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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

ARDAIZ

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK ABE
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 32
(Street and Number)

Seal Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name ABE (Surname) Frank (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: U.S. Born

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Located 1 mile east of Seal Beach on Bolsa AVE., next to Seal Beach Water tower.

Has Dodge Panel Truck - 1939 - would sell.
Has 20,000 miles. Good rubber.

Has Bank account with Long Beach Branch, Security 1st National.

How to sell truck?
How to handle bank account?

Action taken:*

Referred to W.W. Woods, local truck dealer, for information on value of truck. No restriction on selling same. If not sold before evacuation, will be impounded by government at reception center, and reciept for same given to ABE.

Deposits in Long Beach Bank can be made by mail, sending duplicate deposit slips to be returned by bank to depositor. Checks on account will be honored by bank as usual.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK ABE
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 32
(Street and Number)

SEAL BEACH, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: JOHN D. ARDAIZ

Address: W. LA PALMA AVE.

Telephone Number: ANAHEIM 3830
" 4807

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
(See Previous Report - 4/6/42)

Ardaiz desires to buy 1½ ton truck - referred to ABE, and instructed how to reach ABE place on Bolsa Ave.

Can ABE take truck with him when evacuated?

Action taken:*

Advised ABE to sell truck if price offered was satisfactory. Otherwise would be required to leave same with Federal Reserve Bank representative, with no guarantee of insurance or protection from weather. CANNOT TAKE TRUCK BEYOND RECEPTION CENTER, WHEN EVACUATED

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Santa Ana

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March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: K. AIHARA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 303
(Street and Number)

GARDEN GROVE CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name AIHARA (Surname) KITAORA (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:

Owns 20 acre grove - 10 Valencias - 10 acres Asparagus
located SW corner Magnolia and LAMPTON, 2 Miles West
one ½ mile North of Garden Grove.

Asparagus is interplanted on 4 rows of Valencias,
which AIHARA wants to plow up. Asparagus is 6 yrs old.

Attorney HORACE HEAD of Santa Ana represents AIHARA.
Can he plow asparagus under?
Can he sell or lease his property?

Action taken:*

Assured AIHARA that he can proceed with his usual
farm management program, and plow under asparagus
on land he owns, since it is interfering with grove operation.
Suggested he arrange with Atty. HEAD for Power of Atty
to handle his property and consider selling or leasing
same as soon as possible

Handled by: _____
Daniel C Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. Garfield ALLEN
(Print)

Address: 615 N. EUCLID AVE
(Street and Number)
Garden Grove, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

YAMADA - Power of Atty.

Name ALLEN, J. Garfield
(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: Garden Grove 6396

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

HOTSUMI YAMADA - will give Mr. Allen Power of Attorney to represent his interests. Has 3 leases on truck farm property - some strawberries ready for harvest.

ALLEN is arranging with several Japanese families to store their household furniture.
How can he complete arrangements with YAMADA?
Should he insure stored furniture?

Action taken:*
Suggested he prepare Power of Attorney form with YAMADA in local bank office, Garden Grove, where Yamada has account.
Suggested list of property stored be made for each Japanese, and all contribute proportionate share of cost of fire insurance premiums.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: DEMETRIO ALVAREZ
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 426
(Street and Number)
Huntington Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name ALVAREZ (Surname) D (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: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 5½ acres planted - ¼ Mi So. ELLIS
ANNA E. WILLIAMS. ¼ Mi So Harbor Blvd + Huntington Beach.
Can rent 6 acres across road, now held by Japanese tenant for $100 - will plant tomatoes.
Needs to borrow $150 to pay for lease and planting.
Is former borrower from Farm Credit Administration.
Loan # 410877 - Paid in full Feb. 17, 1941.

Action taken:*

Referred to Farm Credit Administration for Crop Loan.
~~Chapin~~ MILDRED LUCENS, MGR
Emergency Feed and Seed Corporation
105 W. Fifth Street
Santa Ana

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. AOYAMA
(Print)

Address: Bolsa Ave.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name AOYAMA M.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: M. TAKAMIYA

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is acting as agent for Aoyama, and wishes to arrange sale of 1939 Chevrolet truck. Wanted advise as to how, in Aoyama's absence, title slip for truck can be made negotiable.

Action taken:*

Explained procedure to him.

Handled by: U. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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Ltr to City Tamura 3/30/42

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Ruth Asako Aoyama
(Print)

Address: Rte 3 Box 350-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name Aoyama (Surname) Ruth Asako (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Dame

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Aoyama is wife of MINORU AOYAMA, alien Japanese now in Missoula, Montana Concentration Camp.
Has fee title (as her separate property) to 9-ACRE POULTRY Farm located at First and Wright Streets, Bolsa District.
KOSAKU TAMURA, (104½ E 4th St. Santa Ana - Phone 6343) is attorney for Mrs. Aoyama.
Is closing lease of property to Lee H. BRYANT.
Is there any restriction on MRS. AOYAMA's transaction by reason of her husband being a Blocked National?

Action taken:*

Property is clear - taxes paid; Deal is satisfactory to both parties.
Request for advice as to any restriction, or necessity for special permit, sent to L.A. office as directed by attorney TAMURA.

Handled by: Donald C Foster

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Santa Ana, Cal
5-14-42
(Date)

Name: APPLING COLLECTION Co.
(Print)

Address: Comil Natl Bank Bldg
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X
Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: White - Amer

Name APPLING COLLECTION Co.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person interviewed: ~~A A Appling~~

Address: Santa Ana, Cal

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case reported ~~previously~~ on May 8th re judgment & other bills held by Appling against KIYOSHI HIGASHI, and sale of real estate at 906 E. 5th St Santa Ana, Calif. to satisfy judgment.

Action taken:*

Has able to work out arrangement with Appling where the equity in the real estate will be made to satisfy all of the bills - See letter attached

Handled by:
E S Bramlage
Field Representative

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Santa Ana, Calif
5-8-42
(Date)

Name: APPLING COLLECTION Co.
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Com'l Nat'l Bank Bldg.
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ✓

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

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

Person Interviewed: Appling, F.A.

Address: Santa Ana, Cal

Telephone Number: ✓

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

The above mentioned Company holds a judgement against Kiyoshi Higashi in amount of $159.00. Execution of the judgment is in process under a sale of the equity in a lot & house in Santa Ana, 906 E. 5th St.; the Constable is holding the sale May 11th. Appling has already bought up the existing deed of Trust against the property amounting to $317.83. But there are other bills in amount of $619.00 that Appling has against Higashi which appear to possibly create another judgment. Since the property is worth enough to take care of more than just the $159.00 judgment, the problem is to bring this to fruition.

Action taken:* Mr. Appling agreed to work this out so that all of Higashi's bills would be cleard up. Will follow up.

Handled by: E.J. Bramlage
Field Representative

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April 9, 1942
(Date)

Name: H. ASARI
(Print)

Address: R.F.D. No 3
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name ASARI (Surname) H. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is large operation of tropical fish farm - has had problem of someone to manage business while he is away, but finally has adjusted this matter to his satisfaction. Other pressing matter is that of a mortgage of $2600.00 administered by First National Bank of Santa Ana. Talked to Mr. Williams of the Bank, who asked to have Mr. Asari call at bank to discuss matter.

Action taken:*

Mr. Asari discussed matter with me, and I suggested he call at bank to explain what he can do regarding this indebtedness, and to call tomorrow and tell me result.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: H. ASARI
(Print)

Address: Rte 3 Box 405
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Also P.O. Box 246, Huntington Beach, Calif.

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name ASARI (Surname) H. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 Tropical Fish Hatchery and Bird AVIARY located on Winterburg Road, 3/4 Mile East of Oceanview School, west of Cannery Ave.
Land title in name of father since 1910. {T. M. ASARI - in Montana Concentration Camp}
Mtge. held by DAISY E. WILLIAMS - Balance $2600 - 40 acres
Spurgeon St. Santa Ana. 1st Nat'l Bank, Santa Ana
Equipment and Stock belong to H. ASARI; Valued at $25,000 - Stock
All Clear except current accounts for utilities, etc. $35,000 - Equipment
Has account recievable from scattered customers and Chain stores.
Many Jofanese farmers have stored farm equipment on ASARI property.

Action taken:*
Very essential that ASARI have manager for his business.
Is applying to ARMY for exemption from evacuation. (Not
Considered likely that this will be granted.)
RAY M. ELLIOTT, Vice Principal, Huntington Beach High School,
Suggested by ASARI as man for Power of attorney.
Strongly urged ASARI to prepare for possible evacuation, and
Engage a good attorney or Japanese man to represent him and have power of attorney.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana office

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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APRIL 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. ASARI
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 25
(Street and Number)

SAN CLEMENTE, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Prior to 1925

Operating under Treasury License now?: General License 69-A.

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

Person interviewed: SAME

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
ASARI had lease on 20 acres of a 118 acre tract located ½ mile NW of San Clemente, near Riding Stables.
Property held by Bank of America, 7th & Spring Office, L. A.
MR. GROONER, Vice President, handling this lease.
Bank is selling the 118 acre tract to RASSMUSSEN, of San Clemente.
Rassmussen offers ASARI $1000 for improvements and 2½ acre onion crop (ready for harvest in July) Improvements include 2 Houses, 2500 feet of wooden flume, pipelines, fences, etc.
ASARI claims to have other buyers who will pay $1500 for improvements and crop and take over lease.

Action taken:* Rassmussen says "accept $1000 or we will put you off the property and dive up the onions".
Reported case to MR. WATKINS, Los Angeles Office, who will contact GROONER at Bank of America.
Advised ASARI to return to San Clemente and tell Rassmussen the matter was being reported to the Bank.
Will advise ASARI by mail of results of this Conference.

Handled by: Dudley C. Jones
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary. (He cannot travel to Santa Ana often)

LINQUIST interviewed GROONER at Bank

Los Angeles Branch
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APRIL 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. ASARI
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 25
(Street and Number)
SAN CLEMENTE CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: MR. LINDQUIST
Address: LA. BRANCH - F.R. BANK
Telephone Number: TRINITY 6716

See PREVIOUS Report Same Date

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Following report to Mr. Watkins (Telephoned 4/7/42), Linquist called on Groomer, V.P. Bank of America, who showed cancelled lease of ASARI and waiver of all claims, signed by son, daughter, and ASARI.
Lease expired Oct. 31, 1941.
Bank desires to sell property, and will not renew the lease. ASARI can stay until evacuation.
Bank willing for him to sell improvements

Action taken:*
Referred to HACKETT for disposition.
Letter should be written to ASARI, advising him to accept best offer possible to obtain. Apparently he has no further legal rights, except as to growing crops, which he may not be able to harvest because of evacuation.

Handled by:
Donald C Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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Santa Ana, Calif
5-13-42
(Date)

Name: ASARI, J
(Print)

Address: Rt 3, Box 405
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese - Amer.

Name ASARI J.
(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:

Mr Asari is the payee on a check for $83.42 by Nagano Produce Co drawn on City Market office of California Bank of Los Angeles, dated Dec 15, 1941. Mr Asari neglected to deposit the check until Apr 22, 1942 and then it was returned because of "old date"

Action taken:*

Phoned the above mentioned bank and talked with Mr Cain, the manager. He said to put the check through again & he would see that it was paid this time, even tho date was not correct.

Handled by:
E J Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANCIS BLENDER
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Rte 1 Box 625
(Street and Number)

GARDEN GROVE CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Name BLENDER (Surname) FRANCIS (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:

OKUDA poultry ranch - Wright Street, Garden Grove
West side of street, 1/4 Mi So of Garden Grove Blvd.

Blender wants to lease property and purchase poultry stock consisting of 2000 2yr old laying hens and 3000 year old hens, 4000 - 4wk-10wk chicks.
agreed price $4500.00 for stock.
$40 per month rental for house & poultry equipment.
for 2 1/2 years.

Blender requires entire $4500 on loan. Has his own poultry stock - 2400 laying hens - 1500 1wk-10wks chicks - Kansas Farm - $3500 clear.

Action taken:*

Recommended that Blender apply to Federal Farm Security Administration for loan to finance purchase

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Santa Ana

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March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: R. R. Brown
(Print)

Address: 1425 El Terraza Ave
(Street and Number)
Whittier, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name BROWN, (Surname) Tanouye Lease R. R. (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: Whittier 413783

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

55 acres - East end of Orangewood Ave. at Placentia Ave.
Leased to TANOUYE at $20.00 per acre 1st year
20.00 " " 2nd & 3rd year
25.00 " " 4th year.
Take Possession Jan 1, 1942
No crops in. Land owner to drill water well.
Paid $500 on account Nov. 1st 1941. Levelled land.
Well will probably cost $1500. Brown does not want
to put in well unless he has a new tenant.
Should he cancel this lease?

Action taken:*

Suggested that Brown give TANOUYE an opportunity
to find new tenant, who might pay something
for labor in preparing land for cropping.
Listed property for prospective tenant.
Brown willing to cooperate with any reliable farmer.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Lee BRYANT
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Rte 1 Box 533 B
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name BRYANT (Surname) Lee (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: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns 2500 laying hens - 600 7 wks Pullets; Rents poultry farm @ $18.00 per month. {3300 hens / 1500 Pullets}
Wants to buy yearling hens and pullets and take 2 yr. leave on Poultry farm of Ruth AOYAMA, (BOLSA & Mt. St)
Can he borrow money to make this deal?
Has no assets except poultry and personal belongings.

Action taken:*
Referred to Farm Security Administration for application for loan. Suggested that details of lease and sale of poultry be arranged with AOYAMA while loan application is pending. Mrs. Aoyama has local attorney to aid in closing transaction.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

What was action of Fed Farm Sec

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April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: JOSEPH COLLINS
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 324
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name COLLINS (Surname) JOSEPH (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is negotiating a lease with Paul Nagamatsu of Santa Ana. Nagamatsu sent Collins in with the lease forms to read, and indicates the terms of the lease are satisfactory to him, and both parties are to sign it today. By giving 30 days written notice Nagamatsu can regain operation of the land.

Action taken:*

Case closed.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Y & J Orange Grove Co. - 20 acres citrus - Yorba Linda

Name DOBASHI (Surname) YONIKA (Given)

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Name: YONIKA DOBASHI
(Print)

Address: Rte 1, Box 104
(Street and Number)

YORBA LINDA, CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Y. and J. Orange Grove Company, of which above Japanese is principal stockholder, holds fee title to 20 acres Valencias and Lemons located at CITRUS and CASA LOMA streets, YORBA LINDA.

1st Trust Deed on property is held by 1st Nat'l Bank of Santa Ana approximately $6000. Due April 1, 1943. Have negotiated written agreement of extension to April 1, 1944. Rolland McMontwin

How can property be managed during evacuation period? Is travel permit necessary to make final arrangements with bank?

HERB ANDERSON
YORBA LINDA } Contract for management of grove.

Action taken:*

Suggested Power of Attorney be drawn, either with Bank or some individual, with written instructions re management and sale. Should arrange with reliable citrus management company to take over grove operation, paying operation and taxes from crop receipts and depositing balance of income with attorney or direct to Y and J company account. Come to this office today for travel permit.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Yonika Dobashi
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 104
(Street and Number)

Yorba Linda Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name Dobashi (Surname) Yonika (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:
(see Telephone interview this date - V.t J. Orange Grove Co

20 acres citrus - Yorba Linda.

Arrangements made with: Herb E. Anderson
Citrus ave., Yorba Linda
Phone: Placentia 5148

for cultural care of grove

Bank has agreed to advance up to $2000 for labor and grove operations - (probably secured by crop mortgage) Suggest mail correspondence to O.K. bills payable.

Action taken:*

Advised conference with Rolland or Mellenthin (A.I.) at 1st Nat'l Bank of Santa Ana regarding Power of Atty. Should have definite arrangement with bank as to authorizing payment of labor and cultural operation bills, and not depend upon mail correspondence.

Travel Permit issued by U.S.E.S.

Handled by:
Harold C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miss YONIKO DeBASHI
(Print)

Address: R Box 104
(Street and Number)

YORBA LINDA, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name DeBASHI (Surname) YONIKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

A family corporation operates a citrus grove, and still owes Aggeler-Musser Seed Co. a balance of $300.00 on an original $1600.00 bill. They say it is inconvenient to meet all of this at present time.

Action taken:* Explained creditor's legitimate claims must be satisfied, but will ask creditor to call to see if installment payments can be arranged. Will report later on this.

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: MISS YONIKO DOBASHI
(Print)

Address: R Box 104
(Street and Number)
YORBA LINDA, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name DOBASHI (Surname) MISS YONIKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to discuss assignment of her account by two seed companies to a collection agency. She admitted that claims totaling $1679.20 had been reduced to $850.00 but she seems to want a greater discount, and asked our help in trying to obtain a further reduction.

Action taken:*

I told her I felt a 50% reduction was very reasonable, and that I could not use our influence in asking for any further discount.

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: HIDEO DOI
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 233
(Street and Number)
Anaheim, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name
Doi (Surname)
HIDEO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: N. WANKIER

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wankier came in to report he has bought trucks from Doi. Showed me transaction in detail and check on Blue Book valuations indicate satisfactory price was paid to Japanese.

Action taken:*

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: SAMUEL DREIZEN
(Print)

Address: 104½ - 4TH ST.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name DREIZEN (Surname) SAMUEL (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is attorney for MINORU KASAKA, whose case was reported on by Mr. Jones on March 31st and April 7th. Attorney gave facts in case, and Mr. Jones' correspondence indicates he talked to you regarding advisability of blocking this situation to protect the interests of the Japanese, which seems to be called for in this case.

Action taken:*

Will keep office advised regarding any later developments.

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Santa Ana

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Truck Purchases

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: A. W. ELMER
(Print)
(Anaheim Spray Chemical Co.)

Address: 817 N. Lemon St
(Street and Number)
P.O. Box 294
Anaheim, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Name ELMER, A. W.
(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: Plant at Manchester and Lorna

Telephone Number: Anaheim 4404
Residence: Anaheim 4873

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Elmer is interested in purchasing a 1½ Ton truck and would consider pick-up truck also.

Has contacts with several American vegetable growers who are interested in securing additional truck-crop leases.

Action taken:*

Listed ELMER with prospective buyers of Auto Equipment.
Suggested Re notify any interested truck farmers that this office will cooperate in finding Japanese truck crop leases suitable for purchase, and asked him to give us names and addresses of prospective buyers.

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 25, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Name: AUGUST ELTISTE
(Print)

Address: M. ELTISTE COMPANY
(Street and Number)
407 E. 4th St
Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

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

ELTISTE (Surname)
(M. Eltiste and Co.)

AUGUST (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 3200

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

M. ELTISTE and Co., Tractors and Farm Implements,
have contracts on Japanese owned farm equipment.
Many of these are being paid in full.
Can they give bill of sale to Japanese?
Should they re-possess equipment not paid for?
Desire written authority from Federal Reserve Bank
before releasing Bill of Sale to Japanese.

Action taken:*

Assured Eltiste that his company can give Bill of Sale
to Japanese. Urged desirability of leaving equipment
on farms to be taken over by new tenants, who
can assume balance of contracts. Eltiste agreed that Japanese should have every opportunity
to sell their property, and keep farm equipment on the farms

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: JOHN ENDO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: RFD 4 Box 482
(Street and Number)

SANTA ANA CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult: X 25 yrs
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S. Japanese

Name ENDO (Surname) John (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Citizen

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: RFD 4 - Box 482 - Formaltzer to Veranco

~~Telephone Number~~: Santa Ana, Calif.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has "Farm-All" Tractor with plow and attachments
Purchased Sept. 1941 on Contract - M. ELTISTE Co, Santa Ana
2 Payments of $300 - 1st in May, 1942
2nd - Sept, 1942. ($400 down payment plus 50 - equipment has been made)
Tractor used only 120 hours.
Can sell tractor to several interested parties.
Wants to keep tractor and take it with him when evacuated. Should he sell automobile, now paid for, and make payment on Tractor?

Action taken:*

Suggested delay sale of tractor for few days until determination is made as to possibility of taking it to new location. Keep auto for moving family.

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Santa Ana

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March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: ENOMOTO, THOMAS E.
(Print)

Address: Rte 3 Box 486
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name ENOMOTO, Thomas E.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns 10 acres in fee, clear: SE Cor W. 1/2 of Veranmo
NW¼ NW¼ NW¼ Sec 16-T5S-R10W.

1 acre Strawberries - 2yr old. $800
2 acres Boysenberries - (MAY) $600
7 acres Poultry Yards & Coops.

House - 5 rooms and Bath - (B & B const)
35 Poultry units 4500 - (1-2yr old) layers)
2400 - Pullets (1-9wks)

Well on property.

Desires to lease premises and will sell poultry stock and equipment. Asking price $4500.
Wishes to sell to TONY ARELLANO if possible.

Action taken:*

Arellano unable to qualify for loan to finance this deal.
Referred to Ralph Hester; Donald Brown; various other prospective buyers.
H. Mel Head, Deputy Co. Clerk of Orange Co. has agreed to accept Power of Attorney for ENOMOTO.

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March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. ESAKI
(Print)

Address: Box 150-B
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name ESAKI, S
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Desires to close arrangements with
Walter A. BAUER
Rte #1, Box 150-A
Costa Mesa, Calif.
to take over farm lease, equipment and buildings.
Deal as negotiated is satisfactory to both parties.

Action taken:*

Recommended that transfer of lease be made, and Bauer arrange with local implement dealers as to payments on contracts still pending on farm equipment.

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April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: F. E. FARNSWORTH
(Print)

Address: 105 W. 5th St.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name FARNSWORTH (Surname) F. E. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to make complaint about failure of Japanese lessor to live up to terms of lease on farm land.

Action taken:*

Asked him to send Japanese lessor in to see me, so I could hear his side of story, which he promised to do.

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Santa Ana

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March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: A. FIGIKAWA. H. OKAMURA
(Print)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Address: Coast Highway, West of Emerald Bay.
(Street and Number)
Corona del Mar, California.
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Not known by informant.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Walter A. BAUER
Address: Rte 1, Box 150-A, Costa Mesa Calif.
Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Bauer is negotiating to take over a lease held by H. OKAMURA from Irvine Company on property (30 acres) in 2 plots on Coast Highway near Emerald Bay.
C. M. PLUM, lease agent for Irvine Company, agrees to cancel Japanese leases and re-write same to BAUER, if Japanese equity in crops, equipment, etc., is protected in deal between Bauer and Japanese.

Action taken:*

Bauer will have FIGIKAWA come in this office to discuss terms of cash settlement for present growing crops and equipment.
Irvine Co. will not cancel lease until Japanese are satisfied with settlement.

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Salvador

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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Santa Ana, Calif
5-8-42
(Date)

Name: FUJII, GEO.
(Print)

Address: 323 E. Center St
(Street and Number)
Anaheim Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name FUJII (Surname) GEO. (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:

Mr. Fujii came in to get information regarding our facilities for the storage and sale of his automobiles

Action taken:*

Given full information

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E. P. Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: SADAYOSHI Fujii
(Print)

Address: 323 E. Center St
(Street and Number)

ANAHEIM, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Dana

Address:

Telephone Number: ANAHEIM 4519

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Fujii is purchasing a 1941 Hudson Coupe on lease contract from C. I. T. Company
928 So. Figueroa St
Phone TU 6151 - Mr. Grant, Mgr.

Balance due $350.60
Company's agent took possession of car April 4th.
Monthly payment of $35.00 due April 5th.
Fujii is willing to pay up entire balance on car if necessary. Can he recover car and pay up balance?

Action taken:*

Agent for C. I. T. Company returned Car to Anaheim Police Station; prepared to deliver pink slip on payment of balance due. Claimed Fujii had been delinquent 3 times before, and Company elected to take up property unless balance paid in full. Fujii advised to pay balance due, which he stated he could do, and take Pink Slip certificate of ownership to car.

Handled by: Harold C. Glover
Santa Ana.

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: TSUGIO FUJIMOTO
(Print)

Telephone: /
Interview: X

Address: Rte 1, Box 268
(Street and Number)

Westminster, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: Phone: Westminster 8855

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Leases 20 acres on 17th St, East of Edwards Place
1 mile west of Westminster - (Barber City)

5½ acres planted to celery in January.
1 acre cabbage planted in January.
Lease is $35.00 per acre, plus House $300 year.
Total Lease $1000 year, payable semi-annually.
Rent paid to May 1st -
Well on property.
20 acres all piped for irrigation.
Has auto - gas stove - refrigerator - Household goods & furniture.

Leased from
G. Van de Velde
Los Alamitos & Garden Grove
Westminster, Calif.

Built green house on property.
1550 forms capacity
36 x 120.
Glass roof & sides.
Good 4 Bed room house.

Action taken:*

Listed property to be sub-leased with Federal Farm Security Adm.
Suggested Van de Velde or some other citizen be selected to represent FUJIMOTO under Power of Attorney and dispose of his personal property if he has not been able to do so himself before evacuating. Advised him to sell all heavy goods, but keep auto.

