy of his letter of May 4th, to obtain sufficient funds from blocked account to close escrow. On May 16th, your office advised him that the matter was being handled by the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.

With Mr. Bernay we conferred with Agent-in-Charge LeRoy Powers, Foreign Funds Control Investigation Department, to explore the matter of a bill for $500.00. Mr. Power's file revealed that on December 31, 1941 operating license No. 15816 was presented with adverse report to your office on January 16, 1942. License to Sell, No. 17319, was issued January 16, 1942 and property released to Minamoto on January 20, 1942. Mr. Powers knew of no reason for bill of $500.00 to Mr. Wood.

Upon further investigation, Mr. J. L. Wood, 406 Kress Building, Long Beach, was questioned and we have today received the following letter:

"Federal Reserve Bank
Evacuee Property Department
707 S. Spring Street
Los Angeles, California

Gentlemen: Attention: Mr. Sloan

Reference is made to our telephone conversation this morning regarding my letter of April 6, 1942 addressed to R. S. Minamoto, 1209 Inyo Street, Fresno, California.

"Mr. Powers has submitted a bill for $500.00, I cannot certify this as I do not know the services performed and must wait your OK on same."

Please be advised that instead of Mr. Powers I should have stated Mr. Withers. Mr. Powers has submitted no bill - and this error occured in my office.

"In this connection I wish to state that Mr. Minamoto has informed me that he has paid Mr. Withers the following amounts of money: He (Mr. Minamoto) gave Mr. Takekoshi $50.00 cash to give to Mr. Withers. He gave Mr. Withers $75.00 cash at Mr. Minamoto's home to go to San Francisco. He sent $100.00 to San Francisco and $100.00 to Sacramento at Mr. Withers' request. In other words he has paid $325.00 to Mr. Withers - none of which is for the guardianship account. These monies were supposedly to secure a liquor license for

Head Office May 22, 1942

Mr. Minamoto. Said license having been suspended by the State Board of Equalization under the alien act. Further he has paid Mr. Lorn Andrews $225.00 on the guardianship account.

When Mr. Minamoto was down last time I suggested that inasmuch as his affairs were in a mess that I believed the guardianship account should be moved to another attorney.

This is due to the fact that Mr. Andrews office is representing both Mr. DeSimone and Mr. Minamoto - and it appears that Mr. Minamoto is getting the worst of the deal.

With a copy of this letter to Mr. Minamoto I am again suggesting that he place the guardianship account in the hands of another attorney.

Respectfully,

J. L. WOOD

CC- A. C. Bernay
CC- R. S. Minamoto"

By way of explanation, Mr. Loren Andrews, Attorney, represented Mr. Minamoto in a guardianship matter. His office also represents the purchaser, C. W. DeSimone.

For your interest, Mr. Bernay has expressed the wish that his application of May 4th be given speedy disposition. It would now appear that although the application is granted, Mr. Bernay must dispose of unpaid claims against Mr. Minamoto for services rendered by Mr. Withers of Attorney Loren Andrews' office, in addition to settling dispute on liquor inventory.

FRED C. BOLD (signed)
Assistant Manager

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LOS ANGELES BRANCH

May 18, 1942

SADAICHI MINAMOTO, 1209 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

The above named Japanese moved to Fresno last February, having disposed of a market located at 4009 Imperial Highway, Lennox, California. This property was sold to one, Lee Simon, with the proceeds to be held in escrow by Haas Brothers until completion of the transfer was effected.

Evacuee has representatives in that area, namely, Abbott C. Bernay, 301 Pacific National Building, Los Angeles, Attorney, and J. L. Wood, 406 Kress Building, Long Beach, Auditor.

It appears that there is some difference between the buyer and Minamoto regarding possession of liquor in the event difficulty was met in the transfer of the license. The above named attorney has full power of attorney and by virtue of that fact, we would normally refer the evacuee to that agent.

However, it appears that some one unknown, representing himself as Mr. Powers, presumably of the F.B.I., has presented a bill for services amounting to $500.00 which Wood, the auditor, refused. While our information is not complete, it appears that this approach was made to the buyer, Simon, or his agent, about whom nothing is known other than that his name is Withers.

In view of what presumably appears to be a fraudulent attempt, and in addition a dispute over possession of the liquor, we would appreciate your contacting the interested parties and advising us of the facts involved.

Assistant Cashier

RWBORDEN:krf

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Family # 29223

May 13 1942
(Date)

Name: Minamoto Sadaichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1209 Inyo St
(Street and Number)
Fresno Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese Alien

Date of last entry into United States: January 1941

Operating under Treasury License now?: Yes

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Sadaichi Minamoto

Address: 1209 Inyo St Fresno

Telephone Number: none

Supplemental Report

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Later in day, a letter was shown us by Evacuee, wherein his auditor, J. L. Wood claimed Mr Powers (thought to be FBI) Hammon Bldg. 5th & Bdwy Los Angeles had submitted bill for $500 for services. On checking later, Mr. Wood stated to Evacuee that Powers stated he had never rendered any such bill. It seems from what we can gather from Evacuee that either De Simone, Buyer or Withers, Negotiator had said they had such a bill from Powers. All this is from statement given us by Evacuee. Wood prevented any payment of this amount but it certainly appeared somedone was trying to collect something they were not entitled to.

Action taken:

L S Dunham

Handled by: Fresno

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Family No 29223

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Minamoto Sadaichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1209 Inyo St.
(Street and Number)

Fresno Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese Alien

Date of last entry into United States: January 1941

Operating under Treasury License now?: Yes

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Sadaichi Minamoto

Address: 1209 Inyo Street

Telephone Number: No phone

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Evacuee moved to Fresno from Los Angeles, Feb. 20, 1942. He had been operating a retail market, handling grocery, meats, beer, wine and liquors on property owned by his son, Masaaki Minamoto, under Guardianship of L. Androws, address F. P. Fay Building, Los Angeles, property located 4009 Imperial Highway, Lennox, Cal. consisting of 1 store building & 2 houses.

Action taken:* Evacuee sold his business, under Special License on or about Jan. 5, 1942 to Lee Simon, who now has possession, terms to be merchandise at market price all money and papers to be placed in escrow with Haas Brothers, Los Angeles (Negotiations handled

Handled by: L.L. Dresslar
Fresno

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Minamoto, Sadaichi
1209 Inyo St. Family 29223
Fresno, Cal.

by Capt Wither, now in U.S. Army, who was sent to Evacuee by Secty of Nanka Merchants Union, Los Angeles, 1201 E. Olympic Boulevard) under agreement to transfer license and release by Government to sell. Evacuee's auditor is J. L. Wood, 406 Kress Bldg. Long Beach.

Terms of Sale of Business :-

All merchandise to be at market price including liquors with provision that liquor stock would be subject to buyer being able to secure transfer of liquor license from seller. Mdse. inventoried by Certified Grocers at following prices

Grocery $7000 - Various $780 - Liquor $1500 -

6 copies of Inventory now with Government, Buyer, and Escrow.

Grocery price satisfactory and part of money now in escrow. State Board of Equalization refused to transfer license but gave license to Buyer who now refuses to pay over $500 for liquors -

Evacuee will not sell for that figure but wants possession of liquor which he claims is worth wholesale around $1500. Buyer is refusing to give up possession of liquors according to Evacuee.

See Sheet 3

Sheet #3

Minamoto, Sadaichi
1209 Inyo St
Fresno, Cal

May 13, 1942
Family # 29223

Evacuee claims son leased property to Buyer of business on terms of $200 per mo if beers, wines & liquors cannot be handled; or $225.00 if wine & beer OK but not liquors; & $250.00 per mo. if liquors can be sold.

Buyer paying only $200 per mo. although he has license to sell liquors.

Evacuee is trying to straighten out affairs through his attorney to whom he recently gave Power of Attorney and in whom he has confidence. His attorney is Abbott C. Bernay - 301 Pacific National Bldg. Los Angeles.

Evacuee requesting our assistance in either getting $1000 for the liquor or getting back possession of inventoried stock of liquor.

Fresno Control Center
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

August 13, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Minamoto Toshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 603 Madison Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland, California
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Status)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

(Citizen)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Closed - Nelle subsequently advised had effected sale $1750.00 net for Minamoto equity.

Action taken:*

Handled by: RWBorden

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X

Closed - Nelle

Subsequently advised
had effected sale $1750 net
for Minamoto Equity

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 9, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto Toshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Miyamoto (Surname)
Toshi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Clifford Nelle, atty.

Address: Oakland, Calif

Telephone Number: GL. 3936

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Clifford Nelle holding power of attorney for Miyamoto. has sold the Toledo scale and the Neon sign to Louis Stores, Inc., and the National cash register and store cabinet to Baratti, who own the store building

Action taken:*

Handled by: Hendricks

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Refer to Report of 4/23/42

May 22, 1942
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Minamoto Toshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 603 Madison St.
(Street and Number)

Oak
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Minamoto (Surname) Toshi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Clifford Nelle, attorney for Minamoto states that Garatti, owner of the store, has paid $1750 for the equipment and fixtures

Case closed. L L H.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Hendricks

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Minamoto (Surname) Toshi (Print) (Given)

Address: 603 Madison Street (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: X
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: Tw 0932

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Minamoto operates the Eastmont Food Mart, 7319 Foothill Blvd. He values his fixtures at $8000 and wishes to dispose of them. The property is owned by Frank Garatti, Box 115, Pleasanton, and Minamoto's lease expires in October, 1945, and calls for a rental of $145 a month. A portion of the store equipment is clear of encumbrance and the following articles are encumbered as noted:

Toledo scale $134.00 Cost $228.00
The Pitchers, 304 - 12th Street, Hi 3663

National Cash Register $240.00 Cost $365.00
National Cash Register Co., 328 - 12th Street, Hi 6020

Store cabinet $400.00 Cost $691.00
California Body and Cabinet Co., 180 - 12th Avenue, San Francisco, Un 0900

Neon sign $154.00 Cost $400.00
Electrical Products Corp., 950 - 30th St., Hu 9300

Action taken:* I telephoned Garatti and he stated that he had offered Minamoto $3000 for the fixtures after having had them appraised. Minamoto refused this offer and has taken the matter up with his attorney, Clifford Nelle.

Handled by: Hendricks

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2 interviewed
2 contacts

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Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

4/17/42
(Date)

Telephone Interview: ✓

Name: Minamoto Trading Co
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 463 Bush St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Minamoto Trading Co
(Surname) (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: G V Vegeman Jr (Russian)

Address: 463 Bush St

Telephone Number: Exbar 0664

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:* Closing report

Business assets sold to the above informants father S. Kasai resides at 296 Manitou St, Manitou, Colorado

Handled by: F Williams

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 12/42
(Date)

Name: MINAMOTO TRADING Co
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 463 BUSH ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MINAMOTO TRADING CO.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: APRIL 22/1937

Operating under Treasury License now?: ~~YES~~ 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: S. KASAI

Address: 463 BUSH ST.

Telephone Number: DOUGLAS 0644

RESIDENCE 1719 SCOTT ST

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

STORE (WHOLESALE) ORIENTAL ART GOODS, NOVELTIES, ETC.

WANTS TO LIQUIDATE TO BEST ADVANTAGE.

PHONE DOUGLAS 0644

MINAMOTO TRADING CO.
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALERS
ORIENTAL ART, DRY GOODS AND NOVELTIES

S. KASAI

463 BUSH STREET
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF

246 - Manitou St
Manila
J.C. G.V. Go Vigenson

Action taken:*

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FRED MIRSKY

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: YUKI MINAMOTO YUKI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(SEXTRADE)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

(GEN)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nursery

SEE: UMEKI NURSERY

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: Minamoto Yuki
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O Box 145
(Street and Number)

Del Rey, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: US

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

To be evacuated to Tanforan 7/9/42
Wanted to know if we could pick up her furniture for storage at that time. Voluntary evacuee from Oakland where most of her furniture is now stored with friends.

Action taken:* Told her we not able to store her furniture before time of involuntary evacuation. She decided it wise for her to send it back to Oakland so all her furniture would be together.

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5 in family

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(S-5055) 1716 - 11th St., Reedley, Ca

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MINARDI (Surname) Mr. T. A. (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

San Jose, CALIF. (City) (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mineta, Helen, Etsu and Aye
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 545 North Fifth St.,
(Street and Number)

San Jose, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: Jap-American

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Refers to report of April 1, 1942.

5/29/42 Mr. Mineta says house is now rented.

Action taken:*

Handled by: San Jose

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Name Mineta, Helen, Etsu, and Aye
(Surname) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: MINETA, Helen, Etsu and Aya
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: 545 North Fifth Street
(Street and Number)

San Jose California
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: Japanese-American

Name MINETA Helen, Etsu and Aya
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: all three born here and always been here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Helen

Address: Same

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Home: Good house furnished.

They have rented to Miss Lucie Lawson. They wish to report that a power of attorney has been given to J. B. Peckham, attorney at law, Grant Building, San Jose.

Action taken:*

Deal seems to be in order

5/29/42
Mr. Mineta says house is now rented

Handled by: San Jose

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(S-5055) 1 interviewed 5 dependents

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Minato, M. B.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Moss Landing, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See. Ninomiya, Jack

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 18, 1942
(Date)

Name: Minney M. T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 250 Grand Avenue
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: Te 6085

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Minney, a real estate broker, wished to manage farm land.

Action taken:*

I referred Mr. Minney to our Hayward, Richmond, and Pittsburg office.

Case closed. L L H

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(S-5055) 1 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacte

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Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Minemeya Nursery
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rte. 17 San Pablo
(Street and Number)

San Pablo Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Nurseries

Minomeya Hayward Mrs

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Minson, A
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 362 60th St.
(Street and Number)

Oakland, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Moriguchi, A. Wm.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MINSON (Surname) A. Wm. (Print) (Given)

Address: 362 - 60th St (Street and Number)

OAKLAND (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given) (Citizenship)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Moriguchi, Masa

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Minto Motor Company
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 111 California Drive
(Street and Number)
Burlingame Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

(Date)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Yamaguchi, Sakae

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mintz W. He.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1419 Bdwy
(Street and Number)

OAKLAND
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Circa

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Ohara, Titsus Terry

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/23/42
(Date)

Name: Mirikitani Ted
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 228 N. Anderson
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.
Japanese

Name MIRIKITANI (Surname) TED (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: No re-entry

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 2-4851

See report 4/20

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Brings in agreement of sale of the 1937 Chev. Panel Delivery Wagon to J. Molina, a mutual friend of Subject and a person who purchased store, amount $265 payable April 20, 1943 at 6% interest.

Werbal agreement between Subject and purchaser in case car is not paid for at that time, purchaser will repair car in good condition

Action taken:*

Close file

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L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

~~Lodi Case~~

4/20/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: MIRIKITANI TED YOSHIMASA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 31 West Market
(Street and Number)

Stockton California
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓ (29)
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S. Japanese.

Resides at 228 West Anderson after 4/20.

Date of last entry into United States: No re-entry

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: Yes -

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same -

Address:

Telephone Number: 2-4851

Name of Store: Ted's Cash grocery. xR

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Owns 1937 Chevrolet Sedan Delv - all Clear -
Sold his grocery to Jesus Molina (or & his Mother)
as of 4/14/42. Deal satisfactory in every way.
Has sent agreement & Consigns the Chevrolet to Jesus Molina.

Action taken:*
Will mail Copy of agreement Covering Car to this Office
Close file -

Handled by: Stockton

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:

Name MIRIKITANI (Surname) TED YOSHIMASA (Given)

Correct

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April, 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIROMOTO George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Fresno California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Name MIROMOTO (Surname) George (Given) (Print)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Letter from D. M. Dunton, Field Representative, 2140 Inyo Street, Fresno, California, quoted below:

"This is in answer to your letter of April 27th regarding my report covering the case of George Miromoto dated April 24, 1942.

It appears that my meaning under "Action Taken" was misunderstood by your office and it is possible that my comment was brief.

My approval was intended to cover only the form of the documents as compared with others used for like purposes. I have no intention of expressing any specific approval of the terms embodied in such documents.

I shall make my comments more specific in the future."

Action taken:*

Handled by: Mail

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Directed to File: Fresno

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Boroe

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Fresno, California
April 28, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
Evacuee Property Department
500 California St.
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Everson:

This is in answer to your letter of April 27th. regarding my report covering the case of George Mirimoto dated April 24, 1942.

It appears that my meaning under "action taken" was misunderstood by your office and it is possible that my comment was brief.

My approval was intended to cover only the form of the documents as compared with others used for like purposes. I have no intention of expressing any specific approval of the terms embodied in such documents.

I shall make my comments more specific in the future.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton

D. M. Dunton
Field Representative
2146 Inyo Street
Fresno, California.

_____ Answered
_____ Ansd. by Routine Advice
_____ No Answer Required

Directed to File
By _____
Surname

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FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED
STATES
SAVINGS
BONDS
AND STAMPS

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Blank

MARCH 26/42
(Date)

Name: MIROYAN MIHRAN ARAM
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 2245 ORTEGA ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A

MIROYAN (Surname)
MIHRAN ARAM (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: FARM OPERATOR
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: SEABRIGHT 3902

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Miroyan is an all round farm expert and is familia with conditions around Fresno and other parts of California. Also knows all about Floriculture. Can furnish references Wishes to operate farm on salary basis.

Action taken:*

Informed Mr. Miroyan his wants would be brought to the attention of the proper heads.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: ~~Unit~~

(1 person only)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miryasoki (Surname) Masonobu (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 867
(Street and Number)

Salinas (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: x

Name Miryasoki (Surname) Masonobu (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: born in United States

Operating under Treasury License now?: None

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Tora Matsuoka

Address: 139 Elm Street, Watsonville, Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Residence located in East Market Street Salinas

Value of House and Lot $ 5600.00

Owes contractor balance he insists on payment 1300.00

Action taken:*

Have suggested Monterey County Bank at Salinas be given Power of Attorney as they will loan the $1300.00 to satisfy contractor.

1945 MAY 5 PM 10 16

Handled by: Watsonville

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Interview 1 Family 3

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Mishima, Kisoda
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 320 O Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

LAUNDRIES:
See: Kanda, Hatsuko

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: Misokami T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Camp Joseph T. Robinson
(Street and Number)

(City) Arkansas (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Salinas letter of June 29th.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Salinas

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CAMP JOSEPH T. ROBINSON
ARKANSAS

June 25, 1942

J. Fran Loben Sels.
125 Monterey st.
Salenas California

Dear Mr. van Loben Sels.

Received your letter and would like to thank you for going through so much trouble.

I also received on this same day a letter from the Bank of America in Monterey requesting that I sign a power of attorney over to them under terms like as those that you mentioned. As it seems that the decision was up to me I signed and returned the same.

I am glad to hear that my family is in good health and satisfied and I am sure that they are being treated as well as the situation can afford.

Thanks again and I remain

Sincerely yours
Pvt. Mizokami

Hq. Det. Sta. Comp.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 25th 1942
(Date)

Name: MISONO (Surname) MAY + Nobu (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Box 265 - 1007 GLENWOOD St
(Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MISONO (Surname) MAY (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 7591

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Report same name 3-29-42 ~~[illegible]~~ ~~Delano~~
NOBU MISONO (BROTHER)
Sold Chev 6 - 1941 - PICKUP
ENG. # AD 935138 -
To H. L. NIELSEN - 1806 Tulare St. Bakersfield
$100.00 cash
$527.00 - 4/27/42

Satisfactory to both parties

Action taken:*

See also: JACL, Delano

mother
2 BROTHERS } 8 persons
4 SISTERS

Handled by: [illegible]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MISSION HOTEL

(Date)

Name: SAKAMOTO (Surname) (Print) TSUNEICHI (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 314 1/2 K. ST (Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given) Name

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotel

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MISUMI H. T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 223 CALIFORNIA STREET
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

MISUMI (Surname)
H. T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to File:

May 14, 1942

Mr. H. T. Misumi,
Assembly Center,
Barrack 16, Unit 11, Avenue 6,
Santa Anita, California.

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to your second letter of April 30th, we have had some trouble locating the proper branch and department of the American Trust Company to which you refer.

They inform us that they are applying the proceeds from the sale of your automobile against a personal loan made to you. They further state that they are not pressing at all for payment of the two F. H. A. loans against the Cameramart at this time. It is their understanding that Nakelee's Drug Store is liquidating certain of your equipment and that the proceeds from this sale will be applied as a credit against these loans.

The American Trust Company expressed confidence in you and in the ultimate payment of these contracts. In view of the fact that the loans now outstanding are unsecured and that mutually satisfactory arrangements have been made for their settlement, we are unable to discover any hardship. On the contrary, it is our impression that the bank in question has been very considerate and will cooperate further if it becomes necessary.

We therefore advise you that unless any new developments of an untoward nature arise, we feel that the Federal Reserve Bank has no further jurisdiction in your problem.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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4 loans

Wakelee's Drug Store

1	Personal	$544.86	$235.90
2	Auto	(sold for loan)	
3	F.H.A.		
4	"		

will credit his acct under liquidation

$459.92 $332.12

$229.96 $172.45

can send his

Title I Ann Trust
R.E. Loan Co. 741
Glenn Frieberg

April 30, 1942

TRANSFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
MAY - 1 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
of San Francisco

Do you recall this?

Attn. Mr. Evanson

Gentlemen:

We have already contacted the bank, American Trust Co, on this matter of the F.H.A. loan and they have informed us that they cannot do anything.

The loans are

1 — 460.08 interest included; balance to be ad. 319.50

2 — 230.04 " " " " " 166.14

Yours truly

H.G. Williams

5/14

_____ Answered

_____ Ansd. by Routine Advice

_____ No Answer Required

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By [illegible]
Surname

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April 27, 1942

Mr. H. T. Misumi,
Assembly Center,
Barrack 16, Unit 11, Avenue 6,
Santa Anita, California.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your postal card of April 23, we would suggest that if you have not already done so, you contact the bank through whom you made the F.H.A. loan in question.

We would also be pleased to have you advise us as to this bank, and we will pursue the matter further with them ourselves and see if anything can be done as to adjustment until such time as your earning power has been established.

Any details that you care to give us in connection with the amount of this loan, when it was issued, and the size of the payments, will be helpful.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Gordon:JM

Federal Reserve Bank

Gentlemen —

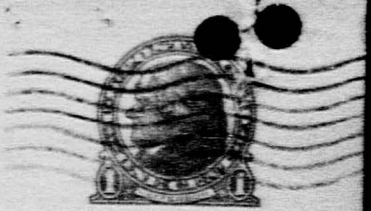
We made some improvements on the store California St. Camera Mart 223 Calif. St. through the loan advanced by Federal Housing Adm. Since that store is no more and as we are at the evacuation camp, we wish your opinion concerning the monthly payment on the above loan, for at the present we have no means of income.

Yours truly

H. T. Misumi

[illegible] 4/27/[illegible]

Assembly Center
Santa Anita, Calif
Barracks 16, unit 11, room 6



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, Calif.

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Alien Property Custodian Division

April 25, 1942

Mr. M. T. Misumi,
223 California Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

You recently called at this office for assistance in connection with your property problems relating to the evacuation program, but we are not informed as to whether you have been able to make satisfactory arrangements in this regard.

As we desire to learn whether our further assistance is needed, it will be appreciated if you will advise us as to the present status of your problem.

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

R W Borden
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Letter sent 4/25/42

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/27/42
(Date)

Name: Misumi, H.T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 223 California St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Yukon 0582

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See correspondence

Action taken:*

Typed letter. Telephone out.

Handled by: E. Williams

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3-31-42
(Date)

Name: Misumi H. T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 223 California St.
(Street and Number)
San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Misumi (Surname) H.T. (Given)

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Date of last entry into United States: Years ago

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: above

Address:

Telephone Number: Yukon 0582

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Misumi operates the California Depot Camera Mart, has arranged to dispose of his cameras, but has two large enlarging machines, which he wants to keep & which would be classed as contraband.

Wants to make arrangements to store this equipment.

Action taken:* Told him to dismantle the equipment, pack the essential parts, such as lense etc + bring to be stored with other contraband

Handled by: [illegible]

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(8-5055) To Interviewer / Representative

...eral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...scal Agent of the United States

MARCH 27/42
(Date)

Name: MISUMI T. H.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 223 CALIFORNIA ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: JAPAN

Name: Misumi (Surname) T. H. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: YES

Type of Business: CAMERAS Person Interviewed: SAME
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓ Address: SAME
Corporation:
Individual: Telephone Number: YUKON 0582

Principal property involved and scope of problem: LEASE OF STORE & NOTES PAYABLE.

SUPPLEMENTERY.

Mr. Misumi called again in reference to terminating his lease at 223 California St. and brought his loan books with him. Four various amounts totaled $1238. Two were F.H.A. and one on Auto and one personal and all handled through American Trust Co. #1 Grant Ave. Also brought his memo of Life Policy with New York Life Ins Co. Mr. Misumi also told me he borrowed the money ($600) from F.H.A. to improve the store which he is leaving. Attention of Mr. Ballard of Bd. of Trade on this.

1 Lease
2 FHA
3 Auto
4 FHA
5 Life Ins
6 Personal

Action taken:* This office called up the various branch offices in connection with the above matters and asked them to take immediate action toward suspending or holding in abeyance these notes. Mr. Ballard will be contacted regarding the lease and quick action will be asked.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

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(4 persons including interviewer)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 27/42
(Date)

Name: MISUMI T. H
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 223 CALIFORNIA ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: JAPAN

Name (Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: YES

Type of Business: CAMERAS
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: YUKON 0582

Given

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Supplemental report

Mr. Misumi reported back that he had interviewed his landlords, "The Board of Trade". They were rather undecided as to their stand because they are holding the building in which the store is located in Trusteeship. Mr. Misumi asked for help in closing his store, temporarily as he hoped.

Action taken:* We contacted Bd. of Trade (Mr. Ballard) and he explained several items relating to service charges which had arrived unforseen after Dec. 7/42. However they said they would get in touch with us later.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

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(4 persons) inc. 1 interpreter

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 24/42
(Date)

Name: MISUMI T. H. & WIFE
(Print)

Address: 223 CALIFORNIA ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: JAPAN

Date of last entry into United States: 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: YES

Type of Business: CAMERAS
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: YUKON 0582

Principal property involved and scope of problem: LEASE STORE & NOTES PAYABLE

1 Mr. Misumi asked about lease on his Camera store which runs tills 1944 at $75 per month. Board of Trade is lessor. Mr. Misumi has been here since 1898. His wife and two sons have been here since 1919. Has two small loans with the American Trust Co. Wanted to know if

2 he could store his stock with a friend (not Japanese).

Action taken:* Advised Mr. Misuma to see Landlord regarding cancelling unexpired lease and other creditors regarding Notes. Advised him about rights to store goods with friend if creditors approved.

Handled by: Fral Mirsky

* Attach additional pages where necessary

(4 PERSONS) including 2 interviewed

Name: MISUMI (Surname) T.H. & WIFE (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MISUMI HARRY TOKUYEI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 429 SPRUCE ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MISUMI (Surname) HARRY TOKUYEI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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April 25, 1942

Mr. Harry T. Misami,
429 Spruce Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

You recently called at this office for assistance in connection with your property problems relating to the evacuation program, but we are not informed as to whether you have been able to make satisfactory arrangements in this regard.

As we desire to learn whether our further assistance is needed, it will be appreciated if you will advise us as to the present status of your problem.

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

R. W. Borden
CC

Letter sent 4/25/42

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/17/42
(Date)

Name: Misami Harry T
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 429 Spruce St
(Street and Number)

S.F. Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MISAMI (Surname) HARRY T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Bayview 1254
Disconnected

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Telephone disconnected.
Note letter.

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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4/2/42
(Date)

Name: MISUMI HARRY TOKUYEI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 429 Spruce St.
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Misumi (Surname)
Harry Tokuyei (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: May 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Bayview 1254

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Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1-B Has lease on home. Owner Elsie Adachi American
5-A Born Japanese now in Japan.
Elsie Adachi gave mortgage on Home & R.E.
Sattui (American Born Italian)
The furniture of Misumi together with lease.
turned over to R E Sattui for Subleasing during
evacuation
Has 1938 Packard Sedan Auto Cost 1050.00
mortgage to American Trust Bank main Office on Calif St
amount 300.00. Has Photo furnishing equipment Stored
at 223 Calif St in Basement with Keys turned over to Atty Guy Calder
22 Battery St S.F.

Action taken:*
Says will try and arrange to sell Automobile

Handled by: Gray

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(S-5055) / Interviewed
4 Representatives

1 - 1701 Van Ness Ave SF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mita, K. S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 518 Jay Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Hotels
Taft

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Mitamura Hisayo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 734 Vallejo St.
(Street and Number)

S. F
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Vallejo Street Cleaners

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

Directed to File: _____

Mitani, Kaoru,
Rt 1 - Bx 54
Newcastle, Calif

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Bodine

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

September 14, 1942

Mr. K. Mitani,
c/o Mr. Tom M. Yego,
Legal Aid Department,
Tule Lake War Relocation Project,
Newell, California.

Dear Sir:

We have received a communication from Mr. Yego dated September 8, 1942 written on your behalf regarding the $100 note signed by Mr. Joe A. Marshall of Newcastle, California, and advising that payment of the obligation has not yet been received by you.

We have been in contact with Mr. Marshall, who informed us of his willingness to pay the indebtedness subject, however, to obtaining the return of a saddle which, we understand, was transferred by you into the custody of an agent who appears to be reluctant to return the saddle to Mr. Marshall in the absence of written direction from you to do so.

We are returning the $100 note in question which bears the date of April 3, 1942.

In view of Mr. Marshall's apparent willingness to pay the obligation upon condition that the saddle be returned, it is our suggestion that you forward the note to your agent, who is holding the saddle, with appropriate directions to deliver the saddle to Mr. Marshall and surrender the enclosed note to him upon payment of this sum. Your representative may in turn remit to you.

Kindly acknowledge the receipt of the enclosed promissory note, signing and returning the accompanying copy of this letter. A self-addressed envelope is enclosed for your convenience and

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Tom M. Yego

Receipt of the promissory note above-described is hereby acknowledged this 16th day of September 1942.

K. Mitani (Signature)

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Schessler

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. A.T. [illegible]
TO Tyler

WRA Tule Lake Project
Newell, Modoc Co., Calif.
September 8, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. SCHESSLER
TO MR. [illegible]

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Dear Sirs: Re: K. Mitano and Joe Marshall

Mr. K. Mitani, formerly of Newcastle, California, has come to this department relative to $100.00-note issued by Mr. Marshall of Newcastle to K. Mitano.

Mr. Mitani tells us that this note was left in the hands of Mr. A. Reid and his staff at the W.C.C.A. Control Station in Lincoln, California. It was Mr. Mitani's understanding that Mr. Marshall would pay the sum of $100.00 to Mr. Reid or some member of the Federal Reserve Bank staff.

To this date, Mr. Mitani has not received the $100.00 or heard from either your bank or Mr. Marshall. Will you kindly look into this matter and reply at your earliest convenience?

Very truly yours,

Tom M. Yego

Tom M. Yego,
Legal Aid Department

tmy/tw

Staff, A J Reid 1340 - 16th St Sac.
Pls Molton
Mr McFarland
M J Reichert

RWB
We wrote A J Reid on this 9-11
JCT

9-14 Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By Tyler
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

September 11, 1942

Mr. A. J. Reid
1340 - 41st Street
Sacramento, California

Subject: K. Mitani - J. A. Marshall

Dear Sir:

We enclose a copy of a letter dealing with a transaction at the time of the establishment of the Civil Control Station in Lincoln, California, under Civilian Exclusion Order No. 102.

Our file discloses a copy of the note referred to bearing the date of April 3, 1942 with a final interview report dated July 10, 1942 signed by McFarland. The report states that Mr. Marshall came in on that date, talked with Mr. Reid and promised to make payment within thirty days. This report was signed by M. M. McFarland.

We are, of course, primarily interested at the moment, in learning if you recall accepting the note in question, either by yourself or any member of your staff at Lincoln; also if our field office had any further connection with its collection.

Your prompt and full report will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: War Relocation Authority
Division of Evacuee Property
Hotel Whitcomb
San Francisco, California

TYLER:krf

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Lincoln 2 - 28

July 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mitani, Kaoru
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 54
(Street and Number)

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: In Japan in 1930

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: J. A. Marshall

Address: Newcastle, California

Telephone Number: 84F3 and 11

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Payment of $100.00 note by J. A. Marshall.

Action taken:*

Sent word to Marshall to come in. He did and reported that he had talked to Mr. A. J. Reid and had promised payment within thirty days. Told him OK.

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

Handled by M.M.McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Lincoln 2 - 28

July 9, 1942
(Date)

Recorded as 7-13-42

Name: Mitani, Kaoru
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rt. 1, Box 54
(Street and Number)

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States: In Japan in 1930

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Farmer
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Says J. A. Marshall, Manager of DiGiorgio Fruit Corporation, Newcastle, owes him $100.00 on a sixty-day note dated April 3, 1942, and besides has a grocery bill of some $44.00 which is unpaid. The amount was to be paid by Marshall through a working agreement which was included in the lease. Marshall's home phone is Newcastle 84F3, his office Newcastle 11.

Mitani says Marshall is evading him, has phoned and left word, but to no avail.

Action taken:*

Phoned both Newcastle 11 and 84F3 and left word for him to contact this office this morning. After several calls, Mr. Marshall called us. Says will see Mitani right away, will clear up this account before Japanese leaves.

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

Handled by: M.J.Richert

1 Interviewed
8 in Family

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This agreement entered into this 3rd day of April, 1942, by and between J.A.Marshall,party of the first part and K.Mitani, party of the second part,both of the town of Newcastle, California.

The two parties hereto agree with each other as follows:

J.A.Marshall,party of the first part is of the date above written to take over operation and assume all debits as charged to T.Nakano.The property is better known as Willowbrook Ranch one mile northeast of Newcastle,California operated by T. Nakano

As agreed,J.A.Marshall,party of the first part will pay $39.39 in outstanding bills against the property.

As of the above written date,K.Mitani,party of the second part shall have no interest whatsoever in the afore mentioned property.

In witness whereof the two parties hereto have set their hands,

(Signed) J. A. Marshall

Party of the first part

(Signed) G. Kester

Witness

(Signed) K. Mitani

Party of the second part

Newcastle
April 3,1942

I hereby promise to pay to K.Mitani the sum of $100.00 within sixty days from date above written.This amount is outstanding from services to the Willowbrook Ranch,taken over as above written date by myself.

(Signed) G. Kester
Witness

(Signed) J. A. Marshall
J. A. Marshall

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitani (Surname) Rev. Masatane (Given)
(Print)

Address: Jap. M.E. Church
(Street and Number)

Bakersfield.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Churches

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MITO (Surname) (Print) MITSUGI (Given)

Address: (Street and Number)

FRESNO, CALIF (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

(STATISTICS)
Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(GENERAL)
Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Konda, Ray

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

COPY

2140 Inyo Street
Fresno, California

June 17, 1942

see reply of 6/20/42
filed Fresno rep.

Evacuee Property Dept
Federal Reserve Bank of S.F.
500 California Street
San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen:

In Fresno County the following described property is located.

W. 55 acres of the NW 4 Sec. 29 - Twp 13 Rg. 23. Growing on this land is a Citrus Grove.

The owners of this property are residents of Japan, and have been for many years.

One half interest belongs to N. Tanaka, a man about 60 years of age and no doubt but that he obtained his ownership before the Alien Land Act was in effect.

One half interest belongs to a man by the name of Mitsugi Mito who was a minor in 1928, at which time he went to Japan.

This is as much information as I have at present on the ownership.

The person who has had charge of this property the entire time, the owners, have lived in Japan, is named Ray Konda and he does not have a power of attorney or any other form of authority.

Mr. Samuel Hollis, an attorney here, has a client who wishes to lease this property. What are the necessary proceedings?

Yours truly,

L. J. ALLEN /s/

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

6/6/42
(Date)

Name: Mitsuda George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Stockton Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Formerly Rt. 4, Stockton

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Peter Bayer

Address: Mariposa Road & Park Lane
Stockton

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interviewer, a most reliable operator of a truck and automobile shop, advises that he has sold Subject's 1940, 1½ Chevrolet truck to L. C. Seidel, a contractor for $1050 cash--a very good price.

Action taken:*

Advised Subject at Stockton Assembly Center.
Close file.

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Handled by: I. S. Weeks
Stockton

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(3-5055)

Directed to File:

November 23, 1942

Mr, Pedro Gutierres
605½ Fremont Street
Delano, California

re: Masano Mitsui

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated November 17, 1942 regarding the ownership certificate of a vehicle purchased by you from the above named evacuee.

We are informed that the ownership certificate is in the possession of C. H. Kamm & Company, 1034 Monterey Street, San Luis Obispo, California, the Buick garage in that city.

That company advised us that a car of the description purchased by you was sold by them to an A. Mitsui in November, 1941 and that they carried a conditional sale contract balance of $51.25 on the vehicle. The balance was reduced to $38.25 under their contract but the balance appears to be still outstanding.

We suggest that you get in touch with C. H. Kamm & Company, and if you have any further question regarding the vehicle we believe you can reach Mr. Mitsui at the Jerome War Relocation Project, Jerome, Arkansas.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

H D ARMSTRONG:krf

DELANO, CALIFORNIA NOV. 17-1942

PEDRO GUTIERRES
605½ FREMONT ST.
DELANO, CALIF:

MR.
W.D. TOWNES
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE
319 PATTERSON BULDG.
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA.

Dear Sir;

As I have not have answer from you what so ever, I would like for you to let me know something about.

Its been since June 26 since you wrote to me about sending into San Francisco for my ownership papers of mine.

Kindly look them up soon as you posible can.

Yours Very Truly

Pedro Gutierrez

Pedro Gutierres
605½ Fremont St.
Delano, California

Jerome War Relocat Pig
Jerome Ark

11-23 Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By [signature]
Surname
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LOCATION
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NOV 23 1942
RECEIVED

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

June 26, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
300 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

On June 17 you fowarded us a copy of a letter you had written to the Kaan Garage, San Louis Obispo, in regard to a pink ownership certificate on a 1931 Chevrolet automobile, registered in the name of Masamo Mitsui.

We would appreciate your contacting the above garage again for us, as the new owner of the car has again written us asking why he has not received same.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:mjm

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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

June 26, 1942

Mr. Pedro Gutieria
605½ Fremont Street
Delano, California

Dear Mr. Gutieria:

We have written our head office in San Francisco asking them to try and obtain ownership certificate on your 1931 Chevrolet automobile, which you purchases from Masano Mitsui.

As soon as we receive same from them, we will foward to you.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:mjm

June 26 - 1942
Delano Calif.

Mr Lawson Allen

Please Kiddy find out about this contract that I made with mr. Masano Mitsui. I wrote you a letter telling you all the facts but have not recieve any answer - Like I explain to you I Bought a car of this man and he promise to send me the white and pink slip with the Lasen Done the car that I Bought from him is a 1931 Chevrolet Sedan. He is a Japanese that I know for some time. I Got witness that already have sign that I paid him for the car

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Also have the contract sign by him. So please if you can get me a permit to go and talk to him please mail it to my address

6053/4 Fremont St
Delano Calif.

Pedro Gutierrez

P.S.

Do the best you can so that I can get this straighten out.

Thank You

OVER Please

This Man is over at the

Fresno Evacuation Reserve Center

Fresno Calif.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 17, 1942

Kamm Garage
San Luis Obispo
California

Dear Sirs:

We are informed by our Fresno representative that you are in possession of the pink ownership certificate of a 1931 Chevrolet automobile registered in the name of Masanao Mitsui.

Mr. Mitsui states that he has written you several times requesting that this slip be forwarded to him but he has had no reply. It appears that the machine in question has been sold and it is of course necessary to obtain this certificate before transfer can be completed.

If the foregoing facts are essentially correct, may we request your cooperation in the delivery of this certificate. If you prefer that we handle this matter, please forward the certificate to us and we will see that it is re-directed to Mr. Mitsui.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: H. D. Townes Field Representative

2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

June 16, 1942

Mr R E Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

I have been informed by Masanao Mitsui of the Fresno Assembly Center that the Kamm Garage, San Luis Obispo, California are holding the pink slip on a 1931 Chevrolet registered in the name of A Mitsui. Mr Mitsui states that he has written the above Garage regarding same but to-date has not had the courtesy of a reply from them. As this car has been resold they are anxious to secure the pink slip in order that it can be signed over to the new owner.

We are forwarding this to your office so that you may either either follow from there or instruct us as to what proceedure we should take.

Yours very truly

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California
June 12, 1942

Kamm Garage
San Luis Obispo
California

Gentlemen:

We are informed by Masanao Mitsui that you are holding the pink slip on a 1931 Chevrolet registered in the name of A. Mitsui. Mr Mitsui states that he has written you regarding same but to-date has not had the courtesy of a reply from you.

Kindly inform us by return mail as to the reason for delay, letting us know when we may expect you to deliver pink slip to the Mitsui's as this car had been resold.

Very truly yours

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MITSUI MASAND
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

FRESNO ASSEMBLY CENTER
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

July 24, 1942

Mr. W. D. Tosmes, Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 Patterson Building
Fresno, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to our communications pertaining to the ownership certificate of one, Masano Mitsui.

In our most recent communication to you of July 9, 1942, we forwarded a letter from C. H. Kamm & Company of San Luis Obispo indicating that there was some doubt as to the title.

We are interested to learn what communications, if any, have been had with these people. This is a matter which we feel should be terminated prior to Mitsui's movement to a relocation center.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

[illegible]:krf

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Tickle to me 1/rr RWB.

(Date)

Name: MITSUI (Surname) (Print) MASANO (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

_____ (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5035)

Directed to File: _____

July 9, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [signature]
JUL - 9 1942

Mr. W. D. Townes,
Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
319 Patterson Building,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the pink ownership certificate for a 1931 Chevrolet belonging to one Masano Mitsui.

We have received a communication from C. H. Kamm & Company of San Luis Obispo, copy of which is enclosed. You will note that Mitsui apparently has had no right to sell this machine or represent it as being clear in view of the unfulfilled contract.

We have not answered C. H. Kamm's inquiry as to the whereabouts of Mitsui and will await your advice.

Very truly yours,

[signature]

Assistant Cashier.

R. V. Burden:db

Enclosure

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON TO MR. [illegible]

BUICK

C. H. KAMM & COMPANY

1034 MONTEREY STREET TELEPHONE 162

SAN LUIS OBISPO, CALIFORNIA

"Best Buick Yet"

[illegible] MAIL DEPT. TO MR. EVERSON

July 8, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Attention: Assistant Cashier

Gentlemen:

We have your communication in connection with the ownership certificate of a 1931 Chevrolet registered to Masanao Mitsui.

In November, 1941, we sold a car of this description, motor No. 2516906, to an A. Mitsui on which was carried a conditional sales contract for the balance of $51.25. One payment of $13 was made on December 23rd, but since that time, no credits have been received. There remains, at the present, a balance of $38.25 under this contract.

We are in possession of the ownership certificate of the above car and if this is the automobile in question, we would appreciate any information you may give us as to how settlement might be effective.

Yours very truly,

C. H. KAMM & COMPANY

By [signature]

J.E.O'Connor/bc

no answered until advice from owner

Answered

Anad. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Directed to File

By Borden

Surname

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

June 29, 1942

Kamm Garage,
San Luis Obispo,
California.

Dear Sirs:

On June 17 we wrote you requesting that a pink ownership certificate for a 1931 Chevrolet be forwarded to Masanao Mitsui or ourselves for transmittal.

We have heard nothing from you and we are informed neither has Mitsui. May we request your prompt attention to this matter or, if you are not in agreement with this course of action, please advise us. Mitsui is due to be transferred to a relocation area shortly and both he and ourselves are anxious to dispose of this problem.

Yours very truly,

Everson

Assistant Cashier.

R. W. Borden/gc

cc: W. D. Townes, Field Representative, Fresno.

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Dorley

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

June 26, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

On June 17 you fowarded us a copy of a letter you had written to the Kamm Garage, San Louis Obispo, in regard to a pink ownership certificate on a 1931 Chevrolet automobile, registered in the name of Masano Mitsui.

We would appreciate your contacting the above garage again for us, as the new owner of the car has again written us asking why he has not received same.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:mjm

..... Answered
..... Ansd. by Routine Advice
..... No Answer Required

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By Bordeu
Surname

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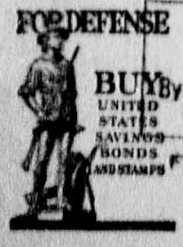
FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS



June 17, 1942

Kazan Garage
San Luis Obispo
California

Dear Sirs:

We are informed by our Fresno representative that you are in possession of the pink ownership certificate of a 1931 Chevrolet automobile registered in the name of Masanao Mitsui.

Mr. Mitsui states that he has written you several times requesting that this slip be forwarded to him but he has had no reply. It appears that the machine in question has been sold and it is of course necessary to obtain this certificate before transfer can be completed.

If the foregoing facts are essentially correct, may we request your cooperation in the delivery of this certificate. If you prefer that we handle this matter, please forward the certificate to us and we will see that it is re-directed to Mr. Mitsui.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: W. D. Tormes Field Representative
Fresno

R. W. Borden:krf

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. [illegible]

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

June 16, 1942

Mr R E Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

I have been informed by Masanao Mitsui of the Fresno Assembly Center that the Kamm Garage, San Luis Obispo, California are holding the pink slip on a 1931 Chevrolet registered in the name of A Mitsui. Mr Mitsui states that he has written the above Garage regarding same but to-date has not had the courtesy of a reply from them. As this car has been resold they are anxious to secure the pink slip in order that it can be signed over to the new owner.

We are forwarding this to your office so that you may either either follow from there or instruct us as to what proceedure we should take.

Yours very truly

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

6/17
Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Summons
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsuko Hirao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 807 Grove St
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Alindugan, L. S.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Bonded as of 5-5-42

5-4-42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Mitsuma William T
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1631 Webster St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: above

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Applicant formerly lived at 396-49th St Oakland. Moved to above address S.F. to Evacuate with wife's people. Left articles of furniture with father Eureka A. Mitsumi 396-49th St -
Advised applicant to remove furniture to S.F. but he elected to have it stored with govt under Fathers name. Forms given for father's use - Now awaiting these for consummation. Family No. of Father - 20561
Evacuating Wed. May 6

Action taken:*

Archie R. Mack
Handled by: _____
Field Representative
Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Mitsuma (Surname)
William T. (Given)
Closed

Oakland 27

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Mitsunaga, Rudolph T (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Santa Clara, Calif (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(SEX)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

(DATE)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FARM SECURITY ADMINISTRATION
WARTIME FARM ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM

File Mitsunaga, Rudolph

BILL OF SALE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That RUDOLPH T. MITSUNAGA and _____, his wife, of _____, in consideration of the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400) DOLLARS ($ 400.00), do hereby grant, bargain, sell, assign and convey unto F. A. LOCKHART of Santa Clara, California, all of his right, title and interest in and to the following described personal property:

One Pontiac 6 - 2-door Sedan 1938

Engine No. 6-404553

All of said property being now situated in the County of _____, State of _____.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD unto the said F. A. LOCKHART, _____ heirs, successors and assigns forever.

DATED this 27 day of May, 1942.

Rudolph T. Mitsunaga
Seller

Mrs F. A. Lockhart

Witness
O. F. CAMPBELL

WFA - 10

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsunaga, Tom
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Cupertino, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

The undersigned.....TOM MITSUNAGA.....

of.....CUPERTINO.....California, hereby

appoints.....E. O. SMITH.....Of

.....CUPERTINO.....California as guardian

of my personal property (as per inventory herewith) to be

stored at no expense to me.

