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

Sup. Sac. 401

June 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: Matsura, Benjamin
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Vacaville, Calif.
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of March 31, April 28, May 25, and April 21, 1942.

See Sacramento list of June 1, 1942.

Is closed by transferto F.S.A. and Major Bolt, U.S.A.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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

Sac. Supplement 87

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Matsura (Surname) (Print) Benjamin T. (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 433 (Street and Number)

Vacaville (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

(1) Matsura wished to sub-lease orchard owned by Mrs. Otto Johnson. Tentative plan referred to Mr. B. Roberts of the Pacific Fruit Exchange at Suisun.

(2) Sac. 454 (another Vacaville case still pending following the evacuation) has become a supplement of Sac. 87 - note above. Sac. 454 originally concerned the problem of non-contraband radios. Major Bolt took the problem over during the Vacaville evacuation.

Action taken:*

(1) Orchard problem referred to Mr. Phelps of the F.S.A. Case was completed and closed by their office at Vacaville.

(2) We know of no definite policy that was established at the time - so we are returning this case to those still pending.

Handled by: Reid

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Sacramento Office.

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

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5/23-42
(Date)

Name: MATSUURA BEN
(Surname) (Print) (Given)
6359

Address: A-27-5-
(Street and Number)

Tulelake
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: —

Adult: —
Minor:
Male: —
Female:
Citizenship: 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: Mr Matsuura

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Matsuura deposited two radios, one a small Standard wave radio, with Sheriff John Thornton of Fairfield, Solano Co Calif. As there are a number who have Standard wave radios here, Mr Matsuura would like to have his small standard wave radio sent to him here.

Action taken:*

Told him I would inform SF Bank but did not know if they could ~~do him any~~ help him get his radio. Would let him know if we could.

Handled by: W Harlough

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

Sec. 454

April 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: Matsuura, Benjamin T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 843
(Street and Number)

Vacaville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MATSUURA (Surname) BENJAMIN T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Non-contraband radios now in the possession of Solano County Sheriff - a Silvertone table model and a Philco portable.

The Sheriff has refused to release the radios contending that the radios could be converted into short wave sets. However, a Deputy Sheriff has offered to purchase both sets for a five dollar bill.

The evacuee want the radio sets!

Action taken:*

Major Bolt was at the American Legion Hall April 27, 1942 and has taken notes of this instance. There should be a definite policy on contraband radios immediately.

Revised by R. W. Schmitt and A. J. Reid

Sacramento Office

Handled by: H. R. Cox

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

Sac. 401

4-21-42
(Date)

Name: MATSUKRA (Surname) (Print) BEN (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Vacaville, Calif. (City) (State)

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

Name MATSUURA, BEN
(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:

See attached letter

Action taken:*

No action taken in so far as the Solano County Sheriff concerned.

Handled by: AGC

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Directed to file: Sac

Closed

P. O. Box 843
Vacaville, California
April, 20, 1942

Mr. A. Reid
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California

Dear Sir:

I enclose you will find the complete storage survey that I have made in the Suisun Valley. I also found out the rice situation in this valley is well taken cared off. Filipino workers in this vicinty are buying most of the rices from the Japanese.

I dropped in the sheriff's office and asked them if I be able to have my small standard wave radio returned but they refused to do so saying that the W. C. C. A. official had no right to send us to the sheriff's office to get the radio. They also told me that they called U. S. District Attorney and the attorney told them that no such release was given. They also informedme that this Solano County by the ruling of the Federal Government allows no radio of any make to us. I hope your office will check on this matter for us who have their small standard wave radios at the sheriff's office. I trust you will look into this matter at your earliest convienent time. I remain-

Yours very truly,

Ben Matsuura

Ben Matsuura

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 14, 1942

Mr. Benjamin Matsura
Box 843
Vacaville, California

Re: Sacramento #87

Dear Sir:

Some time ago you called at this office for assistance in solving problems precipitated by evacuation plans. We are interested in a satisfactory settlement of your affairs. Will you please report, on the reverse of this note, the progress you have made.

Very truly yours,

M. M. McFarland

MMM:LM

April, 20, 1942

Dear Mr. M. M. Mc Farland

Thank you for the letter which I have received from you.

The only progress I have made on the problem which I have registered at your office is that I'm at pre sent looking for a person to sub-lease the orchard in question. At this writing I still have no one ineterested on the randh. The Pacific Friut Exchange are helping me locate someone to take over my lease. I'm hoping to find someone soon. I remain-

Yours truly,

Tom Matsumura

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

Sac # 87

3/31/42
(Date)

Name: Benjamin (Surname) (Print) Matsura (Given)

Address: Box 843 - Vacaville
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: Matsura (Surname) Benjamin (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: no -

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has 3 fruit ranches - under lease from different owners - With this exception all are under control and preparations being made when translated - Exception; ranch owned by Mrs Otto Johnson Vacaville (54 acres fruit) - In this case Bank of A at Vacaville wants Mrs Johnson to go on crop loan agreement - Mrs J does not agree - B.M. has farmed and sprayed the place (250.00 labor) =

Action taken:*
Will now ask Mrs J to buy out his interest in this years crop - If satisfactory he will accept - if not he will return here -

Handled by: DWP

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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1 Interned - 6 in family. Sacramento

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

File: MA file

_____ (Date)

Name: Matsushima Hotel
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 119 E. Washington
(Street and Number)

Stockton
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Matsushima, Joe
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Block E, Barrack 107
(Street and Number)

Turlock, California
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Copy of note sent to us by Los Angeles Branch. They state that it does not belong in their office.

Joe Matsushima,
Block E Barrock 107
Unit 4

Mr. Benson

not able to locate
E.M.

Dear Sir:

My new address is

Joe Matsushima,
Block E Barrack 107
Unit 4,
Japanese Reception Center,
Turlock, California.

Mr Bacon. Joe Matsushima
Block E Barrack 107
Unit 2

Dear Sir!

My new address is

JOE MATSUSHIMA
BLOCK E BARRACK 107
UNIT A JAPANESE
RECEPTION CENTER
TURLOCK CALIF.

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

File under San Francisco Sac. 63 4/1/42
(Date)

Name: Matsudera Fred
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 328 - Cap Ave
(Street and Number)
Sacramento
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name MATSUDERA (Surname) FRED (Given) X

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address: above

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has candy store located 1600 Geary St- San Francisco. Has paid rent for April $35.00 to May 1st- and moved to Sacramento address--(Store closed now) Has not made any report-- Store value about $500.00 as stated by above- Wants to do something - Thought he could return to close out business

Action taken:* owns rear E. addn $~~1200~~ 1600½ ~~Post~~ Geary St - (upstairs) has keys - Banks with Anglo Bank on P.F. Fillmore St Branch. Power of atty suggest to above bank Will burn.

Handled by: DWS

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 1 interpreter 3 family

Directed to file: Sacramento

Allen

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

_____ (Date)

Name: MATSUURA HELEN
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: HOLLISTER SEED CO
(Street and Number)

HOLLISTER
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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F. to Manzanar, Item 4

COPY

May 26, 1942

Mr. van LobenSels
WCCA Office
Salinas, Calif.

Dear Mr. Van LobenSels:

It did not occur to us while preparing to evacuate to bring our books which is required to file our Income Tax return.

Please advise what is best for us to do. The books are stored in our safe in the office.

Very truly yours,

HOLLISTER SEED COMPANY
George J. Yamanaka /s/
by HM

File: Matsuura, Helen

May 22, 1942

MEMORANDUM FOR: M. F. RASO, COLONEL G.S.C.
Assistant Chief of Staff
Civil Affairs Division
Western Civil Control Administration

SUBJECT: HOLLISTER SEED COMPANY

1. Please refer to our earlier communication of May 19th to which this is supplementary.

2. We have had advice from our Salinas representative, that the above problem has been satisfactorily concluded. All seed was disposed of with the exception of approximately 90 sacks, primarily lettuce, which was consigned to the Waldo Rohnert Seed Co., to be sold for the Matsuura account. The Rohnert Company has assumed a lease on 80 acres for the balance of the year. One small warehouse and dwelling on this lease site is being reserved for storage of the family belongings, by arrangement with the land owner. Mr. Fred Rohnert of the Waldo Rohnert Seed Company has been given a properly executed Power of Attorney for disposition of the seed stock and occupation of the property.

5.18.42

R.W. [illegible]:CH

Assistant Cashier

CC: Farm Security Administration
War Relocation Authority
J. F. van Loben Sels, Salinas Field Representative

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible] MAY 22 1942

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
May 21, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Dept.

Gentlemen: Re: Hollister Seed Co., Mrs. Helen Matsuura, et al.

Copies of letters have been received from your office in regard to this case.

We telephoned to Mr. John T. Lewis the District Attorney of San Benito County at Hollister, yesterday. He is the attorney for these people and he told me over the phone that everything was all right and that Mrs. Matsuura and her associates should be quite well pleased. I thanked him and told him I would check with her today which I did when she came through the center.

I talked to her and her husband and associates and she reported that she had sold all of her stock except about 90 sacks of various seeds, mostly lettuce, and that they had delivered this remaining material to the Waldo Rohnert Seed Co.'s warehouse on consignment for them to sell for their account, and that the Waldo Rohnert Seed Co. had taken over their lease on about 80 acres which runs out this year. This transaction was endorsed by the F. S. A. representative.

There were quite a few buildings on this lease and the Hollister Seed Co. made arrangements to keep 1 small warehouse and 1 dwelling for their own use while they were away and they stored their belongings in those 2 buildings by agreement with the landowner Mrs. Kate Dooling. There are in addition to these, 2 other large warehouses and a large dwelling with garage which go with the lease and are to be occupied and used by the new tenants. This arrangement about the buildings will continue for the duration. Mr. Lewis told me all this and the Hollister Seed Co. personnel repeated it today.

It really seems to me that this situation has finally worked into about as good a shape as it could be expected to. Mrs. Matsuura first came to us on April 18th which was several weeks after the last voluntary evacuation date. We have seen a great deal of her and her associates since then at various times and have put in a great deal of time and effort on her problem. On May 5th, their attorney, Lewis, said among other things which

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MAY 25 1942
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do not need to be stated here, "they are asking too much is why they cannot sell out".

We were quite hopeful at one time that arrangements could be made so that they could all go together to Murray, Utah which they apparently wanted to do, but it was very difficult for them to really do the necessary things at the right time and I am somewhat afraid that even now while they are in the camp they will not assemble all the necessary data and letters which are required by the Army before an application to be moved will even be considered. Certainly, their statements were not in proper shape the other day when their application was turned down which, I was told, it would have been even though the papers had been in condition at that time.

Mrs. Matsuura seemed to be more perturbed about not being able to go to Murray, Utah with her business and her compatriots than anything else but unless she makes more serious efforts to comply with the necessary rules to have her application considered, I am afraid she is going to be disappointed. We did not seem to be able to impress her with the fact that this was largely up to her.

Mrs. Kate Dooling, the landowner on which their 80 acres lease and buildings were located, is a very fine person and also a client of John T. Lewis so that his assurances that they will be taken care of would seem to merit consideration.

Fred Rohnert of the Waldo Rohnert Seed Co. in Hollister has the power of attorney and also the assignment for disposition of the remaining stock on which papers have been prepared by John T. Lewis and are available.

This should ordinarily conclude a case like this but I am very much afraid that we are still going to have to try and help them later on.

Yours truly

J. P. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

Answered
Answ. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
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By
Surname
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May 19, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: M. F. Hass,
Lieutenant Colonel, C. E. C.,
Assistant, A. C. of S., Civil Affairs Division,
Wartime Civil Control Administration.

SUBJECT: Hollister Seed Company

1. Reference is made to your letter dated May 16, 1942 addressed to the subject concern.

2. Enclosed is a copy of communication from our Field Representative at Salinas, dated May 18, 1942, reporting on the current status of the affairs of this concern.

3. It appears that the Matsuuras have arranged for the liquidation of their seed stock after their evacuation, but are still endeavoring to obtain permission to leave Military Area No. 1.

4. We are advised by our Field Representative that he expects to be in contact with the Hollister Seed Company again on May 20 to ascertain the condition of their affairs.

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Farm Security Administration
War Relocation Authority
J. F. van Loben Sels
Salinas Field Representative

Armstrong:gh

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Evans
MAY 19 1942

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
~~Salinas, California~~
May 18, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to our report dated 4/20/42 in regard to Mrs. Helen Matsuura of the Hollister Seed Company, Hollister, and your letters.

This lady was in our office a good many times with her husband and some members of her family. We have attempted to help her dispose of her stock with some success and also to determine whether it would be possible for her and her family and the other members in the firm and their families to go to a ranch near Salt Lake City, Utah.

The families concerned are the Matsuuras, Nashimuras and Yamamakas. There are 11 in the group. We also referred her to the nearest U.S. Employment office and the Social Welfare Worker there to see if they could help her.

From the San Jose office of the Provost Marshal we determined that final orders would have to come from San Francisco. Major Steele's office reported they were not in a position to allow these families to leave.

Last Saturday, the 16th, in Gilroy during the registration for San Benito County, some of these people called on me again for assistance to go to Utah and take their business with them and see if a permit could be obtained. The Army's representative Lieutenant Morrison stated he did not have authority to grant a permit to this family so we called up the Presidio in San Francisco and talked to the Provost Marshal's office who had these matters in charge.

After some consultation they said they would call back which they did in about an hour and stated that the permit could not be granted at this time but that application could be made again by these people after they were in the Center.

Referred to MF Hist Week

This was explained to Mrs. Matsuura and she was told to get her supporting documents together, statements from people showing that her group had a place to go and would be welcomed there, and that they had the means to travel and would be self-supporting, etc. They seemed fairly well pleased with this development and said they would do all these things.

Mrs. Matsuura stated that she had disposed of most of the stock and that the Waldo Rohnert Seed Co. had agreed to take care of the balance and dispose of it for her. The Waldo Rohnert Seed Co. has the power of attorney to look after her improvements and equipment and the interests of the company. Their attorney is John Lewis of Hollister and he seemed satisfied with the arrangements.

There does not appear to be anything further that we can do to help at this time.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

vLS/jh

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

7 Natividad Street
Salinas, California
April 18, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Dept.

Gentlemen:

We telephoned to the Hollister Seed Co. this morning with reference to your letter of April 17th to them of which you sent us a copy. These people have disposed of some of their stock since writing the letter of April 7th to you but they do still have a considerable quantity of different varieties. We talked to Mrs. Matsuura and advised her to make up a list of what she had and attempt to sell it to the dealers there and also here as, naturally, most of their former customers are being removed and are no longer potential customers.

Mrs. Matsuura said she would be in town here next week and would see what she could do and come in and see us.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

vLS/jh

Answered
Sent by Routine Mail
No answer Required

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

4-20-42
(Date)

Name: MATSUURA HELEN
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Hollister Seed Co.
(Street and Number)

Hollister Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MATSUURA (Surname) HELEN (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1913 Born in Calif. never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: H. Matsuura & Yamanake, George
Address: last returned from Japan, May 1941 (George) same address citizen-U.S.A.
Telephone Number: 15F13

Principal property involved and scope of problem: These people called in response to a letter from the San Francisco office and also one from us about seed on hand at their place of business known as the Hollister Seed Co. Reference is made to those letters. Mrs. Matsuura has a letter from the Provost Marshall, Col. W. F. Magill, Jr. in answer to her inquiry stating that only one member of her firm might at the present time go to Salt Lake City, if a permit were obtained, to transact business there where they have a branch. Mrs. Matsuura wanted to know whether they could later all go there together and also could we help her dispose of her stock. The Hollister Seed Co. is owned by George Yamanaka, one of those interviewed above, Mrs. Matsuura's brother.

Action taken:*
These people have a hard problem. I gave them several addresses as possible buyers for their seeds but I am afraid they will not be able to dispose of their stuff by retail and cannot get out whole by selling or returning to a jobber. Suggested they make a further attempt to get permission to sell their stuff out of their Salt Lake City connection which the Provost Marshall indicated might be possible, if a sufficient showing could be made. The main trouble is they all want to go now and work out of Salt Lake City and the Pro. indicated that he felt only 1 could get a permit now. We explained there might be a possibility some or all of the others could follow later.

Handled by: Van Liburdy
Salinas

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 2 persons interviewed
3 persons affected

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

April 15, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Matsuura (Surname) Jim K. (Print) (Given)

Address: (Box 144 (Chico)
(Street and Number)

Iliff, Colorado
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: Post Card

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

Name MATSUURA (Surname) JIM (Given) CLOSED

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: none
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Post Card

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to previous report of March 20, 1942.

Received permission to take Ford 1 ton pickup out of State of California by Mr. Kutz, Anglo Calif. National Bank of Chico.

Voluntary evacuation March 28, 1942 to Iliff, Colorado.

SEE ALSO: OHMURA, HARVEY K

Action taken:*

Arrived without difficulty and now satisfactorily relocated.

File closed.

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Handled by: Harry E. Paul
Field Representative - Chico
Directed to file:

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

April 15, 1942.
(Date)

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

Address: Iliff
(Street and Number)

Iliff, Colorado
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: Post Card

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: No..

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912 First entry 1929

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Post Card

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to previous report of March 25, 1942.

Equity in crops, tractor, implement. Sold for $1200 cash to Walker Gage, Jr.

Voluntary evacuation March 28, 1942 to Iliff, Colorado.

Action taken:*

Arrived in Iliff and are satisfactorily relocated.

File closed.

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Handled by: Harry A. Pahl
Field Representative - Chico
Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) (6 involved)

March 29, 1942

Mr. Coyle E. Eyhes.
First National Bank Building,
Chico, California.

Dear Sir:

We acknowledge receipt of your letter dated March 25, 1942, wherein you set forth certain information relative to the contemplated assignment of certain leasehold interests by, and residence' history of the Matsuura family.

It would appear therefrom that Kofuyu Matsuura, the widow, would be classified as a generally licensed Japanese national.

Kiyono Matsuura Ohmura, the married daughter, would be classified as an American citizen of Japanese ancestry.

Both of the above described persons would be qualified to deal with their property rights without referring to the Treasury Department, on terms satisfactory to them.

Jim Matsuura, age 18, we note is a minor. He would be classified as an American citizen of Japanese ancestry except for the age factor. Possibly the appointment of a guardian for the brief period involved, pending his coming of age, might have your consideration.

We are sending a copy of your letter and our reply thereto to our Field Representative, Mr. H. E. Pahl, 345 W. Fifth Street, Chico, in the event that you might wish to confer with him.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

CC: Mr. H. E. Pahl
Chico Field Representative
TYLER
EB

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

March 25 1942 (Date)

Name: Matsuura (Surname) (Print) K (Given)

Address: Box 144 (Street and Number)

Chico (City) Calif (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MATSUURA (Surname) K. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: (1912 (first entry) April 1938 (last entry))

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Henry K Otmura, Kiyono Otmura, Sam Matsuura

Address: 631 Rio Chico Way Chico

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sale of (oral) Lease and crop and tractor and implements.

Wanted me to look over deal they have with W. Gage to buy above mentioned property. W. Gage paying cash $1200 ~~no~~ and ten per cent of net profit from onion crop.

Want me to help get diploma for Heri Matsuura who is not in high eighth grade Chico Grammer school. He is going with them to Colorado next week.

Action taken:

Checked Bill of sale, agreement, and transfer of oral lease. Everything in order and feel they are getting fair price. They are very happy and satisfied. Recommended they make deal, which they did.

Called Sam Robbins supt of grade schools. He agreed to give Heri Matsuura diploma if his teachers (Three Japanese persons interviewed) (three persons involved) first approved and said diploma would be granted.

Handled by: Henry E Casey Field Rep.

Directed to file: Chico

Attach additional pages where necessary (Supervisor)

REFERRED BY MR. EVERETT
TO MR. Fulton
MAR 26 1942

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT
TO MR. SLADE

LAW OFFICES OF
COYLE E. BYBEE
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
CHICO, CALIFORNIA

TELEPHONE 123

REFERRED BY MR. SLADE
TO Everett

March 25, 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank
Federal Reserve Bank Building
San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:

Attention: Mr. Slade.

I wish to determine whether there is any legal objection to completing the following transaction involving three Japanese residents of this community who are selling their interest in an oral farm lease and some personal property.

Kofuyu Matsuura, a widow, Kiyono Matsuura Ohmura, a married daughter, and Jim Matsuura, a minor, of the age of 18 years, have made an assignment of their interest in an oral lease with Manual Bettencourt, the owner, covering a ten acre tract of land located near this city, for the months of April, May and June 1942, to Walker M. Gage, Jr., and are also selling to Mr. Gage a farm tractor and some tractor equipment, together with the vegetable crops now growing on said premises. Mr. Gage is paying these Japanese the sum of $1200.00 in cash for an assignment of their verbal lease and for the aforesaid personal property, including the growing crops.

Kofuyu Matsuura, a widow, is an alien, but, I am informed by a reliable source, her two children Kiyono Matsuura Ohmura and Jim Matsuura were born in this country. I am also informed that all three Japanese have resided in this country continuously since June 1940.

The matter was taken up and approved by the local board having charge of the evacuation of Japanese aliens.

It is the intention of the three Japanese mentioned to move to Colorado within the next few days as this community has been declared to be within the defense area.

Before completing the transaction and paying any money to the Japanese mentioned I wish to know whether there is any reason why the assignment and sale cannot be made and the money lawfully paid by my client, Mr. Gage, to these Japanese.

3-26 ... Encl. by Regular Mail
... No Answer Necessary

I will appreciate a reply hereto at your very earliest convenience, this week if possible, as the Japanese are now preparing to vacate the land.

Directed to File
By ...
Surname
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Yours very truly,
Coyle E. Bybee

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

March 20 1942
(Date)

Name: Matsuura Jim
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 144
(Street and Number)

Chico Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult:
Minor: ✓ 18
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name MATSUURA (Surname) JIM (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in US and lives here since
Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above
Address: "
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Ford Pickup. Balance Anglo Calif. National Bank approximately $375.00. Wanted to know if he could take same to Colorado. Plan to farm there or work for japanese friends there. His mother also has farm crop problem that he wished information on, so I introduced him to Mr. Anderson W.P.A. who handled this.

Action taken:*

Asked him if he could pay off balance before leaving. He thought that was possible. If not I told him to see Mr. Kutz at Anglo Bank and I believed arrangements could be made for him to take pickup out of state and continue with payments.

Handled by: Henry E Foehl
Field Representative
Directed to file: Chico

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

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4/14/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Matsuura ROW S. Tokwa
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1516 Kern Street
(Street and Number)

West Fresno, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: 31834

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE ALSO: ROW, TOKWA

Action taken:*

Restaurant, advised time limited, will advise us of progress.

Handled by: L. J. ALLEN
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

Directed to file: FRESNO

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

F

Name Matsuura ROW (Surname) S. Tokwa (Given)

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

April 15, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Matsuura Yoshiye
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: (446 W 10th St, Chico)
(Street and Number)

Iliff, Logan County, Colorado
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: Post Card

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

(Surname) (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: none
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Post Card

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to previous report of March 20, 1942.

Worked for Mrs. McLerran, Chico.

Evacuated voluntarily March 28, 1942.

Moved to Iliff, Colorado, with family.

Action taken:*

Post card indicated she arrived O.K.

File closed

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

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(1 involved)

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

March 20 1942
(Date)

Name: Matsuura Yoshiye
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: % Mrs Nee McLerran
446 W. 10th St.
(Street and Number)
Chico Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MATSUURA (Surname) YOSHIYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here Resided here since

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Mrs Nee McLerran

Address: 446 W 10th St Chico

Telephone Number: 1036 J.

Information

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Works for Mrs McLerran and had for several years. Lives there with her and she wants to keep here and assume responsibility for her. Mrs McLerran lives in restricted area.

Action taken:*

Told Mrs McLerran that I did not believe she would be allowed to stay, but would find out for sure. Advise?

Handled by: Henry E. Hall
Field Representative
Directed to file: Chico

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

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

Closed

April 2, 1942
(Date)

Name: Matsuyama (Surname) (Print) Anne (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Sonoma, California (City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

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

Name Matsuyama (Surname) Anne (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed. Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Sonoma 633

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Inquiring as to change of address.

Action taken:*

Advised consult Mr. Thomas for permit to travel and change of address.

Handled by: R

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1 person interviewed
1 person represented

Directed to file: _____

Field Representative
Santa Rosa

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

April 15 1942.
(Date)

Name: Matsuzaki Masakichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 27
(Street and Number)

Mt Eden cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x (23 yrs)
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name MATSUZAKI (Surname) MASAKICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interviewee owns, free and clear, a 1937 Ford V 8 Light Pick-up truck.
Wants to store this truck for duration with one Jeryl Fry, of Hesperian Blvd, Hayward, Cal; or until he is re-located. Has Mr Fry's consent.

Would this action be alright with this office/?

Action taken:* All right with us. Phoned Mr Fry asking if he had consented to keep the truck for interviewee; said he had, so--- all CLOSED. (Removed the truck from our list of motor vehicles on hand, making pencil notation of where it will be stored.)

Handled by: Gibson

Directed to file: Hayward

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 Japanese interviewed.
6 Japanese involved.

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

Closed

March 28, 1942
(Date)

Name: Matsuzaki, Shizuxo, Daughter
Matsuzaki, Sue Mother
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: P.O.Box 27
(Street and Number)

Mt. Eden, California.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States: Mother Japanese Alien, 1919 Daughter never out of U.S.A.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: "Joint" Bank account of $900.00 Bank of America, Hayward, California. standing in names of both above parties, Mother is Japanese Alien and daughter U.S. Citizen.

Problem: Wanted to eliminate her mother from Joint Account and stated Bank disapproved of this action.

Action taken:* Asked her what she could possibly gain by such a move, then phoned to Mr. Vandenburg of above Bank who stated that Bank, of course, had no objection to daughters transferring funds to an account in daughter's name only; but he also agreed nothing would be gained by doing so, then had a further talk with young lady pointing out she is free to handle this bank account as it now stands in any lawful course of bank transactions; also that she could move her funds to any place she desired after evacuation or leave it where it is now and draw checks against it to a limit of $500.00 monthly. She went out apparently fully re-assured concerning any possibility of difficulties arising due to her mother being an alien as a "joint" owner of this account.

Handled by: Gibson

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) one interviewed
four Japanese involved.

Directed to file: Hayward

Name MATSUZAKI (Surname) SHIZUXO & SUE (Given)

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

SEE OVER - CLOSED in memo dated 4/13/42 from Hayward Field Office.

April 9 1942.
(Date)

Name: Matsuzi Frank Araki
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Box 24
(Street and Number)

Mt Eden California.
(City) (State)

Adult: x (38 yrs)
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name MATSUZI (Surname) FRANK ARAKI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA.

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interviewee had his automoble covered with insurance of Firemen's Fund Indemnity Company of San Francisco # LA-175477. A cancellation notice covering this policy was received by assured dated March 25 1942. Premium amounting to $37:56 was paid at issuance (some 2 months ago) Assured does not object to the cancellation, but wants his check in refund, which has not arrived.

Action taken:* Phoned Insurance company making inquiry; talking with a Mr Mensing; he stated his company could not issue their check to a Japanese alien without special permission of F.R.B. also would not issue check without first obtaining affidavit signed by assured the he is a citizen of USA. Called Borden, asking if any new FRB regulations to this effect had been put ~~####~~ out; find there are none such; then asked Mensing to call Mr Borden for confirmation. Matter will now be closed very promptly.

Handled by: Gibson

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 Japanese interviewed.
6 Japanese involved.

Directed to file: Hayward.

4/9/42 - Phoned Insurance Company 4.11/42; they advised check available to Insured this date. Will mail 4/13/42. Closed 4/11/42.

C.A.GIBSON
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE

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

April 25, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Mattala John
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 322 - 24th Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name Mattala John
(Surname) (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Mattala wishes to rent a house in Oakland.

Action taken:*

I showed Mr. Mattala our list of houses that were available.

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APR 27 1942
FINANCE

Handled by: Henderson

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

Directed to file:
Oakland

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

(Date)

Name: MATTROCCE, Mr. C.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Box 261
(Street and Number)

Winters, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

June 6, 1942

Mr. L. Mattrocco
Box 258
Winters, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your inquiry of June 4, 1942 relating to a possible loan on certain farm property.

This bank has no authority to make such loans, nor to approve or disapprove such transactions.

Please be advised, however, that we have forwarded your inquiry, together with a copy of this letter, to the Farm Security Administration, 30 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco, California, who will undoubtedly explore the matter further.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: Farm Security Administration
30 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Bonde

Winters, California
June 4, 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco, California.

Gentlemen:

I understand that your bank is financing the purchase of Japanese ranches. On April 10, I purchased a forty acre vineyard in Madera County from J. Dobashi for a price of $9000. I had sufficient money for the down payment and assumed two mortgages totaling $7000, $3000 held by Mortgage Guarantee Co. of Fresno, with a minnimun payment of $150 per year plus 6% interest with the entire balance to be paid by December 1947. A second mortgage of $4000 is held by M. Goto a Japanese. The payment on this is $500 per year plus 6% interest with a final payment due in January 1950.

I would appreciate knowing whether your bank would loan the $7000 to clear these two mortgages so that the payments could be consolidated and made due in December of each year.

Kindly advise if this is possible and give me the terms and rate of interest you would charge.

Yours truly

L. Mattrocce

L. Mattrocce
Box 268
Winters, Calif,

Answered
Ansd. by Routine Ltr.
No Answer Required
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By Bonde
Surname
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Matushita Mariaki
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

_____ _____
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Pacific Finance Corp.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

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Name
(Surname)
(Given)

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

April 20 1942
(Date)

Name: Mauzy Mrs M
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1419 Grand Street
(Street and Number)

Alameda Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

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:

Wants to rent small Japanese home

Action taken:* Nothing offering at present. Will advise if something desirable turns up.

Handled by: John Siegfried

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:

Persons Interviewed (1) Alameda

Name MAUZY, Mrs. M. (Surname) (Given)

Closed

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

April 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: May James E.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1621 - 24th Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name: MAY (Surname) JAMES E. (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. May asked for information about farms in the San Joaquin Valley.

Action taken:*

I gave Mr. May the addresses of our offices in Fresno, Visalia, Merced, and Bakersfield. I suggested to him that he contact these offices for futher information.

WRLS

Handled by: Hendricks

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

Directed to file:
Oakland

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

(Date)

Name: MAYA NAGATA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5440 CRITTENDEN ST
(Street and Number)

OAKLAND CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE NAGATA MAYA

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:

Name MAYA NAGATA
(Surname) (Given)

Extra Copy

REFERRED BY MR. R. D. ARMSTRONG — Yellow

TO MR. Louis Nusbaum — File

AUG 14 1942 " Richmond Nursery"

MEMORANDUM August 14, 1942

SUBJECT: Frank Mayeda
Formerly of 4921 Wall Avenue, Richmond, California
Present address Building 14, Apartment 54, WCCA
Assembly Center, Tanforan, San Bruno, California

Mr. Weinstock advised this morning that he had contacted the above evacuee yesterday at Tanforan, who stated substantially as follows:

The Wall Avenue nursery was leased for $50 per month, but the rent for July has not yet been paid. He understands that the property is badly run down, the nursery stock about exhausted, tenant has been ill, and the rental in the future very doubtful.

The nursery on the Giant Highway is rented for $70 a month. Payments are promptly made and deposited with the Mechanics Bank of Richmond.

Mayeda is earning $8 a month at Tanforan; hopes to increase his work revenue when he is finally settled at a Relocation Project. Will make every effort to pay the San Pablo Lumber Company $10 a month on account of indebtedness due them, making first payment this week. If his earnings improve in the Relocation Project he will try to increase this monthly amount.

Communicated the above information to Mr. Nelson of the San Pablo Lumber Company; also a suggestion that in the event the Wall Avenue nursery should continue to bring in revenue, that all or a substantial portion of such excess revenue might well be disbursed by the Mechanics Bank, if and as collected, to be applied on the indebtedness to the San Pablo Lumber Company in addition to the modest monthly payment referred to above. Incidently, the $70 monthly payment received on the Giant Highway property should approximately provide for the full servicing and taxes on the mortgage which the Mechanics Bank holds on Mayeda's nursery.

Mr. Nelson will draft a letter to Mayeda outlining a program of payment that will be satisfactory to him and substantially along the lines recited above. This letter, together with two copies, will be mailed to us to permit Mr. Weinstock to present it to the evacuee on Tuesday net (August 18).

See: Nurseries:
Wall Ave
Nursery

J. C. TYLER
SET

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

(Date)

Name: MAYEDA (Surname) (Print) Frank (Mimura) (Given)

Address: Richmond Nursery Co. (Street and Number)

Richmond (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Nurseries:
Richmond Nursery

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

Directed to File:

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

_____
(Date)

Name: Mayeda (Surname) (Print) HARRY (Given)

Address: 323 Locust St
(Street and Number)

Watsonville
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Yuge, Geo.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Mayeda, Shozo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1751 Bayshore
(Street and Number)

Palo Alto, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Myeda, Shozo.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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

(Date)

Name: Maye Kawi, Kuichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

now in Idaho
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

*Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Odell, W.T.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: _____

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

Closed

3-18-42
(Date)

Name: MAYER, FRED S.
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 2064 BEACH St.
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: ALIEN GERMAN

Name MAYER (Surname) FRED S. (Given)

B

Date of last entry into United States: Dec. 31, 1939

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: —
BUSINESS: EX 0660
(WILLIAMS PRINTING CO.)
960 FOLSOM ST., S.F.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Offers a 6 room, two bedroom home, with large garden at above address which is between Scott and Divisadero sts. for rent or lease or sale. Cost price of property $8,000. Is willing to rent furnished, complete with refrigerator, and stove, for a rental of $90.00 per month.

Action taken:*
Advised to list the house for rent or sale with his bank and leading realtors.

Handled by: Jackson

* Attach additional pages where necessary

No. of persons involved: 4

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

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_____ (Date)

Name: Mayers (Surname) Gertrude, Miss (Print) (Given)

Address: Commodore Hotel (Street and Number)

S.F. (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

MEMO (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Pacific Drygoods Co.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Mays, Matthew
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 115
(Street and Number)

Firebaugh, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 9, 1942

Mr. Matthew Hays
Route 1 Box 115
Firebaugh, California

Dear Sir:

I have received the necessary papers from the San Francisco office, and you may call at our office, 319 Patterson Building at your earliest convenience, at which time we will take you to the Assembly Center where the transaction may be finally completed.

Yours very truly,

L. J. Allen
Field Representative

LJA:MJM

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

May 28, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Mazuda, Kazuo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 16
(Street and Number)

Livingston, California
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of April 17, 1942.

(See Merced letter of May 26, 1942)

Meeting held with local manager of the P.G. & E. He agreed to: (1) Transfer the contract to new tenant if they were willing to assume same. (2) If not he agreed to hold the matter in abeyance until the evacuee was able to return at which time he would expect them to pick up the contract or make a reasonable cash settlement if **them** did not want to complete contract.

Action taken:*

abeal

Handled by: ~~Merced~~

Directed to File:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

Name Mazuda (Surname) Kazuo (Given)

April 20, 1942

Kazuo Maruda
P. O. Box 16
Livingston, California

Dear Sir:

The following is a letter that I recieved today from Rosenberg Brothers & Co. of San Francisco, California in regards the rice that the Japanese People have in this area.

"Please accept our thanks for your long distance phone call asking for quotation on approximately 800 bags of Arkansas Long Grain Blue Rose Head Rice.