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David C Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: WAYNE FUJIMURA
(Print)

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

NOW IN BISMARCK, N.D.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name FUJIMURA, WAYNE
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: NOT KNOWN.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: C. W. PLUM

Address: IRVINE CO., SANTA ANA

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 4800

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
SUBLEASE ON IRVINE RANCH PROPERTY.
FUJIMURA wrote to KIOTA asked him to take over lease.
Lease has cancellation clause - Rent not paid this year.
75 acres - Leased
32 acres poor tomatoes. No cultivation or irrigation.
9 acres tomatoes in good condition - selling @ $35 per acre.
20 acres squash - offers $100. cash.
8 acres squash - offers 1/4 crop to clean up land.
FUJIMURA owes several hundred dollars back rent and current year's rent. KIOTA stated he would not be interested in trying to liquidate this lease.

Action taken:*
Suggested IRVINE Co. accept best offers for crops in ground, and credit receipts to FUJIMURA'S account. Have County Horticultural Commissioner's deputy pass on valuation of crops before closing deal. Will advise Farm Security Administration of disposition of crops

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Orville C. Jones
Santa Ana

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRED FUKIDA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Katella Road - W. of HANSON
(Street and Number)

STANTON, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name FUKIDA, (Surname) Fred (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Dell K. WILKINSON

Address: Rte 1 Box 580

Telephone Number: Garden Grove, Calif.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Fukida has 2 year lease on 200 ACRES adapted to Chili Peppers, owned by ROY VISBEEK - Property is east of DR. ROSS DOGFOOD PLANT, LOS ALAMITOS.

WILKINSON is arranging financing to take over lease or draw New lease, @ $15 per acre per year. - (3 Payment plan)

Fukida has not paid any cash down on lease yet, but has plowed and levelled ground.

15 ACRES CABBAGES, on sub lease to MARY MURATA, also to be taken by WILKINSON.

Action taken:*

Wilkinson agrees to pay FUKIDA $500 cash for work done on land, and cancell lease, Wilkinson to have new lease from VISBEEK.

WILKINSON agrees to pay MURATA $300 for 1/2 interest in 15 acres cabbages and take over crop and lease.

WILKINSON referred to Farm Credit Administration for loan on crops

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50 acres strawberries, in scattered leases, already taken over by WILKINSON - PAYS UP to $200 acre FOR GOOD PLOTS.

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April 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: W. S. FUKUDA
(Print)

Address: Rt. 3
(Street and Number)
Anaheim, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name FUKUDA (Surname) W. S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to show us lease drawn for him regarding orange grove being leased by Caucasian, thinking our approval was necessary.

Action taken:*

Told him if his attorney approved it was undoubtedly alright. Reviewed, I read it, and it seemed satisfactory.

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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Santa Ana, Calif.

5-11-42
(Date)

Name: FURUTA, TOSHIKO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Rt 1, Box 239
(Street and Number)

Huntington Beach, Cal.
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: Japanese - Amer.

Name FURUTA, TOSHIKO
(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:

Miss Furuta is the payee on a check in amount of $27.50 made by Conos Florist on the Larchmont Blvd. Brand of the Citizens Bank. The check had been returned marked "insuffecient funds". Miss Furuta had written the make but had received no reply.

Action taken:*

Phoned the above mentioned bank. They reported that the check was good now. Advised to put through again

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Field Representative

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April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: JIRO HARA
(Print)

Address: Rt 2 Box 227
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name HARA (Surname) JIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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: 1939 '29 Ford 2 Door Sedan and 1 International Pick up Truck
Has '38 Chevrolet Sedan
Pink slips sent to Sacramento, have not been returned. Cars were registered in name of Father:

UMETARO HARA
Rt 2 Box 227 Santa Ana.

Father now at T-15 Area 3, Box 300, Bismarck, S.D.
How can he sell these cars?
When can he store household furniture when evacuated.

Action taken:*
Suggested taking Power of Attorney, which he holds from father, with cars to local dealer and determine if dealer will pay cash for same and wait for Pink slip to be transferred. Otherwise, be ready to drive cars to Concentration center for impounding by Government. Pack household goods ready for storage in local warehouse

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Santa Ana, Calif
5-6-42
(Date)

Name: HARA, J.
(Print)

Address: Rt 2 Box 227
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name HARA (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:

Mr Hara desired information re our storage facilities for household goods & personal property

Action taken:*

advised that he should register his goods on the proper forms at the time of his registration for evacuation when this area is posted

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Field Representative

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March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: UMITARO HARRA
(Print)

Address: T-15 AREA 3 BOX 300 JAPANESE CAMP
(Street and Number)

BISMARK, NORTH DAKOTA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name HARRA (Surname) UMITARO (Given)

3 Cars - transfer to Sacramento.

Date of last entry into United States: Not known by informant.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: JIRO HARRA

Address: Rte 2, Box 227, SANTA ANA CALIF.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

UMITARO HARRA owned 3 automobiles; all clear
No liens.

1. 1938 Chevrolet Sedan
2. 1938 International Pick-up Truck
3. 1929 Ford Model A - 2-door Sedan.

Transfered title to son, JIRO HARRA, and signed over "Pink Slips". These were forwarded to Sacramento Office of Motor Vehicle Dept about 2 weeks ago. Have had no response - anxious to know if can sell Cars not needed to move family.

Action taken:*

Explained that sufficient time (2 weeks) not elapsed for papers to be returned from Sacramento. Will have definite instructions regarding what cars can be taken before evacuation order is made. Advised securing offers to purchase on cars not needed, and be ready to make deal when ownership papers are returned.

Handled by: Donald C Vonas

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March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: MASARU HASHIMOTO
(Print)

Address: RFD #1 Box 148-A
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name HASHIMOTO, M.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has tractor and farm equipment, dwelling and farm buildings on lease on IRVINE RANCH desires to turn over property and lease to Capt. Walter A. BAUER.

Can he complete arrangements without further permit?

Action taken:*

Advised Hashimoto that he can transfer his lease to BAUER. Suggested contact with Companies holding liens on farm equipment, and arrange transfer of these Contracts to BAUER, giving his Power of Attorney

Handled by: Harold C Power

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: KAMEICHI HEDANI
(Print)

Address: 2292 Newport Blvd
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name HEDANI, KAMEICHI
(Surname) (Given)
WATERMAN, Landlord

Registration No. 4734896

Date of last entry into United States: Lived in US 26 years - 3 Months

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: AKIRA HEDANI

Address: Santa Catalina (SAN)

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Renting house, store and land at above address from MR. Waterman, Santa Ana Road, Costa Mesa. Has 1/2 acre strawberries. Rent $12 per month. Last paid rent on February 9th. Paid to March 9th. Has not paid since. Wants to pay rent when evacuated, and landlord refuses to allow him to harvest strawberries.

Action taken:*

Advised to pay rent now to April 9th and find buyer for strawberries. Several prospective buyers known. Ask Waterman to come in for discussion of value of strawberries. He should be willing to allow new tenant to harvest berries and pay Hedani for same.

Handled by: Donald C Power

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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APRIL 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: SADAKO HATANAKA
(Print)

Address: 2341 Bloomfield Ave
(Street and Number)
ARTESIA, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name HATANAKA (Surname) SADAKO. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: WORTH A. BALDWIN

Address: R/W Dept. So. Calif. Edison Co.
Los Angeles.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Hatanaka has Contract of sale from Edison Co. on 3 acres, at above address. Improved with House & Poultry Units.

Is leasing property to H. K. Lee and selling poultry stock.
P.O. Box 64
CYPRESS, Calif.
$50 per month.

Edison Co. has agreed to accept Lee as tenant under Lease.

Lee requires financing for portion of $4400 purchase price of poultry.

Action taken:*

Farm Security Administration O.K.'d loan to Lee to purchase poultry stock and equipment.

Hatanaka to arrange for Power of Atty, with instructions to apply rent on Contract of Sale with Edison Co.

Handled by: Harold Stoner

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Hold

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: SADAKO HATANAKA
(Print)

Address: 2341 Bloomfield Ave
(Street and Number)

ARTESIA, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male:
Female: ×
Citizenship: US

Name HATANAKA, SADAKO (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Harold K. Lee

Address: P.O. Box 64, Cypress Calif.

Telephone Number: ANAHeim 28426

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

3 acres on Bloomfield ave, Artesia - (address above)

Improved with: 4 Room dwelling, 10 Poultry Houses, 2 Brooder Houses. } Being purchased on Contract of Sale from So. Cal. Edison Co.

Poultry Stock - 5500 laying Hens (4400 - 1yr old; 1100 2yr old)

Lee Can purchase stock for $4400 cash, and lease property for 2 years (or duration of war) for $50 per month. Lee is owner of CYPRESS Feed Mill, which can be used as security. HATANAKA has signed agreement to make lease on above terms to Lee. Financing required to purchase poultry stock.

Action taken:*

Application of Lee for loan from Farm Security Administration taken. Suggested Re have lease prepared and copy brought to this office to accompany loan application.

Suggested HATANAKA give Power of Attorney to Bank or some local individual, so deal may be ~~closed~~ handled after Re leaves.

Handled by: Donald C. Lowe

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: A.E. HEMERLING
(Print)

Address: 114 COFFMAN ST.
(Street and Number)
Anaheim Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name HEMMERLING (Surname) A- (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to office on April 13 to make report on several Japanese who owe him money on fertilizer bills. Said he would bring them in one by one so that we can talk over some method of paying him amount due.

Action taken:*

Will report later on this.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

March, 27, 1942

Fertilizer Accounts of Japanese Farmers in Orange County
Held by A, Hemmerling, 114 Coffman St., Anaheim, Calif.

$		
32.60	Asaki	S.E. Santa Ana River near Harbor Blvd.
25.24	Iwaki K.	Irvine
27.43	Hirouchi F.	Costa Mesa 22nd & S.A. Sts.
168.00	Ito M.	Costa Mesa S. A. St.
200.00	Itahara M.	Bolsa
106.12	Ikeda H.	Costa Mesa
93.68	Inosaki Y.	S.E. Santa Ana River near Harbor Blvd.
135.00	Kitasaki Z.	Irvine Bryon St.
175.57	Kosaka K.	Santa Ana, Newhope & Smeltzer Sts.
54.30	Konongawa T.	Costa Mesa, E. 21st. St.
42.92	Kono M.	Garden Grove
87.13	Kitahara Y.	Cypress, Miller Road
13.24	Kagawa	Cypress, Ball Rd. west of Hansen
355.00	Munimitsu K.	Stanton - lease
611.00	Munimitsu S.	Westminster
45.71	Murata T.	Costa Mesa
91.61	Mori Yoshio	Westminster, Golden West Ave.
70.42	Nakamini M.	Cypress
62.50	Nakagawa H.	Santa Ana E. Fifth St.
15.00	Omori T.	Costa Mesa, E. Seventeenth St.
155.14	Ogami \\ ,	Buena Park, Grand Ave.
50.00	Ogata M.	Westminister
75.00	Tamura N.	" "
16.80	Shigamura E.	Costa Mesa
63.00	Tanaka S.	Cypress
70.00	Yamami Bros.	Costa Mesa
63.55	Nakase A.	Westminster
220.00	Uchida Sam.	Stanton
16.00	Sasaki M.	Santa Ana Gardens
72.00	Shozi K.	Cypress
56.75	Kawii	Costa Mesa
340.00	Uyeno E.	Santa Ana, E. First St.
52.57	Watanuki T.	Irvine
515.00	Yoshida T.	Stanton
129.29	Yoshida S.	Irvine, Bryon St.
	Nakase A.	Westminster

Oceanside (Santa Marguerita Ranch)

145.00	Honda M.	
84.75	Inada	
126.09	Morita F.	
23.57	Nakamura T.	
50.00	Omori E.	
70.00	Omori Bob	
260.00	Tsukasaki N.	
365.00	Takeguma H.	
36.00	Uchimura John	

8-7-5 @ Cwt
Interest to Date.

Los Angeles Co.

637.50	Saiki	West Artesia
90.00	Kai M.	Los Angeles
257.76	Kobayashi A.	East Whittier

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States .

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: George Higashi
(Print)

Address: 906 E. 5th Street
(Street and Number)

Santa Cruz, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Name: HIGASHI, George
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 several trunks and boxes of household goods and personal effects which he wants to store. Leaves tomorrow with Los Angeles evacuation group. No warehouse provided here yet. How can he store goods. Brother owns house at above address, has probably given power of attorney to mortgage holder. Brother in Los Angeles, leaving tomorrow.

Action taken:*

Suggested he see K. J. CAWTHON, 1200 Sts. Tustin, who offered to buy house, and arrange to leave goods in boxes and trunks, all labelled with his name and address, to be picked up later for storage in Government warehouse when some is provided. Otherwise, leave goods with some Japanese to be stored with their property on evacuation.

Handled by: Donald C Howes

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: KISO HIGASHI
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 92-A
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

ALIEN REGISTRATION No. 4748484

Date of last entry into United States: Resident of U.S. for past 36 years.

Operating under Treasury License now?: General License 68-A.

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

Person interviewed: Ruth Higashi

Address: Same address - (Daughter)

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Higashi has balance due from So. Cal. Edison Co. on cash deposit - approximately $68.00

How can he get this money released? Edison Co. agent says "special permit" required.

Action taken:*

Phoned Rodney Bacon, Mgr. Edison Co., (Santa Ana 46)
Explained that no special license required of Japanese.
Form prepared, stating Japanese is not a blocked national,
to be signed by alien and American born Japanese, is only
requirement. Can identify Japanese by his alien
Registration Card. Deposit will be released
Confer with FRANK HALEY, Edison Co. accountant

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Name HIGASHI, KISO
(Surname) (Given)

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Kiyoshi Higashi
(Print)

Address: 906 E. 5th St.
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✗

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

Name Higashi (Surname) Kiyoshi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: K. J. CAWTHON

Address: P.O. Box 326 Tustin, Calif.

Telephone Number: Tustin 2794
(Tustin Service Station 1st and D street. Tustin.)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Higashi owes Cawthon approx. $250 on account payable - about 1 year delinquent.
Higashi owns his home at 906 E. 5th St, Santa Ana but owes considerable on it.
Cawthon is willing to take over equity in house & lot and apply balance of amount owed as part of deal, paying cash difference to Higashi.

Action taken:*

Suggested Cawthon ask Higashi to come in to this office for interview. Will aid in getting parties together to make cash deal. Higashi has other creditors, who might be helped by a cash sale.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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APRIL 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: MINORU HIGUCHI
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 328
(Street and Number)

GARDEN GROVE Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: U.S. Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Lease on 58 acres, N. of OCEAN AVE., West side STANTON AVE
Abnt 10 acres now in crops - Tomatoes, onions, Lettuce, cabbage and cucumbers.
2½ years remaining on lease. $450 YEAR Rent, is PAID to Dec 31, 1942.
QUANNERSON - land owner.
John Deere Model H - Tractor - 1941 - Cost $1235. - INCLUDING FARM TOOLS.
Purchased on Contract from Shepherd Tractor Co - Balance $785.00
HIGUCHI will sell lease; Crops in ground; and Equity in tractor and equipment for $1200 on Terms, $1000 Cash.
SHEPHERD CO. has taken tractor to Santa Ana store; $100 payment due.

Action taken:*
Advised HIGUCHI to see Wilson, of Shepherd Tractor Co, Santa Ana, and get written statement of amount due on Tractor, description of same. New tenant on lease can take over Equity in tractor, and Shepherd Co. will agree to deliver tractor to new tenant.
Farm Security Administration listed Higuchi Lease.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-12-42
(Date)

Name: HIRAGA, MINORU
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 123
(Street and Number)
Stanton, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name HIRAGA, MINORU
(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:

Reference is to made to report on this case dated Apr. 29, 1942 Re automobile sale - balance of $50.00 claimed still to be due Mr. Hiraga

Action taken:*

Comprimised settlement - $30.00 paid by Mrs O'Donnell to Mr. Hiraga in my presence

Handled by:
E J Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 29, 1942
(Date)

Name: MINORU HIRAGA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 123
(Street and Number)
Stanton, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name HIRAGA (Surname) MINORU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1928

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has sold car worth $250.00 to a Robert O'Donnell of Stanton. Price of $250.00 was agreed upon, and $50.00 given as binder. Japanese owes about $150.00 to Pacific Finance Corp. which leaves another $50.00 to be accounted for by O'Donnell, and which he refuses to pay. Came in for advice and help.

Action taken:*

Tried to contact O'Donnell, but he refuses to see us, so sent Japanese to Attorney General's office in Santa Ana for help.

Handled by: U. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: SEIICHI HONDA
(Print)

Address: Box 11-
(Street and Number)
Coronado Bay, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name HONDA (Surname) SEIICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Has problem of truck and sedan.

Action taken:*
Suggested he make arrangements for sale before evacuation.

Handled by: J. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: SEIICHI HONDA
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 11
(Street and Number)

Corona del Mar, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name HONDA (Surname) SEIICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to discuss best policy regarding his 1937 Buick sedan, which he says is in only fair condition.

Action taken:*

Suggested he make plans to sell.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 26 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS HENRY HORI
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Address: Rte 3 Box 334-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male:
Female: ×
Citizenship: US

Name HORI (Surname) MRS HENRY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: America Born Japanese

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:

Formerly had lease and farmed to vegetable crops,
10 acres on West First street, 1 Mi. West of Wright in BOLSA.
on ~~land~~ land owned by Joe McDonald, (San Lucality)

HORI owns 3 room frame house located on this 10 acres.
Assessed Value $350-
Lease expired Dec 1, 1941.
Pipe lines installed by HORI- 200'-2" pipe. 195'-¾" pipe, prior to 1940.
Can HORI remove pipelines? Can he sell the house?
McDONALD offers $200 for House. Should HORI accept offer?
Personal property taxes paid in December. Are any more due now?

Action taken:*

Offered to write Joe McDonald, requesting he come in to negotiate settlement. Explained that unless Lease carries ~~negotiate~~ ~~settlement~~ ~~Explained~~ ~~that~~ ~~unless~~ ~~Lease~~ ~~carries~~

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. HENRY S. HORI
(Print)

Address: Rte 3 Box 334-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name HORI, (Surname) MRS Henry S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 arranged sale of buildings and equipment on land formerly leased from Joe McDonald located at NW corner Smaltzer Ave and Veranmo St, Santa Ana.

Lease expired Dec. 1941
Mr McDonald agreed to permit removal of improvements.

Buyer: A. A. QUINI
519 College Ave
Costa Mesa, Calif.

Can pipelines be removed?

Action taken:*

Advised Mrs. HORI to notify Mr McDonald the improvements and equipment were sold, and would be removed prior to evacuation order. If no objection from Mr McDonald, she should give Bill of Sale and close transaction.
Do not remove pipelines without specific agreement with Land owner.

Handled by: Dudd C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Harry J. HORN
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✗

Address: 1201 N. PALM (Street and Number) Phone ANAHEIM 4407 ELLENTON 456

ANAHEIM, California
(City) (State)

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

Name HORN, Harry J.
(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:

Horn has BUTANE and PROPANE gas appliance business
Over 100 Japanese accounts - many Japanese farmers have rented gas tanks from Horn.
In a few cases, Japanese have attempted to sell these tanks.
How can Horn be protected in case of Japanese being evacuated, to recover his rented equipment?

Action taken:*
Suggested Horn contact Sheriff's office and F.B.I. office and make arrangements to ascertain name of any Japanese ordered evacuated. No others can leave now.
Will advise local Farm Security Administration re this problem; new tenant on farm leases to make arrangements with Horn for rental of equipment.

Handled by:
Harold C. [illegible]

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-6-42
(Date)

Name: HOUGHTON, J. Mrs
(Print)

Address: Rt. 1 Box 201
(Street and Number)
Buena Park Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: White Amer.

Name HOUGHTON (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:

Mrs Houghton is the owner of 2 acres of land at Crescent & Western aves., formerly leased to C. Maryama, a Japanese, who has abandoned the property and been evacuated. The land is planted to onions and needs irrigation to save the crop. Mrs Houghton has leased to one L. Richards She states that water was promised by Curtis Case, owner of a nearby well, but now he refuses to deliver.

Action taken:* I advised that there was not a great deal we could do about it. However I phoned Mr. Case with the result that he very graciously agreed to let them have the water, insisting however that he had not promised

Handled by:
E. P. Bramlage
Field Representative

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(price agreed 1.50 per hour)

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: H. Huguchi
(Print)

Address: Veranna Road
(Street and Number)

Stanton Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: ×
Interview:

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name Weatherly Jack
(Surname) (Given)

Huguchi, H - 58 acres truck

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Jack Weatherly

Address: 1902 S. Ross St
Santa Ana

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

J. Weatherly desires to ~~close~~ take over assignment of 3 year lease on 58 acres truck crop land, held by Huguchi. 10 acres now in maturing crops. Weatherly can pay part cash and balance from crop as sold.
How can arrangements be made to make future payments?

Action taken:*

Suggested Huguchi give power of attorney to bank or individual. Have money due on written agreement covering transfer of lease, paid to Huguchi's bank account or to person delegated under Power of attorney.
Contact land owner re possibility of cancelling present lease and writing new lease with Weatherly.

Handled by: David C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Roy IDA
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 297
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Name IDA, (Surname) Roy (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

House and Lot (100 x 50) on PENN Street, between Euclid Ave and Taft ave., Garden grove.

4 Bed Rooms - House 30 x 30.
garage - Small shed in rear.

Lot 5
Block D
GARDEN GROVE

Has family of 8 living in Home now.
Delinquent taxes $8549 - Present payment due $20 64
(Account No. 16001 - Orange County Auditor)
Current Taxes $9.14. 2nd Installment due April 20. $14.58
Assessed Value - Lot - 195
House - 465

Will Rent for Taxes and Water Bills.

Action taken:*

Recommended that local real estate agent be given Power of Attorney to represent IDA and rent this property, applying rent receipts to tax payments. Ida prefers to keep title to property if possible.

Handled by: Donald C. Power

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: KINSO Y. IKEDA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 36
(Street and Number)

STANTON, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name IKEDA, KINSO
(Surname) (Given)

Stanton Japanese School

Date of last entry into United States: Arrived in U.S. 1924. To Hawaii 1937.

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: SUE IKEDA.

Address: Same Address.

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Renting store at Stanton Ave. and Main street, STANTON.
Beer and Wine on sale liquour license.
Cannot transfer license to new tenant.
Had beer and wine stock which was sold.

Fixtures in store; Building owned by W. OZMENT, Santa Ana.
Japanese School, Stanton, - FRANK TAKENAGA, President School Board.
1st Nat'l Bank of Garden Grove - (MONROE, Mgr) has $300 Mtg. on School.
Can goods be stored in Japanese School?

Action taken:*

Suggested every effort be made to sell fixtures.
Confer with OZMENT, owner of building, regarding sale of fixtures or possible renting fixtures to new tenant.
Contact Monroe and TAKENAGA re possibility of using Japanese School for storage of goods and fixtures

Handled by: David C. Joan

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: KINJO IKEDA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

STANTON, CALIF.
(City) (State)

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

Name IKEDA (Surname) KINJO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 check for $64.00 drawn on SUMITOMO BANK of HAWAII signed by S. HAKORI, Assistant Mgr., dated Nov. 29, 1941.
Check was forwarded to San Francisco for collection by 1st Nat'l Bank of Garden Grove.
Returned, not honored, with statement, attached: "Subject to Executive Order".
Does not need money now.

Action taken:*

Advised IKEDA to keep check until registered in evacuation center. Assets of Hawaii bank have probably been frozen, and he will have to await liquidation of bank before check can be cashed. Advised to declare check when property is listed for evacuation.

Handled by:

Donald C. Vance
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: KINJO IKEDA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 36
(Street and Number)
Stanton, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name IKEDA (Surname) KINJO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1914

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sold last Friday a Chevrolet 1935 sedan for $175.00 plus a 1933 Ford, and now regrets the transaction, and wishes to cancel it. However, he gave the ownership certificate to buyer, Harry Williams of Stanton, which completed the deal.

Action taken:*

Called Motor Vehicle Dept., and was told that nothing could be done to cancel the deal, inasmuch as ownership certificate had changed hands.

Handled by: V. B. Hasbrook
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-5-42
(Date)

IKEDA (Surname)

Name: IKEDA T.
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: _____
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, Calif
(City) (State)

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

(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:

Mr. Ikeda togethe with 3 partners have 20 acres of strawberries which they wish to transfer the leasehold interest thereof to a certain Chinese gentleman by the name of Fay Lung - consideration Cash. The purchase was with Ikeda and he wanted to be sure there was no crop mortgage recorded.

Action taken:*

Advised him to see a local attorney-at-law to draw up the necessary papers, and who would check up to determine if there is an existing Crop mortgage

Handled by: _____
E J Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. MASUYE IKEDA
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 483
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name IKEDA (Surname) MRS. MASUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1911

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Originally had planned to sell a 1939 Chevrolet ~~truck~~ pickup truck to a man named Bowers in Costa Mesa for the Blue Book price of $325.00. However he was to charge $25.00 as "attorney's fee" for handling the deal. After giving Bowers the white ~~registration~~ slip, she became suspicious, and decided not to sell. She claims no money or bill of sale changed hands. Then she sold for $325.00 ~~not~~ to Baldwin Playmouth Co., gave bill of sale and ~~junk~~ ownership certificate.