It is furthermore agreed that any damages inflicted

by natural accidents such as fire, will not be held against

Mr.....E. O. SMITH.....

Tom Mitsunaga

Dated: May 11, 1942

Accepted: _____

Witness: A Humphrey

1939 Dodge Sedan

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MITSUNAZA K.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

SANTA ROSA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Palmer, P. R.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsuo (Surname) KODAMA (Given) (Print)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Santa Anita Assembly Center (Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(City) (State)

(SAN FRANCISCO)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

(OAKLAND)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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DIRECTED BY MR. EVE[illegible]
TO MR. EVE[illegible]

REFERRED BY MR. [illegible]
TO MR. [illegible]

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
SEP 21 1942

643329-O-42 Auto
Terry T. Togami
PD- Eva Griffiths
BI- Harold Moates
BI- Wm. Okamoto
Collision

September 18, 1942

Kay's Garage
U.S. 101 Highway
Sunnyvale, California

Gentlemen:

In order that we may dispose of this matter, we feel it is advisable to have in our file the written authority given you by Terry Togami, authorizing you to accept payment of the claim.

In the absence of this authority, we have no way of disposing of the claim since the contract with Togami provides that payment in case of loss will be made to him and in order that our records may be complete, it would be necessary that we have any authorization to pay anyone except the named assured.

We are sending copy of this letter to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, in order that this matter may be concluded in a manner satisfactory to all concerned.

Yours very truly,

Geo. W. Ecrement, Jr., Mgr.
per

Jack Lesser, Adjuster

JL:es
cc/ Federal Reserve Bank

[illegible] RECEIVED

Answered
Anad. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By [illegible]
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

June 20, 1942

AIR MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

Mr. Kodama Mitamo
WCCA Assembly Center - Santa Anita
Arcadia, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to an interview conducted with yourself by our representative, Mr. Dake, on May 25th, prior to your evacuation from San Jose.

We have discussed the proper procedure with the Maryland Casualty Company, insurers of the vehicle in question, who are prepared to pay the claim. Kay's Garage, Sunnyvale, have made the necessary repairs on the machine and are, of course, anxious to obtain payment. It is our understanding through our San Jose representative, Mr. Campbell, that it is satisfactory with you and your brother-in-law, Terry Togami who is the legal owner, for Kay's Garage to sell the car.

We suggest, therefore, that you promptly contact your brother-in-law, Private Togami, and instruct him to endorse the pink slip and forward same to Kay's Garage together with a written authority, authorizing them to accept payment of the claim and to sell this machine, deducting whatever commission is mutually agreeable. We further suggest that he send a copy of this authorization to yourself in order that you may be in a position to know the facts and follow disposition of this case.

For your information, no payment of the insurance claim can be made until these steps have been taken. A prompt settlement of the whole matter, therefore, depends upon your advising your brother-in-law, as heretofore outlined, and it is necessary to secure his prompt cooperation with these instructions. We are sending a copy of this letter to the Maryland Casualty Company and to Kay's Garage in order that they may be advised as to the status of this case.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Maryland Casualty Co.
cc: Kay's Garage

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MITSUO (Surname) (Print) Kodama (Given)

Address: Santa Anita Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese American

Date of last entry into United States: Born here, never left

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Had accident with Ford 1939 De Luxe Four door Sedan a few days ago. Car owned by his brother-in-law Private Terry Tai Togami, Ward T-117, Billings General Hospital, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. Car is insured against collision by Maryland Casualty Company, Automobile Policy No. 15-269962, expiring August 9, 1942. Insurance Company has agreed to repair car, which is now at Kay's Garage, Sunnyvale, Calif.

I called upon Mr. Kay at Garage, Sunnyvale, he is waiting for authority of Maryland Casualty to proceed with repairs.

Action taken:*

Recommended that Insurance Company be instructed to deliver car, when repairs shall have been completed, to Kay's Garage, Sunnyvale, for sale on commission basis. Pink slip to be transferred to Kay's Garage and proceeds of sale to be remitted to Private Terry Tai Togami.

Phone Maryland requested them to hasten authority
O.K.

Mr. Kay advanced $100. to Kodama prior to his evacuation.

Handled by: ?

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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SAN JOSE

X

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Mitsuo Kodama
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Santa Anita Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japaneese American

Date of last entry into United States: Born here, never left

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: As above

Address: As above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
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Action taken:*
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Handled by:

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Mitsuo (Surname) Kodama (Given)

Involved + interviewed

San Jose

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsurya Restaurant (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1661 Post Street (Street and Number)
San Francisco, Calif. (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:
Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Caucasian) (Negro)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Morita, T.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Mitsuyasu (Surname) (Print) George (Given)

Address: 3026 Market St. (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: 1923

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mitsuyasu owns a 1936 Oldsmobile coupe and has secured a purchaser for the sum of $250. He asks permission to sell his car.

Action taken:*

Advised Mitsuyasu that he could sell his car without permission from this office.

RECEIVED
APR 28 1942
EVACUEE
PROPERTY
DEPT.

Handled by:

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1 interviewed
1 contacted

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Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 260

May 7, 1942.

MITZUTANI Ginji

Name: Mitzutani Ginji

Interview:
Letter: x

Address: 226 ½ K. Street

Adult: x

Sacramento California

Male: x

Citizenship: U.S.

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Individual: x

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Two automobiles.

Action taken:*

Writes, "Have sold".

Case Closed

Sacramento Office

McFarland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miura, Archie H
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Railroad Ave
(Street and Number)

Winters, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given) Name

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: The Horai Company

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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March 11, 1943

VIA AIR MAIL

Mr. G. Miura,
72-9-C,
Gila River War Relocation Project,
Rivers, Arizona.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your recent letter addressed to Mr. D. M. Dunton, who was previously in the employ of this bank in connection with evacuation operations and stationed at the Tulare Assembly Center, concerning a transaction involving the sale of certain fertilizer by Mr. George Kuwahara.

Our file discloses that Mr. Kuwahara has apparently experienced some difficulty in obtaining settlement for the fertilizer acquired by Mr. Morrissett, and Mr. Kuwahara communicated with us in that regard in October of 1942.

In corresponding with Mr. Kuwahara we called his attention to the availability of assistance from the War Relocation Authority to evacuees residing in War Relocation Projects, and assume that he has availed himself of those services, or otherwise effected a settlement of his problem as we have not heard from him since our last letter.

Our file discloses that Mr. Dunton corresponded with Mr. Morrissett on June 29, 1942, and that thereafter Mr. Morrissett called on Mr. Kuwahara at the Tulare Assembly Center to discuss details of the fertilizer sale. Mr. Dunton's letter indicated that Mr. Morrissett's name was suggested by you as a person who might be interested in buying the property.

Yours very truly,

H. D. Armstrong

Herbert D. Armstrong,
Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 562

May 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miura Roy
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Winters
(Street and Number)

California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
MIURA (Surname)
Roy (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Transfer of old car.
G. Crowder, Chief of Police of Winters, telephoned. Has power of attorney and certificate of ownership on old coupe - converted to Pickup - belonging to R. Miura

Power of attorney vested in Charles Hamikawa. Registered and legal ownership already released . Hamikawa has been interned. Wife can sell car.

Action taken:*

Wants to know if O. K. Told him yes.

Handled by: McFarland

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Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA (Surname) HIDEO & Michio (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 667
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Yes

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: 2708 8

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME MARCH 30th 1942

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE - STORAGE ARRANGED
TRAILER HOUSE. " "

HIDEO & BROTHER MICHIO OWN 26 ACRES ON WEED PATCH HIGHWAY. THEY HAVE LEASED THIS PROPERTY FOR A PERIOD OF 3 YEARS TO DALE ASH, AND HAVE SOLD - CROP - IMPLEMENTS AND CHICKEN HOUSES & CHICKENS FOR CASH.

WELL SATISFIED

QUESTION HIDEO CALLED IN TO REPORT ABOVE AND INQUIRE ABOUT CAR.

Action taken:*

GAVE HIM INFORMATION REQUIRED

1945 MAY 8 AM 10 23

9 PERSONS

Handled by: [illegible]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

MIWA (Surname) HIDEO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA HIDEO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt 6 Box 667
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: YES

MIWA (Surname)
HIDEO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 27088

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Partnership - Above captioned & Brother Michio MIWA:

Household Furniture = Trailer house

Action taken:*

Intends to move above equipment to neighbors land = suggested transfer of insurance coverage = Give Power of Attorney to Geo. Hay covering lease of land & Personal property.

9 persons = Hideo - wife - baby
Michio
Father - mother
Aiko - husband - baby

Handled by: [illegible]

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA, Hido
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Bakersfield, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Description of property: Sec. 25 T-30-S R-28-E

New Operator: DAIL ASH, Rt. 6, Box 526, Bakersfield, California

Action taken:*

GLEN JOHNSON

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MIWA J. S. CO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 210 CALIFORNIA ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIWA (Surname) J. S. CO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

April 25, 1942

J. S. Miwe Co.,
210 California Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sirs:

You recently called at this office for assistance in connection with your property problems relating to the evacuation program, but we are not informed as to whether you have been able to make satisfactory arrangements in this regard.

As we desire to learn whether our further assistance is needed, it will be appreciated if you will advise us as to the present status of your problem.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED
STATES
SAVINGS
BONDS
AND STAMPS

Letter sent 4/25/42

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/17/42
(Date)

Name: Miwa T. S. Co
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 210 California St
(Street and Number)

S F
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIWA (Surname) T. S. COMPANY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Disconnected

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Wrote letter. Telephone out.

Handled by: [illegible]

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 20/42
(Date)

Name: MIWA J. S. Co.
(Print)

Address: 210 CALIFORNIA ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name J.S. MIWA COMPANY
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: YES

Type of Business: EXPORTERS
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation: ✓
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mr. K. KOMADA ✓ XR

Address: 210 CALIFORNIA ST.

Telephone Number: TELEPHONE DISCONNECTED

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. K. Komada, S. F. agent for Miwa Co. stated he would like authority to send balance of funds, after liquidating business here, to home office in Honolulu, T.H. His firm here are operating under License S.F. 19702 and still has several weeks to run. Also asked permission to sell office furniture.

Action taken:*

Phoned Foreign Funds and verified License and were given their opinion that above funds could be remitted to Honolulu. Advised Mr. Komada that firm's effects could be disposed of as he saw fit.

Handled by:
Fred Whitsby

* Attach additional pages where necessary

+ 25 persons, Corporation

HOME PHONE WEST 7077

K. KODAMA

REPRESENTING

J. S. MIWA & CO., LTD.

IMPORTERS AND EXPORTERS

~~DOUGLAS 3200~~

~~310~~ 210 CALIFORNIA ST.

ROOM ~~308~~ 6

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

March 31st 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA MASAO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 410 No. 9th St.
(Street and Number)

TAFT CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name MIWA (Surname) MASAO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1924

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

House & Lot
Auto
George Miwa is citizen - 15 years old.
Property in his name

Action taken:*

Power of Atty.
To lease property.
Sell Car.

Mother
Father
Brother
Sister

5 in family.

Handled by: [illegible]

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...al Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...l Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyahara F.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

San Jose Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(SURNAME) (GIVEN) (INITIAL)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

...ach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

...055)

For and in consideration of FIFTY DOLLARS ($50)
and ..... cash in hand, I, F. MIYAHARA
Rt. 2 Box 510 - 4th & Gish Rd. San Jose California
agree to sell, transfer, and deliver physical possession of
one (1) Household Furniture
TO ROY CHRISTIE
OF
Rt. 2 Box 210 Oakland Highway San Jose California.

Tsutou Miyahara

Roy Christie

DATED: May 11, 1942

WITNESS: O. F. Campbell

O. F. CAMPBELL
Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of
San Francisco

4 beds
4 mattresses
5 bed springs
1 cook stove Kerosene
4 tables
18 chairs
1 Philco Radio Console
1 Victor Phonograph
1 bookcase
1 cupboard
1 desk
1 table lamp (electric)
1 electric floor lamp

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 5-1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAHARA GLORIA HANAKO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Former Address: 1441 O'FARRELL
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

WCCA ASSEMBLY CENTER
POMONA - CALIF

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mrs W.J.B. EVANS

Address: 236 1/2 Duncan St S.F.

Telephone Number: ATWATER 0462

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

I Mrs Evans reported above subject had paid note due at Anglo Calif Natl Bank - Note had been endorsed by Mrs. Evans Daughter -

Action taken:*

Case Closed

Handled by: Flm X

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: _____

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/14/42
(Date)

Name: MIYAHARA GLORIA HANOKA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1441 O Farrell St
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: American

Name MIYAHARA (Surname) Gloria Hanoka (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in W.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Mrs. Bryan Evans

Address: 236 1/2 Duncan St

Telephone Number: Atwater 0462

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs Evans reports that Gloria Hanoka Miyahara owner of Gloria Millinary Shop at 1786 Sutter St., that opened in July 1941, purchased a Rug about July 24th 1941 at value over 100.00 and borrowed from Anglo Calif Natl Bank, Fillmore & Geary Branch, 100.00 on open note. Mrs Evans daughter Mrs Harold Cheetham was cosigner of the note and now called upon by the Bank to pay.

Payments on note are 9.00 per month with balance of 45.00. Tar payment made by Miss Miyahara was April 2nd. Mrs Evans wants to find Rug and sell to pay out balance on note

Action taken:*

Checked and found that Miss Miyahara Evacuated from 1530 Buchanan St S.F. 5/11/42 and was sent to Pomona Assembly Center with family number 22720 under Father's name Yahachio Miyahara.

Checked on Gov. Storage, find no such family stored household effects

Gave Mrs Evans address of Evacuee at Pomona and suggested writing Registered Letter making inquiry

Handled by: D H Gray

*Attach additional pages where ~~necessary~~. Closed

(S-5055) 1 Interviewed
4 Represented

Directed to File:

SF. #67

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Sac. 573

May 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyahara, Hoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2211 Sixteenth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 2-6521

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to report dated May 13.

Action taken:*

Miss Miyahara reported that she received final payment in amount of $400.00 from Paul S. Virga and had arranged to ~~have~~ plan her brother's car in dead storage. Expressed her gratitude for our assistance.

Case closed.

1 Interviewed
3 Represented

Sacramento Office

Handled by W.E.Mahoney

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

Directed to File:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 573

May 13, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Miyahara, Hoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X

Address: 2211 Sixteenth Street (2610 - 5th St.)
(Street and Number)

Citizenship: US

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 2-6521

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Central Produce Company owned by brother, Tokyo Miyahara, who is in U.S.Army at Fort Custer, Michigan. Business located at 2630 Fifth Street, known as Farmers Market. RFather, Shigeru Miyahara, has been operating business, visiting regular line of customers consisting of grocery stores in small towns between here and Newcastle. Business has been sold to a Paul S. Virga but final payment has not been made. They wish to close out account of Central Produce Company carried at the Bank of America, Roseville, California. At the present time, the account is a joint account operated by father and brother.

There is also a final payment due to Bank of America, Roseville, for 1942 Dodge owned by brother, Tokyo Miyahara.

Action taken:

Phoned Mr. Mayf, manager of the Roseville Branch of the Bank of America, who stated that Miss Miyahara could handle the business of closing out the account of the Central Produce and opening a new account for the father and brother. He would give her signature cards to be mailed back to him. Miss Miyahara could take some blank checks signed by father in order to open the new account and pay for car.

Action taken:*

Arrangement was then made with the Provost Marshall for giving permit to Miss Miyahara to go to Roseville and complete business arrangements. Miss Miyahara reported this morning that she had taken care of business at Roseville and all of her affairs were settled with the exception of a remaining amount of $500.00 due from Mr. Paul S. Virga. This money has been promised tomorrow.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
3 Represented

Handled by: W.E.Mahoney

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Directed to File:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyahara (Surname) Kazuo (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 4, Box 724
(Street and Number)
Watsonville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Yes

Date of last entry into United States: Born in the United States

Operating under Treasury License now?: None

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Miyahara, Kazuo

Address: Rt.4, Box 724, Watsonville, Calif

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Household furniture

Action taken:*

Suggested to him to sell what he could.

Handled by: Watsonville

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

7

Name

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyahara, S
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Fifth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Mutual Produce Co.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyahei Katus
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1538 Harman St.
(Street and Number)
Berkeley, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries: Miyahei, Katus

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyai, { Arthur George Kusonosuke
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Route 2, Box 193
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(CHECK)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

(DATA)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries

East Sacramento Nursery

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 425

April 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyai (Surname) Ichiro (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 53
(Street and Number)

Winters (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

MIYAI, Ichiro (Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: Continuously in Calif. - 40 years

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Ichiro Miyai - father
Teshika Miyai - daughter
K. Miyai - cousin
Address: Mrs. Olita Johnson

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

I. Miyai farming 64 acres fruit - lease in name of K. Miyai - cancelled by Johnson in January. Ichiro Miyai agreed to carry on operations until evacuation. Permitted to draw $20.00 a mo. until crop is harvested. No written agreement re: basis of compensation. Miyai said 40¢/hr. regardless of profit or loss to Johnson. Johnson said "crop-share".

Action taken*

Richert phoned Johnson at Oakland, Ellsmount 9905, and Mrs. J. agreed to come to Sacramento this p.m. Meeting resulted in offer by Miyai to settle all claims for $150. Accepted by Mrs. Johnson and check given to Miyai.

Case Closed

Interviewed
Represented

Handled by McFarland
Richert

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyajima, Co. (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4 N. Main St. (Street and Number)

Lodi, California (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(SECRET)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

(SECRET)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Wakai, Masco

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Miyaji Mary

Name: Miyaji, Mary
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1. Box 44 A
(Street and Number)
ARVIN, Calif.
(City) (State)

(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1300 17th St.
Bakersfield, California.

May 21st, 1942.

REFERRED BY ... TO MR. ... MAY 2... 1942

Ask if Johnson has communicated with Mary Miyaji so that the lessee can receive attention.

Re: Mary Miyaji.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
400 Sansome Street,
San Francisco, California.

ATTENTION: Mr. Herbert Armstrong.

Gentlemen:-

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 19, with reference to the above-captioned evacuee.

I have checked with the Farm Security Administration several times during the past week, in this particular case. They are not very sympathetic to Mary Miyaji's claim to $55.00. As a matter of fact their supervisor has definitely refused to allow any Government money to be used to pay this claim.

Mr. Homay stated that if she had turned the tractor back to the Implement house she would have taken a loss of several hundred dollars.

However, Mr. Ash, who has leased the property in her stead has agreed to pay Mary Miyaji this difference of $55.00 when the money is available from crops. Of course it must be recognized that this money cannot be paid until the lien of the Government is satisfied.

The Farm Security administration has assured me that some day this week they will secure a written agreement, if possible, from Mr. Ash, covering the payment of this money to Mary Miyaji.

We assure you that every effort has been made by the Farm Security Administration to satisfactorily settle this particular case.

Telephoned Mr. Miyaji has been notified as above

Very truly yours,

Glen L. Johnson.
Field Representative.

FOR DEFENSE BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

Answered

Ansd. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Directed to File

By ...

Surname

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May 19, 1942

Miyaji, Mary

Mr. Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Bakersfield, California.

Dear Mr. Johnson: Subject: Mary Miyaji

We are enclosing a copy of a letter dated May 16, 1942 from the above named evacuee.

Will you kindly look into the situation with a view toward making arrangements for the payment of the balance claimed to be owing the evacuee on the tractor transaction.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

Armstrong:gh

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

INTERRED BY MR. EVERSON

TO MR. _____

Route 1, Box 16
Arvin, California
May 16, 1942

Miyaji, Mary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Some time ago I wrote you a letter stating that I was completely satisfied with the transaction which was being completed in regard to the Farmal F-20 Tractor and the reimbursement I was to receive.

That letter was written a few days prior to transaction of paying me the amount I had already paid the Implement House. When I was reimbursed, the WCCA through Mr. Engstrom would not pay me the full amount due to me. I was definitely not satisfied and have waited all this time for Mr. Engstrom to pay me the balance of the $530.75. I was paid only four hundred seventy-five and no/oo, ($475.00).

Since he refuses to see that a false transaction was conducted I thought that I would resort to you to correct this error. If he does not pay me the remaining $55.00 than I still have ownership to the tractor, and the WCCA office cannot claim a mortgage on it as belonging to Mr. Ash. I had paid $530.75 to Karpe Implement House and there remained a balance of $525.00, but the interest was not added at the time of purchase. When payment of $525.00 was due, an interest of $20. and some odd cents, was added.

Passed on to Mr. Johnson 5-19

I do not aim to be deducted of my full payment. If there is any question regarding the correct amt. paid to me, please contact Mr. Glen Johnson. He understands the situation of satisfying my account.

Very truly yours,

Mary Miyaji

Answered
Ansd. by Roger Johnson
No Answer Required
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By [signature]
Surname
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REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Bordeu RWB

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1300 17th St.
Bakersfield, California.

April 25th 1942.

SUBJECT: Mary Miyaji

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
400 Sansome Street,
San Francisco, California.

ATTENTION: Mr. R. E. Everson.

Gentlemen:-

Reference is made to your letter of April 16th, asking certain additional information regarding the above-captioned Japanese.

I enclose herewith a letter written by Mary Miyaji herself, which I believe will complete our file and entirely satisfy everybody that Mary Miyaji feels that she has been fairly treated.

Very truly yours,

Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative.

JLC

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By Borden
Surname
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco Calif.

Attention: Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative

Gentlemen:

To clarify the matter of my deal in regard to the pumping plant, lease, tractor, and farm implements, I wish to state that all transactions have been completely satisfactory to me.

At first I was to install the pump and secure finances for power bills. Nevertheless, I was unable to make further transactions to install the pump because of failure of previous sweet potato crop and failure in secureing finances.

Because of this evacuation situation, I then notified the Kern County Investment Corporation that I would have to evacuate and arrange to have them install the pump. I had, however, appointed Mr. E. F. Ash, a reliable farmer to farm that section of land.

After Mr. Ash was approved by them to carry on the farming, Mr. Lobre, the lessor, agreed to install the pumping plant and pay all expenses. A lease was then signed between Mr. Ash and Mr. Lobre, representing Kern. Co. Invest. Corp.

I have given Mr. Ash all responsibilities in managing the farm crops. We have made satisfactory agreements on all farm implements.

I have paid the sum of $530.75 (five hundred thirty dollars and seventy-five cents) on a Farmal F-20 tractor with a plow and disc attached, which would total $1055.75 (one thousand fifty-five dollars and seventy-five cents). I am to be repaid my amount on the tractor, so that I would have no further claim on it. The tractor and attachments would then belong to Mr. Ash who will pay the balance.

All these arrangements on farm implements have been made with my approval. The transactions between Mr. Lobre and Mr. Ash has also been to my knowledge and approval.

With these transactions completed I have no further negotiations with the pumping plant nor the farm tractor and attachments.

Very truly yours,

Mary Miyaji

Miyaji, Mary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 23rd 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAJI (Surname) (Print) MARY (Given)

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 16
(Street and Number)
Arvin Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

MIYAJI (Surname)
MARY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Now Out

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Called Mary in to secure statement from her, relative to her deal with Ray Lobre
Mr. Homsey, Dist. Supervisor of F.S.A. was present.

Mary stated to Mr. Homsey & myself that she had dealt in Lobre, that the deal relative to land & trees was entirely OK.

Just now she is worried about stock of fertilizer & sweet potato plants. $500.00 to be paid

Action taken:* her for equity in tractor - OK

asked her to write statement to me answering the questions in Mr. Parsons letter 4-16-42 she will bring in Sat. morn. I also asked Mr Homsey to work out her problem relative to fertilizer & plants - He agreed

FATHER
MOTHER
3 SISTERS
2 BROTHERS
} 8 PERSONS

Handled by: ✓

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR 16 1942

April 16, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR 16 1942

Mr. Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Bakersfield, California.

Dear Mr. Johnson: Subject: Mary Miyaji

We believe that we should be provided with certain additional information in order to complete our file on this transaction.

It is not clear from the file whether or not the evacuee herself feels that she has been unfairly treated in the arrangements outlined by Mr. Shortridge and by yourself. No doubt it would be advisable to obtain a statement from her as to her feelings with respect to the matter, and if she is dissatisfied, the full statement from her of the facts as she understands them.

We would like to be informed among other things as to the amount actually paid for her tractor and attachments, supported by information as to the reasonableness of such payment. It would also be helpful if it were made clear to what extent the pumping plant which appears to have been installed by the lessor had a bearing in the final negotiations with the evacuee.

If the evacuee feels that the entire transaction is a reasonable one, we should have no further interest in it. On the other hand, we believe that our file should disclose the complete facts, including the attitude of the evacuee regarding the matter.

Additional copies of this letter are enclosed for use in the event that you desire to submit copies to any of the parties involved to serve as the basis for any requests for additional data you may make.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

Armstrong:gh

Assistant Cashier.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1300 17th St.,
Bakersfield, California.

April 10th 1942.

SUBJECT: Mary Miyaji,
Arvin, Calif.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
400 Sansome Street,
San Francisco, California.

ATTENTION: R. E. Everson, Asst. Cashier.

Gentlemen:-

Reference is made to your letter of the 8th, asking for a detailed report on the above case. I have had this report in preparation since the 6th, and have just received the last document in the case today.

In order to make a complete file I have secured copies in duplicate of the original agreement, a letter from Ray Lobre to Mary Myaji, and a letter from John Shortridge, the Attorney who prepared and had signed the quitclaim deed.

The facts regarding the agreement are fully explained in Mr. Shortridge's letter, and I shall only explain the transactions from that point.

Lobre agreed to give Mary Miyaji a lease, probably with certain stipulations. His records show that on February 26th, 1942, he ordered a pumping plant from Layne and Bowler, Corp., at a total cost, including Sales Tax of $3794.60. He states that Mary agreed to pay power bills, but due to difficulties in financing was unable to care for this item.

After it was known that all Japanese were to be evacuated, Lobre notified Mary Miyaji that it would be impossible to go on with her.

She then brought in E. F. Ash as her choice to take over the lease, and Lobre, Mary Miyaji and E. F. Ash made a trip to

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Los Angeles, attempting to secure financing. They were turned down completely and finally, and on the 25th of March a lease was executed between Ray Lobre and E . F. Ash.

From Jack McKenzie of the F.S.A. I learn that Mary Miyaji will not profit from the lease, but will be paid for her equity in her tractor and attachments.

Due to the interest taken in this case by the F.S.A. and Asst. District Attorney, Bernard Gill, I have made a complete investigation and must reiterate my statement over the phone to Mr. R. W. Borden, that Mary Miyaji was not defrauded. As a matter of fact, the failure of the sweet potato crop mentioned in the agreement proved her downfall when coupled with the war.

Trust I have presented enough facts to justify my conclusion. If any further information is required I shall do my best. I am very desirous of closing this case in a fair, impartial manner.

Very truly yours,

Allen L. Johnson,
Field Representative.

JLC

4/6 Answered

..... Ansd. by Routine Advice

..... No Answer Required

Directed to File

By ..... Surname

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WALTER OSBORN
[illegible] BURUM
[illegible] SHORTRIDGE

TELEPHONE 4-4721
4-4722

OSBORN, BURUM & SHORTRIDGE
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
SUITE 506, HABERFELDE BUILDING
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

April 10, 1942

Mr. Glen L. Johnson
Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank
Bakersfield, California

In re: Mary Miyaji

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to our telephonic conversation on the morning of April 10, 1942, I desire to set forth my understanding of the Quitclaim Deed from Mary Miyaji to the Kern County Investment Corporation.

On or about the 25th day of July, 1941, an agreement was entered into between the KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION, a California Corporation, as Vendor and Mary Miyaji, as Purchaser, under the terms of which certain real property situated in the County of Kern, State of California, was to be sold to Mary Miyaji, for the consideration therein expressed. One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) was to be paid on October 1, 1941, and Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) upon the first day of December, 1941, and the balance of the total purchase price was to be paid in equal installments of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2500.00) each on the first day of January, 1943, and annually thereafter.

It is my understanding that the first One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) was paid but that the purchaser, Mary Miyaji, was unable to make any other payments according to the terms of the agreement and that in order to prevent litigation, which would have sought to have a forfeiture declared and the title cleared against any claim she might have, she voluntarily signed a quit-claim deed.

Insofar as known to me, no coercion of any sort was used. The matter was strictly a business transaction and like any others of a similar nature, the vendor had a right to declare the contract null and void, if at any time the purchaser failed to comply with any of the terms of the agreement. In this respect particular attention is called to Paragraph 5, on page 3, of the

agreement, it being my understanding that you have a copy of the agreement in your possession.

After Mary Miyaji signed the referred to quitclaim deed, Kern County Investment Corporation had some dealings with a Mr. E. F. Ash, regarding leasing the land to him for farming purposes. If there was any side agreement between Mr. Ash and Mary Miyaji, I have no personal knowledge of it and I am certain that no one in our office knows anything about it.

By way of further explanation, it might be of some assistance for you to know that in my opinion, Mary Miyaji, is an intelligent well-trained young woman and is a graduate of the public schools of this County. It is my belief, although I am not certain, that she graduated from High School and probably attended Junior College. I have had several conversations with her regarding the purchase of the land owned by the Kern County Investment Corporation and upon each occasion she impressed me as fully understanding the nature of the transaction and the fact that it would be absolutely necessary for the cash payments to be made, as set forth in the agreement.

There can be no doubt that she is a citizen of the United States and was competent in all respects to enter into the agreement with Kern County Investment Corporation and subsequently thereto, to execute the quitclaim deed.

We trust that your investigation and your reports will convince the Federal Reserve Bank and others who may be interested in this transaction that further investigation should be dropped and the matter closed.

Very truly yours,

OSBORN, BURUM & SHORTRIDGE,

BY John Shortridge

JS:A

April 8, 1942

Mr. Glenn L. Johnson,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
c/o U. S. Employment Service,
1300 - 17th Street,
Bakersfield, California.

Subject: Mary Miyaji, Arvin, California.

Dear Sir:

In view of the somewhat obscure facts regarding the above case, and our limited file information, we believe that we should be provided with a detailed report from you, of the facts which form the basis for your conclusion that no injustice was done to Mary Miyaji in the transaction in which she executed a quit claim deed.

The Farm Security Administration has informed us that exploitation has occurred in this instance and we desire to have a full file record of the transaction.

Please provide us with the desired information in detail.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Armstrong/jm

MEMORANDUM

April 6, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [signature]
APR - 7 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [signature]
APR - 7 1942 E.P.P.

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [signature]
APR - 7 1942 E.P.P.

SUBJECT: MARY MIYAJI, ARVIN, CALIFORNIA

TO: MR. GILCHRIST

FROM: MR. EVERSON

The above mentioned evacuee became a subject for further investigation upon receipt of a wire from Jack McKenzie, field agent in Bakersfield for the F.S.A. This wire related that evacuee had signed a quit claim deed to certain property which she was buying, and that our Federal Reserve field representative concurred with McKenzie that there had been violations of her property rights.

We have explored this case fully with our man in Bakersfield after he contacted the insurance agent who obtained signatures to the quit claim deed mentioned in McKenzie's wire. He has satisfied himself, upon obtaining all the pertinent financial data, that there was no violation of Mary Miyaji's civil rights.

Briefly, she had made certain agreements in connection with the purchase of this property involving a payment system over regular intervals. There were also certain crop rights and provisions to be made at various seasons. We are reliably informed that she did not fulfill her end of the contract.

In view of the foregoing it appears that we have no further interest in this case as there are no property problems involved nor has there been an abuse of evacuee's rights.

[signature]
ASSISTANT CASHIER

R. W.BORDEN:krf

cc: Glenn L, Johnson, Field Representative
Bakersfield, California

MEMORANDUM

April 6, 1942

SUBJECT: WEST SIDE GROCERY COMPANY, DELANO, CALIFORNIA

TO: MR. GLENN L. JOHNSON, FIELD REPRESENTATIVE
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

FROM: MR. EVERSON

Relative to our telephonic conversation and your letter about the West Side Grocery Company of Delano, there is no official Army agency through which we might obtain liquidation. However, one of the men here has ascertained informally that Col. Stafford located in the Advance Depot at San Bernardino might afford a practical channel. This man apparently has been buying large amounts of supplies for the various resettlement centers in the evacuation program.

You will also find enclosed herewith a copy of a memorandum written to our liaison man in the War Department in connection with the case of Mary Miyaji of Arvin.

ASSISTANT CASHIER

encl

R.W.BORDEN:krf

Miyaji, Mary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAJI, Mary
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Bakersfield, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Sec. 30, T-31-S R-30-E

New Operator E. F. ASH, Box 697, Arvin, California

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File: _____

COPY

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Farm Security Administration
30 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California

March 30, 1942

McCARRIE: HANDLE PERSONALLY

Office of the Assistant Chief
of Staff for Civil Affairs
Room 447, Whitcomb Hotel
1231 Market Street
San Francisco, California

ATTENTION: Colonel Karl R. Bendetsen, G.S.C.

Gentlemen:

I am attaching a copy of a telegram on a specific case of apparent effort to take advantage of an evacuee on a land transfer deal.

Note that the telegram indicates that the Federal Reserve man in the local office at Bakersfield agrees with our Agent that the transaction represents exploitation.

I am referring this to you for such action as you feel it proper to take.

Sincerely yours,

Laurence I. Hewes, Jr.
Regional Director

Enclosure

C O P Y

P13 F.SB177 102/98 GOVT NL BAKERSFIELD CALIF MARCH 27-28BD
1942

WM C HELVEY. PROGRAM CHIEF

30 VANNESS AVE SAN FRANCISCO CALIF.

MARY MIYAJI LOCATED IN ARVIN SEC. 30 T 31 S R 30 E MADE $1000.00 DOWN PAYMENT ON PURCHASE CONTRACT LAST OCTOBER. FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS WAS DUE JAN 1ST, BUT MIYAJI WAS UNABLE TO PAY AT THAT TIME. LAST TUES. RAY LOBRE, LOCAL INSURANCE AGENT INDUCED HER TO SIGN QUITCLAIM DEED. ALLEGEDLY ASSURED HER THAT HER INTEREST IN LAND WOULD BE PROTECTED. HE IS NOW NEGOTIATING LEASE TO THIRD PARTY. LOBRE STATED TO ME MIYAJI HAS NO INTEREST IN PROPERTY. FEDERAL RESERVE BANK MAN CONCURS THAT THIS IS FLAGRANT EXPLOITATION OF SITUATION. REQUEST ADVICE AND AUTHORITY HANDLE DEAL.

JACK MCKENZIE FIELD AGENT.

HMIYAJI 30 T 21 S R 20 E $100.00 1ST MIYAJI QUITCLAIM

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 25th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAJI MARY
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: RT. 1 - Box 16
(Street and Number)

ARVIN CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MIYAJI, (Surname) MARY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: JAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Farm implements - Tractor $530.00 Paid
$525.00 due

Kelvinator 6 cu ft
O'Keefe & Merritt Gas range (BUTANE) } Have paid approx 1/3.

QUESTION: What to do about above captioned property?

see correspondence Bakersfield

Action taken:*

Asked Mary to contact her creditors and report back

Handled by: [illegible]

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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December 3rd, 1941

Miss Mary Miyagi
Route 1, Box 44A
Arvin, California

My dear Miss Miyagi:

Due to circumstances beyond your control, the payment of $2000.00 due December 31st, 1941, is hereby extended to February 1, 1942 , in accordance with your request. I trust this extension of time will enable you to take care of your obligations on that date.

Tha nking you for your many past favors, I a m

Very truly yours,
Kern County Investment Corp.

By_____
Ray Lobre, President

RL:MW

THIS AGREEMENT, Made in the City of Bakersfield, County of Kern, State of California, on the 25th day of July 1941, between KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION, a California Corporation, hereinafter called the VENDOR, and MARY MIYAJI, hereinafter called the PURCHASER,

W I T N E S S E T H:

1. The VENDOR in consideration of Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred ($17,500.00) Dollars to be paid as hereinafter provided hereby agrees to sell and convey and the PURCHASER agrees to purchase all that certain tract of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situate in the County of Kern, State of California and described as follows:

> The Southeast Quarter(SE¼) of Section Thirty (30), Township Thirty-one South (31S), Range Thirty East (30E), Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, EXCEPTING all existing easements or right of ways for roads, highways, power lines and other purposes.

2. The PURCHASER in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements of the VENDOR hereinafter set forth agrees as follows:

A. To execute and deliver to the Vendor upon the signing and delivering of the agreement herein set forth a promissory note in the principal sum of Three Thousand($3000.00) Dollars, payable One Thousand($1,000.00) Dollars upon the 1st day of October, 1941, and Two Thousand($2,000.00) Dollars payable on or before the 1st day of December, 1941, and in addition thereto to secure thepayments set forth in said note by a crop mortgage upon a thirty-five per cent(35%) interest in a sweet potato crop now being grown in the Edison-Arvin district, Kern County, California upon land to be particularly described in said crop mortgage to be executed and delivered contemporaneously herewith. The receipt of said note and said crop mortgage according to the provisions herein set forth is hereby acknowledged by the Vendor.

B. The balance of the purchase price of Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred ($17,500.00) Dollars is to be paid in equal installments of Two Thousand Five Hundred ($2,500.00) Dollars payable upon the 1st day of January, 1943, and upon each succeeding January 1st, thereafter until the full amount of the purchase price has been paid together with six per cent (6%) interest upon the unpaid balance. In computing the amount of interest to be paid, it is expressly agreed that the interest shall commence to run as of the 1st day of July, 1941.

C. To pay all taxes and assessments or other charges made against the above described real property by the County of Kern, State of California, or any other governmental agencies, bureaus, or divisions, commencing with the 1st day of July, 1941, and continuing until such time as the full purchase price herein provided for has been paid by the Purchaser to the Vendor. In this respect it is further mutually promised and agreed that insofar as tax assessments are concerned the property hereinabove described shall continue to stand in the name of the Vendor and that the Purchaser will do all that may be required to bring about such a result in the event that the land above described should be assessed by any taxing agency in the name of the Purchaser.

D. The Purchaser hereby promises and agrees to use the above described real property in a good and farmer-like manner during the termof this agreement and to keep the same free from noxious weeds during the term of this agreement.

E. The purchaser hereby expressly promises and agrees not to permit any lienor other charges of any nature whatsoever to be made against the above described real property.

3. The VENDOR in consideration of the aforesaid promises and agreements of the PURCHASER hereby agrees as follows:

A. To accept the payment of One Thousand($1,000.00) Dollars due upon the 1st day of October, 1941, and the payment of Two

Thousand ($2,000.00) Dollars due on or before the 1st day of December, 1941, without interest and as soon as both of said payments have been made to use as much of the total of Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars as may be necessary to pay all taxes that have been assessed and levied against the above described real property prior to the 1st day of July, 1941.

B. To deliver to the P,,rchaser within five (5) days after the total purchase price together with interest has been paid a Deed conveying the fee title to the above described real property to the Purchaser.

C. To deliver possession f the premises above described to the Purchaser on the day that this agreement is signed by the parties hereto.

D. After one half of the purchase price herein provided together with interest has been paid by the PURCHASER to the VENDOR to deliver a Deed to the above described property to the P,,rchaser in the event the Purchaser so desires and to accept for the purpose a trust Deed as security for the payment of the remaining one half of the purchase price together with interest.

5. In case the Purchaser shall fail to make the payments as aforesaid, or any of them, punctually and under the strict terms and at the times herein set forth and likewise to conform to any other terms, conditions and agreements herein set forth to be performed by the Purchaser than this contract shall from the date of such failure be null and void and all right and interest hereby created and existing in favor of the Purchaser, Her heirs or assigns, or described in any manner in thiscontract shall utterly cease and terminate and the promises hereby contract shall revert to and invest in the Vendor, its heirs and assigns, without any decl ration of forfeiture or re-entry, or without any other act by the Vendor, its heirs or assigns, to be performed without any right of the Purchaser to reclaim any compensation

for moneys paid or improvements made, as absolutely, fully and perfectly as if this contract had never been made.

TIME IS HEREBY EXPRESSLY declared to be and is hereby made the essence of this agreement.

5. All covenants, agreements and promises herein contained shall extend to and be binding upon the heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns of the respective parties.

6. No assignment of this contract or any part thereof and no assignment of any rights herein created, as they in effect stand, or any part of the real property above described shall be made by the Purchaser without the written consent of the Vendor, andy any such purported assignment made without such consent shall be deemed a violation of the terms and conditions of this agreement.

7. All payments herein provided for shall be made to the Vendor at its office located at 1630 Nineteenth Street, Bakersfield, California, and all communications relative to this agreement shall be made to the Vendor at said address.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals this_____day of July, 1941.

KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION

BY_____Pres.

And_____Sec'y.

VENDOR

(SIGNED) Mary Miyaji

Purchaser.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF KERN SS

On this 25th day of July, 1941, before me JOHN SHORTRIDGE, A Notary Public in and for said county and state, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared MARY MIYAJI known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office, in said county of Kern, State of California, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

John Shortridge (SEAL)

Notary Public in and for the

County of Kern, State of Calif.

STATE F CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF KERN SS

On this 25th day of July, 1941, before me, the undersigned Notary P..blic in and for the said Coubty and State, durly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared RAY LOBRE, known to me to be the President, and MAY F. WOODS, known to me to be the Secretary of the KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION, the corporation described in and that executed the within instrument, and also known to me t o be the person who executed the within instrument on behalf of the corporation therein named, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WI NESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hnd and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first written.

JOHN SHORTRIDGE (SE AL)

Notary P..blic in and for the

County of Kern, State of California.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyajima Company
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4 N. Main St.
(Street and Number)

Lodi, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Wakai, Masao & Shigeto

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated April 17, 1943
from Salinas Field Office.
See Item # 16, page 2.

(Date)

Name: MIYAKAWA June
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 996 San Benito St
(Street and Number)
Hollister Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

MIYAKAWA (Surname)
JUNE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Has sold his packing equipment to M. H. Edmondson, 598 6th Street, Hollister, with FSA okay.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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...ral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3-27-42
(Date)

Name: MIYAKAWA JUNE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 996 San Benito St
(Street and Number)

Hollister Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Name MIYAKAWA (Surname) JUNE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1911 Here since

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: Packer & Shipper

Person Interviewed: J. Miyakawa

Address: 996 San Benito Holl.

Telephone Number: Hollister 667

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Came in with M. H. Edmondson with whom he is negotiating regarding sale of packing equipt etc. May need financial assistance. Wants to leave & move family to Florin & return here & complete selling his business & then join family.

Action taken:* Has someone who will take power of attorney in Hollister in case he does not complete transactions; gave him copy. Explained travel situation & orders for future as now issued to us.

Handled by: Van Liben Sels ~~Salinas~~

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) 2 persons interviewed & 5 persons affected

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

August 11, 1942

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
WCCA Assembly Center,
Tulare, California.

Dear Sir: Subject: Harry Miyake

Please be advised that the letter from Jones & Kavanagh directed to Harry Miyake has been referred to the Farm Security Administration.

We suggest that if either subject or Minoru Sakata approach you further, you refer them direct to the Farm Security Administration whose headquarters are 30 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyake, H. Harry
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: H - 7 - 5
(Street and Number)

Tulare Assembly Center
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

August 12, 1942

Mr. Laurence I. Hewes, Jr.,
Regional Director,
Farm Security Administration,
30 Van Ness Avenue,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to our letter of June 27, 1942.

You will find enclosed an original letter addressed to one Harry Miyake, a copy of which we have retained for our files. Additionally, our Tulare Assembly Center representative advises us that Minoru Takata, mentioned in the letter, gave a Mr. Pat Reyes of Madina Court, El Monte, California authority to market his produce and collect the proceeds. Takata has advised us that he is unable to make such collections although he believes Reyes has been paid by Jones & Kavanagh who apparently purchased the crop from Reyes.

In view of the agricultural nature of this problem, we feel that you will wish to make further exploration and take possible action.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

RWBorden/eln

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Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

KTBorden/eln

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o
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JONES & KAVANAGH CO., LTD.
1362 East Sixth Street,
Los Angeles, California.

July 20, 1942

Harry Miyake
H 7- 5
Tulare Assembly Center
Tulare, California

Dear Sir:

As Mr. Kavanagh is out of town, being at Arvin on the grape deal, he has requested that the writer answer your letter to him.

First of all, in regards to M. Sakata of Oxnard--this party gave a Power of Attorney to a friend of his here and we have made accountings to him on June 2 covering the whole deal, also gave him check to balance.

Suggest you tell Sakata to get in touch with this party and secure these papers.

Yours truly,

JONES & KAVANAGH CO., LTD.

By W. J. Job (signed)

WJJ df

File Farm Security

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. [signature]
AUG 11 1942
REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Borden [signature]
AUG 11 1942
To Farm Sec.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Tulare, California
August 10, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir: Subject: Minoru Takata

The above subject presented the inclosed letter which is only partially explanatory. I understand Takata authorized Mr. Pat Reyes of Nadina Court, El Monte, California, to act as his attorney in the matter of marketing and collecting for his crop. It appears from the attached letter that Jones and Kavanagh Co. Ltd. purchased the crop and settled up with Reyes. Takata reports he is unable to secure an answer or any data on the crop settlement from Reyes.

As this is a Los Angeles problem I thought you might desire the Los Angeles office to look into it.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton

D. M. Dunton, Field Representative
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

8/11 Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By Borden
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

FOR VICTORY
BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 6, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1085 7th St.
(Street and Number)
Oakland Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Miyake (Surname) James (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Louis Petex

~~Address~~: Carl B Munck, Amer Trust Bldg

Telephone Number: Oakland

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Selling his dyeing & cleaning business at above address to Louis Petex, 2113 Durant Ave. Berkeley, for $2250.00 total price - $500 Down & balance @ $50.00 per month to American Trust Co, 7th & Henry Branch who will pay a/c to Surety Finance Co of O.F. and credit balance monthly to his a/c. Sale will include business and equipment as per bill of sale to be prepared. This supercedes agreement referred to in yesterdays report. Concluded terms of agreement with Carl B. Munck, attorney for Miyake satisfactory to all parties. Papers will be signed this PM 2:30 Case Closed

Action taken:*

Lost Dunham
Station #27

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 5 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1085-7th St
(Street and Number)
Oakland Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Amer

Miyake (Surname)
James (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal ~~property involved and~~ scope of problem:

Continued from yesterday's report:-
Prospective buyer, Rusalem phoned that he understood dyeing & cleaning plant @ 1085-7th St could not be operated 2/c of Fire Marshall's ruling. Called on Oakland & phoned State Fire Marshall in S.F. re this plant. Both reported nothing against it. I phoned & reported to Rusalem's office but he was not in personally. Left word for him to call.

Miyake came in at 1:30 PM & reported Ruselem's attorney had told his attorney

Action taken:*
that deal was off. Have not been able to verify that.

L K Dunham
Handled by: #27

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1015 - 7th St
(Street and Number)
Oakland Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Name Miyake (Surname) James (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in U.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: James Miyake

Address: Same

Telephone Number: TE 9966

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyake owns a dyeing & cleaning business at above address which he is attempting to sell. One prospect had placed a $100.00 deposit which he forfeited. He now has an S.F. man named Frank Rusalem who owns & operates the Post Laundry, Presidio of S.F. West 6141 Locals 2056 & 2422 whom he states has offered to buy his machinery & equipment for $2000 cash, & that Miyake's attorney, Carl Munck, Amer. Trust Bldg. Oakland, Tel Hi 4880 is to drawn papers. Munck is also attorney for landlord, Mrs K R Leavey - 842 Magnolia St. Oakland who is willing to give a 5 year lease to the new tenant @ 35.00 per mo.