We can offer you $6.50 per hundred pounds for this rice stored in a central warehouse. While it is true that the price of this rice is much higher in the South, there has been so much of it thrown back on the market out here we feel that we probably will have to carry the rice for some long time before we can dispose of it."

As yet I have no reply to my letter addressed to the department buying supplies for the evacuee camps. They undoubtedly have been offered rice from most of the Japanese districts and have all they can use. If I hear from them I will let you know.

Yours very truly,

Harold Johnson
Field Representative

CC: Sam Kuwahara

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

4.17/42
(Date)

Name: Mazuda (Surname) Kazuo (Given)
(Print)

Address: P. O. Box 16
(Street and Number)

Livingston (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MAZUDA (Surname) KAZUO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Four or five Japanese Families in the Livingston area have agreements with the P. G. & E. under which they must use electricity for 3 years. This contract was signed as a consideration for extending the electricity to their homes. The installed electric stoves, water heaters ect. The local office of the P. G. & E. says that unless the contracts are kept that they will have to bill the Japanese for the minimum charge each month until the contracts expire. The Japanese do not feel that they can leave the valuable electric stoves ect. on the premises and cannot sell them to the new tenants without taking a substantial loss. They want to know what to do

Answered by Form 420
Referred Mark Pittenger
FRB SF

Action taken:* Advised them I would write to the FRB about the matter.

Will you take this up with the S. F. office of the P. G. & E. at once and see if they will let the contracts ride until after the war or write them off. If the Japanese don't pay the minimum charge when they come back they will not be able to obtain power until the account is cleared.

Represented 24 Japanese

Handled by: Harold Johnson

Directed to file:

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

Supplement to
Sec. 12

May 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mayeda Michi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 71
(Street and Number)

Florin California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of March 23 and May 8

See Sacramento list of May 28

Letter 5/1 Farm problem - referred to F.S.A. Closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Directed to File:

Name Mayeda, Michi
(Surname) (Given)

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

Supplement Sec. 12

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mayeda Michi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 71
(Street and Number)

Florin California
(City) (State)

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

Name MAYEDA (Surname) Michi (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:

Thirty acres of strawberries.

Action taken:*

Still trying to sell or lease.

Handled by McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

Sacramento Office

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
May 1, 1942

Sac. #12

Mr. Michi Mayeda
Route 1, Box 71 D
Florin, California

Dear Sir:

Not long ago we wrote you requesting a report of progress on your preparations for evacuation, but we have had no response from you.

We are very much interested in learning promptly whether we can be of further assistance to you. Please report, on the reverse of this letter, the present status of your arrangements for evacuation.

Yours very truly,

A. J. Reid

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

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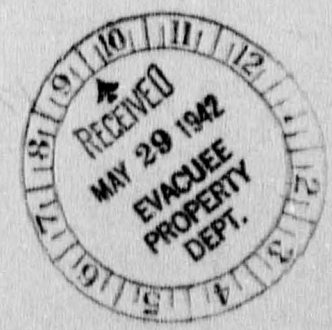

Mr. A. J. Reid
Federal Reserve Bank Of S.F.
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, Calif.

Dear Mr. Reid:

Replying to your letter of May 1st regarding my progress on preparations for evacuation, please be advised that I am still trying to either sell or lease my ranch but to date I am unable to find any prospect interested on my ranch.

Yours very truly

M. Mayeda

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

Sec. 17

3/27/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Michi Mayeda
(Print)

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

Address: Ala'i Road 71
(Street and Number)

Honolulu Oahu
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: under Expired 5. 1915 (Born Hawaii)

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

Person Interviewed: Sangoro Mayeda

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

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Farm problem

To have Hunting patch 3000 ac Value

Mtge 2000 5 yrs due 500 (Company X)

to Robert Elga
Ewa R. Ils

Action taken:*

Recommended he talk to Mgtee first
have not pursued him so far

Handled by: [illegible]
3/27/42

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Has Money Rep?

Name (Surname) MICHI (Given) Home MAYEDO

Mayeda

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

(Date)

Name: MAZZANTI RENO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 710 No. 19th ST
(Street and Number)

San Jose, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: Higuchi Kiyoshi

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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

_____
(Date)

Name: McAFEE MR. RAY
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 532 JUDSON STREET
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name McAFEE (Surname) MR. RAY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

Directed to File: _____

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

April 25, 1942

Mr. Ray Mosher.
532 Judson Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

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

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

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

Letter sent 4/25/42

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

4/24/42
(Date)

Name: McAfee Pax
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 532 Indiana St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: Diluvian 8761

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Telephoned. No answer
4/25/42

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: _____

Name
McAFEE (Surname)
Pax (Given)

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X

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

3/21/42
(Date)

Name: Mc Afee Lapsley Ray
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: —

Address: 532 Judson St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: —
Minor:
Male: —
Female:
Citizenship: United States

Name MC AFEE (Surname) LAPSLEY RAY (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: Delaware 8768

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This involves an apartment house in San Francisco owned by Maricita Terro. Mr. Mc Afee did not know the location or the number of apartments. Mr. Terro has requested Mr. Mc Afee to take charge of this property while he is away and wanted to know how to proceed.

Action taken:*

He will obtain power of attorney from Mr. Terro supplemented with instructions as to the disposition of money received and to be paid out for up keep. Mr. Mc Afee will give owner a Bond to insure against any improper use of funds.

Handled by: _____

Mayer

* Attach additional pages where necessary

3. Persons involved.

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

_____ (Date)

Telephone:

Name: MC BRIDE DODGE + PLYMOUTH AGENCY
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

MODESTO CALIF
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: KAZUMI KAJIOKA

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Name (Surname) (Given)

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

Closed

MARCH 30/42
(Date)

Name: McCARTHY DENNIS
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2951 PINE ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MC CARTHY (Surname)
DENNIS (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States: 1900

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: NO PHONE

Principal property involved and scope of problem: STORAGE FOR TENANT

Action taken:*

Mr. McCarthy asked if he was violating any law if he kept some baggage and material in his own basement for some Japanese who had been good tenants for years. He was not going to charge anything for the favor.

He told Mr. McCarthy that he was not breaking any law but to be sure there was no "contrabands" in the stored articles and to be certain there was no intent to hide anything from possible Creditors.

Handled by: Fred Murphy

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Directed to file:

5 persons inc. interviewer

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

MARCH 12/42
(Date)

Name: F. W. McCARTHY
(Print)

Address: 47 EL VERANO
(Street and Number)

S. F. CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name McCARTHY (Surname) F. W. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

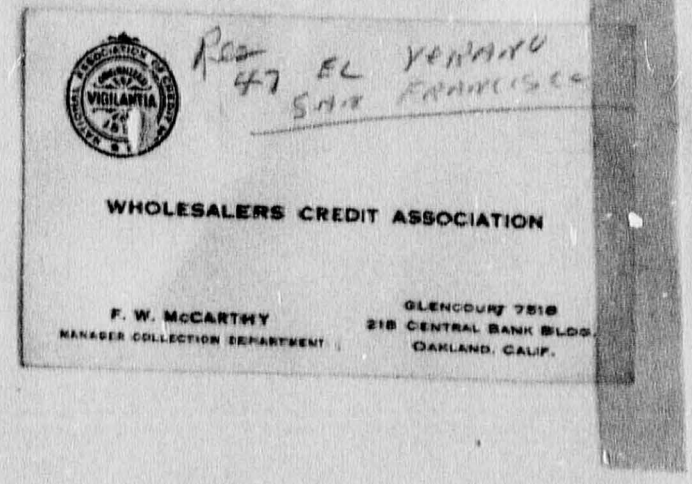
Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: " "

Telephone Number: DELAWARE 5795

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

DESIRES INTERVIEW REGARDING POSITION.



Action taken:*

REFERRED TO PARTY INTERESTED

Handled by: _____
FRED MIRSKY

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

April 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: McCarty (Surname) Lewellyn (Mrs.) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 4320 Tompkins Street (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name McCARTY (Surname) LEWELLYN (Mrs.) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: not given

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. McCarty wanted general information about farms in Alameda County.

Action taken:*

I referred Mrs. McCarty to Mr. Buckley, the FSA representative in Hayward.

Handled by:

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

Directed to file: Oakland

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

Closed

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mc Carthy (Surname) Mrs. N. (Print) (Given)

Address: 2425 - 66th Avenue (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Case 1008 (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: Mrs. George Gray

Address: 2425 - 66th. Oakland

Telephone Number: Sw 5949

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. McCarthy wishes to purchase a small farm in Alameda County.

Action taken:*

Advised Mrs. McCarthy that her name would be place in our file and she would be notified in due time. of such properties.

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Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 interviewed
2 involved
1 cont c'ed

Directed to file:
Oakland

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Mc Caslin C. H.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1200 Franklin St.
(Street and Number)

Oakland
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Laundries: Market Laundry Co., Inc.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

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

Black

2/3/42
(Date)

Name: McClarren J.W.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Box 469
(Street and Number)

Merced Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name MC CLARREN (Surname) J.W. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Albert Van Der Weerdt Sr. Friend

Address: 203 Hillside Drive Mill Valley

Telephone Number: M.V. 1895

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

It developed this was a farm Problem.

Action taken:*

Referred to Mr Baker Farm Security Rep.

Handled by: Magee

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: _____

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

Closed

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: McClary J.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 9308 E. 14th Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name McCLARY (Surname) J. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. McClary states that he has had many years of experience in farming and he wishes to rent not over 15 acres of land suitable for tomato planting. He prefers the area around Sacramento.

Action taken:*

Advised Mr. McClary that his name would be placed in our files and that he would be notified when such properties were available. Also referred him to our Sacramento office.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055) 1 involved
1 contacted
1 interviewed

Directed to file:
Oakland

X

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

Sac. 441

April 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: McColloch (Private) Marvin
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Mather Field
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name Mc COLLOCH (Surname) PRIVATE MARVIN (Given) CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: ---

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: 1701 K Street, Sacramento

Telephone Number: 2-0332

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wants to contact some Japanese who has a late model Sedan. If price reasonable, will buy.

Action taken:*

Consulted our Buy and Sell Lists. Prospect will contact Japanese who have phones.

1 White interviewed

Sacramento Office

Handled by: M. J. Richert

Directed to File: M. J. Richert

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

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

5/13 -1942
(Date)

Name: McCUE HENRY M
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 504 N CENTER
(Street and Number)

TURLOCK CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: A m.

Name
Mr Cue (Surname)
Henry M. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Mr McCue

Address: 504 No. Center

Telephone Number: 185 - Turlock

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MR. McCUE is a city councilman who operates a coal and wood business. He has quite a large lot which owing to nature of business is nearly vacant & clean now & it is entirely fenced & Mr McCue would like to store interned cars, suggesting they could be stripped of tires & jacked up and other outside accessories, which would be tagged and locked in empty store room on the lot.

Action taken:*

I told Mr McCue I did not know anything of the disposition of the cars but would forward his request or bid to the S.F bank which has authority in this case

Handled by: W. Garlough

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

Directed to File:

Mimeo

May 15, 1942

Mr. W. F. Garlough,
Turlock Assembly Center,
Turlock, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your interview of May 13 with Mr. Henry M. McCue.

Please be advised that additional open storage space for cars in that area is not required at this time. We have duly recorded this information.

Yours very truly,

R W Borden

Assistant Cashier.

RWBorden:gc

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

(Date)

Name: McCurry Photo Co.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Sacramento
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See; Nagao, Minesaburo

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: _____

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

(Date)

Name: McCurry Foto. Co.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5 11-1 Sye St
(Street and Number)

Boomerang
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See also: Arikahara, K.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

Supplement to Sac. 171

June 26, 1942
(Date)

Name: McCurry Foto Company
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 8th & I Streets
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: R. J. McCurry

Address: 8th & I Streets, Sacramento

Telephone Number: 3-7633
3-4407

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our problem cases of April 6 and April 17 and letters regarding photographic equipment in the Sheriff's office taken from Charles Suyeki Kawada.

Action taken:*

Attached letter from McCurry Foto Company of June 26 reads as follows: "The merchandise purchased by W. K. Kawada from McCurry Foto Company, was returned to McCurry Foto Company upon receipt of letter from United States attorney." (Signed) Ada Hemker, McCurry Foto Company.

Sacramento Office

Handled by: R. W. Schmitt

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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COMMERCIAL PHOTOGRAPHERS

McCurry FOTO CO

PHOTOGRAPHIC EQUIPMENT

EIGHTH & EYE STREET

PHONE 3-7633

SACRAMENTO, CALIFORNIA

June 26,1942

Mr. Schmitt
Federal Reserve Bank
1006 14th Street
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sir :

The merchandise purchased by Mr. W.K. Kawada from McCurry Foto Company, was returned to McCurry Foto Company upon receipt of letter from United States attorney.

Yours truly,

Ada Henker.
Ada Henker.
McCurry Foto Company.

COPY

X to 19

May 18, 1942

Mr. John M. Ennis
Assistant Service Operations Officer
Office for Emergency Management
1355 Market Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Ennis:

This refers to your letter of May 16, 1942, relative to the procedure for the purchase by Office for Emergency Management of a motion picture projector owned by a Japanese and now in the possession of McCurry Photo Company at Sacramento under power of attorney from the Japanese to the photo company.

Provided the property in question is not contraband, it is entirely in order, under the circumstances stated in your letter, for the Office for Emergency Management to purchase the motion picture projector direct from the attorney-in-fact of the Japanese--McCurry Photo Company. If the property is contraband--that is, if it is property which was seized by the Federal Bureau of Investigation or the Army Intelligence Unit--a clearance should be obtained from the office of the Provost Marshal before title passes. Since the motion picture projector is in the possession of an attorney-in-fact appointed by the Japanese, I do not believe that there is the slightest chance that the equipment is contraband.

You state that you have information as to the value of the equipment, and I presume that the price which you are offering meets with the approval of the attorney-in-fact for the Japanese. In cases of this kind in which the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco has acted, we have always made it a policy to obtain the consent of the owner on the matter of price, as well as the approval of the attorney-in-fact. We have done this in order that there may be no room for a later claim on the part of the evacuee that his property was sold at a figure below its true value. I suggest that if possible you have the McCurry Photo Company obtain the approval of the Japanese evacuee before purchasing the equipment.

Yours very truly,

(Signed)
Albert C. Agnew
General Counsel

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EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT
OFFICE FOR EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

1355 Market Street
San Francisco, California

May 16, 1942

Mr. Albert C. Agnew
General Counsel
Federal Reserve Bank
Sansome and Sacramento Streets
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Agnew:

You will recall that I talked with you on the telephone concerning the purchase of a motion picture projector which is owned by a Japanese. We desire to purchase this projector for the use of the Tule Lake War Relocation Project at Newell, California.

We have information as to the value of the equipment and full authority to purchase this projector, so that my only concern in the matter is an advice which I had to the effect that the Federal Reserve Bank would purchase the equipment from the Japanese owner, and that the Office for Emergency Management should issue a purchase order to the Federal Reserve Bank. There is no means whereby we can issue such a purchase order.

I have just talked with Mr. MacFarlane at the Federal Reserve Bank office in Sacramento, and he informed me that the Bank in Sacramento does not desire to appear in this transaction, and would prefer to have us purchase this equipment directly from the McCurry Photo Company at Sacramento, which company has taken a power of attorney from the Japanese authorizing them to sell the machine.

For the purpose of the record, I will appreciate receiving your advice if it is in order for the Office for Emergency Management to purchase the property of this Japanese in the manner indicated.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) John M. Ennis
John M. Ennis
Assistant Service Operations Officer

JMEnnis:BJL

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 29, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Re: Sacramento #171

Dear Sir:

Please refer to your letter of April 13, 1942, regarding McCurry Foto Company.

These people have been endeavoring to recover contraband equipment held by the Sheriff of Sacramento County.

In the letter referred to, you suggested that McCurry withhold action until the question of jurisdiction is clarified.

No further word has been received about this situation. Mr. McCurry is about to enter the Armed Forces and is anxious to get this matter cleared up. Can you help?

Yours very truly,

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

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5/3 Answered by phone
Answd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Dictated but not read
By [signature]
Surname
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 171 Supplement

April 17, 1942
(Date)

Name: McCurry Foto Company
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 8th and Eye Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Contraband Mdse (Camera) surrendered to Sheriff. - Subject to balance on conditional contract of sale.
McCurry wants mdse. - Referredto San Francisco.

Action taken:*

On instructions from S. F. we returned file to McCurry and suggested that he take no further action until questions of jurisdiction were clarified.

1 Represented

Handled by: McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Sacramento Office

Name McCurry Foto Company
(Surname) (Given)

1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 16, 1942

McCurry Foto Company
Eighth and I Streets
Sacramento, California

Attention: Mr. Harold J. McCurry, Jr.

Dear Sir:

We are returning your file on the Kawada matter. The file consists of the following:

1. Receipt dated December 20, 1941, covering photographic equipment deposited with the Sacramento Sheriff's office by Chas. Suyeki Kawada.

2. Three receipts dated February 18, 1942, covering photographic equipment deposited with the Sacramento Sheriff's office by W. K. Kawada.

3. Letters addressed to McCurry Foto Co. under dates of March 16, 1942 and March 31, 1942 by the United States Attorney.

4. Copies of letters addressed to U. S. District Attorney under dates of February 27, 1942, and March 27, 1942, by McCurry Foto Co.

5. Affidavit signed by Wm. K. Kawada, dated March 26, 1942.

6. Affidavit signed by Chas. S. Kawada, dated March 27, 1942.

7. Original conditional sales contract, dated May 22, 1941, signed by W. K. Kawada as purchaser and McCurry Foto Co. as seller.

Our San Francisco office states that we have no jurisdiction in this matter and we have been instructed to

return this file to you with the suggestion that you withhold any action until the question of jurisdiction has been clarified.

Very truly yours

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

AJR:MRP

April 13, 1942

Mr. A. J. Reid,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Sacramento, California.

Subject: McCurry Foto Company

Dear Mr. Reid:

We are returning your file on the above-named company, which file pertains to its attempt to recover possession of photographic equipment surrendered by the Kawadas to the Sacramento Sheriff's office. The file consists of the following:

1. Receipt dated December 29, 1941 covering photographic equipment deposited with the Sacramento Sheriff's office by Chas. Suyeki Kawada.

2. Three receipts dated February 18, 1942 covering photographic equipment deposited with the Sacramento Sheriff's office by W. K. Kawada.

3. Letters addressed to McCurry Foto Co. under dates of March 18, 1942 and March 31, 1942 by the United States Attorney.

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6. Affidavit signed by Chas. S. Kawada dated March 27, 1942

7. Original conditional sales contract dated May 22, 1941 signed by W. K. Kawada as purchaser and McCurry Foto Co. as seller.

We observe that the United States Attorney's office represents that it has no jurisdiction over this property which appears to be property owned by Japanese American citizens, with the result that probably the Alien Property Custodian would likewise have no jurisdiction over it.

Unfortunately the situation respecting contraband is far

from clear at the present time, but we believe that it will be clarified in due course. The salient features of the present status of contraband are as follows:

1. It is expected that contraband owned by aliens will eventually be subject to the jurisdiction of the office of the Alien Property Custodian. No directions have come from Washington to the local office in that respect to date.

2. Contraband owned by American citizen Japanese will probably not be under the jurisdiction of the Alien Property Custodian. At the present time it is undetermined what other agency controls this property. It is not our responsibility in any event at this date.

We will appreciate your returning the enclosures to the McCurry Foto Company with the suggestion that they withhold action until the situation is clarified.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures

Armstrong:gh

attach to

MEMORANDUM: From Mr. J. C. Tyler April 8, 1942

SUBJECT: McCurry Foto Company
8th and "I" Streets
Sacramento, California

File E-4

Sacramento Report No.171
Dated April 6, 1942

Interview report attached.
Also copies of various documents referred to in this memorandum.

Summarized, the situation appears to be as follows:

On May 22, 1941 the McCurry Foto Company sold to W. K. Kawada, Route 8, Box 4364, Sacramento, California, certain photographic material set forth in the sales contract for a total sum of $180.47, on which a down payment was made of $10.47. Regular monthly payments for a period of 24 months were due in the amount of $7.93 each. Eight payments were made up to and including January 1, 1942. Thereafter no payments were made, Kawada stating that he had been unable to secure work in which the equipment could be used. Therefore to date the aggregate sum of $73.91 on the original face of the contract in the amount of $180.47 has been paid.

On December 29, 1941 certain of the above described equipment was deposited with the Sheriff of Sacramento County by Charles S. Kawada.

On February 18, 1942 the remainder of the equipment was deposited with the Sheriff by William K. Kawada (brother).

The McCurry Foto Company now desire to have this property referred to above and held by the Sheriff of Sacramento County returned to them and request that we send a letter to the Sheriff authorizing the delivery of this equipment to them.

It would appear from the record of attached documents that such a letter can properly be given by us inasmuch as the following acts have been performed:

1. Mr. Charles S. Kawada has sworn (before a notary public under date of March 27, 1942) that property turned over to the Sheriff's office by him on December 29, 1941 is the property of his brother William K. Kawada.

2. Mr. William K. Kawada has sworn (before a notary public under date of March 26, 1942) that he is the sole owner of photographic equipment property deposited at the Sheriff's office by his brother on December 29, 1941 and by himself on February 18, 1942.

3. Also that the McCurry Foto Company now has full title to all the above equipment and he desires that this property be turned over to the McCurry Foto Company.

The United States Attorney's office under date of March 16, 1942 advised the McCurry Foto Company that if satisfactory evidence were furnished they would authorize the Sheriff's office to turn the equipment back to Mr. Kawada so that he might deliver it to the McCurry Foto Company.

On March 31, 1942, in acknowledgment of a letter received from the McCurry Foto Company, the United States Attorney's office advised that in view of Army Proclamation No.3, they were unable to make any disposition of property belonging to Japanese but suggested that this matter be taken up directly with the agency having control of Japanese evacuation. (In this case it would appear to be the Evacuee Property Department)

JCT

TYLER:EB

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

Sec. 471

4/6/42
(Date)

Name: McCURRY Foto Co.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 8th & Eye Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Harold McCurry

Address: 8th & Eye Sts

Telephone Number: 3-7633

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Contraband Camera etc being purchased on Sales Contract from above Co by Wm K. KAWADA Rte 8 Box 454 Sacto Cal
was turned over to Sheriff's Office, Sacramento Mr Asst Sheriff McCurry has a third party claim had to expend some funds from bank.
Enclosed & attached hereto, Receipts from Sheriff & from US District Atty, Sales Contracts
{2 to be returned}

See memo attached + Letter 4/13/42 to Reid

Action taken:*
Sheriff will release equipment to McCurry Photo Co. providing Federal Reserve Bank will give written authority. Please advise

Handled by:

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

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Address all communications to
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
and refer to initials and number
TCL:lk

Department of Justice

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

Northern District of California

San Francisco

March 31, 1942

McCurry Foto Co.,
Eighth and Eye Street,
Sacramento, California.

Gentlemen:

We acknowledge the receipt of your letter of March 27, 1942, enclosing notarized statements of Chas. S. Kawada and Wm. K. Kawada.

We regret that in view of the Army Proclamation, No. 3, we are unable to make any disposition of property belonging to Japanese. We suggest that this matter be taken up directly with the agency having control of Japanese evacuation in your district.

We are returning herewith the two notarized statements referred to in your letter.

Respectfully,

(signed) Frank J. Hennessy

FRANK J. HENNESSY,
United States Attorney.

Encls.

C O P Y

U.S.District Attorney

San Francisco, Calif.

I hereby swear that I am the sole owner of the photographic equipment which has been deposited at the Sheriff's office in Sacramento, Calif. by my brother, Charles S. Kawada, on December 29, 1941, and the photographic equipment that I deposited at the Sheriff's office on February 18, 1942.

This equipment was turned over to the Sheriff's office to comply with the law on contraband articles.

I hereby swear that the McCurry Foto Company now has full title to the above equipment which is deposited at the Sheriff's office and it is my desire that the equipment be turned over to the McCurry Foto Company.

(signed) William K. Kawada

Subscribed and sworn to before me
by William K. Kawada this 26th
day of March, 1942.

(signed) Edna M. Vahle

Notary Public in and for the County of
Sacramento, State of California

My commission expires Sept. 13, 1944.

C O P Y

U. S. District Attorney
San Francisco, Calif.

I hereby swear that the equipment which I deposited at the Sheriff's office on December 29, 1941 is the property of my brother, William K. Kawada.

It is my desire that the equipment be returned to my brother, William K. Kawada so that he may turn it over to the McCurry Foto Company who now has full title to the above equipment.

(signed) Chas. S. Kawada

Subscribed and sworn to before me by
Chas. S. Kawada, this 27th day of March, 1942.

(signed) Lona M. Vahle

Notary Public in and for the County of
Sacramento, State of California.

My commission expires Sept. 13, 1944.

C O P Y

March 27, 1942

Mr. Frank J. Hennessy
United States Attorney
Department of Justice
San Francisco, Calif.

Re: TCL:lk

Dear Mr. Hennessy:

Enclosed find notarized statement of Wm. K. Kawada that gives us full title to the equipment that is deposited at the Sheriff's office. Also, enclosed is a notarized statement that Chas. S. Kawada turned in equipment belonging to Wm. K. Kawada, stating that we now have full title on it.

We have all receipts that Mr. Kawada had and the paid up contract, so we would appreciate it very much if you can arrange for us to pick up the equipment ourselves as Mr. Kawada is no longer in the city.

Very truly yours,

McCURRY FOTO COMPANY

Harold J. McCurry, Jr.

hjm/ph

C O P Y

Address all communications to
UNITED STATES ATTORNEY
and refer to initials and number
TCL:lk

Department of Justice

UNITED STATES ATTORNEY

Northern District of California

San Francisco

March 16, 1942

McCurry Foto Co.,
8th and "Eye" Streets,
Sacramento, Calif.

Attention:
Harold J. McCurry, Jr.

Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge the receipt of your letter of February 27, 1942, which was directed to our Sacramento office.

If you can furnish this office with satisfactory evidence to the effect that Mr. Kawada is willing to turn his camera over to you and that the arrangements you have made with him are satisfactory to him, we will authorize the Sheriff's office to return the equipment back to Mr. Kawada for the purpose of delivering it to you.

Respectfully,

(signed) Frank J. Hennessy

FRANK J. HENNESSY,
United States Attorney.

C O P Y

February 27, 1942

Mr. Sewell,
U. S District Attorney
Federal Building
Sacramento, California.

Dear Mr. Sewell:

On May 22, 1941 we sold Mr. William K. Kawada of Route 8, Box 4364, a 3 1/4x4 1/4 Speed Graphic Camera with range finder and Ektar lens. We also sold him a cut film magazine, a cable release, and a precise trimmer.

The amount of the equipment totaled $180.47. Mr. Kawada purchased the equipment on a two year Bank of America contract. The down payment was $10.47 and the monthly payments are $7.93. We guaranteed these payments when we turned the contract over to the Bank.

Mr. Kawada has made eight payments on his contract, but due to the fact that he is Japanese, he has been unable to obtain labor in the National Defense Industry for which he has been training. Therefore, he feels that he will be unable to pay for the camera, and we have had to repurchase the contract from the Bank.

Although Mr. Kawada is an American Citizen, he lives with his parents, who are Japanese aliens; therefore, he had to turn his photographic equipment over to the sheriff's office when the Government issued orders to that effect.

Since we have repurchased the contract from the Bank and the camera and accessaries now belong to us, we were wondering just how to go about having the equipment returned to us.

We would appreciate any information you could give us in regard to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

McCURRY FOTO COMPANY

Harold J. McCurry Jr.

HJM:KP

C O P Y

BANK OF AMERICA
National Trust & Savings Association

Original
Conditional Sale Contract

The undersigned Seller hereby sells and the undersigned Purchaser hereby purchases subject to the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth, the following described property, to-wit:

1 Speed Graphic 3¼x4¼ Serial Number 262497
1 Range Finder
1 Ektar Lens Serial Number E C 3414
Insurance on Equipment
1 Filter
1 Cut Film Magazine
1 cable release
1 precise trimmer

for the following payments in lawful money of the United States of America:

Cash in hand, receipt of which is hereby acknowledged upon signing this agreement $10.47
and 24 equal and successive monthly payments of $7.93, each, payable on the same day of each month, commencing June 1, 1941; together with all such other sums as are hereinafter provided for, with interest on such deferred payments, from dates of maturity until paid, at the highest rate allowed by law. All such payments with interest shall be payable at the 8th & Jay Branch, Sacramento, California. of the Bank of America National Trust and Savings Asociation.

(stipulations 1 to 9 inclusive not copied)

Route 8, Box 4364-A

Sacramento, California

Executed in triplicate this 22 day of May 1941

(signed) McCurry Foto Co.
(Seller/Dealer Signs Here)
By W. J. McCurry Jr.

(signed)
W. K. Kawada
Purchaser

TPL-365 12-40

COPY

RECEIPTS

Dec. 29, 1941

Received of Chas. Suyeki Kawada

Speed Grafex Graphic Camera

Route 8 Box 4357A

February 18, 1942

Received of W. K. Kawada

1 Pedco dryer, 1 Developing tank, 5 developing trays, 1 small developing tank inside broken
1 tripod Tahalhammer make

Rt 8 Box 4357A

(signed) Chas. J. Ogle

February 18, 1942

Received of W. K. Kawada

1 Kodak diffusion disk, 1 Lense hood, 1 K-2Filter yellow, 1 Adapter ring, 1-A-Filter
all artckles in brown box

Rt. 8 Box 4357A

(signed) Chas. J. Ogle

February 18, 1942

Received of W. K. Kawada

1 - Cut film magazine
1 - Weston Jr. light meator
1 - 3 1/4 x 4 1/4 Film pack adaptor
1 - Cut film holder

Rt. 8 Box 4357A

(signed) Chas. J. Ogle

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

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: McDonald J. R.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5576 Lawton Avenue
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name McDONALD (Surname) J. R. (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. McDonald wishes to rent a house in Richmond.

Action taken:*

I referred Mr. McDonald to our Richmond office.

Handled by:

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

Directed to file: Oakland

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

Apr 3 1942
(Date)

Name: Mc Donald J.R.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5526 Lawton Ave
(Street and Number)
Oakland Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Amer

Name: McDonald J.R.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: ✓

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

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

Person Interviewed: Virginia Dodd

Address: Tel Co Mrs Jayburn

Telephone Number: Lakeside

Has wife & children

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Would like to rent a Japanese evacuated home with reasonable rent facilities took his name & told him Donald if he knew of anything as we have him down on list of John Travers an Italian alien who owns 4 homes he isn't for rent now

Action taken:*

Interviewed & Involved 5

Handled by: Richmond

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Directed to file: ✓

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

Claim

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: McIntire (Surname) Don (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 528 E. 11th Street
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Name McINTIRE (Surname) DON (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: GL 8317

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. McIntire wishes to rent a nursery.

Action taken:*

Advised Mr. McIntire that we would place his name in our files and would notify him when such properties were available.

Handled by:

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

Directed to file:
Oakland

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

(Date)

Name: Mc Intyre Mrs Beatrice
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 916 Olive St
(Street and Number)

San Pedro
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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PORTLAND BRANCH

July 1, 1942

Evacuee Property Department

Enclosed you will find copies of a letter addressed to us, together with a letter from the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and our reply, which are self-explanatory.

You will note that we have suggested that the Farm Security Administration might have some knowledge of this problem.

Enclosures

Assistant Cashier.

RWBorden/eln

July 1, 1942

Mrs. Beatrice K. McIntyre
916 Oliver Street
San Pedro, California

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your letter of June 28, 1942 inquiring as to the disposition of certain property in Portland, Oregon.

We have forwarded a copy of your letter to our Portland branch with the request that they correspond directly with you concerning this property.

We shall also see that the Farm Security Administration is informed of your interest in the event that such property should fall within their jurisdiction.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

A[illegible]:krf

TO MR. EVANS

San Pedro, California
June 28, 1932.

Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, California

Answered
Ansd. by Routine AAdlet
No Answer Reqd.

Directed to File
By ..... Surname

FILE ONLY WHEN ANSD

Dear Sirs:

I am enclosing a letter recently received from the F.R.B. of Portland, Oregon in reply to my inquiry regarding acreage on East 82nd Street.

A. H. Miller called on my Mother, Mrs J.R. Ensminger of 2209-E-Street, Vancouver, Wash - stating he was from the F.R.B. and suggesting an attempt to rent the property, in as much as Mr Yamada, the tenant had moved and the crop of lettuce ready to be harvested.

The next report came from the neighbors that the lettuce had been taken out by workers.

I am trying to locate the parties who were authorized to take care of the matter and to find out why the owner was not notified as is customary in business matters.

If this letter is directed to the wrong person will you please advise me as to whom I should contact.

Very truly yours,
Mrs Beatrice E. McIntyre

916-Olivo Street
San Pedro, California.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

United States Department of Justice

Portland, Oregon
June 15, 1942

COPY

Mrs. Beatrice McIntyre,
916 Oliver Street,
San Pedro, California.

Dear Madam:

Your letter under date of June 11, 1942 addressed to the FBI Headquarters at Portland, Oregon, has been received at this office, and it is noted therein that you are interested relative to certain information pertaining to harvesting of a crop which was planted by MR. YAWADO and the rental of certain property in the vicinity of Milwaukie, Oregon.

From the contents of your letter, it appears that you should possibly have directed your communication to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, California, as that organization is the one handling matters of this nature.

Very truly yours,

J. D. SWENSON
Special Agent in Charge

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

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: McKenzie (Surname) C. J. (Mrs.) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 100 - 9th Street, Madison Park Apt. 401
(Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. McKenzie wishes to rent a three or four room apartment or a small house for $37 or $40 per month.

Action taken:*

Advised Mrs. McKenzie that her name would be placediin our files and that she would be notified when such properties were available. Also referred her to our Berkeley office.

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-3055) 1 involved
1 contacted
1 interviewed

Directed to file:
Oakland

Name: MCKENZIE (Surname) C. J. (MRS.) (Given)

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

_____ (Date)

Name: McKEEN Mr. Albert E.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Alhambra Valley Rd.
(Street and Number)

Martinez, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

April 20, 1942

Mr. Albert R. McKeen
Alhambra Valley Road
Martinez, California

Dear Mr. McKeen:

Your letter addressed to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco requesting information as to a garden type tractor that might be for sale was referred to this office.

I have come across a Rototiller which is owned by a Japanese citizen, Mrs. Helen Honda whose address is 1620 Russel Street, Berkeley. The tractor is at her nursery at 20th and River Streets, San Pablo.

While this is not the type of tractor suggested by you I thought that you might be interested in it as it is only a year old and has been used only three times. It is complete with all parts and is a sixteen inch machine. She paid $500.00 for it including the equipment, taxes, etc. It is practically paid for and while she doesn't want to give it away I think that she would like to sell it. I would suggest that you communicate with her at her address in Berkeley and make arrangements to look at it if interested.

Yours ~~very~~ truly,

L.S. DUNHAM
Field Representative
Evacuee Property Department
Richmond, California

LSD:MB

April 7, 1942

Mr. Albert E. McKeen,
Alhambra Valley Road,
Martinez, California.

Dear Sir:

In acknowledgment of your letter of April 3 in which you indicate a desire to acquire some small type farm machinery of garden tractor type, preferably a Vaughn with complete equipment, we have noted your interest therein in our files and will communicate with you further should occasion arise.