Action taken:*

Consulted Baldwin and local office of Motor Vehicle Dept. and determined that Bowers had no rights in transaction and notified Japanese to disregard the transaction, as it seemed that Bowers was trying to take advantage of situation.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. IMAMURA
(Print)

Address: Rte 2 Box 225
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name I MAMURA M.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Been in U.S.A. for 36 years.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: J. H. PAGE

Address: Rte 1, Box 42, BUENA PARK.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

2½ acres on Harbor Blvd, ½ mile So. of 1st Street.
(Just North of Sugar street) No buildings.
Owned by Page - formerly leased to I MAMURA.
Rented @ $50 for year expired Jan 1, 1942.
No rent paid for current year.
Cabbage crop ready for harvest - needs irrigation. Probably worth $50
Page wrote to I MAMURA, March 24th - no reply.
Can he dispose of crop and lease to new tenant?

Action taken:*

Bert Ryssmier, Rte 4, Box 563, Santa Ana, interested in taking over crops.
Suggested PAGE write to I MAMURA at once, advising him that unless he makes arrangements to sell cabbage crop or have it cared for, he will turn it over to Ryssmier to prevent loss of crop. Set definite time limit of 5 days for action.

Handled by: Arnold C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: T. T. IMOTO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Rte 1, Box 178-N
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, California
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Leo F. GASPAR

Address: 933 Kilson Street

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 5579-W

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

5 acres and House at Costa Mesa being purchased on Contract of Sale.

Japanese desires to give power of attorney to Gaspar. Son will be drafted into Army. Daughter in USC dental school.

Balance on Contract $1234.84. Payments $40.00 per month. Might rent house @ $25 and lease land on crop shares or at least for sufficient to pay taxes and water bills.

Action taken:*

Gaspar agreed to draw up Power of Atty and take over this property. Rentals to apply on Contract and taxes. Gaspar will reduce monthly payments if necessary. Equity of Japanese will be preserved.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Costa Mesa House
GASPAR

Name IMOTO, (Surname) T. T. (Given)

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Gaspar, (owner)

Name IMOTO (Surname) T.T. (Given)

March 30, 1942
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: T.T. IMOTO
(Print)

Address: Rte 1, Box 178-N
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, California
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same.

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has Contract of sale on 5 acres and house in Block 85 Newport Heights Tract - $3250.00 Purchase Price - Oct. 1937.
SE Corner of Santa Ana Ave and 17th Street, Costa Mesa.
Contract is payable $40.00 per month including interest @ 6%
Balance due $1234.84 Interest paid to 2/7/42
Taxes 23.22 1st Installment Paid. 2nd Installment not paid yet.
Water 14.40, Water stock semi annual Assessment Newport Hts Irrig District.
Land owner - H. L. GASPAR (Deceased)
933 KILSON St
Santa Ana, Calif.

SON NOW HANDLING PROPERTY.
COYLA M. GASPAR mother

IMOTO has prospective tenant for House @ $25 per month.

Action taken:*

Recommended IMOTO discuss handling of this property with GASPAR. Power of Attorney should be given, either to GASPAR or other individual. Payments on contract might be reduced to $25 per month. Assured IMOTO his equity can be protected. Will ask Gaspar to come in for interview.

Handled by:
Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: T. T. IMOTO
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 178-N
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name IMOTO, T. T.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 weigh Scales purchased by G. C. KURATA
301 MAIN St.
Bolton.

Purchased from HOBART MANUFACTURING Co.
G. L. MASSEY, Agent
1067½ West 4th St
Santa Ana, Calif.

Balance due on Contract $59.00 in 10 payments of 5.00 and 1 of 3.00

Massey collected $10.68 Repossession charge and took Scales.
Can IMOTO get repossession charge refunded, and pay balance on these scales?

Has picture of G. C. KURATA.

Action taken:*

Advised to pay balance on scales; suggested Massey Come in for discussion of this matter. No authority rests with Bank to demand any refund of charges.

Handled by: Harold C. Glenn

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: T. T. IMOTO
(Print)

Address: Route 1 - Box 178 N
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: I. MOTO (Surname) T. T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Had some difficulty regarding repossession of a scale in his store. Followed advice given by Mr. Jones, and scale is now in his possession.

Action taken:*

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: I. I MOTO
(Print)

Address: Rt I Box 178-N
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name I MOTO T
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has lien against his home calling for $40.00 monthly amortization. Says will be impossible to make such monthly payment, but agreed he could pay $25.00 in addition to maintaining insurance and paying taxes. Asked our help.

Action taken:* Called mortgagee, H. L. Gaspar of Santa Ana and discussed matter. Mortgagee agreed, and asked me to call his attorney, F. C. DRUMM. Called attorney who recognized situation, and agreed to change of terms in writing. Asked evacuee to call and tell me if the attorney kept the agreement he made with me.

Handled by: D. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: I. I MOTO
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 178-W
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name I MOTO I
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Reference is made to report of April 10th.

Action taken:*
Both mortgagee and attorney agreed to change of lease calling for change of monthly payment from $40 to $25. I Moto bringing change of lease for me to see. Case closed.

Handled by: U. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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F. C. DRUMM A. M. DRUMM

DRUMM & DRUMM
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
SANTA ANA, CALIFORNIA
TELEPHONE 426

April 23, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
of San Francisco
501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California

Attention: Mr. Hackett

Gentlemen:

We are writing to advise you that Coyla M. Gaspar and T. T. Imoto have entered into an agreement in the form formerly submitted to you except that the paragraph containing reference to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco is omitted.

Very truly yours

DRUMM & DRUMM

AMD:PW By A. M. Drumm

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: V. J. INADA & George INADA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 475
(Street and Number)

OCEANSIDE, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name INADA, V. J. San Diego (W.M. Burke, Atty. for creditor)
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: George INADA - American Born Japanese
V. J. INADA - many years in U.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: W. M. BURKE, Atty.

Address: Pacific Building, Santa Ana

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

S. COVERRUBIAS, client of W.M. Burke, holds note for $100 from above Japanese. Due April 15, 1942. Interest 6% (but not stated) LUCAS LUCIO will take over note on assignment from COVERRUBIAS. How can Burke enforce collection of this note if not paid when due? Note is unsecured. Is in settlement of labor claim.

Action taken:*

Advised Burke that all property of INADA will be in storage except what he can carry with him personally. If note not paid when due, Burke can proceed to enforce collection and file attachment on stored property. Referred to San Diego office for information re INADA's property storage.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Handled by: Harold C Jones

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: TAKESHI INOKUCHI
(Print)

Address: R+e 1 Box 191
(Street and Number)
FALLBROOK, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name INOKUCHI, TAKESHI
(Surname) (Given)

Costa Mesa loans lease to Purtteman.

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Dame.

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

owns 10 acres - NE Corner West 18th St & Whittier St
COSTA MESA
Tract Nos - 1103 & 1104, Newport Mesa Tract.
No mortgage.
Is leasing to daughter of [redacted] JOHN W. PURTTEMAN
Phone: Newport Bch 1054-W
COSTA MESA, CALIF.
for $150 for 1 year lease,
including small frame house and garage.
Agreed to take care of personal property stored in building.
Lease payable $12.50 per month.

Action taken:*
Recommended that Bank of America, Fallbrook Branch,
Mr. Campbell (Mgr.) be given Power of attorney to
represent INOKUCHI and collect rents as due, & pay
taxes on property from receipts.
Suggested written lease be drawn up, including agreement
covering storage of personal property.
D.J. DODGE, Costa Mesa Real Estate Agent, will help prepare lease

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. INOUYE
(Print)

Address: RF - Box 313B
(Street and Number)
Westminster Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name I. INOUYE S.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has problem of leasing farm equipment for duration, and sale of crop which will be harvested soon after Declaration

Action taken:*

Advised him to have lease drawn by attorney for leasing of equipment, and to have terms of sale also drawn by attorney, calling for deposit of money to his account in a Bank of his own choosing.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. INOUYE
(Print)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Westminster, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name INOUYE (Surname) S (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has lease on land in Westminster calling for $200.00 a year rental. Lessor seems unwilling to adjust the matter.

Action taken:*

Told lessee to bring in landlord with him on Monday, and I will try to adjust the matter. Will report on this case later

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: SEIYA INOUYE
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 313-B
(Street and Number)
Westminster, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name INOUYE (Surname) SEIYA (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has problem of finding lessee to take over crops and lease he has made with Arthur Ivens of Westminster. Value of crops, celery and spinach, is approximately $2000.00 Lessor seems willing to help out in this situation. Japanese has asked us to try to find someone to sub-lease.

Action taken:*

Called in farm representative, and he will try to find a lessee. Will report later on this.

Handled by: V. B. Haskett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Joe Ishii
Rte 3 Box 372 Santa Ana.
Listed with Miss Upton.

Name: STARR, L.A.
ISHI Leave
(Surname) (Given)

March, 27, 1942
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: George Ishi
(Print)

Address: 1 Mi North of Talbert on Albert Road.
(Street and Number)

Talbert, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: L.A. Starr

Address: Rte 1 Box 465

Telephone Number: Huntington Beach

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Approximately 70 acres in 3 parcels, leased by Ishi, all in asparagus.

L.A. Starr and brother are interested in taking over this lease -
$6950 - yearly lease rent. ~~1/2 payable now and 1/2 July 15th~~ 1/2 of rent is paid.
Ishi will accept $3,475 for his lease, which is amount paid on lease. Asparagus should harvest $25,000 plus.
Starr requires loan to finance lease payment & crop.

Action taken:*

Requested Starr to get name of property owner and correct mail address of Ishi.
Referred to Farm Security Administration for loan.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. I. SHIDA
(Print)

Address: Box 684
(Street and Number)

Sauna
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name ISHIDA (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to ask for information regarding a claim of approximately ~~$~~4000.~~00~~ due the L. A. Produce Bureau. Had the mistaken impression that we could offer some relief in this matter.

Action taken:*

Explained this was not a matter for us to enter into, as it must be settled by the father with the creditor.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: MARY ISHII
(Print)

Address: R 3 - Box 375
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name ISHII (Surname) MARY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has checking account in Norwalk branch of Bank of America. This is outside of zone for these people.
Problem is to arrange for travel checks, and to transfer some of funds to a savings account.

Action taken:*

Made arrangements with manager of Santa Ana branch of Bank of America to transfer funds from Norwalk to Santa Ana, when all arrangements can be made.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-9-42
(Date)

Name: IWAKI, Y.
(Print)

Address: Rt 2, Box 113
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name IWAKI (Surname) Y. (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:

Came in to request information re our facilities for storage ~~&~~ or sale of automobile

Action taken:*

Requested information given

Handled by:
E. O. Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: F. J. KADOWAKI
(Print)

Address: Rt. 2 - Box 232
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KADOWAKI (Surname) F. J. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1926

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to ask for information regarding storage of furniture.

Action taken:*

Explained that we would store furniture and would make announcement soon.

Handled by: U. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: ROBERT KAGAWA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 205
(Street and Number)
ANAHEIM, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name KAGAWA (Surname) Robert (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Traffic accident case - KAGAWA, Defendant, was heard in Justice Court. Judgement for damages against Kagawa was appealed.
K. TAMURA, local Japanese attorney, handled case for Kagawa.
Appeal still pending in Superior Court.
Can Judgement be taken during KAGAWA's absence by evacuation order?

Action taken:*

Suggested KAGAWA have some other attorney take over this appeal case, since TAMURA will be evacuated. Suggested SAMUEL DREIZEN, in same building with TAMURA, who has already taken over some Japanese cases. Probably cannot get judgement during evacuation period.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones.

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: ROBERT KAGAWA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 205
(Street and Number)

ANAHEIM CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name KAGAWA, Robert
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Kagawa has '39 Ford 4 door Sedan
purchased on contract from McCoy & Milk, Anaheim.
Balance on contract approx $400., payable $24.00 Month.
Paid in $245.00
Should he sell this car, or can he take it with him?

Action taken:*

Advised Kagawa to sell equity in car - with good
rubber on it, car should bring all of his $245
for equity.
Father has the car for moving family.

Handled by:
Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: PAUL KAJIHARA
(Print)

Address: Rt. 3 - Box 133
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KAJIHARA (Surname) PAUL (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 1937 Chevrolet sedan, and wants to know what we suggest about it.

Action taken:*

Advised him to begin to arrange for its sale.

Handled by: V. R. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. KARIYA
(Print)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Address: WHITAKER Ave., West of MAGNOLIA
(Street and Number)

BUENA PARK CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Name KARIYA (Surname) M (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: CLARENCE W. RAINS

Address: 185 BUENA VISTA, FULLERTON, CAL.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

KARIYA owns 23 acres and leases 33 acres from Emery Ranch, North of Fullerton Municipal Airport.

Rains is negotiating for lease on this property.
20 acres Cabbages, ready for Harvest - Jap wants $1500 =
8 acres Cabbages - will be ready for harvest about June 1st = wants $500.
Rains needs some financial assistance to close deal.

Action taken:*

Referred to Farm Security Administration for loan, and to A.B. Harden for advice on present value of Cabbage crops. Suggested KARIYA Come in for interview if not possible to get together on values.

Handled by: Harold C. Jones.

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April 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. KARIYA
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - P.O. Box 5
(Street and Number)
Buena Park Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: KARIYA (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Father of this man has been interned, and he has problem of selling two trucks. Wanted our advice as to best method of handling pink slip and bill of sale.

Action taken:*

Explained procedure of sending necessary papers to father for signature and notarization

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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Santa Ana, Calif
5-7-42
(Date)

Name: KATO, H.
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Address: Rt 1 Box 630 B
(Street and Number)
Huntington Beach Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese Amer.

Name KATO (Surname) H. (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:

Came in to say that he represents some of the owners of a Japanese school building located at the S/W Corner of Talbert Blvd. & Bushard Rd. Town of Talbert, that they would like to rent to the Bank for the storage of household goods. Would ask rental just to take care of taxes.

Action taken:*

Advised that I would file a report on this information (Will call this to Mr. Learneds attention when he comes to Santa Ana)

Handled by:
E. D. Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
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Fiscal Agent of the United States
Fam.#2562
I.D. #1479

May.4.1942
(Date)

Name: Katooka, Chas.
(Print)

Address: Ave. 1-31-14
(Street and Number)
Santa Anita, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: xxx

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Here

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Dodge 1936 4 door sedan with unpaid balance of $106.80 due to the Commercial Credit Corpn. Los Angeles Calif. Mr, Katooka does wish to continue making payments on this car, & would like to know how much he can get for his equity.

Action taken:*

Told him to write the finance company and was sure they could make some arrangement wherby he would realize something for his equity.

Handled by:

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April 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. B. KAUFMAN
(Print)

Address: 205 Bank of America Bldg.
(Street and Number)
Anaheim, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KAUFMAN (Surname) S. B. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Called regarding suit brought by Food Machinery Corp. against his client, K. Murata of Box 26, Stanton, Calif. Case is identical with that of M. Sato, and concerns a defective chili washing machine.

Action taken:*

Referred him to attorney who handled successfully Sato's case.

Handled by: U. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Santa Ana, Calif
5-7-42
(Date)

Name: KAWAGUCHI, K.
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: R1 Box 171 A
(Street and Number)
Westminster Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese Amer.

Name KAWAGUCHI, K
(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:

Desired information re our storage facilities for house furnishings & other personal property

Action taken:*

gave same

Handled by:
E.L. Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. T. KAWAMOCO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rte 1 Box 233-A
(Street and Number)

ANAHEIM, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name KAWAMOCO, (Surname) MRS. T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Mary Ochiyo
Address: P.O. Box 683
Telephone Number: Garden grove

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

10 acres strawberries in bearing
5 acres " planted - will bear next year
Located on HELLMAN RANCH, - West End of CHAPMAN Ave, West of STANTON Blvd. Just west of R.R. crossing.

FOSTER SCOTT - ELM street, Brea, took 15 day option from Mrs. KAWAMOCO on March 30th, to purchase lease on strawberries for $1500. Rents to be deducted. Made no payment down, and has not reported to Tenant since. Believe Scott is trying to sell option at a profit.

Action taken:*

Farm Security Administration reports Foster Scott is an applicant for loan. Unable to locate by telephone. Suggested Mrs. KAWAMOCO take name and address of any other interested buyers. If Scott unable to complete arrangement for purchase, she should be released from this option. Advised to continue harvest of berries

Handled by: _____
Donald C Jones
Senior Area Office

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Los Angeles Branch
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Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: TADAO KAWARATANI
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 283
(Street and Number)

TRABUCO CANYON, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

NIEBLAS, Fred

Name KAWARATANI, TADAO
(Surname) (Given)

Trabuco Canyon Last

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Fred NIEBLAS has agreed to purchase this lease on Santa Margarita 60 acres, @ $2000, with equipment.
John Daulsberg, Manager Santa Margarita Ranch
OCEANSIDE 800-J-4 has approved transfer of lease.
Lease rental due June 26, 1942 - $250.00
Brother of NIEBLAS may help finance this lease, but additional money required.

Action taken:*

Nieblas and KAWARATANI discussed equipment to be purchased and finally agreed upon terms and conditions of sale. Kawaratani agrees to rent houses + buildings to NIEBLAS in lieu of this purchase @ $100.
Conference with Lee Siebel, Farm Security Administration, arranged, to apply for needed cash to close this deal.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: Rolla Keith
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: 11306 W. Laurel Canyon Blvd.
(Street and Number)
San Fernando, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name KEITH (Surname) Rolla (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:

Mr. Keith owns small house located at 1616 W. 12th St, Los Angeles. Rented to a Japanese. (Name not recalled)
Keith is willing to have Japanese store his personal property in this house when he is evacuated. If he does so, will property be posted by the government and protection to the stored property given? What does Keith need to protect him from any claims?

Action taken:*

Advised Keith to take a signed statement from the Japanese tenant, listing property, and declaring it is left for storage purposes only, with no liability from loss by fire, theft or damage.
No protection can be furnished by the Government and property will not be posted by the government. Ordinary local police protection applies.

Handled by: Harold C. Jones

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March 26, '42
(Date)

Name: JEROME KIDD
(Print)

Telephone: ×
Interview:

Address: 305 W 1st St
(Street and Number)

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:

TUSTIN CALIF
(City) (State)

Citizenship: US

Name KIDD (Surname) JEROME (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: Santa Ana 5156

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

D. KITANAKI owns International 3TON Truck and has "pink slip" certificate for same.

Can he sell this truck and transfer title or pink slip.

Action taken:*

Advised KIDD that Japanese can transfer title to truck on sale unless he is a "Blocked national". Suggested inquiring at local banks to determine if KITANAKI account is blocked. Statement of Japanese should be taken. Long Beach Office of Motor Vehicle Dept will transfer title.

Handled by:

Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: KATHRYN K. KIMURA
(Print)

Address: 1025 East Center St
(Street and Number)

NORWALK, California.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male:
Female: ×
Citizenship: US

Name KIMURA (Surname) KATHRYN K. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: M. MANCEBO

Address: 1334 Monterey St

Telephone Number: ~~Norwalk~~ Bellflower.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Lease on 10 acres, improved with House, garage, well. Located at above address. Lease expires Jan. 1, 1945. Rental $40 per month, 1st and last month paid in advance.

MRS EMILIA PEREIRA, owner,
1349 Monterey Street
Bellflower, Calif..

KIMURA has sold truck crops, and buyer desires to take over the lease. Owner refuses to lease to new tenant for more than one year. He wants 3 year lease.

Action taken:*

Buyer of crops from KIMURA has right to harvest same. Mrs. Kimura cannot transfer lease without consent of PEREIRA. When KIMURA is evacuated, lease will be cancelled by reason of failure to pay rent, and new lease can be made. MRS. KIMURA is willing to cancel lease if new tenant satisfactory to owner can be found.

Handled by:
Harold C. Jones

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Newport Constable KANAGY

Name ~~KIROTA~~ (Surname) KURATA, G.C. George (Given)

301 Main St Balboa Calif.

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Name: GEORGE KIROTA
(Print)

Address: 17th and Santa Ana Ave Newport Boulevard
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: SHELBY KANAGY

Address: Constable, Newport Beach

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Constable of Newport Township has execution of Judgement to be served on above Japanese for $93.26. Newport Justice Court - R.H. BAILEY Beach Cities Produce Co.

Is there any restriction on serving this and similar papers on Japanese? BAUER has office fixtures in safe keeping for KIROTA KANAGY will demand that Bauer sign for property.

Action taken:*

Advised the Constable to proceed in normal manner to serve papers and attach property. Explained reason for Special Blocked Property orders, to protect Japanese from unscrupulous creditors.

Handled by: David C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 29, 1942
(Date)

Name: HIRO KITAOKA
(Print)

Address: 401 E. ASH ST.
(Street and Number)
Brea, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KITAOKA (Surname) HIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to ask us about ~~storage~~ of furniture after evacuation.

Action taken:*

Gave him information.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK S. KOBAYASHI
(Print)

Address: R3 - Box 552
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name KOBAYASHI (Surname) "FRANK Home Grown Vegetables" FRANK (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in U.S.A.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Jane.

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Fruit Stand at SW Corner Harbor Blvd and 17th St.
About 2½ miles West of Santa Ana
Lease expired Dec. 1941. L.W. EATON, land owner
Average rental $20 month - $10 in winter, 30 in summer. Orange
Vegetables fruits on hand will inventory $200-$250.
Stands, & Shed cost $200. 2 yrs old.
Scales - Cash Registe $400. Good condition. New in 1941
all clear - will sell for $750 cash.

Action taken:*

Recommended listing to several Brokers.
Suggested having Eaton agree to giving new lease
to new owner.
Registered property with Federal Farm Security Administration

Handled by: Donald C. Horner

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April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: Roy KoBAYASHI
(Print)

Address: Rt. 3 — P.O. Box 341
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KOBAYASHI (Surname) Roy (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has just arranged lease for land and equipment and sale of chickens to man named Walter Reed.

Terms of lease and sale were mutually agreeable, but Japanese wanted to know about handling of finances.

Action taken:*

Advised Japanese to have all details handled by their bank and to have all agreements in writing. Mr. Reed said this was agreeable to him.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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APRIL 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: YUKIO GEORGE KODAMA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rte 2 Box 216
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name KODAMA, (Surname) YUKIO George (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Attachment filed on { Chevrolet Sedan - License No. 84-Q-703 / 1937 - 4 door Engine No. 625004 }
by F. RIDER, assignee of Aggeler-Musser Seed Co.,
by ~~judgement~~ Writ of attachment of L.A. Municipal Court. - Total Sum $320.73.
#616620
Car taken by Notice of Attachment — Jessie Elliot, Sheriff of Orange Co.
and stored in Grand Central Garage, Santa Ana.
ACCOUNT was owed by T. KODAMA, father of YUKIO G. KODAMA.
Father is now in Bismark, N.D. George KODAMA owes accounts
in his own name, but states he never agreed to pay his father's
accounts.

Action taken:*

Called Los Angeles office - (WATKINS) Will have matter
investigated at Aggler-Musser Co., L.A. Apparently there is very
little equity in Car over amount of attachment. Y. Geo. KODAMA
probably will be held liable on this debt, since he admits
paying $70 on same within past few months.
Suggested KODAMA interview his attorney, K. TAMURA.

Handled by:

Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana.

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(Travel Permit issued by USES to go to LA office of Federal Reserve Bank.)

Los Angeles Branch
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April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK KOMAKI
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 66
(Street and Number)

Dana Point, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KOMAKI (Surname) FRANK (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1917

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Principal is a farmer who owes finance company, $427.00 on a truck, Germain Seed Co. of L.A. $63.00 and Aggeler and Musser Seed Co. of L.A. $140.00. Truck has been attached by Caine and Weiner, attorneys of 810 So. Spring St. L.A., who have paid balance due on truck to protect the interests of the two seed companies. Sheriff's sale of truck is scheduled for Monday, April 13th.

Action taken:*

Called attorneys in L.A. who assured me they would bid in truck for amount sufficient to pay all claims, so there will not be any deficiency judgement against Japanese, which was his chief concern. All this is satisfactory to Japanese.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. M. KOSAKA
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 534-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name KOSAKA (Surname) J. M (Given)

Speed - Orange Co Medical Bureau

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Kosaka claims ownership of 1½ Ton Chevrolt Truck (1940) on which Orange Co Medical Bureau (Robert Speed, Mgr) (Phone Santa Ana 5744) has levied attachment.
Judgement held by Speed is against Kosaka's brother and father.
Wants Special Blocked Property order to prevent execution of judgment.

Action taken:*
Called KOSAKU TAMURA, Japanese Attorney (Santa Ana 6343) who stated Medical Bureau has paid up balance due on truck and taken possession, on claim that Contract is delinquent.
Offered to fill out request for Blocked Property order.
KOSAKA preferred to go directly to Los Angeles office, hoping to save time
Advised Robert Speed that request for Special Blocked Property order is being made.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 3, 1942
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview:

Name: MASARU KOSAKA
(Print)

Address: Rte 4, Box 534-A.
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name KOSAKA (Surname) MASARU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

1941 Chevrolet Club Coupe
G.M.A.C. Contract thru Cone Chevrolet, Fullerton.
Has buyer - ELMER RITNER For equity.
SMELTZER and NEWHOPE
Santa Ana -

Can he transfer title to RITNER, who will assume balance of contract?

Action taken:*

Referred to Cone Chevrolet agency to complete transaction
No reason why RITNER cannot take over.
Kosaka to assign contract to him.

Handled by: [signature]

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana office
501 W.5th Street

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. Minoru Kosaka
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 Box 534-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1940 Chevrolet truck - License No. 97 Q 411

Contract taken up by Orange County Medical Bureau and possession of truck taken by Robert Speed, Mgr., who now has truck in his private garage at 2315 Santiago Ave., Santa Ana.