Problem: No one has made a move

Stated is to contact principals & will continue & report tomorrow

L.S. Dunbar

Handled by: Civil Control 27

Action taken:

Attach additional pages where necessary.

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake (Surname) James (Given) (Print)

Address: 1081 - 7th Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: July 28, 1913

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: Te 9966

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyake operates the Owl Cleaning Shop at 1085 - 7th Street, Oakland, and plans to sell the equipment which he values at $3500.

Action taken:*

Advised Miyake to offer the equipment for sale through the usual channels and to give power of attorney to the American Trust Company, West Oakland branch.

Handled by: Hendrick

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 7 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file: Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 16th 1942
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) MRS KINUYE (Print) (Given)

Address: 1705 FREMONT ST (Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: 21 YEARS

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: BEN YABUNA

Address: 1007 GLENWOOD

Telephone Number: 7591

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
SEE REPORT SAME NAME - 4-6th-1942

4 TRUCKS LISTED IN ABOVE REPORT
ARE SOLD AT SATISFACTORY PRICES

Action taken:*

ASKED FOR NAME
OF PURCHASERS & PRICE

RECEIVED
MAY 18 1942
EVACUEE
PROPERTY
DEPT.

24 PERSONS

Handled by: SD

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: ✓

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

MIYAKE (Surname) Mrs Kinuye (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 28th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) Mrs. (Print) KINUYE (Given)

Address: 1704 FREMONT ST (Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

MIYAKE (Surname)

KINUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 21 years ago

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See report same name april 6th

(V) Denver Nielson, Fresno Attorney, represents Neff. I determined Nielson was advising Neff not to pay due to fact Mr. Miyake is in Detention camp. Called him and agreed to have certified copy of Power of Attorney mailed if he would recommend payment. This was done, but it was necessary to call Nielson again to secure results

Neff finally paid ½ cash and gave Post dated check for balance.

Action taken:*

Asked for report on sale of cars. Will check Thursday

24 PERSONS

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*Attach additional pages where necessary

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Print) (Given)

Address: 1704 FREMONT ST (Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Name MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 21 YEARS AGO

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

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Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME APRIL 1ST

① LABOR CAMP. EXPECT 1ST NAT'L BANK IN DELANO TO HANDLE
WILL DECIDE APRIL 7TH

② ACCT RECEIVABLE - $870.00 MR. NEFF - NEAR HANFORD
HAS PROMISED TO PAY.

③ CARS

1937 CHEV PICKUP = $300.00 OFFERED
1940 CHEV. SEDAN WILL KEEP
1940 CHEV 1½ T TRUCK - WILL KEEP
1935 " " " " SELL
1937 " " " " "

QUESTION: HOW TO TRANSFER CAR + TRUCKS ?
HUSBAND IN DETENTION CAMP.

Action taken:*

SUPPLIED POWER OF ATTORNEY FORMS, TO BE SENT TO HUSBAND - FRANK TORAO MIYAKE, FOR SIGNATURE. 1 EACH FOR CARS + 1 FOR GENERAL USE.

24 PERSONS (4 HAVE LEFT)

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BAKER PRINTING CO. L.A. CAL.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1st 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE KINUYE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1704 FREMONT P.O. Box 876
(Street and Number)

DELANO CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Name Miyake (Surname) Kinuye (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 21 years ago.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MIYAKE = Labor Camp. SHE owns fixtures ONLY
Last fixtures 2500 = Value now $2000.00
4 Trucks 1 auto = Value $2000.00
Due on car 200.00 - on Trucks $450.00
Has Labor Acct. Rec. $870.00 from Rancher near Hanford

Question: What to do about trucks auto. and acct. Rec?

Action taken:*

Suggested sale of trucks = clear up = debts. Lease Labor Camp.
Push collection of account Receivable thru mail or attorney

Including laborers = 28 persons =

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Directed to file:

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 6, 1942 X
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1085 7th St.
(Street and Number)

Oakland Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship:

Name: Miyake (Surname) James (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Louis Petex

~~Address~~: Carl B Munck, Amer Trust Bldg

Telephone Number: Oakland

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Selling his dyeing & cleaning business at above address to Louis Petex, 2113 Durant Ave. Berkeley, for $2250.00 total price - $500 Down & Balance @ $50.00 per month to American Trust Co, 7th & Henry Branch who will pay a/c to Surety Finance Co of O.F. and credit balance monthly to his b/c. Sale will include business and equipment as per bill of sale to be prepared. This supercedes agreement referred to in yesterdays report. Concluded terms of agreement with Carl B. Munck, attorney for Miyake satisfactory to all parties. Papers will be signed this PM 2:30 Case Closed

Action taken:*

Handled by: L.O.L. Dunham Station #27

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CARL B. MUNCK

ATTORNEY AT LAW

PHILLIPS & MUNCK
[illegible] BROADWAY BUILDING
[illegible] BROADWAY
OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

OFFICE
HIGHGATE 4880
RESIDENCE
HUMBOLDT 4532

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake (Surname) James (Print) (Given)

Address: 1081 - 7th Street (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: JUly 28, 1913

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: Te 9966

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyake operates the Owl Cleaning Shop at 1085 - 7th Street, Oakland, and plans to sell the equipment which he values at $3500.

Action taken:*

Advised Miyake to offer the equipment for sale through the usual channels and to give power of attorney to the American Trust Company, West Oakland branch.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 7 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file: Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 5, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1085 - 7th St
(Street and Number)

Oakland Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Amer

Name Miyake James
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Continued from yesterday's report:-

~~Principal property involved and~~ scope of problem:

Prospective buyer, Rusalem phoned that he understood dyeing & cleaning plant @ 1085-7th St could not be operated a/c of Fire Marshall's ruling. Called on Oakland & phoned State Fire Marshall in S.F. re this plant. Both reported nothing against it. I phoned & reported to Rusalem's office but he was not in personally. Left word for him to call.

Miyake came in at 1:30 PM & reported Ruselem's attorney had told his attorney that deal was off. Have not been able to verify that.

Action taken:*

L S Dunham

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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May 4, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1085 - 7th St
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Name Miyake (Surname) James (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in US

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: James Miyake

Address: Same

Telephone Number: TE 9966

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyake owns a dyeing + cleaning business at above address which he is attempting to sell. One prospect had placed a $100.00 deposit which he forfeited. He now has an S.F. man named Frank Rusalem who owns + operates the Post Laundry, Presidio of S.F. West 6141 Locals 2056 + 2422 whom he states has offered to buy his machinery + equipment for $2000 cash, + that Miyake's attorney, Carl Munck, Amer. Trust Bldg. Oakland, Tel Hi 4880 is to drawn papers. Munck is also attorney for landlord, Mrs K R Leavey - 842 Magnolia St. Oakland who is willing to give a 5 year lease to the new tenant @ 35.00 per mo.

Action taken:*

L. S. Dunham

Problem: No one has made a move

Handled by: Civil Control 27

Started in to contact principals + will continue + report tomorrow

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 16th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) MRS KINUYE (Print) (Given)

Address: 1705 FREMONT ST (Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: 21 YEARS

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: BEN YABUNA

Address: 1007 GLENWOOD

Telephone Number: 7591

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
SEE REPORT SAME NAME - 4-6TH-1942

4 TRUCKS LISTED IN ABOVE REPORT ARE SOLD AT SATISFACTORY PRICES

Action taken:*

ASKED FOR NAME OF PURCHASERS & PRICE

RECEIVED MAY 18 1942 EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

24 PERSONS

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Directed to file: ✓

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

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Name MIYAKE (Surname) Mrs Kinuye (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 28th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) Mrs. (Print) KINUYE (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1704 FREMONT ST
(Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Name MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 21 years ago

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See report same name April 6th

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Neff finally paid ½ cash and gave post dated check for balance.

Action taken:*

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24 PERSONS

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Print) (Given)

Address: 1704 FREMONT ST (Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Telephone:
Interview: —

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: 31 YEARS AGO

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

YAB

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME APRIL 1ST

(1) LABOR CAMP. EXPECT 1ST NATL BANK IN DELANO TO HANDLE WILL DECIDE APRIL 7TH.

(2) ACCT RECEIVABLE $870.00 MR. NEFF - NEAR HANFORD HAS PROMISED TO PAY.

(3) CARS

1937 CHEV PICKUP $300.00 OFFERED
1940 CHEV. SEDAN WILL KEEP
1940 CHEV 1/2 T TRUCK - WILL KEEP
1935 " " " " SELL
1937 " " " " "

QUESTION: HOW TO TRANSFER CAR + TRUCKS ?
HUSBAND IN DETENTION CAMP.

Action taken:*

SUPPLIED POWER OF ATTORNEY FORMS, TO BE SENT TO HUSBAND - FRANK TORAO MIYAKE, FOR SIGNATURE. 1 EACH FOR CARS & 1 FOR GENERAL USE.

24 PERSONS (4 HAVE LEFT)

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Given) Issei

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1st 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE KINUYE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1704 FREMONT P.O. Box 876
(Street and Number)

DELANO CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Name Miyake (Surname) Kinuye (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 21 years ago

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MIYAKE - Labor Camp. SHE owns fixtures ONLY
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Question: What to do about trucks auto. and acct. Rec?

Action taken:*

Suggested sale of trucks - clear up - debts. Lease Labor Camp.
Push collection of account Receivable thru mail or attorney

Including laborers
- 28 persons -

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____
(Date)

Name: Miyake Margaret
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 452 San Juan Rd
(Street and Number)

Salinas
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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C O P Y

Paul L. Floda
Attorney At Law
Bank of America Bldg.

April 29, 1942.

Mr. J. F. van Loben Sels,
c/O Federal Reserve Bank of S.F.
125 Monterey St.
Salinas, California.

Dear Mr. van Loben Sels:

I am sending you herewith copy of Power of Attorney executed by Margaret T. Miyake to me yesterday.

Miss Miyake desired to take out a policy of fire insurance on some buildings and equipment owned by her and located on the Redevilla Ranch, and the insurance company required that she appoint an attorney in fact, and I have agreed to act as such for her.

Very truly yours,

Paul L. Floda /s/

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated 4/17/42 from Salinas Field Office. See Item # 2

(Date)

Name: MIYAKE Margaret
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 452, San Juan Road
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Miyake Margaret
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Has turned her lease back to land owners, Onorata, Elvira & Pietro Pedevilla with FSA approval. Has filed agreement with land owners for lease of her improvements.

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-11-42
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE MARGARET
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Bx 452 San Juan Road
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Date of last entry into United States: 1919- Born in Calif. never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: M. Miyake

Address: as above

Telephone Number: -

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has a 1937 Dodge Pickup truck in father's name, Manpei Miyake a Japanese whose last entry into U.S. was in 1916. Also a 1933 Plymouth sedan in father's name. Both these cars are clear. Want to know if they should sell cars as they have a customer for the truck.

This evacuee was in on the 24th of March and made a statement about some property under lease, and some buildings which she owned on this lease on the old San Juan Road not far from Natividad. She has made arrangements to turn her lease back to the landowner and sell her spinach and left a copy of an agreement with us giving her the right to keep the house for the storage of her effects for 5 years and not disturbing her ownership. Ranch deal has F.S.A. approval and seems to be satisfactory to all parties and a good deal.

Action taken:* Suggested she leave P. of A. with her attorney Paul Pioda for the care of her household goods and also for her car and truck. She seems to want to keep the car in any event but may sell the truck. Explained to her there was no difficulty about selling cars or trucks.

Handled by: van Liebenstein

Directed to file: Salinas

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(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
8 persons affected

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3-25-42
(Date)

Name: Miyake T. Margaret
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Bx 452 San Juan Rd
(Street and Number)

Salinas Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name Miyake T.M.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1919 Born Cal & never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: T. M. Miyake
Address: Bx 452 San Juan Rd
Telephone Number: — 4098

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Lease 10.67A for 3 years dated 11-41. Built house & garage. Ranch operated by Father - alien - & 2 brothers - 1 brother in Army. Now ± 8A in spinach. Own equipment & have no debts. What to do with crop & lease & how to secure value of house & garage. Claim relations with lessor very fine & that he wants to help them. They are indefinite as to terms of lease, especially as regards improvements.

Action taken:*
asked them to bring in lease & spinach contract & let me talk to Father & lessor with them. Have no bank or lawyer. Said they would return.

2 persons interviewed
8" represented

Handled by: ~~Salinas~~ van Liben Sols

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyaki S. Sueda
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Auburn
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Am. Fruit Growers Inc.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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(Date)

Name: Miyaki Sumi (Mrs.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 2509 Irving St
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Yama Cleaners

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKO'S BEAUTY SHOPPE (Mrs. Mary Kakinami)
(Print)

Address: 1324 4th St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659
" Mrs N (Mary) Kakinami)

Action taken:*

Handled by:

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyama George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Lodi Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: J.A.C.L., Lodi

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

File

Name: Miyano Sue Take (Date)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____ Telephone:
(Street and Number) Interview:

Maxwell Adult:
(City) (State) Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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Name (Surname) (Given) (Date)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Special Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: Metzger _____
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Marysville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: X
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mr. Metzger

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Relative to rental of O. K. Garage. Interviews #31 and 62. Mr. Metzger has consented to lease taking possession at time of evacuation, thus giving Mr. & Mrs. Miyama residence and business right up to evacuation.

Action taken:*

Case closed

INTERVIEW # 72.

1 person interviewed
2 people interested
3 Total

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

File: Myama, Sa Takeo

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: O. K. GARAGE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 222 So Center ST
(Street and Number)

Stockton, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See O.K. Garage

See also; Metzer, Mr.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

April 23, 1942

O. K. Garage,
222 So. Center Street,
Stockton, California.

Dear Sirs:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 21, 1942 informing us of your efforts to dispose of a tire and three tubes, size 550-17.

Upon the assumption that these are new articles, we referred your problem to the local office of the Office of Price Administration which has jurisdiction over such matters. They informed us that the alternatives open to you would be to sell them to a dealer, or to communicate with the manufacturer of the tire and tubes who would be in a position to extend a credit for the articles.

We are forwarding a copy of your letter and of our reply to the Office of Price Administration, 1355 Market Street, San Francisco. It is suggested that you communicate with that office if further information is desired.

Yours very truly,

Armstrong:gh

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Office of Price Administration,
1355 Market Street,
San Francisco, California.

cc: Mr. L. S. Weeks
Field Representative
Stockton, California

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [signature]
APR 2 - 1942

222 So. Center St
Stockton, California
April 21, 1942

Dear Sir:

We have in our possession a 550-17 tire and three tubes of the same size.

We asked the W.C.C.A. Office of how we could dispose the tire and tubes. They said to try the Garages and Dealers but they do not care for them.

We like to know how we can dispose of them.

Sincerely yours
O.K. Garage.

4-27 Answered
Ausd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required

Directed to File
By [signature]
Surname

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyama, Mr. & Mrs. Takao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of March 31, April 8, and April 14, 1942.

See Marysville Memo of June 2, 1942.

These people are continuing their garage business. In event of evacuation they consult Mr. Jack Fuller, who has power of attorney for Mrs. Iuasaki, the owner of property. Mr. Metzger who was to have leased building in event of evacuation, does not think his chance for possession warrants waiting much longer.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyama, Mr. & Mrs. Takao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Arrangements made to vacate property at time general evacuation.
Made arrangements to store unsold equipment.

Area #1

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Handled by: ~~K. T. Gregg~~ Marysville

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Name MIYAMA (Surname) MR. & MRS. TAKAO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 8, 1942
(Date)

SEE INTERVIEW # 31

Name: Miyama Mrs. May
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. May Miyama is contemplating relinquishing her lease and storing her business equipment on or before May 15th.

Brought up questions of building car trailer. Advised to go slow on this

Action taken:*

Area #1

INTERVIEW # 62

1 person interviewed

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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Name MIYAMA (Surname) MAY (MRS.) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyama, Mr. & Mrs. Takeo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 117 C. St.
(Street and Number)

Marysville California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female: X
Citizenship: U. S.
(both)

Date of last entry into United States: Not in last 15 years

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: X
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mrs. May Miyama

Address: 117 C. St., Marysville

Telephone Number: 1624

Principal property involved and scope of problem: O. K. Garage. This building is owned by Mrs. Iwasaki. Lease made for 5 years. If terminated by Mr. Miyama he was to pay $150.00. If terminated by Mrs. Iwasaki she was to pay $300.00 to the leassees.

Inventory about $2000.00. Practically cleared. Wishes to know if can store with local, professional warehouseman.

Action taken:* Advised parties to try to settle lease without cost to anyone. Said they could store with local warehouseman and to have warehouseman to call me for assurance.

Area #1

1 person interviewed
4 others interested (husband, 3 children)
5 Represented. INTERVIEW # 31

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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MIYAMA (Surname) TAKEO MR. AND MRS. (Given)

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

Miyamoto, K

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Letter to Miyamoto, K
Rt 1 – Box 149 – Ft Lupton, Colo

Re Statement of amount due.

Filed Japanese Farm Equipment

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 3 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto M
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 1 Box 174
(Street and Number)

Selma, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 1942 Chevrolet to sell.

Action taken:*

Advised him to go to priority board to get the name of some one with the right to buy. If unable to sell before evacuation we would sell it for him to the army

Handled by: [illegible]

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5 in family

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 1716 - 11th St, Reedley, Cal

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Masako & Kenichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rte. 1 Box 28
(Street and Number)
Walnut Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor: x
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of May 6th, 1942

See Sacramento list of May 28th.

Supplements 3/30, 4/4, 4/20, 4/23, 4/25 and 5/6 closed. U.S.D.A. checks to be held by Office of Disbursements pending outcome of Blocked account.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 67
May 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Kenichi and Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor: X
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: USDA

Address:

Telephone Number:

Name MIYAMOTO (Surname) Kenichi & Masako (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our problem cases of March 30, April 4, April 20, and April 23. Also copies of letters to U. S. Department of Agriculture referring to 1941 sugar beet benefit #93-054-64.

Later telephone conversations with Mr. Craven, chairman of Sacramento County War Board, and Mr. Fawcett, office manager here. We advised Mr. Fawcett that we believed Mr. D. Davidson had a wrong impression in assuming that Kenichi Miyamoto had the a uthority to endorse checks made payable to M. Miyamoto for deposit.

We advised Mr. Fawcett and Mr. Craven that it was our understanding the license held by K. Miyamoto for the liquidation of his own affairs does not authorize him to endorse checks payable to M. Miyamoto who went to Japan without leaving a power of attorney.

Action taken:* Mr. Fawcett then informed us that these checks will not be mailed to the Bank of America at Isleton for lack of suitable endorsements but will be held at the office of disbursements until some final arrangements for the payments are made with proper authority,

Handled by: Schmitt

3 Interviewed
10 Represented

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(3-5055) Sacramento Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Agricultural Adjustment Agency

P. O. Box 247
Berkeley, California
April 25, 1942

Refer to: AUD

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, Calif.

Att: A. J. Reid
Sac. Field Rep.

Gentlemen:

Re: 1941 Sugar Beets #93-034-64
M. Miyamoto - address, Japan

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 23, 1942 relative to the payment earned by M. Miyamoto whose address was shown on the 1941 Sugar application for payment as Hiroshimaken, Japan.

The Disbursing Office has agreed to give us a transcript of the check in order that we may authorize its delivery. In accordance with your letter therefore, we will have the check delivered to M. Miyamoto, in care of Bank of America at Isleton. We are assuming that K. Miyamoto has the authority to endorse the check for deposit.

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) Dave Davidson

Dave Davidson, Chairman
California Agricultural Conservation Committee

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Sac. 67

April 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Miss Masako & Mr. Kenichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor: x
Male: x
Female: x
Citizenship: _____

MISS MASAKO MIYAMOTO (Surname)
MR. KENICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our reports of April 4 and April 20 - (These problems closed)

New problem - Has claim against Flotill Products Company, Stockton, for about $140.00 in bonus.

Also has a payment due from Sugar Beet Benefit, payments about $2000.00.

Action taken:*

Will arrange new bank account at Bank of America, Isleton, in the name of M. Miyamoto, address Japan, a blocked account.

At the present time, the bank account stands in this name:

present — Signature for Bank of America Isleton account: R. Miyamoto (This account is a blocked acct)

Sacramento Office

funds have not yet been released in this account —

Handled by: R.W.Schmitt

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sec. 67

April 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto (Surname) Miss Masako (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

MIYAMOTO (Surname)
MISS MASAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

A. Under General License #1 - Funds from various sources could be deposited in a domestic bank in a Blocked Account in the name of M. Miyamoto:- K. Miyamoto, the father of M.M. expressed a desire that such an account be opened in Bank of America at Isleton.

B. We also find these people have about $2550.00 due from the A.A. A. as a Sugar Beet Benefit - now being held for proper distribution.

Action taken:*

A. Persuant to the request we have arranged for Mr. Chismore at the Bank of America at Isleton, to establish such an account.

Mr. Greenberg of Spreckles Sugar Company expresses his willingness to deposit the balance due M. Miyamoto in this account - amount of $774.43. Check forwarded today.

B. Attached letter explains action taken thus far.

Handled by: Schmitt

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

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1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 23, 1942

Mr. Dave Davidson
Chief of Agricultural Adjustment Administration
Berkeley, California

Subject: M. Miyamoto
Address - Japan
Your serial number 93-034-64
1941 Sugar Beet Benefit

Dear Sir:

After telephone conversation today with Mr. A. H. Holland, 417 Market Street, San Francisco, at his request I am referring this matter to you. The Federal Reserve Bank is endeavoring to help adjust the account of M. Miyamoto in collecting accrued credits.

On this date, a special bank account has been established with the Bank of America at Isleton in the name of said M. Miyamoto. This is to be a "blocked account." This is for the purpose of segregating all funds purporting to belong to M. Miyamoto.

We are also informed by Mrs. M. C. Menth in the Sacramento office of the AAA that the account of M. Miyamoto consists of one check for about $86.00 and another for about $2464.89.

If this all be correct and it is your desire to find the place to deposit the balance due said M. Miyamoto, we suggest that it be deposited in the account at Bank of America, Isleton, heretofore referred to. Kindly advise us if this method of handling meets with your approval.

Yours very truly,

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

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...eral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States Supplement to Sac. 67

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Kenichi and Miss Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor: x
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Refers: Also to Misako Miyamoto, now in Japan.

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?: Applied for.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Harry Sasaki

Address: P. O. Box 118, Isleton

Telephone Number: 2501 - Isleton

Case refers back to March 30 and April 4.

Principal property involved and scope of problem: To attempt to clarify these reports and conclude this account.

These people have a contract and deal with the Spreckles Sugar Company under name of M. Miyamoto, which all concerned refer to as the female, Misako Miyamoto, now in Japan. Spreckles admit a balance due them about $774.43 from Spreckles Sugar Company. Mr. K. A. Kincaid says they have notice this account is blocked and that they are to withhold payment. Apparantly, no power of attorney exists from the M. Miyamoto in Japan. (No bank account in this name is known of.)

Mr. Kincaid of Spreckles Sugar Company also informs us that evidently M. Miyamoto left for Japan in April 1941 and Spreckles have made several partial payments to above name, and they have been endorsed and cashed by someone here.

Action taken:*

Called Spreckles and they are willing to pay duly authorized persons.

Note to San Francisco - Looks like matter for Foreign Funds Control.

Can you suggest any other way to handle amended report?

RWS

3 Interviewed
10 Represented

Sacramento Office

Handled by: R.W.Schmitt

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. # 67 Supplement
Miyamoto, Miss Masako and Kenichi
April 1, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyamoto Kenichi and Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove California
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

KIYAMOTO (Surname)
KENICHI AND MASAKO (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

(1) These people have now acquired their permit to sell tomato plants etc., and called at this office wanting to know the advisability of accepting the offer of F. M. Grissel, 820 South Wilson Way, Stockton to liquidate the account of their tractor.

(2) They also asked further questions in regard to their 1941 Crysler Royal Sedan - original cost about $1600.00 - balance due on sales contract is about $55.50.

Action taken:*

(1) After analysing it they are satisfied with Mr. Grissel's offer and now request a permit to go and close the deal.

(2) Will probably pay the balance and clear the car.

Interview - 3
Represented

Handled by: RWS

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Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. # 67

Miss MASAKO March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto-Kenichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor: ✓
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: alien

Date of last entry into United States: 1921 - 1932 - 1932
Miss M mrs Misao

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Miss Masako -
Address: above
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Kenichi "father" a blocked national "rea" letter to assigned # SF - 19478. applying for permit to sell tomato plants etc, and make payments on current bills.

Action taken:* Will fill out form and consult their attorney

Allends

Handled by: RWD

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2 interviewed 4 in family Sacramento

Name Miyamoto-Kenichi, Miss Masako
(Surname) (Given)

March 19, 1942

Mr. K. Miyamoto,
Box 28,
Walnut Grove, California.

Re: Application dated January 30, 1942
Assigned No. SF. 19478

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the application recently submitted to us to allow the unblocking of your bank account, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and desire a license which will permit the disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Evans

Assistant Cashier.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 27, 1942

Miyamoto Masao

Name: Fresno Assembly Center
(Surname) (Print) (Given)
Fair Grounds - Fresno California

Address: _____
Fresno (Street and Number) California

_____
(City) (State)

_____
(Date) x
Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Fair Grounds - Fresno California

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Refer to your letter dated June 19th, 1942.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

After contacting Mr Miyamoto several times out at the Center regarding what disposition he wished to make of his 1937 Ford Sedan, he finally decided to sign the forms you sent us to be filled out signifying his willingness to sell to the Army at the appraised value $170.00. He felt however that anyone on the outside would be willing to pay him $250.00 or $300.00 ~~fxx~~ for the car as there is at least $100.00 worth of rubber on it. He asked that we do what we could to dispose of the car on the outside prior to the Army's picking it up .

DUPLICATE COPIES OF FORM ENCLOSED

Townes

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Room [illegible] Patterson Building - Fresno California

Directed to file: _____

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 19, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
2146 Inyo Street,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

On May 27th we directed our conversion letter, copy of which is attached, to the above subject encouraging him to sell his car to the Army under Alternative No. 2.

Our file does not indicate that Mr. Miyamoto authorized us to effect such a sale and we shall appreciate having you contact him, suggesting that this form be completed. The amount offered to Mr. Miyamoto for his 1937 Ford Sedan was $170.00.

Yours very truly,

R Everson

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED
STATES
SAVINGS
BONDS
AND STAMPS

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MIYAMOTO (Surname) (Print) MASAO (Given)

Address: Family No (62) 29537
(Street and Number)

FRESNO, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Race

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

Directed to file:

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(S-5055)

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 11, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith original copy of EPMS signed by Masao Miyamoto and Alex Bechkoff along with forms WCCA-FRB three and four covering sale of 1937 Ford V8 Fordor Sedan.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJM
Enc.

July 9, 1942

Mr. W. D. Toomes, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 E. W. Patterson Building
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto,
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

As requested we are forwarding revised Forms EPB-8 in order to allow the above subject to deliver his car to Mr. Alex Seehkoff instead of Sergeant Rudolph R. Preciado Jr, to whom the car was originally planned to have been delivered.

The registration and ownership certificates were forwarded to you in our letter of July 3rd, and we trust you will turn them over to Mr. Seehkoff as soon as the transaction is completed. When the original Form EPB-8 has been signed by both parties and the evacuee has returned his copies of Forms WCCA-PHB-3 and 4, kindly deliver the car to Mr. Seehkoff.

The duplicate of the Form EPB-8 should then be given to the evacuee for his records, and the original together with the Forms WCCA-PHB-3 and 4, should be sent to this office.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 8, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

We are returning herewith form EPM-8 covering 1937 Ford V8, License #8E8035, registered in the name of Masao Miyamoto as Sergeant Rudolph R. Preciado was unable to raise the necessary cash to close the deal.

Kindly make up new EPM-8 on this car authorizing delivery of registration card and ownership certificate to Alex Bechkoff who has deposited money order with us payable to Mr. Miyamoto in the sum of $200.00.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJH
Enc.

July 3, 1942

W. D. Tennes, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 Patterson Building,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto,
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your request of July 2nd, we are enclosing Form EPM-8 in duplicate to enable the above subject to sell his car to Sergeant Rudolph R. Preciado Jr, of Pinedale. The registration and ownership certificates are also enclosed.

We presume that the Sergeant does not come under the provision of our instruction letter dated June 24th, wherein, personal dealings, "By persons connected with the Wartime Civil Control State in any capacity cannot be tolerated". If the provisions of this instruction letter do not in any way include Sergeant Preciado Jr., then therefore, arrangements can be made to transfer the car from Mr. Miyamoto to him.

As soon as the Form EPM-8 has been signed by both parties and the evacuee has returned his copies of Forms WCCA-FRB 3 and 4, kindly deliver the registration and ownership certificate and the car to Sergeant Preciado Jr.

The duplicate of the Form EPM-8 should then be given to the evacuee for his records, and the original, together, with forms WCCA-FRB 3 and 4 should be sent to this office.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

G.Tiaffay:rew

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 2, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Kindly foward us the pink slip and EPMS's covering M. Miyamoto's 1937 Ford V8 as arrangements have been made to sell this car to Sergeant Rudolph R. Presciado Jr. of Pinedale for $200.00 cash.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJH

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

July 1, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
T. W. Patterson Building,
Room 319,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

On June 27th Mr. Townes sent us our conversion form letter duly signed by the above subject in which he has authorized us to sell his 1937 Ford V-8 to the Army.

Due to the fact that Mr. George Kawano appears to be the legal owner of record, we are enclosing in duplicate our Form EP-6, Statement of Indebtedness Owing to Legal Owner of Motor Vehicle, which we request that you present to him for completion. The duplicate copy may be retained by Mr. Kawano for his records.

When the latter party has set forth the settlement balance that will be acceptable as the final payment, please contact Mr. Miyamoto again and assist him in reviewing this statement. If the settlement balance is an accurate statement of his account, have him confirm this by signing on the line at the bottom of the form. Furthermore, explain to Mr. Miyamoto that the amount which will be remitted to him when his car is sold to the Army will be the difference between the amount of our appraisal of $170.00 and that sum which he owes to Mr. George Kawano.

As soon as this form is duly executed by both parties, please forward the original directly to this office. If, for one reason or another, the legal owner had been previously satisfied, kindly secure the ownership certificate properly endorsed on the reverse side on lines 1 and 2 and return same to this office together with our Form EP-6, which of course in this case would not require execution.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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Statement of Indebtedness Owing to Legal Owner of Motor Vehicle

George Kawano
Rt. 1, Box 372
Dinuba, California

29537
(Family Number)

July 1, 1942
(Date)

The following described motor vehicle has been delivered to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, as Fiscal Agent of the United States, by the registered owner for disposition. Inasmuch as the registration certificate indicates that you are the legal owner, it is requested that the center portion of this form be completed by you and returned to this bank in order that proper disposition may be made of the vehicle or proceeds therefrom.

Registered Owner Masao Miyamoto Address Rt. 2, Box 91-A, Selma, Calif.
Make Ford 8 Model 4-Door Sedan License Number 8E8035
Motor Number 54-290611 Serial Number 54-290611 Date first sold 9/21/37

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO
FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
By A. E. Evenson

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO
FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
As Agent of the Evacuee.

(Date)

We hereby certify that the following information, as shown by our records, is correct and that we, as legal owners of the vehicle described above, will accept as final payment of the indebtedness against it, the amount indicated after the caption "SETTLEMENT BALANCE".

CONTRACT ☐ OR MORTGAGE ☐ Dated ..... 19..., payments to be made ..... (Monthly, etc.) in amount of $ ..... commencing ..... 19..., and maturing ..... 19....

Original amount of contract	$		
Paid to date	$		
BALANCE OWING ON CONTRACT			$
Less:			
Insurance Rebate	$		
Carrying Charge Refund	$		
Other Allowances	$		
		$	
Plus:			
Interest to ..... (Date)	$		
Other charges ..... (Specify)	$		
		$	$
SETTLEMENT BALANCE (Amount which will be acceptable as final payment on or prior to ..... (Date) *).			$

(Name of Legal Owner)

(Address)

*Insert date next installment is due.

By ..... (Official Signature)

(Date)

The foregoing statement of balance owing is hereby confirmed.

(Name of Evacuee)

EP 6 (4-42) 1500 4-42 (12396) ☐

July 1, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
T. W. Patterson Building,
Room 319,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Kazuo Miyamoto
Family No. (62) 27537

Dear Sir:

On June 27th Mr. Townes sent us our conversion form letter duly signed by the above subject in which he has authorized us to sell his 1937 Ford V-8 to the Army.

Due to the fact that Mr. George Kawano appears to be the legal owner of record, we are enclosing in duplicate our Form EP-6, Statement of Indebtedness Owing to Legal Owner of Motor Vehicle, which we request that you present to him for completion. The duplicate copy may be retained by Mr. Kawano for his records.

When the latter party has set forth the settlement balance that will be acceptable as the final payment, please contact Mr. Miyamoto again and assist him in reviewing this statement. If the settlement balance is an accurate statement of his account, have him confirm this by signing on the line at the bottom of the form. Furthermore, explain to Mr. Miyamoto that the amount which will be remitted to him when his car is sold to the Army will be the difference between the amount of our appraisal of $170.00 and that sum which he owes to Mr. George Kawano.

As soon as this form is duly executed by both parties, please forward the original directly to this office. If, for one reason or another, the legal owner had been previously satisfied, kindly secure the ownership certificate properly endorsed on the reverse side on lines 1 and 2 and return same to this office together with our Form EP-6, which of course in this case would not require execution.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures

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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 1, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

We are enclosing herewith pink slip covering Ford V8, License #6E8035 in the name of Masao Miyamoto. It is attached to his automobile papers.

Very truly yours,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJH
Enc.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto Masao
(Print)

Address: Fresno Assembly Center
Fair Grounds-Fresno California
(Street and Number)

Fresno California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x
Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Address: Fair Grounds - Fresno California
Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to your letter dated June 19th, 1942.

Action taken:*

After contacting Mr Miyamoto several times out at the Center regarding what disposition he wished to make of his 1937 Ford Sedan, he finally decided to sign the forms you sent us to be filled out signifying his willingness to sell to the Army at the appraised value $170.00. He felt however that anyone on the outside would be willing to pay him $250.00 or $300.00 for the car as there is at least $100.00 worth of rubber on it. He asked that we do what we could to dispose of the car on the outside prior to the Army's picking it up.

DUPLICATE COPIES OF FORM ENCLOSED

Handled by: Townes

* Attach additional pages where necessary
Room 319 Patterson Building - Fresno California

June 19, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
2146 Inyo Street,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

On May 27th we directed our conversion letter, copy of which is attached, to the above subject encouraging him to sell his car to the Army under Alternative No. 2.

Our file does not indicate that Mr. Miyamoto authorized us to effect such a sale and we shall appreciate having you contact him, suggesting that this form be completed. The amount offered to Mr. Miyamoto for his 1937 Ford Sedan was $170.00.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

May 27, 1942

Mr. Masao Miyamoto,
% WCCA Assembly Center,
Fairgrounds,
Fresno, California.

Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

At the time the Exclusion Order, affecting the area in which you previously resided, was being carried out, you delivered your motor vehicle to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, as Fiscal Agent of the United States, for storage at your own risk and without insurance, with the understanding that such storage would be in an open area which would subject it to more or less rapid deterioration.

With the thought in mind that you might have been hesitant to offer your motor vehicle for sale to the United States Army at that time, because you had no assurance of the amount which you would receive for it, we have had it appraised by two independent appraisers.

The Army, through this Bank, is now ready to make a definite offer, based on this appraisal, as follows:

Amount offered	$ 170.00
Less amount which will be acceptable as final payment by legal owner	$
Balance to be remitted to registered owner .	$ 170.00

Should you now feel that because of the rapid deterioration to which your car is subjected, you are willing to accept payment as indicated above, please so indicate in the space provided below.

Please give this matter your immediate consideration, as the appraised value, as mentioned, is based upon an immediate sale to the Army and cannot be held open for an indefinite period of time.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

To the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Fiscal Agent of the United States

I wish to sell my car to the Army under Alternative No. 2 on WCCA Form FRB-4 on the above basis instead of having it held for storage. This will constitute your authority to effect such sale.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyamoto Nursery
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5013 Wall Avenue
(Street and Number)
Richmond, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States **Supplement Sac. 162**

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: **Miyamoto** **Sumio**
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: **2200 Eighteenth Street**
(Street and Number)

Sacramento **California**
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Home - Subject $3000-Deed of Trust.

Action taken:*

Writes, " All arrangements have now been completed.

Case Closed

Handled by: McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

Directed to File:
Sacramento Office

Name: MIYAMOTO (Surname) Sumio (Given)

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
May 1, 1942.

Sac. # 162

Mr. Sumio Miyamoto
2200 Eighteenth Street
Sacramento, California

Dear Sir:

Not long ago we wrote you requesting a report of progress on your preparations for evacuation, but we have had no response from you.

We are very much interested in learning promptly whether we can be of further assistance to you. Please report, on the reverse of this letter, the present status of your arrangements for evacuation.

Very truly yours,

A. J. Reid

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

MMM:DH

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Dear Mr. Reid:

All arrangements have now been completed, and we are now ready to go to the designated center upon due notice.

Thank you for the interest and kindness you have shown in my problems.

Respectfully yours,

Sumio Miyamoto

FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

162

April 18, 1942

Miss M. M. McFarland
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California.

Dear Miss McFarland:

In reply to your letter of the 16th, I am happy to inform you of the progress made:

I have sold my car, and some of my furnishings. The house, I expect to rent partly furnished, and have a realtor in mind to handle the renting for me while I am gone. No agency contract, however, as yet, has been made.

Most of my things have been packed and the balance can be packed in a day or so.

I have been suspended from my position with the State, so am now out of job. With most of Japanese firms now closed or in liquidation, I am not able to find any means of livelihood, so the sooner I get to the centers, the better it may be for my family, and the three children.

I am on the Federal Civil Service list for Assistant Accountant and Auditor. If personnel at the centers are being selected in part from such eligible list, I shall appreciate any word as to how to go about being appointed.

Your kindness is appreciated, and I hope this complies with your request.

Respectfully yours,

Sumio Miyamoto

Sumio Miyamoto

2200 - 18th Street
Sacramento, California.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated. 4/17/42 from Salinas Field Office (Date)
See Item #3

Name: MIYANAGA (Surname) Masako (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 1 Box 67 A (Street and Number)

San Jaun, Calif (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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Transferred lease & growing crops to N. Daskarolis with FSA approval. This is 9 acres in San Juan Valley known as the Manuel Excobar Ranch. Sold house for cash.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Name
MIYANAGA (Surname)
MASAKO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-13-42
(Date)

Name: MIYANAGA (Surname) MASAKO (Frint) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 67A
(Street and Number)

San Juan (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult:
Minor: x
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MIYANAGA (Surname) MASAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1921- Born in Calif. never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: M. Miyanaga & N. Daskarolis
Address: above 434 Davis St. San Francisco
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Miyanaga has transferred her lease and growing crops to N. Daskarolis for cash and has F.S.A. approval. There was a small house on the property which Daskarolis is buying and Miyanaga selling for $65 cash which completes the transaction agreeably to everybody. The improvements in this sale consist of a house which is really a shack, a small garage and some out buildings. This property is 9 acres in San Juan Valley known as the Manuel Escobar Ranch.

Action taken:*
Both parties appeared satisfied with this transaction and having consulted F.S.A. who approved, we felt we should do likewise.

Handled by: van Liebenhold
Salinas
Directed to file: _____

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(S-5055) 2 persons interviewed
7 persons affected

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated April 17, 1942
from Salinas Field Office.
See Item #1
(Date)

Name: MIYANAGA, Tom
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Salinas Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
MIYANAGA (Surname)
TOM (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Has sold an International Truck, motor XXXXXXXX #Hd-232-12629 to the Arena Co. of Salinas for $412.05.

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Sac. 387

May 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyao, Martin S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 83
(Street and Number)

Florin, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name MIYAO (Surname) Martin S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: --

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sold 1941 Dodge truck for $1100.00 cash so cleared all bills except Doctor Schlueter $55.00 and loan from friend $150.00, leaving $420.00.

Sold trailer for $125.00.

Will store household furnishings.

Action taken:*

1 Interviewed
3 Represented

Florin - Sacramento Office

Handled by: M.M.McFarland

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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4-20-42
(Date)

Name: Miyao Martin S
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: P O Box 83
(Street and Number)

Florin Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name MIYAO (Surname) MARTIN S. (Given)

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Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same.

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Personal Loan Bank of America $150.00 unpaid bal of $119.25, Bank wants to know how settlement will be made. Has acct in Sumitomo Bank in amount of $198.00 & is willing to make assignment for security of loan

Action taken:*

Advised to make arrangement with Bank to accept his assignment for security of balance at time of evacuation.

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Handled by: [illegible]

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) Interviewed, Rep 3

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MIYASAKI MR. GUNJI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 714
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

March 16, 1942

Mr. Gunji Miyasaki,
P. O. Box 714,
Walnut Grove, California

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Emerson

Assistant Cashier

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyasaki (Surname) (Print) Hanzo (Given)

Adult: *
Minor:
Male: *
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Address: Rt. 2, Box 114
(Street and Number)

Selma, Calif.
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: J.N. Miyasaki

Address: Rt. 2 Box 114--Selma

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Refer our report dated 4/10/42.

Action taken:*
Are planning to keep refrigerator. Have made arrangements with J.A. Carter, P.O. Box 53, Selma, Calif. to keep up monthly payments.

CASE CLOSED

Handled by: Townes

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:

Miyasaki (Surname) Hanzo (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/10/42
(Date)

Name: Miyasaki (Surname) Hanzo. (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: R2. Box 114
(Street and Number)

Selma. (City) Calif. (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Miyasaki (Surname) Hanzo. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business: farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Nootsuzuki Miyasaki

Address: Route 2. Box 114 Selma.

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Nootsuzuki Miyasaki, son of Hanzo Miyasaki called at the office and stated that a representative of the C.I.T. had called at their house and demanded payment in full on their contract, and stated that if not paid in two days they would come back and take their Refrigerator, although payments are up to date and payment on account was offered.. Cost of Refrigerator $230.00 paid on account $147.00 balance due $83.00

Action taken:*

Told Miyasaki that according to his statement the C.I.T. had no authority to enter their house and take anything, and to refuse to allow them to have the refrigerator and tell the C.I.T. to call on me.

Handled by: [signature]

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 2146 Inyo St. Fresno Cal.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyasaki Masanobu
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O Box 867
(Street and Number)

Salinas
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
April 20, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Mr. H. D. Armstrong

Gentlemen:

Masanobu Miyasaki a California born Japanese born in 1912 who has resided here ever since and is now engaged in farming, owns some land here and also had some leases. He has turned over his leases and has rented the land he owns here for several years, but was unable to do so in time to leave before the last of the free evacuation period.

He says he owns 22½ acres near Dinuba which is well improved and planted in vineyard, orchard and all intensively irrigated and cultivated. He wants to go there, if he can, now with his family and stay there for the duration.

We have not been able to check this last statement beyond the evacuee's declaration but we have found his other statements to be correct and his reputation is good.

Can you take this matter up with the Provost Marshall and get us a ruling on what an evacuee should do under these circumstances, or is there any help available for him so that he will not become a problem to the army during evacuation? Please advise us what, if anything, we should advise under such circumstances.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

by phone 4/21 - told him impossible with evacuation matter of hours RWB

vLS/jh

Answered

Ansd. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Directed to File

By Borden

Surname

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated 4/17/42 from Salinas Field Office.
See Item # 4.

(Date)

Name: MIYASAKI Masanobu
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: R O Box 867
(Street and Number)
Salinas, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
MIYASAKI (Surname)
MASANOBU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
Has given A. V. Rianda Jr. P. of A. to look after his property in town on the Car Flats. Has deeded his 50 acres of land purchased from Inna C. Riewerts to Rianda and filed papers prepared by his attorney with us.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-13-42
(Date)

Name: MIYASAKI MASANOBU
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 867
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MIYASAKI (Surname) MASANOBU (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: 1912- Born in Calif. never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

Type of Business: farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: M. Miyasaki

Address: as above

Telephone Number: 6065

Principal property involved and scope of problem: This evacuee has been in here before discussing his problems and I have discussed the matter with A. V. Rianda, a real estate broker here, who now has P. of A. and who also has received the deed from Miyasaki for the property in town so that he can borrow $1,750 from the Bank of A. to pay some claims and bills before the evacuee has to leave. The papers are all in the file here including the statement from the Monterey Co. Title Co. and P. of A. to Rianda and deed and contract for the purchase of about 50 acres of land from Inna C. Riewerts for $8,000 dated 1938 with 5 years to run. Miyasaki has not made many payments on this contract but have kept the interest and taxes up but has improved this property and paid for the improvements. He still owes $8,000 on his purchase. Miyasaki is leaving his equipment and engines on the ranch and Rianda will operate it for him and pay the landowner, it being understood that Rianda will get half of the proceeds for attending to the business and doing the work. Property in town is on Car Flats and consists mostly of a labor camp and small farm holding.

Action taken:* Took him to F.S.A. to register his lease and get approval. This evacuee worked up this deal very largely by himself and it was his idea to deed his property to Rianda which is not exactly the way we would have recommended it but he wants it that way and appears satisfied. If his properties have proper care and attention and no bad luck in farming or trouble in renewing the purchase contract which is in the hands of Calkins, Hagar, Hall & Kinforth. Miyasaki claims that the owner of the land merely wants the interest but that from now on he expects the property to earn plenty of money so payments can be made. This evacuee also owns 22½ acres near Dinuba which is well improved and planted in vineyard, orchard and all intensively irrigated. He wants to go there and intended to go there while he still could, but was unable to get his other

Handled by: _____
Salinas

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5 persons affected

affairs in shape in time to leave. I explained to him that it was now too late for him to go there directly and we had no authority to give him a travel permit which would permit him to stay there and transact his business. We could not tell him at this time whether the army would be willing for him to go there later or not but we did not have anything that would encourage that belief now. Also told him that we did not feel his transaction with Rianda was quite complete and that he should have something from Rianda in writing to show that he still owned the business property and that Rianda was merely managing it for him. The F.S.A. has approved of his lease with Rianda.
4-14-42

Have copy of agreement in regard to business property showing Rianda's interest in file for protection of evacuee; drawn by his attorney, Dan Bardin of Bardin & Harrington.

Salinas

1 person interviewed
5 persons affected

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/23/42
(Date)

Name: Miyasaki. Morito.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1 Box 107.
(Street and Number)

Fowler Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Date of last entry into United States: 1921

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: farmer
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Morito Miyasaki

Address: Route 1 Box 107. Fowler

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Original report dated. 4-18-42
Sold the Ford V8 for. $325.00
Sold the Ford Pick up. for $140.00
Sold his rice for. 6+ pound and
came out without a loss
satisfactory.

Action taken:*

Case Closed.

Handled by: Gallen.

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(S-5055) 2146 Inyo St. Fresno.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/18/42. X

(Date)

Name: Miyasaki. Morito.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Route 1. Box 107
(Street and Number)

Fowler. Cal.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien.

Date of last entry into United States: 1921-

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: farming.
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Morito. Miyasaki.

Address: Route 1- Box 107.