We are also forwarding copies of your letter and our reply thereto to our field representatives, Mr. M. V. Veale, 430 Black Diamond Street, Pittsburg, Mr. L. S. Dunham, 801 Nevins Street, Richmond, and Mr. C. J. Gibson, P. O. Building, Hayward.

We are also asking our field representatives in Pittsburg and Hayward to present your inquiry to the Farm Security Administration representatives at the same respective offices. It is our understanding that there is no Farm Security Administration representative at the present time in Richmond.

We have been advised that in the area adjacent to Hayward there are a number of tractors available for purchase. You might keep this suggestion in mind in your effort to acquire the equipment in which you have evidenced an interest.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Tyler:gc

cc: Field Representative, Pittsburg
Field Representative, Richmond
Field Representative, Hayward

Carl

X to Fld Rep - Pittsburg

Dec

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3 April

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Leggett
APR 6 1942

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON
REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Everson

Please check buy - sell list, Martinez, California
Also check with Bonn
+ forward to our April 3, 1942
Richard + Pittsburg people
cleared list
no securities
obtained
SC
4-7

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK
San Francisco, Calif

Dear Sir :

Through your channel of custodian for Japanese assets etc I thought perhaps there might be some possibility of locating some small type farm machinery.

I hame a small F H A farm and am in need of a garden type tractor and prefer to have a VAUGHN with complete equipment.

Please advise what steps I may take, if any, toward making any acquisitions through these channels

Very truly yours
Albert E McKeen
Albert E McKeen
c Alhambra Valley Rd.
Martinez, Calif.

Jan Sec can advise Maynard plus tractor available

4-7 Answered
Answ. by Routine Letter
No Reply Required
Information to File
Everson
Signature

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

Clark

3/30/42
(Date)

Name: McKillips (Surname) (Print) Allan (Given)

Address: 2120 Jones Court (Street and Number)

Alameda (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name MCKILLIPS (Surname) ALLAN (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: been here

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

Mr. McKillips may be interested in leasing farm property of evacuated Japanese, and your representative suggested that he contact the farm land representative at either the Oakland or Richmond offices.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Mason Cage
Field Representative-Berkeley

Directed to file:
Thornwall 1389

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

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

MAY-19-1942
(Date)

Name: McKIM C.M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 357 THIRD ST
(Street and Number)
HOLLISTER CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: DOES NOT APPLY

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: ABOVE -

Address: ABOVE -

Telephone Number: NO

Name: MC KIM (Surname) C.M. (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

WANTS TO LEASE SMALL FARM IN SANTA CLARA COUNTY

Action taken:*

- PUT ON PROPERTY LIST -
SUGGESTED HE CONTACT FARM SECURITY ADMINISTRATION 30 VAN NESS - ALSO OFFICE AT 280 SOUTH MARKET ST. SAN JOSE. -
U.S. EMPLOYMENT OFFICE - MR CAMPBELL -
FIELD REPRS. FOR THIS POINT -

Handled by: Hart

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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

(Date)

Name: McKnight Mr. R. S
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: <Di Giorgio Fruit Corp>
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: Di Giorgio Frut Corp

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

Directed to File:

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

(Date)

Name: Mc Mahon, Mary (Mrs.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2146 Inyo St.
(Street and Number)

Fresno, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

Directed to File:

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

August 19, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Everson:

Upon your visit to Fresno, at which time you gave Mr. Willard Marsh instructions to secure for us a office and a secretary, Mr. Marsh called me into his office and instructed me to immediately proceed along these lines, which I did.

On June 29 Mrs. Mary Jane McMahon was employed as secretary and to date she has not received a salary check.

On several occasions we have called this to the attention of the United States Employment Service, here in Fresno, and Mrs. McMahon has written to Mr. Shaughnessy, of the Social Security Board, requesting her pay, and to date no reply has been received.

Mrs. McMahon is the wife of a soldier, stationed at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia and needs this money on which to live.

The reason I am writting you concerning this matter is I would appreciate any suggestions you might have that would assist Mrs. McMahon in receiving her pay. The salary named by Mr. Marsh was $105.00 a month.

Yours very truly,

L. J. Allen
Field Representative

LJA:MJM

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 1, 1942

Evacuee Property Department
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Gentlemen:

Mrs. Mary Jane McMahon started to work in this office as stenographer and typist, salary $105 a month, June 29, 1942. She was placed here by the W. C. C. A. office, 2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California.

Yours very truly,

L. J. Allen
Field Representative

LJA:MJM

re-sel. mail.

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

MAY 16/42
(Date)

Name: McNEIL NEAL
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1545 PINE ST.
(Street and Number)
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name X/4
MC NEIL (Surname)
NEAL (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: TUXEDO 3022

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. McNeil asked about Japanese automobiles legally owned by the Anglo-California Bank. He wanted to know how to negotiate purchase of car

Action taken:*

Gave Mr. McNeil detailed information along above lines. Matter can be considered closed.

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: _____

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

APRIL 23 - 1942
(Date)

Name: Mac RAE R.S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 419 GOLDEN GATE AVE
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MAC RAE (Surname) R.S. (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: Reb not family

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business: HOT. HOUSE MGR
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: ABOVE

Address: "

Telephone Number: NV.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Mac Rae interested in purchasing APTS. or FLATS in San Francisco — from Japanese evacuees.

Action taken:*

Place name on list.

Handled by: _____

Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

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

MAY 15/42
(Date)

Name: McSWEENEY DANIEL
(Print)

Address: 513 NOE ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO. CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name McSweeney (Surname) Daniel (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1910

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: MARKET 5952

Principal property involved and scope of problem: WANTS FARM

Mr. McSweeney wants a small farm suitable for raising cattle and hogs and some alfalfa for feed. Anything up to 50 acres. He has had experience and is able to finance himself.

Action taken:*

Told Mr. McSweeney his request would be recorded and he would be notified if anything developed. Referred him to F.S.A. 30 Van Ness Ave.

Handled by: Fred Winsky

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

(Date)

Name: Mc Vine Henry
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Calif. & Grant Ave.
(Street and Number)

S.F.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nakagawa, J

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

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

(Date)

Name: Meadowlark Dairy Corp. Etal
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: NAKAMURA BROS
(PLEASANTON)

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: _____

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

5/1/42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Name: Mealey John
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Oakley, California
(City) (State)

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

Name
MEALEY (Surname)
John (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Person Interviewed: Same

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

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wanted information as to where to get a car around 1940 model.

Action taken:*

Referred him to 1941 Dodge in Modesto, and also told him to write an ad in the Stockton, Record, heading the ad "Japanese attention please."

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Handled by: I. S. Weeks
Stockton

Directed to File: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.

(S-5055)

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

May 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: Meidingar A
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 6830 Ridge Road
(Street and Number)
Richmond Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Amer

Name MEIDINGAR, A. (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Farm Prospect - See report 4/6/42
Referred to Mr. Booth, Farm Security
Representative at Pittsburg

Action taken:*

Case closed

L. L. Dunkan
Richmond

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:

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

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Meidinger, A.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 6830 Ridge Road,
(Street and Number)

Richmond, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name Meidinger, A.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Prefers stock farm.

Experience: Raised on farm.

Equipment: None.

Finances: Would need financial assistance.

Remarks: Now working for MacDonald & Kahn, Pittsburg on construction of army camp under Nusebaum, Warehouse District. Personal No. 6086.

Action taken:* Referred him to Mr. Booth, Farm Security Administration Agent at Pittsburg.

Handled by Richmond

Interviewed 1 Involved 2.
*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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

(Date)

Name: Maekle G. Plumbing
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 3526 Temple St
(Street and Number)

L. A.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: Ono, Kiyoshi

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file:

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

4-8-42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Meinecke H. G.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

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

Address: 416 - 4th Street
(Street and Number)

Santa Rosa, California
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States: American

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

General farm - Above person desires to rent or lease with privilege of buying a small general farm.

Action taken:*

Advised no general farm listed with the office at present. Application placed on file in this office.

Handled by: RWK

Directed to file:

Field Representative
Santa Rosa

*Attach additional pages where necessary

(S-5055)

Name MEINECKE (Surname) H. G. (Given)

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Melandrone Michael
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1454 Hollis St.
(Street and Number)

OAK
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Nurseries
Shinoda, M

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5095)

Directed to File: _____

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

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MAY 6/42
(Date)

Name: MELCHONIAN A. J.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 414 SANTA CLARA
(Street and Number)

OAKLAND, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: GLENCOURT 0915

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wants to buy automobile

Mr. Melchonian asked to see our list of automobiles which were listed as for sale by the evacuees.

Action taken:*

Showed Mr. Melchonian our file of listed automobiles and he took some 14 or 16 names & addresses. Told Mr. Melchonian his name would be filed and his request recorded.

Handled by: Fred Mitsuhashi

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055) (1 Person)

Directed to File: _____

Name: MELCHONIAN (Surname) A. J. (Given)

Cleared

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Melnicoe Melvin L
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 924 Stanyan St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

(Give)

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: LAUNDRIES

TRI-CITY LAUNDRY

See also: Yamaguchi, Yoho

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055)

Directed to file: _____

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

(Date)

Name: Melrose Cleaners
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4564 E. 14th St
(Street and Number)

OAKLAND
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See SAKADA, HARRY

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

Directed to File:

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

+ 4 Name

(Date)

Name: MENDA, B.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: POSTOFFICE BOX 326
(Street and Number)

PLATTEVILLE, COLO.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: SELLERS, BROS

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5005)

Directed to File:

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 11, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen: Re: B. Menda

Thank you for your letter of June 8th in regard to B. Menda, which information will be passed along to the market proprietor.

We have taken considerable pains to explain to various creditors that we will not be put in a position of attempting to collect bills but that we are assisting these evacuees in so far as they need help.

What puzzles the market proprietor is the fact that he has been told by the son that Menda, Senior had plenty of money on him when he was picked up by the F. B. I. and the creditor has been unable to confirm that from any Government source.

I told him today to write a letter to the boy whose address I gave him in Colorado at Platteville, P. O. Box 326 and enclose a letter to be forwarded to the father with instructions by the son and see what that brought forth.

I also suggested that he follow your note that an inquiry might be addressed to the Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

vls/jh

Answered
Ans. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Ordered to File
By ____ Surname

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 11, 1942

Las Tiendas Meat Market
Del Monte & Tyler
Monterey, California

Gentlemen:

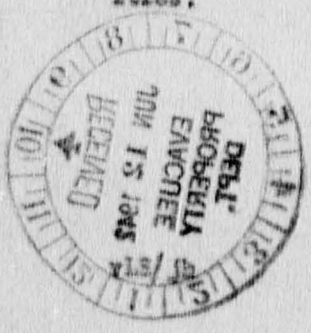
Reference is made to my visit this morning at your market when I discussed the B. Menda case with Tom.

The address of the boy which we last had is Platteville, Colorado, P. O. Box 326. It is my suggestion that you write to the son and ask him to give you the father's address and also to write his father enclosing a bill of yours which he will okay and state that he is willing and anxious to have it paid and also state whether it is so or not that he had quite a considerable sum of money on him when he was taken into custody and that this money has not yet been returned to him.

Additionally, it seems to me that an inquiry to the Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization from you as to the whereabouts of B. Menda would probably produce some information. You might state the reason for your inquiry.

You will remember that it was stated to you that we were not collecting accounts for these evacuees or against them, that we were merely trying to be helpful under the circumstances in which they find themselves and to assist them where possible.

If you had a letter from Menda stating that the bill was correct and that he would like to have it paid and that the Government had funds of his, then we would be glad to see if we could put you in touch with the proper authorities.



Yours very truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

June 8, 1942

Mr. J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative
Evacuee Property Department
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California

Dear Sir:

Acknowledgement is made of your letter of June 5, 1942, relating to the case of B. Menda.

The first point that occurs to us is that the family should know his whereabouts as he is not prevented from corresponding with them and they should therefore be able to supply his present address.

Additionally, an inquiry to the Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization from the Market Proprietor, stating the pertinent history, might produce information as to his whereabouts.

As you know, of course, we are not in the position of a collection agency and in a case of this character, it is impossible for us to obtain or supply information concerning the location of an internee. We are genuinely desirous of being helpful but in view of the peculiar circumstances surrounding people in custody, if the foregoing suggestions do not bear fruit, we have no further jurisdiction in this matter and the claimant is free to take necessary legal steps.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 5, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen:

Enclosed please find bill from the Las Tiendas Meat Market to Menda Company of Monterey and sworn statement attested to before a notary by the proprietor of the market concerning the account.

filed Salinas records.

Reference is made to my letter to you of May 13th regarding B. Menda and Company, starting with the 4th paragraph. It is my understanding that B. Menda is in a concentration camp somewhere, in any event in custody. The family was last reported at Platteville, Colo. P. O. Box 326.

Apparently the family would like to have this bill paid but have no funds and they feel quite sure the father had funds on him when he was picked up by the F.B.I. Of this we have no information but are inclined to believe that he did have more than a usual amount of money.

The trade relations between this market and B. Menda date back many years and have always been satisfactory and the market proprietor feels sure that Menda would pay the bill if he could.

Will you please advise me, or the market directly, if there is any further information that you want in order to help get this account straightened out or whether it is a matter which you think we should try to help in at all or not.

If that is the case I would like to so notify the market so that they could turn the matter over to their attorney or do whatever else they feel they should do to collect their claim.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

Appreciate your prompt report on this case. [illegible]

6/8 Answered

Answ. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

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Surname

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STATEMENT

IN ACCOUNT WITH

LAS TIENDAS MEAT MARKET

QUALITY MEATS and POULTRY

OTTO ILG, PROP. PHONE 4677

MONTEREY, CALIF. 5-31- 19 47

M Monda Co.

DATE	MEMO	DR.	CR.	BAL.
227	Balance			34890

A F F I D A V I T

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss
COUNTY OF MONTEREY)

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, this day personally appeared

OTTO G. ILG

to me well known who, after being duly sworn, did depose and say:

"That B. Menda is now indebted to me in the sum of $348.90 (statement of account is attached) said Menda is now in an alien concentration camp, and when the bill was presented to said Mendas son, said son informed me that when his father was picked up in Stockton, Calif. that he had on his person the sum of approx-imately $3,000.00, which money was taken from him."

Further this affiant sayeth not.

Signed Otto G. Ilg

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of May, 1942

C. H. Heuring
Notary Public
Monterey County, State of California.

My commission expires February 23,1944

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
May 14, 1942

Mr. Jack Malloway
c/o Las Tiendas Market
Del Monte & Tyler
Monterey, California

Dear Jack: Re: B. Menda & Co.

Enclosed please find some copies of the Power of Attorney forms which we are using. While this would undoubtedly give you authority it would be advisable to also get the papers for the boat properly signed over to you so you can get the ownership or lease recognized by B ill Wyatt's office.

I would suggest that, if possible, you get a form filled out by these evacuees for those houses that you are looking after for them.

If there's anything else I can do to help you, please advise me.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

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cc:FRB

May 14, 1942

Mr. J. F. van Loben Sels,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Salinas, California.

Dear Sir:

We have noted with interest your letters of May 13 outlining certain developments affecting evacuee property in your area.

Referring to the only question asked by you in the case of B. Menda, please be advised that we concur with your decision that no action should properly be taken by us.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

RvBaldwin:go

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
May 13, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen: In re: B. Menda & Co. of Monterey and Seller Bros. & Co.'s letters

In talking these matters over with Mr. W. J. Follett of the Minick Transfer Co. in Monterey yesterday, he told me that he advised Seller Bros. he would not enter the former Menda premises or take anything out of the store for shipping unless their representative was present, or unless I was, to see that he only took what he was directed to remove and also to show him just what to remove, and assume responsibility for such removal.

I told him that we were not prepared to act in the matter at all due to lack of information from the evacuee. Mr. Follett has now notified Seller Bros. that if and when their salesman comes to Monterey and goes with him and shows him just what to take and assumes the responsibility for taking it, he will transport the goods but not until then.

This would seem to be a reasonably proper attitude for him to take. We have not communicated further with Seller Bros. as the matter did not seem to be in our hands.

It is my understanding that B. Menda was taken into custody in Newcastle. It is commonly reported among his friends and former associates that he had a large sum of money on his person at the time. One of the sons was here just before the evacuation and told several creditors in Monterey that as soon as this money was released to the family the bills would be paid, but in the meanwhile they were unable to do so.

Is there anything we should do in this situation? If so, please advise us.

It should be stated that Menda operated in Monterey for years and always seemed to enjoy a good

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credit reputation and his creditors feel that he will pay, or his family will pay, as soon as they are in a condition to do so.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

7 Natividad Street
Salinas, California
April 8, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Mr. R. E. Everson, Asst. Cashier

Called Gen'l Supply gave info JvVB

Gentlemen:

Reply is made to your letter of April 3rd with enclosure from the General Supply Co. in regard to B. Menda Co., 337 Washington St. Monterey. We have made some inquiries about this case and are told that Harry Kaoru Menda has gone with the family to Platteville, Colorado, P. O. Bx 326, having left about the 27th of March with most of the members of the firm and their families. Some of the others in that group went to Fort Lupton, Colorado, so it is reported to us.

We have also been informed that B. Menda who was a Japanese, was taken into custody at Newcastle. It is supposed that there is some relationship between these people and the Uyeda family who still live in Seaside near Monterey and operate a truck farm.

Possibly you would wish to communicate part of this information to Mr. Tegner of the General Supply Co. We have not communicated with him or with his company.

In cases like this, do you wish me to reply to these inquiries forwarded directly or to your office? Do you want a copy of correspondence addressed to this office by aliens or evacuees and our replies by letter, if any? Where possible we are not writing.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

4/9 Answered

Answ. by Routine Advice

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April 3, 1942

General Supply Company,
589 Howard Street,
San Francisco, Calif.

Attention Mr. W.F.Tegner

Subject: B. Menda Co.,
337 Washington Street
Monterey, California

Dear Sirs:

In acknowledgment of your letter of April 2nd, we have nothing in our files relative to the above company, and have not been requested by the officers of the company or others to investigate its affairs.

We are sending a copy of your letter and our reply to our Field Representative, Mr. James F. van Loben Sels, 7 Natividad Street, Salinas, California.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Tyler:F

Cc: Mr. James F. van Loben Sels,
Field Representative,
Salinas, Calif.

Foreign Funds has nothing

on B. Menda Co.

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HOUSEHOLD REMEDIES
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NOTIONS
SCHOOL SUPPLIES
TOILET ARTICLES

GENERAL SUPPLY COMPANY

589 HOWARD STREET TEL. GArfield 5218

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

April 2, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR - 3 1942

Have we any data?

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
Sansome & Sacramento Streets
San Francisco, California

Re: B. Menda Co.
337 Washington Street
Monterey, California

Gentlemen: Attention: Mr. Herbert Armstrong

The above party operated a general merchandise store at the address given, and we, in the normal course of our business sold him, from time to time, small amounts of drug sundries.

Under date of February 3, 1942 we sold him an invoice totalling $20.35, which remains unpaid.

At the time of a recent call by our representative, he reports that the premises were locked and it appeared that the merchandise had been moved. We have attempted, by mail, to reach B. Menda Co., without result.

Would you be so kind as to advise us if you are handling his affairs, or whether you have information as to who is doing so?

Thanking you for your early attention, we beg to remain,

Very truly yours

GENERAL SUPPLY COMPANY

W. C. Tegner

A-3-HV Answered

Ansd. by Routine MHV: E

No answer Required

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

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mendes Mata
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2149 Sonoma Way
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Mendes wishes to purchase a cleaning shop.

Action taken:*

I advised Mrs. Mendes to see Mr. Schwartz, 1518 E. 12th Stl, Oakland, about the cleaning shop at 517 - 19th Street.

Handled by:

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Oakland

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

closed

April 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mendes C. P. (Mrs.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2149 Sonoma Way
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MENDES (Surname) C. P. (MRS.) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: not given

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Mendes wishes to rent a small house in Oakland.

Action taken:*

Advised Mrs. Mendes that we would place her name in our files and would notify her when such properties were available.

Handled by: Henderson

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April 1, 1942.

Mrs. C. R. Mendes,
2149 Sonoma Way,
Oakland, California.

Dear Madam:

Acknowledging your letter dated March 31, wherein you indicate a desire to lease or rent property of alien owners facing evacuation, we suggest that you promptly contact our field representative, Mr. L.L. Hendricks, 115-12th Street, Oakland, California, to whom we are sending a copy of your letter and our reply thereto. We suggest you indicate to him quite fully the type and general location of properties in which you are interested.

We are holding your inquiry in our own files also, and will communicate with you should occasion arise.

Yours very truly,

R. E. E.

Assistant Cashier

Tyler: F

Cc: Mr. L. L. Hendricks
Field Representative
Oakland

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March 31, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG

TO MR. [illegible]

APR 1 1942

Dear Sir: —

I am wrighting in regards to Alien property. I would like to lease or rent property.

Could you give me any information, by appointment, or mail.

Mrs. C. P. Mendes.
2149 - Sonoma Way.
Oakland.
Calif.

4-1-42 Answered

Ansd. by Routine Advice

No Letter Required

Ordered to File

By [signature]
Surname

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

3-12-42
(Date)

Name: Menlo Fruit Market
(Print)

Address: 1189 El Camino
(Street and Number)

Menlo Park Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MENLO FRUIT MARKET
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Not known - alien.

Operating under Treasury License now?: Yes.

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

Person Interviewed: John Kitasako (Bookkeeper)

Address: same

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wanted information concerning sale of business which is being operated under ~~Lic~~ Spec. Lic

Action taken:* Told subject that business could be sold by owner, but that it would be necessary to obtain special license from Foreign Funds Control to for completion of sale.

Handled by: Kennedy

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

_____ (Date)

Name: MENZIES JAMES
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 3071 - 22nd Ave
(Street and Number)

OAKLAND
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Memo

(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:

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Action taken:*

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

June 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Meraz, Pete
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 219½ S. Monroe
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of May 2nd., 1942.

(See Stockton letter of May 28, 1942).

Closed out on our "Miscellaneous" Report of 5/13. Attorney Mills says that Subject never returned and deal was not made. File is closed.

Action taken:*

Closed.

Handled by: Stockton

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

5/2/42
(Date)

Name: Meraz (Surname) Pete (Print) (Given)

Address: 219½ S. Monroe
(Street and Number)
Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MERAZ (Surname) Pete (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Is sent in by his attorney, L. A. Mills, to see if his intended purchase of Japanese Golden Castle Grocery, 200 W. Washington St., Stockton, is in order as to general license 68A.

Action taken:*

Telephoned attorney regarding 68A. Asked Subject to bring in Japanese after deal is made up with attorney, who is a reliable man.

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L. S. Weeks
Handled by Stockton

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

March 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: MERCADO, LAURA Miss
(Print)

Address: 686 22-nd AVE
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: Born

Name MERCADO (Surname) MISS LAURA (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: SKyLINE 1349

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Enquires re leasing or buying 4-5 acres in Marin or outside Berkeley for truck farming. Prefers property with a building on it.

Action taken:*
Suggested that enquiries be made at California Lands, at property departments of leading banks, and of leading realtors.

Handled by: Jackson

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Mercantile Collection Service (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1440 Broadway (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Kita, Y.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

(Date)

Name: Merchants Ass'n of Fresno
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Fresno Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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

3/30/42
(Date)

Name: Forrester Sherman.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 716. Patterson Bldg.
(Street and Number)

Fresno Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name Forrester Sherman.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Sherman Forrester

Address: 716. Patterson Bldg - Fresno

Telephone Number: 22171.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sherman Forrester is Secty of the Merchants Assn of Fresno, Inc. this assn has a membership of 950 merchants of Fresno. and operates a credit bureau and business promotion Dept.

His question was. Do Koreans have the same status as Japanese and subject to the same disposition.?

Action taken:*

I called the U.S. Dept of Immigration here and they stated as follows

We cannot say positively at this time, the Japanese claim the country and the Koreans claim they are not Japanese citizens.

Handled by: J. Allen.

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(S-5055) 2146 Smyth St. Fresno Cal.

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

MERCURY LAUNDRY

(Date)

Name: Billings Ted T. A. Mos
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1073 Bush ST
(Street and Number)

San Francisco
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE LAUNDRIES

Action taken:*

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

Lodi Closed
April 3-1942
(Date)

Name: MERKEL J. G.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rte 1 - Box 395
(Street and Number)
Lodi California
(City) (State)
(on alpine Road)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name Merkel (Surname) J. G. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Native

Operating under Treasury License now?: "

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

Person Interviewed: Same -

Address: —

Telephone Number: No
~~Tony Feighter 6. Murphy~~
2001 97F13

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Has the equipment and would like to operate Vineyard or (2nd Choice) Grain Land. Acreage desired from 20 to 40 acres with some Tokyo. applied for Japanese property -

Action taken:* This being Friday, the day upon which I usually work in Lodi, I had taken memo concerning this party & time in to Library & U.C.C.A. in Stockton, advising Merkel to call at Courthouse. Also advised him to see E. J. Mettler, Pres. of Farmers and Merchants Bank in Lodi.

K. Weeks

Handled by: Stockton

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

April 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: Merlino, Mrs. Bertha
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 681 Apgar Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name: MERLINO, Mrs. Bertha
(Surname) (Given)

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Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs. Merlino asks that we authorize the return to her by the Oakland Police Dept. of a short-wave radio set which had been turned in as contraband. Mrs. Merlino is an Italian alien.

Action taken:*

Advised Mrs. Merlino that return of the radio set could not be granted.

Handled by:

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Oakland

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

(Date)

Name: Merritt, Cleaners
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 659 E. 12th Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Yuzuki, Sadao

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Merritt Florist Shop
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1124 E. 24th St
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Kasai, Yoshio

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

(Date)

Name: I. A. Mertens & Co.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Room 1164 Russ Bldg.
(Street and Number)

S F
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries: Stege Floral Co.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Messer D. M. (Print)

Address: 1491 Monterey Blvd (Street and Number)

SF (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Okuno, T.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

_____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

(Date)

Name: Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Pictures
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 259 Hyde St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco, Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Thomas, T. W.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

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April 4, 1947
(Date)

Name: Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Pictures
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 759 Hyde St.
(Street and Number)
San Francisco Cal.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER PICTURES
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Edi C. Mist

Address: Sales Representative

Telephone Number: Prospect 1613

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Executed attached Card.
Made inquiry as to rights of following to deal in theatre holdings in stocks:

Also see { Watanabe Brothers - see report 3/27/47 ✓
Stockton Theatres, Inc. } see report 3/30/47 ✓
Lincoln Theatres Co. }

also see report this date on T.W. Thomas as affecting above properties.

Action taken:* advised him that, subject to any temporary withholding of transfer rights by Jap. Govt., Japanese have full rights to sell if they can obtain true bill of sale.

L.A. Hetzel

Handled by: SO extn ✓

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Alien Property -

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Metropolitan Hotel
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 427½ K St.
(Street and Number)

Sacto.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels
(Suyehiro, Roy M)

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

(Date)

Name: Metropolitan Realty Co.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2087 Sutter St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: MATSUNAGA, Shigeru

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Metzger (Print)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Marysville (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Miyama, Su Takeo

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

_____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

(Date)

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

Address: 5013 Wall St
(Street and Number)

Richmond
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE NURSERIES

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

March 19, 1942
(Date)

Name: Meyer, Arnold
(Print)

Address: ~~154 Camino Sobrante~~
(Street and Number)

Orinda, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name
MEYER (Surname)
ARNOLD (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: December, 1938

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: ~~Orinda 3681~~

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

✓ Meyer owns a home now under construction on Cedar Street, Berkeley, in University Gardens. The builder is McKeon, Ash. 6880. Meyer paid $6100 for the house.

May 29, 1942 - now living at 43 Monte Vista Ave, Oakland. Phone Ske. 1753

Action taken:*

I advised Meyer to give power of attorney to McKeon, and I telephoned McKeon accordingly. He agreed to co-operate fully.

Handled by:
Hendricks
Oakland

* Attach additional pages where necessary

2 persons involved

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

1)

(Date)

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

Address: Sacramento (Street and Number)

(City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: NAKATOMI, James Kazuo

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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October 26, 1942

Federal Housing Administration
Vermont Avenue and K Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. Ernest F. Jones, Jr., Assistant Commissioner

Your Reference: RCP No. 527811
Kawashiri, Frank
Kazuge, Teruo
Michida, Y.
Kayano, Jean B.

Dear Sirs:

We have no information on the above named parties other than the fact that Y. Michida is believed to be a resident of the Alien Detention Camp, Missoula, Montana; and Jean B. Kayano is believed to be a resident of the Alien Detention Camp, Bismarck, North Dakota.

We believe it will be possible for you to communicate with these two persons at the camps involved.

We are requesting the Wartime Civil Control Administration to give us the present addresses of Frank Kawashir and Teruo Kazuge, which we will be happy to transmit to you promptly, upon receipt.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

HDArmstrong:krf

Closed

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

4/17/42
(Date)

Name: Michida Yaichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Michida Yaichi
(Surname) (Given)

and the name of Toyo Dyeing & Cleaning

Address: 1866 Ellis St.
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male: NR
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Ex 5200

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Was disposed of the greater of his equipment.
Highly satisfied with case.

Handled by: [illegible]

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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March 16, 1942

Yaichi Michida,
dba Toyo Dyeing and Cleaning Works,
848 Cole Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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

Mch 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: YAICHI MICHIDA doing business as TOYO DYEING & CLEANING
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 848 Cole St
(Street and Number)

San Fran. (City) Calif (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Jap

MICHIDA, YAICHI
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Father in 1900-

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓?

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

Person Interviewed: MINORU MICHIDA son

Address: 848 Cole ST

Telephone Number: Ex 5200

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Wants permission to sell equipment used in above business
Son is a citizen by birth.

Action taken:*
Sent to 502 Fed. Res. Bk.

Handled by: Wells

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

7/16/42
(Date)

Name: MIDZUNO (Surname) Terruko (Given) (Print)

Address: 2013 Bush Street (Street and Number)

San Francisco, California (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given) (Print)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

This case held out as it is known Saburo Kido had p. of a. and we felt he might walk in and ask us to store all printing equipment. This would be expensive, necessitating removal of windows, etc.

In view of no developments or requests, consider CLOSED.

Action taken:*

Handled by: R W BORDEN

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Directed to file:

7/16

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X

This case held out as it is known Tokuro Kido had P. of a. & we felt he might walk in & ask as those all Printing Comp. This wld. be effective necessitating removal of windows etc.

In view of no developments as requested, consider Closed

To Kai Printing Co.
182 Post.

~~billed to floor~~
4 presses & type
both units 3 ap.

Tokuro Kido pres
trustee
Midzuno

2031 central Bush Statters

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

4/30/42
(Date)

Name: Midzuno Terruko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2013 Bush St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name: MIDZUNO (Surname) Terruko (Given)

To Kai Printing Co. ✱XR

Supplementary Report

Date of ~~last entry into United States~~: June 16 - 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?: SF 16161a

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: ..

~~Telephone~~ Family Number: 18976

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Involves Atom Building Two flats about Printing machinery. Bank accounts attested by Board of Equalization - Husband in Custody. Value $1500.00

Action Taken

Mrs Midzuno will write the Board of Equalization to withdraw $107.50 (all the money she has) and apply it on the $155.00 Sales Tax account.

The priorities Board advise the of Printing Presses, Cutters, Perforating Machines Stitching machines Can not be sold or leased without authority from The War production Board at Washington D. C. There is undoubtedly a good market for this equipment but due to the procedure a ~~Letter~~ could not be communicated before her examination along ~~Action Taken:~~* form was made to give Lincoln St Grant Power of attorney to dispose of the equipment. On the name of the purchaser or any one leaving it must be submitted to the War Production Board along with the request attorney J. C Powell will contact Washington for Grant. Regarding Real Property see Sheet # 2.

Handled by: Magee

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*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055) No Involved
No Interviewed 3

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States Sheet #2 4/30/42
(Date)

Name: Midzuno Teruka
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Supplimental Report.

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

~~Telephone~~ Family Number: 18976.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Real Property. Located at 1824 A. Post St. The printing Equipment is and will Continue to be Stored in this building Cannot be removed from there without taking out the Plate Glass. Front Windows. Some months ago Midzuno gave a Contract to Grant for the repair of the building about Two Thirds of the work. Has been Completed. They run out of funds due to Midzuno's money being largely invested in Japanese Bonds and the Bank of America will not Loan money to Japanese. If the Bank will Loan the money approximately $1700 ~~covering the property as security~~ to Grant Midzuno will Deed the property to Grant under a Declaration of Trust. On Completion of the work. Grant will Deed the property back to one Kido an attorney in Who name at now stands As stated in original Interview Kido acts as guardian for minor Son

Action taken:*

Handled by: Mayer

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

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

April 26 1942
(Date)

Name: Midzuno Terruka
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2012 Bush St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Family No 18976

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: June 16 - 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?: S.F. 16161

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: West 2937

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Continuation case, previously opened ✓ 00 Calif. St.
Mrs Midzuno has a flat with a print shop below, equiped with printing equipment worth $1500.00. The Real property is in the name of Robert Midzuno her son and an attorney by the name of Kido, who act as the son's guardian. Inasmuch as she, her son and attorney are being evacuated, it is her desire to have the properties taken care of, which include sale of presses, building improvements, rentals, frozen account of husband who is interned, and other details.

Action taken:*
We advised her to immediately appoint a substitute attorney to replace Kido and give him power to protect and act in her behalf.

Handled by: Lee M Zoffer

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4 Interests - 1 Interviewed.

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

4/17/42 X A
(Date)

Name: Mizuno Teruko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2012 Bush St.
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: West 7241

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

4/17/42 - 9:45 am Does not answer telephone.
4/23/42 - 10:45 am do.

Handled by: E Kuroiwa

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MIZUNO (Surname) TERUKO (Given)

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

4/6/42
(Date)

Name: Midzuno (Surname) TERUKO (Print) (Given)

Address: 2014 Bush St (Street and Number)

SF (City) Calif (State)

Rent 7441

Telephone:
Interview: —

Adult: —
Minor:
Male:
Female: —
Citizenship: Japan

Name MIDZUNO (Surname) TERUKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: June 16 - 1940

Operating under Treasury License now: 68a

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

Person Interviewed: Mrs Midzuno

Address: above

Telephone Number: Rent 7441

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

A - Subject owns home ~~[illegible]~~ valued at $6000.00 wanted F.H.A. loan of $2500.00 to make the home livable so she could rent it. She was not encouraged by Bank of America about the loan, ~~[illegible]~~ Looked difficult - too much money needed for value of property.

B - Her Husband (already arrested) owned and operated printing plant in basement. She wants to lease this to new operator. Since want to sell equipment at probable sacrifice.

Action taken:*

A - Suggested she talk to FHA office direct as to possibilities of a modernization loan. If they declare - it is probably out.

B - Suggested she give her husband's attorney power of attorney to continue negotiation for FHA loan and also to lease or sell the printing equipment.

Handled by [illegible]

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(S-5055) 2 - Interviewed mother of Sam

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Mielke (Surname) Wm. (Given)

Address: 217 K. St. (Street and Number)

Sacto. (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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7201 - E
Tule Lake W.R.A.
Newell, Calif.
Nov. 9, 1942

Seattle Branch
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
P.O. Box 3128, Terminal Station
Seattle, Wash.

Dear Sir:

As it is very cold here and I have all my winter clothings in the two trunks, please send immediately.

Please send two large trunks that have <u>new locks</u> on them.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Sam Migita

Our family number is
37059

November 14, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Forwarding of evacuee's goods.