Kosaka wants truck released, and will pay installments on contract as due.

Action taken:*

Affidavit of Kosaka, prepared by his attorney, K. Tamura, and statement of Orange County Medical Bureau received. Kosaka desires to take these papers to Los Angeles office personally and apply for Special Blocked Property Order.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. MINORU KOSAKA
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 534-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name KOSAKA, J. MINORU
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 Correspondance with Robert Speed, Orange Co. Medical Bureau re Chevrolet Truck.
C.H. Watkins, Los Angeles Branch - instructed Special Blocked Property order if Speed proposes to sell truck.

Kosaka wants truck released. (K. TAMURA, Attorney Santa Ana 6343.

~~The~~ Farm lease held by ~~family~~ - wants to dispose of same. Buyer for farm lease needs financing.

Action taken:* Letter to TAMURA, explaining present status of truck. Advised Kosaka to see his attorney at once to have hearing in Justice Court before truck can be released. Payment due in April on truck Contract - Kosaka should be prepared to make this payment when due. Referred to Farm Security Administration for possible loan on crops by new tenant.

Handled by: David C. Faver

*Attach additional pages where necessary

501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California

March 30, 1942

The Federal Reserve Bank
Los Angeles Branch
707 S. Spring Street
Los Angeles, California

Attention: Mr. C. H. Watkins

Re: J. Minoru Kosaka
Property claim- Chevrolet Truck

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your instructions in telephone conversation March 28, I communicated personally with Mr. Robert Speed, Manager of Orange County Medical Bureau, who has taken up the balance of sales contract on Chevrolet truck registered to above Japanese-American, and is holding the truck in his private garage at 2315 Santiago Avenue, Santa Ana. Mr. Speed assurred me that he has no intention of selling or otherwise disposing of this property "for the time being", and offered to have it stored in a public garage, ~~he~~ removed it from the Platt Garage, Santa Ana, to avoid further storage charges.

Mr. Speed states that he can produce witnesses, notably Constable who originally attached the truck, and bill collector of his agency, who will testify that "Jimmie" Kosaka is the same person who promised to pay the disputed bill for medical services rendered members of his family; that he has continually resided at the Kosada home, Rte 4, Box 534-A, Santa Ana; that continued efforts over a long period to collect this account have failed despite "Jimmie's" promises to make payments thereon; that he (Speed) has paid up the contract on truck and tires, which are now delinquent, with additional payment due next week.

I forward herewith copy of letter sent Mr. Speed confirming our recent telephone conversation.

I understand your office will advise me what further steps should be taken to adjudicate this matter.

Yours truly,

Donald C. Jones
Field Representative.

501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California

March 30, 1942

Mr. Tamura Kosaku
Attorney at Law
104½ East Fourth Street
Santa Ana, California

(Refer to Mr. C.H. Watkins)

Dear Mr. Kosaku:

J. Minoru Kosaku has contacted this office and the Los Angeles office of the Federal Reserve Bank relative to the impounding of a Chevrolet truck now held in storage by Robert Speed, manager of the Orange County Medical Bureau.

Mr. C. H. Watkins of the Los Angeles office has instructed me to issue a special block property order on this truck in the event that Mr. Speed should make any attempt to sell before the matter of ownership and payment of account due the Medical Bureau can be adjudicated.

Robert Speed has advised this office that he has the truck in storage in his private garage at 2315 Santiago Avenue, Santa Ana, and will not sell same or otherwise dispose of the property without notifying this office.

We today advised Mr. Kosaku to consult with you in the matter and make arrangements for a hearing in Justice Court as soon as possible.

With reference to your inquiry regarding sale or lease of the property owned by Ruth Asako Aoyama whose husband Minoru Aoyama is an alien Japanese, please be advised that there is no restriction upon Mrs. Aoyama in disposing of this property and no special permit is necessary.

Yours very truly

Donald C. Jones

Donald C. Jones
Field Representative

DCJ:L

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. MINORU KOSAKA
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 Box 534-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name KOSAKA, J. MINORU
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Re Chevrolet Truck Held by Robert Speed.
(See Previous Correspondence)
Can he go to L.A. office to get release order for truck?

Attorney W.M. BURKE
Peace Bldg
Santa Ana

Interviewed by this office
Stated Speed would not dispose of truck until matter is settled in court.

Action taken:*

Advised KOSAKA to make arrangements for some other attorney to handle this case in event K. TAMURA is evacuated. Selected SAMUEL DREIZEN 104½ E 4th St Santa Ana 6343.
No further action can be taken by Federal Reserve Bank. Must have matter settled by Justice Court. Get hearing set soon as possible

Handled by: Donald C Jones

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. MINORU KOSAKA
(Print)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Address: Rte 4 Box 534-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: ROBERT SPEED

Address: Mgr- Orange Co Medical Bureau

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 5744

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

(See Previous Reports - March 31 - and correspondence) File

Local used car dealer states Chevrolet pick-up truck held in storage by Speed is not worth over $400, owing to condition of motor and tires.

Speed is still holding truck awaiting efforts of KOSAKA to find buyer who will pay enough to liquidate his bill and pay off balance on truck.

Action taken:*

Apparently there is no equity in truck if Orange County Medical Bureau bill is to be satisfied.

Advised Speed to keep truck until evacuation if KOSAKA was unable to clear some, but in any event to notify this office before disposing of truck

Handled by:

Donald C Jones
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

JB

April 7, 1942.

Mr. Hackett advised by telephone that he had been successful in arranging a meeting between the parties involved in this transaction, and tells us it will not now be necessary to block the property.

The attached forms are held for file.

C.H.Watkins.

LOS ANGELES BRANCH

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California

March 30, 1942

The Federal Reserve Bank
Los Angeles Branch
707 S. Spring Street
Los Angeles, California

Attention: Mr. C. H. Watkins

Re: J. Minoru Kosaka
Property claim- Chevrolet Truck

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Yours truly,

Donald C. Jones

Donald C. Jones
Field Representative.

Orange County Medical Bureau

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RICHTER, CONRAD
ROBBINS, ARTHUR C.
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STEEN, EMERALD J.
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UTTER, JOHN WM.
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YEAGLE, ROWLAND P.
ZAISER, HARRY E.

FACTS IN THE CASE OF ORANGE COUNTY MEDICAL BUREAU vs

K.R.KOSAKA, et al

ANAHEIM JUSTICE COURT No. 4339

January 2, 1941, we sued on four accounts for medical services rendered various members of a Japanese family named Kosaka, joining K.R.Kosaka, Mrs. K.R.Kosaka, Yoshio Kosaka, H.K.Itahara, Mrs. Itahara, John Doe and Jane Doe. The Japanese now calling himself Minoru Jimmy Kosaka is a son of K.R.Kosaka and Mrs. Kosaka and had promised to pay the account for his parents. Under the Civil Code of this State, "The promise of an adult child to pay for necessities of life previously furnished his parent, is binding."

Judgment was rendered to us Sept. 4, 1941 in the sum of $144.00 plus $7.00 costs, total judgment, $151.00.

No payment has been made on the judgment; and none on the original accounts since May 1, 1939.

Like all suits brought by this office it was filed only after many broken promises of payment, and no other prospects of getting payment appeared.

March 19, 1942 Constable Robert Steinberger of Santa Ana, on our instructions, levied an execution on the truck in question.

March 21, 1942, General Motors Acceptance Corporation filed a Third Party Claim against the truck in sum of $241.64.

March 22, 1942, Firestone Home & Auto Supply Store, filed Third Party Claim for $26.44, owing on the tires.

As Constable Steinberger had demanded a bond of $1125.00 from us to hold the car and tires against these claims and as both claimants informed us that payments were delinquent on their conditional contracts of sale, we purchased both contracts, released the execution, and repossessed car and tires as the two sales contracts provided. These purchases made us the legal owner and seemed the simplest way to hold the car.

We have no wish to work any hardship on any Japanese family or on any one else. What we have done is in hope of securing payment on our judgment. We have told Mr. Timura, attorney for the defendants, that we have no wish to hold the truck and no wish to make any profit from its resale. That payment of the judgment, accrued costs and what we have invested in the truck would secure its immediate release.

A pertinent fact, and one we are prepared to prove by affidavits and, if necessary, by personal sworn testimony, is that the young Japanese now calling himself Minoru Jimmy Kosaka, stated to Constable Robert Steinberger at the time of the seizure of the truck that his name was Yoshio Kosaka.

During 1939 this same Japanese, in the presence of our Collector G. De Esco, several times signed checks with the name of Yoshio Kosaka

We know our claim is absolutely legal. We feel it perfectly just.

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The undersigned wishes to state that this statement of a somewhat complicated situation has been drawn up in a hurry to place it in the hands of Mr. Jones before 1 o'clock, request for it having been made after 11 o'clock. There is no notary public available to convert it into an affidavit.

Mr. W. Maxwell Burke is our attorney in the matter and the statement should have come from him. Any further information desired should be furnished by Mr. Burke, #202 Pacific Bldg, Santa Ana, Calif.

ORANGE COUNTY MEDICAL BUREAU

Robert Speed

Robert Speed,
Manager

KOSAKA, J. M.

Route 4, Box 534-A

Santa Ana, California

This young Japanese man owned a one and one-half ton Chevrolet truck which he had left in care of his parents and two brothers who resided at Santa Ana. Mr. Kosaka at that time was employed in Los Angeles. Some time previous to the current transaction some member of the family other than Mr. Kosaka incurred some medical expense through the Orange County Medical Bureau. This account was placed in the hands of a collection agency which immediately instituted suit and attached the truck belonging to Mr. Kosaka, contending that he had promised to pay the debt of his parents. This Kosaka denied, contending that his brother may have done so, although the collection agency refused to recognize his stand and seized the truck. In addition to that action, the Orange County Medical Bureau then proceeded to purchase the outstanding obligation on the truck which was then held by G.M.A.C.; they also purchased the tire account held by a Santa Ana supplier.

Our field agent in Santa Ana in this particular case was instructed to negotiate with the collection agency in an endeavor to have the truck released so that it could be sold. Preliminary negotiations were not successful and, in order to safeguard the interests of the Japanese, we instructed the collection agency representative not to dispose of the truck without having consulted this office. Our field agent at the same time prepared to issue an order designating the car as being special blocked property.

Without resorting to this extreme action, we finally succeeded in negotiating the matter between the collection agency and Mr. Kosaka. As a result we did not issue the blocking order, and succeeded in obtaining what the Japanese considered to be equitable settlement.

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana Office
501 W. 5th Street

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. MINORU KOSAKA
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 534-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name: KOSAKA (Surname) J. MINORU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1940 Chevrolet Truck - license No 97 Q 411
Contract taken up by Orange County Medical Bureau
and possession of truck taken by Robert Speed, Mgr.,
who now has truck in his private garage at
2315 SANTIAGO Ave, Santa Ana.

Kosaka wants truck released, and will pay
installments on contract as due.

Action taken:*

Affidavit of Kosaka, prepared by his attorney, K. TAMURA
and Statement of Orange County Medical Bureau received.
KOSAKA desires to take these papers to Los Angeles
office personally, and apply for SPECIAL BLOCKED
PROPERTY order.

Handled by: Donald C

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: J. MINORU KOSAKA
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 534-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Chevrolet 1½ Ton truck siezed by Orange County Medical Bureau (Robert Spead, Mgr Phone 5744-)
Kosaka reported the impounding of truck to L.A. office of Federal Reserve Bank 3/26/42. (PENCIL)
Was instructed to have local field representative prepare report.
Desires ~~Found~~ to have truck declared SPECIAL BLOCKED PROPERTY.

Action taken:*

Asked Kosaka to have his attorney, K. TAMURA furnish this office with detailed account of this transaction.
Asked Robert Spead to supply information as to reason for taking truck.
Report will be compiled from these statements

Handled by: Donald C. Farmer

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: MINORU KUSUDA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rte 1 Box 261
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name KUSUDA, (Surname) MINORU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American born Japanese

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 36 acres leased from Irvine Co.
of which 3 acres is in strawberries and 1½ acre in squash.
Lease calls for $25 per acre per year; not yet paid.
Has buyer for 3 acres strawberries and squash, but
cannot transfer lease on vacant land.
Irvine Company demands rent on entire acreage, but only
4½ acres actually in crops.

Action taken:*

Called C.M. Plum, Irvine Co. (Santa Ana 4800) He agreed
to accept $25 per acre on land actually in crop, and
allow KUSUDA to sell crops of strawberries & squash.
Buyer to pay KUSUDA, who will pay rent and retain balance
in cash. Lease on balance of land to be cancelled

Handled by:
Donald C. Kerr
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. KOWATA
(Print)

Address: R Box 232
(Street and Number)

~~Huntington Beach~~ Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KOWATA S
(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:

Had matter involving license which must be handled by Bank at Olympic Blvd.

Action taken:*

Referred him to F.R Bank

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: T. KUMISCHIGE
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 477
(Street and Number)
Santa Cruz Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✗

Adult: ✗
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✗
Citizenship: _____

Name KUMISCHIGE (Surname) T. (Given)

(Macloon & Stoll - Cabbage account)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Female.

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sold Cabbage crop to: Macloon and Stoll Phone PROSPECT 5111
1525 South Main St.
Los Angeles,

Mac Loon Residence: 1069½ W. 45th St
Santa Cruz

KNAPP DEHYDRATOR
West street GARDEN GROVE
Phone 750

Not Paid

Has Purchase Order #110 from Macloon and Stoll
for 9380 lbs Cabbages on 3/17/42 @ 45¢ per Hundred.
8080 lbs " on 3/18/42

Plant is 1000 ft west of Harbor Blvd on Garden Grove Blvd - 7/8 Mile North

Action taken:*

J. A. KNAPP → (Garden Grove Blvd at 9th St.)

BURBANK PLANT - on 1st street - 7/8 mile West of Harbor.
~~Santa~~ Santa Cruz 5206-R
" 5206-W

E. D. BRAMLAGE made field trip to Burbank Refrigerator Plant - E. 1st Street
STOLL agreed to pay this account next Wednesday. Said he was making collections in L.A.

Handled by: _____
Donald Glover

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KUMISCHIGE advised to report to this office Thursday if account not paid.

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

April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. T. KUNISHIGE
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 341
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KUNISHIGE (Surname) MRS. T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: MRS. T. ITAHARA

Address: Same address

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Itahara is the mother of Mrs. Kunishige, who, with her husband, is at Manzanar. The Kunishiges delivered cabbage to the firm of MacLoon and Stoll in Los Angeles, who still owe $61.00 for the merchandise. She came to ask our help.

Action taken:*

I located Mr. MacLoon's telephone number in Los Angeles, but the operator notified me that he would not be in today, but could be reached tomorrow morning.

Handled by: K. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. T. KUNISHIGE
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 341
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: KUNISHIGE (Surname) MRS. T (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: MRS. T. ITAHARA

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reference is made to report of April 13th regarding man named MacLoon. Wanted to know if I had been able to reach him regarding payment of bill he owes them.

Action taken:*

Told her I hoped to hear from MacLoon tonight, and if not, we would take more direct action.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. T. KUNISHIGE
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 27-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: KUNISHIGE (Surname) MRS. T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case previously reported on April 14th.
Mac Loon who owes this lady $1.00 has not paid her as he promised.

Action taken:*

Referred her to attorney who has located a credit of $2.57 to hold for Mac Loon's account, and he will levy attachment against it for Mrs. Kunishige. Case closed.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-9-42
(Date)

Name: KUNISHIGE, MRS T.
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rt 4 Box 27-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: Japanese Amer

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:

Case previously reported April 13, Apr. 14 & April 21st.
Re payment for Cabbage delivered to Macloon & Stoll

Action taken:*
Check forwarded to me here from Mr Hopkins at 7th & Spring St. ($51.75) delivered to Mrs Itahara, Mrs Kunishige's mother — receipt taken.

Case closed

Handled by:
C S Bramtage
Field Representative

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: SHOMATSU KURIHARA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 391
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

To: TUNA CAMP, TUJUNGA - MARCH 14, 1942

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name KURIHARA, (Surname) SHOMATSU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Probably about 1900.

Operating under Treasury License now?: Taken to TUNA CAMP, TUJUNGA - March 14

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

Person interviewed: KAZUHIKO KURIHARA

Address: P.O. Box 391 Costa Mesa Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Had Bank Account with 1st National Bank of Santa Ana
Balance approx. $560.00.
Was taken to TUNA Camp, Tujunga, about March 14, 1942.
Left Tuna Camp March 26th - destination unknown.

How can this bank account be released?
Family needs funds for evacuation.
Other property of family being disposed of.

Action taken:*

Called Los Angeles office (C.H. Watkins) for instructions.
Advised KURIHARA to write to his father at once, at TUNA Camp,
asking Power of Attorney, or letter of instructions to local Bank;
Suggested check be endorsed for father's signature, covering
balance of account. Letter will be forwarded from TUNA Camp
to father's new address. Letter from father probably enroute
here now, from new location.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: JOHN KURATOMI
(Print)

Address: P.O. BOX 566
(Street and Number)

OCEANSIDE, CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

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

Name KURATOMI (Surname) JOHN (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: W. W. WOODS

Address: 619 E. 4th St. Santa Ana

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 4642

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

KURATOMI has "pink slip" on 3/4 Ton Chevrolet Truck which he is willing to sell to WOODS.

Price agreed upon.

Local office of Dept. Motor Vehicles states special application form for transfer of title must be filled out and mailed to Sacramento with pink slip No assurance that transfer will be allowed.

Action taken:*

There should be no restriction on this sale. Called MRS. Blanche KELLEHER, Registration clerk, Dept of Motor Vehicles, who stated she received telegram only yesterday authorizing transfer of Japanese owned cars. Hereafter no special applications will be required. Power of atty form must accompany Pink slip in cases where owner is not personally signing.

Handled by: Donald C Farrer

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: GEORGE CHOICHI KURATA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 178-N
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name KURATA, GEO. CHOICHI
(Surname) (Given)

Registration No. 5725747

Date of last entry into United States: Came in U.S. 35 years ago.

Operating under Treasury License now?: General License 68-A.

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

Person interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Operated a green grocer store at 301 MAIN STREET, BALBOA
Gave Bill of Sale on fixtures in store to F. J. Knight, as security
for Lease Rent of $160.00. I MOTO paid Knight $160 and
Recovered fixtures, which are now stored in I MOTO garage
at 17th and Santa Ana Ave, Costa Mesa.

KURATA has several creditors - (See attached list)
Desires to protect creditors as far as possible and prevent
sale of property at sacrifice prices.

Action taken:*

~~Recommend Special Blocked Property order to prevent~~
~~liquidation of assets at sacrifice.~~ Letter to L.A. Office.
Explaining situation. Assets consist of fixtures only - $500-$600
Total debts excess $1000. Appears there is no equity
KURATA will write letter to all creditors.
Blocked property order will not serve any
equity for KURATA.

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Handled by:
Donald C Jones

Los Angeles Branch
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Name (Surname) (Given)

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: MINORU KUSUDA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 261
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: American born Japanese

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 36 acres leave from Irvine Co.
of which 3 acres is in strawberries and 1½ acre in squash.
Leave calls for $25 per acre per year; not yet paid.
Has buyer for 3 acres strawberries and squash, but
cannot transfer lease on vacant land.
Irvine Company demands rent on entire acreage, but only
4½ acres actually in crop.

Action taken:*

Called C.M. Plum, Irvine Co. (Santa Ana 4800) He agreed
to accept $25 per acre on land actually in crop, and
allow KUSUDA to sell crop of strawberries & squash.
Buyer to pay KUSUDA, who will pay rent and retain balance
in cash. Lease on balance of land to be cancelled

Handled by:
Donald C. [illegible]
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. KUSUDA
(Print)

Address: R Box 261
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KUSUDA (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Called to make inquiry concerning furniture and automobile.

Action taken:*

Gave him desired information.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 9, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. KUSUDA
(Print)

Address: Rt. I Box 261
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name KUSUDA (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has intricate lease arrangement with Irvine Ranch Co., which will be cancelled by lessee, according to Mr. Plum manager. However, at beginning of negotiations, Mr. Plum tried to enforce terms of lease, but after some discussion agreed to relieve principal of any further responsibility.

Action taken:*

This represents concession on part of lessor involving $71.00, which should be appreciated by Japanese.

Handled by: K. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. KUSUDA
(Print)

Address: Rt 1 — Box 261
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KUSUDA (Surname) M (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has problem of disposal of 1938 Chevrolet sedan, inasmuch as he has heard ~~that~~ he cannot take his car to assembly point.

Action taken:*

Advised him to take immediate steps to dispose of this car.

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: WM. LA PERLE
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 172
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name LA PERLE (Surname) WM. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has lease on small acreage with YOSHIE SHIGEMURA, a Japanese National. In view of approaching evacuation of Japanese, Mr. La Perle wanted to know what to do regarding cancellation of lease.

Action taken:*

Advised him to give cancellation of lease in writing to Japanese, and to ask for acceptance of cancellation in writing in return, as this will put him in position to negotiate a new lease.

Handled by: V. R. Stackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: EDGAR LENTZ
(Print)

Address: 209 So. MAIN ST.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name LENTZ (Surname) EDGAR (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is manager of local ~~store~~ ~~operated~~ by Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co., which has been lessor of 140 acres of ground to Frank Nagamatsu, who has gone to Dal Rey. According to Lentz, Nagamatsu has abandoned the property and thus has violated terms of lease, which the company is cancelling.

Action taken:*

Referred him to farm representative on chance that he may be in touch with someone who could take over the property.

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. MARY A. LEWIS
(Print)

Address: R4 - Box 266
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name LEWIS (Surname) MRS. MARY A. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Os lessor of ground to a Japanese who has been interned. Terms of lease called for #75 a year rental #40.00 of which has already been paid. The balance #35.00 is due on Sept. 1st. Mrs. Lewis is anxious to know what to do, as she needs the income.

Action taken:*

Explained that there is little she can do until Sept. 1st, but advised her to write to interned Japanese offering to cancel Sept. 1st payment, and asking Japanese to write acceptance of cancellation, as he will not be able to work the land.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: THOMAS LOYND
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 27
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✗

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

Name LOYND, (Surname) (Holly Sugar Co.)

THOMAS (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: LOYND represents HOLLY SUGAR CO.

Harvey Baer, (Talbert, California) has taken over several Japanese leases on sugar beet land.

OKA leases 35 acres; crop on 15 acres is not good, owing to alkalai. Baer will take over lease on 20 acres only, and proceed with thinning required immediately if crop is to be saved, but OKA refuses to make deal unless entire 35 acres is included, stating that Federal Government agent has advised him he will get $20 acre paid on lease returned to him.

Action taken:*

Advised LOYND, (Holly Sugar Co.) that there is no provision for reimbursing Japanese for lease money from Federal funds. OKA should make best deal possible on his acreage, but if portion of crop is now a failure he cannot expect BAER to pay him lease rent on it unless land can be utilized. Ask OKA to come in for interview.

Handled by: _____

Donald C Jones

Santa Ana

Problem for Farm Sec Admin

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: LEWIS MACLOON
(Print)

Address: 1069½ W. 4TH ST.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MACLOON (Surname) LEWIS (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This is man who owes two Japanese, KUNISHIGE and YAMADA, $61.00 and $33.30, respectively, as reported on in recent reports. I finally located his address and wrote him to come in to see me. In the case of Yamada, I sent for him to talk to MacLoon in my presence, and he promised to pay him on Monday. In the case of Mrs. Kunishige she said the debt had been assumed by Houston and Bates of Santa Ana.

Action taken:*

Tried to contact Mr. James Houston to obtain confirmation of MacLoon's claim regarding Kunishige claim, but he is out of town until Saturday. Will follow this to conclusion.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: MAGARRO, JOHN
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 566-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✕

Adult: ✕
Minor:
Male: ✕
Female:
Citizenship: FILIPINO

Name MAGARRO (Surname) JOHN (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: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Farms 10 acres truck crops - (2 acres in strawberries)
Is interested in securing crop share lease on Japanese strawberry plantings, or would borrow cash to buy out Jap's leases

Action taken:*

Referred to Mr. Siedell, Farm Security Adm., for possibility of crop loan to finance purchase of additional acreage. Suggested he ask Japanese strawberry farmers in his district to come in for interview.

Handled by: Donald E. Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: C. J. MARKS
(Print)

Address: COUNTY FARM BUREAU
(Street and Number)
Orange Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MARKS (Surname) C. J. (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:

Telephoned to say association he represents is interested in renting farm equipment from Japanese farmers after evacuation. Explained there is shortage of such equipment, and farmers he represents would be willing to pay for any usage.

Action taken:*

Told him I would keep request on file, to be used if occasion arises.