Telephone Number: ✓.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Lives on Dinuba Ave between Fowler and Temperance Aves. owns a 1934 Ford V.8. Truck. and a 1932. Model B. Ford pickup. Says the Ford V8 is worth $400.00 and the Model B. about $175.00 also has 15 sacks of. Arkansas Blue Rose. rice included on some sacks of Better Buy Rice. wanted to know if he should sell his trucks now and also the rice-

Action taken:*

Told him to sell his trucks at once or we could store them. also told him where to go for obtaining the best price for his rice and if he could not sell in next few days to return and we would assist him-

Handled by: E Allen

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(S-5055) 2146 Mill St. Fresno Cal.

Directed to file: ✓

Name: Miyasaki. (Surname) Morito (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyashi, Ritsuko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: /
(Street and Number)

Manzanar, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given) Name

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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COPY

LOS ANGELES BRANCH

To: Head Office August 20, 1942

Subject: Evacuee Property Department - Ritsuko Miyashi

We are enclosing two copies of a self-explanatory letter dated August 19, 1942, from Mr. Ritsuko Miyashi, Manzanar, California, together with a copy of our reply.

FRED C. BOLD

Assistant Manager

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Lincoln 2 - [redacted]

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyata, John
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: R. F. D.
(Street and Number)

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: USA

(Signature)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA

Operating under Treasury License now?:

(Given)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

$500.00 account in Sumitomo Bank in name of brother, Yosh Miyata. Does not need money.

1938 Chevrolet Sedan.

Action taken:*

Advised him to notify Sumitomo Bank of address when relocated.

Advised him to sell car.

1 Interviewed
2 Represented

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

Handled by: M.M.McFarland

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/21/42
(Date)

Name: Miyata (Surname) Tadao (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 374
(Street and Number)
Dinuba, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: No re-entry

Operating under Treasury License now?: Special (father interned)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Letter 5/20/42

Address:

Telephone Number:

See report 4/16

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Letter from Subject states that his clothing store fixtures, which were quite expensive and elaborate, were stored privately in a Stockton Public Warehouse "at a very reasonable rate for the duration of the war."
He is still in possession of his 1941 Buick Roadmaster Sedan and is using it in Dinuba.
He expresses much appreciation for all efforts in his behalf.

Action taken:*

Close file.

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L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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Name: MIYATA (Surname) Tadao (Given)

Closed

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宮田商店

May 20, 1942

Mr. L. S. Weeks
Stockton, California

Dear Mr. Weeks:

In regards to your inquiry of my store fixtures and Buick Sedan, I wish to advise you that I have stored the fixtures in one of the warehouse in Stockton at a very reasonable rate for the duration of the war. Regarding my Buick Sedan, I am using it here.

I wish to take this opportunity in expressing my appreciation for your interest in our affair, and I am very sorry that I did not inform you my final outcome of this matter sooner.

Yours very truly,
Tadao Miyata

Tadao Miyata
Rt 1 - Box 374
Dinuba, Cal

T. MIYATA & SON
Gent's Furnishing, Boots & Shoes
111-113 S. EL DORADO ST.
STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA
ESTABLISHED 1905
TELEPHONE 8-8113

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyata Tadao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 113 S. ElDorado St.
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Name MIYATA (Surname) TADAO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: No re-entry

Operating under Treasury License now?: Special (father interned)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 8-8113 + 2-3287

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Runs big clothing store.
Legal matters and transfer of stock have been completed .
Has large and elaborate array of clothing store fixtures, shelving, and special tables costing $11,000 which must be stored.
Efforts to sell at fair value thus far unsuccessful.
Regular storage expense too high, $12 per month.
Also owns 1941 Buick Road Master Sedan, low mileage.

Action taken:*

If not sold in the meantime at satisfactory figure advised him to see me about storage arrangement before leaving.
Also gave him an outline as to how to move Buick to best advantage.

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Handled by: L. S. Weeks
Stockton

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

1 April 7-1942
(Date)

Name: MIYATA T. & Son
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: 113 South Eldorado St
(Street and Number)

Stockton California
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien Japanese

Name Miyata (Surname) T. & Son (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Interned father

Operating under Treasury License now?: Special

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: atty Bert Jones

Address: S.S.&L. Bldg. Stockton

Telephone Number: 8-8113

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Blocked account and interned.
Special license secured authority to liquidate.
Power of attorney to son. Whole deal now in escrow with deposit of 5000 $, Bank of America to be Trustee. Notice of intended sale, and provision for clearing all money finally into blocked account, provided for.

Action taken:* above steps taken and reported to me by attorney Gilbert Jones, an A-1 lawyer.

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L. S. Weeks

Handled by: STOCKTON

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March 16, 1942

T. Miyata & Son,
113 South El Dorado Street,
Stockton, California

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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June 8, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Miyata, Yosh
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 185
(Street and Number)

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: US

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has savings account amounting to $560.00 in Sumitomo Bank, Sacramento. Was of the impression he could secure his money through Federal Reserve Bank, as he is in need of funds at this time to purchase necessities for his family preparatory to evacuation.

Action taken:*

Explained that Sumitomo Bank was now being liquidated, and no money would be available until dividends were declared, but that he could make arrangements for a loan through either of the local banks by making an assignment of his Sumitomo account to them.

Auburn-Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
8 Represented

Handled by: P.D.Molter

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyauchi M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1902 - 23rd Avenue
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Date of last entry into United States: 1917

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: ~~[illegible] Ko 31266~~

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyauchi operates the Mina Shop, shoe repairing, and plans to sell the business and equipment which he values at $400.

Action taken:*

Advised Miyauchi to advertise his business for sale in the local newspapers.

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1 interviewed
1 contacted

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Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 1, 1942.
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyauchi, Toshio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 33
(Street and Number)
Mountain View, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Name Miyauchi (Surname) Toshio (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of March 27, 1942.

F.S.A. Closed.

Action taken:*

Closed.

Handled by: San Jose

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mar. 27-42.
(Date)

Name: MIYAUCHI - Toshio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Box 33 -
(Street and Number)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Jap. am.

Mountain View - Calif.
(City) (State)

accompanied by his brother.

Date of last entry into United States: born and always lived here

Operating under Treasury License now?: no

Type of Business: Sale of Land
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: same

Address: "

Telephone Number: none

Name MIYAUCHI (Surname) TOSHIO (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

10 acres owned by MIYHOCHI - value $5500.
mortgaged to Bank of America of Mt. View.
(Mr English - Loan Department) yearly payments
$400. plus interest @ 5% -

Land planted to	2½ ac peas - val.	$200.
	1½ " bush berries	150.
	1 " beans	50.
	5 " cultivated land	50.
		450.

Looking for buyer.
wishes to move away by Sunday.

Action taken:*

Sent them to Ag. Dept. also phoned Mr English who will try to help them.

As family is of ten members suggested brother could take family out of California - Toshio to remain and dispose of land

Handled by: F. Hampton
S. JOSE.

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✓ interviewed 10 involved

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

File: [redacted]

May 9th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO (George Raitoro)
[redacted] (Print) (Given)

Address: 431 - E. 18th St
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

MIYENO (Surname)
George Raitoro (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Report same name 4-13-42

George and his family left last night for Parker Dam Project

As record policy endorsements changing beneficiary of his life Ins. Policy from sister in Japan to his wife. Wanted me to help him prepare papers. Witness them & wrote letter.

Action taken:*

Took care of his case.

He seemed quite grateful for our help -

Case finally closed

6 Persons.

Handled by: [redacted]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Previously recorded 4-14-42

April 13th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO (Surname) GEORGE PAITORO (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 431 - E. 18th ST
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIF (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name MIYENO (Surname) PAITORO (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME APRIL - 7th 1942

LIFE INSURANCE POLICY = # 775117
THE MANUFACTURES LIFE INS. CO. LOS ANGELES

QUESTION: CHANGE OF BENEFICIARY, FROM SISTER TO WIFE
SISTER IN JAPAN
COMPANY ASKS FOR OK FROM FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

Action taken:*

WROTE LETTER FOR MIYENO = ATTACH LETTER FROM COMPANY - AND MAIL WITH THIS REPORT

THIS REPORT CLOSES THIS CASE SATISFACTORILY

6 Persons

Handled by: [signature]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

April 13, 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Att: Mr. Herbert Armstrong

Gentlemen:

Attached hereto is a copy of a letter from the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company addressed to myself.

I desire to have this life insurance policy amended to show the change of beneficiary from my sister to my wife. I have lived in the United States continuously since 1920, my wife since 1918.

Kindly forward this permission to your office in Bakersfield at 1300 - 17th Street. Mr. Johnson has informed me that he will let me know when it arrives.

Very truly yours,

George R. Miyeno

Geo R. Miyeno,

(T.F.E. 1 to FF)

by fone 4/18

Answered

Ans'd. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

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By Borden

Surname

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IN REFERRING TO POLICIES PLEASE QUOTE NUMBERS

The Manufacturers Life Insurance Co.
Branch Office
1116 Edwards and Wildey Building
609 South Grand Avenue
Los Angeles, Calif.

LEO N. QUIGLEY, JR., C.L.U.
BRANCH MANAGER

TELEPHONE
TRINITY 6021

April 11, 1942

Mr. George R. Miyeno
431 East 18th Street
Bakersfield, California

Re: Your Policy No. 775,117

Dear Mr. Miyeno:

Thank you for your letter of April 9 informing us of the new address and requesting a change of beneficiary from your sister to wife.

Our records indicate that your sister is residing in Japan and as such is considered a Japanese National. It will, therefore, be necessary for you to write a letter to the Federal Reserve Bank in San Francisco giving them full information as to how long you and your wife have been residing in this country and asking their permission to change the beneficiary from your sister who is in Japan, to your wife. When you receive this permission, please let us know when we shall be glad to forward you the necessary forms.

Yours very truly,

G. L. Prior
Branch Secretary

GLP/bjl

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO (Surname) GEORGE RAITORO (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 431 E. 18th
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name MIYENO (Surname)

GEORGE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT MARCH 31ST, 1942
CHANGE OF ADDRESS AUTHORIZED

1940 MERCURY - SOLD - $175.00 NET
TO GEORGE FOR HIS EQUITY = FULLY SATISFIED.

AFTER SALE OF CAR GEORGE HAD OVER $600.00
TO BANK. OFFICER IN EAST BAKERSFIELD BRANCH BANK
OF AMERICA - ADVISED HIM NOT TO MAKE DEPOSIT.

QUESTION = GEORGE ASKED ME - WHY NOT?

Action taken:*

CALLED MANAGER - F.E. ESTRIBOU = HE ASKED THAT I
SEND GEORGE BACK, AND HE WOULD GLADLY ACCEPT DEPOSIT

6 Persons

Handled by: [signature]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31st 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO GEO. RAITORO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: DI GIORGIO FARMS
(Street and Number)

ARVIN CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: NO

Name MIYENO (Surname) GEORGE RAITORO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1940 Mercury
George chief cook at D G. Farms
wants to see family to arrange for
evacuation. = Family live in Bakersfield

Action taken:*

Sell Auto. arranged with
Dealer to appraise car at this office
Also Rev Mitani will bring family
to this office

wife
3 boys
1 girl
6 persons

Handled by: [signature]

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyohara, S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Mutual Produce Assoc.
2630 Fifth St.
(Street and Number)
Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Mutual Produce Assoc.

See ALSO: Komatsu, R K

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to
Sac. 4 Amended

May 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Annie
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to reports of March 20 and March 29, 1942

See Sacramento list of May 28

Our supplement 3/29 shows power of attorney to Dr. Henderson. Closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Reserve Bank of San Francisco
al Agent of the United States

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Closed

March 29, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: /

Name: Miyoshi Annie
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: /
Citizenship: _____

Name MIYOSHI (Surname)

ANNIE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to Page 1 Sac. #4 - March 25, 1942

Action taken:*

Power of Attorney has been granted to Dr. A. M. Henderson, a prominent physician and surgeon. Address:
Medical-Dental Building
Sacramento, California

Sacramento Office
Handled by: [signature]

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Directed to file: _____

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...eserve Bank of San Francisco
...cal Agent of the United States SAC-4

3/20/42
(Date)

Name: Annie Miyoshi
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 901 - 9th Ave
(Street and Number)

Sacramento Cal Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: American
29

Name MIYOSHI (Surname) ANNIE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born Here

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Self

Address:

Telephone Number: 3-8111

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Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1 Business prop. 4th & L. Sts 22500.00 purchased 4/1929

D/2 (Monthly payt) 9376.00
paid up to date

13124.00 Equity

D/2. Held by
Helena Biewener
2320 Presidio Drive
San Diego. Cal.
(2 Sisters purchasing property)

1 worked in S.F. (Now out of employment
1 " for State of Cal. (Now out)

Action taken:*

(To S.F. for immediate action)

Handled by: [signature]
Sacramento Cal.

Attached

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Annie * N.B.W.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1202 - Fourth St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Hosakawa, Mary

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/22/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Miyoshi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 7325 Pine St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Supplimentary -

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U S

Closed

Name MIYOSHI (Surname) KANAME (Given)

Check

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Date of last entry into United States: 68a

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Fillmore 5731

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Involves Fathers Insurance Policy 2000 Indowment.

Following your advice we found the cash value of his policy will pay future premiums for a Period of 5 Years. We have arranged with the Insurance Company to do this.

Action taken:*

Closes this case.

Handled by: Mager

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) No Involved
No Interviewed. See Original

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/22/42
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyoshi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2325 Pine St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MIYOSHI (Surname)

KANAME (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mr Hawkes

Address: 995 Market St

Telephone Number: Doug 7247

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Informed us the Miyoshi's father's policy contains an automatic premium loan clause which would enable the company to continue the insurance coverage even though he was unable to meet the premiums himself

Handled by: Williams

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

John Suychiro

4/23/42
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 2325 Pine St
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

SF
(City) (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: John Suychiro

Address: 2325 Pine St

Telephone Number: SF

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Miyoshi's whereabouts is unknown.

Handled by: [illegible]

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/18/42
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 2325 Pine St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor: ✓
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: US.

Name MIYOSHI (Surname) KANAME (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born-1921

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed:

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Fillmore 5731
Amer Nat'l Day 4623
7247

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Involves Life Insurance Policy in the amount of $2000 written by American National Insurance Co

This Policy Insures my fathers life, he is a Concentration Camp at Bismark North Dakota and can not pay the Premium. What can we do about it.

Action taken:*
Suggest you arrange with the Insurance Company to apply the present cash value on future premiums,

Handled by: Mage

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) No Interviewed 1
No Involved 2

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Mixeshi M. T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Loomis
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Am Fruit Growers, Inc.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyashi, Ritsuko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Manzanar W.R.P.
(Street and Number)

Manzanar, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

(Case)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

August 24, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: War Relocation Authority

Subject: Division of Evacuee Property
Ritsuko Miyashi

Reference is made to a copy of a letter received from our Los Angeles branch, a copy of which is enclosed herein, relating to the storage problem of the above evacuee.

In the absence of more detailed information regarding the gas range referred to, we believe such property is stored at 358 East First Street, Los Angeles, California.

Mr. Miyashi has been advised that his inquiry has been submitted to you for your consideration.

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

TYLER:krf

LOS ANGELES BRANCH
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO
FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

August 20, 1942

Mr. Ritsuko Miyashi
Blk 9, Bldg. 9, Apt. 4
Manzanar War Relocation Project
Manzanar, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of August 19, 1942, outlining your problem with the McMahan's Furniture Company, 428 W. Sixth Street, San Pedro, California.

We believe the matter referred to is one for the consideration of the War Relocation Authority, and are therefore transmitting your communication to the headquarters of that agency.

Yours very truly,

Fred C. Bold
Assistant Manager.

LFS:MT

CC: HEAD OFFICE

(Copy)

Blk 9, Bldg. 9 Apt.4
Manzanar, California
August 19, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
707 S. Spring Street
Los Angeles, California

Gentlemen:

I have a gas range in government storage which I purchased from McMahan's Furniture Company, 428 W. Sixth Street, San Pedro, Calif. last September and as I am unable to meet the monthly payments of $10.00 per month, I have asked them for equity. Their answer was that they might consider negotiations if I would first let them know where the range is stored. As I do not know the exact address of the storage company, I wonder if you could handle the entire matter for me.

The gas range (Wedgewood '41-'42) is in excellent condition and was in actual use only five months at the most. Total cost including insurance and sales tax, etc., was $157.00--of which I have already paid half. It is stored together with the belongings of a relative, T. Okimoto, family No. 4628.

The McMahon Company has accused me of moving this range without their permit from Terminal Island to Los Angeles. I did not consider it necessary as it was not to be moved out of the L. A. county. Also as we were given just 48 hours to evacuate Terminal Island, I did not have sufficient time to contact them.

I shall be grateful if you would write to them and act on my behalf. Will you let me know soon whether you will negotiate with them.

Thank you very much for your considerations.

Yours truly,

(Signed) Ritsuko Miyashi

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi (Surname) Riichi (Given) (Print)

Address: WCCA Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Tulare, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Riichi Miyoshi

Address: Above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi presented the attached letter dated May 9th. addressed to him and signed Mr. Everson and inquired what action to take.

Action taken:* Please refer to copy of my letter to Mr. Everson dated June 2nd and inquiring what action to take here. Subsequently I received a copy of letter addressed to Mr. Miyoshi which is attached hereto. I contacted Miyoshi today and hex informs me that he will furnish the requested information as complete as possible under the circumstances.

No further action anticipated here.

Handled by: R Clinton

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 6, 1942

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi,
706 Main Street,
Santa Maria, California.

Re: Affidavit of February 25, 1942,
Assigned TFRE-1 No. SF 802.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to our letter of May 9, 1942, in connection with which we have received a letter from Mr. D. A. Dunton, Field Representative, Evacuee Property Department. This letter is dated June 2, 1942, at Tulare, California, and therein it is explained that you will encounter considerable difficulty in submitting to us the information asked for in our letter of May 9, 1942, as a consequence of the evacuation program currently being carried out in your area.

In view of the fact the records are not all available at this time, it is requested that you submit the statement of assets and liabilities as accurately as possible under the circumstances. Please indicate in the statements all figures which are accurrate and those which are estimates. We feel that a statement as indicated above will be acceptable by the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., provided you will submit an accurate statement as soon as the books and records are again made available to you.

Kindly let us have the above-mentioned document in triplicate, duly administered under oath, at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Everson
RE

Assistant Cashier.

cc: D. M. Dunton,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
c/o W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Tulare, California.

P.S. This will acknowledge your letter and reply of June 2, 1942, addressed to Mr. Everson, and sent to us from the W.C.C.A. Assembly Center, Tulare, California.

Tulare, California
June 2, 1942

Mr. R. E. Iverson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Iverson:

A Mr. Riichi Miyoshi of #706 Main Street, Santa Maria, California, called this morning and displayed a letter dated May 9th. written over your signature and relates to an Affidavit of Feb. 25, 1942 and Assigned TFEE-1 No. SF 802 requesting additional information concerning the assets of the grocery and store business formerly operated by his father who is now in North Dakota.

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi reports the stock in trade was disposed of with the exception of some stuff they were unable to sell which is stored in the basement of the above mentioned address. He says he thinks all liabilities were liquidated. The books, I understand, are not available. He apparently doesn't know a great deal about the business and although he says they own the property at #706 Main St., Santa Maria, and he has no idea of the value of this property or the value of the goods in the basement.

If you will advise me what further action to take here I shall be glad to do so.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton
Field Representative
W. C. C. A. Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

May 9, 1942

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi,
706 West Main Street,
Santa Maria, California.

Re: Affidavit of February 25, 1942
Assigned TFBE-1 No. SF 802

Dear Sir:

We have received a request from the Treasury Department dated May 5, 1942, asking that we obtain additional information with reference to the above-mentioned document executed by Masa Miyoshi. Please refer to Section (8) of Form TFBE-1 (Rev.), attached, which will assist you in advising us of the following:

A detailed statement of all assets and liabilities.

Kindly furnish this information in triplicate, in the form of an amendment to the above-mentioned affidavit, duly sworn to before a notary public or anyone else having the power to administer oaths. Upon receipt of such information, we shall be pleased to forward it to the Treasury Department immediately.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED
STATES
SAVINGS
BONDS
AND STAMPS

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYOSHI, Shigaki
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: CHUO CO, NOT INC
Chuo Co, Not Inc, 1200-04 4th St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

(Given)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659
" Chuo Co, Not Inc
" Takastsu Hosokawn

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Chas. Shoe Co.,
(Street and Number)
1202 - 4th St
Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See; Hosokawa, Mary

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312 1/2 K. St.
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Sacramento)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

(Civil)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See "Dunn & Bradstreet Report"

June 12, 1942

Sac. 659

Action taken:*

Liquidated - No Power of Attorney

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 388

June 3, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312 ½ K. St.
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of April 21, and May 8, 1942.

See Sacramento list of ½ June 1, 1942.
1934 Ford V-8. No word if sold.
Case must be assumed closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

Directed to File:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 388

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Name: Miyoshi Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312 ½ K. Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

MIYASHI (Surname) Shigezo (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1934 Ford Coupe.

Action taken:*

Telephoned information that he was still trying to sell car.

Handled by McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

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Sacramento Office

...Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...cal Agent of the United States

Sac. 388

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312½ K Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Name MIYOSHI, Shigezo
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1937

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Above

Telephone Number: --

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

A. Has Savings Account in Watsonville Bank - wants to transfer if permissible.

B. Has 1934 Ford V8 Coupe. Wants to know what he can do with same.

Action taken:*

A. Referred him to local Bank to make transfer.

B. Furnished WCCA Form FRB4 and explained same. Will endeavor to sell car.

RWS

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
Family in Japan

Handled by: R.W.Schmitt

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mizoguchi Rose K
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 600 L St
(Street and Number)

Sacto
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

(Other)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See ; Artz + Cook

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____
(Date)

Name: MIZOGUCHI Y.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: R. F. D. #2
(Street and Number)

Puyallup Wash
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

March 16, 1942

Y. Mizoguchi,
R. F. D. #2,
Puyallup, Washington

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Mizokami Timothy
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: (Monterey)
(Street and Number)

Arkansas
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
Borde
JUN 22 1942

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 20, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen: RE: TIMOTHY MIZOKAMI

The Bank of America in Monterey has telephoned us several times about this car situation. I saw Masao Mizokami, the younger brother of the soldier, at the camp several times, more particularly on the 9th of this month. At that time he said he wanted to sell the car and turn the money over to his mother but that he had not heard from his brother to that effect.

It seems that the Bank of America and this Frank Montera, the businessman in Castroville with whom the car is stored, have been consulting about this car situation and Montera is willing to pay up on the car and keep it stored for the boys. He wants the pink slip if that is done.

Naturally, the Bank of America wants to do something as the car is not worth a great deal more than the payments due, on the present market, and they state very frankly that if something is not done pretty soon they will have to repossess the car and sell same, in which case the evacuee would probably get very little if anything.

His being in the armed services, due to the date of his contract and induction, would not keep the bank from selling the security. Yesterday the brother, Masao, gave me the last address they had of the soldier Timothy as Hq. Bat., Sta. Comp., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas, and asked that I write him. I agreed to do this and attempt to explain the situation to him.

I am also giving his address to the Bank of America in Monterey so they can communicate with him and get him to sign the pink slip and do anything else that is necessary, if he is agreeable.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

Answered
Appd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
vss/jh
Direct to File
By
Surname

FOR DEFENSE
BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

Copy

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 20, 1942

Timothy Hisokami
Hq. Bat. Sta. Co.
Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas

Dear Sir:

It is reported to us that your car is stored with Frank Montera in Castroville and that you have a purchase contract on said car with the Bank of America at Monterey.

I have talked to your brother several times and also to your mother at the Salinas Camp, about this car as the Bank of America is naturally anxious to have the contract completed or they must repossess the car and sell same.

Yesterday, I saw your brother and he gave me your address. I am writing to suggest to you that when you hear from the Bank of America that you write them and let them know your wishes. Of course, they are principally interested in getting their money but state they are willing to cooperate in any way they feel proper.

It seems that your friend, Frank Montera, says he is willing to pay up on the car and keep same for you until you return. Would you prefer to have this arrangement made, or do you want the car sold and the money turned over to your mother? This letter is being written at the request of your family. They seem to think either course would be agreeable to them.

Enclosed please find a stamped, addressed envelope and a piece of paper for your reply which we hope you will make at once to us, as well as to the bank when you hear from them.

For your information, will state that your brother is occupied at the Camp and apparently quite satisfied and that your mother appears to be in good health. As you probably know, the people are going to be moved from the Salinas Camp at the Rodeo Grounds, beginning the end of this month and it is my understanding that they will probably go to a new camp in Arizona.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

vlS/ jh

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
May 29, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the copy of the attached letter from the Bank of America in Monterey. We have not as yet replied to this letter and are not planning to until we hear from you.

I went out to the Rodeo Grounds today and interviewed several members of this Mizokami family and find that Timothy K., the owner of the car, is in the Army and has been since last year and at the present time is stationed in Arkansas.

The family kept up the payments on the car until the evacuation and now they are rather in a quandary as to what to do. They have written their brother in the Army and he has not replied. They seem to feel that the payments should be kept up and possession taken of the car in the name of their brother as undoubtedly the machine is worth more than the obligation against it.

This was a well known family of Japanese and Japanese-Americans in Monterey, some of whom worked here and now, excepting for the brother in the Army, they are all at the Rodeo Grounds near Salinas.

It is my intention to telephone Mr. Fossat of the bank and ask him to be patient for a few days until I can make an investigation, in the meantime expecting to hear from you. I happen to know where the car is because, inadvertently, the family let it slip.

It is quite evident that the family do not want to take advantage of the situation in any way but they do want to protect any equity they feel the soldier might have in the car. It was suggested by me that perhaps the best solution would be to put the car in the hands of a responsible dealer and let him sell it, or turn the car back to the bank with the understanding that they would get the best price obtainable and remit the balance for the registered owner's account.

It does not seem to me that any great good can be gained by attempting to keep title to the car for this

soldier, although like many of these evacuees, the family seemed to feel that they should hang on to it.

The brother I interviewed is named Masao Mizokami who formerly lived at Route 3, Box 311, Salinas and I rather think that he and the family will do whatever we think best under the circumstances.

Before deciding on this thing I would appreciate your advice but it seems to me it would be just as well to dispose of this automobile to the best advantage in a manner that would suit the family at the Rodeo Grounds, as it does not appear as if the brother, even if he were released from the Army, would have much opportunity to use the car.

Yours truly

J. F. Van Loben Sels

J. F. Van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

vLS/jh
enclosure

by phone 6/2 — agreed Van L. shld contact family looking towards placement with dealer for sale. Asked that he notify Bank when such steps taken
RWB

Answered
Ans'd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
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By Borden
Surname

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EVACUEE
PROPERTY
DEPT.

C O P Y

BANK OF AMERICA

Monterey, California
May 27, 1942

Mr. J. F. van Loben Sels
% Federal Reserve Bank
125 Monterey Street
Salinas, Calif.

Subject: Automobile Loan
Timothy Mizokami

Dear Mr. van Loben Sels:

Following our telephone conversation of May 26, 1942 we are giving you hereunder information relative to the captioned subject as requested by you.

Mr. Mizokami owes us $178.16 secured by a Conditional Sales Contract on his 1937 Oldsmobile Touring Sedan. The motor number is F696323 and the serial number is TK396973. The 1942 license number is 81#400. The former residence address of Mr. Mizokami was 624 Hawthorne St., Monterey, California and his business address was in care of Salinas Valley Vegetable Exchange, Salinas, California.

In so far as we know Mr. Mizokami moved out of this zone sometime during the middle part of April. In view of the fact that this loan is now delinquent, it would be sincerely appreciated if the new forwarding address could be given us by your office.

If you have a suggestion whereby this automobile can be taken over by the United States Government, we would appreciate receiving it.

Cordially yours,

W. J. FOSSAT /s/

W. J. Fossat
Assistant Cashier

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/16/42
(Date)

Name: MIZONO GEO AKIRO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 912 Steiner St
(Street and Number)

SF Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: American

Name MIZONO (Surname) George Akiro (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: Born in U.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: ✓

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 1-1937 Pontiac 6 cyl Sedan and 1-1940 Chevrolet 2 door 6 cyl Stored at above address

Owns at above address a 3 Story Flat value 5500.00 with mortgage to Anglo Calif Bank amount 500.00 Balance. Has given Anglo Calif Bank Agency agreement to collect rents etc.

Had Soy Bean Cake factory at 1606 A Geary St. SF Has sold out entire inventory except 25 cases of 11 lbs each of Red Bug Brand Shredded Shrimp Cost Val $5.50 per case. Shrimp from New Orleans.

Action taken:*

Information

Handled by: D H Gray

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055) 1 Interviewed
2 Represented

Directed to File:
1501 O Farrel St Control #3

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Mizote (Surname) (Print) Doris (Given)

Address: 855 - 37th (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U. S.

Name MIZOTE (Surname) DORIS (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: 1917

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: ~~Hu 8580~~ ~~Hu 8580~~

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miss Mizote owns the home at the above address and operates a grocery store at 752 - 7th Street, Oakland. Te. 4569 She plans to rent or sell the house and to sell the store equipment which she values at $500.

May 28, 1942 - Miss Mizote sold stock and equipment of store to Lupe Ramirez, there.

Action taken:*

Advised Miss Mizote to place her house in the hands of real estate dealers and to offer her store equipment through newspaper advertising and to give power of attorney to the Bank of America, 7th and Broadway. - Tel. 9600

Handled by: Hendricks

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(S-5055) 9 involved
1 contacted
1 interviewed

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Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mizota, Nobuo & Chas
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Alviso Road, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Stamped)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

(Given)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

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The undersigned NOBUO MIZOTA

of P.O. Box 117 Alviso California, hereby

appoints J. A. PANKOSKI OF

Alviso Road California as guardian

of my personal property (~~as per inventory herewith~~) to be stored at no expense to me.

It is furthermore agreed that any damages inflicted by natural accidents such as fire, will not be held against Mr. J. A. PANKOSKI.

Nobuo Mizota

Dated: May 16, 1942

Accepted: _____

Witness: [illegible]

For and in consideration of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS ($250) Cash in hand, I, CHARLES M. MIZOTA U.S. Army - Santa Clara California agree to sell, transfer, and deliver physical possession of one (1) Chevrolet 6 Eng. No. 5289716 Lic. No. 4F 405

to RAUL FRANCO

of Pratt Low Preserving Co.

Walnut Grove California.

Chas. M. Mizota
by Nobuo Mizota

Raul Franco

DATED: May 16, 1942

manner of payments to be arranged between buyer & seller.

WITNESS: O. F. Campbell

O. F. Campbell
Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of
San Francisco

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mizote Rex
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 589
(Street and Number)
Reedley, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓
Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien Japanese

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Carries a blocked account with the Security-First National Bank, Stanford, Calif. Allowed to withdraw $100.00 a month now. Might be needed $100.00 extra this month to buy things before leaving. Bank requested he furnish affidavit stating necessary he have the $100.00 extra.

Action taken:* after talking to him about his needs he decided not necessary to have extra money before the first of August when he can withdraw $100.00 without affidavit

5 in family

Handled by:

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1716 - 11th St, Reedley, Calif

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 5, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIZOTE Roy
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Hanford, Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

From memo report, Visalia Field Office (Holmew)

"Called on Roy Mizote. He had sold all of supplies except tools at a good price. Tools he will store in garage. "

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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(Surname) MIZOTE
(Given) Roy

April 22, 1942

Mr. W. C. Holmes,
Field Representative,
500 North Garden Street,
Visalia, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your interviews conducted with Roy Mizote, proprietor of the Sunset Garage at Hanford. In view of the fact that Mizote has accepted money for storage, it would appear to us that this storage would automatically be classified as of a private nature.

Comparable problems elsewhere have been solved enlisting the cooperation of the local police force or sheriff's office. We do not feel that it would be proper to post Federal Reserve Bank placards on such building.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sunset Garage

4/16-42
(Date)

Name: Mizote (Naoto) [Roy]
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: (Res) 328 East 9th St.
(Street and Number)

Hanford (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name MIZOTE (Surname) NAOTO (ROY) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: July 13th 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Garage
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Roy Mizote
Business Address: 413 East 7th St.
Telephone Number: Hanford 602

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Refer to report #37 dated apr. 13th

He reported to-day that he had 27 cars that the owners had agreed up for storage.

No problem.

Filed as information

Per letter to Field Rep. - Visalia April 17 1942 ✓

Action taken:*

For my information could any Communication be placed on this building after cars are stored? It would be same protection against vandalism and theft

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative

Directed to file: Visalia ✓

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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27 owners.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/11/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Mizote (Surname) (Print) Roy (Given)

Address: 413 East 7th St
(Street and Number)

Hanford (City) Calif (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: American

Name MIZOTE (Surname) ROY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business: Garage
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Harold Fujimoto

Address: P.O. 10 Armona Calif

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Regarding disposal of tools and equipment, or storage for them.

Action taken:* Storage would be available, for tools that he was not able to dispose of at a fair price.

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Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative

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4 persons in family

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Visalia

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/13th 42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Mizote (Surname) Naoto (Roy) (Print) (Given)

Address: Res. 328 East 9th St (Street and Number)

Hanford (City) Calif (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name MIZOTE (Surname) NAOTO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: July 13th 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Garage
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Roy Mizote
Business Address: 413 East 7th St Hanford.
Telephone Number: Hanford 602

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Cannot get reasonable offers for Cars.
Has a garage at 413 East 7th St. owned by M. G. Odenheimer
Weight building Hanford
Mizote would like to pool 20 to 25 Cars belonging to himself and friends and warehouse them in this garage making a monthly charge of about 3.00.
This arrangement is satisfactory to Mr. Odenheimer if sufficient number of cars can be obtained to cover monthly rental of 75.00.

Action taken:*

Have Mr. Odenheimer act as their agent, with the understanding, that he would carry out their instructions, regarding sales to prospective buyers.
Advised Mizote to check up on plan as rapidly as possible, and report the results.

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative
Directed to File:
Visalia

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25 owners would be affected

37)

October 6, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Sojuro Mizote

Enclosed is a copy of a letter from Sojuro Mizote, an evacuee resident at Central Utah War Relocation Project, requesting information as to procedure in the sale of certain Alameda County real property. Also enclosed is a copy of our today's reply, advising that the matter has been submitted to your agency for consideration.

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures
HDArmstrong:EM

October 6, 1942

Mr. Sojuro Mizote,
Block 19, Barrack 10, Apt. B,
Central Utah War Relocation Project,
Topaz, Utah.

Dear Sir:

We have received your letter dated September 29, 1942 requesting information as to a procedure in the sale of certain real property in Oakland, California, which you state stands in the names of your sons.

Inasmuch as you now reside in a relocation project, we believe such problems as this come within the jurisdiction of the War Relocation Authority, to which agency, with offices at the Hotel Whitcomb Building, San Francisco, we have referred a copy of your communication for consideration.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

HDArmstrong:EM

cc: War Relocation Authority,
San Francisco, California.

Block 19 - Barrack 10 - Apt. B
Central Utah Rel. Center
Topaz, Utah
Sept. 29, 1942

Refer to Federal Land Bank Mat for [illegible]

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OCT 5 1942
1st Mail

Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen,

A party named Mr. Goldberg of 1166-19th St. in Oakland, California wishes to buy the property on the corner of 7th and Brush Streets in Oakland, which is owned by my sons who are now in the United States Army. He states that he will pay the full price of $3500.00, $200.00 down payment with the balance in monthly installments of $25.00 with 6% interest a year. He intends to pay the city and county taxes and the fire insurance, which is in the sellers' name, for 1942-1943 and the following years until the property is fully paid for.

Please let me know which procedures we should take or whether you will handle the negotiations for us.

Thank you,
Cordially yours,
Sojuro Mizote
Sojuro Mizote

10-6 Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
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By [signature]
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MIZOTE Mr SAJIRO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Jerome Assembly Center
(Street and Number)
Jerome.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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May 20, 1942.

Mr. Sajuro Mizote,
Tanforan Assembly Center,
Tanforan, California.

Dear Sir:

With reference to the Ford Deluxe Tudor Sedan, Engine No, 18-4721174, which belonged to your son, Hisashi Mizote, and which you turned over to the Federal Reserve Bank for sale to the Army, we find that we do not have a power-of-attorney for you to act for your son.

We are therefore enclosing a power of attorney form in duplicate, which we would thank you to have executed by your son, returning same to us in the enclosed self-addressed envelope. This power-of-attorney is required to be witnessed, and we might suggest that you have your son obtain the signature of some officer of his company or regiment in the place provided for this purpose.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mizoue H. K.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: International House
Colman House
(Street and Number)

Sacto.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(SURNAME)

(DATE)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement
Sac. 404

June 3, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Mizuguchi, Yukio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1238 E. Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: No.

(Sacramento)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

(Civil)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of April 22, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.

Assume satisfactory settlement. Follow-up letter 5/4 brought no reply.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 404

April 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mizuguchi, Yukio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1238 E Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name: MIZUGUCHI (Surname) Yukio (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Here since 1912.

Operating under Treasury License now?: --

Type of Business: Grocery store
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 2-6193

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Says his family came here from Colorado about a year ago. Operates a grocery store at above address which is on a 3-year lease, property owned by Katherine Brown who lives upstairs, 1238 E Street. Lease calls for $30.00 per month. Rent is paid three months in advance.

Wants to sell his store fixtures and stock for $500.00. Wants to go back to Colorado. Has a 1936 Pontiac Sedan and a 2-wheel trailer. Has a few prospects who may buy store and fixtures.

Action taken:*

We advised that leaving here from Colorado was impossible; suggested he store the car in some private garage if he did not sell it. Supplied him with Form WCCA,FRB 4, and please let us know if he needed more advice.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
3 Represented

Handled by: M.J.Richert

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Directed to file: M.J.Richert

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Mizuiri Jerry
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Address: 805a Franklin Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland California
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: 688

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: 815 Franklin Street

Telephone Number: ~~Pg 0850~~

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mizuiri operates a barber shop at 805a Franklin Street, Oakland. He has no lease and pays a monthly rental of $27.50. He owns the equipment valued at $400 and plans to sell it.

Action taken:*

Advised Mizuiri to continue his efforts to sell the quipment and to give power of attorney to a friend.

Handled by: Hendricks

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1 interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file: Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sup. Sac. 402

June 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mizukami, Kiyoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1 Box 1040 A.
(Street and Number)

Sacramento
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor: x
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of April 21, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.

Follow-up letters returned. Lost address.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Directed to File:

Re: Mizukami (Surname) Kiyoshi (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac 402

4-21-42
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview: ✓

Name: MIZUKAMI KIYOSHI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 1 Box 1040 A
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor: ✓
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Name MIZUKAMI (Surname) KIYOSHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

The Son of Harry B. Mizukami who is interned, asks assistance in securing possession of the family '37 Ply Sedan which is held by BofA, Elk Grove Calif. because of the inability of Mizukami to place the necessary insurance, their contract balance $228.70, it is the Son's desire to sell their equity and deposit the money in their present bank account, Ins. has been placed. - one pay't contract, due 7-1-42

Action taken:*

Phoned BofA, I.C.L. Adm. Dept. Sacto. Mr. Wilt they will accept the policy with an endorsement showing that a Minor car operate the car. Phoned BofA Elk Grove, they will release the car so that K. Mizukami can sell and deposit the net proceeds in the payments acct. (T.F.E.) to be completed at once.

Handled by: [illegible]

Directed to file: Sacto

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MAY 20-1942
(Date)

Name: MIZUKI. MAKOTO
(Surname) (Print) (Given) 22 YEARS OLD

FORMER Address: 1072 OAK ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CAL
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

MIZUKI (Surname) Makoto (Given)

HEAD OF FAMILY: MIZUKI-YOICHIRO FAMILY II 33199
Date of last entry into United States:
PRESENT Address W.C.C.A ASSEMBLY CENTER
Operating under ~~Treasury License now~~?: SAN BRUNO CALIF
TANFORAN Race Track

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: F.M. BALLARD
Address: STATE DEPT of EDUCATION
Telephone Number: 515 VAN NESS AVE - Tel. UN 8700

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Local 735

ABOVE, SUBJECT did NOT return WATCH Repair TOOLS & EQUIPMENT BELONGING to STATE BOARD of EDUCATION - Before EVACUATED. HE WAS A TRAINEE UNDER State Education SYSTEM - LEARNING TO BE A WATCH REPAIRMAN. MR. F. M. BALLARD WOULD LIKE to LOCATE MIZUKI. AND HAVE ABOVE EQUIPMENT RETURNED

Action taken:* Suggested to Mr. Ballard Re write to MR. MAKOTO. MIZUKI. % of. YOICHIRO MIZUKI AT. W.C.C.A ASSEMBLY CENTER. TANFORAN RACE TRACK - SAN BRUNO CAL ASKING WHAT. MR. MIZUKI HAD DONE WITH EQUIPMENT. PROPERTY of STATE BOARD of EDUCATION —

Handled by: Flint

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Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mizutani Seiji
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rover Hotel
(Street and Number)
226½ K. St
Sacto.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(SURNAME) (GIVEN)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

San Francisco
...e United States

June 19, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mochizuki (Surname) (Print) Hideo (Given)

Address: Sharp's Park Immigration Station
(Street and Number)

San Francisco (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Mr C S Weatherholt

Address: Barrett-Hicks Company - Fresno Calif

Telephone Number: 2-4141

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to our letter of June 9th, 1942 regarding Hersh-Mochizuki matter:

Action taken:*

Mr Hersh has now deposited the $1350.00 belonging to Mr Mochizuki to the proper accounts in the First National Bank in Madera. Letter of verification signed by Mr F P Rich, Assistant Cashier of the Bank attached herewith.

CASE CLOSED

Handled by: Townes

additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

...5) 2146 Inyo Street, Fresno California

DIRECTED BY MAIL D
TO MR. EVERSON

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

IN MADERA

GUY CROW
PRESIDENT

J. E. KIRKMAN
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MADERA, CALIFORNIA

C. B. SWIFT
EXECUTIVE V. P. & CASHIER

F. P. RICH
ASST. CASHIER

June 12, 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:

Attention: W. D. Townes.

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We are today mailing Mr. Mochizuki signature cards for these accounts and upon their return and the payment of these checks the accounts will be opened in the names as instructed.

Yours truly,

F. P. Rich

Asst. Cashier.

Answered

Ansd. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Directed to File

By [signature]

Surname

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

June 9, 1942

Mr. Borden
Evacuee Property Department
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

RE: Hersh-Mochizuki Matter

Dear Sir:

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His answer was that he had intended to borrow $1000.00 from a local bank to be repaid next Friday after he had gone over to San Luis Obispo to get same, which he claims to be holding in a Safe Deposit Box in that city. However, he says a friend needed $1000.00 in his business so he borrowed the money for him instead, and would have Mr. Mochizuki's money deposited, and the pass books in our hands by Friday of this week.

Yours very truly

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

.....Answered

.....Ansd. by Routine Advice

.....No Answer Required

Directed to File

By Borden
Surname

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FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

File: Mochizuki, Hideo

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 2-1942.

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Everson
JUN - 3 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of S.F.
500 California Street.
San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen

Enclosed is a report that was compiled on the request of a Mr. Weatherholt who felt that an investigation should be made in this case.

We will furnish you with the final report on the results as soon as possible.

Yours truly.

L. Allen
Field Representative

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
✓ No Answer Required

Directed to File
By Everson
Surname

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FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

Report regarding a letter received from Mr. C. S. Weatherholt, Manager of Barrett-Hicks Company, in behalf of Hideo Mochizuki who is interned by the F. B. I. at Sharp's Park Immigration Station, San Francisco, California in which he enclosed a copy of a statement signed by Suyemutzu Mochizuki and George A Mochizuki stating that Mr. Sam Hersh, a salesman for United Grocers, Inc., was holding cash in the sum of $1350.00 belonging to Mr Hideo Mochizuki.

May 28th I called on Mr Weatherholt at his office where he showed me the original statement which he is holding in his files. I then had a conference with George and Suyemutzu Mochizuki who are interned at the Fresno Fair Grounds to verify the facts. They stated that their father had given Mr Hersh $400.00 in cash and his 1941 Buick which was sold by Mr Hersh for $950.00 a total of $1350.00 to be deposited in trust for Mary Mariko Mochizuki, George Shintara Mochizuki, Aiko Mochizuki and Yomishi Horace Mochizuki and that they had no receipt to show that the money had been deposited or that Mr Hersh even had the funds altho Mr. Hersh had told them he was holding same in trust for them.

On Friday May 29th I called on Mr Hersh at his office regarding the above and received a statement as follows. Mr Hersh admitted having the $1350.00 in his possession stating that Mr Mochizuki had handed him $400.00 in cash to be deposited in a trust fund in favor of the four persons named above. When I asked to see the pass book covering the trust he stated that he had neglected to open same as yet but was holding the money in a safe deposit box. Regarding the Buick Mr Hersh said that Mr Mochizuki had signed over the pink slip to him, stating that he was making a present of same to him for the many favors he had done for Mr Mochizuki during the past several years. Mr Hersh says that altho he had witnesses to prove the car was given to him he declined to accept same and had promised to sell the car and send the money to Mr Mochizuki as needed.

Mr Hersh seemed quite upset over the fact these funds were being investigated and said that he wished to return the money in his possession to Mr. Mochizuki and that he was willing to do whatever our office advised. After returning to our office and talking the situation over with Mr Lawson Allen, Field Representative in charge of this District, I called Mr Hersh on the telephone informing him that he should open a trust account for $400.00 in the four names designated by Mr Mochizuki and deposit the $950.00 in Mr Hideo Mochizuki's name in the First National Bank of Madera. To this Mr Hersh stated he had talked with one of the daughters who had agreed to let him deposit part of the funds now and give them a note for the balance. Mr Hersh was told that this plan would not be tolerated and that it would be necessary for him to clear the matter up in full at this time, which he promised to do by Friday June 5th. He stated that it would be impossible for him to take care of same before the 5th of June as the funds were in a safe deposit box in San Luis Obispo and that it would be necessary for him to make a trip over there to get same.

(COPY OF LETTER FROM MR WEATHERHOLD AND STATEMENT SIGNED BY SUYEMUTZU AND GEORGE A MOCHIZUKI ATTACHED HEREWITH)

W. D. Townes
Field Representative.

COPY

Mr. Lawson Allen
c/o W. C. C. A.
2146 Inyo
Fresno, California

Dear Mr Allen:

In keeping with our conversation regarding HIDEO MOCHIZUKI, I am enclosing a statement taken from two members of the family.

This man was interned by the FBI recently and is waiting a hearing at Sharpe's Park Immigration Station, San Francisco.

Re: Check held in trust for him (unreadable) by Sam Hersh.

I believe that if this man is authorized to act as custodian of these funds it would be wise to have a commitment agreement, such as a note or some type of security in view of the individual concerned.

I am quite sure that Mr Hersh acted in good faith, but it is my belief that it is contrary to policy, especially when it involves the internment of part of the family in the present evacuation camp and, no doubt they will be in a position to carry on the administrative affairs through the cooperation of the W. C. C. A. at whatever camp to which they may be sent later.

Re: Store

It is also my belief that the involvement of Mr Hersh and an Armenian individual in a transaction involving a grocery store supposedly held in the name of Mochizuki is a border case. However, I am advised that this was brought to the attention of your office but I am not sure that all of the details involved in this transaction were brought to light at the time the arrangement was made. This will probably be brought up for hearing at a future date.