We are enclosing a copy of a letter, dated November 9, 1942 received from our Seattle Branch from an evacuee, Sam Higita, requesting the forwarding of certain personal property in storage.

The evacuee has been informed that his request has been transmitted to your office for consideration.

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure
FM

cc: Seattle Branch,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco

COPY

SEATTLE BRANCH

TO: HEAD OFFICE

DATE November 12, 1942

SUBJECT: Evacuee Property Department

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

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

Enclosure

(Unsigned)

Assistant Manager

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

5/15/42
(Date)

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

Address: 1443 KEARNEY ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name X 4
MIGNACCO (Surname)
Billy (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1929

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: DOUGLAS 2017

Principal property involved and scope of problem: WANTS AUTOMOBILE

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

Action taken:*

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

Handled by: Fred Mirsky

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

Sac. 111

~~April 1, 1942~~ Closed
(Date)

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

Address: 1238 E Street (Street and Number)

Sacramento (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MIGUGUCHI (Surname) MASANO AND YUKIO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Oct. 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 2-6196

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:* Case closed

DS 116 3 WH 0 38

2 Interviewed
3 Represented

Handled by: RWS

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Sacramento Office

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

_____ (Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Hamilton (Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Montana (City) (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

April 26, 1942.

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

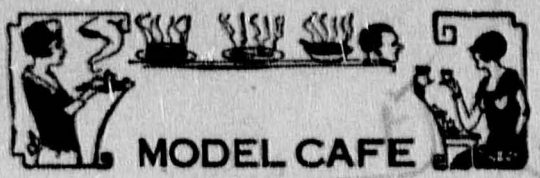
We are forwarding a copy of your letter to the War Relocation Authority for its information and further consideration.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Armstrong:avb

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



MODEL CAFE

F. K. MIHARA, PROP.

PHONE 179-W

HAMILTON, MONTANA U. S. A.

April 21, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Dear Sirs:

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

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

Assigned
Asst. to Vice-President
Machine Operated

F. M. Entered 4/23/42
By Simon

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

Closed

Apr 17 '52
(Date)

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

Address: 1221 Sutter St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name Miho (Surname) Mario (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Subject

Address:

Telephone Number: Telephone 1379

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:* Closing Report

Refund has been obtained from the telephone company

Handled by:

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

APRIL 8/42
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 1771 SUTTER ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Name MIHO (Surname) MASAO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: FILLMORE 1379

Principal property involved and scope of problem: TELEPHONE REFUND

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

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

Handled by: Fred Mitchell

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(6 persons inc 1 interviewer)

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

July 3, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: Box 312 (Street and Number)

Gridley, (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

(Surname) (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: "

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

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

Handled by: Harry E. Pahl
Field Representative- Chico

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

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

June 18, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miho (Surname) Shizue (Given)

Address: Box 312 (Street and Number)

Gridley (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview:x

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

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

Operating under Treasury License now: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address: "

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:

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

Handled by: HARRY E PAHL
Field Representative - Chico

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(1 person interviewed) (10 involved)

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

June 17, 1942
Date

Name: Miho (Surname) Shizue (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: Box 312 (Street and Number)

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

Gridley (City) Calif (State)

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

Operating under Treasury License now No

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

Person interviewed: Shizue Miho
M. Miho

Address Same as above

Telephone Number No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:

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

Handled by: HARRY E PAHL
Field Representative - Chico

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(2 persons interviewed) (10 involved)

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

June 12, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: Box 312
(Street and Number)

Gridley Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

#2

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

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

Action taken:*

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

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

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

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

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

June 11, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: Box 312
(Street and Number)

Gridley Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same as above

Address:

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has the following to dispose of:

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

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

Action taken:*

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

Referred the farm problem to Mr. Buckley.

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

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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MIKADO HOTEL

_____ (Date)

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

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

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE HOTELS

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

MIKADO HOTEL _____ (Date)

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

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

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: HOTELS

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

MIKADO HOTEL

(Date)

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

Address: STOCKTON ASSEMBLY CENTER
(Street and Number)

STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: HOTELS

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

(Date)

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

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

San Jose, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Okamoto, Yrio

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

MIKADO LAUNDRY

_____ (Date)

Name: FUJISAWA S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1338 TULARE
(Street and Number)

FRESNO, CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: LAUNDRIES

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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Schedule sent 2/4/42 rec'd 2/6/42

4/3/1942
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: —

Address: 191 No Mt Vernon St
(Street and Number)
Lindsay Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor: —
Male:
Female: —
Citizenship: American

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: T. Yamamoto

Address: 191 No Mt Vernon St

Telephone Number: 155

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

Name MIKADO RESTURANT
(Surname) (Given)

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

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7 persons affected

Handled by: HGH
Field Representative
Directed to file: Visalia

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

(Date)

Name: Mikami Seichi Henry
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Fresno, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Armstrong

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

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

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

Dear Mr. Downes:

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

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

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

Sincerely yours,
Seichi H Mikami

Seichi Henry Mikami

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

This is sent to you just to show some of the errands that we do.

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

April 13, 1942
(Date)

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

Telephone: x
Interview:

Address: 2154 Lincoln Ave.
(Street and Number)

Alameda, California
(City) (State)

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

Name MIKAMI (Surname) SHIGATOSHI (Given)

Supplementary Interview

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Richardsons

Address: Central Ave., Alameda

Telephone Number: La. 2-1522

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Tried to call Mikami on phone, and was advised phone disconnected.

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

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Persons Interviewed (1) Concerned (1) Alameda.

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

March 28, 1942
(Date)

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

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

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MIKAMI (Surname) SHIGATOSHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?: -

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

Person Interviewed: same
"
Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Joint account with brother.

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

Land 50 x 120 - No encumbrances

Do not want to sell - Would like to rent.

Has bank account in the Central Building and Loan Assn.

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

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) Persons concerned (2)

Directed to file:
Alameda

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

_____ (Date)

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

Address: Yosemite Hotel (Street and Number)

Stockton (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

June 26, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: Marysville Assembly Center (Street and Number)

Marysville (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: H. Mikawa (son)

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

6/26/42

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

Interview # 159 Closed

Handled by: K.T. Gregg

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

June 17, 1942
(Date)

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

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

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: H. Mikawa (son)

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

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

Later son advised all matters arranged

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1 interviewed
1 represented
2 Total

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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

4/22/42
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 100 Mallard St
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Daly City
(City) (State)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Ocean 4404

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

The attached closed report was originally filed with the county cases however it belongs under the city caption

Handled by: Eberhardt

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Name MILLER, BERNARD HARRIET (Surname) (Given)

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

4/22/42
(Date)

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

Address: 109 Matta St
(Street and Number)

SD
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*
Letter necessary. No telephone.

Handled by:

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

APRIL 17, 1942.
(Date)

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

Address: 109 MOLTKE
(Street and Number)

DALY CITY Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: AMERican

Name MILLER, HARRIET
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

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

Person Interviewed: Harriet Miller

Address: Same

Telephone Number: None

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Stove.
Chesterfield.

Harriet Miller is married to Bernard Miller & he is a Herman Nelson and has been unemployed as a Longshoreman. She paid about $70 during the last 11 months on a stove (Price = $150.50 = Wedgewood $ = 6.42 per mo.) and still owes Bank of America about $120 (Including interest and financing) on it and is afraid that they will repossess it when she falls down on payments. She thought we could do something as her husband is an "Enemy Alien".

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

Action taken:*

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

Handled by Mary O'Adams

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Closed for us
Persons interviewed 1
Persons affected 2

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

May 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miller, Carl B.
(Print)

Address: 109 Moeltke St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MILLER (Surname) CARL B. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1905

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Mrs. Carl B. Miller

Address: as above

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

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

Handled by:
Hendricks

* Attach additional pages where necessary

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

EMPLOYMENT

3/25/42
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

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

Name MILLER (Surname) DAVID T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: Lena Reeder

Address: 867-46th ave SF

Telephone Number: Bayview-4033

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

Advised would put on file

Handled by: Gray

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5065) 1 Interviewed
2 Represented

Directed to file: Hand ✓
SF.

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

April 23, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Douglas Flats Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

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

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

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

Handled by: Hendricks

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

Directed to file: _____
Oakland

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

(Date)

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

Address: 904 Del Paso Blvd
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries
Camellia City Nursery

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

_____ (Date)

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

Address: Route 9 Box 2825
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

August 24, 1942

Yellow Copy
Filed:
Farm Security
Administration

Mr. Ralph L. Miller,
Route 9, Box 2825,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Sir:

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

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

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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

RMBorden/eln

August 24, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures

RWBorden/eln

Sacramento, California
August 21, 1942

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o
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y

Federal Reserve Bank,
San Francisco, California

Sirs:

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

Yours,

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

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

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April 30/42
(Date)

Name: Mills A. L. Mr.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 503 Montgomery St.
(Street and Number)
San Francisco, Calif.
(City) (State)

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

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

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States: Born Here

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Exbrook 8175

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Wants Phonograph

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

Action taken:*

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

Handled by: Inf Mindy

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

1 Person.

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

_____ (Date)

Name: Mella Mf George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

_____ (City) (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: KAKU, Kaichi

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: _____

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

(Date)

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

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

Oakland, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries

Eastment Nursery

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

(S-5055)

October 21, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

BCR:DEN:EM

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

Dear Mr. Winstock.

This is just a line & inquire about that phone call you were to make for me & Marcus Blount in Salina.

I was waiting & keen from you the day before we left Topaz but as you did not send for me, I concluded that you did not have any use for me.

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

Awaiting your reply and hoping that all is

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

Sincerely
Wanda Nunn
(Mrs. George)

10/21
Answered

Answ. by Routine Advice

No Answer Required

Ack. to File
By
Secretary

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

9/22/42.

Minami, Geo

30-4-C-D Central Utah Relocation

Re Maccario Florist

Oakland Piedmont 0613

a/c receivable 28.00 for flowers.

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

August 6, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

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

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

We suggest that you promptly prepare a detailed statement of Mr. Pauly's account with you, sending us a copy at the time advice is sent to him.

The Maccario Florist Company, when contacted by telephone today, promptly and frankly admitted the debt of $28.00 to you, stating that business had been very slack with them. According to their statement to us they will remit the full sum of $28.00 to you on or before September 1, 1942. They were advised of your present address at Tanforan.

We will be glad to have you advise us later as to the progress made by you in the collection of these two accounts.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

TYL:ER:krf

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

_____ (Date)

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

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

Hayward
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE Nurseries

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

E Block

4/2/42
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 2082 Center Street
(Street and Number)

Berkeley (City) California (State)

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

Name MINAMI (Surname) HENRY (DR.) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number: Thornwall 1871

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

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

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

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

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(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
5 persons involved

Thornwall 1389

Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3/7/42
(Date)

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

Address: 2082 Center Street
(Street and Number)

Berkeley California
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

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

Name MINAMI (Surname) HENRY DR. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Above

Address: Above

Telephone Number: Thornwall 1871

Follow-up of reports 4/2/42

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Applicant states:

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

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

Action taken:* Case apparently closed.

Handled by: Mason Case
Field Representative-Berkeley
Directed to file:
Thornwall 1589

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1 person interviewed
Persons involved-see former reports

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

(Date)

Name: Minami Kazuo
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Gardena Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

October 9, 1942

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

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

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

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

Assistant Cashier.

HDArmstrong:EM

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

May 16th 1942
(Date)

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

Address: WEED PATCH HIGHWAY
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name MINAMOTO (Surname) KIICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same
Address: "
Telephone Number: 22051

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
See Report and Name V. 2-4 ✓

Sold - 1936 Chevrolet Sedan
$300.00 cash
To
A. G. HARRIS
117 SANTA PAULA
LAMONT
Sale finished and closed

Action taken:*

Case closed

1 Person 1

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Handled by: SB

Directed to file:

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

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

May 2nd 1942
(Date)

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

Address: WEED PATCH HIGHWAY
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MINAMOTO (Surname) Kiichi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same
Address: "
Telephone Number: 32054

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Minamoto learned that we had arranged sale of Ford and Mine for Kawasaki. He has a load of Sherry and wants to sell.

Action taken:*

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

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

1 Person

Handled by: [illegible]

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

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

April 22nd 1942
(Date)

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

Address: WEEDPATCH HIGHWAY
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MINAMOTO (Surname) KIICHI (Given)

CLOSED

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Samuel

Address: "

Telephone Number: 22051

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

172 acre Ranch

Sold for $34200.00 cash

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

Action taken:*

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

1 pscrem

Handled by: [illegible]

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Directed to file:

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

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

(Date)

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

Address: Buddhist Church (Street and Number)

Bakersfield (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Churches

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File:

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

(Date)

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

Address: 1209 Inyo St
(Street and Number)

Fresno, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given) (Firm)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

May 28, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
MAY 28 1942

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

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

R. E. Evans

Assistant Cashier.

BOLDEN: ECF
SCHESSLER:ci

COPY

OFFICIAL COPY FOR GENERAL FILE

LOS ANGELES BRANCH

TO: Head Office

Date: May 22, 1942

SUBJECT: Evacuee Property Department

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

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

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

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

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

Gentlemen: Attention: Mr. Sloan

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

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

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

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

Head Office May 22, 1942

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

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

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

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

Respectfully,

J. L. WOOD

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

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

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

FRED C. BOLD (signed)
Assistant Manager

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May 18, 1942

SADAICHI MINAMOTO, 1209 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

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

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

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

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

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

Assistant Cashier

RTBORDEN:krf

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

Family # 29223

May 13 1942 (Date) X

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

Address: 1209 Inyo St (Street and Number)

Fresno (City) Cal. (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: January 1941

Operating under Treasury License now?: Yes

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

Person Interviewed: Sadaichi Minamoto

Address: 1209 Inyo St Fresno

Telephone Number: none

Del Supplemental Report

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Supplemental Report

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

Action taken:

L S Dunham

Handled by: Fresno

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Family No 29223

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

May 13, 1942
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1209 Inyo St.
(Street and Number)

Fresno Cal.
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: January 1941

Operating under Treasury License now?: Yes

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

Person Interviewed: Sadaichi Minamoto

Address: 1209 Inyo Street

Telephone Number: No phone

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

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

Handled by: L. Donelson Fresno

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Sheet #2 May 13, 1942

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

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

Terms of Sale of Business:-

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

Grocery $7000 - Various $780 - Liquor $1500 - Copies of Inventory now with Government, Buyer and Escrow.

Grocery price satisfactory and part of money now in escrow. State Board of Equalization refused to transfer license but gave license to Buyer who now refuses to pay over $500 for liquors - Evacuee will not sell for that figure but wants possession of liquor which he claims is worth wholesale around $1500. Buyer is refusing to give up possession of liquors according to Evacuee.

See Sheet 3

Sheet #3

Minamoto, Sodaichi
1209 Inyo St
Fresno, Cal

May 13, 1942
Family # 29223

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

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

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

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

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

August 13, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: 603 Madison Street (Street and Number)

Oakland, California (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

Handled by: RWBorden

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Closed - Nelle

Subsequently advised
had effected sale $1750 net
for Minamoto Equity

Ruth.

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

June 9, 1942
(Date)

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

Telephone: ✓
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

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

Name Minamoto (Surname) Toshi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: Clifford Nelle, atty.

Address: Oakland, Calif

Telephone Number: GL. 3936

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

Handled by: H. Lubin

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San Francisco

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

Refer to Report of 3/25 (Date) May 22, 1942

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

Address: 603 [illegible] St.
(Street and Number)

Oak
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Case closed. L L H.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Hendricks

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Name Minamoto (Surname) Toshi (Given)

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

April 25, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: 603 Madison Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

Name MINAMOTO (Surname) TOSHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: Tw 0932

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

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

National Cash Register $240.00 Cost $365.00
National Cash Register Co., 328 - 12th Street, Hi 8020

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

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

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

Handled by: Hendricks

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(S-3055) 2 involved
2 interviewed
2 contacts

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Oakland

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

Closed

7/17/42
(Date)

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

Address: 463 Bush St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name Minamoto Trading Co
(Surname) (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: J U Uyeman Jr

Address: 463 Bush St Russian

Telephone Number: Dou 0644

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:* Closing report

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

Handled by: F Kuniyuki

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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March 12/42
(Date)

Name: MINAMOTO TRADING CO
(Print)

Address: 463 BUSH ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MINAMOTO TRADING CO.
(Surname) (Given)

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

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

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

Person Interviewed: S. KASAI

Address: 463 BUSH ST.

Telephone Number: DOUGLAS 0644

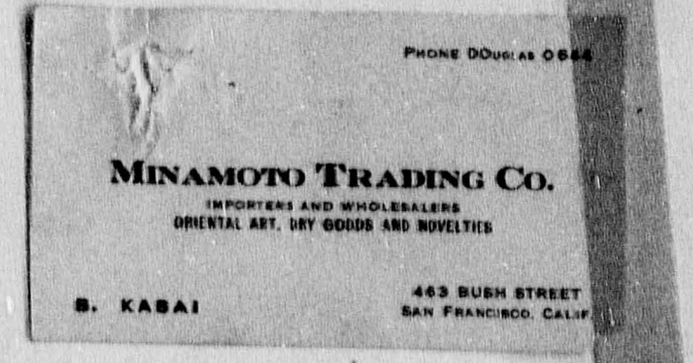
RESIDENCE 1709 SCOTT ST

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

WANTS TO LIQUIDATE TO BEST ADVANTAGE.

396 - Manila St
Manila
gc gv go Vigencia



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_____ (Date)

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

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Murakami

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

July 7, 1942
(Date)

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

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

Del Rey, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: USA

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

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

5 in family

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(S-1055) 1916 - 11th St. Reedley, Ca

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

(Date)

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

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

San Jose, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE: INOUYE, ELSIE

Action taken:*

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

June 1, 1942
(Date)

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

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

San Jose, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

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

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of April 1, 1942.

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

Action taken:*

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

April 1, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: 545 North Fifth Street
(Street and Number)

San Jose (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

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

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

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Helen

Address: Same

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Home: Good house furnished.

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

Action taken:*

Deal seems to be in order

5/21/42 Mr. Mineta says Lucie is now married

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Moss Landing, Calif.
(City) (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Ninomiya, Jack

Action taken:*

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

April 18, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: 250 Grand Avenue
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MINNEY M. T.
(Surname) (Given)

Closed

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: Te 6085

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:*

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

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1 interviewed
1 contacte

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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_____ (Date)

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

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

San Pablo (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Nurseries

Minemeya Hayward Mrs

Action taken:*

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

(Date)

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

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

Oakland, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Moriguchi, A. Wm.

Action taken:*

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

(Date)

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

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

Oakland
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Moriguchi, Masa

Action taken:*

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

(Date)

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

Address: 111 California Drive
(Street and Number)

Burlingame Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Yamaguchi, Sakae

Action taken:*

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

(Date)

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

Address: 1419 Bdwy
(Street and Number)

OAKLAND
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Ohara, Titsus Jerry

Action taken:*

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

4/23/42
(Date)

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

Address: 228 N. Anderson
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Name MIRIKITANI (Surname) TED (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 2-4851

See report 4/20

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

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

Action taken:*

Close file

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Handled by: L. S. Weeks
Stockton

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

~~Individual~~

4/20/42
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: 31 West Market
(Street and Number)

Stockton California
(City) (State)

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

Resides at 228 West Anderson after 4/22.

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

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: Lic #-

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

Person Interviewed: Same -

Address:

Telephone Number: 2-4851

Name of Store: Ted's Cash Grocery. YR

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

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

Name MIRIKITANI TED YOSHIMASA
(Surname) (Given)

Closed

Handled by: H. A. WEEKS
Directed to file: Hector

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

April, 28, 1942
(Date)

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

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Fresno California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
MIROMOTO (Surname)
George (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:

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

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

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

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

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

Action taken:*

Handled by: Mail

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REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Border

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Fresno, California
April 28, 1942

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

Dear Mr. Everson:

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

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

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

I shall make my comments more specific in the future.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton

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

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

Directed to File
By _____
Supervisor

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

Colored

MARCH 26/42
(Date)

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

Address: 2245 ORTEGA ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name MIROYAN (Surname) MIHRAN ARAM (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1912

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: SEABRIGHT 3402

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

Action taken:* Informed Mr. Miroyan his wants would be brought to the attention of the proper heads.

Handled by: Fred Mischy

Directed to file: ✓

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(1 person only)

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

April 1, 1942
(Date)

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

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

Salinas (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

Name Miyasoki (Surname) Masonobu (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?: None

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

Person Interviewed: Tora Matsuoka

Address: 139 Elm Street, Watsonville, Calif.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Residence located in East Market Street Salinas

Value of House and Lot $ 5600.00

Owes contractor balance he insists on payment 1300.00

Action taken:*

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

1945 MAY 5 AM 10 18

Handled by: Watsonville

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Interview 1 Family 3

...of San Francisco
...of the United States

_____ (Date)

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

Address: 320 O Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

LAUNDRIES:
See: Kanda, Hatsuko

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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

July 2, 1942
(Date)

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

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

Arkansas
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Salinas letter of June 29th.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Salinas

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CAMP JOSEPH T. ROBINSON
ARKANSAS

June 25, 1942

J. F. van Loben Sels.
125 Monterey st.
Salinas California

Dear Mr. van Loben Sels.

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

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

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

Thanks again and I remain

Sincerely yours
Pvt. Mizokami

Hq. Det. Sta. Comp.

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

April 25th 1942
(Date)

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

Address: P.O Box 265 - 1007 GLENWOOD ST
(Street and Number)
DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

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

Date of last entry into United States: —

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 7591

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Bus Report completed 3-29-42 ~~F.C.C.~~ Delano
Nobu Misono (Brother)
Sold Chev 6 - 1941 - Pickup
Eng. # AD 935138 -
To H. L. NIELSEN - 1806 Tulare St Bakersfield
$100.00 cash
$527.00 - 1/27/42

Satisfactory to both parties

Action taken:*

See also: J.A.C.L, DELANO

Mother
2 Brothers
1 Sisters
} 8 persons

Handled by: [illegible]

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF

Name MISONO (Surname) MAY (Given)

CLOSED

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

MISSION HOTEL

(Date)

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

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

Sacramento (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Hotels

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

(Date)

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

Address: 223 CALIFORNIA STREET
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

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

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to File:

May 14, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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4 loans

		$	
1	Personal	$ 44.86 -	735.90
2	Auto	(sold for loan)	
3	F.H.A.		
4	"		

Wakelee's Drug Store

bill credit his acct under liquidation

$	$
$459.92	332.12
$279.96	$172.45

can send his

Wilbert Crum Trust
R.E. Loan No. 741
- Glenn Freiberg

April 30, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
of San Francisco.

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Broadhurst
MAY - 4 1942
Do you call this?

Gentlemen: Attn. Mr. Evarson

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

The loans are

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

2 — 230.04 " " " " 166.14

Yours truly

H.G. Williams

5/14
Answered
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Signature
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April 27, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

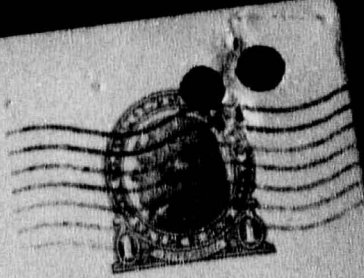
Any details that you care to give us in connection with the amount of this loan, when it was issued, and the size of the payments, will be helpful.

Yours very truly,

Bordem:JH

Assistant Cashier.

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



THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS

Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, Calif

1942 APR 24 AM 9 37

Alien Property Custodian Division

Federal Reserve Bank

Gentlemen -

We made some improvements on the store California St. Commissary 723 Calif. St. through the loan obtained by Federal Housing Adm. Since that store is no more and as we are at the evacuation camp, we wish your opinion concerning the monthly payment on the store loan, for at the present we have no means of income.

Yours truly

H. T. Nisenmi

April 25, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

R W Borden
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Letter sent 4/25/42

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

4/17/42
(Date)

Name: Misumi Kay
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 223 California St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Yukon 0582

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See correspondence

Action taken:*

Ltr sent letter. Delegation out.

Handled by: [illegible]

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Name MISUMI (Surname) H. K. (Given)

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

3-31-42
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

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

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

Date of last entry into United States: years ago

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: above

Address:

Telephone Number: Yukon 0582

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

Wants to make arrangements to store this equipment.

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

Handled by: [signature]

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(S-5055) Interviewed / Representative of

eral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
iscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 27/42
(Date)

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

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

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

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

Date of last entry into United States: 1932

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: Yes

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Yukon 0582

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Lease of store & Notes payable.

Supplementary.

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

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

Handled by: Fred Micky

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(4 persons including interviewee)

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

MARCH 27/42
(Date)

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

Address: 223 CALIFORNIA ST.
(Street and Number)
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: YES

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: YUKON 0582

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Supplemental report

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

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

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(4 persons) inc. 1 interpreter

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

MARCH 24/42
(Date)

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

Address: 223 CALIFORNIA ST.
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

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

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

Date of last entry into United States: 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: YES

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

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: SAME

Telephone Number: YUKON 0582

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

1 Mr. Misumi asked about lease on his Camera store which runs tills 1944 at $75 per month. Board of Trade is lessor. Mr. Misumi has been here since 1898. His wife and two sons have been here since 1919 Has two small loans with the American Trust Co. Wanted to know if
2 he could store his stock with a friend (not Japanese).

Action taken:*

Advised Mr. Misuma to see Landlord regarding cancelling unexpired lease and other creditors regarding Notes. Advised him about right to store Goods with friend if creditors approved.

Handled by: Fred Mucky

* Attach additional pages where necessary

(4 PERSONS) including 2 interviewed

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

_____
(Date)

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

Address: 429 SPRUCE ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

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

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Name MISUMI (Surname) HARRY TOKUYEI (Given)

April 25, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

Yours very truly,

(SIGNED) R. E. EVERSON

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

R. W. Borden
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Letter sent 4/25/42

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

4/17/42
(Date)

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

Address: 429 Spear St
(Street and Number)

S.F. Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MISAMI (Surname) HARRY T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Davenport 1256
Disconnected

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Telephone disconnected
Wrote letter.

Handled by:

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

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4/2/42
(Date)

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

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 429 Sprue ST.
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

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

Name Misumi (Surname) Harry Tokuyei (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: May 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Bayview 1254

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9 B

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

5 A

Has lease on home. Owner Elsie Adachi American Born Japanese now in Japan.
Elsie Adachi gave mortgage on Home to R.E. Sattui (American Born Italian)
The furniture of Misumi together with lease turned over to R E Sattui for Subleasing during evacuation
Has 1938 Packard Sedan Auto Cost 1050.00 mortgage to American Trust Bank Main Office on Calif St amount 300.00. Has Photo finishing equipment Stored at 1223 Calif St in Basement with Keys turned over to Atty Guy Calden 22 Battery St S.F.
Action taken:* Says will try and arrange to sell Automobile

Handled by: Gray

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4 Represented

Directed to file:

1 — 1701 Van Ness Ave SF.

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

(Date)

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

Address: 5th & Jay Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname)

(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Hotels
Taft

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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

(Date)

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

Address: 734 Vallejo St.
(Street and Number)

S F
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Vallejo Street Cleaners

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to File:

Mitani, Kaoru,
Rt 1 Bx 54
Newcastle, Calif

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Bradshaw

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

September 14, 1942

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

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

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

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

Yours very truly,

E. Everson

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Tom M. Yego
Mr. Joe A. Marshall

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

K. Mitani (Signature)

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Schlesler

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ATTY
TO Tyler

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

REFERRED BY MR. SCHLESSLER
TO MR. [illegible]

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Dear Sirs: Re: K. Mitano and Joe Marshall

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

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

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

Very truly yours,

Tom M. Vego
Legal Aid Department

tmy/tw

Staff A J Reid 1540 - 16TH ST Sac.
Pls Morton
Wm McCormack
M J Rinehart

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

9-11 Answered
Answ. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By Tyler
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

September 11, 1942

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

Subject: K. Mitani - J. A. Marshall

Dear Sir:

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

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

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

Your prompt and full report will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

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

TYLER:krf
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Lincoln 2 - 28

July 10, 1942
(Date)

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

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

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: J. A. Marshall

Address: Newcastle, California

Telephone Number: 84F3 and 11

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

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JUL 10 9:28 AM

Action taken:*

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

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

Handled M.M.McFarland

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

Lincoln 2 - 28

July 9, 1942
(Date)

Recorded as 7-13-42

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

Telephone:
Interview: x

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

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

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

Name (Surname) (Given)

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

Operating under Treasury License now?:

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

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

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

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

Action taken:*

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

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
8 in Family

Handled by M.J.Richert

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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

The two parties hereto agree with each other as follows:

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

As agreed,J.A.Marshall,party of the first part will pay $39.39 in outstanding bills against the property.

As of the above written date,K.Mitani,party of the second part shall have no interest whatsoever in the afore mentioned property.

In witness whereof the two parties hereto have set their hands,

(Signed) J. A. Marshall

Party of the first part

(Signed) G. Kester

Witness

(Signed) K. Mitani

Party of the second part

Newcastle
April 3,1942

I hereby promise to pay to K.Mitani the sum of $100.00 within sixty days from date above written.This amount is outstanding from services to the Willowbrook Ranch,taken over as above written date by myself.

(Signed) C. Kester
Witness

(Signed) J. A. Marshall
J. A. Marshall

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitani Rev. Masatane
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Jap. M. E. Church
(Street and Number)

Bakersfield.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Mrs. (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:

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Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MITO (Surname) (Print) MITSUGI (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

FRESNO (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Konda, Ray

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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2140 Inyo Street
Fresno, California

June 17, 1942

see reply of 6/20/42 filed Fresno rep.

Evacuee Property Dept
Federal Reserve Bank of S.F.
500 California Street
San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen:

In Fresno County the following described property is located.

W. 55 acres of the NW 4 Sec. 29 - Twp 13 Rg. 23. Growing on this land is a Citrus Grove.

The owners of this property are residents of Japan, and have been for many years.

One half interest belongs to N. Tanaka, a man about 60 years of age and no doubt but that he obtained his ownership before the Alien Land Act was in effect.

One half interest belongs to a man by the name of Mitsugi Mito who was a minor in 1928, at which time he went to Japan.

This is as much information as I have at present on the ownership.

The person who has had charge of this property the entire time, the owners, have lived in Japan, is named Ray Konda and he does not have a power of attorney or any other form of authority.

Mr. Samuel Hollis, an attorney here, has a client who wishes to lease this property. What are the necessary proceedings?

Yours truly,

L. J. ALLEN /s/

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

6/6/42
(Date)

Name: Mitsuda George
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Stockton Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)
Formerly Rt. 4, Stockton

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Date of last entry into United States: ?

Operating under Treasury License now?: 68A

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Peter Bayer

Address: Mariposa Road & Park Lane
Stockton

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Interviewer, a most reliable operator of a truck and automobile shop, advises that he has sold Subject's 1940, 1½ Chevrolet truck to L. C. Seidel, a contractor for $1050 cash--a very good price.

Action taken:*

Advised Subject at Stockton Assembly Center.
Close file.

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Handled by: L. S. Weeks
Stockton

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Directed to File:

X Name (Surname) (Given)

November 23, 1942

Mr, Pedro Gutierres
605½ Fremont Street
Delano, California

re: Masano Mitsui

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated November 17, 1942 regarding the ownership certificate of a vehicle purchased by you from the above named evacuee.

We are informed that the ownership certificate is in the possession of C. H. Kamm & Company, 1034 Monterey Street, San Luis Obispo, California, the Buick garage in that city.

That company advised us that a car of the description purchased by you was sold by them to an A. Mitsui in November, 1941 and that they carried a conditional sale contract balance of $51.25 on the vehicle. The balance was reduced to $38.25 under their contract but the balance appears to be still outstanding.

We suggest that you get in touch with C. H. Kamm & Company, and if you have any further question regarding the vehicle we believe you can reach Mr. Mitsui at the Jerome War Relocation Project, Jerome, Arkansas.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

H D ARMSTRONG:krf

DELANO,CALIFORNIA NOV.17-1942

PEDRO GUTIERRES
605½ FREMONT ST.
DELANO,CALIF:

MR.
W.D.TOWNES
FIELD REPRESENTATIVE
319 PATTERSON BULDG.
FRESNO,CALIFORNIA.

Dear Sir;

As I have not have answer from you what so ever,I would like for you to let me know something about.

Its been since June 26 since you wrote to me about sending into San Francisco for my ownership papers of mine.

Kindly look them up soon as you posible can.

Yours Very Truly

Pedro gutierrez

Pedro Gutierres
605½ Fremont St.
Delano,California

Jerome Wa Relent Rep

Jerome Ashcraft

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By
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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

June 26, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

On June 17 you fowarded us a copy of a letter you had written to the Kawa Garage, San Louis Obispo, in regard to a pink ownership certificate on a 1931 Chevrolet automobile, registered in the name of Masano Mitsui.

We would appreciate your contacting the above garage again for us, as the new owner of the car has again written us asking why he has not received same.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:m,jm

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

June 26, 1942

Mr. Pedro Gutieria
605½ Fremont Street
Delano, California

Dear Mr. Gutieria:

We have written our head office in San Francisco asking them to try and obtain ownership certificate on your 1931 Chevrolet automobile, which you purchases from Masano Mitsui.

As soon as we receive same from them, we will foward to you.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:mjm

June 26 - 1942
Delano Calif.

Mr Lawson Allen

Please Kindly find out about this contract that I made with mr. Masuo Mitsui. I wrote you a letter telling you all the facts but have not recieve any answer - Like I explain to you I Bought a car of this man and he promise to send me the white and pink slip which he haven't Done the car that I Bought from him is a 1931 Chevrolet Sedan. He is a Japanese that I know for some time. I Got witness that already have sign that I paid him for the car

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Also have the contract
sign by him. So
please if you can
get me a permit
to go and talk to
him please mail
it to my address

605½ Fremont St
Delano Calif.

Pedro Gutierrez

P.S.

Do the best you can so
that I can get this
straighten out.

Thank You
over please

This Man is over at the

Fresno Evacuation
Reserve Center
Fresno Calif.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 17, 1942

Kamm Garage
San Luis Obispo
California

Dear Sirs:

We are informed by our Fresno representative that you are in possession of the pink ownership certificate of a 1931 Chevrolet automobile registered in the name of Masanao Mitsui.

Mr. Mitsui states that he has written you several times requesting that this slip be forwarded to him but he has had no reply. It appears that the machine in question has been sold and it is of course necessary to obtain this certificate before transfer can be completed.

If the foregoing facts are essentially correct, may we request your cooperation in the delivery of this certificate. If you prefer that we handle this matter, please forward the certificate to us and we will see that it is re-directed to Mr. Mitsui.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: H. D. Townes Field Representative

2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

June 16, 1942

Mr R E Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

I have been informed by Masamao Mitsui of the Fresno Assembly Center that the Kamm Garage, San Luis Obispo, California are holding the pink slip on a 1931 Chevrolet registered in the name of A Mitsui. Mr Mitsui states that he has written the above Garage regarding same but to-date has not had the courtesy of a reply from them. As this car has been resold they are anxious to secure the pink slip in order that it can be signed over to the new owner.

We are forwarding this to your office so that you may either either follow from there or instruct us as to what proceedure we should take.

Yours very truly

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California
June 12, 1942

Kawm Garage
San Luis Obispo
California

Gentlemen:

We are informed by Masanao Mitsui that you are holding the pink slip on a 1931 Chevrolet registered in the name of A. Mitsui. Mr Mitsui states that he has written you regarding same but to-date has not had the courtesy of a reply from you.