Handled by: H. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-6-42
(Date)

Name: MARUYAMA, K. and OKA T
(Print)

Address: Rt 1, Box 169
(Street and Number)
Huntington Beach Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MARUYAMA (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:

Problem of getting payment from Osage Produce Co. of Los Angeles for some shipments of beets & Asparagus Worried for fear they would not get their money since they were not allowed to go to Los Angeles, an excluded area

Action taken:*

Phoned to the Osage Company and found that checks had been made out for the produce but the company did not have the mailing address of Oka & Maruyama. Checks are being forwarded

Handled by: EP

EP Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Y. MASUDA
(Print)

Address: Newkirk Road, 1 Mile So of 1st St.
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Phone Santa Ana. 8700 J-2

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MASUDA, Y. (Given)
(Surname)
Walter Hickman

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: WALTER HICKMAN

Address: 1722 West 1st St
Santa Ana, Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Masuda has lease on 65 acres, located NE corner of Manchester and Artesia Blvd, Buena Park plowed, ready for planting to tomatoes {$400 invested now $541 payment
Land is owned by a Japanese, who has turned it over to BOB LORING to manage.
$541.00 due on lease April 1st; 3 year lease averages $28 per acre pay.
Masuda will transfer lease to Hickman for $541 paid in OCTOBER 1941, and Hickman will go ahead with plowing and planting of new tomatoe crop.

Action taken:*
Santa Ana Ford Corp., Orange - will go on Hickman's note, and Hickman can raise $541 by May 1st if 30 day extension granted.
Hickman advised to get name and address of Japanese owner and BOB LORING. This office will negotiate for 30-day extension on lease payment due APRIL 1st.

Handled by: Harold C Power

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: HARRY MASUNAGA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 37
(Street and Number)

STANTON, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: *

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

Name MASUNAGA, Harry
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 20 year Endowment policy with
SUN LIFE INS. CO. - $3000 - (3 yrs)
NEW YORK LIFE INS. CO. - $2000 - (8 yrs)
Policies have been in force several years. Premiums paid to date. Local agent suggests paying premiums for 3 years in advance before evacuation ordered. Should he comply with this suggestion?

Action taken:*

Premiums not due. Advised to keep cash for emergency use. Policies will not lapse, as cash value of some will carry them for considerable period. Before next premiums due, may be in position to pay some x will have cash restored in the meantime.

Handled by:
Harold C

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Los Angeles Branch
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April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: HARRY MASUNAGA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 37
(Street and Number)

STANTON, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MATSUNAGA, HARRY
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has Certificat of Ownership (Pink Slip) on
1940 DODGE 2-TON Truck - (Cat over engine model)

Will he be permitted to take truck with him when evacuated?

Has grocery & supply store business in STANTON, with approximately $20,000 in account receivable.
How can store property be handled? Will Rent.

Action taken:*

1st National Bank of Garden Grove willing to accept Power of Atty from MASUNAGA on Real Estate.
K. TAMURA, local Japanese Attorney is preparing Power of Atty agreement. Referred to U.S.E.S. for Travel Permit. Suggested Bank take over Accounts receivable, also.

Handled by:
Donald C. Power
Santa Ana

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Advised to sell Truck. Referred to truck buyers - JOHN ARDAIZ, Anaheim
W. W. WOODS, Santa Ana

Los Angeles Branch
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April 22 1942
(Date)

Name: HARRY MASUNAGA
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 37
(Street and Number)

Stanton, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MASUNAGA (Surname) HARRY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has large store which he is closing out this week. Wants to use abandoned store as storeroom for his own car and six others from this town. Wanted our permission to make these private deals.

Action taken:*

Assured him he was within his rights to make such deals in his own property.

Handled by: U. B. Hackett
Santa Cruz

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: SHIRO MATOBA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 245
(Street and Number)

Corona del Mar
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MATOBA (Surname) SHIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has checking account at Yokohoma Specie Bank ▽ Wants to know what outcome of this is to be.

Action taken:* Please give me some information regarding this type of blocked account by letter.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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April 9, 1942
(Date)

Name: SHIRO MATOBA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 245
(Street and Number)
Corona del Mar, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MATOBA (Surname) SHIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Called to receive information regarding blocked account in Yokahoma Specie Bank.

Action taken:*

Talked to Mr Bold this morning regarding this matter, and passed on information to evacuee.

Handled by: W. R. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
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Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: HARRY MATSUKANE
(Print)

Address: Rt 4 Box 562
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name MATSUKANE, Harry,
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Matsukane owns 30 acres truck crop land - No Buildings
Located on HAZARD AVE - 1/4 M.le West of Varanno, about
1½ miles South of Gardan Grove. 3/7 interest in Wall
Sandy Loam Soil - (small alkali patch near center) or adjacent 40 acres
Not now in crops - except: 9 acres Barley Hay, 4½ acres old cabbage;
50 crates Celery ready for harvest.
1st T.D. $6000 to Security 1st Nat'l Bank, Santa Ana Branch.
Payable $1000 per year - Interest @ 5% (Semi annually).
Oil Lease to Richfield Oil Co - $30 down and $300 due April 15, 1942
If no drilling in 120 days - additional $300 is payable.
Will sell this property - asking price $300 per acre - $9000; or $3000 for equity.

Action taken:*

Suggested Matsukane discuss property management and possible sale with FRANK WAS, Manager Security 1st Nat'l Bank, Santa Ana.
Power of Attorney should be given, and Mr. Was suggested as desirable person. Listed property with Farm Security Colonists for sale or lease. No immediate crop problem involved, as owner will soon harvest remaining celery.

Handled by:
Donald C. Ho

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: ARTHUR A. MAY
(Print)

Address: 730 So. BIRCH
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MAY (Surname) ARTHUR A (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: SAME.

Address: Business Office: 116 W. 3rd St.
Res. Phone: 5667
Telephone Number: Santa Ana: 1809

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Formerly MAY TRACTOR CO. - Sold Farm equipment to Japanese:

SAIGEKO NAKAYAMA - RFD#1, Garden Grove, Cal.
10-20 McCormick Deering - Rubber Tires - Sold as Rebuilt @ $350
Approximate Balance due on Lease Contract Note - $185.00.

Settled

S.H. MORI - RFD#1 Box 494, Westminster, Calif.
Model 10 Caterpillar - worth $550.
Balance on Note - $260
MAY Holds Pink Slip on 1936 Ford Truck as Additional Security

Both accounts are delinquent, but have been extended by May.

Action taken:*

Mr. May agreed to extend time on these contracts while Japanese are negotiating to sell their leases on Vegetable Crop land. Assured May that his interests would be protected and if property is sold, new tenant must pay up balance on these notes on equipment or assume these liens.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: SHIZUO MIKAWA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 439
(Street and Number)

Huntington Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MIKAWA, SHIZUO (George)
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: CLAUDE GRAHAM

Address: 228 Poplar Ave - Montebello, Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MIKAWA has evacuated. Left Power of Attorney in hands of Wm A. SCHONLE, Rte 1 Box 439 Huntington Beach. } as suggested by Federal Reserve Bank.

Schonle understands the proposed deal, and will complete lease when Graham has necessary funds.
Needs $1500 crop loan.

Action taken:*

Application for Crop loan prepared, and referred to Farm Security Administration.
Lee Riedel.

Handled by: Harold C. Foss

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: ~~George~~ SHIZUO MIKAWA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 438
(Street and Number)

Huntington Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MIKAWA (Surname) (George) SHIZUO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: CLAUDE GRAHAM

Address: 228 POPLAR AVE, Montebello, Calif

Telephone Number: UMON 11066 (Los Angeles)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

20 acres, SW Corner Graham and Wintersburg Streets.
Owned in fee by MIKAWA. Subject to Federal Land Bank loan $2700.00
Semi annual payments $120 including interest

Crops: 6 acres in celery; 1½ acres cabbage; ½ acre Beans.
Balance is ready for tomatoe planting.

Graham will take a lease "for duration".
Agreed to pay $2500 for 1st year rental and crop now in.
Will pay $1500 down and balance from crop.
GRAHAM'S sister owns adjoining 12 acres. All property will be handled together.

Action taken:*

Power of attorney suggested — Wm A. SCHONLE
Rt 1 Box 439
Huntington Beach.

Referred Graham to Federal Farm Security Administration and Orange County Production Credit Ass'n for financing this lease.
MIKAWA urged to give definite instruction in writing to SCHONLE before he leaves.

Handled by: _____
Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: C. MISHIZU
(Print)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Buena Park, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name C. MISHIZU
(Given) (Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This American born Japanese knowingly aided two aliens to break the law in the following manner: He accepted money from the aliens, and leased farm land in his own name and then allowed all bank accounts and business arrangements to be carried on in the name of one of the aliens, who has been interned. Now the creditors of the alien have attached the American's assets, and he wanted to know what could be done.

Action taken:*

I explained that he had no alternative other than to suffer the results inasmuch as he had knowingly and deliberately broken the law.

Handled by: V. B. Hadsell
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: SEIZO MITOBE
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 560-D
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MITOBE (Surname) SEIZO (Given)

Loan to S. TRIGEROS

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 acres on N. Sugar st., 1/2 mile E of Harbor Blvd.
3 miles west of Santa Ana. Buying on contract of sale.
Deed held by H.E. Head, Atty., Santa Ana.
2 acres in strawberries. Home and equipment.
3 acres in truck crops.
Selling strawberry crop and leasing land to
S. TRIGEROS.
Rte 3, Box 638
Santa Ana.
(Federal Security Administration making loan to TRIGEROS

Action taken:*

Louis JACOBER, former owner of this property. (Rte 4, Santa Ana) suggested as proper party to take Power of Atty. to make collections on lease and make payments to H.E. Head. Suggested lease be drawn by Mr. Head; will require approval of Farm Security Administration.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-4-24
(Date)

Name: MIYADA, RAGIU
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: P.O. Box 17
(Street and Number)

Corona del Mar Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese National

Name MIYADA (Surname) Ragiu (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person interviewed: Geo. Miyada

Address: same as above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has GMC 1941 1¼ ton Truck, gone less than 3000 miles
Balance $660.00 all due 6/27/42
which they expect to be able to pay.
Problem is what to do with the truck
before evacuation

Action taken:*

Advised to sell if they could obtain an equitable price.
Told that the truck could be stored with the Bank if they do not want to sell

Handled by: E.D. Bramlage

Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana Office

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: LEONARD Miyawaki
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 356
(Street and Number)
GARDEN GROVE, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name Miyawaki (Surname) LEONARD (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

M. Corfus and KRISTAN C. BRUNO are taking over loan on 14 acres truck crops.
Desire to purchase farming equipment for $425, and offer note for this amount.
MIYAWAKI owes Farm Security $700 on prior loan.
LUNDEEN, of Farm Security, does not want $425 note, and cannot credit MIYAWAKI on basis of transfer of obligation to new tenants.

Action taken:*

Refers to Lee Siedell, Farm Security Admin. for possible loan on crops and equipment to refinance original loan.

Handled by:
Daniel C. Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

TOSHIKAWZU

Name: LEANORD MIYAWAKI
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✗

Address: 139 N. HUNTINGTON AVE
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✗
Minor:
Male: ✗
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name MIYAWAKI, T. LEANORD
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: MRS. G.B. KENDALL

Address: P.O. Box 628 Riverside, Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Kendall holds promissory note from MIYAWAKI due Jan 1, 1938 - Balance due approx. $100 with interest. Atty. A.W. RUTAN, 1st Nat'l Bank Bldg, has note for collection. How can Mrs. Kendall protect this account and enforce collection?

Action taken:*

Advised to see Atty. Rutan at once, regarding proper steps to secure judgement on note and file attachment on some asset of MIYAWAKI. All property will be left here when evacuation is ordered; and attachment on same can be levied.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Name (Surname) (Given)

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Leanord Miyawaki
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 356
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
M. Corpus and Kristan C. Bruno are taking over lease on 14 acres truck crops
Desire to purchase farming equipment for $425, and offer note for this amount.
Miyawaki owes Farm Security $700 on prior loan.
Lundeen, of Farm Security, does not want $425 note, and cannot credit Miyawaki on basis of transfer of obligations to new tenants.

Action taken:*
Referred to Lee Siedell, Farm Security Admin. for possible loan on crops and equipment to refinance original loan.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones
Santa Cruz

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif

5-16
(Date)

Name: MIYAWAKI, TOSHIKAWZU LEONARD
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 139 N Huntington Ave
(Street and Number)

Garden City Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese Amer.

Name MIYAWAKI (Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ✓

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

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

Person Interviewed: Herb Alleman

Address: Otis Bldg, Santa Ana

Telephone Number: 5555

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to reports of April 1st and May 7th re forclosure proceedings being instituted by First Federal Savings & Loan Assn. There is also a 2nd deed of trust on the property to Santora Co. of Santa Ana for $820.00

MIYAWAKI has given power of attorney to Herb Alleman, realtor, to handle this property.

Action taken:*

Contacted both 1st & 2nd trust deed holders to get least amount necessary to put these leins in good standing. Cooperating with Mr Alleman, who has rented the house, succeeded arranging "new deal" (Miyawaki borrowed $150.00) and property now in good position for duration

Handled by:

E J Bramlage
Field Representative

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Alleman even has cash reserve for payments that will come due

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif.

5-7-42
(Date)

LEONARD

Name: MIYAWAKI TOSHIKAWZV (Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 139 N. Huntington ave (Street and Number)
Garden City, Calif (City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese Amer

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:

Reference is made to report of April 1st on this case

Mr. Miyawaki came in again to say that the First Federal Savings & Loan Assn. who hold the first Deed of Trust, have started foreclosure by filing notice of default

Wanted to know what he could do

Action taken:*

asked him to return in a day or two, and I would get some more information on the case

Handled by:
E. P. Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: TOSHIKAWZU MIYAWAKI
(Print)

Address: 139 HUNTINGTON AVE
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Date of last entry into United States: American born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: RAY RADDANT, Mgr
Address: 1st Federal Savings & Loan Ass'n
123 W. 5th St. Santa Ana
Telephone Number: SANTA ANA 2901

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MIYAWAKI is owner of 3 Lots, improved with 1 House at above address.
1st Trust Deed to 1st Federal Savings and Loan Assn.
Balance of loan $761.33 Payable $12 No. incl. interest.
Property appraised Feb. 1939, (for loan) @ $1600.

How can arrangements be made to continue payments. Owner does not wish to sell, but will rent house.

Action taken:*

Suggested Raddant take Power of Attorney from MIYAWAKI, with authority to lease or rent property, pay taxes and T.D. ~~receipts, and forward~~ installments from balance to MIYAWAKI.
Raddant believes property can be rented without difficulty. Ask MIYAWAKI to call at this office if not satisfied with this arrangement.

Handled by:
Arnold C Jones

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Name MIYAWAKI, T. (Surname) (Given)

Ray Raddant - T.D. lien

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. S. MIZUGUCHI
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 25
(Street and Number)
Corner Pacific and Chestnut Sts
STANTON, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male:
Female: ×
Citizenship: US.

Name MIZUGUCHI (Surname) MRS. S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Lemenean Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

House and lot at NE corner of Pacific and Chestnut St. STANTON, Calif.
Lot Purchased from { J. S. Pendergast Estate / 1076 Brookside Ave / Redlands, Calif. } in 1939 - for $300.00.
One balance of $130. Payable $15 per month.
House approximately $1000. on lot time punctual.
Purchased through Mrs. Ed. Stafford, Staton.

Action taken:*

Recommended that Power of attorney be given to Mrs. Stafford to handle this property for MIZUGUCHI. Suggested Sale if possible, otherwise rent or lease. Write to Pendergast, advising him of present efforts to dispose of equity.

Handled by: David C. Faus

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501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California
March 26, 1942

J. S. Pendergast
1076 Brookside Avenue
Redlands, California

Dear Sir:

Mrs. S. Mizuguchi of Stanton, California has contacted this office relative to the disposition of her property upon which you hold a lien.

It is our understanding that Mrs. Mizuguchi purchased a lot from you located at the Northeast corner of Pacific and Chestnut Streets, Stanton, for $300 in 1939. The balance due on this lot is $130, which is being paid in monthly installments of $15.00.

Since purchase the lot has been improved with a frame dwelling costing approximately $1,000 which has been paid for in full.

If these facts are correct as represented to us, it is obvious that there is a substantial equity in the property.

We have recommended that Mrs. Mizuguchi make every effort to sell this property at once and give Power of Attorney to some local individual or bank to handle the transaction if necessary. Mrs. Ed Stafford of Stanton has been suggested as an agent in this matter.

We will be glad to cooperate with you in any way to liquidate these assets for Mrs. Mizuguchi.

Yours very truly,

Donald C. Jones, Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. MIZUGUCHI
(Print)

Address: P O Box 25
(Street and Number)

STANTON, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MIZUGUCHI (Surname) S (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has problem of leasing of house and collection of rents during evacuation.

Action taken:*

Called bank for information regarding reputable real estate broker in Stanton, and referred principal to broker.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. SHIZUYE MIZUGUCHI
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Box 25
(Street and Number)
Stanton, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name MIZUGUCHI (Surname) MRS. SHIZUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reference is made to report of April 11th.
Called to say lessee will sign lease for use of her house during evacuation if she will bring a lease to him. Arranged with local Japanese lawyer to draw lease for very nominal sum. Called back to say everything was completed.

Action taken:*

Case closed.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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J. S. PRENDERGAST
PRESIDENT

PRENDERGAST ESTATE, INC.
1076 BROOKSIDE AVENUE
REDLANDS, CALIFORNIA

March 28, 1942

Mr. Donald C. Jones, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
501 West Fifth St.,
Santa Ana, California.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 26th relative to Mrs. Gladys S. Mizuguchi of Stanton the balance due us is $139.32 plus interest at 6% from August 26th, 1941 and taxes of $13.23 for fiscal 1941-42.

She has made no payment since October, 1941, when she made the $15 payment due in August.

Yours truly,

J. S. Prendergast

MIZUGUCHI, Mrs. Gladys S.

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Name: FRANK MIZUSAWA
(Print)

Address: Rt. I — Box 112-A
(Street and Number)
Garden Grove Cal.
(City) (State)

M
Male
Female
Citizen

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

(Given) BANK

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case regards lease which has been reported on previously.

Came in to say satisfactory lease has been arranged.

Action taken:*

Case closed.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, [illegible]
(Date)

Name: FRANK S. MIZUSAWA
(Print)

Address: Rt. 1 Box 112-A
(Street and Number)
Gardena Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

FRANK S. (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns 25 acres at 17th and Harbor Blvd., So. of Gardena Grove
Improved with 2-7 Room Houses, 2 Barns, sheds, glassed green house
3 tractors, full set of farm implements, Water Well.
1st T.D. - $5000 @ 5% - due 1948 - 1st Nat'l Bank of Santa Ana
2nd T.D. - $2700 @ 5% - payable $540 annually - W. S. Thompson - % Bank.
15 acres more in celery, requiring daily attention, should harvest
$800 to $1000 per acre gross selling price.
Will Sell @ $21,500 Fred M. Mizusawa, (Brother)
Has fee title.
Wants to go to Butte County on 2300 acre lease.

Action taken:*

Suggested property be listed for sale with local realtors;
Power of Attorney to Walter O. Hill, former owner, recommended
A.J. Mosher, 3050 E. Slauson, Huntington Park, Rec Butte Co. Census;
Suggested discussion with 1st Nat'l Bank as to possibility of
leasing to reliable truck farmer, payments to be made to Bank
Listed with Farm Security Administration for prospective purchaser

Handled by: Donald C. Fisher

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 28. 1942
(Date)

Name: MINORU MIZUSAWA
(FREDS) (Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 112A
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MIZUSAWA (Surname)

Fred S. MINORU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Owns 24 acres at 17th and Harbor Blvd.
Has prepared a lease for 1 year covering same @ $840 rental.
$320 - May 1st and balance $20 per month.
6 acres vacant - balance is in celery, lac cabbage + Romaine
2-7-Room houses. 1 House is now rented. Other available for rent.
Will consider offer on celery crop - (approximately 6 acres now ready for harvest.)
and give lease to party buying crop.
MIZUSAWA has been drafted - leaves for ARMY within few days.

Action taken:*
D. K. Wilkinson, Rte 1, Box 580, interviewed regarding this lease.
Will inspect crop and may make offer.
Power of Attorney will be given to Walter O. Hill
Lease as prepared by Frank S. MIZUSAWA (Brother) is apparently in good order.
Referred to Farm Security Administration for prospective buyers.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Referred to Lloyd Hulbert for listing.

Los Angeles Branch
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March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Frank S. MIZUSAWA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Rte 1 Box 112-A
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name MITZUSAWA (Surname) FRED and FRANK. S. (Given) MINORO

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: _____

Fred M. MIZUSAWA. Brother.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Own 25 acres at 17th and HARBOR Blvd.
15 acres now in Celery - 10 acres harvested - New plantings now.

Liens - 1st Trust Deed - 1st Nat'l Bank of Santa Ana - $5000. - 5% - due 1948.
2nd Trust Deed - W. S. THOMPSON (% 1st Nat'l Bank of Santa Ana) - $2700 - 5% - 500 year
$7,700

2 Houses - 7 Rooms each
Garages - Barn, Packing House, Tool Sheds,
Green House - 34 x 120 - glassed in - $2300.
ASKING PRICE: $21,500

Water Well - 60".
All piped for irrigation.
Total invested in Improvements $7500.

Farm Equipment:
RD-2 Caterpillar & Implements $3300. - $600 Balance 1941
McCormick Deering - T-20 - 1000 - 1939
Farm-All Tractor & Attach - 1300 - 1941.
Implements - Grader & Levelled - 400.
2 Spray Rigs - (1000' hose) 350.

Action taken:*

Walter O. Hill - former owner
A. J. MESMER - 3050 E. Slauson ~~Los Angeles~~. Huntington Park.
Owns property in Butte Co.
Month exchange.
Can harvest all Celery by June 1st

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK S. MIZUSAWA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 112-A
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Name MIZUSAWA, (Surname) FRANK S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Owns 25 acres at 17th and Harbor Blvd, So. of Garden Grove
Improved with 2-7 Room Houses, 2 Barns, sheds, glassed green house
3 tractors, full set of farm equipment. Water Well.
1st T.D. - $5000 @ 5% - due 1948 - 1st Nat'l Bank of Santa Ana
2nd T.D. - $2700 @ 5% - pays $500 annually - W.S. Thompson - C/o Home Bank.
15 acres now in celery, requiring daily attention, should harvest
$800 to $1000 per acre gross selling price.

Will Sell @ $21,500

Fred M. MIZUSAWA, (Brother)
has fee title to 25 acres.
has $2300 acre lease

Wants to go to Butte County on

Action taken:*

Suggested property be listed for sale with local realtors;
Power of Attorney to Walter O. Hill, former owner, recommended.
A.J. MESMER, 3050 E. SLAUSON, Huntington Park, Has Butte Co. Acreage.
Suggested discussion with 1st Nat'l Bank as to possibility of
leasing to reliable truck farmer, payments to be made to bank.
Listed with Farm Security Administration for prospective purchaser

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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3/26 Letter to D.K. WILKINSON
Rte 1 Box 580 Garden Grove

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRED MIZUSAWA
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 112-A
(Street and Number)
Garden Grove Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MIZUSAWA (Surname) FRED (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to inquire about deposit he has with Yokahama Specie Bank, and the probability of receiving a disbursement.

Action taken:*

Explained operation of conservator and method of distribution to him.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: Yoshio H. Mori
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 194
(Street and Number)

Westminster, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name Mori, Yoshio H.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Leases 30 acres - S½ NW¼ NW¼ and N½ N½ SW¼ NE¼ of Sec 2, T5S R11W.
Located on Golden West Street, ⅛ Mi So of Garden Grove Blvd.
Lease expired Nov 21, 1941
3 Houses and Barn are property of Mori.
And Mori is staying on as month-to-month tenant.
Pays $12.50 month lease rent. Rent Paid to May 21st
Western Trust & Savings Bank, 130 E. 1st St., Long Beach, agent for owner, request Bill of Sale on improvements and possession of property.

Action taken:*

Advised Mori to write Bank stating he would remain in the house until evacuated. He would give Bill of Sale on improvements if land owners wish to purchase same, otherwise he will sell to outside buyer, buildings to be removed after he is evacuated. Rent paid to May 21st. He has ample time to keep possession of improvements.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 9, 1942
(Date)

Name: E. MORIMOTO
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 896
(Street and Number)
Buena Park Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MORIMOTO E.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1907

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: ~~Japanese~~

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Had situation involving debt of $130.00 to the Canning Milling Co. of Haywood, and accounts receivable of $164.00 which he offered in payment. Creditor refused this offer. Asked me what we would suggest.

Action taken:*

Called Milling Company who gave me story of one creditor which agrees to pay $72.00 claim, and financial is to make up difference in cash and pay creditor in full. Report on this made to Mr. Watkins.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: MOTOYOSHI SATO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 489-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SATO (Surname) MOTOYOSHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has lease with ~~Montana~~ Land Co. of Long Beach, which involves 810 ~~thous~~ of labor with tractor. Lease, however, prevents sub-leasing, except by consent of ~~Montana~~ Land Co. Every ~~fatly~~ ~~Sato~~ sends to discuss the Subleasing terms is turned down by land company.

Action taken:* Called in Farm Bureau ~~representative~~ who is to make effort to obtain satisfactory lesson. Have called Sato's attorney who will call on me tomorrow. Will report later on this case.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: CHURO MUKAI
(Print)

Address: Rte 1, Box 450-B.
(Street and Number)

Huntington Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MUKAI (Surname) CHIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Resident of U.S. for past 25 years.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: HITOSHI MUKAI
Address: Same as abv. - (SON)
Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Chevrolet Town Sedan, Deluxe Model - 1941 ($985.29 incl Tax)
Purchased from B.J. MacMullen, Chevrolet Dealer, Santa Ana, 6/9/41.
Contract purchase - Balance payable $250.00 May 1st 1942
228.42 Oct. 1st 1942
Insurance Paid in full in Contract.