I trust you will see fit to consult Mr Sam Hersh, 836 Vagades, regarding this. Please be advised that no inquiry, other than the enclosed statement has been made. I will hold this in abeyance awaiting your interview with Mr Hersh.

Please understand that I know nothing detrimental against Mr Hersh other than the facts set forth here which, I believe, would not meet with the approval of a court of equity.

Trusting that I will hear from you regarding this, I am

Very truly yours,

C. S. Weatherhold.

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Statement of son and daughter-in-law of [redacted], formerly of Madera Avenue, Madera, California.

May 15, 1942

HIDEO MOCHIZUKI, now interned by the FBI turned over to Sam Marsh, 836 Vagades, one car for sale of which he received $950.00 in cash, a Reported $400.00 additional cash for which they have no receipts and no written agreement to cover same. It is reported that this man states that he is holding this in trust for the duration of the war. The full facts of the above are not in possession of the family but it is believed to be somewhat in line with the condition.

SUYEMUTSU MOCHIZUKI

GEO. A MOCHIZUKI

WITNESS:
D. G. M. BACH

The above signatures are those of the son and daughter-in-law of HIDEO MOCHIZUKI. The son age 26 and married, has, since the internment of his father, been in full charge of all of his father's affairs.

Signed:

D. G. M. Bach

...eral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mochizuki (Surname) Hideo (Print) Mrs Edward S (Given)

Address: Rt 3 Box 183
(Street and Number)

Madera (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: alien

Date of last entry into United States: 1921

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Gen'l Mdse
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Mrs Edward S Mochizuki

Address: Rt 3 Box 183-Madera, California

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs Mochizuki came into our office with Mr Chester L Miller who is leasing the General Merchandise ~~Mx~~ Store from her husband Hideo Mochizuki. The object of her visit was to have us read over the lease. She stated that they were well satisfied with the terms of the lease and felt that Mr Miller was well qualified to carry on the business as he had worked for them for several years.

Action taken:*

A copy of the lease is attached herewith.

CASE CLOSED

Handled by: Townes

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

7 in family
(5055) 2146 Inyo Street, Fresno California

Name: MOCHIZUKI (Surname) Mrs. Edward S. (Given)

L E A S E

THIS LEASE, made the 1st day of May, 1942 by and between HIDEO MOCHIZUKI hereinafter called the Lessor, and CHESTER L. MILLER hereinafter called the Lessee,

W I T N E S S E T H :

That the Lessor hereby leases and lets to the Lessee, and the Lessee hereby hires and takes from the Lessor, those certain premises situated in the vicinity of Madera Avenue and Nipperdam Avenue, County of Madera, State of California, particularly described as follows, to-wit:

> That portion of the Northeast quarter of Section 36, Township 12 South, Range 17 East, M.D.B.&M. described as follows:
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> Commencing at the Northeast corner of said section 36; thence West along the North line of said section 667.6 feet; thence at right angles South 405 feet; thence East and parallel with the North line of said section 422.6 feet; thence at right angles North 158 feet; thence East parallel with the North line of said section 245 feet to the East line of said section; thence North 247 feet to the point of commencement; and,
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> Croft Tract No. 1, commencing at the Northwest corner of Lot 1, which is marked by a 3 x 3 foot redwood post 30 inches long, set 24 inches in the earth, thence South 89° 53' East 208.71 feet; thence South 208.71 feet, thence West 208.71 feet; thence North 208.71 feet to the point of beginning, in Section 31, Township 12 South, Range 18 East, M.D.B.&M.

For the term of five (5) years beginning from the date hereof and ending on the 30th day of April, 1947 at the rental and upon the terms, covenants and conditions following, to-wit:

The rental of said demised premises for said term is the total sum of Twenty seven thousand and no/100 Dollars ($27,000.00) payable at the First National Bank in Madera, Madera, California monthly in advance in installments on the 1st day of each successive calendar month of said term, in lawful money of the United States, free from all claims, or demand, or set-offs, or counter claims against the Lessor of any kind or character whatsoever, as follows:

Five hundred and no/100 Dollars ($500.00) per month commencing on the 1st day of May, 1942 and Five hundred and no/100 Dollars ($500.00) on the 1st day of each and every month and thereafter during the term of this lease.

The Lessee agrees to pay in addition to the rental aforesaid, all rates and charges whatsoever for water, light, fuel, gas, electricity power and any other utilities and service furnished or used or rendered upon or delivered to the demised premises during said term.

Said demised premises shall be used and occupied constantly during the entire term hereof by the Lessee for the purpose for which said premises were heretofore used and occupied, general merchandise store and dwelling in rear, gasoline service station and dwellings for rentals, and for no other purpose whatsoever without the consent of writing of the Lessor first obtained.

The Lessee shall not permit or allow any part of said demised premises in any way whatsoever to be used for any unlawful, offensive, noisy, or dangerous trade or business, or for any immoral purposes, or for any purposes other than by the Lessee for the purpose hereinabove specified.

The Lessee either by act or omission, shall not cause the rate of fire insurance upon said premises or the building in which the same are situate, to be increased in any way whatsoever, or the policies of said insurance to be void or voidable.

The Lessee shall at all times at Lessee's own cost and expense observe and abide by all state and federal laws and all ordinances of the county wherein said demised premises are situate and all rule and regulations of any public authorities relating to or regulating the manner and use of the occupancy of the said premises or any portion thereof. The demised premises shall at all times be kept in a clean, wholesome and sanitary condition.

The roof and outside walls of the demised premises including all exterior surface thereof shall not be used by the Lessee for advertising purposes, except upon the written consent of the Lessor.

No signs or placards except the usual window signs shall be inscribed, painted or placed upon the exterior of said demised premises nor upon the sidewalks adjacent thereto, nor upon the entrance doors, windows or vestibules thereof without the written consent of the Lessor first had and obtained.

The Lessee expressly covenants and agrees that the Lessee will not suffer any lien or encumbrances to come or be created or levied upon the said demised premises or any part thereof, or the leasehold of the Lessee therein.

The Lessee shall not without the written consent of the Lessor first obtained make any structural or other alterations or changes in the demised premises and shall not make any alterations or changes whatsoever therein without the written permission so to do which shall be obtained from the Lessor. The Lessee shall at all times save the Lessor free and harmless and indemnified against all claims for labor and/or materials furnished for or in connection with work or improvements or change in or upon the demised premises.

The Lessee hereby agrees that all repairs to the herein demised premises (except repairs to the roof) shall be made by the Lessee at the Lessee's own cost and expense including repairs to the plumbing fixtures, sidewalks, sidewalk lights and replacement of plate glass windows and lights and agrees to keep the demised premises in first class order, repair and condition during the term hereof. The Lessee hereby waives all right to make repairs at the expense of the Lessee as provided in Section 1941 and 1942 of the Civil Code of the State of California. The Lessee further covenants and agrees that he will not make any repairs or alterations to the demised premises except upon the written approval of the Lessor.

It is understood and agreed that the Lessor shall keep the roof of said premises including all of the dwelling thereon in good order and repair during the term of this lease at his own cost and expense, provided that any damage of said roof shall not be caused by the act or neglect of Lessee. In this connection Lessor shall not be liable to Lessee, or any other person or persons for any damage

whatsoever that may accrue by reason of said roof being out of repair, but Lessee shall give Lessor due notice of any repair needed to said roof and Lessor shall have a reasonable time thereafter to make such repairs

The Lessor reserves the right hereto to enter upon the demised premises to inspect the same and to make any changes or alterations or repairs which shall be considered necessary for the protection or perservation thereof of all the buildings where the demised premises are situate, or to make changes in the plumbing, wirings, meters and other equipment or appurtenances of the building; and the Lessor shall have the right to erect and maintain all necessary or proper scaffolding and other structures for the making of such alterations or repairs and that there shall be no liability against the Lessor for damage thereby sustained by the Lessee nor shall the Lessee be entitled to any abatement of rental by reason of the exercise of the Lessor of any such right herein reserved. Nothing herein contained shall be construed to obligate the Lessor or make any changes or alterations or repairs.

The Lessor shall not be liable to the Lessee for any damage to person or property occasioned by the bursing or leaking of any water, oil, gas or steam pipe or other pipes, plumbing, sewage or fluid flowing in, above, upon or about the demised premises or coming thru any skylight, window, wall or trapdoor, or otherwise whether as the result of storms or accident or otherwise, whether in said demised premises or the building in which the same are situate. Nor shall the Lessor be liable for any damage arising from the leakage or discharge of electric current in or upon the demised premises or resulting from defective electric wiring, defective work in the installation of electric wires of electrical apparatus or equipment or other damages arising from the use of electricity upon said premises or the building in which the same are situate either for lighting or heating purpose or for power or for any other purpose, whether such use shall be by the Lessee or any other occupant of said building or otherwise.

The Lessor shall not be, nor be held liable for any damage to the goods, property or fixtures of the Lessee or any of the Lessee's representatives, agents, bailors, depositaries, employees, guest, tenants, licensees, invitees or occupants or to any other person whomsoever, or for personal injury to, or death of, them or any of them or of any other person whomsoever whether caused by or resulting from any act or omission of the Lessor in and about said premises or the building in which the same are situate or from any act or omission of the Lessee or from the acts or omissions of any person in or about said building or from any defects in any part of said building or from any other cause or reason whatsoever.

This lease shall not be assigned nor the leasehold estate mortgaged or the interest of the Lessee hereunder hypothecated or encumbered in any manner whatsoever without the written consent in writing of Lessor first obtained; nor shall the demised premises or any part thereof be sublet without such written consent. Any assignment, mortgage or hypothecation, encumbrances or sublease, made or attempted in violation of the provisions of this paragraph shall be void and shall give no rights and no right of occupancy to any person claiming thereunder.

This lease cannot be assigned involuntarily or by any process of law, and in case the Lessee is adjudged a bankrupt or insolvent, or a receiver is appointed in and about the affairs of the Lessee or the Lessee fails to release any levy of attachment of execution upon Lessee's property within ten days after such levy is made, it shall be optional with the Lessor to consider any of the same a breach of this covenant and to cancel and terminate this lease, but nothing therein contained shall be construed to compel the Lessor so to do.

The Lessor shall have the right to cancel this lease and all of the rights of the Lessee hereunder after this lease has been in effect two years upon sixty days written notice to the Lessee of his intention to cancel said lease.

If any rent be due and unpaid, or if default has been made by the Lessee in any term, covenant or condition herein contained upon the part of the Lessee to be kept, done, or performed, then it shall be lawful for Lessor to re-enter said premises and remove all persons therefrom without further notice. Each and every term, covenant and condition hereunder to be kept and performed by the Lessee is expressly made a condition upon breach whereof said Lessor may terminate the lease at the option and/or excercise all right of entry and re-entry upon the demised premises herein provided for.

At the expiration of said term or any sooner termination of this lease, the Lessee agrees to quit and deliver up the possession of the demised premises and the whole thereof unto the Lessor in as good condition as upon delivery of possession to the Lessee, usual and ordinary use and wear thereof and damage by the elements excepted, but with all plate glass, all windows and other lights in sound condition. All locks and bolts, or additions, alterations or improvements affixed to or made a part of said demised premises by either of the parties hereto except counters, shelvings, movable partitions and other trade fixtures, shall be and become the property of the Lessor and shall remain upon and be surrendered with the premises as the part thereof on the termination of this lease. Said Lessee hereby agrees that no unnecessary damage will be made to said premises by the removal of any trade fixtures permitted therein.

Time is of the essence of each and all of the terms and provisions of this lease, and the terms and provisions of this lease shall extend to and be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the heirs, executors, administrators, successors, and assigns of the respective parties hereto. Nothing in this clause contained shall be construed, however, to authorize any assignment contrary to the provisions of this lease.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have executed these presents in duplicate the day and year first hereinabove written.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/14/42
(Date)

Name: Mochizuki (Grocery)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Madera, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
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Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Grocery, hardware, barbershop, beer, etc., 9 miles south on Madera Ave. Making a deal with Mr. Miller, to run while away. Says deal held up some account collections. Will call here with Miller for advice. Says no problem.

Handled by: L. J. ALLEN
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE
Directed to file: MADERA

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

~~June 19, 1942~~
(Date)

Name: ~~Mochizuki~~ (Surname) (Print) ~~Hideo~~ (Given)

Address: ~~Sharp's Park Immigration Station~~ (Street and Number)

~~San Francisco~~ (City) ~~California~~ (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult:
Minor: x
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: ~~Alien~~

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: ~~Mr C S Weatherholt~~

Address: ~~Barrett-Hicks Company - Fresno Calif~~

Telephone Number: ~~2-4141~~

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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CASE CLOSED

Handled by: ~~Townes~~

Directed to file: _____

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2146 Inyo Street, Fresno California

FIRST NATIONAL BANK
IN MADERA

GUY CROW
PRESIDENT

J. E. KIRKMAN
VICE PRESIDENT

MADERA, CALIFORNIA

June 15, 1942.

W. D. Townes,
2146 Inyo St.,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

The enclosed is a copy of a letter written by us on June 12th. We now learn that the same should have been sent to you in Fresno.

Yours truly,

Asst. Cashier.

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

MADERA, CALIFORNIA

June 12, 1942.

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W. D. Townes
Field Representative

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PLUMBING
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BARRETT-HICKS CO.
A HARDWARE DEPARTMENT STORE

HOUSEHOLD WARE
SPORTING GOODS
STOVES

1023-1031 BROADWAY
TELEPHONE 2-4141
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA

2-7955

May 15, 1942

Mr. Lawson Allan
c/o W.C.C.A
2146 Inyo
Fresno, California

Dear Mr. Allan:

In keeping with our conversation regarding HIDEO MOCHIZUKI, I am enclosing a statement taken from two members of the family.

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Re: Cash held in trust for the duration by Sam Hersh.

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C. S. Weatherholt

enc.

Statement of son and daughter-in-law of HIDEO MOCHIZUKI, formerly of Madera Avenue, Madera, California

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SUYEMUTSU MOCHIZUKI

GEO. A. MOCHIZUKI

WITNESS:
D.G. M. BACH

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Signed:

D. G. M. BACH
D. G. M. BACH

Mochizuki, Jiro,
2007 Main Street,
Seattle, Washington,

See: Public Files "F"

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Machizuki S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 525 Hemlock
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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CARRY A BOND
TO PROTECT CLIENTS

ESTABLISHED
1920

Great Western Collection Bureau

CHANCERY BUILDING
564 MARKET STREET (OPPOSITE 2ND ST.)
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
GARFIELD 4744

REPRESENTATIVES
IN ALL STATES

WE SEND COLLECTORS
THAT'S REAL SERVICE

April 29, 1942.

War Time Civil Control,
Whitcomb Hotel,
San Francisco, Calif.

RE: S. MOCHIZUKI.

Gentlemen:-

We have filed a suit and served S. Mochizuki, address 525 Hemlock San Francisco, Calif. We believe he has since been transferred to Sacramento, and from there to another spot.

Our judgment is for $950.00 principal, $100.00 attorney fees, $10.50 costs and $55.50 interest, covering claim of James H. Hjul, contractor.

Will appreciate your kind co-operation on this Japanese, as we are advised that through your office, disposition can be made of this matter.

Thanking you for your kind assistance, we are,

Very truly yours,

GREAT WESTERN COLLECTION BUREAU

BY: J. Leon

Manager.

JL:MB

RECEIVED
APR 30 1942
WDC &
Fourth Army
WCCA

5/1/42 answered by phone

P.W.B.

(NOTICE) PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE AT THIS OFFICE - YOUR ACCOUNT HAS BEEN ASSIGNED

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27th 1942
(Date)

Name: MOCHIZUKI (Surname) YONEKO (Print) (Given)

Address: 1235 - 20th St
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: JANE
"

Address:

Telephone Number: 19987

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

YONEKO IS A DRESSMAKER FROM L.A.
SEWING MACHINE PARTLY PAID FOR.

QUESTION: HOW TO HANDLE BALANCE

Action taken:*

SENT HER TO SINGER AGENCY.

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Model Cafe
(Print)

Address: Hamilton
(Street and Number)

Montana
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Mihara, F.K.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: MODERN CAFE (Masao Hasegawa)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 318 L Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See - DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659

SEE ALSO: HASEGAWA, MASAO

Action taken:*

Sold to Mr and Mrs Fred Giesy.

Handled by: Sacramento

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Modern Hotel

(Date)

Name: Fujita Fusako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1116 1/2 - 5th St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(SUBJECT)

Date of last entry into United States:

(DATE)

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Modesto Irrigation District
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File: _____

(Surname) (Given)

DON PEDRO DAM AND POWER HOUSE

MODESTO
IRRIGATION DISTRICT
STANISLAUS COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

MODESTO, CALIFORNIA
May 11, 1942

Dr. Calvert Dedrick
Statistician W.C.C.A.
Whitcomb Hotel
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

I have been referred to you by Mr. Price of the Federal Reserve Bank, San Francisco, who is working in the evacuation center at the Winter Garden Building, Modesto. I will state briefly as possible our situation.

We are serving in this Modesto area over 12,000 consumers of electrical energy. The evacuation of the Japanese is causing us some difficulty because of failure to notify us when to turn off their electric service. It is impossible to check our files and segregate the Japanese accounts from many others having similar sounding names. This results in a probable loss to us of quite a considerable sum of money. I have asked the local office here for a list of the names and addresses of the Japanese being evacuated from our area along with a forwarding address so that we could be sure our bills would be received and given attention. They stated that it is contrary to regulations to give us this information. However, they realize the problem we are facing and suggested that we appeal to you in this matter.

You can readily see that if we had such a list, we could check our records for all those who were consumers. We could then disconnect the electric service of all those whom had failed to notify us. If our bill could be mailed to the manager of the assembly center where these Japanese are sent, he could see that they received the bills and a payment was made thereon.

I trust you will be able to give us some help in this problem, and I wish to thank you for the cooperation I am sure we will receive.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) J. C. Finn

Credit Manager

JGF:S

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5-8-42
(Date)

Name: MODESTO IRRIGATION DISTRICT
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

MODESTO IRRIGATION DISTRICT
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: J. G. Finn, Credit Mgr.

Address: Modesto Irrigation District
823 -- 11th St., Modesto (Phone 213)

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Finn called and requested advice as to the possibility of obtaining a list of evacuees from Modesto (#50) for use in connection with the discontinuance of electric energy and the billing therefor.

Action taken:* Referred Mr. Finn to Mr. File, U. S. Employment Service as we were advised by the local representatives of the United States Employment Service that such information might be available in the Merced Office.

On May 9, Mr. Finn advised that names of Japanese farm owners in the Modesto area (#50) had been made available for his use; however, he was unable to obtain any information concerning tenant farmers or residents of Modesto.

On May 9, mentioned the matter to Mr. Armstrong, Evacuee Property Department, who suggested that Mr. Finn might be able to get the

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Directed to File: _____

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 7th 1942
(Date)

Name: MOHRI FLORENCE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt. 5 Box 198
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MOHRI (Surname) Florence (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same
Address: "
Telephone Number: No.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Report same name 4-17-1942

Studebaker 1938 Sedan - turned to Pac. Gas & Elect. Co - to clear power bill & Hardware bill at Bakersfield Hardware Co.

Sr. Bahrenburg - P.O. Box 1498 - friend of family will care for furniture

Action taken:*

Case Closed

4 persons.

Handled by: [signature]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17th 1942
(Date)

Name: MOHRI FLORENCE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt. 5 Box 198
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MOHRI (Surname) Florence (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME APRIL 7th 1942

FLORENCE PAID SEABOARD FINANCE CO.
FOR FURNITURE TODAY
HER FIRM AIDED HER

Action taken:*

A Persons

Handled by: SB

Directed to file:

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17th 1942
(Date)

Name: MOMRI (Surname) FLORENCE (Print) (Given)

Address: RT. 5 Box 198
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓
Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

MOMRI (Surname)
FLORENCE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: NEVER AWAY

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: NO

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

FLORENCE OWNS APPROXIMATELY $1000.00 FURNITURE PURCHASED 4 OR 5 YEARS AGO.
LATER PLACED CHATTEL MORTGAGE $250.00 WITH SEABOARD FINANCE CO. TO MEET OBLIGATIONS STILL OWES $120.00
FATHER OWNS STUDE 1938 SEDAN. THIS WILL BE SOLD BUT PROCEEDS WILL BE USED TO PAY NOTE ON WHICH FATHER WAS CO-SIGNER. SEEMS TO HAVE BEEN A HABIT.

FLORENCE WORKS FOR HERBERT P. SEARS INC (COLLECTIONS. SHE DOES NOT WANT TO GIVE FURNITURE, BUT WILL HAVE NO MEANS TO MAKE PAYMENTS, AFTER THIS WEEK.
QUESTION: WHAT TO DO?

Action taken:*

ADVISED HER TO SEE REV. MITANI - AND TRY TO ARRANGE LOAN THROUGH HIS GROUP - OR JAPANESE ASSN.
SHE WILL ALSO SPEAK TO MR. SEARS - HE HAS OFFERED SOME HELP.

SISTER, MOTHER, FATHER } 4 PERSONS.

Handled by: [illegible]

Directed to file: ✓

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: MOHRI, Eunice
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Description of Property - Sec. 32, T-30-R-29

New Operator: TOY

Glen Johnson
Bakersfield, California

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Moiu, Mary Yoshigra
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: c/o Col. H. F. Wilkinson (Mrs.)
(Street and Number)

Ft Custer, Mich.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

August 3, 1943

Mrs. Mary Yoshihara Moiu,
% Col. H. F. Wilkinson,
Fort Custer, Michigan.

Dear Madam:

We have received your letter, which was undated, inquiring as to the forwarding of goods stored with this bank.

Inasmuch as the War Relocation Authority has jurisdiction over the subject, we are transmitting a copy of your letter to that agency for its information.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

cc: War Relocation Authority,
San Francisco, California.

JJDooley:cc

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5-8-42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: MODESTO IRRIGATION DISTRICT
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

MODESTO IRRIGATION DISTRICT
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

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Address: Modesto Irrigation District
823 -- 11th St., Modesto (Phone 213)

Telephone Number: _____

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desired information from Dr. Calvert Dedrick, W. C. C. A., Whitcomb Hotel, San Francisco. Mr. Finn was advised accordingly.

On May 11, Mr. Finn called and left a copy of a letter which had been written to Dr. Dedrick in connection with this matter.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 7th 1942
(Date)

Name: MOHRI FLORENCE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt. 5 Box 198
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MOHRI (Surname) Florence (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same
Address: "
Telephone Number: No.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Report same name 4-17-1942

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Dr. Bahrenburg - P.O. Box 1498 - friend of family will care for furniture

Action taken:*

Case Closed

4 persons.

Handled by: [signature]

Directed to file:

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17th 1942
(Date)

Name: MOHRI FLORENCE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: RT. 5 BOX 198
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MOHRI (Surname) Florence (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME APRIL 7th 1942

FLORENCE PAID SEABOARD FINANCE CO.
FOR FURNITURE TODAY.
HER FIRM AIDED HER

Action taken:*

A Persons

Handled by: SS

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17th 1942
(Date)

Name: MOHRI (Surname) FLORENCE (Print) (Given)

Address: RT. 5 Box 198
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

FLORENCE MOHRI (Given) (Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: NEVER AWAY

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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FLORENCE WORKS FOR HERBERT P. SEARS INC (COLLECTIONS. SHE DOES NOT WANT TO GIVE FURNITURE, BUT WILL HAVE NO MEANS TO MAKE PAYMENTS, AFTER THIS WEEK.
QUESTION: WHAT TO DO?

Action taken:*

ADVISED HER TO SEE REV. MITANI - AND TRY TO ARRANGE LOAN THROUGH HIS GROUP - OR JAPANESE ASSN.
SHE WILL ALSO SPEAK TO MR. SEARS - HE HAS OFFERED SOME HELP.

SISTER
MOTHER
FATHER
} 4 PERSONS

Handled by: JD

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: ✓

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: MOHRI, Eunice
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address:
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given) (Date)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
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Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Description of Property - Sec. 32, T-30-R-29

New Operator: TOY

Glen Johnson
Bakersfield, California

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Maiu, Mary Yoshihara (Mrs.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: c/o Col. H. F. Wilkinson
(Street and Number)
Ft Custer, Mich.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

August 3, 1943

Mrs. Mary Yoshihara Moiu,
% Col. H. F. Wilkinson,
Fort Custer, Michigan.

Dear Madam:

We have received your letter, which was undated, inquiring as to the forwarding of goods stored with this bank.

Inasmuch as the War Relocation Authority has jurisdiction over the subject, we are transmitting a copy of your letter to that agency for its information.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

cc: War Relocation Authority,
San Francisco, California.

J:Dooley:cc

August 3, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Property of evacuee stored with the Federal Reserve Bank.

We are enclosing a copy of a letter, which is undated, from Mrs. Mary Yoshihara Moiu, inquiring as to the forwarding of goods to her at Fort Custer, Michigan.

We are also enclosing a copy of our reply letter which indicates that the matter has been submitted for your consideration.

The goods are stored in the Sacramento Wharf warehouse.

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures

JWDooley:cc

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% Col. H. F. Wilkinson,
Fort Custer, Michigan.

Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

I am daughter of J. S. Yoshihara who have recently married and came to the east. As I had wrote in before I asked you to mail me a box - which on the top says "wanted mailed" under one of these numbers or both. 21992 or 22001.

Will you please mail me that box which is paper and it contains an very big photo album and many other things. I have written - wanted mailed on the top you can find it right away. Will you please mail it as soon as you can cause there's important thing I needed in there which I want.

Please mail it to me under care of Col. H. F. Wilkinson, Fort Custer, Thank you please.

Yours truly,

(Signed) Mary Yoshihara Moiu

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MOMII K
(Surname) (Print) (Given)
(New Japanese American Times)

Address: 1739 SUTTER STREET
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: NAKAMURA, MATSU (MRS.)

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Momii Richard
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Toyo Hotel
~~764~~ 765 Buchanan St
SF
(Street and Number)
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to File:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone
Interview:

Name: Mamii K
(Surname) (Print) (Given)
New Jap. Amer. Times

Address: 1739 Sutter St.
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nakamura, Matsu (Mrs)

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MONACO HOTEL

(Date)

Name: OGATA (Surname) (Print) H (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1235 - 20th (Street and Number)

Bakersfield (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Rec Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Moneta Nursery, Inc. _____ (Date)

Name: Ayemiya, E. S. (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: WCCA Assembly Center (Street and Number)

Tulare, Calif. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

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Name (Surname) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Clear

3-19-42
(Date)

Name: MONIRI GUISEPPE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: NOT KNOWN.
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Italy.

Date of last entry into United States: not known

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Mrs. F. Giusti

Address: 19 Columbus.

Telephone Number: Su 5178

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs Giusti called on behalf of Mr. Moniri who is an Italian alien. Said Moniri ~~who~~ would like to accept employment at Asti, Calif. (Prohibited area).

Action taken:*

Advised that Moniri could work at Asti until evacuation date. Also suggested that Moniri call at this office for future particulars regarding employment etc.

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Name MONIRI (Surname) GUISEPPE (Given) CITIZEN

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: MONTEREY COFFEE SHOP
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 221 L St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Office)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

(Given)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See DUN & BRADSTREET, INC SAC 659
" Frank K. Fujicka

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Monti (Surname) Lewis (Print) (Given)

Address: 2327 E. 14th Street (Street and Number)

Oakland, California (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Italy

Monti (Surname) Lewis (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1913

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: X
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Monti owns five stores at the above address, valued at $18,000. The property is encumbered in the amount of $7780 a note being held by C. P. Johnson, 712 Longridge Road, Oakland.

Action taken:*

Mrs. Monti is a citizen of the U. S. and will take charge of the property.

Handled by: Hendricks

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 3 persons involved
1 contacted
1 interviewed

Directed to file: Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-10-42
(Date)

Name: Moor L. E.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Rt. 1 Box 111
(Street and Number)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Yes

Petaluma Calif.
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: American

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wishes to lease dairy farm of from 40 to 50 cows capacity. Has own equipment, tractor and some live stock.

Action taken:*

Name and information filed with view of placement on any available dairy ranch.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Directed to file:
Field Representative
Santa Rosa

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Moore, Minnie (Lessor) Telephone:
(Surname) (Print) (Given) Interview:

Address: 1030 E. Ocean Blvd. Adult:
(Street and Number) Minor:
Male:
Female:
Long Beach, Calif Citizenship:
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

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Operating Departments
REID DEPT. STORE
Riverside, Calif.

MOORE & GAUNTT
WEBB DEPT. STORE
Glendale, Calif.

MOORE & MORRIS
HENSHEY DEPT. STORE
Santa Monica, Calif.

M. S. MOORE
Leased Ready-to-Wear Department
[illegible] OCEAN BLVD.
[illegible] PINE AVENUE
LONG BEACH, CALIFORNIA

[illegible]
AUG 21 1942

REFERRED BY MR. MANGELS
TO MR. Armstrong
AUG 21 1942
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August 19, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
P.O.Box 2077, Terminal Annex,
Los Angeles, Calif.
Att'n. C. E. Earhart

Gentlemen:

Re assignment of the lease at 324 E. 4th St; Long Beach as per your letter and copies of assignments enclosed, I am writing for my Mother, Mrs. Minnie R. Moore, Lessor.

She is perfectly agreeable to the assignment. However, on the assignment and the two copies you have left out "WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY" at bottom of each sheet where same has already been signed by the assignee.

Will you kindly type in "WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY", return and my Mother will sign and return two copies as requested.

The Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco had requested my Mother to send a statement prior to the end of each quarter, so she therefore asks for the address of the War Relocation Authority if other than Hotel Whitcomb in San Francisco.

With assignment sheets will you kindly return your original letter of August 11th (postmark on envelop August 17th) and oblige....to Mrs. Minnie R. Moore, 1030 E. Ocean Blvd; Long Beach, Calif.

Yours Truly
M. S. Moore

M. S. Moore

written for Minnie R. Moore

Answered
Acad. by Routine Action
No Answer Required
Directed to File
Division
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

August 21, 1942

Mrs. Minnie R. Moore,
1030 E. Ocean Boulevard,
Long Beach, California.

Dear Madam:

As requested, we are returning the three copies of the lease assignment covering the premises at 324 East Fourth Street, Long Beach, California, forwarded to us by Mr. M. S. Moore under date of August 19, 1942, having inserted the name of the War Relocation Authority.

We are also returning our original transmittal letter of August 11, 1942.

The address of the War Relocation Authority is Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco, California, where you may communicate with that agency.

Yours very truly,

Enclosures
MDArmstrong:MR

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: Moore (Surname) Mr. H. W. (Print) (Given)

Address: 657 Plumas Street
(Street and Number)
Yuba City, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

(Sex) (Color)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mr. H. W. Moore

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 684

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:* 7/7/42

Since this [redacted] referred to the furniture of Mrs. Miyo Yoshikawa and this furniture [redacted] now sold, the case can be considered closed.

[redacted]

INTERVIEW # 12 Closed

[redacted]

Handled by: K.T. Cregg

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Directed to file: Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: Moore (Surname) Mr. H. W. (Print) (Given)

Address: 657 Plumas (Street and Number)

Yuba City, California (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mr. H. W. Moore

Address: 657 Plumas, Yuba City

Telephone Number: 684

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Mr. Moore is in the insurance business in Yuba City. He has an insurance policy for Mr. M. Yoshikawa of 311½ - 2nd St. Marysville, with the Franklin Fire Insurance Company. Policy # 41609 for $2000.00 on furniture of rooming house. Mr. Yoshikawa has had this policy for 8 yrs. or more. Premiums - $21.40.

A special agent for the insurance company called on Mr. Yoshikawa yesterday and spoke to the daughter who stated she was going to bring in the policy today and pick up the check for $21.40 (premium) which will leave the property uninsured.

Area #21

Action taken:* Called on Mrs. Yoshikawa and found that she did not speak English, and have arranged with Mr. Honda Nobaru to interview her.

Same as Hayashi - have to vacate

1 person interviewed (Mr. Moore)
2 represented (Mr. Yoshikawa & daughter)
3 TOTAL

Handled by: Kenyon T. Gregg
Marysville

INTERVIEW # 12

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Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mar 18-42
(Date)

Name: MOREGUCHI, M
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Moreguchi Ranch
(Street and Number)
Bridgeport: Mendicino Co. Cal.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name: MOREGUCHI (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Do not know over 5 years at last

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Paul Pera
Address: 828 Filbert St. S.F.
Telephone Number: Or 8407

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

M. Moreguchi Jap. Natl had leased a ranch from Wm A. Minson c/o Burlington Ry. Monadnock Bldg. S.F. at Bridgeport, Mendicino Co. at time of making lease Japanese put up $351 security. Transferred & assigned lease with consent of Minson to above person interviewed but landlord Minson will not refund Japanese deposit claiming it as offset to repair of some fences.

Trying to contact Minson to attempt to adjust it

Mar 19-42

Action taken:*

Contacted Wm A. Minson by phone he stated that Jap did not put up any money on lease but had paid his rent to July and wanted back rental paid in advance from via March to July. Minson claimed offsets - will advise if adjustment can be made subsequently. Mr. Minson + Bert Stewart of 216 Pine came in office. Adjustment made for $125.00

Handled by: H L Lai

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mizuno V. A.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Alhambra, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Census)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

(Card)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Yano, Hideo

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morbido Bros.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Sacto
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

R. & A. to J. H. Fairburn

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MORI (Surname) (Print) AKIRA (Given)

Address: dba Mori Nursery
1112 Olympic Blvd.
(Street and Number)

Montebello (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

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March 16, 1942

Akira Mori,
dba Mori Nursery,
1112 Olympic Blvd.,
Montebello, California

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your busiress, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 3, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Mori, Atan
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: In care of the Beaman Ranch
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor: x
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Refers to report of April 24, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.

1942 Chevrolet. No further information.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Directed to File:

Mori (Surname)
Atan (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mar 16-42
(Date)

Name: MOREGUCHI, M
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Moreguchi Ranch
(Street and Number)
Bridgeport, Mendocino Co. Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Date of last entry into United States: Haven't been over 5 years at best (Citizen)

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Paul Pera

Address: 828 Filbert St. SF.

Telephone Number: Or 8407

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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Mar 19-42

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Handled by:

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PHONE DOUGLAS 2141

W. A. MINSON

999 MONADNOCK BUILDING

TRAVELING FREIGHT AGENT
BURLINGTON LINES
CHICAGO, BURLINGTON & QUINCY RAILROAD CO.
THE COLORADO AND SOUTHERN RAILWAY CO.
FT. WORTH & DENVER CITY RAILWAY CO.
THE WICHITA VALLEY RAILWAY CO.

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

NATIONAL AUTOMOBILE CLUB

BERT STEWART, JR.

215-225 PINE STREET
SAN FRANCISCO
GARFIELD 5300

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morgan (Surname) (Print) Y. A. (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Alhambra (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Yano, Hideo

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morbido Bros.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Sacto
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

P. of A. & J. H. Fairburn

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MORI AKIRA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

dba Mori Nursery
Address: 1112 Olympic Blvd.
(Street and Number)

Montebello Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

March 16, 1942

Akira Mori,
dba Mori Nursery,
1112 Olympic Blvd.,
Montebello, California

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

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Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 3, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Mori, Atan
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: In care of the Bauman Ranch
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor: X
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Refers to report of April 24, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.

1942 Chevrolet. No further information.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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Supplement

April 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mori (Surname) Atan (Print) (Given)

Address: In care of The Bauman Ranch
(Street and Number)

Suisun (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult:
Minor: x
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

MORI (Surname) ATAN (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

E. E. Lockie, Deputy Sheriff - Solano Company appeared before the Ration Board, and denied a permit to purchase a 1942 Chevrolet owned by A. Mori.

Action taken:*

Talked to Mr. Hugh Wren, Member of Solano County Ration Board, who advised that their limited authority prevented issuance of priority permit.

EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

Handled by: P.D. Molter

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Directed to File: P.D. Molter

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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4-21-45
(Date)

Name: Mori Atau
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: % Bauman Ranch
(Street and Number)
Suisun Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult:
Minor: X
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

MORI (Surname)
ATAU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Automobile 1942 Model (Chevrolet)
Purchased in father name K. Mori
Same address transfer in Feb to
his son - now wish to sell.
Have prospective buyer, who is as
of this date making application for
priority with ration board.

Action taken:*

Advised transfer of registration
will be authorized, provided permit
can be obtained from ration board.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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(S-5055) Interviewed by Repo. Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

4/17/42
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Name: Mori H.M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 381 - 3rd St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Mori (Surname) H.M. (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: Garfield 3475

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:* Closing Report.

Sam Shue (chinese) who purchased Mori's business informed us that Mori obtains his travel permit and is now residing in Watsonville.

Handled by: P. Williams

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: _____

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3/25/42
(Date)

Name: Mori (Surname) (Print) H M (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 381 - 3rd ST
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Date of last entry into United States: Sept 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: GA 3475

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Mori has sold his Cleaning business located @ 381- 3rd St to a Chinese the deal is being handled by T.D. Colleurd who told him he could not leave the City for 9 days, Will you find out why I can not leave by March 27th

Action taken:*

Could not contact his attorney
will turn in supplementary
report tomorrow

Handled by: Moger

Directed to file: Kent

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Involves 6 Persons

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mori, Mrs. K. H.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 17
(Street and Number)

Redwood City, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries, Mori

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/16/42
(Date)

Name: Mori S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 409 E. 7th St
(Street and Number)

Hanford Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: Nov. 26 - 1912

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

Type of Business: Confectionery
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Daughter Yukiye Mori

Address: 409 East 7th St Hanford

Telephone Number: None (Can contact at Gas

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has fixed stock and fixtures of about $1800.00
the stock has been reduced about half.

Has a signed agreement with Tony Rosalez to purchase for $900.00 all equipment & stock including lease to 1944, Personal effects excluded. Cash at time of examination, Daughter & Son have much cleared. Expect sale of their equity to be closed to-day. No problem except premiums on Life Insurance, and to discuss the transactions.

Action taken:* Advised her to contact agent representing Ins. Co.

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative

Directed to file: Visalia

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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5 in family

51)

Name MORI (Surname) S. (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mori (Surname) (Print) Sada (Given)

Address: 851 - 17th Street (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: Japan

Date of last entry into United States: Jan. 1931

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: /

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Mori has a savings account of $200 with the Farmers and Merchants Bank, Oakland. She also has a Metropolitan Life Insurance policy on which she pays $1.50 per week. She asked advice regarding both these items.

Action taken:*

Advised Mrs. Mori to transfer the $200 from the savings dept. to a checking account and to pay several weeks advance payments on her life insurance policy.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 4 involved
1 contacted
1 interviewed

Directed to file:
Oakland

Tulare, California
June 23, 1942

Mr. H. E. Iverson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Iverson:

Inclosed herewith find properly executed release form FPM-3 covering sale of Ford V8 sedan, license No. 78K663, property of Saichi Mori. Inclosed also find original forms FTB-3 and 4 in connection with this car.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton, Field Representative
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 13, 1942.

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Tulare, California.

SUBJECT: Saichi Mori,
Family No. 13(-14145)

Dear Sir:

In answer to your letter of June 11, we enclose forms EPM8 to enable the above subject to turn his car over to Bob Polley, of 2127 Red Rose Way, Santa Barbara. We are also enclosing his registration certificate.

After having Mr. Mori sign the original copy of EPM8, kindly deliver the 1935 Ford Sedan, License No. 78W663 to Mr. Polley and secure his signature also on the Form EPM8.

When the transaction is completed please forward the original copy of EPM8 to us, together with Mr. Mori's copies of FRB-3 and FRB-4, and turn over to Mr. Mori the duplicate copy of EPM8 for his record.

Yours very truly,

ASSISTANT CASHIER

Enclosure

Tulare, California
June 11, 19[illegible]

Mr. R. F. Everson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
600 California Street
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

Mr. Saichi Mori, owner of 1935 Ford sedan, license number 7[illegible]-[illegible]-66[illegible], requests necessary papers and documents to enable him to turn this car over to Bob Polley of 2127 Red Rose Way, Santa Barbara, for storage and sale.

He is making arrangements for Mr. Polley to come to Tulare for this car after I notify him of receipt of the papers.

Very truly yours,

D. W. Dunton, Field Representative
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 3, 1942

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Tulare, California.

Re: Saichi Mori, Family No. 14145

Dear Sir:

Answering your question in your letter of June 2, 1942 with reference to the appraisal on the Ford Tudor Sedan turned in for storage by the above named evacuee, we find the appraisal was made up as follows:

Blue Book wholesale value		- $135.00
Estimate of reconditioning		
Body (Interior)	$15.00	
Engine	40.00	
Tires	5.00	
	$60.00	60.00
Net appraisal valuation		- $ 75.00

We presume that this evacuee understood that the appraisal was made on the basis of not to exceed the Blue Book wholesale less estimated reconditioning costs.

We notice in connection with the description of this car that our Forms FRB 3 show the engine number to be 99T221129, whereas, the Registration Certificate shows No. 18-2045174. If this car is to be sold to the Army, will you kindly check the motor and serial numbers personally advising us what the correct numbers are so that title may be passed without difficulty.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Tulare, California
May 25, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, Calif.

Dear Mr. Everson:

Inclosed herewith find following information and/or papers as requested:

N. Suzuki	Registration Certificate attached.
Shoji Morihisa	Mr. Morihisa reports the certificate is being held by the Motor Vehicle Department in Sacramento pending his notification to them of his address. He promised to do this today. Upon receipt of the certificate by Mr. Morihisa I shall secure it and forward.
Saichi Mori	New papers signed by Saichi Mori inclosed.

I shall contact Howard Barnes today regarding the pay for his services in checking numbers on automobiles stored here. As stated before, Mr. Castle completed his eight hour shift on the day he checked numbers as a guard, consequently he is not entitled to additional pay.

I also wish to advise you that the keys to the cars stored here are now in my custody here in Tulare. Apparently there was some mixup regarding these keys. Mr. Allen turned them over to me Saturday after a telephone conversation with your office.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton
Field Representative
W. C. C. A. Assembly Center
Tulare, Calif.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

May 22, 1942

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Tulare Assembly Center,
Fair Grounds,
Tulare, California.

Dear Sir:

In the case of Saichi Mori, family #14145, who turned over a Ford Sedan, engine #99T221129, license #78V-1663, to us for storage at Tulare, we find some discrepancies in signatures which appear to nead correction.

Our Form FRB-3 shows the name of registered owner as Saichi Mori, although it is signed "S. Mori". On the Form FRB-4 the signature is that of Frank Mori. We are, therefore, enclosing a new set of forms 3 and 4 which we would thank you to have properly executed by Saichi Mori, returning them to us at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mori Saichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

TULARE, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Mori (Surname)
Saichi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

Directed to File: _____

June 13, 1942.

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Tulare, California.

SUBJECT: Saichi Mori,
Family No. 13(-14145)

Dear Sir:

In answer to your letter of June 11, we enclose forms EPMS to enable the above subject to turn his car over to Bob Polley, of 2127 Red Rose Way, Santa Barbara. We are also enclosing his registration certificate.

After having Mr. Mori sign the original copy of EPMS, kindly deliver the 1935 Ford Sedan, License No. 783663 to Mr. Polley and secure his signature also on the Form EPMS.

When the transaction is completed please forward the original copy of EPMS to us, together with Mr. Mori's copies of FRB-3 and FRB-4, and turn over to Mr. Mori the duplicate copy of EPMS for his record.

Yours very truly,

ASSISTANT CASHIER

Enclosure

GEO.M.TIAFFAY:ECF

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 23-1942
(Date)

Name: MORI (Surname) SHIGEKI (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 822 Tilton Ave (Street and Number)
San Mateo, Calif (City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Date of last entry into United States: 1939

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Shigeki Mori

Address: 822 Tilton Ave.

Telephone Number: San Mateo 1984

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
To be evacuated (6) Subject, father, mother (3) sisters
1- Purchasing home on contract - want to lease furnished - Bank of Am. who holds mortgage will assist in locating tennant.

Action taken:*
Suggested that in addition to their bank they contact the real estate agents and advertise

Handled by: Storey

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5098)

Directed to file: San Mateo ✓

Name MORI (Surname) SHIGEKI (Given)

...isco
...ted States

Closing REPORT
5/21st/42
(Date)

Name: MORI TOSHIO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1470 164th Av
(Street and Number)

San Leandro Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Phoned Farmers + Merchants Savings Bank, Oakland 5/21/42 @ 9^15 AM - talking with Mr OBELMULLER, of mtg Loan Dept, who stated:- MORI's property rented to one D. REMESAL at a monthly rental of $25^00 for indefinite period. Bk's Deed of Trust due in December 1942 (unpd bal $2,16^80 as of 5/21/42) but Bk will allow to run for full four (4) years after date if necessary. Bk will further pay all taxes and charge to loan. CLOSED.

~~Action taken:~~*

by: Gibson
file: Hayward

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Name MORI (Surname) Toshio (Given)

Closed

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27 1942.
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Citizenship: USA

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

owns 2½ acres on which is a house of 5 rooms, . 3bed rooms, no bath.
1 1-car garage, detached.

$3850:00 mortgage in favor of Farmers & Merchants Savings Bank, Oakland, Cal; at 6% interest; p rincipal and interest payable in monthly instalments of $30:00 each until maturity. Present unpaid balance $2400:00.

PROBLEM:- Wants to lease or rent his property. Farmers & Marchants Bank will assist him all possible in locating new tenant; has not so far been able to find an interested party, but promised to use his best efforts from now on to find some one. Has friend who will accept Power of Attorney to sell or rent property if he has to leave before a deal is closed.

Action taken:* Exacted a promise from interviewee to bend every effort to build a deal himself; see his attorney; go talk with several responsible real estate dealers in each of the towns in this locality. He said he would do so; and will be back here to report his progress.

Handled by: Gibson

States no contraband of any nature in his possession anywhere.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: Hayward.

(S-5055) 4 Japanese interested; involved.
1 Japanese interviewed.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closing REPORT

5/21st/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MORI TOSHIO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1470 164th av
(Street and Number)

San Leandro Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name MORI (Surname) Toshio (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Phoned Farmers + Merchants Savings Bank, Oakland 5/21/42 @ 9:15 A.M. - talking with Mr OBELMULLER, of Mtg Loan Dept, who stated:- MORI's property rented to one D. REMESAL at a monthly rental of $25.00 for indefinite period. BK's Deed of Trust due in December 1942 (unpd bal $716.60 as of 5/21/42) but BK will allow to run for ~~further time~~ but four (4) years after due date if necessary. BK will further more pay all taxes and charge them to loan. CLOSED.

Handled by: Gibson
Hayward

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27 1942.
(Date)

Name: MORI TOSHIO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1470 164th Ave
(Street and Number)

San Leandro, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: USA

MORI (SURNAME) TOSHIO (GIVEN)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns 2½ acres on which is a house of 5 rooms, . 3bed rooms, no bath. 1 1-car garage, detached.

$3250:00 mortgage in favor of Farmers & Merchants Savings Bank, Oakland, Cal; at 6% interest; p rincipal and interest payable in monthly instalments of $30:00 each until maturity. Present unpaid balance $2400:00.

PROBLEM:- Wants to lease or rent his property. Farmers & Marchants Bank will assist him all possible in locating new tenant; has not so far been able to find an interested party, but promised to use his best efforts from now on to find some one. Has friend who will accept Power of Attorney to sell or rent property if he has to leave before a deal is closed.

Action taken:* Exacted a promise from interviewee to bend every effort to build a deal himself; see his attorney; go talk with several responsible real estate dealers in each of the towns in this locality. He said he would do so; and will be back here to report his progress.