Kindly inform us by return mail as to the reason for delay, letting us know when we may expect you to deliver pink slip to the Mitsui's as this car had been resold.

Very truly yours

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MITSUI MASAND
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

FRESNO ASSEMBLY CENTER
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

July 24, 1942

Mr. W. D. Timmons, Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 Patterson Building
Fresno, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to our communications pertaining to the ownership certificate of one, Masano Mitsui.

In our most recent communication to you of July 9, 1942, we forwarded a letter from C. H. Kamm & Company of San Luis Obispo indicating that there was some doubt as to the title.

We are interested to learn what communications, if any, have been had with these people. This is a matter which we feel should be terminated prior to Mitsui's movement to a relocation center.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

:krf

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Tickle to me 1/rr RWB.

(Date)

Name: MITSUI (Surname) (Print) MASANO (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

_____ (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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July 9, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ANDERSON
TO MR. [illegible]
JUL - 9 1942

Mr. W. D. Townes,
Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
319 Patterson Building,
Fresno, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the pink ownership certificate for a 1931 Chevrolet belonging to one Masano Mitsui.

We have received a communication from C. H. Kamm & Company of San Luis Obispo, copy of which is enclosed. You will note that Mitsui apparently has had no right to sell this machine or represent it as being clear in view of the unfulfilled contract.

We have not answered C. H. Kamm's inquiry as to the whereabouts of Mitsui and will await your advice.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier.

H. V. Burkhardt:db

Enclosure

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C. H. KAMM & COMPANY

1034 MONTEREY STREET TELEPHONE 162

SAN LUIS OBISPO, CALIFORNIA

"Best Buick Yet"

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON TO MR.

TO MR. EVERSON

July 8, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
San Francisco, California

Attention: Assistant Cashier

Gentlemen:

We have your communication in connection with the ownership certificate of a 1931 Chevrolet registered to Masanao Mitsui.

In November, 1941, we sold a car of this description, motor No. 5516808, to an A. Mitsui on which was carried a conditional sales contract for the balance of $51.25. One payment of $15 was made on December 23rd, but since that time, no credits have been received. There remains, at the present, a balance of $36.25 under this contract.

We are in possession of the ownership certificate of the above car and if this is the automobile in question, we would appreciate any information you may give us as to how settlement might be effective.

Yours very truly,

C. H. KAMM & COMPANY

By

J.E.O'Connor/b

Received
Ack. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Directed to File
By
Surname
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June 29, 1942

Ham Garage,
San Luis Obispo,
California.

Dear Sirs:

On June 17 we wrote you requesting that a pink ownership certificate for a 1931 Chevrolet be forwarded to Masuno Mitsui or ourselves for transmittal.

We have heard nothing from you and we are informed neither has Mitsui. May we request your prompt attention to this matter or, if you are not in agreement with this course of action, please advise us. Mitsui is due to be transferred to a relocation area shortly and both he and ourselves are anxious to dispose of this problem.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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cc: W. D. Townes, Field Representative, Fresno.

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Lorley

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

June 26, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

On June 17 you fowarded us a copy of a letter you had written to the Kamm Garage, San Louis Obispo, in regard to a pink ownership certificate on a 1931 Chevrolet automobile, registered in the name of Masano Mitsui.

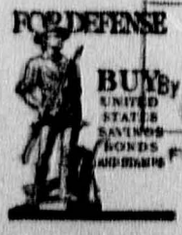
We would appreciate your contacting the above garage again for us, as the new owner of the car has again written us asking why he has not received same.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:mjm

_____ Answered
_____ Answ. by Routine Advice
_____ No Answer Required



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By _____
Supervisor

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June 17, 1942

Kazu Garage
San Luis Obispo
California

Dear Sirs:

We are informed by our Fresno representative that you are in possession of the pink ownership certificate of a 1931 Chevrolet automobile registered in the name of Masanao Mitsui.

Mr. Mitsui states that he has written you several times requesting that this slip be forwarded to him but he has had no reply. It appears that the machine in question has been sold and it is of course necessary to obtain this certificate before transfer can be completed.

If the foregoing facts are essentially correct, may we request your cooperation in the delivery of this certificate. If you prefer that we handle this matter, please forward the certificate to us and we will see that it is re-directed to Mr. Mitsui.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier

cc: W. D. Tomes Field Representative
Fresno

R. W. Borden:krf

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR. Bonde

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
2146 Inyo Street, Fresno, California

June 16, 1942

Mr R L Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

I have been informed by Masanao Mitsui of the Fresno Assembly Center that the Kamm Garage, San Luis Obispo, California are holding the pink slip on a 1931 Chevrolet registered in the name of A Mitsui. Mr Mitsui states that he has written the above Garage regarding same but to-date has not had the courtesy of a reply from them. As this car has been resold they are anxious to secure the pink slip in order that it can be signed over to the new owner.

We are forwarding this to your office so that you may either either follow from there or instruct us as to what proceedure we should take.

Yours very truly

W. D. Towner
Field Representative

6/17
Answered
Answ'd. by Routine Advice
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Signature
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsuka Hiroo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 807 Grove St
(Street and Number)

S F
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Alindugan, L. S.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Received 5-5-42

5-4-42
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Name: Mitsuma William T
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1631 Webster St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MITSUMA (Surname) William T. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: /

Person Interviewed: alien

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Applicant formerly living at 396-49th St Oakland. Moved to above address S.F. & evacuated with wife & family. Left articles of furniture with father Eureka G. Mitsuma 396-49th St -
Advised applicant to remove furniture to S.F. but he elected to have it stored with goods under Fathers name. Forms given for fathers use - Now awaiting these for consummation. Family No. of Father - 20561
Evacuating Mtd. May 6

Action taken:*

Archie R. Mark
Handled by:
Field Representative

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Mitsunaga, Rudolph T (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Santa Clara, Calif (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury Licence now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
FARM SECURITY ADMINISTRATION
WARTIME FARM ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM

File Mitsunaga, Rudolph T.

BILL OF SALE

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS: That RUDOLPH T. MITSUNAGA and _____, his wife, of _____, in consideration of the sum of Four Hundred Dollars ($400) DOLLARS ($ 400.00), do hereby grant, bargain, sell, assign and convey unto F. A. LOCKHART of Santa Clara, California, all of his right, title and interest in and to the following described personal property:

One Pontiac 6 - 2-door Sedan 1938

Engine No. 6-404583

~~All of said property is situated in the County of _____, State of _____.~~

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD unto the said F. A. LOCKHART, _____ heirs, successors and assigns forever.

DATED this 27 day of May, 1942.

Rudolph T. Mitsunaga
Seller

Mrs F. A. Lockhart

Witness
O. F. CAMPBELL

WFA - 10

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Mitsunaga, Tom
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Cupertino, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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The undersigned.....TOM MITSUNAGA.....

of.....CUPERTINO.....California, hereby

appoints.....E. O. SMITH.....OF

.....CUPERTINO.....California as guardian

of my personal property (as per inventory herewith) to be

stored at no expense to me.

It is furthermore agreed that any damages inflicted by natural accidents such as fire, will not be held against Mr.....E. O. SMITH.....

Tom Mitsunaga

Dated: May 11, 1942

Accepted: _____

Witness: D Kimpbell

1939 Dodge Sedan

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsuneza K.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Santa Rosa
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Palmer, P.R.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsuo KODAMA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Santa Anita Assembly Cent.
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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DIRECTED BY MR. EYE
TO MR. EYE

REFERRED BY MR. [illegible]SON
TO MR. [illegible]

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
SEP 21 1942

64329-0-42 Auto
Terry T. Togami
PD- Eva Griffiths
BI- Harold Montes
BI- Wm. Okamoto
Collision

September 18, 1942

Kay's Garage
U.S. 101 Highway
Sunnyvale, California

Gentlemen:

In order that we may dispose of this matter, we feel it is advisable to have in our file the written authority given you by Terry Togami, authorizing you to accept payment of the claim.

In the absence of this authority, we have no way of disposing of the claim since the contract with Togami provides that payment in case of loss will be made to him and in order that our records may be complete, it would be necessary that we have any authorization to pay anyone except the named assured.

We are sending copy of this letter to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, in order that this matter may be concluded in a manner satisfactory to all concerned.

Yours very truly,

Geo. W. Eckement, Jr., Mgr.
per

Jack Lesser, Adjuster

JL:es
cc/ Federal Reserve Bank

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_____ Answered
_____ Ackd. by Routine Advice
_____ No Answer Required
Directed to File
By _____
Surname
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

June 20, 1942

AIR MAIL - SPECIAL DELIVERY

Mr. Kodama Mitsuo
WCCA Assembly Center - Santa Anita
Arcadia, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to an interview conducted with yourself by our representative, Mr. Lake, on May 25th, prior to your evacuation from San Jose.

We have discussed the proper procedure with the Maryland Casualty Company, insurers of the vehicle in question, who are prepared to pay the claim. Kay's Garage, Sunnyvale, have made the necessary repairs on the machine and are, of course, anxious to obtain payment. It is our understanding through our San Jose representative, Mr. Campbell, that it is satisfactory with you and your brother-in-law, Terry Iggami who is the legal owner, for Kay's Garage to sell the car.

We suggest, therefore, that you promptly contact your brother-in-law, Private Togami, and instruct him to endorse the pink slip and forward same to Kay's Garage together with a written authority, authorizing them to accept payment of the claim and to sell this machine, deducting whatever commission is mutually agreeable. We further suggest that he send a copy of this authorization to yourself in order that you may be in a position to know the facts and follow disposition of this case.

For your information, no payment of the insurance claim can be made until these steps have been taken. A prompt settlement of the whole matter, therefore, depends upon your advising your brother-in-law, as heretofore outlined, and it is necessary to secure his prompt cooperation with these instructions. We are sending a copy of this letter to the Maryland Casualty Company and to Kay's Garage in order that they may be advised as to the status of this case.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Maryland Casualty Co.
cc: Kay's Garage

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: MITSUO Kodama
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Santa Anita Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese American

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here, never left

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Had accident with Ford 1939 De Luxe Four door Sedan a few days ago. Car owned by his brother-in-law Private Terry Tai Togami, Ward T-117, Billings General Hospital, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. Car is insured against collision by Maryland Casualty Company, Automobile Policy No. 15-269962, expiring August 9, 1942. Insurance Company has agreed to repair car, which is now at Kay's Garage, Sunnyvale, Calif.

I called upon Mr. Kay at Garage, Sunnyvale, he is waiting for authority of Maryland Casualty to proceed with repairs.

Action taken:*

Recommended that Insurance Company be instructed to deliver car, when repairs shall have been completed, to Kay's Garage, Sunnyvale, for sale on commission basis. Pink slip to be transferred to Kay's Garage and proceeds of sale to be remitted to Private Terry Tai Togami.

Mr. Kay advanced $100. to Kodama prior to his evacuation.

Phone Maryland requested him to hasten authority

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Directed to file: SAN JOSE

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mitsuo Kodama
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Santa Anita Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japaneese American

Name: Mitsuo Kodama
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born here, never left

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: As above

Address: As above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
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Action taken:*
Recommended that Insurance Company be instructed to deliver car, when repairs shall have been completed, to Kay's Garage, Sunnyvale, for sale on commission basis. Pink slip to be transferred to Kay's Garage and proceeds of sale to be remitted to Private Terry Tai Togami.

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San Jose

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mitsuryu Restaurant (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 1661 Post Street (Street and Number)

San Francisco, Calif. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Morita, T.

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mitsuyasu (Surname) George (Given) (Print)

Address: 3026 Market St. (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Name MITSUYASU (Surname) George (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: same

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mitsuyasu owns a 1936 Oldsmobile coupe and has secured a purchaser for the sum of $250. He asks permission to sell his car.

Action taken:*

Advised Mitsuyasu that he could sell his car without permission from this office.

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APR 28 1942
EVACUEE
PROPERTY
DEPT.

Handled by:

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1 interviewed
1 contacted

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Oakland

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 260

May 7, 1942.

MITZUTANI Ginji

Name: Mitzutani Ginji

Address: 226 ½ K. Street
Sacramento California

Interview:
Letter: x

Adult: x

Male: x

Citizenship: U.S.

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:

Individual: x

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Two automobiles.

Action taken:*

Writes, "Have sold".

Case Closed

Sacramento Office

McFarland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miura, Archie H
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Railroad Ave
(Street and Number)

Winters, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: The Horai Company

Action taken:*

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March 11, 1943

VIA AIR MAIL

Mr. G. Miura,
72-9-C,
Gila River War Relocation Project,
Rivers, Arizona.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your recent letter addressed to Mr. D. M. Dunton, who was previously in the employ of this bank in connection with evacuation operations and stationed at the Tulare Assembly Center, concerning a transaction involving the sale of certain fertilizer by Mr. George Kuwahara.

Our file discloses that Mr. Kuwahara has apparently experienced some difficulty in obtaining settlement for the fertilizer acquired by Mr. Morrissett, and Mr. Kuwahara communicated with us in that regard in October of 1942.

In corresponding with Mr. Kuwahara we called his attention to the availability of assistance from the War Relocation Authority to evacuees residing in War Relocation Projects, and assume that he has availed himself of those services, or otherwise effected a settlement of his problem as we have not heard from him since our last letter.

Our file discloses that Mr. Dunton corresponded with Mr. Morrissett on June 29, 1942, and that thereafter Mr. Morrissett called on Mr. Kuwahara at the Tulare Assembly Center to discuss details of the fertilizer sale. Mr. Dunton's letter indicated that Mr. Morrissett's name was suggested by you as a person who might be interested in buying the property.

Yours very truly,

H. D. Armstrong

Herbert D. Armstrong,
Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 562

May 11, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miura Roy
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Winters
(Street and Number)

California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
MIURA (Surname)
Roy (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Transfer of old car.
G. Crowder, Chief of Police of Winters, telephoned. Has power of attorney and certificate of ownership on old coupe - converted to Pickup - belonging to R. Miura

Power of attorney vested in Charles Hamikawa. Registered and legal ownership already released . Hamikawa has been interned. Wife can sell car.

Action taken:*

Wants to know if O. K. Told him yes.

Handled by: McFarland

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Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA (Surname) HIDEO & Michio (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 667
(Street and Number)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Citizenship: Yes

Name MIWA (Surname) HIDEO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address:

Telephone Number: 2708

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME MARCH 30th 1942

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE - STORAGE ARRANGED
TRAILER HOUSE.

HIDEO & BROTHER MICHIO OWN 26 ACRES ON WEED PATCH HIGHWAY. THEY HAVE LEASED THIS PROPERTY FOR A PERIOD OF 3 YEARS TO DALE ASH. AND HAVE SOLD - CROP - IMPLEMENTS and CHICKEN HOUSES & CHICKENS FOR CASH.

WELL SATISFIED

QUESTION - HIDEO CALLED IN TO REPORT ABOVE AND INQUIRE ABOUT CAR

Action taken:*

GAVE HIM INFORMATION REQUIRED

1945 FEB 8 AM 10 23

9 PERSONS

Handled by: SS

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 30th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA HIDEO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 6 Box 667
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD CALIF.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: —

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: —
Female:
Citizenship: YES

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: NO

Type of Business:
Partnership: —
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Samuel

Address: "

Telephone Number: 27088

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Partnership - Above captioned & Brother Michio MIWA:

Household Furniture = Trailerhouse

Action taken:*

Intends to move above equipment to neighbors land = Suggested transfer of insurance coverage = Gave Power of Attorney to Bro. to stay covering transfer of land & Personal property.

405 MIS

Persons = Hideo - wife - baby
Michio - wife - mother - baby

Handled by: [illegible]

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Date MIWA (Surname) HIDEO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA, Hido
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Bakersfield, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Description of property: Sec. 25 T-30-S R-28-E

New Operator: DAIL ASH, Rt. 6, Box 526, Bakersfield, California

Action taken:*

GLEN JOHNSON

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____
(Date)

Name: MIWA J. S. CO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 210 CALIFORNIA ST
(Street and Number)

SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name MIWA (Surname) J. S. CO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

April 25, 1942

J. S. Miwa Co.,
210 California Street,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sirs:

You recently called at this office for assistance in connection with your property problems relating to the evacuation program, but we are not informed as to whether you have been able to make satisfactory arrangements in this regard.

As we desire to learn whether our further assistance is needed, it will be appreciated if you will advise us as to the present status of your problem.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure.

Letter sent 4/27/42

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/27/42
(Date)

Name: Miwa J. S. Co.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 210 Buchanan St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIWA (Surname) J. S. COMPANY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number: Documented.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Wrote letter. Telephone out.

Handled by: E Kiamos

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 20/42
(Date)

Name: MIWA J. S. Co.
(Print)

Address: 210 CALIFORNIA ST
(Street and Number)

9/ SAN FRANCISCO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name J.S. MIWA COMPANY
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: BORN HERE

Operating under Treasury License now?: YES

Type of Business: EXPORTERS
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation: ✓
Individual:

Person Interviewed: MR. K. KOMADA ✓ XR

Address: 210 CALIFORNIA ST.

Telephone Number: TELEPHONE DISCONNECTED

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. K. Komada, S.F. agent for Miwa Co. stated he would like authority to send balance of funds, after liquidating business here, to home office in Honolulu, T.H. His firm here are operating under License S.F. 19702 and still has several debts to run. Also asked permission to sell office furniture.

Action taken:*

Phoned Foreign Funds and verified License and were given their opinion that above funds could be remitted to Honolulu. Advised Mr. Komada that firm's effects could be disposed of as he saw fit.

Handled by:
Fred Mirsky

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+ 25 persons, Corporation

HOME PHONE WEST 7077

K. KODAMA

REPRESENTING

J. S. MIWA & CO., LTD.

IMPORTERS AND EXPORTERS

DOUGLAS 2200

CALIFORNIA ST.

ROOM

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed
March 31st 1942
(Date)

Name: MIWA MASAO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 410 No. 7th St.
(Street and Number)

TAFT CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: —

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name MIWA (Surname) MASAO (Give.)

Date of last entry into United States: 1934

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

House + Lot
Auto.

George Miwa is citizen. 15 years old.
Property in his name.

Action taken:*

Power of Atty.
To lease property.
Sell car.

Mother
Father
Brother
Sister
} 5 in family.

Handled by: [signature]

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...l Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...Agent of the United States

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyahara F. (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

San Jose Calif. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Mr'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:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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For and in consideration of FIFTY DOLLARS ($50)

and Cash in hand, I, F. MIYAHARA

Rt. 2 Box 510 - 4th & Gish Rd. San Jose California

agree to sell, transfer, and deliver physical possession of

one (1) Household Furniture

TO ROY CHRISTIE

OF

Rt. 2 Box 210 Oakland Highway San Jose California.

Tsuton Miyahara

Roy Christie

DATED: May 11, 1942

WITNESS:

O. F. CAMPBELL
Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of
San Francisco

4 beds
4 mattresses
5 bed springs
1 cook stove Kerosene
4 tables
18 chairs
1 Philco Radio Console
1 Victor Phonograph
1 bookcase
1 cupboard
1 desk
1 table lamp (electric)
1 electric floor lamp

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Jun 18-5-1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAHARA (Surname) GLORIA HANAKO (Print) (Given) (Maiden Name)

Telephone:
Interview:

Former Address: 1441 O'FARRELL (Street and Number)
SAN FRANCISCO (City) (ALI) (State)
WCCA ASSEMBLY CENTER POMONA - CALIF

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?: (Give No.)

Person Interviewed: Mrs W & B EVANS

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Address: 236½ Duncan ~~Apt~~ S.F.

Telephone Number: ATWATER 0462

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

I Mrs Evans reported ABove subject had paid note due at angels Calif NATL Bank - NOTE had been endorsed by Mrs. Evans Daughter -

Action taken:*

Case Closed

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

9/14/42
(Date)

Name: MIYAHARA GLORIA HANOKA
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1441 O Farrell St
(Street and Number)

S.F. Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: American

Name: MIYAHARA (Surname) Gloria Hanoka (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Bowin W.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Mrs. Bryan Evans

Address: 236½ Duncan St

Telephone Number: Atwater 0462

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mrs Evans reports that Gloria Hanoka Miyahara owner of Gloria Millinary Shop at 1786 Sutter St., that opened in July 1941, purchased a Rug about July 24th 1941 at value over 100.00 and borrowed from Anglo Calif Nat'l Bank, Fillmore & Geary Branch, 100.00 on open note. Mrs Evans daughter Mrs Harold Cheetham was cosigner of the note and now called upon by the Bank to pay.

Payments on note are 9.00 per month with balance of 45.00. Last payment made by Miss Miyahara was April 2nd. Mrs Evans wants to find Rug and sell to pay out balance on note

Action taken:*

Checked and found that Miss Miyahara Evacuated from 1530 Buchanan St S.F. 5/11/42 and was sent to Pomona Assembly Center with family number 22720 under Father's name Yahachio Miyahara.

Checked on Gov. Storage, find no such family stored household effects

Gave Mrs Evans address of Evacuee at Pomona and suggested writing Registered Letter making inquiry

Handled by: D H Gray

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SF. #67

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Sac. 575

May 14, 1942
(Date)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Name: Miyahara, Hoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2811 Sixteenth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: US

Name: MIYAHARA, HOSHI
(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: Same

Telephone Number: 2-6521

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to report dated May 13.

Action taken:*

Miss Miyahara reported that she received final payment in amount of $400.00 from Paul S. Virga and had arranged to ~~have~~ plan her brother's car in dead storage. Expressed her gratitude for our assistance.

Case closed.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
3 Represented

Handled by W.E.Mahoney

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 573

May 13, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Miyahara, Hoshi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2211 Sixteenth Street (2630 - 5th St.)
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: US

Name: MIYAHARA (Surname) Hoshi (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: 2-6521

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Central Produce Company owned by brother, Tokyo Miyahara, who is in U.S.Army at Fort Custer, Michigan. Business located at 2630 Fifth Street, known as Farmers Market. Father, Shigeru Miyahara, has been operating business, visiting regular line of customers consisting of grocery stores in small towns between here and Newcastle. Business has been sold to a Paul S. Virga but final payment has not been made. They wish to close out account of Central Produce Company carried at the Bank of America, Roseville, California. At the present time, the account is a joint account operated by father and brother.

There is also a final payment due to Bank of America, Roseville, for 1942 Dodge owned by brother, Tokyo Miyahara.

Action taken:

Phoned Mr. Mayf, manager of the Roseville Branch of the Bank of America, who stated that Miss Miyahara could handle the business of closing out the account of the Central Produce and opening a new account for the father and brother. He would give her signature cards to be mailed back to him. Miss Miyahara could take some blank checks signed by father in order to open the new account and pay for car.

Action taken:

Arrangement was then made with the Provost Marshall for giving permit to Miss Miyahara to go to Roseville and complete business arrangements. Miss Miyahara reported this morning that she had taken care of business at Roseville and all of her affairs were settled with the exception of a remaining amount of $500.00 due from Mr. Paul S. Virga. This money has been promised tomorrow.

EVACUEE PROPERTY DEPT.

Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
3 Represented

Handled by: W.E.Mahoney

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyahara Kazuo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 4, Box 724
(Street and Number)

Watsonville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: Yes

Name Miyahara (Surname) Kazuo (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in the United States

Operating under Treasury License now?: None

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Miyahara, Kazuo

Address: Rt.4, Box 724, Watsonville, Calif

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Household furniture

Action taken:*

Suggested to him to sell what he could.

Handled by: Watsonville

Directed to file:

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(S-5055) Interview 1 Number in family 3

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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(Date)

Name: Miyahara, S
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Fifth Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

(Surname) (Given) Name

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Mutual Produce Co.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyahei Katus
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1538 Harmon St.
(Street and Number)
Berkeley Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries. Miyahei, Katus

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyai, (Surname) (Print) { Arthur George Kusonosuke (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Route 2, Box 193 (Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif. (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Nurseries

East Sacramento Nursery

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. 425

April 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyai (Surname) Ichiro (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 53
(Street and Number)

Winters (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Name MIYAI (Surname) ICHIRO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Continuously in Calif. - 40 years

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Ichiro Miyai - father
Teshika Miyai - daughter
K. Miyai - cousin
Mrs. Olita Johnson

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

I. Miyai farming 64 acres fruit - lease in name of K. Miyai- cancelled by Johnson in January. Ichiro Miyai agreed to carry on operations until evacuation. Permitted to draw $20.00 a mo. until crop is harvested. No written agreement re: basis of compensation. Miyai said 40¢/hr. regardless of profit or loss to Johnson. Johnson said "crop-share".

Action taken:*

Richert phoned Johnson at Okland, Glencourt 9905, and Mrs. J. agreed to come to Sacramento this p.m. Meeting resulted in offer by Miyai to settle all claims for $150. Accepted by Mrs. Johnson and check given to Miyai.

Case Closed

4 Interviewed
9 Represented

Handled by McFarland Richert

Directed to File:

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Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyajima, Co.,
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4 N. Main St,
(Street and Number)

Lodi, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given) (Firm)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Wakai, Masco

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Miyaji Mary

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyaji, Mary
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Route 1. Box [illegible] A
(Street and Number)
ARVIN, Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1300 17th St.
Bakersfield, California.

May 21st, 1942.

REFERRED TO MR. J. D. ARMSTRONG
MAY 2 - 1942

Ask if Johnson has communicated with Mary Miyaji so that the tenancy can be resumed attended.

Re: Mary Miyaji

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
400 Sansome Street,
San Francisco, California.

ATTENTION: Mr. Herbert Armstrong.

Gentlemen:-

I acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 19, with reference to the above-captioned evacuee.

I have checked with the Farm Security Administration several times during the past week, in this particular case. They are not very sympathetic to Mary Miyaji's claim to $55.00. As a matter of fact their supervisor has definitely refused to allow any Government money to be used to pay this claim.

Mr. Homay stated that if she had turned the tractor back to the Implement house she would have taken a loss of several hundred dollars.

However, Mr. Ash, who has leased the property in her stead has agreed to pay Mary Miyaji this difference of $55.00 when the money is available from crops. Of course it must be recognized that this money cannot be paid until the lien of the Government is satisfied.

The Farm Security administration has assured me that some day this week they will secure a written agreement, if possible, from Mr. Ash, covering the payment of this money to Mary Miyaji.

We assure you that every effort has been made by the Farm Security Administration to satisfactorily settle this particular case.

Very truly yours,

Glen L. Johnson.
Field Representative.

Telephoned Mr. Miyaji has been notified above data

Answ. by Routine Ltr

No Answer Required

Directed to File
By
Supervisor

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May 19, 1942

Miyagi, Mary

Mr. Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Bakersfield, California.

Dear Mr. Johnson: Subject: Mary Miyagi

We are enclosing a copy of a letter dated May 16, 1942 from the above named evacuee.

Will you kindly look into the situation with a view toward making arrangements for the payment of the balance claimed to be owing the evacuee on the tractor transaction.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

Armstrong:gh

DIRECTED BY MAIL DEPT.
TO MR. EVERSON

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON

TO MR.

Route 1, Box 16
Arvin, California
May 16, 1942

Mrs. Mary Miyagi

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Some time ago I wrote you a letter stating that I was completely satisfied with the transaction which was being completed in regard to the Farmal F-20 Tractor and the reimbursement I was to receive.

That letter was written a few days prior to transaction of paying me the amount I had already paid the Implement House. When I was reimbursed, the WCCA through Mr. Engstrom would not pay me the full amount due to me. I was definitely not satisfied and have waited all this time for Mr. Engstrom to pay me the balance of the $530.75. I was paid only four hundred seventy-five and no/oo, ($475.00).

Since he refuses to see that a false transaction was conducted I thought that I would resort to you to correct this error. If he does not pay me the remaining $55.00 than I still have ownership to the tractor, and the WCCA office cannot claim a mortgage on it as belonging to Mr. Ash. I had paid $530.75 to Karpe Implement House and there remained a balance of $525.00, but the interest was not added at the time of purchase. When payment of $525.00 was due, an interest of $20. and some odd cents, was added.

Passed on to Mr. Johnson 5-19

I do not aim to be deducted of my full payment. If there is any question regarding the correct amt. paid to me, please contact Mr. Glen Johnson. He understands the situation of satisfying my account.

Answering

Ack. by

No Signature Required

Charged to Files
By
Surname

Very truly yours,

Mary Miyagi

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1300 17th St.
Bakersfield, California.

April 25th 1942.

SUBJECT: Mary Miyaji

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
400 Sansome Street,
San Francisco, California.

ATTENTION: Mr. R. E. Everson.

Gentlemen:-

Reference is made to your letter of April 16th, asking certain additional information regarding the above-captioned Japanese.

I enclose herewith a letter written by Mary Miyaji herself, which I believe will complete our file and entirely satisfy everybody that Mary Miyaji feels that she has been fairly treated.

Very truly yours,

Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative.

JLC

Answered
Answ. by Routine Ltr.
No Answer Required

Directed to File
By
Surname

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco Calif.

Attention: Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative

Gentlemen:

To clarify the matter of my deal in regard to the pumping plant, lease, tractor, and farm implements, I wish to state that all transactions have been completely satisfactory to me.

At first I was to install the pump and secure finances for power bills. Nevertheless, I was unable to make further transactions to install the pump because of failure of previous sweet potato crop and failure in secureing finances.

Because of this evacuation situation, I then notified the Kern County Investment Corporation that I would have to evacuate and arrange to have them install the pump. I had, however, appointed Mr. E. F. Ash, a reliable farmer to farm that section of land.

After Mr. Ash was approved by them to carry on the farming, Mr. Lobre, the lessor, agreed to install the pumping plant and pay all expenses. A lease was then signed between Mr. Ash and Mr. Lobre, representing Kern. Co. Invest. Corp.

I have given Mr. Ash all responsibilities in managing the farm crops. We have made satisfactory agreements on all farm implements.

I have paid the sum of $530.75 (five hundred thirty dollars and seventy-five cents) on a Farmal F-20 tractor with a plow and disc attached, which would total $1055.75 (one thousand fifty-five dollars and seventy-five cents). I am to be repaid my amount on the tractor, so that I would have no further claim on it. The tractor and attachments would then belong to Mr. Ash who will pay the balance.

All these arrangements on farm implements have been made with my approval. The transactions between Mr. Lobre and Mr. Ash has also been to my knowledge and approval.

With these transactions completed I have no further negotiations with the pumping plant nor the farm tractor and attachments.

Very truly yours,

Mary Miyaji

Miyaji, Mary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 23rd 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAJI (Surname) MARY (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 16
(Street and Number)

Arvin Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MIYAJI (Surname) MARY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: None Out

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Called Mary in to secure statement from her, relative to her deal with Ray Lobre
Mr. Homsey, Asst. Supervisor of F.S.A. present.

Mary stated to Mr. Homsey & myself that she had faith in Lobre, that the deal relative to land & trees was entirely OK.

Just now she is worried about stock of fertilizer & spuds potato plants. $500.00 to be paid Lobre for equity in tractor - OK

Action taken:* asked her to write statement to me answering the questions in Mr. Warnock's letter 4-16-42 she will bring in Sat. morn. I also asked Mr Homsey to work out her problem relative to fertilizer + plants = Mr agreed

FATHER
MOTHER
3 SISTERS
2 BROTHERS
} 8 PERSONS

Handled by: [signature]

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:

BAKER-HALL CO., SAN F.

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR 10 1942

April 16, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR 10 1942

Mr. Glen L. Johnson,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Bakersfield, California.

Dear Mr. Johnson: Subject: Mary Miyaji

We believe that we should be provided with certain additional information in order to complete our file on this transaction.

It is not clear from the file whether or not the evacuee herself feels that she has been unfairly treated in the arrangements outlined by Mr. Shortridge and by yourself. No doubt it would be advisable to obtain a statement from her as to her feelings with respect to the matter, and if she is dissatisfied, the full statement from her of the facts as she understands them.

We would like to be informed among other things as to the amount actually paid for her tractor and attachments, supported by information as to the reasonableness of such payment. It would also be helpful if it were made clear to what extent the pumping plant which appears to have been installed by the lessor had a bearing in the final negotiations with the evacuee.

If the evacuee feels that the entire transaction is a reasonable one, we should have no further interest in it. On the other hand, we believe that our file should disclose the complete facts, including the attitude of the evacuee regarding the matter.

Additional copies of this letter are enclosed for use in the event that you desire to submit copies to any of the parties involved to serve as the basis for any requests for additional data you may make.

Yours very truly,

[signature]

Armstrong:gh

Assistant Cashier.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1300 17th St.,
Bakersfield, California.

April 10th 1942.

SUBJECT: Mary Miyaji,
Arvin, Calif.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
400 Sansome Street,
San Francisco, California.

ATTENTION: R. E. Everson, Asst. Cashier.

Gentlemen:-

Reference is made to your letter of the 8th, asking for a detailed report on the above case. I have had this report in preparaton since the 6th, and have just received the last document in the case today

In order to make a complete file I have secured copies in duplicate of the original agreement, a letter from Ray Lobre to Mary Myaji, and a letter from John Shortridge, the Attorney who prepared and had signed the quitclaim deed.

The facts regarding the agreement are fully explained in Mr. Shortridge's letter, and I shall only explain the transactions from that point.

Lobre agreed to give Mary Miyaji a lease, probably with certain stipulations. His records show that on February 26th, 1942, he ordered a pumping plant from Layne and Bowler, Corp., at a total cost, including Sales Tax of $3794.60. He states that Mary agreed to pay power bills, but due to difficulties in financing was unable to care for this item.

After it was known that all Japanese were to be evacuated, Lobre notified Mary Miyaji that it would be impossible to go on with her.

She then brought in E. F. Ash as her choice to take over the lease, and Lobre, Mary Miyaji and E. F. Ash made a trip to

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AND STAMPS

Los Angeles, attempting to secure financing. They were turned down completely and finally, and on the 25th of March a lease was executed between Ray Lobre and E . F. Ash.

From Jack McKenzie of the F.S.A. I learn that Mary Miyaji will not profit from the lease, but will be paid for her equity in her tractor and attachments.

Due to the interest taken in this case by the F.S.A. and Asst. District Attorney, Bernard Gill, I have made a complete investigation and must reiterate my statement over the phone to Mr. R. W. Borden, that Mary Miyaji was not defrauded. As a matter of fact, the failure of the sweet potato crop mentioned in the agreement proved her downfall when coupled with the war.

Trust I have presented enough facts to justify my conclusion. If any further information is required I shall do my best. I am very desirous of closing this case in a fair, impartial manner.

Very truly yours,

Allen L. Johnson,
Field Representative.

JLC

DWS WSS 11 AM 10 27

4/16 Answered

_____ Answ. by Routine Advice

_____ No Answer Required

Directed to File

By _____
Surname

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WALTER OSBORN
R. W. BURUM
JOHN SHORTRIDGE

TELEPHONE 4-4721
4-4722

OSBORN, BURUM & SHORTRIDGE
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
SUITE 506, HABERFELDE BUILDING
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

April 10, 1942

Mr. Glen L. Johnson
Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank
Bakersfield, California

In re: Mary Miyaji

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to our telephonic conversation on the morning of April 10, 1942, I desire to set forth my understanding of the Quitclaim Deed from Mary Miyaji to the Kern County Investment Corporation.

On or about the 25th day of July, 1941, an agreement was entered into between the KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION, a California Corporation, as Vendor and Mary Miyaji, as Purchaser, under the terms of which certain real property situated in the County of Kern, State of California, was to be sold to Mary Miyaji, for the consideration therein expressed. One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) was to be paid on October 1, 1941, and Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00) upon the first day of December, 1941, and the balance of the total purchase price was to be paid in equal installments of Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2500.00) each on the first day of January, 1943, and annually thereafter.