Assessed Value: Land 5.82 acres - $1165.
Imps - 1733

SON and DAUGHTER
Owns 10 acres in Huntington Beach:
N 320 ft & 980 ft E 792 Ft of SE 1/4 NW 1/4 Sec 27, TWP 5S; R 11W.
located on EDWARDS STREET, South of Westminster Ave. No crops planted.
Improved with House, barn, Rat house, garage; domestic well; Irrigation well.
Leased land to Bert T. GOTHARD, Santa Ana @ $50 per acre for 1 year.
MRS. W.F. WOLLENBERG - 160 8th St. Garden Grove - Phone Garden Grove 5161
has Contract on land.

Action taken:*
TOM POTTS, West 38th Place, Los Angeles, is old friend of family.
Suggested Power of Attorney to Potts; limited to rental of House.
MRS WOLLENBERG agrees to take Power of Attorney on land. Lease with
Gothard is closed; Rent is paid in advance.
Suggested MUKAI pay Balance on Contract for Chevrolet and
have certificate of ownership transfered from father to Son's name, as
Son desires to pay Balance.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: H. MUKAI
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Address: Rte 1 Box 450-B
(Street and Number)

Huntington Beach, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name MUKAI (Surname) H. (Given)

BAD CHECK? James C DOMENICO.

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

James C. DOMENICO has signed check for $340.00 on Citizens National Bank of Riverside. Dated San Bernardino, Cal. March 18, 1942
Huntington Beach Bank reports check not good, and phone call to Riverside Bank says "No account for DOMENICO".
Check in payment for tomatoe crop to be delivered this week. Tomatoes not yet delivered.

Action taken:*

Referred to Orange County Sheriff's office for check up on DOMENICO. George Franzen, Chief Criminal Deputy, Notified
Told MUKAI to hold tomatoe crop

Handled by:
Donald C Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: HITOSHI MUKAI
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Rte 1 Box 450-B
(Street and Number)

Huntington Beach, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name MUKAI, (Surname)

HITOSHI. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MUKAI owns 5 acres truck crop land, which he has leased @ $50 per acre per year.
Has given Power of Atty to: TOM POTTS
W. 38th Street
Los Angeles,
to make collections and pay interest on T.D. and Taxes.
Has stored equipment and personal property in shed on property. Insurance company has cancelled policy and does not want to cover for fire, theft.

Action taken:*

Suggested MUKAI contact other insurance company agents locally to place this coverage. If refused, refer to POTTS, who can secure ~~f~~ insurance coverage under Power of Attorney.

Handled by:
Donald C Jones
Sacto Ana Office

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: MISS M. MURADA
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 26
(Street and Number)
Stanton, Calif.
(City), (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MURADA (Surname) MISS M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to say her father has been sued by Food Machinery Corp. for a child washing machine on deal exactly like the Sato deal reported on today. Asked our help.

Action taken:*

Told her to have her attorney contact us.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: SABURO ~~[illegible]~~ MURAOKA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: P.O. Box 67
(Street and Number)

STANTON, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name MURAOKA, (Surname) SABURO (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:

1st Nat'l Bank of Garden Grove (MUNROE or SCHAUER) has 1st Trust Deed for $300 on Japanese School House at STANTON, TITLE HELD BY FRANK Y. TAKENAGA. Building is 40 x 80. Could be used for storage of Japanese property.

Building located at N.E. corner MAIN and COURT St., STANTON.

OTHER Japanese School Buildings at Garden Grove, Irvine, Anaheim, Winterburg, Japanese Church. On Court Highway - S. of Corona del Mar.

Action taken:*

Will call Munroe, at Garden Grove Bank, relative to possible lease of this Bldg to Government for Warehouse storage.

Bank has TITLE to property now

Frank Munroe says will lease to Govt of Insurance on Bldg can be secured

Handled by: _____

Dandd C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif

5-4-42
(Date)

Name: MURAOKA, SHIRO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1238 E. 42nd Place
(Street and Number)

Los Angeles, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name MURAOKA (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1923

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:

Muraoka is registered to be evacuated this week from the Civil Control station at 835 So. Central L.A. He originally belonged in this area but moved so that he could go with his people living at the above adress. His furniture is at present stored at Stanton which is not far from Santa Ana.

Problem: How to get his stuff picked up in an area which is not evacuated as yet, i.e. the area including Santa Ana & Stanton.

Action taken:*

Advised him to fill out the proper papers with our representative at the So. Central St. Control station before evacuation. Since this Santa Ana area is to be evacuated soon, we can pick up his furniture then.

Handled by:
E. L. Bramlage
Field Represen

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5-8-4x
(Date)

Name: MURATA MRS
(Print)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: Japanese - Natl.

Name MURATA (Surname) MRS (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:

Mrs Murata ~~owns~~ a house on leased land for which she is offered $50.00 by the owner of the land. She wants + expected $70.00

There was never a written agreement regarding the lessee's right to remove the house after termination of the tenancy. Hence her rights very indefinite.

Action taken:*

Advised that under the circumstances it might be better to accept the Compromise offer of $50.00

Handled by: _____
E. P. Gormley
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. MURATA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 26
(Street and Number)

STANTON, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✗

Adult: ✗
Minor:
Male: ✗
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name MURATA, S.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Prior to 1925

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: S.B. KAUFMAN

Address: 205 Bank of America Bldg

Telephone Number: ANAHEIM 3218

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Murata is in Concentration Camp - to be released on parole. Large property interests in Orange County. Has Bank account in 1st National Bank of Garden Grove. Balance probably $1600.

No notification that this is a Blocked National Account. Can checks be drawn to settle accounts payable? Kaufman has been attorney for MURATA family for years.

Action taken:*

Suggested Kaufman confer with Frank Monroe, Pres of Bank; if account not blocked, MURATA should pay bills in normal way with checks over his usual signature.

Strongly advised Kaufman to secure Power of Attorney from MURATA by mail, to dispose many affairs here.

Handled by:
David C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. N. NAGAISHI
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 652
(Street and Number)
Huntington Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

NAGAISHI (Surname)
MRS. N (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: PAUL NAGAMATSU

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Called to explain following problem faced by Mrs. Nagaishi - Her husband has been interned in Montana. He had sent notarized power of attorney to her, but Security-First National Bank in Huntington Beach had refused to recognize it, and refused her access to safety deposit box rented to her husband. She wishes to obtain pink slip from box, as she wishes to sell the family automobile. Asked our help.

Action taken:*

I called manager by telephone and discussed matter with him. He finally agreed to open box in his presence and will allow her to take pink slip. Later I received a telephone call from Nagamatsu saying everything was alright.

Handled by: N. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK NAGAMATSU
(Print)

Address: Rte 3 Box 483
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name NAGAMATSU, FRANK
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Leases 121 acres from Pittsburgh Plate Glass Co
" 60 acres from Boswell, Agents - Anaheim.

Is negotiating transfer of lease to Americans now.

Can he proceed with transfer of lease without further license or permit to operate.

Can he travel to Fullerton - Anaheim district to arrange details?

Action taken:*

Advised Nagamatsu to proceed with his transaction and close deal if possible. Restriction on travel not considered to apply to Orange County as yet. Offered services of this office to help close lease transfers.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Cal.
5-5-42
(Date)

Name: NAGAMATSU, PAUL
(Print)

Address: RT. 1, Box 65
(Street and Number)
Huntington Beach Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name NAGAMATSU (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:

Mr Nagamatsu has an oral contract with a chili company for the purchase of his chile pepper crop. He is to be paid over a 6 months period, 1/6th each month. He wanted to know if it was necessary to have this in writing

Action taken:*

Advised that perhaps it was not altogether necessary, but that it would be highly advisable. Certainly a letter stating the terms of the contract would certainly be better evidence than an oral contract or understanding.

Handled by:
E J Bromage
Field Representative

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

4/20/42
(Date)

Name: Nagansu (Surname) Frank (Given)

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

Del Rey (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Frank Nagansu

Address: P. O. Box 145

Telephone Number: 46-N Del Rey

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Nagansu called and stated that he had purchased a Butane Tank and equipment from Windolph Bros., of Santa Anna, California, that the purchase price was about $150.00, that balance owing was $71.00 @ $11.00 per momth and that he had received notice from the Bank of America at Santa Anna that they wanted the balance in full.

He stated that he wished to keep the mdse. and was fully able to pay it out as agreed. He lives in Zone 2.

Action taken:*

Told Nagansu I saw no reason why he could not continue his payments under the circumstances and informed him I would submit his case to our Santa Anna office, 501 West 5th Street.

Handled by:

Directed to file:

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-5-42
(Date)

Name: NAKAMURA, AYAKO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 2555 So Main St
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Cal
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: Japanese Amer.

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ✓

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

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

Person Interviewed: Yoshimi, Lilly

Address: 2555 Main St

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to report Santa Ana Field Representative under date of March 30th.

At that time Miss Nakamura expected no difficulty in renting the property in question, but it appears there are no ready takers, and the property is not rented as yet. They are worried about their ability to to keep up the payments to Mr. Frank Gross, the mortgage holder. Mr Gross has already agreed to accept a power of attorney to take care of the property for them.

Action taken:*

Advised to see Mr Gross at once to discuss an arrangement looking to waiving the payments until a satisfactory renter is secured

Handled by:
E L Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Miss AYAKO NAKAMURA
(Print)

Address: 2555 So. Main St.
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name NAKAMURA, AYAKO
(Surname) (Given)

Frank Gross - Contract of Sale

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Lily Yoshimi

Address: Same as above. (Santa Ana)

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns Store building and lot at above address.
(Westly 125 ft of Lot 35, Tract 159, Santa Ana)

Purchased from:
FRANK GROSS
2029 S. Ross Street
Santa Ana. Calif.

Payments $25.00 per month.
Has paid 41 months, plus cash down (Amount not known) at date of purchase.

Desire to rent or lease premises, but not sell.

J. PARLEY Smith, Attorney
Sprague Building — is friend of family.

Asking $40 Month
3 year lease
Will sell fixtures for $300.

Action taken:*

Suggested either gross or Smith be given Power of Attorney, restricted to leasing of premises, collecting rents, paying, or contract, taxes and upkeep of premises. Any balance in income to be credited to NAKAMURA.

Suggested agreement be made with GROSS to handle rental and extend Contract of purchase, if necessary. Equity can be protected. Gross reported to be agreeable to extension if interest is paid.

Handled by: Donald C. Dower

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 21, 1942
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: KAY NAKAMURA
(Print)

Address: Rte 2 Box 94-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: x 21 yrs - 4/29/42
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U.S.

Name NAKAMURA, (Surname) KAY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: A. NAKAMURA (MINOR BROTHER)

Address: Rte 2 Box 94A Santa Ana

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

'36 International pick-up truck, in father's name
'39 Dodge sedan - Contract held by Pacific Finance, L.A.
Wants to pay up balance on Contract on Dodge and use both autos to move family.
Father is Japanese National, now in TUJUNGA Concentration camp.

Action taken:*
Suggested secure signed application blank from father giving consent to transfer of title in autos to daughter; Then pay up balance on Contract on Dodge and secure Pink slip for same from finance Company.

Handled by:
[signature]
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

JB

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. NAKAYAMA
(Print)

Address: Rto 1 Box 99
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calf.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name NAKAYAMA, S.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Appears from Japanese

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:

15 acre lease on B.B. Stahmiller property, located on Newhope, North of 17th Street, Garden Grove.

Has loan from Farm Security Administration: LUNDGREN

Inland Fertilizer Company, (G.C. DANFORD, Mgr.) has written letter dated March 17, 1942 to NAKAYAMA demanding payment

Lease has expired. Debts owed exceed present value of improvements and crops.

Action taken:*

Suggested interview with Lundgren re demands of Inland Fertilizer Company. Judgment of a Justice Court would be required before creditors could attach any personal property. Suggested interview with Stahmiller re Power of Atty. to close up affairs.

Handled by: David C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: SAIGENO NAKAYAMA
(Print)

Address: RFD #1 Box 291
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name NAKAYAMA (Surname) SAIGENO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?: General license 68-A

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

Person interviewed: Arthur A. MAY

Address: 116 W. 3rd St. Santa Ana, Calif

Telephone Number: Res.- 1809 Office - 5667

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Nakayama is purchasing a 10-20 McCormick-Deering Tractor from May on Lease Contract Note - Balance due 4/15th

If Nakayama desires to sell this tractor, or transfer his land lease, how can transaction be handled to protect May.

Action taken:*

New tenant on Nakayama lease is paying sufficient cash to settle all accounts-
May will receive balance in full for on tractor and should deliver Bill of Sale to new owner.
No restriction on doing business with Japanese

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: SAIGEKO NAKAYAMA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1, Box 99
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: ARTHUR A. MAY

Address: 730 S. BIRCH St.

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 1809

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MRS. NAKAYAMA has lease on 15 acres located on New Hope Road, North of 17th Street, Garden Grove district.

Contract of Sale on 10-20 McCormick Deering rubber tired tractor Sold as rebuilt for approximately $350. Balance on Contract $185.00

MAY is willing to allow NAKAYAMA to keep tractor on premises, but in event of evacuation, wants to know what protection he has on this account.

Action taken:*

Advised to report lien on tractor to Farm Security Administration. New tenant on this lease - (if one is secured) will either pay balance due or make arrangement with MAY to assume Contract. MAY advised he can take tractor in event of evacuation, unless definite arrangements are completed with him.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

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JH

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK NISHIO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview*

Address: Rte 1 Box 686
(Street and Number)

WHITTIER, CAL
(City) (State)

Adult*
Minor:
Male:*
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: KENNETH KESSLER
Address: E. OCEAN AVE
LA HABRA, Calif.
Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

NISHIO has lease on 40 acres of A. TOUSSEAU property - Dorothy Lane, W. of Raymond Ave, FULLERTON

8 acres Summer Squash
10 acres Lima Beans (2 yr old Vines)
20 acres Tomatoes
NOT IRRIGATED

} asks $1300 cash for crops in ground and transfer of lease.

Also has lease on 20 acres at his home place - East Whittier.
4½ acres onions
4½ acres cucumbers
3½ acres cabbage & Beans

Lease - $400 per year

Kessler desires to make loan on above to finance purchase of lease from NISHIO

Action taken:*

Referred to Farm Security Administration re possibility of getting crop loan.
Referred to local bank for loan on TOUSSEAU lease, unirrigated.
Suggested NISHIO be advised to contact WHITTIER office re disposition of his home place near Whittier.

Handled by:
[signature]
Senior Agent Officer

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: ATSUSHI NARITOKU
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 520
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Name NARITOKU (Surname) ATSUSHI (Given)

Lease to CANCHOLA

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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: OWNS PROPERTY CLEAR
Is leasing 10 acres on Veranno St., 1/4 Mi South of Winterburg St., abut 1½ miles N.E. of TALBERT., lease is to John B. CANCHOLA, who will live on property and take over implements.
First National Bank of Garden Grove, Handler account.
Mr. Monroe, Mgr.
Celery and Youngberries on property.
House, 2 tractors; implements included in lease.

Action taken:*
Recommended that 1st National Bank of Garden Grove, or Mr. Monroe be given Power of Attorney to handle NARITOKU property. Suggested drawing lease in escrow at Bank. Terms of lease discussed and approved. Necessity for definite payments on lease rent explained.

Handled by: Arnold C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRED NIEBLAS
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Address: P.O. Box 46
(Street and Number)

EL TORO CALIF.
(City) (State)

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

Name NIEBLAS, Fred
(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:

TADAO KAWARATANI Lease on 60 acres of Santa Margarita Ranch - Trabuco Canyon. Payable $12.50 acre per year. $500 paid - $250 owed.
60 x 12.50 = $750.

Bldgs - 1900.
Flume - 550
Barley - 133
5 acres 1 yr Strawberries } 1750
3 acres 2 yr strawberries } 600

2 mules @ $100
Rent - 500
Land Work - 130
Strawberry Plants - 66.

Total Deal $5730.63
Water - 40" @ 60¢ hour.

Can borrow money from brother to purchase lease.
Can he finance property management? Does he have to purchase houses?

Action taken:*
Suggested he contact Production Credit Assn for crop loan to mature crops. Can probably borrow on his own place if necessary.
Suggested he offer to rent buildings for duration of lease, since Jap wants to return after war's close.
Ask KAWARATANI to come in for interview if he cannot close deal.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: FRANK NISHIO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 1 Box 686
(Street and Number)
WHITTIER, CAL
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name NISHIO, (Surname) FRANK (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: KENNETH KEESLER
Address: E. OCEAN AVE
LA HABRA, Calif.
Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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20 acres Tomatoes
NOT IRRIGATED

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Also has lease on 20 acres at his Home place - East Whittier.
4½ acres onions
4½ acres cucumbers
3½ acres cabbage & Beans.
Lease - $400 per year.

Action taken:*

Kesler desires to make loan on above to finance purchase of lease from NISHIO

Referred to Farm Security Administration re possibility of getting crop loan.
Referred to local bank for loan on TOUSSEAU lease, unirrigated.
Suggested NISHIO be advised to contact WHITTIER office re disposition of his home place near Whittier.

Handled by:
David C. Jones
Santa Ana Office

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: BEN NISHIYAMA
(Print)

Address: R Box 171-A
(Street and Number)
Westminster, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name NISHIYAMA (Surname) BEN (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has lease on farm land, with 2½ years yet to run. Lessee has agreed to cancel lease, and pay $300.00 for crop, which is agreeable to evacuee.

Action taken:* Told evacuee to be sure to have cancellation of lease put in writing.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. NISHIYAMA
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 171-A
(Street and Number)
Westminster, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Reference is made to ~~this~~ report on this case as of April 8th.
Came in to report money for crop. $300.00 will be paid on Friday, and cancellation of lease, in writing will be given at same time.

Action taken:*

Case closed

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. NISHIYAMA
(Print)

Address: Rt. I - Box 171-A
(Street and Number)
Westminster Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name NISHIYAMA (Surname) S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has problem of drawing lease for use and storage of farm equipment by sub-lessee of farm land.

Action taken:*

Assisted him with suggestions for his protection.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. NISHIYAMA
(Print)

Address: Rte 1, Box 171-A
(Street and Number)

Westminster, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✗
Interview:

Adult: ✗
Minor:
Male: ✗
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name NISHIYAMA (Surname) S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: MR. WILLIAMS

Address: L.A. Branch - Federal Reserve Bank

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Nishiyama leases 18 acres truck crop land at above address from
CHARLES B. WALTON
Rte 1 - Box 160 (?)
Westminster, Calif.
Has deal ready to close with American Farmer
Walton refuses to permit new tenant to take over.
Call Williams April 3 if Walton is contacted.

Action taken:*

Write letter to Walton - request he contact this office immediately. Contact Walton by phone if possible. Find out why Walton refuses to allow Japanese to transfer this lease.
Information Reports No Phone

Handled by: David E. Lores

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-4-42
(Date)

Name: NISHIYAMA, S.
(Print)

Address: Rt 1, Box 171 A
(Street and Number)
Westminster, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name NISHIYAMA, S.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person interviewed: Chas B Walton
Address: Westminster Blvd near Garden Grove Ave
~~Telephone Number~~: Westminster, Calif

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to previous report on this case dated April 3, 1942:-
Upon examination of lease Walton to Nishiyama find a clause requiring Walton's consent to any transfer to a new lessee.
Inasmuch as Walton wanted first chance at taking back his own land, he is logical successor to Nishiyama. Walton hostile to any other arrangement. Willing to pay $300.00 for the crop. Farm Security man says not worth more.

Action taken:*

Brought Walton together with Farm Security representative to arrange for a $300.00 loan. When this is approved, Nishiyama will be offered this amount for the crop on Walton's land.
It will be necessary for Nishiyama to obtain someone else to take over the other 40 acres leased by ~~Nishiyama~~ him.

Handled by: E D Bramlage

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Santa Ana Office

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. NISHIYAMA
(Print)

Address: Rt 1, Box 171-A
(Street and Number)
Westminster, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name NISHIYAMA, S.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 3 year lease from Estate of Ida Maussnest, represented by Atty A. E. Woodcraft, 639 Spring st., L.A., on 40 acres adv Eucalyptus ave and Garden Grove Blvd.
Has 3 year lease on 18 acres from C. B. Walton. (See letter)
Walton refuses to transfer lease to new tenant Sylvester Farmer, applicant for Farm Security loan, taking over leases, crop and equipment @ $1300 cash.
Walton refuses to take rent of $112.50 (quarter Payment) due March 30.

Action taken:*
Robert Windolph, 1302 S. Garnsey, Phone Santa Ana 2527-J suggested for Power of Atty to close this lease deal in event NISHIYAMAS leaves before closing.
Letter to Walton, requesting Re come in to discuss the transfer of lease. Field man for Bank to call on Walton.

Handled by:
Donald C Jones

*Attach additional pages where necessary

501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California

April 3, 1942

Mr. Charles B. Walton
Rte 1, Box 171
Westminster, California

Dear Sir:

S. Nishiyama, Japanese evacuee, has today reported to the Los Angeles Branch, Federal Reserve Bank, that he has approximately 18 acres of growing crops upon land held under written lease from you, and that he has a new tenant qualified to take over this lease and insure harvest of present crops. He reports that you are not willing to transfer this lease to the new tenant.

Mr. Lee Siedall, representative of the Farm Security Administration here, advises us that he conferred with you several days ago regarding transfer of this lease, and you were agreable to such proceedure.

It is obvious that Nishiyama is entitled to protection in the present emergency to the extent that he may salvage something from his crop, and same preserved to maturity. Perhaps there is a misunderstanding in this matter which can be readily adjusted.

We suggest that you call at this office to discuss the terms of this lease and transfer of same. You may call us by telephone (Santa Ana 6101 and Santa Ana 3821) if inconvenient to come in person, and reverse the charges. We understand the prospective tenant with whom Nishiyama has negotiated satisfactory settlement is an applicant for a Federal loan to complete the deal, and your cooperation in accepting assignment of the lease is expected.

Yours very truly,

Donald C. Jones
Field Representative

DCJ:ms
Copy to L.A.Branch
Attention: Mr.Williams

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: CLARENCE NIZHIZU
(Print)

Address: Rt 1 Box 121
(Street and Number)

BUENA PARK, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name NIZHIZU (Surname) Clarence (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

California Bank of L.A. — 1st and Cummings Branch — Los Angeles.
Has account attached by H. and L. Oil Co. under authority of Municipal Court, San Diego, Case # 12002.
Balance of account attached — $42.71

NIZHIZU was operating YOSHIMURA lease on San Luis Rey Ranches — San Diego County. Santa Marguerita and Lease was is in NIZHIZU's name.
Debts owed by YOSHIMURA total $14,000.

Action taken:*

COTTINGHAM, Oceanside Attorney, is known by NIZHIZU.
Recommended that NIZHIZU contact this attorney for advice.
Travel Permit issued by USES.

Handled by: Donald C. Howes

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: CLARENCE NISHIZU
(Print)

Address: Rte 1 Box 120 Western Ave.
(Street and Number)

BUENA PARK Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MITCHELL, (Surname) NISHIZU Leave George (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: George Mitchel

Address: Rte 1 Box 125

Telephone Number: Buena Park

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Nishizu has lease on 40 acres on Western Ave, between La Palma and Crescent Ave., West of Knott Berry Farm. Lease Rental $20 per acre per year. $500 balance due for 1942 lease. Cauliflower crop on 1½ acre now being harvested. 2½ acres string beans just planted. Nishizu desires to store equipment with Mitchell.

Action taken:*

Advised Mitchell to contact land owner regarding drawing of New lease. Mitchell will pay cash to NISHIZU for crops and labor performed. NISHIZU to store equipment in barn on lease, giving Mitchell signed agreement that he is not responsible for damage to equipment by fire or theft.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. KIYOKO B. NUMATA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 522
(Street and Number)
Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:✗
Interview:

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

Name NUMATA, MRS. K. B.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: ROBERT SPEED

Address: 209 Pacific Bldg

Telephone Number: SANTA ANA 5744

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Numata, acting on advice of F.R. Bank, is attempting to find suitable person to act under Power of Atty in management of fruit stand lease and other property at Costa Mesa. Dr. W.S. Wehrly contacted Robert Speed asking him to serve in this matter.

What restrictions or regulations apply?

Action taken:*

Informed Speed he could accept Power of Atty from NUMATA, and should have written agreement covering powers delegated to him, since NUMATAS do not wish to sell their property. He should also definitely specify amount or percentage to be charged by him for services, which should not exceed usual rates for rental collections and property management.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

JB

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. K. NUMATA
(Print)

Address: Cabrillo and Newport Blvd
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name NUMATA, MRS. K.
(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:

Fruit stand at Cabrillo and Newport Blvd.
Is leasing property to PILKINGTON or BAUER, whichever can raise the cash first.
Can Federal Reserve Bank act as agent to handle rent collections?
Can father - alien Japanese - sell his truck?
Sister is selling her property - money now in escrow.
How can she arrange to receive payment after leaving?

Action taken:*

Suggested that local agent (Mr. Parker) be given Power of Atty to handle this property, collect rents and deposit to NUMATA'S account; advised that father can sell his property without restrictions. Sister should arrange for payment of money from escrow either to her account, to appointed agent, or to be forwarded to her new address, if known.