Handled by: Gibson

States no contraband of any nature in his possession anywhere.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: Hayward.

(S-5055) 4 Japanese interested; involved.
1 Japanese interviewed.

Form 22-R

USE THIS CARD TO NOTIFY YOUR CORRESPONDENTS OR PUBLISHER OF CHANGE OF ADDRESS

DATE Oct. 20 1942.

THIS IS TO ADVISE THAT ON YOSHIAKI (MORI).

I MOVED (OR WILL MOVE) FROM ASSEMBLY CENTER.

BARRACK #21-4 TANFORAN
(NO.) (STREET OR AVENUE)

SAN MATEO CO. CALIF.
(CITY) (STATE)

NEW ADDRESS:

BLOCK #36-5-E TOPAZ ASSEMBLY CENTER.
(NO.) (STREET OR AVENUE)

UTAH
(CITY) (STATE)

SIGNATURE Yoshiaki Mori

Family #21558.

POST CARD

TO

SAN FRANCISCO,

SAN FRANCISCO,

CALIFORNIA.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: MORI (Surname) (Print) YOSHIAKI (Given)

Address: 1063 - 412 (Street and Number)
Belmont (City) Cal (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

MORI (Surname)
YOSHIAKI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1913

Operating under Treasury License now?: -

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Yoshiaki Mori

Address: 1063 - 412

Telephone Number: No Phone

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
To be evacuated - (7) Subject, wife (5) children
1 - Has $1,500 home he wants to sell

Action taken:*
Suggested he contact real estate agents and advertise

MAY 25 1942

Handled by: Story ✓

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:
San Mateo, Cal

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mori (Surname) Yoneo (Print) (Given)

Address: U S Army (Whereabouts unknown)
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U S

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: M Kakimoto and F C Jenkins

Address: 1336 Yagedas, Fresno California

Telephone Number: 3-5 079

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to our Interview dated 4/1/42

Mr Jenkins the owner of the ranch came into our office with Mr M Kakimoto who was given power of attorney to handle Mr Mori's affairs during his abscense while serving in the U S Army. Mr Kakimoto has subleased the property to Joe C and Castulo Santellano on a crop share basis. A copy of the lease is in the files of Mr Nagle who is representing The Farm Securities Administration. The lease calls for a 55%-45% basis on one parcel and a 50-50% basis on the other parcel. The reason for the extra 5% being given on one parcel is that the Santellano's are to take extra special care of the property keeping the burmuda grass etc out.

Action taken:*

Both Mr Jenkins the owner and Mr Kakimoto are satisfied with the contents and arrangements as set forth in the lease. We Concur.

We are inclosing a copy of the Power of Attorney made up by Mr Kakimoto's Attorney K Kuyumjian whose address is 403 Mason Building, Fresno, California

Handled by: Townes

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) 2146 Inyo Street-Fresno California

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN, that I, Toneo Mori, of the County of Fresno, State of California, do hereby constitute and appoint Mitsutaro Kakimoto, of the same place, my true and lawful attorney for me, and in my name,

1. To enter upon and take possession of any lands, buildings, tenements, or other structures, or any part, or parts, thereof, that may belong to me, or to the possession whereof I may be entitled;

2. To ask, collect and receive any rents, profits, issues, or income, of any and all of such lands, buildings, tenements, or other structures, or of any part, or parts, thereof;

3. To make, execute and deliver and deed, mortgage, or lease, whether with, or without, convenants and warranties, in respect of any such lands, buildings, tenements, or other structures, or of any part, or parts, thereof, and to manage any such lands, and to manage, repair, alter, rebuild, or reconstruct, any buildings, houses, or other structures, or any part, or parts, thereof, that may now, or hereafter, be erected upon any such lands;

4. To demand, sue for, collect, recover and receive all goods, claims, debts, moneys, interest and demands whatsoever now due, or that may hereafter be due, or belong to me (including the right to institute any action, suit, or legal proceeding, for the recovery of any land, buildings, tenements, or other structures, or any part, or parts, thereof, to the possession whereof I may be entitled), and to make, execute and deliver receipts, releases, or other discharges therefor, under seal, or otherwise;

5. To make, execute, endorse, accept and deliver any and all bills of exchange, checks, drafts, notes and trade acceptances;

6. To pay all sums of money, at any time, or times, that may hereafter be owing by me upon any bill of exchange, check, draft, note, or trade acceptance, made, executed, endorsed, accepted and delivered by me, or for me, and in my said attorney;

7. To defend, settle, adjust, compound, submit to arbitration and compromise all actions, suits, accounts, reckonings, claims and demands, whatsoever, that now are, or hereafter shall be, pending between me and any person, firm, or corporation, in such manner and in all respects as my said attorney shall think fit;

8. Without, in any wise, limiting the foregoing, generally to do, execute and perform any other act, deed, matter, or thing, whatsoever, that ought to be done, executed and performed, or that, in the opinion of my said attorney, ought to be done, executed, or performed, in and about the premises, of every nature and kind, whatsoever, as fully and effectually as I could do, if personally present;

K. KUYUMJIAN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
405 MASON BLDG.
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA

And I, the said Yoneo Mori, do hereby ratify and confirm all whatsoever my said attorney, or his substitutes, shall do, or cause to be done, in, or about, the premises, by virtue of this power of attorney.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, in the City of Fresno, State of California, on this 26th day of December, 1941.

Yoneo Mori

That I, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for the County of Fresno, State of California, hereby certify that the above Power of Attorney is a true and exact copy of the original.

Notary Public in and for said County and State.

K. KUYUMJIAN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/1142.
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Mori. Yonco
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: US

Address: not known.
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in U.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: farming. Person Interviewed: F.C. Jenkins.
Partnership:
Proprietorship: Address: 1336 Vagades, Fresno.
Corporation:
Individual: ✓ Telephone Number: 35079.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Jenkins called at the office and stated that he had sold Mori. the following described property. W½ of NE¼ of SW¼ Section 31. Twp. 13. Rg. 19. - 20 acres, planted to Thompson Vines. paying $3000 for the property - with a down payment of 750.00 on Jan 1 - 1942. and 750.00 per year thereafter this sale in form of a Trust Deed -

Mori. is now in the U.S. army whereabouts not known to Mr. Jenkins - also when Mori. left he gave Power of atty to another Japanese, by name of Sakamoto - Mr Jenkins wants to know what to do to protect his property.

Action taken:*

advised him to bring Sakamoto to the office and a deal could no doubt be worked out.

Handled by: G. Allen

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 2146, Inyo St. Fresno, Cal.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 16, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Moriauchi

Name: Moriauchi (Surname) Masa (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 1 Box 40 (Street and Number)

Esparto (City) Calif (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.

MORIAUCHI (Surname)

Masa (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1926

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same

Address: –

Telephone Number:

✓Principal property involved and scope of problem:

The above person with her husband and family recently moved to Esparto three week ago monday. Due to the fact they left some furniture in the vicinity of Elk, Mendocino County ~~[illegible]~~ they would like to have this furniture also stored.

The real property is where the furniture is stored, owned by Mrs M. J. Walsh ~~[illegible]~~ 36th Ave S.F. and ~~[illegible]~~ by Paul Pera an Italian citizen. The latter is close friend of the this family and will cooperate with any storage plan.

Action taken:*

5/17 Called Diamond, who will handle Mendocino County and he agreed to make arrangement. We will take F R B form to authorize pick-up.

5/18 Mrs Moriauchi completely reversed her desire.

6 Interested
1 Interviewed

Handled by:

Directed to file: Sector

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/20/42
(Date)

Name: Morioka (Surname) Ken Seigi (Given) (Print)

Address: 1642 Delaware (Street and Number)

Berkeley (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name (Surname) (Given) (Print)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Follow-up 3/17/42

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

Have been advised that he has moved

to Denver, Colorado.

Action taken:* Case apparently closed.

Handled by: Mason Case
Field Representative-Berkeley

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
Persons involved-see former report

Thornwall 1388

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 20, 1972
(Date)

Moriguchi, Masa

Name: Minson A. Wm. 1st
(Print)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: 362 60th St.
(Street and Number)

Oakland, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.A.
NOT JAPANESE

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: FARMING Person Interviewed: SAME
Partnership:
Proprietorship: Address: SAME
Corporation:
Individual: ✓ Telephone Number: (OAKLAND) PIEDMONT 6285 J
(S.F.) DOUGLAS 2141

Principal property involved and scope of problem: FARM LEASE

Mr. Minson phoned and asked if Masa Moriguchi (Jap-Am. Citizen) had been satisfied with the $125 settlement in payment of all claims against Mr. Minson's farm property at Bridgeport, California.

Mr. Minson said that Masa Moriguchi had assigned the lease to Paul Pera (American citizen) of 828 FILBERT ST. S.F.) and said deal was satisfactory to him (Minson).

Masa Moriguchi (wife) is U.S.A. citizen.
M. Moriguchi (husband) is Jap alien.

Action taken:*

Mr. Irwin of this office had originally handled the matter but a search of the report and letter files failed to disclose any report on the transaction. We phoned Mrs. Paul Pera, who said her husband was out of town & at the farm in question and she believed all parties were satisfied with arrangements. We phoned Mr. Minson this information.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

* Attach additional pages where necessary

6 persons including 2 PHONE INTERVIEWS

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mch 14 - 1946
(Date)

Name: MASA MORIGUCHI (Tenant)
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓

Bridgeport Mendocino Co. Calif
(City) (State)

Citizenship: U.S.

Date of last entry into United States: U.S. Born

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Truck farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Stanislaus A Riley

Address: 1100 Mills Tower

Telephone Number: EX 3835

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has leased from Mrs. Margaret L. Walsh - 80 acres of farm at above address. Wants to assign this lease to Paul Para - american born citizen not Japanese. Mr. Riley wants to know if government has any limitations to impose.

Action taken:*

Since tenant is native + was here on June 17, 1940 and has not left the U.S since, the parties are free to conclude own arrangements

Handled by: Wells

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

MARCH 31/42
(Date)

Name: MORIGUCHI SHIZUKO MRS.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1835 BUCHANAN ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MORIGUCHI (Surname) SHIZUKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

Type of Business: REAL ESTATE
Partnership: -Jap-
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: WALNUT 0206

Principal property involved and scope of problem: POWER OF ATTORNEY

MRS. SHIZUKO MORIGUCHI asked several questions regarding the granting of Power of Attorney to Mrs. Beatrice Larson of this city. The power was to the extent of selling, renting or leasing certain property on California St. and the conditions for handling the proceeds were also discussed. Mrs. Moriguchi had her copy of the Power with her.

Action taken:*

There being no specific power to sell in Mrs. Moriguchi's copy of the Power, this office advised making a new one, which was done, and all the powers of Mrs. Beatrice Larson were more clearly defined. The situation regarding the property was gone over again with Mrs. Moriguchi and she was entirely satisfied to follow this course.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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(4 Persons including interviewer)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

3/30/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Moriguchi Shizuko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1835 Buchanan St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco California
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: United States

MORIGUCHI (Surname)

SHIZUKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 68a

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed:

Address: Same

Telephone Number: WA0206

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Involves Power Of Attorney on 4 - 3 flat buildings located 1524-26-28 Octavia St - 1835-37-39 Buchanan St 3042-44-46 - California St - 2074-76-78 Bush St All in San Francisco

I have given Mrs Lelia R Leep and Mrs B Larson both of San Francisco Separate Powers of attorney to Collect rents, pay taxes & Interest and make repairs when needed. And I required to file a Copy of The Powers of Attorney with the Federal Reserve Bank.

Action taken:*

No you are under General License 68a and are not obliged to file a Copy of your Powers of Attorney.

Handled by: Mager

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) No Involved 4
No Interviewed

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morihiro, Ed
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4th. and Jackson
(Street and Number)

San Jose, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese
American

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of April 23, 1942.

Mr. Peckham, Attorney-At-Law.

Action taken:*

Handled by: San Jose

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

Jap
Morihiro, Ed
(Surname) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 23, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview: X

Name: MORIHIRO (Surname) (Print) ED (Given)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Jap
American

Address: 4th and Jackson
(Street and Number)

San Jose (City) Calif. (State)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: Ballard 8389

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Morihiro is owner of land and buildings, living quarters, store and Service Station at 4th and Jackson Streets. V. Guluzzo holds a mortgage on this property of approximately $4700.00. Tidewater Associated Oil Co. Ballard 36 owns pumps, etc. of the Service Station.

Mr. Peckham, attorney at law, has taken over guardianship for Morihiro.

Action taken:*

After several interviews with all parties concerned during the past three weeks, have now got all parties to agree to the handling of the property and business through Mr. Peckham. V. Guluzzo reports that he is satisfied with present arrangement.

Handled by: San Jose O.F.C.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(3-5055) 6 interviews

CLOSED

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morihiro, Patricia
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 31. 13 - 12 Dormitory
(Street and Number)
Eden, Idaho,
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

September 2, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Division of Evacuee Property

You will find enclosed copies of letters from Charles S. Kambe, 19-11-F, Minidoka War Relocation Project, Eden, Idaho and Patricia Y. Morihiro, Block 13 - Dormitory 12, Minidoka War Relocation Project, Eden, Idaho which were addressed to our Seattle office.

We have advised the correspondents that this matter has been referred to you.

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

E W BORDEN:kvf

cc: Seattle

SEATTLE BRANCH

Copy

TO: HEAD OFFICE

Date: August 31, 1942

SUBJECT: Evacuee Property Department

Filed: Field Interview Reports "Morihiro, P."

Enclosed in duplicate are copies of letters addressed to us by Patricia Y. Morihiro and Victor M. Kambe pertaining to personal property.

We have informed the evacuees that their inquiries have been directed to the War Relocation Authority, San Francisco, for consideration.

RONALD T. SYMMS (signed)
Assistant Manager

OFFICIAL COPY IN GENERAL FILE

August 27, 1942

Dear Sir:

Please send us our trunk which is now in the barn at the Western Washington Fair Grounds at Puyallup, Washington.

We have our winter clothes in the trunk and few summer clothes too. It is cold in these barracks and I wonder if it is possible to have it sent to us immediately.

We have no heater or any other way of keeping ourselves warm except for these clothes in the trunk

Please hurry and send it to us.

Most sincerely,

(Signed) Patricia Y. Morihiro

Address:

Patricia Yaeko Morihiro
Block 13 - 12 Dormitory
Minidaka W.R.A. Center
Eden, Idaho

COPY

Minidoka WRA
19-11-F
Eden, Idaho

Evacuee's Property Custodian
c/o Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Seattle, Washington

Dear Sirs:

Prior to my evacuation, I reported my property status to your office stating the following facts:

1. That I held a contract to buy a house from the HOLC.
2. I had made a contract to sell the equity in my house (3915-12th Avenue Northeast)
3. The equity amounted to approximately $1100 (exact amount being $1146 plus the unused tax and insurance account on deposit with the HOLC)
4. The sales price to be $3,150
5. That the purchaser of my equity (Mr. Spooner) had agreed to buy the house under the following terms, $500 down which I have already received, $31.50 per month payable on the first of each month and an additional lump sum payment of $200.00 payable on or before the first of September 1942 until the full amount is paid for.
6. The agent designated to collect the said payments is Ralph Royal of the Royal Real Estate Company of 45th and Roosevelt Way, Seattle, Washington.

* In a verbal agreement I have asked that said payments be held on deposit by Mr. Royal until such time that I may ask for it.

In the meantime, I have had no word from Mr. Royal other than one visit when he asked for the amount of taxes and insurance paid by myself which are on deposit. I have written to Mr. Royal about the first of August asking for the status of my contract and had no word from him. I have no other means of checking on this contract so I am asking if your department will not investigate this case for me. When registering my property, I was told to write to you if I should have any trouble with my property, and I am taking this opportunity to ask this favor.

I should also like to request that the investigation be made more like a routine check-up by the property custodian so as to prevent any unnecessary friction between myself and Mr. Royal in the event that all is being taken care of properly. I would appreciate a reply on the above matter as soon as possible.

Yours for victory,

(Signed) Charles S. Kambe, by
Victor M. Kambe his attorney-in-fact.

(Signed) Victor M. Kambe

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Moribise Shoji
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given) (Date)

Family No. (13) 14007

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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REFERRED BY MR. [illegible]

TO MR. Bailey

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

313 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 22, 1942

Allen advises that title has been cleared. Certificates received from camp Crowder, all properly endorsed. 7-23-42 HRA.

Mr. H. D. Armstrong
Evacuee Property Department
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Armstrong:

After my conversation with you yesterday concerning the Shoji Morihise car, family #14007, I called Mr. Dunton, at Tulare this morning, and informed him that we have always understood that the Japanese may do with their cars as they see fit, and in this case he should proceed to sell this car for the sum of $85.00.

I asked if the prospect, Mr. W. V. Cooper was still interested in purchasing, and Mr. Dunton informed me that he was. I then stated to Mr. Dunton that we have an EPM-8 in our office signed by Mr. Morihise and that I would return this to San Francisco for a substitute made out in the name of W. V. Cooper, and Mr. Dunton stated that he could make the necessary changes on the EPM-8 from the Broadway Motor Sales Corporation to that of W. V. Cooper. However, I have never been instructed to make a change on an EPM-8 after issuance from San Francisco, however, if he has made such changes in the past, they were undoubtly done with your approval, consequently, I have forwarded him the papers.

I am sorry that any apparent misunderstanding may have occured in reference to Mr. Dunton's letter to you of July 17. It seems he thought the Japanese was under the impression that Mr. Townes told him that the Army would eventually take his car. However, the true fact of the matter is, Mr. Townes told the Japanese that what few cars may be left at Fresno would eventually be taken to San Francisco and stored, and would remain the property of the Japanese, subject to his option as originally signed.

Refering to Paragraph three of Mr. Dunton's letter, the reason for Mr. Townes going to Tulare is that Mr. Gibson of the Broadway Motor Sales Corporation was anxious to get possession of this car for use on his ranch, and up to this period we were not aware that an offer of $85.00 had been made on this car.

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

As for my part in this action, I felt that due to the fact that we had informed the Broadway Motor Sales Corporation that they could have the automobile at this price, and at the same time, there would be considerable delay owing to the disputed title that we were somewhat obligated to make delivery. I realize that we have no particular authority, but was mearly endeavoring to use our best judgment in what would constitute good business procedure.

Yours very truly,

L. J. Allen
Field Representative

LJA:MJM

Answered
Acknowledged by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

July 17, 1942

Mr. Henry Morihise
Medical Department
State Hospital
Camp Crowder, Missouri

Dear Sir: Subject: Shoji Morihise
Family No. (13) 21007

On April 27th Mr. Shoji Morihise turned in his Ford Pick-Up, License No. 77853, which was formerly owned by you. This car was originally turned in to our Tulare Assembly Center for the purpose of storage but it has now been decided by Mr. Morihise to sell the car either privately or to the Army.

In order to transfer the ownership, it is necessary for us to have the registration and ownership certificates which, according to a recent letter from the Department of Motor Vehicles, have been sent to you. Since, according to our records, the legal ownership should be vested in the above subject, we will appreciate having you forward the certificates to this office and also endorse them in the proper manner. The registration card should be signed on the reverse side by you, personally, and the ownership certificate should be signed on the reverse side on lines 1 and 2.

As soon as you complete these forms, kindly forward them to this office in the enclosed return envelope.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

cc: D. M. Dunton, Field Rep.
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

GRTiaffay/eln

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 16, 1942

Mr. Shoji Morihise
CS-2 Tulare Assembly Center
Tulare, California

Dear Mr. Morihise:

You will find enclosed herewith two copies of WPA-8 authorizing delivery of your 1931 Ford Pickup to the Broadway Motors Sales Company for the sum of $75.00.

Kindly sign both copies on the line marked (x) and return to us in the enclosed self-addressed envelope by return mail. At which time we will make delivery of the car to the Broadway Motor Sales Company and forward you their check.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJM
Enc.

July 14, 1942

Mr. W. D. Townes, Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 T. W. Patterson Building
Fresno, California.

Subject: Shoji Morihise,
Family No. (13) 14007

Dear Sir:

With our letter of July 8th we enclosed our forms EPM-8 due to the possibility that the above subject's car might be turned over to the Broadway Motors Company.

In this letter we also pointed out certain facts relative to this case which may have brought about a change in your plans or a state of indecision in Mr. Morihise's mind.

If such be the condition, please make every effort to close this case promptly and kindly let us know what the ultimate disposition of this car will be.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

GMTiaffey:rew

July 8, 1942

Mr. W. D. Tomes, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 Patterson Building
Fresno, California.

Subject: Shoji Morihise,
Family No. (13) 14007

Dear Sir:

In answer to your letter of July 3rd in which you informed us that the Broadway Motors Company have offered to buy the above subject's car, may we point out the present status of this case.

First of all, we find that our appraisal of $75.00 is actually the same as the amount offered by Mr. Gibson of the Broadway Motors Company, and we suggest that you leave the decision in the hands of Mr. Morihise as to whether he wishes to dispose of his car to the Army or to a third party. Please explain to the evacuee that it makes no difference to us whom he chooses.

The second point that we wish to point out is the fact that we have not received the registration and ownership certificates from Sacramento. These have been applied for and the Department of Motor Vehicles have advised us that these forms will be forthcoming soon. In the meantime, if Mr. Gibson wishes to accept the car with duplicate certificates, please have the enclosed duplicate registration card and ownership certificate properly signed.

Assuming that it is concluded by the above parties to transact a sale between themselves, we have enclosed our Forms [illegible]-8 in duplicate for proper execution. When the parties have signed the original of this form and Mr. Morihise has returned to you his copies of Forms [illegible] 3 and 4, then deliver the car and certificates over to the Broadway Motors Company. The duplicate Form [illegible]-8 may be turned over to the evacuee for his file.

If however it is decided by Mr. Morihise that he prefers to sell the car to the Army, kindly have him sign the conversion letter which you are holding. In either case forward the completed papers to this office as soon as possible.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

G.Tiaffay:rew

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 3, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Mr. Rollyn Gibson of the Broadway Motors Company, 1635 Broadway, Fresno, California called at our office this a. m. in regard to purchasing some of the Japanese cars which we have stored at 414 P. Street, Fresno, California.

I took Mr. Gibson over to the warehouse to see the cars and he has offered $75.00 on the Ford Pickup, License #7W543 registered in the name of Shoji Morihise.

Kindly advise what steps will be necessary to take to clear the title on this car so that it can be transfered to a new owner.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJM

July 3, 1942

Department of Motor Vehicles,
Division Registration,
Sacramento, California.

Subject: Shoji Morihiso
Family No. (13) 11,077

Dear Sirs:

We have in our files your cashiers miscellaneous receipt No. 63431, dated April 6, from your Santa Barbara office and for the following described motor vehicle:

Ford 1931 Pick-up Engine A 1972822 License No. 79139
Registered owner, Henry Morihiso, 1100 East Valley Road, Santa Barbara.

Before this car was turned in to the WCCA Assembly Center, Tulare, Mr. Shoji Morihiso, the new owner, applied for his certificates and instructed the Motor Vehicle Department to withhold mailing them until he notified them of his new address. Subsequently, he claims he advised your department of his new address but has not received these forms.

Inasmuch as his car is Japanese evacuee property and will be sold to the Army, we will appreciate having you check this matter as soon as conveniently possible and mail the certificates to the above subject, advising us of the same.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

C A Tinffay/gm

Enclosure

cc: Mr. Dorsey Dunton, Field Representative,
Tulare

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 29, 1942

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
Tulare Assembly Center
Fairgrounds
Tulare, California.

Subject: Shoji Morihise,
Family No. (13) 14007

Dear Sir:

On June 16th, you reported that Mr. Morihise would sign our conversion form letter as soon as he received the necessary certificates from Sacramento.

Inasmuch as we are now endeavoring to close our automobile file as soon as conveniently possible, we shall appreciate having a current report on this case.

If there is anything that we can do to assist you in your efforts, please let us know.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Tulare, California
July 25, 1942

Mr. R. E. Swenson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Inclosed herewith find EPM-8 covering automobile formerly owned by Shoji Morihise delivered to W. V. Cooper today.

Also inclosed herewith find forms WCCA FBB 3 and 4 covering this automobile.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton, Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

July 21, 1942

Mr. Lawson J. Allen,
Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
T. N. Patterson Building, Room 319,
Fresno, California.

Dear Mr. Allen:

We are enclosing a copy of a letter written to us by Mr. D. M. Dunton under date of July 17, 1942, relating to the automobile submitted by Shoji Morihise, Family No. (13) 14007.

You will observe that Mr. Dunton believes he can obtain a purchaser for this automobile for the sum of $85, which is $10 in excess of the appraised value established in connection with the proposed sale to the Army. On the other hand Mr. Townes has already obtained a buyer for $75.

Apparently Mr. Dunton has felt that the $85 transaction should be completed, if indeed a private sale of the automobile is made, and that there is no occasion to urge the evacuee to complete the Broadway Motors Company transaction on a $75 basis.

We are forwarding this communication to you in order that you may have the complete background of the matter, in view of the fact that Messrs. Townes and Dunton are both working under your general supervision.

Naturally we are obliged to, and desirous of, obtaining the best price possible for the evacuees in the event of sale of their vehicles, and from that standpoint the transaction Mr. Dunton has developed would seem to be preferable to the Broadway Motors Company deal.

It is to be noted, however, that the ownership and registration certificates on this vehicle are not now in our hands, having apparently been forwarded by the Motor Vehicle Department to Mr. Henry Morihise, Medical Department, State Hospital, Camp Crowder, Missouri, instead of to Shoji Morihise because of an error apparently committed in the endorsement of the certificates at the time they were submitted to the Motor Vehicle Department for reissuance, so that it is questionable whether any sort of a private sale can be completed at this time.

We have been in communication with Henry Morihise requesting that the registration and ownership certificates be forwarded to us, and we expect to hear from him in due course.

Mr. Dunton is familiar with the background of this case. It will be appreciated if you will look into the matter of these two transactions which appear to be creating some minor difficulties.

If a sale could be completed at this time, we are inclined to feel that the Cooper transaction should be the one to be completed if it can be done without any embarrassment so far as the Broadway Motors Company is concerned. However, the title situation remains confused for the present.

We believe you will be able to straighten out the matter so far as our Field Representatives are concerned.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

Fiscal Agent of the United States

Tulare, California
July 17, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Subject: Shoji Morihise,
Family No. (13) 14007

Dear Sir:

The above subject informs me that Mr. Townes, our man in Fresno, came to Tulare yesterday and advised him that his car was to be taken to San Francisco by the Army and that he would have some trouble regaining control of it and insisted that he sign a bill of sale and ownership certificate which he had just received. It seemed that Townes had a sale for the car at a price of $75.00 which is the Army price established by the appraisers.

I promised Mr. W. V. Cooper, who has bought two vehicles here, that I would notify him when we were successful in clearing the title to the Morihise car. Mr. Cooper had talked with Morihise and made an offer of $85.00 for the car, provided he could deliver title. At that time Mr. Morihise informed me that he would sign the Army Sale Agreement when he received his ownership certificate if Mr. Cooper decided not to buy. During your last visit to Tulare you inquired as to the fate of the few cars left here at that time and I told you the Morihise car would be sold to the Army upon receipt of the ownership certificate. I didn't think at the time you would be interested in any pending sale based on the owner's success in acquiring a title transfer, but rather in a sure disposal of the car.

Upon being notified today that Townes had been here I contacted Mr. Cooper and he informs me he still wants the car for $85.00. I explained the circumstances to him but he cannot understand why the car should be sold for $75.00 when he will pay $85.00. I called Townes but he and Mr. Allen take the attitude they have made a commitment and can hardly back out now. The trouble is so uncalled for. Had Townes contacted me or even inquired by letter I could have advised them of the circumstances today. It wouldn't seem that the deal was so urgent as to require a trip from Fresno by Townes when I would be back here the following day, especially when the purchase price was the same as the Army appraisal.

I suggested to Townes that they hold up the deal there until I had written you the particulars and get your reaction. It would seem that the sale to Mr. Cooper will be most advantageous to Morihise.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) D. M. Dunton

D. M. Dunton, Field Representative
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

Tulare, California
June 30, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

In answer to your letter of June 20th, regarding Shoji Morihise, Family No. (1c) 14007, I wish to advise the situation remains the same, viz. still waiting for the certificates from the Motor Vehicle Department in Sacramento.

I am inclosing copy of a letter I wrote in Mr. Morihise's behalf on June 11th. I have received no answer to date and I just talked with Mr. Morihise and he reports he has not heard from the either.

It seems as though Morihise formerly owned two Model A Ford cars, switched the motors and sold one car before evacuation. At the time he made this switch he applied for new certificates and, knowing he would be moved, instructed the Motor Vehicle Dept. to hold the new certificates until he notified them of his new address, which he did shortly after arriving in Tulare. It would appear as though there would be nothing lacking on the part of our man in the matter of data and numbers furnished the Department or they would have advised him of what was needed by now.

It is possible that a letter from your office might carry more weight in this matter, at least it would seem worth trying.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton, Field Representative
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

May 22, 1942

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Sign shop

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Tulare Assembly Center,
Fair Grounds,
Tulare, California.

Dear Sir:

Shoji Morihise, family #14007, turned in a Ford Pick-up, Motor #AA-197282224 to us for storage at Tulare. Form FRB-3 has attached to it a receipt for application of new registration and ownership certificates.

This car was turned over to us on April 24th and as it is possible that Mr. Morihise has received his certificates by this time, we would appreciate it if you would contact him and if possible obtain the white certificate, forwarding the same to us.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

Assistant Cashier.

5/25/42
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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

622-19th Street
Merced, California
May 14, 1942

Mr. Borden
Evacuee Property Department
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir: Re: Fred Morimoto
Fresh Fruit Farms Company

The above mentioned individaul whom you called about this morning came in and I asked him about the letter which he wrote to the bank. He stated that he wrote in Friday for a license to transfer a 40 acre ranch of the Fresh Fruit Farm Co. and then he called about same on Saturday. In any event the license came to him Sunday from the Bank and he took same to the title company here this morning and the property has been sold and all papers are in escrow being prepared for recording. The matter was carried out to his complete satisfaction .

Yours very truly,

Harold Johnson
Field Representative

Answered
Answ. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required

Directed to File
By Borden
Surname

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Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/13/42
(Date)

Name: Morimoto (Surname) Fred (Given) (Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 140
(Street and Number)

Winton (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name MORIMOTO (Surname) FRED (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in regarding the transfer of a 1941 Ford Coupe. The car was purchased 1/1/42 at which time papers went in for transfer. Form came back to fill in in regards specific information required by CHP. Form filed in and returned to CHP February 17, 1942. No transfer as yet to Morimoto. Morimoto has sale forcar to and wants to clear it up prior to evacuation.

Action taken:* Made up a form for him to have his postmaster sign and send in to Sacramento. and told him to send letter along showing the urgency of the problem as evacuation is drawing nearer each day.

Aliens / Cit. 13 pt. 4
Harold Johnson

Handled by: Harold Johnson

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Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morimoto (Surname) (Print) Mr. & Mrs. H. (Given)

Address: (Street and Number)

Colusa (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

5-4-42

Report sold. Henry Maza bought business for $400.00 cash.

Closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: K. T. Greene
Marysville

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Directed to file:

(S-3055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morimoto (Surname) Mr. & Mrs. H. (Print) (Given)

Address: 639 Main Street (Street and Number)

Colusa, California (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Name MORIMOTO (Surname) H. (MR. & MRS.) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mrs. Morimoto

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Pool Hall. Rents from Mrs. Eriesy. $30.00 per month. Paid up on everything. Talking with Mexican lady who may wish to buy. If cannot make deal she says she can rent out her equipment.

Action taken:*
Told her that I would return in a few days and see if she has made a deal. Warned that the renting of equipment might lead to complications, unless she secured someone to take interest collections of rent, etc.

Area #1

INTERVIEW # 111

1 interviewed
1 represented
Total

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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Directed to file:

(S-5065)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Lincoln 2 - 6

June 10, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Morimoto, Masabiro
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: US

Address: Route 1, Box 98
(Street and Number)

Auburn, California
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1. Concerned over bank accounts, whether or not he could continue maintaining his account with Bank of America.

2. Also wanted information regarding storage of personal property.

Action taken:*

1. Explained that he could continue with his bank connections as in the past and suggested that he do so.

2. Explained storing of personal property and furnished sample of Form FRB #2.

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
5 Represented

Handled by: P.D.Molter

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Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Rec'd ans'd 6/9 HW

R. F. D. Box 98½
Auburn, California
June 8th, 1942

Hockton office

Dear Mr. L. L. Weeks:

I am very sorry to answer your letter kind a late.

In referring to your letter, dated back May 22nd, 1942, I cashed the checks already.

Mr. Weeks, I wanted apply permit to go to J. Omaye, P.O. Box 42, Corinne, Utah, my wife, Masako, my daughter, Kazuye, and my another daughter Kuniye, which they all are American citizens. Also I ~~wanted~~ want permit for my brother, Kiyoshi Morimoto, his wife, Yoshiko, daughter, Riyeko, and son, Tetsuo. Do you think, we could get permit at this time or not. My brother, his wife, and thier children are all citizens of U.S.A. Will you please let me know whether we could acquire it or not.

Thank you

Yours Very Truly
M. Morimoto

P.S. Also wanted apply permit for Shiyozuo Shintaku, he is an American citizen.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

6/22/42
(Date)

Name: Morimoto (Surname) Minoru (Print) (Given)

Address: RFD 98½
(Street and Number)

Auburn, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1934

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Subject of former reports.

Question as to whether he was receiving checks due him for collection of rentals in Lodi which were collected and remitted to him by Edward F. Darden, real estate man of Lodi.

Action taken:*

Finally received his reply stating that he had delayed cashing checks and was putting them through now.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/21/42
(Date)

Name: Morimoto Minoru
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: RFD Box 98½
(Street and Number)
Auburn, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: About 1934

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Mr. Edward Darden

Address:

Telephone Number:

See file 3/28

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Subject had much confidence in Edward Darden, real estate man of Lodi, who has rented his home for him and is sending checks to him at RFD Box 98½, Auburn, California, where Subject resides outside the military zone. Interviewer states has sent one check which has not yet been returned to him to the Stockton Savings & Loan Bank.
The 1½ acres of land in Lodi City Limits continues to lie idle.

Action taken:*

Close file.

1 int. (4 aff.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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Morimoto (Surname) Minoru (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morimoto, Nobuo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 196
(Street and Number)

Castroville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: written report

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship:

MORIMOTO (Surname)
NOBUO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Written report

Address: from van Loben Sels, Salinas
April 10,1942

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. van Loben Sels sent us a group statement of 20 cases including the following - digest only - some may have been included in earlier reports.

Wishes to sell his pump and motor, model #5KC67BB270

Action taken:* Sold to Ada V. Wells.

Case closed.

Handled by: Van Loben Sels

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:
Note from letter 4-10-42

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

6/4/42
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Name: Morimoto Dr. R. S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Stockton Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 5-5725

Supplementary report of 5/12

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reports of 5/12 shows that car had been turned over to Cassidy & Wright contrary to arrangement made by us in Subject's interest with Mr. Tickner, GMAC Manager, 1924 Broadway, Oakland.

Mr. Tickner advises today that contract has been paid off in full by Mr. Cassidy, remittance being accompanied by "authority to pay off contract" signed by Subject.

Called on Cassidy, personally, today to investigate and to determine if any responsibility in the matter still attaches to the Federal Reserve Bank.

Cassidy shows, in addition to information furnished by Mr. Tickner, a blank consignment agreement signed by Morimoto. Cassidy states it is his understanding with Subject that he is to sell the 1942 car to an eligible buyer, then remit to Subject a reasonable amount to cover his equity.

Inasmuch as Subject has signed off, as per above, it seems that our responsibility ends, although we may still continue in willingness to assist if plans do not work out.

Action taken:*

Close file

1 int. 4 aff.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/12/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Morimoto Dr. R. S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 241 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Name MORIMOTO (Surname) Dr. R. S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 5-5725

See reports 4/30, 5/5, 5/6, 5/9

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

In efforts to allay fears of this very nervous Subject that he was in risk of losing 1942 Oldsmobile under contract with GMAC through selling dealer, Hansel & Ortman, we made suggestion to GMAC to which they replied as per copy attached hereto.
Therefore, instructions were given Subject to pay installment due May 3 (which has been done) and to store car with Hansel & Ortman, from which point efforts to sell under provisions of rationing order #2A would be followed out vigorously.
As of this date, car has not yet been taken to Hansel & Ortman. It has been delivered to Cassidy & Wright, a reliable used car firm, who states that Subject, now in Assembly Center, feels that he may be able to pay out car without necessity of disposal.
He may change his mind again. However, we are closing file and will remain to assist him if need arises.

Ready

Action taken:*

Close file.

1 int. 4 aff.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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GENERAL MOTORS

ACCEPTANCE CORPORATION

1924 Broadway

Oakland, California

May 11, 1942

Mr. Lee S. Weeks
c/o Federal Reserve Bank
201 N. San Joaquin
Stockton, California

RE: H2 - 51223
Dr. R. S. Morimoto
1942 Olds Sedan
$82.41 due 5-3-42

Dear Sir:

As per our telephone conversation today regarding this account, we are confirming by letter our suggestion in which we advised that Mr. Morimoto pay the May 3 installment and it would give him 30 days to dispose of the car, before the June installment fell due. We feel that within that period of time it would be possible for him to dispose of his automobile to his benefit.

While this is being done, and car being held for sale, we suggest that the car be stored at Hansel & Ortman's where it could be seen at any time by any prospective buyer.

We are forwarding a copy of this letter to Hansel & Ortman so that they may be advised of the arrangement.

Yours for Victory,

Credit Department

WMTickner/at

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 9-1942
(Date)

Name: MORIMOTO DR R.S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 241 South Eldorado
(Street and Number)

Stockton - California
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: US Japanese

Name: MORIMOTO (Surname) Dr. R. S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Subject + Mr Tickner

Address:

Telephone Number: 5-5725

See Reports 4/30 - 5/5 - 5/6

~~Principal property involved and scope of problem:~~

1942 Oldsmobile 98 Hydramatic Sedan with full equipment bought under GMAC Contract Nov. 1941 @ 82.00 per month, outstanding about 1300.00 Mileage 2300. - Selling dealer Hansel & Ortman - Stockton -

Problem: Find him an eligible 1942 buyer with equity recovery of 400. to 500. He faces loss of Car due to inability to pay when evacuated -

Action taken:* Phoned Mr. Tickner, Mgr GMAC, Oakland. He says have subject pay 82.00 due 5/2 and store Car with Hansel & Ortman. He will write me letter Copy to H.&O., promising all assistance to us in finding eligible buyer and allowing reasonable time in which to do so.

Handled by: L.G. Weeks Stockton

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/6/42
(Date)

Name: Morimoto, Dr. R. S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 241 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x
See reports 4/30, 5/5

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 5-5725

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Two current attempts to sell his 1942 Oldsmobile:
First: Lt. Jarnagin of Stockton Field. Sent him to City Rationing Board. Good chance for him to qualify under amendment #6 to rationing order #2A.
Second: Rudolph Stein, San Francisco. Fair chance to qualify.

Action taken:*

Will report results.

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L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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MORIMOTO (Surname) Dr. R. S. (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/5/42
(Date)

Name: Morimoto Dr. R. S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 241 S. Eldorado
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

FILE MORIMOTO (Surname) Dr. R. S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 5-5725

See report 4/30

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Writer called at Rationing Board Office and secured April 27 amendment to rationing order #2A respecting new passenger automobiles.
Have found prospect for this expensive car in the person of Lt. Jarnagin of Stockton Field.

Action taken:*

In conversation with prospect, there may be some angle under provisions of amendment which will allow his purchase of this car. Appointment with him 8:30 A. M., May 6, to study requirements.

1 Int. 4 aff.

L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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(3-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morimoto, Take
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 7-135-D Stockton Assembly Center
(Street and Number)
Stockton, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(SURNAME) (GIVEN)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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926 West Willow Street
Stockton, California
September 23, 1942

Mrs. Take Morimoto
7-135-D
Stockton Assembly Center
Stockton, California

Dear Mrs. Morimoto:

Mr. H. Kuyper promises that he will, in compliance with your request of this date, arrange for the immediate delivery to you, at the Center, of one trunk which is now stored in the local Japanese Christian Church tagged in your name.

Very sincerely yours,

L. S. Weeks

Field Representative

Telephone 3-2364

(Copy for Mr. Everson)

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
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Surname
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morimoto, Tom
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Marysville, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Marysville Weekly report
of June 26, 1942.

Have written him to see
attorney to force his collection.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: MORIMOTO T
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

(Summary)
Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Other)
Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Excerpt from letter dated 6/11/42 from Kenyon T. Gregg, Field Representative, MARYSVILLE

"Another letter wirtten to Banker at Suisun asking for settlement of account. If no response will suggest that Morimoto take legal action."

Action taken:*

Handled by: K T GREGG
MARYSVILLE

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 18, 1942
(Date)

Name: Marimoto T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Colusa California
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Now at Merced Assembly

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: T. Marumoto

Address: Merced,

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Collection of bill from Mr. W. C. Robbins. First National Bank of Fairfield
255.73

Action taken:*

Called Mr. Robbins — Bill for labor. Letter to Marimoto asking for above when collected. Will follow.

Area #1

Handled by: K. T. Cress
Marysville.

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(Surname) MARIMOTO (Given) T.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mexineto, Sueichi (Print)

Address: Bell Hotel / Golden West Hotel / The Flagstone (Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) Given

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT
TO MR. EVERSON

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

926 West Willow Street
Stockton, California
October 4, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Subject: Letter from
Mrs. Lillian Hattori

Dear Mr. Everson:

The letter of Mrs. Hattori which prompted your inquiry of October first was forwarded to your office because it expressed the thanks of Mrs. Take Morimoto. We had written Mrs. Morimoto under date of September 23 advising her that Mr. H. Kuyper, a local minister, would arrange for the delivery of a trunk to her from the Japanese Christian Church where it was in private storage.

Copy of the above letter to Mrs. Morimoto was mailed to you, but we also should have made such notation on the Hattori letter.

Mrs. Morimoto has since informed us that she received the trunk.

Very sincerely yours,

L. S. Weeks

L. S. Weeks

Field Representative
Telephone 3-2364

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No Answer Required
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By [signature]
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morimoto, Tetsu & Bob
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rte 1 Box 140
(Street and Number)
Livingston, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of March 30, 1942.

(See Merced letter of May 26, 1942.)

The property in question was sold back to the original owner. He paid them cash for their equity and purchased equipment also. They were satisfied as it was a cash deal and they were able to clear out with a good bank account.

Action taken:*

Closed.

Handled by: Merced.

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Re Morimoto, Tetsu & Bob
(Surname) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3/30/42
(Date)

Name: Morimoto (Surname) Tetsu & Bob (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Address: Rte 1 Box 140
(Street and Number)

Livingston (City) California (State)

MORIMOTO (Surname) TETSU & BOB (Given) (Initial)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership: x
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Morimoto, Tetsu

Address: Rte 1 Box 140 Livingston

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

70 acres orchard and vineyard, 10 acres annuals, complete set of buildings and farming equipment.

Problem: Purchasing place on conditional contract. Cost $19,000- balance due to W. C. Watts $11,000- payable annually by 40% of gross crop proceds. Customary crop share basis for territory 331/3 to owner will not be enough to make payments and pay taxes and interest. Has prospective buyer.

Action taken:* Suggested that tney contact local lending institutions for refinancing or see Watts and see if he will cut down his percentage so new operator can take over and pay some on a second contract. Refered to FSA agent this office for additional information.

Aliens 1
US Cit 13
Total 14

Handled by: Harold Johnson

Harold Johnson

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Morino, George
(Print)

Address: 1806 Sutter St.
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

4/17/42
(Date)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Name: Morioka Fred
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1923 Bush St.
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Morioka (Surname) Fred (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: May Morioka

Address: 1923 Bush St.

Telephone Number: Fillmore 3048

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Have place all properties in charge of the trust dept. Bright California Nat'l Bank @ a charge of 5% of gross income. Business sold 66⅔ on $1.00. Very grateful for our cooperation.

Handled by: [illegible]

Directed to file: _____

[illegible] additional pages where necessary

...ral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mar 26 '42
(Date)

Name: MORIOKA FRED
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1923 Bush St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: American
28 yrs old

Name: MORIOKA (Surname) FRED (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in U.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: ✓

Telephone Number: Fillmore 3048

Mr. Armstrong discussed this case with parties in Conference.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Property Interest owned by Fred Morioka and three Sisters, Yoshiko Morioka, May F. Morioka and Nasae Morioka all American Born

Property consists of –

1 – Home at 1923 Bush St. Clear (no mortgage)

2 – 12 Apartment, apartment House at 2135 Calif St S.F. Value $35,000.00 mortgage to Bank of America for $20,000.00. Monthly Pyments Prin + Int 160.00 per month Purchased Nov. 1941 for $31,500.00 added Improvements $3,500.00

3 – Store Bldg. 3347 Fillmore St SF. Value 8000.00 mortgage to Bank of America $4000.00 monthly Pymts to B of A 75.00

Bank of America urges giving "Consent to operate City Property" by Letter stating "U S Government" requires them to sign such a consent form. turning over property to the Bank. want to know what to do. They say B of A wants 3/4 of 1% of Property value as annual handling charge.

Action taken:* Advised that U S Government does not require them to sign over their property to Banks holding mortgages that they can select any Institution or Individual in whom they have confidence. Advised to contact us again after asking for return of consent on piece of Property already delivered.

Handled by: Gray
Hint
7 SF

* Attach additional pages where necessary

1 Interviewed
4 Represented

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3-23-42
(Date)

Name: MORIOKA (Surname) FRED (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1923 Bush
(Street and Number)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: US

14

S.F (City) CAL (State)

Date of last entry into United States: Born + lived here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: (Cleaning)
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: " " "

Telephone Number: Fi 3048

Principal property involved and scope of problem: The Moriokas own + operate
2 Cleaning Establishments {1 at 1715 Sacto St. $500 Equipment / 1 at 2353 Lombard $2500 "}

Lease on Sacramento St on a month to month basis + can be terminated.
" " Lombard St has 4 years to go with a deposit of $200 up. Landowner on this piece is a Mr. Giusti at 2355 Lombard.

1 General problem is more or less what disposition to make with the two establishments and what to do with equipment + the
2 lease on Lombard St.

Entire family would like to evacuate voluntarily + would like some guidance as to places in the Mid West. Not interested in rural community.

Action taken:*

Suggested possibility of placing a tenant in charge on some satisfactory agreement. Also possibility of sale and then take matter up as to cancellation of lease etc. If both fail, suggested storage of equipment (This may prove difficult).

As to location advised to stay away from special zones etc. + suggested other agencies as to travelling + destination etc.

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morioka, George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) MORIOKA
(Given) George
(Check)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

4-14-42. Advised going Mr. Jack Fuller Agency. Saw Mr. Fuller and he is willing if papers are made correctly.

4-21-42. Advised Miss Morioka to write letter to Mr. Fuller asking him to collect rent etc. and have sons and father sign.

5-5-42. Instructions signed by interested parties presented to Mr. Fuller who in turn accepted by letter the obligation to protect rents, taxes, etc.