It is my understanding that the first One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00) was paid but that the purchaser, Mary Miyaji, was unable to make any other payments according to the terms of the agreement and that in order to prevent litigation, which would have sought to have a forfeiture declared and the title cleared against any claim she might have, she voluntarily signed a quitclaim deed.

Insofar as known to me, no coercion of any sort was used. The matter was strictly a business transaction and like any others of a similar nature, the vendor had a right to declare the contract null and void, if at any time the purchaser failed to comply with any of the terms of the agreement. In this respect particular attention is called to Paragraph 5, on page 3, of the

Mr. Glen L. Johnson
Field Representative, Federal Reserve Bank

April 10, 1942

agreement, it being my understanding that you have a copy of the agreement in your possession.

After Mary Miyaji signed the referred to quitclaim deed, Kern County Investment Corporation had some dealings with a Mr. E. F. Ash, regarding leasing the land to him for farming purposes. If there was any side agreement between Mr. Ash and Mary Miyaji, I have no personal knowledge of it and I am certain that no one in our office knows anything about it.

By way of further explanation, it might be of some assistance for you to know that in my opinion, Mary Miyaji, is an intelligent well-trained young woman and is a graduate of the public schools of this County. It is my belief, although I am not certain, that she graduated from High School and probably attended Junior College. I have had several conversations with her regarding the purchase of the land owned by the Kern County Investment Corporation and upon each occasion she impressed me as fully understanding the nature of the transaction and the fact that it would be absolutely necessary for the cash payments to be made, as set forth in the agreement.

There can be no doubt that she is a citizen of the United States and was competent in all respects to enter into the agreement with Kern County Investment Corporation and subsequently thereto, to execute the quitclaim deed.

We trust that your investigation and your reports will convince the Federal Reserve Bank and others who may be interested in this transaction that further investigation should be dropped and the matter closed.

Very truly yours,

OSBORN, BURUM & SHORTRIDGE,

BY John Shortridge

JS:A

April 8, 1942

Mr. Glenn L. Johnson,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
c/o U. S. Employment Service,
1300 - 17th Street,
Bakersfield, California.

Subject: Mary Miyaji, Arvin, California.

Dear Sir:

In view of the somewhat obscure facts regarding the above case, and our limited file information, we believe that we should be provided with a detailed report from you, of the facts which form the basis for your conclusion that no injustice was done to Mary Miyaji in the transaction in which she executed a quit claim deed.

The Farm Security Administration has informed us that exploitation has occurred in this instance and we desire to have a full file record of the transaction.

Please provide us with the desired information in detail.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Armstrong/jm

Interior file

MEMORANDUM

April 6, 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR - 7 1942

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR - 7 1942 E.P.P.

REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR - 7 1942 E.P.D.

SUBJECT: MARY MIYAJI, ARVIN, CALIFORNIA

TO: MR. GILCHRIST

FROM: MR. EVERSON

The above mentioned evacuee became a subject for further investigation upon receipt of a wire from Jack McKenzie, field agent in Bakersfield for the F.S.A. This wire related that evacuee had signed a quit claim deed to certain property which she was buying, and that our Federal Reserve field representative concurred with McKenzie that there had been violations of her property rights.

We have explored this case fully with our man in Bakersfield after he contacted the insurance agent who obtained signatures to the quit claim deed mentioned in McKenzie's wire. He has satisfied himself, upon obtaining all the pertinent financial data, that there was no violation of Mary Miyaji's civil rights.

Briefly, she had made certain agreements in connection with the purchase of this property involving a payment system over regular intervals. There were also certain crop rights and provisions to be made at various seasons. We are reliably informed that she did not fulfill her end of the contract.

In view of the foregoing it appears that we have no further interest in this case as there are no property problems involved nor has there been an abuse of evacuee's rights.

R. W. BORDEN:krf

ASSISTANT CASHIER

cc: Glenn L, Johnson, Field Representative
Bakersfield, California

MEMORANDUM

April 6, 1942

SUBJECT: WEST SIDE GROCERY COMPANY, DELANO, CALIFORNIA

TO: MR. GLENN L. JOHNSON, FIELD REPRESENTATIVE
BAKERSFIELD, CALIFORNIA

FROM: MR. EVERSON

Miyaji, Mary

Relative to our telephonic conversation and your letter about the West Side Grocery Company of Delano, there is no official Army agency through which we might obtain liquidation. However, one of the men here has ascertained informally that Col. Stafford located in the Advance Depot at San Bernardino might afford a practical channel. This man apparently has been buying large amounts of supplies for the various resettlement centers in the evacuation program.

You will also find enclosed herewith a copy of a memorandum written to our liaison man in the War Department in connection with the case of Mary Miyaji of Arvin.

ASSISTANT CASHIER

encl

R.W.BORDEN:krf

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 3, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAJI, Mary
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Bakersfield, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY: Sec. 30, T-31-S R-30-E

New Operator E. F. ASH, Box 697, Arvin, California

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-3055)

Directed to File: _____

COPY

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Farm Security Administration
30 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California

March 30, 1942

McCARRIE: HANDLE PERSONALLY

Office of the Assistant Chief
of Staff for Civil Affairs
Room 447, Whitcomb Hotel
1231 Market Street
San Francisco, California

ATTENTION: Colonel Karl R. Bendetsen, G.S.C.

Gentlemen:

I am attaching a copy of a telegram on a specific case of apparent effort to take advantage of an evacuee on a land transfer deal.

Note that the telegram imicates that the Federal Reserve man in the local office at Bakersfield agrees with our Agent that the transaction represents exploitation.

I am referring this to you for such action as you feel it proper to take.

Sincerely yours,

Laurence I. Hewes, Jr.
Regional Director

Enclosure

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WM C HELVEY. PROGRAM CHIEF

30 VANNESS AVE SAN FRANCISCO CALIF.

MARY MIYAJI LOCATED IN ARVIN SEC. 30 T 31 S R 30 E MADE $1000.00 DOWN PAYMENT ON PURCHASE CONTRACT LAST OCTOBER. FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS WAS DUE JAN 1ST, BUT MIYAJI WAS UNABLE TO PAY AT THAT TIME. LAST TUES. RAY LOBRE, LOCAL INSURANCE AGENT INDUCED HER TO SIGN QUITCLAIM DEED. ALLEGEDLY ASSURED HER THAT HER INTEREST IN LAND WOULD BE PROTECTED. HE IS NOW NEGOTIATING LEASE TO THIRD PARTY. LOBRE STATED TO ME MIYAJI HAS NO INTEREST IN PROPERTY. FEDERAL RESERVE BANK MAN CONCURS THAT THIS IS FLAGRANT EXPLOITATION OF SITUATION. REQUEST ADVICE AND AUTHORITY HANDLE DEAL.

JACK MCKENZIE FIELD AGENT.

HMIYAJI 30 T 21 S R 20 E $100.00 1ST MIYAJI QUITCLAIM

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

MARCH 25th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAJI MARY
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: RT. 1 - Box 16
(Street and Number)

ARVIN CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: YES

Name MIYAJI, MARY
(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: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Farm implements - Tractor $530.00 Paid
$525.00 due
Kelvinator 6 cu ft
O'Keefe & Merritt Gas range (BUTANE) To Hard paid approx 1/3.

QUESTION: What to do about above captioned property?

See correspondence Bakersfield

Action taken:*

Asked Mary to contact Investigators and report back

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:

December 3rd, 1941

Miss Mary Miyagi
Route 1, Box 44A
Arvin, California

My dear Miss Miyagi:

Due to circumstances beyond your control, the payment of $2000.00 due December 31st, 1941, is hereby extended to February 1, 1942 , in accordance with your request. I trust this extension of time will enable you to take care of your obligations on that date.

Tha nking you for your many past favors,

I a m

Very truly yours,
Kern County Investment Corp.

By_____
Ray Lobre, President

RL:MW

THIS AGREEMENT, Made in the City of Bakersfield, County of Kern, State of California, on the 25th day of July 1941, between KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION, a California Corporation, hereinafter called the VENDOR, and MARY MIYAJI, hereinafter called the PURCHASER,

W I T N E S S E T H:

1. The VENDOR in consideration of Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred ($17,500.00) Dollars to be paid as hereinafter provided hereby agrees to sell and convey and the PURCHASER agrees to purchase all that certain tract of land with the buildings and improvements thereon situate in the County of Kern, State of California and described as follows:

> The Southeast Quarter(SE¼) of Section Thirty (30), Township Thirty-one South (31S), Range Thirty East (30E), Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, EXCEPTING all existing easements or right of ways for roads, highways, power lines and other purposes.

2. The PURCHASER in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements of the VENDOR hereinafter set forth agrees as follows:

A. To execute and deliver to the Vendor upon the signing and delivering of the agreement herein set forth a promissory note in the principal sum of Three Thousand($3000.00) Dollars, payable One Thousand($1,000.00) Dollars upon the 1st day of October, 1941, and Two Thousand($2,000.00) Dollars payable on or before the 1st day of December, 1941, and in addition thereto to secure thepayments set forth in said note by a crop mortgage upon a thirty-five per cent(35%) interest in a sweet potato crop now being grown in the Edison-Arvin district, Kern County, California upon land to be particularly described in said crop mortgage to b executed and delivered contemporaneously herewith. The receipt of said note and said crop mortgage according to the provisions herein set forth is hereby acknowledged by the Vendor.

B. The balance of the purchase price of Seventeen Thousand Five Hundred ($17,500.00) Dollars is to be paid in equal installments of Two Thousand Five Hundred ($2,500.00) Dollars payable upon the 1st day of January, 1943, and upon each succeeding January 1st, thereafter until the full amount of the purchase price has been paid together with six per cent (6%) interest upon the unpaid balance. In computing the amount of interest to be paid, it is expressly agreed that the interest shall commence to run as of the 1st day of July, 1941.

C. To pay all taxes and assessments or other charges made against the above described real property by the County of Kern, State of California, or any other governmental agencies, bureaus, or divisions, commencing with the 1st day of July, 1941, and continuing until such time as the full purchase price herein provided for has been paid by the Purchaser to the Vendor. In this respect it is further mutually promised and agreed that insofar as tax assessments are concerned the property hereinabove described shall continue to stand in the name of the Vendor and that the Purchaser will do all that may be required to bring about such a result in the event that the land above described should be assessed by any taxing agency in the name of the Purchaser.

D. The Purchaser hereby promises and agrees to use the above described real property in a good and farmer-like manner during the termof this agreement and to keep the same free from noxious weeds during the term of this agreement.

E. The purchaser hereby expressly promises and agrees not to permit any lienor other charges of any nature whatsoever to be made against the above described real property.

3. The VENDOR in consideration of the aforesaid promises and agreements of the PURCHASER hereby agrees as follows:

A. To accept the payment of One Thousand($1,000.00) Dollars due upon the 1st day of October, 1941, and the payment of Two

Thousand ($2,000.00) Dollars due on or before the 1st day of December, 1941, without interest and as soon as both of said payments have been made to use as much of the total of Three Thousand ($3,000.00) Dollars as may be necessary to pay all taxes that have been assessed and levied against the above described real property prior to the 1st day of July, 1941.

B. To deliver to the Purchaser within five (5) days after the total purchase price together with interest has been paid a Deed conveying the fee title to the above described real property to the Purchaser.

C. To deliver possession of the premises above described to the Purchaser on the day that this agreement is signed by the parties hereto.

D. After one half of the purchase price herein provided together with interest has been paid by the PURCHASER to the VENDOR to deliver a Deed to the above described property to the Purchaser in the event the Purchaser so desires and to accept for the purpose a trust Deed as security for the payment of the remaining one half of the purchase price together with interest.

5. In case the Purchaser shall fail to make the payments as aforesaid, or any of them, punctually and under the strict terms and at the times herein set forth and likewise to conform to any other terms, conditions and agreements herein set forth to be performed by the Purchaser than this contract shall from the date of such failure be null and void and all right and interest hereby created and existing in favor of the Purchaser, Her heirs or assigns, or described in any manner in thiscontract shall utterly cease and terminate and the promises hereby contract shall revert to and invest in the Vendor, its heirs and seigns, without any declaration of forfeiture or re-entry, or without any other act by the Vendor, its heirs or assigns, to be performed without any right of the Purchaser to reclaim any compensation

for moneys paid or improvements made, as absolutely, fully and perfectly as if this contract had never been made.

TIME IS HEREBY EXPRESSLY declared to be and is hereby made the essence of this agreement.

5. All covenants, agreements and promises herein contained shall extend to and be binding upon the heirs, executors, administrators, successors and assigns of the respective parties.

6. No assignment of this contract or any part thereof and no assignment of any rights herein created, as they in effect stand, or any part of the real property above described shall be made by the Purchaser without the written consent of the Vendor, andy any such purported assignment made without such consent shall be deemed a violation of the terms and conditions of this agreement.

7. All payments herein provided for shall be made to the Vendor at its office located at 1630 Nineteenth Street, Bakersfield, California, and all communications relative to this agreement shall be made to the Vendor at said address.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals this_____day of July, 1941.

KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION

BY_____Pres.

And_____Sec'y.

VENDOR

(SIGNED) Mary Miyaji

Purchaser.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF KERN SS

On this 25th day of July, 1941, before me JOHN SHORTRIDGE, A Notary Public in and for said county and state, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared MARY MIYAJI known to me to be the person described in and whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that she executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office, in said county of Kern, State of California, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

John Shortridge (SEAL)

Notary Public in and for the

County of Kern, State of Calif.

STATE F CALIFORNIA

COUNTY OF KERN SS

On this 25th day of July, 1941, before me, the undersigned Notary P,,blic in and for the said Coubty and State, durly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared RAY LOBRE, known to me to be the President, and MAY F. WOODS, known to me to be the Secretary of the KERN COUNTY INVESTMENT CORPORATION, the corporation described in and that executed the within instrument, and also known to me t o be the person who executed the within instrument on behalf of the corporation therein named, and acknowledged to me that such corporation executed the same.

IN WI NESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hnd and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first written.

JOHN SHORTRIDGE (SE AL)

Notary P,,blic in and for the

County of Kern, State of California.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyajima Company
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 4 N. Main St.
(Street and Number)

Lodi, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Wakai, Masao & Shigeto

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated April 17, 1942
from Salinas Field Office.
See Item # 16, page 2.

(Date)

Name: MIYAKAWA June
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 996 San Benito St
(Street and Number)
Hollister Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIYAKAWA (Surname) JUNE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Has sold his packing equipment to M. H. Edmondson, 598 6th Street, Hollister, with FSA okay.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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eral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

3-27-42
(Date)

Name: MIYAKAWA JUNE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 996 San Benito St
(Street and Number)

Hollister Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Name MIYAKAWA (Surname) JUNE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1911 Here since

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: Packer & Shipper

Person Interviewed: J Miyakawa

Address: 996 San Benito Hol.

Telephone Number: Hollist 667

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Came in with M. H. Edmondson with whom he is negotiating regarding sale of packing equipment. May need financial assistance. Wants to have one more family to Florin & return here & complete selling his business & then join family.

Action taken:* Has someone who will take power of attorney in Hollister in case he does not complete transactions; gave him copy. Explained travel situation & orders for future as now issued to us.

Handled by: Gathmann

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(B-5055) 2 persons interviewed & 5 persons affected

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

August 11, 1942

Mr. D. M. Dunton, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
WCCA Assembly Center,
Tulare, California.

Dear Sir: Subject: Harry Miyake

Please be advised that the letter from Jones & Kavanagh directed to Harry Miyake has been referred to the Farm Security Administration.

We suggest that if either subject or Minoru Sakata approach you further, you refer them direct to the Farm Security Administration whose headquarters are 30 Van Ness Avenue, San Francisco.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyake, Harry
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: H-7-5
(Street and Number)

Tulare Assembly Center
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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August 12, 1942

Mr. Laurence I. Hewes, Jr.,
Regional Director,
Farm Security Administration,
30 Van Ness Avenue,
San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to our letter of June 27, 1942.

You will find enclosed an original letter addressed to one Harry Hinke, a copy of which we have retained for our files. Additionally, our Tulare Assembly Center representative advises us that Minoru Takata, mentioned in the letter, gave a Mr. Pat Reyes of Madina Court, El Monte, California authority to market his produce and collect the proceeds. Takata has advised us that he is unable to make such collections although he believes Reyes has been paid by Jones & Kavanagh who apparently purchased the crop from Reyes.

In view of the agricultural nature of this problem, we feel that you will wish to make further exploration and take possible action.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosure

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Yours very truly,

R. W. Borden

Assistant Cashier.

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JONES & KAVANAGH CO., LTD.
1362 East Sixth Street,
Los Angeles, California.

July 20, 1942

Harry Miyake
H 7- 5
Tulare Assembly Center
Tulare, California

Dear Sir:

As Mr. Kavanagh is out of town, being at Arvin on the grape deal, he has requested that the writer answer your letter to him.

First of all, in regards to M. Sakata of Oxnard--this party gave a Power of Attorney to a friend of his here and we have made accountings to him on June 2 covering the whole deal, also gave him check to balance.

Suggest you tell Sakata to get in touch with this party and secure these papers.

Yours truly,

JONES & KAVANAGH CO., LTD.

By W. J. Job (signed)

WJJ df

File Farm Security

REFERRED BY MR. EVERSON
TO MR.
AUG 11 1942
REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. Borden

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

Tulare, California
August 10, 1942

AUG 11 1942

To Dunton

Mr. R. E. Everson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Subject: Minoru Takata

The above subject presented the inclosed letter which is only partially explanatory. I understand Takata authorized Mr. Pat Reyes of Medina Court, El Monte, California, to act as his attorney in the matter of marketing and collecting for his crop. It appears from the attached letter that Jones and Kavanagh Co. Ltd. purchased the crop and settled up with Reyes. Takata reports he is unable to secure an answer or any data on the crop settlement from Reyes.

As this is a Los Angeles problem I thought you might desire the Los Angeles office to look into it.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton

D. M. Dunton, Field Representative
WCCA Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

8/11 Answered
Answ. by Routine Matter
No letter Required

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 6, 1942 X
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1085 7th St.
(Street and Number)
Oakland Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name Miyake (Surname) James (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Louis Petex

~~Address~~: Carl B Munck, Amer Trust Bldg

Telephone Number: Oakland

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Selling his dyeing & cleaning business at above address to Louis Petex, 2113 Durant Ave. Berkeley, for $2250.00 Total price - $500 Down & balance @ $50.00 per month to American Trust Co, 7th & Henry Branch who will pay a/c to Surety Finance Co of O.F. and credit balance monthly to his a/c. Sale will include business and equipment as per bill of sale to be prepared. This supercedes agreement referred to in yesterdays report. Concluded terms of agreement with Carl B. Munck, attorney for Miyake satisfactory to all parties. Papers will be signed this PM 2:30 Case Closed

Action taken:*

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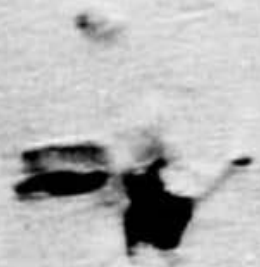

CARL B. MUNCK

ATTORNEY AT LAW

PHILLIPS & MUNCK
425 BROADWAY BUILDING
1419 BROADWAY
OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

OFFICE
HIGHGATE 4880
RESIDENCE
HUMBOLDT 4532

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1081 - 7th Street
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U. S.

Name MIYAKE (Surname) JAMES (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: JUly 28, 1913

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: Te 9966

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyake operates the Owl Cleaning Shop at 1085 - 7th Street, Oakland, and plans to sell the equipment which he values at $3500.

Action taken:*

Advised Miyake to offer the equipment for sale through the usual channels and to give power of attorney to the American Trust Company, West Oakland branch.

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Handled by: Hendrick

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1 interviewed
1 contacted

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Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 5 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1085-7th St
(Street and Number)

Oakland Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Amer

Name Miyake (Surname) James (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Continued from yesterday's report:-

~~Principal property involved and~~ scope of problem:

Prospective buyer, Rusalem phoned that he understood dyeing & cleaning plant @ 1085-7th St could not be operated 2/c of Fire Marshall's ruling. Called on Oakland & phoned State Fire Marshall in S.F. re this plant. Both reported nothing against it. I phoned & reported to Rusalem's office but he was not in personally. Left word for him to call.

Miyake came in at 1:30 PM & reported Ruselem's attorney had told his attorney that deal was off. Have not been able to verify that.

Action taken:*

L K Dunham
Handled by: #27

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Received 7 5 5 PM 1942

May 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyake James
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1085 - 7th St
(Street and Number)
Oakland Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Name Miyake James
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in U.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: James Miyake

Address: Same

Telephone Number: TE 9966

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyake owns a dyeing & cleaning business at above address which he is attempting to sell. One prospect had placed a $100.00 deposit which he forfeited. He now has an S.F. man named Frank Rusalem who owns & operates the Post Laundry, Presidio of S.F. West 6141 Locals 2056 & 2422 whom he states has offered to buy his machinery & equipment for $2000 cash, & that Miyake's attorney, Earl Munck, Amer. Trust Bldg. Oakland, Tel Hi 4880 is to drawn papers. Munck is also attorney for landlord, Mrs K R Leavey - 842 Magnolia St. Oakland who is willing to give a 5 year lease to the new tenant @ 35.00 per mo.

Problem: No one has made a move

Action Taken:

Stated I'm to contact principals & will continue & report tomorrow

L.S. Dunham

Handled by: Civil Control 27

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 16 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) MRS KINUYE (Given)

Address: 1704 FREMONT ST (Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone Interview: ✓

Adult: —
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: 21 YEARS

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: BEN YABUNA

Address: 1007 GLENWOOD

Telephone Number: 7591

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
SEE REPORT SAME NAME - 4-LR-1942

4 TRUCKS LISTED IN ABOVE REPORT
ARE SOLD AT SATISFACTORY PRICES

Action taken:*

ASKED FOR NAME
OF PURCHASERS + PRICE

RECEIVED
MAY 18 1942
EVACUEE
PROPERTY
DEPT.

24 PERSONS

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Name MIYAKE (Surname) Mrs Kinuye (Given)

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 28th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) Mrs KINUYE (Print) (Given)

Address: 1704 FREMONT ST (Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: no

Name MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 21 years ago

Operating under Treasury License now?: no

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sent report same as same April 6th

(Y) Sam Nirkon, Fresno attorney, represents Miff. I determined Nirkon was advising Miff not to pay due to fact Mr. Miyake is in detention camp. Called him and agreed to have certified copy of Power of attorney mailed at his email/recommend payment. This was done, but it was necessary to call Nirkon again to secure results.

Miff finally paid ½ cash and gave Post dated check for balance.

Action taken:*

Asked for report on sale of cars. will check Thursday

21 PERSONS

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 6th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Print) (Given)

Address: 1704 FREMONT ST
(Street and Number)

DELANO (City) CALIFORNIA (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Name MIYAKE (Surname) KINUYE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 31 YEARS AGO

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

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Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME APRIL 1ST

① LAGOO CAMP - EXPECT 1ST NATL BANK IN DELANO TO HANDLE WILL DECIDE APRIL 7TH.

② ACCT RECEIVABLE - $870.00 MR. NEFF - NEAR HANFORD HAS PROMISED TO PAY.

③ CARS

1937 CHEV PICKUP $300.00 OFFERED
1940 CHEV. SEDAN WILL KEEP
1940 CHEV 1½ T TRUCK - WILL KEEP
1935 " " " WILL SELL
1937 " " " "

QUESTION: HOW TO TRANSFER CAR + TRUCKS ?
HUSBAND IN DETENTION CAMP.

Action taken:*

SUPPLIED POWER OF ATTORNEY FORMS, TO BE SENT TO HUSBAND - FRANK TOMO MIYAKE, FOR SIGNATURE. 1 EACH FOR CARS & 1 FOR GENERAL USE.

24 PERSONS (4 HAVE LEFT)

Handled by: [signature]

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1st 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE KINUYE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1704 FREMONT P.O. Box 876
(Street and Number)

DELANO CALIF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: No

Name Miyake (Surname) Kinuye (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 21 years ago.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: 6891

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

MIYAKE - Labor Camp Home furnishings only
Cost fixtures 2500 = Value pres. $2000.00
4 Trucks 1 auto: Value $2000.00
Due on cars 200.00 - on Trucks $450.00
Has Labor Acct Rec. $870.00 from
Rancher near Stanford
Question: what to do about trucks auto:
and acct Rec?

Action taken:*

Suggested sale of trucks, clean up
debts. Leave Labor Camp.
Duty collection of account Receivable
thru mail or attorney
including labor.
- 28 persons -

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BANKERS PRINTING CO., DELANO, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyake (Surname) (Print) Margaret (Given)

Address: Box 452 San Juan Rd (Street and Number)

Salinas (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

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C O P Y

Paul L. Hoda
Attorney At Law
Bank of America Bldg.

April 29, 1942.

Mr. J. F. van Loben Sels,
c/O Federal Reserve Bank of S.F.
125 Monterey St.
Salinas, California.

Dear Mr. van Loben Sels:

I am sending you herewith copy of Power of Attorney executed by Margaret T. Miyake to me yesterday.

Miss Miyake desired to take out a policy of fire insurance on some buildings and equipment owned by her and located on the Pedeville Ranch, and the insurance company required that she appoint an attorney in fact, and I have agreed to act as such for her.

Very truly yours,

Paul L. Hoda /s/

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated 4/17/42 from Salinas Field Office. See Item # 2

(Date)

Name: MIYAKE Margaret
(Surname) (Prefix) (Given)

Address: Box 452, San Jose Road
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name Miyake Margaret
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Has turned her lease back to land owners, Onorata, Elvira & Pietro Pedevilla with FSA approval. Has filed agreement with land owners for lease of her improvements.

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-11-42
(Date)

Name: MIYAKE (Surname) MARGARET (Given) (Print)

Address: Bx 452 San Juan Road
(Street and Number)

Salinas (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MIYAKE (Surname) MARGARET (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1919- Born in Calif. never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: M. Miyake

Address: as above

Telephone Number: -

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Has a 1937 Dodge Pickup truck in father's name, Manpei Miyake a Japanese whose last entry into U.S. was in 1916. Also a 1933 Plymouth sedan in father's name. Both these cars are clear. Want to know if they should sell cars as they have a customer for the truck.

This evacuee was in on the 24th of March and made a statement about some property under lease, and some buildings which she owned on this lease on the old San Juan Road not far from Natividad. She has made arrangements to turn her lease back to the landowner and sell her spinach and left a copy of an agreement with us giving her the right to keep the house for the storage of her effects for 5 years and not disturbing her ownership. Ranch deal has F.S.A. approval and seems to be satisfactory to all parties and a good deal.

Action taken:* Suggested she leave P. of A. with her attorney Paul Pioda for the care of her household goods and also for her car and truck. She seems to want to keep the car in any event but may sell the truck. Explained to her there was no difficulty about selling cars or trucks.

Handled by: Lebenbaum

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(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
6 persons affected

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

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3-25-42
(Date)

Name: Miyake T. Margaret
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: B/ 452 San Juan Rd
(Street and Number)
Salinas Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name Miyake T. M.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1919 Born Calif left Calif
Operating under Treasury Licence now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: T. M. Miyake
Address: B/ 452 San Juan Rd
Telephone Number: — 4098

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Lease 10.67A for 3 years dated 11-41. Built house & garage. Ranch operated by Father - alien - & 2 brothers - 1 brother in Army. Have 8A in spinach. Own equipment & have no debts. What to do with crop & lease & how to secure value of house & garage. Claim relations with lessor very fine & that he wants to help them. They are indefinite as to terms of lease, especially as regards improvements.

Action taken:*
asked them to bring in lease & spinach contract & let me talk to Father & lessor with them. Have no bank or lawyer. Said they would return.

2 persons interviewed
8" represented

Handled by: Evans Liljen Sols Salinas

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyaki S. Sueda
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Auburn
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Race (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Am. Fruit Growers Inc.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyaki, Sumi (Mrs.)
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2509 Irving St
(Street and Number)

S. F.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name 1
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Yama Cleaners

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 24, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYAKO'S BEAUTY SHOPPE (Mrs. Mary Kakinami)
(Print)

Address: 1324 4th St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

NAME (SURNAME) (GIVEN)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659
" Mrs N (Mary) Kakinami)

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____
(Date)

Name: Miyama (Surname) (Print) George (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Lodi (City) Calif. (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: J.A.C.L., Lodi

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

File

Name: Miyama (Surname) (Print) Sue Takeo (Given)

(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Marysville (City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action Taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 10, 1942
(Date)

Name: Metzger
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Marysville, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name METZGER (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: X
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mr. Metzger

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Relative to rental of O. K. Garage. Interviews #31 and 62. Mr. Metzger has consented to lease taking possession at time of evacuation, thus giving Mr. & Mrs. Miyama residence and business right up to evacuation.

Action taken:*

Area #1

Case closed

INTERVIEW # 72.

1 person interviewed
2 people interested
3 Total

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

File: Miyama, Sy Takeo

(Date)

Name: O. K. GARAGE
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: 222 So. Center ST
(Street and Number)

Stockton, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See O.K. Garage

See also; Metzer, Mr.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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April 23, 1942

O. K. Garage,
222 So. Center Street,
Stockton, California.

Dear Sirs:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 21, 1942 informing us of your efforts to dispose of a tire and three tubes, size 550-17.

Upon the assumption that these are new articles, we referred your problem to the local office of the Office of Price Administration which has jurisdiction over such matters. They informed us that the alternatives open to you would be to sell them to a dealer, or to communicate with the manufacturer of the tire and tubes who would be in a position to extend a credit for the articles.

We are forwarding a copy of your letter and of our reply to the Office of Price Administration, 1355 Market Street, San Francisco. It is suggested that you communicate with that office if further information is desired.

Yours very truly,

Armstrong:gh

Assistant Cashier.

cc: Office of Price Administration,
1355 Market Street,
San Francisco, California.

cc: Mr. L. S. Weeks
Field Representative
Stockton, California

REFERRED BY MR. D. ARMSTRONG
TO MR. [illegible]
APR 2 - 1942

222 So. Center St
Stockton, California
April 21, 1942

Dear Sir:

We have in our possession a 550-17 tire and three tubes of the same size.

We asked the W.C.C.A. Office of how we could dispose the tire and tubes. They said to try the Garages and Dealers but they do not care for them.

We like to know how we can dispose of them.

Sincerely yours
O.K. Garage.

4-27 Answered
..... Answ. by Routine Advice
..... No Answer Required
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By [illegible]
Surname
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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyama, Mr. & Mrs. Takao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: *
(Street and Number)

(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Memo (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of March 31, April 8, and April 14, 1942.

See Marysville Memo of June 2, 1942.

These people are continuing their garage business. In event of evacuation they consult Mr. Jack Fuller, who has power of attorney for Mrs. Iusaki, the owner of property. Mr. Metzger who was to have leased building in event of evacuation, does not think his chance for possession warrants waiting much longer.

Action taken:*

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Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 14, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyama, Mr. & Mrs. Takao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Arrangements made to vacate property at time general evacuation.
Made arrangements to store unsold equipment.

Area #1

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Name MIYAMA (Surname) MR.& MRS. TAKAO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

SEE INTERVIEW # 31

April 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyama Mrs. May
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male:
Female: X
Citizenship: _____

Name MIYAMA (Surname) MAY (MRS.) (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:

Mrs. May Miyama is contemplating relinquishing her lease and storing her business equipment on or before May 15th.

Brought up questions of building car trailer. Advised to go slow on this

Action taken:*

Area #1

1 person interviewed

INTERVIEW # 62

Handled by: K. T. Grell
Marysville

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Closed

March 31, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyama, Mr. & Mrs. Takeo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: 117 C. St.
(Street and Number)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female: X

Marysville California
(City) (State)

Citizenship: U. S. (both)

Date of last entry into United States: Not in last 15 years

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: X
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mrs. May Miyama

Address: 117 C. St., Marysville

Telephone Number: 1624

Principal property involved and scope of problem: O. K. Garage. This building is owned by Mrs. Iwasaki. Lease made for 5 years. If terminated by Mr. Miyama he was to pay $150.00. If terminated by Mrs. Iwasaki she was to pay $300.00 to the leassees.

Inventory about $2000.00. Practically cleared. Wishes to know if can store with local, professional warehouseman.

Action taken:* Advised parties to try to settle lease without cost to anyone. Said they could store with local warehouseman and to have warehouseman to call me for assurance.

Area #1

1 person interviewed
4 others interested (husband, 3 children)
5 Represented.

INTERVIEW # 31

Handled by: K. T. Gregg
Marysville

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Name MIYAMA (Surname) TAKEO MR. AND MRS. (Given)

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

Miyamoto, K

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Letter to Miyamoto, K
Rt 1 – Box 140 – Ft Lupton Colo

Re Statement of amount due.

Filed Japanese Farm Equipment

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 3 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto M
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 1 Box 174
(Street and Number)
Selma, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: US

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Home

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 1942 Chevrolet to sell.

Action taken:*

Advised him to go to priority board to get the name of some one with the right to buy. If unable to sell before evacuation we would sell it for him to the army

5 in family

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176 - 11th St, Reedley, Cal

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
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May 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Masako & Kenichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rte. 1 Box 28
(Street and Number)
Walnut Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: X
Minor: X
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of May 6th, 1942

See Sacramento list of May 28th.

Supplements 3/30, 4/4, 4/20, 4/23, 4/25 and 5/6 closed. U.S.D.A. checks to be held by Office of Disbursements pending outcome of Blocked account.

Action taken:*

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 67

May 6, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Kenichi and Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor: x
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) MIYAMOTO (Given) Kenichi & Masako

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: USDA

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our problem cases of March 30, April 4, April 20, and April 23. Also copies of letters to U. S. Department of Agriculture referring to 1941 sugar beet benefit #93-034-64.

Later telephone conversations with Mr. Craven, chairman of Sacramento County War Board, and Mr. Fawcett, office manager here. We advised Mr. Fawcett that we believed Mr. D. Davidson had a wrong impression in assuming that Kenichi Miyamoto had the a uthority to endorse checks made payable to M. Miyamoto for deposit.

We advised Mr. Fawcett and Mr. Craven that it was our understanding the license held by K. Miyamoto for the liquidation of his own affairs does not authorize him to endorse checks payable to M. Miyamoto who went to Japan without leaving a power of attorney.

Action taken:* Mr. Fawcett then informed us that these checks will not be mailed to the Bank of America at Isleton for lack of suitable endorsements but will be held at the office of disbursements until some final arrangements for the payments are made with proper authority,

3 Interviewed
10 Represented

Handled by: Schmitt

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(3-5055) Sacramento Office

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
Agricultural Adjustment Agency

P. O. Box 247
Berkeley, California
April 25, 1942

Refer to: AUD

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, Calif.

Att: A. J. Reid
Sac. Field Rep.

Gentlemen:

Re: 1941 Sugar Beets #93-034-64
M. Miyamoto - address, Japan

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated April 23, 1942 relative to the payment earned by M. Miyamoto whose address was shown on the 1941 Sugar application for payment as Hiroshimaken, Japan.

The Disbursing Office has agreed to give us a transcript of the check in order that we may authorize its delivery. In accordance with your letter therefore, we will have the check delivered to M. Miyamoto, in care of Bank of America at Isleton. We are assuming that K. Miyamoto has the authority to endorse the check for deposit.