Handled by:
Harold C. Jones

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Robert Good called - Can he accept Power of Atty?

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. KIYOKO B. NUMATA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 512
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✗
Interview:

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

Name NUMATA, MRS. K. B.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: ROBERT SPEED

Address: 209 Pacific Bldg

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 5744

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Handled by: Donald C. Haas
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. KIYOKO B. NUMATA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 522
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name NUMATA, MRS. Kiyoko
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 Property at Costa Mesa being leased to W.A. BAUER
Dr. Walter B. WEHRLY, } suggested for Power of Attorney.
624 N. Main street }
(See Report of March 23rd re Property leased) (Lots 11 & 12 Tract 781 Costa Mesa)
lease provides for monthly payments of $50.00, 1st and last months rent in advance.

Action taken:*
Recommended Mrs. NUMATA arrange with some local real estate agent to have authority to collect rents, pay taxes and upkeep on property in event they leave and upkeep on property in event Dr. Wehrly does not wish to accept responsibility. Lease as drawn is O.K.

Handled by:
David C Jones
Agent in Charge

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date) 2-3-1942

Name: TAKEO NUMATA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box [illegible]
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name NUMATA, TAKEO
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1935 ?

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Owns lot - 90 x 125 at SE Corner CABRILLO & Newport Blvd Costa Mesa
Improved with small residence on rear and
FRUIT STAND on frontage
Will lease for duration to CHAS T. PILKINTON
118 22nd St.
Costa Mesa, Calif.
Wants Pilkinton to pay cash for inventory of goods on hand.

Action taken:*
Pilkinton agrees to make deal on above basis.
Recommended that local bank in Costa Mesa be asked to secure this transaction
NUMATA advised that he can proceed to close deal and give Power of Attorney to his local bank to accept rents as due.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: TAKEO NUMATA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 522
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✕
Minor:
Male: ✕
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name NUMATA (Surname) TAKEO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1935 ?

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:

Owns Lot - 90' x 125' at SE Corner CABRILLO and Newport Blvd Costa Mesa
Improved with small residence on rear and
FRUIT STAND on frontage.
Will lease "for duration" to CHAS T. PILKINTON
118 22nd St.
Wants Pilkenton to pay cash Costa Mesa, Calif.
for inventory of goods on hand.

Action taken:*

Pilkinton agrees to make deal on above basis.
Recommended that local bank in Costa Mesa be
asked to location this transaction
NUMATA advised that he can proceed to close deal
and give Power of Attorney to his local bank to
accept rents as due.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Santa Ana

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. KIYOKO B. NUMATA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 522
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 Property at Costa Mesa being leased to W.A. BAUER
Dr. Waldo B. WEHRLY, 624 N. Main street } suggested for Power of Attorney.
(See Report of March 23rd re Property leased) (Lots 11 & 12 Tract 761 Costa Mesa)
Lease provides for monthly payments of $50.00, 1st and last months rent in advance.

Action taken:*
Recommended Mrs. NUMATA arrange with some local real estate agent to have authority to collect rents, pay taxes, and upkeep on property, in event Dr. Wehrly does not wish to accept responsibility. Lease as drawn is O.K.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Handled by:
David C. Jones
Special Agent

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: MARY OCHIYO
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 693
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name OCHIYO, Mary
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Dame

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Father is TAKUICHO OCHIYO, alien Japanese, now in Concentration camp, Missoula, Montana.

Can she dispose of personal property and truck farm leases under power of attorney which she has from her father?
(See Inquiry to L.A. Branch 3/26/42)

Action taken:*

Advised her that she may proceed with sale of property and sub-leasing under general license 68-A. and Power of Attorney. Advised she make arrangements with some individual, or Bank, to handle property after evacuation, if necessary

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 26, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: MARY OCHIYO
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 683
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name OCHIYO (Surname) MARY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Mary OCHIYO has Power of attorney from father TAKUICHI OCHIYO, alien Japanese now in Concentration Camp, MISSOULA, Montana.

She desires to dispose of personal property, farm equipment and leases - 2 acres Cabbages ready for harvest - TAFT AVE.
8 acres - Young Cabbage - Hellman Ranch - STANTON
House on 2 acre lease - TAFT AVE, Between 17th and Garden Grove Blvd.
Can this property be sold or leased without special permit?
Father is probably a "Blocked National".

Action taken:*

Letter to L.A. Branch requesting instructions and necessary forms if special permit is required. Advised Mary Ochiyo to negotiate with interested parties and attempt to make all arrangements for sale of property so that matter can be Concluded upon receipt of permit, if one required.

Handled by:
Donald C Foner

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Erroneously reported as WIFE instead of Daughter - in title & LA Ltr 3/26/42

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: H. OGAWA
(Print)

Address: Rt. 3 — Box 481-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OGAWA (Surname) H. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Another case concerning debt for cabbage delivery to Louis Mac Loon, on whom two previous claims have been made. He is deliberately evading payment to all three people who have come in to complain to us.

Action taken:*

Advised him to make charges through the small claims court.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif

5-7-42
(Date)

Name: YAMADA, HATSUMI
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 293
(Street and Number)
Garden City, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese-Amer.

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:

Case previously reported April 14th, April 17th and April 21st.
re payment for cabbage delivered by Mr. Yamada to Maclon + Stoll.

Action taken:*

Mr Hopkins from our 701 So. Spring Street office reported to me that Mr Yamada has had a satisfactory settlement, arranged by the said Mr. Hopkins
Case closed

Handled by:
E.P. Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: H. YAMADA
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Garden Grove Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name YAMADA (Surname) HATSUMI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case previously reported on April 17th.
Is creditor to Louis McLoon, who promised in my presence to pay Yamada to April 20th. He failed to do this.

Action taken:*

Advised Yamada to take matter to his attorney, or to bring suit in small claims court.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana.

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: HATSUMI YAMADA
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 293
(Street and Number)
Garden Grove Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name YAMADA (Surname) HATSUMI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to meet Louis Mac Loon who owes him $33.30 for a delivery of cabbage. Mac Loon agreed to pay him on Monday.

Action taken:*

Asked Japanese to call on me on Monday and report on case.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: HATSUMI YAMADA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 293
(Street and Number)
Garden Grove Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: YAMADA (Surname) HATSUMI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case concerns bill of $33.30 owed Japanese by MacLoon of MacLoon and Stoll for delivery of cabbage. Like another similar case, this matter has to do with a delivery of cabbage which has not yet been paid for by MacLoon.

Action taken:*

MacLoon is very elusive and investigation indicates he owes a number of Japanese. Have located place he is to be tonight, and have left word for him to contact me. Drastic action may be necessary here. Will report tomorrow on this case.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-9-42
(Date)

Name: KUNISHIGE, MRS T.
(Print)

Address: Rt 4 Box 27-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

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:

Case previously reported April 13, Apr. 14 & April 21st.
Re payment for cabbage delivered to Macbon & Stoll

Action taken:*

Check forwarded to me here from Mr Hopkins at 7th & Spring St. ($1.75) delivered to Mrs Itahara Mrs Kunishige's mother — receipt taken.

Case closed

Handled by: _____
C S Brantley
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. T. KUNISHIGE
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 27-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KUNISHIGE (Surname) MRS. T (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case previously reported on April 14th.
Mac Loon who owes this lady $1.00 has not paid her as he promised.

Action taken:* Referred her to attorney who has located acc
of $2575. to be held for Mac Loon's account, and he w
levy attachment against it by Mrs. Kunishige. Case

Handled by: K. B. V
Santa A

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. T. KUNISHIGE
(Print)

Address: ~~P.O. Box 347~~ Rt. 4 - Box 273 S. Ana
(Street and Number)

~~Santa Ana, Calif.~~
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KUNISHIGE (Surname) MRS. T (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: MRS. T. ITAHARA

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reference is made to report of April 13th regarding man named MacSoon. Wanted to know if I had been able to reach him regarding payment of bill he owes them.

Action taken:*

Told her I hoped to hear from MacSoon tonight, and if not, we would take more direct action.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 13, 1942
(Date)

Name: MRS. T. KUNISHIGE
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 341
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name KUNISHIGE (Surname) MRS. T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: MRS. T. ITAHARA

Address: Same address

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Itahara is the mother of Mrs. Kunishige, who, with her husband, is at Manzanar. The Kunishiges delivered cabbage to the firm of MacLoon and Stoll in Los Angeles, who still owe $61.00 for the merchandise. She came to ask our help.

Action taken:*

I located Mr. MacLoon's telephone number in Los Angeles, but the operator notified me that he would not be in today, but could be reached tomorrow morning.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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MEMO

SUBJECT: Macloon & Stoll

June 20. 1942.

The case in which this partnership firm arose was necessitated because of several complaints filed by Japanese cabbage growers in the Santa Ana district on account of nonpayment of merchandise. It appears that the firm of Macloon & Stoll was organized for the purpose of obtaining a cabbage crop large enough to dehydrate and ship to England under the Lend Lease plan.

Upon an investigation I learned the transaction involved a considerable amount of money and that the firm was being financed by the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. I also determined other facts--that one of the partners, Stoll, had obligated himself considerably with personal friends and acquaintances in order to raise sufficient funds to purchase an interest in the partnership. It appears that concurrent with the opening of a bank account at the Bank of America-Hollywood Branch, a series of attachments from personal creditors of Stoll caused the tying up of the partnership bank account and the nonpayment of checks issued to Japanese cabbage growers, of which there were five, according to our records.

Several of our field representatives participated in attempting collection from the partnership and met with the explanation that there was a complete disagreement. I called a meeting of both partners with their attorneys and could arrive at no conclusion other than listening to a series of bitter personal bickerings. However, I was able to convince Mr. Stoll's attorney, Mr. Levin, to prevail upon Mr. R. E. Allen, Receiver, to take over the firm under a receivership.

Mr. Allen then investigated the legal basis for each of the attachments, causing these to be delayed, and secured more funds from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation for balances due the partnership, and in this way was able to satisfy most of the claims outstanding with the Japanese. Mr. Allen has been most cooperative.

In a telephone conversation with Mr. Allen, I was asked to submit a complete record of these claims which had been recorded at our field offi at Santa Ana as well as at Los Angeles. Mr. Allen also asked that we send him the check of Macloon & Stoll in favor of Harry Matsukene for $45.36, which was never negotiated by Mr. Matsukene due to knowledge that the ba count was attached. Therefore, letter of even date is being sent to Mr in order to show our files closed.

L. F. Sloan

June 20, 1942

Mr. R. E. Allen, Receiver
229 No. Broadway
Los Angeles, Calif.

Dear Sir:

Re: Macloon & Stoll

This will confirm our conversation with you regard to settlement of outstanding accounts owed Japanese evacuees by the above captioned firm, according to our records, prior to commencement of your receivership but subsequent to final evacuation of interested Japanese involved:

H. Ogawa, Santa Ana, Calif.	$78.48
Hatsumi Yamada, Garden City	33.30
Mrs. T. Kinishige, Santa Ana	61.00
Harry Matsukene, Santa Ana	45.36
Tom Yanai, Westminster	13.67

Quite naturally we are glad to learn of the complete payment of several of the claims by you as receiver, and undoubtedly Messrs. Macloon and Stoll can now explain the matters mentioned herein and perhaps not previously known by you.

With this letter we are returning check issued by Macloon and Stoll for $45.36 in favor of Harry Matsukene, dated May 5, 1942, which was in our files, and is being sent as requested by you.

We await with interest your explanation of the complete liquidation of these outstanding items, and appreciate your effort in causing full satisfaction.

Yours very truly,

LFS:MT

Assistant Manager.

Enclosure.

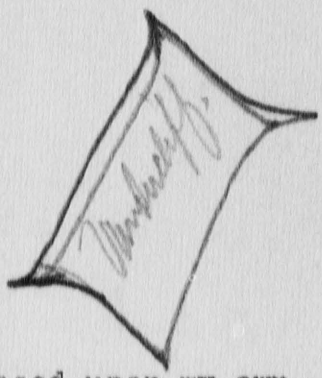
Law offices of

JOHN J. DILLON

ARDMORE 6-2031
CABLE ADDRESS: "JODIL"

CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA

May 13, 1942



Federal Reserve Bank
Evacuee Department
707 South Spring Street
Los Angeles, California

Attention Mr. Hopkins

Dear Mr. Hopkins:

At the request of Mr. Macloon, and based upon my own knowledge, I am writing this letter in respect to the Macloon and Stoll affairs.

On May 8th, the partnership of Macloon and Stoll received an amount of money, approximately $5200. This was deposited in the Hollywood Main office, Bank of America, and checks were drawn and issued covering among others, the accounts owed to Japanees evacuees. Suddenly, there were two attachments filed, one for $2700 and the other for $1700, both based upon moneys borrowed by Mr. Stoll to enter into this partnership, and being personal obligations of Mr. Stoll. I might add, in passing, that checks were drawn to Mr. Stoll and his brother-in-law and which conveniently cleared before these attachments were levied.

These attachments were made at the instigation and behest of Mr. Stoll and are not obligations of the partnership or Mr. Macloon, and Mr. Macloon does not intend that the partnership moneys be used to pay Mr. Stoll's personal indebtedness.

I am satisfied and as a matter of fact, have been informed by one of the attorneys for the attaching creditors, that Mr. Stoll urged him to run this attachment.

I write this letter to acquaint you with the facts in respect to this controversy and Mr. Macloon advised me that you were informed that he, Mr. Macloon, was holding up this payments, which, as the facts will reveal, is wholly untrue.

Very truly yours,

John J. Dillon

JOHN J. DILLON

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: H. OGAWA
(Print)

Address: R 3 - Box 481-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OGAWA H
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Bought house several years ago on contract, and still owes $1080.00. Mortgagee is in Panama, but is represented locally by J. A. STEBBINS, a local realtor. Terms of trust deed call for reduction this year of $750.00. However, mortgagor offers to reduce lien immediately to $600.00, but wanted different terms of amortization during evacuation period, and asked our help.

Action taken:*

Called the realtor, who said he could rent property for $25.00 a month, and he would manage property during evacuee absence and would agree in writing not to foreclose on property during the emergency. Asked Japanese to return to confirm all this, especially agreement in writing.

Handled by: U.S. Hobbs
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 28, 1942
(Date)
Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: H. OGAWA
(Print)

Address: Rt. 3 — Box 481-B
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name OGAWA (Surname) H (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Another case concerning debt for cabbage delivery to Louis Mac Loon, on whom two previous claims have been made. He is deliberately evading payment to all three people who have come in to complain to us.

Action taken:*

Advised him to make charges through the small claims court.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 6 1942
(Date)

Name: Ogawa, H
(Print)

Address: Rt. 3 Box 481-B
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: Santa Ana 1210 M
Interview: +

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born USA

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person interviewed: Ogawa, H

Address: Rt. 3 Box 481-B.

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 1210 M.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

"See Previous Reports."

Macloon & Stoll owed this man $78.18 for cabbage delivered and receipted for and refused to pay, using one stall after another.

- Similar cases -

H Kimishige
Rt. 4 Box 477
Santa Ana

Tom Yanai
Rt. 1 Box 387 Antimonite Calif

Action taken:*

I have today turned over a check from Macloon & Stool in full settlement of the amount due. Copy of receipt attached.

Case Closed

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Handled by: Sydney Hopkins

Beggs Box
110-

P.O. Box ~~11~~ 88
Beverly Hills, Cal.
May 4,1942

Dear Mr. Hopkins

In spite of Mr. Stoll's promises to you and his "fourflushing" by showing you the check, I would not endorse it today because he wanted me to pay some additional items that do not concern me. I wanted and am ready and willing to pay all the Japanese growers. Mr. Levin, Stoll's lawyer, wanted him to also do this today by splitting up the large check, but he refused. He will lie to you and stall you. I think you should really try and get hi m set and these poor people paid. I have wanted todo it for over two weeks and Mr. Dillon my attorney will verify this.

Yours very truly

Louis Macloon

Santa Ana 3349 W

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-7-42
(Date)

Name: OGAWA H.
(Print)

Address: Rt. 3, Box 481-B
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name OGAWA (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:

Case previously reported April 28th.
re non-payment for cabbage delivered by Ogawa to Macbon & Stoll.

Action taken:*

Mr. Hopkins, Esquire, from our main office at 7th & Spring Sts. reported to me that Mr. Ogawa has had a satisfactory settlement, negotiated by Mr. Hopkins

Case closed

Handled by: ES Bramlage

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: HIDEMI OGAWA
(Print)

Address: Rte 3 Box 481-B
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

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

Name OGAWA, HIDEMI
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address: West 1st St; near Veranno
Across street from BURBANK DEHYDRATED PLANT

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Purchased 1 acre and House from ALBERT PULSIFUR in 1939
Pulsifur now in Canal Zone, U.S. Army.
STEBBINS REALTY Co. 620 N. Main St. Santa Ana (Phone: 1314) acted as agent, and is now representing Pulsifur.
Purchase price - $2700
Balance owed - $1100.- payable $40.00 Mo. including interest plus $150.00 in April and October each year.
Payments are paid-up to date.
OGAWA owns, clear, 2 tractors, pick-up truck, farm equipment which he is now selling. Will pay up balance on house if possible. How can he protect his equity?

Action taken:*

Suggested WAYNE HOLT, Garden Grove, be given Power of Atty to protect OGAWA's interests, with written instruction re rental or sale of house.
Offered to confer with Stebbins Realty Co. regarding possibly of reducing monthly payments provided taxes and interest are paid, so that rental may carry property temporarily.

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Handled by: Harold C Jones

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: T. OKOMOTO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 — Box 215
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OKOMOTO T.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case regards payment of $50 for services as janitor of school, and has been previously reported. Came in to say that he has finished work required, and check will now be given him.

Action taken:*

Case closed.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: THOMAS OKOMOTO
(Print)

Address: Rt 4 - Box 215
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OKOMOTO (Surname) THOMAS (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to inquire about check due him for work as janitor, as previously reported.

Action taken:*

Mr. Wanderscheid gave me assurance check would be paid after certain work was done by Japanese, which Japanese agreed to do.
Case closed.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: THOMAS OKOMOTO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 215
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OKOMOTO (Surname) THOMAS (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to discuss his case with Mr. Manerscheid which was reported on yesterday. Manderscheid is a member of school board, and upon questioning admitted ~~there was~~ some "passing the buck" going on. Admitted ~~that~~ work of Japanese boy had been successfully done and was satisfactory.

Action taken:*

Asked him to talk to ~~other~~ members of school board and make effort to come to decision, and to telephone me the result. He promised ~~to do this~~. Will report later on this.

Handled by: U. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: THOMAS OKOMOTO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 — Box 215
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name OKOMOTO (Surname) THOMAS (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has been working as janitor of the Greenville School in Santa Ana, but was discharged on April 1st. Check for services for month of March, ($50.00) have been held up by Alfred Manderschied, chairman of school board. Asked on help. Told him I would investigate situation

Action taken:*

Manderschied told me a different story from that of Okomoto, so I have asked them both to come tomorrow.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: HENRY OKAMOKO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 Box 215
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name OKAMOKO (Surname) Henry (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Henry Baldwin

Address: 6th and Broadway

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 5252

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1939 Ford Station Wagon - has pink slip.
Can sell to Henry Baldwin for cash. Deal is satisfactory.
Will he be able to take station wagon when
evacuated, or should he sell same now?

Action taken:*
Advised to sell, with agreement from Baldwin
that he has use of station wagon until
evacuated.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones

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LOS ANGELES BRANCH

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California
April 20, 1942

Mr. C. H. Watkins
Federal Reserve Bank
707 South Spring Street
Los Angeles, California

Dear Mr. Watkins:

Acting upon your instructions given over the telephone this morning, I attended with K. Tamura, a local Japanese attorney who volunteered to look after the interests of Mr. Okumura, the foreclosure sale on the ranch leased by ~~this Japanese~~ from E. C. Courtney of Placentia.

When I arrived at the ranch I found that the situation was quite different from that described by Okumura to Billingsley from our office who called me from Santa Anita regarding this sale. The Japanese reported that his assets included farm equipment, buildings and crops worth about $4,000. However, when I arrived at the ranch I found, first of all, that there was no equipment on the ranch as it had been repossessed for nonpayment by the creditor who had sold it on a conditional sales contract. The buildings on the land, owned by the Japanese, were nondescript shacks with no great value, which means that the only asset of any great value was that of the crops. There were no competitive bidders on any of the assets which means that Courtney, the plaintiff, bid the assets in at his own price.

The total judgment including all fees was $1,003.61, and the bid made by Courtney for all assets was $833.20, which means that there will be a deficiency judgment against the Japanese of $170.41.

It is my judgment that we have done all that could reasonable be expected of this office in this matter.

Yours very truly,

Vincent B. Hackett
Field Representative
Evacuee Property Department

VBH:pj

Angeles Branch
Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: V. OKUMURA
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 583
(Street and Number)

Balboa Island, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name OKUMURA, X
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Desires to close arrangements with Walter A. BAUER to transfer personal property, farm equipment and trade farm lease on IRVINE RANCH Co land

Terms of transaction are satisfactory to OKUMURA and BAUER

Action taken:*

Recommended transfer of equipment contracts be approved at local office of farm implement Co.
It is understood that Irvine Co. agrees to management of this lease by BAUER.
No further restrictions apparent, and closing of deal recommended.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: ORANGE Co. Production Credit Ass'n
(Print)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Address: MR. Miller, Sec'y
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, 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: X
Individual:

Person interviewed: Mr. Miller

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Name ORANGE Co. Production Credit Ass'n
(Surname) Santa Ana (Given)

Lyons, Chas – Jap Lease
Mr. Miller, Sec'y

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has accepted application of Charles Lyons for loan on Hogs and Hog Ranch Lease. Lyons is negotiating to take over lease now held by Japanese on portion of the EMERY RANCH, Buena Park District. Can deal be handled without special authority if Alien Japanese is owner?

Action taken:*

Assurred Miller that Japanese tenant is at liberty to close deal and sell his hogs without restriction. Offered to intercede in negotiations if considered advisable, to help close a deal.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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DICK TUDRS, Horticultural Commissioner Advises Hog Lease Permit may be cancelled on this place

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif
5-9-42
(Date)

Name: OTSU, H.
(Print)

Address: Rt 4 Box 27 C
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ~~×~~
Female: ×
Citizenship: Japanese Amer

Name OTSU (Surname) H. (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:

Came in for information re fire insurance on house she owns on leased land. Has contract with white american who is taking over the lease which permits her to have possession of the house after the war. Ques. What name to carry the ins. in.

Action taken:*

Advised that since she had an insurable interest she might take the policy in her name. But to consult her insurance agent.

Handled by:
E L Bramlage
Field Representative

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: C. O. PARIS
(Print)

Address: 710 E. 4th St
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, California
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✗
Interview:

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

Name PARIS, C. O. -
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ~~As~~

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address: Residence - 1406 S. Van Ness

Telephone Number: Store - Santa Ana 3722
Res. - " " 4314-J

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Proprietor of 2nd Hand store. Has frequent dealings with Japanese.
Is there any restriction on his paying cash for household goods and other personal property offered by Japanese?

Action taken:*

Advised Paris he can close deals for purchase of any property owned by American Born Japanese. He should satisfy himself that any alien Japanese is not a "blocked national". Can inquire of local bank if Japanese has account. Offered aid of this office in closing any transaction with Japanese

Handled by:
Donald Stoner

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PENDERGAST, J.S.

501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California
March 26, 1942

J. S. Pendergast
1076 Brookside Avenue
Redlands, California

Dear Sir:

Mrs. S. Mizuguchi of Stanton, California has contacted this office relative to the position of her property upon which you hold a lien.

It is our understanding that Mrs. Mizuguchi purchased a lot from you located at the Northeast corner of Pacific and Chestnut Streets, Stanton, for $300 in 1939. The balance due on this lot is $130, which is being paid in monthly installments of $15.00.

Since purchase the lot has been improved with a frame dwelling costing approximately $1,000 which has been paid for in full.

If these facts are correct as represented to us, it is obvious that there is a substantial equity in the property.

We have recommended that Mrs. Mizuguchi make every effort to sell this property at once and give Power of Attorney to some local individual or bank to handle the transaction if necessary. Mrs. Ed Stafford of Stanton has been suggested as an agent in this matter.

We will be glad to cooperate with you in any way to liquidate these assets for Mrs. Mizuguchi.

Yours very truly,

Donald C. Jones, Field Representative

DCJ:pej

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: CHAS. T. PILKINTON
(Print)

Address: 115 22nd st. (P.O. Box 272)
(Street and Number)

COSTA MESA, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Name PILKINTON, CHAS. T.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American citizen

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: P.O. Box 272 Costa Mesa, Calif

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Japanese alien owns FRUIT STAND on Newport Blvd between 17th and CABRILLO streets - (East side of Blvd) Stand is Probably worth $300. Small house on rear of 90' lot. Whole property, including realty & fruit stand, worth $2800.

Pilkinton wants to buy this fruit stand and lease the lot; might be interested in buying entire property.
Did not know name of Japanese owner.