CLOSED

Action taken:*

Area #2

Handled by: K. T. Gross
Marysville

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Answered

Routine Advice

Borden

SIGNED

8-1-C
Relocation Center
Rohwer, Arkansas
October 14, 1942

All letter to us dated 10-14-42 & submitted to WRA

Pacific Storage Company
Stockton, California

My dear Mr. Jones,

Please kindly send me the three (3) trunks placed in your storage through the W. C. C. A. They all mostly contain warm clothes and with the cold weather here we are certainly in need of them.

I'd appreciate it very much if you can forward it to us immediately at your earliest convenience. I am very happy to say that otherwise everything is under control and I am very delighted with our new home.

I wish to thank you for everything you have done for us.

Most sincerely,
(Miss Mildred Morioka)

10-
(Family No.) 29887

October 19, 1942

Miss Mildred Morioka,
A-1-C,
Rohwer War Relocation Project,
Rohwer, Arkansas.

Dear Madam:

We have received your letter of October 14, 1942 requesting the forwarding of certain personal property stored in the Stockton warehouse.

The warehouses previously provided by this bank for the storage of evacuees' goods have been transferred to the War Relocation Authority and this agency has jurisdiction over the matter of forwarding of all property stored in such warehouses. Therefore, we have referred your inquiry to the War Relocation Authority, Hotel Whitcomb Building, San Francisco, for consideration. No doubt you will hear from them in due course.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

NM

cc: War Relocation Authority,
San Francisco, California.

October 19, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Property of evacuee in storage.

We are enclosing a communication dated October 14, 1942 received from Miss Mildred Morioka, an evacuee now resident at Rohwer War Relocation Project, Arkansas, requesting that her property stored in the Stockton warehouse be forwarded to her.

There is also enclosed a copy of our reply letter of today's date, indicating that the matter has been referred to your office for consideration.

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures
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COPY

8-1-C
Relocation Center
Rohwer, Arkansas
October 14, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States
San Francisco, California

My dear Mr. Everson.

I am writing again in regard to the three (3) trunks placed in storage at the Pacific Storage Company of Stockton, California through the W.C.C.A.

I'd appreciate it very much if you can have it forwarded to us immediately at your earliest convenience. I sure appreciate everything you have done for us. And I am very delighted with this new home here in the woods of Arkansas.

I thank you very much,

Most sincerely,

(Signed) Miss Mildred Morioka

(Family No:) 29887

(original submitted to WRA with our memo Oct. 19, 1942)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morioka, Mildred
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 8-144-E-Stockton Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Stockton, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Morioka, Mildred

September 9, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Storage of Evacuee Property

You will find enclosed copy of a letter received by us from an evacuee.

The correspondent has been advised of our reference to you of this matter.

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

BORDEN:lvh

September 8,1942

Miss Mildred Morioka,
Block 8, Barrack 144, Apt. E.,
Stockton Assembly Center,
Stockton, California.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your inquiry of September 4,1942, relative to certain belongings stored with us.

We have referred your inquiry to the War Relocation Authority with headquarters at the Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco, as they have jurisdiction over all such problems.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

[illegible]:lh

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON
REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. [illegible]

Block 8, Barrack 144 Apt. E
Stockton Assembly Center
Stockton, California
Sept. 4, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Will you please kindly give me some information concerning about the trunks placed at the Pacific Storage Company here in Stockton through the Wcca-Frb-2. family number (29887).

I would very much like to know if the Wcca will send it to us at the relocation immediately after our arrival there or will it take months and month to receive them. The reason it's so important to me is because my mother is an invalid and all of her warm winter clothes are placed there. Or do you think and advise me to put in a call for them at present to have them deliver it here to the center.

Kindly let me know as I have been considerably worried over this matter. I thank you very much,

Yours very truly,
Miss Wilbert Morioka

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morioka, Takazo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 203 - 2nd St.
(Street and Number)

Marysville California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Date of last entry into United States: Prior to 1940. Mother also

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Son: Mr. Akira Morioka

Address: 203- 2nd St.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Mr. Takazo Morioka who is now in detention owns a tractor. The Bank of America, Marysville is carrying the paper on this tractor. His son Akira Morioka wishes to get an assignment from his father on the tractor and continue the payments. Tractor payments not delinquent.

Action taken:* Called Mr. Bordon of home office and he says Mr. Morioka Sr. can assign to Mr. Morioka Jr. and settle matter. Bank offers to arrange form to send to Mr. Morioka Sr.

Area #2 Assignment received & Satisfied B/a

1 person interviewed INTERVIEW # 38
2 others represented (mother & father)
3 Total

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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Directed to file:

Name MORIOKA (Surname) TAKAZO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morioka, George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 203 - 2nd St.
(Street and Number)

Marysville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult:
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Date of last entry into United States: Father - 1938 Mother 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Morioka, George

Address: 203 & 2nd St.

Telephone Number: 1204

Principal property involved and scope of problem: House - 203 - 2nd St. in name of Susumu (minor) and Akira (adult)Morioka and father.

Takazo Morioka is guardian. Wishes to receive from Takazo Morioka, power of Attorney for Akira Morioka as Takayo Morioka is immediately being moved into detention.

Action taken:* Advised immediately seeing his Attorney to get statis and instructions.

Area #2

INTERVIEW # 21

1 person interviewed
4 others interested
5 interested

Handled by: Kenyon T. Greene
Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG

June 29 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Morioka (Surname) (Print) Kazuko (Given)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: US

Address: Rt 1 - box 66
(Street and Number)

Gridley (City) Calif (State)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here - lived here since

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: No

Type of Business: Farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Kazuko and Akira Morioka

Address: Same as above

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Referring to our report of June 18th regarding 1942 truck and 1936 Pontiac sedan which they wished to dispose of.

Action taken:*

We assisted them in completing deals on these two items and they sold the truck to Mr. Taylor of Gridley for $1350 and the Pontiac sedan was sold to Mrs. Smith, of Gridley, for $300. These are top prices and they were very well pleased.

Handled by: Harry E. Pahl
Field Representative - Chico

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(2 persons interviewed) (6 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 18 1942
(Date)

Name: Morioka (Surname) Kazuko (Given)

Address: Rt 1 - Box 66 (Street and Number)

Gridley (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship U S

Date of last entry into United States: Born here - lived here since

Operating under Treasury License now: No

Type of Business: Farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person interviewed: Kazuko and Akira Morioka

Address: Same as above

Telephone Number None

Have 35 acres located 4 miles east of Gridley.

Also have 1942 Chevrolet truck that they wish to dispose of, and 1936 Pontiac sedan. They have prospects for both truck and sedan and believe that these parties will purchase same. Wanted advice as to price and how to make sale.

Action taken:

I showed them figures wholesale and retail of trucks and car and they then decided they should have about $1350 for their truck and $250 for their car. I agreed that this would be a fair price in my opinion.

Handled by: HARRY E PAHL
Field Representative - Chico

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(2 persons interviewed)- (6 involved)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morioka Kenneth
(Print)

Address: 2746 Garber
(Street and Number)

Berkeley
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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IN ALL STATES

Great Western Collection Bureau

CHANCERY BUILDING
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SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
GARFIELD 4744

WE SEND COLLECTORS
THAT'S REAL SERVICE

April 29, 1942.

War Time Civil Control,
Whitcomb Hotel,
San Francisco, Calif.

KENNETH MORIOKA.

Gentlemen:-

We have a judgment just entered against Kenneth Morioka, on which he owes us $45.00 principal, and $14.75 court costs. This party formerly lived at 2746 Garber, Berkeley, Calif, and of course has been directed to one of your camps, in accordance with our Laws.

We understand that this account can be collected through your Department. The judgment covers the account of the Mohawk Petroleum Company.

We would appreciate hearing from you on this matter. Thanking you for your kind attention, we are,

Very truly yours,

GREAT WESTERN COLLECTION BUREAU

BY: J. Lean

Manager.

RECEIVED
APR 30 1942
WDC &
Fourth Army
WCCA

JL:MB

answered by phone
5/1/42
R.W.B.

(NOTICE) PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE AT THIS OFFICE - YOUR ACCOUNT HAS BEEN ASSIGNED

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September 8,1942

Miss Mildred Morioka,
Block 8, Barrack 144, Apt. E.,
Stockton Assembly Center,
Stockton, California.

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your inquiry of September 4,1942, relative to certain belongings stored with us.

We have referred your inquiry to the War Relocation Authority with headquarters at the Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco, as they have jurisdiction over all such problems.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

BOU:lh

Supplement to Sac. 257

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morishige, Yaiko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 3, Box 2639
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of April 11, 1942 and May 8, 1942.
See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.
Presume sold.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Morishige, Yaiko
(Surname) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Sac. 257

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morishige, Yaiko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 3, Box 2639
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:
Letter: x
Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: US

MORISHIGE (Surname)

Yaiko (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of US

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Tractor and '41 Chevrolet Truck.

Action taken:*

Reports sold truck to landlord and tractor to Weaver Tractor Company. Still has '38 Buick car.

Sacramento Office

2 Interviewed
5 Represented

Handled by M.M.McFarland

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
May 4, 1942

Sac. #257

Miss Yaiko M. Morishige
Route 3, Box 2639
Sacramento, California

Dear Madam:

Not long ago we wrote you requesting a report of progress on your preparations for evacuation, but we have had no response from you.

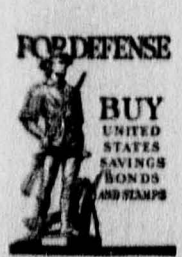
We are very much interested in learning promptly whether we can be of further assistance to you. Please report, on the reverse of this letter, the present status of your arrangements for evacuation.

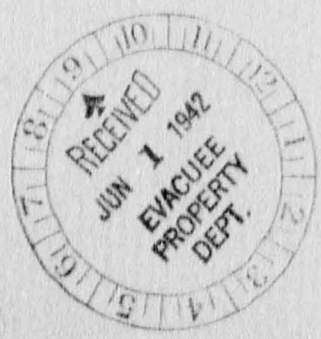
Yours very truly,

A. J. Reid

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

MMM:EB





Thank you for your information regarding disposal of my truck & implements. I have sold my truck to the landlord. Today I have made arrangements with Weaver Tractor Co. although I can not get a good price I might have had to sell it. I have yet to sell my car, 38 Buick.

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Yours Morishige

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco / Sac. 257
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 11, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Morishige (Surname) Yaiko (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 7, Box 2639
(Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) California (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: U.S.

MORISHIGE (Surname) YAIKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of the U. S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Yoeko M. and brother Tadamura M.

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

J. Deere Tractor model 4 years old $1800	$800
41 Chevrolet Truck, Vogal Chev. Co. Aug 1941	1600

Balance to G.M.A. C. about $1000

Action taken:*

Advised him to see Vogel re: credit for equity
Referred to F.S.A. re: tractor

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)2 Interviewed; 5 Represented Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morishita George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

MANZANAR
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

May 1, 1942

Greene-Haldeman Company,
1150 South Flower Street,
Los Angeles, California.

Subject: George Morishita

Dear Sirs:

We have received your letter dated April 29, 1942 and have transmitted it to our Los Angeles Branch, the Evacuee Property Department of which is situated at 707 South Spring Street.

We are asking our Los Angeles Branch to communicate with you with respect to the above matter.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Evacuee Property Department
Los Angeles Branch

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C O P Y

LETTERHEAD OF

GREENE-HALDEMAN COMPANY
Chrysler and Plymouth Headquarters

1150 South Slower Street
Los Angeles, California
Richmond 0111

Apr. 29, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen:

Re: George Morishita
Ford Coupe
Motor #54-372966
License #51S 614

We are writing to you regarding the disposition made of the above party's car.

Mr. Morishita drove his car to Manzanar, and we understand it was impounded upon his arrival. We have received a letter from Morishita stating that he could not continue the monthly payments on the car and has asked us to come and get it.

We shall appreciate your advising us as to just what procedure we must follow to reclaim this car. Thank you for an early reply.

Yours very truly,

(signed) Ray E. Humphrey

Ray E. Humphrey
Credit Manager

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Reserve Bank of San Francisco
cal Agent of the United States

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April 23, 1942.
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Morishita (Surname) Nancy Fumiyo (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 575
(Street and Number)

Vacaville (City) California (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U.S.

Name MORISHITA (Surname) NANCY FUMIYO (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

These people sold 1938 Chevrolet Sedan to Salvador Alterie P.O. Box 544, Vacaville.

Want radio held by police, released to Alterie.

Action taken:*

Arranged with Chief of Police, O, E. Alley of Vacaville to release the radio.

Handled by: McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

Directed to File: _____

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Sacramento Office

...eserve Bank of San Francisco
...l Agent of the United States

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April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morishita, Nancy Fumiyo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: P. O. Box 575
(Street and Number)

Vacaville, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: USA

Name MORISHITA (Surname) NANCY FUMIYO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of U.S.A.

Operating under Treasury License now?: ---

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1938 Chevrolet Sedan, license #91M459
motor #1431500
Registered Y. Morishita

Car being sold to a "Spanish" man who wants radio which police in Vacaville seized.

Action taken:*

Told her to furnish name of buyer and we will write police to release radio.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
2 Represented

Handled by: M. M. McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Re: Morishita S. I.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Address: 821 Franklin
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: 1903

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: As above

Address: As above

Telephone Number: Te 5077

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Morishita operates the Franklin Radio Shop at 821 Franklin Street, Oakland, and surrendered nine radios to the Oakland Police Dept. He has since made arrangements to sell these radios to the United Radio Company, 431 - 11th Street, Oakland, provided the Oakland Police Dept. will release the radios.

Action taken:*

I gave Morishita an order on the Oakland Police Dept. to release the radios to the United Radio Company.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file:
Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: MORISHITA (Surname) SHIGEJI (Print) (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

_____ (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

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June 3, 1942

Investigative Unit
210 Sansome Street
San Francisco, Calif.

Federal Reserve Bank
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Re: Shigeji Moriahita
Family Number 26943

Gentlemen:

In compliance with a request from Mr. Everson, a key to the premises at 1523A Geary Street, San Francisco, was delivered on May 30, 1942, to a representative of the owner Mr. Hulting, 41 Sutter Street, San Francisco, by Mr. J. Miller of this office. These premises were recently vacated by the above subject, a Japanese evacuee.

A receipt signed by Mr. E. B. Gibson, found to be painting the interior of the above premises, has been delivered to Mr. Dooley of the Evacuee Property Department, Federal Reserve Bank, 500 Montgomery Street, San Francisco.

Very truly yours,

RAE V. VADER
Supervising Agent (Acting)

JMM/to

Distribution:
Orig. & 1 copy FRB, San Francisco
cc: Mr. May, Washington, D. C.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morita, K.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Palo Alto, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(Ex-8095)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That the undersigned, K. MORITA, has this day sold, assigned, transferred and delivered to Harley M. Jenecke, of Palo Alto, California, the following farming utensils, to-wit:

First: D 7 Caterpillar Tractor Serial No. 7M-1202 with pump attached;

Second: One No. 8 John Deere plow

Third: One 12 ft. John Deere tubular Disc

Fourth: Two 7 ft. spike tooth harrows.

The consideration for the above is $6750.00, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged. Said personal property is to be free and clear of all encumbrances.

WITNESS THE EXECUTION HEREOF this 30th day of March, A.D., 1942.

K. Morita

REA. FREE
JACKA & FRASSE
SAN JOSE, CALIF.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That the undersigned, K. MORITA, has this day sold, assigned, transferred and delivered to First National Bank, of Redwood City, California, the following farming equipment, to wit:

One International TD 14 Tractor Serial No.
TDF 2662

For a consideration of $4,400, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged. Said personal property is to be free and clear of all encumbrances.

WITNESS THE EXECUTION HEREOF this _____ day of April, A.D., 1942.

K. Morita

A G R E E M E N T

M. NAKAMURA, hereby sells to NORMAN ROSS and RALPH ROSS, of Gilroy, California,

1 1941 Chevrolet tractor-truck
Motor No. AF 43544

1 1940 Reliance semi-trailor
Serial No. 40906

for the sum of Twenty-two hundred fifty and no/100 ($2,250.00) Dollars cash.

The same are to be delivered at once. The money is to be paid at once to the American Trust Company, Gilroy, to be delivered to the seller, when the certificate of ownership has been issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles and endorsed by the seller; it being understood that the certificate is now at Sacramento for transfer.

This agreement is to be left at the American Trust Company together with Twenty-two hundred fifty and no/100 ($2,250.00) Dollars, and is to be their instructions to deliver the Twenty-two hundred and fifty and no/100 ($2,250.00) Dollars to the seller when the certificate of ownership is duly issued and duly endorsed, all to the end that the buyer gets good title, and then the seller to have his monies to be paid him by the Bank.

The certificate of ownership is to come to the Bank from the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Dated: April 6, 1942.

_____
Seller

_____
Buyer

A G R E E M E N T

M. NAKAMURA, hereby sells to DELPHIN MARTIN, of Gilroy, California, Route 1, Box 271 A, one International Truck, Engine No. FAB 259-3251 1942 license no. _____, for the sum of Twenty-five Hundred and no/100 ($2500.00) Dollars cash.

The truck is to be delivered at once. The money is to be paid at once to the American Trust Company, Gilroy, to be delivered to the seller, when the certificate of ownership has been issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles and endorsed by the seller; it being understood that the certificate is now at Sacramento for transfer. (The sale price includes a utility trailer--serial No. 8295.)

This agreement is to be left at the American Trust Company together with Twenty-five Hundred and no/100 ($2500.00) Dollars, and is to be their instructions to deliver the Twenty-five Hundred and no/100 ($2500.00) Dollars to the seller when the certificate of ownership is duly issued and duly endorsed, all to the end that the buyer gets good title, and then the seller to have his monies to be paid him by the Bank.

The certificate of ownership is to come to the Bank from the Department of Motor Vehicles.

Dated: March 20th, 1942.

_____
Seller

_____
Buyer

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 1, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Morita, H. Y.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 548 North 5th. St.
(Street and Number)

San Jose, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese
Alien

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of March 30, 1942

Sold.

Action taken:*

Handled by: San Jose

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

Directed to File: _____

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: MORITA H.Y.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone: none
Interview: X

Address: 548 North 5th Street
(Street and Number)

San Jose California
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese alien

Date of last entry into United States: 1915 Arrived here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Disposal of
Partnership: personal
Proprietorship: property.
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1 Chevrolet 1927 Sedan Four door
Balance owed $207.00

1 Dining set
Balance owed $18.00

How to dispose of this property?
He does not care to keep it.

Action taken:*

Advised to arrange sale for the above property, retaining same until evacuation.

Sold

Handled by: San Jose

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

1 interview 6 dependents

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 517

May 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morita (Surname) Kenekichi (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 62
(Street and Number)

Florin (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has an account in Sumitomo Bank - about $750.00.
Does not need money now. Has outstanding note of
$1100.00 due from a S. Tanaka, Fresno, California.

Action taken:*

Will store household goods and barber equipment
with W.C.C.A.

1 Interviewed
6 Represented

Handled by: Schmitt

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Sacramento Office

Name (Surname) MORITA (Given) Kenekichi

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Merita, Kumakichi (Print)

Address: Elm Hotel, 412 S. Center (Street and Number)

Stockton (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

_____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/16/42
(Date)

Name: Morita (Surname) M. (Given)

Address: Rte 3 Box 977 B
(Street and Number)

Modesto (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Requested information on the disposal of automobiles and disposal or storage of personal property.

Action taken:* Gave him information that we have to date for storage of automobiles and personal furnishings. Recommended that cars be sold if possible.

Alings 2 Cit 4 Tot 6

Handled by: Harold Johnson

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(B-5093)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 28/42
(Date)

Name: Morita T. (Miss)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1661 Post St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Date of last entry into United States: Prior to Jan. 7, 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: Personal
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Uncollected Checks

Miss Morita appeared in response to Mr. Everson's letter of Apr. 25/42 which asked if Miss Morita's problem had been solved. The problem was two checks, one signed by Kazuo Hayashi for $40 & one signed by Kazuyosi Magti for $126.70 both made out payable to Mitsuwa Restaurant at above address. Said checks were drawn on Yokohama Specie Bank and The American Trust Co. returned them saying the Yokohama Specie Bank was in the hands of the Conservator of Funds of Supt of Banks. These checks were issued by two former Japanese Consular attaches and who are now reputed to be held at Hot Springs in Virginia. Miss Morita and her mother were perplexed as to how to realize funds from these checks.

Action taken:* This office phoned Yokohama Bank and Mr Pabst said it looked dubious about the checks being collectible and suggested the Morita people writing direct to Hot Springs and they might collect by reason of personal appeal. Another method would be to leave these checks with their own bank and try and have said bank cash these checks when they become collectable. This was also agreeable to the Moritas.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055)

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2 interested (inc 2 interviewed)

April 25, 1942

Miss T. Morita,
1661 Post Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Madam:

You recently called at this office for assistance in connection with your property problems relating to the evacuation program, but we are not informed as to whether you have been able to make satisfactory arrangements in this regard.

As we desire to learn whether our further assistance is needed, it will be appreciated if you will advise us as to the present status of your problem.

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

RWBorden
GC

Letter sent 4/25/42

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/17/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Morita Miss T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1661 Post St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship: _____

Name MORITA (Surname) MISS T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: 1661 Post St

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Write letter. No phone.

Handled by: [signature]

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(3-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/14/1942
(Date)

Name: Miss Morita T (Miss)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1661 Post St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.

Name MORITA (Surname) T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Prior to Jany 7. 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Miss M. Morita

Address: 1661 Post St

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Subject Miss Morita and her Mother have two checks drawn on the Yokohama Specie Bank, S.F. one check dated Dec 5. 1941 for $40.00 signed Kazuo Hayashi and one dated Jan 15, 1942 for $126.70 signed Kazuyosi Inagaki both payble to Mitsuya Restaurant. The American Trust Company returned them stating that the Yokohama Specie Bank is in the hand of the Supt of Banks. She wants to know what to do to get her money.

Action taken:*

Suggested for her to see Mr Abel at room 502 Federal Reserve Bank. Foreign Funds Control to get his advice.

Handled by: C H Sternberg

Directed to file: ✓

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 Interview
2 affected

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Moriwaki, Frances _____ (Date)

Name: Jap. Womens' Student Club (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2509 Hearst Ave. (Street and Number)

Berkeley, Calif. (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Person)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

(Person)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Ogi, Mary

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(3-5055)

July 20, 1942

Mr. Henry Taketa, Legal Advisor
Legal Assistance Service
War Relocation Administration
Tule Lake, Newell, Modoc County
California

Dear Sir:

We have to acknowledge receipt of the bill of sale forwarded by you and signed by J. Moriya. This document has been sent to the purchaser, Mr. Brodowsky.

Enclosed you will find Mr. Brodowsky's check for $100.00 payable to Mr. Moriya, which we trust completes this transaction.

Will you kindly see that Mr. Moriya executes the copy of this letter which we are enclosing in order that it may serve as a receipt for our files.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

I have this day received a check from Mr. L. Brodowsky in the amount of $100.00 as full consideration for certain equipment and fixtures transferred to him for which he has received a duly executed bill of sale.

(J. Moriya)
Signature

RW Borden:krf

Extra copy
Filed
Field Investigation
Report
"Hotels"

July 13, 1942

Herewith I summit my check for $100.00 as payment in full for all rights, title, and interest in lease and furniture located at ~~1116~~ 1006 Second Street, City of Sacramento, and the property of J. Moriya.

Subject to approval of J. Moriya, now at Tule Lake War Relocation Camp.

L. Broadbent

R. M. Schmidt
Witness

CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED			
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R. B. WHITE, PRESIDENT — NEWCOMB CARLTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD — J. C. WILLEVER, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

$	CHECK
S	ACCOUNTING INFORMATION
F	TIME FILED

Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

To Walter T. Tsukamoto July 13, 1942

Care of or Apt. No. Legal Aid Department

Street and No.

Place Tule Lake War Relocation Center, Newell, California

Extra Copy Filed Field Interview Reports

CONTRACT PURCHASER ROLLIN FOR FURNITURE BELONGING TO J. MORIYA ABANDONED PREMISES AT 1006 SECOND STREET AS OF JULY 10. BRODOWSKY OFFERS $100.00 FOR EQUITY OF J. MORIYA. ANSWER BY WIRE. WILL MORIYA SIGN BILL OF SALE?

A. J. Reid
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

Sender's address for reference

Sender's telephone number

ALL MESSAGES TAKEN BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

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3. The Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward any message over the lines of any other company when necessary to reach its destination.

4. Delivery of messages will be attempted within the limits of the free delivery of the Company's offices, but beyond such limits or in case of unusual difficulty in making delivery, the Company does not undertake to make delivery, but will, without liability, at the sender's request, as his agent and at his expense, endeavor to contract for him for such delivery at a reasonable price.

5. No responsibility attaches to this Company concerning messages until the same are accepted at one of its transmitting offices, and if a message is sent to such office by one of the Company's messengers, he acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender.

6. The Company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties in any case where the claim is not presented in writing to the Company within sixty days after the message is filed with the Company for transmission, provided, however, that this condition shall not apply to claims for damages or overcharges within the purview of section 415 of the Communications Act of 1934.

7. It is agreed that in any action by the Company to recover the tolls for any message or messages the prepayment and correct transmission and delivery thereof shall be prima facie subject to rebuttal by competent evidence.

8. Special terms governing the transmission of messages according to their classes, as enumerated below, shall apply to messages in each of such respective classes in addition to all the foregoing terms.

9. No employee of the Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH COMPANY
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ASK AT ANY WESTERN UNION OFFICE OR AGENCY FOR FULL INFORMATION

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MORIYA J.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: (DALE HOTEL) 1006-2nd ST
(Street and Number)

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: HOTELS - DALE HOTEL

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-3055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/21/41
(Date)

Name: Moriyama Dan
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 384 Austin Ave
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MORIYAMA (Surname) Dan (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mrs Hyman

Address: 750 El Camino Del Mar

Telephone Number: Bay 6161

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Walter Nakagawa is at Santa Anita. Address: Santa Anita Induction Center, Info. Office Barracks #1 Unit 12 Ave 6. Mrs Hyman intends writing to him and at the same time will question him about the fate of Moriyama's furniture.

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mch 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: DAN MORIYAMA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 384 Austin Ave
(Street and Number)

San Fran Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: about 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?: Doesn't know.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Walter Nakagawa - citizen friend

Address: 750 El Camino Del Mar San Francisco

Telephone Number: BAyview 6161

Moriyama, Tex - 0952 Commerce Center
Santa Anita Center
Info Office Santa Anita
Dan I. D.
Mch 12
Ave 6

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has furniture in rented house - wants to know how to dispose of it.

Action taken:*

Advised to take it with him, or sell it before evacuation ordered,

Handled by: Wells

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Name MORIYAMA, DAN
(Surname) (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 4/42
(Date)

(1)

Name: MORIYAMA KENICHI
(Print)

Address: 348 AUSTIN AVE.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MORIYAMA (Surname) KENICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: TUXEDO 0952

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Moriyama asked about his various personal belongings and household articles. He was assured that he could unburden his troubles and doubts and finally he opened up and discussed method and requirements for removal to remote point

Action taken:*

Again was assured of cooperation by this dept. as to fair treatment by dealers and others. Was very grateful.

Handled by:
Fred Mirsky

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Moriyama Shozo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Inland, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

April 24, 1942.

Mr. Philip N. Myers
Attorney-at-Law,
Calipatria, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of April 21st in connection with the case of Shogyo Moriyama.

Please be advised that any reports stating that a booklet covering our procedure has been issued are erroneous. However, we believe that we can present herewith, briefly, enough pertinent facts to satisfy your immediate problem.

Evacuees do not lose any of their civilian or citizenship rights because of this evacuation. By the same token, they are not excused, however, from any contractual obligations or other agreements into which they have entered. If the lease agreement, mentioned in your letter, provides that Moriyama can sublet this property, it would seem to us that this is a ready and efficient solution to the problem. Furthermore, if, as you state, the lease cannot be cancelled for any other reason than default of payment, it would seem that you may take whatever steps are necessary, legally speaking, to protect Moriyama.

The Evacuee Property Department of the Federal Reserve Bank had its inception as a practical means of affording help to those interested. We encourage the evacuees to liquidate, to appoint someone to act in their interests under a power of attorney or to make any other legal arrangements which are satisfactory to them. It is not mandatory for them to appear before us nor to register with us a record of their negotiations. We are, however, interested in seeing that their civil and property rights are fully protected and that avaricious creditors, etc. do not take advantage of their enforced removal. We endeavor to take as impartial an attitude as possible wherever a dispute arises, as there is no intention of discrimination for or against the Japanese. If, in our opinion, after a thorough exploration of all the facts pertaining to a given case, we are convinced that the evacuee is placed in an unfair position or is subject to undue hardship, we have a liberal power of freezing any property or property rights belonging to him. This latter weapon has undoubtedly precluded the abuse of evacuee property rights in many instances.

We would suggest that if you have further specific problems of a similar nature or additional difficulties arising from this particular case, you contact our representative at the offices of the United States Employment Service in El Centro. He understands the procedure thoroughly and is qualified to assist you.

We trust that the foregoing will answer your purposes.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier.

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PHILIP N. MYERS
Attorney at Law
Calipatria
California

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Borden D.W.B.
APR 2 - 1942

April 21, 1942

To the
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:

Re: SHOGYO MORIYAMA, Niland, California.

About March 12th last I made a Report on Form TFR-300 Series J for the above-named Shogyo Moriyama.

Moriyama has now arranged a sale of his stock of groceries, etc. to a party here (not a Japanese), but upon endeavoring to transfer the lease of the building used by him for his store at Niland, he is informed by the landlord that the lease will be cancelled when Moriyama moves. Moriyama has not violated the lease in any respect, his rent-payments thereunder are not in default, and there is no term in the lease which authorizes the landlord to cancel it, except default in payment of the agreed rental. The lease in question was made August 1st, 1940, and does not expire until June, 1946.

I observe in the public prints that your institution has published a booklet dealing with the property rights of Japanese residing in this country, especially with relation to the present situation, and if you would be good enough to send me a copy of that publication, it might be found to cover this case and others which may arise along that line of inquiry. Our local Bank has not gotten a copy for its customers' use.

Thanking you, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

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U/H
Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By Borden Grace
Secretary
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Morizono Mike
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1419 - 17th St
(Street and Number)

Oakland
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Name: Chown (Surname) S. (Print) (Given)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Address: 1446 Leimert Avenue (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: An 5225

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Chown has been negotiating to purchase the fixtures and stock which includes liquer of the Centere Grocery, 1450 - 7th Street, Oakland, which is owned by an evacuee. Mr. Chown stated that he did not plan to purchase the liquor stock unless the liquor license held by the Centere Grocery was transferrable to him.

Action taken:*

I advised Mr. Chown that liquor licenses are not transferrable and referred him to the State Board of Equalization.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 1 interviewed
2 involved
1 contacted

Directed to file:
Oakland

Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Morizono (Surname) Mike (Print) (Given)

Address: 1450 - 77th Street (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

CLOSED (Status)

Date of last entry into United States: 1929

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: Hi 9914

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Morizono operated the Center Grocery, the stock of which he has sold. He has two bills receivable which he has been unable to collect and he asked assistance.

Action taken:*

I gave Morizono a letter as follows: TO ALL DEBTORS OF THE CENTER GROCERY: You are hereby directed to pay in full all accounts properly due the Center Grocery on or before May 1, 1942.

Handled by: Hendricks

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 4 involved
2 interviewed
2 contacted

Directed to file: Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

APRIL 7-1942-
(Date)

Name: MORNEMENT - ELLSIE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 2389 BUSH ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO (AL
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U S

Date of last entry into United States: Doesn't apply

Operating under Treasury License now?: " " " "

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: ABOVE

Address: ABOVE

Telephone Number: ✓

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wants to lease property + House of evacuees - 1 — 1½ acres ON MAIN HI-WAYS — DISTRICT - South on PENNISULA — (SAN MATEO - BELMONT - MT. VIEW ETC. —)

Action taken:*

Advised Mrs. Mornement her name would be placed upon inquiry list

Handled by: Flint

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Directed to file: _____

Name MORNEMENT (Surname) ELSIE (Given)

Closed

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-14-42
(Date)

Name: Morodomi (Surname) Tom (Print) (Given)

Address: P O Box 476
(Street and Number)
Concord, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: American born

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number: Concord 6521

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 3 year contract with P G & E with one year before expiring. Has been sent bill for $140 and for balance of time. Landlord took over lease but has no need for power. What to do?

Action taken:*

Contacting P G & E about matter. Mr. Carlin, Manager P G & E phoned and stated this matter had been taken care of and closed.

No of persons interviewed 1
No of persons involved 1

Handled by: Norman B. Veale.
Field Rep - Pittsburg, Calif.
Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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11-15-42

April 13, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Name: Morodomi Tom
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P O Box 476
(Street and Number)

Concord, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: American born

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number: Concord 6521

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to report of April 4, 1942

Action taken:* This matter closed.

No of persons interviewed 1
No of persons involved 1

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Handled by: Mortimer B. Veale,
Field Rep - Pittsburg, Calif
Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco /
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-4-42
(Date)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Name: Morodomi (Surname) (Print) Tom (Given)

Address: P. O. 476
(Street and Number)

Concord, (City) California (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: American born

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: above

Address: above

Telephone Number: Concord 6521

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 1938 Chrysler automobile - purchasing on contract through San Francisco Finance Company. Has kept up payments. Representative of finance company came this a.m. to repossess car, stating that Government was going to take Japanese owned cars; What to do?

Later called and ascertained name of finance company, a Mr. W. L. Stellwagen.

Action taken:*

Called Mr. Borden, San Francisco office; stated he would call Finance Company. Mrs. Moody of San Francisco finance company called by phone and stated she had talked to Mr. Stellwagen and instructed him to get last payment on car and leave same with Japanese.

No of persons interviewed 1

No. of persons involved 1

Handled by: Anthony B. Dealy.
Field Rep. Pittsburg, Calif

Directed to file:

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Name MORODOMI (Surname) TOM (Given)

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

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June 22nd 1942
(Date)

Name: MOROFUJI HARRY
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt Box 156
(Street and Number)

CUTLER CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓ CUTLER

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: YES

(Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: 1921

Operating under Treasury license now?: no

(Given)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: no

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

① HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
GE - 6 CU. FT REFRIGERATOR - WASH MCH
SEWING MCH ETC

② BANKING

③ LIFE INSURANCE $2000.00 - 30 YEAR END.
WESTERN STATES LIFE

Action taken:*

① EXPLAINED STORAGE SET UP. OK

② ADVISED USE OF LOCAL BANK. OK

③ EXPLAINED USE OF POLICY NOTES TO KEEP INSURANCE IN FORCE. OK

5 PERSONS
WIFE
DAUGHTER (11 MONTHS)
SISTER IN LAW
MOTHER " "

Handled by: SD

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

500 NORTH GARDEN
VISALIA, CALIF.

April 29, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson, Asst. Cashier,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
500 California Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

In reference to your letter dated April 27, 1942, calling my attention to report by Mr. D. M. Dunton on a Japanese named George Moromato, whereby he apparently issued an approval in connection with a lease. I believe his reply to you clarified the question in this case.

However, I clearly remember my instructions from you on March 21, 1942, to not involve the bank in any legal responsibility, and I informed our men when they first came, of these instructions.

It is our duty, as representatives of the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, first to see that the Japanese receive a fair price for their property. Secondly, to advise with them on their many problems so that they may have reliable information on which to base their actions, and to assist them when necessary in disposing of their property. Thirdly, to constantly keep calling to their attention the necessity of making as rapid progress as possible in bringing their affairs to final conclusion before the evacuation order is given. Finally, to properly receive, and take charge of their property at the control and assembly centers.

Yours very truly,

LJA:vh

L. J. Allen
Field Representative
2146 Inyo Street
Fresno, California

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

April 27, 1942

Mr. Lawson J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
2146 Inyo Street,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

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While we are interested in obtaining copies of any documents pertaining to property problems, generally speaking, it is not within our province to specifically approve or disapprove of any deal which the evacuee may consummate. Such approval or contra is tantamount to an apparent legal responsibility which we do not have, nor do we wish to obtain.

We would suggest that in the future when you are asked to examine legal documents in connection with any transaction, you express any unofficial opinions that you care to, or make any suggestions that seem in order, but refrain from placing the bank's full approval or disapproval on such transaction.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

FOR DEFENSE
BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

answered 4/29/42 SGA

Fresno, California
April 28, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
Evacuee Property Department
530 California St.
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Everson:

This is in answer to your letter of April 27th. regarding my report covering the case of George Mir moto dated April 24, 1942.

It appears that my meaning under "action taken" was misunderstood by your office and it is possible that my comment was brief.

My approval was intended to cover only the form of the documents as compared with others used for like purposes. I have no intention of expressing any specific approval of the terms embodied in such documents.

I shall make my comments more specific in the future.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton
Field Representative
2148 Inyo Street
Fresno, California.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Moromoto (Surname) (Print) George (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Madera (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U S

Moromoto (Surname)
George (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in United States

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: George Moromoto

Address: Madera California

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to our report dated April 24, 1942.

Mr Moromoto came into our office with copies of Lease Agreement, Power of Attorney, Bill of Sale and Agency Agreement and Agency Instructions which he and Sadao Nikaido gave to Sherwood Green and F Paul Rich.

Action taken:*

Copies of above papers attached.

We closed this case 4/24/42

Handled by: Townes

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055) 2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Bender

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

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Fresno, California

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Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required

Directed to File
By Bender
Surname

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FOR DEFENSE
BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

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Evacuee Property Department,
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Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Borden:JM

Borden:avb

AGENCY AGREEMENT
AND
AGENCY INSTRUCTIONS

GEORGE K. MORIMOTO and SADAO NIKAIDO, hereinafter called "Principals", hereby appoint SHERWOOD GREEN and F. PAUL RICH, hereinafter called "Agents", as their Agents with powers and duties as follows:

Personal Property

Agents shall take all necessary steps to protect the personal property of the said Principals, expending out of any funds of Principals in the hands of Agents such sums as Agents shall find necessary for the payment of taxes and assessments and the repair and maintenance of such personal property. Such personal property is particularly set forth in Exhibit A. Attached hereto.

Moneys

Any money the property of Principals shall be deposited in a trust fund in the joint names of Agents in the First National Bank in Madera and shall be used solely for Principals under the terms of this agreement and a Power of Attorney executed herewith.

Real Property

Agents shall have the following powers and duties for management and control of the real property described in Exhibit B. attached hereto.

1. To pay all taxes and assessments against said property now due or which may be levied hereafter.

2. To pay all sums now due or which may become due for payment of interest and principal on any liens which have been created on said real property by Principals.

3. To pay all fire insurance premiums.

4. After the foregoing payments have been made, if any money remains in Principal's hands in said trust fund for Principals, Agents are authorized and directed to pay such items as are listed in Exhibit C. attached hereto.

5. Agents shall collect all rentals on said property and deposit same in a trust account as hereinbefore set forth.

6. Agents shall cause to be made all necessary repairs for the maintenance and upkeep of the said real property.

7. In event for any reason the present lease on the premises is terminated while this agency is in full force and effect, Agents are authorized to execute a new lease for a term not to exceed the time when principals

SHERWOOD GREEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
MADERA, CALIF.

returns from evacuation or at the termination of restrictions which prevent American born Japanese citizens from operating their lands in this vicinity, upon such terms as the said Agents shall, in their sole judgment, deem to be the best interest of Principals.

Compensation

The compensation of Agents shall be $50.00 per year, unless legal action becomes necessary to protect the property in which event the legal fee shall be agreed upon between the parties. If the parties are unable to agree on a fee for said legal services, said fee shall be fixed by the Judge of the Superior Court of Madera County, acting as an arbitrator without the necessity of court proceedings.

Powers

The powers of Agents are to be construed broadly so that Agents can protect the property of Principals, doing all the things that Principals could do if personally present to care for, manage, and protect the real and personal property of said Principals.

Duty to Account

At the end of each year and/or at any termination of this agency, Agents shall account fully and fairly for all funds which have come into their hands for Principals and for any expenditures therefrom which are authorized herein.

Termination

This agency can be terminated at any time by Principals by notice in writing to said Agents, P. O. Box 998, Madera, California, that the same is terminated, but shall remain in full force and effect until revoked in writing by Principals.

Subject to rules and regulations of United States of America

This agency is subject to any and all rules and regulations pertaining to such agency agreements passed by the United States of America.

Agents shall be under no duty to make expenditures for Principals except when they have funds of Principals within their control with which to make such expenditures.

SHERWOOD GREEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
[illegible] SOUTH G STREET
[illegible]

IN WITNESS WHEREUNTO, the parties hereto have affixed their hands this 5 day of May, 1942.

George K. Morimoto
George K. Morimoto

Sadao Nikaido
Sadao Nikaido

Sherwood Green
Sherwood Green

F. Paul Rich
F. Paul Rich

SHERWOOD GREEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
[illegible] SOUTH OLIVE STREET
MADERA, CALIF.

POWER OF ATTORNEY

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That SADAO NIKAIDO and GEORGE K. MORIMOTO, hereinafter called "Principals", hereby create SHERWOOD GREEN and F. PAUL RICH, hereinafter called "Agents", as their Attorneys at Law and in Fact, with full power to do the following:

1. To collect all moneys due Principals.
2. To take any steps for the protection of the real or personal property of Principals, including the payment of taxes, assessments, and the bringing of any necessary actions.
3. To collect all rentals due the said Principals.
4. To make returns and accounts to any public body entitled to same.
5. To lease in the name of Principals, and to execute extensions or renewals of any indebtedness secured by any property of Principals in the name of Principals.
6. To execute notes in the name of Principals and documents securing the same by said property for the purpose of paying any indebtedness against the property of Principals.
7. To do each and every thing that undersigned might do if personally present to protect and preserve all the real and personal property of Principals.
8. Principals hereby ratify all that Agents shall do or cause to be done by virtue of these presents, and give and grant unto Agents full power to employ agents and sub-agents or attorneys, but reserve the right of revocation.

Principals request that any Court construing the powers of this Power of Attorney shall construe the same broadly in favor of the Extension of the powers of Agents herein created Attorneys at Law and in Fact of Principals, for the preservation and protection of the personal and real property of Principals.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Sadao Nikaido and George K. Morimoto have hereunto set their hands this 5th day of May, 1942.

Sadao Nikaido
Sadao Nikaido

George K. Morimoto
GEORGE K. MORIMOTO

SHERWOOD GREEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW
MADERA, CALIF.

BILL OF SALE

THIS AGREEMENT,

W I T N E S S E T H:

That for and in consideration of the sum of $2356.33 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, GEORGE K. MORIMOTO has sold to CHARLES GONG all of the stock in trade located in that certain store building commonly known as ROYAL MARKET, located at 512 Madera Avenue, Madera, California.

George K. Morimoto represents that all sums due any wholesaler for the purchase of said stock in trade have been paid, and that said stock in trade is free and clear of all encumbrances.

Dated: This 4th day of May, 1942.

George K. Morimoto
George K. Morimoto

SHERWOOD GREEN
ATTORNEY AT LAW

Term

For a term of three years beginning May 1st, 1942 and ending April 30th, 1945.

Rental for Store Building

At a rental of THIRTY-SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS ($3,600.00) payable to Lessors or their Agents, as follows:

$200.00 upon the execution of this agreement; and

$100.00 on the 1st of each and every month beginning with June 1st, 1942 and continuing thereafter on the 1st of each and every month until the entire sum of $3600.00

Rental of Dwelling House, Garage & Barn

It is mutually agreed that there is a house on said afore described real property, and Lessors hereby lease said dwelling house to Lessee for a term to begin at any time that an

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ATTORNEY AT LAW
[illegible] SOUTH D. STREET
MADERA, CALIF.

evacuation order of the United States of America requires George K. Morimoto, the present occupant of the said dwelling house, to evacuate the same. Said dwelling house is to be rented unfurnished, and the term shall continue from the beginning until April 30, 1945.

In addition to the store rental hereinbefore provided for, the said dwelling house shall be rented at the rate of $25.00 per month, payable on the 1st of each and every month in advance. The odd days of the first month shall be pro-rated and payable with the first monthly payment of rental.

Fixtures

There is included in this lease the fixtures which are in said store building, a list of which is attached hereto as EXHIBIT A.

Lessors represent that said fixtures are fully paid for and that the same are free and clear of all encumbrances and liens except for the Ice Box, and Lessors agree to make payments on the same as the same mature.

Maintenance of Fixtures

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MADERA, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

4/24/42
(Date)

Name: Morazumi T.H.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1654 Sutter St
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MORAZUMI (Surname)

T.D. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: Fillmore 9012

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Called and displayed the consent of the S.F. Co. to his assignment to Mrs Baker.

Said his rent was one month in arrears. Asked him if he wished to apply for county relief but he declined. Appears rather prosperous.

Handled by: Williams

Directed to file: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 30/42
(Date)

Name: MOROZUMI T. D.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1654 SUTTER ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: JAPAN

Date of last entry into United States: 1924

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO.

Type of Business: JAPANESE INTERPRETOR
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: FILLMORE 9013

Principal property involved and scope of problem: REFRIGERATOR

Mr. Morozumi bought a G.E. refrigerator from G.E. and contracted to pay $184.75, paying $34.75 down and $5.00 per month for life of contract. He has paid off 74.75 leaving $110.00 yet to pay on contract. He says the G.E.C.C. want him to continue the $5.00 payments or they will repossess.
G.E.C.C. Phone GARFIELD 1764 (116 New Montg)

Action taken:*

This office phoned G.E.C.C. and asked them to please give Mr. Morozumi a little extention in the matter of settling this account and he would be better enabled to sell at a fair price. They agreed to 10 days extention.

Handled by: Fed Mintz

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(5 persons)

Name MOROZUMI (Surname) T.D. (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/16/42
(Date)

Name: Morris C. M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 926 Keins Street
(Street and Number)

Albany California
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: American

Morris C.M.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Follow-up 4/4/42

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

Your representative talked with Mr. George Buckley, Farm Land Representative in the Hayward office, and was advised that Mr. Morris had called there, and negotiations were under way for agricultural property.

Action taken:* Case apparently closed.

Mason Case

Handled by: Mason Case
Field Representative-Berkeley

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1 person interviewed
Persons involved-see former report

Directed to file:
Thornwall 1389

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

4/4/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Morris C. M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: American

Address: 926 Kains Street
(Street and Number)

Albany, California
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

Mr. Morris is in the market for a farm property of some Japanese evacuee.

Action taken:* We referred Mr. Morris to the Farm Security Administration office at Hayward and suggested he might telephone to Mr. Wadley in advance of his contemplated visit.

Mason Case

Handled by: Mason Case
Field Representative-Berkeley
Directed to file: _____
Thornwall 1389

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1 person interviewed
4 persons involved

Name MORRIS (Surname) C. M. (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mar 16-42
(Date)

Name: CHARLES W. MORRIS
(Print)

Address: 926 KANE ST.
(Street and Number)

*) Albany (City) Cal (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: —
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Date of last entry into United States: Born in USA. White

Operating under Treasury License now?: Native American.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wants to purchase, lease, or take over on share basis farm or ranch of Jap. prefered Santa Maria region.
Advised him that at present we do not have the listing on same but to keep in touch with this office; advised he would.

Action taken:*

Handled by: [signature]

* Attach additional pages where necessary

MORRIS

CHARLES W.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3/20/42
(Date)

Name: Morris. Mark. S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: —

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Orange Cove. Cal.
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business: farmer
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Mark. S Morris.

Address: Orange Cove, Cal.