Very sincerely yours,

(Signed) Dave Davidson

Dave Davidson, Chairman
California Agricultural Conservation Committee

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MAY 7 1942
EVACUEE
PROPERTY
DEPT.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Sac. 67

April 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Miss Masako & Mr. Kenichi
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor: x
Male: x
Female: x
Citizenship: _____

Name MIYAMOTO (Surname) MISS MASAKO MR. KENICHI (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See our reports of April 4 and April 20 - (These problems closed)

New problem - Has claim against Flotill Products Company, Stockton, for about $140.00 in bonus.

Also has a payment due from Sugar Beet Benefit, payments about $2000.00.

Action taken:*

Will arrange new bank account at Bank of America, Isleton, in the name of M. Miyamoto, address Japan, a blocked account.

At the present time, the bank account stands in this name:
Signature for Bank of America Isleton account: R. Miyamoto (This account is a blocked acct)
Sacramento Office

present - funds have not yet been placed in this account -

Handled by: R.W.Schmitt

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 67

April 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto Miss Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove California
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIYAMOTO (Surname) MISS MASAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

A. Under General License #1 - Funds from various sources could be deposited in a domestic bank in a Blocked Account in the name of M. Miyamoto:- K. Miyamoto, the father of M.M. expressed a desire that such an account be opened in Bank of America at Isleton.

B. We also find these people have about $2550.00 due from the A.A. A. as a Sugar Beet Benefit - now being held for proper distribution.

Action taken:*

A. Persuant to the request we have arranged for Mr. Chismore at the Bank of America at Isleton, to establish such an account.

Mr. Greenberg of Spreckles Sugar Company expresses his willingness to deposit the balance due M. Miyamoto in this account - amount of $774.43. Check forwarded today.

B. Attached letter explains action taken thus far.

Handled by: Schmitt

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1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
April 23, 1942

Mr. Dave Davidson
Chief of Agricultural Adjustment Administration
Berkeley, California

Subject: M. Miyamoto
Address - Japan
Your serial number 93-034-64
1941 Sugar Beet Benefit

Dear Sir:

After telephone conversation today with Mr. A. H. Hoiland, 417 Market Street, San Francisco, at his request I am referring this matter to you. The Federal Reserve Bank is endeavoring to help adjust the account of M. Miyamoto in collecting accrued credits.

On this date, a special bank account has been established with the Bank of America at Isleton in the name of said M. Miyamoto. This is to be a "blocked account." This is for the purpose of segregating all funds purporting to belong to M. Miyamoto.

We are also informed by Mrs. M. C. Menth in the Sacramento office of the AAA that the account of M. Miyamoto consists of one check for about $86.00 and another for about $2464.89.

If this all be correct and it is your desire to find the place to deposit the balance due said M. Miyamoto, we suggest that it be deposited in the account at Bank of America, Isleton, heretofore referred to. Kindly advise us if this method of handling meets with your approval.

Yours very truly,

A. J. Reid

MMS:LH

Sacramento Field Representative

eral Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States Supplement to Sac. 67

April 20, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto, Kenichi and Miss Masako
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor: x
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

(Surname) (Name) (Civil)

Refers: Also to Misako Miyamoto, now in Japan.

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?: Applied for.

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Harry Sasaki

Address: P. O. Box 118, Isleton

Telephone Number: 2501 - Isleton

Case refers back to March 30 and April 4.

Principal property involved and scope of problem: To attempt to clarify these reports and conclude this account.

These people have a contract and deal with the Spreckles Sugar Company under name of M. Miyamoto, which all concerned refer to as the female, Misako Miyamoto, now in Japan. Spreckles admit a balance due them about $774.43 from Spreckles Sugar Company. Mr. K. A. Kincaid says they have notice this account is blocked and that they are to withhold payment. Apparantly, no power of attorney exists from the M. Miyamoto in Japan. (No bank account in this name is known of.)

Mr. Kincaid of Spreckles Sugar Company also informs us that evidently M. Miyamoto left for Japan in April 1941 and Spreckles have made several partial payments to above name, and they have been endorsed and cashed by someone here.

Action taken:*

Called Spreckles and they are willing to pay duly authorized persons.

Note to San Francisco - Looks like matter for Foreign Funds Control.

Can you suggest any other way to handle amended report?

RWS

Sacramento Office

3 Interviewed
10 Represented

Handled by: R.W.Schmitt

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. # 67 Supplement
Miyamoto, Miss Masako and Kenichi
April 4, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto (Surname) (Print) Kenichi and Masako (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 28 (Street and Number)

Walnut Grove (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIYAMOTO (Surname) KENICHI AND MASAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

(1) These people have now acquired their permit to sell tomato plants etc., and called at this office wanting to know the advisability of accepting the offer of F. M. Grissel, 820 South Wilson Way, Stockton to liquidate the account of their tractor.

(2) They also asked further questions in regard to their 1941 Crysler Royal Sedan - original cost about $1600.00 - balance due on sales contract is about $55.50.

Action taken:*

(1) After analysing it they are satisfied with Mr. Grissel's offer and now request a permit to go and close the deal.

(2) Will probably pay the balance and clear the car.

Interview - 5
Represented

Handled by: RMD

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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Sacramento Office

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sac. # 67

Miss MASAKO March 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto-Kenichi Telephone:
(Surname) (Print) (Given) Interview: ✓

Address: Rt. 1 - Box 28 Adult: ✓
(Street and Number) Minor:
Male:
Walnut Grove Cal. Female: ✓
(City) (State) Citizenship: alien

Miss M mm Misao
Date of last entry into United States: 1921 - 1932 - 1932

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Miss MASAKO-
Address: above
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Kenichi "father" a blocked national "re" letter to assigned # S7 - 19478. applying for permit to sell tomato plants etc, and make payments on current bills.

Action taken:* Will fill out form and consult their attorney.

Handled by: RWB

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file:

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Name Miyamoto-Kenichi, Miss Masako
(Surname) (Given)

March 19, 1942

Mr. K. Miyamoto,
Box 28,
Walnut Grove, California.

Re: Application dated January 30, 1942
Assigned No. SF. 19478

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the application recently submitted to us to allow the unblocking of your bank account, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and desire a license which will permit the disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Evans

Assistant Cashier.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 27, 1942

(Date)

Name: Miyamoto Masao
(Surname) (Given)

Address: Fresno Assembly Center
(Street and Number)
Fresno California
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Fresno California - Fresno California

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Refer to your letter dated June 19th, 1942.

Action taken:*

After contacting Mr Miyamoto several times out at the Center regarding what disposition he wished to make of his 1937 Ford Sedan, he finally decided to sign the forms you sent us to be filled out signifying his willingness to sell to the Army at the appraised value $170.00. He felt however that anyone on the outside would be willing to pay him $250.00 or $300.00 for the car as there is at least $100.00 worth of rubber on it. He asked that we do what we could to dispose of the car on the outside prior to the Army's picking it up.

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Handled by:

*Interviewed at Fresno Assembly Center, Fresno California

Directed to file:

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 19, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
2146 Inyo Street,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

On May 27th we directed our conversion letter, copy of which is attached, to the above subject encouraging him to sell his car to the Army under Alternative No. 2.

Our file does not indicate that Mr. Miyamoto authorized us to effect such a sale and we shall appreciate having you contact him, suggesting that this form be completed. The amount offered to Mr. Miyamoto for his 1937 Ford Sedan was $170.00.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Miyamoto Masao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Family No (62) 29537
(Street and Number)

Fresno, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Handled by:

Directed to file:

319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 11, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith original copy of WPM8 signed by Masao Miyamoto and Alex Bechkoff along with forms WCCA-PRB three and four covering sale of 1937 Ford V8 Fordor Sedan.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJH
Enc.

July 9, 1942

Mr. W. D. Townes, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 T. S. Patterson Building
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto,
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

As requested we are forwarding revised Form [illegible]-8 in order to allow the above subject to deliver his car to Mr. Alex Beckhoff instead of Sergeant Rudolph R. Preciado Jr, to whom the car was originally planned to have been delivered.

The registration and ownership certificates were forwarded to you in our letter of July 3rd, and we trust you will turn them over to Mr. Beckhoff as soon as the transaction is completed. When the original Form [illegible]-8 has been signed by both parties and the evacuee has returned his copies of Forms [illegible]-3 and 4, kindly deliver the car to Mr. Beckhoff.

The duplicate of the Form [illegible]-8 should then be given to the evacuee for his records, and the original together with the Forms [illegible]-3 and 4, should be sent to this office.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 8, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

We are returning herewith form MP4-8 covering 1937 Ford V8, License #E38035, registered in the name of Nasao Miyamoto as Sergeant Rudolph R. Preciado was unable to raise the necessary cash to close the deal.

Kindly make up new MP4-8 on this car authorizing delivery of registration card and ownership certificate to Alex Bechkoff who has deposited money order with us payable to Mr. Miyamoto in the sum of $200.00.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJM
Enc.

July 3, 1942

W. D. Townes, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
319 Patterson Building,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto,
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your request of July 2nd, we are enclosing Form EPM-8 in duplicate to enable the above subject to sell his car to Sergeant Rudolph R. Preciado Jr, of Pinedale. The registration and ownership certificates are also enclosed.

We presume that the Sergeant does not come under the provision of our instruction letter dated June 24th, wherein, personal dealings, "By persons connected with the Wartime Civil Control State in any capacity cannot be tolerated". If the provisions of this instruction letter do not in any way include Sergeant Preciado Jr., then therefore, arrangements can be made to transfer the car from Mr. Miyamoto to him.

As soon as the Form EPM-8 has been signed by both parties and the evacuee has returned his copies of Forms WCCA-FRB 3 and 4, kindly deliver the registration and ownership certificate and the car to Sergeant Preciado Jr.

The duplicate of the Form EPM-8 should then be given to the evacuee for his records, and the original, together, with forms WCCA-FRB 3 and 4 should be sent to this office.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 2, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

Kindly foward us the pink slip and EP48's covering M. Miyamoto's 1937 Ford V8 as arrangements have been made to sell this car to Sergeant Rudolph R. Prociado Jr. of Pinedale for $200.00 cash.

Yours very truly,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJN

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

July 1, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
T. W. Patterson Building,
Room 319,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

On June 27th Mr. Townes sent us our conversion form letter duly signed by the above subject in which he has authorized us to sell his 1937 Ford V-8 to the Army.

Due to the fact that Mr. George Kawano appears to be the legal owner of record, we are enclosing in duplicate our Form EP-6, Statement of Indebtedness Owing to Legal Owner of Motor Vehicle, which we request that you present to him for completion. The duplicate copy may be retained by Mr. Kawano for his records.

When the latter party has set forth the settlement balance that will be acceptable as the final payment, please contact Mr. Miyamoto again and assist him in reviewing this statement. If the settlement balance is an accurate statement of his account, have him confirm this by signing on the line at the bottom of the form. Furthermore, explain to Mr. Miyamoto that the amount which will be remitted to him when his car is sold to the Army will be the difference between the amount of our appraisal of $170.00 and that sum which he owes to Mr. George Kawano.

As soon as this form is duly executed by both parties, please forward the original directly to this office. If, for one reason or another, the legal owner had been previously satisfied, kindly secure the ownership certificate properly endorsed on the reverse side on lines 1 and 2 and return same to this office together with our Form EP-6, which of course in this case would not require execution.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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Statement of Indebtedness Owing to Legal Owner of Motor Vehicle

29537
(Family Number)

George Kawano
Rt. 1, Box 372
Dinuba, California

July 1, 1942
(Date)

The following described motor vehicle has been delivered to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, as Fiscal Agent of the United States, by the registered owner for disposition. Inasmuch as the registration certificate indicates that you are the legal owner, it is requested that the center portion of this form be completed by you and returned to this bank in order that proper disposition may be made of the vehicle or proceeds therefrom.

Registered Owner Masao Miyamoto Address Rt. 2, Box 91-A, Selma, Calif.
Make Ford 8 Model 4-Door Sedan License Number 8E8035
Motor Number 54-290611 Serial Number 54-290611 Date first sold 9/21/37

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO
FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
By J. E. Evans

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO
FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES
As Agent of the Evacuee.

(Date)

We hereby certify that the following information, as shown by our records, is correct and that we, as legal owners of the vehicle described above, will accept as final payment of the indebtedness against it, the amount indicated after the caption "SETTLEMENT BALANCE".

CONTRACT ☐ OR MORTGAGE ☐ Dated ____ 19__, payments to be made ____ (Monthly, etc.) in amount of $____ commencing ____ 19__, and maturing ____ 19__.

Original amount of contract	$	
Paid to date	$	
BALANCE OWING ON CONTRACT		$
Less:		
Insurance Rebate	$	
Carrying Charge Refund	$	
Other Allowances	$	
	$	
Plus:		
Interest to ____ (Date)	$	
Other charges ____ (Specify)	$	
	$	$
SETTLEMENT BALANCE (Amount which will be acceptable as final payment on or prior to ____ (Date) *).		$

(Name of Legal Owner)

(Address)

*Insert date next installment is due.

By ____
(Official Signature)

(Date)

The foregoing statement of balance owing is hereby confirmed.

(Name of Evacuee)

EP 6 (4-42) 1500 4-42 (12396) [illegible]

July 1, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
T. W. Patterson Building,
Room 319,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Hagao Miyamoto
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

On June 27th Mr. Tomoe sent us our conversion form letter duly signed by the above subject in which he has authorized us to sell his 1937 Ford V-8 to the Army.

Due to the fact that Mr. George Kawano appears to be the legal owner of record, we are enclosing in duplicate our Form EP-6, Statement of Indebtedness Owing to Legal Owner of Motor Vehicle, which we request that you present to him for completion. The duplicate copy may be retained by Mr. Kawano for his records.

When the latter party has set forth the settlement balance that will be acceptable as the final payment, please contact Mr. Miyamoto again and assist him in reviewing this statement. If the settlement balance is an accurate statement of his account, have him confirm this by signing on the line at the bottom of the form. Furthermore, explain to Mr. Miyamoto that the amount which will be remitted to him when his car is sold to the Army will be the difference between the amount of our appraisal of $170.00 and that sum which he owes to Mr. George Kawano.

As soon as this form is duly executed by both parties, please forward the original directly to this office. If, for one reason or another, the legal owner had been previously satisfied, kindly secure the ownership certificate properly endorsed on the reverse side on lines 1 and 2 and return same to this office together with our Form EP-6, which of course in this case would not require execution.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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319 Patterson Building, Fresno, California

July 1, 1942

Mr. R. E. Everson
Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Sir:

We are enclosing herewith pink slip covering Ford V8, License [redacted]
in the name of Masao Miyamoto. It is attached to his automobile papers.

Very truly yours,

W. D. Townes
Field Representative

WDT:MJM
Enc.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyamoto Masao
(Print)

Address: Fresno Assembly Center
Fair Grounds-Fresno California
(Street and Number)

Fresno (City) California (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Address: Fair Grounds - Fresno California

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to your letter dated June 19th, 1942.

Action taken:*

After contacting Mr Miyamoto several times out at the Center regarding what disposition he wished to make of his 1937 Ford Sedan, he finally decided to sign the forms you sent us to be filled out signifying his willingness to sell to the Army at the appraised value $170.00. He felt however that anyone on the outside would be willing to pay him $250.00 or $300.00 for the car as there is at least $100.00 worth of rubber on it. He asked that we do what we could to dispose of the car on the outside prior to the Army's picking it up.

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Handled by: Townes

* Attach additional pages where necessary
Room 319 Patterson Building - Fresno California

June 19, 1942

Mr. L. J. Allen, Field Representative,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Evacuee Property Department,
2146 Inyo Street,
Fresno, California.

Subject: Masao Miyamoto
Fresno Assembly Center
Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

On May 27th we directed our conversion letter, copy of which is attached, to the above subject encouraging him to sell his car to the Army under Alternative No. 2.

Our file does not indicate that Mr. Miyamoto authorized us to effect such a sale and we shall appreciate having you contact him, suggesting that this form be completed. The amount offered to Mr. Miyamoto for his 1937 Ford Sedan was $170.00.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

May 27, 1942

Mr. Masao Miyamoto,
% WCCA Assembly Center,
Fairgrounds,
Fresno, California.

Family No. (62) 29537

Dear Sir:

At the time the Exclusion Order, affecting the area in which you previously resided, was being carried out, you delivered your motor vehicle to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, as Fiscal Agent of the United States, for storage at your own risk and without insurance, with the understanding that such storage would be in an open area which would subject it to more or less rapid deterioration.

With the thought in mind that you might have been hesitant to offer your motor vehicle for sale to the United States Army at that time, because you had no assurance of the amount which you would receive for it, we have had it appraised by two independent appraisers.

The Army, through this Bank, is now ready to make a definite offer, based on this appraisal, as follows:

Amount offered	$ 170.00
Less amount which will be acceptable as final payment by legal owner	$
Balance to be remitted to registered owner .	$ 170.00

Should you now feel that because of the rapid deterioration to which your car is subjected, you are willing to accept payment as indicated above, please so indicate in the space provided below.

Please give this matter your immediate consideration, as the appraised value, as mentioned, is based upon an immediate sale to the Army and cannot be held open for an indefinite period of time.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

To the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
Fiscal Agent of the United States

I wish to sell my car to the Army under Alternative No. 2 on WCCA Form FRB-4 on the above basis instead of having it held for storage. This will constitute your authority to effect such sale.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyamoto Nursery
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 5013 Wall Avenue
(Street and Number)
Richmond Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

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:

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Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
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Directed to file: _____

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States **Supplement Sac. 162**

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: **Miyamoto** **Sumio**
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: **2200 Eighteenth Street**
(Street and Number)

Sacramento **California**
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name: **MIYAMOTO** (Surname) **Sumio** (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:

Home - Subject $3000-Deed of Trust.

Action taken:*

Writes, " All arrangements have now been completed.

Case Closed

Handled by **McFarland**

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File: **Sacramento Office**

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California
May 1, 1942.

Sac. # 162

Mr. Sumio Miyamoto
2200 Eighteenth Street
Sacramento, California

Dear Sir:

Not long ago we wrote you requesting a report of progress on your preparations for evacuation, but we have had no response from you.

We are very much interested in learning promptly whether we can be of further assistance to you. Please report, on the reverse of this letter, the present status of your arrangements for evacuation.

Very truly yours,

A. J. Reid

A. J. Reid
Sacramento Field Representative

MMM:DH

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Dear Mr. Reid:

All arrangements have now been completed, and we are now ready to go to the designated center upon due notice.

Thank you for the interest and kindness you have shown in my problems.

Respectfully yours,

Sumio Miyamoto

FOR DEFENSE
BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

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April 18, 1942

Miss M. M. McFarland
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
1006 Fourteenth Street
Sacramento, California.

Dear Miss McFarland:

In reply to your letter of the 16th, I am happy to inform you of the progress made:

I have sold my car, and some of my furnishings. The house, I expect to rent partly furnished, and have a realtor in mind to handle the renting for me while I am gone. No agency contract, however, as yet, has been made.

Most of my things have been packed and the balance can be packed in a day or so.

I have been suspended from my position with the State, so am now out of job. With most of Japanese firms now closed or in liquidation, I am not able to find any means of livelihood, so the sooner I get to the centers, the better it may be for my family, and the three children.

I am on the Federal Civil Service list for Assistant Accountant and Auditor. If personnel at the centers are being selected in part from such eligible list, I shall appreciate any word as to how to go about being appointed.

Your kindness is appreciated, and I hope this complies with your request.

Respectfully yours,

Sumio Miyamoto

Sumio Miyamoto

2200 - 18th Street
Sacramento, California.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated. 4/17/42 from Salinas Field Office
See Item #3 (Date)

Name: MIYANAGA (Surname) Masako (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt 1 Box 67 A (Street and Number)

San Jaun, Calif (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
MIYANAGA (Surname)
MASAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Transferred lease & growing crops to N. Daskarolis with FSA approval. This is 9 acres in San Juan Valley known as the Manuel Excobar Ranch. Sold house for cash.

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Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-13-42
(Date)

Name: MIYANAGA (Surname) MASAKO (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 67A
(Street and Number)

San Juan (City) Calif. (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult:
Minor: x
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MIYANAGA (Surname) MASAKO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1921- Born in Calif. never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business: farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: M. Miyanaga & N. Daskarolis
Address: above 434 Davis St. San Francisco
Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Miyanaga has transferred her lease and growing crops to N. Daskarolis for cash and has F.S.A. approval. There was a small house on the property which Daskarolis is buying and Miyanaga selling for $65 cash which completes the transaction agreeably to everybody. The improvements in this sale consist of a house which is really a shack, a small garage and some out buildings. This property is 9 acres in San Juan Valley known as the Manuel Escobar Ranch.

Action taken:*
Both parties appeared satisfied with this transaction and having consulted F.S.A. who approved, we felt we should do likewise.

Handled by: [illegible]
Salinas
Directed to file: _____

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 2 persons interviewed
7 persons affected

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated April 17, 1942
from Salinas Field Office.
See Item #1
(Date)

Name: MIYANAGA, Tom
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Salinas Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name
MIYANAGA (Surname)
TOM (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Has sold an International Truck, motor [illegible] #Hd-23[illegible]12629 to the Arena Co. of Salinas for $412.05.

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to Sac. 387

May 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyao, Martin S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: P. O. Box 83
(Street and Number)

Florin, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: --

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Sold 1941 Dodge truck for $1100.00 cash so cleared all bills except Doctor Schlueter $55.00 and loan from friend $150.00, leaving $420.00.

Sold trailer for $125.00.

Will store household furnishings.

Action taken:*

1 Interviewed
3 Represented

Florin - Sacramento Office

Handled by: M.M.McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Name MIYAO (Surname) Martin S. (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Ex. 387

4-20-42
(Date)

Name: Miyao Martin S
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P O Box 83
(Street and Number)
Florin Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Name MIYAO (Surname) MARTIN S. (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: X

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Personal Loan Bank of America $150.00 unpaid bal of $119.25. Bank wants to know how settlement will be made. Has acct in Sumitomo Bank in amount of $198.00 + is willing to make assignment for security of loan

Action taken:*

Advised to make arrangement with Bank to accept Sum assignment for security of balance at time of maturity.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055) Returned, 1953

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MIYASAKI MR. GUNJI
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 714
(Street and Number)

Walnut Grove, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Ferale:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

(S-5055)

March 16, 1942

Mr. Gunji Miyasaki,
P. O. Box 714,
Walnut Grove, California

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Emerson

Assistant Cashier

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 25, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyasaki Hanzo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 2, Box 114
(Street and Number)

Selma, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: *
Minor:
Male: *
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Name Miyasa Kiji (Given) Hanzo
(Surname)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: J.N. Miyasaki

Address: Rt. 2 Box 114--Selma

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Refer our report dated 4/10/42.

Action taken:*
Are planning to keep refrigerator. Have made arrangements with J.A. Carter, P.O. Box 53, Selma, Calif. to keep up monthly payments.

RECEIVED MAY 28 1942 ALIEN PROPERTY CUSTODIAN DEPT.

CASE CLOSED

Handled by: Townes

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/10/42
(Date)

Name: Miyasaki Hanzo.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: R2. Box 114
(Street and Number)

Selma. Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship:

Name Miyasaki Hanzo.
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: farming.
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Nobuyuki Miyasaki.

Address: Route 2. Box 114 Selma.

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Nobuyuki Miyasaki, son of Hanzo Miyasaki called at the office and stated that a representative of the C.I.T. had called at their house and demanded payment in full on their contract. and stated that if not paid in Two days they would come back and take their Refrigerator. although payments are up to date and payment on account was offered.. Cost of Refrigerator $230.00 paid on account $147.00 balanced due. $83.00

Action taken:*

Told. Miyasaki that according to his statement the C.I.T. had no authority to enter their house and take anything. and to refuse to allow them to have the refrigerator and tell the C.I.T. to call on me.

Handled by: L. Allen

Directed to file:

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(S-5055) 2141 Inyo St. Fresno Cal.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyasaki Masanobu
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O Box 867
(Street and Number)

Salinas
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
April 20, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Mr. H. D. Armstrong

Gentlemen:

Masanobu Miyasaki a California born Japanese born in 1912 who has resided here ever since and is now engaged in farming, owns some land here and also had some leases. He has turned over his leases and has rented the land he owns here for several years, but was unable to do so in time to leave before the last of the free evacuation period.

He says he owns 22½ acres near Dinuba which is well improved and planted in vineyard, orchard and all intensively irrigated and cultivated. He wants to go there, if he can, now with his family and stay there for the duration.

We have not been able to check this last statement beyond the evacuee's declaration but we have found his other statements to be correct and his reputation is good.

Can you take this matter up with the Provost Marshall and get us a ruling on what an evacuee should do under these circumstances, or is there any help available for him so that he will not become a problem to the army during evacuation? Please advise us what, if anything, we should advise under such circumstances.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

by phone 4/21 - told him to write letter
evacuation matter

Answered
VLS/jh
Ansd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required

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Surname

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

CLOSED in memorandum dated 4/17/42 from Salinas Field Office.
See Item # 4.

(Date)

Name: MIYASAKI (Surname) Masanobu (Print) (Given)

Address: P O Box 867
(Street and Number)
Salinas, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIYASAKI (Surname) MASANOBU (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Has given A. V. Rianda Jr. P. of A. to look after his property in town on the Car Flats. Has deeded his 50 acres of land purchased from Inna C. Riewerts to Rianda and filed papers prepared by his attorney with us.

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4-13-42
(Date)

Name: MIYASAKI MASANOBU
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P. O. Box 867
(Street and Number)

Salinas Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.A.

Name MIYASAKI (Surname) MASANOBU (Given)

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Date of last entry into United States: 1912- Born in Calif. never left

Operating under Treasury License now?: No.

Type of Business: farming
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: M. Miyasaki

Address: as above

Telephone Number: 6065

Principal property involved and scope of problem: This evacuee has been in here before discussing his problems and I have discussed the matter with A. V. Rianda, a real estate broker here, who now has P. of A. and who also has received the deed from Miyasaki for the property in town so that he can borrow $1,750 from the Bank of A. to pay some claims and bills before the evacuee has to leave. The papers are all in the file here including the statement from the Monterey Co. Title Co. and P. of A. to Rianda and deed and contract for the purchase of about 50 acres of land from Inna C. Riewerts for $8,000 dated 1938 with 5 years to run. Miyasaki has not made many payments on this contract but have kept the interest and taxes up but has improved this property and paid for the improvements. He still owes $8,000 on his purchase. Miyasaki is leaving his equipment and engines on the ranch and Rianda will operate it for him and pay the landowner, it being understood that Rianda will get half of the proceeds for attending to the business and doing the work. Property in town is on Car Flats and consists mostly of a labor camp and small farm holding.

Action taken:* Took him to F.S.A. to register his lease and get approval. This evacuee worked up this deal very largely by himself and it was his idea to deed his property to Rianda which is not exactly the way we would have recommended it but he wants it that way and appears satisfied. If his properties have proper care and attention and no bad luck in farming or trouble in renewing the purchase contract which is in the hands of Calkins, Hager, Hall & Minforth. Miyasaki claims that the owner of the land merely wants the interest but that from now on he expects the property to earn plenty of money so payments can be made. This evacuee also owns 22½ acres near Dinuba which is well improved and planted in vineyard, orchard and all intensively irrigated. He wants to go there and intended to go there while he still could, but was unable to get his other

Handled by? Salinas

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(S-5055) 1 person interviewed
5 persons affected

affairs in shape in time to leave. I explained to him that it was now too late for him to go there directly and we had no authority to give him a travel permit which would permit him to stay there and transact his business. We could not tell him at this time whether the army would be willing for him to go there later or not but we did not have anything that would encourage that belief now. Also told him that we did not feel his transaction with Rianda was quite complete and that he should have something from Rianda in writing to show that he still owned the business property and that Rianda was merely managing it for him. The F.S.A. has approved of his lease with Rianda.
4-14-42

Have copy of agreement in regard to business property showing Rianda's interest in file for protection of evacuee; drawn by his attorney, Dan Bardin of Bardin & Harrington.

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Salinas

1 person interviewed
5 persons affected

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/23/42
(Date)

Name: Miyazaki. Morito.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1 Box 107.
(Street and Number)

Fowler Cal.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1921

Operating under Treasury Licence now?:

Type of Business: farmer
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Morito Miyasaki

Address: Route 1 Box 107. Fowler

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Original report dated. 4-18-42
Sold the Ford V8 for. $325.00
Sold the Ford Pick up. for $140.00
Sold his rice for. 6+ pound and
came out without a loss
satisfactory.

Action taken:*

Case closed.

Handled by: Gallen.

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(S-5055) 2146 Mayo Dr. Fresno.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/18/42. (Date)

Name: Miyasaki, Morito. (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1. Box 107 (Street and Number)

Fowler. Cal. (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien.

Name Miyasaki, Morito (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1921-

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: farming.
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Morito. Miyasaki.

Address: Route 1- Box 107.

Telephone Number: ✓.

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Lives on Dinuba Ave between Fowler and Temperance Aves. owns a 1934 Ford V 8. Truck and a 1932. Model B. Ford pickup. Says the Ford V8 is worth $405.00 and the Model B. about $175.00 also has 15 sacks of. Arkansas Blue Rose. rice included are some sacks of Better Buy Rice. wanted to know if he should sell his trucks now and also the rice-

Action taken:*

Told him to sell his trucks at once or we could store them. also told him where to go for obtaining the best price for his rice and if he could not sell in next two days to return and we would assist him-

Handled by: G Allen

Directed to file: ✓

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyashi, Ritsuko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: /
(Street and Number)

Manzanar, Calif
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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COPY

LOS ANGELES BRANCH

To: Head Office

August 20, 1942

Subject: Evacuee Property Department - Ritsuko Miyashi

We are enclosing two copies of a self-explanatory letter dated August 19, 1942, from Mr. Ritsuko Miyashi, Manzanar, California, together with a copy of our reply.

FRED C. BOLD

Assistant Manager

Federal Reserve Bank of [redacted] Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Lincoln 2 - [redacted]

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Miyata, John
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: R. F. D.
(Street and Number)

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

Adult: X
Minor:
Male: X
Female:
Citizenship: USA

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Never out of USA

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

$500.00 account in Sumitomo Bank in name of brother, Yosh Miyata. Does not need money.

1938 Chevrolet Sedan.

Action taken:*

Advised him to notify Sumitomo Bank of address when relocated.

Advised him to sell car.

Lincoln-Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
2 Represented

Handled by: M.M.McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/21/42
(Date)

Name: Miyata (Surname) Tadao (Print) (Given)

Address: Rt. 1, Box 374
(Street and Number)
Dinuba, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Name
MIYATA (Surname)
Tadao (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: No re-entry

Operating under Treasury License now?: Special (father interned)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Letter 5/20/42

Address:

Telephone Number:

See report 4/13

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Letter from Subject states that his clothing store fixtures, which were quite expensive and elaborate, were stored privately in a Stockton Public Warehouse "at a very reasonable rate for the duration of the war."
He is still in possession of his 1941 Buick Roadmaster Sedan and is using it in Dinuba.
He expresses much appreciation for all efforts in his behalf.

Action taken:*

Close file.

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L. S. Weeks
Handled by: Stockton

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Directed to File:

昭和　年　月　日

殿

宮田商店

T. MIYATA & SON
Gent's Furnishing, Boots & Shoes
111-113 S. EL DORADO ST.
STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA
ESTABLISHED 1905
TELEPHONE 8-8113

May 20, 1942

Mr. L. S. Weeks
Stockton, California

Dear Mr. Weeks:

In regards to your inquiry of my store fixtures and Buick Sedan, I wish to advise you that I have stored the fixtures in one of the warehouse in Stockton at a very reasonable rate for the duration of the war. Regarding my Buick Sedan, I am using it here.

I wish to take this opportunity in expressing my appreciation for your interest in our affair, and I am very sorry that I did not inform you my final outcome of this matter sooner.

Yours very truly,
Tadao Miyata

Tadao Miyata
Rte 1 - Box 374
Dinuba, Cal

◀紳士服各種及び男女身の廻り品一切卸にトランク類各種▶

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 16, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyata Tadao
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 113 S. ElDorado St.
(Street and Number)

Stockton, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.
Japanese

Name MIYATA (Surname) TADAO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: No re-entry

Operating under Treasury License now?: Special (father interned)

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number: 8-8113 & 2-3287

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Runs big clothing store.
Legal matters and transfer of stock have been completed.
Has large and elaborate array of clothing store fixtures, shelving, and special tables costing $11,000 which must be stored.
Efforts to sell at fair value thus far unsuccessful.
Regular storage expense too high, $12 per month.
Also owns 1941 Buick Road Master Sedan, low mileage.

Action taken:*

If not sold in the meantime at satisfactory figure advised him to see me about storage arrangement before leaving.
Also gave him an outline as to how to move Buick to best advantage.

2 Int. 0 affected

Handled by: L. S. Weeks
Stockton

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7-1942
(Date)

Name: MIYATA T. Y. Son
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 113 South Eldorado St
(Street and Number)
Stockton California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Alien Japanese

Name Miyata (Surname) T. & Son (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Interned Latter

Operating under Treasury License now?: Special

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Gilbert Jones
Address: 1414 Block Stockton
Telephone Number: 8-8113

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Blocked account ~~and~~ interned.
Special license secured authority to liquidate. Power of attorney to her. Sale deal now in escrow with Deposity Trust Co. Bank of California to be Trustee. Notice of intended sale, and provision for clearing all money finally into blocked account, provided for.

Action taken:* Above ~~steps taken~~ and reported to me by attorney Gilbert Jones, an A-1 lawyer.

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L. S. Wells

Handled by: Stockton

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1 Ref Est. 10 Pages

March 16, 1942

T. Miyata & Son,
113 South El Dorado Street,
Stockton, California

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Auburn 2 - 1

June 8, 1942
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview: X

Name: Miyata, Yosh
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Route 1, Box 185
(Street and Number)

Newcastle, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has savings account amounting to $560.00 in Sumitomo Bank, Sacramento. Was of the impression he could secure his money through Federal Reserve Bank, as he is in need of funds at this time to purchase necessities for his family preparatory to evacuation.

Action taken:*

Explained that Sumitomo Bank was now being liquidated, and no money would be available until dividends were declared, but that he could make arrangements for a loan through either of the local banks by making an assignment of his Sumitomo account to them.

Auburn-Sacramento Office

1 Interviewed
8 Represented

Handled by P.D.Molter

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 27, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyauchi M.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 1902 - 23rd Avenue
(Street and Number)

Oakland Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone: x
Interview:

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Date of last entry into United States: 1917

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: same

Address: same

Telephone Number: ~~Te Ke 1266~~

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miyauchi operates the Mina Shop, shoe repairing, and plans to sell the business and equipment which he values at $400.

Action taken:*

Advised Miyauchi to advertise his business for sale in the local newspapers.

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) 1 involved
1 interviewed
1 contacted

Directed to file:
Oakland

Name MIYAUCHI (Surname) M. (Given)

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 1, 1942.
(Date)

Telephone:
Interview:

Name: Miyauchi, Toshio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 33
(Street and Number)
Mountain View, California
(City) (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Japan

Name Miyauchi Toshio
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to report of March 27, 1942.

F.S.A. Closed.

Action taken:*

Closed.

Handled by: San Jose

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File: _____

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Mar. 27-42.
(Date)

Name: MIYAUCHI - Toshio
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: P.O. Box 33 -
(Street and Number)

Mountain View - Calif.
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japan.