Action taken:*
Suggested Pilkinton talk with Japanese owner and ask him to come to this office for interview. Assured Pilkinton this office will do all possible to effect a satisfactory deal and expedite Jap's affairs so he can move.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: C. M. PLUM
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: TUSTIN, California
(Street and Number)

% The IRVINE Co.
(City) (State)

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

Name PLUM (Surname) C.M. (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: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

~~The~~ James Irvine owns building at 3415 S. San Pedro St., Los Angeles

Portion is leased to a Japanese Laundry @ $100 per month. Rent always promptly paid.

Japanese tenant has been evacuated, but members of family are continuing to operate laundry.

American driver of laundry truck wants to take over lease.

How can this be financed?

Action taken:*

Suggested that Mr. Plum interview American driver. If funds needed to buy out Japanese, Mr. Irvine might be justified in financing American on a contract, including rent. Refered to Los Angeles Office for further advice

How referred to LA?

Handled by: Donald C. Jones

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: CHARLES PLUMMER
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 27A
(Street and Number)
Santa Cruz, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name PLUMMER, Charles
(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:

Japanese is farming 16 acres on EAST side of Santa River, 1/2 mile below 1st Street Bridge. Has only a verbal lease. Pumping plant on property. Growing crops of celery, string beans, cucumbers, lettuce. Land owner's name is HENRY. Address not known.

Will need financing to complete harvest of crops and settle with Japanese tenant.

Action taken:*

Refers to County Assessor's office to get name and address of land owner. Plummer must have written lease or land to qualify for loan. Have Japanese come in to this office if necessary, to negotiate settlement on crops. Can apply to Farm Security Administration for loan on crops after securing lease.

Handled by: Arnold C. Jensen

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: C. E. PRICE
(Print)

Address: 1001 HICKORY ST.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name PRICE (Surname) C. E. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to ask about payment of $75.00 due him from Japanese farmer for rental of mules.

Action taken:*

Told him to take up the matter directly with Japanese.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: A. G. QUINN
(Print)

Address: 519 COLLEGE AVE
(Street and Number)

COSTA MESA CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

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

Name QUINN, A. G.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: A. G. QUINN

Address: 519 College - Costa Mesa, CALIF.

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Farms truck and hay land near Costa Mesa. Is interested in purchasing farming tools and might consider farming additional lands. Can he pay an alien Japanese in cash for personal property and take possession of same?

Action taken:*

Referred to General License 68-A, as amended, providing that Japanese can sell their property to expedite evacuation. Told Quinn that he should advise Japanese in his community to come in for interview. Suggested this office would lend every possible aid to close a deal on farm crops or property now owned by Japanese, and protect Japanese interests.

Handled by: _____

Donald C Jones
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: A. G. QUINN
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: 519 COLLEGE AVE
(Street and Number)

Costa Mesa, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name QUINN, (Surname) A. G. (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:

Interested in taking over Japanese lease on 5 acres across street from Newport High School, Costa Mesa.
1 acre Youngberries
1 acre Cabbage
1 acre ready for planting.
Small house owned by Tenant
2 Plows, Seeder, Bunker, 500' Pipeline
Lease rent paid to June 1st - Rental $50.00 Per Year.
Quinn can purchase this lease & equipment for $200 cash.
Where can he get the money on short term loan?
Can he pay Japanese in cash and close the deal?

Action taken:*
Suggested Quinn see local banker, or R. H. Bailey, local Commission merchant, regarding $200 loan.
Recommended he put deal in escrow in local bank or else be sure of correct Bill of Sale on property and agreement of property owner to transfer of lease.

Handled by: Donald C Jones
Santa Ana

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Form Security

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: A. REINKING
(Print)

Address: BAKER, NEVADA
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name REINKING, A. S.B.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: S. B. KAUFFMAN

Address: Atty-at-Law - 205 Bank of America Bldg

Telephone Number: ANAHEIM 3218

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reinking operates large irrigated ranch in Eastern Nevada - or UTAH line - White Pine County.
Has 20 Japanese farmers with their families, ready and willing to go to Nevada ranch, where he has housing accomodations and salary jobs for them.
Has equipment to move them to Nevada.
How to get clearance from Military Authorities?

Action taken:*

U.S.E.S. LA office refers to:
Capt. Gunther, General Wilson's Headquarters
Do. California Sector, U.S. Army
Constance Hotel, Pasadena
Kauffman, Atty for Reinking will phone above officer for information as to special evacuation permit.

Handled by: Arnold C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: DR. FRANK H. SITO, D.D.S.
(Print)

Telephone: ✗
Interview:

Address: 306 OTIS Bldg
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✗
Minor:
Male: ✗
Female:
Citizenship: US

Phone: Santa Ana 6858

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Name: Sito, Frank S., Dr.
(Surname) (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Dr. Sito is practicing dentist - very busy with Japanese clients

Has dental chair, instrument cabinet, power drill, purchased on Conditional sales contract from:
CALIFORNIA DENTAL SUPPLY CO.
7th and Olive St., Los Angeles
24 monthly payments of $26.00 each.
1st Payment in Nov. 1941.

Balance of contract approx. $500.
Equipment valued @ approx. $900.
Contract is paid up to date, and Dr. SITO will have no difficulty in keeping up payments until evacuated. How can he preserve his equipment? Will he be allowed to take it with him?

Action taken:*

Advised Dr. Sito to keep his payments on contract up in full. Possibility that his services as dentist will be needed in Concentration Camp, and he will be permitted to take equipment. If not, some can be stored, to be forwarded to him at new location. Equity in equipment will be protected.

Handled by: Harold C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: DR. FRANK H. SITO, D.D.S.
(Print)

Telephone: ×
Interview:

Address: 306 OTIS Bldg
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Phone: Santa Ana 6958

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68-A.

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

Person interviewed: Henry JANEGAE

Address: President ORANGE COUNTY JAPANESE AMERICAN CITIZENS League.

Telephone Number: Santa Ana 2695

Name SITO, (Surname) DOCTOR FRANK H. (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Dr. Sito is licensed Dentist.
Is purchasing equipment and dental instruments on contract from L.A. Dental Supply Companies.
Some creditors have been pressing Dr. Sito to pay up balance of accounts in full.
What protection can he expect to save his dental equipment?

Orange County
Japanese-American
Citizen's League
706 N. Main Street
Santa Ana. Phone 2695

Action taken:*

Assured JANEGAE that this office will cooperate in every way to prevent seizure of Dr. Sito's equipment. Suggested he Contact this office as soon as possible and give list of creditors and amounts owed. Negotiation with creditors may solve problem.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: DR. FRANK SAITO
(Print)

Address: 306 OTIS BLDG.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SAITO (Surname) FRANK (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is a practicing dentist. Owes about ~~$~~500.~~00~~ to California Dental Supply Co. of Los Angeles. Wishes to make arrangements with creditor to take instruments with him to point of settlement.

Wanted to know if we could finance such an arrangement.

Action taken:*

Told him we could not aid in any financing, and urged him to try to come to some agreement with the supply house.

Handled by: H. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 9, 1942
(Date)

Name: DR. FRANK SAITO
(Print)

Address: OTIS BLDG.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SAITO (Surname) FRANK (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Called again today to say creditor seems willing to negotiate matter of payment on instruments reported on yesterday. Asked me to interview creditor to help in adjustment of this matter.

Action taken:*

Inasmuch as this man is a licensed practicing dentist, feel that instruments are valuable, so am waiting to meet both creditor and debtor together in an effort to adjust matter satisfactorily.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: DR. FRANK SAITO
(Print)

Address: OTIS BLDG.
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SAITO (Surname) DR. FRANK (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Reference is made to report of April 8th
man, a practicing dentist should be of much help during
final resettlement, and with this in mind, urged him to
keep possession of instruments. Called today to say
that he had reached agreement with California
Dental Supply Co. as to final payment due them and
they were giving him bill of sale.

Action taken:*

Case closed.

Handled by: V. R. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: S. SAKAMOTO
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 376
(Street and Number)
Laguna Beach Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SAKAMOTO (Surname) S (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1902

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This party reported on yesterday who has problem of harvesting a $10,000.00 bean crop, and who wished to revoke a power of attorney previously given.

Action taken:*

Discussed matter with Farm Representative and we located a man named Andrew Cox of Justin who has come into office to discuss taking over situation for a cash consideration. Will report results later

Handled by: L. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: SEIHACHI SAKAMOTO
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 336
(Street and Number)
Laguna Beach Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SAKAMOTO (Surname) SEIHACHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1902

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This man claims to have a $10,000.00 crop of beans about ready to be harvested. Claims it will take about 40-50 day to complete picking. Has given power of attorney to individual to harvest crop and pay all bills, remitting balance to himself. He now wishes to change his plan and revoke power of attorney. Asked us to help on harvesting and administering affairs.

Action taken:*

Contacted Bank of America regarding administration, Farm Bureau regarding harvesting of crop, and lawyer regarding revocation of power of attorney. Farm representative thinks this man to take over harvesting and hopes to return to see us tomorrow morning

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Tom SAKAMOTO
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 560-D
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name SAKAMOTO (Surname) Tom (Given)

Croppy land lease.

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:

W. F. CROPPY
312 W. 3rd St, Santa Ana } is owner of 46 acres on which SAKAMOTO has lease.

7 acres Strawberries
4 acres cabbages
15 acres ready for Tomatoes
20 acres ready for Beans.

Croddy offers to take over the property and equipment, and harvest the crops on basis of 1/4 of Net Income to SAKAMOTO.

It appears Sakamoto should have some cash payment for crops nearly ready to harvest.

Action taken:*

Suggested Sakamoto ask Mr. Croddy to come in for interview to discuss basis of this deal. Ltr to Croddy 4/1/42

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Sakamoto, Tom -
Lease of W. F. Croddy farm.

501 West Fifth Street
Santa Ana, California

April 1, 1942

Mr. W. F. Croddy
312 West Third Street
Santa Ana, California

Dear Mr. Croddy:

Tom Sakamoto, Route 4, Box 560-D, Santa Ana, has contacted this office relative to a lease which he holds from you on approximately forty-six acres truck crop land.

It appears from Mr. Sakamoto's statement that a considerable quantity of truck crops is maturing on this lease. He states that you have made an offer to take over the property and equipment and harvest the crops.

We will be glad to discuss this matter with you and aid in negotiation of a satisfactory settlement.

It appears that Sakamoto should have considerable equity in the crops now ready for harvest.

Yours very truly

Donald C. Jones
Field Representative

DCJ:L

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: Tom Sakamoto
(Print)

Address: Rte 4 Box 560-D
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: ×
Interview:

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States: American born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: W. F. CRODDY

Address: 312 W. 3rd St.

Telephone Number: Santa Ana-623.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sakamoto leases 46+ acres from Croddy.
Has strawberries, cabbages, ready for Harvest.
Owes Croddy $200 on lease rental.
Croddy agrees to allow Sakamoto to continue to Harvest crops until April 24th, unless sooner evacuated.
On April 24, Croddy takes over, cancels lease, continues with crop Harvest. Will hire Sakamoto at going wages if he is still here.

Action taken:*

All expenses of harvest to be deducted from receipts after April 24, and $200 due Croddy for land rent deducted. Balance to be divided 50/50 between Croddy and Sakamoto. Original offer was 1/4 of net to Sakamoto. Agreement prepared in writting and is accepted to both parties.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Name SAKAMOTO, Tom (Surname) (Given)

W.F. Croddy Lease

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: Tom Sakamoto
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 560 D
(Street and Number)
~~Santa Ana~~, ~~Calif~~
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name Sakamoto (Surname) Tom (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has problem of ~~storage~~ of farm equipment and sale of automobile.

Action taken:*

after discussion of matter he said he could make arrangements for private ~~storage~~ of farm equipment, and he decided to sell automobile.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: MISS R. SASAKI
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 43
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SASAKI (Surname) MISS R (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is daughter of a family having dispute over ground lease and buildings on land they are about to vacate. Representative of lessor, F. E. Farnsworth, called recently regarding rights of his client.

Action taken:*

Called Mr. Farnsworth to meet lessee and himself in this office in effort to effect settlement. Will report later on this.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miss K. Sasaki
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 43
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: Sasaki (Surname) Miss K. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is involved in settlement of lease with Lee Phillips Inc. of Los Angeles, which is represented by F. E. Farnsworth, a local realestate agent. Both parties admit sum of approximately $640 represents amount due corporation on back rent and taxes, so problem becomes one of placing value on improvements evacuees will leave, so that final settlement can be made.

Action taken:*

After reconciling both parties' claims, it seems that there should be between $100 and $250 due to Japanese, so both parties are to think matter over, and return together on Saturday. Without final result.

Handled by: K. B. Hobbett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: TAKUMI SASAKI
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 43
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: SASAKI (Surname) TAKUMI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Case previously reported on April 16th

Action taken:*

Representative of landlord brought in itemized statement from original lease date to present time, showing that lessee has broken terms of lease by failure to pay rent during 1938, and $100.00 requested all that could be due to Japanese. Case closed

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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FARNSWORTH

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: RAKUMI SASAKI
(Print)

Address: Rte 4, Box 43
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name SASAKI, (Surname) RAKUMI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Had lease on 36 acres until 1938. Then on 10 acres.
Land owned by Lee A Phillips, Inc. F.E. FARNSWORTH 105 W. 5th St Santa Ana. } Agent Santa Ana 3435
House on land leased; owned by SASAKI family.
Sasaki paid rent of $150 per year to Farnsworth on 10 acres.
1942 Rent not paid. Paid for 1941.
Celery crop has been harvested.
Have buyer for Buildings. Letter from J.E. Goode, (Secy. Phillips Co) 3/24/42 to Farnsworth, states improvements belong to Phillips Co. Taxes paid on same since 1938.

Action taken:*

Buildings on property since 1928. Lease expired Dec. 1, 1938.
No written lease at present. Farnsworth said it was O.K. to remove 2 small buildings, but no others.
Called Farnsworth - States SASAKI is in arrears since 1938 on rent. Is staying on by ~~[illegible]~~ verbal consent only.
Phillips Co. has taken over property. Will intercede with Co. to attempt to get some cash payment to SASAKI for Bldgs.

Handled by: Harold C Jones

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CROPS now in ground may go to SASAKI.

FARNSWORTH

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: RAKUMI SASAKI
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 Box 43
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name SASAKI (Surname) RAKUMI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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 Report of April 3, re Lease from Lee A. Phillips Co.

Sasaki claims to have paid $150 per year rental on 10 acres since 1935. Rent Paid from crop receipts to F. E. FARNSWORTH, 105 W. 5th St., Santa Ana., as agent. NO RECEIPTS TAKEN. Not advised the rent was delinquent, and claim ownership of buildings on the lease. Have buyer for some buildings if they can be moved. Crops harvested.

Action taken:*

Called F. E. Farnsworth (Santa Ana 3435)
Secretary reported he is out - will call back.
Farnsworth agreed in last conversation (April 3) to intercede with Phillips Co. and attempt to get some payment for buildings. Lease was cancelled in 1935. Apparently SASAKIS have no legal rights to implements.

Handled by:
Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

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SASAKI to report at office April 7.

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7, 1942
(Date)

Name: RAKUMI SASAKI
(Print)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Address: Rte 4 Box 43
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: F. E. FARNSWORTH

Address: 105 West 5th St

Telephone Number: Santa Ana - 3435

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

(See Reports of April 3 and 6th) ← File

Sasaki family have had no written lease on this property at any time. Previous lease with OKA expired in 1938 Lee Phillips Company has ~~[illegible]~~ delinquent rent account of more than $400 due on previous lease. SASAKI family permitted to stay on verbal lease, utilizing 10 acres of original 36 acre lease, for $150 per year, paid out of crops produced.

Phillips Co. has paid taxes on improvements since 1938.

Action taken:*

It appears SASAKI family have no legal claim to improvements on this property.

Farnsworth agreed to intercede with Phillips Co. and attempt to get some payment in cash to SASAKI for Bldgs, if their value exceeds delinquent rent account.

ALL CROPS HAVE BEEN HARVESTED.

Handled by:

Donald C. [illegible]
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: ETSUKO SATO
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Rte 4 Box 489-A
(Street and Number)

Santa Ana Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name SATO, (Surname) ETSUKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: MOTOYOSHI SATO

Address: same.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

40 acre lease on land OWNED by above located on Veranno St. 1/8 mi. So. of SMELTZER South of Garden Grove. TRUST Deed to L.A. individual.

Bank of America, Santa Ana. has account of M. SATO. Will open new account in name of sister, who holds title to 20 acres.

Has deal pending with Chinese truck farmer to take over asparagus crop on cash payment down and percentage of receipts.

Action taken:*

Suggested giving Power of Atty to local Banks to handle collections and make payments on Trust Deed. Recommended lease be drawn with Chinese by bank. Travel permit issued by USES to allow travel to L.A. to contact T.D. holder.

Handled by: Donald C Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

APRIL 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: ETSUKO SATO
(Print)

Address: Rt 4 Box 489-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male:
Female: ×
Citizenship: _____

Name SATO, ETSUKO
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: American Born Japanese

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:

Have accounts payable with over 20 Japanese
How can these be collected?
Father in Missoula, Montana Concentration Camp.
Have 40 acres in asparagus. Offers for lease are not take over
Reasonable. Americans offering less than half the real value.
Seiji OKAMOTO, greenville, owes $176.00 on note dated Dec 1, 1938

Action taken:*

Suggested Sato call on all debtors and make
every effort to collect. Bank cannot act as
a collection agency. Will have to make best deal
possible on asparagus lease; Suggested Power of attorney
be given to local banker or individual.

Handled by: _____
David Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: M. SATO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 489-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: SATO (Surname) M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Had case against Food Machinery Corp. of San Francisco - He purchased for $1033 a machine to wash chili peppers, which was built according to specifications originally set up by Dept. of Agriculture, but later dept. changed its specifications, and rejected the machine. In meantime Sato had purchased the machine, and was being sued for full amount less $400 he had paid at time of purchase. Sato asked our help in this matter.

Action taken:*

Attorney named Watkins from Los Angeles, representing company sat in with Sato, his attorney and myself and all three involved on price of $350 for use of machine and cancellation of the transaction.

Handled by: W. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: MOTOYOSHI SATO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 489-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name SATO (Surname) MOTOYASHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Principal

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has lease with ~~Montana~~ Land Co. of Long ~~Beach~~, which involves 8 to 10 hours of labor with tractor. Lease however, prevents sub-leasing, except by consent of ~~Montana~~ Land Co. Every ~~fully~~ ~~Sato~~ sends to discuss the Subleasing terms is turned down by land company.

Action taken:*

Called in Farm Bureau ~~representative~~ who is to make effort to obtain satisfactory lesson. Have called Sato's attorney who will call on me tomorrow. Will report later on this case.

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: MOTOYASHI SATO
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 - Box 489-A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SATO (Surname) MOTOYASHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Has problem of disposal of automobile.

Action taken:*
Advised him to make plans for sale of car

Handled by: V. B. Hackett
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Santa Ana, Calif

5-4-42
(Date)

Name: SATO, M
(Print)

Address: Rt. 4 Box 489A
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name: SATO (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:

Mr. Sato has a lease on 150 acres of land near Long Beach. (N/W corner of Bellflower & Spring Sts.) He has paid 500 cash rental but the lease calls for another 500.00 to be paid July 1st and which carries to Dec. 1st. He has prepared the ground for late tomatoes and some black eyed beans but has planted nothing as yet. He claims to have about 2000.00 invested and wants to sell the lease, but has found no takers

Action taken:*

I called up the land owners, Montana Land Co., at Long Beach and talked with their Superintendent a Mr. Hunt. He says that is difficult to get anyone to take over the lease at this late date for a cash consideration but believes he might get someone on a crop share basis. He is to report back later

Attach additional pages where necessary

Handled by:
E. L. Bramlage
Field Representative

Hunt #3627

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: E. RALPH SCHISLER
(Print)

Address: 728 S. CENTRAL AVE
(Street and Number)

Los Angeles CAL.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name SCHISLER, (Surname) E. RALPH (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: _____

Telephone Number: Residence: AXMINSTER 14672
Business: TRINITY 7876

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Schisler is Wholesale Commission Merchant, handling large volumes of vegetables. Operates through Beach Cities Produce Co. - (J. H. BAILEY) Costa Mesa.

Can Bailey represent local Japanese growers and make cash transactions involving crops?

How can immature crops best be handled to insure their ultimate harvest unless crop is purchased at a big discount?

Action taken:*

Suggested Bailey take Power of Attorney and letter of instructions from Jap farmers, and handle crops for them, selling to Schisler on regular 15% Commission basis. Bailey agrees to handle the deal on 5% Commission as agent for Japs.

Handled by: Donald C. Jones
Santa Ana

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Problem for Forward See Adm

Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: E. RALPH SCHISLER
(Print)

Address: 728 S. CENTRAL AVE
(Street and Number)

Los Angeles CAL.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name SCHISLER, (Surname) E. RALPH (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: ~~Residence~~ AXMINSTER 14672
Business: TRINITY 7876

x
Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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Can Bailey represent local Japanese growers and make cash transactions involving crops?

How can immature crops best be handled to insure their ultimate harvest unless crop is purchased at a big discount?

Action taken:*

Suggested Bailey take Power of Attorney and letter of instructions from Jap farmers, and handle crops for them, selling to Schisler on regular 15% commission basis. Bailey agrees to handle the deal on 5% commission as agent for Japs.

Handled by: Harold C. Jones

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Los Angeles Branch
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Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: JIMJIRO (FRANK) SHIMIZU
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 604
(Street and Number)

Laguna Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ×

Adult: ×
Minor:
Male: ×
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Registration No 4732256
Date of last entry into United States: Resident U.S. past 27 years

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: Harold E. Reed

Address: 217 Cleo St., Laguna Beach

Telephone Number: Laguna 21

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Written agreement Covering transfer of lease on 40 acres Kentucky Wonder Beans - 10 acres Lima Beans on lease of THURSTON Estate, Laguna Beach -

Conference with Reed, SHIMIZU, and Son. regarding terms of this agreement.

All point at issue satisfactorily settled.

Action taken:*

Recommended drawing up new agreement covering all points discussed; SHIMIZU to retain signed copy; Reed to Advance $200 to SHIMIZU; and pay all harvest costs, then divide crop receipts 50-50. Reed keeps personal property of SHIMIZU in storage for duration and returns lease to him upon his return

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Name SHIMIZU (Surname) JIMJIRO (FRANK) (Given)

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Harold E. Reed taking over lease

Name SHIMIZU (Surname) JIMJIRO (Given)

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: JIMJIRO SHIMIZU
(Print)

Address: P.O. BOX 604
(Street and Number)

Laguna Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Registration No. 4732256

SON - MIKE SHIMIZU.

Date of last entry into United States: Resident of U.S. for past 27 years

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person interviewed: HAROLD E. REED

Address: 217 CLEO ST. Laguna Beach

Telephone Number: Laguna 21

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Farming approx. 70 acres on lands on TEMPLE HILLS, Laguna.
THURSTON ESTATE, (Mr. STOW, agent - 800 Blk Coast Blvd) and Sam Smith, Inc., are land owners. Rental - $150 year on one parcel; $175 on Parcel 2. - due sept. 1st - Delinquent $125.00
Reed has agreed to take over lease and harvest bean crop, on basis of 50% of net profits after all expenses. STOW will draw new lease with Reed. About 40 acres now in Beans, SHIMIZU to remain on property until evacuated, receive wages on any new planting work.
Aggler - MUSSER Seed Co. sold seed to SHIMIZU through T. and Y. PRODUCE Co - Central Market, Los Angeles. Account approx. $125.00.
CAINE and WEINER - Collection Agency - 810 S. Spring St. - (M.E. WAGNER, collector) siezed 4 sacks sulfur, cucumber seed, 7 sacks beans without consulting SHIMIZU or Reed. This material paid for.
VA. 2161

Action taken:*

SHIMIZU has good credit rating - Present crop of Beans maturing, would pay all bills. Called L. A. office re Caine & Weiner.
Reed will have attorney prepare agreement with SHIMIZU and call at this office to negotiate closing of deal.
SHEPPARD Tractor Co. has contract of sale on tractor and equipment. Balance $480.50
Reed advised to make arrangements for transfer of contract -

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Donald C Jones

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

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: SIRO SHIMUZU
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Laguna Beach, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name SHIMUZU (Surname) SIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: ~~Harold Reed~~

Address: ~~Laguna Beach, Cal.~~

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in ~~to~~ explain he had assumed seed bills of above mentioned ~~Japanese~~ under ~~trade~~ acceptance plan ~~through~~ seed company. Report on ~~this~~ has been made by Jones.

Action taken:*

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Santa Ana

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Los Angeles Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: K. SHIDSAKI
(Print)

Address: Rt. 2 — Box 214
(Street and Number)
Santa Ana, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: SHIDSAKI (Surname) K. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in to ask our help in collecting money owed him by two Japanese.

Action taken:*

Explained that we could function in such cases, and advised him to present his claims in ~~the~~ small claims court.

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Santa Ana

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

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: MISS HATSUYE SHOZI
(Print)

Address: P.O. Box 201
(Street and Number)
Anaheim Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name SHOZI (Surname) Miss HATSUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person interviewed: Principal

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Came in with creditor, A.E. HEMMERLING, a fertilizer dealer of Anaheim to whom she owes $72.00 to discuss payment of ~~this item~~.

Action taken:*

Explained to both ~~that this~~ was a legal matter to be settled by them, not anything we would enter into officially.

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Santa Ana

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