Telephone Number: none.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr Morris age. 45. wifes name. Mary. Two in the family. he has been a farmer all his life, located in the San Joaquin Valley. Calif. He states that he is qualified as a Ranchman as most of his time has been spent. as such,
He does not own any farming equipment at this time.
Assets. $800.00
Liab none.
States that he would require financial assistance.

Action taken:*

Took him to the Farm Security Adm. Office, where they are endeavoring to locate something that he would be in position to handle properly.

Handled by: [signature]

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(S-5055) 2146 Inyo St, Fresno, Cal.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Morrish, J.E. (Vice-Pres.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Redwood City
(Street and Number)

Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Banks

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Morrison Eugenia T Agnes
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: % R. D. McElroy & Son
(Street and Number)
Phelan Bldg. S.F.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(SURNAME)

(DATE)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Columbus Laundry : Laundries

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Morrison Frank J.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2916 Russell Street
(Street and Number)

Berkeley Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

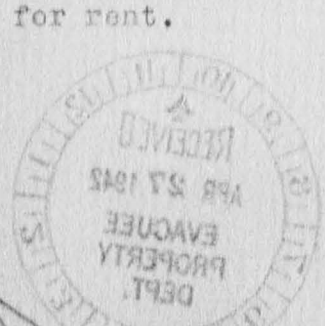
Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Morrison wishes to rent a house in Oakland.

Action taken:*

I showed Mr. Morrison our list of houses that were available for rent.



Handled by: Hendricks

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(S-3055) 1 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file: Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 447

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: The Morrissey Company
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 729 Jay Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Name THE MORRISSEY COMPANY.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: R. J. Morrissey

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Application for agency appointment by Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco to handle Japanese property.

Action taken:*

Telephoned R. J. Morrissey and told him that Japanese are being urged to make their arrangements while they can. Promised to keep his firm in mind if F. R. B. does undertake such action.

Handled by: McFarland

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Sacramento Office

REFERRED BY MR. EVE...
TO MR. Mayer
subject file
George
copy

THE MORRISSEY COMPANY

INCORPORATED

R. J. MORRISSEY, PRESIDENT — E. J. MORRISSEY, VICE PRESIDENT
J. J. CORDANO, VICE PRESIDENT — B. F. MORRISSEY, SECRETARY

REAL ESTATE - LOANS - INSURANCE

729 J STREET
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

April 20, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Attention: Mr. R. E. Everson

Gentlemen:

As per the request of your Mr. A. J. Reid, we are submitting to you, for lease, the property at 1430 "K" Street, which is 80' x 160'.

The owners are willing to lease it to you for a period of one (1) year at a monthly rental of $350.00 per month. For the last six years, this property has been rented as a used car sales room at a monthly rental of $350. The owners are now in the process of negotiating a long-term lease, and also a short-term lease. Naturally, they want to cooperate with you to the fullest extent, and they would appreciate it if you would be kind enough to let them know, at your earliest convenience, if you are going to use this property so that they can be guided by, and conduct their future negotiations on the property accordingly.

Very truly yours

THE MORRISSEY COMPANY

By James J. Cordano

James J. Cordano

jjc:vc

Answered
Answ. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By Everson
Surname
Written Signed

THE MORRISSEY CO

TELEPHONE 3-1771

April 20, 1942

The Morrissey Company,
729 J Street,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sirs: Attention: Mr. R. J. Morrissey

We wish to acknowledge your inquiry of April 16th relative to disposing of Japanese affairs in the Sacramento area.

We are sending a copy of your letter to our office which is located at 1008 - 14th Street, Sacramento. Please contact this office for any further information.

Thanking you for your interest, we are

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier.

RWBorden
ELN

cc: Albert J. Reid, Representative,
1008 - 14th Street,
Sacramento, California.

THE MORRISSEY COMPANY

INCORPORATED

R. J. MORRISSEY, PRESIDENT
J. J. CORDANO, VICE PRESIDENT
E. J. MORRISSEY, VICE PRESIDENT
B. F. MORRISSEY, SECRETARY

REAL ESTATE - LOANS - INSURANCE

729 J STREET
SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Bode
APR 17 1942

per that copy goes to Sacto Office

April 16, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Mayer
APR 17 1942

Subj. File
Field Reps.

Federal Reservie Bank of San Francisco
Sansome and Sacramento Streets
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

We understand that you are to maintain an agency establishment in each community to handle the affairs of Japanese. We are respectfully soliciting this agency on behalf of our company which is well equipped to handle rentals, leases, insurance, and sales.

The writer has charge of the financing and insurance departments; Mr. E. J. Morrissey has charge of Sales and is business director; Mr. J. J. Cordano has charge of leasing and rentals. We believe that we are qualified to handle such matters.

We can refer you to the Capital National Bank of Sacramento, where our clients trust account is carried, and to the Bank of America, Main Office at 8th & J Streets, where our insurance trust account is carried, together with the account of The Morrissey Company, a corporation; and to the American Trust Company where we have an account for The Morrissey Company, a corporation.

We can, also, refer you to Mr. Wallace Shepard, attorney in the Capital National Bank Building at Sacramento, and Mr. Robert A. Zarick, attorney in the Capital National Bank Building, and, also to Mr. R. J. Wilson, Postmaster, in Sacramento, California.

In San Francisco, we can refer you to the Continental Insurance Company, American Alliance Insurance Company, Queen Insurance Company, and the Eagle Indemnity Insurance Company.

If we manage property, our fee is 5% of the amount of money collected; if we are only to collect rents and remit them to a designated place, our charge would be according to the Sacramento Real Estate Board. We might, also, state that we have quite a number of Japanese clients who have placed their affairs in our hands.

4/20 Answered

Awaiting your report, we are

Yours very truly,

THE MORRISSEY COMPANY

By R. J. Morrissey
R. J. Morrissey

Ansd. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Directed to File

Surname

THE MORRISSEY CO.

TELEPHONE 3-1771

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3-23-42 Clark
(Date)

Name: Morse-Export-Import Inc
(Print)

Address: 336 Sacramento St
(Street and Number)
San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: U S

Name MORSE EXPORT-IMPORT INC.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation: ✓
Individual:

Person Interviewed: W B Wilson

Address: Mgr Import Dept -

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr Wilson stated that he wish to buy merchandise from an alien Japanese who is blocked & wanted to know if he could properly do so.

MORSE EXPORT-IMPORT, INC.

W. B. WILSON
MANAGER
IMPORT DEPARTMENT

336 SACRAMENTO ST.
SAN FRANCISCO, U. S. A.

Action taken:* Told Mr Wilson that if the Japanese has a special license authorizing him to sell the merchandise & that he could deliver good title that the transaction appeared to be in order

Handled by: Rawles

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MOSS CLEANERS & DYERS
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 3640 Piedmont Avenue
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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(3-5055)

March 16, 1942

Mosu Cleaners & Dyers,
~~3810 Piedmont Avenue,~~
Oakland, California

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Moss Cleaners & Dyers. (Date)

Name: Gimov, I. A.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 448 - 43rd St.
(Street and Number)

Oakland, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Gimov, I. A.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Moss wood Grocery _____ (Date)

Name: Kanzaki, Dick (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 3663 Telegraph Ave (Street and Number)

Oakland, Calif. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Kanzaki Dick

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California.

June 9, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

K. Motokane, who is interned at the Fresno Assembly Center, is desirious of knowing whether or not funds which she has on deposit with the Yokohama Specie Bank in San Francisco are frozen , and if not if it is possible for her to draw on same for what money she might need.

Kindly advice.

Yours very truly

W. D. Townes
Field Representative.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MOTAKANE K
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Fresno Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Fresno Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MOTAKANE (Surname) K (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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(S-5055)

June 10, 1942

Mr. Lawson J. Allen,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
c/o U. S. Employment Service,
2146 Inyo Street,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to Mr. Townes' letter of June 9, 1942, concerning K. Motokane, who is located at the Fresno Assembly Center.

Mr. Townes requests information as to whether or not a deposit in the Yokohama Specie Bank in San Francisco is frozen, and if not, if it is possible for K. Motokane to draw on the account for what money she might need.

For your information, the Yokohama Specie Bank Ltd., is in the process of liquidation by the State Superintendent of Banks, under a Conservatorship, and therefore no funds are available for checking purposes. However, we would suggest that the party concerned, direct a letter to the Yokohama Specie Bank, Ltd., San Francisco, Attention: Mr. W. M. Pabst, Jr., notifying him of her address in order that funds might be available to her at the time the first distribution occurs.

If the evacuee is an American citizen or has resided continuously in the United States since June 17, 1940, such funds will be made available to her at the time distribution is made. On the other hand, if she has entered or reentered the United States since June 17, 1940, the Conservator will necessarily have to place the funds in a blocked account in a bank of her choice. If this is done, she will be able to withdraw, under General License No. 11, up to $500.00 per month, provided the bank is convinced that such funds are needed for living expenses.

Please notify all persons connected with your office, that we should not refer to individuals in Assembly Centers as being internees or as being interned. Such terms should be applied only to those who are in internment camps, such as Missoula, Montana, Bismarck, North Dakota, etc.

Yours very truly,

Everson

Assistant Cashier.

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REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON

TO MR.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California.

June 9, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

K. Motokane, who is interned at the Fresno Assembly Center, is desirious of knowing whether or not funds which she has on deposit with the Yokohama Specie Bank in San Francisco are frozen , and if not if it is possible for her to draw on same for what money she might need.

Kindly advice.

Yours very truly

W. D. Townes
Field Representative.

6/10 Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
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By
Surname
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November 9, 1942

Mr. I. Motoki, Supervisor
Poston Chapter II
The American Red Cross
Block 218, Administration B
Colorado River War Relocation Project
Poston, Arizona

Dear Sir:

We have received your letter dated November 6, 1942 relating to the disposition of goods of evacuees stored privately in the Watsonville and Salinas areas, and the copy of your letter dated October 20, 1942 addressed to the Wartime Civil Control Administration relating to the same subject.

We believe that the War Relocation Authority which has headquarters in the Whitcomb Hotel Building, San Francisco, is the agency which should be addressed regarding this matter and have therefore taken the liberty of forwarding your communication and the enclosure to that agency for its consideration.

No doubt you will receive a communication from the War Relocation Authority in due course.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: War Relocation Authority
Whitcomb Hotel Building
San Francisco, California

HDArmstrong:krf

November 9, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Property of Evacuees Stored Privately

We are enclosing a copy of a letter dated November 6, 1942, addressed to us by the supervisor of the American Red Cross Chapter at the Colorado River War Relocation Project, as well as a copy of his letter to the Wartime Civil Control Administration dated October 20, 1942, to which his communication refers.

Also enclosed is a copy of our reply letter of today's date, informing Mr. Motoki that the correspondence has been referred to your office as the agency which has jurisdiction over such matters.

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures

HDArmstrong:krf

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. [illegible]

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS
POSTON CHAPTER
Block 218, Administration B
Poston, Arizona

November 6, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:

On October 20, we wrote a letter to Western Defense Command and Fourth Army, WCCA, in your city and requested them to furnish their opinion as to the handling of trunks, crates, and packages left and kept in the storage buildings, private garages and homes in Salinas, California. It is our understanding that all the properties belonging to evacuees and kept in Watsonville are to be shipped to this Center at the expense of the Government. We were also informed that arrangements have been made by Reverend Adams of Watsonville as to the method of shipment to our Relocation Center.

A party, who formerly resided in Salinas, desires to know whether his property can be shipped here at the expense of the Government. If so, would you let us know as soon as you decide so we shall be able to inform former Salinas residents that you will take care of their shipment as you are doing for Watsonville evacuees.

We are enclosing, herewith, a copy of our letter sent to the WCCA office as mentioned above. Please give this matter your immediate attention and your most thoughtful consideration.

Very sincerely yours,

I Motoki

I. Motoki, Supervisor,
Poston Chapter II.

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Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
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Surname
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Enclosure

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

THE AMERICAN RED CROSS
POSTON CHAPTER
Block 218, Administration B
Poston, Arizona

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR.

October 20, 1942.

Western Defense Command and Fourth Army,
Office of Assistant Chief of Staff,
Civil Affairs Division,
Wartime Civil Control Administration,
1231 Market Street, San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:

According to latest information received by Reverend K. Takeda, former Pastor of Japanese Presbyterian Church in Watsonville, the trunks, crates, and packages left and kept in the storage room of said church and Japanese School, are to be transferred to Poston at the expense of the Government.

A representative from the group who kept their furniture and other belongings in the storage room of the Salinas Japanese Presbyterian Church, desires to have his goods transferred to Poston also. It is the people's understanding that as soon as they were transferred from Salinas Assembly Center to the Relocation Center, their goods would be sent at the expense of the Government. I understand that said belongings are not great in number and the expense for such transportation would be comparatively small.

Will you kindly take this into your immediate consideration and let us know so that we will be able to inform them as to the decision on this matter.

Sincerely yours,

I. Motoki, Supervisor,
Poston Chapter II.

IM/mf

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By
Surname
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Matooka (Surname) Fuji (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Patton State Hospital (Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) Calif (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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LOS ANGELES BRANCH

Head Office

September 19, 1942

Evacuee Property Department - Mrs. Fuji Motooka, incompetent

Filed Field Interview Reports

In accordance with your letter of September 18, 1942, we are writing to the Department of Institutions, Sacramento, California, advising them that the car was appraised by two disinterested appraisers at $240.

"Motooka, Fuji (Mrs.)"

FRED C. BOLD /s/
Assistant Manager

F. O. BUTLER, M.D.
ACTING DIRECTOR OF INSTITUTIONS

CULBERT L. OLSON
GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Department of Institutions
SACRAMENTO

September 16, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. AGNEW
TO MR. O'Kane
Wolfe
Refer to proper person for disposition
RJ

#9

Mr. Albert Agnew
General Cousel
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Re: Mrs. Fuji Motooka, Incompetent

REFERRED BY MR. O'KANE
TO MR. Everson

Dear Mr. Agnew:

Pursuant to your kind letter of August 26 we wish to advise you that we are preparing and will file immediately a petition for Letters of Guardianship of the estate of the above-named incompetent in order that the transfer of the title to the automobile may be accomplished in a proper manner.

We regret that this is made necessary under the circumstances in view of the small size of the estate; however, there seems to remain no other alternative but to institute guardianship proceedings.

We should like to be advised as to the present location of the automobile in order that we may have an appraiser appointed by the Court examine the same, in the event we decide that we will require an appraisal. It is quite likely that we may be able to proceed under one of the sections of the probate code whereby the expense of an appraisal will be avoided.

We anticipate that the hearing upon the petition for Letters of Guardianhip will be had on September 28 in the Superior Court of Sacramento County. Immediately thereafter we will make arrangements for the sale to the Federal Reserve Bank.

Yours very truly

DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONS

By A. Edward Nichols
A. Edward Nichols, Secretary

9-16
Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
Surname

AEN:lt
CC: Mr. Fred C. Bold
Assistant Manager
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Los Angeles Branch
704 West Olympic Blvd.
Los Angeles, California

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FOR VICTORY
BUY
UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

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9-18-42

AIR MAIL

LOS ANGELES September 18, 1942

Evacuee Property Department - Mrs. Fuji Motooka, incompetent.

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. O'Rane
SEP 18 1942
REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
SEP 18 1942

We are enclosing a copy of our today's reply to a letter dated September 16, 1942 from the Department of Institutions of this state, a copy of which was apparently forwarded to you.

If you have not already done so, we believe it would be helpful if you directed a letter to the Department stating that the car was appraised by two disinterested appraisers and the value placed upon the car.

While we realize that this car is subject to requisitioning, we have not mentioned it to the Department of Institutions. We are uncertain how technical the Army will be in making remittances for cars requisitioned and while it is possible that payment would be made under the provisions of the code section cited in the Department's letter to you dated August 20, 1942, it seems advisable to permit the formal proceedings to be completed. If by any chance they are completed before the requisitioning becomes effective, we presume it would be in order to complete the sale to the Army under the usual procedure.

Enclosure
HDArmstrong:EM

[signature]
Assistant Cashier

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9-18-42

September 18, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON

TO MR. .....

Mr. A. Edward Nichols,
Secretary,
Department of Institutions,
Sacramento, California.

Subject: Mrs. Fuji Motooka, Incompetent.

Dear Sir:

The automobile which is the subject of your letter of September 16, 1942 is now located at Santa Anita Assembly Center, Arcadia, California.

We believe you have already been informed as to the appraised value of the car as established by the appraisers appointed by this bank in connection with the Army purchase program, but we are asking our Los Angeles Branch to write you a letter setting forth that information, if they have not already done so, for what value it might have in the guardianship proceedings which you are instituting.

Yours very truly,

Emerson

HDArmstrong:EM

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Los Angeles Branch,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

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By ..... Surname
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August 26, 1942

Mr. A. Edward Nichols,
Secretary,
Department of Institutions,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Mr. Nichols: Re: Mrs. Fuji Motooka, Incompetent.

I have your letter dated August 20, 1942 suggesting alternative procedure for the transfer of the automobile owned by the above named incompetent. Of course, I agree with you that a guardianship proceeding should be avoided, if it is possible to do so, in view of the amount involved and the provisions of Section 6661 of the Welfare and Institutions Code. However, it is not clear to me how a guardianship proceeding may be avoided since it is the opinion of Dr. Webster, the Medical Superintendent of Patton State Hospital, that the patient will not have any lucid moments in which to sign the pink slip.

I am interested in the transfer of the title to the automobile, and it is entirely agreeable to me that this be accomplished in either of the modes suggested, whether by signature of the incompetent during a lucid interval, with payment pursuant to said Section 6661, or by guardianship proceedings.

Yours very truly,

General Counsel

O'Kane:eo

Copy sent
to L. A. Br.
W/r O'Kane 8/26/42

...ON J. ROSANOFF, M. D.
...CTOR OF INSTITUTIONS

CULBERT L. OLSON
GOVERNOR OF CALIFORNIA

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA
Department of Institutions
SACRAMENTO

Mr Agnew

REFERRED BY MR. AGNEW
TO MR.
AUG 24 1942

August 20, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
704 West Olympic Boulevard
Los Angeles, California

Re: Mrs. Fuji Motooka, Incompetent

Dear Sirs:

We regret the delay that has taken place in our attention to this matter involving the proper transfer of title of the 1937 Ford, License #19U391 belonging to our patient above-named and which you desired to have transferred to the United States Army. The matter involved has presented several difficulties which have taken a little time to determine.

We discussed this problem with Mr. Maloney, the attorney for the Motor Vehicles Department and he was somewhat at a loss as to what the proper procedure would be; in fact, he suggested that we communicate with Mr. A. Agnew, Chief Counsel for the Federal Reserve Bank at San Francisco. We are sending him a carbon copy of this letter in order that some time may be saved.

We communicated with Dr. Webster, the Medical Superintendent of Patton State Hospital and was informed by him that in his opinion there would be no possibility of the patient signing the pink slip to the automobile at any lucid moment. This was one of the suggestions that had been made by Mr. Maloney, the attorney for the Motor Vehicle Department. Inasmuch as this is out of the question; therefore, there remains only the alternative of having guardianship proceedings instituted on behalf of Mrs. Motooka, or awaiting the word from Mr. Agnew as to whether he would recommend another proceeding.

We thought that we should try to avoid guardianship proceedings, inasmuch as the amount set aside for the value of the car is only $240.00. There is a provision in the Welfare and Institutions Code; namely section 6651, which provides for the payment to the Hospital to the patient's personal deposit account of any sums under $300.00 upon the presentation of an affidavit, thereby avoiding the necessity

for Court proceedings for guardianship. We thought that if the patient could be lucid at a proper time and could sign the registration certificate that we would thereby be able to avoid the expense of guardianship proceedings.

Under the circumstances therefore, we will await word from Mr. Agnew, the chief counsel of the Federal Reserve Bank to determine which course to proceed in this matter.

Yours very truly

DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONS

By A. Edward Nichols

A. Edward Nichols, Secretary

AEN:lt
CC: A. Agnew, Chief Counsel
Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, California

CC: Patton State Hospital

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: MOTOOKA (Surname) MR. K. (Print) (Given)

Address: 418 Island Ave. (Street and Number)

San Diego (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

March 19, 1942

Mr. K. Motooka,
418 Island Avenue,
San Diego, California.

Re: Application dated February 13, 1942
Assigned No. SF. 21175

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the application which you submitted to us relative to funds of the Japanese Association of San Diego, California, we find that no answer has been received to our letter of February 26, 1942, and are enclosing a copy for your information in case our previous letter did not reach you.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and wish to liquidate the assets of the Association, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

If we do not receive a reply to this inquiry within fifteen days from date of this letter, we shall consider application No. SF. 21175 as having been withdrawn, and mark our records accordingly.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Evetson

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Motoyoshi M. (Name)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: (2760 Green St) SF
(Street and Number)

Sharp Park
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

APRIL 3/42.
(Date)

Name: BENHART H. MRS.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 8125 GEARY ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name: Benhart (Surname) Mrs. H. (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

Type of Business: OWNERSHIP OF AUTO
Partnership:
Proprietorship: ✓
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: PHONED FROM ALEC HAMILTON GARAGE

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Right to transfer title of automobile

Action taken:* Mrs. Benhart telephoned that she was buying a car from Miss Miwa Kai who lives at 2735 Clay St. and who holds a Power of Attorney from M. Motoyoshi formerly of 2160 Green St. but now interned at Sharp's Park. Mrs. Benhart said the garage manager (SECKER of AL. HAM. GAR.) was doubtful of his authority to release car. (1940 Studebaker Sedan) which was registered to M. Motoyoshi.

We called the garage man to phone and he said there was no lien or notice or debt against the car and we told him we saw no reason to deny right to remove car. Mrs Benhart said she knew all parties concerned and was sure that the Power of Attorney was legal.

Handled by: Fred Minsky

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(3 Persons inc 1 interviewed)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Motoyoshi Mr. Y.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Tenforan
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Family no 21390

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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Name
(Surname)
(Given)

June 5, 1942

Mr. Y. Motoyoshi
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center
Tanforan Race Track
San Bruno, California

Family No. (34) 21390

filed with Dooley

Dear Sir:

In our letter to you of May 16, 1942, we enclosed some forms to be signed by Reverend Joshin Motoyoshi which have been properly executed and returned to us.

In the last paragraph of our letter, however, we requested that you obtain from Reverend Motoyoshi the ownership certificate to the automobile so that we might complete the sale of the car to the Army. As Reverend Motoyoshi did not forward the ownership certificate to us, we must ask that you communicate with him again requesting that this certificate be signed on lines 1 and 2 on the back thereof, forwarding the same to us as soon as possible in the enclosed return envelope.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

W S Murray
EB

May 16, 1942

Mr. Y. Motoyoshi
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center
Tanforan Race Track
San Bruno, California

Family No. 21390

Dear Sir:

In your family group we have received a 1939 Ford Sedan registered in the name of Rev. Joshin Motoyoshi and signed by Masato Maruyama, which is designated for sale to the U. S. Army.

We are informed by our field representative at the Hayward Civilian Control Station that these forms W.C.C.A. FRB-3 and FRB-4 are duplicates to be held until the originals signed by the owner have been returned.

As it is necessary for us to have these forms signed by the registered owner of the car along with his certificate of ownership, we would appreciate any assistance you can give us in obtaining them at the earliest possible time. If you have not recently heard from Rev. Motoyoshi, will you please write him asking for the return of these forms and his certificate of ownership properly endorsed and forward same to this Bank in the enclosed return envelope.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

DOOLEY
EB

Oct 12 1942
Topaz

Dear Mr Borden:

We left Tanforan on the 28th of Sept at 6:30 P.M. and reached Topaz at 11:30 A.M. on the 30th of Sept. most of the way was mountainous and all I could see was sage brush and sand, now and then we would see a depot this is the first time I have seen such wide open spaces. When we reached Topaz city the boys welcomed us with drums and bugles, we all like this place, the systems are very good. The apartments are not completed yet but it will be before winter and I'm sure it will look very nice after it is completed. We received our basic clothing I am so happy every thing fit so nicely. My husband has a job in the warehouse and on his days off he volunteer to help the carpenter put up the ceilling and walls, he also has applied for an outside job in the sugar beets. My best regards to you and your family.

Sincerely Yours,
S. Motozaki

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Oct. 12, 1942.
Topaz

My Dear Mr. Weinstock:

I'm sorry I could not write to you sooner but my freight was delayed they just arrived a few days ago. We all like this place the systems are very good the laundry and shower is very near that I get pleasure out of my housework. The apartments are not completed yet, but it will be before winter and I know that the rooms will look very nice. We received our basic clothing and we feel very grateful to get all we need, I am more that satisfied with my clothes, but there were few that got very big sizes, one lady got two same side shoes and did not know what to do. My husband got a job in the warehouse and on his days off, he volunteers and helps the carpenters put up the walls and ceillings so they could complete the inside of the apartments, he is waiting for an outside job in the sugar beet feild.

I wrote to Judge Norris to send me a receipt when William pays him the rent on my tools and rent of the land which was due October 5th 1942. Tool rent is $ 100.00 and the rent of the land is $ 325.00 due to Tsutomu Matsumoto, but the total of $ 425.00 is to be paid to Judge Norris, out of which ~~the~~ the taxes, and interest must be paid to Mrs. Neves and

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Motozaki, S (Mrs.) Telephone:
(Surname) (Print) (Given) Interview:

Address: 142 - 2 Tanforan Adult:
(Street and Number) Minor:
Male:
Female:
San Bruno, Calif. Assembly Center Citizenship:
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
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Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

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Name (Surname) (Given) Alien

Oct 12 1942
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Sincerely Yours,
S. Motozaki

Oct. 12 1942.
Topaz

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the balance is to be applied on principal ($2467.40).
I am sending Judge Norris a letter too.
My Best regards to you and your family

Sincerely Yours,
S. Motozaki
Block 36-4 B
Central Utah Reloc. Cent.
Topaz, Utah

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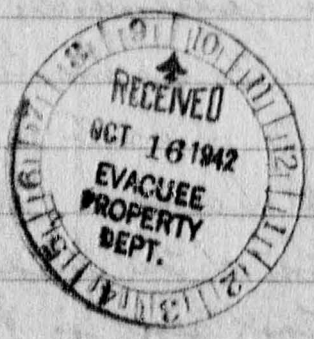

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OCT 16 1942
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PROPERTY
DEPT.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Motozaki, S (Mrs.) Telephone:
(Surname) (Print) (Given) Interview:

Address: 142 - 2 Tanforan Assembly Adult:
(Street and Number) Minor:
San Bruno, Calif. Center Male:
(City) (State) Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

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Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

September 18, 1942

Mr. S. Motozaki
Barrack 142, Building 2
WCCA Assembly Center
Tanforan, San Bruno, California

Dear Sir:

Herewith is receipt signed by Mary Magdalena Neves, Executrix for the estate of John A. de Bem, deceased, as follows:

"RECEIVED OF TSUTOMU MATSUMOTO, the sum of Four Thousand, One Hundred Ninety-five and 10/100 Dollars ($4,195.10, applied - $162.50 on account of interest to April 8, 1942, on promissory note dated April 8, 1941, secured by Deed of Trust recorded April 10, 1941, in the Office of the County Recorder of Alameda County, California, and $4,032.60 on account of principal of said promissory note.

Dated at San Jose, California, September 4, 1942.

MARY MAGDALENA NEVES /s/
Mary Magdalena Neves, Executrix,
Estate of John A. de Bem, Deceased."

Will you please acknowledge receipt by signing the enclosed copy of this letter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

Received the above referred to receipt:

Sumiko Motozaki

Date Sept. 22nd 1942

September 18, 1942

Allen G. Morris, Esquire
Centerville
California

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of September 17, 1942 to which was attached receipt dated at San Jose, California, September 4, 1942, for $4,795.10, signed by Mary Magdalena Neves, Executrix for the estate of John A. de Bem, deceased.

We will deliver this receipt to S. Motozaki as evidence that the payment for his account had been made.

Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

ROBERT WEINSTOCK:krf

September 18, 1942

Mr. S. Motozaki
Barrack 142, Building 2
WCCA Assembly Center
Tanforan, San Bruno, California

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MARY MAGDALENA NEVES /s/
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Estate of John A. de Ben, Deceased."

Will you please acknowledge receipt by signing the enclosed copy of this letter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

Received the above referred to receipt:

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Date_____

R WEINSTOCK:krf

REFERRED TO MR. EV[illegible]
TO MR. Borden

ALLEN G. NORRIS
ATTORNEY AT LAW
CENTERVILLE, CALIFORNIA
TELEPHONE CENTERVILLE 29

September 17, 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco,
California.

Attention: Mr. Everson

Dear Sir:

I have received and am enclosing herewith, receipt of Mary Magdalena Neves, Executrix of the estate of John A. de Bem, in connection with the Motozaki - W. S. Williams matter, and presume you will see that the same is delivered to Mrs. Motozaki.

Very truly yours,

Allen G. Norris

AGN:MEM

Enc. (1)

9/18 Answered
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Sept. 6th, 1942
Tanforan

My dear Mr. Weinstock:

Thanks to you, every thing has been settled. Ever since I first met you I know I have been asking of you nothing but kindness (as it seemed to me) requests, and I knew you were doing every thing you could possibly do, believe me it was a relief to go to you and ask for your advice and your kind assistance and I'm sure we would have been deeply dispirited and would have failed to continue to press Mr. Williams if it had not been for the effort on your part.

We are very glad that all has been settled just in time. I really don't know how to thank you since we are in a very obscure position now. We will never forget all that you have done for us in taking our troubles in your hands. I will write to you as soon as we reach our new relocation center. I'm not sure just where we will go because I have sent in a request to go to Arizona, Gaston Relocation Center, about 3 weeks ago in the hopes of joining my brother and my parents there. With kind regards and best wishes to you and your family I am.

Sincerely yours.
S. Motoyoka

Sept. 9th, 1942
Tanforan.

Dear Mr. Borden:

I am very glad to have this opportunity of letting you know that I have just received a letter from Judge Norris of Centerville informing me that he has forwarded the checks to Mrs. Neves, as I have made those arrangements prior to evacuations. At times I thought this problem of ours with Mr. W. B. Williams could never be settled but after waiting four months everything is O.K. at last thanks to you Mr. Borden and Mr. Weinstock and Mr. Gibson.

I really don't know how to thank you since we are in a very obscure position now.

We found, that you have done much to settle this difficulty for us, from the letter Judge Norris sent me yesterday afternoon (Sept 8.)

Since the last four months we have come to know Mr. Weinstock very well, it helped very much to take our troubles to him and ask for his advise and assistance, everybody who understood our case were very kind & considerate and listened to our very tiresome (as it seemed to me) problems and helped us in every way they could.

We will be moving very soon so I will write to

you again when I reach the new relocation center.
With kind regards and best wishes to you and
your family I am,

Sincerely Yours,
S. Motoyoshi

We will never forget all that you have done for us.

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TO MR.

September 5, 1942.

FROM MR. D. ARMSTRONG

SEP - 8 1942

Mrs. S. Motozaki,
Barrack 142, Apt. 2,
Tanforan Assembly Center,
San Bruno, California.

Dear Mrs. Motozaki:

I have forwarded to Mrs. Neves the total sum of $4195.10, to be applied $162.50 on account of interest on the Matsumoto debt, to April 8, 1942, and the balance of $4,032.60 to be applied on principal.

You will remember that we had intended to apply the sum of $4100.00 on principal, but your settlement with Williams, whereby he deducted $67.40, explains the deficiency.

You will remember, also, that Williams paid taxes, in the sum of $116.93, which does not appear in the figures with reference to Mrs. Neves.

I am securing her signature on a receipt for the same, and will forward it to you when received.

Personal regards and best wishes to all of you.

Very truly yours,

AGN:MEM

/s/ ALLEN G. NORRIS

c. c. to:
Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco, California,
Attention: Mr. Borden.

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MEMORANDUM

August 12, 1942

SUBJECT: Sumiko Motozaki
Barrack 142 - Room 2
Tanforan Assembly Center, San Bruno, California

Mr. Weinstock contacted the above at Tanforan yesterday in connection with a remaining sum due him by W. B. Williams of Centerville, California, a transaction approved in the presence of R. W. Borden several weeks ago at Tanforan by both Messrs Williams and Motozaki, who were present at the time. This $600 payment is in addition to a larger payment of $1,679.62 being paid on a transaction handled by Judge Norris, attorney of Centerville, California, who, the facts disclose, is representing all of the parties of interest in the transaction.

Judge Norris, in a telephone conversation with the undersigned on Monday, August 11, 1942, stated that he was holding a $600 check given by Mr. Williams and issued in the name of Mrs. Mary Magdalena Neves as executrix of an estate. Mrs. Neves lives in San Jose. Mr. Weinstock yesterday was advised by Motozaki that Judge Norris could send the check in question to Mrs. Neves, in addition to a further sum of $1679.62 which it is our understanding, has been deposited with Judge Norris, securing from her receipts for the respective sums paid and clearly outlining in each case the consideration involved.

Upon receiving this information from Mr. Weinstock this morning, the undersigned telephoned Judge Norris, advising him of Motozaki's instructions. Judge Norris was requested to promptly remit the two sums, accompanied by receipt forms for Mrs. Neves' signature, a copy of Judge Norris' letter to Mrs. Neves to be sent to us for our files, and when the receipts in question are returned to Judge Norris, he to promptly forward them to us. They can then be delivered to Motozaki and this delayed and messy transaction can then be closed.

J. C. TYLER
JCT

August 7th 42
Lanfaran

My Dear Mr. Borden:

I'm very grateful to you for your effort to help me with the Williams deal, but I'm sorry to trouble you again, but Mr. Williams did not send me the check. I was waiting til Wednesday, to see if I might get the check but as I did not receive the check I went to the administration Bldg. Thursday morning to see you but they told me you were not coming.

If we let it go this way I'm pretty sure Mr. Williams will not come through with the money, so will you please give me some advice as to what I could do to settle this deal?

The amount due to me is $ 2,279.62. Out of this sum, $ 1679.62 is given to Judge Morris at Centerville, although I did not receive the check in my hand, ~~so~~ then there is the $ 600.00 more for the plants, which would bring the total up to $ 2,279.62

Truly Yours,
Suemiko Motozaki

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
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By _____
Surname
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DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON
REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR.

July 18 [illegible]

Hanford.

Federal Reserve Bank.

Dear Mr. Curran:

I have received a copy of your letter to Judge Norris on the 17th of July. That letter mention the facts very thoroughly so I hope that this matter will be settled soon, as I am putting you to much trouble. As for Mr. Williams intentions it seems outrageous, for he first told Mr. Gibson that there was $90.00 in hand tools missing, when the total price for hand tools amounted to only $92.00. so we told Mr. Gibson that, that could not be, because Mr. Williams himself checked the hand tools and O.K'd them. Then Mr. Gibson went to Centerville to talk with Mr. Williams then Mr. Williams said that he had found the tools, when all the time since Mid March he has been using them continually, and now he wants to get a reduction on the plants instead now. $667.40 is the total price of all the plants (raised in hot house) which he agreed to pay. The total value of the plants was $803.40 from which we gave him a reduction of $110.00, Then he canceled another 36.00, this 36.00 was the price of Cabbage plants, which I could have sold, but since Mr. Williams insisted that he wanted them I sold it to him, this totals the discount to $136.00 in all on plants only, which brings the total down to $667.40 which he agreed to pay. We also gave him the use of our hot house free of rent, some people

July 16, 1942

The Honorable Judge Morris
Centerville
California

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the reports of our representative, Mr. Gibson, we have since July 6, 1942 been anticipating advices from you relative to the Motozaki - W. B. Williams dispute.

It is our understanding that Mr. Williams has withheld the amount of $667.40 from the total agreed purchase price of $2,038.54, this deduction representing the price of certain cauliflower plants purchased by him from Motozaki. Mr. Williams has promised to straighten out this matter, and agreed to call on the Motozakis in the Wartime Civil Control Administration Assembly Center at Tanforan on July 2, 1942, looking towards a settlement. As you know, this appointment was not kept and the Motozakis have approached our Tanforan representative in their anxiety to dispose of this matter.

This bank, as you know, has interested itself in the property affairs of evacuees. It is our desire that they in no way be penalized by virtue of evacuation and that all property transactions be conducted in a manner as nearly similar as possible to that which would obtain prior to their removal.

Will you please, therefore, make every effort, as counsel for the Motozakis, to arrange a meeting between the interested parties, or to obtain a statement from Williams regarding his intentions. In the near future, although the date is unknown to us, all the evacuees will be removed from the Tanforan Assembly Center to an inland point designated as a relocation area. In view of that fact it would be apparent that time is an important element in obtaining settlement of this dispute.

A copy of this letter is going to Mr. Motozaki for his records.

Very truly yours,

Gibson

Assistant Cashier

R W Borden:krf

cc: S. Motozaki
Barrack 142, Apartment 2
W.C.C.A. Assembly Center
Tanforan, San Bruno
California

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Borden
JUN 30 1942

June 28th 1942
Lanforan.

Dear Mr. K. E. Emura:

Thank you for the letter of June 25th. I am very grateful to all of you, who are very sincere in helping me. You have written, that Mr. Williams will visit us on Tuesday to talk the deal over, so I will await his visit, and then I will talk to Mr. Weinstock, or any other Fed. Res. Bank representative of our final agreement so as to settle this prolonged deal. I hope I will not have to trouble you further. I am

Very truly Yours,
S. Motozaki.

My new address.
S. Motozaki
Barrack 142 - apt. 2.
Lanforan Assembly Center,
San Bruno, Cal.

7/16 Answered
Anad. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required

Directed to File
By Borden
Surname

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7/2/42 Williams did not keep his appointment will write him re new appt.

Arrangement with Williams

Total Purchase price 2346.61

Judge Norris rec'd check from Williams for $1679.21
Williams claims he is entitled to discount of $667.40

7/14/42 Has heard nothing from Williams or Judge Norris of Centerville but did get a letter from Fed. Res. Bank about 7/9/42

Will see me Thursday 7/16.

Put file

RECEIVED
JUN 30 1942
EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

July 7, 1942

Mrs. Sumiko Motosaki,
Barrack 142 - Room 2,
Tanforan Assembly Center,
San Bruno, California.

Dear Madam:

Our representative, Mr. C. A. Gibson, tells us that in a conversation with Judge Norris of Centerville held yesterday, the Judge stated that he has received from Mr. Williams a check in the sum of $1,679.62 which represents the total amount due you from him less $667.40 which represents the price of the cauliflower plants sold by you to him.

Judge Norris further states that he will promptly contact Mr. Williams and extract from him a definite promise to meet with you within the very near future in order to bring the disputed cauliflower price to a final conclusion and he will then advise us.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

CAGibson/eln

June 25, 1942

Mrs. Sumiko Motozaki,
Block 141, Room 2,
Tanforan Assembly Center,
San Bruno, California.

see interview [illegible] S. Motozaki

Dear Mrs. Motozaki:

Yesterday our representative, Mr. Gibson, had a meeting with Mr. W. B. Williams and Judge Norris in the latter's offices in Centerville regarding certain sums of money due you from Mr. Williams and not yet paid.

The matter was thoroughly gone over and it seems that Mr. Williams feels he should be entitled to some rebate from the cost price of $667.40 covering certain cauliflower plants sold by you to him.

Mr. Williams has definitely stated that he will go to Tanforan Tuesday, June 29th, for a talk with you, with the idea of bringing the matter to a complete settlement. Will you, therefore, kindly make yourself available for a talk with him on the above date?

Yours very truly,

R. E. Egerson

Assistant Cashier

Charlson:eln

File under Motosakin Motozaki attach to report of 4/23/42

May 20, 1942

MRS. SUMIKO MOTOZAKI
Barrack 141, Apartment 2
Tanforan Assembly Center
San Bruno, California

My dear Mrs. Motozaki:

Thank you for your letter of May 16th wherein you acknowledge receipt of the sum of $950.00 in full payment for the Chevrolet truck sold to Levey-Zentner Company.

The check in the sum of $2038.54 coming to you out of the Williams deal will most likely be forwarded to Judge Morris today. The Judge will be under instructions to deposit this check in your banking account, from which you can withdraw funds by check under normal banking practice.

Now lets get down to the matter of the rumor which you have heard down there, to the effect that banking funds of Japanese have been frozen; this rumor, like 99% of all others, is pure hokum. Nothing to it whatever. It might be well if you would go to some little effort there among your friends to spike such rumors before they get too much of a start.

Thank you again and keep in touch with me from time to time.

Yours very truly,

C. A. GIBSON
Field Representative
Hayward, California

C. A. GIBSON:krf

Barrack 141
Apt # 2

May 16, 1942
Tanforan

Dear Mr Gibson:

I was very glad to hear from you, and want to thank you again for checking up everything even after we left for Tanforan camp. Full payment for the Chevrolet truck ($950.00) from Levy-Zentner is correct, I paid my bills with this check. I have heard that the Japanese funds have been frozen, I hope that does not mean the same for citizens. I've had everything arranged, so the check (in the sum of $2038.54) would come in my name and Judge Norris' so I would be free to make all payments with the help of Judge Norris for he is my attorney. You wrote in the letter that we could check against deposit if necessary so I guess if the funds are frozen, that would make no difference. We just brought a few dollars with us because you advised us not to take much, we do not need so much money here, all we need is enough to buy candy for the children, and send for a few necessary articles from Montgomery Ward in Oakland.

My husband applied for a cooks job at the new mess hall, he will start cooking soon. Life is very easy here, in fact too easy, but I've heard we might have to move to Arizona because we are farmers, If we should move I will let you know my address. I remain

Yours Very Truly,
S. Motozaki

C O P Y

Hayward, California
May 14, 1942

Mrs. Sumiko Motozaki
Barrack 141, Apartment #2
Tanforan Assembly Center
San Bruno, California

My dear Mrs. Motozaki:

Thank you for your very kind letter of May 11, 1942. And I am glad to learn conditions in that "Center" are so satisfactory to you and your family.

Regarding the Chevrolet truck sold to Levy-Zentner Company, I understand from the latter's office that check in the sum of $950.00 in full payment was handed to you on May 1, 1942. Please advise if this is correct; also I would advise you to deposit this check in your bank, and not carry it around. Send it to your bank for deposit, where you can check against it if necessary, asking them to mail you a duplicate deposit slip.

I have checked with the Farm Security offices and find checks in the Williams deal will be ready for distribution either tomorrow or next day; and yours in the sum of $2038.54 will be mailed to Judge Norris, under instructions to deposit it in your bank, with duplicate deposit slip mailed to you.

Should any further complications come up, write me and I shall try to clear them for you. With kind regards, I am

Yours very truly,
(Signed) C. A. Gibson
Field Representative
Post Office Building
Hayward, California

May 13 1942
Tanforan

Dearest Mr. Gibson

Thank you so much for helping us in our troubles, my husband and I were very fortunate to meet you and get your advice and help, so now our minds are at ease with nothing to worry about. We are furnished with clean new apartments and get three good meals a day. I'm ashamed to say this but this is paradise, for if I was at home I'd have to cook for my four children and husband and work in the field from morning till night, no Sundays or holidays. We are being treated better than anyone hoped to be treated. Well I'm glad we did not move voluntarily like some people who are now having a very hard time. We are all happy here and nothing to worry about thanks to you Mr. Gibson. Best regards to your family, remaining,

Very Truly Yours,
L. Motozaki
Barrack 141 apt 2
Tanforan Assem. Center
San Bruno Cal.

$ 2038.54
Made to Juger Kones
on 5/16 or 16
Sunrise to Motozaki

Closing report. See 4/16/42, same name.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 23 1942.
(Date)

Name: Motozaki (Surname) Motonshin (Print) (Given) Sam K.

Address: Box 225 (Street and Number)

Newark (City) cal (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x (42 yrs)
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

MOTOZAKI (Surname) MOTONSHIN (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: Back 1923, wife US. citizen

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Coupled with the extension agreement covering deed of trust as reported under date of 4/16/42 (same interviewee) was also problem of a 1940 Cheverolet truck 1½ tons (cab over engine). Under date of april 14,1942 interviewee came into this office with Pink Slip covering above truck; this Pink showed owner's endorsement, Motozaki to MATSUMOTO, Tsutomu of Vacaville Cal., this deal fell through, and Matsumoto re-delivered pink to Motozaki, and latter now has definite dale (I have verified this) to Levy-Zentner Co of San Leandro. Motozaki was trying to get the Motor Vehicle department at Sacramento to transfer title direct to Levy-Zentner under existing pink, which pink still shows the name of Matsumoto NOT eliminated; which, of course the motor vehicle dept would not do. (Hope I have made the case clear).

Action taken:* Informed Motozaki he would have to eliminate name of Matsumoto from pinkslip in order to sell to Levy-Zentner Co. Suggested he mail slip back to Sacramento, with $1:00 fee, special delivery, requesting transfer of title back to Motozaki in the regular proceedure of motor department; then Motozake deliver this new slip to Levy-Zentner, which will get title into latter name. Added to above, slip became mis-placed in Sacramento, but was located yesterday and will be transfered and mailed to Motozaki as of 4/22/42. CLOSED.

Handled by: Gibson
Hayward.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) Japs interviewed and involved previously reported. 4/16/42.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16 1942.
(Date)

Name: Motozaki Motonoshin
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 225
(Street and Number)

Newark cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x (42 yrs)
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Name MOTOZAKI (Surname) MOTONOSHIN (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Back 1923. Wife US citizen

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interviewee came in with wife 4/14/42. Wife's brother, one MATSUMOTO, Tsutomu (age 24 yrs; US citizen) now living in Vacaville, Cal. owns 15 acres of ground 3/4 miles north of Centerville Cal; on which there is 7 acres of apricots, 1 5-room house, with 3 bedrooms, no bath, and a barn. Matsumoto bot the property in Apirl 1941 from Mrs Mary M.Neves, Executrix of the Estate of John A.DeBem, deceased, at a cost of $10500:00, paying cash down in the sum of $4000:00. A purchase money mortgage from buyer to seller was issued in the sum of $6500:00, at 5% interest payable semi-Annualy. In August 1942 $2000:00 will be due on the unpaid principal; the balance of $4500:00 due in February or March 1943. Property leased March 20 1942 to W.B.Williams, Centerville Cal, for 3 yrs with proviso that upon return of Matsumoto Williams will relinquish possession on 60 days written notice. Williams rental calls for $450:00 per year, which is sufficient to pay taxes and interest only. (Mrs Neves, Executrix lives at 320 South 20th st. San Jose Cal.#, her attorney is Judge Norris of Centerville.)
Problem:- How to protect mortgagor from foreclosure while away.

Action taken:* Telephoned Judge Norris who stated Mrs Neves, as Executrix willing to extend principal payments, but court order would have to be obtained to bind the heirs of the estate to any extension; I disagreed with necessity of obtaining court order due to fact beneficiary under deed of trust is Executrix of estate, not the estate itself (later confirmed this in talk with Wm S.Wells, Attorney at law, of Oakland). Again called Norris, suggesting he have extension agreement signed by Mrs Neves, as executrix; then send it to the 5 other heirs who live in and around Oakland for their individual signatures. Mrs Neves signed agreement 3:30 P.M. 4/15/42, telephoning me this morning to this effect, & now thinks agreement binding. Matter closed;
NORRIS

Handled by: Gibson
Hayward.

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 2 Japanese interviewed.
12 Japanese involved.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MOTOZAKI (Surname) SUMIKO (Print) MRS (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Janfran (City) _____ (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

(Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

(Cards)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: WILLIAMS W. B.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Additional pages where necessary

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