Name MIYAUCHI (Surname) TOSHIO (Given)

accompanied by his brother.

Date of last entry into United States: born and always lived here

Operating under Treasury License now?: no

Type of Business: Sale of Land
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: none

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

10 acres owned by MIYAUCHI - value $5500.
mortgaged to Bank of America of Mt. View
(Mr English - Loan Department) yearly payments
$400. plus interest @ 5% -

Land planted to 2½ ac pear - val. $200.
1½ " bush berries 150.
1 " beans 50.
5 " cultivated land 50.
450.

Looking for buyer.
wishes to move away by Sunday.

Action taken:*

Sent them to Ag. Dept. also phoned Mr English
who will try to help them.

As family is of 23 members suggested brother
could take family out of California - Toshio to
remain and dispose of land

Handled by: S. JOSE.

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Directed to file: ✓

2 interviewed 10 involved

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

File [redacted]

May 9th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO (Surname) GEORGE RAITORO (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 431 - E. 18th St
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIF (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See Report same name 4-13-42

George and his family left last night for Parker Dam Project

As record policy endorsement to change beneficiary at his request. His Policy from sister in Japan to his wife wanted me to help him prepare papers. witness them & wrote letter.

Action taken:*

Took care of his case.

He seemed quite grateful for our help.

Case finally closed

6 Persons

Handled by: DS

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Name MIYENO (Surname) George Raitoro (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 13th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO (Surname) GEORGE PAITORO (Given)

Address: 431 - E. 18th ST
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (City) CALIF (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name MIYENO (Surname) PAITORO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number: No

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT SAME NAME APRIL - 7th 1942

LIFE INSURANCE POLICY = # 775117
THE MANUFACTURERS LIFE INS. CO. LOS ANGELES

QUESTION: CHANGE OF BENEFICIARY, FROM SISTER TO WIFE
SISTER IN JAPAN

COMPANY ASKS FOR OK FROM FEDERAL RESERVE BANK

Action taken:*

WROTE LETTER FOR MIYENO = ATTACH LETTER FROM COMPANY - AND MAIL WITH THIS REPORT

THIS REPORT CLOSES THIS CASE SATISFACTORILY

L. Parsons

Handled by: SD

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

April 13, 1942.

Federal Reserve Bank
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Att: Mr. Herbert Armstrong

Gentlemen:

Attached hereto is a copy of a letter from the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company addressed to myself.

I desire to have this life insurance policy amended to show the change of beneficiary from my sister to my wife. I have lived in the United States continuously since 1920, my wife since 1918.

Kindly forward this permission to your office in Bakersfield at 1300 - 17th Street. Mr. Johnson has informed me that he will let me know when it arrives.

Very truly yours,

George R. Miyeno

T.F.E. 1 E
FF

Geo R. Miyeno

Answered
Acknd. by Routine Advice
No Answer Required
Cleared to File
By Barbara
Secretary
FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

IN REFERRING TO POLICIES PLEASE QUOTE NUMBERS

The Manufacturers Life Insurance Co.

Branch Office

McEdwards and Wildey Building
609 South Grand Avenue
Los Angeles, Calif.

GEO. N. QUIGLEY, Jr., C.L.U.
BRANCH MANAGER

TELEPHONE
TRINITY 6021

April 11, 1942

Mr. George R. Miyeno
431 East 18th Street
Bakersfield, California

Re: Your Policy No. 775,117

Dear Mr. Miyeno:

Thank you for your letter of April 9 informing us of the new address and requesting a change of beneficiary from your sister to wife.

Our records indicate that your sister is residing in Japan and as such is considered a Japanese National. It will, therefore, be necessary for you to write a letter to the Federal Reserve Bank in San Francisco giving them full information as to how long you and your wife have been residing in this country and asking their permission to change the beneficiary from your sister who is in Japan, to your wife. When you receive this permission, please let us know when we shall be glad to forward you the necessary forms.

Yours very truly,

G. L. Prior

G. L. Prior
Branch Secretary

GLP/bjl

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 7th 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO (GEORGE RAITORO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 431 E. 18TH
(Street and Number)

BAKERSFIELD (CALIFORNIA
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: No

Name MIYENO (Surname) GEORGE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: SAME

Address: "

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

SEE REPORT MARCH 31-37, 1942
CHANGE OF ADDRESS AUTHORIZED

1940 MERCURY - SOLD - $175.00 NET
TO GEORGE FOR HIS EQUITY - FULLY SATISFIED.

AFTER SALE OF CAR GEORGE HAD OVER $600.00
TO BANK. OFFICER IN EAST BAKERSFIELD BRANCH BANK
OF AMERICA - ADVISED HIM NOT TO MAKE DEPOSIT.

QUESTION - GEORGE ASKED ME - WHY NOT?

Action taken:*

CALLED MANAGER F. E. ESTRIBOU. HE ASKED THAT I
SEND GEORGE BACK, AND HE WOULD GLADLY ACCEPT DEPOSIT

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Handled by:

Directed to file:

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BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

March 31st 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYENO GEO. RAITORO Telephone:
(Surname) (Print) (Given) Interview: ✓

Address: DI GIORGIO FARMS Adult: ✓
(Street and Number) Minor:
Male: ✓
ARVIN CALIFORNIA Female:
(City) (State) Citizenship: NO

Date of last entry into United States: 1920

Operating under Treasury License now?: —

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: "

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1940 Mercury
Wants chg. ck at D G. Farm
wants to get family to arrange for
vacation = Family lives in Bakersfield

Action taken:*

Sell auto. arranged with
Brady to appraise car at this office
also for Miami will bring family
to this office

wife
3 boys } 6 persons
1 girl

Handled by:

Directed to file:

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MIYENO (Surname)
GEORGE RAITORO (Given)

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mixohara, S.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Mutual Produce Assoc.
2630 Fifth st.
(Street and Number)
Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Mutual Produce Assoc.

See ALSO: Komatsu, R. K.

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

Directed to file:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement to
Sec. 4 Amended

May 30, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Annie
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

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:

Refer to reports of March 20 and March 29, 1942

See Sacramento list of May 28

Our supplement 3/29 shows power of attorney to Dr. Henderson. Closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Reserve Bank of San Francisco
cal Agent of the United States

Sac. 4 Amended

Closed

March 29, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi Annie
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: /

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

_____
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female: /
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refer to Page 1 Sac. #4 - March 25, 1942

Action taken:*

Power of Attorney has been granted to Dr. A. M. Henderson, a prominent physician and surgeon. Address: Medical-Dental Building
Sacramento, California

Sacramento Office
Handled by _____

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Directed to file: _____

Name
MIYOSHI (Surname)
ANNIE (Given)

Closed

...eserve Bank of San Francisco
...cal Agent of the United States Sac. 4

3/20/42
(Date)

Name: Annie Miyoshi
(Print)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 901 9th Ave
(Street and Number)

Sacramento City
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male:
Female: ✓
Citizenship: Am 29

Name MIYOSHI (Surname) ANNIE (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born Here

Operating under Treasury License now?: ✓

Type of Business:
Partnership: ✓
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

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Person Interviewed: Self

Address:

Telephone Number: 3-5111

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Business prop. 4th & K Sts. $500 ± purchase 4/1919
10/2 (Monthly pmt) 93.76 ±
paid up to date
10/2 Held by
Helena Bergeren
1320 Laundry Alley
San Diego, Cal.
1,314 ± Equity
(✓ Listed pending property)

I worked in S.F. (Now out of employment
I for State of Cal. (Removed)

Action taken:*

(To S.F. for immediate action)

Allen

Handled by: Plant
Sacramento, Cal.

* Attach additional pages where necessary

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Annie * N.B.U. Telephone:
(Surname) (Print) (Given) Interview:

Address: 1202 - Fourth St Adult:
(Street and Number) Minor:
Male:
Female:
Sacramento Calif Citizenship: _____
(City) (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Hosgkawa, Mary

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/22/42
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 732 Pine St
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Supplimentary -

Date of last entry into United States: 6/8a

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Fillmore 5731

Telephone:
Interview: —

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: U S

Name
MIYOSHI (Surname)
KANAME (Given)

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Annuities Fathers Insurance Policy 2000 Indemnity.

Following your advice we found the cash value of his policy will pay future premiums for a Period of 5 Years. We have arranged with the Insurance Company to do this.

Action taken:*

Closes this case.

Handled by: Magee

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) No Involved
No Interviewed. See Original

Directed to file: _____

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Closed

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/22/42
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2325 Pine St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name MIYOSHI (Surname) KANAME (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Mr Hawkes

Address: 225 Market St

Telephone Number: Dou 7247

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Informed as the Miyoshi father's policy contains an automatic premium loan clause which would enable the company to continue the insurance coverage even though he were unable to meet the premiums himself.

Handled by: Hansen

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Tak. Sayehiro

4/22/42
(Date)

Name: Miyashi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2325 Pine St
(Street and Number)

SF
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Taka Sayehiro

Address: 2325 Pine St

Telephone Number: SF

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Miyashi's whereabouts is unknown.

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/18/42
(Date)

4/ Name: Miyoshi Kaname
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 2325 Pine St.
(Street and Number)

San Francisco Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult:
Minor: ✓
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: U.S.

Name MIYOSHI (Surname) KANAME (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born - 1921

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed:

Address: Same

Telephone Number: Fillmore 5731
Ame Nose Day 4623
7247

Principal property involved and scope of problem:
Insures Life Insurance Policy in the amount of $2000 written by American National Insurance Co.

This Policy Insures my fathers Life, he is a Concentration Camps at Bismark North Dakota and Can not pay the Premiums what Can we do about it.

Action taken:*
Suggest you arrange with the Insurance Company to apply the present Cash Value on future premiums.

Handled by: Magee

*Attach additional pages where necessary
(S-5055) No Interviewed 1
No Involved 2.

Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyoshi M.T.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Loomis
(City) (State)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name _____ (Surname) _____ (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: A~~m~~ Fruit Growers, Inc.

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyashi, Pitsuko
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Manzanar W.R.P.
(Street and Number)

Manzanar, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Directed to file: _____

August 24, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: War Relocation Authority

Subject: Division of Evacuee Property
Ritsuko Miyashi

Reference is made to a copy of a letter received from our Los Angeles branch, a copy of which is enclosed herein, relating to the storage problem of the above evacuee.

In the absence of more detailed information regarding the gas range referred to, we believe such property is stored at 358 East First Street, Los Angeles, California.

Mr. Miyashi has been advised that his inquiry has been submitted to you for your consideration.

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure

TTL:HR:krf

LOS ANGELES BRANCH
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO
FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

August 20, 1942

Mr. Ritsuko Miyashi
Blk 9, Bldg. 9, Apt. 4
Manzanar War Relocation Project
Manzanar, California

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of August 19, 1942, outlining your problem with the McMahan's Furniture Company, 428 W. Sixth Street, San Pedro, California.

We believe the matter referred to is one for the consideration of the War Relocation Authority, and are therefore transmitting your communication to the headquarters of that agency.

Yours very truly,

Fred C. Bold
Assistant Manager.

LFS:MT

CC: HEAD OFFICE

(Copy)

Blk 9, Bldg. 9 Apt.4
Manzanar, California
August 19, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Evacuee Property Department
707 S. Spring Street
Los Angeles, California

Gentlemen:

I have a gas range in government storage which I purchased from McMahan's Furniture Company, 428 W. Sixth Street, San Pedro, Calif. last September and as I am unable to meet the monthly payments of $10.00 per month, I have asked them for equity. Their answer was that they might consider negotiations if I would first let them know where the range is stored. As I do not know the exact address of the storage company, I wonder if you could handle the entire matter for me.

The gas range (Wedgewood '41-'42) is in excellent condition and was in actual use only five months at the most. Total cost including insurance and sales tax, etc., was $157.00--of which I have already paid half. It is stored together with the belongings of a relative, T. Okimoto, family No. 4628.

The McMahon Company has accused me of moving this range without their permit from Terminal Island to Los Angeles. I did not consider it necessary as it was not to be moved out of the L. A. county. Also as we were given just 48 hours to evacuate Terminal Island, I did not have sufficient time to contact them.

I shall be grateful if you would write to them and act on my behalf. Will you let me know soon whether you will negotiate with them.

Thank you very much for your considerations.

Yours truly,

(Signed) Ritsuko Miyashi

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 15, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi (Surname) Riichi (Print) (Given)

Address: WCCA Assembly Center
(Street and Number)
Tulare, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: US

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: x

Person Interviewed: Riichi Miyoshi

Address: Above

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi presented the attached letter dated May 9th. addressed to him and signed Mr. Everson and inquired what action to take.

Action taken:* Please refer to copy of my letter to Mr. Everson dated June 2nd and inquiring what action to take here. Subsequently I received a copy of letter addressed to Mr. Miyoshi which is attached hereto. I contacted Miyoshi today and hex informs me that he will furnish the requested information as complete as possible under the circumstances.

No further action anticipated here.

Handled by: R Denton

Directed to file:

*Attach additional pages where necessary

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FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

June 6, 1942

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi,
706 Main Street,
Santa Maria, California.

Re: Affidavit of February 25, 1942,
Assigned TFEE-1 No. SF 802.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to our letter of May 9, 1942, in connection with which we have received a letter from Mr. D. A. Dunton, Field Representative, Evacuee Property Department. This letter is dated June 2, 1942, at Tulare, California, and therein it is explained that you will encounter considerable difficulty in submitting to us the information asked for in our letter of May 9, 1942, as a consequence of the evacuation program currently being carried out in your area.

In view of the fact the records are not all available at this time, it is requested that you submit the statement of assets and liabilities as accurately as possible under the circumstances. Please indicate in the statements all figures which are accurrate and those which are estimates. We feel that a statement as indicated above will be acceptable by the Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., provided you will submit an accurate statement as soon as the books and records are again made available to you.

Kindly let us have the above-mentioned document in triplicate, duly administered under oath, at your earliest convenience.

Yours very truly,

R. E. Everson

Assistant Cashier.

cc: D. M. Dunton,
Field Representative,
Evacuee Property Department,
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco,
c/o W.C.C.A. Assembly Center,
Tulare, California.

P.S. This will acknowledge your letter and reply of June 2, 1942, addressed to Mr. Everson, and sent to us from the W.C.C.A. Assembly Center, Tulare, California.

Tulare, California
June 2, 1942

Mr. R. E. Iverson, Assistant Cashier
Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Dear Mr. Iverson:

A Mr. Riichi Miyoshi of 706 Main Street, Santa Maria, California, called this morning and displayed a letter dated May 9th. written over your signature and relates to an Affidavit of Feb. 25, 1942 and Assigned TFDE-1 No. SF 802 requesting additional information concerning the assets of the grocery and store business formerly operated by his father who is now in North Dakota.

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi reports the stock in trade was disposed of with the exception of some stuff they were unable to sell which is stored in the basement of the above mentioned address. He says he thinks all liabilities were liquidated. The books, I understand, are not available. He apparently doesn't know a great deal about the business end although he says they own the property at 706 Main St., Santa Maria, and he has no idea of the value of this property or the value of the goods in the basement.

If you will advise me what further action to take here I shall be glad to do so.

Very truly yours,

D. M. Dunton
Field Representative
W. C. C. A. Assembly Center
Tulare, California.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

May 9, 1942

Mr. Riichi Miyoshi,
706 West Main Street,
Santa Maria, California.

Re: Affidavit of February 25, 1942
Assigned TFBE-1 No. SF 802

Dear Sir:

We have received a request from the Treasury Department dated May 5, 1942, asking that we obtain additional information with reference to the above-mentioned document executed by Masa Miyoshi. Please refer to Section (8) of Form TFBE-1 (Rev.), attached, which will assist you in advising us of the following:

A detailed statement of all assets and liabilities.

Kindly furnish this information in triplicate, in the form of an amendment to the above-mentioned affidavit, duly sworn to before a notary public or anyone else having the power to administer oaths. Upon receipt of such information, we shall be pleased to forward it to the Treasury Department immediately.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosure.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 22, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIYOSHI, Shigaki
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: CHUO CO, NOT INC
Chuo Co, Not Inc, 1200-04 4th St
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given) (Initial)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See DUN & BRADSTREET, INC - SAC 659
" Chuo Co, Not Inc
" Takastsu Hosokawn

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Miyoshi, S. (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Chas. Shoe Co., (Street and Number)
1202 - 4th St
Sacramento, Calif (City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See; Hosokawa, Mary

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

June 12, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312½ K. St.
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See "Dunn & Bradstreet Report"
June 12, 1942
Sac. 659

Action taken:*

Liquidated - No Power of Attorney

Handled by:

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 388

June 3, 1942.
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312 ½ K. St.
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Refers to reports of April 21, and May 8, 1942.

See Sacramento list of ~~M~~ June 1, 1942.
1934 Ford V-8. No word if sold.
Case must be assumed closed.

Action taken:*

Handled by: Sacramento

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Directed to File:

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Supplement Sac. 388

May 8, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312 ½ K. Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento California
(City) (State)

Telephone: X
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

1934 Ford Coupe.

Action taken:*

Telephoned information that he was still trying to sell car.

Handled by: McFarland

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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Directed to File: Sacramento Office

Name MIYASHI (Surname) Shigezo (Given)

...Reserve Bank of San Francisco
...cal Agent of the United States

Sac. 388

April 21, 1942
(Date)

Name: Miyoshi, Shigezo
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 312½ K Street
(Street and Number)

Sacramento, California
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Adult: x
Minor:
Male: x
Female:
Citizenship: Alien

Name: MIYOSHI, SHIGEZO
(Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1937

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: Above

Telephone Number: --

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

A. Has Savings Account in Watsonville Bank - wants to transfer if permissible.

B. Has 1934 Ford V8 Coupe. Wants to know what he can do with same.

Action taken:*

A. Referred him to local Bank to make transfer.

B. Furnished WCCA Form FRB4 and explained same. Will endeavor to sell car.

1 Interviewed
Family in Japan

Sacramento Office

Handled by: R.W.Schmitt

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mizoguchi Rose K
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 600 L St
(Street and Number)

Sacto
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

See: Aritz + Cook

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MIZOGUCHI Y.
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: R. F. D. #2
(Street and Number)

Puyallup Wash
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name
(Surname)
(Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

March 16, 1942

Y. Miyamuchi,
R. F. D. #2,
Puyallup, Washington

Dear Sir:

In reviewing the license recently issued to you for the operation of your business, it occurs to us that you might be in an area recently designated by the Army officials which will possibly be evacuated in the near future.

If you are subject to the evacuation order and the license which you now have is not sufficiently broad to permit disposition of your assets or the complete liquidation of your business, we will be pleased to give immediate consideration to any application which you wish to submit.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: Mizokami, Timothy
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: (Monterey)
(Street and Number)

Arcadia
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury license now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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REFERRED BY MR. H.D. ARMSTRONG

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO

FISCAL AGENT OF THE UNITED STATES

JUN 22 1942

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 20, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
400 Sansome Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen: RE: TIMOTHY MIZOKAMI

The Bank of America in Monterey has telephoned us several times about this car situation. I saw Masao Mizokami, the younger brother of the soldier, at the camp several times, more particularly on the 9th of this month. At that time he said he wanted to sell the car and turn the money over to his mother but that he had not heard from his brother to that effect.

It seems that the Bank of America and this Frank Montera, the businessman in Castroville with whom the car is stored, have been consulting about this car situation and Montera is willing to pay up on the car and keep it stored for the boys. He wants the pink slip if that is done.

Naturally, the Bank of America wants to do something as the car is not worth a great deal more than the payments due, on the present market, and they state very frankly that if something is not done pretty soon they will have to repossess the car and sell same, in which case the evacuee would probably get very little if anything.

His being in the armed services, due to the date of his contract and induction, would not keep the bank from selling the security. Yesterday the brother, Masao, gave me the last address they had of the soldier Timothy as Hq. Bat., Sta. Comp., Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas, and asked that I write him. I agreed to do this and attempt to explain the situation to him.

I am also giving his address to the Bank of America in Monterey so they can communicate with him and get him to sign the pink slip and do anything else that is necessary, if he is agreeable.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

Answered
Ans. by Routine Service
No Answer Required
vls/jh

Surname

FOR DEFENSE
BUY UNITED STATES SAVINGS BONDS AND STAMPS

FILE ONLY WHEN SIGNED

Copy

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
June 30, 1942

Timothy Mizokami
Hq. Bat. Sta. Co.
Camp Joseph T. Robinson, Arkansas

Dear Sir:

It is reported to us that your car is stored with Frank Montera in Castroville and that you have a purchase contract on said car with the Bank of America at Monterey.

I have talked to your brother several times and also to your mother at the Salinas Camp, about this car as the Bank of America is naturally anxious to have the contract completed or they must repossess the car and sell same.

Yesterday, I saw your brother and he gave me your address. I am writing to suggest to you that when you hear from the Bank of America that you write them and let them know your wishes. Of course, they are principally interested in getting their money but state they are willing to cooperate in any way they feel proper.

It seems that your friend, Frank Montera, says he is willing to pay up on the car and keep same for you until you return. Would you prefer to have this arrangement made, or do you want the car sold and the money turned over to your mother? This letter is being written at the request of your family. They seem to think either course would be agreeable to them.

Enclosed please find a stamped, addressed envelope and a piece of paper for your reply which we hope you will make at once to us, as well as to the bank when you hear from them.

For your information, will state that your brother is occupied at the Camp and apparently quite satisfied and that your mother appears to be in good health. As you probably know, the people are going to be moved from the Salinas Camp at the Rodeo Grounds, beginning the end of this month and it is my understanding that they will probably go to a new camp in Arizona.

Yours truly

J. F. van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

vLS/ jh

125 Monterey Street
Salinas, California
May 29, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
500 California Street
San Francisco, California

Attn: Evacuee Property Department

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to the copy of the attached letter from the Bank of America in Monterey. We have not as yet replied to this letter and are not planning to until we hear from you.

I went out to the Rodeo Grounds today and interviewed several members of this Mizokami (Timothy) family and find that Timothy K., the owner of the car, is in the Army and has been since last year and at the present time is stationed in Arkansas.

The family kept up the payments on the car until the evacuation and now they are rather in a quandary as to what to do. They have written their brother in the Army and he has not replied. They seem to feel that the payments should be kept up and possession taken of the car in the name of their brother as undoubtedly the machine is worth more than the obligation against it.

This was a well known family of Japanese and Japanese-Americans in Monterey, some of whom worked here and now, excepting for the brother in the Army, they are all at the Rodeo Grounds near Salinas.

It is my intention to telephone Mr. Fossat of the bank and ask him to be patient for a few days until I can make an investigation, in the meantime expecting to hear from you. I happen to know where the car is because, inadvertently, the family let it slip.

It is quite evident that the family do not want to take advantage of the situation in any way but they do want to protect any equity they feel the soldier might have in the car. It was suggested by me that perhaps the best solution would be to put the car in the hands of a responsible dealer and let him sell it, or turn the car back to the bank with the understanding that they would get the best price obtainable and remit the balance for the registered owner's account.

It does not seem to me that any great good can be gained by attempting to keep title to the car for this

soldier, although like many of these evacuees, the family seemed to feel that they should hang on to it.

The brother I interviewed is named Masao Mizokami who formerly lived at Route 3, Box 311, Salinas and I rather think that he and the family will do whatever we think best under the circumstances.

Before deciding on this thing I would appreciate your advice but it seems to me it would be just as well to dispose of this automobile to the best advantage in a manner that would suit the family at the Rodeo Grounds, as it does not appear as if the brother, even if he were released from the Army, would have much opportunity to use the car.

Yours truly

J. F. Van Loben Sels
Field Representative,
Salinas

vLS/jh
enclosure

by phone 6/1 — agreed Van L should contact family looking toward placement might dealer for sale basket -that we notify Bank when such steps taken

Answered

Dictated by Franklin Author

No Answer Required

Directed to File

By Borden

Signature

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C O P Y

BANK OF AMERICA

Monterey, California
May 27, 1942

Mr. J. F. van Loben Sels
% Federal Reserve Bank
125 Monterey Street
Salinas, Calif.

Subject: Automobile Loan
Timothy Mizokami

Dear Mr. van Loben Sels:

Following our telephone conversation of May 26, 1942 we are giving you hereunder information relative to the captioned subject as requested by you.

Mr. Mizokami owes us $178.10 secured by a Conditional Sales Contract on his 1937 Oldsmobile Touring Sedan. The motor number is F696323 and the serial number is TK396973. The 1942 license number is 81#400. The former residence address of Mr. Mizokami was 624 Hawthorne St., Monterey, California and his business address was in care of Salinas Valley Vegetable Exchange, Salinas, California.

In so far as we know Mr. Mizokami moved out of this zone sometime during the middle part of April. In view of the fact that this loan is now delinquent, it would be sincerely appreciated if the new forwarding address could be given us by your office.

If you have a suggestion whereby this automobile can be taken over by the United States Government, we would appreciate receiving it.

Cordially yours,

W. J. FOSSAT /s/

W. J. Fossat
Assistant Cashier

WJF:b

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

5/16/42
(Date)

Name: MIZONO GEO AKIRO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Address: 917 Stanyan St
(Street and Number)

SF Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: American

Name: MIZONO (Surname) George Akiro (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: Born in U.S.

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address: ✓

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Has 1-1937 Pontiac 6 cyl Sedan and 1-1940 Chevrolet 2 door 6 cyl Sta Sedat above address
Owns at above address a 3 Story Flat value 5500 = with mortgage to Anglo Calif Bank amount 500 = Balance. Has given Anglo Calif Bank Agency agreement & collect rents etc.
Had Soy Bean Cake factory at 1606 A Geary St. SF Has Sold out entire inventory except 25 cases of 11 lbs each of Red Bug Brand Shredded Shrimp Cost Val $5.50 per case. Shrimp from New Orleans.

Action taken:*

Information

Handled by: D H Gray

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
(S-5055) 1 Interviewed
2 Represented

Directed to File: 1501 Farrell St Central # 3

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

April 1, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mizote (Surname) Doris (Given)

Telephone:
Interview: x

Address: 855 - 37th (Street and Number)

Oakland (City) Calif. (State)

Adult: x
Minor:
Male:
Female: x
Citizenship: U. S.

Name MIZOTE (Surname) DORIS (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: 1917

Operating under Treasury License now?: No

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship: x
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: as above

Address: as above

Telephone Number: ~~Hy 8560 Hyerts~~ Te. 4569

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Miss Mizote owns the home at the above address and operates a grocery store at 752 - 7th Street, Oakland. She plans to rent or sell the house and to sell the store equipment which she values at $500.

May 28, 1942 - Miss Mizote sold stock and equipment of store to Lupe Ramirez, Inc.

Action taken:*

Advised Miss Mizote to place her house in the hands of real estate dealers and to offer her store equipment through newspaper advertising and to give power of attorney to the Bank of America, 7th and Broadway. - Gl. 9600

Handled by:

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(S-5055) 9 involved
1 contacted
1 interviewed

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Oakland

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

_____ (Date)

Name: Mizota, Nobuo & Chas. (Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: _____ (Street and Number)

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Alviso Road, Calif. (City) (State)

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by: _____

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The undersigned NOBUO MIZOTA

of P.O. Box 117 Alviso California, hereby

appoints J. A. PANKOSKI OF

Alviso Road California as guardian

of my personal property (~~as per inventory herewith~~) to be stored

at no expense to me.

It is furthermore agreed that any damages inflicted by natural accidents such as fire, will not be held against Mr. J. A. PANKOSKI.

Nobuo Mizota

Dated: May 16, 1942

Accepted: _____

Witness: Cone

For and in consideration of TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS

($250) Cash in hand, I,

CHARLES M. MIZOTA U.S. Army - Santa Clara California

agree to sell, transfer, and deliver physical possession of

one (1) Chevrolet 6 Eng. No. 5289716 Lic. No. 4F 405

to RAUL FRANCO

of Pratt Low Preserving Co.

Walnut Grove California.

Chas. M. Mizota

by Robert Mizota

Raul Franco

DATED: May 16, 1942

manner of payment to be arranged between buyer seller.

WITNESS: O. F. Campbell

O. F. CAMPBELL
Field Representative
Federal Reserve Bank of
San Francisco

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

July 23, 1942
(Date)

Name: Mizote Rox
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: P.O. Box 589
(Street and Number)
Reedley, Calif.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview: ✓

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: alien Japan

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury license now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Same

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Carries a blocked account with the Security-First National Bank, Hanford, Calif. Allowed to withdraw $100.00 a month now. Might be needed $100.00 extra this month to keep things before leaving. Bank requested he furnish affidavit stating necessary he have this $100.00 extra.

Action taken:* after talking to him about his needs he decided not necessary to have extra money before the first of August - when he can withdraw $100.00 without affidavit

5 in family

Handled by:

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Directed to file:

1716 - 11th St. Reedley, Calif

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

May 5, 1942
(Date)

Name: MIZOTE Roy
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: _____
(Street and Number)

Hanford, Cal
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship: _____

Date of last entry into United States: _____

Operating under Treasury License now?: _____

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

From memo report, Visalia Field Office (Holmew)

"Called on Roy Mizote. He had sold all of supplies except tools at a good price. Tools he will store in garage."

Action taken:*

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Name
MIZOTE (Surname)
Roy (Given)

April 22, 1942

Mr. W. C. Holmes,
Field Representative,
500 North Garden Street,
Visalia, California.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your interviews conducted with Roy Mizote, proprietor of the Sunset Garage at Hanford. In view of the fact that Mizote has accepted money for storage, it would appear to us that this storage would automatically be classified as of a private nature.

Comparable problems elsewhere have been solved enlisting the cooperation of the local police force or sheriff's office. We do not feel that it would be proper to post Federal Reserve Bank placards on such building.

Very truly yours,

Assistant Cashier.

Boraen:GC

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

Sunset Garage

4/16-42
(Date)

Name: Mizote (Naoto) [Roy]
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: (Res) 328 East 9th St.
(Street and Number)

Hanford Calif
(City) (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name MIZOTE (Surname) NAOTO (ROY) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: July 13th 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Garage
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Roy Mizote
Business Address: 413 East 7th St.
Telephone Number: Hanford 602

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Refer to report #37 dated Apr. 13th.

He reported to-day that he had 27 Cars that the owners had agreed up for storage.

No problem.

Filed as information

Per letter to Field Rep. - Visalia April 17 1942

Action taken:*

For my information could any Communists notice be placed on this building after Cars are stored? It would be same protection against vandalism and theft

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative
Directed to file: ✓
Visalia

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27 owners.

Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/4/42
(Date)

Name: Mizote Roy
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: 413 East 7th St
(Street and Number)

Hanford Calif
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: American

Name MIZOTE (Surname) ROY (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Garage
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Harvey Fujimoto

Address: P.O. 10 Armona Calif

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem: Regarding disposal of tools and equipment, or storage for them.

Action taken:* Storage would be available, for tools that he was not able to dispose of at a fair price.

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Handled by: [illegible]
Fiscal Representative

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4 Americans in family

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

4/13/42
(Date)

Name: Mizote (Surname) Naoto (Roy) (Given)

Telephone:
Interview:

Address: Res. 328 East 9th St
(Street and Number)

Hanford (City) Calif (State)

Adult: ✓
Minor:
Male: ✓
Female:
Citizenship: Japanese

Name MIZOTE (Surname) NAOTO (Given)

Date of last entry into United States: July 13th 1940

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business: Garage
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual: ✓

Person Interviewed: Roy Mizote
Business Address: 413 East 7th St Hanford.

Telephone Number: Hanford 602

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Cannot get reasonable offers for Cars.
Has a garage at 413 East 7th St. owned by M. E. Odenheimer
Might binding Hanford
Mizote wanted like to park 20 to 25 Cars belonging to friends and neighbors in this garage
Making a monthly charge of about 3.00.
This arrangement is satisfactory to Mr. Odenheimer
if sufficient number of cars can be obtained to cover
monthly rental of 75.00.

Action taken:*

Have Mr. Odenheimer act as their agent, with
the understanding, that he would carry out
their instructions, regarding sales to prospective buyers.
Advised Mizote to check up on plan as rapidly as
possible, and report the results.

Handled by: [illegible]
Field Representative

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25 automobiles wanted to be operated

Directed to File: Visalia

37)

October 6, 1942

MEMORANDUM TO: WAR RELOCATION AUTHORITY

SUBJECT: Sojuro Mizote

Enclosed is a copy of a letter from Sojuro Mizote, an evacuee resident at Central Utah War Relocation Project, requesting information as to procedure in the sale of certain Alameda County real property. Also enclosed is a copy of our today's reply, advising that the matter has been submitted to your agency for consideration.

Assistant Cashier.

Enclosures
MDArmstrong:EM

October 6, 1942

Mr. Sojuro Mizota,
Block 19, Barrack 10, Apt. B,
Central Utah War Relocation Project,
Topaz, Utah.

Dear Sir:

We have received your letter dated September 29, 1942 requesting information as to a procedure in the sale of certain real property in Oakland, California, which you state stands in the names of your sons.

Inasmuch as you now reside in a relocation project, we believe such problems as this come within the jurisdiction of the War Relocation Authority, to which agency, with offices at the Hotel Whitcomb Building, San Francisco, we have referred a copy of your communication for consideration.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier.

HDArmstrong:EM

cc: War Relocation Authority,
San Francisco, California.

Block 19 - Barrack 10 - Apt. B
Central Utah Rel. Center
Topaz, Utah
Sept. 29, 1942

Federal Reserve Bank
San Francisco, California

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Gentlemen,

A party named Mr. Goldberg of 1166 - 19th St. in Oakland, California wishes to buy the property on the corner of 7th and Brush Streets in Oakland, which is owned by my sons who are now in the United States Army. He states that he will pay the full price of $3500.00 $200.00 down payment with the balance in monthly installments of $25.00 with 6% interest a year. He intends to pay the city and county taxes and the fire insurance, which is in the sellers' name, for 1942 - 1943 and the following years until the property is fully paid for.

Please let me know which procedure we should take or whether you will handle the negotiations for us.

Thank you,

Cordially yours,

Sojuro Mizote

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Acknowledged
No Answer Required

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Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco
Fiscal Agent of the United States

(Date)

Name: MIZOTE MS SAJIRO
(Surname) (Print) (Given)

Address: Tanforan Assembly Center
(Street and Number)

Tanforan.
(City) (State)

Telephone:
Interview:

Adult:
Minor:
Male:
Female:
Citizenship:

Name (Surname) (Given)

Date of last entry into United States:

Operating under Treasury License now?:

Type of Business:
Partnership:
Proprietorship:
Corporation:
Individual:

Person Interviewed:

Address:

Telephone Number:

Principal property involved and scope of problem:

Action taken:*

Handled by:

*Attach additional pages where necessary.
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May 20, 1942.

Mr. Sajuro Mizote,
Tanforan Assembly Center,
Tanforan, California.

Dear Sir:

With reference to the Ford Deluxe Tudor Sedan, Engine No, 18-4721174, which belonged to your son, Hisashi Mizote, and which you turned over to the Federal Reserve Bank for sale to the Army, we find that we do not have a power-of-attorney for you to act for your son.

We are therefore enclosing a power of attorney form in duplicate, which we would thank you to have executed by your son, returning same to us in the enclosed self-addressed envelope. This power-of-attorney is required to be witnessed, and we might suggest that you have your son obtain the signature of some officer of his company or regiment in the place provided for this purpose.

Yours very truly,

Assistant Cashier

Enclosures

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